Financial and Commercial

Pacific Burt, pfd. Penmans, com..... Penmans, pfd. Porto Rico Railway

R. and O. Navigation Rogers, com.

Russell, M. C., com.
Russell, M. C., pfd.
Sawyer-Massey, com.
Sawyer-Massey, pfd.
St. L. and C. Navigation
Shredded Wheat, com.
Shredded Wheat, pfd.
Spanish River, com
Spanish River, pfd.
Steel of Canada, com.
Steel of Canada, pfd.
Tooke Bros., com.
Tooke Bros., pfd.
Toronto Papers

Toronto Papers ... Toronto Railway . Tucketts, com. ...

Twin City, com. Winnipeg Railway

Hollinger
La Rose
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Canada Permanent ... 192 Central Canada ... Colonial Investment ... 86

Great West Permanent ... 1301/2 Hamilton Provident

Huron and Erie Huron and Erie 20 pc paid.

Dominion Savings

Landed Banking ... London and Canada National Trust

Coronto Savings ..

Union Trust Canada Bread

Canada Locomotive

Ontario Loan
Real Estate
Toronto General Trusts
Toronto Mortgage

Mexican L. and P.

10; Dome, 16.50 to 16.75; Hollinger, 18.50 to 18.60; Jupiter, 50 to 52; Preston E. Dome, 3½ to 4; Swastika, 10 to 11; Vi-

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

LOSES BOTH LEGS,

Halifax, N. S., April 25.—William Abraham, b-years-old son of Corporal Abraham, of the R C. R., was run over by an electric car on Agricola street this morning. There is no hope held out for the child. Both legs had to be amputated on the spot

Amal. Copper

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

TORONTO, April 25.

Open. High. Low. 2 p.m.

Copper 75½ 75½ 74% 74% 74%

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Coniagas Crown Reserve

DEMAND FOR OATS

KEEN ON LOCAL MARKET

Hay Remains Firm in Price at \$13.50 Per Ton—

Straw \$8.

Although comparatively large offerings of oats were sold on Thursday and today, the demand was keen this morning and the prices remained unchanged, the quotations ranging from \$1.20 to \$1.25 per cwt. Eight or ten loads were sold on Thursday and today.

The number of loads of hay sold today was not as large as that of Thursday, but the prices were slightly easlier, the highest selling price heing.

Canada Cement, pfd. ...

Can. Interlake, com. 65

Can. Interlake, com. 65

Canada General Electric 114

Canada Locomotive, com. 60

Canada Locomotive, pfd. 62

Canadian Salt Legors of cats were. 80

City Dairy, com. 61

Canada Locomotive, pfd. 62

Canadian Salt Legors of cats were. 80

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day was not as large as that of Thursday, but the prices were slightly easier, the highest selling price being \$13.50 per ton, Straw was also offered, and as the demand was brisk all the sales were made at \$8 per ton.

The prices,				
Wheat, per cwt 1 Oats, per cwt 1 Grain, Per Bus	58	to	1	58
Oats, per cwt 1	20	to	1	
Grain, Per Bus	shel.			
		to		95
1/	40	to		42
Lettuce, per doz Potatoes, bag, wholesale Potatoes, bag, retail1 Parsnips per bu Turnips, per bu Beets, per bu.	20	+0		40
Potatoes, bag, wholesale	95	to		95
Potatoes, bag, retail 1	00	to	1	05
Parsnips per bu	40	to		40
Turnips, per bu	30	to		80
Anlang par by	30	to		40
Cabbage, per doz	20	to	1	40
Carrots, per bu	30	to		35
Parsley, per doz	40	to		40
Green onions, per doz.	30	to		40
Rhubarb, per doz	90	to	1	00
		to		40
Radishes, per doz	35	to		40
Apples, per bbl 1	95	to	1	50
Apples, per bag	50	to	-	75
Apples, per bu	35	to		40
Apples, per bu. Hay, per ton 12 Straw, per ton 7 Buter, rolls, per lb Butter, fancy, retail, lb. Butter, store lots, lb Butter, creamery, lb Butter, creamery, lb Butter, creamery, lb Eggs, dairy hall price Eggs, basket Eggs, crates, wholesale. Honey, strained, 10 lbs. 1 Honey, sections, doz 2	w.			
Hay, per ton12	50	to		50
Firaw, per ton 7	00	to	8	00
Buter rolls par lb	e.	40		29
Butter fancy retail th	30	to		32
Butter, store lots lb	30 26 31½	to		27
Butter, creamery, lb.,.	311/2	to		32
Butter, crocks, lb	27	to		28
Eggs, dairy hall price	20	to		20
Eggs crateg wholosola	19	to		19
Honey, strained 10 lbs 1	20		1	20
Honey, sections, doz 2	20	to	2	40
Maple syrup, gallon 1	35	to	1	40
Honey, strained, 10 lbs. 1 Honey, sections, doz. 2 Maple syrup, gallon 1 Live Stock. Milch cows, each50 Fat sows, cwt				
Fat sows, each	00	to	70	00
Fat sows, cwt	50	to	10	
Fat sows, cwt. 6 Small pigs, pair 7 Select hogs, cwt. 9 Chickens, per lb.	00	to	9	
Poultry, Ally	e.			
Chickens, per lb	15	to		15
Chickens, per lb	12	to		13
Old fowl per th	13	to		19
Poultry Dress	ad	10		19
Chickens, per pair 1	50	to	1	75
		to.	-	20
Old fowl, per lb		το		16
Ducks, per lb	15	to		16
Yurkeys per th	00	to	2	00
Butchard Man	4.00	to		23
Lamb, per ib	4	to		16
Lamb, per ib	50	to		00
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Beef, young, cwt10 0 Beef, cows, cwt8 0 Mutton, per cwt10 0	10	to		00
Pork, quarter, 1h.	3	to	13	15
Hides, Wool, e	tc.			20
Cow hides, No. 1, lb 1	1	to		11
Cow hides, No. 2, lb 1	0	to		10
Wood upwashed the	9	to		
Wool, washed lb 1	9	to		18
Calfskins, per lb 1	3			15
man	-	-	-	~
Mutton, per cwt. 10 0 Pork, quarter, lb. 1 Hides, Wool, e Cow hides, No. 1, lb. 1 Cow hides, No. 2, lb. 1 Cow hides, No. 3, lb. 1 Wool, unwashed, lb. 1 Wool, washed, lb. 1 Calfskins, per lb. 1	3	to	~	18

Beef, young, cwt. 10 00 to 10 50 Beef, coys, cwt. 2 80 to 2 90 Mutton, per cwt. 10 01 to 10 to 1

LIVERPOOL, April 25.—Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 Manitoba, 7s 10½d; No. 3 Manitoba, 7s 10½d; No. 3 Manitoba, 7s 9½d; futures very firm; May, 7s 9¾d; July, 7s 7¼d; October, 7s 5¾d; Corn—Spot firm; U. S., new, 5s 1d; American mixed, new, kilin dried, 5s 2d; old, 6s; do (via Galveston), 5s 8½d; full tures steady; May, 5s 1½d; July (La Plata), 5s 1¾d; Flour—Winter patents, 29s 6d. Hops (in London)—Pacific coast, £4 10s to £5 10s. Beef—Extra India mess, 155s. Pork—Prime mess, western, 102s 6d. Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, 70s. Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, 66s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, 70s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 66s; long clear PRODUCE.

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St. Paul 108½ 108½ 107½
Union Pacific 152½ 162% 151½
Central Leather 25 25 24½
U. S. Rubber 62½ 62½ 61%
U. S. Steel 61% 61% 60% May11 45 11 50 11 40 11 40 [Special to H. C. Becher.] WINNIPEG, April 25.—Wheat closed: May, 93%c; July, 95c.
MINNEAPOLIS, April 25.—Wheat closed: May, 891%c.

[Special to H. O. Berley 1]

COTTON.

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

NEW YORK, April 25.—Cotton prices up to 2:30 today: May, 11.34; July, 11.41;

October, 11.15.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

TORONTO, April 25.—Morning prices today:

today:
Brazilian T., L. and P. ... 9734 Brazilian T., L. and P.

B. C. Packers, com.
B. C. Packers, pfd. 156
Bell Telephone Co 148
Burt, F. N., com. 95
Burt, F. N., pfd. 98
Canada Bread, com. 24
Canada Cement, com. 1461/2

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SECOND FATHER AND SON BANQUET AT Y.M.C.A. SUCCESS

Stirring Speeches Follow Presentation of Prizes by Fathers.

One Hundred and Sixty Attend —An Entertaining Program.

On account of the success of the Father and Son" banquet held in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium on Thursday vening, the officials of the local association have decided to make the af-fair an annual event. The first banquet of this nature was held a year ago, and the attendance on Thursday evening was 90 more than that of the naugural event.

Before the guests, who numbered more than 160, sat down to the supper prepared by the mothers, the prizes won by the members of the classes during the year were presented by fifteen of the fathers, and also by Dr., E. S. was present, and rendered selections during the whole evening.

J. P. McDonald Toastmaster.

Mr. J. P. McDonald, chairman of the oys' work committee, acted as toastmaster, and introduced a number of peakers after the boys had done jusice to the eatables as only boys can. The principal speaker was Controller J. O. McCarthy, of Toronto, who gave the boys and the fathers present number of suggestions that would result in bringing each more in touch with the other.

Mr. McCarthy told the guests that espect for old age was one of the hings that young boys and men should ave in view all the time. Another those that are strangers.

The Best of Lives. Motherhood he classed as the most beautiful and self-sacrificing life in the world. He appealed to the boys to respect every mother, not just the ones they know, because people would talk BEEN DECEIVED? if they did not, but those that they did not know, and the boys that did the atter would exhibit largeness of heart. He cautioned the fathers to descend Officials Apparently Told That from their level and meet their sons on a boy's footing, as this was the only way in which a boy could be met to the best advantage. He asked the fathers to give the so-called bad boy a chance to improve himself, as generally such deeds as they committed STRANGE CIRCUMSTANCE

lowing quotations on the mining market this merning.]
TORONTO, April 25.—Beaver, 25 to 36; Chambers-Ferland, 17 to 19; Coniagas, 7.85 to 7.95; Cobalt City, 46 to 48; Cobalt Lake, 65 to 70; La Rose, 2.35 to 2.45; Mc-Kinley, 1.90 to 1.95; Nipissing, 3.90 to 9.00; Peterson Lake, 23 to 23½; Temiskaming, 44 to 45; Dome Extension, 8 to 10; Dome, 16 50 to 16 75; Hollinger, 18 50 which will be devoted to the erection of a preventorium for tubercular children at the Alexandra Sanatorium at

Byron. The matinee and Thursday evening performances were well attended and the presentation made to a very appreciative audience. On the whole the Women's Sanatorium Aid Society are to be congratulated for the success of the pageant.

Inadvertently the names of Marion and Jack Johnston, the little "twins," who accompanied Mrs. Frank Reid in the portrayal of "The Mother and Children," were omitted from the cast of "The Temple of Fame." They are the children of Mr. S. Y. Johnston, 2 Carrothers avenue.

Shriners Initiation to Take Place This Evening in New Hall

aculous Escapes. [Canadian Press.]

Brampton, April 25.—An explosion occurred at the sawmill at Stewarton which completely wrecked the building. Four men were inside the mill at the time, and one of them, William Besioby, was blown right out of the building, but escaped serious injury. The other three was blown right out of the binding, but escaped serious injury. The other three men were also only slightly injured, but all had a most miraculous escape from death. A portion of the boiler, weighing half a ton, was carried three hundred yards, and several people nearby had a negrous assage.

Important additions are planned for the Catholic University at Washington, D. C. A chemical laboratory to cost \$300,000, a dining hall to seat 1,000, and a fine building to house the students of physics and mechanical engineering are new features that attest the determination of the church to keep pace with institutions of secular learning.

Tragedy at Coffin Side

[Canadian Press.]

Butte, Cal., April 25.—While members of the family and relatives were grouped about the open coffin of Mrs. J. R. Burney's 3-year-old son yesterday, listening to the funeral service, the body moved and presently the child, clad in its shroud, sat up and gazed about the room. His eyes caught those of his grandmother, Mrs. L. P. Smith, 81 years old. The aged woman stared at the child as if hypnotized. Then

she sank into a chair, dead.

As she fell, the child dropped back into its coffin from which it was quickly snatched by the mother. A physician said there was no hope for the boy, and death came a few hours later. Today there were two coffins in the Burney home. Public services were held, and the child and grandmother were buried side by side.

VOTE ON BY-LAWS WON'T BE TAKEN

FOR SOME TIME Questions Have To Be Advertised For Three Weeks.

Board of Works to Hold Special Two Millions Added To Assess-Session to Consider the Sewer Report.

The municipal voting on the storm sewer problem, the West London break-Detwiler. The association orchestra water and the Port Stanley Railroad question will not be held in May, as was expected. The electrification report will not go before the council until the next regular session which is that was expected.

The general concensus of opinion sewer report prepared by Engineer among the aldermen and the impressional among the aldermen and retenances. Chipman will be discussed at a special session of the board of works next Tuesday, but it is not likely that a special session of the council will be called to consider it.

Have to Be Advertised.

Both the electrification scheme and the West London breakwater question cannot be advertised before they receive the royal assent of the Lieutenant-Governor upon the the prorogation of the Provincial Legislature. Three weeks are rething to remember, he said, was quired for advertising all three questions, mothers, both those that you know and so that it does not appear that an election will be held before the month of

London Had Decided on Operation.

Apparently someone intimated to the railway companies which might have made an offer for the lease of the London and Port Stanlow Polluce. London and Port Stanley Railway some time ago that the citizens had decided to operate the line, and that it would be practically useiess to make

When General Manager Alfred, of the Pere Marquette, wrote the city ouncil, asking for running rights over that it was only those boys who had timated in his letter that he had been given to understand that the citizens had decided to operate he road. How he could have arrived at that conclu sion unless someone informed him to that effect is a mystery. When Mr. E. J. Chamberlin, president and general manager of the Grand Trunk, who was

this morning, was asked if his com-pany would make any bid for a lease of the road, he shrugged his shoulders and said that he did not think would be any use. "What's the use?" he queried. "I thought they had decided what to do with the line." "But Mr. Wainwright was in Lon-don some time ago to talk over the Temple of Fame don some time ago to talk over the question of leasing or buying the line," asked the reporter. line," asked the reporter.
"Oh, yes, so he was. He came here to look things over," was the reply, and just then the train started and

> interior of his car. East End Schools Large Enough for Present Demands

Mr. Chamberlin left the steps for the

No. 2 committee of the board of education paid a visit to Pottersburg and Ealing schools on Thursday afternoon. Chairman Hunt declared that the committee is well pleased with the condiion of the schools, and that they are large enough to meet the needs of these two sections of the city for some time.

A large school garden embracing over an acre of ground, will be instituted at Pottersburg school this season.

Lake Steamers

[Canadian Press.]

Port Arthur, April 25. — According to wireless reports the passenger steamers Keewatin, Alberta, Manitoba and Huronic are in the ice at White-

GARBAGE MEN

(Continued From Page One.) Must Be Carried Away.

"The garbage will have to be got rid of in some way," said Dr. Burdon, chairman of the board of health. "The month of May is the breeding time for flies, and breeding-places must not be allowed to exist. Until the incinerator commences operations the board health will remain responsible for the

of works, expressed the hope that the of the lectures will incinerator would be ready to com- "The French-English School Question," mence operations about the middle of "Protestant Questions of the Day," and May. Fires are now being fed to dry "Rome's Aggression in Homes and out the kilns, and he expressed the Public Schools." Many Protestant

TAX RATE GOING TO 25 MILLS IS THE TREASURER'S VIEW

Electrification and Breakwater Increase in Every Department Will Have To Be Provided For.

> ment May Reduce Figure Next Year.

City Treasurer Bell stated this morning that in his opinion it would not be possible to keep the tax rate below 24 or 25 mills this year. There has been a general increase in all the spending bodies and the new

districts have not provided the amount that was expected.

The general concensus of opinion sions of the citizens and ratepayers generally is that the rate will not be much under 25 mills.

Assessment Goes Up. The assessment of \$28,831,659 for 1911 jumped to \$31,694,805 in 1912, but from this amount there are tax exemptions to be deducted by the audit committee. Another two million increase in the city's assessment is looked for in 1913, and may tend to keep next year's tax rate within reasonable limits. This year's rate will, however, be a stiff alvance on the comparatively low rate of 22% mills for last year.

additional \$41,000 for courthouse and jail repairs will mean an additional three-quarters of a mill if the present plans and tenders are The new school buildings and additions will require an extra one-third of a mill for interest and sinking

The waterworks improvements and extensions, the Victoria Hospital additions, and the increase in the esti-mates of the board of works will

mean the addition of a mill or so to the rate struck last year.
Not Below Twenty-Five Mills. The natural and normal increases asked for by the other spending bodies

LOCAL NEWS

Illustrated Art Lecture.—An illustrated art lecture is to be given in St. Andrew's Hall on Tuesday next by E. Wyly Greer. The lecture will be under the auspices of the London Art Association.

Not To Make Improvements. - A rumor to the effect that the City Gas Company had made all arrangements for a number of improvements in the elty, circulated about the city several days ago, was denied by Superintendent Young today. "We have not definitely decided upon any changes yet," said he, "and it will be a week or more before we will."

"Progs" Did Not Meet .- East London Progressives did not meet on Thursday evening as is their usual custom. Whether they were all too busy to attend to civic improvements or whether they were called away on more important business is unknown. Probably the fine weather had something to do with the postponement of the meeting. At any rate there was no meeting.

Dies After Operation .- Mr. John Wood died suddenly at Victoria Hospital on Thursday. Mr. Wood underwent an operation from which he did not recover. The funeral will be private on Saturday from the residence of Mr. Robert Deane, 178 John street, at 3 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Sage will conduct the services at 2:30, at the house and the graveside.

A Wages Case .- Squire Chittick reserved judgment until April 30 in the case of James Pearson against Henry Stead, in forwhich the former sued his former employer for \$14.55. The complainant claimed that he agreed to work for Stead, who is a Westminster farmer, for the winter months at \$10 per month and that he had only received part of the money due him. All the evidence was taken this morning. Mr. G. N. Weekes acted for Pearson and Mr. John M. Gunn ap-

peared for the defendant Presentation to Mr. Burnip. - Mr Alfred Burnip, of York street east, an employee of the D. S. Perrin Company for 23 years, left recently to take Caught in Ice charge of the Doerr biscuit firm in Berlin, and before leaving the employees of the bakeshop presented him with a leather club bag. His many friends wish him success, especially those in the east end, where he has resided for the last seventeen years.

Gray, the young Irishman who committed suicide by drowning himself at the cove recently, was a Barnardo Home boy. He resided for some time in Toronto, and after being placed at West Lorne came to London. A member of a family with whom he resided stated to The Advertiser today that Gray was always brooding and was liable to sudden spells of great de-pression and often had hallucinations. The family with whom Gray boarded intends writing to his relatives in England, notifying them of what has hap-

pened.
Protestant Mass Meeting.—A mass prevention of garbage nuisances, and meeting of Protestants of all denominathere will be nothing for us to do but tions is to be held in the Y. M. C. A. to force the individual householders to Auditorium on Wednesday, April 30, get rid of their garbage as best they when addresses will be delivered by can, however much of a hardship that his Worship Mayor Hocken of Torontmay be for them. It certainly will be to, Frederick Dane, of Toronto, and a very serious problem."

Ald. Bennett, chairman of the board Mayor Graham will preside. The titles

ary disappearance, but that a messen-

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ger who had been dispatched with a! message to inform his wife of an intended motor boat ride with a friend ad failed to deliver the message. Discuss Storm Sewers.—It is under tood that a special session of the city council will deal with Engineer Chipman's storm sewer report. The report was not discussed Thirsday night, but a special session of the board of works has been called for next Tuesday night to deal with it. The next regular session of the council will be May 5.

Emperor Bill May Not Get That Yacht

[Canadlan Press.]

Berlin, April 25.—The risk of the rejection by the Imperial Parliament of an appropriation of \$2,500,000 to build a new yacht for Emperor William, is so great that an urgent summons has been sent to all "loyal" deputies to be present in force when the matter comes up for debate

The Socialists, it is understood, innted of demand a roll call on the third readng of the appropriation when the Poles, he Danes, the Alsatians and many of the southern German members of the clerical centre party have announced their intention of voting against the ex-cenditure. It is pointed out by the Gov-ernment that only in the event of a full house being assembled can the passage of the appropriation be assured.

Man Found Bruised and Bleeding Behind Sign Board Alleges Robbery

Two citizens, going home along Clarnce street Thursday night about :2130. were startled by loud cries, coming from behind a billboard at the corner of Bathurst street. They found Herbert Martin, an Englishman, who said that he came from Stratford. severely cut about the head, and claimd to have been assaulted and robbed. He told a similar story to the police but they do not place much faith in the man's story. He was charged with drunkenness and was discharged this morning.

Mistake Exposes Big Race Gamble

[Canadian Press.]

Montreal, April 25.—When a young man ook back a letter he had opened by misake this morning the postofice authorities here discovered that a gambling system. ties here discovered that a gambling sys-em of enormous proportions, and which takes in the whole of Canada, was be-ing conducted.

The letter opened by mistake contained

particulars of a sweepstake being con lucted by an English firm operating from ducted by an English firm operating from Copenhagen. Several thousand letters from the same firm addressed to local people and men in most of the large cities of Canada were noticed in the last English mail, which came up from New York. It was obvious from the contents of many of them that the Canadians have been patronicing the sweepstakes carly. atronizing the sweepstakes early As it is illegal to send matters relating to gambling through the mail, all the letters were confiscated and destroyed.

New Car Plant Is Going To Tillsonburg

[Special to The Advertiser.] Preston, April 25 .- A. J. Baillie, who promoted a car and coach works, which was at first to be situated at Grimsby, has recalled the charter and had it amended to read Tillsonburg instead of Grimsby. The reasons advanced or the change of the location were petter railway facilities and natural gas, which is abundant at Tillsonburg.

TONGS MAKE PEACE Frisco Chinese Fighting Clans Agree To Cease Murdering.

[Canadian Press.] San Francisco, April 25 .- The three nonths' warfare of the Bing Kong and Suey Sing Tongs has ended with the signing of a peace pact. The conflict, with its toll of nine street assassinations here and its killings in other Paelfic coast centres, will be the last, it is believed, of the many tong wars that San Francisco has had to cope with. The pinching of the purses of Chinese mer-

last victim of the war was killed.

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MURDER AND SUICIDE. New York, April 24. - After firing a bullet into the brain of his nine-yearold son last night, inflicting a wound from which the child died a few hours later at a hospital, William Vincent Robbins, a lawyer, of New York, and Norfolk, Va., committed suicide by cutting his throat at the home of his brother-in-law, in an uptown apartment house. A sealed letter left by Robbins was taken possession of by

the coroner Despondency caused by the es-

ed by the police as the probable cause of the murder and suicide.

SEEDING WELL ON.

Regina, Sask. April 25.—According to a bulletin issued by the department of agriculture seeding will be practically completed in Saskatchewan by the end of the present week. A preliminary estimate gives an increase in crop area of from 10 to 15 per cent, or a total acreage under all crops of about 10,500,000. opinion that the plant would soon be clergymen have been invited to atchants by means of a police blockade, which kept trade out of their shops, the Ald. Bennett stated that the report to the effect that the plant would be ready to operate by the 1st of May I. Calclough, the Grand Trunk news' had not been officially announced, although generally believed. police say, is the thing that forced peace Marie—"I wonder how old you are?" upon the fighting tongs. though generally believed.

The contract originally called for informed The Advertiser this morning that no mystery attended his tempor-The police today raised the blockade Julia-"I just told you my age." Marie which has kept tourists and others out of trangement from his wife was assign--"Yes that's what set me to wonderthe district since last Friday, when the