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cramped condition, of the Collegiate

Meeting Should Be Galled

creased unless increased accommoda-tion is supplied. The present badly cramped building which serves the dual! purpose of an electric light and waterworks station, at present much

worthy of consideration is that the proposed increased accommodation should not increase the tax rate to any darge extent, as with an increase in the number of consumers, and increased revenue would inevitably result. Thus the revenue should according to all calculations meet the debattures as they followed

Education in this city is another mat-ter which calls for careful considera-tion on the part of the electorate. During the part few days the rate-payers have had the fact impressed upon them that this body should be

omposed of a shrewd, level-headed business men, in whom the public have confidence; by reason of the fact that the takes are high, and waste of public monies in the past is startlingly apparent in certain departments. The Board of Education hand head he conversed of reputation

should be composed of men taking an interest in educational matters; and men who at the same time are possessed of good business ability; because this body will control a large

portion of the satepayers', monies.

Religion and politics should be en-irely disregarded in the selection of

8:00 Total Amount Of Property Thamesville. A second

to Discuss Civic Questions

Ratepayers Should See That Competent Men Are Elected

NO. 30

Thos, Stone & Son Reliable

We were fortunate in securing 15 dozen Cushion Tops in

CHRISTMAS SPECIAL We Offer Them at 19c Each.

SEE LAND THE WALL NO THE JOWN INDOW

LEATHER HAND BAGS.

Nothing better for a Christmas Our range of ladies' fancy collars present, nothing more useful than a lis immedies. We think we have nice hand bag. We show a large asvortment in Black, Brown, Navy and Green. We have three lines that are special value at 1500, 750 and 988 in represented in jour collection. The prices run from 256 to \$2 each. prices run from 25c to \$2 each.

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Make (a sensible Christmas gift You can send little or much, just as you wish, for they are here in all sizes and styles—from the small embroidered or drawn work Doyley, that you can send in a letter, to the claborate hand embroidered five o'clock clothed a fiv

CHRISTMAS RIBBONS

All the wanted shades and makes are here for Neck and Hair Ribbons, Fancy Work or Christmas Parcels. Having the variety is what draws the crowds here for ribbons

THOS. STONE & SON

The Christmas Bargain Sale At Westman Bros.

A GREAT SUCCESS.

ALL NEW GOODS.

ALL MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES

Look at Some of the Reductions.

\$0.80 | \$1.00 Nickle Teapots | 0.80 | 1.00 Coffee Pots | 0.80 | 1.20 | 0.75 Granite Teapots | 0.80 | 1.00 Leather Mits | 0.80 | 1.00 Leather Mits | 0.80 | 0.75 Granite Teapots | 0.80 | 1.00 Leather Mits | 0.80 | 0.75 Granite Teapots | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | 0.80 | \$1.00 Carvers 2.25 Salat Spoons 1 1 30 2.00 House Blankers 2.40 Cost Enormous Sum Of \$800.70 1.00 Butter Knives 0.80 1.25 1.50 10.00 Robes

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BRISCO OPERA HOUSE

MONDAY, DEC. 17

Musical Recital

Carmen MacIntyre Violiniste and Soprano Solois late of Berlin, Germany, and

Helen Badgley Expressionist, of Boston, U. S.

Seats on sale Thursday. ors closed until end of each 'nu rices-50 cts to any part of house

BRISCO OPERA HOUSE

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CHARLEY'S AUNT Played by him upwards of 2000 times. Supported by a Company of English Players, direction of Wilfrid North.

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Saturday, Dec. 15. The Greatest Victory in Years.
Press and audiences unanimous
—The demand greater than

expense if action is taken during the coming year, is that of the proposed extension to the isolation hospital.

BUILDING OPERATIONS

CHATHAMITES

This Is An Important Time In The History Of Chatham And A Freight Train Crashes Into The International Limited 1

SMASH-UP AT GLENCOE

There was hever a time in the history of this city, that municipal politics and matters pertaining to them needed more careful attention on the part of the ratepapers than at the should for their own good, guard present. The statement is a very broad one, nevertheless its truth is ference might be extended to other awarent when the quastion is given municipal bodies as well

present. The statement is a very broad one, nevertheless its truth is apparent when the question is given all little thought.

One of the most important of the questions which face they people; of Chatham, is the proposal to make extensions to the mainippal waterworks and electric light departments. These we have been informed, will cost in the fleighborhood of \$41,000.

The fate of the by-law authorizing this enterprise will be left to the ratepayers at the coming elections. It has been suggested, that in order that the people may become thorough ly ellightened on this most witally ellightened; on the proper attention a larger surplus might be an evidence next should make a point to be present, and of the Property committees the should make a point to be present, and of the Property committees the should make a poposal to the ratepayers are little from the standard should call a mass meeting to discuss it. Should this meeting be called the Water Commissioners and the chairman of the Property committees the should make a point to be present, and of the Property committees the should make a point to be present, and explain to the ratepayers the latter than a like flow of the step of the father than the same of the Property committees the should make a point to be present, and protection as well. This state ment is borned out by the fact that it is more than a likelihood that if our present evater pressure is not in creased another year, the insurance of the father has in the latter by but conditions in the side of the last coach. It was a pretty farror complete during the fext few years.

The proposed extension to the C. C. I building has not been so much of the proper attention as much of atterly, but conditions in the side of the last coach. It was a pretty farror completely demolished, and the first beauty was weaged right into the proper attentions in the first beauty was some t

man of the Property committee should make a point to be present, and explain to the ratepayers the existing conditions at the municipal plants. The proposed extension to hese plants is apparently; and absolute necessity, not only for the people's convenience, but for their safety and protection as well. This statement is bother out by the fact that it is more than a likelihood that if our present water pressure is not increased another year, the insurance rates in this city, may take a jump that will make the average property owner's hair stand. said Harry Westman to a Planet re-porter this morning. "Two coaches were completely demolished, and the freight engine was wedged right into the side of the last coach. It was not an ordinary collision as some (would imagine. As the International

oramped condition of the Collegiate is one of the mest important questions with which the new Educational Exard will have to wrestle. A solution to this vexed problem has been effered, It has been suggested that the pupils in the Public and Separats chools be carried on in these institutions for one year of e gr dualing This suggested has arised out of the question now before the P. S. Board—that of conting down the teaching staffs in the ofty schools. It has also been learned that McKeeugh and St. Joseph's schools eith have vacant rooms, which could be utilized for this purpose. At the Central school there will also be a vacant room when the model classes are dismissed for the

P. T. Barry Well Known Resident Of Wallaceburg Passes

If this were done, there would be uterching staffs at any of the schools and it would undoubtedly aid in relieving the cramped state of the Collegiate. It is understood that this suggestion is being considered by the Public School Board, and is favored by the majority of them. This suggestion, if carried out, would mean that the full possibilities of the existing buildings would be utilized. fore nine o'clock. The deceased had a bid fall recently, resulting in internal injuries, from the effects of which peritamits, developed, and though the best, of medical assistance was summoned, it he hope was entertained for his recovery.

The late Mr. Farry was a man widely known throughout the country, and one whose enterprised id much towards the development of this section. He was practically the founder of the village of Fletchet, where he e tablished a large general store and a big saw mill. Later, in life he conducted a continuity of the subsequently refired to take over the potmasfership, of Fletcher, wide the every general store and a big saw in the subsequently refired to take over the potmasfership, of Fletcher, wind the every head of the every h

potmastership, of Fletcher, and they years ago be again yen into business in Wallycoburg, where he purcha el Shaw, Linien's hardware

extension to the isolation hospital. W. R. Hall, M. H. O., claims that in order to isolate the patients suffering from different diseases, and to prevent infection which might at any time be consequent upon the product conditions, that the building must be remodelled to some extent. This, however is a matter which must be gone into thoroughly if considered at all, and any renovations purchase I Shaw, & L. n. can's hardwards there. Three, months ago, he district poet of this, business and retired from active life.

He, was 67, years of age, and had been a life-long Congressity, and a man who kept, himself well posted on the topics of the day. He was a preminent member, of the C. M. E. made should be carried out at the

Recent County Court Session

Cost Enormous Sum Of \$800.70

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TO THE ELECTORS

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I am again a candidate for position of Alderman of the Mat City, and would respectfully solly your your and influence, promising all times to serve the city to be a of my ability.

JOHN EDMONDSON

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CI

A Piece Of Silverware

Will be appreciated. Nothing pleases the lady of the honse

have succeeded getting together the best stock of these goods we have had. Just'a sprinkling of the cheaper goods and all the rest are the very best quality we

We will reserve any piece for iyou + beary, spages, pie knives forks, sugar shells, cold mea forks, Roger Bros. 1847? knive and forks, fancy desert and tabl

Xmas Goods of every kind and description, from 5c Toys for the youngsters to \$8.00 Gifts for

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The Home Xmas Neckwear

We think that a

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entitles a man to a pretty decent

We're particular to the point of crankiness when it comes to styles and colors. We would make a good deal more profit and sell neckwear that would "look the same" when we sell it, but not a month afterwards.

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THE STAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Brisco Opera House-Charley's Aunt—Dec. 15.

Miss MacIntyre's Recital—Dec. 17.

Dolly Varden Co.—Dec. 24.

Rrnie Marks Co.—Dec. 25-29.

Return of Morris-Thurston Co.,

New Year's week—Dec. 31 to Jan. 5.

"CHARLEY'S. AUNT."

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Another merry evening for our theatre-goers when Etienne Girardot returns to this city to-night at the Brisco Opera House, where "Charley's Aunt" will keep up with remitting interest its lively task of dispensing wholesale and wholesome laughter. A jollier contrivance for the very praiseworthy purpose of subtracting from care by multiplying pleasure has not yet made its appearance. The raising of the curtain is the signal for an almost endless series of bright dialogue, clever complications and generally 'amusing doings that only cease with its fall. A good play is always acceptable, but "Charley's Aunt" is so very good that there has been a demand from every city where it has been produced, for its return. In this play Mr. Girardot has unquestionably scored his greatest success heaving allocat the titules. questionably scored his greatest success, having played the titular role for upwards of two thousand times, and he is to be congratulated because he had previously won many enviable dramatic triumph.

GRAND CONCERT.

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Chatham citizens will have a great treat on Monday evening, Dec. 17th, when Miss Carmen MacIntyre, violinist and soprane soloist, and Miss Helen Badgaey, expressionist, will appear at the Grand Opera House. The following are a few of the many press notices published in regard to these well known artists:

"Miss Carmen MacIntyre, the violin wirtuoso, who has just returned with freshly won laurels from Germany, is being cordially received in Boston."

—Boston American.

The New York Musical Courier of

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The New York Musical Courier of May 14, 1903, has the following to-say of Miss Carmen MacIntyre: "One of Madame Schmalfeld's pupils is a pretty Canadian whom I have formerly mentioned. During the winter she has made great strides in her vocal study both in volume and in heauty of voice, and in technique. She recently sang 'Una Voce Poes Fa' from Rossinus, 'Barber of Seville' for me, and her colorature work was delightfully clear, true and even. Miss MacIntyre has a great aptitude for vocal facility, and Madame Schmaldfeld is putting her through a course of instruction. Her voice is of a charming quality and bids fair to make her mark as a singer.—Arthur M. Abell, critic for the New York Musical Courier, Berlin, Germany, Professor and Frau Professor artists of great fame, having toured Europe and America, and at one time were court singers to the Emperor.

Miss Helen Badgley is the gold medalist of Emerson College, Boston, and as an expressionist stands second to none.

"Took the house by storm."—Tor-

econd to none

"Took the house by storm."-Toronto World.
"Brought tears to the eyes of many."—Toronto Globe. "An elocutionist of high merit."-Winnipeg Telegram.

ST. JOSEPH'S COURT

The Catholic Order of Foresters held their annual election of officers Thursday evening. The officers for

Thursday evening. The officers for the coming year are as follows:
P. C. R.—A. Doyle.
P. C. R.—M. Doyle.
C. R.—T. J. Doyle.
V. C.—Michael Harper.
R. S.—J. P. Dunn.
F. S.—Nap. Pinsonnerult.
Treas.—W. P. Drew.
Trutess!— Jacob Plonde, F. K.
Tschithart and Gabriel McIntyret,
Medical Examiner.—Dr. Sullivan.
Delegate to Provincial Convention, to be held in Chatham in June, 1907
—T. J. Doyle.

consumers:

A LITTLE ACTOR CALLED.

The Summers theatrical company came to grief in Neepawa in a wibelly unexpected and unusual manner. The System of the form of the company is concluded, when it will be taken to form the membrane and the state of the company in the undertakers vault there until the western tour of the company is concluded, when it will be taken to Toronto for interment. Master Gordon Horsman Summers was auden taking off so prostrated and disrupted the company is that the wester's engagement of the troups, and his sudden taking off so prostrated and disrupted the company is that the week's engagement off the troups, and his sudden taking off so prostrated and disrupted the company and the members here was chocelled. Mr. and Ars. Summers have the most sincere synthem there was chocelled. Mr. and Ars. Summers have the most sincere synthem of the troups and his sudden taking off so prostrated and disrupted the company that the week's engagement off the troups, and his sudden taking off so prostrated and interpretation of the company that the week's engagement here was chocelled. Mr. and Ars. Summers have the most sincere synthem of the diffiction.

Bridge, Whist, Five Hundred, Duplicate Whist and Progressive Euchrec Score Cards for sale at The Planet Office.

Charling in hard luck to five dust from Merlin stable and shick ars. This means 19,320 barrels, which at 51,62 per parrel would amount to 831,393. This is a large yield, and the state was shol tast week and proves to be a dry hole.

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"The China Store For Mine"

Until Christmas

Every year finds us better prepared with all the newest and latest goods to be found anywhere. New lot Fine French China just to hand, consisting of Bon-Bons, Nut Bowls, Cake Plates, Celery Trays, Cold Meat Platters, etc., and the prices range from 50c to \$2 50, which is very cheap for fine Haviland Goods. Two Crates Dinner Sets and Toilets just opened up, which gives us bigger and better variety than at any previous time. Come and see the new goods.

See our New Cut Glass \$3 to \$12 Carving Sets, \$3, \$1, \$5, \$7, \$10

"Walk in and look around."

CHINA HALL

ELECTED OFFICERS

The annual election of officers of Court Waverley, No. 345, I. O. F., Fletcher, which was held on Wednesday evening, Dec. 12th, resulted as follows:—

C. R.—John Holmes.
V. C. R.—Wm. Lecocq.
S. W.—John Laidlaw.
J. W.—Alex. Parsons.
S. B.—Alex. Archibald.

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J. B.—Art. Bagley.
Orator—Jas. Laidlaw.
F. S.—D. B. Armstrong.
R. S.—M. Skipper.
Treas.—M. Robertson.
Physician—S. N. Young.
H. C. D.—Walter Bartlett.
Auditors—Wm. Lecocq and Walter
Eartlett.

OIL NOTES

Roth, Barnard & Co. made a failure of their first attempt to shoot No. 8 well on the Dr. Fletcher farm Sat-

well on the Dr. Fletcher farm Sat-urday, but were later successful in securing a good well.

Well No. 2 on the Gleason farm— Contractor McGinnis—Tilbury East, which turned out dry at 1,550 feet, has been reopened, and at 16 feet further on Saturday was making a slight showing.

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No. 2 on the Wm. Mancell farm, Ti.bury East—Contractor Tracey—was shot last week, and shows for only a light well, about ten barrels, and a big showing of gas. Clark, Tracey and other Andover (N. Y.) parties are interested.

No. 3 well on this farm, owned by the same parties, was shot on Saturday, and made a much better showing—20 to 25 barrels per day. Contractor Wesner was, in charge.

No. 1 on the David Fletcher farm, is expected in the last of the week for Roth, Barnard & Co. A number of other contractors are waiting in anxious expectancy.

C. A. O'Hara, of Akron, O., is down to the down the down the down the down the same farm for the Canada Co., upon which it has reserved the oil and gas rights.

No. 2 on the John H. Williams farm, Tilbury East, near Fletcher, owned by the Malone syndicate, should be in this week. It is making a fine showing.

On the John Murphy farm, lot north half three, concession 7, Tilbury East, owned by Clarihue & West a well is expected to come in

The total output from Merlin sta-



The Rush Is Now On---The Great Holiday Sale Is Now In Full Swing. This Is The Time To Buy.

NOW, when your needs are so many. This Sale is a great saving opportunity that few will care to miss. Thrifty cash buyers will be on hand early, there's advantage in first choice --- Get ahead of the crowds.

Fine Chinaware at Big Reductions.—Having bought up a big lot of "Samples" in Cups and Saucers, plates, bon bons, sugars and creams, fruit dishes, etc., at a fraction of their value. Fine Japanese goods, beautifully decorated. We have placed them on sale to night at prices that should clear out the entire lot in less than an hour. See them.

Another Big Shipment of Dolls.—Almost the entire stock of a Toronto Jobber, which we bought at a heavy discount. Here is the way we clear them to night:—25c Dressed Dolls for 20c; 35c and 40c Dressed Dolls for 29c; 45c Kid Body Dolls for 35c; 65c Ditto for 50c.

Glove and Handkerchief Boxes.—Beautiful Japanese lacquer finish, richly decorated, with lock and key, regular 25c Boxes for 15c; regular 35c boxes for 25c; regular 5oc Boxes for 35c; regular 75c Boxes for 5oc; regular 9oc Boxes for

Millinery at About Half.—A Clean Sweep of Everything in Ladies' and Children's Millinery.
\$11.50 Trimmed Hats for \$6.89; \$10.00 Trimmed Hats

for \$5.89; \$9 Trimmed Hats for \$4.89; \$8 Trimmed Hats for \$4.48; \$7 Trimmed Hats for \$3.89; \$6 Trimmed Hats for \$3.68; \$4.50 Trimmed Hats for \$2.89; \$3.50 Trimmed

Children's Millinery, Hats, Bonnets, Tams, etc., clearing

Sweeping Reductions

Ladies' Coats—48 to 52 in long, in fine quality tweeds, dark and light shades, in checks, diagonals and stylish mixtures, all the very latest styles, worth, regular up to 13.50

Sale Price \$9.90 Ladies' Coats-Handsome styles, long lengths, in pretty checks and mixtures, worth, regular up to \$17.50.

Sale Price \$1290

\$5 00 Skirts at \$3 68-Ladies' Skirts of stylish tweeds and plain Viciuna cloths, correctly tailored, perfect fitting, black and colors, worth regular up to 5 00.

Sale Price \$3.68 White Wool Boas 25c-36 in. long, pure white, fine full fleeced, worth 35c each.

Sale Price 25c

Children's Coats-A wide range of styles, colors and sizes, marked at

Special Clearing Prices

Black Sateen Underskirts-Rich silky quality, mercerized satana, cut full width, deep flounce, trimmed with tucks, frills pleatings, etc, worth regular up to 1.50 each. Sale Price 98c

A Blanket Bargain-90 pairs heavy, fleecy quality shaker blankets, large size, colors grey or white, the best 1.25 a pair blanket in Canada

Sale Price \$1.05

\$3.25 White Wool Blankets at \$2.75 pr., full double bed size, white wool blankets, warranted unshrinkable, soft fleecy finish, regular 3.25 a pair.

Sale Price \$2.75

Scotch Wool Blankets, made in Scotland, fine, soft, pure white lambs' wool, warranted unshrinkable, full double bed

Men's 25c Sox.—18c a pair heavy grey mixed wool sox, fine soft wool, regular 25c a pair. Sale Price 18c

Men's All-wool Sox, in grey mixtures. Sale Price 11c

Men's Flannelette Night Shirts, good heavy twill quality, in fast color stripes, made full sizes, regular 65c. Sale Price 48c

Men's Ties, latest shapes, designs and colors for Christ-

Men's Mufflers, in all the latest shapes and colors, at each 25c, 5oc. 75c, \$1, \$1.25 and

Men's Suits, 27 only, Men's Tweed Suits, were regular up

Sale Price \$5.90

16 only Men's Suits, fine tweeds, worsted; and serges, Sale Price \$8.90

Men's Overcoats, a few odd lines and sizes, clearing at

Half Price

Men's Odd Pants in fine worsteds, reg. up to 4.50 a pair Sale Price \$289 Regular up to 3.00 a pair.

Sale Price \$1.89 Men's Underwear-2 special lines pure wool, unshrinkable, in elastic rib knit, all sizes, at, a garment, 1.00 and

Atternate Delegate—J. J. Donovan. The installation of officers will be held on the recond Thursday in January. The Court will commence a card contest at the next meeting is april. for which three prizes have been donated. WAS KNOWN HERE The Neepawa Press contains the following account of the death of a young son of Mr. and Mrs, George H. Summers: A LITTLE ACTOR CLASSING. The total output form Murphy farm, lot north half three concession 7, 711 tags a fine showing. On the John Murphy farm, lot north half three, concession 7, 711 tags and \$5 silk Underskirts \$3.95—Rich pure silk quality taffeta, in black and shot effects, made with deep full flounce trimmed with ruffled tucks and pleatings, good range colors, worth regular 5.00, to 6.00 each. Sale Price \$3.95 THE NORTHWAY CO., Liming a fine showing. On the John Murphy farm, lot north half three, concession 7, 711 tags and the last of the week. A tageth of 1,325 feet last week on the Stewart-Ainsile farm at Glenwood, on the Nelson farm, work was abandoned owing to the gas pressure into a gas well. The Lesperance farm, two miles to the south, was down 1,200 feet on 3 and 4 mrs, and the well will be converted into a gas well. The Lesperance farm, two miles to the south, was down 1,200 feet on 3 and 4 mrs, and the well will be one or the death of a young son of Mr. and Mrs, George H. Summers: A LITTLE ACTOR CLASSING.

John Mckerracher arrived from

Edmonton this week.

A number from here are attending a Sunday school convention in Mount Zion Presbyterian Church at Ridgetown to-day, when J. C. Robertson, B. D., will talk on S. S. work, etc.
Miss Kate Mayhew is home for the
Christmas holidays.

WALLACEBURG Wallaceburg, Dec. 15.-John Purs-

Wallaceburg, Dec. 15.—John Purser has returned home from a season's sailing on the lakes.

R. Armstrong met with quite a painful accident yesterday. As he jumped from his wagon to the pavement, which was quite wet, he slipped and broke his arm.

Jas. Quennell and John Gibb have announced themselves as in the field for councillors for 1907.

The annual entertainment of the Wallaceburg Separate school will be

Wallaceburg Separate school will be held in the Opera House on Wed-nesday evening, Dec. 19th. P. T. Barry met with a serious fall yesterday and is reported to be

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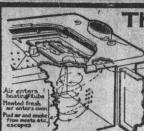
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MCLEAN MAKES NEW MOVE

Would Permit People To Sell Unused Railway Tickets

WOULD REMOVE STIGMA

Sttawa Dec. 14—In the House yearday, Mr. W. F. Maclean moved for the second reading of his bill to repeal the statute making it a crime for any one to sell except to a railway company, a railroad passenger ticket, or any unused portion thereof. Why Criminal?

In opening, Mr. Maclean explained that since 1886 it had been a criminal offence to sell a railway passenger ticket, or any unused portion thereof. Why should this be unlawful? A man could sell a bread ticket, a milk ticket, a theatre ticket, but should he sell a railway ticket he at once became a criminal. In theory, the ticket holder could redeem his unused ticket. As a matter of fact, he received but a portion of the price paid, and only then after a delay of from four to six weeks. This legislation was unique. New comers to Canada were astonished, and often inconvenienced, to learn of our peculiar law. were astonished, and often inconvenienced, to learn of our peculiar law. A railway ticket is a mere token like a bank note or a postage stamp. It should pass from hand to hand. Many round trip coupons and other railway tickets were never used. Why should this unearned profit go to the railway companies? Why should Canadian citizens be stigmatized as criminals for selling their own property?

Defy the Statutes.

The only excuse or reason for retaining this law must rely for support, if support it had, upon the assumption that the railway companies, by their patriotic behavior and dutiful conduct, deserved extraordinary favors from the people of Canada. He pointed out that so far from this being the case, that they had flouted and defied every statute that did not suit them.

He then reviewed the history of the penny-a-mile legislation in Canada. The G.T.R. for years ignored it; then defied it; and now asked Parliament to repeal it.

to repeal it.

His Accomplishments.

We paid our Attorney-General, including indemnity, \$9,500 a year. Mr. Roosevelt's Attorney-General got \$8,000 a year. Our Attorney-General's accomplishments against corporations could be summed up as nothing. The United States' Attorney-General had collected \$500.000 in penaltics. In case collected \$500,000 in penalties. In one day (Aug. 16 last) 5,000 voluntary re-ductions in railroad rates had been filed with the Interstate Commerce

After quoting Mr. Aylesworth's remark, that it was nobody's concern how a corporation over-capitalized, Mr. Maclean quoted from Elihu Root, United States Secretary of State, who, although for years a corporation law-yer, and to-day one of the most emin-ent lawyers in the world, that de-nounced watered stock as one of the greatest impediments to enforcing rea-sonable rates and fair treatment from

railway companies.

Tidal Wave of Indignation.

"The present enforcement of law in the United States," the speaker continued, "is not revolution. It was continued, "is not revolution. It was reaction against years of non-enforcement of laws against corporate aggression that finally aroused the people to savage indignation. A tidal wave of popular indignation is rising in this country against the Government's policy of indifference."

"Will this Government have the audacity," he asked, "to repeal that section of the charter of the G.T.R. requiring third-class service at two cents a mile?"

After citing many acts of discrimination and oppression by the rail-

After citing many acts of discrimination and oppression by the raily ways, Mr. Maclean asked: "Are they entitled to have this extraordinary law remain on the statute book? The people demand the repeal of this remarkable statute—nowhere paralelled in the world, except in the railway-ridden. State of Pennsylvania—which brands as criminal the citizen who sell his own property if it happens to be a railway ticket."

They Enforce the Law.

"In the United States," he continued, "they have laws which not only protect the people, but impose the duty on the Attorney-General and all the attorneys representing the United

duty on the Attorney-General and all the attorneys representing the United States all over the country to enforce that law. As a consequence railroad after, railroad there is obeying the law. Thousands of railroad tariffs have been revised and reduced in the interest of the people, not because they have an act on the statute book but because they have men charged with the administration of the law who enforce it and see that justice is done. We have no such thing in this country to-day. I have yet to hear where the Attorney-General of Canada has instituted any action to compel a railway company to obey the law."

Emmerson to Bescue.

Emmerson to Rescue.

Mr. Emmerson defended the railway companies. To repeal the statute against railroad tickets would be unjust. However, he would not oppose the reading. He then added the remarkable statement that round trip tickets were unknown in the United States.

States.

Dr. Sproule ridiculed Mr. Emmerson's statement respecting round trip tickets in the United States, and pointed out that the so-called redemption by the company of unused portions of tickets often amounted to nothing. This law bore with great severity upon people in moderate circumstances.

Col. Tisdale (South Norfolk) opposed the repeal. He submitted that the ticket was a contract and the purchaser should not be allowed to sell



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it. This country owed a great measure of its prosperity to the C.P.R. and the G.T.R. They were splendid institutions, and they were the creditors of Canada.

Mr. McCarthy (North Simcoe) thought that no one in his constituency cared for the right to sell railway tickets. The present statute making it a crime to sell railway passenger tickets, in his opinion, ought not to be repealed. It would result in depriving the railway companies of profits to which they were justly entitled.

Get What You Pay For.

Get What You Pay For.

Mr. Maclean, in closing the debate, said that he wished the cheapest possible ticket for the people, and a ticket without restrictions or limitations. A man who paid for so many miles of travel should have it at any time in any direction and with power time in any direction and with power to transfer it.

to transfer it.

Law's Bill Advanced.

The House passed the second reading and put through the committee of the whole without division Mr. Lancaster's bill, which the Senate killed last session, providing for protection at grade crossings in thickly-populated portion of cities, towns and villages.

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Wells as Weather Prophets. A popular idea in Switzerland that some of the wells in that country are

reliable weather prophets has been proved by scientists to be well found-ed. These wells, by some sort of pres-sure, not clearly understood, have the property of drawing in air at certain times and of blowing out air at other periods. In order to ascertain definiteby if there was any truth in the idea of weather prophecy the wells were covered and a small opening was surmounted with a U shaped pressure gauge. It was found that when the words or scrip issued by his toy revo-lution.

And, while he may be comparatively



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A good suggestion is one that you can sell for a dollar.

A sacred trust isn't one that declares

Envy is the tribute incompetency

Scratch a man and you are apt to

If you have the good advice habit, break away.

There is something better than to try, try again, and that is to win out th

A learned man is one who says obvious things ponderously.

There are too many people who are satisfied with merely looking the part. Doctors enjoy ill health remarkably. The best little helps for every day

are things that look suspiciously like

What You Missed.

If you never swiped a melos,
If you never rocked a barn,
If you never broke a window,
If you never told a yarn,
If you never stoned a kitten
Just for downright wicked joy,
If you never smoked a grapevine,
Then you never were a boy.

If you never went in swimming When your mother had forbid, If you never sauced the neighbers, If you never liked a kid, If you never hid the razor Just your father to annoy And got paddled for your trouble, Then you never were a boy.

If you never planned to slaughter Indians you didn't know Or to steal out through the window Some dark night and join a show Or to be a bloody pirate . And the raging main enjoy, Killing men and saving maidens, Then you never were a boy.

If you never ence concocted
In your mind an awful plan
To get even with your teacher
When you grew to be a man
If you never had a sweetheart You were sure was growing wings And had sworn to fight her battles, Then you missed a lot of things.

(GEE, BUT I CAN'T SWIM!)



"You have heard of the fellow who wam the river to get a drink?" "Was the stream the boundary line to a prohibition state?"

Not Our Quarrel. Something should be done to bar out these revolutionary juntas of South and Central America from the United States. If their countries are not large enough for them to do their scrapping in, let them have the countries en-

As soon as one of these warm blooded fire eaters who inhabit these lands gets a grievance against his country he steals a horse or a sailboat and moves stealthily on the United States, and before we know it he has rented a two dollar room somewhere and started a junta. Then he is in the were left over from the Revolutionary war that he can purchase with kind

harmless, think what an example he is setting to the youth of the land that we are trying so earnestly to teach to

We Smother It.

Though for some lofty reason,
Backed up by some pet view,
We hate to take the money,
You notice that we do.

They Need It.
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"Did he hand you anything?"
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District.

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Mrs. Henry Johnson is on the sick list.

James Tweedle visited the village Saturday night It is reported a wedding will take Butus Emery has a fine crop of corn. Those farmers in the hail district of Croton have not very good corn where it was struck with the Saturday night.

Benson Houston has a nice fleck corn where it was struck with the storm. St nley McCutch on is home from

Benson Houston has a nice fleek of turkeys.

The change in the County Council Act will make things lively. It was the proper thing when the Whitney Government made the change. walter Smith's sale in Dawn mounted to \$1,700.

David Everitt is making apple but-

Wm. Leeson has a large herd of cattle.

James Laferty is building a new ter in his factory.

Municipal matters are beginning to fence.

The Foresters new hall is ready for

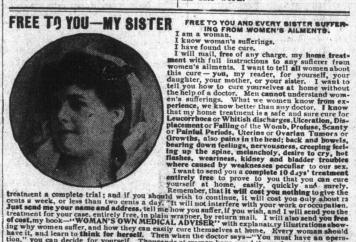
loom up.
Dr. Huchanan, V. S., is making professional visits in Dawn Township.
Wm. Smith, our genial mail carrier, makes good time considering the Charley Mackintosh is improving.
Miss Vera Peters is visiting Dawn
Mills friends.

The Foresters new hall is ready for use.

Dave Knight passed through the village Friday.

C. Wilcor visited friends in this vicinity on Friday last.

Mack McDonell is progressing with his fall work.



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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1906. CEASELESS TARIFF INSTABILITY

Taken from The Planet tyles from hor producers of the country that eternal vigilance is the price of protection. Of whatever other meanings this dark saying was an acceptible, it was to be understood as a motification that, under the present Government, fintability was to be this normal condition of the tarift. This sense of the Finnee Minister's words has been made clear by experience. The country has been kept in sattation of what is now called the British preference is a record of disturbing change. It began as the reciprocal tariff sha be protection in lift; a device, as Sir Rohard Cart wripht and Mr. Fielding explained to lenguer the protectionism left in the goods of any country that imposed movements of the Guardan Advantage of the Customs act of 1897 was as follows:

"When the Customs tariff of any country admits the products of Canada on terms which, on the whole, are as favorable to Canada as the terms of the reciprocal tariff therein referred to are to the countries of the file of the reciprocal tariff the file of the file of the file of the countries of the reciprocal tariff shall be decided by the Controller of Qustoms, subject to the authority of the Government and on the reciprocal tariff the file of the reciprocal tariff the file of the reciprocal tariff the reciprocal tariff the file of the reciprocal tariff the reciprocal ta In one of his budget speeches Mr. Fielding warned the producers of the

"3) The Governor-in-Council may extend the benefits of the reciprocal tariff to any country entitled thereto by virtue of a treaty with Her plies to military uniforms and equipment, with the result that militia

"4. The Controller of Customs may officers who have to supply their own make such regulations as are neces-have to pay 30 per cent, duty on them.

again the series of misadventures takes the money out of one pocket through which the groping Governand puts it into the other, but John through which the groping Government made its way from this wide-open door to the smaller side entrance of the Eritish preference. During the months it was wandering in its own labyrinth forty or fifty countries entitled to favored nation treatment in Canada had the benefits of the reciprocal tariff at their cammand. When this was ended the tariff war with Germany followed, impacts from that country being in the country being the university of the case of officers of the militia it means that even for the arms they have to provide themselves with to defend their country will have to pay duty. The expense of officers equipment is already a serious handical and prevents many capable mentaking out commissions. In some branches of the service a complete outfit costs \$:00 or \$500, and if one-third is added to this it will be most the case of officers of the militia it means that even for the arms they have to provide themselves with to defend their country will have to pay duty. The expense of officers equipment is already a serious handical and prevents many capable mentaking out commissions. In some branches of the service a complete outfit costs \$:00 or \$500, and if one-third is added to this it will be most the case of officers of the militia it means that even for the arms they have to provide themselves with to defend their country will have to pay duty. The expense of officers equipment is already a serious handical and prevents many capable mentaking out commissions. In some branches of the service a complete outfit costs \$:00 or \$500, and if one-third it means that even for the arms that even for the arms they have to provide themselves with to defend their country will have to provide themselves with to defend their country will have to provide themselves with to defend their country will have to provide themselves with to defend their country will have to provide themselves with to defend their country will have to eventually subjected to retaliatory rates of duty. Twice the scale of the presenting tweed to provide against this.

The presental tariff was lowered, each reduction being attended by more or less painful adjustment on the part of Canadian business interests. While the producers of the country were thus kept guessing as to what next might befall as a result of Government tinkering with the discount on the country were the producers of the country were thus kept guessing as to what next might befall as a result of Government tinkering with the discount on the country were the producers of the country were thus kept guessing as to what next might befall as a result of Government tinkering with the discount on the country were the producers of the country were thus kept guessing as to what next might befall as a result of Government tinkering with the discount on the country were the producers of the country were thus kept guessing as to what next might befall as a result of Government tinkering with the discount on the force. The tariff should be unfair to the force. The tariff should be amended to provide against this.

OPERATION WAS NECESSARY.

First Dector—Is this operation absolutely necessary?

Second Doctor—It is. The only possible chance we have of collecting our bill is from his life insurance! ment tinkering with the discount on our bill is from his life insurance! dut.e., protrac.ed negotiations were pending for reciprocity with the United States. No one could say at what moment in the final year of the trace of the present grant of the pres years of the present century an arrangement might be arrived at for the free admission of goods from the United States. After that uncertainty was tided over the country had to stand at least three false alarms about coming tarriff revision. This Government has been "on the least three false alarms about coming tarriff revision. This government has been "on the least three false alarms are the congratulated upon his unless that the congratulated upon his uplease.

about coming tairiff revision. This Government has been "on the nerves" of business from the very out et of its career.

Now that the long-heralded and thrice deferred tariff revision has come, we find that the most marked characteristic of the new scheme is a guarantee of instability. Before the Laurier Government came into power there was little tariff uncertainty, and such as there was was felt only on the eve of unimportant revisions. But Mr. Fielding's new "intermediate" column of duties stands on unsubstantial foundations. When it may full upon the business interests of the country, or in what direction it may fall, no one can say. There it is, a constant source of uncasiness. There are no conditions of any kind to hold it in position. It depends upon nothing but the caprice of the Government. Bad as price of the Government. Bad as was Mr. Fielding's reciprocal tariff of 1897, it was restricted to countries giving Canada equally favorable tariff treatment. The instability it introduced was not so utterly incalculable as that for which Mr. Fielding has now deliberately provided.— Mail and Empire.

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make such regulations as are necessary for carrying out the intention of this section."

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Injuries Result Fatally.

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London, Dec. 14.—George Jones died in Victoria Hospital yesterday morning from blood-poisoning, the result of injuries sustained at the Wellington street crossing of the Grand Trunk on Nov. 28. The G.T.R. is to be sued for \$8,000 by the family of the deceased. Jones leaves a widow and three small children.

Alexander Murray of 553 King street died at his home yesterday morning as a result of injuries received through the bursting of an emory wheel at the factory of Wortman & Ward on Tuesday.

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Not Flattering.

S. Baring-Gould, the English novelist, had the bitter pleasure of reading many not flattering obituaries of him Through an error he was report ed dead, and the newspapers of his native land declared unanimously that be had left no good work behind. An American editor dined with Baring-Gould in London. The talk turned to the premature obstuaries, and the American said, "How did you feel on reading them?" Taken aback, nonplused, the novelist grimly replied:
"I felt like a lady who owned a parrot. This lady's cook came to her one morning in joyful excitement. 'Oh, ma'am,' she cried, 'the parrot has learned some new words' 'Good,' said the lady. 'That bird is wonderfully teachable. It sits and drinks in every blessed word my husband says to me, What does it say now? 'It keeps a-sayin', said the cook, "Shut up, you old fool!"'"

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ered in this convention.

Poultry Officers.

The Western Ontario Foultry Association elected their officers yesterday. They were: Hon. president, Dr. A. W. Bell, Winnipeg; president, William McNeill, London; first vice-president, A. Bogue, London; secretary-treasurer, A. P. Westervelt, Toronto; directors, A. W. Tyson (Gueiph), J. N. Gladwin (London), G. G. Henderson (Hamilton), T. H. Scott (St. Thomas), P. Green (Owen Sound), R. Oke (London), A. K. Cornwall (Thamesville), C. H. Wilson (Hawkesville). don), A. K. Cornwall (Thamesville), C. H. Wilson (Hawkesville). The interest largely centred yester-day in the dressed carcasses of the

magnificent animals that were here for show. Do Sheep Pay?

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In the lecthire room yesterday morning the question as to whether sheep on the farm were paying animals, was threshed out by John Jackson of Abingdon, Robert Miller of Stouffville, H. S. Arkell, O.A.C., and representa-tive farmers from the province. The general opinion favored the presence

general opinion tavored the presence of a few sheep on each farm.

A resolution moved by John Campbell of Woodville, and seconded by Col. McEwen of Byron, was passed unanimously, urging the Provincial Government to strike out that portion of the statute which enables any 25 electors to set aside the taxes on dogs. Dogs were regarded as the enemy of the sheep, and while the dog is regarded as a good friend of men, yet the mongrel dog should be destroyed. A motion by Mr. Everett to acquire the passing of a law to kill all dogs unattended by the owner, met with a vigorous storm of criticism. Mr. Gardhouse of Highfield discussed the difficulties councils had in dealing

with the question.

Farm Labor Problem.

Last evening Capt. McGillivray of the Salvation Army of London, gave an address on the farm labor problem in Ontario. He outlined the work of the Army derivative the new transfer lem in Ontario. He outlined the work
of the Army during the past year and
spoke of the many valuable European
immigrants who adapt themselves
easily to the situation, and make valuable farm helpers.
William Armstrong of Queenston,
in speaking of his experience with
men this year thanked the Salvation
Army for their efforts.
Another farmer told of the avaricious methods of some of the farmers

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of the province.

Prof. Grisdale Talks.

Can a man increase the usefulness of his dairy returns by a more liberal feeding? This was the question that Prof. Grisdale set out to answer in the affirmative. From returns received from the whole of the province, the dairy department have to conclude that the more liberal feeding will give profitable returns. The average cow profitable returns. The average cow does not appear to be well enough fed. Some herds give 8,000 pounds per cow per annum, and others give only 2,000 or 3,000 pounds. Letters are sent to those who have low returns and the results show that low returns

and the results show that low returns are caused solely by poor feeding.

What He Saw In Quebec.

During the past year the professor made trips through Quebec and saw that while the June returns were good. September showed an immense falling off through poor pastures. No provision had been made for this and the farmers had to suffer.

Prof. Grisdale then related an experience of his own. He took twenty-five head and fed generously and got 5,000 lbs. of milk next year. He fed scientifically and according to the tastes of the individuals. The results were astounding. The milk was 6,500 lbs., and the cost was lessened.

Milking Machines.

Prof. H. H. Dean of the O.A.C., in

Milking Machines.

Prof. H. H. Dean of the O.A.C., in introducing the question of the success of the milking machine, told of the 130 patents that had been taken out in Canada since 1870 for milking machines. He thought that the successful milking machine will be modelled after the hand milking of cows. The machine must be simple, cheap, minimum amount of power to operate, and be able to milk five or six cows at once.

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Much discussion took place at the close of the lecture.

Ensilage in the Dairy.

C. F. Whitley of Ottawa delivered an address on the shrinkage in milk obtained from a record of two herds of cows in Oxford and Brockville. One herd was not cared for carefully and the shrinkage in the hot months was very much greater than where ensilage was fed.

Prof. Grisdale, in answering a question as to the feed of a dairy cow, said that a cow had better receive 30 lbs. of ensilage, twice a day. A good rule is to give one lb. of meal for five lbs. of milk produced, and the character of the meal will have to be considered. The digestible constituents must be known. Crushed oats, oatmeal and bran give the best results for dairy cows for winter feeding. The proportion for a cow giving 32 lbs. of milk per day would be two lbs. of crushed oats.

At the Annual Banquet.

The Guelph Fat Stock Club held their annual banquet at the Royal Hotel last evening. As it is the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the club, many congratulatory addresses followed the dinner.

Hon. Nelson Monteith traced the bistory of the club during that time

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Toronto, Dec. 14.—Hon. Mr. Hanna's draft bill consolidating and amending the Ontario Companies' Act is being distributed for comment, and the Government is inviting the fullest and widest criminal.

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.. TO THE ELECTORS

and rejoiced in the progress of Ontario agriculture.

Hon. W. J. Hanna was glad that in the agriculture of older Ontario they had as ruch lands as were to be found in the newer and rockier parts of the province.

J. P. Downey, M.P.P., was in usual glee over the success of the show.

The officers of the club of the Winter Fair board, prominent members of Guelph City, J. Lockie Wilson, the new superintendent of fairs; Dr. Rutherford of Ottawa, and many visitors from a distance enjoyed the hospitality of the club. The speeches were all filled with jubilation over the results of the present show. TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY Ladies and Gentlemen:

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am a candidate for the office of Mayor of the city of Chatham for the year 1997, and respectfully ask for your vote and influence.

If elected I shall endeavor faithfully te discharge the duties of the high office, and shall place my time, emergies and best judgment unreservedly at the service of the city.

Thanking you for the support you have so kindly given me in the past, I am,

Yours faithfully,

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Respectfully yours, F. E. BAXTER.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF CHATHAM. Ladies and Gentlemen:

Charles Spurgeon once said there we're three great enemies to man"dirt, debt and the devil." He might have hadded one more 'd' and included dyspepsia. The evil results of this dire see could hardly be exaggerated. Its effects are felt in mind and body, and are as far reaching as the effects of the curse that was laid on the Jackdaw of Rheims, which was cursel in "eating and drinking and sleeping, in standing and sitting Wishing you the compliments of At the request of a large number of the ratepayers of the city, I have comented to become a candidate for the Board of Education for 1907, and

port.
Wishing you the compliments of the season, I am
Respectfully yours,
J. C. McLEAN. sleeping, in standing and sitting and lying." The good effects of Dr. P'e-ce's Golden Medical Discovery are most marked in aggravated and

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Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am a candidate for the Board of Education for 1907 and shall be grateful for your support if you think I am worthy of it. My main object in getting on the Public School Board last January was as my printed platform showed, to work for the establishment of a Board of Education in place of the present Ward system, and the records will show that I have carried out my promises in that as well as in other matters. Following my custom of last year I shall later place my printed platform in the hands of every elector. I was only a few years ago a pupil of the Public and High schools of this city and have always had their best interests at heart.

Wishing you all a prosperous and happy year in 1907, I am, Sincerely yours, ROBERT L. BRACKIN

ROBERT L. BRACKIN.

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Ingersoll, Dec. 14.—Injuries which he received Wednesday morning, by falling off a sleigh and the runner passing over his body, resulted in the death of little Jack Cray, seven-year-old son of John Cray. ON EASY TERMS Fire, Life, Sick and Accident INSURANCE. That's where you'll find "Nervi-line" in every well regulated house-hold. So pleasant to take that even little children will cry for it. So certain to cure coughs, sudden colds and tight chest that thousands of

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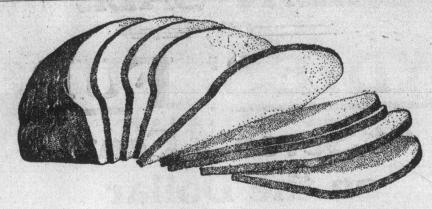
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HOURS OF SERVICE.

The services in all the churches in the city are held at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., except the following:—
Seventh Day Adventists—3 and 7.
Campbell A. M. E.—11 and 7.30.
St. Joseph's R. C.—8.30. 10.30, 7.30, First Baptist—11 and 7.30.
Union A. M. E.—11 and 7.30.

NOTICE TO PASTORS.

Pastors and others who contribute news items to this department of Saturday's Planet will confer a favor by seeing to it that their "copy" reaches this office not later than Friday at 4 p. m. Matter received later than that hour cannot be guaranteed insertion.

INTERNATIONAL S. S. LESSON FOR TO-MORROW.

Jesus Risen from the Dead.—Matt.
28, 1-15. Read I. Cor., chapter 15.

Golden Text-"He is trisen as He

Psl. 2, 4—"He that sitteth in the heavens will kugh, the Lord will have them in lerision," and no doubt such was the base when God saw the puny attempts on the part of the murderers of His well beloved Son to keep the dead body in the tomb.

If Christ was not both 'God and man, as He claimed to be, He never rose, and if there is no resurrection neither hath Christ been raised; then is our preaching vain, your faith also is vain. Yet, and we are found false witnessed of God; because we witnessed of God that He raised up Christ whom He raised not up, if so be the dead are not raised. For if the dead are not raised, neither hath Christ be in raised, und if Christ hath not been raised, your faith is vain; ye are yet in your sins — but now Christ hath been raised from the dead, the first fruits of them that are asleep. We all shall not sleep, but we shall all be changed in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye.

"Feloved, now are we children of God and it is not ye made manifest what we shall be. We know that if He shall be manifested we shall be like Him; for we shall see Him even as He is. And every one that hath this hope set on Him purifieth himself even as He is pure."

Thanks be to God who giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christt. Wherefore, my beloved brethren, be yet steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord.

Thanks Paul and John taught, in-

hat your labor is not in vain in the

Lord.
Thus Paul and John taught, in-spired of God, concerning the resur-

Every Christian, by the Holy pirit, becomes a witness that Jesus

CHURCH NOTES.

First Presbyterian.
Rev. A. H. MacGillivray, pastor.
The pastor will conduct the scrvices and preach on both occasions Sunday School and Bible Class a

Sanday Sandor and Fibre Chas as
p. m.
Regular weekly prayer meeting on
Wednesday evening at 8.
Christ Church.
Third Sunday in Advent.
There will be an early celebration
of the Holy Communion in Christ
Church to-morrow morning at halfnast eight. past eight.
Rev. Robt. McCosh, rector, will conduct the services and occupy the

pulpit on both occasions to-morrow. He will be assisted by Rev. W. H.

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Sunday School will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.
Holy Communion will be administered the first Sunday of each
month at 11 o'clock a.m., and on the
third Sunday early celebration at
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morrow
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Wednesday evening at 8.
Holy Trinity.

Third Sunday in Advent The rector, Rev. J. W. Hodgins, will preach on both occasions to-morrow. The subject of the evening sermon will be, 'The Attitude of the Churchman Towards Amusements." Cross Cut Saws

man Towards Amusements."
There will be an early celebration of the Holy Communion to-morrow morning at 8.30.
Sunday School and Bible Class at p. m. to-morrow. day in the month at 11 a. m. and the third Sunday at 8 a. m. Baptism any Sunday at 4 p. m. when previous notice has been

Rev. W. L. Rutledge, pastor.

The pastor will take as his morning subject, "The Gathering of the People," Evening theme, "The Church at the Bar of Public Opin-

Christian fellowship meeting to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, in S. S. Hall.

S. Hall.

Sunday School and Bible Class tomorrow at 3 p. m.

Regular weekly prayer service on
Wednesday evening at 8.

William St. Baptist.

Services will be conducted tomorrow at the usual hours.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on
Wednesday evening at 8.

Prayer meeting to-morrow morning at 10.

Sunday School and Bible Class at
3 p. m.

3 p. m.
Victoria Ave. Methodist.
Rev. F. E. Malott, B. A., B D., pas

Classes meet to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock and 12 noon. The pastor will preach temperance fermons morning and evening. The morning theme will be, "The True

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subject, "The Secret of Strength,"

A reception for new members will be held at the close of the evening ser-Sunday School and Bible Class at

month at 11 o'clock a. m., and on the third Sunday early celebration at half-past eight.

St. Andrew's.

The pastor, Rev. Dr. J. R. Battisby, will conduct both services to-morrow.

Sunday School and Bible Class at p. m.

Regular weekly prayer service on wednesday evening at eight. Questing the conduct both services to-morrow as usual.

Sinvices will be conducted to-morrow as usual.

Elder Brb. St. John, of Ridgetown, missionary of the Chatham District, has been holding special meetings for the past two weeks, will speak to-morrow morning and evening, which will conclude his series of addresses.

There are the past two weeks, will be conducted to-morrow as usual.

Sinvices will be conducted to-morrow as the door.

Salvation Army.

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Christian fellowship meeting for promotion of holiness at 11 a. m., Christian fellowship meeting at 8 p. m., soul-winning service at 7.30 p. m. All services for citizens and soldiers.

Religeo Society every Sunday even-ing at 8.15.
Sunday School to-morrow after-noon at 2 o'clock.
Prayer service to-morrow at 3 p.

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We have the Diamonds that make sales. The prices will interest you, and the high average in excellence of the goods will please holiday buyers. Our large stock has met with the most exacting diamonds. Never before. have I had as large an assortment of holiday goods. A call at the big clock and you will be convinced. Only three weeks

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Sunday school at 3 p. m.
Union A. M. E.
Services will be held as usual to-

orrow.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Vednesday evening at 8.

Sunday School at 2.30 p. m.

First Baptist.
W. T. Nickerson, pastor.
Services will be held as usual toorrow. Sabbath School at 12.30.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Vednesday evening at 8. B. M. E. Services will be held to-morrow at

the usual hours.

A. U. M. P.

Services will be held as usual tomorrow, the pastor, Rev. C. M.
Walker, preaching both morning and

evening.

Regular weekly prayer meeting on Tuesday evening at 8.

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Against Tariff Increases Asked By The Manufaca turesr Sittle

RESOLUTIONS ARE PASSED

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—The Liberal members from Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta waited on the Minister of Finance Thursday afternoon and registered their protest against any increases in the Canadian tariff, as asked for by the manufacturers.

Since the new tariff was introduced, the manufacturers have been making demands upon the Government for increases amounting in some cases to as high as 10 per cent.

The western members told Mr. Fielding, that while they would have liked to have seen a still lower tariff in the interests of the farmers, they accepted the schedule as presented to Parliament as a fair compromise.

The delegation made it perfectly clear that any increases would be stubbornly resisted and resented by the farming community of the three, provinces.

New Set of Readers.

Toronto, Dec. 15.—The Government has decided to publish a new set of readers for all grades in the public schools, which will be modern in every particular, the subject matter to be chosen by the advisory council of education.

Briscos,
Curtain vises at 8:30 sharp on Monday evening for the MacIntyre-Badge ley recital. Be in your seats, as the whose death occurred weednesday distinct of each number, a want as the finish of each number, a want as the family residence on Murray street took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence on Murray street took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence on Murray street took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence on Murray street took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence on Murray street. The family residence on Murray street took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence on Murray street. The family residence on Murray street took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence on Murray street. The family residence on Murray street. The family residence on Murray street took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence on Murray street. The family residence of the family residence on Murray street. The family residence of the family residenc

R. W. RUTHERFORD, M.D.

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Are of many classes—those that shine but do no practical good, those that are useful but not ornate, and those that combine beauty; form and splendor with comfort, utility and convenience. The class of Christmas surprises that now brighten the floors of this Store are jewels in the form of Christmas Chairs, Tables, Boolcases and Writing Desks, Christmas Sideboards. Buffets, China Cabinets, Parlor Cabinets, and scores of Pretty Parlor Pieces. Gorgeous Presents in Turkish Rockers, large Easy Chairs, Morris Chairs, Daven-

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Three piece parlor suite, polished mahogany finish frames, best quality upholstering

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The Finest of Lace Collars Surpassing all Previous Values 35c Lace Collars 15c.

200 dezen and over lace collars and tabs of balz Irish guipure and pompodour lace collars in white, ivory, butter and black-also silk collars, lovely collars and at regular price would sell at 250 and 350. Manufacturers Sale Price 150.

75c & \$1.00 Collars for 25c What Better Bargains Could Be?

150 dozen col'ars in silk, chifion and lace, also some extra nice tailor made collars, white, black and colors in the fancy collars, while there is a great variety of the finest guipure and balz Irish lace collars, the regular values are 50c, 75c

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210 fancy back combs triamed with silver,

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Hundreds of Women's Waists at Less Then The Price of Making

175 swell waists in silk, beautifully trimmed with val insertion, Justres in blacks or white with embroidered fronts; and black, white and ecru all over lace waists lined with silk, these waists are worth from \$2.75 to \$4.50. Manufacturers Sale Price \$4.08.

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95 of the finest silk Taffetta waists in white or black and colors, also extra nice Jap taffeta waists beautifully made with lace insettion triminings, dainty waists are made—the regular prices would be from \$400 to \$1000. Manufacturers Sale Price \$2.89.

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Our special purchase of gift goods at the price comprise, fancy collars, lace chemisettes and lace collars, a splendid assortment of really choice goods much under the regular prices, if we buy theap we sell cheap. Manufacturers Sale price-

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50 dozen very fine swiss Handerchiels with beautiful embroidery work—sheer centres with embroidery and plain hem-stitched borders—this is one of the best handkerchief bargains of the season and not likely to be duplicated, 15c each or 2 for 25c.

Commencing Monday the commencing day of the Manufacturers Sale, we will keep our store open for the convenience of those who find it inconvinent to come through the day we kindly invite all to the store to see the electric, light illumination and roses. 6d.2 9 1 1 su n 1 2

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Boxes filled with finest Candy are to be had here in large variety. Their beauty is undoubted and the quality of the Candy just as hight-

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We are Healiquarters for all CHRISTMAS FRUITS. We would like you to come in and see

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TO-NIGHT

Choir practice, First Presbyterian

LOCAL

The Gordon Store, the Eur Store, Quill. 1 3 -1 Earl Spratch was in Bondon on A most unfortunate actident hap-usiness yesterday.

Just received a bigilot of Holly. It's extra fine, with lots of red berries.

Holly Wreaths Moss Wreathing Little Red Bells

Have You Tried Sealshipt Oysters SOLID MEASURE. FRESH BY EXPRESS DATLY

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KING STREET, Clarence Birfoot left for Detroit

his aftermoon on a ball sing at Park's Miss May Peate will sing at Park's freet Bible class to merrow after about

warss May Feate will sing at Park street Bibbe class to merrow after hoon.

Warden Cammissioner Stephen Parnall Strucis, of Dresden, was in the city of Dainess to-day.

Miss Carper MacIntyre and Miss Badgely welfed in the city from Lecton lips merring. They will put ca a rearral at the Erisco Theatre Monday werning.

Parties having inite boxes belonging to the Ladies Aid of the First Presbyterian chuich will kindly leave them at the Garden Store or at Whos. Stone & Son by Jan 185.

The remains of the late Mrs Raley, who passed away sindendy while on at visit to her esser. Mrs Bartliff, of this city, were conveyed to Chicago this morning on the 1.52.

A very fine the of letter seals, prices ranging from 50 to 2.20; and mail files from 18 to 53.00 at R. J. MacIntyre's, leiding is weller, and opticidn.

Mr. and Mrs. (Dr.) Mills were in

opticials.

Mr. and Mrs. (Dr.) Mulls were in Chatham, Sunday, visiting the form be's mother at the General Hospital where she recomply under went a successful operation. Thour Times.

Mis Hope Rahlkin tend a paper on the lesson at the meeting of the Young People, of the Eirst Church List night, and an interesting address on Pous and his contemporaries was given by Mr. J. S. Erne.

A. I. McCoil & Co. I. mitel, diuggists, announce the arrival to day of the Christmas shipments of Lowneys. Checolates. The Checolates area as good and the packages much pretiter than eyer before; 200 to \$5.00 mer hox.

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Dail.

Dusiness yesterday in Bondon on The For Store, the Gordon Store, James Biker, of Dresden spent ye terday in the city.

Miss Hope Tillson, of Michigan is home for the holidays.

Christmis Bells, and Baiss at Crump's, 5, 10 and 45 cents.

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For Your Christmas Shopping at The GORDON STORE

Sit down now, take your pencil, write your friends ames, then read carefully these two columns, and if you on't find all you want, remember we don't own the whole

Handkerchiefs

A leading line of 56 Irish Linen Embroidered Hdkfs; the demand will exceed the supply, for we sell them at, each 25c Linen Initialed Hdkfs, half dozen in box, 1.25, 150c and 60c all Linen Embroidered Hdkfs for 25c; 80c, 90c, 1.00, 1.25 fine Linen Lace Hdkfs for 50c; Fine Hemstitched Lawn Hdkfs 3c to 10c; all the Pictured and Bordered Hdkfs from 2 for 5c up; special values in Men's Plain and Initial Silks and Linen Hemstitched.

Ladies Collars

Can be sent in a letter—Tasty Turnov to 10c; to 25c; special lines of Lace Collars at 10c; Ladies Fancy Collars, very choice and selected specially for holiday trade.

Our splendid collection of Furs and Fur Coats.

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Babies' Booties, plain and fancy 15c; Ladies Mitts
25c, 36c, 42c, 50c; Babies' Mittens, all Pine Wool Mitts, white, black, navy Bibbs, fine selection at 6c, 8c; 10c, 20c, and cardinal, per pair 15c; Children's Kid Lined Mitts 25c.

Astonishing Dress

Fur Lineat Coats, Neck Bices, Muffs and Sets and are on sale at lowest city prices for the holidays. Scarfs and Neck Piece reductions, your pick of our 6.50, 7.50

A Christmas extra, in good White Kid Gloves at 590; black, tan, grey and white, and Sweight Gloves, which we guarantee per pair 1.90; all sizes Ladies' Mocha Kid, Gloves 1.25; all our 1.75 Ladies' Washible Kid, Gloves now 1.29; a holiday and in 12 button elbow length, Black Glace Kid Gloves at 1.69.

For the Kiddiwids

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City Skirt Depot Holiday Silks

Bright it Black Mercerized Petticoats, very full and flounced, all sizes from 75c to 2.00; Silk Moire Petticoats, many and and you cannot visit this holiday safe any black, a great X mas present 3.95; Black too soon to secure a bargain that any Laffeta Silk Petticoats 5.75; a regular 6.00 Moire Skirt, green, garnet, brown, navy and black, X mas cut 4.98.

DRISS SKIRTS, navy and black taged seems, good material, a surprise taged seems, good seems, go

aped seems, good material, a surprise at 1.68; Navy and Black Cloth Skirts, more pleats and more trimming, at 1.98; Handker Hemstitched Silk Handker

Leather Goods and Children's Coat Wilst Bags And Children's Coat

90 ; dark shaded checked grey Skirts chiefs, 50c. Irish Lipen Hemstitched thitisted Hakis, Xmas box of 6 for 1.35 ; suprising qualities in Men's Lawn Hakfs-

Handkerchiefs

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3 oo; Fancy Opera Wrist Bags 50c to 2.25 Tweed Coats at 2 oo and 3.00; 4 50 to
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MEN'S MITS, wool, leather and mocha

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SOCKS, black and fawn cashmere, all-ine (wool, scamless and stainles and leavy, 25c, 42c, 50c, and ribbed 25c and

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These are as neat a Christmas Present as any maid or man could wish for. Paragon steel frames, the best of coverings, the most futery handles yet teen. These imbrellas range from a up to 5.00, and the weather wise sayan open winter.

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Men's Kid Gloves Christmas Linens. Open Work Pillow Shams, Dressers and

Linen d'Oylies, hand embroidered and

BOYS' MITS, in wool, black curl and accha, from 20c to 72c. BOYS! MITS, in wool, black curl and Damask Lunch Cloths, 50c to \$1. Ditto-Tray Cloths, 25c to \$1. Ditto Linear Scaris, 50c to \$1. Ditto Linear Scaris, 50c to \$1.25. Hemstitched Speets and Pillow Cases to meter.

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Only II shopping days till Christmas. You'll wake up some bright morning and find Santa Claus staring you in the face and half your Christmas shopping will not be done. Then these'll be disappointments instead of pleasure, and sorrowful hearts instead of happiness. There are only II more shop; ing days before Christmas. If that fact doesn't stir you into quick buying action, nothing will.

Fanoy Silk Waists.—A silk waist makes a sensible, sure to be appreciated Christmas gift, but of course under ordinary circumstances the price sometimes prevents a choice falling on so desirable a present—with our special offering however, there is an inducement to select a silk waist.

Our \$3.50 to \$4 S.lk Waists we offer to Christmas buyers at \$2.25. Our \$5.50 to \$6.50 Silk Waists are going at \$4.50. We also offer \$10 to \$12 Silk Waists at the exceedingly low price of

Christmas Collars and Belts.—What can be nicer than a pretty collar or belt for a Christmas present. Come in and see for yourself our display of these.

Sensational Sale of Women's Coats, suspender styles, paddock styles, slashed back styles, loose coats and belted coats, 52 and 54 inches long. \$20.00, 17.50 and 15.00 values at \$12.95. Manufacturer's surplus stock of the newest s'yles in extra fine Chiffon, Broadcloth, English Kerseys, and the latest novelties in plaids, mixtures, checks, herring-bone stripes and blacks, splendidly finished and trimmed with piping, fancy novelty buttons, box pleats, etc., plain, velvet and collarless styles, everyone a perfect model and exclusively cut and finished by men tailors. The early comers will get the choicest selection at \$12.95. (Though sizes are complete, we haven't each size in every style.) Underskirts in every color.

Our assortment of Silk Underskirts this season is practically unlimited. Best values from \$4.50 to 10.00.

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Pipings are making a strong bid for favor, and one sees them in all sorts of new and attractive connections. While it is hardly a piping in one sense of the word, very effective work is being done with thick and heavy cable cords covered with silk. The covering is not shirred or wrinkled on as heretofore. It lies quite smooth and flat, and the cord-it is as thick as one's thumb in its smaller presentations—is twisted into all sorts of pat-terns and designs. Watch springs, colls, undulating ropes, lattices, etc., are so fashioned, and very effective trimming they make at but small ex-

penditure of time and money.
Striped silks cut on the bias and piped with a little featherbone cording are being used with excellent results. To peep forth either edge of a nun's fold, to border strappings, to edge plaits, trim collars and cuffs, strap waistcoats, etc., are some of their missions, and when the color contrast is cleverly selected quite an elaborate air can be achieved on a simple frock with such assistance.

The wherewithal with which to cov er the arms is bound to be a vexed question in the determining of the lines of costume this coming season. The dressmakers in Paris are advocating sleeveless dresses. There are some that display a half sleeve, and there are models on view in which the sleeve is carried in an exaggerated fashion down in mittine shape over the hand, the thumb being slipped through a little loop provided for just this purpose. And between this last and the sleeveless mode one can take any choice.

MILLINERY MODES.

rapes a Smart Trimming of the

As a general thing the winter milliner is to exercise her ingenuity in trimming felt hats. The felt "shape" s almost universal, and the good old days have returned when hats were trimmed and not made. This is true even of the dress hats, which have flowers, fruit and feathers loaded on plain felt shapes. For instance, one



of the prettiest hats of this class was a black felt in slightly oval shape, the brim surrounded with beautiful pink velvet and silk roses and a large white feather pointing backward. It also was bound in black velvet for half an

inch over the brim, which is one of the little finishes to be used a great deal.

The millinery openings are displaying the latest fashions from Paris, and one of the modish trimmings seen on the smartest hats for the winter are the grape clusters. They come in various dull tones and in the hat shown are in three tones, light to dark ma-hogany. It is a blocked French felt model in watteau color (pinkish ma-hogany). The hat is of the pale tone, with trimming of velvet ribbon bows in the dark shade

Extra Waists

At the beginning of each season the merry croakers used to predict the extinction of the blouse. They have been long since reduced to silence, and now the only trouble about extra waists with the average woman is to secure enough of them and select them so cleverly that they may stay in style as long as their materials remain fresh.

A Good Luck Box. A "good luck" box of Japanese paper has a frill and twisted top. When opened the box is like a flower, which reveals a second box inside. This inner box is a repository for some small gift.

Club Sandwich. Cut bread in slices three-eighths of an nch thick and cut the slices into triangular pieces, trimming off the crusts. Toast the bread and let it become cold.



READY TO SERVE.

Spread with butter or mayonnais Lay a thin slice of cold roast chicken above the bread, above this a slice of broiled bacon and a let-tuce leaf dressed with mayonnaise and cover with a second piece of toast. Prepare a second sandwich and finish with other lettuce leaves containing mayonnaise dressing.

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The latest production. Double grooved blades with serrations in blade and handle. The toughest wood used-Yellow Birch. Natural grain of wood follows urvature of blade.

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ENGLISH SPORT

It Abounds In Graft That Would Not Be Tolerated Here.

If there is any man on this earth, white or black, who insists that his expenses in competitive sport must be no drain on himself, that man is the Britisher. And he is quite right. An amateur should be neither in nor out a dollar. It is entirely proper that his club, his college, his association or such collection of bodies as he represents should pay his legitimate expenses when he is sent to compete for that college or club or association or union. England goes much farther and gives much more latitude in the matter of expenses than we do. In cricket, for example, "amateur" players in England whose services are desired for the county championship series are literally "found" during the entire season. No graft of this kind could exist in America without raising such a storm as would blow the whole thing to kingdom come. Nor would we toler ate the conditions that obtain in Eng-lish track athletics and "amateur" football, both of which are steeped in cov-ert professionalism. And as for junketing—why, that comes near to being the Englishman's alter ego—it is a part of the English game. You might as well deprive him of his dearest pos-session—his prejudice, for instance—as deprive him of his junket. Let the stewards figure up how many good American dollars have gone to satisfy this national predilection through the medium of cricketers, golfers and other English athletes that have visited us.—Caspar Whitney in Outing Maga

fix a powerful, invigorating tonic, imparting health and strength in particular to the organs distinctly feminine. The local, womanly health is so intimately related to the general health that when related to the general health that when diseases of the delicate womanly organs are cured the whole body gains in health and strength. For weak and sickly women who are "worn-out," "run-down or debilitated, especially for women whe work in store, office or schoolroom, who sit at the typewriter or sewing machine, or bear heavy household burdens, and for nursing mothers. Dr. Pferce's Favorite Prescription has proven a priceless benefit because of its health-restoring and strength-giving powers.

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Don't Talk Much to Your Horse. A horse who has always been made to obey quickly will respond to commands from any one, whereas the creature who has been petted and talked to accords, unless hungry, scant attention to any one. We talk to horses altogether too much, and it is a silly and dangerous custom. "Whoa!" should mean but one thing and, silp, silde or fall, should meet with instant obedience. Not another word should ever be used, beyond possibly the order to "stand over" in the stall (although even that is best unsaid) except the "click" of the tongue for increased speed. The animal's attention is kept if you are silent. He does not know what you A horse who has always been made silient. He does not know what you are silient. He does not know what you will do next, and as he distrusts and merely tolerates you, even as he fears you, his anxiety is always to find out what you wish done or what move you will next make.—F. M. Ware in Outing Magazine.

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The Markets

There was a very large market on he square this morning. Produc as abundant. Eggs are still holding irm at 30 cents; butter at 25 cents, nd large fowls are selling at a moderate price. Vegetables are be ginning to look very scarce, there being only the hardy species left. There is also a fine variety of fish on the market.

DAIRY PRODUCE. DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter, per pound, 25c.
Cream, per quart, 30c.
Cheese, per cake, 25c.
Chickens, each, 25 to 50c.
Ducks, each, 405 to 55c.
Eggs, per dozen, 30c.
Gesse, each, 80c to \$1.30.
Gesse wings, per pair, 5c.
Honey, in rack, 12c; in pail, 55c.
Headcheese, per lb., 10c. FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.

Apples, per peck, 15c.

Beans, per quart, 6c.
Carrots, per quart, 6c.
Carrots, per peck, 15c.
Cucumbers, in brine, 25c to 35c 100
Celery, per bunch, 10c.
Cauliflowers, each 5c. to 10c. Cabbage, 5c. Hickory nuts, per quart, 10c. Hickory Buts, per quart, 10c. Homney, per quart, 5c. Lettuce, three heads for 5c. Lard, per pound, 12c and 13c. Marjorm, per bunch, 5c. Mixed pickles, per bottle, 15c. Onions, per peck, 20c to 25c. Pop corn, per Gozen, 10c. Potatoes, -eck, 20e; bag, \$1. Beets, per peck, 15c. to 20c. Pears, per peck, 15c. to 20c. Pears, per pound, 9c and 10c. Popcorn, popped, per quart, 5 Pork, per pound, 9c and 10c.
Popcorn, popped, per quart, 5c.
Squash, each, 10 to 25c.
Sweet cider, per gallon, 20c.
Sauerkraut, per gallon, 20c.
Sage, two bunches for 5c.
Sayony, per bunch, 5c.
Thyme, per bunch, 5c.
Tobacco, per bail, \$2.
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Tobacco, per bunch, 5c.
Turnips, per peck, 10c.
Vegetable oysters, per bunch, 5c.
Vegetable marrow, two for 5c.
Walnuts, per quart, 5c.
FISH. FISH.

Herring, 10c. Pickerel, 12c. Salmon trout, 12c. White fish, 12c.

iverpool Wheat Futures Close Lower Chicago Higher-Live Stock Markets-The Latest Quotations.

Thursday Evening, Dec. 13, Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day 34d wer than yesterday and corn futures 34d 34d lower. to 1/4d lower.
At Chicago May wheat closed 1/4c higher than yesterday; May corn 1/4c higher and May oats 1/4c higher.

WINNIPEG OPTIONS. At the Winnipeg option market to-day ie following were the closing quotations: ec. 73%c, May 77%c, July 74%c bid. LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

| n | | Dec. | May. | July |
|----|---------------------|-------|----------|--------|
| | New York | 811/4 | 841/4 | 8356 |
| h | Detroit | 771/2 | 861/4 | 79% |
| | Toledo | 77 | 8114 | |
| y | St. Louis | 731/4 | 771/ | 75% |
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LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE

4%d.
Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, 4s
4d: futures quiet; Jan., 4s 1%d; March,
4s %d.
Hams—Short cut quiet, 58s. Bacon—
Cumberland cut quiet, 49s 6d; shoulders,
square steady, 44s.
Lard—Prime western easy, 45s 6d; American refined dull, 46s.

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET. New York, Dec. 13.—Butter—Firm, un-danged; recelpts, 6073. Cheese—Steady, unchanged; recelpts, 1018. Eggs—Weak, steady; Pennsylvania, and near-by fancy selected white, 40c to 42c; do, choice, 37c to 39c; mixed extra, 35c to 37c; western average prime, 31 (official price firsts 31c); seconds, 29c to 30c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables About Steady-Cattle Steady, Hogs 5c Higher at Chicago. London, Dec. 13.—Canadian cattle in the British markets are quoted at 9%c to 12e per lb.; refrigerator beef, 8%c to 8%c per lb.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK.

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Toronto, Dec. 13.—Receipts of live stock at the city market since last Tuesday as reported by the railways were 131 car loads, composed of 1882 cattle, 2334 hogs, 1663 sheep and lambs, with 65 calves. Trade was good, the demand for the Christmas trade being strong. Prices for anything approaching good quality were better than for some time.

Exporters.

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There was no demand for shipping cattle excepting for buils, aithe there were some cattle good enough as well as heavy enough, but these were all picked up for butcher purposes. Export bulls sold from \$3.50 to \$4.25 per cwt.

Butchers.

Good to choice Xmas steers and helfers sold at \$4.00 to \$5 per cwt., but few brought the latter price; loads of good butchers sold at \$4.20 to \$4.90; medlum at \$3.80 to \$4.10; common to fair at \$3.50 to \$3.75; cows, \$2.90 to \$4 per cwt., canners, \$31 to \$1.50 per cwt.

Feeders and Stockers.

Fee feeders or stockers offered and steers that would have made good feeders, as long as they were at all fleshy were bought for butchers' purposes. Good feeders would have found ready sale at \$3.50 to \$3.80 or even \$4; stockers ranged from \$2.25 for common to \$3 for those weighing from 500 to 800 lbs. each.

Milleh Cows.

There was a fair trade for cows of good quality, several outside buyers being on the market. Prices ranged from \$30 to \$60 each, but few went over the \$60 mark.

Veal Calves.

Only a limited number was offered and few of these were of good to choice quality. Prices ranged from \$2.50 to \$7 per cwt. and one X mas market calf of prime quality sold at \$7.50 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.

A fair delivery of sheep and lambs met a brisk market and sold at good prices, especially the lambs. Export sheep, \$4.75; lambs at \$5.75 to \$6.25, and one or two small lots at \$6.50 per cwt.

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NUTS TO GRACK

THE PLANET JUNIOR SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15,

1. We were at grandma's for Thankegiving dinner, ond now must guess what we had. We were in error last week in saying that Miss Rankin's composition
was the Valedictory. It was an orignal composition which she reid at Th
the commencement exercises in the m
Central School, but was the Glass
Prophery: The Valedictory was
written and read by Ross Taylor, the
clever gold medallist this year, who in
is a gon of Mr. Wilson Taylor, Mathematical Mass, er of the Ohatham th
We have annothed an analysis.

Soup. Fraudulent reptile. Noisy things.

THE ESSAY COMPETITION. the Prize E say Comp-bers 3, 4, 10 and 12 have test number of votes, are in the names of the suc-periers on Dec. 29th. It atims we will be glad to

A TRUE STORY.

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is with not easy to take gool-natured.
If a native of Europe, what do you
do when hart?

Love's demonstration.

Love's demonstration.

A kind of hote and a letter.

Found in history.

Necessary to wheels.

What Yanke's farmers, used to
have. To shrink.
A suggestion youthful days. going to tell you something going to tell you something y hespend in Chatham.

rears ago a little boy of asked what Shain Claus ght him. He besitated for t, then his lip quivered and into tears, and, amid his rebs, he said:
"I hang up my stocking, but Ennta
Claus fordet to tum."
Now, just think how that poor little boy felt when he went to that
empty stocking on Christmas morn-

el to go south for his heatth, and the little fellow had been left with his grandmether, who was old, very poor and in bad health.

It is a sad little story, and the reason we tell it to you is, to ask the Juniors if they will all try and do something for some child who is not as well off as themselved. If not as well off as themselved. If the little bay whom we told you about had found a few endies and nuts, and an orange, or a rosy apple, in his stocking, he would have been as much pleased as you would have been had the contents of yours over many dothars.

Just look through your toys and tes if there isn't something you can drygare; if it is broken, awad it, it is broken, awad it; it is how how hen it was now.

Tou learn to make such pretty we things at school. On you think of any little invalid that any of these things would please?

We any of you so ill on Christmas that you had to stay in bed all he other children raming about, and listen to all the exchantions of surprise and delight, and just have to stay like a prisoner in bed. Of course they come in and show you everything—il you are not too ill—but it is very different to being up to een and the pretty ribboaried parcels andone. But perhaps a parcels is brought in for you and when you open it you find something that one of your school frieeds has sent, and it makes you feel happy to know that that friend could some you were shout up.

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Junior Personals +++++++++++++++++++++

No. 28

We are getting a lot of money for the sick children, and the girls are ahead of the boys.

Louisa McLachian is back at school. She was sick last week with thatlitis. ******* CENTICAL SCHOOL.

We have some movey for the Sick Children's Bespital.
We have some uice drawings in the Miss Theora the St. Thomas schools.
Miss Reversat bought a Chinese lily and it is out in bloom.
Room 15 has a Chinese lily and it is out in bloom. school. She was sick list were to kealilits.
Marjory King-mill is back to school, after being away last week. Chritmas holidays will soon be here. Then we will have some fun. Lette Euming beoke her arm last Saturday.

MCKEOUGH SCHOOL.

Beam 8 is trying to raise a dollar to go towards the East Children's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Flonde and family have renewed to their new residence on Head Sh.

Margaret Chmeron had a birthday party on Sturday.

We are going to make some things for Christmas in Room 8. We may have our choice of a march Sergebs.

Dora Graham, of Selichk Et, gave a candy box.

Dora Graham, of Selichk Et, gave a party on Thesday night. All who Fran Pritzhard's birthday comes on ec. 15th. In Room 8 We are taking up com-iex sentences. ritchard's birthday comes on

time.

Mrs. Burnbart has returned to her bome in Wheatley.

Miss Eala Fu gess. A Wellaceburg, spent Tuesday aight with Bana Graham.

Mr. D. W. Crow, who was 76 years old, had a dinner last Saturday for his relatives.

Mr. Ross gave a great lecture in the William at T. D. p. ist Church last Toe day evening.

My cut ounght here mice the other night.—Grae Hall.

In Hoom 6 we are going to write a composition on Longfellow.

The boys and girls of Room 6 have made their last drawing before Christmas. Their drawing before his week.

McKeaugh School is collecting money for the Stek Children's Hospital in Toronto.

Miss Mand Shaw is strying at Mr. Harvood's Ede will be there until after Christmas.

The papin of Room 6 are painting the map of North America, and are also studying it.

Misses Mary and Mildred West.

Jenn Dunen strands first for November in the Entrance Class.

Gestrade Earkanse Class.

Gestrade Earks is on the sick list this week.

Misses had a spelling match on Dec.

VALEDIGTORY

C Page for the Boys and Birle

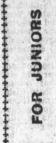
or getting some one to tell them the
answer, which the teacher does not
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to that the two questions will not
be a trouble to us. For if even one
case the punishment by unfair
means, he is still in danger of being found out.

Our school days in the Central are
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the Central School greater success
that the pupils.
They tell us we will have to answer he
the bepulies and their teachers proud
the catelers, and their teachers proud
the pupils. Dear Friends and Teachers:

Since I have 'boen studying Latin, pass 'to easy farewell.' So a valedictory to the Therefore. I must asy farewell to address must be a farewell address. The Central School, to my old teachers, and to my old studies.

What fearly recollections this old service is an to my old studies.

What fearly recollections this old service is arrived that two and two make four, ox spells ox, and that the flat would fearned to read, so that we can enter the doors to all knowledge, Here we learned to read, so that we can enter the doors to all knowledge, Here we learned to read, so that we can make the act our thoughts to friends who are far away. Here we learned to vite, so that we can make the vight change on the markey. Time would, fail me, my dear friends, to be amount of knowledge we sequired here, for the amount of knowledge we acquired here, for the second into be equalled in any the so court, not be equalled in any the so court, and here, we acquired here, for the flow, straight we satt in our seats; how inten was every eye on the they arrived here, we had much fun, they wanted here, to whe he will be a job but to Billy Brown for he sold a rubbit to Billy Brown for he sold a rubbit to Billy Brown for he sold a rubbit to wink at the wanted, chowink at the wanted, or wink at the the test wanted or the the wanted, or wink at the first wanted.



"I'm grad that things are fixed just find Molly in the play.
"Ecce of one thing I am irred Anothe on the way.
First Newsyer's dry leads all the ref. Then Vale time's for fun, "Next, skuting, sliding on the snow,
And then the winte's done.
It's just the toerest thing to watch
The growing thing '(n spring,
With maple-agair first, then flow-

And every pretty thing.

Wrote and Reid the

To play the whole day through.
To play the whole day through.
And rever have to stop and warm,
Put on my rubbers, too.
I'm sure I'm overy bit as glad
When school-time's really there

er suppus sugth retur-rgy and end just what balance of h than Ferrod

Patience may assist a man to overcome trouble, but it must be backed by something like guergy to be effective.

walk.

The sidewalks have got a lot of so tee on them, and by the Clifford W. Jackson, the junitor, fell of down and broke his arm.

I am goulf to stend my Christmas have my graadmother't I will have

Charlie Cuthber Barry Ashwell. Lelsad Burns. Lelsad Burns. Lelsad Burns. Erne t Bberlee. Harold Forshee lan Laird. Wando Kimmer Donglas MeWh Carl Bre ett. Nailer. Jackron. Charlie Stott. Hewa. d Brub et Voern Hart. George Criege. Roy Hart. George Criege. Roy Hart. George Criege. Roy Hart. George Criege. Roy Irwin Baker. Charlie Boyle. Hopt Wilfred Thorntt Irvine Booper. Lee Drenan. Wilfred Thorntt Irvine Booper. Laurie Wells. James McVean. Clarific Boyle. High Winter. Lee Drenan. Clarane Wells. Beginnen Talbot. Clifferid Benjamin George Criege. Beginnen Talbot. Glifferid Benjamin George Criege.

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Teachest

YOUTH'S VITALITY SAPPED AWAY.

Your child looks porly, is thred an fretful. You would like this boy, ogirl to be more robust, more energe tie and vivacious. The "something that is wrong is simply this. Stometh and bowels need attention. One stipetion and indigestion must be re-

THE LABRADOR

1906

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RAW BLEEDING

Looked More Like Piece of Raw Beef Than Human Being - Doctors Useless - Blessed Relief and First Real Sleep in Weeks After First Application, and

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"Words cannot describe the terrible eczema I suffered with. I was st a solid mass of sores from head



and pus oozed from a great sore on my scalp, from under my finger nails, and nearly all over my body, and every hair in my head fell out. I could not sit down, for my clothes would stick to the raw and bleeding flesh, making me cry out with pain. My doctor did all he could, but I got worse and worse. I did not think I could live, and wanted death to end my frightful sufferings.

"Ny mother-in-law begged me to try C. ticura. I said I would, but had no bope of recovery. But oh, what bleeding and itching flesh, and brought me the first real sleep in weeks. It was as grateful as ice to a burning tongue. I would bathe with warm water and Cuticura Soap, then apply the Ointment Would bathe with warm water and Cuticura Soap, then apply the Ointment freely, and took the Resolvent for the blood. Soon the sores stopped ruming, the flesh began to heal, my hair started to grow; and in a short time I was completely cured. If any one doubts this, tell them to write to me.—Mrs. Wm. Hunt, 435 Thomas St., Newark, N.J., Jan. 11, 1905." N&J., Jan. 11, 1905."

Camplote External and Internal Greatment for every lumour, from Pimples to Scrofnla, from Infrancycio, Ago. condefing of Cuiticure Son, Ointment, and Resolvaci also in form of Checolate Coated Pills invital of 40), may be ind of all druggists. A single set often custes. Botter before the control of the Computer of th

" CHARGE A MISTAKE.

hief Engineer O.I.B. Clears Himself of Partisanship.

Brantford, Dec. 13.—Chief Engineer Wilson of the Blind Institute, charged of the partisanship, submitted his defence yesterday morning. He made a complete denial of any partisan acts, contlined in the charge, which arose wat of the testimony of Percy Davies, a Liberal worker. Davies again took the stand and corrected the misapprehausien which has arisen, substantiating the evidence of Wilson.

At the afternoon session Walter Radeliffe, a former blind pupil, gave evidence contradicting many statements made by Truss, who lays the charge against Principal Gardiner. The evidence of several teachers who westerday morning. He made a

The evidence of several teachers who were charged by pupils with rough mage was also taken. The enquiry ras adjourned until Dec. 26.

"Maclaren's Trial Adjourned. Maclaren's Trial Adjourned.
Ottawa, Dec. 13.—The prehiminary
maring of the charge against Alexmader Maclaren and the police officers, charged with manslaughter as
participants in the labor riots of Oct.
d, were continued in Hull yesterday
before Judge Choquette, and adjourned for a week. Coroner Roderique alcon appeared, charged with criminal
maglect of duty, and decision, was remerved in his case.



GREAT LENGTH OF DAYS

PROMISED TO THEM TO WHO HONOR FATHER AND MOTHER.

GROW OLD WITH GAY HEART

Righteous Old Age Desirable-Sane Men Wish to Live as Long as They Can Be a Blessing and a Beneficent Influence to Their Fellow Man-Good Effect Upon Physique of Young People Follows Obedience.

Entered according to Act of Parliament of Can-ada, in the year 1906, by Frederick Diver, To-ronto, at the Dept. of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 9.-In this sermon the preacher shows the pleasures that attend a life rightly spent and the blessings also, including that of longevity. The text is Exodus xx. 12, "Honor thy father and thy mother

that thy days may be long."

Would you like to grow old? Would you live upon this earth so long that your hair shall become white as the driven snow? Would you, if you could, live to see your children grow up and the family scatter and most of the rooms of the old homestead become empty and silent except when your children's children come to make their grandfather an annual visit and play in the nursery with some of the same old toys which their fathers and mothers used when they were children? Would you be born in the latter part of one century and live on and on until you could stand at the cradle of a new century and then live. of a new century and then live on until you could see that century cast aside its swaddling clothes and pass through the days of its youth and young manhood and come en toward its mission of middle life? In other words, would you like to live out the full allotment of a man's life and see the sun rise and set when you have reached your three-score and ten, or even pass your four-score, or even live on, as did Ludovico, the famous statesman who started to write the me-moirs of his times at the great age

Would you like to be an old man, like Peter Cooper or Titian or Petrarch or Cato or Jacob or Isaac or Abraham? "Well," you say, "that all depends upon circumstances. If I could flourish in a righteous old age, like the psalmist's palm tree; if I could grow old with a record grow old with a record. could grow old with a young heart; if my influence for good over my fellow men might be stronger when I became grayer, I would like to live to be very old, and the older the better. But if I am to be like an old worm-eaten tree, sparled and twisted worm-eaten tree, gnarled and twisted out of shape; if I am to be an imbit tered, whining, fault-finding, helpless old man, out of touch with all the advancements of life, then I want to die before I advancements of life, then I want to die before I become a pest to everybody and a dead weight upon my friends. In other words, if I can live to be one of those lovable, gentle, helpful, kindly old men who lighten the burdens of all those with whom they come in contact, then I wish to live. But if I cannot be such a one then I want to die, and perhaps the sooner I die the better it will be for the happiness of those about me. Well said, my brother! We are here, of course, speaking of a glorious old Well said, my brother! We are here, of course, speaking of a glorious old age of Christian usefulness. No sane man should want to live to be a bad old man any more than he should wish to be a bad young man or a bad middle aged man, but most ol us want to live upon earth just as long as we can be of use to our fellow men. Therefore the longer we can be of use the longer we should wish to live.

can be of use the longer we should wish to live.

Who would want to die at fifty years of age if he could live to do his best work for Christ in his sixties and seventies, as did John Wesley! So wonderfully did that great man a physical frame retain its vigor that it grew stronger as it became older. In his biography we find that it was not until John Wesley reached his sixty-ninth year that he could be persuaded to travel in a carriage. He always made his preaching tours up to that time on horseback. At Kingswood he preached under the shade of wood he preached under the shade of the trees which he himself had planted. When he was seventy years of age he spoke at one time to over 30,000 people, by all of whom he was distinctly heard. He tells us himself that when he was seventy-two years of age his eyes were more powerful and his nerves were firmer than they were when he was forty. Yes, we should want to do God's work in our twenties and thirties and forties. But we should also wish to live to do 2 noble Christian man's work in our fifties and sixties and seventies and hift possible, in our eighties and nineties. wood he preached under the shade

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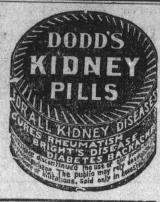
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The commandment of the went of the commandment of the commandment, in the
first place, is emphatically true in

reference to our young people's phy-



sical equipment for a long future life It is very important to talk about the beauty of holiness' and the necessity of developing our moral characters aright. It is well enough to plan for the higher attainments of the intellectual life. No one should want to grow up to be a more health. the intellectual life. No one should want to grow up to be a mere healthy physical animal, but we must remember that, no matter how great the brain's power and the spiritual opportunities which are opening up before us, they are all to a more or less extent dependent upon the strength of our lungs and hearts and atomachs and muscles to profit by them. It is very important that the ship have the right kind of masts and sails and steering gear and carge and sails and steering gear and cargo and provision and water supply, but it is also of vital importance that the vessel have the right kind of hull. The work of my brain and my spiritual opportunities may be the cargo of my journey of life, but my physical body is the hull by which I shall oe able to sail on the sea of time. If that fails me, then I must die. Yet

that fails me, then I must die. Yet how many young people there are to-day who are laying the foundation of a future life of invalidism or of an early death by not heeding the advice of their parents in reference to the care of their physical bodies!

Oh, the tragedy of the wrecked human frame How they call a halt to mighty careers of earthly influences! Would you like to know what is one of the saddest sights to me? It is not to see a baby die. It is not to see an old man die. It is to see a young man come up to thirty or forty years of age after years and years of work, come to the time when success is about to be his, and see the death sweat upon that young man's brow or see his trembling hand fall back upon the invalid's coverlet and know that her waterd his privated. sweat upon that young man's brow or see his trembling hand fall back upon the invalid's coverlet and 'mow that he has wasted his physical manhood at the altar of pleasure or at the student's desk and know that his physical health can never be brought back. There is hardly a tragedy like it. Many years ago the rats gnawed through the water casks of the good ship Sarmiento, bound for California. Nearly all the ship's water was lost. On board that vessel were many miners seeking the western gold-fields. Two casks alone were left to quench the thirst of hundreds. At that time the vessel was a thousand miles from the nearest port of San Bias river, where fresh water could be obtained. The two remaining casks were brought on deck and a guard placed over them lay and night that the water might not be wasted. Then two-thirds of a pint of water was given to each man daily—no more, no less. Slowly the ship sailed on. In that hot climate the fever burned, and the passengers were almost mad.

One day a man said to a party of men, among whom stocd a young fellow who afterward told me the incident: "I am dying of thirst. I must have some water. I will give a dollar





to any one who will give me half a pint of water to drink." No answer. No one moved, "I will give \$5 to any one who will sell me some water." No answer. No one moved. Then he took a twenty dollar gold piece out of his pocket, and he said: "I am dying of thirst. I must have water. will give \$20 to any one who will give me just a little water to drink." No answer. No one moved. Then, with an oath, he threw the gold coin upon the deck as he said: "What is the good of it? It will not buy me even one little drink." You say that is tragic? Yes, but it is not nearly so tragic to me as to see boys and girls squandering their health and vital powers in disregard to the advice of their parents in reference to their physical health. Then just at the time when they ought really to begin to live they are about to die. Then they come forth with the pale, wan cheeks of death or of helpless invalidism and say: "Here, Lord, is my money; here is my fame. Give me tack my health." "No," says God. "No. No. I commanded thee to obey thy father and mother. They told you how you should care for your body. You have refused to follow their advice. You must die." Oh, my young friends, will you honor your father and your mother by heeding their warnings that your days may be long upon the land which the Lord, thy God, giveth you?

The next important step for young people to heed in order that a long earthly life may be theirs is to give their parents their confidence in reference to the companions whom they are making their daily associates.

people to heed in order that a long earthly life may be theirs is to give their parents their confidence in reference to the companions whom they are making their daily associates. You should not only introduce these friends to your fathers and mothers, but you should tell your parents their true natures, and you should tell your parents their true natures, and you should tell your parents their bad characteristics as well as their good. Then, if you father or mother advise you not to associate with this boy or that girl or this young man or that young woman, you should obey their wishes. They know best. Mark me, if you will make friends of the young people your parents wish you to go with and no others, a pure life, a good and noble life is almost certain to be yours. Furthermore, mark me also in this, if a son of Christian parents will persist in associating with those companions whom his father or mother disapprove in the end that boy will turn out badly. He will do this in a physical and a moral and a spiritual sense. There is hardly any exception to the rule.

But the evil physical effehts of impure associates do not end with youth. They inevitably find their culmination in an unholy merital alliance. When the young daughter makes the wrong kind of friends at school there will come a time when she will begin to associate with young men whose reputations are not what they ought to be. The influence of the one class on the other is just as sure in its results as that the midnight darkness follows the twilight glow. Then when the call of love comes into the young maiden's heart, instead of going and telling her best friend, her mother, all about it, she will keep the secret concealed in her own heart, or perhaps she will confide in her school friend, who is heart in their hours of friendly intercours? Then comes the marriage. Perhaps it is an elopement. Then what follows? Inevitably an unhappy and an unholy home. Cannot you see

Then comes the marriage. Perhaps it is an elopement. Then what follows? Inevitably an unhappy and an unholly home. Cannot you see the worried look in the face of the young wife? Cannot you count there many wrinkles? Cannot you see the hair prematurely whiten? Cannot you hear the church bell toll the funeral dirge as the poor wife's body is carried to its earthly grave? What is the matter? Why did she die? "Oh," you answer, "she died of a broken heart. She had a good for nothing, worthless husband. He abused her. He killed her." Ah, my friend, that is not the direct cause of that young wife's death. She prematurely died because in her young school days she made friends with young girls whose associates her father and mother did not sanction. Her premature death was the direct result of not then giving her parents her confidence. No daughter, no son, should make friends independent of the parental sanction.

And why should you young people

sanction.

And why should you young people not introduce your friends to your parents; Are your fathers and mothers foolishly jealous? Like a miser, do they wish to keep you from loving any one also as accounting with any thers foolishly jealous? Like a miser, do they wish to keep you from loving any one else or associating with any other people but themselves? If you make the right kind of friends, are they not glad? Is their home a prison of solitary confinement? When you, as a loving son, would bring home a desirable friend does not your mother always have a place for him at the table Does she not always gladly welcome your boyhood associates? Why should a honey bee live with wasps and serpents when she can have the companionship of other bees in the maternal hive. Why would a gentle rabbit nest with copperheads and foxes and coyotes which are seeking to destroy her when she can find safety by the warm, loving breast of the mother who gave her birth Can a flower bloom amid the noxious gases of a sewer? Can a sapiling wax strong when the wood worms are gnawing at its roots? Can a dove have her wings covered with silver and her feathers with yellow gold when in the befouled company of buzzards she is feasting apon carrion? Neither can a child lead a pure life and grow spiritually strong and come to an honored old age with me associates are the bestial and the impure and the bad. To the right kind of friends thy Christian parents are always ready to extend a glad, a loving home greeting. Beware, O young man, when thy associates cannot be the friends of thy father and thy mother.

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mother.

But our young people should not stop here in yielding their wills to the parental guidance. They should be willing to press toward the prizes of the high callings of life which their parents are continually holding up before their eyes. They should be willing to do as young william Pitt did when his father, the great Earl of Chatham, came to him and said: "William, you should not be satisfied with going through life as an ordinary man. You should say: I am going to fit myself to be the prime minister of England. I am going to



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come his troubles and trials so surely as the inspiration of some high purpose of life which will never allow
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to his friend in the great Shakespearean tragedy. "No, Brutus," answered
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hand I am well." That means, "Oh,
Brutus, if thou hast some work for
me to do—some worthy prize for me me to do—some worthy prize for me to strive after—that high aim of life to strive after—that high aim of life will rouse my flagging energies and I can do the work of a giant!" Thus, my friend, if you are ready to seek some of the high prizes which your parents are placing before you, if you are ready to struggle for the necessary preparation and struggle to be a Christian lawyer or doctor or minister or successful merchant, as they want you to be, one of the most effective elements of a long earthly life shall be yours. The true development of the mind and the true development shall be yours. The true development of the mind and the true development of the spirit are two of the most rational incentives for a long physical

Are all their parental pleadings, all their prayers, all their advice, to go for naught? Do you not realize that the very moment you begin to practhe very moment you, begin to practice your mother's virtues your physical body as well as your brain and soul will undergo a complete reformation and recreation and that you will renew your youth and true Christian manhood. Oh, my friends, would you like to have your step firm? Would you walk with your head erect? Would you walk with your head erect? Would you go forth into life's struggle as an athlete goes to the arena? Would you have faith in God, faith in your own self and faith in the work God has given you to do? Then to-day translate in your heart your Christian mothers' and fathers' "psalm of life.' Live for the higher ideals for which they lived. Walk with their Jesus as they walked. Live not for your selfish self, but live to do good to others. Then your heart will beat with a steadier throb than ever before.

Then thy brain will teem with

ier throb than ever before.

Then thy brain will teem with mighty thoughts for helping thy fellow men. Then thy soul will sing with an immortal hope. Then thy earthly days will be prolonged and thy heavenly advent will be ushered in with the welcoming songs of those whom thou hast helped on their journey to the cross this side of the grave. Shall thy parents "psalm of life" be thy endless song? Answer Christ and answer him now. Wilt thou honor thy father and thy mother "that thy days may be long upon the land which the Lord, thy God. giveth thee?"

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Blenheim, Dec. 14.—Captain Geo. H. Lane, of the steamer John Eddy, on the lakes, has retuined home for the

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Mr. James Coleman, of Highgate, visited his Bienheim triends on Wednesday and Thursday.

The Chistmas entertainment of the English school Mouse will be held on Dec. 20th. Harvey Brown, comedian, of Detroit, will assist.

G. F. Worden, o. the Bink of Commerce, Winnipeg, is visiting friendshere.

At the regular meeting of Kent Lodge, A. F. & A. M., on Monday evening, Dr. Fraser, of Thamesville, D. D. W. M. of Erie District No. 1; installed the following officers:

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After the installation ceremonies
the brothers adjourned to E. W.
Knight's restaurant for lunch.
Wm. Cookson left yesterday for
Brantford. He expects to be away
for the winter.
Mrs. A. Denholm is visiting her
sister, Mrs. E. H. Morse, Wallaceburg.

burg. J. O. Laird attended the winter

DRESDEN.

Dresden, Dec. 13.—Miss Waugh, of Chatham, a the guest of Mr. and Mrs. 1 John H. Harris.

The following ladies attended the reception given by Mrs. John Gordon in Wallaceburg on Thursday, Dec. 13: Mrs. (Dr.) McDonald, Mrs. (Dr.) Wiley, Mrs. Robert Aikin, Mrs. I. B. Webster, Mrs. C. P. Watson, and Misses Alice McVean and Edna Carscallen.

callen.

The Hector family will be in Dresden on Wednesday, Dec. 19th, when Mr. Hector, well known as the "Black Knight," will give a lecture in the Methodist church.

Miss Eva McVean spent Friday in Chatham.

ing the Model examinations, he being one of the examiners.

The Public School examinations begin on Tussday, Dec. 18th, and continue until Thursday.

The Entrance Class are preparing a concert for Friday, Dec. 21st, to which the parents are invited. Some of the pupils in the schools have made scrap books, which are being yent to the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto.

Miss Grace Pickard, Kent Bridge, spent a few days this week with Mrs. Alex. McClure.
Mrs. Brown, of Colorado, is the gue t of Mrs. John Dynes.
Mrs. James McVen spent Friday in Chatham.

TILBURY

Tilbury, Dec. 14.—Miss Minnie Campbeil leaves to-day on a week's visit with friends in St. Mary's.

License Inspector Massey, of Chatham, was in town this week, and found the local hotels living up to the Act is every way.

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the Act at every Married, at the home of the bride's parents, on Wednesday, Dec. 12, by Rev. J. P. McQuarrie, Norman Brown to Miss Ruby Sharp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Sharp, Valetta.

A. Daigneau has returned from a trip to North Bay.

H. L. Taylor, Yonge street, is starting a milk route.

Married, at the Hotel Empire, on Wednesday evening, 12th inst., by Rev. Mr. Ball, Daniel Berry, of Merset, to Mary Ann Griggs, of Comber.

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A meeting of all interested in
hockey will be held in the office of
W. A. Hutton this evening at 8.50

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Miss Flora Burgess left this week on a six months visit with relatives in Oklahama.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ryan, of Vanleek Will, Ont., are spending their honeymoon with the former's sister, Mrs. J. Arnew, of Tilbury North.

A shooting match will be held on the Middle Road, Tilbury East, at Stanley Waddel,'s to-day for fifteen live turkeys. Open for any make of rille, good for 10) yards.

Wesner Bros. are this week moving in a rig to commence work on

ing in a rig to commence work on the farm of J. B. Marchand, in the village. The first payment on village taxes

s due to-day.
David Robert, of Chicago, is virit-ng his daughter, Mrs. C. Boisonneau.

OUNGAIL.

Owing to the recent rains, the roads are in bad condition.

Mr. H. Cumming and Wm. Strain have nearly completed the bridge over Bear Creek.

Miss Sadie Fisher is visiting her uncle, Mr. R. Pollock.

Charles Fewster spent Thursday last as a guest of his uacle, Mr. A. Fewster.

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den on Wednesday, Dec. 19th, when Mr. Hector, well known as the "Black Knight," will give a lecture in the Methodist church.

Miss Eva McVean spent Friday in Chatham.

The Methodist Sunday school will hold their annual Christmas entertainment of Christmas night. They will have moving pictures, presented by Mr. Kershaw, of London, and an old fashioned Christmas tree for the children.

Dre den, Dec. 11.—Mrs. J. C. Tassie and son Garthl eft for Toronton Friday to spend Christmas with Mrs. Tasse's pirerts, Dr. and Mrs. Tweedie. On Chat thas Dry Dr. and Mrs. Tweedie will celebrate their golden wedding and there will be a tennion of the family and of the guets of fifty years ago. Mr. Tassie will join his wife later on.

G. A. Miller is in Chatham attending the Model examinations, he being one of the examiners.

The Public School examinations begin on Tuesday, Dac. 18th, and continue until Thursday.

The Entrance Class are preparing a context for Eriday. Dec. 21st, to

DARRELL.

The oil men are busily engaged irilling on Tom Griffith's farm on the concession. 4th concession.

Mrs. E. French and daughter Violet atfended the funeral of Miss Charlotte French in Dresden last week.

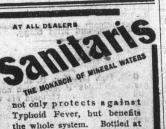
lotte French in Dresden last week.

Thomas Gray is expected home from the Northwest this week.

Harry French, who has been out West for the past three months, has returned home.

A number from here attended the concert at Louisville Monday evening, given by Mrs. S. C. Walker, of Chatham.

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Toronto, Dec. 14.—Until the Legislature is convened the Provincial Cabinet will meet every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.
Toronto, Dec. 14.—Another waterpower lease was canceled yesterday by the Government for non-fulfilment of the conditions attached.
Orillia, Dec. 14.—Henri Bourassa, M.P., addressed one hundred members of the Canadian Club here last night on "Nationalism" in Quebec.
Detroit, Dec. 14.—May Elsie Fitzell, the young girl from near Kincardine, Ont., who drank corrosive sublimate after a quarrel with her lover here, after a quarrel with her lover here,

is dead.

Belleville, Dec. 14.—The alien labor case against the Corby Distillery Co., which came up again in the police court yesterday, was enlarged till Saturday.

Berne Switzerland, Dec. 14.—M.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Strain and son Hughe scent Sunday the genesis of Mr. Tom Brown.
We are pleased to learn that our popular techer, Miss &E. E. Doyle, is to remain with us another year.
Mr. James Askin spent seen unable to reamn her duties as dressmaker at Mr. Austin's, owing to illness.

Miss Agnes Strain has been unable to reamn her duties as dressmaker at Mr. Austin's, owing to illness.

Miss Peurl Hendrick and Miss Ella MacDonald we ee Maple City vi i.ors on Wedresday last.

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New York, Dec. 14.—The appeal of New York, Dec. 14.—The appear of Albert T. Patrick, under sentence of death, was dismissed in the Supreme Court yesterday in order to clear the way for Governor Higgins of New York Court Patrick's control of the Court of the C York to commute Patrick's sentence

York to commute Patrick's sentence to life imprisonment.

Port Hope, Dec. 14.—After a long controversy, the Port Hope Town Council has granted a telephone franchise to G. W. Jones and W. H. Burley of Newtonville, representing the Rural Farmers' Telephone Association, which has lines throughout Clarke and Hope townships.

New York, Dec. 14.—Andrew Carnegie, in an address before the National Civic Federation, yesterday said he believed that the major portion of the estates of enormously wealthy men should go to the state upon the men should go to the state upon the death of the possessor of the fortune.

Mr. Carnegie opposed a graduated income to

Mr. Carnegie opposed a graduated income tax.

Commission Will Go to New York.

Toronto, Dec. 14.—Judge Winchester yesterday granted the commission to New York to procure evidence to strengthen the crown's case in the charge against Charles McGill of theft of \$1,000,000, the last one preferred George Angus will be the commissioner, and Mr. McKay will represent McGill, and Edward Bayley the crown.

They will leave Dec. 26.

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TO STOP HINDUS COMING.

Repatriation of East Indians Discuss-London, Dec. 14.—(C.A.P.)—In the House of Commons yesterday, Mr. Ellis, replying to Mr. Rees, said he could make no statement as to the possibility of East Indians without occupation in Canada being repatriated

Winston Churchill added that steps Winston Churchill added that steps had been taken to deter further East Indians proceeding to British Columbia. The Secretary of State did not think it necessary to suggest to the Dominion Government the appointment of a special officer to protect the East Indians' interests.

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Ohristmas and New Year's excursion return tickets will be issued by W. E. Rispin, City Passenger and Ticket Agent, 115 King S., to all points in Canada, also Detroit and Buffalo, Dec. 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th and 25th, and Dec. 28th, 29th, 30th and 31st, 1908, an dJan. 1st, 1907, at fare and one-third, good returning Dec. 26th, and on Dec. 21st and Jan. 1st, good returning Jan. 2nd, at single fare; also to non-resident pupils and teachers, Dec. 21st to Dec. 29th, good returning Jan. 14th, at fare and one-third.

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WANTED—Teacher for S. S. No. 15, Harwich, male or female; duties to commence Jan. 2nd, 1907. Apply to Chas. Stewart, Chatham.

WANTED—Married man to work ore farm by year; good house and good wages. Apply to A. E. Field, lot 18, Harwich, or address Chatham post office. CANVASSERS WANTED-It takes a

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for junior room; duties to commence in January. Applications,
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20. Address Walter Knott, Secretary-Treasurer, Charing Cross.

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FOR SALE-Stoves for sale at the Rankin House.

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GOOD FARMS FOR SALE-Prices right—150 acres, part lot 24, 7th. concession, Dover, owned by Grant Bros.; 96 acres, corner 5th comcession and Baldoon Road, Dover, owned by Lucian King; 100 acres, part lot 3, 17th concession, Chatham Township, known as the Robert Hasting estate; also several other farms for sale. Money telloan. Henry Dagneau.

SALE OF CATTLE

The undersigned will sell by public auction on Tuesday, Dec. 18th, our 14th concession, Chatham Township, a number of fat cattle and fine colts.

McCOIG & HARRINGTON, SOW ASTRAY—From lot 20, concession 13, Dover, on or about Novist, a large white sow, no marks, weight about 400 pounds when last seen. A reward will be paid for any information that will lead to her recovery by the undersigned. James Wemp, Baldoon P. O.

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SOCIETY

At the marriage of Miss Edith Lilian McNiece to Mr. John Franklin Pierce, formerly of Chatham, on Dec. 5th, the bride's sister, Mrs. Allison R. Chambers, was matron of honor, and Miss Haworth, of Toronto, was bridesmeid, Mr. Lewin D. Johnston acted as test man, and the ushers were Mr. Maurice Burke Mr. J. C. Newman, Mr. Geo. Wilkins, and Mr. Mr. F. Fierce -- Montreal Star. Mr. Pierce mentioned in the above

is well known in Chatham, being an old C: C. II. boy. He was a famous football player and was a star goal keepar at the time when J. F. Cairns managed the crack team from the Collegiate. He is now secretary to the traffic manager of the Richehieu and Ontario Navigation Company. His many friends will an extend to him the heartiest congratulations.

The recital in the Opera House on The recital in the Opera House on Monday evening promises to be a great treat for Chathamites. Miss Crimen MacIntyre the talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. MacIntyre, is the first Chatham singer to go abroad and return to her own home for her first spiral to the contract of the contr home for her first recital. Reople in other places were very anxious to secure her for the first concert, but she prefers her own home, and there s no doubt she will be given a wel-

Mrs. E. B. Northwood and family left this we'k for Oshiwa, where they will attend the wedding of Mrs. Northwood's sister, Miss Grace Pedlar, to Reginald Gilkie, accountant the Dominion Bank at Orillia. Miss Pedlar is well known in this city. Mrs. Gordon, of Wallaceburg, gave

reception this week. It was attend-d by a number from Chatham. Among those who were present were Mrs. John Campbell, Murray street, and Mrs. D. Holmes, Stanley avenue, Mr. Geo. Stephens, entertained a

number of his friends on Tuesday evening at a stag dinner. It was a jolly a fair and greatly enjoyed by

a large dinner on Monday. There were miny guest, and all thorough y enjoyed the entertainment provided. After the dinner, pards were indulged in until the hour for departing.

HOLY TRINITY W. A. M. A.

The fourteenth annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Association of Holy, Trinity church was sheld in the school room Thursday afternoon Mrs. Hodgins, president, presiding. Mrs. N. H. Stevens, the energetic scenary, read, a splendid report of the year's work, showing that the society had 18 detive members and 15 honorary; 25 meetings, were held, average attendance 11; 16 pledges as sumed, averaging \$1 per quarter. A

ary: 25 meetings, were held, average attendance 11: 16 pledges as sumed, averaging St. per quarter. A farge bain valued it \$50 was sent to Rev. Mr. Gde, missionally at Omokseus, containing 21 yards of carpet, eight quifts, clothing, gor selves, R. A. Spenes, the present cefies, drugs, foys, ctc. and there is over \$20 in the brink to the credit of the society. Mrs. T. Nifted read an interesting paper on Why we should assist the children of the mist sionary in obtaining an education, \$3 were devoted for that "purpose. The following officers were elected: President—Mrs. Brunker: 2nd Vice—Mrs. Sayers, and the conditions on are mentioned as probable canditates.

Leaflet Mrs. Cade Executive Sommittee - Messia Bray, Marx, Taylor Sonarville, and Miss Slagg.

Galt, Dec. 13. Rev. R. E. Graow paster of Knox Presbyterian chair and widely known through his wings, created considerable of a s

ings, created considerable of a sensatisfication of the public ball at the
skating rink. He said that in his
opinion in self-respecting girls would
attend such promicuous affairs. Mr.
Knowles characterized the affair as
"Moral Depross," Millow
The tickets for the ball were issued
to all at Hifly cents a couple."

"Affairship has share himself
fearless in his demunication of pracdices, which he considers evil or offansive. His remarks at the time the
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well remembered.

YOUNG BRITON OFFICERS

Loyal Orange Young Briton Lodge, No. 143, held a rery successful meetling Thursday evening. Visitors were present from Wallaceburg, and a pleasant time was spent. The following officers were elected for 1907; W. M.—N. Vanittor.

D. M.—M. Boach.
Chap.—E. Harrey.
Fm. Sec.—Wm. Morton.
Treas.—J. Pearse.
Rec. Sec.—S. Cape.
Lecturers—Geo. Marding J. Haskeil.

Lodge (committee—D. Dunlop, W. Shaw, G. Deline, C. Harwood, I. Elder beck.

Inside Tyler—E. Harwood.

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MAYOR RETIRES

Ridgetown, Dac. 181. D. J. McLean who has held the chief magistrape's chair at Ridgetown since last January, will retire at the end of the present term. Only one name this so far been mentioned for the office for 1907, that of A. (Long.) Min Long has had much

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At a special meeting of the drug clerks at the Garner House last even-ing the Drug Clerks Hockey Team was organized with the following of-tions:

Hon. Pres.—G. A. Witherspoon President—J. W. McLaren.

Sec. Treas. -G. G. Baker.

Minager-R. Johnson.
Executive committee-N. McColl. S.
Park J. Clark
Patrons-W. W. Turner, C. H.
Gunn S. F. Park & Co. L. bakis.
Mr. J. Clark was appointed asprepresentative to the executive meeting next Friday evening. lext Friday evening.

ANOTHER GOOD MAN

It is announced that D. McLach-lan will be a candidate at the next municipal election for a position on the Roard of Education. This is an announcement which will meet with general approval, and it is hoped that Mr. McLachlan's many friends, who are now trying to induce him to stand, will be successful in getting him out. Mr. McLachlan has be n connected with educational matters in many ways, ever since he came to Chitham, and some idea of the excellence of his executive ability can be imagined from the fact the excellence of his executive abli-ity can be imagined from the fact that he is/the proprietor of the lurg-e-t and most successful Business Col-leges in the Dominion, He it one of the best known men in Canada to-day, and apart from this he is one of the Maple City's heaviest rate-payers. He is the stamp of man needed, on the new Board of Edu-cation.

A-GOOD CONCERT

2:

Miss Buchanan, of School Section No. 5, Harwich, gave a very successful concept at that school, near Blencheim, last evening. In spite of the very disagreeable weather there was a very large attendance and the grentling was greatly enjoyed. Ex Warden C. L. von Gunten, of Blencheim, officiated as chairment and entertaining manner. Mr. von Gunten is a capable orator and is possassed of a keen seens of humor. He delighted the audience with amusing stories and also gave as short and interesting address on his recent trip to Florida. Among those who assisted during the pagram were Miss Landon of Blencheim, and Misses May Peate and Verlyn Lamont, and R. W. Angus, of this city, After the concept those who participated in the evening's entertainment were treated to resample of the excellent hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Stanfey Arnold. A fine hanguet had been prepared, and its served as a fitting chimax to an even-Miss Buchanan, of School Section banquet had been prepared, and its served as a fitting plimax to an even-ing of intense enjoyment to all.

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