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THREE CENTS.

L. R. STEEL.HEAD THINKS **CANADIAN INVESTOR SAFE**

Former President of Chain Stores, Ill at His Country Estate, Believes There Is No Law Which Can Take Canadian Assets To Pay For American Liabilities.

DOLLAR PER DOLLAR FOR SHAREHOLDERS

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Buffalo, N. Y., March 12.-That Canadian shareholders of the L. R. "I was just saying I have not been to a show in three years." continued Steel Company should get almost dollar per dollar value for their stock if the assets in Canada stay there, is the opinion of Leonard R. Steel, founder and past president of the organization. That he believes the Canadian assets will not be taken to Canadia. Isn't that so, Mamie?"

Canadian assets will not be taken to Canada. Isn't that so, Mamie?"

Sure," said Mrs. Steel. balance the American liabilities was evidenced in an interview with The

Advertiser vesterday. Fifteen miles from Buffaro on his country estate, Mr. Steel is the vicim of a nervous breakdown. As you the nerve-shattered wreck of a busigreatest modern concerns. Yester- ought to be safe. They might even day the dazzling sunlight glinted on get dollar for dollar." the stream, which rushes through the spacious grounds, on the white of the many buildings, and on the now icy Canada?" surface of the four tennis courts.

ley of barks and laughter behind the pany?" Dangerously III.

Even on first entering the house here was nothing to show that here lay a man dangerously ill. The door was opened by a smiling maid. Within the hall was thick with a strange oder—a mixture—flowers—roses? though the head office is in Buffalo,

But on the way upstairs to the the Canadian shareholders."

the canadian shareholders."

"How long before the shareholders." sick room this faded, and in its place came the pungent smell of medicine.
In a narrow bed lay Leonard R. Steel. "I don't know," was Mr. Steel's retwo doctors and a nurse. When The Advertiser reporter called he was not in this position nor were the attend-in this position nor were the attend-in this position nor were the attend-in the position nor were the attend-in the name of the name of the manus of the war.

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ant tapping.

As the reporter entered Mr. Steel, chance. They all had a knife in me without a move or without a turn of They ruined—"
his eyes, exclaimed: "I'm sick. I "Now, Leon; now, Leon!" said Mrs. haven't been well for three years. I'm Steel. make it pay again. I'd___"
He stopped suddenly, and turned

on his side. He blinked his eyes and wiped them. He sighed.

Goes to Pieces. "I worked my head off for the comthree years. I have not been to church for that time. Then when I get sick

the company goes to pieces. They all had a knife in me. I me. They all had a knile in me. 1 had a lot of bums working for me. Danforth avenue." He stopped speak-

ing again,
"Who had it in for you and whom do you refer to as bums?"
"I'm not going to say," he replied. "It's enough to say that I have lost tion as president of the L. R. Steel everything I ever had. Why I had c. \$100,000 worth of stock and it's all

"You ought to get something as stockholder," he was reminded "Surely it can't all be lost." "Yes," he answered. "but what will that amount to here? You have got all the assets in Canada, all the property, everything over there, but I don't mind that. I always liked Canada. The company never took a dollar out of Canada. It is all there now and the shareholders there want to hang on to it. They-He was interrupted by the entry of a tall, heavy-set lady, wearing a

Mrs. Steel Enters.

DECLARES NO PLACE

"My wife," said Mr. Steel. This was the woman whose social functions had been the talk of Buf-falo. Now, according to her hus-such a communication.

FOR KLAN IN CANADA

Knights of Columbus at New York.

New York, March 12.—George Boivin, of Granby, Que., supreme di-

rector of the Knights of Columbus

in Canada; addressed a meeting of the

supreme officers of the order Satur-day at the Waldorf Astoria Hotel.

He expressed the belief that the Ku Klux Klan could not exist as an

organization in Canada, and described

man Catholic churches and insti-

the co-operation of the Knights

ous with

George Boivin Addresses the of four for 25 cents.

Mr. Steel. "Isn't that so, Mamie."
"Yes," replied Mrs. Steel.
"And I've lost everything. Isn't
that so, Mamie?" "Yes," said Mrs. "And they've got all the money in "You know that all we've got left is this house, and we've got to move out and get a smaller place to live," continued Mr. Steel.

poverty. Slowly Mrs. Steel removed

the raincoat. Over a gingham dress she wore a vest, her husband's. This

followed the coat.

"How much do you think the shareholders will get?" he was asked. "I cannot tell," he replied, "but, I approach his magnificent residence there is little to show that within is the nerve-shattered wreck of a businessman, who organized one of the they've got all the assets there. They

Canadian Assets?

"What constitute the assets in "Nearly all the property is there, As the reporter approached the all through the West and in Ontario. They can't take the property away

From behind an arbor ran a 9-year-old boy, Philip, the Steel's only child. After him came a barking collie. The youngster and dog continued in their the mother company, and can it be flight, and disappeared with a med-

> "Yes," was the reply. "But if it were sold, could the money be applied to American liabilities?" he was asked. "I don't think so," he replied. "It should all stay in Canada. It belongs

to the Canadians. The Canadian Yes, that was it. Roses and roastit is separate. It was Canadian captain of a Hamburg-American property, and it should be taken for liner.

It had been rumored that he was on the verge of death, under the care of with it. It's all in the hands of the

Longs for Health.

watched the ceiling; long dark fingers my strength back all the lawyers and vibrated the bed clothes with inces- brokers and newspapers in this coun-

"That's all right," said he. "I'm broken down. But if I get my strength back the world will know it. I've loot all my money, just like the others, but if I had my health, I'd about assets and liabilities. Don't ask me why the company went into the me why the company went into the hands of the receivers. Don't ask me what has happened. Don't ask me what is going to happen. I don't know, for I've got nothing more to do with the company. All I want to do is to get well, and then I'll take a hand in

things again. "But you can tell them in Canada," he said in conclusion, "that they have the best of it. Tell them just to sit "But what chance did I have? pretty, and everything will be all right. Whatever the shareholders get here, it's pretty sure that the Cana-dian shareholders will not lose much. They've got everything there. I don't And the real estate men. Look at Toronto—the real estate men had con take the Canadian assets over everything clamped so tight there you couldn't raise money on land on Dapforth avenue" He storm and on here. As far as I am concerned, they should keep it there. They've

The interview was ended. This was the first statement Mr. Steel had

STATE MAY INVESTIGATE. Special to The Advertiser.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 12.-It rumored that as the result of recent developments a state investigation into the affairs of the L. R. Steel Company is almost certain. It has been reported that Guy B. Moore, district attorney, received a letter from a woman in New Jersey, allegng she had been sold \$600 worth of L. R. Steel stock by misrepresenta-tion, and that Mr. Moore had forwarded this to the receiver, asking

them to deal with it on the com pletion of an audit.

Mr. Moore is at present in Roches ter, and when The Advertiser called at his department the assistant dis-

RAISE CAR FARES. Canadian Press Despatch. Calgary, March 12.-Unable to gain

increased patronage by the adoption of a five-cent fare, the Calgary

Mrs. Rose Pinfold Appeals At Osgoode For New Trial

St. Thomas Woman Will Continue \$40,000 Breach of Promise Suit Against Benjamin F. Honsinger.

Canadian Press Despatch Toronto, March 12 .- Mrs. Rose Pinin guarding against fires in fold, widow, of St. Thomas, who sued Benjamin F. Honsinger of the same He announced that Mayor Mederic place, for \$40,000 damages for al-

an appeal at Osgoode Hall in which





WIN MEDALS IN ORATORY CONTEST AT LONDON SOUTH COLLEGIATE. Reading from left to right, the talented young people are: William L. Smith, who captured the silver medal offered by Rowland Hill; Miss Ruth Tanton of Byron, winner of the silver medal presented by Victoria Mothers' Club in the lower school competitions; Miss Ruth Lawton, awarded the Nicholas Wilson Chapter, I. O. D. E., gold medal, and Arthur Hill, who won the gold medal offered by Wendell Holmes in the senior competitions. E. W. Grange, who delivered the verdict of the judges, stated that seventy per cent of the speeches he listened to during the years he was a member of the press gallery in the House of Commons, Ottawa, did not come up to the mark of those heard from the eight young contestants last Friday evening.

SAY GERMAN FINANCING School Board To Try Force To Get Needed Classrooms FLEET OF RUM VESSELS

Cargoes Said To Be Taken With Building Program Eliminated, Board of Education May Secure Temporary Accommodation and Make Council From Glasgow to United Provide Money Under General Estimates. States.

fund from the general estimates the

London, March 12.—Wholesale rum- its refusal to issue debentures to ing the matter to the peop running into the United States by a cover the cost of providing additional are fearful of the outcome. its refusal to issue dependent of the cover the cost of providing additional accommod tion in the public and secondary schools of this city the board of education may force it to provide money to secure and fit up temporary classrooms.

In view of the action of the city fathers Friday night, when they service. The cost of this has been unofficially placed in the neighborhood of \$10,000. fleet of four or five ships, registered under the Panaman flag, is being financed by a prominent German magnate, according, to information received in responsible United States quarters here. The fleet, it is declared, is being chiefly operated from deduct \$23,348.84 interest and sinking

school trustees will meet tomorrow afternoon to map out counter action, The fleet itself, it is understood, and discuss revised and supplementunder the command of a character of of education, the first is carry the whole issue to the ratepayers for a decision, and the second, provide temporary querters to reliable to the board is forced to secure questionable nationality, who achieved notoriety in connection with marine operations of a dubious nature during the war.
While absolute proof of these vast

If the city council remains firm in although a few trustees favor carry-ts refusal to issue debentures to ing the matter to the people, others

Such supplementary estimates will come under the heading of maintenande, and no matter how enxious the city council is to eliminate the excity council is to eliminate the ex-penditures for the sake of the tax rate, they will have no power to do

temporary quarters to relieve the prevailing congestion, money for which may be secured through the secured through the secured public secured secured through the secured secured through the secured general estimates. The second course will probably be adopted, for

CHICAGO BANK SHORT AS MUCH AS \$600,000

Home of British Premier Scene Investigation Behind Closed Doors.

of the body of its president, Fred W. Popp, remained shut today, re-

ports indicated state bank examiners had obtained information which

Six small banks outside Chicago,

cictims in what was described as a

scheme to place worthless paper in

the banks and withdraw negotiable

securities and cash.

The name of Josephine Bacon, an

ANNOUNCE CO-OPERATIVE

Associated Press Despatch

Minneapolis, March 12.-Final plans

for the organization of a national co-

tion have been completed and await

approval by state organizations to put

It was said the organization expects to pool about fifty million bushels of wheat this year.

SCORE UNDUE PROMINENCE

Associated Press Despatch.

SEVERE BLIZZARD SWEEPS

Canadian Press Despatch.

GIVEN TO DIVORCE CASES

into effect, it has been announced

WHEAT MARKETING FIRM

wheat marketing associa

were abandoned.

of Early Morning Blaze. Special Cable to The Advertiser. London, March 12.-Fire broke out in the second floor of the residence of Premier Bonar Law at 10 Downing street at two o'clock this morning. The prime minister's family was aroused, but prompt appearance of

Associated Press Despatch.

the United States end by a former

cargoes in the United States chiefly

Law's Residence

Damaged By Fire

from Glasgow.

The fire is believed to have been by overheating of an electric

CITY FIRE DEPARTMENT **WILL ADD TWO TRUCKS**

Be Opened in Few

Expect North End Station Will Weeks

If no further slashing of estimates occurs in connection with the finance committee two more combination chemical and hose trucks will be purchased this year for the fire department at a cost of about \$8,000. Equipment from the horse-drawn wagons will be used with the new vehicles From present indications the north end fire hall will be re-opened within a few weeks. This question will re-ceive the consideration of the councillors, when the entire fire depart on, soon after the tax rate is struck With this additional equipment, it is stated that there will be but three horses in actual service in the entire city, those in use at the central fire he

> LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR IMPROVES.

Canadian Press Despatch! Montreal, March 12 .- The conditio f Hon. Ma Callum Grant. lieuten nunicipal-owned street railway, fol-lowing a two-month tryout, today was admitted to the Royal Victori

London, March 12.-The council of began to sell tickets at the old rate Hospital on Saturday, was reported this morning to be improved. the institute of journalists has adopt ed a resolution recording strong dis-approval of the increasing tendency of newspapers to publish with undue prominence the "nauseous and inimate details of divorce petitions nurders and other criminal cases. The resolution requested the ex-ecutive of the institute to consider

Martin of Montreal had forwarded a message of welcome to the Knights of Columbus, which will hold its international convention in Montreal in August.

Justice Masten and a jury on Feb. 27 and 28, was dismissed, has lodged of the evidence.

"On the whole," the notice of appeal says, "the result was contrary to the justice of the case, and was so unsatisfactory as to entitle the plaintiff to a new trial.

Among specific objection taken to the result at the trial are that the jury's answer was against the weight of the evidence.

Moose Jaw, March 12.—Moose Jaw yesterday was swept by a storm that has only been exceeded in intensity this winter by the blizzard which had Western Canada in its grip for three days during February. Snow fell heavily while the storm was in progress, and temperatures dropped many degrees above the freezing point to a few degrees above gero last night.

INSPECTOR OF CANAL DROWNED UNDER ICE

State Bank Examiners Continue Companion Is Rescued After Drifting Half Mile in Icy Water.

Associated Press Despatch.
Chicago, March 12.—While the
Logan Square Trust and Savings
Bank, closed Friday after the finding Canadian Press Despatch. St. Catharines, March 12.-Antoine Cherrier, government inspector on the Welland Ship Canal, was drowned yesterday at Port Weller while endeavoring to release ar had obtained information which caused their investigation to be exice blockade from beneath a culvert A fellow-workman, W. H. Johnston tended. They declined official comment, but official reports placed a possible shortage as high as \$600,000. Plans to reopen the bank today was carried away with Cherriere drifting half a mile down the stream but was rescued. Cherriere was car-

ried under the ice. He was born in England of French parents 34 years ago. He went over-seas from Canada with the 84st Batalong with the Logan Square insti-tution, were reported involved as He was financial secretary o the St. Catharines Branch of the G. W. V. A., and a member of the executive. An inquest will be held.

operatic student and former model, POLICE WATCH OFFICE was brought into the investigation. OF COMMUNIST PAPER

She said Mr. Popp had been her friend and financial counsellor and that on two occasions their acquain-Associated Press Despatch. tance had brought protest from Mr Paris, March 12.-The police are keeping close watch on the offices les paid All doubt that Mr. Popp had not committed suicide was reported re-moved by a coroner's investigation, of young Communists, where a Communist newspaper is printed. M. Sellier, a municipal councillor, and M. although the inquest was continued. charged with inciting riots.

now under arrest, Tracts have been found posted and in circulation among the troops in the Ruhr. These appeaded to the soldiers to rebel.

BRITISH ARMY ESTIMATES PROVIDE FOR £52,000,000

Associated Press Despatch London, March 12.-The British army estimates for 1923-24, made public today, provide for £52,000,000, as against £62,300,000 for the previous year, a saving of more than The estimates include £28,132,000

for the maintenance of the standing army and provide for 170,800 men, excluding India, but including 10,500 Indians troops in the Middle East.

RAIDS CHINESE BANQUET IN OTTAWA SUNDAY NIGHT

Canadian Press Despatch. Ottawa, March 12.-A Celestial anquet, attended by 75 local Chinamen, held over the store of Wing On & Co, Albert Street, was interrupted by a raid of the city morality squad last night. The net result of the raid was the seizure of twelve bottles of beer and a gallon of gin. Hung Din, MOOSE JAW ON SUNDAY charged with keeping liquor for sale and Wing On, charged with allowing Moose Jaw, March 12 .- Moose Jaw liquor to be consumed in a public building, will appear in court today,

HEAVIEST SWISS SNOWFALL.

Head of Boy Scouts Will Visit Canada in April.

day to attend the big conference on Week, under the auspices of the National Council of Education. They are among the leaders in education and youth development in this coun-

Sir Robert, in addition to attending the convention, will inspect boy scout organizations in Toronto, Ottawa, Winnipeg, and other Canadian tawa, Winnipeg, and other Canadian school situation, Mr. Burdick feared that there could be no retreat from the British Empire. in the British Empire.
Sir Michael Sadler, vice-chancellor

of Leeds University and chairman of the Teachers' Registration Council, who will be a delegate to the conference on education and citizenship in Toronto, will also sail for Canada

A Big Liquor Haul Is Made At Hull

Quebec License Officers Take Twenty Prisoners.

Canadian Press Despatch. Ottawa, March 12.—Quebec liquor license commission operatives, assisted by Hull police constables, paid a surprise visit to over twenty places in Hull Saturday night, and brought in large quantities of seized beer and

DEPARTMENT HANDS SCHOOL BOARD \$12,383

Government Grant for Yocational Training in London Arrives Opportunely.

As a balm to the feelings of the board of education, wounded by the city council in eliminating the whole of the school building program, came a check for \$12,383.36 from the department of education at Toronto this The money was the department's

share of the cost of carrying on vo-cational training in this city from July 1 to Dec. 31, 1922. Of the total amount, \$11,437.91 was due on salar ies paid to teachers, while the bal-ance of \$945.45, was applied on equip-

The total amount paid out by this 175,95. The money received by the poard was included in this year's estimates as revenue received.

SAY 9,000,000 GERMANS GET GOVERNMENT AID Associated Press Despatch

Berlin, March 12 .- Nine million persons in Germany are receiving government aid, a ording to a state ment made by Food Minister Luther before the budget committee of the Reichstag. Six million of these are without incomes worth mentioning, without incomes worth mentioning, that this is the first experimental the minister declared. According to attempt to introduce the superior Herr Luther the food situation very serious.

WITHOUT NEW LAW

Acting Mayor Burdick Suggests Rain on Holidays and the De-Amendment in Procedure

Can Recover From Aldermen If Commissioners Feel Report Is Grant Exceeding \$25,000 Is Made Without Vote.

If the city council proposes to con-University the procedure bylaw 228,04 for the year ending Dec. 31 last, Mayor George Burdick today.

hat there is considerable talk in missioners, speaking to The Adver priation might be eliminated this ors are not empowered to grant more

people This has not been complied with in other years apparently," comment- the electrification of the road. ed the acting mayor.

while unwitting to express an opin-ion as to the advisability of any cur-tailment of the grant, as already sug-tailment of the grant, as already sug-while a slight decrease in passenger Baden-Powell and Lady Baden-Powell sail for Canada on Frigural Powell will sail for Canada on Frigura anything in excess of \$25,000 In the face of this, the commissioners and the relationship of the grant anything in excess of \$25,000 In the face of this, the commissioners and the relationship of the grant anything in excess of \$25,000 In the face of this, the commissioners and the relationship of the grant anything in excess of \$25,000 In the face of this, the commissioners and the relationship of the grant anything in excess of \$25,000 In the face of this relationship of the grant anything in excess of \$25,000 In the face of this relationship of the grant anything in excess of \$25,000 In the face of this relationship of the grant anything in excess of \$25,000 In the face of this relationship of the grant anything in excess of \$25,000 In the face of this relationship of the grant anything in excess of \$25,000 In the face of this relationship of the grant anything in excess of \$25,000 In the face of this relationship of the grant anything in excess of \$25,000 In the face of this relationship of the grant anything in excess of \$25,000 In the grant anything in excess of \$25,000 In the face of this relationship of the grant anything in excess of \$25,000 In the grant anything in excess of \$25,000 I the citizens could sue and collect from the councillors themselves this be held in Toronto during Easter added sum. He did not anticipate that view of the unsettled conditions during the ausnices of the cush cotion would be forther than all the countries the sum of the countries that the count such action would be forthcoming in any event, but pointed out that the weapon was there if anyone chose to

use it. "The bylaw should be amended if they intend to give this money," he commented decisively. ommented decisively.

Touching briefly upon the public are that 1923 will prove as good a

the stand of the council at the last session. "There is but one solution as far as I can see it for the school trus-tees, now that we have eliminated General \$13,638.57

their building program. Take the question to the people. The matter ley Pk is out of our hands." Mr. Burdick criticized the school boards in general for their "lack of business management in their pur-chase and use of school sites," point-Pt. Stanley Park 52,260.88 Dakin street site and property on Grand avenue is still ly-for money to purchase another site west London he terms this as ab-

solutely unnecessary.

Clarence Cook Resents Sensational Rumor—Declares He Has Poisoned Hand.

Special to The Advertiser.

St. Thomas, March 12.-A sensa tional front page news story published this morning in the London Free Press about irate parents breaking up a wedding in St. Luke's Anglican Church at Yarmouth Heights Saturday, has raised the ire of the embryonic bridegroom. Cook, a resident in that district Through his brother, Clarence today made emphatic denial of the report, declaring that there had been no parental interference, no emotional scene so graphically described, nothing except a very formal post ponement of the ceremony on count of a poisoned hand, from which Clarence has been suffernig for several days.

alleged unfounded report speaks of the would-be bride as being Miss Cook. She is Miss Winnifred city for teachers and for equipment Gage, while the name of Cameron for vocational training classes is \$31.-975.95. The money received by the groom-to-be. Clarence Cook.

MILLIONS SALMON EGGS TRAVEL EAST TO WEST

Canadian Press Despatch. Winnipeg, March 12.—Millions salmon eggs being sent from the Mirimachi hatchery at Newcastle, N. B., to the Dominion fish hatchery t Terrace, near Vancouver, passed hrough here yesterday. G. S. Davidson, the chief inspector of fisheries in the West, explained

of Mirimachi salmon

London to Australia by Air Is Aim of British Ministry

Plan Fleet of Giant Flying Machines to Carry Mail 1,500 Miles Without Stopping.

Associated Press Despatch. London, March 12.—London to Ausralia by aeroplane in six days is re-arded as possible by the British to maintain the flight. It also must ministry, which is about to ask the

be equipped with an automatic staaircraft industry for bids on building bilizing mechanism to insure against a great metal aeroplane to initiate the experiment, says the Daily Mail.

The ministry's specifications, which have been made after careful investigations to make the following stages. Associated Press Despatch.

Berne, March 12.—Seventeen feet of snow, the heaviest fall ever recorded in Switzerland, have been isled on the peak of Mount Saentis.

have been made after careful investigation by leading experts, will call from Malta to Australia, namely: for a machine capable of flying with mail continuously, day and night, goon, Penang, Singapore and Borneo, altogether 10,000 miles, without incurring the risk of forced landing, from London to Malta, a distouching non-British territory.

EXCEEDED \$18,000

creased Freight Revenue Bylaw.

CITIZENS CAN SUE NOT BAD SHOWING

Good Considering General

Business Conditions.

Responsible.

While the London and Port Stantinue its \$55,000 grant to the Western ley Railway reveals a deficit of \$18 .should be amended, declared Acting the commissioners gave assurance at their regular session this morning Mr. Burdick referred to the fact Several weeks ago one of the com-

'city hall circles' that the appro-\$25,000 Submitting the annual statement, year, and pointed out that according as audited and found correct, J. E. to the procedure bylaw, the council-Richards, general manager of the city's road, gave brief, but illuminative, explanations for the decrease in receipts, pointing out that this, when deducted from surpluses of ears, will leave the sum of \$189,

525.43 as the aggregate surplus since As anticipated, and as recorded in The Advertiser more than two weeks

ing the past twelve months, pointing out incidentally that 1921 was the best year in the history of the road. Expected More. Manager Richards is frank in his opinion that he actually expected -a

sented this morning: Gross Earnings
Passenger\$277,100.9

Operating Expenses. \$387,820.29 Interest \$82,594.96 Rental

-113.091.27 .. \$11.309.46 Deficit \$18,228.04 Not Serious.

Taxes 10,496.31

"I don't feel that the situation is serious," declared Commissioner Harey, acting chairman in the absence Turn to Page 2, Column 7.

POSSE SHOOTS NEGRO. ENDING 2-DAY CHASE

Wanted For Wounding Five People Attending Death Watch.

Associated Press Despatch. Nashville, Tenn., March 12.—Louis and seriously wounded five persons who were attending a death watch at Spencer, Van Buren County, Thursmorning, was shot to death at the home of a tenant, on the property of Sam Haston, one of the victims by armed deputies, Saturday after-

negro's death ended a twoday chase with bloodhounds. The shooting of the fugitive was the climax to one of the most brutal tragedies in the annals of the statemen and two women being shot down as they watched beside the bedside of a dying woman at the home of Sam Haston, brother of Tennessee's secretary of state. The negro had been accused of robbing a corn crib.

THE WEATHER

FORECASTS. Today—Strong winds and gales from outheast, mostly cloudy, occasional howers.

Tuesday—Westerly winds, fair and comparatively mild.

An energetic disturbance, which developed in the southwest states, is cenveloped in the southwest states, is centered this morning over southern Lake Michigan, causing high winds with snow and rain over the greater part of Ontario. Snow has fallen in many sections of the west, while in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces the weather has been fair. has been fair.

Kingston Montreal Clear

tance of 1,500 miles. The machine must have three motors, so that if one is crippled another will be able to maintain the flight. It also must contact the machine must have three motors, so that if St. John ... 30 8 Fai (-) Below zero.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest tempera-tures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 c'clock night were: Highest, 42; lowest

The official temperatures for 12 hours previous to 8 a. m. toda were: Highest, 42; lowest, 33. Barometric Readings.

Sunday-8 p.m., 29.07. Today-8 a.m., 28.37.