PITTSBURG, Pa., March 7 .- Oil opened

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL.

The following table shows the quotations per cental yesterday for American products at Liverpool, as well as for the three previous market days. In each case highest prices are given:

LIVERPOOL, March 7-Closing. Wheat-Spot, No. 2 red western winter steady, 6s 1d; No. 1 northern spring firm,

is 2d; No. 1 California, no stock. Futures

68 Zd; No. 1 California, no stock. Futures quiet; March, 68 1¾d; May, 68 1¾d. Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new, 58 1½d; American mixed, old, 58 2½d. Futures steady; March, 58 1½d; May, 56 1¾d; May,

Peas—Canadian, 6s 8d. Hops (at London)—Pacific coast firm, 43 10s to 44 10s.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter firm, 8s. Beef—Extra India mess firm, 79s. Pork—Prime mess western firm, 72s. Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, quiet, 46s 6d.

shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, quiet

Lard-Prime western in tierces, steady, 47s; American refined in pails, steady, 48s 3d.

24s 1%d. Turpentine spirits—Steady, 31s 3d.

Receipts of wheat during the past three lays, 207,000 centals, including 41,000

American.
Receipts of American corn during the

Weather-Misty.
SUGAR.
London, March 6.-Raw sugar, Muscovado, 7s 6d; centrifugal, 8s 6d; beet sugar,

DETROIT BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, March 7.—Beans are dull, with little change in prices. Quotations: Cash, \$151; May, \$149; June, \$148.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

steady. Sugar-Raw weak; fair refining,

Coffee-Weak and nominal; No. 7 Rio 5%c. Lead-Firm. Wool-Firm. Hops-

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Reported for The Advertiser by F. H. Butler, stock broker:

OUTWARD AND VISIBLE SIGN.

Ambitious Young Woman-Tell me,

ionestly, do you think I ever will make

Experienced Manager-Not unless

you can subdue that bright and cheer-ful smile. Haven't you learned by ob-

serving the pictures of great actresses

that they all wear a look of tragic and

General debility-failure of the strength

to do and the power to endure-is cured by the great tonic-Hood's Sarsaparilla.

NOTHING LOOKS more ugly than to see a person whose hands are covered over with warts. Why have these dis-

figurements on your person, when a sure remover of all warts, corns, etc., can be found in Holloway's Corn Cure?

BE THERE A WILL, WISDOM POINTS THE WAY.—The sick man pines for relief, but he dislikes sending for the doctor, which means bottles of drugs hever consumed. He has not the resolution to load his stomach with com-

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profound gloom?-Chicago Tribune.

refined dull. No. 7 Rio,

CHICAGO, March 7.

Open. High. Low. Close.

2 15-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 molasses sugar, 2 11-16c; refined

Wheat—May 76½ 77½ 76½

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Oats—May 44 44½

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Pork—May 15 30 15 40 15 30

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great actress?

Petroleum—Steady, 71%d. Rosin—Common firm, 4s 11/4d. Linseed oil, 32s.

past three days, none.

March, 6s 6%d.

Firm.

Butter-Steady; finest United States.

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TO-DAY'S MARKETS

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| St. John Electric Railway | 123 | 112% | |
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| Twin City Tram | 11416 | 114 | |
| Montreal Heat and Powe | r Co 9734 | 951/4 | |
| Bell Telephone Company | 169 | 167 | |
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| Molsons Bank | 212 | 210 | |
| Bank of Toronto | 240 | 230 | |
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estern Canada L. and S..... NEW YORK STOCKS.

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker,
Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.
Yesterday's

to those troubled with weak stomachs a veritable "staff of

By using it in conjunction with fruits, the dyspeptic will be able to throw his physic to the dogs.

Strong's Baking Powder

defles all honest competition. Once us always in favor. 25c Per Pound,

WEATHER BULLETIN

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| | TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET. | 25c Per Pound, | |
| | Toronto, March 7.—Wheat—Quiet, at 721/2 to 73c for red and white, middle | -AT | |
| | freights; goose, 68c, low freights to New York; spring, 72c for No. 1 and 72c for No. 2 east, Manitoba, No. 1 hard, 864c. | Strong's Drug Store, | |
| | en route, Sarnia and North Bay; No. 1 northern at 83½c, and No. 2 northern at 80c. Flour—Dull: cars of 90 per cent | 184 DUNDAS STREEV. | |
| | patents, \$2.87 in buyers' bags, middle freights; choice brands are loc to 20c higher; Manitoba, \$4.20 for cars of Hun- garian patents, and \$4 for strong bakers, | FREE to housekeepers on application, a valuable recipe book on the Art of | |
| | bags included, on the track, Toronto. Millfeed-Steady; cars of shorts are \$1850 | Cooking. | |
| | and bran at \$16 50 in bulk, middle freights. | Marriage Licenses at above address. | |
| | Barley—Quiet, at 56c to 56% for No. 1, 53c for No. 2, 51c for No. 3 east, and 50c | zxv | |
| | for No & middle freights. Buckwheat | | |
| - | -Quit, at 56c west. Rye-Quiet, at 564c west. Corn-Easier; No. 2 yellow at 56d | WEATHER BULLETIN | |
| | to 56% west. Oats-Steady; No. 2 white, | WEATHER BOLLETING | |
| | 41c to 41½c, middle freights. Peas- Firmer; No. 2 at 80c to 81c, high freights, | Yamahan Marah 7 Cam | |
| | and 82c middle freights. Butter-Demana | | |
| n. | for choice creamery and dairy is strong, but fine goods are almost impossible to | STATIONS- WEATHER. | |
| 8. | find: offerings largely low grade and | 8 a.m. Min. | |
| ic | medium: prices are steady; creamery | Calgary 14 12 Clear Winnipeg 8 6 Fair | |
| = | prints, 22c to 23c; solids, 21c to 214c; seconds, 18c to 20c; dairy pound rolls, | Parry Sound 30 26 Cloudy | |
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| | grades, 10c to 121/2c. Eggs-Market easy, | Montreal 28 22 Fair Quebec 20 16 Cloudy | |
| | and liberal offerings, at 18c to 20c for | Father Point 8 8 Snow | |
| | new-laid. Live hogs-Receipts today, | FORECASTS. | |
| | 900; prices unchanged; choice bacon, 6c; heavy and light at 5%c. | | |
| | | Today-Mostly fair; not much change in temperature. | |
| 2 | OIL MARKETS. | Saturday-About the same. | |
| 5 | PITTSRURG Pa. March 7Oil opened | WEATHER NOTES | |

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The weather is mild in the lake region and moderately cold elsewhere in Canada, and these conditions are unlikely to change much during today and

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

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 fined \$3 at the police court this morn--Mr. J. J. Moylan, representing a

Toronto firm of contractors, was in the city today. -Miss E. Griffiths, of this city, has returned home after an extended visit with Dr. and Mrs. Covell, of Pittsburg,

-Tenders will be called for on Sat urday, March 22, for the issue of \$20,-000 of county debentures, to redeem

other debentures. -The county auditors have nearly completed the audit of the county books. They have been working on them for over six weeks. -The members of Siloam Epworth

very pleasant and profitable time was DIVISION COURT SITTING.

The first division court sat this norning, Judge Edward Elliott presidng. About 30 cases were dealt with. BARBER-McINTYRE.

Miss J. McIntyre, of the East End, peg, where they will reside.

Hes 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut. 26 to 30 lbs, quiet, 40s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, quiet, 42s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, quiet, 45s; long clear middles, heavy, 35s to 40 lbs, quiet, 44s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, steady, 45s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, quiet, 37s; shoulders square 11 to 12 lbs, quiet CLANDEBOYE BRIDGE BROKEN. up the Clandeboye bridge, which had been washed away by the local many new admirance of the period washed away by the local many new admirance of the prince's request to t Commissioner Talbot went to Clandebeen washed away by the ice. The lower beam of the bridge broke some time ago, and as a new bridge is soon Butter—Steady; hnest United States, 95s; do, good, 72s.
Cheese—Firm; American finest white, 51s 6d; do, colored, 51s 6d.
Tallow—Prime city firm, 29s 9d; Australian (in London) firm, 31s 6d.
Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot dull, to be built, it was temporarily repair-

SERVIANS GO WEST.

A party of about 20 Servians came into the city last night after traveling from Detroit in their "prairie schooners." They have journeyed all the way from Oklahoma, Neb., in the wagons. They intend settling in Man-

JOHN POWERS RELEASED.

John Powers, of Brantford, one of the sextet of tramps arrested at Ailsa Craig, has been released from the county jail. He asked Sheriff Cameron to communicate with his mother in Brantford, who sent the money to pay his fine, about \$6. He had always been regarded as a respectable young man till he took up with bad company.

NEW YORK, March 7.—Flour—Receipts, 7,800 bbls; sales, 2,900 pkgs; flour showed little change, but was steady. Rye flour—Fair to good, \$3 25 to \$3 80; choice to fancy, \$3 50 to \$3 75. Wheat—Receipts, 37,505 bu; sales, 685,000 bu; wheat opened ARREST OF ALLEGED THIEVES. Duncan Fisher and Charles Muskokoman were arrested early this morning by Detectives Ward and High Con-37,505 bu; sales, 685,000 bu; wheat opened steady and ruled slow all the forenoon, without change; cables were firm, but crop news bearish; May, \$2%c to \$2%c; July, \$2%c to \$2%c; Sept., \$2c. Rye—Quiet; state, 60c to 61c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 65%c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 22,000 bu; sales, 35,000 bu; corn was quiet and barely steady, with moderate realizing a feature; May, 66%c to 67%c; July, 66c to 66%c. Oats—Receipts, 15,000 bu; oats were steady. Sugar—Raw weak; fair refining, stable McLoud on a charge of breaking into the house of Mrs. McGregor, of Caradoc, and stealing about ten bags of wheat, a horse blanket, a bushel of clover and a number of grain bags. They were brought before Squire Lacey and remanded until March 13.

COURT JEFFERY'S CONCERT.

A very successful concert was given by Court Jeffery, No. 50, A. O. F., at Society Hall, East London, on Tuesday evening. Bro. Gale, D.C.R., occupied the chair in a most acceptable manner. After the address, he read the report for 1901. The following comprised the programme: Instrumental duet, Misses Hawkins and Johnson; solo, Mr. Merritt; recitation, Miss Lewis; solo, Mr. Moule; recitation, Miss Cook; dialogue, by boys of court; solo, Mr. Dempsey; recitation, Mr. Hogg; duet, Messrs. Hogg and Walsh; solo, Master Anthony Adair; duet, Masters Hosie and Dufferin.

AN ENJOYABLE "AT HOME." The "At Home" given by the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Talbot Street Baptist Church last evening eclipsed all previous efforts in that direction. The

basement of the church was crowded with young people. The object of getting acquainted with strangers was the chief intention of the Y. P. S. C. E. in giving the "At Home," and wis was fully carried out. After spending an hour in renewing acquaintances and forming many new ones, the following short programme was given, Dr. Sowerby acting as chairman: Opening selection, instrumental; solo, Gregory; reading, Miss Hor-ton; solo, Miss McLeod; instrumental, Mr. Smith; reading, Miss Horton: solo Mrs. Woodburn. Refresh ments were served afterwards, which closed a most successful "At Home."

One-Third Off All Gold And Silver Chain Bracelets

for a few days ADKINS, The Joweler and April Licenses issued. Marriage Licenses i

Dr. Sowerby is doing a good work in the Talbot Street Church, and his energy is evidently infectious, as the members of the Y. P. S. C. E. seem to be enthusiastic in their endeavor to make strangers welcome and to extend such a greeting as will entice them back again. Dr. Sowerby's popularity is evidently increasing, and with the assistance of such a corps of young people the work will increase. Much of the success of the entertainment is due to the indefatigable efforts of Miss Nellie Evans, the president

LONDON MUSICIAN ASSISTED. Describing the very successful and enjoyable organ recital given Monday evening at Forest on the occasion of the formal opening of a new pipe organ, the Forest Free Press says: "Local talent was assisted by Vivian Reeve, organist of Memorial Church, London, and Herman Stahl, agent of the Karn Company, who had placed the organ in position. Among Mr. Reeve's selections were Mendelssohn's 'War March of the Priests,' and Handel's 'Hallelujah Chorus,' both of which were rendered in a masterly manner, receiving hearty applause. Mr. Reeve is deserving of the warmest thanks for the work he so unselfishly gave during the evening. In addition to his beautiful recitals, the duties of accompanist were discharged by him most efficiently, and should he again favor Forest will be warmly received.'

SUCCESSFUL ENTERTAINMENT. The Sunday school entertainment given in the Southern Congregational Church proved a complete success and reflected great credit on the committee which consisted of Mr. Babb's class, under the direction of their teacher, and the energetic Sunday school secretary, Mr. Gervys Smith. The church was crowded to the doors, with chairs in the aisles, for the audience who attentively listened to one of the best of programmes. Two drills were well given by little folks and a pole drill by the class. The outside talent, in every instance, was excellent, and the efforts of the contributors were much -One drunk, Samuel H. Claris, was appreciated; but the piece of the evening was the pantomime, by the class "Nearer, My God, to Thee," which was perfect. The tendency of the whole programme was uplifting.

AUDITORIUM RECITAL A NOTABLE EVENT.

Large Audience Greeted Ellen Miriam Kurzenknabe and Assisting Artists.

Local lovers of dramatic and musical art have seldom been treated to a more delightful evening's entertainment than that provided at the recital League entertained the Grove Epworth League on Wednesday evening last. A of Ellen Miriam Kurzenknabe, in the Auditorium, last evening. Miss Kurzenknabe was assisted by Alice Calder Stock, soprano soloist of the First Methodist Church; Mr. Thomas Martin, pianist, and Mr. Maurice Poure, violinist. The accompanists were Miss Raymond and Mr. Charles Percy. As a reader, Miss Kurzenknabe long ago won the warm approval of London audiences, and her efforts last night met was united in marriage to Mr. W. Bar- with most flattering applause. Possess ber, of Winnipeg, this week at the ed of much personal magnetism and ber, of Winnipeg, this week at the constraint of the bride's father. The bride's father father. The bride's father fathe night was not satisfied with the numbers on the programme, but compelled Miss Kurzenknabe to respond to en-

many new admirers.
Mr. Poure and Mr. Martin, it is needless to say, delighted the audience

by the grace of their work. The programme was as follows: Violin Solo-Elegie Ernst Introduction Spohr eading—Macbeth—Act 1, scene 7:
Dagger Scene. Sleep - Walking
Scene

.........Charles Sherman Haight (With violin obligato.)

Violin Solo-Stregghe......Paganinmi (a) Recessional..... (b) All in Each.....

(c) Bugle Song.....Tennyson ----GAS MACHINE GOES UP. Omemee, March 7.-The explosion of

an acetylene gas machine in W. Col-vin's barber shop blew out the windows and set fire to the building. The fire was quickly got under control by Evans' hand engine, which was manned by volunteers. Colvin's assistant, W. McDonnel, was cut by flying glass, but there were no other casualties. THREE MEN KILLED IN A LAND-SLIDE.

Paducah, Ky., March 7.-A landslide on the Illinois Central Railway, near Rosine Tunnel, yesterday, killed three men. The dead are. William Simons, Horse Branch, Ky.; Granville Morton, Horse Branch, Ky.; Thomas Dobbs Rosine, Ky. The bank of a deep cut caved in and several workmen were buried. All were taken out alive, except the three men named.

ST. THOMAS ALDERMEN. Toronto, March 7 .- The aldermen of St. Thomas must defend the action brought against them by President Roberts and the Trades and Labor Council, charging that plural voting was improperly permitted. The master at Osgoode Hall has given judgment for an order for the examination of witnesses on pending application by relator to set aside the election of the eleven respondents as aldermen of the city of St. Thomas. Held, that notice of motion given herein is good and sufficient notice for Tuesday, the 25th February, 1902 and that the sureties can have no valid ground of objection because of proceedings not properly executed. Order made for examination of witnesses before examiner to be appointed on settling

NEVER WORRY

Take them and go about your business-they do their work while you are doing yours.

Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills are purely vegetable and act upon the Liver without disturbance to the system, diet, or occupation. 10 cents a time and the house adjourned at 11:40

They are system renovators, blood purifiers, For sale by C. McCallum & Co.

ST. CLAIR GIRL

Married a Man Who Robbed Her HON. MR. STRATTON'S Aunt's Home.

The Youth Was Wealthy and Turned Burglar as a Relief From Ennui.

Binghamton, N. Y., March 6 .- A romantic wedding took place at Bradford yesterday when Miss Ethel Moore, of St. Clair, Mich., was married to H. Louis Park.

Park is the son of wealthy parents and is a fellow of appearance, with an irresistible longing for the sensa-tional. Though he has property in his own name, he became a burglar, not for gain, but for the excitement attendant upon the robberies.

There have been numerous mysterious burglaries in the locality, in which valuables were stolen, to be afterwards returned to their owners through a mysterious and undiscoverable source. Miss Moore was at the residence of her aunt, Mrs. E. K. Hollenbeck, at Wells, Bradford county, when Park forced his way into the dwelling. She had met him at a party a week previous and being awakened by the noise recognized the intruder. Asking an explanation, he finally confessed and promised to discontinue his practices. He requested the privilege of calling, which was granted under conditions, and the midnight meeting ended in yesterday's wedding.

ARRESTED IN FAR OFF DENVER

Police Receive Telegram That Russell Is Caught.

The local police department have received a telegram that a man supposed to be John W. Russell, of this city, had been arrested in Denver, Col., as a result of the circulars sent out by the police here to other police departments. Russell, as reported exclusively in Wednesday's Advertiser, failed to return to the city last Saturday after his regular weekly trip as a traveler for J. Garvey & Co. Nearly \$500, which Russell is said to have collected for the firm also failed to return. It now remains with the attorneygeneral's department to decide whether Russell will be brought back or not.

AT THE PRINCE OF WALES' OWN REQUEST.

Name of 43rd Ottawa and Carlton Rifles Changed to "Duke of Cornwall's Own."

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, March 7.-The name of the the only regiment in Canada that has

PROMOTION OF A POPULAR CITIZEN

Mr. James McSween Goes to Higher Posttion at Windsor.

As a consequence of the appointment of T. H. Kenning, of Windsor, to be inspector of distilleries, Mr. James McSween, of this city, receives promotion. He succeeds Mr. Kenning as collector of inland revenue at Windsor, Mr. McSween, during his 21 years occupancy of the office of deputy collector here, has earned the goodwill of both his associates in the service and the citizens generally. Before coming to London, in 1881 he served two years at Windsor and three at Petrolea. During his residence here Mr. McSween has been one of the most active and valued members of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, having served for twenty years on the board of managers, three years as chairman,

this being his third term in that of-Mr. W. A. Thrasher, a Chatham lawyer, succeeds Mr. McSween here. H. R. Marcon, Stoney Point, has been appointed deputy collector of inland revenue at Windsor, an office which has been vacant for several months. Geo. H. McArthur, of Windsor, is appointed to the inland revenue service at Windsor and Walkerville.

THE DIVISION

On the Second Reading of Fremier Ross Prohibition Bill.

Toronto, March 6 .- The second reading of the prohibition bill in the Ontario Legislature was carried on the following division: Yeas-Allen, Auld, Aylesworth, Barber, Blezard, Bowman, Breithaupt, Brown, Burt, Caldwell, Carpenter, Charlton, Clarke, Conmee, Davis, Dickenson, Douglas, Dryden, Farwell, Gibson, Graham, Gross, Guibord, court, Hill, Hislop, Holmes, Latchford, Lee, Leys, Loughrin, Lumsden, Mal-colm, Marter, Munro, Mutrie, McKay, McKee, Pardee, Pattullo, Pense, Pettypiece, Preston, Richardson, Ross, Russell, Smith, Stratton, Taylor.-48. Nays—Barr, Beatty (Leeds), Boyd, Brower, Carnegie, Colquhoun, Craw-ford, Dempsey, Duff, Eilber, Fallis,

Foy, Fox, Gallagher, Hoyle, Jamieson, Joynt, Kidd, Kribs, Little, Lucas, Matheson, Miscampbell, Monteith, Mor-rison, Macdiarmid, McLaughlin, Powell, Pyne, Reid (Durham), Robson, Thompson, Tucker, Wardell, Whitney

Pairs-Garrow, Carscallen; Beatty (Parry Sound), Macdonald; Truax, Reid (Addington); Pardo, Allen; Bridgland, Hislop.

The bill was then read a second

60 feet above the ground, on the halfcompleted Hall of Records, at Chambers and Center streets. It is more than 36 feet long, 4 feet wide and 2 feet thick and required nearly three months to quarry.

STRAIGHT DENIAL

As to Connection With \$4,000 Grant-The Implications Are Absolutely Untrue.

Toronto, March 7. - The public accounts committee concluded their work for the session yesterday.

Hon. Mr. Stratton asked to be called, and made a statement in connection with the \$4,000 grant to the Dickson Lumber Company for the Stoney Creek dam. Mr. Stratton said he had first been asked by representatives of the company, before he was a member of the government, to endeavor to secure a grant in connection with the works on the creek, as they were of more or less service to the settlers, and to the

other lumbermen getting out logs in the locality, and also of value in conserving the water and regulating the flow. The request had been repeated after he had become a member of the government. It was on his representation to the cabinet, he said that the grant was made \$4,000 instead of \$5,000, in view of the dam costing \$8,100 instead of from \$10,000 to \$13,000, as was originally estimated. "As for having any conversation with Mr. Shook or Mr. Hail," Mr. Stratton continued, "with Mr. McGill or any other person possibly connected with the company, by which there would be any payment by the company, it is absolutely untrue. It never was suggested, it was never thought of, never dreamed of, so far as the government or myself was concerned; no payment was received, no payment was promised, no payment was made. I do not know that I can make it any stronger."

NO-PROFIT SYSTEM IN GREAT BRITAIN

Excessive Drinking.

Ottawa, March 7 .- Earl Gey, who ame to Canada to explain to temperance deformers here the methods of the British public house trust, and who spent some time in Ottawa visiting his sister, the Countess of Minto, a few days before leaving Ottawa invited a correspondent to Rideau Hall, and there spoke of the work of the public house trust in Great Britain.

The earl said he felt a certain deli-

cacy in speaking here on the subject of drink, because he found it a matter of division between the political parties. "In England," he said, "one may wait until the grave without the hope of getting any temperance re-form. A practical reformer should act himself if he wants to get any reform. My object is to try to put a ring fence around the public house. At present we ask the license authorities to grant us any new licenses they may consider necessary, and we may buy other icenses in the open market if we can. We want to have a trust which will be able to take over any new licenses 43rd Ottawa and Carlton Rifles has granted, and conduct the trust houses in a way that will be best for the people. In this we are encouraged by wall's Own, and the Prince of Wales some of the best brewers, who are becomes its honorary colonel. This is anxious to have only good brew sold. We are not total prohibitionists, and see no harm in a glass of beer, but we with my liberty. The earl said he had not come to Canada to interfere in political questions, or to tell any person what to do. He was here to explain what they were trying to do in England in the hope that their efforts

might be useful to the people of Can-EXTREMISTS ARE MENACE TO SOCIETY.

Boston Paper's Comments on a Tail-Twisting Congressman.

Judging by his name and his statement that his father was a foreigner, counterfeit of genuine butter, such a we are inclined to believe that Congressman Wheeler, of Kentucky, is the son of a man of English birth, and compound of hog lard, steer fat and this to guite a degree accounts for his cottonseed grease. To such perfection intense and most fanatical views on the subject of monarchical governments, says the Boston Herald. It is advocating an honest thing for the hona curious circumstance that many est workingman, as you are earnestly Englishmen who come to this country are, after a few years, entirely revolutionized in their opinions concerning the customs and practices of the land of their birth. These changes are frequently carried to those extremes which are said to characterize the ardor of young converts-that is, a man who has been a free trader in England, possibly without knowing why, becomes after a few years' stay in America, a rabid protectionist, and an honest industry. this, too, without knowing why. In fact, some of the most intolerant up- cow, and verily we shall have an holders of our tariff system that we abundance of genuine butter for our have ever met have been men who admitted that, in the days of their youth in England, they thought themselves be ours. (Loud applause.) to be thoroughgoing free traders. The same swinging in opinion from one extreme to another has characterized others in the matter of a deference or respect shown to those representing the English Government system. The average Englishman at home is apt to exhibit a deference and veneration for a member of the order of nobility or of the royal family that to the American mind is inexplicable. When such an Englishman comes to this country and has lived here for years, the recollection of the way in which he humiliated himself is intensely galling, and in revenge, so to speak, for his past unconscious wanting of self-respect, there grows within him an

represented these classes. To those in this country whose mon on, but I'll be in in a few minutes." American roots run back through several generations, the last attitude of and imperative command arrived. as was their former condition. The without the salmon." veneration for these foreign methods to appreciate the circumstances is not and those who represent them. If a told. great nation wishes to have an emperor, or a king, or an aristocracy, he peror, or a king, or an aristocracy, he considers that its people have the right to make their own choice of government, even though their choice would be one which he would not make on his own account. More than this, if a representative of one of these menpurposes—will be swung into its place, and builders. Every gland and tissue in the New York, March 7.—A monster pilbe one which he would not make on lar of granite—the largest solid piece his own account. More than this, if the use of them. 100 pills in a vial, 25c. 45 of stone ever quarried for building a representative of one of these men-

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country, the genuine American feels that he should be treated with that degree of respect and hospitality that is due to one who represents a great nation, and also, if our government is officially asked to send some one to attend the coronation of the head of a friendly foreign nation, the genuine American does not consider that his belief in the advantages of the democratic system are in the least weakened by taking part in a great cere-mony of this kind.

A GALLANT DEFENSE OF A HUMBLE COW.

A Stirring Speech by a New Illinoi Congressman.

The United States Congressional Re-

cord of Feb. 15 contains the follow-

Mr. Chairman,-I desire to say a few, words on this greasy subject. I am a friend to the cow. I am a friend to the woman that milks the cow. I am a friend to the man that stands by and watches his wife while she milks the cow, for is she not his helpmeet? I love to see the woman churn the foaming cream until the butter cometh. I Earl Grey's Scheme for Putting a Stop to love the nice fresh buttermilk, and love to see the busy housewife wallop the butter about in her hands into shapely rolls. I, love to see the butter come, and I love to make the butter

Memory goes back to the happy time when the cows came home, and to the less happy times when I had to make them come home. Any man who has been raised with a cow will never lose his friendship for her, and go back upon her, nor upon her back, when ad-

versity strikes her business.

The gentleman from Virginia (Mr. Lamb) paid the cow a beautiful and eloquent tribute, but let me say to him that the Virginia cow cannot be compared with the big fat cows of the Mississippi Valley and beyond. I am well aware that Virginia is entitled to the proud distinction of having been the "mother of presidents," but she was not the mother of the cow. The Mississippi Valley cow is a marvel of wonder and the pride of every home. She never goes dry. She is kind and gentle, and has such a maternal affection that she often licks the milker in-

stead of her calf. If I fail to vote for this bill I shall feel that I cannot go home and ever again look an honest cow in the face. The cows in my country are Democratic cows. They give Democratic milk, Democratic majorities in my district They are not yet aware, sir, that there is such a thing as oleo in any part of their anatomy. Why, sir, even our hogs have not learned that their greasy in'ards contribute to the greedy of building up a great anti-cow butter monopoly. If the peaceful hog knew,

it he would grunt in shame.

The cow in my country lives in Arcadian simplicity. She dwelleth amid She dwelleth amid green pastures and looketh dubiously at the Republican politician as he passeth by on his mission to hoodoo the honest votes

Frolicsome calves gallop about with tails erect, rejoicing in the fullness of Democratic freedom that is theirs. The cow is contented and happy, out in my district, in her benevolent work of giving milk for young Democrats. Little does this patient cow know that the honest product of her toil is being counterfeited so successfully by cunning men, that the butter eater knoweth not any more what he eateth when he buttereth his bread.

The "wholesome food product" called oleomargarine you say: is such a fine delicious substitute, that the honest son of toil cannot tell whether he is eating pure butter or this fraudulent has swindling come at last under Republic rule and misrule. Why should you not be as earnestly and eloquently advocating this substitute, this compound of mysterious fats, for him? I tell you the honest son of toil is entitled to have the honest product of honest labor, the best and not the poorest, the genuine and not the counterfeit. We should take off our hats to these honest sons of toil, for we are here by their votes, by their kind per-They expect us to give an honest vote for an honest measure. This bill is an honest measure to protect

Gentlemen, let us stand by the honest bread, and milk for our babies-and the earth and the fullness thereof shall

HE WAS BUSY.

It is scarcely credible that so faithful a servant and so good a courtier as John Brown of Balmoral could ever deliberately have kept his sovereign waiting, but the London Tattler relates an anecdote which shows that he had a very human side. Brown was very fond of fishing, and

one day, when he had a fine salmon on his hook, there came a message from the castle on Deeside, desiring his presence at once. Queen Victoria was going for her afternoon drive, and it was Brown's duty to attend her, as he always did, sitting in the rumble of the carriage. "Tell her majesty that I'll be quick-

aristocratic or monarchical distinction. ly," he said. But the salmon was strong and could alty and nobility because in the past not be landed at once. Another and he was a servile adorer of those who more urgent message reached him. "Tell her majesty that I have a sal-Still the salmon held out, and a third

mind of these naturalized citizens is "Tell her majesty," shouted Brown, almost as difficult of comprehension "that it's not possible for me to leave genuine American does not feel it. Nor did he. But whether the Queen necessary to express either disgust or knew enough of fishing and fishermen

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