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Mortgaged For Seven Years. Windsor, Feb. 14.—By unanimeus vote the City Council has increased City Tax Collector Cheyne's salary \$300 per year. Collector Cheyne's salary \$300 per year. Collector Cheyne will have to make good missing Bailiff Millard's shertage of \$3,400. The Council agreed to accept repayment of \$500 a year without interest. The \$3,400 is partially offset by Millard's sureties, but Collector Cheyne is responsible for the full amount.

Ottawa, Feb. 14.—An organized looting of Chinese laundries seems to be in effect in this city, as during the past four weeks no less than 17 shops have been robbed. The amount stolen has ranged from \$5 to \$35. The looting has always taken place on a Sunday, when the Celestials were at Sunday

### WEARY DAYS AND SLEEPLESS NIGHTS

Many men and women toss night after night upon sleepless beds until near dawn. The eyes do not close in the sweet and refreshing repose that comes to those whose heart and nerves are right. Worry or disease has so debilitated and irritated the nervous system that it cannot be quieted. Or, again, you have heart palpitation and sensation of sinking, a feeling you are going to die; or perhaps you wake up from your sleep feeling as though you were about to choke or smother, and rest leaves you for the night. Allow these unditions to continue and you will feel ur health deelining.

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### LOWTHER IS RE-ELECTED

**British House of Commons Elects** Its Speaker.

Assembling of Parliament For Routine Work-Great Rush For Seats by Members-Swearing-In of the Members Will Take the Balance of the Week-Great Crowd Outside Show Keen Interest.

London, Feb. 14.—Although the cere-mony for formally opening Parliament will not occur until Feb. 19, and while will not occur until Feb. 19, and while no legislative work can be undertaken until after the King's speech has been delivered on that occasion, the second Parliament of King Edward assembled yesterday afternoon for the election of a Speaker of the House of Commons. This was the only business yesterday, and the swearing-in of the members will occupy the balance of the week.

Resembled Entry to Theatre Pit.

The new House of Commons meets under conditions of unusual interest, and evidence of this was seen in the



JAMES WM. LOWTHER

wild rush for seats at midnight, when the spectacle at the entrance of the House of Parliament at Westminster resembled the entry to a pit on the first night of a play by a popular author. Nearly 300 of the members are entirely new to Parliamentary life, as a consequence of the upheaval caused by the general election, and the House of Commons police had a difficult task in differentiating between members and outsiders, who attempted to take advantage of the occasion to view the proceedings. the spectacle at the entrance of the

proceedings.

Outside the House a great crowd showed keen interest in the proceedings, criticizing or cheering according to their political bias, the better known members with the proceedings. members, while the arrival of the yeo-men of the guard to make the historic search of the vaults for a Guy Fawkes, with all the time-honored formalities, evoked unbounded enthusiasm. Accorded Great Reception.

At 2 o'clock, the time for the open At 2 o'clock, the time for the opening, the House was crowded. The party
leaders were accorded a great reception by their respective adherents, the
Unionists trying to veil the noticeable
paucity of their numbers by an extra
display of enthusiasm. A minute or
two later, Black Rod entered, and summoned the Commons to the House of
Lords, where the Parliament was formally opened by a Royal Commission.
Only a few peers were present. Upon
the withdrawal of the Commoners the
peers met to present their writs and

peers met to present their writs and subscribe the oath.

Elected a Speaker.

In the meantime, the Commons had proceeded to the election of a Speaker.

The Clerk of the House, who is not permitted to speak, solemnly rose and pointed his index finger at Sir Wilfred Lawson. The latter moved the re-elec-tion of James Wm. Lowther, and Mr. Lowther was re-elected unanimously. The House then adjourned until to-day.

WILL NOT OPPOSE BALFOUR.

ondon Liberals Consent to Former Premier's Election by Acclamation.

London, Feb. 14.—Former Premier Balfour's non-committal speech at the banquet of the Conservatives of the city of London Monday evening has appar-ently satisfied the Liberals, as at a meeting of the City of London Liberal Association yesterday afternoon it was decided not to oppose the former Pre-mier's election for the city of London. Mr. Falfour, therefore, is assured of a seat in Parliament.

ROTHSCHILD PARTY COMING.

Immigrants Will Pay Back Fare When Placed in Positions.

London, Feb. 14.—(C. A. P.)—The hundred and ninety emigrants who have been afforded a new start in life by the Rothschilds emigration scheme have bid adieu to their old homes in Tottenham. There are no "western" nave bid adieu to their old homes in Tottenham. There are no "wasters," no "unemployables" among them. "Every man's life and character have undergone the strictest investigation. Everyone has a situation and home ready for him whenever he reaches his destination, previously arranged for.

his destination, previously arranged for.

As for his fare, it will be advanced by the Rothschilds fund. Each man signs an agreement to repay the amount in monthly instalments, amounting to 30 per cent. of the wages received in Canada. In addition to this amount, should the man leave any debts here, he agrees to pay the same at the rate of 10 per cent. per month of his own wages, making a total of 40 per cent. per month to be returned until the whole debt is cleared off. In the case of a young man who has been in the habit of supporting his parents, an agreement is secured from him to continue contributing at least one pound per month, as far as possible. Only one of a family will be placed in a locality in Canada. A small amount of money has been sent to whatever point the emigrant is going, for his use on arrival there.

Baron Rothschild spoke cheering words. "It is through men like you that Canada has become great," said he. The emigrants had a most enthusiastic sendoff. Thousands assembled in the neighborhood of St. John's Hall. Stamford Hill. The emigrants sailed yesterday on the Lake Champlain for St. John, N.B. W. T. R. Preston also addressed encouraging words to the emigrants.

God help the man who thinks he can afford to give petty dislikes a place in his heart.

### Many a Woman is Taking Headache **Powders**

who ought to be taking Bu-Ju. The kidneys are making the head ache. They are not doing their work properly — not purifying the blood—not ridding the system of poisons. These impurities stagnate the blood—irritate the nerves—and bring the headaches that so many women suffer with.

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takes away the headaches because they take away the poisons in the kidneys. They act directly on these vital organs, strengthen and heal, reduce the inflammation—and stop the headaches because they remove every trace of Kidney Trouble. At druggists.

Schoolbooks and Contagion A discussion of far reaching interest has taken place in the French Academy of Medicine on the subject of class books as disseminators of contagion in schools, especially in the case of such diseases as scarlet fever, measles and diphtheria. Paper has long been recog-nized as a dangerous agent of infection, even in tuberculosis, owing to the habit among children of turning over leaves with fingers wetted with saliva. Dr. Lop in order to test the extent of dan ger in schoolbooks made long experi-ments to establish the duration of infective power in various bacilli, finding it to range from forty-eight hours for some to fifty days for the Ebertle and 103 days for the Koch bacillus. General agreement was expressed as to the importance of thorough disinfection of school materials.

School materials.

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When the maker of a medicine, sold through druggists for family use, takes his patients fully into his confidence by frankly and fearlessly publishing broadcast as well as on its bottle wrappers, a full list of all its ingredients in plain English, this action on his part is the best possible evidence that he is not afraid to have the search light of investigation turned full upon his formula and that it will bear the fullest scrutiny and the most thorough investigation. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for the cure of the weaknesses, periodical pains and functional derangements of the organs distinctly feminine, is the only medicine put up for sale through druggists for woman's special use the maker of which is not afraid to take his patients into his full confidence by such open and honest publicity.

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Judge—You are charged with assault and battery. What have you to say? Prisoner—Not a word, yeronner. It was sayin' too much got me into this

Judge-Who bit your ear off? Mrs. Black (wishing to protect her husband) -I-I did it mahself.

### Better Than Spanking

Spanking does not cure children of Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box 4. Windsor, Ont., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her to-day if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child: the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with arine difficulties by day or night.

First Treaty of Portsmouth, N. H., was signed July 11, 1713, the contracting parties being belligerent Indians and the whites. The news of the treaty of Utrecht, which ended Queen Anne's war, reached the city Oct. 29, 1712. The Indians desired a treaty, and it was formally signed on the above date. First Treaty of Portsmouth,

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### AN ANCIENT VOLUME.

Old Playbook of Jefferson's Grand-father Rescued From Serap Heap. Before me lies an ancient playbook rescued from the scrap heap of a junk dealer. It contains three small pam-phlets hand stitched with coarse linen thread—"The Emperor of the Moon, as performed at the Patagonian Theater, London;" "Damon and Phillida, with the Musick prefix'd to each Song,"

and "English Readings, a Comic Piese in one Act." They are dated 1777, 1765 and 1787. On the frontispiece of each playlet is inscribed a signature—J. Jef-ferson. The autographs have so nearly faded into the yellow dimness of the time stained paper that it is not possible they could have been written by the genial comedian of our day. Each signature is evidently as old as the

book itself.

One day, curious as to the ownership of the little volume, I submitted it to the late Joseph Jefferson. He turned the yellowed pages slowly and with much interest, studying attentively the autograph inscribed here and there

through the book.
"It is undoubtedly," he said, "a stray volume from the library of my grand-father. Like my own library, it was bound to have many playbooks in it. He may have used it, in London and brought it with him when he came to America in 1797. The playbills of those days abounded in a medley of short pieces such as you find in this little volume. What interests me most, however, is the curious likeness I find in the autograph of my grandfather to my own writing. The characters are small er, and some letters are unlike. Still there is a family resemblance, somewhat like that handed down in face and figure.

A CAT'S AMUSING TRICK.

Puss Found a Way to Keep Her Appointments.

"My cat," says a writer in the Chica-go Tribune, "is twelve years old and an ordinary tabby. Since it was deli-cate as a kitten, I always let it sleep in the kitchen on the ground floor, from which a large window overlooks a yard. In this window is one pane which opens separately by means of a latch.

the cat, no doubt finding the night long, taught itself to open this pane and get out through it. At first when the cook told me about it I was incred-ulous, knowing that servants have a way of making the cat responsible for any little negligence of their own, but as the window was found open every morning I was bound to believe tt. Since then I have seen the cat do the trick a hundred times, for, once it knew that we had discovered it at it it no longer made a secret of it. Its way of doing it was to jump upon the inner window sill, push the latch up ward with the tip of its nose and pull the frame back with its paw. It did this as easily as a human being would do it with the hand.

"The most amusing part is that one of this cat's descendants, perceiving that its mother knew the secret of get ting outside, taught itself the same trick in quite a short time. This kit-ten opened any sideboard or cupboard in which the key had not been turned by pulling the door toward it with the greatest dexterity."

The sense of smell possessed by the seals is very strong and will invariably wake them out of a sound sleep, even if you come upon them ever so quietly to the windward, and you will alarm them in this way much more thoroughly, though you be a half mile distant, than if you came up carelessly from the leeward and even walked in among them, they seeming to feel that you are not different from one of their own species until they smell you. The chief attraction in these animals is their large, handsome eyes, which indicate great intelligence. They are a deep bluish black, with a soft, glistening appearance, and the pupil, like the cat's, is capable of great dilation and con-

Curious Manx Custom. On July 5 every year all the officials of the Isle of Man, including the clergy in their surplices, walk to the top of Tynwald hill, and from the top of it the laws made during the year are promulgated in Manx and English. This promulgation of the laws on Tynwald hill is as necessary as the royal assent to the validity of all laws passed by the Manx legislature. This is one of the many relies which the old Norsemen left behind and its detailed. men left behind, and it dates so far back that its origin is lost in the mists of antiquity.

Getting It Right.

A schoolteacher instructing her classes in grammar wrote this sentence on the board for correction: "The horse and the cow is in the lot." No one seemed to know what was wrong with it till at last a polite little boy raised his hand. "V/hat is it, Johnny?" asked the teacher. "You should put the lady first," corrected Johnny.

"Now, then," thundered the temperance orator, "what causes most of the crime in this world? Drink! And what causes drink?"

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# DISTRICT DOINGS

DAWN VALLEY.

Mrs. James Smith, nee Lucy Naylor, who has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Christopher Robinson, Sr., and her uncles, the Messrs. Robinson, has returned to her home in Dover. While here an oyster supper was given by her grandmother to enable her to meet all her old friends.

friends. Mr. Williamson, of Stratford, is mr. Williamson, of Strattord, is spending the winter with his sister, Mrs. Wm. Walter, concession I.

Mrs. Jerome Fleming and daughter Ella are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Walker, at Tupper-ville, this week

ville, this week. Cleo, the ten-year-old daughter of Huntley Oliphant, who has been quite ill, is better. Dr. Wiley pronounced it bronichal pneumonia.

Thieves visited the premises of Jas. Walker, of tinson and Jas. Karr on concession Tupperville.

1, recently, securing about 25 bush, of wheat at the former place.

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John Dixon, of Dresden, is visiting his son Oscar and family, and other friends at Dawn Valley this week. Mr. Dixon has been in the Northwest for over a year and returned home via Minnesota. He also visited Janesville, Wis., where the sugar factory which moved from Dresden is situated. He reports times very dull through the States where he travelled.

D. N. Sinclair, manager Industrial

D. N. Sinclair, manager Industrial Mortgage, Savings & Loan Co., made a business trip to Dawn Valley this

Messrs. Geo. Peters and Robert Henry, Chatham Township, visited Mr. Chas. Hart on Monday. Mr. Henry purchased Mr. Hart's matched team while here for the handsome sum of \$320. sum of \$380. Messrs, C. H. and A. E. King visited Sarnia on Saturday.

Mrs. Jerome Fleming received a letter from her brother, Stanley Walker, of Milwaukee, formerly of

Stan's many friends

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