Wheat—No. 2 Feb., 734c; May, 744c; July, 724c to 734c; Sept., 764c.
Corn—No. 3 Feb., 224c to 224c; May, 234c to 24c; July, 254c; Sept., 254c to 264c.
Oats—No. 2 Feb., 154c; May, 164c to 17c.
Mass pork—May, 34 1c; July, 25 20.
Lard.—May, 34 674; July, 24 174.
Short ribs—May, 34 20; July, 34 274.
Cash quotations were as follows: Flour dull and unchanged: No. 2 spring wheat 73c to 734c; No. 2 eats, 16c to 164c; No. 2 crp., 224c; No. 2 barley, 33c; mess pork. 37 95 to \$8; Lard. 34; short rib sides, 84 to 34 25; dry salted shoulders, \$4 50 to \$475; short clear sides, \$4 25 to \$4 30.

Receipts system is reached by the blood, and on its quality the condition of every organ do-pends. Good blood means strong nerves, good digestion, robust health. Impure bleed means scrofula, dyspepsia, rheuma-tism, catarrh or other diseases. The surest way to have good blood is to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine purifies, vitalizes, and enriches the blood, and sends the elements of health and strength to every nerve, organ and tissue. It creates a good appetite, gives refreshing sleep and cures that tired feeling. Remember,

Hoods

Live Stock Markets.

New York. Feb. 27.—Beeves—Receipts, 276

\$5 10, and extra weights for export

ums and heavies, \$3 75 to \$3 80.

Hogs-24 cars on sale: about 5c to 10

TORONTO.

Toronto, Feb. 26 .- Offerings, 60 cars;

although the feeling was a little firm-

veek, on account of the inauguration

United States, there being a feeling that the quarantine relations will be

eimposed. Feeders-There was some

to 3 1-4c per lb

are good for higher prices.

\$3 20 to \$4 20.

no insurance.

mon lately.

stronger.

averaging 5 cents higher; light, \$3 60

SIMCOE.

Foundry Burned-No Insurance-Great

Advertiser Agent, Delmere Butler. Simcoe, Feb. 27.—This morning, about

geo's foundry, being a frame building

The hockey match between the Bankers and the Town resulted in

favor of the Town, the score being

Show of Farm Implements-

:30 fire was discovered in Joh

are wanted.

the new administration in the

Sarsaparilla

Is the best - in fast the One True Blood Purifice. Hood's Pills take, easy to operate. 25c.

very light, as is usual on Monday. No change from Saturday's quotations:

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Wheat white fall and look	100		1 2
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Barley, per 100 lbs	42	10	6
Rye. per 100 los.	40	to	4
Beans, bu	25	te	4
Backwheat, per 100 lbs	40	to	5
PROVISIONS.	10		
	8	to	1
Cheese, per lb	10	to	1
Eagle and disease		-	1
Eggs single dozen	14	to	1
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Hides, No. 3, per lb	4	to	
Caliskins, green	4	to	
Calfskins, dry. each		ta	
Sheepskins, each	50	to	8
Lambskins. each	50	te	-
Weel per lb	18	to	i
Tallow, rendered, per 1b	3	to	
Tallew, rough, per lb	1		
HAY AND SEED	15	10	
Hay, per ton	7 00	to	7 1
Straw. per load	2 00	to	7 5
ber road	- 00		

High Grade Cereals.

White Oat Flakes, Old Gold Cornmeal, White Wheat Graham. Pettijohn's Best, Stevens' Food, Pure Buckwheat Flour. Try us.

A. M. Hamilton & Son, 373 Talbot St., Opposite Market. Phone 662.

CANADIAN PRODUCE IN ENG-LAND.

Mr. John W. Douris, Canadian commercial agent at Bristol, reports to the Department of Trade and Commerce that during January some good ship-ments of Canadian cattle arrived in first-class condition, and fetched high prices, being sold as American meat. The butter, cheese and bacon ship-ments during the months were satis-Timber shipments are increasing, but Bristol merchants still deal largely with Russian firms. Apfirst shipment arrived in good condi-tion, and fetched top prices, but the later shipments proved watery.

The Oil Market.

PETROLEA
Petrolea, March 1.—Oil opened and closed at

Barnesville 81c, North Lima 56c, Corning 81c, Newcastle 66c, South Lima 51c,

Indiana 510 English Markets.

LIVERPOOL. March 1.-12:45 p.m. Wheat—Spot firm: demand poor: futures steady; near and distant positions \(\frac{1}{2} \) dightharpoon firm: demand poor: futures steady; near and distant positions \(\frac{1}{2} \) dightharpoon firm; demand moderate: Cumberland cut. 2 to 30 lbs. 27s 6d; snerr ribs. 50 to 24 lbs. 27s 6d: tong clear light. 35 to 38 lbs. 25s 6d; long clear heavy. 40 to 45 ibs. 24s 6d: short long clear heavy. 40 to 45 ibs. 24s 6d: short clear backs, light. 18 ibs. 24s 6d; short clear middles heavy. 45 to 50 ibs. 24s 6d; clear bellies. 14 to 16 ibs. 26s.

Shoulders—Square. 12 to 18 ibs. 25s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 ibs. 49s 6d.

Tallow—Fine North American. 17s 6d.

Beef—Extra India mess, 58s 9d; prime mess.

488 9d.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, 45s; medium western, 40s.

Lard—Steady: prime western, 21s; refined in pails, 228 9d.

Cheese – Dull: demand poor: finest American white (Sept.), 578 6d: finest American colored (Sept.), 578 6d.

Butter—Finest United States, 908; good, 558.

urpentine spirits-21s. tosin, common—5s. Detton seed of!—Laverpool refined, 15s 3d.

Cetton scen off-taverboot renned, 153 ad.
Linseed oil-155 6d.
Petroleum-Refined 6ld.
Refrigerator beet-Forequarter, 3ld; hindquarter, 5ld.
Bleaching powder, hard wood, f.o.b., Liver-Hops-At London (Pacific Coast), £3 15s.

Stocks in Store. Liverpool, March L.—The following are the stocks of breadstuffs and provisions in Liverpool: Breadstuffs—Flour, 109,000 cantals, eorn, 735,000 centals. Provisions-Bacon, 17,200 boxes; hams, 4,600 boxes; shoulders, 3,000 boxes; lard, 66,000 tierces; cheese, 36,600 boxes; butter, 6,700 packages. American Produce Market.

4 to 2. Chicago, Ill.. Feb. 2.—The half holiday cession of the wheat market today was not distinguished by anything new in the situation. The predominating tone was a steady one, but the supporting demand came principally from shorts, who were desirous of evening up for the week. The range was confined to a closing quotations being at about the highest figures of the day. Corn was more than usually dill. The trading was confined to a few small lots. Oats—The only notable incident in oats was a sale of about 200,000 but has flow small lots. Oats—The only notable incident in oats was a sale of about 200,000 but has flow small lots. Oats—The only notable incident in oats was a sale of about 200,000 but has flow small lots. Oats—The only notable after the depressing prices. The buying was scat-CHICAGO.

Lazy McLaughlin's Lies.

Two Vags Who Are Strangers to Hard Work and the Truth.

Two Months Each the Penalty Im posed by the Magistrate -Wandering Wilson.

A trio, who have been on remand for a week, occupied the dock at the police court this morning. John Mc-Laughlin was arrested as a drunken vag for begging on the streets. When he had been staying at the Salvation as without importance. Inquiry into the death of Dr. Ricardo Ruiz, the Dieago, March 1.—Opening—Wheat. May, 746; July, 721c. Corn. May, 24c; Sept. 264c; July, 253c to 254c. Oats, July, 18c; May, 17c; March, 153c. Pork, May, \$8 10 to \$8 20; July, 58 223. Ribs, May, \$4 20. Lard, May, \$1 10 to 14 121; July, \$4 20.

Live Stack and a reply concerning his career, and a reply career, and a reply concerning his career, and a reply career and a reply career. Inquiry was made concerning his career, and a reply came from Toronto stating that McLaughlin had been in the Central, and had his picture.

New York. Feb. 27.—Beeves—Receipts, 276 head; no trading; steady.
Calves—No receipts; firm; inferior to choice veals would have sold at \$4.50 to \$7.50.
Sheep and Lambs — Receipts, 3,115 head; barely steady; medium to good sheep, \$4 to \$4.25; ordinary to choice lambs, \$4.80 to \$5.50; a deck of sheep and lambs mixed at \$3.87!.
Hogs—Receipts, 3,379 head; no transactions in live hogs reported; nominally steady, at \$3.80 to \$4.20, for heavy to light hogs and \$4.10 to \$4.40 for pigs.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 27.—Cattle

Receipts for sale during the week, 23 cardoads, as compared with 176 cars last week and 100 cars in the corresponding week last year. The increase was almost entirely of Canadas. Today ten cars on sale, mostly all Canadas. picture was given to the police mag-

slow and lower, closing prices being Andrew Wilson was remanded until 15c off for lambs; 25c lower for heavy Friday. He was found drunk in Lonsheep; and 10c lower for handy sheep; ten cars unsold, and a like number shipped out for sale; bulk of choice to prime heavy lambs sold at \$5.05 to

FIRE AT ST. JOHNS.

lower; Yorkers generally \$3 80 to \$3 85; only a few at top figures; mixed medi-Narrow Escape.

Mr. Joseph Sifton's place, about one Executors Waive the 20-Year Provisoer, there is no change in prices, ex-cept for very best stuff, which sold fractionally 'higher; everything was mile west of St. Johns, was the scene of great commotion and excitement on sold before noon; buying for Buffalo Saturday. The hen-house, pig-pen and was better than it was on Tuesday. granary are built up against the barn, that by the will they were allowed twenty years in which to pay the be-14 cars being taken for there and for Montreal, Montreal.

Export cattle—Fair trade in this line; generally from 3 1-2c to 4c; very choice brought 4 1-8c to 4 1-4c per lb; good cattle were wanted. Butchers cattle active; the market opened firm and closed weak; good cattle from 3c be carried from the neighboring pumps.
The granary contained over 1,000 bushels of grain, and this was all removed in short order to a place of safety.

One of the water used had to charitable institutions. With the same below have been paid in full the amount bequeathed to them: Massey prize fund, in short order to a place of safety. to 3 1-4c per Pb, and 3 1-2c and a little over was paid for lots of picked cattle; the top price for good butchers was about 3 1-3c; the ordinary run In the pig-pen were some eighty Sanitarium Association (Muskoka Hosswine, and the smoke had made them deeply interested. The only thing lost plital for Consumptives), on account, \$20,000; Boys' Industrial Home, Mimico of loads brought from 2 1-4e to 3c. and the lowest price for common cattle, 2 1-2c per lb; good butchers' cattle Bulls-Market weak: too many poor to 3 1-4c per lb; demand is not active; good bulls are wanted. Stockers— Buffalo stockers, 2 1-2c to 3c per lb; they are in steady demand; there is expected to be a good demand next

emand today for farmers' feeders, at ship Association at St. Johns. Lambs were active; better prices were paid for choice grain-fed lambs, weighing from 90 to 100 lbs; general The 27th annual meeting of the London Township Sunday School Associarun of prices, \$4 50 to \$4 90 per cwt; tion was held at St. Johns, Feb. 22.

very choice selections, \$5; good lambs were in demand. Sheep—Shipping and butchers are classed altogether new. with reports of Sunday school visitors and sell from \$4 to \$5 each, or 3c per and the election of officers for the b; demand for sheep very slow.
Calves—Steady and unchanged, at ensuing year. \$3 50 to \$6 50 each; a few choice yeals In the absence of Mr. Day, of To-

ronto, Rev. Mr. Henderson conducted Milch cows and springers sold bet- the open conference in the afternoon, ter: prices firmer; \$35 was paid twice, and \$38 once for one choice milker and two well-formed springers; the general run of prices was from \$19 to following suggestions were given: 1. \$35 each; poor cows are not wanted; Ask parents who do not attend Sungood early springers are in demand. day schools to contribute \$5 for Sungood early springers are in demand. good early springers are in demand. day schools to contribute \$5 for Sun-Hogs—The market was firmer, on a day school work. 2. Get the children PETROLEA

Petrolea, March 1.—Oil opened and closed at \$152

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., Feb. 26. — Prices of crude oil today, per barrel, are as follows: Tiona \$1 01, Pennsylvania 91c, Barnesville 81c, North Lima 56c, Corn
good demand; choice selections went up to 47-8c per lb, weighed off the cars, an advance of 1-8c; light hogs, less than 130 lbs, 4 1 4c; thick fat hogs, law to parents will become interested. 2. Get the pastors to arouse the older people by instilling into their minds the great importance of Sunday school work. 4. Have a home department, with a live person at its head.

The next topic was "Normal class are good for higher prices." ood demand; choice selections went to attend the Sunday school; thus the work. Rev. Mr. Henderson said there CHICAGO. were three points to consider: 1. Who to teach the class; 2. What books are to be used; 3. What time should the days be held?

The next topic was "Suggestions in

lesson for Sabbath, Feb. 28. Mr. McTavish then gave an address a peddler, were arrested on suspicion on "The relation of the township to the county and provincial association," in the course of which he said the object of the Sunday School Assoit was soon consumed. The origin of ciation is to educate the child, which the fire is not known. There was no education properly begins in the home, fire in the building Friday. Mr. All- for where there is no proper home geo's loss will be heavy, there being training there can be no proper organ-Many a farmer went home rejoicing done with the money contributed to after Carl & Wark's implement parties association? The International ization of Sunday schools. What is after Carl & Wark's implement parade Thursday afternoon. It was nearly a mile long and was headed by the Thirty-Ninth Battalion Band.

It looks as if the farmers expect the local treasurer, and thence to the local treasurer, and thence to the

Provincial Secretary. EVENING SESSION. The evening session opened in the usual manner, Rev. Mr. Garbutt conducting the devotional exercises. An

The Cuban War.

Denial That Dr. Ruiz Was Murdered in Prison.

Heavy Losses Suffered by the Spanish Forces-The Dynamite Gun Proves a Deadly Weapon-A Spanish Victory.

Madrid, March 1.—The Premier, Sen-or Canovas del Castillo, at the Spanish council yesterday declared that the difference with the United States in Havana, March 1 .- It is stated that in the battle at Centza, the Spanish, under Gen. Weyler, lost 500 killed and wounded. In the battle at Calababazas and Cabaiguan, the Spanish losses

are reported to have been equally as large. Gen. Gomez commanded in per-Fighting has been continuous Weyler's march through Santa Clara, and the Cuban patriots have and the Cuban patriots have scored numerous victories. In the fight at Centza the dynamite gun did terrible execution in the Spanish ranks. Havana, March 1.—While Capt. Santa Maria, with a cavalry force, was reconnoitering around San Juan de las Vegas, in the Province of Havana, he was attacked by a force of rebels. After a fight, which tasted three hours, the rebels were dispersed, with heavy loss. They left 31 dead on the field. The troops lost 12 killed and a captain, a lieutenant, and 14 privates

QUEBEC'S BIG BRIDGE.

Proposal to Put Up a \$3,000,000 Struc ture at Cape Rouge.

Quebec, March 1.—A public meeting was held at the Board of Trade on Saturday afternoon, in the interest of the proposed railway bridge between Quebec and the south shore. Hon. R. R. Dobell, on behalf of the Federal Government, promised a subsidy of \$1,000,000 towards the bridge, which is activated to act to the country of the programment. estimated to cost \$3,000,000. The new bridge will be erected at Cap Rouge, me ten miles west of Quebec. Hon Mr. Dobell and Mr. John Breaky each subscribed \$10,000, and a considerable amount of stock was subscribed in smaller sums. Another meeting will shortly be held.

THE MASSEY ESTATE.

Many Bequests Paid. Toronto,, March 1 .- Notwithstanding and were well stocked with produce. quests, the executors of the estate of of the water used had to charitable institutions. With one exwas a few chickens and part of the (balance of subscription and bequest), hen-house. Had it not been for the \$1,250; Methodist Church Missionary hen-house. Had it not been for the kind and timely assistance of the neighbors, Mr. Sifton's loss would probably have been very heavy, as the barns contained nearly all his whole society, \$2,000; Young Women's Christian Guild, \$1,000; Upper Canada Bible Society, \$2,000; Young Women's Christian Guild, \$1,000; Upper Canada Tract Society, \$2,000; Girls' Industrial School. York, \$2,000; Boys' Home, SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK. street. \$2,000; the Haven and Prison Gate Mission, \$5,000; Girl's Home, Ger-Annual Meeting of the London Township Association at St. Johns.

Aged Women's Home, \$5,000; omen's Christian Association, \$5,000 Hillcrest Convalescent Home, \$5,000; deaconess' work among the sick and of Toronto, \$10,000; schools of D. Moody, Northfield, Mass., \$10,000; Church superannuation Methodist fund, \$4,000; Wesleyan College, Stanstead, Que., \$10,000; Hospital for Sick Children, \$5,000; sundry subscriptions made prior to decease, \$1,027 46; total, \$116,277 46.

MURDER AND ARSON AT PORT ARTHUR.

Arthur, Feb. 27 .- In the inquest on the deaths of Dabin and Corier, the verdict of the coroner's jury was that the men came to their death by foul play and the buildings were set on

DUSASTROUS BOILER EXPLOSION New Bedford, Mass. March 1.-The darge boiler at the Achushnet mills exploded Saturday. In the ruins of the mill was the body of Manuel Menson and the saturday of the mill was the body of Manuel Menson and the saturday of the mill was the body of Manuel Menson and the saturday of the mill was the body of Manuel Menson and the saturday of the saturda dosa, a fireman. Another employe of the mill named Arthur Aspin was burned to death and half a dozen oth-

BOLD ROBBERY IN DETROIT. masked men rushed into Dupert & Eyth's meat market on Russell street, mixed, \$3 55 to \$3 75; heavy, Sunday school management." 1. Select with a revolver in each hand, Friday \$3 80; mixed, \$3 55 to \$3 75; neavy, \$3 40 to \$3 45. Cattle—Receipts, 14,000; market is steady; beeves, \$3 50 to \$5 20; cows and heifers, \$1 80 to \$4 15; Texas steers, proper time should be set apart for himself, Mr. Eyth was shot in the 3 10 to \$4 10; fexas steers, proper time should be set apart for himself, Mr. Eyth was shot in the secretary's report, and for the distribution of libraries. 4. A schedule shot in the left hip. After the shootshould be prepared for each school.

Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; market is should be prepared for each school.

Mr. A. A. McTavish, of Parkhill, ter and tapped the money drawer for the school of the secretary's report, and for the distribution of libraries. outlined his method of preparing him-self for teaching the Sunday school store and got away. Both the wounded lesson from these headings: 1. Facts in the lesson. 2. Difficulties. 3. Applications of lesson; and then taught the an athlete; Charles Anderson, a baker, of St. Louis, Mo., and John Paradine

RACING WITH AN AVALANCHE. Boise, Idaho, Feb. 27.—News is re-ceived here of the killing of Charles Carlson, in a snowslide near Clifton Carlson and Lorenzo Twitchell were in the mountains getting wood. They had rolled a log down the mountain side to a point where there was little sn There the log lodged, and they took a team to drag it down. Carlson was work adjusting a chain to the stick of timber, when Twitchell's attention attracted by an unusual sound, and, looking up, he saw a snowslide

172 and 174 Dundas Street.

Goods

The old story of refusing sovereigns at sixpence apiece, to illustrate the lack of credulty and simplicity of shoppers, has oft been told. That's that glitters. We'd refuse them, too, but we never turn our back on a clever stroke of merchandising. We'll forgive the maker who succeeds in placing bogus stuff on our counters.

Stroke 1

-At 50 cents, eight distinct lines, 49 colors or shades, puragent (recent failures having left import orders on hand), at a rate on the dollar. Persian Effects, Tweed Effects, Check and various new weaves and novelties for spring of 1897. The prettiest collection ever

Stroke 2.

-31 different shades at 75c. Silk and Wool Mixtures, Spider U. Webbing, Checks, Canvas Weaves. Elegance of weavings and colorings. Bought from same source. Werth \$1,

price 50c.

sale price 75c.

Come to this great offering. We promise no disappointment. Amongst the lot 15 pieces Black Dress Goods to go at same reductions.



Telegraphic Brevities.

William Humphrey Bennett is gazetted a member for East Simcoe. Jules Sanguilly, the United States prisoner has been released from prison

It is now threatened that if Canadians put on export duty on logs, the Americans will increase the duty on lumber to 25 per cent.

Wm. Jay Koernern, who was con-victed at New York of the murder of his sweetheart, Rose A. Redgate, was sentenced today (Monday) to be elec trocuted during the week of April 19. The United States House of Repre sentatives passed a bill to authorize the New York and Northern Railroad Company to bridge the St. Lawrence River at Ogdensburg, N. Y. The suit brought by D. W. H. More-

and, a member of the Detroit Board of Public Works to oust Mayor Pin-gree from office, was decided in favor of the governor-mayor on Saturday by the Circuit Court on a technicality. Julius Chambers telegraphs to the New York Journal from Cleveland that the Cuban policy of the incoming Administration may be summed up in

For the second time this winter the between St. Clair and Courtright, Ont river was blocked with ice. Detroit, March 1.—Two unknown Welcome narrowly escaped being masked men rushed into Dupert & caught in an ice field.

Relatives in Canada and friends in Buffalo give no credence to the explan ation of suicide in the case of Tho McFarlin, who was found in Toledo morning. McFarlin told the police that he had been shot by an unknown man, but the police incline to the suicidal m with his folks about five years ago.

FIGHTING FOR GOLD.

A Mixup Between U.S. Troops, Indians and Miners.

Perry, O.T., March 1.—News has been received here that the United States troops and Indian police are battling with gold hunters out of the Wichita Mountains, in Wichita Indian reservation. For some years it has been known that gold ore existed in these mountains, and the Indians possessing this knowledge have carefully guarded the richest mining localities from the intrusion of the whites. Large bodies ig thundering down the mount of prospectors have been repeatedly He called to Carlson to look out driven out of the mountains, and some tain. He called to Carlson to look out driven out of the mountains, and some for himself, and then jumped on a horse and started on a race with the slide down the mountain. It was a wild ride, but Twitchell managed to reach a place of safety. Carlson did not get the warning in time, and was overwhelmed and killed.

There seems to be a well-organized and determined effort now to enter the rich gold field, which it is generally believed exists in these mountains. During the month more than a thou-

After the Ball.

Killed and Fifteen Wounded.

ragic Results of an Insulting Remark at a Dancing Party in Mexico.

San Francisco, March 1.—A special from Victoria, Mexico, says: "An insulting remark, addressed to a young lady at a dancing party at Tancol, this state, on Friday evening, led to a desperate fight between all the men at the dance. When the smoke of the battle had cleared away it was found that ten men were lying dead in the room, and fifteen others were seriously wounded. The fighters used knives, pistols and clubs, and the affair lasted right—test their weight several hours, until the ones still untest their ring. It's a injured were completely exhausted. A number of those killed and wounded bluff. It's not all gold were well known and highly respected young men."

A New Volcano

Bursts Forth From the Great Salt Lake.

In Plain View of Brigham City-Scald ing Spray Thrown Hundreds of Feet Into the Air.

Salt Lake, Utah, March 1 .- What appears to be a genuine volcano has burs forth in the Great Salt Lake, a short distance southwest of the pron station on the Central Pacific Railway. PRICE BY T. MILBURN & CO., TORONTO. The phenomenon first appeared rece ly in the form of a small cloud hover ing over the water, about a mile and chased from a maker's a quarter from the shore. It gradual ly increased in dimensions, and sho up so high in the air that it is now visible for a great distance, and the water in the immediate vicinity boll and seethes, and the spray is throw up in the air for hundreds of feet. The volcano is situated in the bit arm of the lake on the west side of long range of mountains, and is distinctly visible from Brigham City, Ta an eye clapped on, worth 75c, sale

phenomenon is accounted for by t fact that for the last six months the have been felt several slight shocks earthquakes in these regions, and it supposed the fire and lava which hav been confined in the subterranean depths have now found an outlet, and are spending their force.

Gone Up in Smoke.

Destruction of an Opera House at Jackson, Mich.

A Seven Hours Fire at Fort Wayne-Loss \$125,000.

Jeckson, Mich., March 1.-The Hib bard Opera House was burned Saturday evening. A matinee was held in house in the afternoon, and was filled with children. The building erected fifteen ve cost of \$30,000. It was insured for \$10 000. The property was owned by N. S. Potter and W. B. Webb and was leased by Waldron & Todd, who have managed it many years.
Fort Wayne, Ind., March 1.—A destructive fire raged here for seven hours, and laid in ashes half of a prominent business block, entailing a oss of \$125,000. The fire originated the cellar of Morgan & Co.'s hard ware store, from a defective furnace, and spread rapidly. Insurance, about \$90,000. Three firemen were caught under falling walls, and one was danger-

ously hurt. Aurora, Ind., March 1.—Fire destroyed the Aurora chair factory. Loss, \$20, 000; partly insured. Later, fire destroyed the Wymond cooper shop and an immense establishment. Loss, \$80,000; insurance, \$40,000. The two fires throw 500 operatives out

of work.

Psalm XXV., 15. I ask not for Thy love, O Lord; the days Can never come when anguish shall Enough for me were but Thy pits shown To me as to the stricken sheep that stravs. Witth celaiseless cry for unforgotten ways. Oh, lead me back to pastures I have known. Or find me in the wilderness alone,

And slay me as the hand of mercy slavs. I ask not for Thy Tove, nor e'en so As for a hope on Thy dear breast to lie; But be Thou still my Shepherd—still Compassion as may melt to such

That so I hear Thy feet, and feel Thy And dimly see Thy face ere yet I die. -G. J. Romanes.

HARD WORK CAN'T KILL Don't get the notion that hard work kills. It doesn't; it can't. Work may tire, out that is all. Then you must rest. What good, hard work does is to make solid men. The healthiest men in the world are the men who theory. McFarlin is dying. He is 31 years of age; was born in Cayuga, Canada, and went to the United States don't worry and don't keep late hours It is in the latter two points that danger lies; not in work.—Edward W. Bok, in March Ladies' Home Journal.

The Great Sunlight Soap

Wrapper Competition.

WINNERS of the JANUARY PRIZES in District of Western Ontario.

Winners of Stearn's Bicycles. Mr. F. Dean, 1290 Queen street

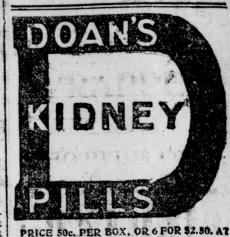
Winners of Gold Watches. Mr. Robert Patterson, 105 Erie Mr. Alex C. Denny, Woodstock ...

Owen Sound The same prizes will be given each month of this year. Send for particulars of com-

MILLIONAIRE MISSING. John Drexel and Party Sail for New

New Orleans, March 1.—Millionaire John Drexel, with his family and a party of friends, in his private yacht, who started from Philadelphia for New Orleans to attend the Mardi Gras festivities is now seven days overdue. civities, is now seven days overdue, and nothing has been heard from the party since it first left Philadelphia. Inquiries have been sent out from New York, Philadelphia and New Orleans, but so far have elicited no information as to the whereabouts of Mr. Drexel's yacht.

WOMEN SUFFRACE. Olympia, Wash., Feb. 27.—The Sen-ate passed the bill conferring the elective franchise on women, the question to be submitted at the next general election in November, 1898. A bill of similar purport has already passed the



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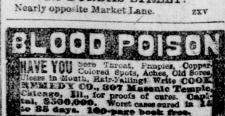
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