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Montreal Stock Market. MONTREAL, April 15. Commercial Cable 170
Com. Cable Coupon Bonds Commercial Registered Bonds Montreal Telegraph 178
Richelieu and Ontario, xd 100
London Street Railway Montreal Street Railway, new 255
Montreal Street Railway, new 255
Toronto Railway 338 Coronto Railway

Montreal Gas Company, xd.... Bell Telephone... Royal Electric... Bank of Montreal... Ontario Bank.
Molsons Bank, xd...
Bank of Toronto... rchants' Bank of Halifax. Juebec Bank Juebec Bank Union Bank Bank of Commerce

Northweet Land, pref. 51
Montreel Cotton Company 150
Canada Colored Cotton 75 1371/2 inion Cotton..... SALES—Can. Pacific, 50 at 80, 75 at 79%, 100 at 80; Toronto Railway, 25 at 92%, 75 at 93; Montreal Gas, 35 at 182%; 50 at 182%. Toronto Stock Market.

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Montreal Gas.

Montreal Gas.

Dominion Telegraph.

Montreal Telegraph.

Northwest Land Company. pref. 50½
Canada Pacific Railway Stock. 80½
Commercial Cable Company. 168½
Commercial Coupon Bonds. 104
Com. Registered Bonds. 104
Bell Telephone Company. 173
Richelieu and Ontario. 93
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Cont., 25 at 92, 25 at 921/2. New York Stocks. Reported by F. H. Butler, 15 and 16 Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

New York, April 15. Close. Open. High. Low. Close. Atcheson,
Atcheson Pfd. 25¼
C. B. & Q. 91½
C. & N. W. 118
Bay State Gas. 3
Chicago Gas. 90½
N. Y. Gas. 175¾
Gen. Electric. 32½
L. & N. 48¾
Man. 95¾ 11¾ 11¾ 25¾ 25¾ 25⅓ 92¾ 93 91¾ 118¼ 118¾ 118 91 177 ½ 32¾ 49¼ 96¾ 26¼ 9134 1794 3234 4954 97 2634 Mo. P. 9554 24 85% 24 85¾ 24 855/8 883/8 195/8 Wabash.

W. U. 86 85%
Union Pac. Pfd 52 523%
Union Pacific 19½ 20½
Leather Trust 57
Lead 29½ 29
Sugar 116½ 117½ 17
Tobacco 116½ 112 1
Southern Ry. Pfd 26 26½
Jersey Central 92 91
K. & T. Pfd 32½ 32½
N. P. Pfd 32½ 32½
Can. Southern 8634 53 2014 57 29 11814 11314 2614 9114 3234 6216 85% 52% 20 57 29 116% 109 25%

COMMERCIAL.

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Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, April 15.-Wheat-In good demand and firmer, at 90c to 91c for firm, at \$1 12 to \$1 13 at North Bay; \$1 15 grinding in transit, and \$1 07 to \$1 08 on the Midland. Flour—There is a better inquiry and the market is firmer, at \$4.25 for cars of straight roller in wood west. Millfeed—Steady, at \$12 50 to \$13 for shorts and \$10 50 to \$11 for bran in cars west. Corn-Steady, at 311/2c for Canada yellow west, and 371/2c for American at Toronto. Oats-Firmer, at 31c for white west. Peas-Firmer, at 58c west. Seeds-In firm demand and prices unchanged, at yesterday's quotations. Eggs-Steady, at 91/2c for new-Butter-In good demand and rather easier for large rolls, at 16c to 161/2c; creamery is in good demand and steady, at 20c to 21c for prints and 19c for tubs.

Montreal Produce Market. Montreal, April 15.-Grain in store-No. 2 white oats, 34c; peas, 66c; rye, 52c; barley, 40c; buckwheat, 48c; wheat, red, 92c; white, 90c. Flour-Manitoba bakers, \$5; spring patents, \$5 40; winter do, \$4.75; straight roller, \$4.40. Feed— Ontario bran, \$13.50; shorts, \$14.50; Manitoba bran, \$14; shorts, \$15. Provisions-Canadian pork, per bbl, \$15 50 to \$16; ham, 11c to 12c; bacon, 12c to 121/2c. Lard-Pure, 7c to 71/2c; compound, 5c to 51/4c. Produce—Eggs unchanged; receipts large, 9c to 91/2c. Beans-Very slow; 70c for prime and soc for choice hand-picked are outside figures. Honey-Slow; white clover comb, 11e to 12c; dark do, 9c to 10c; white strained, 6c to 7c; dark, 4c to 5c. Maple produce-Unchanged; demand fair; syrup, 4%c to 5c per lb in wood; 45c to 50c in tins, as to size; sugar, 6c to 61/4c.

American Markets.

BUFFALO, April 15.—Spring wheat, No. 1 hard. \$1 101/2; No. 1 northern, 1 northern, \$1 101/4; winter wheat, No. 2 red, 99c; No. 1 white, 98c. Corn-No. 2 yellow, 35c; No. 3 yellow, 34½c; No. 2 corn,34¼c; No. 3 corn, 34c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 311/2c to 31%c; No. 3 white, 30%c to 31c; No. 2 mixed, 291/2c; No. 3 mixed, 28½c on track.

DETROIT, April 15 .- Wheat-No. 1 white eash, 96c; No. 2 red, cash and May, 98c; July, 84%c. TOLEDO, April 15.-Wheat, cash, \$1 03; May, \$1 02; July, 85c. Corn-Cash, 32c; May, 31c; July, 32c. ats-Cash, 271/2c; May, 261/2c; July 231/2c. MILWAUKEE, April 15.-Wheat -

Cash, \$1 03; July, \$1. country was about to strike. If director, is highly thought of NEW YORK, April 15.-Flour-Receipts, 14,408 bbls; sales, 3,500 packages;

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tions opened easy and suffered a pronounced decline under active long sells ing, induced by disappointing cables and better California crop sews; May, \$106%c to \$106%c; July, \$0%c to \$2%c; Sept., \$2%c to \$3%c; Dec., \$2%c to \$3c. Rve—Easy: No. 2 western \$66 c. i.f. Rye-Easy; No. 2 western, 60c, c. i. f., Buffalo. Corn-Receipte, 236,925 bu; sales, 50,000 bu; options fairly active buz weaker with wheat; May, 34%c to 34%c: July, 35 13-16c to 36 1-16c. Oats— Receipts, 74,400 bu; sales, 5,000 bu; options sold off with the other markets; May, 29%c. Butter—Receipts, 3,359 packages; Elgins, 20c; factory, 12½c to 16c; state creamery, 17c to 20c; western do, 17c to 20c. Cheese-Receipts, 908 packages; steady: large white, 7%c to 8c; small white, 814c to 81/2c; large colored, 7%c to 8c; small colored, 81/4c to 81/2c; large choice, 71/2c to 73/4c; small choice, 7% to 84c. Eggs-Receipts, 8.459 packages; steady. Sugar—Raw fair; refining, 3 9-16c; refined quiet.

Lead-Quiet; bullion price, \$350; exchange price, \$3 571/2 to \$3 621/2. Hops quiet. Chicago Exchange. CHICAGO, April 15. CHICAGO. April 15.
Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago
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High. Low.
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78 4 77 6
30 4 29
4 31 4 30 7
26 4 25
28 9 80 9 75
9 92 9 87
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English Markets. Liverpool, April 15—Closing.

Wheat—Spot, firm; No. 1 Cal., 7s 10%d to
7s 11%d; No 1 cash, firm, 8s 2%d; No. 2 red
western winter, firm, 7s 10d; spot No. 1 red
northern spring, firm, 8s 3%d.

Corn—Spot American mixed, new, quiet, 3s 5%d; April, quiet, 3s 5d; May, quiet, 3s 4%d; July, quiet, 3s 4%d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter firm, 10s.
Peas—Canadian, 5s 2½d.
Pork—Firm; prime mess, fine western, 51s
Beef—Prime mess, firm, 62s 9d, extra India
mess, 63s 9d; do, medium, western, 48s 9d.
Hams—Firm; short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 35s.
Bacon—Firm; Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs,
32s 6d; short ribs, firm, 20 to 24 lbs, 31s 6d; long
clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, steady, 29s 6d;
long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, steady,
29s; short clear middles, heavy, 45 to 50 lbs,
no stocks; clear bellies, firm, 12 to 14 lbs, 33s;
short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, firm, 25s
Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 25s
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Batter—Finest American, 84s; good, 60s. Butter-Finest American, 84s; good, 60s. Rosin-Common, steady, 4s 3d. Cheese-American finest white and colored.

Cheese—American infections, 38s 6d.
Tallow—Prime city, firm, 19s.
Cottonseed oll—Liverpool refined, steady, 15s Turpentine spirits—Firm, 25s.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), dull, £4
to £4 10s.

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Suggestion for Improving Victoria Park.

A Driveway Around It Instead of Inside-The Offensive Short-Cuts-City Hall Notes.

Chairman Douglass, Ald. Cooper, Carrothers and Belton, of the board of works, accompanied by Engineer Graydon, visited Victoria Park yesterday afternoon and spent a pleasant hour red winter west; Manitoba wheat is and a half with Park Ranger Grant, viewing the charming resort.

A scheme whereby the park would be greatly beautified and improved was laid before the aldermen by the city engineer, and highly approved. It may be adopted in the near future. The plan is to turn into sod all the present driveways, save that at the east side, and to make instead a drive-. way around the outside of the park. Such a driveway would be nearly a mile in length, and the trees are so situated that the scheme could be carried into effect without shifting many. It would make the park appear much larger than at present. The drive would be more extensive, more shaded, and pleasanter, there would be more grass and more room for foliage and flower beds, and less danger of an accident on band concert and other crowded nights. The total cost would

be \$3,000 or \$4,000. While going over the park the attention of the committee was called by the ranger to the unsightly "cross cut" paths made by people who persist in walking on the grass and by which the beauty of the park is greatly disfigured. The aid of the police will be proprietor of the Grand Central Hotel. of making a "bee-line" over the sward. Twenty years ago this month Victoria Park was instituted. Prior to that the land was occupied by the infantry barracks at the north end, and at the south end was the old cricket square. Mr. Grant began his services to the city when the park was inaugurated, and has continued as ranger ever since. Yesterday he was formalpresented with a brand new detective's badge, which will proclaim the fact that he is duly sworn con-

If such a change is made as suggested above, it might be well to remember the bicyclists and to build a cinder

side track for their exclusive use. Grand progress is being made by the several classes which are being trained at the city hall by Prof. Speedie for the kirmess. The interest in the event has been so great that there are now nearly 300 in the cast. Original plans had to be altered and the classes added to, so that preparations are now in progress for 21 numbers. The work is undertaken by all the classes very enthusiastically, and Prof. Speedie, 25

LATEST WEATHER FORECAST Toronto, April 15-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours: Northerly winds; fair weather today. Saturday, northwesterly winds, fine, not much change in tem-

-Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Colwell are visiting in Ottawa. -Mr. George W. Yates, of the Toronto Globe reportorial staff, is in the city.

-Miss Carrie Cave and Miss Anna McLeod, of this city, attended the batchelors' ball in St. Marys last night -Mr. David Rougvie, formerly of the Hobbs Hardware Company, city, is in town renewing old acquaint-

-A number of Y. M. C. A. boys held a meeting in the parlors last night and discussed the subject of "How to Make a Camera." -The work of laying the sidewalk and grading Central avenue between Colborne and Maitland streets was begun this morning.

-The clergymen's class was at work in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium this morning. The members indulged in an exciting game of basket ball. -The "Thimble Club" met yesterday

afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Alex. Wilson, 16 Picton street, and spent a couple of hours very pleasantly. -Miss Sadie Thompson, of Arnot, Pa., who has been visiting her relatives here, Mesdames Roddam and Rutherford, left today for Belleville, where she will in future reside. -James A. Ramplin, deputy consul,

Woodmen of the World, organized a camp at Leamington last night, with 30 charter members. The best business men in the town are on the list. -Mr. Wesley Baker, of Woodbank, one of the victims of the city hall disaster, is still lying in the general hospital. This week it was found necessary to perform an operation on his leg, and there is at last strong hopes of his re-

covery. Great sympathy is felt for his wife and young family. -A sacred concert is to be given in St. James' Church, South London, on Monday evening next. A splendid programme has been prepared, and some of the leading soloists of the city will take part, assisted by the choir, who will repeat some of the Easter music.

-Bailiff English was a visitor at the jail today, and left for the east this afternoon, having in custody John Murphy, who was sentenced here to three months in the Central Prison for vagrancy, and Arthur Cushman, who was given one year for stealing grain from different farmers in Lobo. Bailiff English will also take a prisoner from oodstock and two from Hamilton. -John W. Dumont, a touring wheelman, arrived in the city today, and will give an exhibition this evening at 7 o'clock either in Victoria Park or on the market. Dumont claims that he is under a wager of \$1,000 to travel from Chicago to Paris and return in eight

months, earning his expenses on the way. He left Chicago on April 1, and says the Canadian roads are good. -Mr. W. A. Hutton (colored), of Norfolk, Virginia, international secretary of the Y. M. C. A., will give an address to men in the Auditorium on Sunday afternoon next. Mr. Hutton is far-famed is a brilliant orator. He has charge of all the colored members of the Y. M. C. A. on this continent. On Sunday, April 24, Henry Varley will return here. He will address men in the Auditorium on that afternoon, and

every afternoon and evening during the week, and probably for two weeks. -The death of Miss Flora May Gatheridge, aged 19, occurred this morning, after a brief illness from appendicitis. Deceased was employed at the Boswell House, and felt unwell Monday evening. Tuesday morning she was very much worse, and on Wednesday was taken to the city hospital, where she aside, and the foreign relations commitsank rapidly. Her mother, Mrs. Gee, tee's Cuban resolution was laid before lives at Peebles' Corners, and an aunt, the senate. Mr. Cullom, Illinois, delivered Mrs. J. W. Pitman, resides in this ered a carefully prepared speech, covcity. The funeral will be held tomor-

Sons' undertaking establishment. -At the session of the first division Spain should be permitted to pursue her court this morning, presided over by course in Cuba, she would go on with-Phillips vs. J. P. Hunt came up. Mr. the patriots to the last man. Her black Phillips vs. J. P. Hunt came up. Mr. the patriots to the last man. Her black McPhillips sued Mr. Hunt for \$133, the crimes, said he, called aloud for ven- lowered a rope to him, but not being McPhillips sued Mr. Hunt for \$133, the balance due on a piano. Mr. Hunt geance, and that vengeance would be long enough, it proved unavailable, and taken by the American provided to death in at \$40, the commission on three pianos, interests of humanity. amounting to \$90, and an overcharge amounting to \$90, and an overcharge in interest, in all about \$147. The support the president of the United in interest, in an about \$14. The support the president of the United plaintiff denied the commission and. States in his efforts to bring peace out disputed the price of the picture,

-St. Thomas Journal: Two days have the finger of guilt at any one. The features of yesterday's proceedings were the cross-examination of the colored man, Charles Williams, the assertions of Mr. Rothwell, his solicitor, D. B. S. Crothers, and Detective Murray that County Attorney Donahue was not aiding the crown, the refusal of Mr. Crothers and Mr. Rothwell to among the independent nations by its the opera house to Mr. Roote, as one

THE LIBRARY. The following additions have been made to the Public Library this week: Cumulative Index to Periodicals, 1897: Bonar, Philosophy and Political Economy; Sallmon, The Culture of Christian Manhood; H. Cowan, The Scottish Church in Christendom; Grenfell and Hunt, Sayings of Our Lord; W.H. Wagstaff, The Metric System; R. Haddan, Inventors' Adviser on Patents, Designs and Trade Marks; D. Quigley, The Way to Keep Young; F. H. Teall, Punctuastable and make him more than ever tion; Rev. W. Skeat, Principles of English Etymology (2 vols.); R. F. Brewer, Orthometry; Karl Pearson, The Grammar of Science; T. E. Thorpe, Essays in Historical Chemistry; John B. Smith, Economic Entymology; E. H. Richards, Food Materials; A. B. Walkley, Playhouse Impressions; Crawford, Wild Life of Scotland; Ten Brink, English Litera-ture (3 vols.); R. H. Hutton, Contemporary Thought and Thinkers (2 vols.); The Queen and Mr. Punch; F. Hettinger, Dante's Divina Comedia; Hugh Miller, My Schools and Schoolmasters; F. E. Hulme, Flags of the World; John Nichol, Tables of European History; Oliphant, and others, Women Novelists of Queen Victoria's Reign; Peter Bayne, The Life and Letters of Hugh Miller

in a general way. The road was being operated on purely business principles, and no fault should be found with any man for doing his duty. It had been said that the trainmasters occasionally take the running of engines out of the hands of the engineers, but this was not the case. Several months ago the system of traveling engineers was introduced, and two of the company's pest engineers, Mr. Rutherford and Mr. Newcombe, put on the road. Their business is to go where they are told and find out why an engine is not doing what it is scheduled to do. They are the only men who take the control of the engines out of the hands of the regular engineers. The trains are of greater length than formerly, but not

Developments Of the Day.

Demonstration Off Cuba.

sumed in the U. S. Senate.

Another Breezy Scene in the House of Representatives.

ALL QUIET IN CUBA.

JOHN AND JONATHAN. London, April 15 .- Hoff's topical patriotic song in "The Belle of New York," which is sung under the crossed flags of the United States and Great Britain, declaring that the two nations will face the world together, stirs the audiences at the Shaftesbury Theater to remarkable enthusiasm, which seems to

grow more fervent nightly. The Chronicle makes a feature of a letter it prints this morning over the prohibition should be submitted to the signature "Anglo-Saxon," the writer of which appeals for an overact Anglo-American alliance, or, anyhow, an en- lic questions, such as direct taxation First Writ Re City Hall Accident overwhelming display of force, and, therefore, without war, the liberation of question as to whether the voter is in Cuba. Commenting on the letter, the Chronicle recalls the arbitration movement, and submits the question, whether the present may or not be a fitting occasion for the United States and Great Britain to arrive at a distinct understanding.

BRITAIN AND GERMANY NOT

IN IT. London, April 15.-A special dispatch from Rome, referring to the rumors of a proposition to make an international naval demonstration off the Island of Cuba, says Austria is taking the lead in the matter, but it is understood that Great Britain and Germany are not favorable to the suggestion.

nize the independence of the present republic of Cuba. been consumed in the inquest into the he had been for peace, but that time fire at the New Grand Opera House, seemed to have gone by, and he was now face to face with a situation that adduced to show even that the fire was betokened grim-visaged war, and he wanted to do everything possible to support the president in the needs of the hour. Mr. Daniel rose to support the resolution presented in the supplementary report of the foreign commit-"In my judgment our first step should be to write on the statute books of the country a recognition of the great Cuban republic, which has won a place

> gentlemen when insulted and called liars were charged with having lost their heads if they resented it. He said he would infinitely prefer to lose his head in resenting an insult than his self-respect in submitting to one. The house was keyed up to an intense pitch. The Democrats applauded Mr. Bailey's utterances, and the Republicans broke into cheers when the speaker, with a voice trembling with suppressed feeling, declared that he refused to enter into discussion of his course with Mr. Bailey. Whatever he had done on Wednesday last or any other day, had been done in the presence of the house and of 1,000 witnesses. He scored Mr. Bailey severely, and said he was ready to rest his jurisdiction upon the judgment of those who had witnessed it. Mr. Bailey attempted to reply, but the regular order was demanded and routine business resumed.

as much as has been stated-30 to 32 cars being a load, and there is very

little doubling up. In any case the men get paid for what they do, so that there is no cause for complaint.

Agitation for an Anglo-American Alliance.

Talk of an International Naval

Debate on the War Resolutions Re-

Havana, April 15-9 a.m.-All is quiet

Washington, April 15.-Despite the lowering clouds, which threatened a prevail. The bill will be introduced downpour, the senate galleries were thronged this morning when the vicepresident's gavel fell precisely at ten o'clock. Indications before the senate convened were that the debate be prolonged, perhaps, far into the I ,ht, as it was the expressed intention of Chairman Davis to endeavor to force a continuous session until the pending resolutions should be disposed of. Rev. Dr. J. Manton Smith, of London, England, delivered the invocation. At the suggestion of Mr. Davis, the ordinary morning business was set the senate. Mr. Cullom, Illinois, delivrow afternoon from John Ferguson & declared that the hour for action by this ering the general Cuban question. He country was about to strike. If out remorse, and destroy, if possible,

which he said, was to have been delivered for \$30. Toothe for plaintiff; Jas. Mr. Turpie, which proposes to recognize the independence of the resolution offered by

own valiant sword."

LIVELY SCENE IN THE HOUSE. Washington, April 15 -There was another lively scene in the house today. Rising to a personal explanation, Mr. Rising to a personal explanation, Mr. The merchants, contractors and hotel Bailey (Democratic leader) said the men will make their fortunes, and there speaker was responsible for the late will be left to Canada a lot of useless scene in the house. Hot words passed scene in the house. Hot words passed inhabitants, although it is said after between him and Mr. Dalzell (Republithe first wash-up there will not be less can, Pennsylvania), who alleges that than twenty tons of gold brought down. The most will go to the United had stated, lost his head. Mr. Bailey responded angrily that

This is hard work,

most people think. But is it any harder for a man than the old-fashioned way of washing is for a woman? And yet how many women, apparently bright and intelligent, still persist in that clumsy, wearisome, expensive way of washing!

Why don't they get Pearline and save the hard work, the ruinous wear and tear, the needless rubbing and wrenching? Pearline can't hurt the clothes. It's the most economical thing to wash with. Why don't they use it, like millions of other women? 550

not succeed, Great Britain having refused to join in such a movement. The Austrian ambassador admits he has given up hope of Europe preventing

The Coming

Discussed by a Caucus of Govern ment Supporters.

The Ballot Paper Will Most Likely Deal With Prohibition Only-Without Reference to Revenue.

[C. P. R. Special to Advertiser.] Ottawa, April 15.—There was a government caucus this forenoon. Julius Scriver presided. It was called to discuss the plebiscite bill. The overwhelming opinion was that the question of people disassociated from all other puband the like. In other words, the mere favor or not of prohibition will be placed on the ballot paper. This will give general satisfaction to the temperance people, and as for the liquor men, they will no doubt take every opportunity of placing the loss of revenuewhich will be about \$8,250,000-that will

result should prohibitionists carry the vote before the people. government did not give out officially what they intended doing, there is no doubt but the opinion of caucus will

In a Glacial

The Rope Too Short to Reach the MR. CALLAWAY'S SUCCESSOR, Death in an Hour.

Forty Corpses in a Week-Horrors of the Klondike Have Not Been Told

by Correspondents. Seattle, April 15.-The steamer Alliance, from Copper River, brings news Railway Company to succeed Mr. Calof the loss of an eastern prospector in loway. the unfortunate man chilled to death in about an hour. This makes the second similar death at the same place this spring, both bodies still remaining in the icy tomb.

Toronto, April 15 .- Following is an extract from a letter by Mr. David Henderson, barrister, from a friend in Victoria, B. C.:

"We are beginning to see the horrors of the Klondike, but the true reports are not printed. A Seattle steamer brought down forty corpses tast week and on Saturday last a Victorian came from Dawson, bringing the sad news of the death from exposure of L. B. Hamlin, C.E., and his companion. He was a neighbor of ours, and left home last October upon government work. Dr. Richardson, son of Dr. Richardson, of Toronto, has a small hospital in Dawson City. He did all possible for him, but without avail. It is fearful, this greed for gold. We see it here in all classes going out to this cold region. Many will never return; others will probably come back to be a burden upon the coast cities. You will say I have not much faith in the Yukon. I have not.

Woodstock, April 15.—In a letter received from Dufferin Pattullo at Bennett, March 27, he mentions Vaving seen the Woodstock contingent of Yukoners. Burgess, Virtue and McMahon have made excellent progress in getting their supplies across the Dyea Trail and about six miles down Lake Bennett. From there they were going to strike the timber country, then build boats, and go down the lakes and rivers toward Dawson. Burgess stated that he found it difficult to draw a sled with 150 pounds when he first began, but now he had no trouble in snaking along 450 pounds. Young Washington, Switzer and Sharp went in by the Skaguay trail and were not so fortunate in getting their supplies over, the last eight miles being very bad. They hoped, however, to get them through in a few days. All the party were in good health and spirits.

St. Thomas, April 15.-Mr. J. T. Palceipts, 14,408 bbls; sales, 3,500 packages; state and western, market was weak and lower to sell; Minnesota patents, 34.55 to to \$5.60; winter straights, \$4.55 to \$4.70. Rye flour steady. Wheat—Receipts, 39,725 bu; sales, 2,750,000 bu; op
The corporation laborers received their wages this morning, sheet amounting to \$330 45.

A meeting of the hospital building committee is called for this afternoon.

The GRAND TRUNK SITUATION.

Mr. L. J. Ferritor, superintendent of the pay the pay the pay the pay the pay the powers will make a naval demonstration.

A meeting of the hospital building committee is called for this afternoon.

The GRAND TRUNK SITUATION.

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Neckwear-

New American Puffs. Bows and Flowing End Ties just to hand, 25c and 50c each at

196 Dundas St.

***** Suing the City.

Filed by W. Bruce,

Claiming Damages for the Killin His Son, Oswell Bruce, Who Met Death in the Arcade.

The first writ against the city as the result of the city hall accident on the night of Jan. 3, was filed at the office of R. K. Cowan, local master in chancery, by the plaintiff's solicitors, Messrs. Parke & Purdom. The action is brought by William Bruce, South London, to recover damages for the death of his son, Oswald Bruce, who was standing in the

arcade when the floor collapsed, and was killed by a falling beam. It is claimed that from a legal standpoint, this case is different from the rest of the claims, as young Bruce was a pedestrian, and killed on a public thoroughfare, through the collapse of a civic building.

The amount is not named in the writ, this being left for the decision of the court, if it comes to trial, but it

is expected that an amicable settle-ment will be effected.

W. H. Newman Selected as President of the Lake Shore-Toronto's

Chance. New York, April 15.-Mr. W. H. Newman has been selected by Mr. William K. Vanderbilt for the presidency of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern

Montreal, April 15.-Now that Montreal has refused the site asked by the Grand Trunk for head offices, Mr. Hays is in a position to receive an offer from Toronto. A wire was received from Mayor Shaw asking Mr. Hays if he was now ready to receive a Toronto deputation. Mr. Hays is in New York with Mrs. Hays, who is ill, but it is understood that the first message he will send out on his return on Saturday morning will be an invitation to Mayor Shaw and his deputation to come to Montreal.

PREMIUM ON GOLD. London, April 15.-Gold is quoted at

Madrid at 49. SIR WILFRID LAURIER, D.C.L. Ottawa, April 15.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier is to have the degree of D. C. L. conferred upon him at the convocation of the University of Bishop's College at Lennoxville, in June next.

HUGH JOHN'S SON DYING Winnipeg, April 15 .- John A., the only son of Hugh John, and the grandson of the late Sir John A. Macdonald, is not expected to hve. He has been operated on for appendicitis.

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial, It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it her done once it will do again.

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