NARROW ESCAPE.

During a severe electric storm

which passed over Kimberley on Monday morning of last week

Smith on the east mountain, with



Bargains

We have received several new lines of Men's and Women's Clothing, which will be sold at the following close prices

Men's Suits at 30 per cent. reduction

A good line of Overcoats, Raincoats, Pants, Sweaters, etc. at lowest possible prices.

Ladies' Suits Reduced 40 per cent.

Also Ladies' Coats, Skirts, Waists, etc., at bargain prices.

These are all good goods and we invite your inspection as to quality and price.

A full line of Men's and Ladies' Underwear at right prices.

Highest Prices for Farm Produce

Hides, sheep skins, wool, tallow, raw furs and live poultry wanted, for which the highest prices will be paid in cash or trade.

Garafraxa Street M. GLASER, Garafraxa Street

One Door South of Burnett's Bakery.



-MOUNT FOREST ONT. This school is affiliated with the Stratford Business College and we are prepared to do more for you than any other small school in Ontario. Our courses are thorough and practical and every graduate has secured a good dosition. Many of our students of the past term are now receiving ovor \$700.00 per annum. Write for particulars. W. E. WILSON, Principal.

BE A BOOSTER.

Do you know there's lots of people

Mebbe, too, they'll come back but-

While some feller boosts for you.

EDISON FORGOT TO SLEEP.

Despite his advancing years,

Thomas A. Edison was so busy one

week recently that he found time

for less than 22 hours' sleep in

We'd be in a sorry plight

Settin' round in every town,

show.

tered.

thereabouts.

MARKET REPORT

					Growlin' like a broody chicken,
DURHAM, SEPT. 19 19	12				Knockin' every good thing down
Fall Wheat	00 t	0.8	1	00	Don't you be that kind if cattle,
Fall Wheat	00 t	0	1	00	Cause they aint no use on earth
Spring Wheat 1	50 t	0		50	You just be a booster rooster,
Oats	90 t			25	Crow and boost for all you'r
reas	65 t			85	worth.
			10	00 !	
Hay 10	22	to	-	22	If your town needs boostin', boos
Butter	24 1			24	'er
Eggs	00 1		1	00	Don't hold back and wait an
I the there at he would be a		to	-	7	see
Dried Apples	50		3	00	If some other fellow's willin'-
I louis her emer	90			00	Sail right in; the country's fre
Out thereing her account	25			75	No one's got a mortgage on it,
				65	It's just yours as much as his,
Live Hogs, per cwt 8	8	to		8	If your town is shy on booster
Hides, per lb	30			30	
Sheepskins		to		5	Tou get in the south
Wool		to		9	If things don't just seem to su
Tallow		to		50	you,
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Turkeys	merce.			5	wrong,
Geese	.00			11	What's the matter with a boosti
Ducks		to		(01)	*
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Grouse and hares, according to a recent amendment in the law, can work. now be shot from October 1st to ton and Dufferin counties for two the market by October 1st or Ottawa, 19th Sept., 1912. years, or until 1915.

most of the season's crop, was burned to the ground. Mr. Smith also lost a valuable brood mare, and woul! have lost two more horsed, also some pigs and implements, had it not been for the heroi: efforts of his son Howard. Mr Smith was standing near the corner of the house and was stunned by the bolt and rendered unconscious for some time. His had was torn from his head and his hair singed. There were also some large blisters on his breast. Mr. Smith certainly had a hairbreadth escape, and his many friends were pleased to know that his injuries were not fatal. The building burned was a fine frame storehouse and contained 200 bushels of wheat and twenty tons of hay. There was

Innocent Bystander-I thought you fellows were striking for high-

and contents.-Express.

er pay? Workman-We are, but strikebreakers they hired to break the strike are striking higher pay, so they've hired strikers to break the strike of the strikebreakers. See?

night? Barker-Oh, that's Man- a question some minutes ago and that ning's daughter. She's up here an answer was expected of him. "The -Life.

"Well, Major, I notice that you are runnin' for office again?" "No sir, it's the same old run. I got started years ago, and I can't myself."-Atlanta Constitu-

Two little sisters who were taken to see "Othello" were much impressed by the death scene. "I wonder if they kill a lady every night?" said Lucy. "Why, course not, Lucy," said her sister; they just pretend to. It would be altogether too expensive to really kill a lady every night." Wasp.

WIDOWS COMING TO CANADA General Bramwell Booth has notified the Salvation Army headquarters staff, Toronto, that he is about to launch the "Widow Scheme." There are 117,000 widows in Great Britain with 200,000 dependents. The Army is arranging a scheme for sending the matrons to Canada while taking care of their dependents while the widows get established Canada.

RELATIONS BECAME STRAINED Mrs. Ambish-I often tell my husband I wish he had more "get up and get" about him. Mrs. Jellers-Indeed? I've often heard that he gets up and gets his own breakfast.

BORN

JAMIESON .- In Durham, on Sunday, September 22nd, to Dr. D. B. and Mrs. Jamieson, a son.

McILVRIDE.-In Normanby, on Tuesday, September 17th, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald McIlvride,

DIED.

ROMBOUGH .- On Friday, September 20th, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. David Hunter, 77 Grenville street, Toronto, William Rose Rombough, in his 91st year.

Voters' List for 1912

Municipality of the Town of Durham, County of Grey. Sail right in; the country's free

Notice is hereby given that have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in Sections 8 and 9 of the Ontario Voters Lists Act, the copies required by If things don't just seem to suit said sections to be transmitted or delivered of the said list, made world seems kinder pursuant to said Act, of all persons appearing by the last re-What's the matter with a boostin' vised Assessment Roll of the said municipality to be entitled 'Cause if things should stop agoin' vote in the said municipality at elections for Members of the You just keep that horn a-blowin' Legislative Assembly and Boost 'er up with all your might. Municipal Elections; and that the said list was posted up at my If you know some fellow's failin's office at Durham on the 20th day Just forget 'em, cause you know of August, 1912, and remains there That same feller's got some good for inspection.

Electors are called upon to ex-Them's the ones you want to examine the said list and if any omissions, or any other errors are "Cast our loaves out on the found therein, to take immediate proceedings to have the said They'll come back's a sayint errors corrected according to law

W. B. VOLLET, Clerk of Durham. Dated August 20th, 1912.



MAIL CONTRACT

the course of the six work days. SEALED TENDESS addressed to the Postmast er General, will be received at Ottawa until ed 122 hours of the 144 to hard Noon, on Friday, the 1st. November, 1912, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails on a proposed Contract for four years, six round trips per This spurt of energy was in- Over Holstein R. M. D., No. 1 Over Holstein R. M. D. No. 2 from the Postmaster General's Pleas-

G. C. ANDERSON, Superintendent.

Wooing Cinderella

It Wasn't a Very Hard Task After All.

By RUTH SAWTELLE.

Scarcely had Dudley forced his breathless way through the thicket into the little cleared space at the edge of the bluff when a young voice assailed

"I thought you would come before long. You are the prince, of course?" He wheeled with a start and stared. She sat on a low rock, looking straight at him out of smiling brown eyes. There was a general impression of brownness. It seemed to be a gown of some shimmery brown stuff-or was it gold?-and a kind of aureole of fluffy an insurance of \$1200 on building light brown hair. How the deuce did a girl get up that cliff? About how nearly a puffing porpoise had he sounded, anyway? Pity a man couldn't keep track of his breath! He'd go into training on that hill till he could take it on the run without turning a hair-he would, by Jove! Must be something the matter with her eyes. He'd never seen-that is to say, they sort of-

"You said yes, didn't you?" she interrupted sweetly. "Surely you must be the prince."

"I beg your pardon," began Dudley, plays golf all day and bridge all suddenly realizing that she had asked with a nurse taking a rest cure. prince, you say? I've never been accused before, you know." And then, in a flash of comprehension, "Most assuredly I am the prince-if you are the princess," he finished triumphantly.

The brown eyes twinkled into his more distractingly than before. "Oh, not at all!" she laughed. "I'm

only poor Cinderella." "Cinderella?" questioned Dudley, looking the mystification he felt.

"Why, yes-you see"- She hesitated, And then a very wonderful thing happened. A line of rosiest pink appeared just above the brown collar and crept up stealthily, enveloping the tiny ear, flashing into flame on the white brow and hiding at last in the light hair that blew about her face. Dudley, fascinated, watched its progress and forgave the intrusion.

"Of course it's very simple, only disgracefully stupid of me. And"-sitting up straight and suddenly becoming very brave-"I'm not in the least afraid to tell you."

Dudley mumbled suitable assurances, while the girl moved uneasily on her rocky throne and continued to look

brave. "I just-I only-the flower was way over the edge of the bluff, and-I held on to a branch and leaned down-andmy heel got wedged by a stone-and"-There was a tentative shifting of the shimmery skirts, then a hasty motion of withdrawal beneath them. "And I-I-lost the mate to that!" she finished, with desperate courage, thrusting into sight the other foot, incased in a stout little brown walking boot.

Two furious blushes were in full operation by this time.

Dudley gazed fixedly at the small trim boot. "You say the one you lost was just like this?" he questioned, with great solemnity.

"Oh, no; it belonged to the left foot, you know," she responded, with corresponding earnestness.

And then came the welcome relief of laughter, under the relaxing influence of which Dudley sank upon the edge of the rock. "I only meant to suggest," he an-

nounced fervently, "my unbelief that there could be another like it in the world."

"Bravo, bravo!" she applauded gay. ly. "That is pretty enough to savor of

much practice in such speaking." Dudley's ardent expression was replaced by one of due submission to re-

"It is meet," he said as his hand sought a capacious coat pocket and disappeared therein, "that the downtrodden should arise to do thee service. Perhaps I can aid you better than you

know." "I'm sure you can," she interposes hastily. "But let me tell my plan first, I couldn't let you go to find it and leave me helpless and alone again."

"Of course not." Dudley's face assumed a thoughtful expression, and his hand slowly left the big pocket. "Ia-hardly suppose you could borrow

Again her bright laughter rang out "Oh, flattery, where is thy sting?" she cried gaspingly. And Dudley, looking ruefully from his own generous boot to the adorable mateless one, realized that once more he'd "put his foot in it."

"Forgiven," she declared in a momeat, "because of the pretty one you said first. And so, to go back to our muttons, I see only one way. And yet, of course, it's such a little distancethe camp's just back in the trees there -I could hop on one foot, I suppose." She paused mischievously for the mere pleasure of regarding his look of frank disappointment; also to observe whether it occurred to him to wonder why, with friends so near, she had not

called for help. "But I should be sure." she relented. "to lose my balance and let the wrong foot down." Dudley brightened perceptibly. "And it's very stony and i know would hurt dreadfully. So affec all there is just the one way, as I said."

"Yes." he said, almost mournfully, "there only remains for me to help ---

while his hand moved again ever so haltingly toward the pocket, then rap-

idly away from it, "to-to"in the matter!" was the hint, with just

a bit of ice in the tone. nate opportunity that ever befell an undeserving beggar!" he finished, laughing hilariously as he assisted her to her feet-that is to say, her foot,

Mere words cannot approximate the delight of that trip in the neighboring (much too neighboring) camp. They laughed like children and clutched each other in frantic mirth. And with what exceeding care and deliberate ness it was necessary to proceed! The most inoffensive pebble was occasion for a wide detour, in spite of the lamentable fact that it increased the distance. And did the little unshed silken seen since the college days-and Cin-

derella his wife's guest. But, as all pleasant moments come to an end, so must this, as Cinderella dropped, tired, but still merry, into a chair on the bungalow piazza.

"And then the prince," he said slowly, looking down upons her with compelling eyes, "caused his heralds-no; I think you know what the prince did without my telling you."

under his scrutiny. "but first you've to know that when accounts stating

find the slipper." And when it is found I've the advantage of knowing where dwells Cinder-

ella-and that the slipper will fit."

"Oh, Faintheart!" she whispered mockingly. "Try and see." Whereat Dudley began a most peculiar course of behavior. Going quickly into the deep pocket and brought it out

full of a stout brown walking boot of small dimensions. over. Oh, yes; of course he'd had it either case. there all the while. Well, hadn't he tried to let her have it at the very first, and didn't she keep interrupting till he couldn't-that is to say, didn't What did she have to look at him that that he can ill afford, way for? How could be deliberately hand the thing over and put an end to the happiest few moments he'd ever spent, or ever expected to spend, for

shoot himself. trial trip had taken twenty to navi- sounds inspiring men! cared if he hadn't spoiled it all.

else could have taken you down the

ravine and up again in this time."

forever. Thenclimbed up at all," he said abruptly. "It was in my pocket all the while. Now send me away, for I can't go un-

less you do." terfly hands.

"Oh, boy, boy," she cried softly, "most innocent of boys! Did you think I didn't know? I saw you pick it up down below-no, you shall have all the truth; it fell-I let it fall because I saw you!"

Just then Tom Hutton, coming around the corner of the house, decided he could quite as well postpone his errand.

Mesmerism. Mesmerism, so called, was propound-

ed by the German physician, Frederick Anthony Mesmer of Merseburg, in 1766. In his famous thesis published that year Mesmer contended that the "heavenly bodies diffused through the universe a subtle fluid which acts on the nervous system of all living beings and in a special sense on man." He gained numerous followers and for several years made all Europe ring with his fame at the same time that he was taking in money by the handful. In 1784 a committee of physicians got after Mesmer's system and succeeded in exposing it to the ridicule of the world. Mesmer was at once discredited, and since that time mesmerism has been practically a dead issue.-New York American.

Fashion and Rare Birds.

In South Australia a movement is on foot for the conservation of the rarer is common to sufferers from uric birds such as the fbis, the egret, the acid poisonings. It is caused from crane and the spoonbill-now sacrificed the nerves and is likely to take at the behest of Dame Fashion. The the form of despondency, irrita-November 15th. Beaver and ofter spired by the need of linishing which were allowed to be trapped from November 1st to March 31st To-day he was ready to say that from November 1st to March 31st To-day he was ready to say that have been prohibited entirely until he invention was about perfect-have been prohibited entirely until 1915. By an order-in-council, deer can be shot in Grey, Welling-that he will be able to put it on cannot be shot in Grey, Welling-that he will be able to put it on the market by October 1st or Ottawa, 19th Sept. 1912.

In the leaver and ofter spired by the need of linishing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Holstein, Maple Lane, Yeo-vil. Dromore and at the behest of Dame Fashion. The She tilted the lonely boot back and seen and blank forms of Fender may be obtained at the Post Office of Holstein, Maple Lane, Yeo-vil. Dromore and at the behest of Dame Fashion. The She tilted the lonely boot back and seen and blank forms of Fender may be obtained at the Post Office of Holstein, Maple Lane, Yeo-vil. Dromore and at the behest of Dame Fashion. The She tilted the lonely boot back and seen and blank forms of Fender may be obtained at the Post Office of the Post Office of the Post Office Inspector at Toronto.

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Octavial proposed contract may be obtained at the Post Office Inspect on crustaceans that destroy the fish | tee. B. V. Marion on every box.

you. I suppose I ought," he continued, Parisian Sage for Women

"Oh, pray don't feel any obligation Madam: Do you want an abundance of Astrous "To avail myself of the most fortu- hair with no dandruff or germs?

Before you finish one bottle of delightful PARISIAN Sage hair tonic, falling hair will cease; scalp itch will be but a memory and every particle of dandruff will

vanish. Besides this, your hair will be free from dandruff germs, and PARISIAN Sage will so nourish the hair roots that the hair itself will become full of life and nature's own radiant beauty.

PARISIAN Sage is not a dye-it does not contain dangerous lead or any other poisonous ingredient. foot so much as caress the ground in For your own protection, ask for its wabbling career Dudley was ready PARISIAN Sage and request your to weep in worshipful contrition. It dealer not to give you any prewas almost too much joy to discover paration containing Lead or Niin the course of the hysterical conver- trate of Silver. Large bottle of sation that this was Tom Hutton's PARISIAN Sage 50 cents at Macranch-dear old Tom that he hadn't farlane & Co's, and dealers Can-

THE CREDIT SYSTEM

"Can you conceive anything more deplorable than for a firm to be compelled to assign simply because they can't get what is their own? We have very few young men in business who have hustled the way they have, trying to get along. And then to lose and have the reputation of having "Ah," she cried, her own eyes falling failed in business. The public the time the money is wanted are "Yes, first I've to find the slipper, sent out, settlement should be made either by note or cash. The wholesaler and the banks won't wait, so what is the dealer to do but to place his accounts for col-"Which last is yet to be proved!"- lection much as he dislikes it. If the general public would have "May I put it to the test?" he beg- more sympathy for the dealer who they owe, there would be less tossing about on the pillow when the brain should be at rest."

The above remarks are somebody's moralizing upon the assignment of a storekeeper in an around the corner of the cabin, he Ontario town. It was the result bumped his head softly several times of the credit system, which is the against the logs, gave himself a vio- curse of trade and the ruination lent shake and then strode through the of so many people. The ease with trees to the low rock in the little clear, which credit can be obtained leads ed space at the edge of the bluff. Sit- many a man to indulge in luxurting down, he plunged an empty hand lies and live ahead of his income. Sooner or later, he will have to face the day of reckoning the same as the storekeeper whose inability to get hold of the ready To his credit be it said that there cash has brought him to bankwas self denunciation in his aspect as ruptcy. Both suffer from the he sat turning it miserably over and same evil and it spells evil in

The remedy lies with the storekeepers. If they shut down on' credit in time a cash system will result, not only to their own convenience and happy state of mind, want to? Suppose he was the biggest but to the peace and contentment cad on record, he'd wager no fellow of many a man who is through ever had a better excuse! Hang it! credit led to a state of living

THE DINNER HORN.

When I was young and full of that matter? For surely by this fool vim I labored in my father's ishness he'd dished any prospects of field, and I have heard it said by further acquaintance about as effec him that none a hoe could better tively as possible. Well, anyhow, this wield; beneath my care the pumpwas torture; might as well have the kins thrived, tall grew the turnips hour had arrived, my father blew confession over with and go off and the dinner horn. Talk of the In three minutes he was back. The music of the spheres and all the gate. She was waiting and still alone. would have jarred upon my ears, Oh, yes; rub it in! She might have had they come floating to me then! I've heard great singers "Most eager knight!" she called in caracole through notes of joy and greeting. "Was it wings? Nothing notes of scorn, but nothing ever tin dinner horn. I've heard the noble organ peal, and thought it For answer he knelt without a word heavenly and grand; I've heard and put the fateful shoe in place with march, waltz, Virginny reel, perelaborate care. He would have that formed by Sousa's bully band; I've privilege before he forfeited her favor heard the great Caruso trot out songs sublime as e'er were born. "I found it in the ravine before I still nothing ever hit the spot like crank on music, I have sailed, all o'er the world to hear the best: the masters of all lands have failed to give my yearning spirit But Cinderella leaned forward to take rest. When on their instruments his remorseful face between two but they pound or beat or blow. my soul forlorn but reaches back to hear the sound of father's old tin -Walt, Mason.

> ARE THERE ANY IN DURHAM? An exchange gives a list of nine classes of people who do a town no good, and retard progress and improvement. These are:

1. Those who go out of town to do their trading. 2. Those who oppose improve-

Those who prefer a quiet town to one of push and business, 4. Those who imagine they run

the town. Those who think business cam be done without advertising.

Those who despise publicspirited men.

7. Those who oppose every improvement that does not originate with themselves. 8. Those who oppose every en-

terprise that does not appear to benefit them. Those who seek to injure the credit of an individual.

HIS TRADE

"The man passing over there is such a time server." "I despise that kind."

"No reason to despise him. He is such a good clockmaker.

NERVOUSNESS

bility or worry. Anti Uric Pills drive uric acid from the system and cure all kidney troubles. The Central Drug Store sells Anti Uric supply, for the wading birds subsist Pills with their personal guaran-