WHOLE NO. 16518.

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DIED. HARRISON-At his home, 131 Carling street, William, second son of the late Thomas and Elinore Harrison, of Lon-

don Township. Funeral Friday, Feb. 23, to the family burying ground, St. John's Cemetery, Arva. Services at 2. 17u

STEWART-At London, on Wednesday, Feb. 26, Margaret Stewart, relict of the late Alexander Stewart, of Lobo. Funeral will leave the residence of her son-in-law, J. H. O'Neil, King street, Friday, Feb. 28, at 9 a.m. Funeral service at Baptist Church, con. 6, Lobo, at 12 noon.

SAUNDERS-Passed away, at his residence, 640 King street, on Feb. 27, 1902, David J. Saunders, aged 26 years. Funeral to L. E. and D. R. R. station on Friday, at 1:30; service at 1 o'clock. Interment at Dutton. Friends will please accept this intimation. DUNDAS-At Thorndale, on Feb. 26, 1902, the wife of John Dundas, in the 30th

The funeral will be held from the family residence, Thorndale, at 1:30 on Saturday, March 1, to Brown's Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC. Advertisements under this heading 10c per line, or 2c per word each insertion.

"LONDON" TONIGHT Prize dress presented Saturday night. Marks

"Under Two Flags." Matince Saturday, 5c and 15c

NEW GRAND THIS EVENING. "The Sweetest Singer on the Stage." MR. CHAUNCEY in his new comedy Carrett O'M A delightful formance. B fully staged. "Garrett O'Magh." A delightful per-Beauti-

NEXT SATURDAY, MAT. AND EVE.

EUGENIE Special return engagement, in a complete production of her latest comedy success.

"Peg Woffington." and 25c. Seats ready.

NEW - TWIN-SCREW STEAMSHIP Columbia will be on the Glasgow ser-vice of the Anchor Line this summer. NEW - TWIN-SCREW Summer sailings of the Allan, Anchor, Cunard, American and other lines. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

EXHIBITION AND SALE OF PLASTER Casts—Over Public Library. Open from 4 to 9 p.m. 15k

DON'T FORGET CARLETON CLUB'S concert and assembly in Society Hall London East, Friday, Feb. 28. 17u ACCEPT AN INVITATION FOR TO-

MORROW evening from the Young Men's Bible Class of Askin Street Methodist Church, to their concert, "Before and After." A rare treat is promised. Tickets: Single, 15c; double, 25c. STATUETTES AND RELIEFS, COPIED from the best Greek and modern masters of sculpture. Public Library building. Admission, 10c. 16c

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY R. B. Millard, 345 Princess avenue. Special attention given to the waltz and two-step. Rapid teaching. Low rates.

DANCING-BEGINNERS' NEW TERM now open. Gentlemen, Monday: ladies, Tuesday evening; children, Saturday afternoon. Private tuition any hour. Dayton & McCormick.

MEETINGS.

BOARD OF TRADE-THE REGULAR monthly meeting of the board will be held on Friday, 28th inst., at 4 p.m., to consider the question of reciprocal switching arrangements between the railways here, and general business. A large attendance is desired. C. B. Hunt, president; J. A. Nelles, secretary.

TONIGHT -CITIZENS' MASS MEET-ING. M.mitoba bill, referendum and other questions relative to prohibition ably discussed. Dundas Center Metho-dist Church, 8 o'clock. Come early to avoid the crush.

LADY MACCABEES WILL MEET this (Thursday) evening, at 8 o'cloc sharp. Knights of Pythias Hall. b

FEMALE HELP WANTED. Ic per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No

advertisement less than ten words. WANTED AT ONCE-COOK AND VANTED AT ONCE—COOK ANd kitchen girl. Apply Central House. 18tf

WANTED-GOOD GENERAL SER-VANT. Apply Mrs. Wm. D. Mills, 371 Central avenue. WANTED-A CAPABLE HOUSEMAID,

by March 6. Apply to Mrs. John Labatt, 572 Queen's avenue. 17tf WANTED-GOOD COOK. APPLY AT Reid House, East London. 17c

SITUATIONS WANTED.

lc per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. WANTED-SITUATION AS WORKING housekeeper, by woman with one child, 4 years of age. Address Housekeeper, Mount Brydges, Ont. 16k

The Master Planist! The Master Piano!!

> **PADEREWSKI** AND THE STEINWAY

PIANO

are one and indissoluble.

He will play the Steinway in his coming recital at Massey Music Hall, Toronto, March 5, his sole appearance in Canada.

Sole Agen a for Canada,

The Nordheimer Piano and Music Co.

188 Dur das Street.

MALE HELP WANTED. c per word first insertion, and 4c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

GARDENER WANTED, APRIL 1-First-class vegetable grower; under-standing management cows and chickens; yearly engagement. Apply Box 100, this office.

DO YOU WRITE ADS?—SEND AD-DRESS today on your business station-ery for invaluable information free. Harper Syndicate, Columbus, Obio. 38tf-wty

WANTED-YOUNG MARRIED MAN; strong; used to horses; one from country preferred. Apply 97 Carling street.

BOY WANTED, TO LEARN THE business, by O. B. Graves. 17c A STRONG, ACTIVE BOY, ABOUT 14, to learn cake baking trade. Apply George Peters, confectioner, Richmond

SPLENDID WAGES PAID MEN WHO learn barber trade with us. Can earn scholarship board tools and transportation if desired. Two months required. 100 wanted to prepare for spring rush. Particulars mailed. Moler Barber College, Buffalo, N. Y.

WANTED-A RESPECTABLE YOUNG man, with one or two years' experience, to work in cheese factory. H. B. Stevens, Scottsville.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED - GOOD COAT - MAKERS.

Also girl about 16, to assist in ladies' tailoring department. Smallman & 18c

WANTED-MAN AND WIFE TO WORK on farm. Apply at this office. 8k-tw

AGENTS WANTED. le per word first insertion and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED—CITY AGENT FOR LEAD-ING investment and loan company. Apply Box 94, Advertiser. 18u 33 A DAY SURE—SEND US YOUR address and we will show you how to make \$3 a day, absolutely sure; we furnish the work and teach you free; you work in the locality where you live. Send us your address and we will explain the business fully. Remember we guarantee a clear profit of \$3 for every day's work; absolutely sure; don't fail to write today. Imperial Silverware Company, Box 504, Windsor, Ont.

AGENTS-WE START YOU IN BUSI-NESS. You can easily make \$25 per week. No capital required. Apply P. O. Drawer 531, London. 91tf

COME AND SEE OUR NATURAL Pompadours. They are perfect. Comb-ings wanted. Miller's Hair Store, 223 Dundas street.

BUSINESS CHANCES. lc per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. GROCERY BUSINESS FOR SALE—Good chance. Address Box 90, Advertiser office.

BAKE SHOP FOR RENT. INQUIRE at St. James P. O., London South.

ARTICLES FOR SALE. le per word first insertion, and 4c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

FOR SALE-PAIR COUNTER SCALES, weighing 240 pounds, for \$4. 692 Adelaide. 44c-twt

WE WILL SELL FOR TWO WEEKS only \$4 trunks for \$3, and \$450 for \$325. P. Hendershott & Co., 427 Park avenue.

FRESH TENDERLOINS TODAY-Frankfort Sausage, Liverwisth and Blood Pudding. Pork Sausage, 3 lbs for 25c; sirloin steak, 10c. Just received, a nice lot of dairy butter at lowest market prices, at G. Park's, corner Market Lane.

PRINTING BARGAIN HOUSE-THOU-SAND statements, billheads, circulars Write for prices. Adams

FOR SALE-SHORTHORN BULL, 20 months old; dark red color; extra fine quality. John Kennedy, Ilderton, Ont.

Well improved; spring water. Apply Andrew McNair, Birr. 13n bw PORK AND BEEF AT LOWEST prices. Pickled hams and bacon. Roast and boiling beef: Fresh pork and sausage. Wholesale and retail. 1 to 5 11 QUEEN'S AVENUE-SUPERIOR built and planned brick cottage, in excellent repair, with large lot. Price low. Terms easy. J. H. McMechan, 368 King street. Market House. James A. Anderson.

"BEAUTIFUL IONE'S LOVER," FIVE cents copy. Ople Read's novels, 3 for 25 cents. Red Star News Company, 90 Dundas street.

HEADQUARTERS FOR ALL KINDS fresh and smoked fish. Our goods are the best; fresh daily. F. S. Onn, Fish Market. 'Phone 1,296.

LADIES' CONSULTATION PARLORS
—Specialty, health and toilet remedles.
Palmistry continued by request.
Madame, 470 Ridout. THE NOBBIEST THING IN GO-CARTS and Baby Carriages ever seen in London, at Keene Bros., 127 King street. \$110 WILL BUY A SECOND-HAND GAS engine, in first-class order. D. Mcengine, in first-class order. D. Kenzie & Co., 298 Richmond street.

HAVE YOU TRIED MIRACLE WASH-ING COMPOUND? It has no equal. Free sample at G. Marshall & Co.'s tea store.

FIRST-CLASS RUBBER STAMPS, 10 cents per line. Send for list. G. M. Haldane, Strathroy, Ont. THIS IS THE TIME OF THE YEAR

that makes the people look for the best wood at the best prices. Ring up 1,312, and ask them about their different kinds of wood and prices. D. H. Gillies & Co., 673 Bathurst street.

EXTRA VALUE IN MEN'S WORKING Pants, \$1, \$1 25, \$1 50; and Overalls and Smocks, 50c to \$1, at Cunningham's, 662

STOVES-STOVES-STOVES-WE HAVE a large stock of stoves, comprising coal baseburners, hot blast and St. Lewis airtight. Very cheap, at Keene's, 141 King street King street.

SNAP-GOOD PIANO, ROSEWOOD case, 71-3 octaves: in first-class condition, and guaranteed for 5 years. Only \$100, on easy terms of payment. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner

FOR THE BEST HARD AND SOFT coal, steam coal and slack, or the best hard and soft wood, and good, dry sawmill slabs, at \$130 per load, go to Green & Ce., William street and G. T. R. 'Phone 1,391.

WANTED TO RENT.

1c per word first insertion, and 1/c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. WANTED TO RENT-HOUSE AND barn; must have city water. Box 93, Advertiser. 16c

BOARDING, RCOMS. ETC. c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

COMFORTABLE ROOMS, WITH board, can be had at 411 King street.

IN DANGER OF DEATH

EVERY WOMAN

loves beauty, values comfort, appreciates economy. Hence women find peculiar satisfaction in

The Hagar

Shoes, made especially by J. & I. Bell for women and children. All the New York styles, from the light and dainty to the substantial street boot. Price, per pair,

Pocock Bros.

Trunks, Valises, Dress Suit Cases and Satchels. Our prices are the

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST-ON TUESDAY NIGHT, A SMALL

brooch. Finder rewarded on leaving at this office.

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.

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TO RENT-A HUNDRED ACRE FARM, with dwelling house and barns, and well fenced; plenty of water; 12 acres fall wheat sown. Inquire T. Tambling, 200 Ridout street, South London.

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MODERN BRICK RESIDENCE-NINE rooms and bathroom; every convenience; electric light. Apply next door. G. C. Jolly, 70 Fullarton street. 36tf-tx

TO LET-UNION FURNITURE VAN-Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce, South Lon-don, late of London Furniture Co_apany. 'Phone 310.

MOVING VANS-STORAGE WARE-

HOUSE, 97 Carling street, 'Phones

CLAIRVOYANT.

MADAME BAKER, CLAIRVOYANT— Seventh Daughter. Room 35, Bernard House. Hours, 9-12, 2-5 and 7-10 p.m.

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION.

Residence, 736 Richmond street.

CHARLES E. WHEELER (ORGANIST and choirmaster St. Andrew's Church) has resumed teaching. Piano, pipe or-gan, harmony and singing. Both ad-vanced and elementary tuition given. New address, 640 Wellington street.

REAL ESTATE.

lc per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion.

new Normal School. Will sell cheap on easy terms. Apply 278 Ridout street. 16tf-ywt

FOR SALE-15 ACRES GOOD GARDEN

land, 1 mile from Bothwell station; small house, good barn, large orchard. Only \$890, for quick sale. J. F. Sang-ster, 112 Masonic Temple.

FARM FOR SALE-100 OR 200 ACRES

FOR SALE-VERY DESIRABLE RESI-

PERSONAL.

DENCE and store premises on main street of Thorndale. For particulars apply to Alfred Bailey, Thorndale P.O.

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED

to the undersigned, and indorsed "Tender for Custom House, Halifax, N.S.," will be received at this office until Thursday,

20th March next, inclusively, for the con-struction of a Custom House at Halifax,

form of tender obtained at this Depart-ment, and at the office of C. E. W. Dod-

Persons tendering are notified that ten-

ders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied and signed with their actual signatures. Each tender must be accompanied by

an accepted check on a chartered bank, made payable to the order of the Honor-able the Minister of Public Works, equal

to ten per cent (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the party decline to enter into a contract

when called upon to do so, or if he fail

to complete the work contracted for, If the tender be not accepted the check

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

Department of Public Works.
Ottawa, 24th February, 1902.
Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for it. 18c-wty

To Centractors.

BULK TENDERS will be received up to Friday, Feb. 28, at 5 o'clock p.m., for the Brick-work, Carpenter-work, Paint-ing and Glazing of alterations to City

Separate tenders will be received for Plumbing and Steam Heating and Elec-tric Lighting. Plans and Specifications to be seen at

ALD. NEIL COOPER, Chairman No. 2 Committee.

A. O. GRAYDON, City Engineer.

By order, FRED. GELINAS,

be returned.

Plans and specification can be seen and

Esq., Resident Engineer, Halifax,

SALE-BUILDING LOTS, NEAR

advertisement less than ten words.

Princess of Wales Had a Very Narraw Escape

From Meeting a Terrible Fate at the Shire Horse Show.

Crimes Act To Be Vigorously Enforced in Ireland-Amendment to New German Tariff Bill.

London, Feb. 27 .- The Princess of Wales had a very narrow escape at the Shire Horse Show today. The winning stallion, Hixton Tom, was being led down the ring as the royal party was but simply would endeavor to ascertain leaving the inclosure. The cheering scared the animal, which got almost beyond control of the groom. He made a dash for an exit, through which the prince and princess, with the other members of the royal party, were just

about to pass. They appeared totally unaware of the danger until the shouts of warning from all parts of the building attracted their attention. Then the princess, who was nearest the animal, realized her danger and stopped short. The stallion rushed by her royal highness, missing her by a foot or two only.

It was only by the skill of the groom, who managed to pull the animal to one side as it dashed past the royal party, that a very serious and deplor-

able accident was averted GERMAN TARIFF CHANGES. The tariff committee of the reichstag adopted the compromise amendment to the new tariff bill, regarding the corn duties, in spite of strenuous opposition by the government members. The vote on the amendment was 14 ayes to

10 nays. and maximu rates on wheat to 6 and 7 and a half marks per 1,000 kilograms, respectively, and on oats and barley to 51/2 and 7 marks pere 1,000 kilograms respectively.

WILL ENFORCE CRIMES ACT. The Right Hon. George Wyndham, chief secretary for Ireland, at the Carleton Club, exhaustively discussed ALICE CALDER STOCK - SOLOIST First Methodist Church. Voice culture. 254 Queen's avenue. Concert engage-ments accepted. 22tf the Irish question. He condemned the United Irish League in strong terms, declaring it to be a political machine which constituted the gravest menace James' Presbyterian Church, Pupil A. S. Vogt, Toronto Conservatory Music. to the community. He said the league had corrupted the whole moral fiber Church. Pupil to Conservatory of London, and declared the only course of dealing with it to be stern application of the crimes act, MR. W. H. HEWLETT, ORGANIST OF Dundas Center Methodist Church, teacher of piano, organ, harmony and theory. 418 Queen's avenue. Telephone 1,218. which he proposed to see rigorously

enforced. ALMOST LYNCHED!

An American seamon named Chas. Brown narrowly escaped lynching at South Shields, Durham, Wednesday afternoon, for killing a fellow-sailor. A general fight occurred on board the Liverpool steamer Beacon Light, Capt. Kelly, which was anchored in the sailor named O'Donnell. Brown escaped in the melee and got ashore. Here he was captured by a constable after a hard fight on the dock, and it with difficulty that he was protected from the mob. Brown was carried to the police station, and as the constable laid the American's revolver on the table a cartridge exploded, and the bullet seriously wounded another

NOT COMING TO CANADA. There is no foundation for the state-nent, cabled to the United States from London by a news agency, that Prince Henry of Prussia will visit Canada before returning to Germany.

TURKEY RESPONSIBLE. It is understood that the United States will shortly take steps to obtain a reimbursement of the sum (\$72,-500) paid to the brigands as a ransom Miss Ellen M. Stone and Mme. Tsilka, holding Turkey responsible, inasmuch as the capture of the missionaries was affected on Turkish soil. This question of responsibility may have serious developments, since Turkey emphatically disclaims responsibility, and lays the blame on Bul-

SCENE IN FRENCH CHAMBER. A dispatch from Paris to the London Times says that in the Chamber of Deputies a member interrupted another deputy, calling him a Communist. A Socialist retorted that the appellation was an honor, and all the Socialists rose, shouting and singing. The president protested vainly, and both sides shouted wildly. Order was gradually restored.

A NEW LIBERAL LEAGUE. Lord Rosebery has authorized the formation of a new Liberal league, with himself as president, and H. H. Asquith and Sir Harry Fowler and Sir Edward Grey as vice-presidents, to act, as it is authoritatively announced, in conjunction with the rest of the Liberal opposition on the lines of the policy expressed in Lord Rosebery's speech at Chesterfield. This rather ambigu-ous announcement is probably Lord Rosebery's first practical move to test strength of his following among the Liberals. AGAINST ALTERING THE OATH.

In the House of Commons, Right BUSINESS CARDS.

HODGSON & HOWARD, PAINTERS, paper-hangers. Estimates free. 410 Horton street. Orders promptly done. WATSON & CO., HOUSE MOVERS— Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 194 Hamilton read. Phone 1,231.

London Waterworks. TENDERS -- SUPPLIES.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the Waterworks Office up to 4 p.m., Monday, March 3, for the following supplies required during the year:

Oils, coal, brass goods, stop-cock boxes, valves, valve boxes, hydrants, lead pipe, hardware, lumber, rubber goods, cotton waste, packing, printing book and book-hinding pipe laying cast iron pipe and pinding, pine laying, cast iron pipe and Further information may be obtained at the office of Moore & Henry, Albion

building.
Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
JOHN M. MOORE.
Engineer and Superintendent.
WM. JONES. Chairman. 121-wty.

Hon. J. W. Mellor, Liberal member for the Sowerby division of Yorkshire, presented a petition from the colony of Victoria bearing 98,765 signatures protesting against any attempt to tamper with the statutory declaration of the King on his accession to the throne under the bill of rights. Mr. Mellor presented similar petitions from New Zealand, Canada and the West Indies, and from British subjects in India, Japan, Jerusalem and the continent of Europe, and within England itself, to the number of 284,647; from Scotland, 56,000; Ireland, 16,000, and Wales, 6,-

EMIGRATION TO CANADA. Hundreds of letters have been received by Lord Strathcona from persons desirious to emigrate to Canada, but the great majority ask assistance. number likely to go out in March will

the Times. Referring to the proposed colonial contributions to the navy, Arnold Forster, secretary of the admiralty, in the House of Commons, said that advantage would certainly be taken to elicit the view of the representatives of the colonies attending the approaching coronation. The chancellor of the exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, said the government did not propose to approach the colonies as beggars, whether the colonies desired to share the burdens of the empire.

CABLE NOTES. The Bank of England rate of discount was unchanged today at 3 per During a fire at Dinkelsbuhl, Bavaria, on Wednesday, the wall of a house collapsed and buried fifteen

members of the local volunteer fire brigade. A dispatch from Vienna to the London Times says the object of the recent visit of Prince Nicholas, of Montenegro, to St. Petersburg is chiefly to raise a loan of ten million francs. which he failed to float in Rome and

A dispatch from Brussels to the Lon-don Times says that the British delegates to the International Sugar Conference insist on a reduction of the Germany and Austria. These states suggest a compromise, which the French and English delegates join in opposing.

The amendment raises the minimum PRECEDENCE OF THE CHURCHES

Col. Sam Hughes Wants All Denominations Considered.

Fremier Comments Upon Difficulties of the Scheme—It Is Under Investigation.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Feb. 26.-Col. Sam Hughes diverted his attention from military affairs yesterday for sufficient time to move that the government amend the table of precedence, which defines the order in which the clergy of the Roman Catholic Church and Church of Tyne, during which Brown shot a England will be marshaled on such momentous occasions as the recent visit of the Prince of Wales. colonel would have the clergy of all churches listed upon the table so that the dissenting denominations will not be ignored.

The premier made an interesting statement upon this subject, and as he assured the member for Victoria that the government had appointed a sub-committee to consider the question, Col. Hughes withdrew his mo-He said that the governor-general was not a free agent in this matter, as the King accorded the degree of honor which should be accorded to those invited to participate in state ceremonies. He said he believed that the dissenting churches were them-selves to blame, as in former times they did not seek any such recognition as Col. Hughes was now asking for; but if now they wished to be recognized, they ought to be recognized. Even at present Canada had the advantage over Great Britain, as here two churches were recognized-not only one, as over there. He said that the task of framing a table of precedence which would give proper recognition to all churches was very difficult and was surrounded with serious intricacies. He pointed out a few of these difficulties-the question of precedence among the churches themselves, and then among their dignitaries. Presbyterians and Methodists elected officers who held office for short periods; and again, the Baptist Church had none at all. The premier said that the matter was now under investigation, but that it presented difficulties which were almost insurmountable. He asked members of various denominations to assist the sub-committee by their advice in finding a way to give precedence to those

entitled to it. Dr. Sproule and D. C. Fraser, M.P. Guysboro, N. S., who replied to a toast at St. Andrew's banquet in London a year ago, were of the opinion that it would be a much better thing to do to abolish the table of precedence altogether. Mr. Fraser expressed his surprise at the dissenting churches pro testing as they are at present, and thought their clergy should be more like the fishers of Galilee. Character. and character alone, ought to give precedence. His only objection was that "twenty-six entities got in ahead of the members of parliament, who, being the people's representatives, should be higher up."

HANGED AFTER FOUR POSTPONE-MENTS.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 27.—Amos Stirling, a young negro, who was the accomplice of Henry Ivory and Charles Perry in the murder of Professor Wilson White, of the law department of the White, of the law department of the University of Pennsylvania, on the night of May 19, 1900, was hanged today in the county prison. Stirling made a confession exonerating Perry and Ivory. The condition of Stirling's health caused four postponements of his execution.

ENTERTAINING PRINCE HENRY. Washington, Feb. 27 .- The second chapthe national capital's welcome to ter in the national capital's welcome to Prince Henry of Prussia began today. Arriving at 9 o'clock this morning, he and his suite at noon attended the McKinley memorial services at the capitol, and at their conclusion made a flying trip to pay tribute to the memory of the father of his country at Mount Vernon. The prince will be the guest of President Roosevelt at a dinner at the White House tonight.

IT CAUSES ANXIETY

The Late War News Is Not Tolu. Satisfactory.

Have Been Captured.

be much less than the figure given by Eleven Thousand Cape Rebels Said to Have Joined the Enemy During the War.

> London, Feb. 27.—The twenty-first anniversary of Majuba and the second of Cronje's surrender at Paardeberg finds England apprehensive with regard to the latest news from South Africa. Lord Kitchener's two telegrams, which are published this morning, fail to give sufficient details for adequate comment, but it is feared that there NEW ARMORY has been a serious British reverse in the Western Transvaal, and that at least 400 men and two guns have been captured. The fighting occurred near Klerksdorp in Delarey's country.

SERIOUS BRITISH LOSSES. In the attempt made by 600 Boers to break through the Vrode blockhouse line, held by the columns under Byng and Rimington, the brunt of the fight- Description of the Beautiful Building ing fell on the New Zealanders. The British losses were two officers and eighteen men killed and five officers

THE CAPE REBELS. London, Feb. 27.-The London Daily Mail, in a dispatch from Johannesburg, prints tables showing that 11,000 rebels joined the Boers from Cape Colony during the war. SURPRISED A LAAGER.

The correspondent of the London kenzie's column, operating near Lake Chrissie, Southeastern Transvaal, has surprised Hans Grobelar's small laager, capturing Stephanus Grobelar, Corps. Vandermewe and Schalkmeyer, and four others. Grobelar and Schalkmeyer been encouraging Boer resistance in Ermelo district. GEN. FRENCH IS BUSY.

Pretoria, Feb. 26.-Gen. French has inaugurated a move against the brick, with white stone last Boers in Cape Colony similar to the will face on Dundas street. recently adopted one by Lord Kitchener against Dewet's forces. Great interest attaches to this advance against the combined commandos of Boers was needed-the Caravella propertyand rebels who have for many weeks having been acquired some time ago. been making themselves at home in the property extends 264 feet on Dunthe northwestern and part of western das street and 165 feet on Waterloo. Cape Colony. The strength of the enemy is unknown, but it is probably not less than 1,000, many of whom, however, are said to be unarmed rebels. The supreme command is in the hand of Commandant Maritz, who distinguished himself some months ago by raiding for horses within 30 miles of Cape Town. Under him are Commandants Pyper (successor to Scheepers), Bouwers, and Theron, and Mr. Smuts, formerly Transvaal state attorney. The last-mentioned will be remembered as the leader of the attack on the Lancers' camp near Tarkastad last September, in which the British sunstained serious losses. Commandant Maritz, in anticipation of the British advance, has been sending large quantities of grain into Bushman Land, the vast, dry, and partly unsurveyed region bounded on the west by Namaqualand and on the north by the Orange River. It is expected that the Boers will retire into this district. where pursuit will be difficult and campaigning very arduous, owing to the

scarcity of water. A ROYAL FORGER? Cape Town, Feb. 27 .- Princess Radziwill was arrested here on the charge of forgery and was admitted to bail in £1.000. The information was sworn Dr. Scholtz and was ported by an affidavit from Cecil Rhodes, the charge being the forgery of the latter's name to promissory notes. The princess was remanded. It was announced from Cape Town, Feb. 12, that Princess Radziwill day paid the judgment for £1,150 obtained against her Oct. 12 last, by Thomas Louw, a merchant of that city, for money advanced on a note

ASSISTANCE TO SHIPBUILDERS

Ontario Deputation Asks Premier Laurier for Aid.

Would Have Gratuity on Canadian-Built Boats Increased by Government.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Ont, Feb. 27 .- John Bert-

ram, W. E. Redway and John J. Long, shipbuilders, of Toronto and Collingwood, waited upon the premier and the ministers of finance, customs and public works today, asking for further government aid for their industry. They said that an immense volume of trade is now setting in from the Up-per Lakes to the coast, and that if the present government gratuity of \$1 15 per ton upon Canadian-built vessels is increased to \$ or \$4, it can all be handled by Canad an ships. They asked also that the aws restraining foreign vessels from a tering our coast trade be more strick, enforced, and that only vessels of British register be allowed to enter Canadian ports. Under these conditions the lake carry-

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Tar and Feared That Four Hundred Men Tamarack.

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ing trade of Canada would flourish. The members of the deputation told the premier that already an enormous volume of Canadian trade exists, but under such conditions as they suggested, Canadian shipbuilders would need to fear the competition of no other nation. The deputation received the usual promise of consideration

TO BE MODEL

The Plans Have Been Prepared at the Capital.

Which Will Adorn the Forest City.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Feb. 27.-The plans for the London armory and drill hall have been prepared in the office of the minister of public works, and were seen today by your correspondent. They are now, in the possession of the member for Times at Ermelo says that Coi, Mac- London, Mr. Charles Hyman. It is possible that some changes in the interior may yet be made, provided that they would in any way effect an improvement and give better accommodation to the militia of London. The are both influential men, who have armory, as now planned, will be a notable addition to the public buildings of the city. It is built along the line followed in the construction of modern armories, and will be of red

The property upon which the armory will stand is now in the possession of the government, the last parcel that

Towers rise upon each of the Dundas street corners, and two towers rise above the entrance, which is exactly in the middle of the front. trance leads directly into the drill hall, which is paved with cement and occupies the major part of the ground floor The armories surround the drill hall upon east, north and west sides. The armories of the 7th Regiment are to the west and east of the entrance. The harness room of the battery and rooms for the commissioned officers and stores are in the northeast corner. Their gun shed is upon the Waterloo street side, and directly opposite, on the western side, are the armories and

rooms of the 26th Regiment. The upper floor is divided into six apartments. The sergeants' mess is in the northeast corner. Next to it, along Dundas street, is a spare room; then the officers' mess, with an anteroom. A lecture room and a large spare room at the northwest corner completes the suite. On this floor there is a gallery, which looks down upon the drill shed. There is also accommodation on this floor for the caretaker. Ten thousand dollars have been placed in the estimates for the armory this year. With the previous appropriation, this makes \$43,000 set apart

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for £2,000, said to have been indorsed by Cecil Rhodes, but which the latter Census Bulletin of Religious Denominations.

> Canadian People Divided Into One Hundred and Forty-Two Classes-The Figures.

Special to the Advertiser. Ottawa, Feb. 26 .- Mr. Archibald Blue, special census commissioner, has issued a bulletin of the religions of the Canadian people, presented by provinces and territories. The number of specified denominations and sects is 142, embracing a population of 5,326,-716. But besides these there are 30 other sects represented by one or two individuals each in a province or territory, and numbering in all 149. The rest of the population (44,186) is classed as unspecified, more than one-half of them being in the unorganized territories. The census of 1891 contains the records of only eighteen specified

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England) ongregationalists ciples of Christ Friends (Quakers)..... Jews Lutherans Methodists 910,302
Presbyterians 842,301
Protestants 11:607
Roman Catholics 2228,997
Salvation Army 19,307

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