Gladstone Warmly Welcomed on His Return to London.

The Premier Issues a Call to Members of the Cabinet.

Provisions of the Russo-German Commercial Treaty.

The Price of Silver Continues to Decline - Destructive Cyclone in Madagascar-The Pope Satisfied With His American Representative Satolli-The French in Timbuctoc.

## The Cabinet Summoned.

London, Feb. 11. - Summonses were sent to the Cabinet Ministers yesterday at Mr. Gladstone's direction for a council on Monday in which business of the most important nature is to be considered.

## An Actress' Misfortune.

BERLIN, Feb. 11 .- The famous actress. Marie Zebach, the divorced wife of the famous tenor Niemann, who has resided in Dresden since her tour of America in 1871, has been run over by a coal wagon, breaking both her legs and sustaining internal

## France To Be Warned.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 11 .- It is stated that the Russian Government will give notice to France that the Franco-Russian treaty will be terminated at the end of 1894 if France persists in putting into erece, as against Russia, the proposed new duties on imported grain.

## A Denial from Mr. Gladstone.

London, Feb. 11.-Mr. Gladstone declares that the alleged interview with him which was published by the Paris Patrie on Feb. 8 was pure fiction. In this interview Mr. Gladstone was represented as saying that he would retain his office to load the attack upon the House of Lords.

Swedish Actress Dead. STOCKHOLM, Feb. 11.-Mme. Elsie Hwasser, who is admitted to have been the greatest Swedish actress, has died at Fiske. backskil. She created the heroines in the dramas of Henrik Ibsen, and also played leading Shakespearian roles. For 40 years Mme. Awasser had no rival on the Swedish stage. She retired to private life in 1888.

Gladscone Returns to London. people was in waiting at Charing Cross raticoad station yesterday afternoon anxious to greet Mr. Gladatone on his return from the continent. The Premier arrived in London at 6:25 p.m. and warmly cheered by the people in waiting, drove directly to his official resider.ce.

# Cyclone in Madagascar.

PARIS, Feb. 11 .- It is feared that a cyclone swept over the town and harbor of Diego Susrez, near the north extremity of Madagascar, on Feb. 5, doing great damage. The church, hospital and other public buildings in addition to two-thirds of the houses of the inhabitants were destroyed. The French transport l'Eure was driven ashore. There was no loss of life.

# The People vs. the Lords.

LONDON, Feb. 11 .-- John Burns, M.P., said in a speech to his Battersea constituents this evening: "The country which set King Charles to sleep without a head would stand no veto from Queen Guelph or Lord Salisbury. Let the people present to the Lords such a front as will induce the Queen and the Prince of Wales to tell Lord Salisbury: "Imperil your own existence if you like, but do not damage our right of succession.

# Satisfied with Satolli.

London, Feb. 11.-The United Press correspondent in Rome sends this dispatch: "The opposition to Archbishop Satolli, apostolic delegate to the Catholic Church in the United States, is ended. The Pope was inflexible and declared that he always would support Archbishop Satolli to accentuate his American policy.' The report published last week that Cardinal Ledochowski was about to resign his effice of prefect of the Propaganda Fide has been confirmed. His retirement is ue to differences between him and the ench ambassador as regards the Vatipolicy towards France.

# e Russo-German Treaty.

Feb. 11 .- The text of the commercial treaty was rday afternoon; there are drawn up in French and he most favored nation protects the subjects of ag party, engaged in compainst the confiscations of

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the official dispatch from the Governor of | the Soudan he did not know whether the French officers were dead or whether they were only missing, but reinforcements were on their way from Algeria and from other places, and it was expected that the French force at Timbuctoo would soon be relieved. There could be no question of evacuating

## The Financial Situation.

London, Feb. 11 .- The rates of discount last week were 2 for three months and 11/2 for 30 days. The importation of gold continues as the rates on the continent are still falling. The condition of the silver market is deplorable and the general belief is that the bottom has not been touched yet. Otherwise Lusiness on the Stock Exchange has been satisfactory, especially the trade in gilt-edged securities. Prices of English railroad securities have advanced on purchases for investment. Americans have been dull and unsettled, pending the reorganization of Erie and Reading and the action of the United States Senate on the Wilson Tariff Bill.

## \*Caused by a Candle.

PARIS, Feb. 11.-A workman upset a amp at 10 o'clock this morning in Vilmorin & Andrieux's seed store, in the Rue de Reuilly. The store caught fire, but firemen put out the flames before they reached any of the large receptacles of oil kept in the building. Afterwards the firemen went through the building to ascertain whether any sparks had been left. They carried safety lamps, but the workmen who aided them had candles. A workman inadvertently struck his candle against a receptacle containing 600 litres of oil. An explosion followed, and ten firemen and seventeen workmen were thrown to the floor and more or less burned Fire Sergeant Bochat was killed instantly, and his body was burned to a crisp. The fireman who stood beside him when the explosion occurred was so badly burned that he died a few hours later. The eight other firemen and the seventeen workmen suffered severe injuries, which in zeveral cases are likely to result in death.

## EAST MIDDLESEX

Conservatives Will Nominate a Candidate on March 24.

Those Asked to Stand Are Richard Tooley, M.P.P., Peter Elson, James Gilmour, Richard Whetter, J. W. Ferguson, Thomas Duffin, Thomas Robson and John Abray.

The Conservative electors of East Middlesex held another meeting on Saturday afternoon to discuss the ways and means of holding a conventiou at which to bring out a candidate for the Local House. From the multiplicity of nam brought forward at Saturday's meeting there appears to be a lively demand for the nomination. County Clerk Robson occupied the chair jointly with Richard Tooley, M.P.P., the latter LONDON, Fee. 11. -A large crowd of taking charge when the former had to leave to catch his train. For even this small honor of occupying the chair for the brief time that the rivalry between Mr. Peter Elson and the venerable Dick. Both men were nominated and seconded for the position, but before a division was asked the Elson faction withdrew their motion.

The following were tendered the nomination to represent the party: Richard Tooley, M.P.P., Capt. Robson (county clerk), Messrs. Peter Elson, James Gilmour, Richard Whetter, J. W. Ferguson, Thomas Duffin, Thomas Robson and John

Saturday, March 24, was named as the day on which to hold the convention. This was agreed to.

Richard Tooley, M.P.P., put in a decided. ly long "spoke" for the East Middlesex nomination. It was ornamented by many "Then, sirs," and "Now, gentlemen," and in it the speaker fought all his battles o'er again, dwelling in fiendish glee on each mutilated scalp, while high above all Richard's elastic imagination scared, bright with vain hopes for the future, contented with the past. The first half of Mr. Tooley's speech was marked by the persistency with which he reiterated the statement that none but a tiller of the soil should

have the honor of representing East Mid. "Matters are now taking a very peculiar shape in elections," said Mr. Tooley. "We have the Patrons of Industry, we have the P. P. A. I don't think that we are here to-day to consider or discuss the views of these societies; what we are here to-day to discuss is, whether the views of our present leader, W. R. Meredith, are in accord with your views or not? That is a point which I wish you to take into your most serious consideration. The Patrons of Industry's platform almost covers the whole thing. With regard to the platform of the P. P. A., we don't know much about it. They don't hold their meetings in the ill at Kansas City. same shape as the Patrons, but I think that their views from beginning to end are in

accordance with the views of the whole Mr. Tooley then went over the stereo yped list of Conservative objections to the receipts of registrars, sherills and crown lands; expressed his steadiast determination of supporting W. R. Meredith, and then went on to say again that matters were in a very peculiar shape-60 very peculiar shape, sirs." They had four or five different parties in the field. He was going to support Mr. Meredith's platform-every plank in it-because he believed every plank in it was in accord with the views of the peo. ple of Ontario, and so far as the Province had a right to interfere with the views of

the P. P. A. he was in accord. Concluding, Mr. Tooley made a noble bid for the nomination. He reminded his hearers that he had served them for so many years and had left his home, his friends, his all, to represent them. If he received the nomination he would endeavor to represent them as faithfully as he had in

Mr. Peter Elson, one of the proposed canthe disaster to the didates, was also of the opinion that politi-Col. Bonnier, near cal affairs were looking rather cloudy, said that the and it would be very hard to forecast o conceal, and it the probable result of the coming of the situa- elections with so many different societies in the field. He believed, hoween any act ever, that the P. P. A. was not engaged in waging war against any religious sect whaten occupied ever, but simply wanting fair play and equal rights to all. Mr. Elson was strongly opposed to separate schools, and said that he would take the matter of nomination

"into his most serious consideration." Conveners were then appointed, "an election jackpot opened at a 50-cent ante," as one of the talkers remarked, and the meeting adjourned.

Sir Oliver Addresses the Electors of Whitby.

The Veteran Premier is Warmly Welcomed.

Ealton Liberals Neminate a Candidate for the Legislature-Oxford Patrons' Meeting-The Coming Session of Parliament.

WHITBY, Ont., Feb. 8.—Sir Oliver Mowat addressed a meeting in the Music Hall here this afternoon, crowded to its fullest capacity. The Premier's address lasted for an hour and a half. He carefully reviewed the history of the Government in this Province since his election in South Ontario 28 years ago, and discussed the policy of economy which he claimed had characterized his conduct of Provincial affairs during the 22 years he had been in power as head of the Government. At the conclusion of his address a resolution expressing confidence in himself and other members of his Ministry, especially mentioning Hon. John Dryden, Minister of Agriculture, and representative of South Ontario, was passed with a standing vote. Mr. Dryden spoke

briefly on the questions of the day. MILTON, Feb. 8 .- A large and enthusiastic meeting of the Halton Reform Association was held to-day for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the Legislature. The meeting was well attended by delegates of the county, and also a large number of prominent Reformers. Mr. Stafford D. Marlatt, of Oakville, was the unanimous choice of the convention. A resolution was adopted expressing confidence in and admiration for Sir O. Mowat, Premier of Ontario. After three rousing cheers for the Queen, the Premier and the candidate, the meeting dispersed.

WOODSTOCK, Feb. 8.—At the annual meeting of the Patrons of Industry, held here on Tuesday, there was a large attendance of farmers, delegates and members of the order. Officers were elected as follows: President, Edwin Caister, Strath allan; vice-president, John S. Smart, Springford; secretary, E. J. Pearson, Kintore; treasurer, A. R. Niven, Kintore; sentinel, J. F. Pack, North Oxford: delegate to Grand Assembly, Mr. E. J. Pear-

OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 8 .- George Taylor. M.P., the chief Conservative whip, says Parliament will meet on March 15.

MILTON, Out., Feb. 8.-The town hall was totally nadequate to accommodate the great number who were anxious to hear Mr. McCarthy this evening. The speakers Godfrey, Col. O'Brien and D'Alton McCarthy. Good order prevailed. BURK'S FALLS, Ont., Feb. 8 .- A meeting of the Reform Association of the Parry session continued, after Capt. Rob. Mr. J. F. Sharp, the present member, was unanimously nominated for the Legislature. A resolution expressing confidence in Sir Oliver Mowell's Administration was

PERTH, Ont., Feb. 9 .- The nomination of candidates for the seat for South Lanark in the Local Legislature, made vacant by the resignation of Dr. McLenaghan, took place here to-day. Andrew Burrow (Farmers' Friend), Smiths Falls, was nominated; Wm. Lees (Conservative), Falbrook; Jas. Fergus (Patron of Industry), Montague, and James H. Clark (Liberal), Smiths Falls All will run.

#### A meeting of the Reformers of North Oxford is called for Wednesday, Feb. 21, in the town hall, to nominate a candidate for the Legislature.

South Essex Liberals on Tuesday unanimously renominated Mr. W. D. Balfour, lature.

The South Essex Patrons of Industry held a convention in Essex, and R. E. Dodson, who was nominated for the Local some time ago, declined. The convention did not make another selection. A large and enthusiastic gathering

Halton Reformers assembled in the Young Liberal Hall at Georgetown on Wednesday night for the purpose of appointing delegates to attend the convention at Milton on Feb. 8 to assist in bringing forward a strong candidate for the Local House. Mr. J. L. Pardo, who was nominated by

their candi e for the Ontario Legislature, has clined the nomination. He claims tha dis business interests demand

# CONCISE GULLINGS.

Congressman W. L. Wilson is seriously The London Standard says that cholera has reappeared in Constantinople.

There has been a sharp fight at Nictheroy between Government forces and insurgents.

# THE LATE DR. DOUGLAS.

The Funeral of the Famous Divine to Take Place Tuesday-Kindly Reierences to the Departed,

MONTREAL, Feb. 10 .- Rev. Dr. Douglas died at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. MONTREAL, Que., Feb. 11 .- The funeral of Rev. Dr. Douglas, principal of the Montreal Weslyian Theological College, will

take place on Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. Douglas, two weeks ago, had both of his feet amputated and this, of course, greatly increased the weakness of the patient.

TORONTO, Feb. 11 .- A memorial service was held at the Metropolitan Church this evening in memory of the late Dr. Douglas. Instead of a sermon Rev. Dr. J. V. Smith, the pastor, delivered an elequent address, eulogizing the dead clergyman and lamenting his loss to the Methodist Church. Mr. J. J. MacLaren, Q.C., also spoke feelingly and elequently of the deceased. Reference was made generally to the deceased in the Methodist churches of the city to-day.

Death of Mr. John Livingstone. MONTREAL, Feb. 11 .- John Livingstone, aged 57, a prominent newspaper mau, who was formerly one of the leading specialists in New Brunswick journalism, died in this city yesterday evening. He was born in New Brunswick, and was the founder of the St. John Daily Telegraph, which he edited for several years. He was also editor 1885 he was assistant managing editor of Canada. the Montreal Herald and afterward became | Please mention this paper.

### editor of the Toronto Empire. Subsequently he went to Calgary, where he edited the Herald for a short time. He recently returned to Montreal. Mr. Livingstone had been in ill health for some time, but his death was unexpected and took place quite | The Poor of the Metropolis Suffering

FINED \$50.

For Not Permitting a Constable to Enter a Barroom.

In Morgan vs. Black-An Appeal to be Made-Other Police Court Cases.

An important decision was given in the Police Court this morning. It was in the case of Morgan vs. Black, in which the latter is said to have 'unlawfully and wilfully" interfered with a constable, Acting-Sergt. Morgan, in the discharge of assigned duty. James Black the defendant was fined \$50 or three months in jail.

The facts of the affair will be readily recalled. Morgan visited the London House at Il o'clock on a recent Sunday morning. He was in plain clothes, and did not have a badge to distinguish him as a constable on duty. Morgan admitted in his evidence that "everything was right in the barroom." But he wanted to get into the bar, just the same. Black, who is employed by Mr. Humpidge, proprietor of the hotel. objected to admitting him. Morgan stated that he did not, at this time, disclose his name, official character or business, but simply informed the occupants of the barroom that they knew him. The bartender, however, said he didn't. Mergan swore, later on, that he did not know whether the occupants, who were Black and the porter, knew him or not.

Mr. Love, Black's lawyer, said that it was clearly the right—the bounden duty of Black to exclude Morgan from the barroom as he did.

Morgan swore, when the evidence was being taken some weeks ago, that at the time Black pushed him back, he had not revealed his identity, and that, after this, he made no further attempt to go in. He then asked that Mr. Humpidge be brought down to identify him. This gentleman, though, did not know Morgan as a constable either. When Morgan told him who he was Mr. Humpidge invited him to enter the barroom. This the latter would not do. Morgan admitted to Humpidge at the police station afterwards that everything was right; "showing," Mr. Love stated, "that Morgan was aware that there was not the slightest necessity for his entrance into the bar-

The magistrate commended Mr. Love for his statement of his client's case, but thought the charge proven. Black was bailed out and an appeal will be made. Joseph Cake, charged with stealing a gun, was remanded for a week. Two r accusations have been laid against him by G. T. R. Constable Logan. He is said to

have stolen a suit of clothes belonging to Conductor John Williams. Edward Cavanagh, accused of collusion with Frank Watson in the stealing of a turkey, was remanded. Charles Henderson, who stole an over-

cost from the Western Hotel, was given two months. James Delaney and William Howard have settled a dispute they had with a

livery man. Frederick Finchamp was fined \$5 for furious driving.

### STRUCK AT THE CROSSING. Wm, Delve Collides with a G. T. R. Train at Pottersburg-Taken to the Hospital-A Raging

Blizzard. Wm. Delve was struck by a Grand Trunk train at the asylum about 7:30 this morning while driving east in the teeth of the raging blizzard. Delve drives one of Cameron's coal and wood wagons and was going out M.P.P., as their candidate for the Legis. | to begin his day's work hauling coal from the siding at the platform where the trains on the Stratford branch stop when the brakeman puts his head in the door and cries "Pottersburg!" A companion was on ahead, and Delve was right on the track when he heard a shout of warning. When he noticed the train he whipped up the horse, but before he got clear of the track the engine struck the latter part of the wagon and ground it to little pieces. Delve was thrown with the wreckage and the horse was knocked off his feet. The injured man was carried into Barnes' Hotel and made as comfortable as possible until the Patrons industry of West Kent as the ambulance arrived. He was then taken to the hospital and his injuries examined. They were not so serious as was at first supposed and were found to consist of a broken knee cap and a bruised and cut head. The former will take a long time to mind.

Delve's companion claims that the engine's bell was not ringing or the whistle blowing, but local railway men scoff at the idea. Driver Turton, they claim, has been over the line too often to make any such mistake. The fireman was Wm. Mc. Fadden. There is a cutting and crossing just west of the pottery that the usual signals have to be given for and then besides ringing for the Dundas street crossing the train hands have to whistle for the C. P. R. diamond crossing. The storm might have drowned the signal. Luckily the train was slowing up to stop about fifteen yards further on or the accident might have been more serious. Delve is a young single man, living at 294 Dundas street.

# ALL MEN

Young, old or middle-aged, who find themselves, nervous, weak and exhausted, who are broken down from excess or overwork, resulting in many of the following symptoms: Mental depression, premature old ago, loss of vitality, loss of memory, bad dreams, dimness of sight, palpitation of the heart, emissions, lack of energy, pain in the kidneys, headaches, pimples on the face and body, itching or peculiar sensation about the scrotum, wasting of the organs, dizziness, specks before the eyes, twitching of the muscles, eyelids and elsewhere, bashfulness, deposits in the urine, loss of will power, tenderness of the scalp and spine, weak and flabby muscles, desire to sleep, failure to be rested by sleep, constipation, dullness of hearing, loss of voice, desire for solitude, excitability of temper, sunken eyes, surrounded with LEADEN CIRCLES, oily looking skin, etc., are all symptoms of nervous debility that lead to insanity unless cured. The spring or vital force having lost its tension every function wanes in consequence. Those who through abuse committed in ignorance, may be permaof the St. John Sun, the Moncton Times and other Maritime Province papers. In Maritime Province papers. In Macdonnell avenue, Toronto, Ont., nently cured. Send your address and 10c in

# Latest From London.

Less Than Expected.

A Distressing Sample of Military Law in Court.

A Rush of American Tourists Expected -Lord Wolseley Superstitious-The Queen's Reception-Royal Family Notes.

LONDON, Feb. 12 .- It should be said that the suffering among the London poor is not so great as was expected. It has been about an average winter for the unemployed. There has been only about a week of severe weather, which fact has greatly mitigated suffering. London is now rejoicing in pleasant skies and springlike air, influences under which the grass has been always green, and shrubs are now putting out their leaves and trees are be-

ginning to bud. Europe. In districts in Russia the winter pearing in Hyde Park in lavender gloves is so severe that wolves are unusually fierce. The other day at Saratoif a peasant woman walking near the village was surrounded and devoured by a pack of nine wolves. Another peasant going to market was set upon by a pack of wolves and torn to shreds. Nothing was left of man and horse but a few bones and tufts of hair.

## American Tourists Expected.

Already the indications are that more Americans are coming to Europe this year than ever before. The proprietors of the principal hotels in London are rejoicing whether America or England will be applications for apartments during the season from all parts of the United States than at so early a date in any previous year. If their expectations are unfulfilled it will be a dismal time for the English boniface, for the best of them found the balance on the wrong side of the ledger last year, and America is the sole hope of many of them.

## Lord Wolseley Superstitious.

Lord Wolseley's letter to the presiden of the Thirteen Club declining to attend their dinner will amaze the world. The distinguished general is as brimful of superstition as an old Scotch crone of two or three generations ago or the simplest of Irish peasant women. Oscar Wilde approached the superstitions which the Thirteen Club want to destroy like an æsthete, and in the spirit of one who cannot mix on too familiar a level of equality even with the herd of common cultivated men, but Lord Wolseley approaches it as a man whose blood will curdle or freeze within him at the sound of a rat at the lonely hour of midnight. "I believe in ghosts," says the hero of many fights, and the response of civilized humanity will be, 'Is it possible?" But his lordship has a great many other superstitions besides, and he hugs them with a genuineness and sincerity which Mr. Wilde, with his arti-

# ficial sympathy, must envy.

Praying for Stock Brokers. The Bishop of London has ordered his clergy to make a special effort during Lent in behalf of the worldlings of the stock exchange and Lombard street, who certainly need a spiritual awakening as much as the poor of the East End. The bishop's scheme includes midday services at various ancient city churches, and as business is slack they have been so far well attended. The stock and produce brokers regard the scheme in a serio-comic spirit and consider it their duty to help it along. Thursday, during a dull interval of the stock exchange, somebody suggested a special mission in behalf of the souls of the bucket shop keepers, whereat there was much enthusiasm.

# More Law Than Justice.

A child of a poor woman in London died last week, practically of starvation. The case happened to come before the coroner, and it was proved that the mother had done her utmost to keep body and soul together. She had two children. She was the wife of a soldier in the Life Guards, but she married without the consent of the military authorities, and, therefore, she was not, as the saying is, "on the strength of the regiment," and according to the law of England her husband was not obliged to support her. When her pitiful story was told, the cold-blooded coroner said to her: You plead poverty, but you could easily have obtained a parish order. You see, your husband was not legally bound to support you, as you are not cognized as his wife.'

This was more than the grief-stricken woman could stand, and she interrupted: But I am his wife. I have a certificate to prove that I was legally married to

The brutal coroner responded, "Yes, that may be so, but the military authorities do not recognize you. The jury might have taken a serious view of the case if neglect had been proved, and you might have had to be tried for manslaughter,' With this rebuke from an administrator of the law in the world's proud metropolis ringing in her ears the stricken woman went out to renew the struggle for exist-

## ence for herself and remaining child. The Queen's Receptions.

Numbers of Americans who aspire to a court presentation during the coming season must come provided with unusual influence and patience. The number is to be limited to 200 at each drawing-room in order to avoid the disgraceful crush that is often seen at these functions. Last year nearly 400 were sometimes present, and many tempers and gowns were consequently spoiled. Mrs. Ludlow, wife of the military attache of the embassy, and Miss Roosevelt, daughter of the Secretary of Legation, are the only American names thus far on the first list.

# A Sapient School Board.

The London School Board, which disgusted all England by its interminable wrangles over the question of religious instruction, is now divided by a new issue. The mistress of a large public school informed the board that rats were devouring the works 136 DUNDAS STREET

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of the school piano. She applied for an allowance of a shilling a week to support a cat to eat the rats which are destroying public property. The board actually debated the question with solemn earnestness. Speeches were made on both sides. The vote was finally a tie and the decision was postponed. Not "the Glass of Fashion."

It is said of the Prince of Wales that he has been guilty of introducing only three innovations in masculine fashions. Once he A very different story comes from eastern surprised the world of smart folk by apwhen everybody else was wearing sobel colors. He astonished the fashionable colony at Homburg a few years ago by wearing a wonderful coat, which he discarded the moment he saw it copied. His third decree is more autocratic, and it may prove to be the test of his authority in a larger realm than that over which his royal mother presides. He appeared a few nights ago in a colored dress coat. Swell tailors have been trying in vain for several months to dispute the sway of the solemn black garment which has been the only approved covering for masculine shoulders after dark for generations. It will be interesting to note now over the fact that they have received more | quickest to change the apparel in obedience to the royal behest. It has long been lamented that the masculine smart set in England could not beast a single fashion leader. The Prince of Wales has left his perogatives in this respect both unused and undelegated. No one has dared to usurp them in former years. Tailors long ago found that it did not pay to attempt radical innovations; so the only changes of importance have been those occasionally

imported from the continent. Family Affairs. Everyone is glad to see the unpleasans rumors about the Prince of Wales' family set at rest by the appearance of the Prina cess in public with her husband several times within the past few days. She seemed pale, wan and rather sad, but it should be borne in mind that melancholy such as hers is represented to be is not uncommon among women of her age.

It is interesting to record that the Duke and Duchess of York will spend the spring at St. James' Palace, London. Sir Francis Laking, the well-known physician, is keeping a watchful eye over the health of the young duchess. It is no longer a secret that the whole royal family are looking forward to some date in the latter part of April with pleasant anticipations.

# TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

The Rt. Hon. Sir Henry Verney is dead

The beatification of Joan of Arc has been confirmed by the Pope. The tolls to be charged on the Welland and St. Lawrence canals are the same as

The six elevators of the Farmers' Mutual Elevator Company at Crookstown, Minz. went into the hands of a receiver on Saturday. Liabilities are \$240,000 and assets

Evangelist Sam Small is having a lively

time running a newspaper in Oklahoma. The church people went back on him for publishing a Sunday edition, and in his absence the assistant editors had a fight. Incendiaries in the White City.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 11 .- Four attempts were made Friday night to burn World's Fair buildings. The fires were all extinguished with slight loss.

Steamers Arrived. Feb. 10. At Erom
Britannic New York Liverpool
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Scandia London New York
Werra London New York

Although arithmetics teach that numbers of different articles cannot be added to each other, many a man has succeeded in adding insult to injury.

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