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FROM THE FRONT

Corporal Burrell and Tro pr

The Former has Been Promoted Trooper Peck Sees Lots of Figating

Henry Burrell, one of the young nen from the Maple City, now in actrive service in South Africa, has received his promotion as corporal, and writes home to his parents from Bloemfontein under date of May 29. In the letter he says:-

"I have no stamps to post this with There were some last week, but there was such a rush that they didn't last long. This war will teach me more than all the history I could read in the next ten years. Britain has now more troops in the field than she ever had before. The Boers hold very good positions, and if it were not for the grand flank movements which Lord loberts conducts, they would put up quite a fight. But they can't stand flanking, so they retreat to another hill or mount, where they will make another stand for a little while and then go on again. I am looking for-ward to the time when the whole Transvaal will surrender. I would just as soon go home as I cannot get back to the front and secure any more honors. I suppose I had to get wounded, and hope I have done my share in our compa

FROM FRANK PECK. Frank Peck, son of Frank C. Peck, eannette's Creek, who went with the second contingent, writes his father from Kroonstadt, May 18:-

"I suppose you are very anxious to hear from me, and I intended to write before. We have had some six battles between Bloemfontein and Kroonstadt, which made the trip live ny and interesting, although not any too pleasant at times, while passing through the Orange Free State. The Boers were routed out like grass-hop pers, and it was a frightful sight t see the dead and wounded men and horses lying on the field. I have fired a number of shots in each engagement ment; but could not find a man for a arget, as the Boers do not expose themselves and we are unable to see the enemy at all unless in close quarters. They are rather good shots themselves, too, and fire very rapidly, but they have not the sand to stand ad fight like the British. If they did no doubt the war would soon be ended. We fare very well, and manage to get a few chickens oddssionally. Each a few chickens occasionally. Each man makes his own tea or coffee. I am in good health, and well pleased with soldiery so far.'

MAY GO TO CHINA. a subsequent letter. Peck says: 'We are still holding Kroonstadt, waiting for further supplies. This is a little town 160 miles from Pretoria. We expect to soon have another battle. We had a livey time at the Vet River, the border of the Orange Free State, also the entrance to the Transvaal. The majority of the Canadians sent out with the second contingent may consider themselves very lucky and can be very thankful that more of them have not been killed, as the bullets and shrapnell shells were bursting right on our flanks. The men who fell were Britsh Imperial troops. As soon as we have in more supplies we will make a rush and fight our way into the Transvaal. When this war ic over, as they are going to have a hot time in China, it is quite likely I may arrange to go out there,"

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Kiel, July 9. - The German East Asiatic squadron sailed this morning Peck Write Home. for China. Emperor William and Prince Henry of Prussia witnessed the departure of the warships. Addressing the first naval division prior to its departure for China to-day, Emper-

or William said:
"Yours is the first division of armored ships which I send abroad. Remember, you will have to fight a cunning foe, provided with modern wea-pons, to avenge the German blood which has flowed. But, spare the women and children. I shall not rest till China is subdued and all the till China is subdued and all the bloody deeds are avenged. You will fight together with the troops of va-rious nationalities. See that you main-tain good comradeship with them."

Is Attending the Boer Tactics In South Africa.

Afrikander Leaders not Well Re ceived in London-Paul Hangs on to the Gold.

London, Tuesday, July 10, 4 a. m .-As Lord Roberts' despatches reveal the Boers are unusually active, both in the Orange Colony and the so-called pacified western Transvaal, but without producing any serious impression upon the British arms. Passengers arriving at Lorenzo Marquez on July 9 from Middleburg say there has been evere fighting between the latter place and Machadodorp, in which the

Boers were defeated and demoralized, The Bondi leaders at the Cape are extending their boycott of British firms, and Dutch companies, with £200,000 capital, have been formed. The Lorenzo Marquez correspondent

of the Daily Felegraph says under date of July 9:—"I understand that Mr. Hollis, the American consul here, has been recalled. He is a well-known pre-Boer." At a meeting of Afrikander women at Cape Town Monday called to pro-test against the annexation of the

Republics to the British Empire and the punishment of the rebels, Mrs. Olive Schreiner Cronwright denounced the British policy. She said:-"If the Republics are annexed, if the Afrikanders are oppressed, peace is impos-

It is reported at Cape Town that President Kruger's retention of large amounts of godi at Machadedorp has created the utmost discontent among the officers and men. They expected substantial rewards for championing the Boer interests, but have received nothing. It is added that visiting foreigners who have subsequently advo-cated intervention are believed to received substantial , it is further asserted Proofs, it is further asserted, have discovered in Pretoria which promise

rived in London Saturday last seek to impress the idea upon the English that public opinion is favorable to Boer independence. They have been asked to leave the hotel at which they asked to leave the hotel at which they are stopping. Among them is Prof. Devos, of the Stellenbosch theological seminary, and D. Dewet, formerly a member of the Cape Colony Cabinet.

The Cape correspondent of the Standard says under date of July 9.—
"The Post Office authorities have issued a notice that civil mails have been suspended for Johannesburg."

suspended for Johannesburg. with the fact that telegrams from Pretoria are refused, causes un-

A PRIEST MARRIED.

Young Woman Traveled 800 files From Ontario to Meet Him.

Worcester, July 9.-Rev. M. Arthu outlee, a priest of the Roman Catholic church, and Miss Georgiana Perrier, form-erly a school teacher in Western Ontario, Canada, who eluded her parents and came 800 miles, were married by Rev Arthur St. James in the Beacon Street French Baptist church here. A surging crowd filled the streets and crowded the edifice during the ceremony.

IS IN CONTROL AGAIN

The Empress Dowager Once More has the Upper Hand in China.

Shanghai, Tuesday, July 10.-The Empress Dowager is again in control it Pekin, .She resumed the reigns of of government June 30th, and at once pointed General Yung Lu as prime minister. News to this effect was received here from official sources at 10 ast night. It was received with rejoicing by the foreigners. She sent a despatch thanking the viceroys of Yang Tse Kang provinces for their loyalty, and commanding them to protect foreigners at any cost.

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SEVERAL SNAGS.

Bishop McEvay Likely to Strike Them in Windsor

Before he Succeeds in Establishing Separate Schools There.

Detroit Free Press Windsor Catholics are averse to disussing the contemplated change in the schools by Bishop McEvay, but one and all agree that they are perfectly satisfied with the way the schools are conducted at present, and do not wish a change for several reasons and, probably the main one is the financial side of the question. The Bishop has stated that he would retain the present teachers in St. 'Alphonsus' and St. Francis's schools, and if he does so it neans an increase in the school rate for Catholic ratepayers. They appear to think that when the Bishop finds out he will have to raise more money

than at present to run the schools, he

will have the qualified teachers dis-

charged and their places filled by the

sisters of some convent, 'Al member of the Windsor school board, in speaking of the matter, said that the Bishop would run up against several snags before he had the change completed, and the separate schools in running order. The Catholies represent about one-third of the ratepayers of the city, and, at present, their school assessment is about \$2,000 less than the expense of running St. Francis' and St. Alphonsus' schools. If it is the bishop's intention to employ the same number of teachers at the same salaries at present, the support porters of the schools will have to

make up this deficiency.

Then, again, there is the question of ownership of the schools. The building and site of St. Francis' (were paid for with money from the public school board, and undoubtedly, it is declared, it belowers to the public schools. The it belongs to the public schools. The St. Alphonsus school was also erected by the school board, and the only thing that the Bishop can lay claim to is the lot on which the school was built. This was deeded to the Catho-lic church some years ago by a man named Cuellette for school purposes. named Cuellette for school purposes. But the Bishop cannot expect that the public school supporters will be willing to surrender to the church the buildings and land purchased with their money, it is argued.

There is also some doubt about the ligher being able to over his Sanarate.

Bishop being able to open his Separate school in the first part of next January, as there is a provision in the statutes that the clerk of the munici-pality must be notified some months previous to any change being made. The separate school trustees will have to be elected and possession of the buildings secured before the scheme omes into effect. schools until after the rate is struck next May, and the money for current expenses must be forthcoming from

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All these manuscripts substantially agree, although they have never met before, and, it is manifest that they must have been copied from a still more ancient volume. We find also numerous editions of the same old volume in various languages. From Russîa comes a Sclavonic version, 1,000 years old. From Egypt comes a Coptic version, 1,200 years old. From Eth iopia comes an Ethiopic version, 1,300 years old. From Persia comes an Armenian version, over 1,000 years old. From Italy comes the Latin or Vulgate version, 1,400 years old. From Africa comes the Hexapla or Origen 1,500 years old. From Syria comes the Peshito, or Syriac version, 1,800 years old. From Rabbinical libraries there came the Targums or Paraphrases of the bible, still older. From Alexandria comes the old Septuagint or Greek version of the old testament, 285 years older than the Christian era. All these manuscripts substantially agree. The first volume contains the same 39 books written by the same 29 authors. whose lives covered a period of 1,000 years. The second volume contains the same 27 books written by the same 10 men. The variations between the different copies are so slight as not to affect any essential fact or doctrine. Who can doubt that these ancient writings are what they claim to be the veritable writings of Moses and David, Isaiah and Ezra, Paul and John, Matthew and Peter?

But, it may be asked, are there any reference to these sacred books in the writings of ancient authors? Bid the early writers of the Christian age know of their existence? Certainly In the first century we find Clement and Ignatius; in the second, Justin Martyr and Iranaeus; in the third Origen, Tertullian and Cyprian, in the fourth, Gregory, Cyril, Jerome Chrysostom and Augustine; nearly 200 differet writers whose works are still extant, who not only constantly refer to the holy scriptures as we now have them, as known and received in their day, and who quote so fully from these pages that, were every bible in the world destroyed, it is claimed that that the whole bible would be substantially seproduced from their writings. These men themselves fully believed in the scriptures, and they tell us that they were received in all lands and read in almost every tongue. Not only so, but the very enemies of Christianity who wrote in that age never dis puted the genuineness of these writ ings and the great facts they record, even while they refused to accept the doctrines they contained.

It is easy to see in the face of these facts, that the statements of these writers must be accepted as credible and authentic, as they would not have been thus received in their own age by the men who had such abundant opportunities of detecting and exposing them, if they were false. Luke and Paul would not have dared to proclaim in Jerusalem, Athens; and Rome in the face of millions, statements, of fact that were known to be false without someone denying or questioning them. Paul tells us that there were 500 witnesses of Christ's resurrection alive when he wrote to the Corinthians, and it is simply incredible that thousands and tens of thousands, living in the very age when these things occurred, and with ample opportunities of verifying them, should not only only accept them, but stake their lives fortunes, and 'eternal destiny upon them, unless they knew them to be true. We may surely believe, whatever we think of himself or his teachings, that there was such a person as Christ, that he really lived, wrought miracles, uttered the words attributed to him, died, rose from the dead, com missioned his apostles, ascended to heaven in their sight; that these apostles went forth and preached the at The 2 T's

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DOCTORS CONDEMN TRAILING SKIRTS.

The physicians of Europe have banded together against the trailing skirts. During the scientific congress held in Rome last week the delegates from the various countries of Europe came to the conclusion that long skirts are

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The physicians determined that the germs of influenza, consumption and typhoid fever are the least of the evils which careless mothers, after an hour's promenade, bring home to the cradies of their children.

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the day a success.

A FORMER PLANET EDITOR GETS AN IMPORTANT APPOINT-MENT

Nelson Economist. Mr. R. E. Gosnell has been appointed secretary to Premier Dunsmuir. Mr. Gosnell, by reason of his intimate knowledge of the resources of British Columbia and his literary inclinations, is well qualified to fill any office within the gift of the Government, and his appointment as secretary to the Premier is a matter for congratulation, not only to the gentleman him-self, but also to Mr. Dunsmuir.

BOTHWELL.

July 10 .- Wm. McGaffy, of Highgate, was in town Saturday and Sunday.

Dexter Galloway, of Sarnia, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Galloway, of this town.

Miss D. Galloway, of Detrcit, is home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles

marched to the Presbyterian church on Sunday where F.ev J. J. Brown, B. A., preached them a very interesting sermon.

The Orangemen marched to the Baptist nurch where the Rev. G.H. Brown preached them a good sermon. a
Rev. G. H. Cobbledick, of the Metho-

dist church, and Rev. J. J. Brown, of the Presbyterian church, changed pulpits on unday evening last.
Fred and James Martin, of Thamesville,

were in town on Sunday.

Sydney Cook, of London, is in town. He Bothwell's ex-pitcher of the baseball ENNIAL

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Plain Talk to Club Women Mrs. Josephine Woodward, who is on the staff of a Cincinnati paper, was invited to make an address before the Ohio Federation of Women's Clubs recently. Her subject was: "Women's Clubs from a Reporter's Point of View," and she told the club women some things that must have astonished

them. Among other things Mrs. Wood-

ward said: "Once a long time before cinh women had taught me how to lie cheerfully and glibly, I undertook to give in print a true report of some club proceeding or other. I have never tried it since. The truth crushed to earth that day now rises for the first time. Since that tragic day when I was led from the path of truth and duty by a club woman, I have made it a practice in reporting club proceedings to simply find out what the president of the club or the chairman of the department would like to have said,

and then say it. It simplifies matters immensely. "The club reporter is apt to incline to the belief that women's clubs take themselves too seriously. The difference between women's clubs and men's clubs is that men's clubs were never intended to be serious, but have always been taken seriously by women, while women's clubs are serious, but have never been taken seriously by men. Most women's club meetings are like most American dinners and afternoon teas and other set pieces of our social system-absolutely lacking in a certain quality of gay, good-humored daring, and full of a conventionism that is both material and dull. You find chairmen of departments of sociology and municipal government presiding as if they were serving little

cakes and weak tea. "But whether I have been able to discover women happier, honester or more content, or better cooks or more agreeable companions to their families and friends, I will concede that I have watched the evolution of the timid, shrinking woman, who had been snubbed first by her father and brothers, and later by her husband, and have rejoiced to see her spread her wings and soar in the sky of appreciation; and I have watched the evolution of the woman accustomed to the flattery of an over-fond mother and fcolish sisters, and have rejoiced to see her get the dust rubbed off her wing-for it was artificial dust, not the real black and gold and pink. But have not been permitted to tell about

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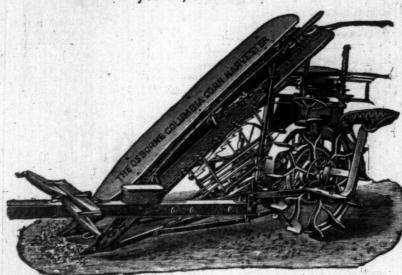


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FROM AN OLD FRIEND. To the Planet,-I will send you in day or two, a copy of one of my books, Roger's Travels, I now enclose a notice about it, which you may like to use. When I was in Chatham, the Planet published a full report of the meetings, and thus did much good. I still take an interest in the paper, and especially in the dear people of Chatham, who I learned to love. When I returned there after 19 years' absence, I found on every hand the permanent good that the meetings had done. Children converted at that time, were among the leading people in the churches. I have just received a letter from my old friend J. Warren Martin. It cheered my heart to hear from him, and to be thus reminded of those remarkable times, when people came from 10 to 20 miles to attend those services, which the Lord blessed in the conversion of so many souls.

Yours most truly, E. P. HAMMOND.

Hartford, Conn. Note-Mr. Hammond's book has bee received and already noticed. Roger's Travels can be read by old and young alike, with profit and pleasure.—Edi-

or Planet. THE ATHLETIC GROUNDS.

To the Editor,-The city council i every year called upon to contribute towards demonstrations, which are certainly conducive to the good of the certainty conductive tions bring a large concourse of people to our town, help advertise it and also keep our money circulating among ourselves, but there must be some convenient place to cen-tralize attractions, where some revenue can be obtained for the necessary outlay. Why would it not be a very profitable investment and also a direct return for money spent for the city to purchase the athletic grounds and hold them for the benefit of just much activation and the context of the co and hold them for the benefit of just and hold them for the benefit of just such entertainments, instead of contributing every year large sums of money to carry them on. By the use of the enclosed grounds, etc., to a celebration committee, they put in the way of making each celebration finance itself through, and at the same time secure to the city one of the prettiest little athletic parks in the country, which will always be the means of encouraging all societies or citizens to have their festivities at home. I would like very much to hear the opmions of others on this subject. If you will kindly submit this to the public through your paper, Yours, etc.

THE NEW LIBERALISM AND THE

OLD TORYISM. To The Planet:-I make bold to take To The Planet:—I make bold to take up my quill in answer to your courteous invitation for the farmers to express their convictions on public matters. In beginning, let me introduce myself. I was once a Liberal, but I am becoming more radical with maturing years. I am the most bitter and irreconcilable adversary of old Toryism that I know of—not the Toryism of George III., that brought about the American war of Independence of 1776, nor the Toryism of the old Bourbons of France, that infuriated the people of that country in 1790 old Bourbons of France, that infuriated the people of that country in 1790 and deauged France in blood for 25 years, nor yet the Toryism of the family compact in our own land that brought our fathers into rebellion with Mackenzie in 1837; but the Toryism of Sir John A. Macdonald, that dedeveloped the Canadian Pacific R. R. and the National Policy, i. e., protection and the iniquitous tax system of to-day. Still, I see signs of a new Toryism coming to birth; I want to see what it may be like.

The first sign I saw was in the Ottawa house within a couple of months, reported in your paper, in re

months, reported in your paper, in re tobacco tax. It was urged in the tobacco tax. It was urged in the House by Tories that the Government House by Nories that the Government had no right to pick out a class of citizens to bear an extortion tax which others did not bear. (Wording mine.) My second sign is from Winnipeg. Hugh John Macdonald "having seen all his father's sins, which he had done, and considered and doeth not such like"—Ezekiel 18, 14—even lays a plank in his platform for government ownership of railroads. His father thought railroads should own the government, country and all. My third sign that a new Toryism is coming is in, your last week's paper. You invite us (farmers) to open discussion and promise us courteous treatment. You also acknowledge the discrimination of the protective tariff against us. I hope as the old Grits have gone us. I hope as the old Grits have gone to the position of the old Tories that the new Toryism may be the hope of

the new Toryism may be the hope of the country.
You seem, Mr. Editor, to imagine that the farmers only suffer from protection and that it is a good thing for everybody else. Truly, the farmers are fleeced, and fleeced thoroughly, but I think it fleeces very many who are not farmers at all. Let us look. The people of all towns and cities are fleeced in the matter of paying bonuses to factories. What about Chatham? Look at the mayor trotting the globe hunting for some capitalist who globe hunting for some capitalist who will condescend to be so kind as come and fleece the poor people of Chatham for a bonus. A while ago he found a dozen impecunious sharpers from some country in Europe who could make glass. He made Chatham an offer to get them to come here. Chatham must furnish capital to start; Chatham must obtain from the Ottawa Covernment an import duty on glass ham must obtain from the Ottawa Government an import duty on glass equal to from 2 to fc, per pane on all imported glass, thus fleecing every farmer, every builder and every property owner from Vancouver Island to Cape Breton. Why all this fleecing of the public? So that the people of Chatham could be fleeced for a bonus. But Chatham resulid get a factory that But Chatham could be fleeced for a bonus. But Chatham would get a factory that would give employment to her poor! Yes, employment for her poor. There would be one man wanted to shovel in sand, one to shovel in coal and one to shovel out smoke. I, for one, consider the bonused factory an unmitigated

curse to any country, and more so to our country than to any other. My next article will be on tax ex-

LAWYERS AND DOCTORS. To The Planet.-There are two classes of To The Planet.—There are two classes or representatives that the farmers, are dead against for to legislate for them, the doctor and the lawyer, for they only protect their own interests and not those of the farmer. Hereafter doctors and lawyers, chances will be nit. [When the former looks at them it's \$5, and if they should do or month's work for the farmer just deed then your farm and then the account will be balanced. I hope the delegates will oper their eyes on the day of the convention I will be there.

S, A. DAWSON. Renwick, July 9, 1900 Note-The complaint that lawyers pre derate in parliament is true enough but the same charge does not apply to doctors. Did Mr. Dawson ever look at the matter in this way? If we must have lawyers, isn't it better to elect them direct and make them responsible to their con-stituents than to elect lay automatons who are simply tools in the hands of law yers and do only what they are told to do by them. Has Kent done any better by electing laymen than lawyers!—Editor

CAMEO CARVING.

rools and Methods Employed In the

All the tools used by the cameo carve would make but a handful. The worker sits before a wheel turned by a pedal.

Tools occupy a small corner of the table
surface on which the worker's hands
rest while he holds the shaped stene or
shell beneath the needlelike drill. The little pointed instruments which are used to drill resemble those employed by a dentist, and indeed it was from the cameo carver's kit that the dentists got many of their ideas when the tools now in use by them came to be manufactured, 80 years ago. The drills vary in thickness according to the portion of the figure or design to be executed. Some are as fine as the point of a cambric needle. A small china receptacle also stands near, filled with oil and diamond dust, and into this th

workman frequently dips the tool waring the progress of his work.

The cameo cutter's occupation is very exacting. He can put in only a few hours' work at a time as a usual thing because of the tension on his nerves. A quavering hand may be responsible for the single stroke which will spail a week's work. He must have an eye almost like a microscope and a very delicate touch, he must be an artist in soul and as skilled a craftsman as is a watchmaker he must know how to model and draw and he must have a knowledge of chemistry, so as to remove offending spots. The work is executed in relief on many kinds of hard or precious stones, but es-sentially the chalcedonic variety of quartz and on shells. The cameo cutter himself prefers onyx because of its dark and light layers, which throw out in bold re lief a white head, say, against a black background. He evolves his picture by removing all that portion of the white stratum remaining after the head has been completed. Sapphire blocks are used, carnelian, turquoise, amethyst and

merous other stones. It takes about one month to execute ortrait on onyx, while much less time is consumed if the work is done on shell. There is always great danger of the lat ter breaking, and its durability, too, is not great, so that shell, as a rule, is not as desirable as the harder materials. A portrait on onyx will cost \$200, while one in shell may be had for \$50. The inquiries for these are rare, and building up a patronage is slow and is accomplish ed mainly by satisfied customers influence ing others.

Unknown Birthdays.

Cardinal Manning did not even know the precise year of his birth, let alone the exact day. Francois Sarcey, the cele-brated French critic, never did know either the year, month or day of his birth. Lord Beaconsfield has somewhat added to the uncertainty regarding his birthday by telling Lord Barrington of his having been born in a library. Many people contend that he meant his father's place in John street, Bloomsbury, and others point to a private house in Adelphi ter-race. The exact day, however, has not been settled. One account says Dec. 21,

another Dec. 31. Mystery and uncertainty surrounded the true birthday of Arthur Wellesley, afterward Duke of Wellington. Most people will imagine, and rightly so, that it is difficult for a countess—his mother was the Countess of Mornington—to give birth to a son in her own castle without knowing it, and yet neither she, her husband nor others know exactly on what day it was that the boy was born! Yet this is what occurred on the birthday of the famous duke, and to this day the only really reliable statement about it is that he was born in 1769 in Ireland .-New York World.

Didn't Enjoy the Joke, The late Duke of Westminster once re ceived when at Stack, in West Sutherland, a telegram from a friend, in which the hope was expressed that the duke's horse would win a certain big race. The duke had 30 shillings to pay for the carduke had 30 shillings to pay for the carriage of the telegram from the nearest office. He instantly wrote his thanks for the attention, adding, however, that his friend need not trouble to wire again if the horse won. The friend at once telegraphed in reply, "All right," which cost the duke 30 shillings more. The horse did win the race, and his grace patted. did win the race, and his grace netted £10,000, but it is doubtful if he ever for gave his friend the little joke which cost him 60 shillings,-Tit-Bits.

BOSTON BOY.

By Mrs. Jean Blewett. Made bimself at home as soon as he landed here last spring.

Full of airs as he could be, nose turned up at everything.
Told us twenty times a day that Canucks was awful slow,
Thought he owned the world and all,
liked to strut around and blow.

"He's a visitor," said ma, "see that he is kept amused,
Don't forget your manners now, use him as he should be used."
So I kept my temper down just as long as ever I could,
But one day it mastered me—felt right in my bones it would.

"Fourth July I'm going home," so he started up the fun, "Licked the British, don't you know,



Some men seem to defy old age. They walk erect. Their eyes are bright. Their laugh is hearty. They are men of to-day-not men of yesterday. They are also men who have kept themselves in good physical condition in the past. As we grow older waste matter accumulates in the system. The body cannot throw it off without assistance. So, little by little the machinery of the body is clogged, vitality is lowered, and enjoyment of life ceases. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, cannot make old men young, but it does make them strong and healthy. By removing the waste accumulations, by increasing the blood supply, by strengthening the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition, and thus increasing the assimilative and nutritive powers, "Golden Medical Discovery" makes grand old men. "I suffered for six years with constipation and indigestion, during which time I employed several physicians, but they could not reach my case." writes Mr. G. Popplewell, of Eureka Springs, Carroll Co. Ark. "I felt that there was no help for me, could not retain food on my stomach; had vertigo and would fall helpless to the floor. I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and little 'Pellets.' I am now in good health for one of my age—60 years. I lowe it all to Dr. Pierce's medicines."

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made the lion turn and run. He remembers it, you bet, stars and stripes can make him quail, Lion dassen't growl," said he, "if he did we'd pull his tail."

That boy needed to be trounced, needed it most awful bad, Naturally the job was mine, 'cause I was the preacher's lad.
"Use him as he should be used," that was what my ma had said.

Wasn't I obeying her when I up and punched his head?

He could fight as well as blow, had to wee him pretty rough,
Wool him round considerably, 'fore
he'd holler out "enough."

I was 'most a week as olow, nad to was 'most a wreck myself, didn't know just what to do, Buttons off and braces broke, gingham

Couldn't cover up my teeth 'cause my upper lip was cut, upper up was cut,
And you trust my ma to see that one
eye was swelled up shut.
She felt bad. How could I fight, and

shirt tore 'most in two.

ms pa a minister,
Teachin people peace and love? "Never mind," pa sait to her.

"When a boy comes visiting—pretty boy from Boston town—' Nose turned up at our Union Jack, some one's got to turn it down." Ma she lectured for an hour, then I hunted cousin Jake, we went by our two selves through the woods down to the

That chap lied to-day," said Jake, as "That chap lied to-day, said Jake, as we sprawled out in the sun, "Bout that, oh you know, that yarn how they made the lion run. I'd have heard it sure from you"—

Jake ain't much on history, Doesn't know a blessed thing, 'ceptin what he learns from me. had told him heaps an' heaps 'bout the wars old England's fought,

Bout her soldiers, foot an' horse, and her ships, O, such a lot! Waterloo and Omdurman, battles won

just everywhere, It had slipped my mind, somehow 'bout that fourth July affair.

"It was this way, Jake," said I, and went on to make things clear.

Drew a map out on the sand, took me half an hour, near.

"Then there was a little fuss?" Jake said in his solemn way, Yes," said I, "but 'twasn't like that boy said it was to-day.

When the lion quits a fight 'tain't because he doesn't dare, ce," said I, "you bet your boots, 'tis because he doesn't care!" ," he growied at last, and gave my

black eye an easy touch,
"Blowhard's yarn had some truth inwish you'd given him twice as
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A rare treat was given the W. F. M

A rare treat was given the w. 7.31. S. of the First Presbyterian Church yesterday, at Mrs. A. McKay's, in listening to an address on "Life in Africa," by Mrs. Cruickshank.

Kingsville and Chatham will probably play a game of lacrosse here on July 12th. All the lacrosse players are requested to attend practice on the park to-night and to-morrow night.

General Agent Tillson, of the Lake E.ie, has secured some enlarged pho-tographs of the Shenango and they

are on exhibition in the store windows. The pictures are the work of J. A. Mc

Gregor, and are highly creditable This is the boat which the I. O. O. F have secured for their excursion to

The Dominion Express Co.'s agent,

W. H. Harper, has received instruc-tions to forward, free of charge, all

monies handed to him for the Indian famine fund. A committee of 100 of New York's leading citizens has taken the matter of assisting the starving inhabitants of india in hand. The committee includes such men as Russell Saga fagurat Belmont Cornelius.

sell Sage, August Belmont, Cornelius

N. Bliss, Geo. Gould, Seth Low, and John D. Rockefeller. The committee

has sent out large placards and pic-tures of starving Indians, which are

exhibited in all the express offices in America. In addition, an appeal in

circular form has been issued and is being distributed. It concludes with the following: "Together and at once, let us move to the rescue. From 2 to 5 cents a day will save a life."

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WM. HACKNEY BURIED.

took place this afternoon to Maple Leaf cemetery. The Sons of England Benefit So-

ex-Mayor John Carpenter. The services were conducted by the Rev. M. Malott. Many and beautiful floral tokens covered the casket, being the last loving tributes of

sorrowing friends. The pall-bearers were Silas West, J. J. Couzens, J. H Oldershaw,

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Bicycle Repairs at Brisco's. tf Miss Alice Birch left this morning on a visit to Toronto and Montreal. Key found on Colborne St. Owner can have it by paying for this advt.

Miss Arnold, of the city clerk's of-fice, is ill with typhoid fever in the Public General Hospital. A practice baseball game will probably be played this evening between the Chatham's and the Wagonworks. The drainage case of Chatham vs.

Dover will come up for hearing before Official Referee Rankin at the court Mile Lazelle, the celebrated palmist, tho was in the Maple City some four

months ago, returned last evening and is registered at the Hotel Garner. A county court landlord and tenant case, the Singer Mfg. Co. vs. Frank Tschirhardt, is being heard before Judge Bell to-day. J. G. Kerr for piff., G. G. Martin, for deft.

F. D. Laurie, the local manager of the Bell Telephone Co., returned on Saturday from Indian Point, Kobo-conk, where he had been attending the funeral of his sister, the late Mrs. J

H. Carnegie. The nurses of St. Joseph's Hospital will hold a lawn social on the grounds of Jas. A. King, Harvey street, on Tuesday evening, July 17, from 6 until 10 o'clock, for the purpose of raising a fund to furnish the new rating room that will be built this fall a an addition to the hospital. All are invited.

The Irish picnic will take place on Wednesday, 25th inst., at Erieau, and special rates will be given on the L. E. & D. R. Ry. Miss Susie McGill, of London, the well known fancy and national dancer and singer, has been entered and Loh December 1, has been entered. gaged, and John Dagan, Sarnia, fancy dancer, and Samuel/Cosbey will give an exhibition of Lish step dancing. The Bondo troupe of acrobats and tra-pese performers will also take part in the day's proceedings.

That drawn, squinting expression, seen on the faces of many older people, is often erroneously attributed to age, or "a life of care" or "raising a large family." Such alleged reasons may occasionally be valid ones, but the fact still remains that these unnatural facial conditions are often due to defacial conditions are often due to de fective eyes and the need of right glasses to remove muscular and nervous strain. Save your nervous energy. Let good glasses do the work now imposed on over-taxed muscular and nerve force. Glasses to fit any eye. E. J. MacIntyre, leading optician, opposite Grand Opera House.

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"We want the people to decorate. nd decorate up well for Thursday,' said Bro. Thomas Martin, D. C. of L. O. L. 1041, and marshal for the great Orange parade that will take place here on the 12th.
"This is the first time in a dozen

years we have succeeded in getting the Orangemen to celebrate in Chatham, and we want our visitors treat ed well, so that they will come back again.

Formerly the brethren used to come to Chatham every three or four years, but the city got in disrepute with them owing to the actions of a few residents. The Orangemen when few residents. The Orangemen when they are out for the twelfth are, as everybody knows, a money spending crowd. Well, some Chathamites knowing this, began to run up prices on them, and they got sore on the city. The critizens, too, began to withhold their subscriptions and we could not entertain our visitors as we wanted to. Why, the last celebration we had here we would have come out \$40 or \$50 short if it had not been for John R. Reid, and John Merritt, who went around personally and secured enough to make up the deficit.

'This time, however, the citizens have treated us well, and have subscribed liberally. All we ask them now to do is to decorate. The bad avement on King street we want to ee hidden by flags and bunting. the mezchants generally will do their best in this line we will greatly

preciate it Three booths have been let on the oark for the sale of refreshments. The parade will form at a o'clock or ecumseh Park and pass, through the eading streets. Speaking will fol-ow the return of the brethren to the bark, and the games, including a lacrosse match, will follow the speaking. There will betwo games of baseball, one a burlesque, which is said to be mmensely funny.

-OPTICAL-

The first game of the series between Ham ilton and London for the Canadian cham pionship will be played to day in London.

National League. Chicago 3, New York 2. St Louis 10, Boston 5 Cincinnati 5, Philadelphia 4. American League

Cleveland 2, Milwaukee 4. Indianapolis 5. Minneapolis 4. Detroit 3, Kansas City 0. Eastern League.

Hartford 2, Providence 0. Springfield 6, Worcester 2. Syracuse 1, Toronto 6.

ALLEGED ABDUCTION.

Joseph White, 11 years of age, the son of Sol. White, of Amherstburg, was enticed aboard the steamer Wyandotte as the boat was pulling away from the dock at Amherstburg about 6.20 o'clock, last evening, and the par-ent of the boy charges that his son is the victim of kidnapers. His divroced wife is married to Architect Geo.

Myers, of Detroit, and he thinks she

Important Free State Officials Come in and Surrender.

Some Severe Fighting Also Re-ported—the Canadian Mounted Corps Suffers.

London, July 10. - Lord Roberts telegraphed to the War Office from Pretoria as follows :-

"The officer commanding at Heilbron reports that State Secretary Blig-naut, State Attorney Dickson and members of the Council Vantander

members of the Council Vantander Kuppervergen came in yesterday and surrendered.

"Hutton was attacked yesterday in a position he was holding by a large number of Boers. He cut them off without much difficulty, the five-inch guns with him being found most useful. Our only casualty, was Lieut. Young, of the first Canadian mounted troop, slight scalp wound. The enemy troop, slight scalp wound. The enemy left several wounded on the ground and sent a flag of truce with a request that they might be received in our

that they might be received in our field hospital.

"I regret to say that Captain Currie and Lieutenant Kirk, of the Imperial Light Horse, who were reported wounded in my telegram of yesterday, were both killed. One squadron of this distinguished corps pressed a very severe force of the enemy in a gallant attempt to carry off a wounded come severe force of the enemy in a gallant attempt to carry off a wounded com-rade, to which they attributed the heavy loss sustained. In addition to the officers, a farrier sergeant and three troopers were killed, and the Sergeant-Major, three sergeants and seven troopers wounded."

The State officials mentioned held ffices in the late Government of the Orange Free State, now Orange River

The Canadian mounted infantry lost even men wounded in a skirmish lone were from Western Ontario.

BOERS HAVE SKIPPED.

Senekal, Orange River Colony, July 9. - An extended reconnaissance to-day resulted in the discovery that the Boers had evacuated all positions around Senekal. Numbers of them ap-pear to have game towards Ficksburg and the remainder in the direction of Bethlehem. The British commanders express the opinion that the retirement of the Boers foreshadows a speedy end of the war in this section of the country.

ENTRANCE EXAM. RETURNS

May Be Published This Week With the Exception of the Central School.

"We know of no reason why all the entrance examination results except those of the Central school should not be published at once," said a member of the board to

The Planet to-day.
"The fact is we have been so upset over this unfortunate business that we have not considered the question of publishing the other returns yet. However, the board will meet sometime this week and setcle the matter."

There are no new developments to-day. In fact there is nothing more to develope until the education department sends up its commissioner. He is expected sometime.

concerning the sight reading on the litera-ture paper. There was no sight reading

There is a good deal of sympathy express ek for Principal Smith because sonal and pecuniary standpoint he had no thing to gain.

A BAD BOY'S CRUELTY. A horse dropped on Raleigh St last evening in front of the residence of Hugh Macdonald. Old age and exhaus-tion were the causes. Some boys col-

lected and one of their number was amusing himself setting off firecrackers under the poor beast's nose. It was unable to get away from its tor-menters and was forced to endure. It is only fair to the Chatham boys to state that the heartless youth hailed from Windsor.

A BANK AND ITS BRANCHES.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce has ought out the Bank of British Columbought out the Bank of Buttsh Columbia. This will give the former bank control of the business in British Columbia with branches in San Francisch and London, England. When the and London, England. When the amalgamation is completed, the capi-tal and surplus of the Canadian Bank of Commerce will be ten millions of dollars, and it will have 65 branches making it the second largest banking institution in the Dominion. Under its present able and progressive man-agement the bank is rapidly increasing its business, and is rapidly becoming a leading financial figure in Dominion bysiness. The price paid was two million dollars stock of the Canadian Bank of Commerse and three hundred and twelve thousand dollars in cash.

Two small boys of Regina, aged six and eight years, brothers, have con-fessed to having started the many fires discovered lately in stables of the

David Young, a Brantford lineman, ouched a live wire and was thrown off a pole. His skull was fractured

IN ANY WALK

OF LIFE THE APPAREL OF THE MAN 18 OF IMPORTANCE. IT EITHER ENTITLES HIM TO, OR DEBARS HIM FROM, THE CONSIDERATION OF GOOD SOCIETY. OUR

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9 pcs. 38 and 40 inches wide Tweed Dress Goods, a suitable cloth for summer skir or wearing dress (washable goods) regular price 25c, our clearing price at pe

2 pcs. 38 inches wide Black Lace Bunting in small check and black designs pretty over colored lining, actual value 30c, our clearing price at per yd.....

4 pcs. Grey Lusterine, pure Alpaca, in good shades of light and dark grey, lovely goods for shirt waist or summer dress, 40 inches wide, regular value 30c, 40c, goods for shirt waist or summer aress, 49 inches whee, 150c, 75c, our clearing prices per yd. 25c, 35c, 45e.

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2 pcs. 40 inches wide in Navy Blue and Grey Lusterine, pure Alpaca, suitable goods for bashing suits or summer skirts, regular value 30c, our clearing price at per yd....

3 pes, fancy Figured Poplin in mixed blue, mixed green, mixed cardinal, bright, rich finish goods, regular value 70c, our clearing price at per yd.....

36 lengths of Colored Dress Goods in 3 to 5 yds, in the piece, clearing at cost price

24 lengths of Black Dress Goods in 3 to 5 yds. in the piece, clearing at cost price

3 pes. 38 inches wide Covert Cloth in solid shades, grey, blue grey, Oxford grey, suitable cloth for skirt or tailor-made suit, regular value at per yd. 50c, our clearing price at per yd......



Gentlemen

Just before Vacation a few important items from the Big Store which will make it a pleasant and profitable outing to one and all.

Headquarters for Cool Clothing Outfits, Thin Coats at 75c, \$100

Negligee Shirts 50c.

In neat checks, cuffs attached pretty hadings, blue, sizes 14 to 16½.

Silk Front Shirts 75c.

In pretty pattern silks, neat checks and tripes, handsome shadings, sizes 14 to 161

Separate Collar Negligee Shirts 75c and \$1.00.

In very pretty stripes, light and dark shades, blue, with one collar, 75 and little heavier cloth, 2 separate collars, \$1.00, sizes

Outing Flannel Shirts 3oc, 75c and \$1,00.

In handsome silk stripes, collar attach full of comfort, all sizes, 14½ to 17.

English Cambric Negligee Shirts \$1.00

In handsome stripes, the newest things shown, separate cuffs, all colors warranted, sizes 14 to 17½.

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In handsome plaids and neat checks, all the new shadings, blue, pink, green, etc., coolest shirts made full of comfort, sizes 14 to 162, very pretty.

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With pretty pique fronts, handsome twills, plain white, beauties, sizes 14½ to 16.

12th July Ties Here 25c

In plain white duck, black glaze peaks, full range sizes, just the right thing for out-Men's White Pique Pants \$1.50

In plain white with white stripe, the

Thread Balbriggan 37 1-2c to 50c

Shirts and drawers all sateen facings, traps, all sizes 32 to 46, very special value

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In plain natural colors, nicely finished, all faced, nice medium and light weights, all

Men's and Boys' Leather Belts

20c, 25c and 50c.

Very special values, nice shadings, tans, and browns, all sizes.

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In fancy stripes, all sizes.

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wear at 75c.

Suits 39c to 50c.

In plain white, also fancy stripes, silk cings, prettiest goods in the market, all

latest out, very special. Men's Bicycle Suits and Odd

Pants

Men's plain tweed bieycle suits, nice shading brown. \$3.75

Men's nobby patern bicycle suits, nice, shading fawn. \$5.00

Men's odd bicycle pants, all sizes, neat Just in, plain orange four-in-hand and ws with Union Jack in centre, just right.

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Come in and taste it, that will do more than anything we could write.

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Cooked Corned Beef, 15c a lb.

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otted Meats, 5c and 10c.

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2 only, bleached double damask Table cloths, 2 x 2½ yds. reg. at \$1.50 and \$1.90, tot. \$1.15 and \$1.48

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Special Mention Silk and Linen Zephyrs for stylish gowns, waists and dressing sacques. A few weeks ago they would have cost you 50c a yard, but now you can choose from this gathering at per yd. 25c

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As the Date for Chatham's Civic Holiday This Year.

Orangemen Granted the Use of Tecumseh Park for Thursday -Miscellaneous Council Business

The city council met last evening. There were present Mayor Smith and Ald. Fleming, Taylor, Marshall, Mc-Keough, McCoig, Stephens and Liddy. City Clerk Merritt, Major Weir and Sergeant-at-Arms Holmes were also

The following accounts were passed C. Shea, \$67.24; Registrar of Kent, \$2; Wm. Drader, \$136.23; Waterworks, coal for steam roller, \$1.92; Wm. Drader, \$13.60; James Cornhill, \$13.15; rent of North Chatham pound, 820; hay for fire department, \$7.14; laundry for fire department, \$2.07; Waterworks, coal for electric light plant, \$92.60;

McCorvie & McKerrall, \$3.92, Blonds Bros., \$5; S. Hadley Co., \$8.13.

The accounts from the Ark for \$2.05 and \$3.75, the account of C. E. Shea for \$9, and the account of St. Joseph's Hospital for \$5.35 were all referred

of finance.
The account of Joseph Dale for \$61.46 ras referred to the board of works with power. The request of the C. C. I. board for

Mr. O'Mara wrote, asking the council to relieve him of his poli tax, as he had been a householder since the 5th

of May. Referred to finance.

A request from Kenneth Urquhart
to trim trees was referred to the chief of police.

H. J. Black said his dog had been killed and asked to have his tax re-

mitted. Granted.

Mayor Smith-While not doubting
the honesty of any citizen, I think
that the countil would have something definite to work on if they referred these dead dogs to the chief of police

o investigate.

Dr. Fleming-I think it would be a Dr. Fleming—I think it would be a wiser plan to make all who the assessors find to own dogs pay the tax whether their canines are dead or alive. Ald. McCoig presented a petition, signed by John Piggott, C. A. Austin, W. J. Kenny and 50 other ratepayers, asking that the 9th day of August be mode the civic holiday. Received.

The accounts of Wm. Blight for \$22, balance due on Adelaide St. bridge repairs, and \$20 balance due on Princess St. bridge repairs, were passed.

finance...

of works.

THE CIVIC HOLIDAY.

Ald. McCoig said that a deputation of Oddfellows was present and he ask-

remarks.

Mayor Smith said that he would like
to see the council grant the request.

by Ald. Taylor, the 9th of August was

chosen as the date to be inserted in the by-law.

THE ORANGE CELEBRATION.

Granted.
Mr. Martin asked that the lodge be given

permission to erect booths on Tecumseh Park on the 12th. They desired this as a

Ald. Stephens-If the request can't be

It has been refused to all other so-

Ald McCoig—If we can do it in anyway, I am in favor of giving the permission asked

Ald. Marshall To refuse the permission

would be treating our visitors discourteous-ly and they wouldn't be inclined to come back. I would give notice of motion to

and found that a motion of the council was

all that was required to grant the desired

On motion of Ald. Marshall the reques was then granted, the stands to be erected under the supervison of the chief of police.

otion of Ald. McCoig, seconder

pairs, and \$20 balance due on Princess St. bridge repairs, were passed.

A petition, sufficiently signed, was received against a new granolithic walk on the south side of Grey St., from Queen to Raleigh. Received.

Ald. Taylor said that the clerk had notified John A. Walker that the city would not require the pound on the east side of Voseph St. on and after the 15th of Yune. According to the report of the pound-keeper six cows and ten horses had been impounded this year. He thought it unwise to discontinue the pound and asked that the matter of purchasing a lot for a pound be referred to the property committee to report on.

BROKEN BY THE CANNON.

BROKEN BY THE CANNON. Ald. Fleming presented two accounts, one from Mr. Merriam for \$1.25 and the other from Mrs. Whitton for \$1, These were for windows broken by the concussion of the cannon when fired on the 2nd of July.

Ald. Fleming said he didn't see how the city could gat out of it as negrois. the city could get out of it, as pern sion had been given to fire the can-

The Mayor - I certainly the Mayor - I certainty didn't duthorize anyone to fire the cannon.

The accounts were passed.

A request from the C. P. R. Telegraph Co. to trim trees was referred to the chief of police.

George A. Sayer wrote on behalf, of

George A. Sayer wrote on behalf of his client, C. D. More, claiming that he had notified the fence viewers to examine the line fence between his proamine the line fence between his property and his neighbor's. Only one, Wm. Baizie, had attended. Mr. Sayer informed the council that Mr. More would hold the council liable for all extra expense he might be put to in getting his line fence properly adjusted. Referred to finance.

Mrs. J. Burwell, secretary of the

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THE PROPERTY REPORT. Ald. Fleming reported as follows on be half of the property committee: That the request of Thomas Coombs, commanding officer of Chatham branch of Salvation Army, be granted to reshingle

Salvation Army, be granted to reshingle their barracks here.

That a tapper has been placed in the re-sidence of Robert Leek, fireman

That Supt. Jones reports that the sand has worn out the caps and valves of the city fire engine from purposing out sewers and

has worn out the caps and valves of the city fire engine from pumping out sewers, and suggests that the engineer in charge at such times be instructed to clean these valves, etc., before the steam in the boiler is exhausted, as it can be done more effectively and quickly than after.

The coat of repairs at the present time will be about \$10 and we recommend the adoption of Mr. Jones' suggestions.

That in the matter of the petition for a fire alarm box on the corner of St. Clair and Poplar street, we believe, after examining the premises, that it would give better service if placed on the corner of St. Clair street and Wilson avenue and would recommend that it would be so placed. The approximate cost is about \$75.

Children's Aid Society, wrote thanking ing the city for their grant of \$100.

Reservet.

H. P. Dwight, general manager of the G. N.: W., Telegraph Company, whose in reference to the removal of the telegraph poles within the sidewalk line. He said that the line was

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whose in reference to the removal of the telegraph poles within the side-walk line. He said that the line was first class in every respect and, as the expense would be great, they would BOARD OF WORKS. Chairman McKeough, of the boans of works, reported that they had notified the Massilon Stone and Fire Brick Company of the acceptance of their tender to furnish vitrified brick for the King street reasonable of \$23.60 prefer not to move the poles.

The mayor said that he had instructed the city solicitor to write and say that the poles must be rethe King street pavement at \$23.40

Henry Vernon, of Hamilton, wrote stating he had just published a new directory of the city of Chatham and asking that the city extend to him its usual patronage. Referred to par m.
In reference to the petition to open up St. Patrick street, we beg to report progress

Homer Turner was granted \$90 of his salary to enable him to pay his help. Thomas B. White, of London, wrote MORE LIGHTS WANTED. offering the city lime-stone for pav-ing purposes at \$2 per cord, delivered on cars or on dock. Referred to board

Ald. McCog asked the property committee if they had enquired how many more lights the dynamo would stand. St. George street was very dark, and had not been given promised relief. Dr. Fleming said the property committee shad the matter in hand. The superintendent said that the power was nearly exhausted and the committee were going to look over the city and endeavor to give relief by trimof Oddfellows was present and he asked that they be heard. Granted.

O. L. Lewis was the first speaker. He said the I. O. O. F. had a rare treat in store for the citizens, and he asked that the 9th of August be appointed civic holiday, so that this treat, which was a dollar excursion to Cleveland via the Shenango, might be given to the citizens. The excursion would start from Wallaceburg, and five hours would be given in Cleveland. The I. O. O. F., were about 500 strong in this city, and in addition to the individual taxes of the members, the lodge contributed liberally to the civic and endeavor to give relief by trim-ming trees. It was monlight just now, but the committee were going to go around as soon as the lights were lit

Alderman Stephens asked the chair-mand of the board of works and pro-perty committees if they had their estimates for the year ready. Both promised to have them in by next lodge contributed liberally to the civic caffers by taxes on their new Temple. This was the first request the L.O.O. F. had ever made of the city, and they earnestly desired that it be granted. O.B. Hulin emphasized Mr. Lewis' remarks.

night.

Ald. McCoig called the attention of the property committee to the complaints of hackmen and undertakers to the low hanging branches on the cemetery road. Referred to the property committee with power.

Ald. McKeough said that Fielder & Blight were in argent need of cobble stone for the Colborne street, payer

the Colborne street pave-They had offered \$2.50 per cord for the stone on King street ment. if the city would loosen them. Ald. McKeough thought they were worth Ald. McCoig said that another deputation from the Orange Lodge, headed by Contractor Thomas Martin, was present, and desired to be heard.

Alexeough thought they were worth more than this. He asked that the matter be referred to the board of works with power. So referred.

The by-law for the consolidation of

\$6,486.25 [ocal improvement debentures iures, and another fixing August 9th as the date of the civic holiday were

The council adjourned as the city passed. clock struck ten.

source of revenue to help them out on their expenses. The lodge would bring a large crowd here and they were not asking the city fer money but for something that would cost the city nothing.

Dr. Fleming—Have we the power to grant this. In the Jaws of a Lion The gatiant Major Swaine tells of being knocked sensoless by a lion that lacerated his arm. His thrilling escape from the jaws of death is only equaled by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which has saved thousands from desperate Throat and Lung troubles. "All loctors said my wife would soon die of Consumption." writes L. C. Overstreet, of Elgin, Tenn., "but your wonderfu medicine completely sured her, and saved her life." Satisfaction is guaranteed by A. I. McCall & Co., who give trial bottles free. Large bottles 50c. and \$1. At A. I. McCall & Co's. Drug Store. The gailant Major Swaine tells of The Mayor-Not unless you amend the granted legally, I think we should oppose Mayor Smith—I can't help but agree with Ald McCoig. If any other society asked it, I would favor granting the desired

THAMESVILLE.

July 10.—Miss Katherine Duncan the guest of Miss Bell, Chatham, for few days,

back I would give notice of motion to amend the by-law.

Ald. Stephens—Don't think that I am opposing the request, for I am in favor of granting it if in can be done legally. I think that it would be bad policy to grant it to one society. It would be best never to allow stands on the park.

City Clerk Merritt looked up the by-law and found that a motion of the council was E. Tremeer, of London, was in town resterday.
The funeral of the late Captain Hen messy took place Monday morning at 9:30. Service was held in the Roman Catholic Church.

Mr. W. de Pencier spent Monday in

Dresden.
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ppeared at the extreme end of the all, wondering who she was, and why a mere visitor should take so much inwidow, though the deep mourning dress told of recent bereavement. Still, Aunie Graham was a different personage, he knew; and thus perplexed. Tom, in-stead of resting, commenced his toilet for dinner, determining, as soon as it was completed, to go, down and have

treachery to the Federal Flag, Jimmie paced the parlor below until he could wait no longer, and knowin

sounds which came from the chamber above that Tom was not trying to sleep, he finally ran up the stairs, and, knocking at the chamber door, was soon closeted with Tom. It was an awkward business to speak of the past, but Jimmie plunged into it at once, stat-ing some reasons which had led him to abjure his own Government, expressing his contrition for having done so and ending by saying he hoped Tom, if possible, would forget that he ever had rebel brother.

It had taken Tom a long time to ecover from the shock of meeting his brother in the Virginia woods, and knowing he was a traitor to his country, but the same generous feeling which led him to refrain from any allusion to that meeting in the messages sent to l-is mother and sister from his Richmond prison, now prompted him to treat with kind forbearance the brother whom he had loved and grieved over since the

days of his mischievous boyhood,
"I should have found it very hard to forgive you if you had stayed in the Southern army," he said, "but as it is we will never mention the subject

Jimmie knew, by the warm pressure of Tom's hand, that he was forgiven, and with a burden lifted from his mind he was about leaving the room, when fom, with a preliminary cough, said: "By the way, Jimmie, who has Rose got here,-what visitor, I mean?" and Tom tried to look vastly indifferent as he buttoned his vest and hung across it the chain made from Mary's hair. But the ruse did not succeed. Jimmie knew he had seen Annie, and with a sudden uprising of something undefined he answered in apparent surprise:

"Visitor! what visitor! He must have come to-day, then. Where did you see him?"
"I saw her in here." Fom replied,

"A pretty place for her in your quar-Pray what was she like?" "Some like Mary, as she used to be when I first knew her,-a little body d in black.' "With large, handsome blue eyes?"

laughingly rejoined

terrupted Jimmie, while Tom, without ispecting that his brother's object was ascertain how closely he had observthe figure in black, replied: "Yes, very handsome, dreamy eyes."

"And pale brown curls?" was the asing Jimmie's next query, to which fom quickly responded: "Curls, no. The hair was braided in

wide plats and twisted around the head, falling low in the neck." 2 was it?" Jimmie continued, with imperturbable

"Indeed it was," Tom said, scraping his thumb nail with his penknife "White as snow, or looked so from the contrast with her dress. Who is she?" "One question more,—had she big feet or little, slippers or boots?" and this time Jimmie's voice betrayed him. Tom knew he was being teased, and ursting into a laugh, he answered:

"I confess to having observed her iosely, but not enough so to tell the size of her slipper. Come now, who is she? Some lady you spirited away from Secessiondom? Tell me,—you know you've nothing to fear from steady old

For an instant the eyes of the two brothers met, with a curious expression in each. Both were conscious of some-thing they were trying to conceal, while a feeling akin to a pang shot through Jimmie's heart as he thought how much more worthy of Annie Graham's respect was steady old Tom than a rollicking young scapegrace like

"From your rather minute description, I think you must have stumbled upon the Widow Graham," he said. "Rose word of brotherly advice, let me say that if you wish to raise Rose to the seventh heaven you have only to praise her protege. We, that is the widow and do not get on very well, for she is a staunch patriot, and until this morning, I verily believe she looked on me as a kind of monster. She's a perfect little Puritan, too, and if she stays here long will make a straight-laced Methodist of Rose, under the garb of an Episcopalian of course, as she is the strictest kind of a churchwoman.'

"I shall not esteem her less for that," Tom said, and in rather a perturbed state of mind, as far as the Widow Graham was concerned, he went with Jimmie to the parlor, half hoping his other had mischievously misled him and that the stranger would prove, after all, to be some visitor from Boston

But the first object he saw on entering the parlor was the dainty figure in the third finger of the hand raised to adjust the heavy curtain glittered the wedding-ring. Tom knew now that Jimmie had not deceived him, and with a feeling of disappointment he addres-

Jimmie, with some playful allusion t their having met before, but saying to her then nothing of George, for, rem tering his own feelings when Mary a mere visitor, should not be a died, he knew that Annie would not Annie Graham; but this could not be a thank him, a stranger, to bring up sad memories of the past by talking of her husband. Still, in his manner toward her there was something which told how he pitied and sympathized with her, and Annie, grateful always for the smallest kindness, threw off her air of quiet reserve and talked with him freethe mystery unravelled.

Restless and impatient to know just Isaac Simms and the condition of the what his brother thought of his late Richmond prisoners generally.

"She was going round after dinner to call on Isaac," she incidentally said, whereupon Tom rejoined that wishing to know how Isaac bore the journey and the excitement, he had intended going there himself, and would, with her permission, time his visit to suit her convenience, and so accompany her. Instantly Jimmie's black eyes flashed upon Annie a look of enquiry, which brought the bright color to her cheeks, for she knew he was thinking of the night when she had refused his escort, and she felt her present position a ra-ther embarrassing one. Still the cir-cumstances were entirely different. There was a reason why Tom should call on Widow Simms, while with Jimmie there was none, and, bowing to Captain Carleton, she replied that "she tresumed Mrs. Simms would be glad of an opportunity to thank him for his kindness to Isaac, and that, though not

in the least afraid to go alone, she had no objection to showing him the way." "What! going off the first night, and they are coming to serenade you, too? You must not go. Tom. Shall he mother?" cried Rose, who at first had been too busy with her duties as hostess, clearly to comprehend what Tom was saying to Annie.

"It will look as if you did not appre ciate the people's attention," Mrs. Careten replied, while Jimmie vehemently notested against the impropriety of

yield, thinking the while that a walk to the Widow Simms's might possibly afford him quite as much satisfaction as staying at home for a serenade. "I always surrender to the majority," he said, playfully, while Jimmie's spirits rose perceptibly, and Annie had never before seen him so witty or gay

since he came home from Washington

as he was during the dinner.

It was joy at his brother's return, she thought, never suspecting that Tom's decision had anything to do with it, and Jimmie hardly knew himself hat it had. He only felt relieved that Tom was not to receive a favor which had once been denied to himself, and glad also that Annie was to spend the evening with them. But in this he was mistaken. There was no necessity for Annie's deferring her visit. The serenade was not for her, and with that nice sense of propriety which prompted her to shrink from anything like intrusion, she felt that on this first night of their reunion, the Carleton family would rather be alone. This rule would apply also to Mrs. Simms, but Annie knew she was always welcome to the widow, and wishing to see the boy who had led her husband from the battlefield, she went to her room, and throwing on her cloak and hood stole silently down stairs just as Jimmie was

crossing the hall. He guessed where she was going, and coming quickly to her side, said: "I supposed you had given up that call, but if you persist in going, it must not be alone, this night of all others, when the streets are likely to be full of men and boys. You accepted my brother's escort, you cannot, of course, refuse mine," and seizing his hat from the hall stand he led her out upon the steps and placed her arm in his with an air of so much authority that Annie

had no word to offer in remonstrance It was not a very comfortable walk to either party, or a very sociable one either, but ere it was ended Annie had reason to be glad that she was not alone, for, as Jimmie had predicted, the streets were full of men and boys, following the band up to the Mather mansion, and as they met group after group of the noisy throng, Annie timidly drew closer to her companion, who pressed more tightly the arm trembling

in his own. "I am glad you came with me," she said, when at last the friendly gleam of the widow's candle appeared in view. "but if you please I think you had better not go in to-night. You are so much a stranger to the family, and Mrs. Simme's boys have just returned. John will see me safely home, and I'll excuse you now. You must feel anxious to rejoin your brother."

But Jimmie was not to be disposed of so easily. He had no intention of enterin the house, but he should wait outside, he said, until Annie's visit was over. Annie had no alternative save submission, and, parting from Jimmie at the gate, she hurried up the walk, and was soon bending over the couch of the sick boy, whose eyes beamed the welcome his pale lips could scarcely speak. How many questions she had to ask him, and how much he had to tell her of the day when her husband received his fatal wound! Altogether it was a sad interview, and Annie's eyes were nearly blistered with the hot tears she shed while listening to Isaac's touching account of George ere the woods were gained, and Tom Carleton generously gave up his sent to the bleeding man, thereby becoming himself a prisoner Much, foo, was said in praise of Tom. and Annie felt that she could not do too much for one who had shown himself

generous and brave. Talking of om reminded her of Jimmie, stalking ntly for her, and when at last the nusic of Tom's serenade had ceased she arose to go, wishing to get away ere the band came there, as she knew they were intending to do. As John arose to accompany her, she had to say that "Jimmie Carleton was waiting for her by the gate." Instantly the sharp eyes glance which brought the hot blood to her cheek, while John and Susan ex she could not fail to understand. Poor Annie! How her heart throbbed with hinking! Could they for a moment be lieve her so heartless and cold? and, scarcely articulating her good night, she hastened out into the cold night air, feeling half tempted to re fuse outright the arm offered for her support. If she only dared tell him to leave her there alone.-leave her to flee away through the dark lonely streets to the still more lonely yard, where on George's grave she could lay herself down and die. But not thus easily could life's heavy burden be shaken off; she could not lay it down at will,and conquering the emotion which, each time she thought of John Simms's significant smile, threatened to burst out into a fierce storm of passionate sobs, she apologized for having kept Jimmie waiting so long, and taking his arm left the cottage gate just as the throng of serensders turned into that street. Jimmie knew she had been crying, and, conjecturing that she had been talking of her husband, he, too, began to speak of George, asking her many questions about him, and repeating many things he had heard in his praise from the Rockland citizens. It seemed strange that this should comfort her, but it did. The hard, bitter feeling insensibly passed away while listening, to Jimmie, and by the time the Mather mansion was reached the tears were dried on Annie's cheeks, and outwardly

she was as cheerful and patient as After that night Rose had no cause for complaint that Jimmie was rude to Annie, or Annie cool toward him, for though Annie talked to him but little. she did not forget the sympathy so delicately manifested for her, and treated him with as much respect as she awarded Tom, who grew each day more and more interested in the blackrobed figure, reminding him so much of his lost Mary. Jimmie knew he did, and watched narrowly for the time when she would know it, too; but such time did not come, for Annie had no suspicion that either of the brothers regarded her with the shadow of a feeling save that of ordinary friendship-As much of her time as possible was spent with the Widow Simms, and a great part of Isaac's visible improve-ment was owing to her gentle care and the sunshine of her presence. John's firlough had expired, and, now that he was gone, the disconsolate Susan turned to Annie for comfort, while Isaac listened daily for the sound of the little feet coming up the walk, and bringing with them so much happiness to the

lonely cottage. "I wish you'd stay home more; we miss you so much, and it's so dismal without you. Mother nods over her knitting. Tom just walks the ne reads some stiff Prebyterian book. while Jimmit thrums the piano and teases my kitten awfully," Rose said to Annie one night when the latter came in from a tour of calls, the last of which had been on Mrs. Baker, now a much happier, better woman than when we first made her acquaintance. "It's so different when you are here," Rose continued, as Annie came and sat down by her side. "Tom is a heap more entertaining, while Jimmie is not half so mischievous and provoking."

"I did not suppose my absence could affect your happiness, or I would certainly have stayed with you more," Annie replied; and Rose continued: "Well, it just does, and now that both Tom and Jimmie are going so soon, I shall need you to oversee the

things I must get ready for them."
"Captain Carleton and Jimmie going away soon!" Annie repeated in some surprise. "Where are they going? The captain's furlough has not yet expir-

"I know it," Rose continued, "but 4-8 he is perfectly well, he thinks it right to go back, and has fixed on one week from to-day.

"Yes, but Jimmie. You spoke of his leaving, too," Annie said, and Rose re joined: "Jimmie is going with Tom to join

the Federal army on the Potomac, and, as he says, retrieve, if possible, the character he lost by turning traitor

"Oh, I am so glad! and I like him so much for that!" Annie exclaimed, her white face lighting up with a sudden animation, which made it seem very beautiful to the young man just entering the door.

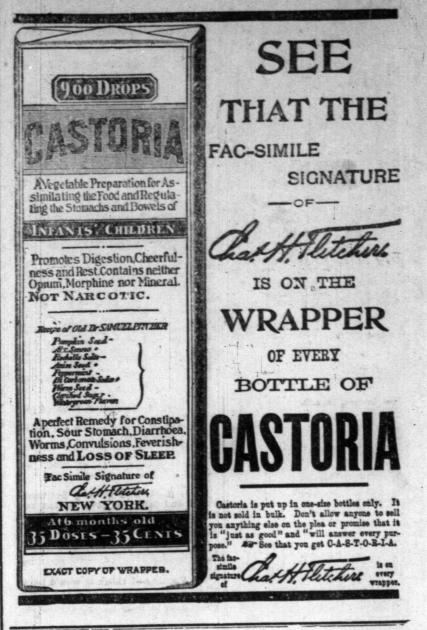
"I would brave the cannon's mouth for another look like that," was Jimmie's mental comment, as he stepped into the room, and advanced to the ladies' side. "So you are glad I am go-ing?" he said, half playfully, to Annie, who answered frankly:

"Yes, very glad."
"And won't you miss me a bit? Folks like to be missed, you know, if they are ever so bad. It makes one think better of himself, and consequently do better if he knows that his absence will cause a feeling of regret, however slight, to the friends left behind," Jimmie remarked, while in his eyes there was a peculiar expression which Annie upon her.

She would miss Jimmie, she knew, for she had become accustomed to his merry whistle, his ringing laugh, his teasing jokes at Rose's expense, and his going would leave them very lonely, and so she frankly admitted, adding that "it was not because she wished t be rid of him that, she was glad; it pleased her to see him in the path duty, even though that path led to danger and nossible death."

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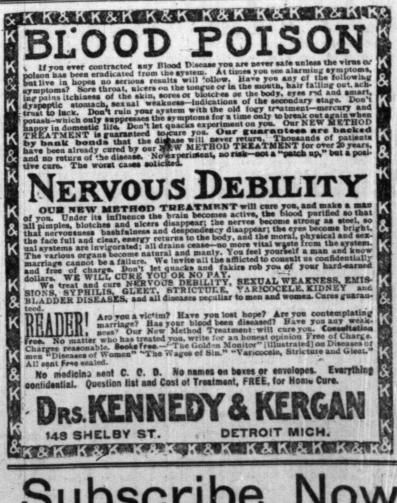
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WITH THE WOMAN SUFFRAGISTS.

By Cardinal Gibbons.

Every impartial student of history is obliged to admit that woman is indebted to the religion of Christ for the elevated station which she enjoys in social and family life. In pagan countries, before the Christian era, the woman had no rights which the husband was bound to respect.

She was in a state of perpetual bondage and tutelage. She was treated

She was in a state of perpetual bondage and tutelage. She was treated rather as the slave of man than as his equal and companion. And even today in countries where Christianity does not exercise a dominant influence, she is "the hewer of wood and the drawer of water." In a recent official report to our Government, on "Irrigation in India," by Robert M. Wilson, we find that the work of draining and canal building in that country is chiefly relegated to women, who receive for

canal building in that country is chiefly relegated to women, who receive for their labor four cents a day.

I regard woman's rights women and society leaders in the higher walks of life as the worst enemies of the female sex. They rob woman of all that is amiable and gentle, tender and attractive; they rob her of her finate grace of character, and give her nothing in return but masculine boldness and brazen effrontery. They are habitually preaching about woman's rights and prerogatives, and have not a word to say about her duties and responsibiliabout her duties and responsibili-

They withdraw her from those sacred biligations which properly belong to her sex and fill her with ambition to her sex and fill her with ambition to usurp positions for which neither God nor nature ever intended her. Under the influence of such teachers we find woman, especially in higher circles, neglecting her household duties, gadlegiecting her household duties, gau-ling about, never at peace unless sha is in perpetual motion, never at ease ruless she is in a state of morbid ex-ditement. She never feels at home ex-lept when she is abroad.

of when she is abroad.
When she is at home the home is irkme to her. She chafes and frets unt the restraint and responsibility of
mestic life. Her heart is abroad. It xulting in imagination, in some soexulting in imagination, in some so-al triumph or reveling in some scena gayety and dissipation. Her afflicted isband comes home to find it empty occupied by a woman whose heart void of affection for him.



HIS EMINENCE CARDINAL GIB-

She is ill at ease; thence arise disputes, quarrels, recriminations, estrangements, and the last act in the drama is often divorce. I speak the sober truth when I affirm that for the wrecks of families in our country woman has a larger share of the responsibility. The remedy for this is found in the transfer of the responsibility.

in the teachings of Christ.

Mothers and wives, what an immense debt of gratitude you owe to the Christian religion of to-day! You are regarded as the equals and helpmates of your husbands, and not as their

mense debt of gratitude your regarded as the equals and helpmates of your husbands, and not as their slaves, like Asiatic women.

If you are the mistresses of your household and not tenants at the will of your husbands, like the wives of pagan Greece and Rome; if you are the honored queens of the domestic kingdoms and not confronted by usurping wives, like Mormons and Mahometan women, you are indebted for these blessings to the religion of Christ, and especially to the sovereign pontiffs, who have upheld your right against the encroachments of monarchs and the passions of men.

If woman has been elevated and ennobled by the Gospel, she has not been ungrateful. She deserves eternal gratitude for the blessed influence she has exerted in the family and in society. Not to speak of the grand army of consecrated virgins who devote their lives to the sacred cause of education, of charity and religion, how many thousands of homes there are from which God withholds His avenging hand on account of some righteous mother, just as Christ showed mercy to the young man led to the tomb on account of the grief and sobbings of his mother, the Widow of Nain!

How many brothers buried in a life of sin have been raised to a life of grace by the intercession of a plous sister, as Lazarus was raised from the grave at the entreaties of Mary and Martha!

Mothers and daughters, you have a sacred mission. You cannot be apostles

Martha!

Mothers and daughters, you have a sacred mission. You cannot be apostles in the strict sense of the word; you cannot preach the Word of God, for women are commanded by the Apostle to be silent in the church; you cannot be priests, but you are chosen to offer up in the sanctuary of your homes and in the altar of your hearts the sacrifice of praise, thanksgiving and supplication to God. Christian women, let the husband and son on returning home after buffeting with the waves of the world find there a haven of rest.

Let the angel with the flaming sword protect and preside over your homes, repelling from them all unhallowed thoughts. For what is a home from which chastity has fied but a deserted temple, from which the spirit of God has departed. Mothers and daughters, you have a

THE GREATEST FALL.

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suppose there was some method by which they could approach within say half that distance of the enemy and keep up a steady fusilade without special danger to themselves—it goes without saying that they would win the day, and there is exactly where armor comes in. Several of the European Governments are now experimenting with movable shields, which may be pushed in front of soldiers as they advance. There is nothing particularly new in that idea-it was used in the siege of, Troy. From movable shields to a protective garment is merely a

development of the same thought.
"My notion of the coming armor is a chest plate, leg greaves and a mask of Krupp steel, a quarter inch thick. That would turn a rifle bullet at a mile range and be sufficiently light for any strong man to carry. It wouldn't be neccessary, to shield the bask or sides, and troops protected as I suggest could push into the zone of fire with comparative impunity. To be sure they couldn't make a hayonet charge, but

"I came mighty near tryin' to enlist in de Transvaal army," said Meandering Mike. "You might have ter work," said

Plodding Pete. "Fur a minute I was willin' ter take de chance. I was deceived by a typo-graphical error. De paper said de Transvaal was chock full o' Beers, an' I had ter read half a column before I got convinced dat it only meant re"-Washington Star.

No Room for Doubt. Tommy (after intently watching Miss Biggs, who is calling on his mother)—Mamma, whyldid papa say Miss Biggs was a lady of uncertain

His Mother (hastily interrupted)-Tommy, my dear, run upstairs.
Tommy (not to be put down)—Because I'd guess she was surely old.

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ter, and put it in as you see it require ter, and put it in as you see it requires it. Keep beating it until you see it is in a fine paste; then put it into pots, lay a paper over them, and set a weight at the top of each to press it down. The next day pour clarified butter over them, and keep them in a dry place. Beef potted in this way is very delicious and has very much the flavor of

BATHS IN PARIS.

The question of baths-or the question of no baths, rather-is one which every writer in Paris is constantly exploring, yet it is no wonder that such a theme is exhaustless since the sojourning foreigner who writes has the material for "copy" on this subject constantly before him.

An English girl was telling me of her bath experience in Paris. Having just arrived and smacking of her soil as only an English girl can, she hailed a bath man who was passing the street. When he had carried his tub ponderously up to her apartments she tried to explain to him that she wanted to buy it. A, first her efforts of explanation failed utterly, and the man calmly proceeded to arrange the bath for immediate occupancy. Finally the girl succeeded in conveying to his mind an impression of what was in her own. I was about to say that she made him understand that she actually wanted to buy the tub for everyday use; but no Frenchman could be made to understand so stupendous a

The man was dumbfounded. He explained that the tub was his only stock in trade, and that with it he furnished two bath a year to each of his Parisian customers. One, I believe, was scheduled for about Christmas time, and the other ought, according even to French ideals of cleanliness, happen about the great July holidays. He furthermore explained that the madam of the Pension, where the English girl lived, had taken a bath a few days before, and then had gone to bed for two days from sheer exhaustion, as she

frankly explained. This all sounds awfully exaggerated, but it fsn't. An American mother whom I know, put her small daughter in a convent and requested of the nuns that she should be bathed at least twice a week, this being in her eyes the smallest possible favor she could ask for her child, who had, up to this time, been bathed every day of her life. The sister of whom the request was made looked embarrassed and explained that the children were not bathed in the convent, but that when the parents thought it necessary to ablute their small bodies, they were taken to a bath

house near by.

These remarks by foreigners on the lack of bathing facilities in France enrage French people; but if they would become enraged sufficiently to add such comforts to their houses and institutions, they would certainly raise themselves in the eyes of those who come from foreign shores.

TAKING AIM WITH A PISTOL

Pointing the Foreinger Finds the Range Quickly and Accurately. When I was a young man over 40 years ago, pistol shooting was one of my most admired sports, and I spent hours and days in practice to become proficient. For a long time I followed the usual practice of 'sighting'-that is, looking over sights placed on the barrel, but one day I, as many would say, accidentally discovered how to take aim without sighting and to shoot accurately in any position, and it came about in this way. A saw a red squirrel a short distance away, down by the side of a fence, and, my mother being with me. I called her attention to it, but as it was nearly concealed in the grass she could not see it, so I said, 'Now

grass she could not see it, so I said, 'Now look along my finger,' at the same time pointing with the index finger of my right hand, and she, as requested, looked along my finger as you would in sighting a pistol, when she remarked, 'You are pointing directly at it.'

"I immediately caught it as by inspiration that there was something worth remembering, and the next day I put the idea into practice and soon found myself an expert in accuracy. The method I pursued was this: I used a single barrel pistol of fair weight and length, and, pistol of fair weight and length, and, grasping the stock firmly in the hand, used the second finger on the trigger, placing the index finger along the side of the barrel and used that for pointing at the mark, it taking the place of sighting I soon found by practice that I could shoot from any position if I could only get a chance to point my finger at the

"To assist me in holding by finger di ectly in line with the bore of the barrel butil I got familiar with it I fastened a loop or guide for the finger alongside the barrel, but I only required this a short time. The idea is that if you point your index finger at any object you will find the range accurately, and practice will improve your ability to point your gun

where you want to place the shot.
"This is one of the great secrets in rapid and accurate pistol shooting, for you can take aim as quickly as you can point your finger, and it does not require raising the arm. Let the arm rest by the side of the body, bend the elbow, point your finger, and you have an accurate aim by practice. This is only one of the many positions, but gives an idea how it is done. I prefer a single shot pistol that pulls fairly easy and is of good, fair weight. If you use a cylinder pistol, then you must protect the finger from the escaping powder fumes between the bar-rel and cylinder by wearing a thick leath-

er finger guard. "If any of your readers has never tried this method of shooting, he will be pleasantly surprised at the results accomplish-ed in a short time, but of course systematic practice is required to become proficent."-Washington Star.

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ERIEAU NOTES.

The Outlaws, recreated at the Eau

on Sunday by hoisting a sail on the handcar and sailing to the pavillion. These bandits are evidently born sail-

The Glenville syndicate's new boat now floats on the Eau and will soon

be ready to meet all comers.

Sunday morning, Commodore Bert
Riddell, Capt Guttridge and ballast
Lester Heath were sailing in the
channel when the staunch little yacht

the Beatrice went over and threw the crew into the water. Admiral Nor-

man Harper, from his point of vantage in the lighthouse, sighted the wreck, and it was Harley to the rescue. Commodore Riddell explains the

Harold Brown Pete Mullen, Robert Mercer and W. S. Richards drove to

Shrewsbury on Sunday, and were row-ed to Ericau. In the evening the three

across the bar in safety.
Stanley Ball, W. Campbell, and Miss

Marion Fleming are guests at the

O'Hara cottage. Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Lewis spent Sun-

day at the Eau. Mrs. Lewis lost the

ape of her ulster. It was of grey rain lost the and had a black velves collar. Mr. and Mrs. George Massey spent Sunlay at Crystal Palace, the residence of Mr. Glass.

John Morton and Wife spent Sunday

t the Bungalow. The Outlaw had her forsail carried

The Rev. Mr. Thompson, owing

the burning of his barn was unable to

A. C. McKay broke all records at the Eau on Saturday. He landed seven

pounds of bass at one cast, much to the

surprise of the Cleveland folks. Mr. McKay pulled out a 4-lb. and /a 3-lb.

small mouthed bass at the same haul.

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DRESDEN.

July 10 .- A team of horses ran

away from where they were standing in front of the elevator, and were

aught at the town hall, no damage

Much disappointment was felt by

O. B. Cragg, of Detroit, is visiting

The Orangemen hold an excursion to

by Harry Colville, will take place on July 16th.

Rudd leave to-morrow morning for a trip up the lakes.

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tation and Learn Things Themselv A huatling real estate agent on Fifth avenue, New York, who advises his patrons to buy unimproved property and grow up with it has been making an experiment in domestic economy along this same line, and at present he is dubious about its result. Mr. Lot, as he may be called, lives in a suburban town where servants are at a premium, and he advised his wife to

try "raw material." 'This business of paying \$20 a month for a cook who wastes your stands in with your butcher and supplies her relatives with sugar and coffee at your expense is nonsense," said Mr. Lot. "Just go down to the Bargs
Office and get the imported article. You
may find a diamond in the rough. If
you do, polish her, teach her your way. and advance her wages. Gratitude will

bind her to you." "That sounds well," said Mrs. Lot, "but your imported article isn't likely to understand English, and she wont know the meaning of gratitude."

"We will teach her English, my dear," said Mr. Lot, "and we can then make sure that she pi . s up no slang." Mr. Lot went down and picked her out. She was about twenty-five years old. The interpreter told him that she was a Dane, and that she was anxious to do housework. She had formerly been employed behind a plough or some such farm utensil.

Mrs. Lot put in a week's hard work with Mary, showing her by signs how her work was to be done. Mary's moon-like face never varied in expres-sion. She always looked blank.

"She has the unemotional placid disposition which is so essential for housework," said Lot proudly, when his wife suggested that Mary was stupid. "A nervous housewife makes dou ble the work. Now if the roof fell in it would not jar Mary."
"No; and she wouldn't begin to clean

up the muss until I had told her," said Mrs. Lot. Lot gave Mary her first lesson in English on Sunday morning. As she appeared he said:

"Good morning, Mary." Mary looked at him blankly. By re mary looked at him blanky.

peating that phrase all the forenoon he taught Mary to say "Morn'n'." Then Lot worked all the afternoon teaching Mary to say "Good evening," and Mary said, "Even'n'."

"You see, my dear, that after Mary has picked up a few words she will advance rapidly. I am going to enjoy teaching her."
"Now, my dear," said Lot to his wife on the following Sunday, "I am

going to increase Mary's vocabulary." When Mary had finished her work Lot went into the kitchen, and, pointing to the stove, said:

"Stove, Mary, stove—stove—stove."
"Morn'n'," said Mary,
"Stove! This here, stove, Mary, accident as being caused by the ballast getting shifted. Norman Harper should get the Humane medal. stove. Say it, stove!" Mary looked at Lot with as blank a

face as if she had been the doorkeeper at lodge meeting where Lot was trying the wrong password. "Stove, stove, stove," said Lot. "Morn'n', morn'n', morn'n'."

ed to Ericau. In the evening the three former were sailed back to Shrewsbury on the Outlaw, with the following crew: Commodore S. B. Arnold, Rear Admiral Chas. Dunn, Boatswain N. Harper, Cook G. O'Hara and Lookout Stanley Ball. On the way over the passengers entertained the crew with "No; stove, Mary; say stove." Mary's face never changed. "Morn'n'."

Dammit!" said Lot and their ability to man a boat through having sailed many schooners "Dammit!" said Mory, promptly, and Lot was sorry. Stoye, Mary; say tove. "Dammit! morn'n',' replied Mary.

Mary came to Mrs Lot two nights later and surprised her: "Can go out, even'n'?" "When did you learn that, Mary?"

"Can go out, dammit?" asked Mary, 'Yes, go," said Mrs. Lot, "and you needn't come back if you don't want But Mary did come back. When

callers asked for Mrs. Let Mary would reply sometimes 'Morn'u'," sometimes "Even'n'," and again "Ding-ding, dammit." Mrs. Lot spent all of her leisure time writing notes of apology to her friends, and telling them that was one of Mr. Lot's "rough diamonds." Mrs. McAllister, with whom Mrs. Lot was on very formal calling terms, came to call on Wednesday atternoon, and Mrs. Lot, hearing some one talking downstairs, indiscreetly

called out:
"Mary, is that some one ior me?" "Morn'n," replied Mary. "Warm bab-bee hot stuff," and before Mrs Alone sustained Editor F. M. Higgins, of Seneca, Ill., when all doctors and medicines failed to relieve his pain from piles. Then Bucklen's Arnica Saffe wholly cured him. Infallible for Injuries, Pains or Bodily Eruptions. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. a box. Sold by A. I. McCall & Co., Druggists. Lot could run downstairs Mrs. McAllister had slammed the door and left. "Now where do you suppose she picked up such slang?" Mrs. Lot asked

"Did Mrs. McAllister have her sealskin coat on?" asked Lot.

"I faintly remember using some such slang myself a week ago when you came in with your sealskin coat on. Mary was in the hall. It is very ob-jectionable slang and my only excuse is that it was taken from a negro song that was running in my head." Two days later another. Dane who the candidates for the extrance exams, here when the results were withheld last evening.

A bowling match was played yester—

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The results were with
all looked very much like Mary came to call on her and asked for Mrs. Lot.

"Mary, she want more wage," she looked very much like Mary came to

"Mary, she want more wage," she day afternoon between Thamesville | said. and Dresden, resulting in favor of "W "Who are you?" asked Mrs. Lot. "Mary, my friend. She no talk Eng-She wrote me to come out an ask more wage for her. She say she leave eef she don't get. She can't say. I say for her. Twelve lollar or Sarma on the 12th.

Nomination for school trustee to take the place on the board left vacant

she go. "Rubber," said Mary, who had been listening to her fluent friend. "Your raw material and rough diamond," said Mrs. Lot to her husband, 'has not only insulted all my friends and broken everything breakable in the house, but she sent to New York for an interpreter to come up and ask for more wages. She is too expensive Erieau on Wednesday, 25 inst., and extensive arrangements have been completed to make it a great success. A long list of confests are being arranged for and the selection of a number of valuable prizes has already been made. An energetic committee has about perfected all details and the list will be published in a few days. Communications addressed to Geo. M. Baird, secretary, Blenheim, will have prompt attention.

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DOVER COUNCIL The council met June 14th.

dembers were present. Geo. Crawford and John Coveny were heard re grant to C., D. & W. were heard re grant to C., D. & W.
Agricultural Society.

Alex. McFarlane was heard in reference to a culvert on 6th Con. road
being out of repair.

Mr. Wright reported verbally on the
grievance of Chas. A. Emery.

Moved by Lewis and Wright, that
the grievance of John Coveny be referred to the commissioner of the 4th
division, with nower, and report.

division, with power, and report. -Moved by O'Neil and Trudell, that the grievance of A. McFarlane be re-

ferred to the commissioner of the 1st division, with power.—Carried. Moved by O'Neil and Trudell, that the reeve and Mr. Wright be appointed to sell the work on Jack's Creek and

to sell the work on Jack's Creek and part of Cadotte drain, subject to the final passing of the by-law, and report.—Carried.

Moved by Lewis and Wright, that whereas the count, council made a grant of \$25 to the township of Dover to assist in running cartain farried. grant of \$25 to the township of Dover to assist in running certain ferries across the River Thames, resolved: that the said sum of \$25 be apportioned among the owners of the following ferries:—Joseph G. Thomds 15, T. McQueen, Jr., \$5, and N. Amtaya \$5, and charged to Dowling & Cook's ferry account.—Carried.

Moved by Wright and O'Neil, that the grievance of Maxim Carron, Sr., be referred to the reeve, with power, and report.—Carried. Moved by Lewis and O'Neil, that A.

McDonell's account, \$21, be paid for surveying the Bourassa ditch and making an award thereon, and charg-ed to said ditch award.—Carried. Moved by O'Neil and Trudell, that the reeve be appointed to attend to the carrying out of the works appor-tioned to the township under the Campbell ditch award and Bourassa ditch award, and report.—Carried.

Moved by O'Neil and Trudell, that
\$3.56, postage account, be paid, and
charge to the respective accounts.—

Moved by Wright and O'Neil, that one dog be struck off Frank Dagneau's assessment, he having no dog.—Car-

Moved by Lewis and O'Neil, that J. G. Rose be paid \$24.33 for three sheep and four lambs killed, and three and two lambs damaged by dogs, being two-thirds value as per in-spector, and charge to sheep and

dog account.—Carried.

Moved by O'Neil and Trudell, that the matter of building a bridge on the 11th con., over the Hind drain, be re-ferred to Mr. Wright, and report to

council.—Carried.

Moved by Wright and Trudell, that Mapoleon Brown be paid \$36 for eight sheep and two lambs killed by dogs, being two-thirds value as per inspec-tor, and charge to sheep and dog ac-

Moved by Lewis and Wright, that whereas, the Municipal Council of the Township of Dover, on Nov. 6, 1897 passed a by-law respecting pounds and imposing certain fines which all pound-keepers in the township shall be entitled to charge and collect in respect of animals impounded and placed in their charge. And further provision is made for the pound-keeper to collect and pay over to the township. provision is made for the pound-keeper to collect and pay over to the town ship treasurer said fines. And where-as a number of pound-keepers are not acting in accordance with the by-law, resolved that the clerk notify the pound-keepers to that effect, and that a fine of \$10 be imposed on all pound-keepers not making returns within

time required .- Carried.

J. WELSH, Clerk FLOWER SERVICE.

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A KENT BOY IN OTTAWA.

Rodney Smith, who was recently Rodney Smith, who was received moved from the customs department here to Ottawa, writes Chatham friends as follows: "I took a trip through Hull and the burned section of Ottawa yesterday. It is terrible the have the fire did. Hull had a population of about twelve thousand people, and all the buildings that are left are a Catholic church and Booth's saw mills. I can't see how they escaped. The burned part of Ottawa, I should judge would be about four times the size of Chatbam, so you can form some estimate of the terrible destruction wrought by the fire. The majority of the houses here are stone or brick. E. B. Eddy's fine residence in Ottawa, built at a cost of \$100,000, was destroyed in the big fire. The ruins are a sight worth seeing. I am well pleased with the appearance of this city. There is a swell summer resort about four miles from here. It is called Britannia. About every night there are band concerts. and large crowds go out. The electric and large crowds go out. The electric cars run out every day of the week. Very large crowds go out on Sundays. I was over to the Hous eof Commons last might and heard the debate on prohibition. Laurier spoke for some time and it was the grandest speech I ever heard in my life. Prohibition was defeated by a small vote. Some of the members get very excited at

LIDCOTE.

F. Clark has purchased a new Nox on hay rake.
Fred Dorey is on the sick list.
The 9th concession football team
played against the Tupperville team
Saturday evening and came out vic-

Miss Hattie French has returned home from London. home from London.

A. Jenner spent Sunday in Camden.

Miss Maggie McIsaac, of Cedar
Springs, is spending her holidays with
her parents here.

Miss Netlie Sommerset, who has been
visiting friends in Blenheim, has returned home.

Robert Campaign is fortiled.

urned home. Robert Cumming is putting an addition to his barn. Miss Gamil was the gu

CHING CAPTURED All the Big Gun Ammunition And Thus Saved the

Foreigners.

Latest Reports Indicate the Continued Safety of the Legationers-Dowager Empress

London, Tuesday, July 10, 3.25 a. m .-With the foreigners in Pekin probably safe amidst civil war, with Prince Ching on their side, with the powers united and their forces constantly incressing, the outlook in China now is rather more hopeful than it has been for a month past. It appears from the cautious statement given out by Taotai Sheng in Shanghai that the reason the heavy guns, bearing on the legations at Pekin, were not used is that Prince Ching, who is served by 10,000 troops seized all the artillery ammunition. Sheng likewise intimates that Yung Lu, commander-in-chief of the northern army, is associated with Prince Ching in opposing Prince Tuan's ferocious designs and dictatorial ambition. Sheng, who appears to be the sole Shanghai conduit of Pekin news, cheers the foreign consuls by these confidential unications, but takes excessive precantions to prevent the Chinese from think-ing him friendly to the foreigners. The eeling of unrest in the southern and central provinces continues. The members of the official class in those provinces strive to re-main neutral, with a leaning toward the foreigners, until they shall see whether the moderate or extreme factions will win in Pekin. Prince Ching seems to be stand-ing for the dynasty and of the old order against Prince Tuan's inordinate ambition. TOLD BY COURIERS.

Two couriers arrived at Tien Tsin on July 1 from Pekin. One brought a letter from Sir Claude Macdonald, the British minister, to the same effect as that pre-viously received from Sir Robert Hart. The couriers confirm the reports of the death of Baron Von Kettler. They say that death of Baron Von Kettler. They say that Prince Ching is doing his utmost to protect the foreigners, but that the native feeling against the whites is strong. Two high officials, opposed to the Boxers, are reported by the couriers to have been assassinated. Sir Claude Macdonald's letter is dated four days earlier than that of Sir Robert Hart A despatch to to the news agency here, dated Tien Tsin, July 2, says:—"The Empress Dowager, so far from being dead, is actively striving to prevent the factions figting. Prince Ching has informed her that he would tather lose his head than be constantly obliged to warn her of the conseconstantly obliged to warn her of the consequences of the prolongation of the present anarchy. Prince Tuan is quite willing that Ching should be decapitated but the Dowager Empress will not allow this. Prince Tuan has decided that he will take full respectivities. He purposes to retake Tien sponsibility. He purposes to retake Tien Tsın and Taku. Outside of Pekin, except in the Pe Chi Li and Shan Tung country, the people are supremely indifferent."

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