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Thomas Stone & Son

We haven't been advertiseing our Millinery Department very much lately. The fact is, our workroom staff has been overwhelmed with orders during the past two weeks. We are filling each one in its turn, so to those who have not already selected their Spring Hat, we would say PLACE YOUR ORDER! So that you may have it when needed.

### Ladies' Ready-to-wear Skirts

NEW DESIGNS, made from the CORRECT CLOTHS, every one of them a guaranteed fit. Never have we shown so large a variety of good things as are in stock to-day—all of them at popular prices. For style and quality they are superior to any we have ever shown. See them before buying a "READY-TO-

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Our assortment this season comprises all the "NEW IDEAS" all the "LATEST SHADES" all the "STYLISH CLOTHS". It will pay you to see them before making your selections.

#### THOMAS ••••••

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#### LADIES, ATTENTION -SPECIAL-

### Graniteware

Choice Goods at 10c, 12c, 15c Each.

SEE OUR WEST WINDOW!!

Not more than Six Pieces sold to one person.

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### SERIOUS BLAZE AT MIDNIGHT

THE RELIABLE \*

About Five Thousand Jaen Sing's Restaurant Education Last Year Was Relapse Came On Friday Dollars Loss To The Chatham Gas Company

that the boiler or engine would be injured. The only bad result of the fire would be that a portion of the residential electric lighting service might be off for a few days, but this would be repaired as quickly as receibled.

Quite a large number were out to see the fire, and during Sunday crowds visited the gas works to see the result.

The loss will be far greater than was at first anticipated. There were

three dynamos and two exciters de-stroyed and two engines also burned, making the total loss with the build-ing, etc., fully four or five thousand dollars. This loss is fully covered by nsurance.

The fire will not in any way inter-

fere with the electric light service.
"Ill tell you," said a citizen to a Planet reporter this morning, "that Chief Pritchard is the pluckiest fire-"Til tell you," said a oftizen to a Planet reporter this morning, "that Chief Pritchard is the pluckiest fireman I ever saw, I witnessed the fire Saturday night, and I watched the actions of the firemen. They fairly took their lives in their hands, and their work was great. There is no fighting a fire from the outside and their work was great, here is no fighting a fire from the outside where Pritchard is. They have to get right in and fight from the inside where they can do the best work, and whenever there is an order to go in, Chief Pritchard is always at the head of the gang taking the lead and directine every. ing the lead and directing every accourage than any other man heard of."

#### MORTON-PRIMEAU

The wedding took place at St. Jos-The wedding took place at St. Joseph's Church this morning of Mr. Geo. F. Morton to Miss Clena Primeau, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Primeau, Wellington St. Mr. and Mrs. Morton left on the seven o'clock train for Toronto. On their return to this city city next Thursday evening, a reception will be given at Mr. Primeau's residence.

### A ROW IN EATING HOUSE

Again To Front-An Unfortunate Pedlar

Fire broke set in the engine room of the electric light department of the Chacham Gao Company's plant at 11.30 Saturday night, and raged the control. The complete control of the direction of the highly and raged that the control of the control of the direction of the control of the control

from."

Someone kindly provded the poorold gentleman with good food this
morning, and he is being made as
comfortable as possible in one of the
rooms at the depot.

John McDonald, who was charged by his employer with theft, was dis-missed, his suspended sentence being

The young man Bailey was also The young man Bailey was also allowed out on suspended sentence. His friends have raised fifty dollars of the sum he is accused of appropriating from his employer, and Bailey has promised to raise the balance. The terms of his dismissal are that if he comes up again within six months, he goes to Central.

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### Sweet Cream

Whipped Cream Ice Cream in Bricks

PHONE 186 MOUNTEER'S, KENT

### MONEY SAVED AT THE C. C. I.

Cheaper Than In Many Places

five hundred Chinamen were rendered business.

Fire started from a defective flue or stove-pipe in a house near the river bank at 3 o'cleck, and to the mining of a southwesterly gate the whole Chinese section burned to ashes. Incipient fires broke out all over the town, and for a time it seemed that Steveston would be completely wiped out before the flames were got under control. The proprietor of the Star Hotel, one hundred yards distant, offered to sell all his interest in the building for a ten-dollar bill, and could not find a buyer, yet the hotel escaped practically undamaged.

Appliances for coping with the

Appliances for coping with the outbreak were of the most primitive description, but everybody turned out to fight the fire, and it was confined to the dictort waters it ieffich fined to the district where it originated

Thousands of dolars' worth a build Thousands of dolars' worth a build-ings, stores and personal effects were destroyed, and many inhabitants bare-ly escaped with their lives. Van-couver owners of the burned build-ings estimated the loss at a high fig-

CANADA AN EMPIRE.

Outlook Says Many Canadians Favor Political Separation.

London, April 8.—(C. A. P.)—The Economist says colonial statesmen do not yet know with what profound disbelief the majority of Englishmen regard the policy with which Cham-

gard the policy with which Chamberlain's name is associated in the last few years, at the same time not suggesting that it is impossible to draw closer the bonds of union with the colonies.

The Spectator discussing reciprocity and the colonial conference, says "Surely it would be wiser for the Colonies to leave our fiscal system alone while we leave theirs alone, and let each section of the Empire manage its own commercial affairs its own

way."
The Saturday Review says "Mr.
Bryce can hardly have enjoyed his
dinner at the Canadian Club at Ot-

dinner at the Canadian Club as Cottown."

The Outlook says "Not a few Canadians agree with Judge Longley that the Dominion is an empire in itself and openly advocate the right to exist as a political entity; many more hold Longley's opinions but have not the courage to express them in public.

### MR. ST. JOHN PASSED AWAY

When All Hope Vanished

GOOD WORK OF FIREMEN POLICE COURT DOINGS AN EXCELLENT RECORD OPERATION NECESSARY

Toronto, April 8.-Hon. J. W. St. John, Speaker of the Ontario Legislature, died at noon Sunday at the Toronto General Hospital.

Wednesday, preceded by a service at the Speaker's chambers in the Legislative Building, Queen's Park, at 2

lative Building, Queen's Park, at 2 p. m.
The deceased will be given a public funeral by the Ontario Legislature.
It was two weeks ago this morning that the news of Mr. St. John's illness was made public, he having been operated on for appendicitis the night before.
On the previous Saturday night at 10 o'clock Mr. St. John was taken with pains and sought relief before retiring. Next morning he felt no better, and became confined to the house, while he sought local remedies to relieve the pain.

Operation Necessary.

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At 4 c'clock in the afternoon the family physician, Dr. Bascom, was sent for. In the evening, the Speaker becoming worse, Dr. W. P. Caven was called in consultation. His nephew, Dr. Glendinning, was also present. It was then decided that he had a very acute form of appendicitis, and that an immediate operation would give him the only chance of recovery. Accordingly, he was removed to the Toronto General Hospital in an ambulance. He arrived these at 11 p. m., when an operation was immediately performed by Dr. Bruce. The operation showed a most critical condition, as his appendix was gangrenous.



HON. J. W. ST. JOHN

Immediately after the operation, Dr. Bruce stated that the bowel was almost perforated, and that, had the operation been delayed for a few hours more, death would have resulted from gangrene.

Mr. St. John made a most satisfac-

tory recovery from the operation; so much so that, toward the end of the first week, the attending physician and Dr. John Caven considered him

out of danger.

Unfortunately, however, he was suffering from a chronic malady, diabetes, which suddenly took on an acute form last Sunday.

Friends understood then the significance of the late Speaker's rapid re-

rhends therefore their trees significance of the late Speaker's rapid reduction of weight, over which he had been wont to make merry.

Since then his life has been despaired of. He rallied, however, somewhat on Wednesday last, which improvement was maintained throughout Thursday. He had a relapse again on Friday, when he gradually passed into a condition known as diabetic coma. He died at 12 o'clock on Sunday.

day.

He was unconscious from 2 a. m.
Sunday until his death. Public Funeral.

Public Funeral.

A Cabinet meeting was held on Sunday afternoon, as soon as the Ministers had been acquainted with the news. Preliminary arrangements were made for a public funeral (to be distinguished from a state funeral).

The last public funeral in this province was that of Sir Oliver Mowat in April, 1903.

# Heart to

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30 Printed Sets, in two colors, red and green, set, \$1.50.

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29 Sets in printed colors, all complete, new shaped and good serviceable goods, best English make, \$2.00.

early and have your goods delivered any time you want them.

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We handle BLUESTONE and SULPHUR in large quantities, and we give special prices for purposes of spraying. If you intend to use any this year call on us or write for prices. The quality of our chemicals is good, and, by buying in large quantities, we are in a position to give good prices.

Temporary Premises: OPERA HOUSE BLOCK

DRUGGISTS AND

**OPTICIANS** 

### The Daily Planet

MONDAY, APRIL 8, 1907.

A GRAND STAND FIZZLE.

The thinking people of this constituency have been watching with warding the farmers' interests? considerable interest and speculation, for the outcome of one of the boldgrand stand by-play ever perpetrated tion where their hands would upon an intelligent community.

who knows, now, that it is easier to public! play for votes and popularity at a But the rublic is not so easily City Council Board, than it is to car- fooled. People in this intelligent age ry through an empty scheme for think for themselves. They believe boosting himself, from the back the Attorney-General when he says genius, feeling in his pockets and surbenches of a Provincial arliament. that the Government has been for veying the table at which he had been In the Legislature there are many some time working on the case in just looking for such professional whom the Government sympathizes worthy motives behind his actions.

impossible to even consider. In the he will do. meantime, it was heralded abroad what great things he was doing for the farmers. When the bill was brought up, it was shown that the Legislature—assisted ,by the way, by Mr. H. S. Clements, is already doing as proved by David Johnston, of Orall that it is possible to do, and McCoig withdraws his "bill" satisfied ful sufferer" he writes. "For two years she could searcely do any work that the Government is pursuing a her knuckles and joints swelled, Mr. H. S. Clements,-is already doing wise and proper course.

Mr. McCoig then announces in his party organ that he will now look up information for the Government imitate Mr. Clements, and follow in his (Mr. Clements) footsteps — for Mr. Clements has been for some time Mr. Clements has been for some time does cure, 50c. per box at all dealers. to act upon. In other words, he will past looking up valuable information for the Provincial Government on this very point. This is practically an admission on McCoig's part that all the time he spent over his "bill"

on the face of it looked to favor the farmers, but which in reality the Government could not help but find it impossible to deal with? Why was this bill noised all over the constituence? Why did certain busy but indiscrete local Liberal workers chuckle in public over what they were deluded into thinking would be

the situation when the Government would have to turn down a bill which was advertised as one forsame Liberal These thought that McCoig was placing the est and most barefaced examples of the Government in an awkward posi-

tied, as it would be legally impos-The scene has been in the Legisla- sible for them to act, and yet the ture, Toronto, the shief actor, A. B. farmers, who it was hoped would McCoig, who professes to represent not understand all the circumstances. this constituency, and the matter in would be yelling for McCoig, howlhand has been the Canada Land Com- ing for the Government to act, and pany's charter to lands in Kent refusing to listen to reason and County. It must be admitted that justice. There were spectacular the chief actor is an old stager, and visions of votes being turned in Mca man of experience and ability in Coig's direction while he and his this particular line of gallery play, but the result of the whole business up their sleeves at McCoig's clevershows that there is at least one man ness in fooling the poor innocent

more men of keen insight, who are the interests of the farmers with politicians to bob up, and unless in this matter. They believe Mr. there is something more than selfish Foy also, when he says that the Govgreed for political capital behind the ernment will continue on the case, actions of a representative, he will and the first move which will ensoon be shown his proper level, and title McCoig to any consideration, pay on publication. You see, it is the forced to back up, humiliated, and will be when he drops his impossible, start it all over again, with more hair-brained schemes, and throws his energies towards assisting the McCoig introduced a bill Government in following up the propwhich he should have known it was er course-which he now announces

#### A HARD CASE OVERCOME.

muscular rheumatism. Every case can be cured. Ferrozone is unfailing, causing torture. To get up or down stairs was impossible. She took box after box of Ferrozone and rubbed the sore places with Nerviline. Improvement started and she mend-

SMOTHERED WITH SAND.

Father and Son Working In Well When Cribwork Collapsed.

has been lost to the farmers, whose cause is a very deserving one, and should receive, promptly, the right kind of attention from their parliamentary representatives.

McCoig, therefore, starts all over from the first again, but this time the will work as an assistant to the Government in completing the work already inaugurated by them in the interests of the farmers. This is what he should have done from the first.

Mr. McCoig says his bill was not introduced for political capital. Why, then, did he introduce a bill which

#### Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SHITH

#### THE ALLUREMENT.

In the spring the city feller, Not intending any harm, Thinks to add unto his fortun He will get a chicken farm, Where the chickens, bless their Will come practicing their arts

With one rooster and a dozen Hens whose pleasure is to lay He can gather in a basket Full of eggs, he thinks, each d Some he'll sell for prices high, and the rest of them he'll fry.

Passing It On.
"Didn't you forget something?" anxiously but pleasantly asked the genial restaurant proprietor of the struggling

"Not that I know of," replied the genius, feeling in his pockets and sur-

an," explained the proprietor. "that you have forgotten to pay." careless of me not to explain! "How now. I pay on digestion. The maga-zine publishers accept my stories and only fair way. I will send you a check if the meal sets well on my stomach." And he departed, with a smile of for

Mard Work the Secret.



"I have found the

Guarded Against.
"I wear no man's collar!" exclaimed the political orator, with some vehomence, meanwhile sawing rectangular chunks out of the atmosphere.

"Possibly your roommate keep locked up," interjected an irre-

They lies Some.

"We ought to do something about these swollen fortunes. They are a menace to the country."

"That's a fact, but meanwhile the sons of the owners are doing what they can to reduce the swellings."

Live and let live is a good maxim, but live and help live is better.

#### BANNER'S COWARDICE

able experiences in the past the Banner people are again out seeking the trouble end of things. On Saturday they made a weak, sickly attempt to discredit an exclusive article which appeared in the Great Home Journal the day previous. This article had to do with the confessions of an eccentric prisoner, re cently released from the county jail.

The Banner was scooped. So next day they sent out one of their guileless tro of hard and heavy thinkers to look up a contradiction of The Planet's exclusive news item. There being no bona fide contradiction forthcoming, the embryo aspirant for reportorial fame had to return empty-handed. Thereupon, the lark grounds, with over check designs, lark days are about manufactors. Banner editors set about manufacturing a contradiction according to their own ideas. This would not their own ideas. This would have been so bad had they not have been so bad had they not resorted to their old-time, cowardly tactics of putting their words in another man's mouth. They made it appear that Chief of Police John Holmes had said what they dare not say themselves.

New Embroidered Lawns and Swisses—Fine fabrics, in white only, with mercerized embroidered designs, handsome waist or dress materials, at a yd., 20c, 25c and 35c.

say themselves.

Chief Holmes was justly amazed that the paper should so brazenly misrepresent him. Governor Davidson, of the jail, is also wondering what he has done to the Banner that they should try to make him out to

they should try to make him out to be a prevaricator.

"I never said any of the things the Banner credited me with saying," said Chief Holmes afterwards.

"That little, innocent-looking fellow who reports for them came in Saturday morning and tried to get a contradiction out of me. I told him that I could not enlighten him, as I knew very little about it, excepting! onew very little about it, excepting what I had read in The Planet the vening before. I told him to go to

Governor Davidson, as it had to do with his department."

The Banner didn't even attempt to interview Governor Davidson. Had they done so, he would have shown them the confession which this jour-nal referred to. But they apparent-ly did not want the facts. With regard to the mention of "diseased imaginations" the Banner probably does not know that its low inuendo is libellous, but we will let it pass this time providing the usual apology is forthcoming.

PITY THE BUSY OFFICE MAN.

He feels half dead, a sense of nau-ea, headache and nerve strain. He s on the verge of breakdown owing is on the verge of breakdown owing to overwork and lack of exercise. These difficulties are best overcome by Dr. Hamilton's Pills, which make the bowels active, stimulate kidneys and liver and thereby free the system of impurities.

To revitalize and stimulate your whole being, to shake off lethargy and tiredness, nothing compares with

and tiredness, nothing compares with Dr. Hamilton's Pills, which do make good looks, good spirits, god health. Sold everywhere in 25c. boxes.

#### DISASTROUS TORNADO.

Several Killed and Much Damag Done By Fierce Wind.

Done By Fierce Wind.

Alexandria, La., April 6.—Several persons were killed, many others injured, and a hundred factories, stores and dwellings were wrecked by a tornado, which passed over here yesterday. The known dead number four Thirteen persons have been taken to a hospital suffering from various injuries. Some of the injured will die. The city power plant and the Alexandria ice and cold storage plant are among the buildings wrecked.

It is a curious paradox that the more one likes a sermon the shorter he wants it.

# BANNER'S COWARDICE Unmindful of their rather unenvible experiences in the past the Come And See These Exquisite Wash Goods

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Charming Creations-daintier and prettier than ever before-such a complete range is not often seen at this season.

\*\*\*\*\* New Jap Waistings-Fine sheer fab

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New Embroidered Lawns and Swisses-Fine fabrics, in white only, handsome waist or dress materials, at a yd., 20c, 25c and 35c.

New Swiss Spot Muslins in spots and pretty figure designs, at a yd. 10c, 12 1-2, 15c, 20c and 25c they should try to make him out to 12 1-2c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c

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<u></u> New White Brocade W. istings-Rich, silky finish, in handsome designs, superior finish, at a yd. 20c, 25c, 30c

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> Correct weight and finish, warranted pure linen, 36 in. to 54 in. wide, at a

vd. 40c, 50c, 60c and 75c.

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New Victoria Lawns-39 in. to 42 in. wide, splendid values at a yd, 10c,

New Indian Lawns-Fine sheer weaves, 30 in. to 36 in. wide, at a yd., 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c and 40c

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RUSSIAN DOWAGER QUITS.

Accompanied by Queen Alexandra Calais—Precautions for Safety.

Calais—Precautions for Safety.

London, April 6.—Queen Alexandra, the Dowager Empress of Russia, and Princess Victoria, left London for the Continent yesterday. The Queen and har sister separated at Calais, the former and Princess Victoria proceeding to Toulon, where they will join King Edward, preparatory to the meeting between the latter and King Alfonso at Cartagena. The Dowager Empress will go to Biarritz.

The same extraordinary precautions were taken for the safety of the Dowager Empress as marked her arrival in England. No one was admitted to the railroad station except on written authorization and the railroad from here to Dover was closely patroled. A number of Russians who have arrived in England since the advent of the Dowager Empress have been kept under close surveillance since their landing.

WANTED-Three all round brick-yard men. Apply to David Martin, Thamesville.

WANTED — Local organizers and route men. Apply Affred Tyler, wholesale tea importer and spice grinder, London, Ont.

WANTED-At once, a married man to work on farm; good house, fur-nished; not more than a mile from Chatham. Apply Planet.

TO RENT—Six room house on Grey street, near Raleigh, with bath, gas, etc. Apply at Geo. Taylor's billiard rooms.

TO RENT-Eight room house, in good repair, large lawn, nicely situated on Baxter street. Apsituated on Baxter street. Apply to Hugh Garrett, Duluth St. TO RENT - House containing seven rooms and bath; hot water heating, electric lighting, good basement kitchen. For particulars, ap-

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Seven acres of land, with good house and stable, near city, \$1,100. Apply to

#### A BARGAIN!!

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TO RENT—On shares, a garden plot of one acre in the city. Apply to W. W. Scane.

TO RENT—Store to rent in the Glenn Block, William street. Apply to Samuel Glenn & Son.

TO RENT—Siv room.

Apply Planet.

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Is the Best

Pipe at closest prices. John H. Oldershaw

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#### TIRED AND WEARY

Mrs. Gideon J. Hamacher, New Dundee, Ont., writes: "I took your Burdock Blood Bitters for my stomach. I was very much bothered with it one spring, and was tired and weary all the time, and did not feel like working at all, but after taking the medicine I felt all right again.

#### **USED FOR YEARS**

Mr. Ambrose Logan, Smith Falls, Ont., writes-"We have used Burdock Blood Bitters in our family for years as a Spring Medicine, and find it cannot be beat. can recommend t highly, and would advise any person not

Are the Colonies Underrated.

Words of Praise



#### DISTRICT

A heavy electric storm passed through the Centre early Tuesday morning. The lightning struck a large evergreen tree about ten feet from the residence of Geo. H. Lidster and totally destroyed it.

Robert Tong has traded farms with Wm. Humphrey. They are at present moving.

Mrs. Luke and sons Will and Charles, of Bothwell, spent Easter with friends at the Centre.

Mrs. Woods and children, of London, returned home Friday after spending a few days with Mrs. John Bourne.

Bourne.
Miss Lillie Lidster and Miss Clara
Gordon were guests of Thamesville
friendss Easter Sunday.
Joseph Tinney spent Wednesday in
Chattham

Chatham.
Mrs. Scoyne, of London, has come
to spend the summer with her daugh-

ter, Mrs. John Bourne.
Mrs. John Tinney spent a few
days last week with her daughter,
Mrs. John Buchanan, of Florence.

Alma Robinson paid a visit to her grandfather, Mr. J. Robinson, recently.

The Ladies' Aid meets at Mrs. G. Lane's home on Friday of this week.

Herm. Smith has purchased three imported thoroughbred Clydesdale horses.

Dead Pilot at Boat's Wheel.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 6.—George W.
Conant was found dead in the pilot house of the packet Lorena, near East Liverpool, Ohio, yesterday.

Without a guiding hand, the big packet, filled with passengers, who were peacefully sleeping, wandered through the dense fog and was running at high speed into a rock studded pool when Captain Richardson stopped the craft.

Conant evidently exhausted his last strength trying vainly to reach the horses.

The pupils presented Miss Fletcher with an amethyst ring. Miss Fletcher has gone to Essex.

George Robinson left Monday for the West. His wife and children will remain here.

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Mrs. J. Robinson, of Wheatley, has been visiting her daughters, Mrs. Imrie and Mrs. H. Smith.

Operations still continue on the Suskey well. A bed of salt has been struck, but no oil.

Farmers are finding it very difficult to secure help for the summer.

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Flames Destroy One of the Best Kr wern Hotels in Canada.

Gananoque, April 6.—The Gananoque inn, one of the best known summer hotels in Canada, was almost completely destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. Mr. Walsh and family had a narrow escape, all the occupants being asleep at the time. They lost everything.

The farmers report the fall wheat as looking very well through this part of the county.

Miss Pearl Phillips visited Mrs. L. Truesdale last week.

The farmers are mostly through through making syrup.

Your doctor will tell you that fresh air and good food are the real cures for consumption. But often the cough is very hard. Hence, we suggest that you ask your doctor about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

We publish the formulas 2. C. Ayer Coeff all our preparations. Lowell, Mass.

SAVED ON BURNING BOAT.

HAD NARROW ESCAPES.

Dead Pilot at Boat's Wheel

Conant evidently exhausted his last strength trying vainly to reach the signal rope.

GANANOQUE INN BURNED.

between the main wing and hew notativing.

The main wing walls collapsed soon after the fire broke out.

Millionaire's Yacht Burned.

Brockville, April 6.—The handsome side-wheel yacht owned by E. P. Wilbur of South Bethlehem, Pa., a steel millionaire, was damaged by fire to the extent of \$5,000 at her winter guarters up the river. quarters up the river.

Rockwood Patients Pay. Kingston, April 6.—The Rockwood Asylum treasurer now receives thousands of dollars yearly from private sources for the maintenance of patients that formerly was not received. The aggregate amount from this quarter will reach in the neighborhood of \$60,000 during the present year. This result has been secured by the appointment of two inspectors by the Whitney Government. Kingston, April 6.-The Rockwood

Babe Sleeps Four Days.

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Brockville, April 6.—A most remarkable case of a long sleep is reported from Smith's Falls.

The three-days-old infant of Mr. and Mrs. D. Gilbert slept continuously for four days less 10 minutes. All efforts to awaken the little one were without effect, and it had to be nourished by injections. It awoke apparently well refreshed.

Municipal Elections.

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Toronto, April 6.—A suggestion made by Mr. T. H. Preston, M. P. P., for Brant, will be acted upon by the Ontario Government by submitting a referendum to the municipalities of the province. The purpose is to learn whether or not the people want to change the date of municipal elections from January to December.

Force of Habit. New Arrival—Is my wife in there? St. Peter—Yes. What are you doing? New Arrival—Merely removing my shoes before going upstairs.

The New England Conscience.

The New England conscience isn't an idea. It's an inherited disease.—

"ST. GEORGE'S BAKING POWDER is bringing lots of trade to my store."

"It keeps me busy filling up the empty places on the shelves."

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"It certainly does pay to have the best"

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MAY HAVE TO GET COOLIES.

Are the Colonies Underrated.

One hears this remark often reiterated of late, it appears to be just dawning upon the rank and file of people in this country that the pelicy of England regarding settlement of respective claims between Canada and the United States has brought into being a feeling among young Canadians, which may prove a source of trouble in the future. How far this is justified it is difficult to estimate, but the present expansion of Canadian affairs in every direction appears to be assompanied with a sort of awakening among English people as to possibilities of the change in the centre of gravity within the British Empire. This may sound bombastic and absurd, but British North America is daily approaching closer to the mother island, as the facilities for transport and communication increase, and a diminuation in the cable rates would greatly accelerate the approach of the two countries.—The Toronto News. Canada Needs Fifty Thousand Men to Construct Her Railways.

So great is the railways construction work to be carried on ih Canada during the present year that those who have the work in hand are in a desperate state of mind as to procuring the necessary labor. The lowest estimate given by contractors is that fifty thousand pick and shovel men will be needed, if the undertakings at present in view are to be gone on with. Where are these men to be had? How are they to be procured? To Bring John Chinaman.

For months the idea has been aflost that the railway companies will use

The names by which seams are trongered that the railway companies will use their combined influence at Ottawa te secure permission for the bringing in of Chinese coolies by the shipload to engage in this work on the understanding that the men will be deported when the work is done. In the British Columbia elections some of the Conservative speakers declared that the whole matter had been secretly arranged with the Ottawas Government to the satisfaction of the Grand Trunk Pacific, at least; that a contract had been entered into between that railway and a certain company whose agent was already in China booking thousands of men; that those men would be landed from ships at Prince Rupert and would then been gaged for railway work, thus evading the Alien Labor law. But this would not evade the necessity for each coolie to pay down \$500 as an admission fee to the country, and it is said that the Government will be asked to suspend, the collection of this head tax.

Work Must Not Stand Still.

Pick and shovel men are needed in great numbers. There is no getting away from the fact that the ordinary supply will not answer. So far as onganized labor is concerned there is no sense in disputing facts evident to all. Something must be done to permit the country to make progress fresh with renewed vigor, but after a time the granized labor is concerned there is no sense in disputing facts evident to all. Something must be done to permit the country to make progress fresh with renewed vigor, but after a time the protection of the heads of the dealers of labor object to the bringing to the properson of the dealers of labor object to the bringing to the properson of the country to make progress fresh with renewed vigor, but after a time the seals they give birth to their young, and for the next three transports the islands are one huge nur-Alarmist Reports.

English newspapers are full of alarmist reports of the cold in Canada and the fuel famine in the Northwest, and there is a strong suspicion that some of the cables received are "inspired" by the anti-emigration party in this country, and American steamship agents who recognize that the tide of emigration is turning strongly to Canadian ports. Words of Praise

For the several ingredients of which Dr. Pierce's medicines are composed, as given by leaders in all the several schools of medicine, should have far more weight than any amount of non-professional testimonials. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has the badder of Ronesty on every bottle-wrapper, in a full list of all its ingredients printed in plain English.

If you are an invalid woman and suffer from frequent headache, backache, gnawing distress in stomach, periodical pains, disagregable, catarrhal, pelvic drain, drasging down distress in lower abdomen or pelvic, perhaps dark spots or specks

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The hashital, surgeon's kinfe and operating table may be avoided by the timely use of "Favorite Prescription" in such cases. Thereby the obnoxious examinations and local treatments of the family physician can be avoided and a thorough course of successful treatment carried out in the privacy of the home. "Favorite Prescription is composed of the very best native medicinal roots known to medical allments, contains no alcohol and no harmful or habit-forming drugs.

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You can't afford to accept a special nature as a substitute for this remady of known composition.

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets the best laxative and regulator of the bowels. One a laxative; two or three a cathartic. Easy to take as candy. all. Something must be done to permit the country to make progress during 1967: What can be done? If the leaders of labor object to the bringing in of the cheap labor, the inferior blood and low morals of China, what are they prepared to assent to? There is work to be done and no workers to do it. If the labor unions will recommend nothing and assent to nothing, something will be done whether blesy like it or lump it. Their wisest locures, then, would seem to be to assent to the plan least objectionable from their point of view, which sure it would be the bringing in of a specified number of white men from Europe under contract to perform a specified number of white men from Europe under contract to perform a specified work and then be deported the whole operation to be under the eye of the fair-wage officer of that department of Labor and under the eye of the fair-wage officer of that department. Let us at least have white men, an army of whom could be secured in Great Britania alone.

A Few Years Hence.
As she tipteed into the bedroom her husband raised his head from the pil-

"Mrs. Jay was here to see you," he murmured. "She said she'd call again some other evening." "And what did you tell her, John?"
the wife asked as she laid her money and latch key on the bureau. "Oh," he answered, "I just gave her the address of your club."

"Is your family entertaining this season?" inquired the society devotee.

"Well," answered Mr. Cumrox,
"mother and the girls seem kind of amusing to me, but everybody elseseems to take 'em' seriouzly." Mionard's Liniment -Lumberman's

Away with delay! It always in-jures those that are prepared.

A NORTHERN ROOKERY.

the Seals Go About Setting

Up House.

There are many kinds of seals, including sea-lions hair-seals, and furseals, the latter being the most valuable from a commercial point of view. During the breeding season great numbers make their homes on the Pribyloff Islands, in Behring Sea, and hither with wonderful instinct hundreds of thousands of seals steer their course through thousands of miles of sea at the appointed time. The names by which seals are known are very strange. A male seal, over six years of age, is a "bull," his wives are "cows," their young are "pups," males under aix years of age are "bachelors"; further, a swarm of them is called a "herd," and during the great seal season they congregate in "rookeries." Up House.

Bachelers Previde Furs.

By the middle of September the old bulls have departed, and these are soon followed by the females and the young who have now learned to swim. The seal skin of commerce is obtained ehiefly from the backs of the "bachelors." They are not at all timid, and it is an easy matter for three or four men to enter a herd in the early morning, pick out the finest specimens, and drive them inland to the killing ground. They are killed by being hit on the head with heavy oak bludgeons, so that the skins are not injured in any way.

To Prevent Sore Shoulders.

To prevent sore shoulders of working horses H. E. Cook recommends perfectly fitting collars, fitted to the shoulders by working the horse in them after a thorough soaking of the collars. He would avoid sweat pads under all circumstances, except where they become absolutely necessary because of lack of properly fitting collars.

Water For Horses.
One of the most important items in the welfare of a horse is a plentiful supply of pure, fresh water. Water should be given the first thing in the morning, and it should be offered the last thing at night when the final round of the barn is made.

Meeting the Deficiency.

Man is growing shorter,
So the doctors say.

Oar straps must be longer

Or they'll idly swar.



Liverpool Wheat Futures Closed Low

er, Chicago Higher Live Stock
-The Latest Quotations. Friday, Evening, April 5.
Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day, Md.
lower to Md higher than yesterday, and
corn fetures Md to Md, higher,
At Chicago May wheat closed 1%c higher than yesterday, May sorn Me higher than yesterday, May sorn Me higher,
and May outs Mc higher.

Winnipeg Options.
Follossing were the closing quotations yesterding on Winnipeg futures: Wiest.
April 75%c bid, May 75%c bid, July 77%c bid, May 36%c bid, May 36%c bid, July 35%c bid, July 35%c bid,

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

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1 verpool, April 5.—Whatt-Spot, No. 1

2 vestern winter, steady, 6s 2½d; No. 1

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Corn—Spot American mixed, old, firm, 4s, 9d.

4s 1½d; American mixed; old, firm, 4s, 9d.

Futures steady; May 4s 5d, July 4s 5d,

Spot, 4s, 4½d.

Bacon—Cumberland ent quiet, 49s; short

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New York Dairy Market New York Dairy Market.

New York April 5. Butter Steady, unchanged; receipts, 4291.

Cheese Firm unchanged; receipts, 731.

Rgga Irregular; state, Pennsylvania and neasby brown and mixed, firsts to extra firsts, 16%c to 17/3c; western firsts, 16%c to 17/4c; western firsts, 16%c, 7c; official prices, 16%c to 16%c; seconds, 15%c to 16c. Receipts, 23,568.

#### CATTLE MARKETS.

Market Firm and Steady.

East Buffalo Cattle Market. East Buffalo Cattle Market.

East Buffalo, April 5...Cattle. Receipts, 125 head; good demand and strong; prime steers, \$5.60 to \$6.10.

Veals—Receipts, 1650 head; active and steady, \$4.50 to \$9.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 9000 head; active and steady; heavy, mixed and yorkers, \$7.20.

10.57.25; pigs. \$7.15; reaghs, \$6 to \$8.35; args, \$4.75 to \$5.28.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 10,000 head; slow; sheep steady; lambs, 25c lower; lambs, 35 to \$8.75; a few, \$9.90; yearlings, \$7.75; to \$8.25; sheep, mixed, \$3 to \$6.25; sheep, mixed, \$3 to \$6.25;

New York Live Stock.

New York April 5 — Beeves — Receipta, 3359; steers slow to 10c lower; bulls steady; cows 5c to 10c off; steers, 4,90 to 84,355 bulls, \$3.50 to \$4.65; cows, \$1.60 to \$2.35 Exports to morrow, 908 cattle, 20, sheep and 4940 quarters of beef.

Calves — Receipts, 56; veals shout steady; veals, \$5 to \$9; no choice veals here. Sheep and Lambs — Beecipts, 1916; sheep almost nominal, but steady; choice lambs firm; medium grades dull; medium sheep, \$5; good to choice lambs, \$3.75 to \$8,90; clipped do, \$7.25.

Hogs — Receipts, 1615; market firm; state and Pennsylvania hogs, \$7.25 to \$7.40.

Chicago Live Stock.

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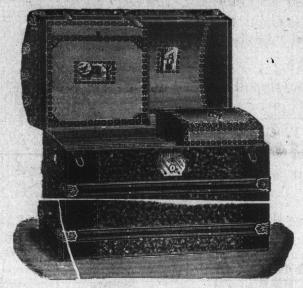
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#### LOCAL

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Miss Kate McColl, who has been spending her holidays at her home, returned to Kalamazoo to-day.

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Ed. Palmer, conductor on the G. T. R., Windsor, who has been off duty for a month owing to illness, returned home to-day.

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Radley's Remewere fifty years graceful, to say the least of it.

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#### POSITIVELY THE LAST DAY

Of the auction sale at E. J. Mac-Intyre's. Now is your time to buy goods at your own prices. Special sale of cut glass this afternoon and to-night; also gold and silver head-ed umbrellas, knives, forks, spoons and clocks.

#### A SUDDEN DEATH

Mrs. Alice C. H. Trewin, aged 57 years, 5 months and 27 days, passed away at her home on Thames St. yesterday morning.

Deceased was feeling quite well yesterday morning, and ate a hearty breakfast. She was walking across the room when she suddenly dropped dead. It is thought that death was due to the bursting of a bloodvessel in her head.

She has been living here for about six months and was very highly re-

six months and was very highly respected. Her former home was at Cedar Springs.

Cedar Springs.

She leaves her husband and a grown-up family to mourn the loss

The funeral will take place to-morrow at ten o'clock from her fate residence. Interment will be made in the Union Cemetery, Lake Shore road, Raleigh. The bereaved have the sympathy of a large circle of friends

#### STREET LIGHTS WERE OUT

There were complaints from citizens this morning relative to the street lights being out last night. Last night the streets were so black that one could not see two feet ahead. When the church services were over, people attending had to dies are still as grope their way home through inpopular as they stinct rather than by sense of sight.

The condition of affairs was dis-

graceful, to say the least of it.

Ald. Potter, chairman of the Property committee, when interviewed this morning, said that the cause of the lights not being on, lay in the fact that the department is out of carbons. A shipment of carbons was ordered on March 23, but owing to a delay on the part of the G. T. R. in forwarding them, they have not yet arrived. He says that the department is not at fault, as under existing circumstances they were helpless to do anything.

Ald. Potter telegraphed to Toronto this morning to have a shipment of carbons sent on at once.

It is easy to make enemies, but hard to convert them into friends again.

Bigotry is eften second-hand con-

#### DEATH'S CALL

Master George T. Lovejoy, aged two years and five months, son of and Mrs. Harry O. Lovejoy, Grand avenue, died Saturday even-

The fittle boy was taken ill a few days ago with diphtheria and suffered greatly until death came.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon to Mapre Leaf cemetery, Rev. Mr. Hodgins conducting the service. The bereaved have the sympathy of a large number of friends in their sore affliction.

Charles Edward Cram, the infant son of George Cram, Park street, passed away on Saturday afternoon after a short illnerss.

Deceased was eight months old and was afflicted with pneumonia. He was only sick for a few days.

The funeral will take place this afternoon at two o'clock. Interment in Maple Leaf cemetery.

#### MANY ANIMALS BURNED.

Horses and Cattle Die In Barns Near

Thorold, Ont., April 8.—A disastrous fire occurred Saturday night in Thorold Township, resulting in the entire wiping out of the extensive barns of William Vanderburg, whose place is on the Canboro road. Six horses and several head of cattle were burned, together with all the hay the barns contained and some chickens.

Mr. Vanderburg was awakened by the bright glare from the flames, and already the building were completely wrapped in fire. He tried to get the live stock out by chopping the stable doors down, but it was too late to save them. The loss will be probably \$3,000, which is partly covered by insurance.

The cause of the fire is a mystery, but it is supposed that tramps who had gone there to pass the night set the hay on fire with their pipes. The barn was one of the largest in the county

#### HORSLEY REPUDIATED.

British Medical Men Issue a Pro Alcoholic Manifesto.

Alcoholic Manifesto.

London, April 8.—The pro-alcohol manifesto recently issued by several prominent medical men is believed to be merely a counterblast to Victor Horsley's address in Toronto last year. It is stated Horsley offended numerous medical men by asserting that the profession universally shared his view as to the use of alcohol.

Sliver Destreys Finger.

Brockville, April 8.—A. Prosser of Cardinal lost a finger in a pecuiar manner. He picked a sliver which had become embedded under a fingernail. Complications set in and it was found necessary to amputate the finger.

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### Macaulay

#### AFRICA POLICE

Relations With the Boers Most Cordial, Says Steele.

London, April 8.—( C. A. P.)—Col. S. B. Steele in an interview stated that the relations of the South African Constabulary with the Boers were as cordial as those of the famous Northwest Mounted Police, all the men behaved like true gentlemen and the respect felt for them greatly added to their efficiency. Col. Steele also dwelt on the necessity of mutual confidence between officers and men in scouting.

Steel Plant Shut Down.

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Lorain, Ohio, April 8.—Notices were posted at the mills of the United States Steel Corporation here Saturday that the plant would be shut down for two weeks, for repairs, beginning Saturday night. This will affect 8,000 men.

It is said that most of the employes of the great plant are union men. The enforced idleness of so many men at this time may have an effect upon the strike at the shippards.

That the city authorities think so is shown by an order of Mayor King to Captain Cove of Company B. to keep his company at the armory under arms until further orders.

#### Escapes the Chair.

Albany, April 8.—On the recommendation of the Court of Appeal, Governor Hughes Saturday commuted to life imprisonment the sentence of death imposed upon Leonardo Broncado of New York City, who was convicted of murder in the first degree.

Broncado shot and killed Francesco Broncado in Inna 1 1906 in New York Lapaglia June 1, 1906, in New York City. The evidence was to the effect that Lapaglia threatened Broncado or several occasions and assaulted him before the fatal shot was fired.

Dr. Drummond Dead.

Cobalt, April 8.—Dr. Drummond died at his residence at the Drummond mine at 10.40 o'clock Saturday morn-

He never regained consciousness from the time he was stricken with paralysis last Monday, and no hope has really been entertained. His wife and brother, T. J. Drummond, were with him when he died.

Deceased was 53 years old.

Saugus, Mass., April 8.—Two were burned to death in a fire destroyed the H. B. Newhall Tide destroyed the H. B. Newhall ruge min early Saturday, causing a loss of \$25,-000. The dead men are Oscar Ellis and Michael Desmond, both of Mal-den. The bodies were found near a chimney where the men were in the habit of sleeping.

Torpedo Boats Active.
Toulon, April 8.—All the torpedoboat destroyers here show signs of
activity, and the squadron has been
ordered to hold itself in readiness to
go to Marseilles to carry the Corsican
and Algerian mails in the event of
an outbreak of the threatened seamen's strikes. men's strikes.

Cheese Factory Burned.
Brockville, April 8.—The J. B. Wilson cheese factory at Willowbank was burned to the ground. It was valued at \$2,000 and insured for \$1,200.

Australia Will Compete.
London, April 8.—(C. A. P.)—Australia is sending a team to compete for the Kolapore Cup at Bisley in July.

Schooner Ashore.

Norfolk, Va., April 8.—The schooner
Laura L. Sprague of Marblehead,
Mass., is reported ashore off Ocracoke Inlet, N. C., late Saturday. She
carries a crew of six or seven men.

Asylum Patient Found Dead. Brockville, April 8.—When the guard was making his rounds at the asylum for insane Saturday evening, he discovered Samuel Pollock of Corn-

Keep Minard's Liniment in the

Success brings many to ruin.



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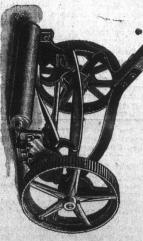
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Ladies' Shirt Waist Set, with eyelet embroidered front, collar and cuffs, very fine organdie, at \$2.00 each.

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Ladies' linen shirt waist set, with embroidered front, collar and cuffs, guaranteed pure linen, all hand work, at \$2.75

Ladies blouse sets, with silk embroidered front, collar and cuffs, 21/2 yds. of 40 inch material in each piece, at \$2.50 each. Ladies' Blouse sets of fine Persian lawn, with hand work silk embroidered front, cuffs and collars, in different patterns,

#### Another Lot of Carriages Baby and Go-Carts

Fresh from the largest factory in America, just placed on our floor within the past few days. They are the newest American designs, in closely woven reed bodies, full steel auto gears, with best quality tempered steel springs, patent friction brake and rubber tired wheels. This year we have carried out the idea of not having any two alike and you may buy any carriage in our stock and be sure no one else in the city will have one exactly like yours.



at \$3.25 each.

New Design Baby Carrlages Closely woven reed body with full roll reed around the top. The upholster-ing is of the best quality silk plush, auto steel gear, wite 5% inch rubber tired wheels, choice of either genuine satin or lace colered parasol. price \$21.50

Pullman Sleeper

A combination of the Carriage and Go-Cart, combining the best features of both, a full reclining back, auto gear with rubber tires, price......\$14.50

English Go-Cart

Painted a dark green, a folding and reclining cart, upholstered & fitted with a good quality parasols......\$8.50

These are only a few—we have many more—at a price and design to suit, and remember "NO TWO ALIKE."

Kent County's Largest Retailers

### **SCRUB** BRUSHES

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We sell the good kind only. Ours will last a long time and will not go to pieces in the water. We have them hard, medium and soft. Prices are low-5c, 10c, 20c, 25c.

**AMMONIA** 10c a package.

GOLD DUST 5c, 10c, 25c.

SAPOLIO

DUTCH CLEANSER 10 cents

BROOMS 25C, 30C.

KEEN'S BLUE 25c a pound.

St. Lawrence Starch is good-3 pounds for 25c.

### H. Malcolmson

1847 **ROGERS** KNIVES & FORKS \$5.00 a Set

POILE - Jeweller ! 

## Houseclean ing Supplies'

We know we can assist you in your housecleaning troubles. Notice this list. We have many others besides these.

Ousters Window Cleaners

"New Era" Prepared Paint
"Liquid Veneer'
Polishes Glass Tack Pulls Hammers Picture Wire Tacks Moulding Hooks Carpet Bea Brass Curtain Rings
Nails Canvas Gloves
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Guaranteed 5 years. WEATHER PROOF,

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We have had our first show SPRING MILLINERY Our Millinery Opening as the greatest success in years. The sales beat all our former seasons.

We heard many flattering remarks that we had me of the prettiest collections of. WEARABLE HATS

C. A. COOKSLEY KING STREET

#### TO-NIGHT

Western City Lodge, I. O. O. F. Sons of England, in their hall, at Council meeting, Harrison Hall, at

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

### LOCAL

Miss Park, Adelaide street, is visit Mrs. M. Whitley is spending a few

Frank Coatsworth will leave short-

J. C. Stewart has returned from sit to friends in Sandwich.

Miss Mae Taylor, Park street,

seriously ill in St. Joseph's Hospital. Miss Mae Pierce, of Sarnia, is the Miss Daisy Hewson, Kirk street, is gaest of Miss O. B. Poile, Raleigh ill at the Public General Hospital. Quail on Toast is the best 5 cent Cigar in the market — made by

Mrs. Holmes, of Walkerville, visited her sister, Mrs. Goodland, for a few days last week.

Kalsomine and paint brushes of all kinds at dissolution sale prices. Phone 6. George Stephens, D. H. Douglas.

Trunks and telescopes are being sold off cheap at Cowan's "Going out of Business" sale. Geo. Langford, of Kent Bridge, has

returned from Florida, where he has been staying since New Years. Remember the concert to be given Friday April 12, in Providence Metho-dist church. (Chatham talent will

Plan for Will J. White concert Thursday evening, April 11th, opens to-morrow at ten a. m. at F. H. Brisco's store.

THE CANADY BANK OF COM-MERCE IS PAYING INTEREST ON SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS QUAR-TERLY.

Wm. Hayden, formerly of Welling-ton street, this city, now of Toronte, was in the city calling on friends Saturday.

Miss Mabel Birch returned to

Miss Mittie McKay has returned to her home in Botany after spending her Easter holida's with her sister, Mrs. Ezra Burr, Charteris street. MILK WANTED—From ten to fif-ty gallons of new milk, every morn-ing, by electric car, express or de-livered at The Maple City Cream-

Wm. Leake, of Grand avenue west,

The water proof,
FIRE PROOF.

This well is situated two miles southeast of the other weils so far located.

The quarterly report from the County jail shows that 1,156 days were put in by prisoners in that institution from January 1 to March 31, this year. The total number of days put in during the whole of lego was only 2,645. The cause of the great increase lies in the fact that during the last quarter 55 days were put in by prisoners on long terms, who have been awaiting removal to Central.

Norton, Church, Bowlby and Benotheast corner of lot 29, concession 4, and the southwest corner of lot 29, concession 4, and the southwest corner of lot 29, concession 4, and the southwest corner of lot 29, concession 5, in the Township of Romney. The wells are near the greatest family remedy on earth. It does you good going and coming. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

The youth who surrenders himself to a great ideal himself becomes in the market — made by O'Brien of the corner of health.

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MONEY TO LOAN \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

James Sterling, of Blenheim, was in the city Saturday on business. Suit cases from \$1.25 up at Cowan's "Going out of Business" sale.

wm. Blight, who has been visit-ing his daughter, Mrs. Parsons of Cleveland, has returned home.

Wanted-Young lady with experi-Cigar in the market — made by O'Brien Bros.

Geo. McKenzie, of McKenzie Bros.

onfectionery, has returned from

onfectionery, has returned from a business trip to Toronto.

A few good working and driving horses for sale. Geo. Stephens, D.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ferguson, of West Lorne, are spending their honeymoor in this city, the guests of Mrs. W. W. Snider, McKeough avenue.

Large, handsome lilies 25c.; magnificent spiraeas 25c., at Victoria Avenue Green Houses. All plants delivered.

#### **GROW ONTARIO WHEAT**

Why do not the farmers of Ontario grow more wheat? Why do not the people of Ontario buy blended flours, containing their own home-grown

Manitoba wheat flour makes a big, strong loat, but the bread is coarse, and is neither as inviting in appear-ance nor pleasing in taste, as that ton street, this city, now of Poronte, was in the city calling on Irlends
Saturday.

Miss Mabel Birch returned to Kingsville Saturday evening, after having spent the Easter vacation at her home in this city.

Miss Mittie McKay has returned to the facts, helping the Makes the service and service and is neither as mixing in taste, as that made of a blended flour. When it comes right down to quality, blended flour makes the best bread and pastry in the world. Yet many of our own people are using Manitoba flour not aware of the facts, helping the Maister transfer to control to the facts, helping the Maister transfer as the control of the facts, helping the Maister as the control of the facts, as that made of a blended flour. When it comes right down to quality, blended flour makes the best bread and pastry in the world. Yet many of our own people are using Manitoba flour on pleasing in taste, as that made of a blended flour.

not aware of the facts, helping the Manitoba farmer to get richer, and driving the Ontario farmer to raising less profitable crops.

Toronto seems to be about the only place in this province that really knows the worth of blended flour. And it is largely due to the efforts of one man—Geroge Weston, the baker—that this is the case. When Manitoba wareat flour first appeared. Manitoba wneat flour first appeared Wm. Leake, of Grand avenue west, has sold his fifty acre farm on the 2nd concession, Dover, to Mr. Harborn, who lives on a farm adjoining.

At that time Weston was running only two ovens, He thought born, who lives on a farm adjoining.

You can save part of your railway fare in buying your trunk or suit case at Oowan's "Going out of Business" sale.

Frank Bechard, formerly of this city, now of Montreal, is in the city calling on friends. Frank is doing well and says that he likes Montreal fine.

Mr. J. W. Plewes will be unable to conduct the spelling match on Thursday evening, as he has been called to Toronto. Mr. O. L. Lewis has kindly consented to take his place.

running only two ovens. He thought there were enough people in Toronto who would appreciate the difference between quantity and quality, and he determined to bake a real old-time, home-made loaf, using a blended flour. When he finished his first baking, he found that the loaf was grocers, asked them to offer it to their customers, and if it was not sold that he would take it back. The next day every loaf was gone, and the grocers had orders for twice as much. In a week he had to start new has kindly consented to take his place.

House to rent, corner of Joseph and Selkirk streets, North Chatham; four bedrooms with closets; many four bedrooms with clos

Tag is the greatest family remedy on earth. It does you good going and coming. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

A. f. McCall & Co.

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The youth was to mothers. Don't let your children waste away. They can be have over 3.000 have four more wells drilling in the field which are expected in next week. They have over 3.000 have four more wells drilling in the field which are expected in the field.

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STRICTLY PRIVATE YOUR MARRIAGE LIGENSE MED WEDDING RING VONGUNTEN'S

#### DROPPED 200 FEET

Engineer Falls From High Chimn But Escapes Injury.

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Chicago, April 8.—John Nagel, a constructing engineer, fell from the top of a 200-foot chimney at the Standard Steel Car Works in Hammond on Saturday, but in his fall he struck a projecting scaffold on the cutside about 25 feet from the top, which enabled him to grasp a plank, thus saving his life.

Nagel was in charge of the building of the giant smokestack, and in order to see the progress he ascended to the top of the structure in a drop bucket. When the bucket neared the top the man in charge of the hoisting engine below failed to perceive Nagel's signal to stop, and the engineer was thrown over the edge of the narrow aperture above.

His fall was witnessed by hundreds of workmen on surrounding buildings, whose attention was drawn to the top of the towering chimney by Nagel's cries. He escaped practically unburt, but the other men on the smokestack were so unnerved that they could not work for some time.

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CURED BY THE SHOCK.

Insane Patients Recovered After Passing of Tornade.

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New Orleans, April 8.—Several of the inmates of the State Insane Asylum at Jackson, La., may be discharged as cured within a short time as a result of the tornado.

When the physicians restored order and were able to make an examination the remarkable discovery was made that several of the patients had been virtually cured by shock. These men and women had been suffering from what is known as chronic hysteria. Some of them were in very bad shape just before the tornado, and the keepers believed they would be tenants for a long time. But a sudden change, which the doctors believe will prove permanent recovery. lieve will prove permanent recovery, came after the first shock of the catas-

BODY FOUND ON TRACK.

Dr. McQueen, an Edinburgh Physician, Killed.

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Winnipeg, April 8.—Dr. McQueen, a physician, whose home was in Edinburgh, Scotland, was killed on the C. P. R. near Gonor, east of here, Saturday night, either by falling out of the car window or off the platform of the delayed express. Nobody saw the accident, and nothing was known of it until the crew of the express yesterday found the body and brought it to Winnipeg. The dead man's hat was found a few yards beyond the body, and it is surmised it blew off, and in endeavoring to recover it he lost his balance and fell to his death in the darkness. He had no friends here, and members of the medical profession have taken charge of the remains. He was about 35 years of age.

MURDER AT EDMONTON? Body of George Wood Found In a Pool

of Blood.

Edmonton, Alta., April 8.—In a shack where he and his two chums, Dick Hood and John Peacock, had lived together for some time, the body of George Wood, a carpenter, was found in a pool of blood Saturday morning. There was a wound on the back of the head, and a man named Albert Jones informs the police that, during a drunken row, he saw Hood strike Wood on the head with a bottle, at the same time exclaiming, "You beat this afternoon, but I will do you now." Hood, Peacock and John Pepper are under arrest. of Blood.

FAST TRAIN WRECKED.

Pennsylvania Fiyer Purposely Ditched Near Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 8.—Train No. 322, eastbound, the fastest train on the Pennsylvania R. R. between Pittsburg and Cleveland, was wrecked Saturday near Hudson, Ohio, 123 miles west of here. None of the passengers

west of here. None of the passengers were injured, but the fireman, who jumped when the accident occurred, and was seriously injured.

According to the railroad officials, the train was purposely wrecked. An investigation disclosed that the attempt made by the wreckers was the same used several times in this vicinity recently. cinity recently.

Team On Cow Catcher.
Cobalt, April 8.—Saturday afternoon the northbound mail train running at full speed just outside Cobalt station struck a sleigh and team belonging to Nipissing mine. The driver, named McDonald, jumped and got clear, but the horses and sleigh were carried for about a hundred feet before going down grade. They were not badly hurt, but the sleigh had to be fused out from under the cowcatcher.

Fire At Lion's Head. Lion's Head, April 8.—The Royal Hotel and stables, owned by A. Mor-rin, also the dwelling house of T. A. Burin, with most of the contents, were destroyed by Saturday morning; cause unknown. Both buildings were

A young man named George Webster, while endeavoring to help quench the flames, fell from a ladder and broke his leg.

Suicides From Ferry.

Quebee, April 8.—A young man about 24 years old, named Joseph Picard, from Cacouna, fell from the ferry boat between Quebec and Levis, about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon and was drowned. His body has not yet been recovered. It seems to be a case of suicide.

It is disgraceful to stumble thrice

### ....... GORDON'S COUNTERS COVERED WITH CHOICE SPRING MERCHANDISE

The Standard Fashion Bargain Centre for County and City.

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Lace Curtains

Rauging in price a pair 30c to \$10. Nottingham Lace, Irish Point, beautiful Batteaburgh Curtains Very Special Curtain, finished top, small pattern knotted edge, at \$1.00.

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Curtainings

Ruffled, Arabian and plain and dotted Bobbinette, frilled curtainings, from a yd. 16c to 50c, Mualins, in checks, coin spots, sprays, fleur de lis, stripes white and colored, from 8c to 50c

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#### \*\*\*\*\*\* Panama Cloths

separate skirts, fine all-wool, special weights, colors in navy, browns, blacks and creams, bargains per yard 50c, 60c and 75c. +++++++++++++++++++++

#### T ++++++++++++++++++++ Shepherd Checks

Complete range and assortment of large and small checks for ladies' costumes, skirts and girls' dresses, at very special prices 25c, 35c, 42c, 59c, 75c, \$1,00 and \$1.25.

#### . 4444444444444 Imported Tweed

for spring wear, plaids & stripes, in new shades, greys, gun metal and fancy, very special values,

#### Spring tweeds, novelty checks

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per yd 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25. 1------ +++++++++++++++ **Wool Voiles** 

New arrivals in Priestley's and French Voiles, fine and course weaves, a range of the most choice we have ever shown, our special prices 39c, 50c, 65c, 75c, 90c, \$1.15.

#### **\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*** Spring Jackets

Fine fawn covert coats, satin lined throughout, strapped and braided, reg. \$7.50 for \$6.00. Black Cloth Spring Jackets, Stylish Black Silk Coats, \$12.5 to \$16.50. \*+++++++++++++++++++

#### ++++++++++++++++++++++++<u>T</u> Dress Skirts

Shepherd's Plaid Skirts. Accordian pleated, in black and navy, very stylish. Light grey & fawn all wool, pleated and buttoned trimmed, at \$3,75. Black and navy cloth \$1,68 and up. 1 ++++++++++++++++

#### I +++++++++++++++++<u>+</u>I **Bed Room**

White Spreads, specials 75c to \$6.00. Ready-to-use Sheets and Pillow Slips, white & unbleach-ed Sheetings. Pillow Cotton, all widths. Scarfs and Diessers and Towals

#### 1. 4444444444444444 White Muslin Shirt Waists

A splendid assortment, with long or short sleeves, wide insertion on front, tucked backs, \$1.00. Finer, with embroidery and valencienne insertion on front, tuck backs, \$1.50. Finer, back and front richly embroidered, \$2. We shant try to discribe our surprisingly beautiful waists at \$2.50 to \$3.50.

Standard Fashion Pattern Depot. WILLIAM GORDON Agent for the Standard Designs. 

#### GIVE THE FACTS

There was a very large attendance at the service in the First Presby-terian Church last evening. Rev. terian Church last evening. Rev. Mr. MacGillivray, the active and earnest young pastor, preached an excellent sermon on a theme which appeals to everyone. His remarks were very pointed indeed and clearly brought out, and were concluded with an evangelistic appeal to his hearers. During the course of his remarks, and illustrative of a point he wished to bring out in his sermon, he quoted what a prominent remarks, and illustrative of a point he wished to bring out in his sermon, he quoted what a prominent journalist had said to him a short time ago, that one of the chief things in life was to get at the facts. Let the true facts be brought out and given to the public, and let them be the judges of what remedies to prescribe for wrong doing. It is very seldom that a wrong verdict is given under these circumstances, for the people can generally be depended upon to speak out for right and justice. One of the lamentable features in public life to-day, said the speaker, is the fact that the true condition of affairs is kept dark. What the people should have in the administration of their affairs are the facts as they really are. Give the people the bare facts, and let them be the judge of what really should be done. Their judgment can be depended upon, but they are not in a position to give free indgment. snould be done. Their judgment can be depended upon, but they are not in a position to give free judgment when all of the particulars are not at their diagonal

when all of the particulars are not at their disposal.

During the service two splendid Easter anthems were rendered by the excellent choir, and a male quartet, "We'll Never Say Good-bye in Heaven," given by Messrs. Smith, Angus, Smith and Wilson. This selection was rendered as being particularly suitable, owing to the passing away on Friday of James Farquharson, who had been a member and constant attendant at the First Presbyterian Church.

The motto of the Famous Scotts Greys is: "Second to None." The Veteran's Sure Cure Medicine Company, Limited, guarantee that the Veteran's Sure Cure is Second to None as a cure for Rheumatism, Backache, Dyspepsia, Kidney and Liver Diseases, and Heart Failure. As a household emergency medicine there is no equal. Use it for Croup, Cramps, Cuts, Burns, Sore Throat, Diphtheria, Neuralgia, Toothache, Headache, etc. You will find it just as we represent, Prices: 350 doses \$1.04; 150 doses 50 cents. Sent anywhere. Office Scane's Block, King street, Chatham. Also for sale by all druggists. W. K. Merrifield, Manager.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS Sealed bulk and separate tenders will be received at the offices of the undersigned up till Monday, April 15th, for all trades necessary in the erection of a brick, stone and frame hotel for Messrs. Hogan & Hoy. Plans, etc., can be seen at the offices of the undersigned on and after

fices of the undersignaturday. 'April 6th. HOGAN & HOY, J. L. WILSON & SON,

### PARROTS WANTED

Have you a talking Parrot to sell? Tell us the breed, age, color and list of words your bird will say. Write at once stating lowest cash price and address, COTTOM BIRD SEED,

9 Bathurst St., - London, Ontario Minard's Liniment cures Dandruff where

### SPECIAL SALE OF GROCERIES AT JACQUES GROCERY.

CORNER RALEIGH AND CROSS STREETS.

COMMENCING SATURDAY, APRIL 6th TO APRIL 20th; THESE PRICES ARE FOR CASH ONLY.

4 Tins Pumpkins, 25c.

4 Tins Peas, 25c.

4 Tins Beans, 25c. 3 Tlns Tomatoes, 25c 10c Tin Fresh Herring, 5c.

7 Tins Sardines, 25c. 10c Tins Ham, Tongue and Chicken

C.
7 Bars Naphtha Soap, 25c.
7 Pgs. Soap Chips, 25c.
Dish Cloth Soap, 18c.
25c Tin Smoked Beef, 20c.
Libby's and Heinz's Soup, 10c.
20c Tins Heinz's Pork and Beans 10c.
1b. Best English Mustard, 20c.

We give Special Prices on Olives, Pickles, and Heinz's Catsup.

TELEPHONE, 240.

#### Auction Sale Of Household Furniture

Andrew Thomson has structions from Thomas Battram, structions from Thomas Battram, Esq., Agent for the Metropolitan Company, who is Life Insurance Company, who is thought to be structured to the company to the structure of the

tet, "We'll Never Say Good-bye in Heaven," given by Messrs. Smith, Angus, Smith and Wilson. This selection was rendered as being particularly suitable, owing to the passing away on Friday of James Farquharson, who had been a member and constant attendant at the First Presbyterian Church.

PROVED AFTER FIFTY YEARS.

The test of time has proved that Putnam's Corn Extractor cures quicker, with less discomfort and more thoroughly than anything else. Contains no acids, is purely vegetable and absolutely guaranteed. Insist on Putnam's only—it's the best.

Some people don't know how hard it is to be good because they never tried.

Esq., Agent for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, who is leaving the city for New York, to sell without reserve all his house-hold effects, at his residence, Ursuline Ave., in one of Thomas French's new houses, on Friday. April 12th, commencing at one o'clock, consisting of the following:—One parlor suit; three parlor tables; blinds and curtains; pictures; rockers; jardiniers, and also plants; one fine coal stove, nearly new; couch; two fancy parlor lamps; student's chair; book case and books; expension table; Happy Thought range, with water front, in fine condition; fine fot of dishes; glass-ware; fruit in jars; a very fine walnut bedroom set, a beauty, mattress and spring; three bedroom carpets and two other very nice bedroom sets, with mattress and spring; three bedroom carpets and two other very nice bedroom sets, with mattress and desk; a couch; vapor bath cabinet; toilet sets; hievele: lawn mower; garden combination of the country to the courts sets; bicycle; lawn mower; garden tools; tubs, etc., fruit jars, and other tools; tubs, etc., fruit jars, and other country to men-

The Dominion Bank will in future pay interest on Savings Deposits four times a year, namely, March 31st, June 30th, Sept. 30th and Dec. 31st, at Highest Current Rates.

#### HOUSES FOR SALE. \$2,000.-Modern brick, centrally

General Insurance.
Office: Market Building. 'Phone 195

Minard's Liniment for Sale Every-

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4 Pgs. Jelly Powder, 250. Paper Tubs, \$1.00. Wooden Tubs, all sizes, 600. Lamp Glasses, all sizes, 50. Lantern Globes 7c, 4 for 25c.

3 Pgs. Powdered Ammonia, 230

10c Cans Syrup, 8c-25c Pail Syrup, 20c-35c Tins Boned Chicken, 25c-25c Bottle Stove Pipe Varnish, 15c-

### JACQUES, Proprietor.

### Will J. White

Andrew Thomson has received in

tools, tubs, etc., fruit jars, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Remember day and date — Friday, April 12th, Ursuline Ave.

THOMAS BATTRAM,

Proprietor.

ANDREW THOMSON, Austioneer.

#### THE DOMINION BANK

It is always a bad thing to have too much of a good thing.

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\$1.600.—Frame, with bath and barn.
\$1,200.—Pretty Cottage on St.
Clair Street, nearly new.
\$1 000—Cottage, North Chatham, with
barn, a bargain,
\$900.—New Cottage, Fatterson Ave.,
large lot.

W. W. SNIDER,

# 3 Pgs. Fowdered Almonta, 3 Pgs. Klenzine, 200. 10c Tumblers Baking Powder, 70. 15c Tins Ham and Veal Loaf, 10c. 25c Bottle Lime Juice, 10c. Nonsuch Stove Polish; 80. 1 lb. Tins Corn Beef, 13c. 2 lb. Tins Corn Beef, 23c.

# TORONTO'S COMEDIAN

The Fun Maker of Canada, will appear for the first time in Chatham at the Concert given in the BRISCO OPERA HOUSE

HUNTER'S CHORUS From "Robin Hood," with MR. SAM'L SLADE, of Detroit MISS JEANMcDONALD, of Ridgetown READER.

Thursday Ev'g, April 11

MR. O. L. LEWIS will conduct a Spelling Match—Business Men vs. Professional Men. Ladies' Quartette—Mrs. John Cooper, Miss Flora McGeorge,Mrs. Bogart, Miss Florence Schwemler Miss Flossie Bogart, Accompanist. Tickets 35, 25 and 10 cents

BRISCO OPERA HOUSE

MR. CARTER .. Presents JULIA GRAY

Wednesday, April 10th

-and-The Criterion Players his remarkable English Epi-grammatic Comedy

Shadows Of The Past Prices-25c, 35c, 50c, 75c

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I am agent for several first class companies, and would be pleased to quote rates at any time. Better to have it a ways and not need it, han to need it once and not have it.

ARTHUR J. DUNN, Real Estate and Insura

Fifth St., Next Harrison Hall. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*



### DISTRICT

Mr. Percy Chinnick, of the Standard Bank staff, spent Good Friday

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Suitor spent a few days last week in London Our popular teacher, Miss Elma Daniels, is spending the Easter holi-days with her parents in Alvinston.

Mr. Will Lenover visited relatives Windsor last Sunday. Miss Anna Chinnick was the guest of Miss Helene and Bertha Teskey, Chatham, for a couple of days last

weather a large crowd turned out. This being the last meeting, the usual debate was dispensed with and the program committee had charge the program committee had charge of the evening. They are to be congratulated on the excellent program provided. Those who assisted are Mrs. John Rhodes, Miss Maimie Lee, Misses Margaret and Anna Chinnick, Messrs. Carl Suitor, Cecil Illman, Arthur Tilley and J. Bodington. Mr. James Chimick filled the chair in his usual capable manner, and at the close thanked all those who had so kindly helped the newly organized society along, and newly organized society along, and also hoped that there would be as lively interest taken when the so-ciety met again—the first Thursday in October. The evening then closed with the National Anthem.

week.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Davidson spent
Easter Sunday and Monday with
friends in St. Thomas.
The Debating Society held a very
successful meeting last Thursday
night. In spite of the unfavorable

Faithfulness is the highest commendation that one can bestow upon
another. Position does not affect it.
The faithful man, whether he sweeps
the streets or owns them, is God's
highest type of manhoon.



Miss Mae Purvis has returned to her home, after spending the winter in Detroit.

Burchiel.

The farmers he spring plowing.

few weeks with roads very bad again.

spent Sunday with his brother, Will Burchiel.

The farmers have commenced their

her home, after spending the winter in Detroit.

Cyril Lampman, of Courtright, and Mr. Will Heathe, of Wallaceburg, spent Easter holidays with relatives here.

Grid Mr. Mrs. Ben Smith are rejoicing over the birth of a son.

Quite a few attended the party at Mr. John Nevill's last Tuesday evening.

Omar Cumming, of Toronto, spent
Easter with his parents here.
Robt. Keown has been quite ill at ter with friends in o'Fronto.

Mark Rogers is visiting at the parsonage this week.
The heavy rain last week made the roads very bad again.

after spending a few weeks with friends in Wardsville.

John Storey, of Kansas, arrived here on Friday to see his mother, who is seriously ill.

George Burchiel, of Blenheim, Sunday at home.

Toads very bad again.

Mrs. Henry Lampman spent a few days last week with friends in Blenheim.

Mr. Ross and L. Cumming spent Sunday at home.

Eased His Conscience An amusing story is related of Johns Hopkins. Honesty was evidently one of the fundamental traits of his character. On one occasion he was sent by his mother to borrow a flatiron of a

> fered him a piece of pie.
>
> "No, thank you. I don't want any pie," said the red faced boy as he started home. Halfway there the pie and his conscience were too much for him. He wheeled about and knocked again at the neighbor's door, his face redder than ever. "I told you a story," he explained; "I did want that pie."

First Farm Servant—Why did the farmer's wife give you notice? Sec-

### A GALLOWS MYSTERY ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

John Lee's Remarkable Experi-

ence on the Scaffold.

FACED DEATH THREE TIMES.

And Three Times the Trap, Which Had

Previously Been Tested and Found In Good Working Order, Refused to Open When the Bolt Was Drawn.

ever witnessed on the gallows took place in England in the last century.

Barly on the morning of Feb. 23, 1885, a considerable crowd of people

gathered before the grim front of Ex

eter prison. It was a silent crowd, shivering in the keen wind that blew

around those frowning walls on that

dull, misty morning, and its eyes were all bent on a flagstaff which stood bare

They were waiting for a flag to be hoisted—the terrible black flag which

should announce that justice had been

done on a murderer.
Inside the prison a warder stood

ready, holding in his hand the cord

drapery lying on the ground at his feet,

but the signal did not come. Instead

of it there arrived an excited prison

"The flag will not be hoisted. Lee

John Lee, the prisoner whose death

signal that crowd had awaited, had had one of the most remarkable escapes from capital punishment record-

ed in our prison history. To this day it remains somewhat of a mystery how John Lee lived so many years after the events of that terrible morn-

ing.
"I had a dream," the wretched man

fearful experience on the scaffold-"I

had a dream on Sunday night (the night before the day fixed for the exe-

cution) that the scaffold was not ready and that they had to make another.

I told the officers that were on watch

over me at 6 o'clock in the morning, but I did not think it was coming true.

But it did. It was the Lord's will that

I should not die yesterday at the time appointed by man. I believe what oc-

curred was a miracle. I was on the brink of death three times. It is my wish to die. I am tired of this world,

and I am waiting for the time to come, and I hope it will not be long. I have

At 8 in the morning of that Febru-

ary day he had been led from his cell to die. In what had been the coach

house of the prison the gallows had been erected. Beneath was a deep pit covered by the closed doors, which,

when the condemned man was placed in proper position, should, at a signal

from the executioner, fly open, a bolt being withdrawn by an assistant pull-ing a lever. The whole arrangement

had been tested several times and had

worked satisfactorily. But now, with

John Lee standing there with the cap

drawn over his face and the hangman's rope around his neck, the flap doors beneath his feet would not give way!

Berry made the fatal signal, the assistant pulled the lever, the bolt flew back.

but the doors kept their place. Then warders rushed forward and stamped with their feet upon the doors. They remained firm. Lee was led aside, and

carpenters were called in to saw some

of the woodwork away. Again all was

Three times did that happen. For no

fewer than eighteen minutes Lee stood there tasting the agony of momenta-

rily expected death.

Then the white cap was taken from

his face and the rope from around his neck, and he was led back to prison, while the jail authorities hastily conferred as to what should be done. A

telegram was dispatched to the home secretary, Sir William Harcourt, in-

forming him of the extraordinary oc-

currence and requesting instructions. Later the undersheriff proceeded to

later in the house of commons, "that it

yould shock the feelings of every one

undergo the pangs of imminent death, and I consequently signed a respite during her majesty's pleasure."

London to interview the secretary.

"I felt," said Sir William Har

if this man were called upon to

refused to part.

been dead to this world three times." John Lee did not exaggerate his aw-

ful experience.

will not be hanged today," he said.

should hoist the hideous black

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#### TO DUTY AND DEATH.

Another Name Added to the Roll of Canada's Noble Women.

Montreal has many stately monu-nents, but there is need for another ments, but there is need for another in one of the most conspicuous places in the city. No braver deed is to be found in Canadian annals than that of Sarah Maxwell, the schoolmistress of Hochelaga, who on Tuesday gave her life for her pupils. The story is Homeric in its simplicity says The Globe.

Globe.

In these few terrible minutes one In those few terrible minutes one woman was at work, untiring, unflinching. One after another she carried the little ones out to the windows and to safety, groping her way back each time to rescue those behind. There was not time to carry them down the narrow stairway. It was impassable with smoke and flames. Burned, blinded and bruised, she still battled with the smoke and flame until after handing out one little girl, the agony she suffered forced her to cry out, "Oh, I am burning."

But even then she did not hesitate for a moment. Back she went into the blistering heat and the roaring smoke, where, groping in search of others, whom she could not see, but whom she knew had not been saved, Fireman Benoit found her as he climbed the ladder and broke in one of the windows of the second story, himself almost blinded by the smoke and

windows of the second story, himself almost blinded by the smoke and badly scorched by the terrible heat. He cried to her to come out and save herself while there was yet time, but

he stayed on.

To the poet, the statesman and the soldier Canada has raised not a few fine monuments of bronze. These men are worthy of remembrance, but not more worthy, not nearly "so worthy most of them" of having their names reason or imperiable to blets as this reason or imperiable to blets as this graven on imperishable tablets as this girl, who with the agonized cry, "I'm burning," went back to duty and death.

"I'd rather be dead than suffer again the tortures of insomnia, palpitation and nervous twitching of my muscles induced by simple neglect of a little indigestion." These are the forceful and warning words of a lady, who proclaims that her ready. The clergyman ence more came to the words, "In the midst of life we are in death." Again the signal was a lady who proclaims that her by South American Nervine to the words, "In the midst of life we are in death." Again the signal was given, the bar was pulled, but the doors, a modern miracle. A few doses gives a modern miracle. A few doses gives 79 relief. 79
Sold by W. W. Turner, Chatham. John Lee stood there before them

Legend of the White Sky Calf. The Kiowa Indians have a queer story of the "white sky calf." According to the legend, that portion of the American desert was formerly very fertile, supporting large herds of pure white buffaloes, each having a black tail. These creatures were held sacred by the savages and never killed for any purpose. Finally an old medicine man, Ne-ka-ta-mah, vowed would have a tepee built from the sacred white skins. The chiefs of the tribe tried hard to dissuade him from the notion, but all to no purpose. He declared that he would commence to collect the skins on the morrow. During the night a great white light ap-peared in the sky and in its center a white buffalo calf. The calf slowly descended to the earth, took charge of the herds, leading them northward, and from that day to this the Kiowas have never seen a white buffalo.

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## Won by a Violin.

By EPES W. SARGENT.

Avard clambered up through the trap leading from the music room with the same intolerable feeling of disgust that always filled his soul when it came time to take his place beside the leader

He hated it all, the endless procession of sidewalk comedians, serio comics, sketch artists, trained dogs and all the other component parts of the vaudeville show. He had come to America fresh from

of the Odeon orchestra.

the conservatory, with visions of a concert tournee that should make him famous. They told him that America was a land of money; that there people set up night for an emperium; to ple sat up nights for an opportunity to hear some great artist.

Instead, he had discovered that only those heralded by a skillful promoter stood any chance. He was glad to get an occasional engagement for some small-concerts, and even these grew less and less frequent as the season

Then had come that awful time when, penniless and hungry, he faced the realization that he could never hope for success. He was too proud to go back home a failure, and he thankfully accepted an opening in a concert hall, where he, a pianist and a cornet player comprised the orchestra.

Benson had found him there one night when he dropped in to see the proprietor. Benson had played violin there himself before he had become a bandmaster, with a blue and gold band at a summer resort, and he dropped in at intervals for old times' sake

He called Avard over to his table and offered him a place in his orchestra in the fall, when the season opened, so ever since September Avard had sat beside Benson playing first violin. He loathed it all, but it was better than

the concert hall, and he was grateful, But this afternoon he was gloomy. A great artist, one with whom he had studied, was giving a matinee, and some one had told him how the people were thronging to the hall. Their master had declared Avard to be the better, yet Herman drew the crowds.

Monday was always a bad day. The music sheets, some of them yellow with age and filthy with dirt, were hard to read. Rehearsal had been more or less of a farce, and he scarcely noticed the performance. Then sud-denly a voice broke on his ears, and he looked up in wonder.

A mere girl stood in the gleam of the spot light. She could not be more than sixteen or seventeen, but from her throat there poured tones of crystal purity. The voice was unplaced and unschooled, but she had a natural gift for singing, and her tones had not yet become hardened through overwork. The music thrilled him through and through, and once or twice he broke in his accompaniment. Long after she left the stage she still occupied his thoughts, and as he started to leave the theater after the matinee she confronted him at the top of the stairs. "What did you crab my act for?" she

demanded "I am sorry, mademoiselle," he said, with humility. "But such a voice—in vaudeville. The surprise was too great. I faltered."

"It looked as if you were scared," she agreed, mollified at the compliment.
"But don't you do it again."

"I protest that I shall offend no more," he assured, and she turned to the elderly woman who hovered in the

"Come on, ma," she called. didn't do it a-purpose. I knocked him off his pins; that's all. Come on."

She passed out of the stage door, and Avard followed slowly. Into his life love had come. He could forgive the uncouth speech for the sake of the voice, and Gertie Clayton, "phenominal" (she invariably misspelled the word) soprano, had become a goddess

like tones, as a drunkard imbibes his tipple. Saturday night, when the engagement closed, he left a single rose, perfect in its loveliness, with the door-keeper, to be given her as she left. She was gone when the show was over, and he hurried to the doorkeeper

for his report. "What did mademoiselle say?" he demanded eagerly.

"'Stingy,' "grinned the unsympathetic soul, and Avard slowly passed out.
But the slight was forgotten the next day, and only the memory of that per-fect voice remained. From the press agent he begged one of her photo-graphs, and when he came home at night, tired and disheartened, he looked upon her youthful face and seemed to hear again the liquid sweetness of her

It was several months before she came again. Avard feared that perhaps the hard work, the singing in smoke filled music halls, had spoiled her tones, but she did not strain for high notes, and her voice retained its clarity and freshness.

It seemed an interminable time after he took his place before she came on, and again after her appearance the moments dragged woefully, but they were to be endured for the sake of those momentary uplifts to paradise, and he was content.
Several times, when the sketches

were on, he left his place and prowled about the stage in the hope of gaining speech with her, but she always was dressed and out before the sketch brought him an intermission from his

As the week progressed these repeat-

ed disappointments preyed upon him, and he grew more and more gloomy. Saturday night came all too soon, and it was with an aching heart that he opened her music to play her accompaniment for the last time,

Gertie had put in a new song to try the last night. It was a popular ballad, one that had just come out, cheap ly constructed, but with a slow melodic chorus. They had tried it over in the music room before the performance, and he had liked it then. Now the mel-ody seemed to fill his heart, and he put all of his artistic soul into the in-terpretation of the chorus. The other musicians, as if by common impulse, lowered their instruments, and the walling tones of the violin formed such a perfect accompaniment to the voice that as the strains swelled out the audience suddenly grew quiet. Twice the chorus was repeated, and the ba-thos of the words became pathos when sung to the sobbing accompaniment of the violin. Now the chorus was ended,

and the singer looked up expectantly.

For a moment the audience sat silent as if in the presence of death. Then a great outburst of applause swept down from the gallery, to be met with a demonstration from the lower floor Three times Benson played over the "vamp"—the short symphony between the verses—before the house became quiet again. Then Gertie began, and quiet again. Then Gertie began, and the house was hushed. At the chorus the other players settled back, and once more the duet between violin and voice thrilled the hearers. Again the applause thundered out. The singer bowed repeatedly, but still the hand clapping continued, and she leaned over the footlights. "Get up and take a bow," she shouted. "Push him up,

The leader guided Avard to his feet, and he stood there, abashed by the sensation he had created. Three times they repeated the double chorus, and then the stage manager had to ring up in the next act and hold the curtain up before the house would

Presently the call boy poked his head through the trap and handed a note to Benson. He turned to Avard. "Miss Clayton wants to see you in her dress-ing room," he said. "Never mind this act. I can get along."

Weak and trembling from the reaction, Avard slipped out of the orches-tra pit and presently presented himself before the singer.

"What's your name?" she demanded curiously.

"Pierre Avard," he said hesitatingly. "Sounds good for the bills," she said critically. "Say, we'd make a great team, something like the three Du-monds' stunt—street singers, you know. I'll fix Benson all right. Will you "Mademoiselle wishes my services?"

he asked haltingly, unwilling to believe that such good fortune could be true. "Sure thing!" she confirmed. "We "Sure thing!" she confirmed.

"Sure tining!" she commed. We stopped the show. We'll be headliners. Want to double up?" "Double up?" he repeated wonderingly, "Mademoiselle does me the honor of proposing a matrimonial alli-

Gertie eyed him curiously. To double up meant to form a team. Then an idea came to her. "I guess so," she answered carelessly. "It'll keep some other dame from getting her

hooks on you."

Benson summed up the situation lat-

er over his nightcap.
"It's a good thing for both of them,"
he declared oracularly. "He'll keep her straight and do something with her voice. He's too much in love with her to realize what a silly little fool she is. By the time she's really ready to fall in love he'll be there to be fallen n love with. Here's luck to 'em."

And they all drained their glasses.

Animals Never Commit Suicide. I do not believe that animals ever commit suicide. I do not believe that they have any notions of death, or take any note of time, or ever put up any bluff game, or ever deliberate together, or form plans, or forecast the seasons. They may practice deception, as when a bird feigns lameness or paralysis to decoy you away from her nest, but this, of course, is instinctive and not conscious deception. There is at times something that suggests co-operation among them, as wh hunt in relays, as they are said to do, or when they hunt in couples, one en-gaging the quarry in front, while the other assaults it from the rear, or when quail roost upon the ground in a ring their tails to the center, their heads outward, or as when cattle or horses form a circle when attacked in the open by wild beasts, the cattle with their heads outward and the horses with their heels. Of course all this is instinctive and not the result of de-liberation. The horse always turns his tail to the storm as well, and cows and steers, if I remember rightly, turn their heads.—John Burroughs in Outing.

It Puzzled Him.

"When going through a big apart-ment house the other day looking for a friend I came across something fun-ny," said the busy woman. "I read the names of all the tenants on the doors as I passed from floor to floor, and by and by I came to one card that said, J. Fitzgerald and wife.' I have been puzzling ever since over the significance of that card. Had J. Fitzgerald only recently taken unto himself a wife, and was he anxious to advertise the fact, or had Mrs. Fitzgerald a mind of her own, and did she insist upon recognition, or-but I give it up. What did it mean anyhow?" - New or-but I give it up. York Globe.

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# neighbor. The good neighbor gave him the flatiron and at the same time of-

ond Farm Servant—She said I was no good for anything. I couldn't even mind the sheep. So I am going into the town to be a nursemaid.

Riches are like sea water, the more you drink the thirstier you become.— Schopenhauer.

#### Humor and Philosophy By DUNCAN M. SMITE

#### PERT PARAGRAPHS.

Without help from the outside, gan

of them won't go without a hint looks like a No. 11 boot.

You never suspect that some men are extlemen until they tell you, and then requently you do not suspect it very

A millionaire may safely wear a fea Bar suit, but no one short of a bil-naire dare wear celluloid cuffs.



Don't tell your troubles to the man in love. He doesn't believe that there

You seldom bear of a country that ins of not having enough weather in March. You hear about giving the devil his

due, but don't ever get the idea that you owe the gentleman anything. Outfit man with wings and he will be kicking because he hasn't fins also.

Too many cooks spoil not only the broth, but everything else they touch.

He may be rough and rugged And all those things express, But man, the hero, always flies To beauty in distress, For he is ever willing To come without delay And help to turn her music When she sits down to play.

When she is gayly strolling When she is gayly stroning
Along the ocean sand
And idly looking at the sea
You'll find him close at hand
Te do the heavy lifting
If some is to be dons,
Like holding her umbrella
To shield her from the sun.

And if the doctor tells her That she must take the air He'll gladiy do the driving And have an arm to spare. To make the ride seem pleasa And show his good intent He'll give her lots of taffy That doem't cost a cent.

When she is having trouble
He's always on the spot
To thwart the heavy viliain
And complicate the plot,
To be the lovely hero,
Nor is it all a bluff,
For he will even marry her
If she has cash enough.



"Papa, tell me a fairy story." "Can't. I don't know any. Why, John," chipped in the maternal parent, "you know you used to tell them to me by the yard before we were married."

Modernized.

"He has offered me a deadly insult," cried the excited man-"a deadly insult, and I will have revenge!"
"Revenge is it?" replied his even ed friend "What are you er ing to do? Send him a picture postal

"No; I will make him eat his words."
"But his words? There is nothing original about that. Why don't you bring your revenge up to date and bring your revenge up to date is make him swallow his false teeth?

Misjudged. "Isn't that a glorious sunset!" ex-claimed the gushing young visitor from

the city. "Say, now," replied her companion with some spirit, "I hope you don't take me for one of them artist fellers just because I have my store clothes

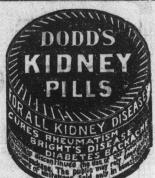
Not a Courtship.

"You cannot see the doctor now. He is engaged."
"I don't care if he is engaged!" thundered the matter of fact woman. "I don't want to marry him. I simply came to consult him on professional

Who Can It Be? The seeds from congressmen are free We're told, and so they seem to be, But it's a bet 'twixt you and me That some one pays the bill.

Well Matched.
"How did his lawsuit turn out?" "The jury disagreed."
"It was mighty hard to determine which side had the smartest lawyer in

What Other Object. "When she is away from home she writes to her husband every day." "Does she need money as often as that?" asked the cynical old bachelor.



model schools. Those with ten years' experience and holding arts certificates, and those under ten who were bachelors of pedagogy, it was suggested, should receive inspectors' certificates. Those over 55 should receive a money compensation.

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Ottawa Ministers Protest.

Ottawa, April 6.—The Ottawa Ministerial Association vesterday mailed a communication to Hon. J. P. Whitney, protesting against the proposed legislation restricting the number who can oppose the holding of horse

races.
The Lord's Day Alliance of Ottawa the Lord's Day Alignee of Ottawa has notified the Attorney-General that there are complaints here of men working seven days a week at shunting, despatching and other work connected with railways contrary to the Lord's Day Act.

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Blizzard In Saskatchewan

Regina, Sask., April 6.—Saskatchewan yesterday was in the grip of what probably is the last blizzard of the longest winter on record. Traffic again is at a standstill.

is at a standstill.

Farmers are clamoring for their seeders and harrows. Most of this northern implement business is handled from Regina, where all the big houses have warehouses. Unless a spell of fine weather comes before the spring floods there is every prospect. spring floods there is every prospect that northern traffic will be interrupt-ed in the Qu'Appelle Valley until after seeding operations.

They scowled and looked sour from

They both take Rocky Mountain drowsiness stole over him. A. T. McCall & Co.

Gaynor-Green Re-Trial Asked.

New Orleans, April 6.—A new trial was asked for Green and Gaynor yesterday by P. W. Meldrum, who made the closing argument for the defendants in their appeal to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

A lazy liver may be only a tired liver, or a starved liver. A stick is all right for the back of a lazy man. But it would be a savage as twelf as a stupid thing to beat a weary man or a starving man because he tagged in his work. So in treating the lagging liver it is a freeting the lagging liver it is a cause he fugged in his work. So in treating the lagging liver it is a great mistake to lash it with draspers that clattered around the Rolfes' supper table he saw with tied drugs. In ninety-nine cases out of a hundred a torpid or sluggish liver is but a symptom of difference in the Rolfes' supper table he saw with quickening interest that the girl of the non hour was filting about the kitchen, passing huge platters of bread and stone jugs of foaming milk. Wainwright had leisure to observe that she had brown eyes and wavy brown hair colled low upon her neck.

When supper was over the other farm hands strolled off toward the and nutrition. Put them in proper working order, and see how quickly your liver will become active and energetic. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has made many marvelous cures of "liver trouble" by its wonderful control of the organs of digestion and nutrition. It restores the normal activity of the stomach, increases the secretions of the blood-making glands, cleanses the system from poisonous accumulations, and so relieves the liver of large. She's as quick and handy as

Wainwright's Experiment.

> By Constance D'Arcy Mackay.

It was noon. The July sun blazed down over the hayfields and flickered across the group of men who lolled be neath the trees enjoying their first rest

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after a morning of toll. Wainwright sat a little apart from the others and mopped his forehead. The muscles of his arms and shoulders ached from unaccustomed labor. Yet as he looked at

Model Teachers Left Out.

Toronto, April 4.—Hon. Dr. Pyne told a deputation yesterday that the model school teachers displaced by the new arrangements would be promoted to normal school positions where possible. A pension scheme might be considered in the future.

The deputation which spoke for the training section of the Educational Association, was introduced by Vice-Principal Dearness, London. It was pointed out that many teachers would be left idle by the abolition of the model schools. Those with ten years experience and holding arts certification. And so much is man a were forgotten. And so much is man a his first two weeks on the road not one of Wainwright's old confreres would have recognized him. His clothes had lost their hall marks of good tailoring and become frayed and dusty. His



"PLEASE DON'T STOP!" SHE CRIED. shoes were out at heel, his hat almost

But Wainwright was young and vigorous and had a keen relish for adven-ture. He liked the freedom of the highway, the quest of picking up odd jobs at the scattered farmhouses along the route, the deep sleep of the travel weary in dim, sweet scented haylofts or, oftener still, in the open, with the stars shimmering through the branches of

It was the harvest season. was work in plenty, and in time Wain-wright quitted his hand to mouth vagabondage for the sobering occupation of harvester on the Rolfe farm, he was to receive a dollar a day and bed and board. The first morning's labor had proved more exhausting than he had anticipated, but Wainwright kept on doggedly, though each hour added fresh blisters to his hands and made the scythe seem heavier to wield. The midday rest brought an ecstasy of relief.

"This," thought Wainwright as he stretched himself in the shade—"this is worth a dozen hotel verandas!" The rustle of leaves, the talk of the men near by and the drone of insects morn till night,
They never would agree;
Now they are healthy, happy and bright,

are hy and the drone of insects through the warm air all blended into a confused murmur. An unconquerable drowsiness stole over him.

"Won't you have some dinner?" said a voice beside him, and Wainwright, opening his eyes, looked up at a girl who might have been Priscilla, so de-mure was her blue dress and white kerchief. She wore a frilled sunbonnet, and Wainwright wished that he might see the face it hid, but his desire remained ungratified, for after tion to the next man and from that went impartially down the line. The men fell to at once. Wainwright alone stared after the sunbonneted figure that tripped across the field and took the orchard path leading to the Rolfe

the blood-making glands, cleanses the system from poisonous accumulations, and so relieves the liver of the burdens imposed upon it by the defection of other organs. Formula printed on wrapper.

It's generally the other fellow altitude ways gets licked.

It's generally the other fellow altitude ways gets licked. think she could do much. But, land, she's a hustler!" Indeed, so absorbed It is much pleasanter to skip a be's a hustler!" Indeed, so absorbed was Mary in her work that Wainboard bill than to walk the plank.

wright only saw her at mealtimes. wright only saw her at meatures. Even then she merely stopped for a pleasant word or nod.

But one Sunday night when Wainwright sat alone on the back porch strumming at a guitar a white dress

glimmered in the doorway, and presently Mary came out and sat down. "Please don't stop!" she cried as Wainwright smothered the last chord of a college giee. "I'm very fond of

thought Wainwright, and he deftly led her on to speak of herself. She was fond of reading, she confessed, and knew many of the poets by heart. Her taste in literature was as simple as it was fine, and the more she spoke the more Wainwright wondered, for she seemed utterly content with her present occupation.

"Any work that is done well is beau-

tiful," she declared earnestly, and, though her allusions to herself were delicately reticent, Wainwright found it easy to picture her primitive life, rimitive and yet not humdrum. Her ove of nature and beauty forbade that. "What a wonderful country it is,"

mused Wainwright, "where even the rustics have ideas of their own and a vivid way of expressing them." Marv's personality was the most challenging and illuminating one that he had dis overed so far, and descriptions of her In the days that followed he found

that if he helped Mary with the sup-per dishes the longer they would have to sit on the porch in the cool of the evening. So while she splashed the suds he polished plates and cups and quoted his favorite authors. Afterward they would stroll together down the orchard path, watching the first stars and listening to the eerie notes of the whippoorwill, a pleasant state of affairs destined to end abruptly, for Wainwright returned from the fields one evening to find Mrs. Rolfe alone in

the kitchen. Mary was gone.
"Had a letter from one of her folks," said the farmer, "and she went right off. Wouldn't take a cent of her pay 'cause she left so sudden." Wainwright looked blank,

"Didn't she leave any address?" he "Said she'd write," answered Rolfe laconically.

"But wasn't there any message?" persisted Wainwright,
"Not a word," said Farmer Rolfe

biscuits for supper, but Wainwright had lost his appetite. He stood on the back porch in the afterglow, and everything seemed strangely deserted. Mary had gone, and something of the joy of living had gone with her. Existence seemed suddenly very tame and dull to the young professor. He was conscious of emotions not classified in his notebook.

"I must have overworked," he said listlessly to himself as he sat on the Leffingwells' veranda a week later. It was sundown. A breeze swept up from the Hudson, and a tall glass of wright's hand.

Leffingwell, of whose house party he was a guest, sat near him in wicker chair and chatted irrepressi-

oly.
"We've had an inkling of your exploits," she said, "and will expect a full account of them. Tonight there's a girl coming to dine who's awfully fond of that sort of thing. She spent the summer working on a farm where she met the most extraordinary young harvester that— There she is now!" Mary, in a white lace dress, was

oming slowly across the lawn.
"You didn't leave me any message said Wainwright reproachfully the mo ment after their hostess had left them alone together, "but I have one for you. I wonder if you will care to hear it?"

"You might try and see," suggested Mary demurely.
When dinner was at its gayest, Mrs.

Leffingwell turned to Wainwright. "Do you think," she said, "that your experiment was a success?

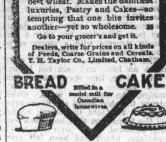
Wainwright's eyes met Mary's in a comprehending flash.

"The greatest I've ever had," he answered, smiling.

A Curious Bird Mistake. Many birds frequenting flowers for honey or insects are thus liable to get their heads covered with pollen. And since the pollen of different flowers varies in color, a bird may become yel-low headed, red headed, blue headed, etc., says the London Globe. This led to a curious mistake in the case of a New Zealand bird. This bird was a honey sucker and a haunter of flowers. Now, in the early summer it visited most frequently the flowers of the na-tive flax and later in the year fed chief-ly on the fuchsia. The pollen of the former is red and of the latter blue; hence in the early summer the bird appeared with a red head and was named the red headed honey sucker. But when later in the year it went to the fuchsia its head was stained blue, and it was called the blue headed honey sucker. Thus for a long time this bird was thought to be two distinct species, and only recently was it found that the red headed and the blue headed were one and the same and that the real color of the head was blackish brown.

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es on our breakfast table. "My boy," said he, "see what comes of going to law in Great Britain! Your mother has told you that I have won my suit in chancery? 'Yes. papa."

"Well, then, look! That is all I get of it," and he pointed grimly at the

I opened wide my eyes. "All you get whole suit?" I echoed with a ouzzled air, convinced that a suit in chancery was composed, as other suits are, of a coat, waistcoat and trousers. Why, papa, those are only the but

It was this deplorable joke that earned me my sixpence, for my father, laughing, tossed me one across the table, and I rushed off with it like a dos

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"Well, it's all right but the sleeves, she replied. "I lived in the country a long time, and I know something that the painter with all his known' didn't rolled out. Now, they don't wear them that way. A blacksmith always turns his sleeves in so the flyin' won't catch."



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### THE STAGE

ANNOUNDRMENTS

The Planet by Press Agents.)

At the Brisco Theatre-Shadows of the Past-April 10.

tanship of his chiold after it has reached the age of seven. There is a large opportunity for the display a large opportunity for the display of strong dramatic action in this play, which is brought out very cleverly by an able and well-balanced cast. Much pathes, a ntiment, quaint comedy and keen satire runs through the story. The plot is a strong one, well conceived and cleverly unravelled, many o thef characters being taken from actual life. The scenic investure is said to be much out of the ordinary and harmonizes beauthe ordinary and harmonizes beau-tifully with the fine lines of the

plot.

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### SEVEN LARGE WATER SPOUTS

Of Storm Tossed Ship

New York, April 8.—With seven of her crew more or less injured and the others utterly exhausted, the steamer Virginia arrived here Saturday from Kingston, Ja., after à desperate struggle with a storm of 60 hours' duration off Hatteras.

BORDEN TO REMAIN.

Minister of Militia May Succeed Lord

Ottawa, April 8.—Among well-in-formed politicians here it is said that Sir Frederick Borden, Minister of Militia, will return from England as Canadian High Commissioner at Lon-

There is an impression here that one excuse and another will be offered for a reorganization of the Laurier Cabinet. No one expects that Mr. Hyman will return to Ottawa as Minister. Mr. Emmerson is out. Presently there may be news of the shunting of Hon. Mr. Scott from the post of Secretary of State to make room for a younger man; then Sir Bichard Cartwright will give way, and, with most of the Ontario delegation placed, Sir Wilfrid may find it easy to go ahead with the matter of rehabilitation.

Then new difficulties will beet him. The "next in line" are supposed to be Archie Campbell, W. S. Calvert and W. M. German. Are they Cabinet timber? There is an impression here that

SMALLPOX IN BRUCE.

Fourteen Cases Reported Township of St. Edmunds.

SHADOWS OF THE PAST.

Lincoln J. Carter's emotional drama, "Shadows of the Past," will come to the Brisco Opera House next Wednesday, April 10th.

This play is founded on a point of old English law, which gives the right to a father of the sole guardianship of his chiold after it has

Sealing Ship Missing.
St. John's, Nfid., April 8.—The sealing steamer Southern Cross, which left this port March 11 with 172 men has not been seen since, and it is feared she has met with an accident.
The steamers, Adventure and Panther which came in Saturday reports.

The steamers, Adventure and Pan-ther, which came in Saturday, report that, except for the Southern Cross, the entire sealing fleet has been ac-counted for. It is thought that she may have been driven from the sealing grounds and is now jammed in the ice floes far north. The ice is still thick at many points along the coast.

Copper King In Danger.
Trinidad, Col., April 8.—While former United States Senator William A.
Clark of Montana was crossing a river
20 miles west of Trinidad, his carriage broke through the ice and was

stream but was rescued by other members of the party as he was being held under the ice.

After the accident the Senator was hurriedly teken to a ranch five miles away and when he arrived there his

clothing had frozen.

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### END NOW DRAWS NEAR

Were Sighted From Bridge Thaw Trial Expected To Be Finished During This Week

New York, April 8.—That the long-drawn-out Thaw trial, now in its twelfth week, will be finished this week seems almost certain.

Dr. Allan McLane Hamilton, the

week seems almost certain.

Dr. Allan McLane Hamilton, the alienist, who was on the stand when the case was suddendly stopped by the district attorney's suggestion, that the appointment of a commission in lunacy would be advisable, will probably be recalled to the stand when the trial is resumed on Monday. He has already testified that he beheves Thaw was insane when he shot Stanford White, and he will probably repeat that statement.

Now Sane.

The lunacy commission, having decided that Thaw is now sane, Mr. Jerome will probably be prevented from asking Dr. Hamilton about his opinion of Thaw's present sanity. Therefore, there is little upon which he can cross-examine the alienist.

Whether or not the defence will call any more witnesses is problematical. It is said that they expect to require no more than one hour to complete their case. If this is true, there is no reason why the case should not go to the jury on Thursday.

District Attorney Jerome Saturday night said that he had no more witnesses whose evidence he would place before the jury.

Mr. Delmas for the defence should finish on Tuesday.

Mr. Jerome still says that he will

finish on Tuesday.

Mr. Jerome still says that he will Mr. Jerome still says that he will not require more than one day, and, therefore, at the latest, he should complete his argument on Wednesday. Justice Fitzgerald's oarge to the jury should not require more than three or four hours, and it is therefore very possible that the case will be in the jury's hands on Thursday.

Plea For Acquittal.

Mr. Delmas will go before the jury with a plea for acquittal, en the ground that Thaw's mind was anbalanced at the time he committed the terime, and that in view of the feet

ground that Thaw's mind was ambalanced at the time he committed the crime, and that in view of the feat that he has since recevered his mental balance he should be allowed to go free. Mr. Jerome, on the other hand, will argue that Thaw was same within the meaning of the law when he killed Stanford White; that the crime was planned and premeditated, and that he should suffer the extreme penalty of the law.

While Mr. Jerome conscientiously believes that Thaw is insane to-day, and should be confined in some institution where he could not be a menace to the community, the commission has decided that he is not, and there is nothing for the district attorney to do but to demand that Thaw be sent to the electric chair.

White's Effects Sold.

New York, April 8.—The sale of the furnishings of the late Stanford White was completed Saturday, the receipts of the day's sale being \$77,985, and the total for the entire sale reaching \$125,805.

The most important article sold

The most important article sold was a sample of the grand Gobein tapestry, which brought \$10,500.

BATTLESHIP FOR JAPAN.

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250,000 Order In England
London, April 8.—It is reported here
that the largest battleship in the
world, to have a displacement of 21,000 tons, is to be built in England
for the Japanese Government, and
that a commission already is on its
way here from Japan for the purpose
of placing the contract with one or
another of the great British shipbuilders. builders.

It is believed that Japan would, in

Rickard For West Durham Bowmanville, April 8.—The Liberal convention on Saturday selected William Rickard, ex.M.P. of Newcastle, to be the Liberal candidate in West Durham at the next provincial election.

Durham at the next provincial election.

The other nominations were W. J. Bragg, Thomas Baker, E. Clemens, and M. A. James.

Hon. George P. Graham, Liberal leader, reviewed the conduct of the Whitney Government, and compared its record with its promises before election. President R. D. Davidson presided.

Killed In Runaway.
Paris, April 8.—Saturday morning
Robert McNaughton of South Dumfries received fatal injuries in a run-

with wood or steel wheels, equipped with 15 spring teeth and diamond points and eight thistle cutters.

His horse became frightened at the subway on Grand River street by a train and dashed down the long hill at a breakneck speed, crashing into the iron drinking fountain and breaking it in two.

The man's head struck the pavement with terrible force, and his skull was crushed. He died in the afternoon.

Czar Will Not Abdicate. London, April 8.—Count Bencken-dorff, the Russian Ambassador, issued a statement saying there was "abso-lutely no truth in the report" that the Czar's abdiction was imminent.

Bigamist Jumps Bail.
Belleville, April 8.—James Hawley
of Bancroft, who was arrested, charged with bigamy and perjury, was allowed out on bail and has fled the

Continued from Page One. police could get out of him, was that

Arthur Leak was up this morning for sentence on a charge of theft. He was sentenced to six months in Central Prison.

CABINS WERE FLOODED A PLEA FOR ACQUITTAL

A most pitiable case was that just reported to the police from St. Jos' eph's Hospital. A woman recently placed in the institution for treatnent, went out of her mind without seemingly any cause. She had just recovered from a severe illness, when she suddenly went raving mad,

claiming that someone was trying to take her children Sway from her. The woman comes from Raleigh, and her husband is greatly puzzled and distressed over her condition.

He says that there is no insanity in her family, and that she had nothing to brood over which should cause her to lose her mental balance.

She became so violent that it was

found necessary to remove her from the hospital. She was taken to the county jail, where she will be kept till arrangements are made to re-

move her to an asylum.

The case is all the more unfortunate in view of the fact that she is the mother of five young children, the oldest of whom is an infant six weeks old.

A number of young boys will like ly come up in Police Court shortly on a charge laid by a Mr. Night ingale. The boys, it appears, tore the cover off a well belonging to Mr. Nightingale and filled the well up with dirt and refuse.

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