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AROUND THE CITY.

From Yesterday's Last Edition.

-Judge William Elliot held a sitting of the first division court this

-Mr. Warren, of the Barber Asphalt Company, Buffalo, was in the city today. -Mr. Andrew Denholm, editor and

proprietor of the Blenheim News, formerly of this city, is spending a few days in Toronto. -A man named Rush was hurt in the

head at McClary's day before yester-day, and on Tuesday another workman had his hand crushed. Neither accident was very serious. Talbot : Church was entertained last night at

the residence of Mrs. N. Mills, London South. A pleasant evening was spent in the enjoyment of games and other amusements. -Hamilton Times, Thursday: John Burns, the London man who pleaded

guilty the other day to a charge stealing tools from John H. Larkin, builder, was sent to jail this morning for two months by Magistrate Jelfs.

-Sergt. Turner, Woodstock; Corp. Pond, Woodstock; Bugler Bowen, Woodstock; Pte. Davis, Galt: Pte. Hollis, Arthur; Sergt. Munroe, Rockwood, will take the next short course, beginning April, at Wolseley Barracks. -Estimates totalling over half a mil

lion dollars were passed by the Toronto public school board last night, and the solicitor was instructed to present them to the city in proper egal form, so as to prevent any trou-

-A representative of the Postum Cereal Company, Battle Creek, Mich., is in the city, and for a few days will give a free demonstration of their celebrated Postum Cereal and Grape-Nuts at Fitzgerald, Scandrett & Co.'s. The pub-

-A good deal of interest is being taken among the legal fraternity in the election of benchers of the Law Technically the whole bench is vacant, and there are 30 to be elected, of which 27 of the old benchers are seeking re-election.

-Mayor Rumball received a letter today from a Grand Rapids firm that the manufacture of farm implements in Canada. It asked for information concerning the facilities the city offers for such a concern.

NO HIGH COURT.

There will be no session of the high court of justice tomorrow. Only one case was entered, and it was after-wards postponed till next week.

RECRUITS FOR HALIFAX.

Lieut.-Col. Holmes, D. O. C., has rereived orders from headquarters to recruit men for the Halffax garrison. At least half the original men have re-turned home. The number of recruits to be enlisted were not limited in the

THE HIGHLANDERS.

Lieut.-Col. Holmes, D.O.C., has rereived from Lieut.-Col. MacDonald, commanding the 48th Highlanders, Toronto, and the officers, a handsomely bound book containing the origin and history of the regiment and a short account of the Highland regiments stationed from time to time in Canada. The volume is profusely illustrated, and is most interesting.

DISCREDITING THE UNIFORM.

Two or three men, recently of the Halifax garrison, were acting in a disorderly manner down town yesterday. Lieut.-Col. Holmes, D.O.C., happened across one of them and reproved him, As they were in uniform he has powarrest them, and a picket was detailed for that duty today. The men of No. 1 Company bear an enviable reputation for good conduct in the city, and the D. O. C. feared lest citizens might think that these Halifax men were Welseley Barracks men.

WENT AROUND THE WORLD.

Mr. Archie McPherson returned to his home in this city last night, completing his trip around the world. He ohn Murray, the eminent scien-They went together across the and the magnificence of the demon-Sir John Murray, the eminent scien-

Japan, India and the islands of the Indian Ocean, to Europe. Sir John then returned to his home in Scotland, and

Mr. McPherson did Europe alone. MUNICIPAL CONVENTION.

The municipal convention which met here last year assembles at Toronto on Tuesday next. The proposed amendments to the municipal act come before the municipal committee that morning, and will be of interest to the con-vention. Mayor Rumball and several of the aldermen, who are going to the Toronto Old Boys' banquet on Monday will stay over to attend the conven-

MR. W. H. BARTRAM'S PROTEST. Citizen and Country: W. H. Bartram, a London lawyer, has so repeat-edly protested against irregularities in French Catholic electorate represented the courts that he finds it difficult now to obtain fair play from some of the His charges of corruption have invariably failed, though manifest injustice has repeatedly been failed, done to him. Now he charges a King's counsel with "wilfully attempting to obstruct the course of justice," and the magistrate impudently suggests to Mr. Bartram that "disciplining by the Law Society would be as effective as a trial that involves a punishmment of a year's imprisonment."

DICKSON-WEBBER.

A very pretty wedding took place at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Webber, 917 Elias street, on Wednesday evening, March 20, when their daughter, Miss Minnie, was united in marriage to Mr. Alexander S. Dickson, of Detroit, Mich., late of South London. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Jackson, of the Centennial Methodist Church, London, assisted by Rev. E. H. Sawers, of Brucefield, a relative of the groom, in the presence of a number of relatives and near friends. bride was given away by her father and was supported by her sister, Miss Lila Webber, and Janet Dickson, a sister of the groom, who acted as maid of honor. The groom was attended by his brother, Mr. Thomas Dickson. After a choice supper, Mr. and Mrs. Dickson left for their home in Detroit by the 11:25 p.m. train, via the C. P. R., taking with them many valuable presents and the best wishes of their many friends in London.

DEATH OF MRS. WALTERS. Mrs. Annie Walters, wife of Mr. Thomas Walters, lot 1, con. 3, London township, died today, in the 57th year of her age. Mrs. Walters, who was born in England, came to Canada nearly 40 years ago, and lived for a short time in this city. Her illness, which covered a period of five weeks, was borne with Christian patience and resignation, and "her end was Mrs. Walters was held in much esteem by a wide circle of acquaint-ances. She had long been a faithful member of the Methodist Church, and her death will be greatly regretted by the community at large, as well as by her family and intimate friends. Besides her husband Mrs. Walters leaves five sons and two daughters. The latter are Mrs. Robert Clare, William street, and Alice, at home. Her sons are William, Edward and Frank, at home; George, in London township, and John, who resides on St. James from the family residence (given above) at 2 p.m. Sunday, to Brown's Cemetery, West Nissouri.

A HANDSOME MEMENTO

The Right Honorable the Lord Mayor and the Lady Mayoress of Liverpool have just shown, in a pleasing way, their regard for Lieut.-Col. Buchan, commanding the Royal Canadian Regiment. He has received from them a large album, specially made and handsomely bound and embossed, containing a series of photographs, taken during the progress of the second battalion of the regiment (A, B and I Companies) through that city in December last. The series begins with the arrival at Lime street station and ends with the departure on board the steamship Lake Champlain. began it six months ago with his uncle, The views are beautifully done, and

stration in honor of the Canadians. There are also photograps, with the autograph of the lord mayor and lady mayoress, and one of the specially prepared banners, showing the battle honors of the regiment, which hung in the banqueting hall at the luncheon given to the regiment that day. The in the banqueting nail at the luncheon given to the regiment that day. The letter from the lord mayor to Col. Buchan reads as follows: "My Dear Colonel,—I am sending you by the steamer Nassau, of Elder Dempster Co.'s line, an album containing a few photographs of the second Royal Canadian Contingent, as they appeared at various points of view during their march through this city on 10th ult. I hope that this may be a small momento of their short visit here. Kindly accept it as from the lady mayoress, and yours very sincerely, "ARTHUR CROSTHWAITE,

DOMINION PARLIAMENT

Members Still Discussing the Budget-A Vessel for a Polar Expedition Asked For.

Ottawa, March 21.-Another day has been devoted to the debate upon the budget, some seven members having spoken today. Several of the speakers made their maiden address to the house, among them being Mr. W. R. Brock, who in a vigorous speech advocated a repeal of the preferential tariff, and asserted that unless the government reconsidered its position upon this question the manufacturers would be compelled to cut down wages by at least one-third. Mr. Ross (South Ontario) replied in his maiden speech, and made a most favorable impression

on the house. Mr. Monk asked if the government were prepared to give answer to the proposal made to them that they should equip a vessel for a polar expedition conducted by Capt. Bernier, He said that he himself favored such action by

the government. The premier replied that this was a matter which the government had un-der its consideration, but he was not prepared to say what assistance, if any, would be granted. He promised an early answer to the question.

BUDGET DEBATE RESUMED. Mr. Charles Marcil, who seconded the address in reply to the speech from the throne, resumed the budget debate. He said that personally the commercial policy he would prefer would be commercial eciprocity with the United States. The most prosperous times in the county of Bonaventure and in the province of Quebec had been during the period of reciprocity. The present government had done everything possible to bring about reciprocity, but the United States had taken a position that made this impossible. The first paragraph in Mr. Borden's resolution called for protection of Canadian industries and labor. He asked where there could be more efficient protection to Canadian interests than under the tariff. He denied most emphatically the statement of Mr. Wallace that Quebec had voted on racial lines. That prov-

ince voted in favor of the best men and the best policy. He pointed out that of the eighteen English-speaking members from Quebec thirteen are English Protestants and five are English-speaking Catholics, calling atten by English-speaking Protestants. expressed the hope that North Bruce, which seemed to have remained Conservative, had voted on straight party lines, not on the racial and religious cry which had been raised there. Mr. Mar-cil appealed for a better understanding between the people of Ontario and Quebec, and a united effort to build up a

great nation. Mr. W. F. Maclean expressed sorrow that he could not accept the gauntlet thrown down by Mr. Marcil, and discuss the amendment of the leader of the opposition through the spectacles of race and creed, as he had done. Protection and a national policy had been a success wherever they had been established; and, on the other hand, free trade was in question. Protection was being accepted by Australia and South Africa, and was parental in its character. England is free trade now, but she had been protective, and he hoped and believed that she would adopt many of the methods which belonged to protection. Whenever it came to a question of the interests of Canada being maintained against those of Great Britain, he always stood by Canada. The Conservative party stood by a pol icy of mutual preference with Britain.

Messrs. Roche, Brock, Ross, Clare and Vrooman also spoke, and the house adjourned at 11 o'clock.

TRADING STAMPS

Windsor Merchants Are Aroused Against Them.

Windsor, March 21.-Windsor merchants generally indorse the bili before the Ontario Legislature to prohibit the use of trading stamps. Alhough a deputation was not sent from Windsor, as from other cities, the Retail Grocers' Association petitioned W. J. McKee to use his influence to give the trading stamps its quietus.

J. S. Edgar, dealer in clothing and leather goods, said: "I signed a contract for a year, and have estimated that I paid over \$500 to the trading stamp company. I am positive that I did not get value for my money, and have decided to give up the whole

"Neither the merchant nor the customer derives any considerable benefit from the stamps. The trading stamps enrich the company at the expense of the customers, with retailers as the medium. To show what profit the company may derive it is only cessary to repeat that the Dominion Trading Stamp Company cleaned up \$50,000 last year.

PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONARIES. Toronto, March 21 .- At the meeting of the Presbyterian home mission committee yesterday, among others, the following appointments of students for the next six months and ministers for two years were made: Chatham—A. R. Linton, Rev. W. Miller, H. E. Abraham, R. J. Younge, A. McLean.

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A RADIAL RAILWAY

The Essex and Kent Company Given Power to Extend From Windsor to Chatham.

Toronto, Ont., March 21.—The rail-way committee of the legislature to-day considered the bill to incorporate the Essex and Kent Radial Railway Company to extend from Windsor to Chatham, with power to have branches to various points. Representatives of the Windsor, Essex and Lake Shore Electric Railway had objections to make as the new line paralleled the route covered by the others, but the bill was reported after a few minor changes had been made.

MOUNT FOREST SNOWED IN

No Trains Have Arrived Since Tuesday-Engines and Snowplow Derailed and Smashed.

Mount Forest, March 21,-The storm on Monday night and Tuesday has completely blocked railway traffic, and we have not had a train since Tuesday morning, one train being blocked at Kenilworth and the other unable to leave Palmerston. The cuts are filled in some places to the depth of twenty feet with snow, which has become so hard that it has to be removed with picks. Yesterday a snowplow with three engines, in charge of Conductor Lavelle, left Palmerston to clear the road to Durham, and succeeded in reaching within a mile of here, when in a deep cut with snow eighteen feet deep the plow left the rails. The front engine ran up on it, and is now perched with the front trucks on top of the plow. In the cab were the fireman, driver and Mr. Lavelle, all of whom had a miraculous escape, as the tender was forced into the cab, smashing seats, floor and windows.
All three locomotives were derailed, and are slowly being dug out by a large force with shovels. It is expected that traffic will not be regularly resumed until Saturday or Monday. Passengers are being cared for by the

Merely Mentioned.

Mr. Andrew Carnegie has arrived in

M. Constant Coquelin and Madame Sara Bernhardt are in Detroit. Toronto school board last night passed estimates of nearly \$600,000 for this

Oxford Old Boys held their second annual banquet in Toronto Thursday

Another large addition is to be made to the medical building of McGill University. Col. Steele has asked for superannuation. He was 28 years on the North-

west Mounted Police. Hamilton expects from 450 to 500

delegates to the Chosen Friends' Grand Council next Tuesday. Teachers of bi-lingual separate

schools of Eastern Ontario are holding a convention at Ottawa. J. G. Clergue, of Sault Ste. Marie, has

donated \$1,000 to the Canadian Association for Prevention of Tuberculosis. Lieut.-Col. Reade, the new comman-

ant of the Royal Military Coll arrived at Kingston Wednesday. James Hammond and John McGrath were killed in a mine near Fort William by a heavy boiler rolling over

Mrs. Jean Robinson Ewing, one of Hamilton's best-known and most-respected residents, died there on Wed-

nesday. It is reported that millions of dollars worth of oranges are rotting in California because of lack of trans-

portation facilities. Richard George, a 12-year-old apprentice at Tiskell's furniture factory,

Belleville, was killed by becoming entangled in a belt. Probate is asked at Ottawa for the will of the late Dr. Dawson, geologist. He left an estate of \$30,000 to his

mother and sister. Counterfeit one and two dollar Dominion bills are in circulation in To-ronto. The police have eight or ten in their possession.

By a vote of 72 to 30, the Minnesota passed the senate bili prohibiting the manufacture, sale or giving away of eigarettes. The Baden-Powell police are almost

ready to leave Ottawa on Sunday for their trip to Halifax, whence they sail on Thursday for South Africa. Mr. Bogart, who has been postmaster

at Napanee for 38 years, has tendered his resignation, and Dr. R. A. Leonard has the refusal of the position. Mrs. Carrie Nation has signed contract for six lectures to be given

in Cincinnati. She will receive \$100 for each of the lectures and all her expenses. A dispatch from Mount Forest says

that the town is snowed up. No trains have run in or out since Tuesday, and the snowplow is derailed and buried in a drift. The quarantine of the Concord street

house, in which Toronto's second case of smallpox developed, has been finally raised by the health department. There are now no premises in Toronto under quarantine on account of this disease.

There has been a postponement of the date of departure of the Canadian recruits for the South African constabulary. Owing to the delay in fitting up the transport they will not sail from Halifax until Thursday, the

Prof. Robertson, Dominion commissioner of dairying, looks for an enormous trade in the shipping of dressed fattened poultry to the English market, a good start having already been He stated that there is a splendid market in Montreal for these

A committee representing employes of the Grand Trunk Railway system is in Montreal to confer with General Superintendent McGuigan in regard to certain grievances. The committee is accompanied by P. D. Arthur and A. E. Seargeant, the heads of the brotherhoods of engineers and fire-

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MR. MULOCK TO TESTIFY.

He Will Appear Before the Committee on the Cable System of the Empire.

Montreal, March 21 .- A cable to the Star says that Hon. Mr. Mulock, interviewed Mr. Joseph Chamberlain at the colonial office this afternoon. Mr. Mulock has been invited by Lord Balfour of Burleigh to appear before the inter-department committee on cable system of the empire on Tuesday He will in consequence defer his departure till Wednesday, ioining the Himalaya at Marseilles.

The Vote for Water

Commissioner.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: The musty-fusty odor of staleness that comes from the mayor's recent report to the water commission re those bogus bal-lots, is very suggestive of an unearthed ancient document. As Mr. John Pocock's lots, is very suggestive of an interactive ancient document. As Mr. John Pocock's testimony easily proves, the pretended desire of our upright men of so well-known integrity in high places, to discover "the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth," is a howling farce, not very well played. It is now so distant from the shady transactions of January that this report has quite evidently been "scared" out of the grave in which it was buried by a recent letter sent by the Socialist Labor Party to the city council, a copy of which was published before the mayor "reported." There are some wonderfully innocent suggestions in this report as to "how" some few ballots "might" have wandered from the path of rectitude into the hands of sinful men; but it will no doubt be shown from the Socialist tribune on the market from the Socialist tribune on the marke square during the summer evenings that what might have been did not happen in

this case. Yours truly, HENRY B. ASHPLANT.

RECEPTION AT MITCHELL. Mitchell, March 21 .- This evening the mayor and council of the tewn of Mit-chell welcomed home Trooper Harry Hicks of Strathcona's Horse by a publie meeting in the town hall and presenting him with a handsome gold watch. He was also presented by the children of the public school with an immense bouquet of roses.

MANITOBA COAL DISCOVERY. MANITOBA COAL DISCOVERY.

Winnipeg, Man., March 21.—James Thompson, of the Anthracite Coal Company, reports a valuable discovery of coal near Rochepercee, at a depth of 108 feet below the river bank. The coal is said to be of very superior quality, and its discovery is said to prove that beds of superior coal lie below the lignite deposits on the surface. When the real developments take place, the province will be independent of outside sources for its coal supply. coal supply. THE GRAND TRUNK AND CANADA

SOUTHERN. Detroit, March 21.—"It is thought that the buying of Canada Southern has been by other interests than the Vanderbilts," says the New York Financial News. "The Vanderbilt people have been quietly picking up the stock, but the new buying is said to be by parties for account of the Grand Trunk, preparatory to making a bid for property at the expiration of present arrangements with the Michigan Central."

C. P. R. AND THE CROW'S NEST. Montreal, March 21.—It is reported here that an agreement has been arrived at between the Canadian Pacific Railway Company and the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company, by which, in return for important mineral concessions, the C. P. R. will withdraw all opposition to the new charter which the Dominion government is asked to sanction from Fernie to the United States border. No official statement is made, although Senator Cox, one of the directors of the Crow's Nest Pass of the directors of the Crow's Nest Pass Company, intimated that the report is

BRAKEMAN KILLER BY NEWS-PAPER TRAIN.

Utica, N. Y., March 22.—James Keefe, of Lima Falls, a freight brake-man, was killed by a fast newspaper train just east of this city this He was on the engine of his train in the block, and stepped down upon the passenger track to return to the rear of the train. At that instant the newspaper train struck him.

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QUEEN GOES TO DENMARK.

London, March 22 .- Queen Alexandra started for Copenhagen this morning. King Edward accompanied her majesty to the Victoria station, where he bade her farewell.

SAILED FOR MALTA.

Gibraltar, March 22 .- The steamship Ophir, with the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York on board, sailed for Malta this morning, the storm which had prevailed having subsided. All the warships in port were manned and sates were fired as the Ophir steamed out of the harbor.

ANOTHER MARSEILLES STRIKE Marseilles, March 22.-The men em ployed on the street car line in this city struck this morning, and only a few cars are runnings. An attempt was made by the strikers to prevent the starting of any cars, but after a few fights the strikers were dispersed by

the police. Marseilles, March 22.-A few stree cars are running today under the protection of policemen. The strikers are very much excited. They attacked one car and cut the electric wires. A fight ensued. The gendarmes were assailed by a volley of stones and bottles, and were obliged to fire their revolvers is the air. Then then charged and cleared

the streets.

PLOTS IN ST. PETERSBURG. Berlin, March 22 .- The St. Petersbury correspondent of the Cologne Volks Zei tung, under date of March 17, forward by mail news to the effect that then is evidence in St. Petersburg of the existence of plots against the authori ties. He asserts that sums of money being distributed to the factory hands in St. Petersburg, and vicinity, to induce them to join the disaffected students. The secret police no longer trust even the highest entourage of the czar. New precautions for the pro-tection of the czar's life have been taken; namely, a mechanism which allows no one to open the doors of room in which the czar happens at the moment to be. The czar has now five desks in his study, which he uses one after the other. The walls of the czar's study and bedroom are lined with steel armor. Orders were given Saturday night to keep all the troops in

St. Petersburg ready. The Berliner Tageblatt prints a special dispatch from St. Petersburg by way of Lamberg, to the effect that Karpovitch investigation has revealed a great plot, similar to the Nihilistic conspiracy, with Kieff as a center, the main branch at Odessa, and ramificacations extending to the lowest strata of society. The plan was to make an attempt on the life of the czar, but he was thereupon removed to Gatchina.

EASTERN ONTARIO ORANGEMEN. Belleville, Ont., March 22.-The Orange Grand Lodge of Eastern Ontaric concluded its session at a late hour last night and adjourned after elect-ing officers as follows: Grand master R. H. Holland, Port Hope; deputy grand master, Dr. Munroe, Cornwall; deputy grand master, W. J. Wright, Brockville; grand chaplain, Rev. S. A. Dupraw, Consecon; grand treasurer, Robert Gordon, Tweed; grand secretary, F. M. Clarke, Belleville; grand lectur-er, O. W. Lundon, Melcombe; grand director of ceremonies, W. H. Code, Smith's Falls, Smith's Falls was selected as the next place of meeting.

OLD ESSEX MAN DEAD IN CHICAGO Chicago, March 21.-Michael C. Leary, a charter member of the board of trade, and during the civil war one of the heaviest operators in grain in the country, died last night, aged 72. Leary was born in Essex, Canada, and came to Chicago in 1855. When the board of trade started he was one of the original members. OSSIFIED MAN DEAD.

Albuquerque, N. M., March 21.—W. T. Sapp, the famous ossified man, of Lebanon, Ky., is dead in this city. While still a child Sapp's muscular tissues entirely wasted away, and every joint in his body, except those of the left shoulder and of the hands, became solidified. For 36 years the helpless staute of the man has been on exhibition.

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