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Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED

TACKABURY—At London Junction, on May 4, Edna, infant daughter of John and Emma Tackabury, aged 11 months.

Funeral private, on Saturday, at 3 o'clock, service at 2:30.

GUNN—At London, Ontario, on the 4th May, 1899, Walter William Gunn, son of the late Alexander Gunn, Esq.

Funeral private, from the residence of his brother-in-law, Mr. John Fried, 468 Queen's avenue, on Saturday, at 2 p.m. Please omit flowers.

BECK—In this city, on Thursday, May 4, 1899, Jesse Beck, fireman, C. P. R., aged 32.

Funeral on Saturday morning, at 6:30, to G. T. R. station, from A. Preston's, 693 Elias street. Services Friday night at 8 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances will kindly accept this intimation.

Amusements and Lectures

BASEBALL!

London vs. Columbia Giants

Friday and Saturday, May 5 and 6.
Games called 3:30.
Opening games, St. Thomas, May 10 and 11. 35c

THEY REPORT CLEAR WEATHER, SEA calm. The latest telegrams report weather clear and the sea smooth. Arrival of ships reported by wire to F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser office. Very low rates to or from old country. Official direct agency Allan, Beaver and other lines.

SPECIAL—MESSRS. DAYTON & McCORMICK have secured the services of a first-class fencing teacher for May, June and July. Private or class lessons for ladies or gentlemen. For particulars apply at Palace Dancing Academy.

SULPHUR SPRINGS BATHS — NOW open for the season from 6:30 to 9 o'clock, under the new management of Cole & Edmonds. zxvt

SONG OR SPEECH—WEAK, DEFECTIVE or ugly voices improved in power and quality in ten lessons or money refunded. Voices tried free Wednesdays. Herbert Connop, vocal science system. Studio, Somerset Hall, 240 Dundas street. 25bc eod

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Meetings.

MASONIC—A REGULAR COMMUNICATION of St. John's Lodge, 209a, A., F. and A. M., will be held this (Friday) evening, May 5, at 7:30. General business and degrees. Visitors welcome. Arthur W. White, W.M.; T. A. Rowat, P.M., secretary. b

S. O. E.—CHELSEA LODGE MEETS THIS (Friday) evening. Visiting brethren welcome. R. Gray, Pres.

A MEETING FOR THE STUDY OF THE International Sunday school lesson will be held Saturday in Y. M. C. A. lecture room, at 4:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Johnston will conduct the class. Teachers and students specially invited. 19tf v

School of Art & Design

Classes commencing March 6, 1899, in the Public Library. Evening classes, from 7:30 to 9:30.

Mechanical Drawing—Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Per term, $2.

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Afternoon classes, from 2 to 4, Tuesday and Thursday. Per term, $5.

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81tf E. ROSE, Principal.

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED — NURSE GIRL—APPLY 184 St. James street. b

WANTED AT ONCE—GOOD GENERAL servant. No washing or ironing. Also a nurse girl. References required. Apply Mrs. C. G. Jarvis, 611 Talbot street. 37u

WANTED—GOOD COOK AND KITCHEN girl at the O'Neil House, corner York and Talbot streets. 37c

WANTED — AT ONCE — A COOK—AT the City Hospital. 35c

WANTED—A YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST with housework. Apply at once to Mrs. Frank Plant, 790 Queen's avenue. 35c bw

WANTED—BY MAY 15—AN EXPERIENCED general servant; must be a good cook. Apply to Mrs. J. [illegible] McMechan, 368 King street. 33c zxv

WANTED—GOOD G[illegible] SERVANT; no washing. Appl[illegible]erin avenue. 29tf

Male Help Wanted.

WANTED — POR[illegible] APPLY H. M. Ryan, Clarence [illegible] 57u

WANTED—IRON M[illegible]DERS—HIGHEST wages paid to good men and steady work. Dominion Radiator Co., Limited, Toronto. 37c

WANTED—STOUT BOY—TO WORK ON farm. Apply W. J. Walker, Odell P.O. 37u

WANTED—STEWARD AND COOK FOR country club house. Man and wife preferred. Man must be experienced. Address, stating salary, box 192 Advertiser. 37c

WANTED — CARRIAGE PAINTER — steady job. Apply Robert Walker, Odell. 36c

WANTED—BOYS, AT PARISIAN STEAM Laundry. 35c

WANTED — HARNESS MAKERS — AT once; good fitters and finishers. Address Morley Bros., Saginaw, Mich. 34k

YOUNG MEN WANTED IN EVERY county in Ontario to put in and take orders for electric bells, annunciators, burglar alarms, telephones, medical batteries, etc. Send for particulars. R. M. Millar & Co., 434 Talbot street, London, Ont. 9tf

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Our prices are right.

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We buy all our footwear for cash, and sell for cash only. You don't have to pay for what other people got and didn't pay for. It is justice to you and to us. You get all that you pay for here. Just now we have some extraordinary values in Misses' footwear. Read these:

Misses' Dongola Kid, button heel and spring heel, sizes 11 to 2, at 85c, 90c and $1 00
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WANTED—CARPET SEWER—APPLY A. Screaton & Co. 36u

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WANTED — FANCY IRONERS — GOOD wages. Parisian Steam Laundry. 33g

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TO LET—THE MOVING VANS—OFFICE, 97 Carling street, near Talbot. Phone 1162. Night Phone 1167.

FOREST CITY MOVING VAN—LARGEST in the city. 30 years' experience. 398 Talbot street. Joseph Brown & Co., auctioneers, proprietors. 12tf

TO LET—JOHN BIGGS, THE FURNITURE mover, 22 years with London Furniture Co., will do you a good job. Call phone 310.

Articles For Sale.

GENTLEMAN'S BICYCLE IN GOOD REPAIR, $10 cash. Apply Cooper's Auction Rooms. 37c

FOR SALE—BLACK AND RED BANTAMS. A few left at 30c a pair. Apply 70 Elmwood avenue, after 6 p.m. 36c

FOR SALE—STRAWBERRY PLANTS—Select varieties. Send for price list. Phone 782. Main & Collyer, South London. 35n zxv

COMMENCING WITH THIS WEEK WE will gather our butter and eggs direct from the farmers in the best butter making district in the province. We will therefore be able to give you a first-class article fresh, at rock bottom prices. Best 1 lb. rolls 15c to 16c lb. Choice crock butter 13c to 15c lb. Fresh eggs 12c doz. Faulds' Provision Store, 8 Market Lane. zxv

ENGINE, BOILER, SHAFTING, BELTS, wood-turning lathe, pulley and fittings, rip and crosscut saws, with tables, etc., would exchange for wood. Apply W. G. Eadey, or Alex. Begg, London Postoffice.

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Wanted.

WANTED—TO BORROW $2,700 (PRIVATE funds), for five years, on first-class real estate security; state best terms. Box 287, London. 27tf eod

WANTED—PONY CART—CHEAP—ADDRESS 191 Advertiser. 36u

WANTED TO RENT—ABOUT MAY 24—small, comfortable house in nice locality, rent not to exceed $10 or $11 per month. Address box 189, Advertiser. 34k

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLEMEN'S cast-off clothing. A. P. Sainsbury, 99 King street. Mail orders attended to

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Summer term commences April 19. Physical culture and elocution classes have begun Kindergarten branch is held in a room in Conservatory of Music. For calendars apply to Mrs. J. H. Wells, 661 Talbot street, London.

The Dossier Bobs Up

Supposedly Lost, But a Copy Was Kept.

Criticism of Marconi's Wireless Telegraphy.

English Engineer Says That the Recent Experiments Have Proved Nothing New.

British Government Taking Little Interest in the Pacific Scheme—Toronto Diver Mortally Hurt in Old London.

London, May 5.—The Figaro's report of depositions made before the court of cassation show that Gen. Mercier, who was minister of war at the time Dreyfus was condemned, on being called upon by M. de Freycinet, the present minister of war to produce the report regarding the secret dossier which Lieut.-Col. du Paty de Clam testified he had sent to Mercier, replied that he had destroyed it, and he called Gen. Gonse as a witness to the truth of this statement. Unfortunately for Mercier, Gen. Gonse had already testified that, although Mercier had destroyed the original he kept a copy.

Gen. Zurlinden, military governor of Paris, and others, while testifying before court of cassation, attached great importance to the closing sentence of the bordereau. "I am starting for the maneuvers," as proving the guilt of Dreyfus and the innocence of Esterhazy, inasmuch as the staff probationers were only notified on Aug. 29, they would not be required to attend the maneuvers. It has now been proven that this notification was actually dated May 17. Therefore Dreyfus could not have written "I am starting for the maneuvers," in the following August.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY CRITICISED.

Wm. Henry Preece, chief electrical engineer of the British Government, last night read a paper before the Society of Arts upon etheric telegraphy. He referred to his statement made to the society in 1894 that the experimental stage in wireless telegraphy had then been passed. At that date it was quite easy to speak across the channel between England and France.

Referring to the experiments recently conducted by Prof. Marconi, he said that both the board of trade and the postoffice department had informed the officers of the Marconi Company of readiness to make a test of the system between the Southsand Head lightship and Dover.

In spite of these offers the Marconi Company had preferred to experiment elsewhere and to prove what was not necessary to be proved, to wit, that it is possible to signal across the Straits of Dover. The result is that two years after the practicability of such signalling had been shown not one single independent circuit exists.

The operation of the Marconi Company, added Mr. Preece, are concentrated more upon the operations of the Stock Exchange than upon the establishment of useful circuits.

PACIFIC CABLE SCHEME.

London, May 5.—The morning papers blame the government—the Liberal organs severely and the Ministerialist journals mildly—for its lukewarm attitude toward the Pacific cable. The Daily Mail reminds Mr. Chamberlain that if the scheme collapses American enterprise will probably soon supply the deficiency by continuing the Honolulu cable to Australia, in which even the benefits intended for Canada would be diverted to the United States.

The Pacific cable committee has recommended that the cable be owned and operated by the governments interested, Canada and Australasia, and that general direction should be in the hands of a manager in London, under control of a small board, upon which the associated governments should be represented.

The government considers that the responsibility for the construction and operation of the cable should be borne by Canada and the Australasian colonies, they taking the profits, and the United Kingdom giving an annual subsidy, not exceeding £20,000, for a period not exceeding twenty years.

SPAIN WARNED.

The French Government has intimated to the Spanish Cabinet that it would regret to see the exterior debt of Spain taxed or the rate of interest reduced. The foregoing communication is due to the repeated reports that Spain had in contemplation such a step, which caused much anxiety to Spain's foreign creditors, many of whom are Frenchmen.

EARTHQUAKES IN GREECE.

Severe seismic disturbances visited the southern and eastern districts of Peloponnesus, the southern portion of the kingdom of Greece, last night. The town of Liguditza was seriously damaged, many houses being thrown down.

CORSETS TABOOED.

The minister of education of Saxony, Dr. De Seydewitz, has made a stir in the feminine world by the issuance of a decree whereby all girls and young women attending the public schools and colleges in Saxony must abandon the practice of wearing corsets and stays. The wearing of corsets by girls of tender age, and the habit of tight-lacing has become so prevalent, particularly in Dresden, that the state foresees in the corset a grave menace to the well-being of posterity. Although the girls and their mothers protest against the measure, and even threaten to boycott the schools, the officials stand firm.

JUMPED SIXTY FEET.

London, May 5.—Stanley Hunt had a marvelous escape from death at Finsbury. He was one of the guests at the Finsbury Hotel, which caught fire shortly before daylight. Hunt, finding the stairs in flames, leaped from the third-story window and fell with a thud on the pavement, 60 feet below. Then, to the surprise of the spectators, he arose and walked to the hospital, followed by a cheering, enthusiastic crowd.

ON THE QUIET.

London, May 5. — According to the Berlin correspondent of the Daily News, Russia has intimated that it is her wish that the strictest privacy be maintained regarding the proceedings of the disarmament conference. The delegates will, therefore, probably be pledged to secrecy. The newspapers will obviously not be allowed to have representatives present.

The Russian Government, according to a dispatch from Odessa, has addressed a friendly protest to the German Government regarding the appointment as one of Germany's delegates to the peace commission at The Hague of Prof. Von Stengel, of Munich University.

HAD TO USE CANDLES.

Hamburg, May 5.—Hamburg presents an unusual scene. Three-fourths of the city dimly shines with gaslight, and last night the shops showed the dim glimmer of candles. The cause of these conditions is the stoppage of the electric light by the burning of a cable. Thousands of businesses suffered enormous damage. At the Thalia Theater the first act was performed on a stage lighted from accumulators. The remaining acts were played in candlelight. The repair of the cable is being carried on by torchlight.

A TORONTO DIVER MORTALLY HURT.

London, May 5.—Thomas Hardy was mortally injured while making a long dive in Alexandria Palace yesterday. The net designed to catch him broke with his weight. Hardy was born in Toronto 25 years ago, and his mother and sister now live there. His father, an engineer on the C. P. R., died three weeks ago. Hardy had repeately given exhibitions of wire-walking in Toronto and other parts of Canada, and in July, 1896, crossed the Niagara gorge on a wire. Hardy was opposed to the uneventful closing of his act by descending by a ladder, but the diving method was objected to by his Canadian manager, J. S. Jackson, of Toronto. Since then, however, he had evidently added this feature to his performance.

FIELDING'S BUDGET SPEECH WELL RECEIVED.

London, May 5.—Mr. Fielding's budget speech created widespread interest here. Comments on its general tenor are universally favorable, attention being principally given to the remarks regarding the failure of the British manufacturers to avail themselves further of the British preference of the Canadian tariff. A widespread discussion of the point is assured. The present tendency shown by the newspapers is to blame the manufacturers for their lack of enterprise.

CABLE NOTES.

Some of the Italian newspapers are booming an alleged radical cure for tuberculosis discovered by Prof. Cervillo, of the University of Palermo, which is called formalina. It is applied by means of subcutaneous injections.

Lloyd's agency has conferred medals for meritorious service upon Capt. Schmidt and the first officer and first engineer of the Hamburg-American Line steamer Bulgaria, and upon the second officer and six members of the crew of the British tank steamer Weehawkin, in consideration of their skill and bravery.

Russia is smuggling arms into Chinese Turkestan.

The wreck of a Chilian naval vessel in the Straits of Magellan is announced.

Several villages were burned by assassins, who attempted to murder the Ameer of Afghanistan.

Chinese advices say that the dowager empress is to hold a grand review in Pekin in June. Nearly 2,000,000 well-armed men will be under arms on the occasion.

The delimitation of territory leased by the Russians in Manchuria and the Liao Tung Peninsula is not yet completed, as the demands of the Russians have a tendency to grow.

The rebellion in Formosa is not yet at an end.

In the presence of a large number of German pilgrims, who are at present making a tour of Palestine, the first divine services ever conducted on the Dormition Hill in Jerusalem were held on Sunday.

FAST IN THE ICE

Half the Yukon Fleet in Danger of Destruction When Freshets Come.

San Francisco, Cal., May 5.—Advices from the north confirm previous reports that nearly half of the Yukon fleet is fast in the ice, and will probably be destroyed when the expected freshets come.

The fleet is composed of some thirteen steamers, and there is little hope that any of them will escape destruction. All of these boats were engaged in general freighing and passenger business between St. Michael and Dawson City.

DROPPED DEAD.

On Wednesday morning Mr. Thomas Marr, who lived with his son, south of West Lorne, suddenly fell off his chair in the house and immediately expired. He was in his 73rd year.

HAMILTON COFFIN FACTORY BURNED.

Hamilton, May 5.—Fire last night at Semmens & Evans' coffin factory almost completely destroyed it. Loss estimated at $12,000; fully insured. Thirty hands will be thrown out of employment.

THE MONTREAL MOLDERS MAY STRIKE.

Montreal, May 5.—The iron molders have voted against meeting the demands of their employes, who asked for $2 50 a day and the abolition of piece-work, but decided to offer the men an increase of 10 per cent.

FRIGHTFULLY MANGLED.

St. Catharines, Ont., May 5.—Daniel C. Borstedt, of Denver, Col., was killed here yesterday afternoon by falling off a freight train and being cut in two. Both arms were broken, his face badly cut, his heart and liver entirely removed and the rest of his body mutilated. He was apparently about 27 years of age, and, from letters found on his clothes, of good family, but in search of work.

THE FIGHTING WAS SEVERE

San Tomas Only Captured After Strong Resistance.

The U. S. Troops Well Handled—Big Capture of Rice—The Heat Is Intense.

Manila, May 5, 8:25 a.m.—In spite of the peaceful overtures of their commissioners, the Filipinos vigorously resisted the advance of Gen. MacArthur's division from Apalit toward San Francisco, fighting desperately at long range. After running from trench to trench, they were driven out by the American artillery. The movement commenced at half-past five in the morning, Gen. Hale's brigade, consisting of five Gatlings, under the command of Major Young, of the Sixth Artillery, two battalions of the Fifty-First Iowa regiment, the First Nebraska regiment and the First South Dakota regiment, advanced along the road, a few miles west of the railway line. Gen. Wheaton, with Hotchkiss and Gatling guns under the command of Lieut. Naylor of the Utah Light Artillery, mounted on hand cars, pushed ahead, the Twentieth Kansas and First Montana regiments deploying to the right and left when feasible. The country to be traversed proved the worst yet encountered,

MILES OF MARSHES

and many unfordable streams delaying the advance materially. Both brigades met with resistance simultaneously on approaching the river near San Tomas, which is about eight kilometres from Apalit. The center span of the railroad bridge had dropped into the river and the rebels had left only a small force to check Gen. Wheaton, their main body lining the strong trenches in front of Gen. Hale. Although the attacking force poured a very heavy artillery and musketry fire across the river, the enemy

STUBBORNLY RESISTED FOR OVER AN HOUR,

ultimately breaking when Major Young shelled their left flank, and then retreated along the river bank under cover.

Gen. Wheaton in the meantime tried ineffectually to draw the fire of the Filipinos in the trenches east of the track. So soon as they discovered that the nature of the country would permit only a few skirmishes on each side of the embankment, the rebels regained their courage, and fought desperately for three-quarters of an hour in the face of the American volleys, and a rapid-fire fusillade, until flanked by the Montana regiment. Then

A GENERAL SCRAMBLE ENSUED,

many of the enemy boarding trains that were in readiness, and the others taking the road to San Fernando, after burning the villages of San Tomas and Minalin.

About noon General Wheaton crossed the broken bridge, cleared the stragglers out of the villages, and advanced toward San Fernando. General Hale effected a crossing simultaneously after a slight delay necessary to repair a stone bridge.

THE LOSSES.

Our loss up to that hour (noon) was two members of the Nebraska and one of the Montana, killed, and Capt. Albrecht, three members of the Kansas regiment, two of the Montana, four of the Nebraska and one of the South Dakota, wounded. The enemy's loss was very slight.

After a short rest the advance was continued, General Wheaton encountering the first series of entrenchments near San Fernando. The rebels now opened a hot fire. Col. Funston, of the Twentieth Kansas, was wounded; one lieutenant was killed and four were wounded, while leading four companies of the Kansas regiment to outflank the enemy. General Hale pushed along the road, flanking the trenches. More than a hundred sick and wounded men from Lawton's brigade were brought to Manila from Malolos by last night's train.

The heat is unbearable.

UNITED STATES TROOPS WELL HANDLED.

The American Army has been skillfully posted at points of great strategic advantage. The insurgents expected them to advance on Balinag by way of Quingua, and had furrowed the entire country beyond Quigua, with the strongest sort of entrenchments. Instead of taking this course, Gen. MacArthur swung towards San Tomas, the route to which was almost unprotected. General Lawton brought his brigade in against Balsuam from the southeast, covering the line of retreat of rebels towards the mountains, and depriving them of a refuge upon which they had counted. General Lawton captured fifty thousand bushels of rice, an important part of the stores established by the rebels

SHOT HER MOTHER

Because the Old Lady Revealed the "Skeleton in the Closet."

Chicago, May 5.—Mrs. Augusta Styles, after waiting two hours at the entrance to Wallet's Hall last evening, shot and killed her mother, Mrs. Katerine Schultz. Mrs. Schultz was to attend a meeting of the Martha Washington Frau-Verein, which was held in the hall, and the daughter lay in wait for her until she came. Five shots were fired, three taking effect. Mrs. Styles, who is 35 years old, said she was driven to the act by her mother revealing a closed chapter of her early life to Mrs. Styles daughter, 16 years old. The child's parents were not regularly married, and Mrs. Schultz is said to have disclosed this fact to her grandchild. The matricide has been arrested.

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TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

Premier Greenway is in Toronto.

A match combine, capital $10,000,000, has been organized at Trenton, N. J.

Richelieu and Ontario stock has taken on a boom at Montreal and gone up from 109¼ to 115.

The United States steel plant trust will probably be capitalized at $525,000,000 or $700,000,000.

Hon. Thomas Ballantyne, ex-speaker of the Ontario Legislature, will sail for Europe on Saturday.

A German paper publishes the rumor that France is showing an inclination to aid the Filipinos.

Owing to the illness of B. B. Osler, Q.C., and the escape of Holden and Pare, Ponton's trial is likely to be postponed.

Bruno Duchene, of Kamouraska, Que., a peddler, was found drowned in the rived at the Palais. He was 55 years old.

George Pare, who escaped from jail at Napanee with W. H. Holden, kept a saloon in Detroit nearly twenty years ago.

Richard Croker arrived at Southampton on Thursday, and says he will remain there till the close of the season.

The United States Government has decided to establish a military post at Pyramid Harbor on Chilkat Inlet, near Chilkat village.

Several hundred discharged United States soldiers are stranded at San Juan, Porto Rico, without means of securing transportation.

A cablegram from Admiral Kautz, dated Apia, Samoa, April 27, confirms the press reports that a truce has been agreed upon in Samoa.

Some 2,500,000 pike and perch fry will be transported from the New York state hatchery to Lewiston, and placed in the lower Niagara River.

Gen. Rios will be kept at Manila by Spain to push claims to large sums of money said to have been confiscated by the Americans in the Philippines.

The Canadian Atlantic Railway has bought two expensive Baldwin locomotives, to be used on the fast express service between Ottawa and Montreal.

The dead body of a newly-born infant boy was found in the canal near Brantford on Wednesday. The head of the infant had two wounds sufficient to cause death.

Adam Ross, whose death on the railway at Saginaw has been reported, was, it is altogether likely, the Adam Ross who escaped from Woodstock jail about two weeks ago.

The master in ordinary at Toronto, Mr. Hodgins, decided that Mr. C. S. Scott, assignee in the Homestead Building and Loan smash-up, should receive $950 in addition to the $800 already paid him. Mr. Scott's bill was $2,000.

The conviction of Applebee & Co., at Windsor, Ont., for an offense under the transient traders' bylaw, has been quashed by the high court at Toronto, on the ground that the bylaw was defective.

William White, a colored man, who stole a case of surgical instruments from Dr. Fournier, of Tecumseh, Ont., was sentenced to three years in penitentiary. He had pretended to be deaf and dumb.

Nicaragua recently secretly purchased two six-gun batteries of Hotchkiss rapid-fire field guns and a large amount of ammunition, besides a quantity of Remington and Mauser rifles and 50 miscellaneous pieces of field artillery.

Promoters of the St. Clair Canal scheme want a Dominion Government subsidy. The proposal contemplates a direct route connecting Lake St. Clair and Lake Erie, involving (it is claimed) a saving of 79 miles, as compared with the Detroit River route.

Remarkable deposits of gold-bearing gravel have been found on the Klondike River. The gravel runs through the mountain, dividing Lovett Gulch and Klondike River. The discoverer sold his claim to McDowell, Hawkens & Co. for $15,000, after which they refused $32,000.

FRAUD IN FOOD.

Washington, May 5.—Dr. W. H. Wiley, chief chemist of the United States department of agriculture, says that fully 90 per cent of the articles of food and drink manufactured in the States are frauds. All kinds of dairy provisions, as well as nearly every variety of condiments, including coffee in the berry, are adulterated.

Situations Wanted

WANTED—A POSITION BY AN EXPERIENCED bookkeeper; double entry; best references. Address box 193, this office. 37u

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