THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Second Day of the Great International

A Thursday's Pittsburg despatch says Upon motion of Mr. Peake, of Ontario, a Special Committee of five was appointed to consider the various recommendations of the Executive Committee and report to the

Rev. Mr. Armstrong, Superintendent of the Springfield School for Training Chris-tian Workers, and Rev. Dr. J. A. Worden

presented the work of that institution.
One of the most important reports pre sented to the convention was that of the International Lesson Committee, which was read by its indefatigable secretary for the last eighteen years, Rev. Dr. Warren Randolph. This report was of special interest from the efforts of the W. C. T. U. and others looking to a modification of the plan of the lesson scheme. This report will be discussed at a later session of the

Rev. Dr. A. E. Dunning, of Massa-chusetts, and Rev. Dr. Potts, of Ontario. delivered addresses upon the work of the Lesson Committee.

The important duty of selecting a new Lesson Committee of fourteen members, to select the lessons for the next term of seven years, was entrusted to a special committee, consisting of Mesers. L. C. Peakes, Ontario; Barnfield, Rhode Island; Rev. J. P. Barrett, Rev. Wm. Shaw; Florida; B. J. Loomis, Ohio; Rev. W. H. Black. Rev. E. G. Wheeler, Oregon; Rev. J. A. Bright, Kansas, and Wm. Reynolds Illinois, to report later.

Bishop J. H. Vincent delivered a most

impressive address on the subject of child Other speakers were Rev. G. B. Howie.of

Ontario, and Rev. M. B. Wharton, of The music of the first two days has been conducted by Mr. and Mrs. G. Stebbins, of

Brooklyn, N. Y. The International Sunday School Conven tion resumed at 9 o'clock, with President Harris in the chair. Devotional exercises were conducted by Prof. Excell, of Chicago, who will be in charge of the music until the

end of the convention. The treasurer's report was read by Mr.J. B. Wight, and referred for audit. Tha report showed that the receipts for the year were \$14,665, and the expenditures \$14,622,

leaving a balance of \$43.

The report of the Executive Committee was reported back by the Special Committee and the various recommendations were considered and generally adopted.

In view of the extension of the work it was decided to ask for the sum of \$10,000 a year for the next three years, and upon the spot between \$6,000 and \$7,000 per annum Leroy, a Cleveland girl, who real name is was pledged by the states, territories and Hull, attempted to make her first balloon year for the next three years, and upon the spot between \$6,000 and \$7,000 per annum

member of the Executive Committee Mr.

Bishop Vincent, of New York; Dr. Randolph, Rhode Island; Dr. Hall, New York; Mr. S. H. Blake, Ontario; Mr. B. F. Jacobs, Illinois; Dr. Hoge, Virginia; Dr. Cunningham, Tennessee; Dr. Broadus, about thirty feet from the earth, and after Kentucky, Dr. Baugher, Pennsylvania; turning two somersaults in the air he Dr. Potts, Ontario; Dr. Dunning, Massa alighted on his face and was severely chusetts; Prof. Hinds, Tennessee; Dr. injured. The struggles of French loosene

The statistical report was presented by deuly broke losse. The parachute does not Secretary E. P. Porter. It showed that there are 108,252 Sunday schools in the traversed, and the woman descended with United States with 1.143.190 teachors and a rush. There was a cry of teror and a cflicers, and 8.643,255 scholars, making a general stampede. Fortunately the aerototal of 9,786,445. In Canada there are naut fell into the branches of a large tree, 6,889 Sunday schools, with 55,706 teachers and was rescued without sustaining any and officers, 472,623 scholars, making a injury. total of 528,879, and including Newtoned. land and Labrador, giving a grand total of 115,255 Sunday schools, 1,201,058 teachers and officers, 9,138,695 scholars; total,

The next convention is to be held in 1893 in St. Louis, the time to be decided by the Executive Committee.
The Canadian delegates made a strong

fight for Toronto or Montreal, but were out-

Prof. Harper, of Yale, in an able address, earnestly urged the importance of a systematic study of the word of God. In an address of rare beauty, full of

unique illustrations, Rev. Dr. A. Schauffler, of New York, spoke upon the subject of "The Teacher and His Work." exception of Fennsylvania, with 97, and Illinois, with 62, this is the largest delega-tion sent by any association. Eleven delegates represent the four other Canadian

It Looks Bad for the Miners.

A Dunbar, Pa, despatch says: Th rescuers had not succeeded in cutting their way into Hill farm mine up to noon, but they are expecting to break through at any

The flames in Hill farm mine burst from the mouth of the pit to night and leaped 30 feet in the air. All efforts to extinguish them have proved fruitless. The buildings in the vicinity have been torn down to pre vent the fire spreading. A hole has been drilled in the Hill farm, and at 11 o'clock to night the inspectors started on their perilous search for the imprisoned miners. They have taken their lives in their hands may never see daylight again. feared the mine is on fire all through, or else filled with sincke.

A Train Takes to the Water.

A Troy. N.Y., despatch says: This morning the locomotive, baggage car and two passenger coaches of a train on the Lake George branch of the Delaware N Hudson road ran into Glen Lake, about locomotive overturned. Most of the pasnot leave the track, and none were serinot leave the track, and none were seriously injured. The train connected at probably fatal wound in the abdomen. A at Fort Edward with the steamboat trains second shot struck Miss Carrie Vanhorn morning. The

Forty Shot, Exchanged.

A Thursday's Kansas City despatch the floor in a drunken stuper. says: A mob of 40 persons gathered at 12 o'clock last night at the house of Walte Squires, 12 miles northwest of Cameron, Mo., to tar and feather his son Bud, who it is claimed, ruined a young woman of the neighborhood. Forty shots were exchanged Old Mr. Squires was shot in the stomach but not fatally injured. Will Noland, in the crowd, was also shot in the stomach, and probably fatally wounded. Intense

There were four inquests held in Mont

real yesterday.
From semi-official sources it is given out that Minneapelis will show a population from 185,000 to \$200,000, and St. Paul from 10,000 to 60,000 less. The charges against the local enumerators have fallen flat, and o one believes the cases will over come to

Walter G. Smith, Governor General of the organized filibusters who attempted a raid on Lower Calfornia, says the English Colonization Company was alone at the bottom of the scheme, which was intended to be a revolution of the residents of Lower

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A FIENDISH CRIME.

the Fireman Killed.

A Grand Rapids, Mich., despatch says An attempt at train-wrecking occurred last night just before the Dotroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee west bound passenger was due. Two men were noticed by two small have been found in Nockamixon township.

The following is from the Dotroitwist of Bucks of Bu boys carrying a heavy timber to the rail with indications of natural gas, and steps road track, and before their purpose could are being taken to develop the fields, a be divined the train hove in sight around a company having leased 1,000 acres for a curve and the men ran. The engine struck term of years.

post, but owing to a down grade and tremendous rate of speed could not stop for
thirty rods. As he slowed up the tender
tipped from the trucks and went over to
the ground. Herbert Nesser, the fireman,
had just reached the door of the cab, with
the evident intention of jumping, when the
tipping tender caught him. His left side
was squerzed to a billy and he expired five. was in Detroit, where he had a wife but no children. He was 28 years old. The coroner and police seon arrived on the seene and began an investigation. There is no clue to the perpetrators of the crime.

Hearing of the discovery an Intelligencer until informed after the train stopped.

ESTELLA'S NARROW ESCAPE.

Regret It. provinces represented.

The Nominating Committee reported the names of a vice president and member of and narrowly escaped death. The balloon the Executive Committee from each state, territory and province.

The Vice-President for Outario is Rev.

Samuel Houston, M.A., Kingston, and a was forgotten, and when the balloon was ember of the Executive Committee Mr. sufficiently inflated it was cut loose and swis C. Peake, Toronto.

The new Lesson Committee elected is pared for the ascension, and began to ishon Vincent, of New York; Dr. Ran-scrambled out. One of his feet caught in sufficiently inflated it was cut loose and the ropes and he hung head downward.
After a vigorous struggle he succeeded in extricating himself when the balloon was Tyler, New York; Dr. Berger, Ohio, and the parachute from the balloon, and when Dr. Scabr, Pennsylvania.

CHILDREN MARRY.

Control of His Fortune.

A New Orleans despatch says: The youngest couple ever united here were married before Judge Price, of the First City Court, this week, the contracting parties being Annie Reary, aged 13, and Frank Martinez, ag-d 15. They were really The subject of primary work was ably boy and girl, looking so young for their discussed by Mrs. Crafts, New York; Mrs Ostrander, Brooklyn; Miss VanMarter, unite them. But as they had a marriage Miss Frances Willard, Evanston; Miss license with them, and as their mothers Lucy Wheelock, Boston; and Miss Mabel were present and gave their full consent to the marriage, no valid objection could be raised, and the ceremony was performed. The marriage scemed all the stranger when it was daveloped that the couple had known each other only a short time.

Young Martinez is well-to-do in his own ight, having recently inherited some \$25,000 from his father. The laws of Fifty-four delegates are in attendance Loniciana provide that a minor who owns from the Province of Ontario. With the property can be emancipated and obtain control of it when he is 18 by order of court or when he marries, marriage acting as an emancipator. To get possession of his fortune, therefore, young Martinez had to marcy, which explains why he did not wait ur ill his bride and himself had reached the

I wenty-two Drowned.

burned near the Forked Tree, on the Yang-tsee River, May 28th, and Capt. Place, Second Engineer Wilson, and some twenty natives were missing and are supposed to ave perished. A number of Chiusse vessels did good

service in picking up the survivors, of tem will be ordered. whom First Officer Christiansen, the secnd officer, and 62 natives were found The vessel was loaded with a general cargo, acluding several cases of matches.

A Kansas City despatch of Thursdaysays: In a drunken fury, and urged on by imaginary wrongs, R. C. Meyers last evening went into the house of his wife's uncle Vanhorn, a well-known resident, where his wife was, and attempted to kill leaving Troy and Albany at 7 o'clock this and wounded her fatally. Meyers was not morning. The rails spread. The water captured until he had turned and fired at nis pursuers. A bullet hit Nelson Gleason As soon as Meyers was ar ested and taken to the station he fell to

A Sinister Influence.

The Canada Prestyterian seems to have ormed a low estimate of the work acormed a low estimate of the work accomplished by the Presbyterian Assembly devise means for putting an end to rate recently met in the Capital. This is the way it speaks of that venerable body:
The General Assembly that adjourned last week will be chiefly remembered as the one that laid almost everything important over until next year. Can it be possible that the veteran Statesman at Ottawa, sometimes called 'Old To-morrow,' exer-

Attend to this, Girls !

The knees should never be crossed, for his position, besides being inclegant and ungraceful, often leads to paralysis by diverting the blood from the log through pressure .- Jenness Miller Magazine.

Gilbert Bateau, a farmer of Little River, has been drowned by falling from a batteau at Chateau Richer, and his body has not tooth brush will kill a broath which richly Gale and Constable Harpe accompany the yet been recovered.

STRUCK OIL.

A Passenger Train Engine Derailed and A Former Hamiltonian's Good Fortune in Pennsylvania.

The following is from the Doylestown

the end of the timber and was derailed, together with the baggage car, but the two
passengers and parlor remained on the
the New Britain Road, leading from the Limekiln Road, in Doylestown township,
Engineer William Ritchie stuck to his
about one and a half miles west of Doyles. was squerzed to a jelly, and he expired five man's finger, and as it ran down the minutes after in Conductor Sheeran's arms waterway the water was covered with a without regaining consciousness. His home beavy oily substance to such an extent that

the boys who saw them being too young to give any description of them. There were was shown over the place by Mr. Eisen-40 passengers on the train, and those in the hart. They visited the spot where the oil rear coaches knew nothing of the matter was found, which is in a low-lying marshy field, with a clay top soil underlaid with a stratum of red gravel sand. The oil is sup posed to lie in the sub-soil and the heavy rains, swelling the amount of water, forcer she Tried the Parachute Act and Lives to its way through the clay surface soil, carrving with it the oil.

The oil covers the water with a thick soum of a bluish cast and lines the water-way through the field. A lighted match was placed on the water, and aithough the oil did not burn the water did not extin-guish the lighted match. Another match was covered with the oily substance and lighted, and burned with a splutiering

The vein of oil seems to run northeast and southwest, as another epring of the same nature is found on the adjoining farm

of Albert Vail. In the same field, and about 500 feet to north of the oil springs on the hill, is a fine spring of pure, clear water, which is said to be the finest in the neighborhood, and there is not a trace of oil in it.

Traces of the oil springs can be found in a space fifty feet wide, all in wet, marshy ground, lying in a hollow, which has been considerably washed by the late storms. the same indications are to be found on the farm of Mr. Vail, and the oil is found on the surface in a direct line southwest from that on Mr. Eisenhart's place. Mr. Vail has been offered a large amount for his

farm already.

Mr. Eisenhart has not yet decided what to do in the matter, but traces of oil have been noticed here for years by different parties, although not so abundantly as at present, and every indication points to a large deposit of oil that only needs a little lotte Island. It is said no lives were lost labor to secure sufficient to determine its | 1he Sardonyx was insured for \$40,000. Boy of 15 Weds a Girl of 13 to Get labor to secure sufficient to determine its value

THE RAILWAY STRIKE,

Much Perishable Freight Being sold by the Rallway Company.

A Chicago despatch says: There is danger that unless the Illinois Central strike is settled soon it will spread to other roads. The Big Four, which has a trackage arrangement with the Illinois Central, finding its business obstructed by the Illiment with the Chicago & Eastern Illinois Railroad to handle its Chicago business. The strikers suspected that the Illinois Central was also using the Chicago N Eastern Illinois tracks, and sent word the switchmen of that road not to handle any Illinois Central cars. The request was complied with, and the Eastern Illinois switchmen refused to handle any more Big | conclusion of a banquet given on the occa-Four cars. Thirteen cars of perishable freight are side-tracked at Kankakec. Large quantities of fruit, berries, water-molons and the like are side tracked at various points down the line almost to the city limits, and are fast rotting in the broiling sun. Freight merchants are sending caravans of transfer and express wag-gons all along the line of the road from A can Francisco despatch says: The stranger City of Rio Janeiro, from Hong Kong and Yokohama, brings the following advices. "The stranger Production of the Forty-third to Sixty-fifth street, buying road. After an all day session, the con-ference between the strikers' committees dvices, "The steamer Pacching, Capt. Pacc, which left Shanghi for Hankow, was and the Illinois Central officials ended with to discharge Superintendent Russell. ultimatum of the employees had been a demand for Mr. Russell's discharge. Speculation is rife as to whether a general strike throughout the Illinois Central sys-

Lord Bute's mansion, called "Monstuart," near Rothesay, is the largest and osiliest private palace in the world. It is in gothic style and covers nearly two acres. The halls are of marble and alabaster and the rooms are finished in mahegany, rose wood and walnut, with carved marble fireplaces. The cost of the mansion was about \$8,000,000.

A widow in Miller County, Mo., who North In Inter County, 110. Who lives on a farm, gave another woman \$15 to secure her a busband. The man was secured and warranted all right in every respect, but the next morning after the marriage he licked his bride, stole the \$50 she had saved up, and in the night silently stole away to No Man's Land.

The job printers of the Montreal (leval) have followed the example of the composi sors and are out on strike.

Diphtheria is causing many deaths at New Liverpool, Cap Rouge and other adjacent localities in Queboc. A meeting of the trunk line presidents

cutting. The U.S. Senate by 29 to 18 voted to admit Wyoming as a State. The bill for the admission of Idaho goes over till

Monday. All the steamers arriving in Montrea sometimes called 'Old To-morrow,' exercised his well-known magnetic powers upon of icebergs and great fields of loose ice,

making navigation very perilous. Meagre details of the burning of the mining town of Carbon, 200 miles west of Chovenne, W. T., have reached here. Twenty houses were destroyed. No lives the girl was frequently flogged. were lost.

"Are you going to marry my brother?" "Yes." "Then there's no use of my asking you to be my wife, because you'll be a sister to me anyhow."

deserves it.

TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY. | play, and it is said Shallow has left for the

There is a slight epidemic of scarlet fever at Walkerville.

Gas has been struck at a depth of 688 Midwinter, the famous Australian crickster, is insane, and his condition is hope

A waggon load of 24,000 aggs crossed the ferry from Windsor to Detroit yesterday There has been a split in the National

Order of Railway Conductors on the question of strikes. Yesterday the Duke of Glarence, the son

of the Prince of Wales, took his sant in the House of Lords as a peer. The rate of assessment for the city of

Toronto for the current year was fixed yesterday at 143 mills on the dollar. About 600 pilgrims passed through Montreal yesterday for Quebec, on their way to the shrine of St. Anne de Beaupre.

Frank Spencer will be hanged at Kamloops, B. C., July 21st, for the murder of Peter Foster there three years ago. A young man named Geo. Harvey, whose

home is at Attwood, was drowned at Goderich last evening while bathing. Mrs Pettypiece, of Ashton, Ill., suicided by drowning at Brockville on Sunday. She

was despondent owing to poor health. Mr. Haggart, Dominion Postmaster-General has concluded arrangements for a direct parcel post with Japan, to come into force October 1st.

Tripoli is being devastated by locusts. The decomposed bodies of the insects fill the wells, infecting the water and render ing it unfit for use. Eugene Cowles, who was recently shot

by Hale, his brother in law, in Montreal, is onvalescent, and will be able to leave the hospital in a few days. A flash of lightning damaged the veran-

dah of Collins' hotel, Lambeth, yesterday, and three ladies in the Methodist Church fainted from the shock. George Bennett, Edward Barrett and dward Malvern have been sentenced at

Napanee to one year in the Central Prison for carrying burglars' tools. Patrick Barry, of the firm of Elwanger Barry, and the most widely known nurs eryman in the world, died at his home in Rochester yesterday morning, aged 74

A by-law asking for \$16,000 to build a hall, extend the market square and establish a new fire alarm system in Woodstock was defeated by about four to one vesterday. The boiler of the tug boat Alice E. Crew,

years.

moored at the foot of Van Brunt street, Brooklyn, exploded and killed he orew of six men and sunk another tug with a #atchman aboard. A Victoria, B. C., despatch says the C.P. R. Navigation Company's mean ship, Sar's donyx is a complete wreck off Queen Char-

To encourage a higher standard of education in the schools the Council of Lennox and Addington will give \$5 to every teacher for each successful candidate at the primary and High School examina tions. Hulbert, the negro who was nearly

drowned yesterday afternoon and after-wards stabbed his pal, Kenny, on Shipman's dock, Detroit, escaped to Windsor. He is very reticent about the stabbing affray. Pranz Strittmatter, a German piano

maker in Toronto, shot himself through the head on Sunday, and his dead body was found yesterday morning in the factory where he had been a workman some time before. President Menendez, of San Salvador,

died suddenly Sunday night soon after the

sion of the fifth entrance of General Mendenez into San Salvador. A despatch from Sydney, NS.W., says The Government subsidy to the San Fran cisco mait line will cease after November next unless the American Government sub

The attorney of the Union Pacific Railway has instituted a suit against C. H McKibben, late general purchasing agent of the road, for \$60,000, that being the sum he is charged with having stolen dur ng his official career.

scribes toward the expense of maintaining

In response to an order of the Executive 'ommittee of the Central Labor Union of Westchester, 1,000 operators in the Copcutt mills. Yonkers. N. Y., struck vesterday They are resisting reductions of fifteen and wenty-five per cent.

The day after Mr. Mercier's election vic tory the French tlag was hoisted over the Government offices in Montreal. As soon as the Premier was aware of the fact he ordered the Dominion flag to be displayed in place of the French ensign.

A fire broke out yesterday in the work shop of the King's County (N.Y) Penitentiary, and, notwithstanding that there were 405 prisoners, of whom twenty were women, at work at the time, a panic was averted and there was no loss of life. Quartermaster Higgins, of the London

cavalry troop, prostrated by illness at the Stratford camp, was brought home yesterday. Gunner James Pook, London Field Battery, fell from his horse at camp on Saturday and broke his shoulder blade.

The Dunbar mine rescning party has advanced 50 feet since Saturday. They are still working through a heavy face of slate, and may reach an open heading leading to the coal at any time. There is not much hope that the Hill farm mine can be reached before to morrow morning.

A cable message was received at the United States Navy Department yesterday from Cousul Garesche, at Martinique, as follows:—"Half Fort de France burned. Martinique demands aid. Five thousand nomeless people need lumber, beef, pork, flour and other provisions. Cable quickly what States will do." A woman named Eliza Cooper, a farmer's

wife, living near New Orleans, has been arrested for cruelty to an adopted girl whom she employed as a bouse servant and also made work in the fields. The authorities found in a place indicated by the girl collection of straps and rods, with which Dr. Garneau, deputy coroner, left Que-beo yesterday for Saint Giles, to hold an inquest on the body of an old man named nx, who died yesterday from the effects of

a blow received from one Shallow, in a row

The Seventh Battalion will go into

camp from July 14th to Aug. 1st at Port

The entire business portion of Cerrillos, M., was burned last night. \$100,000.

A New York despatch says the coal companies yesterday decided to advance prices 10s to 15s per ton. There will be general elections for the

egislative Assembly in Prince Edward Island on July 30th. Buffalo Bill's show was forbidden by the Berlin police on the ground that it is de-

moralizing to youth.

of Africa.

Edward McGuire, aged 28, of Harvey, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a razor on Monday. The strike of carpenters in Detroit for

eight hours, inaugurated May 14th, has collapsed. Funds gave out. Sarah Bernhardt is said to have fallen in ove with Henry M. Stanley, and expresses agerness to occompany him to the heart

At Memphis, Tenn., yesterday, three blacks and a white man were to be hanged together, but at the request of the white man he was hanged alone.

A young man named James Johnson was drowned Monday night while bathing in the river Sydenham, two miles from Florence, Ont. The body was recovered two hours later. A Catharines lad named Joseph Weaver,

son of Mr. Clark Weaver, fell from a cherry tree yesterday, a distance of twelve feet. His skull was fractured. It is reported he boy is dying. The House Committee of the U.S. Con-

ress on Coinage decided to recommend on-concurrence in the Senate amendment to the Silver Bill, and to ask the House to order a conference. An explosion in a paraffine ware housest Lessa, Prussian Poland, yesterday com-pletely destroyed the building. Seven men

were killed, twelve seriously injured and several slightly burt. A writ has been issued for a new election for the House of Commons for Kent county. N.B., the constituency having been opened by the appointment of Mr. P. A. Landry to

a County Court judgeship. It is stated that agreements were settled n Ottawa yesterday between English capitalists, the Dominion Government and the

Hudson Bay Railway by which work on the road will be at once commenced. George Freeman, the mulatto coachman who so viciously assaulted Mrs. Scidmore in Detroit on April 10th, has been found

guilty of assault with intent to murder, and sentenced to life imprisonment. The Bank of Hartford, Conn., has and pended owing to the failure of the Park National of Chicago. The Bank of Hart-ford is capitalized at \$100,000. An assignment has been made. The deposits amount

the death of old man Cox, at Craig's Station, Que., was returned to-day by the coroner's jury. The accased has, however, left the country. William Heffer, a laborer employed on a sewer on Lake street, Toronto, yesterday, accidentally fell into an excavation, a distance of fifteen feet, and fractured his right

A verdict of murder against Barner Shallow, who threw the stone that caused

leg in two places. He was taken to the hospital in the ambulance. A passenger train on the Wabash road was wrecked near Silver City, Ia., yestergoing into the ditch. The only persons

seriously injured were the engineer and fireman. The latter was fatally scalded. The barque Ethel, bound from London to Brisbane, collided off Portland, yesteray with the steamer Umbillo, bound from Natal to London. One of the Umbillo's rew and four of the Ethel's were killed by falling spars. The Ethel sank. Her crew boarded the Umbillo.

St. Joan Baptiste day was celebrated with great pomp in Montreal yesterday. Rev. Father Ecrement, of Hochelaga, preached the sermon and compared Canada with St. John the Baptist. He praised patriotism and appealed to Canadians to ove their country and not to leave it, as so

nany hundreds did every year. Chicago suburban trainmen struck vestorday morning after the early trains had come, and there are now 1,300 men idle, and the business of the road is paralyzed. The bone of contention is E. G. Russell, uperintendent of the northern lines of the llimois Central and Wisconsin railroads, whose management is very unsatisfactory

A young lad named J. E. Barr, whose parents reside at 246 Broadview avenue, Toronto, while playing truant at the Winchester street bridge yesterday afteroon, fell in the Don and was drowned. A oy named Macdenald, who was with him, gave the alarm. His body was recovered.

There was a collision between two looonotives in the C. P. R. yard at London yesterday morning. The yard engine ran nto the locomotive which brought the express from Windsor. Both engines wer onsiderably damaged. Driver Mimms, of West Toronto Junction, jumped and sprained his ankle. The others escaped

The mail train from Orillia last evening ran over and killed a little girl named Frager, about 8 years of age, in the vicinity of Gowan station. She was returning home from picking berries and had been walking along the track, and in her efforts to get clear of the cars fell upon the rails over a onlyert. The body was unrecognizable and presented a horrible sight.

Last evening John Houston, about 20 years of age, was drowned while bathing off Point Frederick, at Kingston. With other young men he jumped out of an anchored heat. He seems to have lost confidence, and when a comrade named Agnew came near him he seized him and both went under. Agnew was able to release himself from Houston's grip and saved himself. Houston never rose. He was a on of Rev. Samuel Houston, pastor of Conke's Church.

During the thunderstorm Tuesday Mr. John A. Cameron, a prominent farmer, living near Chelsea, was struck by light-ning and instantly killed. Mr Cameron was driving a team of horses at the time and at his side sat John McGinnis, his hired man. The horses were killed also, and McClinnis was rendered is sensible Persons at a distance saw the occurrence, and harrying to the spot found Cameror paralyzed. The latter is, however, recover-

Seventy houses have been destroyed by coroner in case there has been any foul fire in Oldenburg, Germany,

IT COSTS A GOOD DEAL

House.

A glance through the pending Sundry Civil Bill, supplemented by the regular Legislative and Executive Appropriation Bill, discloses that Mr. Harrison is likely to be able to make both ends meet at the close of the coming fiscal year. As a starter, he has his salary of \$50,000. There is a further sum of \$25,000 allowed him to spend as he sees fit in recarpeting his rooms and making his domestic apartments comfortable in the matter of furniture. Sixteen thousand dollars or thereaboute is set aside to pay for his gas and electric lights. Three thousand dollars is allowed him for coals. To keep his greenhouses in order so as to furnish him with buttonhole bouquets and flowers to present to his friends \$7,000 is appropriated. A thousand dollars is allotted him for his front gardon, and \$5,000 for his back garden. If his kitchen pipes should happen to burst in the winter there is a \$2,500 plumlers' bill for him to draw upon. He has no servants to provide except a cook and soullions and chambermaids. Congress furnishes him with a steward and everything else in the servant line at a cost of about \$15,000. He has not even to provide matches. The appropriation for fuel and lights distinctly specifies that it shall include matches. He has to buy his butcher's meat and grocerle and his wine, however, when he gives s dinner party. Pretty nearly all close a given him, and lest there should be something overlooked a contingent fund of \$8,000, which he is at liberty to spond as he thinks average reconstruction. thinks proper, rendering no account to any body, is added as a cap sheaf. The total appropriations for the domestic economy of the Executive Mansion, excluding the salaries of the private secretaries and clerks engaged solely on official business, foot up \$132,500.

PROPORTIONS OF THE BODY.

What They Should Be in Order to Be

From top to bottom of breastbone or sternum, one-half length of head.

From the bottom of the knee to the

ngth. Adding to these measurements one length for the head itself, gives with tengths for the proper height of the body of men. Women are slightly shorter, the proportion of their head to the height peing about as one to seven or seven and

The arru from the arrupit to the elbow joint is one and one-quarter times the length of the bead, from thence to the wrist one and one quarter and from the wrist to the end of the middle finger threequarters of the length of the head. The distance between the right middle finger and the same finger of the left hand is when the arms are spread horizontall from the body, equal to the height of the figure. It follows, therefore, that the breadth of body from armpit to armpit is one and one half lengths of the head.

THE LION IN THE PATH.

culty Have Been Unsuccessul.

The Washington evening Critic has the following: "The Critic is in a position to state as a matter of undoubted and absolute fact that the present state of confu-sion in which the Behring Sea question is involved is the result of the President's re pudiation of an arrangement between Becretary Blaine and Lord Salisbury, the Prime Minister of England. One of the first subjects taken up by Mr. Blaine after he had fairly settled down to the work ir his department was that of the seal fisheries in Behring Sea. The question came to him in an unsettled shape because of the notorious impossibility of Secretary Bay ard's obtaining anything like co-operation or support from the Senate. That Mr Blaine took virtually the same view of the matter as was entertained by Mr. Bayard will be sufficiently demonstrated when all the facts in the case shall have been published. But meanwhile it is sufficient to state that Mr. Blaine, after the most care ful and exhaustive examination on his own part, and an abundant interchange of sen timent and suggestion with Lord Salis bury, entered into an agreement with that high functionary. It was an agreement entirely satisfactory to both, an agreement which recognized the rights and interests of the United States equally with those of England, and its ratification would have definitely terminated a most verations and This agreement the President flatly refused

to sanction." Hints on Horsesbooing.

Never fit the foot to the shoe, but fit the

Never pare the frog. Never twist off the nails; use nippers or cutting them off. Never drive large nails. Never drive the nails too high in the wall

sary.
The art of shoeing is important and dould be understood by the owner of by hot shoes than in any other way.

vall and makes it brittle and the horse

A Justifiable Excuse.

" What's the reason you have robbod and oheated so much?"
The Accused-Like all men, Your Honor, was anxious to to secure for myself a quiet and comfortable old age.

The thoroughly manny girl has her clothes constructed with as many pockets as her brother's.

Cornell university has abandoned, or is

Peter White, the fourth victim of the Colchester boiler explosion, died yesterday. Her dress was a divided skirt, rather longer than the habit now fashionable.

How Harrison is Kept Out of the Poor

From bottom of sternum to beginning of ower limbs, two lengths. From thigh to bottom of knee, two

ankle, one and one half lengths.

From ankle to the ground, one half

one half.

Why Negotiations in the Behring Sea I

hoe to the foot. Never put a hot shoe to the hoof; many ood hoofs have been ruined by burning.

f the hoof. Never trim the hoof more than is neces-

bout to abandon her alleged "School of Journalism." Trying to found a school of journalism is a good deal like founding a school of experience." The journalist is orn, not made, and nothing but hard licks in the actual work of daily newsgathering will ever make a journalist .- Brooklyn

I am a fancy parior clock, Encared in globa of glass, With lovely chiming silver belie And front all made of brass.

I've stood upon the mantlepiece

For almost eighteen veers, And ticked and chimed and told the time With never any fears.

But now my hands begin to shake, My face is white with dread, For, coming down the oaken stair, Thear the gentle tread

Of Angeline, who's just returned Prain Roma' famous school; I know that when she tooks at ma I'll feel just like a fool.

Of course she'll surely have a beau, Who'll come on Sunday nights, And stay and sidek, and stick and stay, While dunly bern the lights,

I know just how they'll earry on And how George will embrace Dear Angeline; but I shall keep My hands before my face.

Tring'll never read the warring chime Of my sweet sounding bells, But sit and spoon beneath the moon, While he her stories to Is,

But I can stand it all, I know.
Until some fatal night
When Angeline will say to George
"I know that crock aim right.

If must be half an hour fast;

If never kept good time. And I just have the noise it make When is begins to chime."

And then I II take my sweet revenge.
I'll run an hour slow.
And while they thins "it's carly yet."
I'll jump and "let her go."

Filving so long, so lond and strong,
That her paternal sire
Will come and sweep the floor with Goorge
Andrell him in the wire. And Angetine will go to bod, And I will laugh and mock Her anguish with my conscloss sound Tick, tock, tick tock, tick tock.

Macrice E. M. Loughis. A SECRETOR IN LIEB

30b Cardette's Possimistic Views of Ruman Existence. Man born of woman is of few days and

o teeth, and, indeed, it would be money in his pucket sometimes if he had less of nis pocket sometimes if he had less of either. As for his teeth, he had convulsions when he cut them, and as the last one comes through, he! the dentist is twisting the first one out, and the last end of that man's jaw is worse than the first, being full of porcolain and a roof plate built to hold black berry seeds. Stone-bruises line his rathway to manhoud, his father boxes his part at home, the big boys ouff him in the play ground and the teacher whips him in the schoolroom. He buyeth Northwestern at six, and his neighbors unloadeth upon him Iron Mountain at sixty-three and five-eighths, and it straightway breaketh down to fifty two and one fourth, He riseth early and sitioth up late that he The proportions of the human body as given by the best authorities are as follows, the length of the head being the standard of measurement:

From the bottom of chin to breastbone, one-half length of head

From top to bottom of breastbone or stormer one-half length of head

The frost biteth his peaches. If it be so that the sen shingth even among the nine. may fill his barns and storehouses, and lo! that the san shineth, even among the nin ties, he sayeth, "Woo is me, for I perish," and if the northwest wind sigheth down in dead!" If he wears sackeloth and blue jean, men pay, "He is a tramp," and if he gooth forth shaven and clad in purple and fine linen, all the people cry, "Shoot the dude!" He carried incurance for 25 years, until he hath pull thrice for all his goods, and then he research his policy lapse one day, and that same night fire destroyeth his store. He buildeth him a house in Jersey, and his first born is devoured by mosquitoes; he pitcheth his tents in New York, and tramps dovour his substance.

He moveth to knesses, and a pyclone carryeth his house over into Missouri, while a prairie fire and 10,000,000 acres of grasshop-pers fight for his crop—He settleth himself in Kentucky, and is shot the next day by a gentleman, a colonel and a statesman, because, sah, he resembles, sah, a man,

sah, he did not like, sah."

Verily, there is no rest for the sole of his foot, and if he had to do it over again he would not be here at all, for "the day of death is better than the day of one's birth."

He Eats Two Men Every Week. The Madras Times chronicles the doings a terrible man cating tiger. During

the rate of one a week. This year the proportion has doubled. The tigor is known as the man-eater of Untalakunti. It makes the plains and mountains of Murangapon and Nalahundi, in the district of Vizzgapa tam, the field of its operations. The Gov ernment has offered 200 plasters for its destruction.

Last year the man-cater awallowed 52

men, and this year, from the 1st the 20th of January, it had exten six.

It is absolutely without lear and does not heatate to attack a group of four or five men. It will select the individual most to its taste and coolly walk off with nim. The natives of the locality are parazed with fear. At the night of the tiger Here is one example of the ferocious audacity of this animal, which occurred the beginning of this year: A mother and her

daughter were warming themselves by the fire in their hut. The door was closed and

bolted. Without an instant's warning the

door was sameshed in, the man-eater leaped into the hut, seized the beautiful young irl and walked off with her.

The Hug-Me-Tight. The hug-me tight is the name of a new lounge pillow which everybody is after just now. It is a soft boleter pillow designed for beauty and comfort as well. It can be overed with almost any material. An embroidered lining is preferred by many, peing clean, cool and durable. They can be stuffed with down, feathers or wook. wide, easy lounge is now deemed a neces sity in almost all rooms devoted to family comfort, but large, sole, easy pillows, so made and dressed as to look neat and tidy and yet admit of careless treatment, are not so common. Pillows for every-day service cannot be used long without becoming badly soiled unless protected by vidios r covers of some sort, which are a constant be displaced and rumpled up, if not wholly thrown saids. The embroidered linen thug me-tight" cannot be easily displaced (as its name indicates), and, being an end-less cover, the pillow is protected on all sides and can be washed.

Little Late.

In Chicago.

He—May I have the pleasure of your company at supper, Miss Breezy?

She -You're a little late, Mr. Waldo; ve been down to supper three times already .- Judge.

that gentleman has?

Sacond Miss—Yes; but I think it must be very disagreeable to have a musiache on

She Had a Pleasant Experience.

First Miss - What a handsome nustache

your lip.
First Miss It isn't, though. Second Miss - How do you know? A London woman's club has developed as

The wife of a baronet has appeared in the Row, in the regular hour, riding astride.

far as a motion by one of its members to provide a separate room for smokers, and