WHOLE NO. 16487.

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

BORN.

STEWART-At the Manse, Melbourne, Ont., on Sunday, Jan. 19, 1902, the wife of Rev. R. Stewart, of a son.

DIED.

AITCHISON-On Jan. 21, 1902 at the family residence, 536 Elizabeth street, Mary Ann, relict of the late George Aitchison, in her 78th year Funeral on Thursday at 3 p.m.; service at 2:30. Friends kindly accept this intimation.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC. Advertisements under this heading, 10c per line, or 2c per word each insertion.

Jan. 25 NEW GRAND Mat.

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Powerful cast. Magnificent seenic production. Every \$1, 75c, 50c, 25c. Mat. 75c, 50c, 25c. (Over 700 seats at 50o). Seats ready Thursday. THE "LONDON," NIGHT.

PRIZE CONTEST COUPONS. MARKS "The Gountry BROS. Girl's Revenge" Matinee Saturday, 10c and 15c. 83h

- PRINCESS-OPEN AFTERNOON AND evening. Band Thursday night. b
- THE SUPERBLY FURNISHED TRAINS of Lehigh Valley land passengers on Allan, American and Cunard Line plers, New York, F. B. Clarke, next Adver-
- WESTMINSTER RINK— BAND TO-NIGHT. Grand ice. Admission, 10c. Harpers Saturday afternoon and night.

ORGAN RECITAL-

- Dundas Center Methodist Church, SATURDAY AFTERNOON NEXT,
- the 25th, at 4 o'clock, By MR. W. H. HEWLETT, assited by MISS ALMA GAYFER, of Hamilton. Admission, 10 cents.
- ALLAN LINE HAVE ISSUED SAILING lists for spring and summer sailings to Liverpool. Berths for early sailings should be secured at once F. B. Clarke, agent, Richmond street, next Adver-
- BRITISH EMPIRE LEAGUE AND Daughters of the Empire—Lecture by Lieut.-Col. George T. Denison, president British Empire League in Canada; Auditorium, Friday, Jan. 24, at 8 p.m. Admission free. Seats can be reserved at Nordheimer's for 25c, proceeds from which go to fund for care of soldiers' graves in South Africa. 84n
- VOICE CULTURE—EVA N. ROBLYN, Soprano Soloist, Dundas Center Metho-dist Church. Director vocal department, Alma College, St. Thomas. Studio, 328 Dundas street. 'Phone 1,270. xt
- DANCING-BEGINNERS' NEW TERM now open. Gentlemen, Monday; ladies, Tuesday evening; children, Saturday afternoon. Private tuition any hour. Dayton & McCormick.
- PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY R. B. Millard, 345 Princess avenue. Special attention given to the waltz and two-step. Rapid teaching. Low rates.

FEMALE RELP WANTED.

- Ic per word first insertion, and ½e per word each subsequent insertion. No advert'sement less than ten words. FOUR LADY SOLICITORS—WAGES, \$5 to \$12 a week. 409 Ridout. 87c-xtz
- GENERAL SERVANT WANTED. AP-PLY at once, Fraser House. 87c
- WANTED HOUSEMAID; REFER-ENCES required. Apply to Mrs. Mc-Donough, 253 Dufferin avenue. 85c WANTED-EXPERIENCED DINING-ROOM girl. Apply Walsh House, King
- WANTED-A GOOD GENERAL SER-VANT, where housemaid is kept; no laundry work. Mrs. John Bowman, 505
- WANTED-GOOD PLAIN COOK: ALSO general servant. Apply Mrs. Wright, Office Restaurant, 378 Richmond. 81tf WANTED - EXPERIENCED LADY canvasser, for established business, canvass the city. Address Box 60, Ad-

MALE HELP WANTED. 1c per word first insertion, and ½c per

- advertisement less than ten words. WANTED-A GOOD, RELIABLE MAN as salesman; also a canvasser; good salary; permanent position. Apply 414½ Talbot street, London, Ont. zxv
- SPLENDID WAGES GUARANTEED men who learn barber trade with us; only two months required. Positions waiting over 100 now. Can earn scholarship, board, tools and transportation if desired. Particulars mailed free, Moler Barber College, Buffa, N. Y.
- WANTED-STRICTLY SOBER, HON-EST man, with small family, to work good farm of 70 acres, only 2 miles from London, on shares. Address George F. Clarke, Fenton, Mich., Genesee county. Box 33.
- WANTED-YOUTH TO LEARN JOB printing; one with about two years' experience at the business. Apply Ad-vertiser Job Department. 75tf

AGENTS WANTED.

1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

AGENTS-WE STALT YOU IN BUSI-NESS. You can easily make \$25 per week. No capital required. Apply P. O. Drawer 531, London. 91tf

PARCEL DELIVERY.

CITY PARCEL EXPRESS-REMOVED to 154 Carling street. Leave parcels or market baskets; have them delivered to your home. Special wagon for telephone calls. 'Phone 1.295. C. H. Anderson.

Savings and Investment Society.

HIGHEST RATES Paid on Deposits and

Debentures. OFFICES - Masonic Temple Building, corner King and Richmond Streets.

NATHANIEL MILLS, Manager

Why They Like Them

One man says he likes the everlasting wear, another, because he doesn't have to break them in. A third says he's struck on the "action" of the style, and they ALL say that "Astoria" is the best shoe THEY EVER had. Anyway there're none as good in THIS country.

Sold exclusively in Can-

J.P.Cook,

167 DUNDAS STREET.

MEETINGS.

AN EMERGENCY MEETING OF ST. John's Lodge, 20, G. R. C., will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, preparatory to dedication of the hall. By order, J. A. Tancock, W.M.; M. D. Dawson, secretary Lodge 20.

HELP WANTED. lc per word first insertion, and ½c per

word each subsequent insertion. advertisement less than ten words. POOREST WRITERS PAID 10c PER hour copying testimonial letters at home. Send 10c silver for samples and particulars. Maritime A. Co., Moncton, N. B. 72bc-tzx

WANTED.

- 1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. WANTED—A TOBOGGAN, IN GOOD repair. Apply Glen Bros., sign paint-ers, Dundas street. 87c
- WANTED TO RENT-AN UPRIGHT piano. Apply W. H., Advertiser office. 85c-zxv
- COME AND SEE OUR NATURAL Pompadours. They are perfect. Combings wanted. Miller's Hair Store, 22 Dundas street.

SITUATIONS WANTED. EXPERIENCED FIREMAN WANTS position. Address Box 70. Advertiser.

WANTED - POSITION AS HOUSE-KEEPER, by middle-aged woman. First-class reference Apply Mrs. Mills, No. 7 Oxford street, London. 86n

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

- SNAP-GOOD PIANO, ROSEWOOD case, 71-3 octaves; in first-class condition, and guaranteed for 5 years. Only \$100, on easy terms of payment. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner
- PONY, CUTTER AND CART-OUTFIT complete—For sale. 655 York street. 85k
- FOR SALE-LIGHT SINGLE CUTTER, nearly new. Apply 673 York street.
- FOR SALE-GOOD MARE, FOR ANY purpose. A. C. Taylor, 258 Dundas street. 82n
- FOR SALE, CHEAP-FORTY CHURCH cushions, 5 to 12 feet; quantity of cable wire; wire cage, 3x12 feet; two-seated cutter and buggy; mattresses, springs, bedroom suites, cook stoves. Parish,
- 357 Talbot street, three doors south King. FOR SALE—A GOOD DOUBLE CUTTER: good as new. Apply 361 Talbot street. 78tf
- GASOLINE ENGINES AT LOWEST prices. Manufactured by D. McKenzie & Co., 298 Richmond street.
- FOR GOOD STEAM COAL AND HARD coal, and the best hard and soft wood, go to Green & Co., William street and G. T. R. 'Phone 1,391.
- CHOICE ROLL BUTTER, 18c POUND; 1 pound rolls, extra quality, 19c to 21c; creamery prints, 23c; strictly new-laid eggs, 27c dozen; new and old cheese, 12c lb. T. A. Faulds, 13 Market House
- HEADQUARTERS FOR ALL KINDS fresh and smoked fish. Our goods are the best; fresh daily. F. S. Onn, Fish Market. 'Phone 1,296.
- \$11 WILL BUY A \$15 HALL STAND this week at Keene Bros.' furniture store, 127 King street, opposite Market EXTENSION LADDERS, 20c A FOOT-Best on earth for cleaning eaves-troughs, placing storm windows, paint-ing etc. Catalogue free. The Wag-
- ing, etc. Catalogue free. The Wag-goner Ladder Company, Limited, Lon-don. Ont.
- THIS IS THE TIME OF THE YEAR that makes the people look for the best wood at the best prices. Ring up 1,312, and ask them about their different kinds of wood and prices. D. H. Gillies & Co., 673 Bathurst street.
- 25 PER CENT OFF BALANCE OF ladies' felt hats, chinaware and Christmas novelties. Bargains in furs at Cunningham's, 662 Dundas street.

STOVES-STOVES-WE HAVE a large stock of stoves, comprising coal baseburners, hot blast and St. Lewis airtight. Very cheap, at Keene's, 141 King street.

BOARDING, ROOMS, ETC. ACCOMMODATION FOR TWO three young ladies, with board. Euclid avenue, South Long in. 8 85c

BUSINESS CARDS. HODGSON & HOWARD, PAINTERS.

paper-hangers. Estimates free. 410 Horton street. Orders promptly done. WATSON & CO. HOUSE MOVERS-Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 194 Hamilton road. 'Phone 1,231.

LOST AND FOUND. 1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No word each subsequent insertion. advertisement less than ten words. LOST - WHITE SILK KNITTED shawl, at Lotos Club's "at home." Finder kindly leave at Advertiser of

- FOUND-SMALL SUM OF MONEY. Call at 471 Dundas street for informa-tion.
- LOST-LONG BEARSKIN BOA, MON-DAY night, on King, Ridout or Talbot street. Reward if returned to 150 Simcoe. LOST-TUESDAY, LADY'S SMA silver watch. Reward at this office. b LOST-A SMALL GOLD BROOCH, ON Sunday. Finder please return to Advertiser office.

Same Class of Work

- No matter the price of the suit you order from us, our workmanship is always the same and always the best.
- We are as careful to give perfect fit and thorough make to an \$18

DEEKS & MUNSON,

Tailors and Drapers. 393 Richmond Street.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

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- MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED AT Strong's Drug Store, 184 Dundas street Residence, 289 Dufferin avenue.
- MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY John J. Jepson, druggist, 249 Wellington street. Residence, 241 Pall Mall. 'Phone
- MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED—OF-FICE Adkins' Jewelry Store, East Lon-don. No witnesses required. LICENSES ISSUED BY THOMAS GIL-LEAN, jeweler, 402 Richmond street. MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W. H. Bartram, 99 Dundas street.

OFFICIAL ISSUER OF MARRIAGE licenses, C. D. Johnston, 198 Dundstreet. Residence, 394 Dundas street. BUSINESS CHANCES.

- e per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. FOR SALE-FIRST-CLASS GROCERY stand, good buildings; stock nearly new; must be sold, owing to Ill-health of owner. Would exchange for good city property. J. F. Sangster, 112 Masonic Temple.
- BLACKSMITH SHOP TO LET-COR-NER of Talbot and Queen's avenue; best location in city; immediate posses-sion. Alex. Harrey. 67tf
- BAKE SHOP FOR RENT. INQUIRE at St. James P. O., London South.

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET. lc per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. advertisement less than ten words. TO LET — COMFORTABLE BRICK house, with barn if desired, 699 Queen's avenue, Mrs. D. H. Williams. 84ctxt

- TO LET-HOUSE, NO. 29 PICTON street; double parlors, four bedrooms, furnace, bath, etc; central locality. Fraser & Moore, solicitors. xt MODERN BRICK RESIDENCE—NINE rooms and bathroom; every convenience; electric light. Apply next door. G. C. Jolly, 70 Fullarton street.
- TO LET-COTTAGE, \$8 50 PER MONTH, at 85 Clarence street. Parlors, dining-room, three bedrooms, kitchens, city and soft water. The London Soap Company.
- TO LET-UNION FURNITURE VAN-Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce, South London, late of London Furniture Company. 'Phone 310.

VETERINARY SURGEONS.

J. H. TENNANT, VETERINARY SUR-GEON-Office, 137 King street. Resi-dence and infirmary, corner King and Wellington. Treatment of dogs a specialty. 'Phones 278 and 688.

- MONEY TO LOAN. MONEY TO LOAN-\$500,000 PRIVATE and trust funds, on first mortgage, at 5 per cent; also on notes and other security. Tennent & Coleridge, barristers, solicitors, notaries etc., 78 Dundas
- street London. A LARGE AMOUNT OF PRIVATE funds to loan on real estate at lowest rates. Meredith & Fisher, London, Ont. PRIVATE AND TRUST FUNDS TO loan at 4% and 5½ per cent on real estate security, in sums to suit. No commission charged. T. W. Scandrett, solicitor, 98 Dundas street, London.

rates. Buchner, Campbell & Gunn, 83 Dundas street, London. REAL ESTATE.

PRIVATE FUNDS TO LOAN-LOWEST

- ic per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. WILL EXCHANGE FINE RESIDEN-TIAL property and building lots for store property near market. Box 110, this off e. 31tf-zxt
- THE RESIDENCE OF THE LATE
 Col. Lewis; also the store and warerooms occupied by him, for sale. Apply to Purdom & Purdom. 87tf-vzx FARM FOR SALE-NEAR STRATHROY -75 acres. Good buildings and water. G. M. Haldane, Strathroy, Ont.

MISCELLANEOUS.

- 1c per word first insertion, and ½c per advertisement less than ten words.
- ACCOUNTS COLLECTED BY EXPERT. Highest references. Address "Collector," this office. 83n
- STAMPS—CURRENT CANADA, OLD collections, revenues, bought and sold. Adams, 401 Yonge street. Toronto. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT application will be made by The Ontario Power Company of Niagara Falls to the Parliament of Canada, at its next ses-sion for an act authorizing the Board of sion for an act authorizing the Board of Directors to make regulations respecting the form of Stock Certificates and the transfer of stock in the capital of the Company, and making the shares One Hundred Dollars each, and authorizing the Company, for the purposes of its lines for the transmission of power, to expropriate lands and other interests therefor, and for the other purposes of the company.
- Dated January 15, 1902.
 BLAKE, LASH & CASSELS,
 84a Solicitors for the Company.

Auction Sale. HORSES, BUGGIES, HARNESS,

Rugs, etc., Thursday, at 2:30 p.m. at PORTER'S warehouse, Carling street. Nofice I

NOTICE is hereby given that all Statute Labor shall be and is hereby commuted at 45 cents per day in the Township of Westminster. By order of JOHN McDOUGALL, Reeve.

87u bw James Muir, a Quebec shoe manuacturer, has been appointed by the rederal Government to visit the British Isles with a view of increasing the trade in Canadian-made footwear in

STANDARD GERMANY **NEUTRAL!**

Her Ante-Bellum Attitude Toward the United States.

Announcement Regarding Share Austria Took in Matter.

Mad Princess Louise of Saxe-Cobourg

Weeps for Her Lost Liberty. Berlin. Jan. 22 .- The foreign office denies that Germany desired, or associated itself with any other government that may have sought to bring about European intervention in the Spanish-American war. Regarding the statement emanating from the British foreign office to the effect that Germany, France and Russia had supported the Austrian ambassador at London in his attempt to induce Great Britain to sign a collective note addressed to the United States proposing action by the European states, in view of the outbreak or expected outbreak of the late war between the United

States and Spain, the German foreign office made the following statement: "The foreign office declares with all positiveness that Germany, neither be-fore the outbreak of the Spanish-American war nor during its course, proposed intervention to other powers. Neither did Germany support such a small after guns. Her gunner, how-proposition made by other powers. It ever, was the first man killed, and the is true that in several instances, suggestions (anregungen) were made to to obey orders. The capture of Panthe German government from another ama by the Revolutionists is considsource, in the sense of intervention. But the German government, without of government troops here.

exception, maintained A NEGATIVE ATTITUDE. toward such suggestions, and made Wales will represent the King at the known its negative standpoint whenever occasion offered. It must further be remarked that it was not from an Austrian sourse (nicht Gerade Oesterreichischer seite) that such suggestions reached the German govern-

ment." Some annoyance has been expressed in official circles that the British under secretary for foreign affairs, Lord Cranborne, and the Briash foreign ofgrowing good feeling between Germany and the United States, and seemingly designed to spoil the pleasant prospect of the visit to the United States of Admiral Prince Henry, of Prussia.

LORD CRANBORNE WAS RIGHT. to 235. Vienna, Jan. 20 .- Inquiries made at the Austria-Hungarian foreign office confirm the essential points of the statement made by Lord Cranborne, the British foreign under secretary, in the House of Commons, on Monday. The dynastic relations of Austria with Spain, the queen regent being an archduchess of Austria, led Austria before the declaration of the war between Spain and the United States to begin a peace propaganda, which was carried on not only by England, but throughout Europe. France was ready to second the efforts of Austria. Germany

and Russia maintained a passive at-Great Britain was at first disposed to sign the proposed note, but after a confidential report from Washington declined either to sign such a note as the Austrian ambassador proposed, or to take another step. Afterward Austria and France made direct representations at Washington, but ceased their efforts after the declaration of war, from that time forward relying on the efforts of the pope, who was ments. backed by the tacit approval of all

the powers. ADVERSE TO GERMANY. The interpellation in the British House of Commons, to which Lord Cranborne replied, is here considered to have been gotten up especially to give the opportunity of saying something in parliament which might be taken as a basis for reviving stories adverse to Germany in the matter of

German relations with the United States. None of the Berlin evening papers, with the exception of the North German Gazette, prints Lord Cranborne's statement, and that the North German Gazette does not comment upon it, is taken to mean that the German press is determined not to revive unpleasant discussions at an inopportune

noment. THE FEELING AT WASHINGTON. A dispatch from Washington says: The state department will not be drawn into the controversy which has sprung up between the European powers respecting the efforts made by them to prevent the United States from going to war with Spain. Lord Cranborne's statement in parliament is recognized as absolutely correct as far as it went, but there are chapters in the story which he did not touch upon, and it is recognized here as inexpedient to develop all the facts even now, lest animosities spring up without suf-

MISSING FOR A YEAR. Advices from Christiania says Norwegians are very much alarmed for the safety of the Fram expedition, under the command of Capt. Sverdrup, which sailed from Christiania June 24, 1898, for Northwest Greenland.

vessel was fitted out for four years, but Sverdrup did not expect to be away more than three years. His intention was to reach the Arctic Ocean through the Smith Sound passage, double the north end of Greenland, ascertain what islands, if any, lay off to the north coast and trace the coast line to the east to Independence Bay, discovered by Peary. This was very work that Peary accomplish-

ed last year. The Norwegians are very much astonished to learn that Peary has not seen or heard anything further of the Fram. They have lost sight entirely of an alternative route that Sverdrup may have taken and that may prove the solution of the mystery. Perhaps the changed his plans, and instead of sailing up Smith Sound, turned into one of the channels leading to the west coast of Ellesmere Land.

CHINA MUST SETTLE FIRST. The French foreign office has received confirmation of the statement

taken steps to secure reparation for the murder of Father Julian, a French priest, and two Chinese converts at a village in the north of Kwang Si pro-vince of. M. Beau took the same stand at the beginning of January in con-nection with the murder of missionaries in Kan Su province.

MAD PRINCESS WEEPS. Prince Louise of Saxe-Coburg has een visited by two physicians sent by her father, King Leopold of Belgium, who have pronounced her intermittently demented, and say the princess' health has become extremely delicate. Sad stories are told about her in diplomatic circles. One is that the princess never ceases to protest against confinement. Another is that she frequently weeps, calling aloud for the Austrian officer for love of whom she committed follies which led to her disgrace and incarceration in a sani-

tarium. The officer is thought to be

still imprisoned, although some as-

sert that he died under severe treat-

ment inflicted by order of Princess Louise's husband. The French society for the defense of the rights of women will start an indignation campaign to secure the princess' release unless the delegation it is sending to appeal to the Emperor of Austria, who always has shown more indulgence than King Leopold, succeeds in inducing Francis Jo-seph to demand that Princess Louise

e returned to his care and protec-

CAN'T TAKE PANAMA. Panama, Jan. 22.-The exchange of Panama, Jan. 22.—The exchange of prisoners was responsible for Monday's disaster to the government. From the former the Revolutionists heard of the plans of the government. The Padilla, which had been painted white, ad-vanced unrecognized to a spot about clinations and credulity are about 300 metres from the Lautaro, at which latter prevented her from using her two big guns mounted forward, but good coin of the realm, and invariably she returned the Padilla's fire with her foreign crew of the Lautaro refused ered impossible, owing to the number

CABLE NOTES. It is announced that the Prince of approaching coronation of King Alfon-

so of Spain. Official announcement is made of the amalgamation of the firm of Vickers Sons & Maxim, the gun manufacturers, with Wm. Beardmore & Co., manufacturers of armor plate and

shipbuilding materials, of Glasgow. The joint capital is £6,300,000. In the French Chamber of Deputies, M. Delcasse, minister of foreign affairs, replying to M. Rouanes (Radifice at this moment should make a fairs, replying to M. Rouanes (Radistatement tending to discourage the cal Socialist) on the Armenian questions tian, said that this question was in-ternational, and intervention at the present moment would be inopportune. The chamber approved the declarations of the minister by a vote of 280

Mrs. Brown Potter is to appear as produce. Mrs. Potter will then be seen for the first time in a full suit of

tights. FOR \$25,000,000

Detroit United Railway Has Authorized Blanket Mortgage--Election of

Directors. Detroit, Mich., Jan. 22.-It is announced that the stockholders of the Detroit United Railway have authorized the issue of a new blanket mortgage for \$25,000,000, secured by bonds in that sum. This issue of \$25,000,000 is to take the place of the proposed issue of \$35,000,000 in bonds which the Everett-Moore people tried to float last fall and which their failure to sell brought on their financial embarrass-

The annual meeting of the Detroit Company was held yesterday, and the new board of directors presented three changes. A. E. Peters giving way to H. R. Newcomb, and J. C. Schmidlapp and George S. Russell, of Cleveland, being added, making the board nine in all. The entire board consists of these three and J. C. Hutchins, Arthur Pack, E. W. Moore, R. A. Harmon and H. A. Everett, of Cleveland, and R. B. Van Cortlandt, of New York, all of

whom were members of last year's board. The board met and re-elected the old officers as follows: J. C. Hutchins, president and general manager; H. A. Everett, chairman of the board; Arthur Pack, vice-president; G. S. Russell, treasurer; Edwin Henderson, of New York, secretary; A. E. Peters, assistant secretary. The new executive committee consists of H. A. Ev-

erett, chairman, and Messrs. Hutchins and Newcomb. As to what other matters were discussed. Mr. Hutchins would not say. None of them would affirm or deny the assertion from Cleveland that the Detroit United was to be sold to Detroit and Chicago parties. Col. Myron T. Herrick, H. A. Everett and E. W. Moore were among the visitors from

Cleveland. The new members of the directory are members of the Cleveland bankers' committee which came to the rescue of the syndicate at the time of its

LABOR LEADER INSANE

Former President of Illinois United Mine Workers Sent to Asylum-Cost

of a Strike. Pittsburg, Jan. 22.-The Amalgamated Association went into the last strike with the United States Steel Corporation with \$72,000 in the treasury and spent \$200,000 in the fight. It will go into the next convention with \$200,000 in the treasury, says President T. J. Shaffer.

SENT TO AN ASYLUM.

Streator, Ill., Jan, 20 .- John M. Hun-

ter, former state president of the United Mine Workers of Illinois, was today sent to the Asylum for the Insane at Kankakee. Mr. Hunter was known throughout the United States as a labor leader and had contributed many articles to the daily press and magazines. A year ago he was a delegate from the miners' national organization to the labor conference in England. His insanity had not been noticed outside of his family until Sunday, when he became violent, and it

SWINDLERS VERY BUSY

"Green Goods" Men Are After London Citizens.

Town Is Flooded With Circulars Offering Bad Money.

Scheme Is Old, But Victims Are Always To Be Found in Plenty-

A Sample Circular. London is at present being flooded with "green goods" circulars, several of which have been turned over to the

The average man who has tried all his life to be a decent, upright citizen, feels deeply affronted when he receives a "green goods" circular. His pride has been wounded, and he does Davis, of the Ontario Government. He ality is unknown to the writer of the Occasionally one of these circulars equal. He answers it, and a meeting she began firing. The position of the between buyer and seller is arranged. good coin of the realm, and invariably he returns with his carpet bag empty

-a victim of his own cupidity and stupidity. Here is a circular received by a tion. well-known young man of this city the other day: A TEMPTING BAIT.

Confidential.] Dear Sir,—Your name was sent me by my son (who is my traveling representative), as a shrewd, reliable and trustworthy man for me to co-operate with in your vicinity, and I therefore take the liberty of proposing a scheme to you that ninety-nine out of a hundred up-to-date men would gladly grasp if they could personally examine my work, thereby convincing themselves of the absolute safety of my offer. The writer is an expert engraver, hav-

safety of my offer.

The writer is an expert engraver, having for 22 years been employed in the Bureau of Engraving, Washington, D.C., and for twelve years was superintendent of one of the largest bank note companies in the country. During my leisure I took us as a side issue the duplication of Ones, Fives and Tens, and as these were the original denominations I had worked upon, you can believe me when I say they are perfect.

Now, my dear sir, I am fully aware of the suspicion and prejudice that you naturally will entertain for my proposition, and you will on first thought probably think the matter not worth bother-

Mrs. Brown Potter is to appear as the goddess Calypso in Stephen Phillips' blank verse classical play, "Ulyses," which Beerbohm Tree is about to see," which Beerbohm Tree is about to see, "which Beerbohm Tree is about to see tainly give me credit for not being fool to the produce of the pro ably think the matter not worth bother tainly give me credit for not being 1001 enough to waste my time addressing a man of your intelligence and standing in the community on a subject such as this, unless I could, beyond the possibility of doubt, substantiate every word I write. There are people representing they can furnish just such goods as I am offering you. Their various methods and schemes have been exposed from time to time in the newspapers throughout the entire country. These people are a source of great annoyance and expense to me, as in several states I find it utterly impossible to get trustworthy men to act as agents.

What I want to know is whether you will be willing to co-operate with me in doubt, substantiate every word I write

What I want to know is whether you will be willing to co-operate with me in the disposal of my goods, providing that I prove to you beyond all doubt that my work is all I claim for it, that it cannot be told from the genuine, even by experts. The almost IMPOSSIBLE chance of detection would occur ONLY in case you should attempt to deposit in a BANK one of the government notes and one of mine of the same denomination, checkletter and number at the same time.

until you have examined my entire stock, compare them with the genuine, and, in fact, submit them to any test you see fit; then, after you are thoroughly satisfied on every point, you can decide whether you will accept my proposition or not. The fact is, an investment of \$400 will give you an immediate return that a lifetime of toil in your present business would not do; this without injuring friends, neighbors or your fellow-man. To convince you of the safety of the business, I will, upon receipt of telegram—as per inclosed note—send you a sample of my work, and I will also appoint a place to meet you, so that you can personally examine my will also appoint a place to meet you, so that you can personally examine my entire stock.

You can afford to raise money at any sacrifice, and can pay any rate of interest, as you can turn my stock into cash immediately on your return home, and settle up any and all indebtedness. If for any reason you decide not to coperate with me, I trust, as an honorable man, you will honor the protection that the word "CONFIDENTIAL" insures to all communications, and not be so heart-

all communications, and not be so heart-less as to destroy my life's work, so kindly burn this and let the matter drop. Trusting, however, to hear from you immediately, I remain, confidentially yours, The appeal to the prospective victim's "honor," in the last paragraph is irresistible.

Accompanying the circular were the following instructions: [Keep this for future reference.]

If you can raise \$400 or more and wish to come and see me, send the following telegram (no letters) to

SILAS GREGG.

Elizabethport, New Jersey. "Send Report No. 580." "Send Report No. 580."

(Sign)

M. LEVEY.

Don't sign anything else. Now, if you cannot raise \$400 or more to come on and make a face-to-face deal, but desire to make a face-to-face deal, but desire to engage in this business, say, in your telegram "Send Order," and be sure you use the above number and sign telegram "M. Levey." I will then make you a special proposition. Send all telegrams between the hours of 8 in the morning and 8 at night, and over the Western Union Telegraph Company lines (only). To avoid mistakes, also prepay all messages, as it is very important. Remember, telegrams from you must be prepaid, or they will receive no attention.

N. B.—Remember, write no letters, as I will not receive them. Send telegram only.

CANDIDATES FOR A JUDGESHIP

Several Applicants for the Vacant Seat on Supreme Court Bench.

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Mr. Davis is a brother of Hon. Mr. not pause to consider that his person- is regarded as one of the best lawyers on the Pacific coast. Hon. Joseph Martin is also an applicant for a judgeship. He would come to the supreme court here or

take the chief justiceship in British Columbia. Messrs. Duff and Gordon Huler, of Victoria, are also spoken of in this

[Special to The Advertiser.] WANT MORE PROTECTION! Ottawa, Jan. 22.-Iron and steel men are here today wanting more protec-

CAMPBELL RE-ELECTED

Popular Physician Honored by Medical Fraternity.

President of Victoria Hospital Staff for Second Term.

Dr. John D. Wilson Contested the

Election, But Was Defeated After

a Lively Discussion. The medical staff of Victoria Hospital held its annual meeting at the city hall last night, and having received certain reports, elected Dr. Cl. T. Campbell president for the ensuing year, an honor that was accorded him also last year. The election was not conducted without considerable discussion, and served to draw a sharp line between two factions in the medical fraternity. Dr. Campbell won the po-

sition on account of being persona grata to both classes. Dr. John D. Wilson has been vicepresident during 1901, and his name was proposed for the presidency by Dr. Niven, while Dr. McCallum proposed Dr. Campbell for a second term. letter and number at the same time. A discreet man can avoid this Understand, I do not want you to invest one dollar until you have examined my entire dispute. He added that it was a nity dispute. He added that it was a pity there was so much talk among the profession, and said it was time the medical fraternity got over this sort of thing. He said that it had been the custom to elect the vice-president president, and suggested that there must be some feeling in this matter.
This, considered Dr. Eccles, was a eflection upon the profession. He said that the election should take place according to law, and without casting

> profession. Dr. Campbell said that the gentlemen who during the day had sug-gested his name, said he would be acceptable to everyone, and if there was to be a dispute he did not want the place Dr. Wilson said he knew he had

been turned down in the Medical As-

Wilson. He had been a member for

sociation simply because he was

aspersion upon any members of the

a number of years, and vice-president, but when it came to be his turn for the presidency he did not get it. He asked for an open vote, an idea that was seconded by Dr. Eccles. Dr. Campbell suggested that both nominees withdraw, but Dr. McCallum said that he had nominated Dr. Campbell for exactly the reason Dr. Wilson gave-to pour oil on the troubled waters. Dr. Campbell, he declared, was not obnoxious to either faction. If he were to nominate the rightful chairman, he would nominate a member of the Medical School staft. Twice in succession the board had been dominated by outsiders, and if Dr. Wilson waived his claim, it would be

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better for all concerned. Dr. McCallum acknowledged that he had been a

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