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ELEGANT ARRAY OF CHRIST WAS GIT 15.

er's dog tax, as Westenhaufer has left the county and has no goods.—Carried.

Letter from Michael Wagner in referany one you may wish to select a present for.

A Merry Christma to all. MILDMAY & WROXETER

CARRICK COUNCIL.

Town Hall Mildmay Dec. 15th, 1899 Council met pursuant to adjournment. All the members present. The eeve in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting were read aud adopted.

By-Law No. 18 to fix the hour of romination at 1 o'clock p. m. was read

a first time. Schuett—Filsinger — That By-Law No. 13 be now read a second and third time and finally passed.—Carried.

FINANCE REPORT.

The following accounts being duly certified were ordered to be paid. Nicholas Schnitzler, building culvert on lot 2 con 6 and hauling gravel, 5 loads gravel @ 5 cts cert'd by M Filsinger, rec pay 3 25 Glebe & Sieling, 485 ft pine plank at \$13 per M \$6 30 111 ft cedar

at \$12 per M \$1 88 John Butler, repairing culvert on elora road opp lot 48 af per con-tract. Cert'd by J / ints, rec

payment ex Diummond, 37 yards gravel on Howick & Carrick townline Carrick's share. Certified by Jos Lawrence P M rec paym't Henry Wolf, repairing bridge on Walkerton road and 4 bolts.

Certf'd by John McPhail. rec'd Refuge, received payment
Val Rittinger, 48 loads gravel ou Culross townline, Carrick share certi'd by Ed Weis and Hy Opperman, received payment Peter Hackney, 95 loads gravel at 5c, certified by T Inglis rec'd payment.

payment ...

Peter Moyer, assessed for dog erroneously...

Geo Weiler, wrongly assessed for

Chas Yandt, wronly assessed for Sol Helwig, overcharge of \$10

Bot Bilger, overcharge on collectors roll

R Wilton, overcharge for dog.....

J M Fischer, rep bridge opp lot 14, con C & D and bolts

G Nickel, covering culvert on con 2 and 3 opp lot 6

Con Eidt, 86 loads gravel

Geo Curle, spikes and nails

J A Johnston, 300 sheet bills etc. Lorentz, gravelling, C'k's share

M Schuett, " M Filsinger, "

R E Clapp, chairman.

Schuett-Filsinger-That the report of Finance Committee be as read. Circular from Law Clerk's Department re- Campbell, Port Elgin; Kate Doyle, Dob- Send me another bottle, mother has charge of Financial year.-Carried.

Hill-Lints-That this council is of Mr. Mutree's Bill-Carried.

Hill -Lints - That Simon Goetz, collector Div. No. 2 be credited one dollar on his roll for Frank Westenhaufence to drain from his cellar was read d ordered to be filed.

Filsinger—That this coun-tjourn.—Carried. JAMES JOHNSTON,

Huntingfield

Mr. Samuel Wherry of Belmore, who visited here returned home to-day. Miss E. Vogan accompanied him and will spend Christmas at St. Mary's.

Mr. Randolph Ramsav spent a few days this week with his grandmother, Mrs. G. Vogan.

In our last correspondence it was reported that a fracas occurred among ome young men while returning from S. Vogan's threshing. It should have been Mrs. G. Vogan's threshing.

Norman Pomeroy leaves to-morrow for Glasgow, Scotland, in company with Jno. Johnston.

nice things for Xmas. Call there for tobacco. Wonder how the men got your presents.

Wat Renwick has commenced thresh- their absence. ing in his big barn. It is doubtful whether he will get through before Christmas, but as it is a Mildmay machine, it will be done as quickly as possible.

We are pleased to see Mr. James Page here again. He is spending the holiday's with his son-in-law's, Mr. S. Vogan.

Miss Mary Pinder and Mr. W. Pinder dealers. of Hibbert, are visiting friends in this part.

The farmers are taking advantage of 75 the fine weather by working in the

Christian Endeavor.

Topic, "Teach us to pray." Luke, 11, Family size 60 cents. 1-13. Leader, Miss Lottie Berry.

One of the earliest lessons taught us in our childhood is to repeat at the Xmas present from the Queen is a beginning and close of every day that pretty large order. There will be humble and eloquent appeal to God, 100,000 tins and 50,000 lbs of chacolate. 00 composed by our Lord Jesus Christ Tommy Atkins may either eat his chohimself, and therefore called "The colate as a sweetmeat or drink it as a Lord's Prayer." One of its chief beau- beverage. Either way it is good camties is that so few words should be able paigning provender. When it is conto convey so much meaning. Each sumed the tin will remain as an ornabrief paragraph is in itself a prayer mental memento. Years and years that might be lengthened to whole hence those tins will be valuable relics. pages, yet express no more than is comprehended in those two or three simple words. We should guard against the common fault of merely repeating This is owing to the decision of the J Lorentz, gravelling, C'k's share 5 00
John Schweitzer, lumber 8 00
J Johnston, postage and station'y 1 03
J A Haines, postage and salary collector Div No 1 50
B B Clement, cement tiles 8 00
G Schwalm, 318 ft pine 4 45
P Hinsperger, rep sidewalks 1 25
Jos Dietrich, plank and scautling 7 08
C Liesemer, spikes, glaes, coal 7 1
Peter Thompson, building and repairing culvert 1 50
Jno O Miller, work in townhall 1 00
Mrs J Elig, 44 yds gravel 2 64
Peter Reddon, repairing culvert 5 00
A Herrgott, inspecting culvert 5 00
Weiler & Son, 180 ft lumber 2 28
Louis Brown, repairing bridge 1 50
Lord are in every evil and the good.

The following tea 5 00 the words from habit, without express-8 00 ing the thoughts and feelings in all their fullness, strength, or intensity. If we desire that God should listen to our Bay mills will boom next year and the prayers and grant what we ask of Him, we must not let our thoughts wonder here and there, but must remember to whom we are addressing orrselves and endeavor to speak and feel that we are in His presence for "The eyes of the Lord are in every place beholding the

The following teachers-in-training at Louis Brown, repairing bridge 4 96
Aug Brick, repairing bridge 4 96
Jas Johnston, salary to Dec 31... 70 00
Jno Schweitzer, 1352 ft lumber... 15 92
Peter F Schumacher, work and
October 15 92
Provincial Road Instructor Campbell has been lecturing in Grey county. The feeling in favor of abolishing statute labor is quite strong in some of the County Board of Examiners. County Board of Examiners.

Names are in alphebetical order:-Messrs. David Berry, Mıldmay; Geo B Cox, Holyrood; Percy R. Darling, Kincardine; Joseph Guinn, Walkerton; 5 00 8 00 10 00 Paisley; Jas. Routledge, Dunkeld; good than any other medicine I have taken. Weatherall, Southampton.

Margaret Lamont, Malcolm; Kate C. highly of your medicine. McDonald, Teeswater; Elsie M McKay, Walkerton; Winnie McPherson, Amberley; Winifred Miles, Kincardine, Alice Peterson, Kincardine; May B Ross, Kin-Margaret Sinclair, Walkerton; Lluella Thompson, Walkerton; Ida Watts, Walkerton.

W. I. CHISHOLM. M. A., Sec'y Board of Examiners.

COUNTY AND DISTRICT.

The Dumdum bullet is so called because first made at a place of that name a few miles from Calcutta, India. It is nickel-coated with leaden core both cut away at the end.

An exchange suggests that we start writing "1900" in order to get our hand in. It will save heaps of stationery and broken resolutions as to cuss words after New Years.

Durham ladies are keeping a vigilant watch over the morals of that town. A deputation of the fair creatures waited on the council at its last sitting praying that a tax be levied on parties engaged Our postmaster has put in a stock of in the sale of cigasettes and cigarette along with the culinary duties during

> To all who have felt the evil effects of deranged kidneys it is interesting to know that Dr A W Chase's kidney-liver pills are meeting with enormous sale and unparalleled success in this district. Backaches and aching kidneys are fast becoming a thing of the past where Dr. Chase's Kidney-liver pills are known. One cent a dose, 25 cents a box, at all

> Dr. A. W. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine is mother's favorite remedy for croup, bronchitis, asthma coughs, colds and sore throat. It has by far the largest sale of any remedy for coughs and colds. It is pleasant to the taste, prompt in action and is an absolute safeguard against consumption and pneumonia. 25 cents a bottle.

A tin of chocolate for every British soldier and sailor in South Africa as a

The lumbermen of Michigan have decided to move their mills to Ontario. Ontario Government to have all logs cut in Ontario manufactured into lumber in this province. The Georgian Jumber piles will be built higher than ever before.

The suggestion has been made that the Department of Agriculture should. devote special attention to the encourage of tree planting in the Northwest. The suggestion is a good one. In the East, as well as the West, our farmers would do well to devote more attention to tree planting.

Provincial Road Instructor Campbell townships. In Keppel, it is said, a bylaw will be voted on at the next municipal election upon the question of commuting the statue labor at the rate of 60 cents per day.

-G. Davis, Toronto, says:-One Misses Maude B. Alexander, Bervie; bottle of your Rheumatic and Sciatica Annie Ballantyne, Tiverton; Nellie Remedy has almost cured my mother. bington; Lily Fortune, Wingham; Lou- not been out of the house for months, ise Gregg, Paisley; Charlotte I Harrigan after taking one bottle of your remedy opinion that it would be no improve. Kir cardine; Christena Henderson, she was able to go down street to do ment on the present system to adopt Underwood; Ada E. Hugill, Mildmay; her shopping. She cannot speak too

cardine; Maude Lhantz, Walkerton; GRIMM-In Mildmay, on Friday, Dec. 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Grimm, a

> Broehler-In Mildmay, on Friday, Dec. 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. John Broehler, a daughter.

THE VERY LATEST FROM ALL THE WORLD OVER.

Interesting Items About Our Own Country, Great Britain, the United States, and All Parts of the Globe, Condensed and Assorted for Easy Reading.

CANADA.

The wages of Winnipeg policemen have been advanced.

Port Colborne harbour improve-ments will be commenced at an early date.

Ald Matters and Ald. Wilson are candidates for the Winnipeg Mayor-

Kingston will seek legislation for the abolition of the ward system of electing aldermen.

The Hamilton Stock Yards Company een given another year to com plete its yards.

Track laying on the Manitoba Southeastern road is now within 90 miles south-east of Winnipeg.

The Kingston Locomotive Works wants a cash bonus of \$75,000 from that city to remain there.

Edward West was sentenced at Halifax on Thursday to 12 years' imprison-ment for plundering mail bags. The St. Lawrence channel, between

Montreal and Quebec, is being dredged to a depth of 29 feet in low water. The Royal Trust Company, with a capital of \$500,000, to be increased next year to \$5,000,000, has been formed at Montreal with Lord Strathcona presi-

A boom above Grand Forks, B. C., containing nearly two million logs, the property of the Granby Smelter Co., gave way, carrying with it a dam and two bridges.

door of her residence, only, to be shot down by an unknown man standing in the darkness outside. She cannot recover. The police are investigating.

The transfer by (Admiral Dewey to his wife of the residence in West.)

Howard, formerly inspector of offices for the Manitoba Government.

Hamilton City Council, realizing the need of additional water mains and also that the ratepayers will not sanction a by-law, will apply to the Legis-lature for special permission to issue debentures without a vote of the rate-

Deputy game wardens and hunters from Muskoka and Parry Sound dis-trist report that most of the deer se-cured this year were shot in the wat-er. They also report open violation of the close season fishing laws on Moon River. Moon River.

The Canadian Department of Marine has forwarded to the British Government a handsome binocular glass, which has been awarded by the Dominion Government to Mr. J. Shekleton, master of the steamship Cento, of Liverpool, in recognition of his services to the shipwrecked crew of the brig Madelen, of Yarmouth, N. S., on March 20th last. on March 20th last.

GREAT BRITAIN

The Earl of Yarmouth has been declared a bankrupt.

Dixon Kent, the noted English yacht designer, is dead at London. The Duke of Portland has donated £10,000 to the Red Cross Society.

The wrecked British steamer Coquet from Quebec for Sunderland, has abandoned on Shetland Islands

Dickens' manuscript of "Holiday Romance," 30 pages closely written, brought \$500 at auction in London on The Scotch Oil Companies have is-

sued a circular by which the price of all lubricating oils is raised 20 shil-

torpedo boat Viper took place Wednesday, and was successful. She developed a speed of 32 knots. The Sutlej, the first of four new rmoured cruisers of the Cressy class, ow building for the British Govern-

ment, has been launched at Glasgow The lakes of Killarney were "put up" at auction in Dublin on Thursday. The bidding reached \$255,000, but was not considered enough. The property will be sold privately.

It is the general impression that Lord Salisbury will not remain in of-fice after the close of the war. His own health is far from rubust, while this loss must certainly seriously af-fect his mental and physical powers. Already the matter of a successor is discussed, the choice lying between Already the matter of a successor is discussed, the choice lying between Mr. Chamberlain and Lord Rosebery, the majority of the old-fashioned Tories preferring the latter, who will fuse to lend him an umbrella.

have also a strong Liberal as opposed to Radical backing.

UNITED STATES. The White Star and Atlantic Transport lines have increased pastrates to Europe 50 per cent.

The mutilated bodies of a mother and her three children were found at their home on a farm near Williams-

Mrs. Evelyn Adams, author of the novel "Is Marriage a Failure?" died in New York on Tuesday in abject pov-

American soldiers in the Philippines, discharged for bad conduct, are tak-ing service under Aguinaldo as offi-cers and leading attacks on their At Joplin, Mo., Miss Laura Heifley,

a pretty young woman of 19, was arrested and placed in jail, charged with stealing a team of horses from Southwest City, Mo.

vest City, Mo.

The Holland submarine torpedo boat at New York has attracted the attention of several foreign Embassies at Washington, and several naval attaches have visited the vessel.

After an absence of 30 years, James

Edwards, whose home is now in Denver, returned to Philadelphia and discovered that his wife had been divorced from him and married to another

The safe of the Exchange Bank, of Brooklyn, Mich., was blown to atoms, early Tuesday morning, and between \$5,000 and \$6,000 was secured by three masked men who did the work.

Francis Bock, a jeweller, of Providence, R. I., and John Trehonl and S. G. Taylor, of the Cunarder Etruria, are under arrest at New York for smuggling pearls—only \$50,000 worth.

Mrs. Jennie Siken, of Minneapolis, answered a summons at the front door of her residence, only to be shot

containing nearly two million logs, the property of the Granby Smelter Co., gave way, carrying with it a dam and two bridges.

Trinity Church, at St. John, N. B., was entered by safe-crackers, who blew open the safe in the vestry and stole \$45. They also did a lot of damage to the church property.

At a meeting of the Kingston Union of Carpenters it was decided that after January 1 next nine hours would constitute a day's work. The rate of wages will be fixed at a later meeting.

german declared it was impossible for her to live happily with her husband, because he chews tobacco.

rate of wages will be fixed as meeting.

There is a possibility, when the trans-Siberian railway is completed in about a year, of a direct line of steamers being established between Vancouver and Vladivostock, the Pacific port of Siberia.

The smallpox epidemic which broke out in the four parishes of St. Pashal Mount Carmel, St. Helen and St. Amount Carmel, St. Helen and St. The United States Secretary of the United States Secretary of the United States Secretary of the States Secretary of the States Secretary of the United States Secretary of the Stat

chal, Mount Carmel, St. Helen and St. Germain, Que., is now controlled, so that there is little danger of a further spead of the disease.

The carpenters of Hamilton are agitating for a return to the rate of wages which prevailed prior to the cut during the hard times. The old rate was \$2.25 a day, but for some time it has been \$1.75 and \$2.

Winnipeg has two of her boys with the British troops under Gen. White at the besieged town of Ladysmith. They are sons of the late Mr. Rice M. Howard, formerly inspector of offices Generally with that of the suicide.

The United States Secretary of the Treasury has decided that Canadian cattie or sheep may be shipped through the United States for exportation from Philadelphia, Baltimore and Newport News, as well as from Portland, Boston and New York, until now the ports of exportation of Canadian cattle and sheep have been limited to the last three ports.

The Willingham bill, providing for State prohibition in Georgia was passed by the House of Representatives after the most exciting debate the

ed by the House of Representatives after the most exciting debate the House has known in years. If the bill passes the Senate and becomes a law, it means the annihilation of the saloons. neans the annihilation of the sa-loons. Every plant for the brewing of beer or the manufacture of whisky must be closed. It will not interfere must be closed. It will not interfere with banquets or private entertain-ments, but the law will not allow any club to sell or keep for the use of members intoxicating liquors, beers or

GENERAT.

The Neva river and two canals are foon River.

On the rampage, causing great alarm in St. Petersburg. The Sultan is demanding the sup-

-offices in Tur-Seventeen schooners were driven ashore on the coast of Newfoundland during the recent gales, and all were

A special despatch from Vienna re iterates the report which was denied last week, that the Russians had occupied Herat.

Aguinaldo, Filippino leader, says he will repay the \$30,000,000 which the United States paid to Spain for the Philippines, to be allowed to establish a republic.

Half a dozen stalwart constables, members of the Shropshire Constabulary, had, according to their weekly custom, travelled from Market Drayton to Whitchurch for the purpose of taking part in deill exercise, and were returning home in a brake drawn by a single horse. On turning a bend in the road near Bletchley both the party The preliminary trial of the turbine and the horse were somewhat alarmed to meet a gigantic elephant quietly coming along in the opposite direction, apparently without anyone in charge. The horse naturally became restive, and endeavored to pull the conveyance and endeavored to pull the conveyance into the fence while the occupants tried to escape as quickly as they could. Fortunately no injury was sustained by any of the party. It seems that the elephant, who refused to be entrained at London recently, is making his journey to Liverpool by road, and was walking calmly on while his coloured attendant refreshed at the village tayern. village tavern.

STRONG COMMENDATION.

Agricultural

GRASS IN ORCHARDS.

It is customary among the farmers who set out orchards of young fruit trees to cultivate them pretty thoroughly while small, generally planting corn or potatoes as often as possible, as these afford opportunities for cultivating the surface most of the growing season. But as the trees grow larger the apparent profit from cropping the young orchard lessens very rapidly. Under the shade of trees in full leaf neither corn nor potatoes will do their best. Usually the orchard is cropped Usually the orchard is with grain between the hoed crops, with grain between the hoed crops, and it is sometimes seeded with clover or with the grasses. This is always a severe check to the young trees. It often starts them to bearing, the check to growth being nearly always accompanied by the formation of fruit buds. So soon as the trees get to bearing, most farmers give up cropping the orchard, and if not seeded before, it is at once seeded with both clover and grass. But if the grass is continued year after year the sod becomes impenetrable by air or water, and its roots exhaust the surface soil, which is always the richest. The tree soon becomes unfruitful, and unless manure is brought to the orchard to fertilize it, the tree will die before it has borne half the fruit it should have given under better treatment.

fruit it should have given under better treatment.

There is, however, one way to keep orchards in grass that does not lessen their productiveness. That is to have the trees so low that the shade of the branches with a very slight mulch of manure will keep the grass from growing too rampant, and will also loosen the soil beneath so that it will be easily permeable by rains and melting snows. The low-trained orchard will also be better protected by snow than the orchard whose trunks are trained high with nothing near the ground to prevent the winter winds from sweeping the snow away. But the trunks of such trees should be banked up with earth in the fall so as to prevent mice from gnawing the bank and thus destroying the tree. Neither should grass or mulch be allowed to lie under the trees in winter, as this makes just the kind of harbor that mice like. If the limbs hang low some of them may be weighed down by snow, and the tender bark on the that mice like. If the limbs hang low some of them may be weighed down by snow, and the tender bark on the small branches will suffer, but this is better than leaving the mice to eat the bark around the trunk as they will often do, thus destroying it entirely tirely.

KEEPING GOOD STOCK.

The practice of reducing the stock in the fall of the year, "weeding" out the poor animals, as it is called, has two sides to it which may be worth considering. Poor stock sold in the fall of the year simply to save the expense of feeding them through the winter, when cost of food is high, invariably prove a loss to the owners. Prices are usually low for such stock at any time, and especially in the fall. Everybody else is weeding out, too, and the only market for them is the butchers. It would be much more to the purpose to recommend early in the fall or late in summer to weed out the poor animals that it will not pay to winter, and make extra exertions to There is hardly an animal, no matter cakes of various sizes, resembling how poor and inferior, which cannot be fattened with judicious care so that it will sell for a fair price. The lean cadaverous sides, the scrawny hair and the half-starved appearance of the animal can all be changed for the better. Shut the animals up in some clean, healthy pen, where they cannot exercise much, feed them systematically on fattening food, water them as they need it, and even curry down their rough coats occasionally. This treatment followed up carefully for a month or six weeks will add a good many dollars to the value of

fully for a month or six weeks will add a good many dollars to the value of the animal. If we have scrub stock in the fall of the year that we con-clude will not pay to winter, it is much better to adopt this course of treat-ment than to hurry them away at once to the butchers, being forced then to accept almost any price that is offer-ed.

At other times of the year when the At other times of the year when the markets are good another temptation induces some to injure the herd by selling off the best animals because they will bring the highest prices. Now manifestly if we sell off the best each year the herd is going to degenerate rapidly, and in spite of the introduction of new blood it will be hard work to keep up the standard of the herd. The best policy is to retain the finest animals on the farm for breedind purposes, and sell the next best nd purposes, and sell the next in times when prices are high, and fat-ten the scrub and inferior animals for market whenever the season is promising. As a rule these do not improve much anyway, and it is often better to fatten them for the market as soon as possible. But by keeping the very best of our herds on the farm, we advance rather than reduce the standard of the herd.

FARM TOPICS. l your machine before the

during t

Skim milk in moderate quantities has often been fed to young colts after weaning, with good results. If the colt has been well cared for up to weaning time, feeding milk is hard-

Plenty of fresh air is essential for ogs as well as other animals. This is more often neglected in case of hog houses than buildings designed for other farm stock. The best success cannot be obtained unless this injunc

cannot be obtained unless this injunction is strictly observed.

If that sow of yours is a good breeder and milker, do not on any account fatten her to save winter feed. She can live on very little all through the winter. There can be no better investment than such a sow. Stay with it if it is good money you are after.

The advantage of growing improved stock does not lie merely in its better adaptation to the wants of the market and to the fact that it will respond more promptly and continuously to feed; the early age at which it mutures is one of the sources of profit to its owner.

One of the surest indications of thrift upon a farm to-day is a well kept manure pile. It is necessary that the fertility of our farms be maintained, to a large extent, from sources that are inexpensive Messley.

that the fertility of our farms be main-tained, to a large extent, from sources that are inexpensive. Neglect to ap-preciate this causes losses, which though unappreciated, are large, and materially reduce the net income of the farm.

A BOER COURTSHIP.

"While here," said a traveler in the Transvaal, "I saw how the Boers owne courting. The girl was the daughter of my employer. The young man dashed up to the house on horseback, wearing new clothes, with an ostrich feather in his hat. He made his fine horse plance and caper before the house ere he descended. Then he gave the lines to one of the Hottentots standing near, and walked up and down in front of the windows of the house well knowing that the eyes of his sweetheart were peeping through the blinds at him. Then he strutted into the house and first shook hands with 'Tante,' the mother, and said 'Guten tag,' good day. The same he

with "Tante," the mother, and said is Guten tag, good day. The same he did with 'Oom, the father, and then at last spoke to the girl and her sisters and brothers.

"Oom said only 'Sitz,' take a seat, and then there was complete silence it was brought in. They each in turn spoko a few words. Oom asked how and then we heard all about the health of each one in the family, how the catter and the crops were doing, etc. All the time we were drinking coffee. At last the suitor rose and handed his chosen bride the 'Lachergoot,' confectionery, which she, blushing and laughing, accepted.

"This was the critical moment, for if she had refused the gift that would have ended the courtship. Now there was gayer talk, until all but the two left the room for it was the right of the suitor to remain in the front room along with her of his choice. But so that he should not stay too long, "Tante,' according to custom, stepped up to the wax candle and made a mark on it with a needle, saying that the visit might fast until the candle burnt thus far. This was a command that the most lovesick swain dare not disregard."

TEA IN RUSSIA

TEA IN RUSSIA.

The Russians drink enormous quantities of tea. The poor people—and the Russian people are the poorest in existence—use the so-called "brick" tea. This is the cheapest sort, being mixed with the stems, and compressed by some adhesive gum into dry teed them up to a standard which mixed with the stems, and compresswill make them sell for a decent price. ed by some adhesive gum into dry its appearance "plug" tobacco. This that a relief fund should be starttea, which would probably prove poisonous to any one else, is consumed by the Russian workingman at the average rate of about 20 stakan, or tumblers, a day, the Russian stakan being Dr. Colquboun, and some of them are cups used at aftermoon teas. Taking into consideration that black, sour or bitter, brick-like bread, raw onions, garlic, dried leather fish and strongly salted herrings are usually the chief articles of food of the people at large, one must not wonder at the enormous quantity of hot tea needed to quench a Russian's thirst and help on his digestion.

Dr. Colquhoun, and some of them are past work. It is stated that one of ly entrusted his legal business to another lawyer, but in his zeal for the cause of temperance he transferred it to Dr. Colquhoun, because the other lawyer was not a staunch teetotaler, and Colquhoun was one of the most pronounced opponents of alcholic his digestion.

THE NEW WALK.

Parisian women have come to adjust their mode of walking to the present exigencies of dress. Their gait rests on the ground, back and front, is scarcely suited to walking, nor indeed to any exercise. It is the divine Sara, without a doubt, who is respon-Sara, without a doubt, who is responsible for this present swaddling arrangement of clothes, she having affected such gowning for years. And her marvelous management of the long, trailing garment, clinging all about her feet, and her grace of movement despite, has won evry woman's admiration, so much so perhaps that they seem to have eagerly thrown themselves into the maze of the different though becoming mode of raim—

THIS IS NO DREAM.

THE CHEERFUL melancholy man asked the smar mark him? rs him blue, of neerful Idiot in

IN MERRY OLD ENGLAND

THE DOINGS OF THE ENGLISH PEO-PLE REPORTED BY MAIL

cord of the Events Taking Place in the Land of the Rose-Interesting Occur-rences.

Among the graduates "capped" at the graduation ceremony in connection rith Edinburgh University, was are! Hendrick Kruger, nephew of resident Kruger. The Barmouth Urban Council has ac-

epted Miss Frances Power Cobbe's offer to present her library to the town if a suitable building were provided for its accommodation. Several of the Burton brewers have enjoyed a record output during the

past week. On one day Allsopps despatched no less than 5,000 barrels to various parts of the country, in addition to 7,000 dozen of bottled ales and Workmen constructing a sewer in Salisbury road, Plymouth, exposed a quantity of human remains, which are

believed to be those of the victims in the encounter between Royalists and Roundheads which took place near the The death has just taken place of Mrs. Lachlan, better known as Rosie Maxwell, Miss Braddon's daughter.

Tall, fair, and pale, she riveted attention in the largest crowd. At the time she was laid aside by her fatal illness she was doing some very clever journalistic work. Considerable interest was caused by the passage through the Strand, London, of three couples of dwarfs. The

tallest of them was not more than three feet high and all were apparently of middle age. They were fashionably attired, and were accompanied by two ladies of ordinary stature. Mushrooms are growing in the roadway of Allardyce street, a public thoroughfare, five minutes' walk from Brixton Station, London. It is a well known fact that mushrooms will grow

almost anywhere, but this is the first instance of any having been found flourishing in a London gutter. During his presidential address to

army and navy. He said the most talented graduates had ceased to as-

It has been ed in aid of the victims of Dr. Colquhoun. A large proportion of those who will suffer by his defalcations are entirely dependent upon the interest re-

Jersey might be aptly named the 'land of the new potato." amazing to hear of the many thousands of tons of new potatoes that have been shipped this season, and ent exigencies of dress. Their gait is slow, with very, short steps, alafine state of cultivation, but owing step accompanying it. A skirt that to the high rents and the growing competition from France in English markets, the Jersey cultivators are not prospering. The rent for land runs as high as £14 and £15 an acre per year—the purchase price, in fact, of freehold land in some parts of Eng-

Full many a flower is born to blush

unseen, And waste its fragrance on the desor ert air; ow Full many a girl has made a man turn

By showering kisses on another girl as fair.

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Africa.

GLASSWARE FASHIONABLE.

Those who are perplexed over the apparent chaos in table glass fashions may be pleased to know that they may buy anything which suits their fancy, for absolute liberty of choice, is the blissful condition just now. Those who like the heavy cut glass so much prized in days gone by may haul it out from its resting placing in disused china closets, where its prismatic splen. from its resting placing in disused china closets, where its prismatic splendors have been hidden for many a day, since grandmother packed it carefully away and set to glitter and sparkle on the festal board with perfect propriety. Engraved glass and glass that is not engraved find their places side by side, and great, thick pieces of transparent ware are in as good form as those of eggshell thinness.

People of good taste have always chosen their glassware in harmony withe its probable surroundings, and have exercised individual choice, irrespective of fashion, to a certain extent, but now this very independence of action is "the thing" and is likely to result as such things usually do, in freakihaness.

ONLY ONE LERG.

This seems impossible, but it is a fact. Perhaps at dessert a dish of Venetian glass, milky white, with its roses and green leaves about it eages. The Laxative Bromo Quinne Tablets. All draggists refund the money if is fails to cure, to venetian glass, milky white, with its roses and green leaves about the edge, it will be set to holding the fruit, while a dish of heavy cut glass at one end gives back sparkle for sparkle with the a dish of heavy cut glass at one end gives back sparkle for sparkle with the state hand a dish of English crystal with twisted handles at the other end, matches with its smooth severity the severe smoothness of the blanc-mange.

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In fact everything is fashionable, and no two people have tastes exactly alike. The show windows and the swell tables both show a surprising variety of glassware.

and one little valley south of the tor whose sovereignty has not been claimed by some European Power. It is the Valley of Barotse, fifty or sixty miles wide, north of Lialui, in South

pieces shown in plain English, or the French Bacraret glass, the manufacturer lending his name to this last. The shapes in both are simple modifications are 20 per cent safer than sailing vesof well-known forms-forms that, from sels their very simplicity and fitness, will never be far out of style, as frequently happens to those much-tortured de signs invented to meet the passing fad.

Of course these plain bits will need nore care and polishing, for where there are no lanciful ornaments to catch the eye, the least bit of a spot or cloud shows with a terrifying insistence. There are no ornaments to conceal a multitude of sins, and specks and flaws stand forth as dread accus-ers against mistress and maid. But the care that must be bestowed upon it will be well repaid when you see your guests seated before a service of AN OUTGROWN IDEAL

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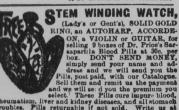
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EDITORIAL NOTES.

Since our last issue General Buller fought an eight hour battle on the banks of the Tugela River near Colenso It resulted in a repulse of the British with a loss of over a thousand men in killed, wounded and missing and also a loss of eleven heavy guns. The particulars of the battle are not yet to hand, but enough has been reported to show that it is the old story of a suprise, or didn't know it was leaded! The division of the army that suffored been justly termed-The New York most was the part that handled the guns. The got the guns to the bank of the river intending to open fire there or cross the river with them, when the Boers opened on them with a terrible fire, in which nothing could live. The horses were, still hitched to the guns when the fire opened and the most of them were shot down before they could be got into shelter. The fighting in other parts of the field was carried on with varying success and repulse until when it was seen that the guns could be rescued and got late action, the troops were called off. The result of the battle has been a great disappoint ment. General Buller and Clery were the men that were looked up to as the only ones who were fully acquainted with the Boer methods of fighting and who also knew the country best of all the Generals and their failure has been correspondingly depressing, But the result on the whole campaign will no doubt bring about a better state of affairs. The trouble has been with the authorities at home that they have been placing to much dependence on Infantry, where the great want so far has been effective artillery and cavalry. This want will now be remedied as speedily as possible, and Britain is roused as she never has been before for the last half century, and no sacrifice will be reckoned to great in order to carry out the campaign to a successful issue. The greatest enthusiasm is James Johnston in response to the call to active service The colonies too are eager to show the tralia is sending another contingent. Canada is sending a Thousand mounted cavalry and artiflery. Britain is alive with the intense desire to wipe out the slight reverses that have been met with up to date. The great mistakes that have been made in the past has been in underestimating the resources of the Boers, and we all know that it is never safe for those in authority to take action far in advance of public opinion. Now public opinion is ready for any crifice in order to ma tige of the empire, and there will be different state of affairs in South Africa from this time forward until the end p the campaign. Lord Kitchener and Roberts are leaving for South Africa to take command of the troops in the Cape. Gen. Buller will be able to give his undivided attention to the prosecution of the war in Natal. General Methuen is at Modder River waiting for reinforcements. General French and Gatacre are also waiting for reinforcements, and especially artillery. Gen. White at Ladysmith is still active, mak ing occasional sorties and holding ou gallantly, but it must be very disap pointing to the garrison there to have to wait so long for relief. There i a rumor that General Buller has crossed the Tugela River but it is not confirm ed at the war office.

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Peas	55	to	55
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Potatoes per bushel	20		25
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Export Cattle-Trade was fairly good at steady prices. Offerings were somewhat larger than a week ago. Choice cattle sold at \$4 50 to \$5 per cwt, and probably a trifle higher for a few loads. Light cattle sold at \$4 to \$4 50 per cwt.

to \$4 50 for bulls weighing 1,600 lbs or they often make sudden assualts or more. Lighter bulls sold at \$3 25 to \$4 camps or cities between 3 and 5, for

Butcher's Cattle-Buyers that paid \$4 50 per cwt and more last week for choice butchers' heifers and steers were to-day effering from \$3 75 to \$4 per cwt for the same class of stock; in fact, they did not want the cattle. With the continued warm weather last week's pur chases have pretty well stocked the local market for Christmas trade and prices have relaxed materially. The receipts to-day were much too heavy for the demand. Common to medium cattle were bought for filling in purposes. Considerable stuff was left

Feeders-There is still a good de miand for heavy short-keep steers; \$360 to \$3 80 was the average range, but a few lots, equal to light exporters, sold higher. Light feeders ranged from \$3 25 to \$3 40 per cwt,

Stockers-There were few on the market to day. Trade was fair and prices steady at \$2 25 to \$2 70 for cattle weighing from 500 to 700 lbs and \$8

to \$3 40 for heavier weights. Bulls-Feeding bulls sold steady at \$2 25 to \$2 75 per cwt, light stock bulls at \$2 to \$2 25 per cwt and light bulls for Buffalo at \$1 75 to \$2 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs-Market steady at \$3 50 to \$4 per cwt for lambs and export ewes \$3 to \$3 25 per cwt. Lambs, picked ewes and wethers sold at \$4 to

Hogs-Advanced 121c per cwt to \$4 50 per cwt for picked lots of 160 to 200 lbs, natural weight; \$4 121 per cwt for light fats. Thick fats sold at \$4 per

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A. McCabe of Pontypool sold 21 lambs at \$4 per cwt and five butchers' cows and heifers at \$3 per cwt.

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per cwt, some 50c-lb teckers at 52 75 per cwt.

J. J. Powling of Drayton sold 118 thogs at \$4.25 per cwt, off cars, and watered; seven good butchers' heifers, 1.030 lbs, at \$3.25 per cwt, and ten ex-1,030 lbs, at \$3 25 per cwt, and ten export slicep at \$3 25 per cwt;

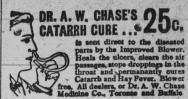
W. H. Patterson of Agincourt bought for a sale to be held on Friday next at Empringham's Hotel, Little York, one first-class milch cow at \$53 and six 500lb stockers at \$2.25 per cwt. Mr. Patterson was looking for choice milchers, but there were only a few on the market.

W. H. Dean bought six loads of export cattle at prices ranging from \$4 25 to \$5 12! per cwt.

An eclipse of the moon occurred on Saturday evening last and was beautifully visible here. The sky was clear. The eclipse was not a total one, as only one hundred and ninetynine-twohun dredth parts of it was observed.

The people of this district have a direct interest in the fate of Mr. Green way of Manitoba. He was for severa years a resident of Bervie, eight miles from Kincardine. At that time he was a clerk in the store of the late Stephen Walsh, Mr. Walsh was a local preacher as well as a merchant, and when he Could not take an appointment. "Tom"
Caronway would do it for him. From
Bersley Greenway went to Exeter
After residing there for some years h
went to Manitoba, where he was Pater
of twelve years. At four in the morning.

The hour of 4 a. m. has something mysterious about it. Cocks crow, people on the brink of death give up the ghost, every one who is asleep sleeps sounder, and even the watchful sentry can't always keep his eyes open At this hour people are in their weakest state, and if life is just on the flicker it is not surprising that it goes out. Many a man's life has been saved by a spoonfull of brandy or ammonia administered just when the clock strikes 4. The to bed you sleep very soundly, then your slumber grows gradually lighter, and it is easy enough to waken you at 1 or 2 o'clock. But when 4 o'clock comes you are in such a state of som nolence that you would take no notice of the end of the world. Military men Export Bulls-Market steady at \$425 are well aware of this curious fact, an they know that at that time the mos wide awake sentry is hable to doze.



Beware of him who runs to meet You with a pleasent smile; Shake hands with hi n and treat him we But keep your head the while,

Because the chances are that he Will have a little note

He wants you to endorse or that He's fishing for your vote.

est the Urine ...

It tells the state of the Kidneys-To make the Kidneys healthy use Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. .

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Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills positively, per namently, and promptly cure Bright's diseas-idney and liver disorders, backache, lumbage heumatism, and all the painful and fatal cora-The membraism, and all the painful and tatal ces-plications of the filtering organs of the Lou-The sale of this great kidney remedy is enormon throughout this continent and Europe. The merit is proclaimed by scores of thousands of grateful cured ones. One pill a dose, 25 cents box, at all dealers, or EDMANSON, BATES & Co. Toronto.

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As great as may be the difference of opinion as to the various types of beauty no one can see beauty in a face that is disfigured by pimples and blackheads of scarred by traces of eczema or other slikes, see

powders and harmful preparations to cover up such blemishes when they could as well cure them and make the skin clear, healthy

and natural by using a preparation so well known as Dr. Chase's Ointment. Eczema, or Salt Rheum, may be taken as the most severe form of skin diseases which

the most severe form of skin diseases which mar beauty and cause terrible itching and burning sensations. That Dr. Chase's Ointment has cured the worst cases of eczema on record is well known.

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> ******* A LITTLE REBEL.

CHAPTER I., "Perplex'd in the extreme." The memory of past favors is like a rainbow, bright, vivid and beautiful."

beautiful."

The professor, sitting before his untasted breakfast, is looking the very picture of dismay. Two letters lie before him; one is in his hand, the other is on the table cloth. Both are open; but of one, the opening lines—that tell of the death of his old friend,—are all he has read; whereas he has read the other from start to finish, already three times. It is from his old friend himself, written a week before his death, and very urgent and pleading. The professor has mastered its contents with ever-increasing consterna-The professor has mastered its contents with ever-increasing consterns

had not made their mark on him. He had been young Curzon's coach at one time, and finding the lad a kindred spirit, had opened out to him his own large store of knowledge, and steeped him in that great sea of which no man yet has drank enough—for all begin, and leave it, athirst.

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Yes. It is all right! Why on earth is to be the spirit of the read it first.

tion will be to see the Tower and the waxworks.

Her hair is sure to be unfidy; hanging probably in straight, black locks over her forehead; and her frooks will look as if it had been pitchforked onto her, and requires only the insubordination of one pin to leave her without it again.

The profess.

it again.

The professor is looking pale, but has on him all the airs of one prepared for anything as the maid shows him into the drawing-room of the house where Miss Jane Majendie lives.

His thoughts are still full of her niece. Her niece, poor woman, and his ward-poor man! when the door opens and some one comes in.

Some one!

Some one!

The professor gets slowly on his feet, and stares at the advancing apparition. Is it child or woman, this fair vision? A hard question to answer! It is quite easy to read, however, that "some one" is very lovely".

'It is you, Mr. Curzon, is it not?" says the To Be Continued.

HUMAN X-RAYS.

An Eleven-Year Old Boy With a Sight That

rates Subs Buccs. Afley Leonel Brett, of South Braintree, Massachusetts, is the most remarkable boy in existence. He is eleven years old and of more than average intelligence for his age; but there is nothing unusual in his appearance.

It is claimed for him, however, that he sees with the naked eye as if with the X-rays. That he possesses this extraordinary gift appears to be beyond doubt; for several medical men have

The boy diagnosed a number of fractures. In confirming the diagnosis of a broken hip he pointed out that the fracture was nearer the head of the bone than had been thought by the control of the bone than had been thought by the control of the bone than had been thought by the control of the bone than had been thought by the control of the bone than had been thought by the control of the con physicians. He examined a child, who, it was supposed, had swallowed a coin, and declared there was no coin there. This was proved to be correct at the The Dutch Republics Will be Inside the post-mortem, the child having died from other causes.

The lad also uses this power by so

looking very cl sely at any small object he came across.

When about nine years of age he one day was playing with his father's hands, and to that parent's utter astonishment, he exclaimed, "Oh, dad, I can see inside!" Similar exclamations wealths of Canada and Australia.

3. The third condition should be

SIR REDVERS BULLER'S ARMY.

The British General Will Have a Splendid

The British General Will Have a Splendid by Appointed Force.

The force which will ultimately serve in South Africa, says the London Daily News' military correspondent is a splendidly appointed army of seventy thousand men or more, in the prime of life, and having had the best training we can give them; while, in order to make up this body, we have only called to the colours less than a third of the reserve that is available. The army under Sir Redvers Buller, will be beyond compare the largest purely British army with which Great Crimea she sent 25,000 infantry, 60 guns, and about 1,000 cavalry. During the Valendid only 15,000 British infantry. During the Tell-el-Kebir campaign she had only 15,000 men. Taking now into account the fact that the voyage from Cape Colony to England is fully 6,000 miles, and that from the Cape round to Durban is 1,200 miles more, distance is the distance is the distance is the distance is the distance in the server of make a prise of make a pound. A pound of pure gold.

safe to say that the fing an army su distance is the that has ever b se history of man ever transported sported, within s an army.

KIDNEY DISEASE.

THE RESULT IS OFTEN A LIFE OF PAIN AND MISERY.

An Intense Sufferer and Almost Disp paired of Finding a Cure—Tells the Story of His Release. vid Crowell, of Horton,

he Acadien, Wolfeville, N. S. Recently a reporter of the Acadien was told another of those triumphs of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which are becoming very common in this vicinity. The fortunate individual is Mr. David Crowell, a highly respected resident of Hortonville.

dent of Hortonville.

Below is his experience, in substance, as he gave it to us:—"About two years ago, for the first time in my life, I began to realize fully what ill health meant. The first symptom was a feeling of overpowering drowsiness which crept over me at times. Often I would be at work in the field when the drowsiness would seize me and I would find that it required the exercise of all my will-power to keep awake. In a short time I was attacked by sharp piercing pains, which shot through the lower part of my back. At first this did not trouble me very much during the day, but at back. At first this did not trouble me very much during the day, but at night the pain became almost unendurable and often I would not close my eyes throughout the whole night. Gradually a nausea and loathing for food developed. Sometimes I would sit down to a meal with a keen appetite, but after a mouthful or so had passed my lips, sickness and vomiting would follow. I became greatly reduced in flesh and in a short time was but a wreck of my former self; The doctor said the trouble was disease of the kidneys, but his treatment did not e me duced in flesh and in a short time was but a wreck of my former self.; The doctor said the trouble was disease of the kidneys, but his treatment did not help me. My mother who was something of a nurse, urged me to try, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and at last to satisfy her more than from hopes of being cured, I took up their use. After taking one box I seemed better and I resolved to try another. Before the second box was used my condition was improved beyond gainsay and I felt sure the pills were responsible for it. I took two more boxes and before they were all used the pain in my back had wholly disappeared, my appette had returned, and I felt like a new man. For the sum of two dollars doubt; for several medical men have tested the boy's power and placed on record the results of their investigations. In almost every case these results were satisfactory and surprising.

Sole cause of my recovery, and I consider them the best medicine in exist-

ence.
Sold by all dealers in medicine or

WHEN THE WAR IS OVER.

British Empire.

We propose to state some of the conditions which must govern the concentrating the sigh tas to shut out final settlement in South Africa if

concentrating the sight as to shut out ordinary daylight. The air, he says, is then filled with flashes of a pale greenish light, which illuminate the objects to be examined. This light, he says, is the same as the X-ray in the Crooke trube. Daylight is then darkness or a reddish black.

He is not unconscious of surroundings, and he remembers and discusses what he sees after the examinations, It wearies him if the examination extends half as hour, or if the tests are more frequent than once a week.

There was nothing in Afley Leonel Brett's infancy, to suggest his possession of this wonderful power. His parents noticed that he was more observant than the average child; that he had a queer, inexplicable way of looking very of sely at any small object he came across.

Conditions which in south Africa if that settlement is to be for the peace and prosperity of South Africa and for the general welfare of the British Empire as a whole, says the London Spectator.

1. The first condition is, that what-ever form of government is established in the Transvaal and the Free State, those communities must in future be inside, and not outside, the British Empire.

2. The next condition is that the new communities or community to be established must be self-governing communities of the freest kind known to the Empire—communities in which the will of the majority shall prevail,

can see inside!" Similar exclamations on subsequent occasions led to the parents consulting a doctor, who conferred with an expert, and the upshot was, they found that the boy's sight could penetrate substances after the manner of the X-rays.

we alths of Canada and Australia.

3. The third condition should be that the form of constitution adopted, and the political arrangements generally, shall not be of a kind which would impair the prospects of South African federation, or union at some future time, but, instead would facility. future time, but, instead would facilitate their carrying out under reasonable conditions.

4. The fourth condition is that guar-

SOME ARABIC-ENGLISH WORDS. phol was first distilled by the

as, and when we talk about lcohoi we are using Arabic

ANOTHERGREATVICTORY

Lord Methuen's Column Defeats 3,000 Boers

A despatch from Mafeking, says:—
The investment of the town is very close. The garrison is constantly harassed by the besiegers' fire. The water supply was falling, and dysentery was occurring as long ago as November 2.

Imperial Losses Were Very Heavy and It Was Another Costly Victory-The Guards Carried the Last Ridge at the Point of the Bayonet.

The London Daily Chronicle's corres

A FEARFUL FIGHT.

BOERS WERE PLUCKY.

The London Daily News' correspon-

dent at Orange river says that the Boers at Belmont fought with the subborn pluck they have shown else-

THE FIVE BATTLES.

The following table shows the British dead, wounded and missing in each of the five battles since the

Killed.

Wounded.

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Elandslaagte. Rietfontein.

Elandslaagte.

Rietfo

Farquhar's Farm. Belmont.

Last Ridge at the Point of the Bayonet.

A despatch from London says:—The War Office has issued the following despatch from Gen. Lord Methuen, which was received through Gen. Sir Frederick Forestier Walker at Cape Town:—

Belmout, Nov. 23.—"I attacked the enemy at daybreak this morning in a strong position on three ridges, which were carried in succession, the last attack being prepared by sharpnel. The infantry behaved splendidly, and received support from the naval brigade and artillery. The enemy fought with courage and skill. Had I attacked later I should have had far heavier losses. Our victory was complete. I have 40 prisoners. I amburying a good number of Boers, but the greater part of the killed and wounded were taken away by their comrades. I have a large number of horses and cows. I destroyed a large amount of, ammunition.

"The British loss was 3 officers and of these who have life was a support from the navel of the was a string of samunition.

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500 BOERS WERE KILLED.

"Major Milton, of the Yorkshire Infantry. At the close of the action when his men fall inc the synology applied to a 'roope whose mount had been shot, and walked the close, and walked the enemy at daybreak this morning in a strong position on three ridges, which were carried in succession, the last attacked the troops, saying;

"Comrades, I congratula" you on the complete success achieved by you this morning. The ground over which is morning. The ground over which was a least on the Major M

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The British loss was 5 officers and 128 men wounded, and 18 men missing."

"Brig.-Gen. Fetherstonhaugh was severely wounded in the shoulder, and Lieut.-Col. Crabbe, of the Grenadier Guards, is reported wounded.

The british loss was 5 officers and 128 men belong the forces at Belmont says that the moral effect of Gen. Methuen's victory has been immense, inasmuch as the enemy had boasted that they could hold their position against all the soldiers England could send against them. The correspondent adds:—

Guards, is reported wounded.

"Our other cascalities are:

"Grenadier Guards, Third Battalion
Killed, Lieut. Fryer; wounded, Lieut.
Blundell, dangerously. Second Battalion—Wounded, Lieut. Leslie, Lieut.
Vaughan, Lieut. Gordon-Rebow, and Lieut. Russell; reported wounded, Lieut. Lyon and Lieut. Cameron Bank.

Send against them. The correspondent adds:

"I conversed with several prisoners. All admit that their lost was considerable. They pay warm tributes to our troops, who climbed the steep hopjes in face of a murderous fire as non-chalantly as if they were on parade, notwithstanding the fact that their comrades were dropping in every direction. Lieut. Lyon and Lieut. Cameron, Rank and file, killed, 26, wounded 36, missing 13.

"Coldstream Guards-First Battalion, wounded, Lieut. Grant, Second Battalion, wounded, Lieut. the Hon. C. Willoughby, and Lieut. Burton, the latter severely. Rank and file, killed,

8; wounded, 23; missing, 5. 'Scots Guards-First Battalion, wounded, Major Hon. North Dalrymple-Hamilton, severely; Lieut. Bulkeley and Lieut. Alexander. Rank and file, killed, 9; wounded, 34.

Northumberland Fusiliers- First Battalion, killed, Capt. Eagar and Lieut. Brine; wounded, Major Rashwood, and Lieut. Festing, dangerously; Capt. Sapte and Lieut. Fishbourne, severely. Rank and file, killed, 12; wounded. 32.

"Northamptonshire Regiment— Second Battalion, wounded, Capt. Freeland and Lieut. Barton, severely.
"South Yorkshire Regiment—Second Battalion, rank and file, wounded 3"

BOERS' POSITION STRONG.

A despatch from London, says:—Be-fore anxiety as to the situation in Na-tal had been relieved there comes news of a great battle at Belmont. This of a great battle at Belmont. This has happened sooner than we expected. Only the official account is yet to hand, but so far as can be gathered the fighting appears to have been almost a repetition of the battle of Elandslaagte. A despatch of the previous day estimated that the Boers in that vicinity numbered 2,000, and that they had five guns, and judging from they had five guns, and judging from the absence of any statement to the

contrary in the official despatch it is believed that the British were slightly superior in numbers to the enemy.

The Boers had chosen a position with their customary skill and were strongly entrenched. The British were oblighed to carry three ridges in succession.

They made a most determined stand Shippers. their customary skill and were strongly entrenched. The British were obliged to carry three ridges in succession.
Apparently the Guards bore the brunt
in carrying the last ridge by a bayonet
charge after its defenders had been
shaken with shrapnel.
While Gen. Methuen can be congrafulated upon a brilliant vistory, it on the third ridge. They clung to thei ground with admirable pluck, pouring a terrible fire into the British.

gratulated upon a brilliant victory, it is again with a cost of a heavy loss of officers and men.

On November 9 the enemy advanced heir lines 300 yards. Col. Badentheir lines 300 yards. Col. Baden-Powell notified the town to prepare for a further fortnight's siege, but there is little ground for believing that it will be relieved in a fortnight. At least a mouth must elapse before it is rein-

Since the siege began a month ago lives have been lost. The enemy are getting out of hand. They refuse to obey Gen. Cronje's orders for a night attack. Every attack has been repulsed with heavier loss to the enemy than to the British. The Boers have received additional guns and am-munition and the bombardment is increasing in vigor.

FURTHER DETAILS.

The London Times publishes the following despatch from its correspondent a Belmont:
"The engagement was a complete rout, and the Guards attack one of

rout, and the Guards attack one of the fines, achievements in the annals of their brigade. The defenders' fire was reserved until 'he Guards were within 250 yards. The Guards did not fire in reply, but used 'he bayonet

only.
"The Boers used some dum-dum bul-

"Lieut. Willoughby was 'reacher ously shot by a party which had rated a white flag Lieut. Blundell shot by a wounded Boer he was tending.

CASUALTIES TO DATE.

The total British casualties so far as at present known amount to 2,588. The killed number 320, the wounded 989, and the missing 1,269.

FROM MAFEKING.

ember 8..

The Boers direct the fire of their big runs at the hospital and women's aager at the monastery. One shell tiruck an inmate of the women's laager

pital.

The town is provisioned for several months. There is nothing to fear if the water lasts.

On Nov. 12 seven Cape police arrived with despatches from the north a fortnight old. They had been pursued by the Boers for ten days.

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On Nov. 13 enemy again shelled the

MARKETS OF THE WORLD.

Prices of Grain, Cattle, Cheese, &c.

in the Leading Marts.

Toronto, Nov. 28.—We had only 35 or 36 carloads of stuff at the Western cattle yards this morning, including 1.—300 hogs, 600 cattle, 750 sheep and lambs, and a couple of dozen calves and milkers.

Three carloads of turkeys came in; the demond in heart of the demond in heart of the same temperature.

didly, and are prepared to overcome any difficulty. The Naval Brigade, Royal Marines, 2nd Yorkshire Light Infantry, and 1st North Lancashire Regiment especially distinguished themselves.

"Regarding Thursday's fight 81 Boers killed are accounted for, 64 waggons were burned, a large quantity of powder, 5,000 rounds of ammunition, and 750 shells were blown up. Albrecht commanded the Boer artillery, and are prepared to overcome any difficulty. The Naval Brigade, Royal Marines, 2nd Yorkshire Light

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The London Daily Mall publishes the following despatch from Belmont describing the battle:—
"The Boers held a position which British troops would hold against almost any force. The British victory is complete. The market shows little change since the beginning of the week. Prices today were a shade firmer for good cat-tle, especially good butcher cattle, but the trade continues in a most unsatisis complete.
"My estimate of the Boer losses is
500 killed and 150 wounded. Mr.
Knight, correspondent of the London
Morning Post, was wounded. The Boer
prisoners are ignorant, dirty, and
wretched. They say that half their
commando, tired of the war, will reluss futher sarving. factory condition.

Export cattle is quoted at from \$4 to \$4.50 per cwt., with an eighth more for selections.

fuse futher service.

"The whole brunt of the fearful fight was borne by the infantry, who were obliged to climb 500 feet, straight into a terrific stream of missiles. The Ninth Lancers pursued the enemy with free fight with the fear full fight was borne by the infantry, who is the fight was borne by the infantry was borne by the

Stockers continue weak at from 21-2 to 3c, per lb.

mounted, and familiar with the hills, melted before them.

"Possibly, however, the victory would have been even more decisive had we possessed more cavalry."

DOFFOR WITHIN THE WAY. Bulls and feeders are unchanged. Milkers sold slowly to-day at from \$25 to \$45, but \$50 will be paid for choice cattle.

Sheep and lambs are easy, but nominally prices are unchanged. There is an active enquiry for some

choice veal calves. No change occurred in hogs. Choice

subborn pluck they have shown elsewhere. Their guns were spiendidly served, their gunners standing by them with dogged determination, exposing themselves until the last moment hogs, scaling from 160 to 200 lbs., are When they were driven from the selling at \$4 per cwt.; and thin and

Following is the range of current

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it	report of fighting near Willow Grange.	Ewes, per cwt 325 350
of	It says:—	Lambs, per cwt 325 365
	"Five thousand British left Estcourt	Bucks, per cwt 225 275
a -	Wednesday afternoon for a reconnais-	Milkers and Calves.
r	sance. They surprised the Boers at 3 o'clock Thursday morning and occupi-	Cows, each 2500 5000
S	ed the Boer position, bayonetting 80 of	Calves, each 200 800
1	the enemy. At daybreak the Rooms	Hogs.
t	opened with quick-fires. The British	Choice hogs, per cwt. 380 400
-	artillery was unable to reach the	Light hogs, per cwt 000 375
	Boers, and the British position, there-	Heavy hogs, per cwt. 000 375
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a	Boers fell back. Their object having	change in conditions here. Miller
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Toronto, Nov. 28.—Wheat — Outside Toronto, Nov. 28.—Wheat — Outside wheat markets were about the same today, and there was practically no change in conditions here. Millers continue to be the only buyers. Red and white Ontario sold to millers at 64 1-2 to 66c., according to nearness to the mill. Goose wheat unchanged at 70c, middle freights, and 69c, north and west. There is a continued good demand for it. Manitobas quiet, No. 1 hard, g.i.t., 77c: and Toronto and west, at 76c.

Flour—Dulr. Straight roller, in buyers' bags, middle freights, in demand by exporters at \$2.60, with \$2.70 asked. Same in wood, for local, account \$3 Millfeed—Steady. Stocks light. Bran is quoted at \$12 to \$12.50, and shorts at \$14 to \$14.50 west.

Corn—Unchanged. No. 2 American yellow, quoted unchanged at 42c, Toronto and mixed at 41 1-2c. Canadian track here, 40c asked.

adv. Car lots sold at 56c, and 58c east.

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Car lots of No. 2, and 58c east. wheat markets were about the same to

SECOND BATTLE WON

Fierce Encounter With Boers Ten Miles Near er Kimberley.

26, 12.20 p.m.:-

atruck an inmate of the women's larger on Nov. 4.

The enemy unsuccessfully tried to blow up the town with dynamite. The explosive went off prematurely, killing many Boers. A reconnaissance by Major Godling on Nov. 7 led to a hot and prolonged fusillade. One Englishman was wounded, but the Englishman was wounded, but the British lost heavily in horses and cattle.

"Gen. Lord Methuen reports that he moved yesterday, Nov. 25, at 3.30 a.m., with the Ninth Brigade, the mounted corps, and the Naval Brigade, the Guards following with the baggage. A force of 2,500 Boers, with six guns, including two machine guns, opposed him near Graspan. The action the commenced at 6 a.m. The batteries fired shrapnel very accurately until the heights seemed clear. Then the Naval Brigade and infantry assaulted the position. The fighting was desperate until 10 a.m., when the heights were carried, the Boers relief of Ladysmith. News of severe fights were carried, the Boers relief of Ladysmith. News of severe fights were carried, the Boers relief of Ladysmith. This indicates that the Boer investment of the Mooi river camp, containing part of the Boor investment of the Mooi river camp, containing part of the Boer investment of the Mooi river camp, containing part of the Boer investment of the Mooi river camp, containing part of the Boer investment of the Mooi river camp, containing part of the Boer investment of the Mooi river camp, containing part of the Boer investment of the Mooi river camp, containing part of the Boer investment of the Mooi river camp, containing part of the Boer investment of the Mooi river camp, containing part of the Boer investment of the Mooi river camp, containing part of the Boer investment of the Mooi river camp, containing part of the Boer investment of the Mooi river camp, containing part of the Boer investment of the Mooi river camp, containing part of the Boer investment of the Mooi river camp, containing part of the Boer investment of the Mooi river camp, containing part of the Boer investment of the Mooi river camp, containing part of the Mooi river camp, containing part of the Boer investment of the Mooi river camp, containing part of treating on a line where the 9th Lancers had been placed to intercept them The result is unknown at the time of telegraphing. The artillery took im-

mediate advantage of the enemy's retirement. Early in the action 500 Boers made an attack on the rear guard brigade, naval. The latter met this, and also protected the flanks. The Naval Brigade acted with the greatest gallantry, and has suffered heavily. No particulars are yet known. The enemy showed the greatest stubbornness. They must have suffered heavily. Twenty have been buried. Thirty-one killed and forty wounded are known

500 rounds. "The force must halt one day at Graspan to rest and replenish their ammunition. The force worked splendidly, and are prepared to overcome

of. More than fifty horses were found

dead in one place. One battery fired

and Gen. Delarraye was in chief com

SUSPENSE IN ENGLAND.

garding his losses creates the greatest suspense, especially since the publication of heavy sacrifices endured by the Naval Brigade.

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No alarm, however, is felt as to his position, despite the evidence that the Boers intend to contest every foot of

position, despite the evidence that the Boers intend to contest every foot of the way.

It was known that, in the absence of sufficient cavalry, he would be compelled to advance slowly, and he has a preference for night or early dawn attacks, which events seem to have justified, the Boers being decidedly

A despatch from London says:—The war Office has received the following despatch from Gen. Sir Frederick Forestier-Walker, dated Cape Town, Nov. 20, 12.20 p.m.:—

"Gen. Lord Methuen reports that he moved yesterday, Nov. 25, at 3.30 a.m., with the Ninth Brigade, the

The London Daily Mall has a despatch from its correspondent at Est court, dated Sunday. It says:—
"The Mooi river column is moving in. The Estcourt column will granth."

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This indicates that the Boer invest-BOERS HURRYING TO COLENSO.

The correspondent of the Daily Tele-

The correspondent of the Daily Tele-graph at Estcourt, telegraphing under date of Sunday, says:—

"The Boers under Gen. Joubert are hastening to Colenso and Ladysmith in considerable numbers. They are sick from want of nod and exposure. Many are disposed to surrender. Fifty indeed, came in today. The Medi-Many are disposed to surrender. Fifty indeed, came in to-day. The Mooi river column effected a junction at Frere this morning with Gen. Hild-yard, who, with his troops, advanced to Frere, where he is bivouacking.

"A despatch of Gen. Joubert's which has been captured states that a commando of 400 men under Bwlmen left Ladvamith Friday with a gun and a

Ladysmith Friday with a gun and a Maxim quick-firer for Weenen and Greytown, where it is asked orders be sent as to whether Gen. Joubert approves of the commando attacking carbineers who have forts south the Tugela.

the Tugela.

"The message continues:—

"Piet Retief's force attacked the Carbineers yesterday from the north. They experienced difficulty because the river was full. They must drive away the carbineers because they are always a source of danger, rendering it necessary that a strong force should be kept back."

GOING AROUND ESTCOURT. A despatch to the Daily News from Pietermaritzburg, dated Saturday, says:-

A considerable number of Boers were seen from the Mooi river Friday evening proceeding north-east. They are believed to have been young Joubert's force going to Greytown. It is possible they were going round Est-court on account of the arrival of our re-enforcements there.
"There is fear of the Umvoti volun-

There is lear of the Umvoil volun-teers at Tugela Drift being cut off.
"A native from Mooi river says he met retreating Boers, who stated that they had beaten the English, who were returning to Estcourt. The native is positive that General Joubert was in

Rve-Quiet, at 51c west, and 52c east.
Oats—Demand keeps up well. White

oats, 261-4c, north and west; 263-4c, middle freights,; and 27 to 271-2c, Buckwheat-Dull. Car lots, east, 49

in Digna Fled Early in the Fight and Escaped - Mahdl's Son Killed

A despatch from Caro says:-Lord Cromer, the British Minister here, has received the following despatch from General Kitchener:

"Wingate's force came up with the Khalifa's force seven miles southeast of Godid, and attacked it. After a sharp fight we took his position.

"Khalifa, who was surrounded by a bodyguard of Emirs, was killed and all the principal Emirs were killed or except Osman Digna, who es-

"The Dervishes were utterly defeated, their whole camp was taken and thousands surrendered. A large num-ber of women, children and cattle also fell into the hands of the Anglo-Egyp-tian force."

AT DAWN OF DAY.

\$3,100 FOR HIS INJURIES.

Parry Sound Railway Mulct d Heavily in

Damages by Ottawa Jury

A despatch from Ottawa says:-In the case at the assizes of Richer against the Ottawa and Parry Sound Railway Company the jury awarded the plaintiff \$3,100, finding that the flagman had been negligent, that the proper warnings had not been given proper warnings had not been given from the engine, and that the train was running at too high rate of speed at the time the accident occurred.

Mr. Richer was driving across the company's tracks when struck by a train. His two companic were killed and he was badly in its

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Gurney's Steel Ranges are the Best Bakers and take less wood . . . Flax Seed, Flax Meal, White Beans,

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E VANGELICAL.—Services 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath School at 2 p.m. John D Mfiler Superintendent. Cottage prayermeeting Wednessay evening at 7:30. Young People's meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30. Choir practice Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Meyer Pastor.

DRESBYTERIAN.—Services 10:30 a.m Sabbath School 9:30 a.m. J. H. Moore, Superinandent. Prayermesting, Wednesday evening at '8 o'clock. Mr. Scott, Pastor.

R. C. CHURCH, Sacred Heart of Jesus.—Rev. Father Halm, Services every Sunday, alternatively at 530 a.m. and 10 a.m. Vespers every other sunday at 3 p.m. Sunday School at 230 p.m. every other Sunday

ERMAN BETHERAN Fastor, P Pwitmeyer Ph. D. Services: every 2nd, 4th, and 5th Sunday of each month 230 p.m. Every 3rd Canday at 1650 a.n. Sunday School at 1.20 p.m. Every 5rd School at 9.30 p.m.

METRO: St. - Services 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sable: I. School 2:30 p.m. G. Curie, Superintendent - Servicesting, Thursday 8 p.m. Rev. 23. Kerrendermstor.

A. PROHMANN, Pres. Milonay, No. 186, meets in their old and last Thursdays in each always welcome. Join McGann C. R. M. Fill inger, Scapy.

- nects in the Forester's Hal JNO. D. MILLER, Coun.

cets in the Forresters' Hall, one bra Wednesday in each

W. WARD, C. R. W. McCULLOCH Com. M. JASPER, R.K.

Grand Trunk Time Table.

Trains leave Mildmay station as fol-

Local Affairs &

- Mrs. i.. R. Hogate of Toronto is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

-Mr Uriah Roswell of Brant visited old friends in this vicinity over Sunday. Mr. Roswell formerly owned a farm on the the 4th, where he was well known.

- Be sure to attend the Separate school concert next Wednesday and broken bone had cut the skin. The Thursday evenings. There are three animal had to be killed. splendid plays on the program, as well

township treasurer's accounts have pared, consisting of recitations, songs been printed and are in the hands of dialogues, etc, which will be rendered the clerk. The expenditure on roads in English and German. Admission 25 and bridges this year is very small, \$808,05 as against \$1655 of 1897. The invited. estimated balance on hand is \$2104,47.

-Nomination takes place to morrow afternoon at one o'clock. Great interest is being taken in the municipal election this year, as there are a good

-We wish our readers a Merry Christmas

-Wood and Hay wanted in exchange for Robes, Blankets, Bells, Harness etc. at L. A. Hinsperger's.

-Geo. Beirnes has sold his live stock and implements to E. N. Butchart, and has moved to Clifford. Mr. Beirnes

was formerly a resident of that place. -Robes, blankets and bells at nearly cost price. Large stock, call and see then. L. A. Hinsi erger.

-The annual meeting of the Mildmay fire department will be held in the Dec. 27 and 28, promises to eclipse all ratepayers are requested to be present, that should attract a large andience. as matters of importance are to be dis-

and heavy harness, at very low prices Horn, Jersey, and Polled Angus cattle. till January 1st. Single harness, \$10 Also a rumber of choice Yorkshires of upwards. Wood, hay, hides and furs breeding age. All stock registered. wanted. L. A. Hinsperger.

-The Separate School concert will prepared.

lives in the southern part of this townw. J. N. SCHEFTER Rec. ship, was taken to the House of Refuge the last Wednesday of each ou Saturday. He is in very poor nealth, and unable to support himself.

> at the age of about 90 years. The unfortunates had to walk back to town. inneral took place on Monday morning, Deceased has been a resident of Car- although we have many who sympa-

> fer's sale last Thursday. One pair of Africa to fight the Boers. If razors pair \$95 and another pair \$88 50. Year-doubt that Art would put up a good lings went from \$40 to \$48 a pair and scrap. cows about \$40 each. R. H. Fortune of

-The following names have been given to us as probable candidates for office of reeve and councillors: For reeve:-J. D. Kinzie, M. Filsinger, Jno. Lints and And. Zettel. Councillors :-Con. Hill, Martin Schuett, John Schweitzer, Henry Reuber, Fred Weiler, Con. Schmidt, Chris. Waack.

-Jonas Vollick of the 4th lost a valuable horse last Tuesday. He was plowing in sod field, when the horse stopped suddenly, and gave a kick with its hind leg, whereupon the blood gushed out. Upon examination it was found that the leg was broken, and the sharp

-The Evangelical Sunday School as drills, tableaux, and vocal and instru- will give a Christmas Tree entertainment in the church on Monday evening -The financial statement of the next. A good program is being precents, children 10 cents. Everybody

-Mr. Chas. Yandt Sr. left on Tuesday for St. Paul. Minnesota, to see his son Noah, who it is reported is dangerously ill and not expected to recover. Noah returned from the Phillipines lars. The victim buys, only to find, about two months ago, and was for a later on, it is nothing but ordinary the reeveship. We have heard several bames of those who intend running for cillor, but to morrow will decide the confined in the hospital at San corn. A number of cillor, but to morrow will decide the cillor of the corn. The victim because in a corn. A number of cillor, but to morrow will decide the cillor of the cillor of

-Miss Keefer of Flesherton is visit-ng with her brother; Rev. R. Keefer.

The schools close to morrow, and will remain closed until Tuesday, Jan.

-Urban Schmidt shipped a carload of cattle and one of logs from this ation to-day.

-The Grand Trunk will issue return tickets at single fare during the Xmas and New Year's holidays.

-The fat stock show at London last week was very poorly attended, but the show was ahead of all former efforts.

-The infant son of Mr. Fred Kemp bell died last Wednesday after a short illness. The funeral took place on Friday to the R. C. cemetery.

-The drill shed at Walkerton was put up for sale by auction on 'Tnesday, and knocked down' to Mr. H. Clark, contractor, for \$110:

-The British loss in killed, wounded and missing since the South African was commenced is over 6,000. It is estimated that the war will cost \$200,

-At present it looks very much as if we were going to have a green Christmas, and the weather wise, who predicted this, will again shake hands with himself.

-Don't miss the Christmas Tree en tertainment in the Evangelical church on Christmas evening. A good program has been prepared, and will be rendered in both German and English.

-At the Christmas Fair at Walkerton on Wednesday, George Reinhart of Carrick carried off half a dozen prizes. Chas. Dickison took first prize for team of carriage horses.

-We are pleased to report that Miss Ada Hugill, David Berry, and Chas. Johnston was successful in passing the Model School examinations last week.

-The Separate school concert next former efforts, and the program is one

-- Bowman Bros., Mount Forest, will offer for sale by public auction, Dec. 29, -Call and see my display of light at 2 p. m. their entire stock of Short

-Pat Moore, dry goods pedlar, was up before P. M. Robb of Walkerton on be held on Wednesday and Thursday Friday last, charged with obtaining evenings, Dec. 27 and 28. We learn money under false pretences. Several that an excellent program has been farmers were present and their evidence is pretty hard on Moore. The -An old man named McLeod, who case was adjourned until to-day.

-A young farmer from near town took a drive out into the country last week, accompanied by two girls. One of the ladies had charge of the lines, -The death of Mr. Schefter, sr. of but while trying to turn around, one Noeckerville, took place last Saturday runner was broken off and the three

-Mildmay is not without patriots, thize with the Boers. Art Land has -Good prices prevailed at Jos. Kloep- announced his willingness to go to two year old steers brought \$101, one were the weapons used we have no

> The human voice can, in a few case utter 297 words a minute.

Don't waste your time in regretting the time you have wasted.

Men and women who are odd might get even by marrying.

A petition has been forwarded to the Governor-General, praying for clemency in the case of Robert Mackie, under going sentence for ten years for complicity in the robbery of the Dominion Bank at Napanee. There are over ten thousand signatures, including members of Parliament. clergymen, doctors lawyers, bankers of Ontario, and the mayors of Toronto, Kingston, Napanee Belleville, Cobourg and many other towns in Central Ontario. The petition is fortified by new evidence just brought to light, and favorable to the

Here is a late swindle, one that may profit our farmers to keep an eye open for : A "farmer-looking" fellow may call, having samples of corn. The ear will be from five to eight times the size of ordinary ears of corn, which he alleges he raised from seed sent him by his brother who lives in a foreign land. He offers to sell loo grains for twentyfive cents or the whole ear for two dol-

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Bargain

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Looking to Xmas



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