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# BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

MARRIED.

SIPPI-CAMERON-In this city, on Wednesday, Feb. 5, 1896, by the Rev. W. J. Clark, Mr. Arthur Sippi, of this city, to Miss Tena Cameron, of Fergus, Ont.

VAN DER FEEN-BROWN-Wednesday, Feb. 5, at the residence of the bride's father, 424 Park avenue, city, by Rev. Dr. Daniel, Mr. Guilliam B. C. Van Der Feen, of Amsterdam, Holland, to Miss Etheleen, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Brown,

DIED. FEEKINGS-Suddenly, in London West, on Tuesday evening, Feb. 4th, John Feekings. Funeral will leave the family residence, at Blackfriars street, on Thursday, Feb. 6th, at at 4;30 p.m.; services at 4 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this inti-Funeral will leave the family residence, 58

RICKARD-In this city, on the 6th February, at the residence of his grandson, W. M. Waldock, 538 Talbot street, Martin Rickard, his 88th year.

Funeral private. O'MARA-In this city, on Feb. 6, 1896, infant daughter of Richard O'Mara, aged 10 months

Funeral from family residence, 648 York street, on Friday, at 10:30 a.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. HARRIS-At her late residence, No. 459 Nelson street, on Thursday, Feb. 6, Mrs. Jane

Harris, aged 76 years. Funeral will leave her residence Friday, at 9 o'clock, for St. Peter's Cathedral. All acquaintances and friends are respectfully invited to attend without further notice.

# Amusements and Lectures

advertisements under this heading two cents per word each insertion. No advertisement less than 10 words.

EMEMBER THAT THE EXCELLENT programme that was rendered at the First Pre-byterian Church last Monday even-ing is to be repeated next Monday. Silver col-lection for the Armenian relief fund.

ONCERT-UNDER THE AUSPICES OF Church, will be held on Tuesday evening, Feb. Best local talent, Silver collection. 22u wz

MISS MABEL DAVIDSON, THE world's greatest fancy skater and queen of the ice, will give exhibition at the Queen's avenue rink, Monday Feb. 10th, introducing the ice bicyele, a Chicago apparatus on a Brantford wheel: Band. Commercing 8 o'clock. Admission 25c, children 10c; galiery 10c evtra; coupons not accented. coupons not accepted.

(TRAND OPERA HOUSE - TUESDAY.

Teb. 11th—Trocadero Vaudeville and Sandow, the strongest man on earth. Ten European novelties—Five Jordans, aciralists; the Lucifers, cham; ion jumpers; Amann, imersonator; Kaufmann, champion trick cyclist; two Bostons, excentriques; Mons. Drammel, juggler; Billy Van. comedian; Herr August, Dommell, Scandinavian gymnast, and others. Prices — Lower florr, \$1; balcony, reserved, 75c; Admission; 50c; gallery, 25c. Seats on sale Saturday. 21n Seats on sale Saturday. CENTRAL AVENUE RINK-SKATING this afternoon and evening. Ice in splendid condition. Admission 10 cents. b

GENT – ALLAN, BEAVER AND American steamships. Tickets, all classes at very lowest rates quoted to or from the Old Country. Frank B. CLARKE, Rich mond street, next to "Advertiser," ywt Year's term commences Monday, Jan. 6. emen Monday, ladies Tuesday; advanced Gentlemen Monday, ladies Tuesday; advanced class Wednesday evenings. Children Saturday afternoons. Dayron & McCormick. DRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY Mr. R. B. Millard, at his residence, 345
Princess avenue. A thorough system of teaching the modern glide waltz and all fashionable dances guaranteed. Lessons given any hour.

#### Meetings.

One cent per word each insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. COUNCIL NO. 25, CHOSEN FRIENDS— Meets tonight, East End Hall. Visitors relcome. S. BAKER, Recorder.

O. U. W.-WOODBINE LODGE, 331, meets tomorrow (Friday) evening at k Visitors welcome. Thos. GLOVER, M. W.; J WARD, Rec. A O. U. W.—WESTMINSTER LODGE, No. 404, meets this (Thursday) evening, Foresters' Hail, South London, OLIVER PLLI-wood, M. W.

#### Male Help Wanted.

First insertion ic per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. ORGANIZERS WANTED-PROFITABLE, permanent employment. Apply by let-ter. Grand Organizer Oddfellows, 49 King street west, Toronto.

MEN WANTED-TO KNOW THAT they can have their clothes cleaned and pressed at the New York Clothes Cleaning Company, 291 Wellington street. A GENTS-WANTED-\$20 PER WEEK-A Apply to GEO. MARSHALL & Co., tea importers, 258 Dundas street.

#### Domestics Wanted.

First insertion le per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. WYER'S "OLD RELIABLE" INTEL-IIGENCE agency is the place to get good help. 591 Richmond street, phone 1,121. MIRST CLASS DINING ROOM GIRLS wanted to go out of city, good wages; gooks and housemaids on hand. Armstrong's Intelligence Office, 56 Dundas street.

#### Board and Lodging.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. POOMS TO LET-TWO GENTLEMEN, quiet habits, can find comfortable rooms, modern conveniences, in private family, choice locality. Apply by letter, Box 101, this 2/c wty

PLEASANT FRONT ROOM WITH A private family: good locality; board if desired. Box 15, "Advertiser." 22k

#### Laundries.

AUNDRY CALLED FOR AND DE-LIVERED—All hand work. Best finish.

#### Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. WANTED TO PURCHASE—50 QUARTS or more of first-class milk wanted daily. Address Box 35, "Advertiser." 22c HOUSE WANTED-ABOUT FOUR BED-ROOMS; good tenant; rent must be nable. Hartrorr, this office. 16n wty

WANTED-A NICKLE PLATER AND polisher. The Essex Brass & Iron Co. WANTED TO RENT-MODERN HOUSE with all convenience with all conveniences—For family of eight. Must be centrally located. Address at once, C. C. Woods. Woods Fair. 21n WANTED-100 SECOND-HAND CHAIRS
-Apply 257 Wellington street. 201

#### Houses, Etc., To Let.

First insertion to per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

BRICK STABLE TO LET SEVENTEEN stalls, suitable for live Stalls, suitable for livery or boarding, situated 194 Albert street, near Richmond; immediate possession given. Apply 167 Albert

TO LET-THAT DESIRABLE OFFICE over O. P. R. ticket office, formerly occupied by the Ontario Mutual Life. A. N. UDY, 437 Richmond street. OFFICE TO LET—DOUBLE ROOM WITH vault, first floor Albion Building; also front room on first floor; immediate possession

Apply T. H. CARLING, at the brewery. 33:1 TO LET-COTTAGE, CORNER RIDOUT and Craig streets, South London; rent \$13. Apply George C. Gunn, barrister. 42tf TO LET-RESIDENCE. 484 COLBORNE street, corner Duffcrin avenue, 10 rooms, modern conveniences. Apply Fraser & Fraser.

O RENT-

Those two commodious stores now occupied by OAK HALL, 148 and 150 Dundas Street. Apply for particulars to

## A. TAYLOR, Oak Hall.

Business Chances. First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. PARBER SHOP — GOOD BUSINESS — cheap Proprietor leaving city. 10 Market Lane. 22c

#### Miscellaneous.

First insertion Ic per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. ONDON PUBLIC LIBRARY-CITIZENS are requested to call at the library and receive a blank form of application, and if such application is satisfactory to the board, a borrower's card will be issued. A portion of the books will be ready for issue on Monday. R. Reid, chairman; R. J. Blackwell, librarian.

#### Articles For Sale.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. LOR SALE-ONE HORSE, COW AND P breeding sow; \$25 each. Apply No. 5 Hamilton road, city.

POR SALE—CART, CUTTER AND PONY
—Will be sold cheap or exchanged. 637
Elias street. 18c | zw NEW AND SECOND-HAND PIANOS—Bargains Decker P Bargains. Decker Bros., New York, Heintzman & Co., 236 Dundas street, H. W.

A SPECIAL SALE OF HARNESS, Trunks, valises, robes, blank ts, bells. J. Darch & Sons, 377, 379 Ta bot street. UMBER-WHOLESALE ONLY - CAR
or cargo lots; Spicer's extra British Columbia red cedar shingles; pine and Ontario
cedar shingles; pine, hemlock, hardwood, cedar,
lumber, posts, viles, etc. D. Ferguson, Mant.
Agent, London, Ont.

#### Agents Wanted.

First insertion le per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED-SEVERAL MEN OF GOOD character, who can furnish horse and light rig: \$75 to \$250 a month. Applicants write fully. The Bradley Garretson Company (Limited). Brantford, Ont.

A GENTS — "SKEPTICISM ASSAILED"—
The most powerful and convincing collection of facts ever produced against all foes ection of facts ever produced against all foes of Christianity by Hon. Britton H. Tabor, introduction by Dr. C. H. Parkhurst, who says: "That in view of the invincible array of evidence therein it would seem a thousand times harder not to believe in the Bible." All skeptics are vanquished by evidence. No book ever sold so fast. Four hundred agents wanted Dec't wice convenity to seem to min. ed. Don't miss opportunity to secure territory. Full particulars, J. L. NICHOLS & Co., Wesley Building, Toronto.

#### Real Estate For Sale.

First insertion 1c per word. One-hair cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. ACRE LOTS FOR SALE IN THE VIL LAGE of Mount Brydges and two new frame houses, one seven rooms and one five rooms; also 47 acres with good house, nine rooms; orchard; barn and other buildings. Apply to Wm. Francis, Mount Brydges.

18k tywt

OR SALE CHEAP-THE FOLLOWING property, viz —Lot, 27, south side East Bathurst street, city, 100x190 feet, running through to the G. T. R. track. On the prop-A LARGE FRAME BUILDING CONTAIN-ING BOILER AND SHAFTING SUITABLE FOR MANUFACTURING PURPOSES Apply to WM. F. BULLEY, manager Ontario Loan & Debenture Company. 16tf-eod

#### Lost and Found.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. OST-FOX TERRIER PUP-ANSWERS I to name of "Laddie." Reward on returning him to 298 Princess avenue.

OST-FOX TERRIER BITCH-NAME Nottle, white body, lemon head; had on dlar and tag. Notify JOHN BIGGS, London South.

OST-WOULD THE LADY WHO TOOK an umbrella from Somerset Hail by mis-1 an umbrella from Somerset Hall by mis-take, on Monday, Jan. 20, kindly return to this office. 20c TOST — SKY TERRIER BITCH, ANS-WERS to the name of 'Daisy," Reward if returned to J. TEALE, 650 Dundas street. 200

#### Patent Barristers.

PETHERSTONHAUGH & CO. PATENT licitors and experts, Toronto; patents obtained in Canada, etc. London Office, Bank buildings, corner Dundas and

# SAWLOGS WANTED.

LARGE QUANTITY OF ELM, MAPLE AND ASH SAWLOGS WANTED. For particulars and price apply ADAM BECK, Albert Street, London.

### First Methodist Church,

Corner Wellington street and Dufferin Avenue . . . .

Programme of Service, Sunday, Feb. 9th.

General love feast from 9:30 to 10:45 a.m. Public service 11 a.m., conducted by pastor Dr. Daniel), Dr. Sanderson and resident minis-

Dr. Deniel, Dr. Sanderson and ters.

Dedication of Wesley Hall, under direction of Sabbath school management, at 3 p.m.

Preaching service by Dr. Daniel at 7 p.m., followed by Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Special contributions in aid of building fund.

Monday, 16th inst.—Social reception, under direction of Young People's Society, 8 p.m.
Tuesday, 11th—Mission Band Parliament, 8 p.m. Wednesday, 12th—Church conference, 8 p.m. Thursday, 13th—Musical and literary enter-tainment, under auspices of Ladies' Aid So-

# NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of John Stevenson, of the City of London, in the County of Middlesex, Harness Maker.

Maker.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE above named John Stephenson has made an assignment to me under the provisions of Chap. 124, R. S. O. 1887, of all his estate and effects in trust for the benefit of all his creditors. A meeting of the creditors is hereby convened and will be held at the office of Wm. J. Clarke, barrister, London, on Saturday, the 15th day of February, 1896, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the appointment of inspectors and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate. All the creditors of the said estate are hereby required to file their claims with my solicitor, Wm. J. Clarke, Esq., London, as directed by the said statute on or before the day of such meeting. After 1st of March, 1896, I shall proceed to distribute the said estate, having regard only to such claims as I shall have notice of, and I shall not be responsible for the assets of the said estate or any part thereof to any person or persons whose claims shall not have been filed. John W. Clarke, trustee; Wm. J. Clarke, solicitor for the trustee, 180 Dundas street, London.

#### WILL BE SOLD

DY PUBLIC AUCTION AT THE AUC-TION rooms of Mr. J. W. Jones. Dundas street, London on Monday, the 10th Day of February, 1896, at the hour of 2:30 in the afternoon, the stock of R. S. Gage, Newbury,

as follows:		
as follows: General drygoods Millinery Boots and shoes.	 	.\$1,0
Millinery	 	. 1
Boots and shoes	 	. 8
Crockery Groceries, stationery, etc. Shop furniture. Chattels	 	. 2
Groceries, stationery, etc	 ••	. 6
Shop furniture	 	•
Chattels	 	•
		\$3,6

Terms—One-quarter down: balance 2, 4, 6 and 8 months, with interest at 7 per cent, approved endorsed paper. Stock list on the preinise, and with GIBBONS, MULKERN & HARPER, trustee's solicitors; C. B. Armstrong, trustee. 18k tywt

#### HARNESS MAKERS Re John Stephenson, Insolvent.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP to noon on 15th inst., at the office of WM. to noon on 15th inst., at the office of WM.
J. Clarke, 182 Dundas street, London, for the
stock in trade, book deb s, and shop fixtures,
as per list; consisting of about 70 set of new
harness, saddles, collars, robes, blankets, fly
nets, whips. trunks, valises, fency leather
goods, etc., about \$3,000. Stock list and goods
and books, open for inspection, 10 a.m. to 3
p.m. each day. Tenders to be sealed.
The highest or any tender not necessarily
accepted. John W. Clarke, box 316, London,
assignee; WM. J. Clarke, 180 Dundas street,
solicitor for assignee. London, Feb. 6, 1996.

#### A Noble Movement.

Chicago People Urge Permanent Arbitration Between the U.S. and Britain.

A Call to All America-To Consecrate Washington's Birthday.

Chicago, Feb. 6.-A committee of prominent citizens has issued a call into the interior was thereby cleared. to all parts of the country for expressions of opinion on the proposition to establish a permanent board of arbitration for the settlement of difficulties between this country and England. After calling attention to the recent war rumors, the call continues: "We suggest and propose that the people of all cities and towns of the United States at their meetings to celebrate the birth of Washington, or at special meetings called for the purpose on the Sunday afternoon next following, or in the meetings of their societies, clubs, churches, social, ligious or commercial organizations nearest in time to Washington's birthday, shall embody their views at each assemblage in its own way, on the following questions:

"1. Do we wish the Governments of the United States and Great Britain by formal treaty to establish arbitration as the method of concluding all differences which may fail of settlement by diplomacy between the two powers?

"2. What is our opinion of war as a mode of deciding controversies between the United States and Great

"Dr. Williams C. Gray, 69 Dearborn street, Chicago, and Wm. E. Dodge, 11 Cliff street, New York, will receive the proceedings, which should be sent in duplicate, and arrange them for transmission to the President of the United States and the Queen of England. We request our newspapers, religious and secular, if this proposal shall appear to them to be good and wise, to give it their sanction and urge the people in all parts of the Union to consecrate this celebration of the birth of Washington to this cause, by taking appropriate action on that day or upon a convenient occasion, clustering around it."

DYSPEPSIA AND INDIGESTION .-C. W. Snow & Co., Syracuse, N. Y., write: "Please send us ten gross of Pills. We are selling more of Parmelee's Pills than any other Pill we keep. They have a great reputation for the Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint." Mr. Chas. A. Smith, Lindsay, writes: "Parmelee's Pills are an excellent medicine. My sister has been troubld with severe headache, but these pills have cured

Cooper & Sanders' Photos are a little under price but away up in quality. ywt

Sikhs, Under British Officers, Thrash Slave-Traders in Africa.

Cecil Rhodes Gets a Great Ovation in London.

His Name and That of Jamieson Suggested for the Peerage.

A Test Question for the British Parliament.

Canada Represented at the Burial of Henry of Battenburg.

Serious Riot at Sala, Piedmont-Five Persons Killed and Thirty Wounded -The German Naval Appropriation Bill Withdrawn.

GERMANY BUYING LAND. Cape Town, Feb. 6.—It is stated here that the visit of Dr. W. J. Leyds, the Secretary of State of the Transvaal Republic to Berlin, is connected with the German purchase of seven miles of land on the coast of Delagoa Bay.

MORE MASSACRES EXPECTED. London, Feb. 6.-A telegram received at Constantinople from Aintab asserts that massacres at Aintab and Marash are probable if the negotiations for the surrender of the town of Zeitoun by the Armenians should fail to put that

place in possession of the Turks. FRANCE SHOWS HER TEETH. Paris, Feb. 6.—Several newspapers declare that the position of Brazil in regard to the Ampa territory and the conduct of Cabral, the alleged governor of the disputed district, is becoming intolerable, and they add that national dignity requires that the mat-

ter be speedily concluded. THE ABYSSINIAN WAR. London, Feb. 6 .- No news has been received at Rome since Saturday from ed in advancing again King Menelek, or else that a battle has already been

BOMB-THROWING. Lisbon, Feb. 6.-A bomb was thrown at the house of the doctor who had certified to the insanity of the Anarchist who on Jan. 30 threw a stone at King Charles as the king was driving in an open carriage. The carriage was considerably damaged. Ten arrests have been made in connection with the bomb-throwing.

ITCHING PALMS. London, Feb. 6.-A dispatch from "The Turkish officials continue to impede the relief for the Armenians. The

officials want all the money intrusted to them. "Several ladies' committees here are preparing clothing for distribution

through American missionaries." BRILLIANT BRITISH VICTORIES. London, Feb. 6.-Advices received here from Blantyre, under date of Jan. 25. says that the Sikhs, under British officers, have gained two bril- United States of a disposition to conin British Central Africa. The Arabs, it is added, were totally routed, fourteen chiefs were captured, and the road

BLOODY RIOT.

Rome, Feb. 6.-News has reached here of a tax riot which occurred at Sala, Piedmont, yesterday, which assumed such serious proportions that the authorities were obliged to call out the troops. The rioters refused to disperse when the troops reached the scene of the disturbance, and the soldiers fired on the mob, killing five and wounding thirty.

PETERS' HEIR.

Paris, Feb. 6.-An heir has been found to the property of the old miser Peters, who died in the streets here a short time ago and in whose pocket was found a letter postmarked Boston, as was cabled to the Associated Press at the time. It appears he abandoned his wife and son 56 years ago, when the latter was only a few days old. The son is now a pilot at Havre.

DIED IN A POORHOUSE. London, Feb. 6.-A dispatch from Leeds announces the death in the workhouse there of H. J. Sargeant, formerly a theatrical manager, who was at one time connected with dramatic ventures in the United States. It is believed that this is the Harry Sargeant who, along in the '70s, managed a theater at Columbus, O., and who took Rhea to America.

RUSSIA'S NAVY. London, Feb. 6.-A dispatch to the Times from Odessa says that a new Russian transport company, under the direction of a Russian admiral, will arranging and securing an imperial begin trading in the Black Sea forth- trial of the invaders, he may be forced and will extend its operations abroad when the fleet is large enough. Seven steamers ordered from England will be built to serve as transports or cruisers in time of war, and to provide the South African sudden millionaires

PRINCE HENRY'S FUNERAL. London, Feb. 6.-At the funeral of the late Prince Henry of Battenberg 300 or 400 per cent in South African the royal princesses left the procession midway between the starting point and the church and proceeded in their carriages by a shorter route to the church, where they were seated in their pews when the coffin arrived. The services were conducted by the Right Rev. Randall Thomas Davidson, D.D., Bishop of Win-

chester, and the music was selected by Princess Beatrice herself. The Canadian Government was re presented at the memorial service in Westminster Abbey by Mr. Colmer, who sent a beautiful wreath to re-present the sympathy of Canada with the royal family, while other colonies sent wreaths to Osborne House.

RELIGION AND ROYALTY.

A St. Petersburg special says: The conversion of Prince Boris of Bulgaria is the topic of the hour, and excites the greatest interest in po-litical and diplomatic circles. An eminent authority declares that even if the present ruler of Bulgaria should be excommunicated by the Pope, there was a reassuring precedent for such an event in the case of King Victor Emmanuel of Italy, who suffered the same fate with equanimity.

WITHDREW THE BILL. Berlin, Feb. 6.-The intention of urging the passage of a bill at the present session of the Reichstag providing for a large increase in the naval strength of the empire appears to have been definitely abandoned out of deference to the views of Chancellor Von Hohenlohe and Vice-Admiral Hollman, Secretary of State for the Admiralty. However, the measure will be drawn in readiness for presentation at the next session.

COLONIAL DEFENSES.

London, Feb. 6.-The St. James Gazette prints a letter suggesting that, as the Dominion of Canada has no the British Government surplus, should lend the British surplus of 1895 to Canada to strengthen the defense of the country. The Gazette, as the organ of the Ministry, supports the

proposal. A conference at Sydney, N. S. W., of the commandants of the forces of Australian colonies has recommended a scheme of concentrated federal defense, and also that all Australian troops be armed with rifles with the same pattern, caliber, etc., as those supplied to the Imperial troops.

A TEST QUESTION. London, Feb. 6 .- The Chronicle announces that the Liberals will chalenge the Government at the earliest

moment in Parliament on the aban-

donment of the Armenians. "It is believed," the Chronicle continues, "that A. S. Balfour, the Conservative leader, will then make revelations concerning the action of previous individuals and governments on the Armenian question. The Liberals regard the Venezuelan affair as too important to be raised as a mere side issue upon the address. Therefore, the House will be adjourned after the has studied the case minutely, fully shares Hon. John Morley's views that no qustion is more fit for arbitration

than this."

UNCLE SAM'S WEALTH. London, Feb. 6.-The Westminster Gazette this afternoon says that the action of President Cleveland in deciding upon a popular loan was fully favorable influence not only in the

United States but abroad. The St. James Gazette states that mitted without bail. the success of the loan is a useful reminder to Englishmen that in spite of "eccentrifinancial disorders and the Constantinople to the Chronicle says: cities of the Administration," the of Greencastle, has confessed to his United States is a very rich country guilt. He implicates Alonzo M. Walland has "a great reserve store of wealth among its people." The Gazette adds: "The success is not wholly hopeful of the prospects of peacefully solving the Venezuelan difficulty, Jackson, on the contrary, while he adand is only too likely to add to the self-confidence which implicate Walling. aggressive caused the President's message and the new Olney doctrine to be hailed with so much enthusiasm. We have no desire to be pessimistic, but we search vainly for any indication of the liant victories over the slave raiders cede anything. We have the alternative of submitting the whole claim to arbitration or incurring the hostility of the United States. It is still a very unsatisfactory and dangerous situ-

RHODES' RETURN.

A special to the New York World from London says: Cecil Rhodes' arrival in London was as much of a popular ovation at Paddington station large crowd had gathered, but the and during its construction three men whilom dictator was hurried into a prosaic four-wheeler and away. Perkilled, and several workmen sustained haps an interesting fact is that well-dressed ladies predominated in the Comme crowd on the station platform awaiting the arrival of Mr. Rhodes' train. Arthur Balfour arrived by a train a few minutes earlier, and was mistaken for Rhodes, and loudly cheered. The Queen, it is reported, in common with the vast majority of the ladies of the kinglom, as well as probably their husbands, is an earnest advocate of the bestowal of peerages upon Rhodes and Jameson. Lady Warwick, indeed, has published a letter in the Times defending him through thick and thin. Her Majesty's earnest advocacy, according to official gossip, explains much that is otherwise mysterious in the action of the Cabinet. Lord Salisbury, her loyal and devoted friend, echoed by his organ, the Times, has not a word to say against, but everything by inference in favor of Jameson.

The Colonial Secretary, Chamberlain, independent, able, aggressive, knowing that he has been from the first unwelcome in the Cabinet, is pursuing his chosen course again apparently undaunted. If he persists in out of the Cabinet. It may be added that there is also a very hostile feeling in the conservative mercantile and investment classes in England against a large addition to the Russian navy. and their methods. For the last year or so no new 5 or 6 per cent enterprise has had any chance in the London mining schemes was attracting capital. Chamberlain would have that element behind him as well as the conservative Englishmen who fear that the imitation of the example set by these men would be followed by war.

Anderson & Nelles, Druggists, sell Kura-Kof, the magic cold cure, at 25c. ywt

# OUGHS and

Tolu, Tar and Tamarack is the peer of all remedies for coughs, colds, asthma, bronchitis, and all affections of the throat and lungs. One 25 cent bottle will often cure the most distressing cough,

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

# An Awful Confession.

A Cincinnati Dental Student Murders Farmer's Daughter—The Victim

Beheaded. Greencastle, Ind., Feb. 6.-The family of A. S. Bryan, a leading farmer, living less than two miles from this city, have identified the clothing brought here by detectives as that of their daughter, Pearl Bryan. They furnished other information and circumstances which leave no doubt in the minds of the officers that the body of the woman murdered and beheaded near Fort Thomas, opposite Cincinnati, last Friday night, is their daughter Pearl, aged 23, who left home on Jan. 28, ostensibly to visit her friend, Miss Jane Fisher, Central avenue, Indianapolis. They have made every possible inquiry today and find that she did not visit Miss Fisher in Indianapolis, but that she was taken to Cincinnati by Scott Jackson.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 6.—At 10:15 last night came amessage from Greencastle to Col. Dietch, the Cincinnati chief of police, directing him to arrest and charge with the murder of Pearl Bryan, one Scott Jackson, a student at the dental college, about 24 years old, blonde and effeminate in appearance. At a quarter before 11, Scott Jackson was in the mayor's office under examination by the mayor and chief of police. Jackson's naturally ruddy, face flushed perceptibly under the examination, and his eyes wandered from his questioners in spite of a visible effort to bear up and look adoption of the address so as to se-cure a full debate on Venezuela. The was reasonably firm, yet it required Liberals are unanimously in favor of an effort to keep in form. He did not received at Rome since Saturday from Gen. Baratieri, commander-in-chief of the Italian troops operating in Abyssinia. The belief generally entertained is either that Gen. Baratieri is engaged in advancing again King Menelek.

Interest at the united States, and it is believed a motion to this effect will secure wide "Unionist" support. Sir William Vernon Harcourt, the Liberal leader in Parliament, who is attisfactory. He denied guilt, but admitted that he knew Pearl Bryan. He could tell nothing where she was or where she had been during the past few weeks. As to his whereabouts last Friday night, his room-mate, Mr. Tamey, was examined firet. He said Jackson was at home Friday night. That was all he could say, as Jackson could go in and out whenever he desired. Jackson said Friday night he was at supper at 7 p.m., and retired justified and cannot fail to have a about 10 o'clock. The rest of his story is very vague, though he said he was in his room all night. He was com-

> A CONFESSION.
> Cincinnati, Feb. 6.—Scott Jackson, accused of the murder of Pearl Bryan, ing, who has also confessed to a personal knowledge of the murder of the girl last Friday night. Walling tries to lay the whole blame on Jackson. mits his own guilt, takes pains to

# IN RAILWAY CIRCLES.

Grand Trunk Reorganization-The Hamilton Tunnel Finished-New Departure on the M. C. R.

C. P. R. traffic returns for the week ending Jan. 31. \$429,000; for the same week last year, \$332,000; increase, \$97,-Grand Trunk Railway traffic for

week ending Feb. 1, 1896, \$302,236; in-

crease \$33,574 over corresponding week last year. The Hunt street tunnel, Hamilton, as the Conservative or perhaps fright-ened managers of the Chartered South Africa Company would permit. A cost of the tunnel was about \$350,000,

> Commencing on the 15th inst., passengers on the M. C. R. will be given the benefit of the odd cents in purchasing tickets. Heretofore all fares were raade to end in five or cipher. For instance, if the fare at 3 cents a mile to a place amounted to 22 cents, the passenger would have to pay 25 cents. In the new tariff if the fare at 3 cents a mile comes to 22 cents, the passenger will be required to pay 22 cents, and

> no more and no less. A Montreal press dispatch states that Mr. Spicer told an interviewer that the report from New York was correct in every particular. He had resigned his position, having on Saturday last received notice from the board that the management of the combined railways would be directed from Montreal. He had already stated that Mr. Hays and himself were on the most friendly terms, and that the policy of the new general manager of the G. T. R. is toward centralization.

> KILLED BY HIGH KICKING. \* Pittsburg, Feb. 6.-Mary Theresa O'Brien, who came to Pittsburg after Dr. Parkhurst's crusade in New York, and has been known here as May Gill, tried to kick a chandelier today. She died, and the doctors will hold a postmortem examination to learn killed her. She was a resident of Tarrytown, N.Y., and when in New York resided in a resort conducted by Mrs. Montague. Her New York name was May Davis.

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