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How It is Proposed to Mark the Ter-

Ottawa, Feb. 12.-A deputation from Quebec, some thirty strong, waited up-on Sir Wilfrid Laurier to-day to re-quest that the Dominion government take up the project of the tercentenary of the founding of Quebec by Cham-plain, and provide for a national celeplain, and provide for a national celebration of the event in whatever is considered the most fitting form.

The deputation submitted that the plan was to obtain a grant of about \$100,000 from the Province of Quebec and \$50,000 from the Ancient Capital itself, which would place \$650,000 at the shoulder last May in trying to reach the far away lines on the switch board. disposal of those who take the celebra- board.

disposal of those who take the cereation is to have the celebration in hand.

The plan in contemplation is to have the celebration take place in the week of July 3, for which an elaborate program has been drawn up, in which the representatives of England, France and the United States would be invited to participate. The program would include a formal expression of the homage of Canadians of all classes to His Majesty, and of grateful remembrance to the mother country of Champlain, the father of the Canadian nation; the inauguration of a monunation; the inauguration of a monu-ment to Bishop Laval, the celebration hours a girl could work overtime and ment to Bishop Laval, the celebration of the confederation anniversary, thanksgiving services in the various churches, a national procession, in which all elements of the Canadian nation would take part, together with public amusements, tournaments and sports on land and water.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that the idea of having the fleets of Britain, France and the United States assemble at Que-

of having the fleets of Britain, France and the United States assemble at Queboc would commend itself to everybody. It would be a factor for peace and good-fellowship between the three greatest nations of the world, and would add to the lustre of Quebec, which was the cradle of Canadian civilization.

Others—the girl was in a rather pitiable plight.

Effects of Strain.

Miss Richmond was an employe of years experience. She produced a diary dating back to January, 1900. Insection.

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FUR BUYERS

Mr. Cassels, counsel for the Bell Telephone Company, is annoyed at the newspapers. Before the telephone enquiry opened yesterday afternoon he ed: "All the newspapers are exclaimed: "All the newspapers are pandering to the city sentiment." Later, in the cross-examination of Miss Lazier, who appeared too flustered to reply to the counsel's queries unless the answers were first suggested, Mr. Cassels made an appeal to the reporters, saying he hoped they would be fair enough to record "that statement" which was to the effect that she was satisfied with the wages she had been receiving, but had struck because the hours were increased, and when the counsel suggested that the company must have "some system" by which to cater satisfactorily to its clientele, witness said she supposed so.

Just before the close of the afternoon proceedings, Mr. Cassels objected that time was being wasted indiscriminately in bringing witness after witness for no other reason than to show that the company hadn't as yet provided the relief promised.

"O, then, you admit that the company hasn't come up with the promised relief," broke in Mr. Curry.

"Why, certainly," responded Mr. Cassels, "Mr. Dunstan will get in the box and tell you the actual conditions under which the whole local system is operating at the present time, and explain the why and wherefor."

"Well," said Mr. King, "the trouble has been that from the evidence, it would appear this very point was in doubt. We would like to be convinced that the company's promise of relief was given in good faith, and would be lived up to."

Didn't Like Listening.

Miss Jessie Leckie, the girl who had pandering to the city sentiment." Lat-

Didn't Like Listening.

ined Mr. Maw, who said about 100 operators were now in the main office between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. The 20 money pretty badly, for the dollar was to all except an occasional odd one.

"Very funny," said Mr. Curry examined Mr. Curry (No. 1) and the control of the c "Very funny," said Mr. Curry, "None I have examined seem to have gotten

The superintendent said there were about 100 competent operators on the waiting list now. Over 260 strikers had been re-engaged. Two or three lines have been changed to relieve the load.

Mr. Curry wanted to know how many of the girls who are still out many of the girls wh would be taken back. "Don't you answer that!" said Mr. cassels. "I protest. We can settle

Miss Davis, a self-supporting girl,

1901. This was a fair average at that time. Her calls per hour had averaged 290. Witness referred to her book for the date when she had begun wearing glasses. The opticians said she required glasses because of nervous strain.

Funeral if G. N. Kidd. Ottawa, Feb. 12.—The funeral of the late G. N. Kidd took place this afternoon. A large number of colleagues attended. Among them were: R. L. Borden, M. P.; Uriah Wilson, M. P.; George Taylor, M. P.: Dr. Ferguson, M. P.; Col. Matheson, Dr. Preston, E. A. Dunlop, Hon. Nelson Monteith, W. R. Smyth, M.I.A.'s, and many others. The legislative assembly sent a wreath and Premier Whitney a spray.

New Yacht for Clifford. Tweed, Feb. 12.—A handsome new yacht, 100 feet long, with torpedo stern, was purchased in New York last week by Hon. Clifford Sifton for his private use on the St. Lawrence. His yacht Skylark he has sold to

Keep Your Eye on Silver Bird. This stock is now selling at 15 cents per share. It will sell above \$1.00 in-side of six months. See advertisement

Ottawa, Feb. 12.—The Hull City Council will take legal steps forthwith to restrain the Hamilton Powder Co. from obtaining a new license in this city. The powder company refuse to move

The harbor board will send a representa-tive with the civic deputation to go to Ottawa to-morrow night to burry up the government on the deepening and widen-

### ORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS

TORONTO JUNCTION.

Clair, 179 on roll, average attendance 160. Forty-eight of those at St. Clair are from S.S. 13. Miss Brown requested leave of absence until September next. The heating syste mwas debated. The increase of salary recommended by the management committee was laid over for another month, until the estimates are struck. A communication was received from S. Ryding, asking for an official test of the steam heating plant, to take place as soon as convenient.

W. J. Fairfield, for some years the

W. J. Fairfield, for some years the Junction's correspondent of The Star, leaves on Thursday for Winnipes where he has accepted a position on The Telegram.

Miss Jessie Leckie, the girl who had been discharged for calling Miss Clark "a contemptible sneak" and for "list-ening" on a line where she had no instructions to do so, was the first witness of the day. She told of the adverse conditions, and Mr. Cassels who, on his arrival in America several weeks ago, commenced to adverse with the use of "going over twitness after witness to show what we admit."

"Well, if you admit that these girls were driven like slaves," began Mr. Curry.

"No, no, we admit nothing of the kind," was the quick interruption.

"Well, then, that is what I want to show."

"It is only to impress the newspapers," retorted Mr. Cassels.

Miss Leckie, the girl who had been discharged for a line along the Danforth-road, and that construction work had been started.

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his ideas about this important industry.

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Building construction constitutes one of the larg-

Toronto Junction, Feb.12.-The school poard met to-night. The principal report on attendance as follows: Annette-street, 611 on roll, average attendance 521; Western-avenue, 379 on roll, average attendance 219; Carlton, 442 on roll, average attendance 371; St. Clair, 179 on roll, average attendance

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The Least Toronto, Feb 12.—Last night's meeting of the town council was fruit-less in effecting any settlement of the yexed rallway question. The absence of Councillor Rollson gave the supporters of the railway extension a chance to secure a snap verdict on a motion by Councillor Nimmo, declaring that in the event of the annexation scheme being rejected by the city. steps would be positively taken to proceed with the extension on the basis suggested by Manager Moore. But for the defection of Councillor Brown, who was thought to be favorable to the extension, the town to-night would be piedged to grant a statutory franchise to the Toronto & York, if the city declines to entertain the annexation plan. A vote to let the whole question stand over until the fate of the latter scheme is settled, was then carried. Mayor Ross announced that a new proposition was in course of submission to the town, with respect to a rival electric line, and a communication from the railway commission stated that permission had been granted for a line along the Danfonth-road, and that construction work had been started.

Who, on his arrival in America say.

King Township.

Mrs. Eliza Cook of King died intestate, and her estate, valued at \$1903.66, goes to her three sons, Robert, William and Jos-

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ther prompts both parties.

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Caleb Mann of Satton left his estate to his widow Mary Jeuima Mann. It is valued at \$4000. He owned a lot in Sutton worth \$000 and a farm in North Gwillimitary worth \$3006.

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King Cook of King ded intestate.

Noises and quiverings heard and felt by residents in the vicinity of Swansea early resterday morning and regarded as a result

A New Church, Arrangements have been made by the church extension committee of the Angilcan Dicese of Toronto to establish a mission in the rapidly growing section of the city bounded by Spidira-road Ossington areune and Davenport-road. The site has not yet been definitely selected, but the matter will likely be decided at the committee's next meeting.

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CAN ERS WANT, PURE FOOD. 2000 Delegates in Convention 8 Bu alo to Form Association. Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 12.-The national

onvention of fruit and vegetable Cor. King and Victoria Sts., Toronto PRIVATE DISEASES packers and allied associations opened here to-day. President Bailey of the Atlantic States Packers' Association spoke of the great need of a national associa-

tion. President Sears of the Western Packers' Canned Goods Association suggested that a law be passed compelling a uniform standard of tinplate.

President Frost of the National Canned Goods & Dried Fruit Brokers' As-

Nearly 2000 delegates are in attendance from all parts of the United States and Canada.

Scene over the question of the precedence of his wife, that he had worn trousers turned up at the foot in the presence of the emperor.

SHOULD ABOLISH THE LORDS.

tween McMaster and Knox College. for the house of lords."

For the affirmative, R. C. Benson, B. A., and F. S. Bedden, B. A., represented McMaster, and B. C. McGregor,

B. A., and H. M. Paulin, B. A., spoke for Knox College. The judges were fustice Maclaren, Prof. Bowles of Victoria University, and J. S. Willison. The award favored the affirma-

VARSITY'S PRIZE ORATOR.

Six young men took part in the orawere writing home. and these letters P.-had considerable ries." trouble in making a decision. The successful competitor was H. H. Davis in the subject, "Canada as a

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sociation hoped to see the formation of have been his misbehavior at the cou a national association at this conven- ball given a fortnight ago. tion, with auxiliary associations, what began as pleasantries over his having worn a cutaway coat and a black and white check shirt at an afndustry."

A notable feature of all the addresses Eitel Fredericks' ladies-of-honor, bewas the praise bestowed upon the came a regular campaign, so that every new pure food law, and the determina-tion to live strictly to the letter of the

Castle Memorial Hall was well filled last night, the occasion being the semi-final intercollegiate debate be-Prof. Ballantyne presided, and the subject was, "Resolved that the efficiency of the government of England would be increased by the abolition

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Newport's Beau Brummel Gets Libeled in German Press. Berlin, Feb. 12.-Various newspapers

presence of the emperor, and other ridiculous things. From these the discussion passed to general criticism of Americans and of the embassy. It is affirmed by persons who were present at the court ball that not one of the stories has the least founda-

LORD'S DAY ACT POPULAR. Great Enthu lasm Thruont Says Mr. Shearer.

Rev. J. G. Shearer, who has been for the past four weeks engaged in the general work of the Lord's Day Al-Hance in Manitoba and the Northwest, has returned to Toronto. Mr. Shearer had completed arrangenents to go as far west as Edmonton, but the branch lines thruout Manitoba and the Northwest were practically out of business and Swift Current was the

FAMILY FLEE WITH MURDERER. Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Feb. 12.-News of a brutal murder at Marlborough yesterday, and the subsequent flight of the murderer, with the wife and child-

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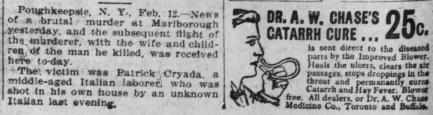
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auspices of the University College and
Literary Society, was attended by a
large gathering:

Or business and Swift Current was the
most westerly point reached.

"Everywhere," said Mr. Shearer, "I
found the greatest enthusiasm respecting the more stringent provisions of
the new Lord's Day Act, and I am
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the Edmonton district, were now would do more good for Canada than all the official literature in the world.



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