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*** Fifty Ladies' Hats Sale Saturday Next,

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The great problem in millinery business is to show the new ideas of both foreign When successful and home artists first. models are beginning to be copied we dis card them, and introduce something new. The offering of hats for Saturday comprise the very newest creations of millinery art. We invite your inspection.

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TURRILL, THE SHOE MAN.

BINDER TWINE FACTORY SOLD TO NEW COMPANY

Will Likely Start Operations by the First Week in June—Loca Company Outbid the Deering People - Price Paid

After earnest and persistent endeavors on the part of the directors to raise \$10,000 preference stock, the undertaking had to be abandoned.

Then pursuant to the request of the shareholders, the factory was advertised for sale by tender. Several tenders were received but none such as the directors felt justified in accepting until the final cash offer from Mr. Richard W. Baldwin, of New York.

Manager J. J. Ross, when seen by The Planet, said:—

"The directors of the Chatham Binder Twine Co. received several offers to their advertisements. The highest received was from Richard W. Baldwin, of New York City, was the highest offer it was accepted."

Mr. S. B. Arnold, on behalf of Mr. Baldwin, took possession last night, and the company, overbidding the Deerring people.

It is understood that the price paid was \$21,000.)

The new company propose to commence operations immediately and will endeavor to put the concern on a good paying business basis. Mr. Wilson will be set in motion as soon as supposed and he expects to have the factory running by the first week in June.

Chatham is a splendid site for a binder twine factory and, after the varied tribulations, which the local concern has experienced, it is hoped its business possibilities will now be developed.

The machinery and equipment is all its averallar condition and the new company and its manager every success, and the citizens at large will be glad.

The machinery and equipment is all in excellent condition and the new company purpose to utilize it at the carliest opportunity.

The Planet wisnes the new condition and the new and the citizens at large will be glad to know that this splendid factory will, within a week or two at most, become a live running concern.

CONTRACT LET

Library Board met last Evening and Awarded Contract for Interior Furnishings.

A special meeting of the Library Board was held last evening with Chairman Charteris and Messrs. Humphrey, Sheldrick, Twohey, Thibodeau Stone, Smith and Davis present. The invoice of the Book Supply Co.

vas referred to the Finance com-The report of the special committee appointed to interview the local

nanufacturers of interior fixtures Mr. McEwan, of the Office Supply Co., Toronto, was heard regarding the furnishings and equipments of the library, submitting plans, details, etc. His tender was \$1,536.70, not in-cluding card cabinet system or wall

shelving.

Mr. Wyman, representing the Lib-rary Bureau of Boston and Ottawa, full plans and specifications; his

rary Bureau of Boston and Ottawa, full plans and specifications; his figure was \$2,377.

On motion of F. Stone, seconded by J. W. Humphrey, the plans submitted by Mr. Wyman, No. 16,839, be accepted subject to alteration by reducing the size of the delivery counter to dimensions satisfactory to the architect and Building committee, leaving out shelving on the southerly and easterly side and on the brick, wall of the north side of adults reading room. The entire work to be ready

of the north side of adults reading room. The entire work to be ready for use not later than August 1st. By accepting Mr. Wyman's plans \$575 in metal railing is saved on the original contract, besides a considerable amount of wall panelling, wall shelving in the children's reading room being substituted.

It was moved by Mr. Stone, seconded by Mr. Davis that the Chairman of the Building committee and the architect be authorized to arrange with the contractor for reduction on contract price for all changes incidental to this contract according to contractor's proposal on May 8th. The meeting here adjourned, as it was 12,30 o'clock, but met right away and on motion of Mr. Sheldrick, seconded by Mr. Humphrey, an expert in the card system and library cataloging was hired for a month to teach the librarian and assistant the most modern systems. A supply of cards was also ordered.

The contract is being prepared by the city solicitor between the Boston Library Bureau and the local Board. The library furnishings are all to be manufactured in Canada.

THREATENS ' PAY DEST.

The Dominion Wis is to Reduce In-

Toronto, May 15 .- The financia, and the Domirion have and the Domirion have assumed a new position, as indicated by the correspondence brought down in the Legislature yesterday by the Fremier. Hon. W. S. Fielding, as Finance Minister, has written the Premier, as Provincial Treasurer, that the interest on the funds held by the ominion for the Province will be received from 5 to 4 per cent, or that the Dominion will pay over the funds. The Premier has replied protesting aga st either course. The House devoted ome time to a discussion of veterans' 1 grants on the second reading of the Government measure, and passed the second reading of the Premier's municipal power bill. In supply, agricultural estimates were passed.

DAMAGING EOREST FIRES.

THOUSANDS OF ACRES OF DO-MINION TIMBER.

On Both Sides of Lake Winnipeg-No Lives Lost as Yet-Many Families Destitute.

Winnipeg, May 15 .- Owing to the absence of rain, prairie and bush fires are causing enormous damage in the west. Word has reached the city of terrible forest fires raging on both sides of Lake Winnipeg. The fires commenced evidently about three days commenced evidently about three days ago, and parties arriving from Selkirk say that an army of soldiers could not stop the conflagration. The district on fire covers thousands of acres of valuable timber lands, chiefly the property of the Dominion Government. The loss of personal property is also tremendous, and over a hundred families have lost their homes and stock. The fire is reported to extend from along both sides of Lake Winnipeg, running right up into Kildonan, where the cultivated lands have stopped its course about ten miles from the city.

Mr. E. F. Stephenson, Commissioner of Crown Timber Lands, just returned from the lake, says the whole country on either side of the lake is either on fire or the fire has run through it, leaving nothing but ruins of the trees and buildings. Valuable Government timber is being destroyed, but they are powerless to do anything to check the fire. The timber is parched dry, and

and buildings. Valuable Government timber is being destroyed, but they are powerless to do anything to check the fire. The timber is parched dry, and the undergrowth is very rank and like tinder, owing to the scarcity of rain this spring. Through this the fire has run, with terrible rapidity. The high winds have helped, and the embers have jumped the trails thirty and forty feet, and carried the fire to the growth beyond. The area covered is about 300 miles square, stretching from Tyndall to Balsam Bay, from there to Gimli, and from Winnipeg Beach down to Selkirk. Many homes have been destroyed in the German settlement, and all buildings where the fire has reached have been destroyed. Fences, barns, farm houses and valuable timber is burnt to an amount Mr. Stephenson cannot estimate. So far as known no lives have been lost, but many families are destitute.

Fires are also reported from the Dauphin district. The Canadian Northern track was burned over for some distance, preventing the Swan River train going through last night. All the logs and lumber belonging to the Swan River Lumber Co at Fisher's Siding have been burned. The loss is estimated at \$30,000. Only a few days ago their mill was burne. The other mills are being well guarded, and are believed to be out of danger.

The vilage of St. Claude, in southern Manitoba had a very narrow escape from destruction yesterday, fires surrounding the place.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES. Wm. McGregor, ex-M.P., collector of sustoms at Windsor, is dead.

The C. P. R. west in express was de-layed by a rock slide in the mountains. Dr. Forrester of Ontario captured the standard-bred stellion championship at the Calgary show.

Mr. Wallace Nesbitt, K.C., is mentioned as the probable successor of the late Hon. David Mills in the Supreme Court.

The question of the reduction of naval armaments was again discussed in the British House of Commons.

SATURDAY PLANET

Next week is military week in the Maple City. Her gallant sons of the 24th Kent Regiment are energetically preparing for their forthcoming visit to St. Thomas and inspection by Lord Dundonald.

Planet readers are interested in our young men and the Saturday special to-morrow will contain an interesting article upon them and their work, supplementing the record of their predecessors in the Old Battalion, published in last Monday's Planet.

And there will be other entertaining features in the Big Saturday Planet o-morrow

Miss Edna M. Martin, one of Chatnam's fair and accomplished musicians, contributes an exceedingly pleasing sketch, answering the query, 'What is Song ?" Her admirable article will be read with interest by every lover of music.

Our fair readers will find another series of rich half-tone photogravuers, illustrating the latest and most alluring creations in the fashion world. "In the Days of Auld Lang Syne," will once more take the reader to the

long ago and entertain by "looking backward" over half a century. "Joe Discusses the Vice-Regal Visit."-The irrepressible young shiner was everywhere at once on the occasion of the recent visit of Lord and Lady Minto and evidently saw many things that escaped the eye of the casual spectator. He tells of them in

is own inimitable manner. A local philosopher suggests a pic ture gallery for the new Carnegie Library and submits a few subjects which might appropriately be chosen. "Our Sunshiners" conduct a capital department devoted to their splendid work in Chatham.

There are many other interesting and attractive features. The Satchel of the Satellite, the Church Chimes, of the Satellite, the Church Chimes, the Talmage sermon will all be read with interest; while all the news, local and foreign, will be covered in the full and up-to-date manner which Planet readers so much appreciate.

Planet readers so much appreciate. Every home should secure a conof The Big Saturday Planet.

NIAGARA FA LS LIMITS. Town and Village Ordered to Form

May 15.—An hour Toronto, a half was consumed the Private Bills Committee of the Legislature yesterdry with a bill submitted by W.M. German, M.P., on behalf of the village of Niagara Falls, for the purpose of extending its boundaries to take in the sites of the three big electric power companies. The territory asked for comprises 245 acres, lying partly in the township of Stamford and 30 acres in the present town of Niagara Falls. The town and the village have thus far failed to agree upon terms of amalgamation. The committee thought that a city would eventually grow up around the big power plant, and deemed it best that the present two municipalities should be united. The matter was adjourned till next Wednesday to afford them an opportunity to agree upon terms of union. the Private Bills Committee of the

Big Fire at Winnipeg

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Winnipeg, May 15.—The buildings and plant of the Northern Iron Works on the corner of Point Douglas avenue and Gladstone street were completely destroyed by fire which started yesterday. The loss is about \$30,000. The insurance was held as follows:—Canadian Fire Insurance Company, \$3,000; Queen, \$4,500; Phoenix of Hartford, \$1,200. The company employed 45 men, and was started on its present site two years ago. Several large contraots were being filled.

Never scold. Never fear hard work.

SENTENCED TO DEATH.

THE VERONICA MUTINEERS FOUND GUILTY.

The End of a Sensational Case-Captain Shaw and Others Were Foully Murdered.

St. John, May 15.—A cable to William Thomson & Company yesterday brings word from Liverpool that the Veronica mutineers were convicted of murder to-day in the Liverpool court, and were sentenced to death. The prisoners numbered four. The Veronica was a bark, owned by William Thomson & Company. On the high seas last December some of her crew mutineed, and then ensued one of the most atrocious series of murders which have been chronicled in the annals of the modern merchant marine. Captain Shaw, who was a Prince Edward Islander, his mate and five of his crew were shot or driven overboard. Then the mur-Edward Islander, his mate and five of his crew were shot or driven overboard. Then the mutineers provisioned a boat, fired the bark and left. They were pickeds up and taken to Liverpool, but the story of their awful crime was given out by one of the number, and the trial of four of the men followed.

IN THE COMMONS.

Government Aid to Dry Docks-Customs Officials Overtime.

Ottawa, May 15 .- What would otherwise have been a dull day in the House was enlivened by an acriminous dis-cussion, in which Mr. Walter Scott (West Assiniboia) and Mr. R. Blain (Peel) were the principal figures. The incident arose out of the utterances with which Mr. Blain was credited during the recent western trip of the Conservative leader and party. The resolution of Hon, W. S. Fielding, increasing the assistance given to encourage the construction of dry docks, was reported. Hon, Wm. Paterson, during the discussion upon his resolutional parts of the discussion upon his resolution. paid to officials of the Customs Department who work overtime in order to meet incoming trains and steamers. This exemption does not, however, apply to cases where a special officer is employed solely for the convenience of the transportation companies to bond baggage through from otherpoints than at the boundary.

Girl's Strap Slippers.

A large variety of Girl's Strap Slippers has been put into stock at prices from 50c. to \$1.00, sizes 3 to 7½

75c. to \$1.25, sizes 8 to 10 \$1 and \$1.25. sizes 11 to These are the best we have ever offered for the money.

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TIMELY AID CALLED FOR

In re-examination the Hon. Mr Stratton was asked by Mr .Johnson why he had used the term "My Dear Gamey ?"

"Perhaps I had in mind My Dear

Boy," said Mr. Stratton.
"Perhaps it would be better for you to have in mind that you are on oath," said S. H. Blake.

The remark was timely and called for. Here was a minister of the crown saying on eath that when he wrote "My Dear Gamey" in October he may have had in mind "My Dear Foy," which term was used by Mr. Blake in the following December .-Hamilton Spectator.

On the occasion of the visit of President Roosevelt to Los Angeles, Cal., John Czolgosz was arrested, thrown into prison and kept there until the visit was over and the visitors had left. The only charge against the man was that he was a brother of President McKinley's assassin. There was nothing else against the man himself, who seems to be an orderly and industrious citizen; yet the Star Spangled Banner continues to wave o'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.

ENCOURAGING ANANIASISM Toronto Star.

Have you had a day's trout fishing

SCARCITY OF MARRIAGE OFFERS. Lady's Realm.

There are thousands of sweet and charming women belonging to the best bred and best educated classes of society who have never received an offer of marriage, and when we remember the scarcity of men in the country districts this is easily accounted for.

PROFESSIONAL JEALOUSY. Buffalo News.

Some of the doctors are spending

Their time quarreling over Lorenz and thus displaying a singular lack of breeding for men of their profession It was moped that they would hold it until the object of attack was no longer a guest on this side of ocean but the storm is on.

> RIN LONDON ASYLUM? London News.

The American profess to be shock ed because it has come to light that the officers of a Kansas insane asylum used the water cure to tame fractious female patients. That's nothing. If the people on the outside knew half the brutality that goes on in the average insane asylum they'd imagine they had been transported to Siberia.

HOW IT STRUCK MR. SMIFF.

Bobcaygeon Independent. The evidence in the Games inquiry with its short answers, reads like a conversational lozenge matinee. In erreading Mr. Stratton's evidence, one wean almost smell the peppermint and fancy one is reading—Smile if you love me; The news may not be true; Don't be rude, ask ma; Ring off, my head's aching; How sweet you are; Empty is the cradile; Don't look like thirty cents; Not this time, some nother afternoon, ta-ta.

Mainly About People.

"What can we do with Rosslynt" Dis-raeli once asked of Salisbury. "Make him master of the buckhounds, as his father was," suggested the latter. "No," replied the Premier, "he swears far too much for that. We will make him high commis-sioner to the Church of Scotland."

Senator Proctor of Vermont says the finest speech he ever made consisted of only four words. It was a retort the Senator Hoar's sarcastic little thrust in a speech directed at the Green Mountain senator. He said: "No man in Vermont senator. He said: "No mail in vermont is allowed to vote unless he has made five thousand dollars trading with Massachusetts people." Whereat Proctor and: "And we all vote."

The principal of a high school tells the following anecdots: One day at school it gave a bright boy a sum in algebra, and, although the problem was comparatively easy, he couldn't do it. I remarked "You ought to be ashamed of yourself. At your age George Washington was a surveyor." The boy looked me straight in the eyes and replied, "Yes, sir; and at your age he was President of the United States."

A good story comes from the Davidson Theater, in Chicago, and runs to the effect that a man from up the State went in to see the opera the other night, pulling his money from his pocket before hareached the box-office window. "I want tew git a good seat," he said, loud enough to be heard all over the lobby of the theater, "and I want it right down the middle lane, and close up tew the exercises." He got it.

A hunting party of ladies and gentlemen were detained by a storm at the aut of a Virginia backwoodsman. Dinner being served, there was an embarassing paucity of knives. The mother, wishing to impress her aristocratic guests, called in a commanding tone to her young daughter, "Fetch some more knives, Sairey; you know we've got thousands of 'em' "Law, no, ma'm; they're all thar! Thar's 'Big Butch,' and 'Little Butch,' and 'Razor-Back,' and Butty."

A Dinner at liagnevs'.

My friend Van Amberg worries me to death sometimes on the subject of food. He is a crank. If he were a chimpanzee at the Zoo, or some equality valuable exotic animal, he could not be more fanciful over dietetical matters. When he hears of a new form of breakfast oats he is not happy till he tries it, nor, when he has tried it, is he happy till he has tried all his friends with the story of its indigestibility.

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His real disease is two thousand a year and nothing to do. He has made a hobby of his stomach, and his hobby has made him a frank, whole-souled and per-

made him a Irank, whole-soluted and perfect bore.

I was sitting over the fire the other evening waiting for dinner and re-roading "Tribly" when Van Amberg, who inhabits the rooms below mine, came in and told me to rise up and follow him, as he had discovered a positively miraculous cafe, and wanted to take me there to dine. To escape a cold leg of mutton which had haunted me for two evenings, and which I knew my landlady was at that moment "laying" only that it might appear before me in the mote frightful form of a hash, I took my hat and followed Van Amberg. wed Van Amberg.

"I will give you a dinner such as you "I will give you a dinner such as you have never eaten before," said he as we got into a hansom. "You know the state of my health and that I only live on sufferance, so to speak; sugar, without any metaphor, is death to me, and I love it. I have sometimes thought of going into Fuller's and ending my wretched existence in one wild debauch. I always take the other side of Oxford street when I am passing Buszard's, for the place has an attraction for me which I can only liken to the attraction of a precipice. I can't eat veal, I can't eat pork, I can't eat anything I want to eat. I sometimes pass the Carlton with a ork, I can't eat anything I wait to eat.

I sometimes pass the Carlton with a pocket full of sovereigns; but I no more dare go in there and dine than the man who sweeps the crossing just below; but at this new place Ilagneva' I can eat anything. He is the wizard of the kitchen. You wait and see."

We dismissed the cab at the Oxford creet end of Wardour street. We We dismissed the cab at the Oxford street end of Wardour street. We walked down Wardour street through Old Compton street and down an alley; at the door of a dismal-looking third-class restaurant he stopped. "This is Ilagnevs." I said, "you are not going to dine in a place of this description." Without replying he arrived and I.

dine in a place of this description."

Without replying he entered, and I followed. The place was arranged inside in the old-fashioned English manner—loose boxes with a table in each. Van Amberg chose the box nearest the door which was vacant, and up came M. Ilagnevs in person to enquire what he could do for us. He was a tall man with long black hair and piercing black eyes; an ideal brigand, a man of energy, too, for in less than no time our dinner was served.

Ah! what a dinner that was, from the lobster-red crawfish soup to the pale-green curious-tasting ice. What a

dream!

"A very great violinist is dining here to-night," said M. Ilagnevs as he served us with coffee himself; "no less a person than Herr ——. You will hear him play," I heard a fiddle being tuned, and then from a back room of that disreputable restaurant came music. Ah! that was music indeed; music to live for, music almost to die for.

When it ceased my friend arose wear-ily, and, placing the amount of the bill on the table, turned towards the door. 'Come," he said; "let us go."
"Well," I said when we were in the al-

"Well," I said when we were in the alley, "I must compliment you on your discovery."

Van Amberg laughed. "What have you had for dinner?" he asked. I enumerated the courses and he laughed again. Then he said, "You won't be angry if I tell you something?"

"Perhaps not—go on."

"Well, that dinner was all a fake: all those wonderful courses were simply dry

"Well, that dinner was all a fake: all those wonderful courses were simply dry bread and cold water. Do you think I could have eaten those things? I ate them in my imagination whilst my body ate bread. Ilagnevs is a hypnotist; his guests are hypnotized. At his place one can eat and drink anything and enjoy it without harm to oneself—the fat man can revel in sugar, the man with indigestion can eat pork. Is not that the greatest discovery of the age?"

"But he did not hypnotize me; he did not touch me."

not touch me."
"Do the Indian fakirs touch the

crowds they hypnotize, the crowds that watch them climbing ladders that hang with no support in the air and stabbing children in wicker baskets?

"But the violin player?"

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"Oh! he is an old fellow Hagnevs gets in for eighteenpence and a glass of grog: he plays the tune the old cow died of, and under the spell of hypnotism it becomes the music of the spheres."

As he said this he suddenly vanished, the street collapsed and I woke up in my armchair by the fire just as my landlady entered the room bearing the hash. It was a dream—not the hash, but the dinner at Hagnevs"—and I think it was caused partly by "Trilby," which I had just been re-reading, for when I examine the name "Hagnevs" it seems very much like "Svengali" spelt backwards. It was a dream, but when one thinks over the matter there seems a good deal in that dream.

over the matter there seems a good deal in that dream.

I have seen men mesmerized and made to believe that they are eating pineapple when, as a matter of fact, they are devouring a turnip, and if hypnotism can turn a turnip into a pineapple what might not hypnotism do for English cookers?

If it could, even in a dream, turn the "tune the old cow died of" into the music of the spheres, what might it not do for English music?—Henry de Vere Stacpoole in London "Outlook."

A Thackeray Letter.

An amusing rhymed letter from Thackeray to Miss Kate Perry and her sister, Mrs. Elliot (Jane Perry), is included in a set of manuscripts to be sold at Sotheby's in London this month. It runs as follows:

"Well, I thought as sure as sure could be, should find a letter from kind J. E. Pray, why doesn't she write to me? I'd like to know, and if not she, where's her sister, Miss K. P.? One or other is surely free to send a line to double you tea. What is the reason? I have often said. Are Kate and Jane both ill in bed? Is that little shivering greyhound dead? or has anything possibly happened to Fred? or have they taken a friend instead, of that old fellow they've often fed (along with Venables, Clem, and Sped) with a broken nose and a snowy head? Tell me, how shall the riddle be read?





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"Coming down to the common race of men, we assert that brains, by themselves, are a positive disadvantage to a political aspirant. In the first place clever men are more prone to miscalculate their chances than their less imaginative compeers. To drop into stock exchange slang, they will not take small profits, but aldrop into stock exchange slang, they will not take small profits, but al will not take small profits, but always gamble for big stakes, and so they must often lose. Sixteen years ago Sir John Gorst refused the Solicitor-Generalship with the certainty of a judgeship: a few years later he refused the post of Governor of the Cape and liigh Commissioner of South Africa. These are profits which in life's speculation most men would take thankfully; but our man of talent had something bigger in his gead; and now it has dwindled down to the Isle of Man, which is, of course, angrily rejected. Then in the second place, men of brains can-not easily acquire the habit of subnot easily acquire the habit of sub-ordinating their judgment to that of their official chiefs. Nothing is more unpleasant, or injurious to one's self-respect, than the compulsion of speaking or voting for something which one is slever enough to know to be nonsenvical or mischievous. And yet unquestioning obedience to superiors is the first duty of the as-pirent for as Swift observed. pirant for, as Swift observed, "climbing and creeping are performed in the same attitude." The reason why brilliant men like Mr. Labouchere and Mr. Gibson Bowles, who combine wit and industry and courage, never get office is that they will not take their orders from other pecple, and that they prefer the luxury of thinking and speaking freely to that of sitting on the front bench. It is astonishing how intolerant party leaders are of anything like indepen dence or originality in their associates, and how fond they are of supple mediocritics and cheerful drudges.

Mr. Childres and Mr. Dodson were the colleagues whom Mr. Gladstone loved, and Sir William Harcourt and Mr. Lowe those whom he distrusted and disliked. Lord Beaconsfield indeed was indulgent to rebels, but that was because he had such a per-fect contempt for his own party. Mr. Balfour and Mr. Chamberlain are like all the rest; they do not love the criticism of their friends a whit better than their predecessors, and they

"Flattery's the food of fools, they say, But now and then your men of wit Will condescend to take a bit. We often hear it said that these We often hear it said that these clever men have failed because they are "disloyal," and this is much harped upon. But in this respect a man is what the world makes him. The "spretae injuria formae" is apt to be somewhat bitter, and how can a man be loyal to chiefs who do not conceal their distrust of his brillianter and the gradiently allow him to cy, and who grudgingly allow him to do the merest routine? It is not dif-ficult to understand why so many clever men fail in politics; but the understanding of the reason does not make the fact less pathetic. The wear which we should recommend to all who are setting out on their journey across the plain of politics is a material soft to the touch imper-vious to weather, and of so sober a pattern as to escape attention.—London Saturday Review.

snuff up the incense of blind and dumb worshippers quite as greedily.

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15 pcs. fine black dress goods, canvas suitings, figured mohair, serges, oorksorews, plain cloths, royal coatings, jacquards, etc., regular 50c., 60c, 75c. and 90c. yd, clearing Saturday at COLORED DRESS GOODS-HALF-PRICE.

18 pcs. fine pure wool dress goods in plain cloth suitings, canvas weaves, fancy jacquards, tweeds, serges, covert cl.ths, hou espins, eta., 44 in. to 56 in. wide, in large rangs of fashionable shades, regular 50c., 65c., 75c. and 90c. yd, clearing Saturday at

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LADIES' FANCY HOSE.—

Fine black in lace stripes, drop stitch, and fancy Polka dots, full fashioned, Hermsdorf dye, seam-less feet, sizes 81, 9, 92, special a pair, LADIES' LACE GLOVES.

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BOYS' HEAVY RIB HOSE .-Extra strong quality, fast dye, elastic rib, all sizes at a per pair, 30c to ADIES' WHITE SKIRTS .-Fine Cambric, made with deep lawn flounce and wide embroidery trill with 10 rows fine tucks. Special each

LADIES' DRAWERS .-Fine Cambric with wide embroidery ruffle and 10 rows fine tucks. Special each

ADJES' WHITE WAISTS .-The largest stock and choicest styles in the city.
Beautiful waists at each 75c, \$1, 1.25, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, and

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EGHORN FLOPS, 19c. EACH. 4 doz; Leghorn Flops, clearing Saturday at each, 75c. FLOWERS at 25c. EACH.

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The Man With a \$1,000 Bill.

Of a man with a one-thousand-dollar bill in his pocket and no smaller amount of money, a story has been written that traced him through many experiences and took him to the verge of starvation. But, as a matter of fact, one man who had nothing smaller than a one-thousand-dollar bill got through his difficulty very easily in this city a few nights ago.

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Ten of these covered promissory notes of the United States had been paid to him in the afternoon. In the pursuit of business and a modicum of pleasure he had, after the receipt of his \$10,000, spent the last dime he possessed other than the big bills. He was with some friends, any one of whom could and would have accommodated him with sufficient money for his needs, but a discussion arose about what he would do if he were a stranger in the city and had no money other than that which had no money other than that which was in his pocket.

"I wouldn't care if I were dressed as

a beggar," he said. "I can get all I want so long as I have a one-thousand-dollar bill in my pocket."
"You would be arrested or turned

down if you tried to use it." said one "There are not many places where \$1,000 in change is kept handy. Besides, most a people would be shy of taking such a bill, from any of us. We don't look as though we carried one-thousand-dollar bills around in our pockets."

"Well," said the man with the \$10,00%

"Well," said the man with the \$10,00%,
"I'll bet a basket of champagne with the
bunch that I can spend my money as
freely as though these were five-dollar
bills instead of what they are, and I
won't have any trouble about it, either.
I'll get change the first time I try, too,
or lose the bet. And I won't go to any
man who knows me."

The wager was accepted, and the man
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with \$10,000, taking one friend with him walked out to a pawn shop. He said to the clerk only this:

"I have received \$10,000 in ten bills. They are mine and were come by honestly. It is difficult for me, a stranger to get a one-thousand-dollar bill changed. Here are the ten bills. Look at them. I need seem money, and I want to pawn one of these bills for \$25. If you are afraid of me, call up police headquarters are I will satisfy the people there by papers that I can show that I am honest. Or, if you like, call up Mr. —, who paid the money to me, and he will tell you if I am all right."

The pawnbroker looked at him keenly for a second and then said:

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"I never took money as a pledge, but you are sober and seem all right, and you can have the \$25. Give me the one-thousand-dollar bill."

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The pawnbroker examined the bill carefully and then, to the astonishment of the others, took another one-thousand-dollar bill out of his safe and comsand-dollar bill out of his sale and com-pared them. Then, just as he would make out a ticket for a ring or a watch, he issued a ticket for a "one-thousand-dollar bill," turned over the \$25 and closed the transaction.—N. Y. "Tribune."

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Sealed, bulk or separate tenders addressed to E. J. Peltier will be received at the office of the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon on May 18th for the various trades, including steam heating, required in the erection of a brick hotel with stone foundation in the town of Wallace-

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Architect.

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WANTED—Girl for general house-work; no washing; good wages. Apply Mrs. Ridout, care Canadian Bank of Commerce, Walkerville,

WANTED—a capable man to attend to garden, stable, driving carriage, housework, etc. References requir-ed. Good wages, and if suitable to be hired by the year. Chas. R. At-

MAN WANTED-Married, to work on a farm, good wages for a reliable man. Good house. Furnish refer-ences and apply to M. J. Wilson, near cemetery, Harwich, or to Art Dunn, Dunn & Merritt, Chatham.

FOR SALE-Gladstone buggy for sale

LOTS FOR SALE—One and one-half acres at the head of Victoria Ave., apply to Mrs. Tissiman, Room 5, Victoria Block.

TO RENT—Hobse No. 5, Riverside Terrace, to let, possession list of June. Apply at once to W. E. Rispin, 115 King street.

Grant St., and house and lot on Vic-toria Ave. For particulars, apply to Thos. Scullard, Victoria Block, or at this office.

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THE STEAMER City of Chatham

will commence her regular trips on Mon-day, May 11th, and will make a round trip from CHATHAM to DETROIT Monday, Wednesday and Saturday.

Leaving Crow's dock, North Chatham, at 7.30 a.m., and returning leaves Detroit (foot of Randolph St.) at 3.30 p.m. Detroit time, or 40 clock Chatham time. ONE WAY TRIPS Leaves Chatham for Detroit on Thursday morning at 9.30 o'clock, and leaves Detroit for Chatham on Friday morning at 8.30 Detroit city time or 9 o'clock Chatham time.

FARES. ROUND TRIP, - -Children under 12 years, half-fare. Tickets good for day of issue only. Agents—Stringer & Co., Chatham, Od-ette & Wherry, Windsor; John Stevenson,

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The undersigned has opened out a Tinsmithing and Plumbing Shop on 4th Street, nearly opposite the Catholic Church, where he is prepared to do all kinds of tinsmithing and plumbing. Furnace work on the shortest notice. Estimates cheerfully giveh. CHAS, GORSELITZ, Fourth St

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Could scarcely get up or down without help.

Had a severe pain in the small of the back.

Was treated in the Hotel Dieu, Kingston, but not cured.

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Gured Mr. George Graves, Pitts Ferry, Ont., of a very bad case of kidney trouble.

He tells about the cure in the following words: "I cannot recommend Doan's Kidney Pills too highly. I never took anything that did me so much good. I had a severe pain in the small of my back and could scarcely get up or down without help. I could hardly urinate, but when I did the pain was terrible. I was in the Hotel Dieu, Kingston, last winter and when I came out I was some better but not cured. It was then I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised. Since taking them I have been completely cured and have not had any trouble with my kidneys since."

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Valuable, suburban residence, 11 rooms; with seven acres of land. Good stable, \$3000.00. \$3000.00.
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DOVER COUNCIL

The council met pursuant to adjournment at the town hall, April 20th. The members were all present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. The following were read: A petition signed by Julien Trahan and thirty-seven others to improve part of Pain Court creek; A. McDonnell's report re purchasing a stationery engine to run the pump at Dolson creek mechanical drain; A petition from Edmond File and others Dolson creek mechanical drain; A perition from Edmond File and others for a graded road on the 15th con. line from lot 14 to Winter line and along Winter line to 14th con. road, or some other road in lien therealong Winter line to M4th con. road, or some other road in lien thereof; A communication from the mayor of the town of St. Marys with resolutions be endorsed re width of tires; no action. From the Laura Secord National Monument committee soliciting contributions towards the erection of a monument, laid over. A petition signed by Hugh Allen and forty-two others asking for a grant to assist in building a sidewalk in the village of Mitchell's Bay. A bylaw was read and finally passed dividing polling division No. 8 into two polling sub-divisions; also a by-law appointing Wm. Campbell drain inspector for the third division in placa of the late Robert Glovar

Moyed by Mr. Lewis, securious by Mr. Boyer, that the grievance of Leach. Thibodeau ser, reditch, or

Mr. Boyer, that the grievance of Joseph Thibodeau, sr., re ditch on east side of Winter line be referred to the reeve and Mr. King and report— Carried.

Moved by Mr. Boyer, seconded by

Moved by Mr. Boyer, seconded by Mr. Crawford that the statute labor griavance of E. Pofssant be referred to Mr. King with power.—Carried.

Moved by 'Mr. Boyer, seconded by Mr. King, that Charles P. Hart's account of \$11.25 be paid for services as commissioner and charged to the different accounts.—Carried

Moved by Mr. King, seconded by Mr. Crawford that J. Jahnke's account of \$6.50 be paid for a coffin for Mrs. Boucher.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Boyer, seconded by Mr. King, that the petition of Julien Trahan and others to improve part of Pain Court creek be referred to the clerk to find if it is signed by the required majority, and if so, that he instruct Mr. McDonell to examine that part of Pain Court creek and reinstruct Mr. McDonell to examine that part of Pain Court creek and report to the council.—Carried.
Moved by Mr. Lewis, seconded by Mr. Boyer that Mr. McDonell be in-

structed to place a stone monument at each of the following places: One at west side of Bear line in front of 16th concession.; one on Winter line one each in front of 14th, 15th and

one each in front of 14th, 15th and 16th concessions.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Crawford, seconded by Mr. T.ewis' that A. McDonell's report re engine for Polson creek mechanical drain pump be adopted and the clerk prepare a by-law for next meeting of council, and that Mr. McDonell's account of \$15 be paid.—Carried

Moved by Mr. Lewis seconded by Mr. King that \$2.19 postage account be laid.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lewis seconded by Mr. Crawford that a committee of the

Mr. Crawford that a committee of the whole council be appointed to investigate the matter of a public road across the 14th concession, either along the Winter line, or some other road in lieu of the same and report.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lewis seconded by Mr Boyer that Frank Letourneau be paid \$5.33 for one sheep killed by dogs, betwo-thirds value as per inspector

Moved by Mr. Boyer, seconded by Mr. King that the reeve and clerk be appointed a committee to meet a committee of Chatham Township council re settling accounts between Dover and Chatham.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Boyer, seconded by Mr. Crawford that C. W. Wright be paid \$1.50 re notifying Theodore Peltier on the matter of disinfecting two houses.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. King seconded by Mr. Crawford, that the reeve and Mr. Boyer be appointed a committee

Moved by Mr. Rose and Mr. Boyer be appointed a committee to examine the bridge on the River road over McFarlane drain, which bridge is in a bad state of repair, and see what is best to be done in the matter and report.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lewis seconded by Mr. Boyer that the grievance of Murdock McKenzie re commuting statute labor be referred to Mr. Crawford with power.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. King seconded by Mr. Crawford that A. McDonell be instructed to examine the bridge on the 12theonession road over Little Bear creek drain with a view to its

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Moved by Mr. Lewis seconded by Mr. Boyer that the grievance of James Sterling be referred to Mr. King with power.—Carried.

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Moved by Mr. Boyer seconded by Mr. Crawford that the matter of a sidewalk petitioned for at the village of Mitchell's Bay be referred to Mr. Lewis and report.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Boyer seconded by Mr. King that the grievance of Mr. Lewis re eutting across the 14th concession road to put in tile be referred to Mr. Crawford with power.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lewis seconded by Mr. Boyer that Chatham township council be notified that the Town line drain dredge work, is in many places much narrower than the twenty-two feet cequired by the by-law providing for the said work and that the said council is requested to carry out the terms of the by-law in the matter, to guard against any accident.—Carried.

Moved by Wr. King seconded by Mr. Boyer that the collectors' time to return their rolls be extended till the 11th of May next, and that all taxes remaining unpaid on that date shall be returned against the lands.—Carried.

The council adjourned.

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The council adjourned.

J. WELSH, clerk.

Never be impatient.

Never be a growler. Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Boils were so painful could not sleep at night.

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Mr. Willard Thompson, McNeill's Mills, P.E.I., writes us as follows: "I wish to state to you what Burdock Blood Bitters has done for me. Some time ago my blood got out of order and many boils appeared got out of order and many boils appeared on my neck, legs and arms. They were so painful that I could not sleep at night. After having tried many different remedies without any success, I finally decided, os the advice of a friend, to use Burdock Blood Bitters. Before I had quite used two bottles the boils had completely disappeared, and I wish to emphasize the fact that I think Burdock Blood Bitters the based surface and the profession of blood purifier on the marke

The Marvellous Methods of K.

Writing in "Blackwood's," "Staff Off

Writing in "Blackwood's," "Staff Officer" essays to convey to the civilian reader some conception of the methods that have brought to Kitchener the highest military reputation and success of any soldier of this generation. Amongst other things he says:

"The future biographer of Viscount Kitchener will experience many difficulties when he endeavors to trace the reconquest of the Soudan in the archives of the Egyptian War Office. None of bur generals before Kitchener ever attempted, still less succeeded in attempting, to wage war without orders, without forms, without states or paperasserie of any sort or kind.

Kitchener's office stationery consisted of a sheaf of telegraph-forms which he carried in his helmet and a pencil which he carried in his pocket—and that sufficed. Moreover, he seldom read an official letter, and never wrote one, and how much wear and tear wrote one, and how much wear and tear was thereby saved let those say who have had the misfortune to serve under generals afflicted with the curse of pen-manship. I do not offer it as a model for imitation, first, because Kitcheners for imitation, first, because Ritoneners do not grow on eyery tree, and next, because the conditions of one campaign are never exactly reproduced in another. Even as it was, had anything tappened to K., it would have taken Pall Mall and Cairo a few years to discover where and what the army was, and they would have been forced to resort to advertise treat to the exercic services.

Cairo a few years to discover where and what the army was, and they would have been forced to resort to advertisements in the agony columns of the dervish newspapers to obtain elementary ideas on the subject.

"Each commander of the units scattered all over that enormous strategic chessboard, from Cairo to Kassala and from Suakin to Korti, only knew, only was allowed to know, what he saw at the extremity of his sun-blistered nose. He had, say, four companies, a few camel corps orderlies, and so many days' supplies; he had an idea that Dick This or Harry The Other occupied a post or a well some hundreds of miles away; but whether the army had marched or fought, or won or had disappeared bodily into the Great Beyond, he never knew, and had grown tired of trying to discover. Why should he know or care? K. looked after that, K. looked after everything; and the very moment that the last mouthful of grain was being issued to the cattle, down dropped, like manna from heaven, a fresh supply in the nick of time, coming from goodness knows where, by road or rail or river: down it was dumped, and with a word and a blow away went the transport to serve someone else, who also thought that if he did not die of ennui he could make a tolerable certainty of starvation—and was always disappointed. And then one fine day when he least expected it, and had come to reckon himself as a dead man out of mind, a few curt words came clicking off on the wires—Marth in half an hour.' And he marched, and all the others marched, and everybody marched, until he woke on another fine morning at dawn to find he was with others, and that he and the others were the army. And how it was done he did not stop to enquire, was not indeed allowed time to ask, for all the news he got was to march again at dawn."

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Was H. Trudel before he used Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets-Now his Dyspepsia with all its Pain and Weariess has Disappeared.

ness has Disappeared.

To what desperate straits Dyspepsia will reduce a man is exemplified by the story told by Hene Trudel, a student, of Three Rivers, Quebec. "Sometimes," says Mr. Trudel, "I had slight attacks of Indigestion. Then for some weeks it made alarming progress. I became discouraged, weak, and almost in despair. I resolved to give up my studies, when a happy accident put a Dodd's Almanac in my hands and I made up my mind to try Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

"I began using Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets in January and for six weeks I took one after each meal, sometimes two. After that, feeling greatily better, I only took one after supper; now, from time to time, I take one if I feel a little fatigued after eating.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets made me better. To-day I have no headache, no weariness, no pain. I am cured."

THE STAGE



***** ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Chatham Grand:-Washburn's "Uncle Tom's Cabin"-May 18.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

UNCLE TOM' CABIN.

It is well-known to all that bad blood is the direct cause of all skin diseases and it upon a very elaborate scale, under the direct cause of all skin diseases and it upon a very elaborate scale, under the direct cause of all skin diseases and it is necessary for the blood to be cleaned before the eruptions will disappear. For this purpose there is nothing to equal Burdock Blood Bitters as the thousands of testimonials we have on hand will testify.

Mr. Willard Thompson, McNeill's Mills, P.E.I., writes us as follows: "I wish te state to you what Burdock Blood Bitters have done for me account leading to the control of the character in America, as he was the original Tom in Stetson's company, which has been before the public for many bear the crossing and Bertha Crossing are the Topsies, and Monday hight tupon a very elaborate scale, under the management of Leon Washburn. The part of "Uncle Tom" is played by Mr. Fred Bennett, probably the best known personator of the character in America, as he was the original Tom in Stetson's company, which has been before the public for many gent and Bertha Crossing are the Topsies, and Monday hight the management of Leon Washburn. The part of "Uncle Tom" is played by Mr. Fred Bennett, probably the best known personator of the character in America, as he was the original Tom in Stetson's company, which has been before the public for many gent and the probably the best known personator of the character in America, as he was the original Tom in Stetson's company, which has been before the public for many gent and the probably Messrs. Nick Glinn and George Harris play the character of Marks, the lawyer. There will be fifty capable people in the cast who are players of more than ordinary ability. Among the novel specialties introduced will be the buck dancing of Mr. Tom Kelly, the superb vocal numbers of the Ladies' Creole Quartette and the Lone Star Male Quartette. The scenery of this production is said to be magnificent. The transformation be magnificent. The transformation scene and wonderful vision being marvelous in design and in effect. 'A grand street parade will be given Monday noon, in which will be seen Cot. Sawyer's challenge pack of Siberian bloodhounds, prize Shetland ponies, a number of beautiful chariot and tableau wagons and two bands of music, drum corps, etc. Watch for the parade. scene and wonderful vision being mar-

Pessimism of Educated Youth.

Almost any evening, at dinner time, there may be seen in a well-known down town restaurant a group of young men, who occupy always the same corner and spend a long time talking over their coffee and cigars. They are all college graduates of a recent date, occupied in the day in getting a start in life, or, as one of them, who is engaged in some sort of literary work, more picturesquely puts it, "bucking the metropolis with a stub pen." Few have heard their talk, for when a stranger falls among them they are decorously polite, but uncommunicative, in the spirit of their leader. A few, however, have been initiated, and

municative, in the spirit of their leader. A few, however, have been initiated, and describe the conversations as "a series of carefully cultivated cynicisms, led by a lecture." Thus do their guests become victims to phrase-making.

"It would be hard to diagnose their complaint," said one of these victims; "they are so cheerful in their wee. Nothing at present suits them, and they all pronounce their daily tasks a bore. But they are not bothered with reform notions and don't make a public fuss. I suspect they all cherish secret ambitions of winning commonplace successes, and swap their melancholy epigrams because

of winning commonplace successes, and swap their melancholy epigrams because they have no other way at present to maintain that academic seclusiveness your college graduate usually feels the lack of during the first years of his plunge into life. However, there's some truth and humor in their talk that needn't be summarily dismissed as downy faced cynicism."

And the speaker narrated as nearly as he could a speech of the leader on the subject of "How to Be Successful Though Fducated." The young man knocked his eigarette ash into the dregs of his coffee and said: "I've thought this all out, as Devery does his brilliants. It's not impromptu. I was burdened with the conception by too much paternal advice on and said: "I've thought this all out, as Devery does his brilliants. It's not impromptu. I was burdened with the conception by too much paternal advice on how to succeed. We get too much of that advice on all hands. The path from the log cabin to the White House has been exploited and explained; we have been taught how to be happy though married, and it only remains to put the teaching into practice—a minor detail; magazines conducted by underpaid editors have told us how to get from home to college with a cow for capital; the lives of our captains of industry have been laid bare from their always humble beginnings, but the really useful work is the one not done. Who will tell us how to be successful though educated?

"The worst that may be aid of a college training (until the chair of success is founded) is that it gives a young man ambitions. After all, the youth whose capital is a cow in most ins nees prefers to keep his capital and m ik it; the boy in the log cabin hopes some day to build a house with store shingles; the young worker in the steel mill thinks he may in time rise to be a foreman, and is content if he does. But the college graduate has ambitions. Nurtured in romance, fed on history, filled with the keen relish for intellectual excitement and the power of intellectual excitement and the power of intellectual mastery, he is yearly turned by the thousand into the hard world, with ambitions, but no job.

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"There are open for him the law and medicine; but each requires three or four more years of training, and then an additional period of unremunerative waiting. There is business, but already the high school graduate has a four years' start, which, when all is said, the classics and French literature do not help to overcome. He might write novels, but his taste is too good, while a knowledge of art bars him from the drama. To be sure, there is teaching; the world still puts up with a little education in its teachers. Yet, as women will teach cheaper, even that field is restricted. It is no wonder that there are so many men of culture in the mines of Mexico and Alaska, or that so few of us college men marry before we are thirty. "Then someone asked this gloomy teacher of twenty-three, whose remarks were greeted with no applause, but quiet approval," said the outsider, "what he proposed to do about it. His answer was characteristic. "To-morrow I play golf," he said."—N. Y. "Tribune."

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ne of Them Will Convert His Entire Fortune of \$1,000,000 Into a Public Fund for Charities.

The recent announcement that Mr. Nowrojce Manockji Wadia is about a convert a million pounds, his enare fortune, into a public trust for charitable / rposes is one more testimony alike to the wealth and the imony and to the weath and the muritizance of the Parsees of India. Regarding the first, it is a striking proof of the general topsy-turvydom of India (as judged from the western standpoint) that practically the entire commercial wealth of a country of 300,000,000 people should be in the hands of a community number-ing less than 90,000. The "wealth of India" is a myth. India is the of india is a high india is the hind of extremes; of inillions of un-deried peasants on the one hand, and of a jeweled galaxy of millionaires Rajahs and Parsees on the other. Regarding the latter, the name that stands out most prominently is that of Sir Jamsetjee Jeejcebhoy, the recognized head of the Parsees of India. A splendid example of energy and enterprise—qualities that are, indeed, typical of the Parsees—the Jeejeebhoy family is of the humblest origin. A century ago, when the British Empire in India was being formed out of the cruubling ruins of the Mogul and the Mahratta, and the Mogul and the Mahratta, and all India was in chaos the ancestor of the Jeejeebhoys was 1, poor lad, striving to gain his Cail, bread by the eweat of his brow. Then, no moner were modern methods of economics introduced into the country than this humble lad forthwith dramt of millions. He started in

business as a small merchant. So far the entire trade of India had been in English hands—those of the East India Company. Now, for the fist time, measterner entered In the absence of competition the part of the conservative Hindus, he increased his business, prosper d. he increased his business, prosper-di-and finally amassed a fortune of two million sterling. For his purpose In-dia was a virgin soil, a new coun-try as yet unexploited by modern methods—even as was the United -States a generation ago; the cause of his success the same as that of the first American millionaires. Bethe first American millionaires. Because of his splendid munificence he was created first a K.C.B. and then a Baronet—the first in India. For, if he amassed a fortune, he knew hew to spend it. He gave away a million pounds, half his fortune, in charities. Hospitals, colleges and rest-houses were founded and endowed by him.

The present Baronet, Sir Jamset-jee Jeejeebhoy, the third from the founder, succeeded in 1877, and since then he has well maintained the traditions of his house. With increas-

ditions of his house. With increas-ing wealth he has increased the aim and purpose of his philanthropy. And no better proof could be given of the appreciation and gratitude of his countrymen than the general de-light with which his selection to re-present Bombay at the recent cut an-ation was received by all its cti-vens.

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Special per G. N. W. Toronto, May 15.-10 a. m.-Light to moderate variable winds, fine and warm to-day and on Saturday.

The following figures were register. ed to-day at seven a. m. at Turner's weather bureau:

Thermometer 50. Highest yesterday 68. Lowest yesterday 45. Direction of wind, east.

DIED

FLEMING-On Friday morning, May 15th, 1903, Mrs. Eunice E. Fleming, relict of John C. Fleming, aged 66

The funeral will take place from the residence of her brother, S. J. Ingalls, Joseph street, Sunday morning at 8.30, for interment in Thames-

Local Briefs

Wear one of The 2 T's famous \$1.00 Hats. The pay sheets for the past month amounted to \$164.89.

Gao. Boyes, of the L. E. & D. R. R., came home from Kingsville last even-ing and is very ill at his home, Grey It's time to change your hosiery from wool to cotton. Thibedeau & Jacques have the best value in the city. Try them.

To-morrow afternoon at 5:30 there will be a full practice of the lacrosse club. Every member is earnestly urged to be present.

Canocing is becoming more popular all the time. There are more canoes in the city this year than ever before, and the enthusiastic owners are considering ways and means for holding a big aquatic carnival here on the first of July.

Joe Martin, Dover To, was arraigned on the charge of stealing a tablecloth and two iron pots from his mo-ther. The charge as to the pots was dismissed, and the prisoner was re-manded on the other charge for one week. O. L. Lewis defended Martin.

ther. The charge as to the pots was dismissed, and the prisoner was remanded on the other charge for one week. O. L. Lewis defended Martin. The funeral of the late Mrs. Pearl Mary Clums, whose sad death occurred on Monday, took place on Wednesday from her late residence, concession 16, Harwich, to the Maple Leaf cemetery. Deceased was the beloved wife of Alexander Clums and had been married for one short year. She was 19 years of age and one of the brightest young ladies of the community. Her untimely death is deeply regretted not only by her relatives, but by everyone who knew her. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved husband in his sad affliction. Rev. Messrs. Robinson and Kelling. Rev. Messrs. Robinson and Kelling-ton conducted the funeral services, which were very impressive and large-ly attended.

And the second

J. A. Elliott, of Comber, is a Chat-

ham visitor to-day. Twenty-five cars of cattle went through on the C. P. R. to-day. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Edwards, of Bothwell, are visiting in the city. W. W. Turner, A. H. VonGunten and or. J. P. Rutherford spent yesterday

in Detroit. John Lee, M. P. P., was in the city to-day. He says that some people can't take a joke.

Warden Robinson, of Romney, was in the city to-day attending the meet-ing of the House of Refuge commit-

Wm. Yeomans and Thos. Vince are in Jeannette's Creek repairing the pumping machinery in the Forbes Works.

The Growler advises the Board of Works to get busy and repair the corners cut off by Lord Minto in his rapid transit of the Maple City.

The House of Refuge committee of the County Council met this afternoon to consider applications for the posi-tions of superintendent and matron of the House of Refuge. Chairman Sifton and Messrs. French, Somers and the Warden were present. The "Rock" show in the Old Town

Hall Wednesday night, given by the West Kent Poultry and Pet Stock As-sociation, was well attended and a good show given. The next show will be of the other classes of chickens, and will be held June 3.

Col. J. B. Rankin, K. C., has received a letter from Geo. Stephens, M. P., stating that he had seen Col. McDonald, of the Militia Department, and that the blankets and tents for use at St. Thomas on the 24th of May would be shipped at once. Col. May would be shipped at once. Col. McDonald also promised to send the buttons, caps, etc., asked for by 'Adjutant Coltart.

Wm. Boyd, Jack McLeod, West, Jos. Oldershaw, Dr. Fraser, Wm. Bennett and J. W. Aitken attended the tournament of the Blenheim Gun Club to-day. They may be expected to clean up. W. S. Richards and Jack to clean up. W. S. Richards and Ja McCoig drove out this afternoon

STRANGE STORY

Mrs. Brodie, a well-known characclub. Every member urged to be present.

Lost, on King street, on Saturday, May 9th, a pair of gold rimmed spectacles. On case is the name of Dr. Ovens. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office.

W. E. Cruickshank, a student at the Toronto medical school, has taken a position on the reportorial staff of the Banner during the summer vacation.

Capacing is becoming more popular woman this afternoon. She is well-known to the police, and the police

known to the police, as she has been out of her mind before, and the police have had her in charge on more than one occasion. She is married, but her husband has left her.

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CAHOE DISMISSED

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SPLENDID OPENING

A very large crowd attended the opening of the new Taylor flour mill last evening and a very interesting time was spent by everyone who availed themselves of the opportunity of viewing this splendid modern mill. The mill was crowded with delighted spectators from early in the evening until eleven o'clock, and many were the expressions of wonder at the excellent manner in which the mill is fitted up. The Taylor company have great reason to feel gratified over the success of their opening.

The 24th Regiment Band was in attendance and provided excellent music both morning and evening. The band were placed on the roof of the elevator and their music could be heard distinctly all over the city.

THE AFTER EFFECTS

One of the lads who was present at the raid on the Lorne avenue house of gilded reputation, appeared before Judge Houston this morning. The boy had thrushed another lad for telling the police about the raid. Judge Houston gave the boy a very severe lecture, and it was only at the earnest request of the boy's father that he escaped a two year's gentence. Judge Houston was very strong in his remarks on the case. He said—"Instead of being ashamed of their work, the boys concerned in the raid appear to glory in it. The neighbors are a good deal to blame for this in making herces out of the boys. The little fellow who was thrashed was accused by his comrades of telling the police who the raiders were. The lad also complained that he was ostracized and ruled off the ball field. As a matter of fact, the boy in question had neither seen the police or told them anything. This, however, didn't prevent him being brutally treated. If any of the boys who ordered the lad off the ball ground are brought before me, I will impose sentence. Some of the lads concerned in that raid apparently have overlooked the fact that they have been leniently treated and have forgotten that they are only on probation. The next case of this kind that comes to my attention will be dealt with severely." One of the lads who was present at the raid on the Lorne avenue house

BLEW UP THE NARONIC. New York Police Find a Startling Note.

New York, May 15 .- Among the effects of the man who sent the internal machine to the Cunard Line dock last week was a piece of paper on which was written in French; "The destruction of the Naronic was complete. Mr. Le Brun, who made the box, has this

moment gone to Chicago."

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TO-NIGHT.

Tent No. 10, K. Q. T. M., Maccabees Hall, at 8. Full parade of the 24th Regiment at 8 o'clock.

The Victoria Ave. Epworth League

St. Andrew's Church Y. P. Society, ecture hall, at 8.

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First Presbyterian Young People'
Literary Society at 8.

Young People's Society, lecture hall
William St. Baptist Church, at 8.

Lecture, Northwood's Hall, at 8
o'clock, Prof. Welch, Phrenologist. Peninsular Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W. in their rooms over Public Library, Mass meeting of citizens, C. P. R. Hotel, at 8 o'clock, to arrange for a lst of July celebration.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Bicycles for hire at Brisco's. tf W. M. Drader shipped a car of cooperage stock to Mooretown, Ont., to-

Fred. H. Brisco received his second carload of bicycles this season per C. P. R. to-day. Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Hieatt, of Cedar

The Right Rev. Bishop Baldwin will preach in Holy Trinity church on Sunday evening.

Prof. Welch, the able phrenologist, lectures to-night in Northwood's Hall on the Choice of Pursuits.

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Miss Anna Dunn, Dover street, arrived home after taking a post graduate course at Dr. Kelly's Hospital, Baltimore.

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Mrs. Eunice E. Fleming, aged 66 years, passed away yesterday at the residence of her brother, S. J. Ingalls, Joseph street. Deceased has been ill for five months and her death was not entirely unexpected. She was a widow and a former resident of Thamesville. She came to Chatham some time ago and has since been living with her brother. She was born in Camden Township and was deeply respected by everyone who knew her. She was a Baptist in religion. The funeral will likely take place on Sunday. The remains will be taken to Thamesville, where she will be laid at rest at the side of her deceased husband.

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Joe Tilt is spending the day in the City of the Straits.

City of the Straits.

A. T. Gurd, of Petrolea, arrived in the city this morning.

James M. Rankin, of Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday.

Thomas Dillon, of Rothwell, was a

Chatham visitor yesterday. Wm. Potter, the Queen St. grocer is out with a new rig to-day.

Jaspar Wilson was able to be out to-day, after a few days' illness.
S. L. Wellwood, of Merlin, spent yesterday with his Chatham friends.
Miss Z. Day, of the C. B. C., has remiss Z. Day, or the C. B. C., has feturned to the city, after spending a few days with her parents in Embro.

A meeting of the citizens of Chatham will be held in the C. P. R. Hotel to-night to discuss the advisability of holding a city celebration on the lat of July.

Par J. H. Osterbant B. A. R. D.

Rev. J. H., Osterhout, B. A., B. D., will occupy the Victoria Ave. Methodist Church pulpit at both services on Sunday. Rev. Mr. George will conduct anniversary services in Bethel Church, Harwich.

The work on C. E. Lester's cold stor-The work on C. E. Lester's cold storage and refrigeraton plant is progressing favorably. A carload of machinery for the plant arrived in the city yesterday. It is expected that the plant will be in running order in a couple of weeks.

Wm. Ball, owner of the Parson's Fair fancy store, formerly Snell's Fair, has decided to enlarge the store by making a 40 foot extension at the back. The basement will have a con-crete floor and a new up-to-date front will be put in.

Miss Lizzie Rankin, daughter of Robert Rankin, Dover Centre, was married yesterday at Christ Church Rectory to Eli Lethwaite. The Rev. Rural Dean McCosh performed the ceremony. The foung couple left for Louisanna, where they will in future reside.

reside.

Miss Elizabeth Rankin, of Dover, and Eli Lewthwaite, of Kingsville, were united in marriage by the Rev. Robt. McCosh, at the rectory last evening. They will reside in Kingsville, where Mr. Lewthwaite occupies a position in a departmental store. Miss Rankin is well known in this city, and her many friends will join in wishing her happiness and prosperity.

Lohn Monre a colored man, was

St., North Chatham.

Wm. Moore, an employee of the Blonde Company, fell from a stepladder yesterday and broke a small bone in his foot. He will be laid up for some 'days.

F. and B. Shuster, Wm. Wirts, Frank Wirts, L. Reichen and Ed. Stroebie left for the Northwest last Tuesday. They are all farmers.

Last February, or, to be more explicit, on the evening of the 24th day of that month, Richard Primeau, residing on Harvey street, gave a dance. A little disturbance arose caused by two relatives who were not invited, but came to the dance. They were Leonard Bellaire and Fred. Tebeau. Bellaire when arraigned on a charge of using insulting language said that Tebeau had gone around to thrash Mr. Primeau. Tebeau went over to Michigan and only returned a short time ago. He was arrested last night. Tebeau was remanded for a week and released on \$30.00 bail furnished by his brother.

Mrs. Eunice E. Fleming, aged 66 The Splendid home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hales, Selkirk St., was the scene

The splendid home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hales, Selkirk St., was the scene of a very happy event last evening, when their daughter, Miss Annie, was united in the bonds of matrimony to Tecumseh Huff, a prominent and prosperous young farmer, of Raleigh. Both bride and groom are well known in the city and are very popular among their friends, who all join in wishing them the usual compliments which are associated with events of this nature. Rev. Rural Dean McCosh conducted the marriage service. Miss Elizabeth Hales, sister of the bride made a becoming bridesmaid, and John Hales acted as best man. After the ceremony an elaborate luncheon was served and the remainder of the evening was spent in social chat among the number of friends who were present. The newly married couple will reside in Raleigh.

ANNUAL BANQUET.

The bugle and drum band of the 24th Regiment held its annual celebration and dinner in the mess rooms last evening. After the usual rounds of good things and eigars, singing was in order. Solos, duetts, quartetts and choruses were given. Probably the most enjoyable number rendered was a vocal solo by John La Francis, Sengeant of the bugle band. Mr. La Francis has a very musical tenor voice of good quality.

John R. Smith was the accompanist of the evening. The evening's enjoyment was brought to a close by three hearty cheers and a tiger for the Bugle Major, Wm. Plumeridge.

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Ladies' Skirts.—Trimmed with double frill and fine nar row embroidery, dol!ar values, on sale 75c.

White Patticoats.—With wide embroidery, frill and hem, wide insertion in frill, dollar value, on sale 820. White Skirts.-With wide flounce lace and insertion or

Ladies' Skirts.—20 inches flounce torchon insertion, trimmed and fine embroidery and tucks, values \$1.75, 1.80, 2.00, on sale 1.48.

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To-day William McCrae is superintending the moving of an oil rig to

tending the moving of an oil rig to the farm of Chas. Crow, Prairie Sid-ing. A clairvoyant has shown where there is an oil well on this farm, and a company has been formed to put down a well. Mr. McCrae has the

The Chatham Oil Co. have struck another strong flow of gas in the wall The Chatham Oil Co. have struck and other strong flow of gas in the well they are putting down on the farm of Mr. Doyle, Gravel road, Harwich. The well on the old Sheriff farm on the same road is flowing mixeral water at the rate of about a thousand barrels a day.

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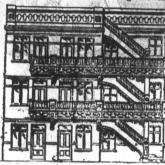
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UNIQUE HOUSING PLAN TO OBTAIN AT LIVERPOOL, ENGLAND.

duced in Cost by the Use of Concrete -Contrast With These of the County Council of London-Possible Through the Ingenuity of City Engineer Brodie

city Engineer John A. Brodie, of Liverpool, claims that he can give a poor family a good homely three-room tenement at 4s. a week. In London 4s., and often more, is paid for one room to the ordinary landlord, while even the County Council often finds it difficult to build at less than a rent of 3s. 6d. per room. In fact, the greatest difficulty experienced in the municipal housing problem is to accommodate the very poorest. Usually the rents have to be fixed on a scale that completely shuts out from municipal dwellings the poorest classes who need them the poorest classes who need them

Through Mr. Brodie's ingenuity the Liverpool corporation has now be-fore it a scheme for housing the cas-



la rer at a rent lower than charged in municipal dwellings.

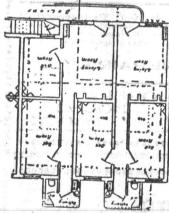
ual la rer at a rent lower than any yet cha ged in municipal dwellings. This has only become possible by discarding the usual methods of building and adopting cheaper kinds. The engineer's plan, which has been adopted by the Housing Committee is to build one building, running it up to three floors, with four tenements on each. The tenements will be self-contained, each with a large living room, two bedrooms, scullery, closet and dust chute.

The saving in cost is effected by using concrete instead of bricks. The roncrete is to be made from residue left in the municipal dust destructors. This material, known as clinker, has hitherto been regarded more or less as a waste product. By crushing it and mixing it with an equal portion of Portland cement, the City Engineer is confident be can get good cheap building material quite as serviceable as brick. His idea is to mould slabs of the mixed materials representing a complete side, floor or roof of a room. When these are well matured, they are to be raised into wagons behind a traction engine, and removed to the site of the proposed building. Here an overhead traveling crane will raise of the proposed building. Here an overhead traveling crane will raise them and deposit them in their fin

al position.

The openings for doors, windows The openings for doors, windows, fireplaces, and flues are all provided for while the concrete slabs are in the making. The slabs have small projections in the nature of dove. projections in the nature of dovertails, with corresponding notches, so that they fit closely together, and when cemented become rigid and weather proof. Even the balconies, stairs, balustrades and chimneys are moulded in blocks, like the walls.

The need for much cheaper material in municipal tenements is being felt more and more. The City Engineer of Glasgow, addressing a housing conference called by the corf



PLAN OF ONE FLOOR, SHOWING TWO COM PLETE TENEMENTS.

poration in September, 1901, de-clared that the poorest class could only be housed in dwellings of a special type, with everything reduc-ed to the simplest form. He sug-gested a dwelling with ample space, having its own water supply and sanitary accommodation, all details so rigidly plain that some relaxa-tion of the Building Act might be required.

Concrete buildings such as Liver-real's city Fermings.

concrete buildings such as Liver-pool's City Engineer proposes to er-ect are becoming common in Ger-many and Holland.

Some Statistics About Mair.

A scientist with a vast amount of patience has counted the hairs of the human head. In fact, not content with counting one head of hair, he undertook several. The results of his investigations are curious. Blondes, for instance, have the greatest number and those with red hair the smallest. In no case is there much variation between the sexes when the color is the same. Light haired people have between 140,000 and 165,000 hairs; brunettes average only about 105,000 hairs; red hair depople do not have much more than 30,000. This means that red hair is coarser than other shades, but it has the advantage of lasting longer. Some Statistics About Mair.

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FARRAR'S LIFE OF CHRIST.

ignificant That the Late Dean of Canter ry Is Best Known by a Non-Con-troversial Work on Religion.

The best known work of the late The best known work of the late Dean Farrar is his Life of Christ. He declared that his object in writing it was to fill the mind with solemn and not ignoble thoughts, to encourage the toiler, to console the sorrowful, to point the weak to the one true source of moral strength. In 1870 he visited Palestine in order to complete his equipment for the work. He returned, as he said, confirmed in the wish "to enable the simple and the unlearned to understand and enter into the human surroundings of his subject." He warned his readers not to expect new theories. or "brilling the said that the same of the subject." his subject." He warned his readers not to expect new theories, or 'brilliant combinations of mythic cloud, tinged by the sunset imagination of some decadent belief." His work was some decadent belief." His work was that of a believer, but was not controversial, not written with any direct and special reference to the attacks of sceptical criticism. The following passage from the preface will give a fair idea of Dean Farrar's style and method of treating the subject:
"We read the systems and treatises
"We read the systems and in spite

"We read the systems and treatises of ancient philosophy, and in spite of all the great and noble elements in which they abound, we see their total incapacity to console, or support, or deliver, or regenerate the world. Then we see the light of Christianity dawning like a tender dayspring amid the universal and intolerable darkness. From the first, that new religion allies itself with the world's utter feeblenesses, and those feeblenesses it shares; yet without wealth, without learning, without genius, without arms, without anything to dazzle and attract—the religion of outcasts and exiles, of fugitives and prisoners—numbering among its earliest converts not many wise, not many noble, not many anighty, but such as the jailer of Philippi, and the runaway slave of Colossae—with no blessing apparently upon it save such as cometh from above—with no light whatever about it save the light that comes from heaven—it puts to flight kings and their armies: it breathers a new life It save the light that comes from heaven—it puts to flight kings and their armies; it breathes a new life, and a new hope, and a new an unknown holiness into a guilty and decrepit world. This we see; and we see the work grow, and increase, and become more and more irresistible, and spread with the gentleness of a sea that caresses the shore it covers.' And, seeing this, we recall the faithful principle of the wise and sea that careses the shore it covers.' And, seeing this, we recall the faithful principle of the wise and tolerant Rabbi, uttered more than 1,800 years ago—'If this counsel or the short has a second to the same it will counsel to the same it will counsel to the same its will be also will be a same its will be also will be also will be a same its will be a same its will be a same its will be also will be a same its will be a same i

this work be of men, it will come to naught; but if it be of God, ye cannot overthrow it, lest haply ye be found to fight against God."

Dean Farrar's "Eternal Hope," in which the doctrine of everlasting punishment was impugned, aroused a good deal of criticism, but his tem-per though firm was not pugnacious, though firm was not pugnacious, and it is significant that he is not best remembered by a work of a non-controversial character.

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Her Literary Plans For the Uplifting of Her Race.

One of the cleverest of the new gen Miriam Cornelius, a full blooded Onei da, who lives on a remote Indian re-serve in Wisconsin and who, in spite of the obstacles of ill health, race prejudice and limited worldly goods, has, while still a very young woman (she was born in Oneida, Wis., in 1879). completed a six years' course of study in four years at Grafton Hall semina-ry, has collected and written the legends of her race, gathered from the oral traditions handed down from gen-



as, and is now working upon an Indian grammar, the first attempt ever made to classify the Indian tongue into a grammatical system.

Speaking recently to a representative of the New York Tribune in her father's house in Seymour, Wis., she said: "Literature shall be my life work, and its aim shall be to benefit my peo ple. This can be done in literature in a way not, I think, undertaken before. The life struggles and motives of the Indian race must of necessity be written by an Indian, if they are to be correctly portrayed. White men and women have written cleverly of us, but from a white man's point of view. I

hope to give the Indian side of Ameri "I do not know how or when I caught the idea of writing. Indeed, it must be longer ago than my memory, for I know that when only a child, with the English lauguage half on my tongue, I dreamed of writing books. Perhaps it seems strange to an outsider, for I know the ideas that prevail in regard to Indian life, but to do something great when I grew up was impressed upon me from my cradle by my par-ents, and I have known no other ambi-

tion.
"What I have done up to this time
"What I have done up to this time world, and I have succeeded according one to say of what I do, 'That is good for an Indian.

Miss Cornelius, while frail physically, is full of energy and ambition and is confident that her literary efforts will be a factor in the uplifting of her

The Neatly Gowned Girl.
A clever business woman was talk-

ing about clothes at lunch the other day. Never think that because a womin that topic ever dear to the feminine heart. "You can't get away from the fact," she began, "that men just dote on appearances. Your temper may be as sunny as a May morning, you may have all the virtues of angels, the wisdom of Solomon, your English may outshine a Princeton professor, you may calculate more quickly than the lightning's flash, and you may have recommendations miles long that you never made a mistake, but all these are as Dead sea fruit if you wear a trum-Dy gown, a hat of last year's vintage or hair that has not recently made the acquaintance of shampoo. The girl with a neat, smart gown, tidy gloves, who is well coiffed and well shod, will walk away from you every time, even if she can't add two and three together. Since we have to run up against men in the business world, it is well to bear this little idiosyncrasy of theirs in mind and dress up to your audience." The Small Kitchen

By all means have a small kitchen. A large kitchen, with a cellar door at one side, a table at another, a range at another and the sigk at still another, requires too much walking. Time is consumed in going from one place to another rather than with actual work. Have your range placed in a light and convenient part of the kitchen. In front have a good sized table containing drawers and spaces underneath for ing drawers and spaces underneath for keeping atensils, one portion of the 40p covered with zinc and the other half left plain. Have underneath the top a baking beard which you can easily pull out. The sink should be near at hand. The pantry may be on the other side of the kitchen and be sufficiently large, to hold a barrel of flour, a small pastry table and a convenient arrangement of shelves. The floor may be of hardwood or it may be covered with linoleum or oilcloth or the ordinary rubber covering. A tile floor is exceed-

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German Dress Reform.

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A correspondent writes on the subject of "Dress Reform Made in Germany:"

"A friend of mime who is just back from Berlin tells me that she paid a visit to the Dress Reform Exhibition which was held there, and anyone who is familiar with the ordinary types of Teutonic tollette will certainly agree that reform of some kind is a 'felt want' in the Happy Fatherland.

"Unfortunately, however, in the country where sausages and sauerkraut are more plentiful than a sense of humor, it appears that this exhibition was held strictly on the principle enunciated by 'old-man Aesop' in his fable of the fox that had loft its tail. The object of this Dress Reform Exhibition was not to inspire the dumpy Deutsch ladies with a desire to dress themselves in a rather less dowdy manner, but to convert the rest of the feminine world to the style of costume which earns for the German lady the dictinction of being reckoned the worst-dressed woman in Europe.

"It need hardly be said that the first article of feminine tollette which they propose to abolish is the much abused corset, though no one would ever discover from personal observation that such a thing had ever been heard of by the female subjects of 'Fidgety Will.' Along with the corset they are anxious to get rid of pointed shoes and tight-fitting kid gloves, the ideal Teutonic Venus being apparently an amorphous, waistless goddess, splay-footed like a Dachshund, and, like the village blacksmith, possessing apparently an amorphous, waistless goddess, splay-footed like a Dachshund, and, like the village blacksmith, possessing large and sinewy hands, clad comfortably in clumsy cotton!

"The skirt is to be short and shapeless, and is to be so arranged that all the weight shall fall from the shoulders instead of from the hips." Nothing tight-fitting, but everything sloppy and shapeless' seems to be the watchword of this German dress reform. The intelligent traveler, however, will rub his or her eyes and ask, Why all this fuss to organize a system of carrying coa tics are already the leading features of a German woman's costume, and to make her any more dowdy and shapeless would be almost an impossibility. It seems curious that, while Vienna is, in the opinion of many competent judges, the best-dressed city in Europe, owing to the fact that the Viennese ladies pride themselves on the possession of most carefully-trained and perfectly-corseted figures, the ladies of the rival capital pride themselves on the exact opposite, and enjoy in consequence the reputation of holding the record for bad dressing."

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riend, she explained, "He is so absentminded."

"Does he forget to post your letters?"

"Oh, no, indeed! He is so absentminded I never entrust any to him. But
the forgets me. Why, only last week he
vent out between acts and never reminded. I went home and found him
lacidly smoking his cigar before the
re, quite oblivious of myself and of the
re, quite oblivious of myself and of the
reater. I was very indigment, but when
began with tears in my eyes, 'How
uld you go off and leave me so?' the
hole occurrence seemed to dawn upon
im. He sprang to his feet, declaring he
had been worrying all the evening about
omething he had forgotten, and so overrhelmed me with loving protestations
that I couldn't talk to him very seriously."

"How sad! I wonder if all men are so afflicted?"

"My husband is. Why, I remember one day he arose from the dinner-table, and, feeling a slight uneasiness in his eyes, began operations upon them with his toothpick, nearly destroying his sight."

Aliments of mores.

A disease that ends in a quest growth on the very poll or top of the head of the horse is called "poll evil." The trouble is quickly observed owing to the habit of the horse in stretching his neck straight out in front and makes a pitiable spectacle of the patient. There is little left to do for the poor creature except to put it out of its misery.

A common blemish is the curb, a rounding of the bone of the hind leg just below the back point of the hock. This formation does not injure the serviceableness of the driver appreciably. If patiently rubbed when it first appears, the curb can be reduced, the bone absorbing the growth if not too prominent.

A wind broken horse is one that has been permanently injured in breathing power by overdriving. Violent exercise reveals the weakness to the horseman who listens to the breathing. In extreme case, any one "How unfortunate!"

"How unfortunate!"
"Xes; and one night I asked him to replenish the fuel in the grate, and in a fit of abstraction he brought in a pail of water and poured it on the fire, bringing ruin to everything."
"O-o-h, how perfectly awful!"
"But I hadn't begun to tell you the worst about my husband. Why, it was only a week after our marriage, while walking along arm-in-arm, he so far forgot himself as to imagine he had an extremely burdensome bundle under his arm, and offered a boy a dime to carry it for him.
"But where's yer bundle, mister" the little fellow enquired. And will you believe it we have the property of the little fellow enquired. And will you believe it we have the property of the layer it we have the property of the layer it was sent the property of the layer it was sent the property of the layer it was sent to the layer it was

nttle fellow enquired. And will you be-lieve it, my Benedict deliberately handed me over to the small boy, and I was so mortified—"

Her voice was drowned by the or-chestra.

Venezuelan Hospitality.

Plenty of Truth.

"Perhaps," ventured the unsuccessful contributor, "you didn't consider my little ode true to life,"

"Oh, it was true enough," replied the editor. "I assure you there was more truth than poetry in what you said." What is known as "goose flesh" usually results from a low condition of the system and is really a slight chill. If you have such attacks often, it would be wise for you to consult a physician.

Venezuelan Hospitality.

During a recent visit to Caracas, a member of the British Parliament says that he was accorded interviews with several of the leading members of the Venezuelan Government, who showed him every courtesy, and gave a dinner in his honor. That night, shortly after he retired at a late hour, he was awakened from his sleep by a noise in his room, and saw, as he thought, one of his hosts disappear through the bedroom window leading to the verands. Concluding that this was a polite custom of the country, the visitor returned to sleep, but in the morning he found that he had been robbed. The Englishman went straight to the seat of government, and complained to one of the ministers, who expressed his dismay, and was thereupon informed that the person seen in the room bore a resemblance to himself. "Very strange," replied the minister, "for there is no one alive who resembles me." "In that case," rejoined his visitor, dryly, "you should have no difficulty in securing the restoration of my property." Later in the day the Englishman discovered an anonymous package upon his room table. Opening the cover, he found all the missing articles save his gold-edged cigar-case and one of his fob. charms—a little goddess in diamonds and emeralds. Come to the surface in the spring as in no other season. It's a pity they don't run themselves all off that way; but in spite of pimples and other er eruptions, they mostly remain in the system. That's bad.

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The Irishman's Story.

There were some sporty wheelmen tell-ing stories at a club.

And each one told a better than the last.

One had made "a century" in three hours and a half,

Another said, "That wasn't very fast!"

A Scotchman said he "coastse" down a hill just three miles long.

But Paddy wasn't satisfied with that. He said that he had "coasted" twenty miles without a stop,

When sailing on a schooner on the Platta. —F. Brace Carey.

Mainly About People.

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In response to a missionary's appeals for various articles for us on an African farm, a milking-stool was sent to him from England. He gave it to the negro whose duty it was to milk the cows, with injunctions to use it. On the first day the negro returned home from the cow-sheds, bruised and battered, but with an empty pail. When the missionary asked for an explanation, the negro replied: "Milk stool very nice, massa, but she won't sit on it!"

A Columbus, Ohio, pastor called on one of his parishioners, whose six-year-old boy is a bright youngster. Freddie had previously heard his mother say that the pastor was very successful in saving souls. During a pause in the conversation, Freddie, who was sitting on the pastor's knee, asked: "Do you save souls?" "Yes, Freddie," replied the man of the cloth. "Will you tell me," went on Freddie, seriously, "how many souls you got saved up?"

Mr. C. F. Stanbury relates in "The Barrister" many stories of Tom Nolan, the counselor who for years kept the New York bar laughing at his conscious and unconscious drolleries. One of the best is the following: One Nolan was arguing a case in behalf of clients who were sailors, and while in the midst of an exhaustive display of lore on nautical matters, he was interrupted by the court. "How comes it, counselor, that you pos-"How comes it, counselor, that vot pos sess such a vast knowledge of the sea?"
"Does your honor think," responded No-lan, "that I came over in a hack?"

In a series of sketches, entitled "Lights and Shadows in a Hospital," Mrs. Terton with rheumatism, in her cottage hospital, whom she wanted to cheer by reading. Ordinary hospital literature was no good. At last, said the nurse: "I shall read him 'Three Men In a Boat,' and if that doesn't envise him Labor. shall read him 'Three Men In a Boat,' and if that doesn't amuse him, I shall give him up as hopeless." So she read, till finally "a reluctant smile came over his face, and he said, with slow satisfaction: 'I do think they be three rum 'uns.' That was the turning point in his illness. He recovered completely, and left the hospital a bright and cheerful man.

At the time, now some years ago when subscriptions were being solicited for the erection of a statue in New York city to George Washington, a gentleman called on Russell Sage to secure a contribution. On learning the object of the visit the rich man exclaimed: "Washington! Washington! Washington! Washington! Washington! Washington does not need a statue. I keep him enshrined in my heart." In vain were the caller's solicitations, and he was naturally indignant at the parsimony of the multi-millionaire. "Well, Mr. Sage" he remarked, quietly, as he rose to leave, "all I can say is, that if the Father of his Country is in the position in which you describe him, he is in a tight place."

Quizzing a boy is not always so easy

you describe him, he is in a tight place."

Quizzing a boy is not always so easy as it seems. The Cincinnati "Enquirer" gives an instance in which a business man of that city came out second best in a passage at repartee with a boy hamed Claude who looks after the hatrack in a well-known restaurant.

Mr. Smith started out of the restaurant after enjoying his meal, and was seized, as Claude handed him his hat, with the impulse to quiz the lad.

"I don't know, sir," was the answer.

"Well, then, why do you hand it to me if you don't know whether it is my hat or not?" asked Mr. Smith, sharply.

"Because, it's the one you handed to me when you came in," answered Claude.

At the watch night of the Authors'

Claude.

At the watch night of the Authors' Club on the occasion of the outgoing of the old and the incoming of the new year last winter, the subject discussed was "Fame and Its Blunders." Each member received the privilege of explaining why he was not so famous as he should be, or why some other member was more famous than he. According to the "Bookman," the late Frank Stockton, when his turn came, said that he was quite satisfied. Referring to his long drudgery upon magazines and newspapers, and his final breaking loose into literature, he illustrated his point by reciting the following lines:

There was an old monk of Siberia,

reciting the following lines:
There was an old monk of Siberia,
Whose life it grew drearier and drearier,
Till he broke from his cell
With a hell of 1 yell,
And cloped with the Mother Superior,
which lines are supposed to symbolize
Mr. Stockton's breaking away from editorial toil.

Mr. Stockton's breaking away from editorial toil.

Senator William P. Frye was once talking to the celebrated naturalist, Agassiz, of his fishing experiences. "Among my triumphs," said he, "was the capture of a speckled trout that weighed fully eight pounds." Dr. Agassiz smiled, and said: "Reserve that for the credulous and convivial circles of rod and reel celebrants, but spare the feelings of a sober scientist." Frye insisted that he was not exaggerating, but Agassiz refused to be gulled. "My dear Mr. Frye," he said, "permit me to inform you that Salvalinus fontinalis never attains that extraordinary weight. The creature you caught could not have been a speckled trout. All the authorities on iehthyology would disprave your claim." "All I can say to that," replied Senator Frye, "is that there are, then, bigger fish in Maine than are dreamed of in your noble science." The next season, while fishing in the Maine woods, Frye caught a handsome speckled trout that weighed nine pounds, and sent it to Dr. Agassiz. A few days later he tramped to the station, where he found an epigrammatic message awaiting him from the great scientist, which read: "The science of a lifetime kicked to death by a fact. Agassiz."

An Englishman went into a restaurant in a New England town, and was served for the first course with a delicacy unknown to him. So he asked the walter what it was, and the waiter replied: "It's bean soup, sir," where upon the Englishman, in high indignation, responded: "I don't care what it's been; I want to know what it is."—Philadelphia "Times."

COMFORT AND LUXURY ON THE

The efter Sothern was extremely sensitive to interruption of any sort. Seeing a man in the act of leaving his box during the delivery of one of the actor's best speeches, he shouted out: "Hi, you sir, do you know there is another act?" The offender was equal to the occasion, however. He turned to the actor and answered, cheerfully: "Oh, yes-that's why I am going!"

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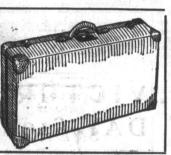
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DISTRICT DOINGS.

DRESDEN

May 15.—Do not forget the Coffee to be held this evening at the residence of Mrs. J. C. Tassie in aid of the Parsonage fund of Christ church. Miss Bernice Caldwell, of Detroit, is the guest of Miss Mabel Leonard. P. H. McEwen is removing to Petrolea, where he has assumed the management of the Petrolea "Topic." Mrs. Bodkin is removing into Mrs. J. L. H. Leonard's house. Mrs. Leonard will take an extended visit to friends during the summer. Dr. H. S. McDonald has returned from Mitchell's Bay.

TILBURY

May 15.—Local Oddfellows have accepted an invitation to participate in the annual church parade of Wheatley Lodge on Sunday, May 24th.

The family of N. Thibert removed to Windsor from Tilbury North on Monday.

Rev. Mr. Johnston lectured last evening at Cedar Springs and to-night at Turin on Life's Pilgrimage.

J. S. Richardson is putting a steam heating plant in his residence.

Married, at Forest, on Monday, May 11th, Miss Millen and Robert G. Waddell, of Tilbury East.

A. I. McColl, druggist, of Chatham, was in town on Monday closing a five year lease for a store to be erected by Henry Benglet to the south of his future store.

A couple of slick swindlers have been "doing" scores of Tilbury East farmers canvassing for a refrigerator called the "Arctic," which they represented as superior to the ordinary in that no ice was required, but that the contents were cooled with water into which an elleged chemical was put. The price was \$58, and dozens of the best farmers along the Middle Road had put their names to a note thinking they were signing an order for a refrigerator on trial. Several of these notes were disposed of at Stewart's Bank, amounting to about

\$600, before Banker Stewart's suspicions were aroused, when he refused to handle any more, and the swindlers who are working eastward are now said to be disposing of their notes in Merlin and Blenheim.

May 15.—Miss Eva Steinhoff, Miss Daisy Burgess and Miss J. Colwell were Chatham visitors Tuesday.

The Presbyterian choir enjoyed an excursion to Algonac Thursday evening on R. Luttle's launch.

Bishop Baldwin will visit Wallaceburg this week, and on Friday evening will conduct a confirmation service in the St. James Church. Special music will be rendered by the surplice choir. Mrs. Robert Burns, aged 36 years, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. B. Snively, on Tuesday morning, May 12th. Mrs. Burns was a consumptive and has spent the last few months at the home of her sister. A husband is left to mourn her loss. Mrs. Burns was the daughter of Mrs. Sauvey and a sister of Mrs. Chas. Sauvey. The remains were taken to Oil Springs, where the funeral took place.

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STREET AND THE PARTY PLANTS

SAYS HE BORROWED \$1,20 FROM SULLIVAN

On An I. O. U .- The \$900 Deposit Was Part of This-Nothing to Say About Deposit Slips.

Toronto, May 15.-The Gamey case revived in interest yes-terday, when the man from Manitoulin was called by the Commissioners to explain certain contradictions of his story. But he did not explain. He maintained that he and Frank Sullivan were paid \$3,000 on Sept. 11th, although it appeared from the testimony though it appeared from the testimony of half a dozen witnesses that it was impossible that this could have been done, as he alleged. He also said that the \$000 deposited to the credit of the Crossin Piano Company on Sept. II was borrowed from Sullivan's share of the \$3,000, and when confronted with his statement in Buffalo that he had gathered it during the summer he merely replied that he might have said so. He declined to say anything about his doings with the \$900 deposit slips, in view of threatened criminal proceedings. During the morning Judge Teetzel occupied a seat on the bench.

The Commission will meet to-day to hear the remainder of the Manitoufin witnesses respecting Mr. Gamey's campaign politics. To-morrow they will hear the result of the bank book investigation, and on Thursday next the argument will commence.

Mr. Blake, being asked whether he proposed to call Mr. Gamey, said that he did not, as the examination and cross-examination had already covered the points so far as this case is concerned.

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cerned.

Mr. Gamey, being called by the Commissioners, was asked how long he took in preparing the statement he made in the House. He said it took not over ten days, working a few hours a day. To assist him he had a small blank book assist than the lad a shall blank book anot a diary, no memorandum, but some letters. Beyond this book he had no memorandum of being paid money but this small book showed what he but this small book showed what he deposited. There was a small account book which he had at home. Absolutely no one assisted him to prepare the statement, and J. R. McGregor was the only one who read it before it was presented to the House.

He was asked if the statement in the letter of January, that at the request of his constituents he had decided to take an independent stand, was correct. He

his constituents he had decided to take an independent stand, was correct. He fenced a good deal, but fifally said it conveyed a misleading impression. After considerable pressure, he admitted the letter to The Expositor was to keep them quiet, and was misleading, just as his letters to Mr. Stratton and Mr. Whitney were misleading.

"Do you call yourself a straight Conservative?"

Mr. Gamey started a long explana-tion, but was reminded that he was not addressing a public meeting. Finally he said he was.

he said he was.

In reply to further questions he said he had a mining deal with Mr. Bristol about the beginning of September. Reminded that his story about receiving money on September II was contradicted by Nessrs. Stratton, Chase, Myers, Costalo and Sullivan, and that Mr. Bol a was with Mr. Stratton all the morning of September II, he was asked if he still adhered to it.

for it.

In explanation of the letter, he wrote to Gamey, he said the "acting manager" referred to was Mr. Alex. Smith. The phrase, "We can make a good haul," meant that he and Gamey expected to get franchises from the Government. Gamey was to get these franchises; he (Jones) was to operate

them, and they were to divide the profits. Mr. Smyth of Algoma was expected to support them in getting these franchises. He consulted Mr. Alex. Smith as to whether it would be legal to pay Gamey to get information to open up Algoma, the Soo and his own constituency, and was told it was legal. He also promised to get Gamey railway passes.

During all the time he corresponded with Gamey he had no communication with any member of the Government; in fact, it was his purpose not to let the Government know what his dealings with Gamey were. He was acting entirely on his own mitiative with Gamey. They were together for the purpose of making money in mining and timber deals. He knew nothing whatever of any negotiations between the Government and Mr. Gamey. When he wrote to Gamey, "You will be treated better than you expected," he referred to patronage. Gamey had expected only half of the patronage, but Alex. Smith said any Government supporter would get all the patronage.

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pressions in the letters was that Gamey, in conversation previously, warned him to be careful lest these letters should fall into other hands. In consequence of this understanding Gamey knew what those expressions meant. He said it was Gamey who first suggested getting money for information which would upset the Algoma and Soo elections.

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The Chancellor—I think we will ask Mr. Gamey—I just desire to say in regard to the Conmee evidence, if you will permit me, I was in Toronto between the 7th and 11th of June, and had a conversation with Conmee, as he asserts I had, at the Rossin House

had a conversation with Conmee, as he asserts I had, at the Rossin House, and the question of a smelter proposition was spoken of.

I left Toronto on the afternoon of the III hof June, and went to Sudbury, and Conmee left on the night of the 11th of June. I got on the next day on the same train as he did, on the 12th of June, and the conversation he speaks of me having with him on the train was on the 12th of June, in which he says I told him a protest was filed. I went to a banquet at Thessalon on the night of the 12th of June, and I have persons here who were at the banquet who know I referred that night to the conversation with Conmee on the train. I want to say it is utterly impossible for Conmee's statement to have been true, considering the fact that the returns for my riding were not given out by the returning officer till the 13th of June, and that the protest was not filed against me till the 14th of June.

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