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Local Market

[Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.) London, Thursday, Feb. 25. Wheat, per bu72c to 75c Wheat (red), per bu72c to 75c Oats, per bu13 1-2c to 19 1-2c Peas, per bu 38c to 42c Corn, per bu25c to 31c

in view of the state of the roads.
Oats sold from 43c to 50c for feeding.

nd 52c to 57c for milling.
Wheat in good demand at \$1 20 to \$1 25; receipts light. Corn sold from 40c to 50c per bushel.

Peas in fair supply and prices lower, selling from 60c to 70c per cwt.

No buckwheat or rye offered.

No change in price of eggs.

\$6 per cwt. Potatoes sold from 25c to 35c per bag.

Wheat. red, fall, per 100 lbs		10	1 20
Wheat, spring per 100 bs	1 20	co	1 25
Oats. per 100 lbs	40	to	57
Peas per 100 ibs	60	0.1	70
Corn per 100 ips	45	03	55
Barley, per 100 lbs	42	te	60
Rye. per 100 los	40	to	45
Beans, bu	25	te	40
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	40	to	50
PROVISIONS.			
Honey	8	to	12
Cheese, per lb	10	to	12
Eggs single dozen	14	to	15
Eggs fresh, basket, per daz	12	to	13
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz	12	to	12
Butter single rolls per lb	16	to	17
Butter, per 1 lb rolls, baskets,	15	to	16
Butter per ib. large rolls or			
crocks	14	to	15
Butter, per lb. tubs or firkins	10	to	14
Larg. per Ib	6	ta	7
MEAT. HIDES, ETO			
Beef, quarters, per lb	31	to	5
Mutton quarters, per lb	5	to	6
Veal, quarters, per lb	3	to	5
Lamb, quarter	8	to	9
Dressed hogs, 100 lo	4 00	to	6 00
Lave hogs		to	4 25
Hides, No. 1. per lb	6	to	6
Hides, No. 2, per lb	5	to	5
Hides, No. 3, per lb	4	to	4
Calfskins, green	4	to	6
Calfskins, dry, each		to	
Sheepskins, each		to	80
Lambskins, each	50	to	70
Wool, per lb		to	18
Tallow, rendered, per ib		to	3
Tallow, rough, per lb	14		2
HAY AND SEED			
Hay, per ton	7 00	to	8 00
Straw per load		to	2 50

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The Oil Market.

Petrolea, Feb. 25.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 52.

OIL CITY.
Oil City, Pa., Feb. 25.—Prices of crude oil today, per barrel, are as follows: Tiona, \$1 01; Pennsylvania, 91c; Barnesville, 81c; North Lima, 56c; Corning, 81c; Newcastle, 66c; South Lima, 51c; Indiana, 51c.

English Markets. London. Feb. 25 Cargoes off coast-Wheat easy; corn quiet, nt steady. Cargoes on passage—Wheat rather easier, 3d ower; corn quiet but steady. Country margets - English, easy; French,

LIVERPOOL. Feb. 25. -12:45 p.m. Wheat—Spot quiet: demand poor: futures dull; near positions id lower, and distant positions Id lower. Corn-Spot quiet; futures quiet; near and distant positions 4d lower.

Bacon — firm: demand fair: Cumberland cut, 2s to 30 lbs, 27s; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, 25s 6d; long clear light, 35 to 38 lbs, 25s 6d; long clear light, 35 to 38 lbs, 25s 6d; long clear heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, 24s 6d; short clear backs, light, 15 the 24s clear backs, light, 15 the 2 clear backs, light. 18 lbs. 24s 6d; short clear middles heavy. 45 to 50 lbs, 24s; clear bellies. 14 to 16 lbs. 26s 6d.

s. 14 to 16 ibs. 26s 6d.
ulders—Square. 12 to 18 lbs. 25s 6d.
ms—Snort cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 40s 6d.
low—Fine North American, 18s.
of—Extra India mess, 58s 9d; primo mess, Pork-Prime mess, fine western, 45s; me-Lara Steady: prime western, 21s; refined upails, 22s 9d.
Cheese – Dull: demand poor: finest American white (Sept.), 58s; finest American

Butter-Finest United States. 90s; good, 55s.

ton seed oil—Liverpool refined, 15s 6d. seed oil—15s 6d. roseum—Refined, 6jd. rigerator beet-Forequarter, 33d; bind Bleaching powder, hard wood, f.o.b., Liver Hops-At London (Pacific Coast), £3 15s.

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American Produce Markets. CHICAGO. Chicago. Ill., Feb. 24.-The wheat market was enlivened about noon today by a break of over a cent. The war news from Europe was the bull argument all through last week, and now that things over there have as-sumed a less threatening aspect holders are beginning to display discouragement. Brad-

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A. SLATER, Corner Richmond and Carling Streets,

street's report of a decrease in the world's stocks of only 795,000 bu proved a grievous disappointment, the trade expecting anywhere from 2,000,000 bu to 3,000,000 bu reduction. It was subsequent to the announcement of the figures mentioned that the most important break of the day occurred. Liverpool opening cables were jd to jd lower, but closing ones gave a partial recovery. English consols were higher, closing continental cables were weak and lower. May wheat opened from 75c to 75jc; sold between 75jc and 73gc; clesing at 74c to 75jc; let to 1jc under yesterday. Cash wheat was weak and lo per bu lower. Corn declined jc to jc, and oats jc to jc. Provisions higher.

ept., 691c. Corn—No. 2 Feb., 221c; May, 241c; July, 251c;

Corn—No. 2 Feb., 22½c; May, 24½c; July, 25½c; Sept., 25½c to 25½c.
Oats—No. 2 Feb., 15½c: May, 17½c; July, 18c.
Mess pork—May, \$3 05; July, \$3 17½.
Lard—May, \$4 10; July, \$4 17½.
Short ribs—May, \$4 15; July, \$4 22½.
Casn quotations were as follows: Flour steady; No. 2 epring wheat, 72½c to 73æ; No. 3 spring wheat, 71½c to 73½c; No. 2 red, 82½c to 85½c; No. 2 corn. 22½c to 23æ; No. 2 oats, 16½c; No. 2 corn. 22½c to 23æ; No. 2 oats, 16½c; No. 2 cy, 33æ; No. 2 barley, 33æ; No. 1 flaxseed, 74½c to 76½c; prime timothy seed, \$2 65; mess pork, 379 to \$7 95; lard, \$3 95 to \$4 25; dry salted shoulders, \$4 50 to \$4 75; short clear sides, \$4 25 to \$4 37½.
Receipts— Receipts-

Live Stock Markets.

The receipts were good this morning, a view of the state of the roads.
Oats sold from 43c to 50c for feeding, 120c head; 25c higher: poor to choice yeals, \$4 to \$7 25; extra yeals, \$7 50; barnyards, \$2 to \$2 50; fed caives, 25 to \$3 50. caives, \$3 to \$3 50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5.234 head; sheep barely steady; lambs firmer; ordinary to prime sheep, \$3 75 to \$4 60; culls and bucks, \$3 to \$3 50; medium to prime lambs, \$5 to \$5 50; clipped do, \$4 85

Corn sold from 40c to 50c per bushel.

Peas in fair supply and prices lower, selbing from 60c to 70c per cwt.

No buckwheat or rye offered.

No change in price of eggs.

Butter brighter.

Dressed hogs in fair supply at \$4 to 5 per cwt.

EAST BUFFALO. Potatoes sold from 25c to 35c per bag. Hay in good supply at \$7 to \$7 50 per on. Straw sells at \$2 50 to \$3 50 per load. Stockers and feeders, but common to fair butchers' dull and lower. Five cars of Canada feeders sold at \$3 65 Wheat, white, fall, per 100lbs. 120 to 125 to \$3 85; one car mixed steers and heifers of 840 lbs, sold at \$3 50; some stags, heifers, \$3 20, and 10 head of bulls \$2 65 to \$2 70; a load of mixed Indiana cattle, nice and fat, of 1,087 lbs, sold at \$4 12 1-2. Veals—40 head on sale; dull and

Sheep and Lambs-45 cars on sale; steady to firm for lambs; active and strong for sheep; best lambs, \$5 15 to \$5 20; good to choice, \$4 85 to \$5 10; mixed sheep, good to choice, \$3 90 to \$4 15; common to fairly good, \$3 40 to \$3 85; prime handy yearlings and wethers, \$4 25 to \$4 45; choice export wethers, \$4 40 to \$4 45; all sheep sold, and about 4 cars of common lambs

Hogs-15 cars on sale, opened quiet; closed strong and firm, all sold; light mixed, \$3 80; Yorkers, \$3 85; and one

FROM MISSIONS Letters From the Presbyterian Workers in Oriental Fields

Rev. R. P. McKay, Presbyterian missionary secretary, has received several letters from the foreign field. Rev. Mr. Jamieson, of Nagara, Central India, who has been seriously in with typhoid fever, reports that he is recovering. Goforth reports from Honan that

great interest exists among Chinese in certain quarters but that Catholic priests are persistenly interfering with Dr. McKay reports from Formosa that the expense of food in the island has materially increased, and that the

that wells are giving out, an almost unknown thing in Formosa SIGNS OF ERUPTION.

rainfall has been unusually light, so

Mount Colima in Mexico Causing Great Alarm.

Guadalajara, Mexico., Feb. 25 .- Rehabitants of that city and state are much agitated over the prospects of a volcanic outbreak from the old craa volcanic outbreak from the old cra-ter. The last great outbreak was in caught by the insurgents and cut down 1860, when great devastation was wrought and many plantations were remember that eruption and its preninary signs say that the present ndications are similar to those which receded the former activity. have been seismic disturbances in the nature of slight earthquake shocks requently, and constant rumbling ses are heard about the base of the ld volcano. Shocks have been felt Il along the coast from San Blas to he isthmus for the last two months, nd recently they have materially inreased in number and force. The volcano of Colima is 12,728 feet nigh, and ever since its last great eruption there has been a constant cloud of vapor hanging over it from the numerous hot springs and sulphur pits. Recently this cloud has materally increased, and at night it has en illuminated with a lurid glow as there were fire in the old crater. While no danger is anticipated in the rity of Colima, there are several small

towns around the base of the old crater which would probably be de-stroped should an eruption occur. In addition to the danger from the olcano there is fear of earthquakes, and the residents recall the fearful catastrophe which occurred many years ago, when the earth opened in strength is gone, and despondency has great chasms and swallowed up great taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. numbers of people. These old cavities ave recently become shrines visited y many pilgrims, and fear has causmany of the Indians to go back to he idolatry of their ancestors, and many offerings have been thrown into the chasms in hopes of appeasing the

ROAST BEAR FOR THE FAMILY. Manitoulin Expositor, Feb. 22.

Mrs. Weather's two sons, John and Mrs. Weather's two sons, John and George, of Walford, found a bear's den recently. They got the old bear and two cubs. The cubs didn't have their eyes open. Mr. Sealey got one blanket to warm it. He went away to his work and forgot it, and his wife, not knowing it was there, put

on a big fire and cooked it. Steamship Arrivals.

Southampton New Yor Pormamic......Queenstown...

totals \$8,932 96, of which \$443 21 was eceived from the Manitoba school chil-BEECHAM'S PILLS for Stomach and Liver ills

Winnipeg's India famine fund no

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The Cuban War.

Official Inquiry Into the Killing of Dr. Ruiz.

Satisfaction Promised to the United United Authorities,

The Resignation of Consul Lee-Fierce Encounter Between Spanish

Forces and Cubans. Madrid, Feb. 25 .- The Premier, Senor Canovas del Castillo; the Minister for Foreign Affairs, the Duke of Tetuan, and the Minister for War, Gen. Azcarraga, have had a long conference the East End Rink, on the case of Dr. Ricardo Ruiz, a tween teams from parties will be punished.

Key West, Fla., Feb. 25.—A passenger from Havana, who has just landed that Dr. Ricardo Ruiz was killed by Fonsdievela, the Spanish Governor of Guanabacoa. He says Gov. Fonsdievela visited Dr. Ruiz in his place of confinement and violently questioned the prisoner. The latter resented the Governor's brutal manner, and this so angered Fonsdievela that he seized a club, struck the unfortunate man on the head and so caused his death. Havana, Feb. 25, via Key West.— There is anxiety in official circles as to the outcome of the strained rela-tions existing between the United States consul-general here, Gen. Fitz-hugh Lee, and his Government on account of the solitary confinement here for nearly 300 hours of Charles Frankin Scott, an American citizen, in vioation of treaty rights. New York, Feb. 25.—The World this morning has the following special dispatch from Washington, Feb. 24: "The resi ation of Consul-General Lee, for the following special dispatch from Havama by mail, has been seedined."

blegram was received at the State Department today from Minister Taylor, saying that Minister De Lome had advised the Madrid Governmen to accede to any request the United states Government might make. President Cleveland has sent a peronal dispatch urging Gen. Lee to re-onsider his resignation, basing his request partly on the ground of past friendship. In response to this the President received today a long tele-gram from the general informing him in plain terms of his controversies with Secretary Olney as to what constitutes proper protection of American citizens in Cuba. In a much shorter dispaten. Gen. Lee notified Secretary off here last night between Queen's Olney that his conclusion to immediately retire from the office of consul-Secretary Olney cabled to Gen. Lee

his resignation be accepted. Havana, Feb. 25.—The whereabout of Gen. Maximo Gomez are not made public, if they are known to the Spanish officials; but private dispatches from Santa Clara say that numerous pionship by a majority of 5 points. bands of insurgents, some say numbering 5,000 men, have been seen passig over the railroad line h on the Cienfuegos, on the south coast, and Santa Clara, going by forced marches in the direction of the Province of Matanzas, destroying the railroad lines and culverts as they pushed on west-4,000 insurgents, is reported to be operating in the vicinity of Puerto Padre and Baracoa, on the north Classic City tonight, but London could not go.

Particulars have been just received ere of a spirited engagement between a Spanish and a Cuban force on the Sankikra city. vere led into a cleverly prepared am- The contest is an annual one. sh vanguard broke and fled, trampling M. J. Kent. ver its own main body in so doing. The confusion thus became terrible, W. T. Strong, ports from Colima say that the in- and the Spaniards fired wildly at each Ald. Stevely, skip.23 Dr. Balfour, skip.13 other as well as the insurgents, while others still threw away their arms and

> by their deadly machetes. MRS. BEECHER'S CONDITION. Stamford, Conn., Feb. 25 .- Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher is noticeably weaker The aged woman is not suffering. Rev. Samuel Scoville, Mrs. Beecher's son said this morning that death was hardly expected today, but it was looked for within two or three days.

> BISHOP MCCABE COMING Toronto, Feb. 25.—A letter received Tuesday from Bishop McCabe, the famous American Methodist pulpiteer, stated that he would be in Toronto in July to take part in the Internation al Epworth League Convention.

> MELBA'S MISFORTUNE. Paris, Feb. 25.-Mme. Melba has siven up the hope of going to Chicago for the opera season. Her physicians have declared it impossible to make the journey. She has had a return of influenza, which attacked her some months ago, and in addition is suffering from malarial fever.

> FAGGED OUT .- None but thos: who have become fagged out know vat depressed, miserable feeling it ... There, however, is a cure—one box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do woners in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the compo-

> sition of Parmelee's Pills. Perfectly white cats are invariably They are sure to be if they The great lung healer is found in

that excellent medicine sold as Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It soothes and diminishes the sensibility of the membrane of the throat and air passages, and is a sovereign remeyes open. Mr. Sealey got one edy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness, cubs and put it in the oven in pain, or soreness of the chest, bronchitis etc. It has cured many when supposed to be far advanced in consumption.

At the end of each hair of a cat's makes that particular hair a very deli-

LIFE SAVED .- Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs, and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, sating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I certainly believed it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such

Winter Pastime.

Local Hockey Players' Challenge Accepted.

> Walkerton Won the Slesman Curling Trophy at Guelph.

Queens, of Kingston, Won the Senio O. H. U. Championship-Other Sporting News.

HOCKEY.

LIVELY LOCAL MATCH. A very fast and exciting game of hockey was played last evening at the East End Rink, Lyle street, becitizen of the United States, who Business College and the Collegiate indied, apparently from violence, restitute. The goal judges complained cently in the prison of Guanabacoa, that the rink was too dark at the near Havana. The semi-official apoca, ends to tell when the puck went ferring to this conference, says the through the posts, and that caused Government is prepared to make an some dispute, as both sides claimed inquiry into the matter, and guilty points which the judges could not reform Havana, who has just landed here from the steamer Olivette, states that Dr. Ricardo Rulz was killed by half the F. C. B. C. scored another, and with only one minute to play, the L. C. I. scored, making the score 3 to 2, in favor of the F. C. B. C. Owing, however, to the dispute, the referee, H. C. Screaton, declared the game draw, and it will be played off at an early date. Both teams have won every game played this season, and when they meet to play off the game a good fast exhibition of first-class backey will though mostly small, are fast skaters, and know how to handle the stick.
Their combination is good at all times. The F. C. B. C. team also have promising players, and have this season beaten some first-class teams. Lovers of the game will watch with interest

the result of the play-off. The teams HIGH SCHOOL. POSITIONS. W. Baynes. .. Glover Pigot. Fraser. Windsor. Payne. Somerville... Forwards

CHALLENGE ACCEPTED. Sporting Editor, Advertiser: We, the employes of Messrs. Rowat, McMahen & Granger, do hereby ac-cept the challenge of Messrs. John Marshall & Co., to play a game of hockey on Saturday afternoon, weath-

er permitting. Yours, etc.,
J. MERCY,
AUBREY COPNER. QUEEN'S WINS. Kingston, Ont., Feb. 25 .- The final combat in the senior series of the Onat Toronto last week Queen's scored a victory over 'Varsity by 6 to 1. In last night's match 'Varsity showed circumstances would better trim. At half-time the score eaccepted.

PUCKERINGS. Stratford and Berlin are to have arranged a series of hockey Ryan instantly floored Tracey in games. For some time past London has been endeavoring to arrange matches Creedon threw up the sponge. with either of the above teams or Paris. but for some unexplained reason nothward. Gen. Calixto Garcia, with some ing has come of the negotiations. Strat-

FOREST CITY MEDAL. The competition of the nine rinks of the Forest City Curling Club, which outskirts of Sankikra city. Sixty local guerillas and 60 Havana firemen, under Cap. Blanco, who left the Pulido plantation, near San Antonio, to the finals. These will be played off besurrounding country, tween Ald Stevely and All Talbot bush, and about 200 insurgent cav-alrymen and 100 of the enemy's in-McIntosh. Dr. Balfour and Ald. Steveyear the medal was won by Mr. J. W. fantry attacked them. A scene of ly played yesterday. The following is terrible carnage followed. The Span-the score: The Span- the score:

John Pringle; J. W. McIntosh. R. Reid, jun

Guelph, Ont., Feb. 25.—Play was re-umed yesterday morning with Walkeron, who had drawn a bye, and the Royal City Club, for the Sleeman trophy, which resulted in favor of Walkphy, which resulted in favor of Walk-erton by one shot. Walkerton and Guelph Union played off, and after a hard-fought battle Walkerton won. Score, 40 to 25.

For the Guelph tankard—Berlin beat Royal City, 24 to 16; Fergus beat Hespeler, 16 to 14; Stratford beat Berlin to 11, Brankford beat Harriston, 20 to 16, and the Union Colts beat Harriston, No. 2, 17 to 12. The semi-final will be played today. SHOTS.

The semi-finals in the Western Ontario tankard competition will be play-

Curling Club, and for which the London club has not yet this season chal-lenged them to play. THE TRIGGER.

SHOOT AT TORONTO.

Toronto, Feb. 25.-A 100-bird bluerock pigeon shoot took place at the Woodbine yesterday. It was won by G. T. Lucas, Stanley Gun Club, with Atlantic Park. a score of 97. R. Green, of the Stanfley Gun Club, was second, with 95, and Robin Hood, of Manitoba, champion pigeon shot of Canada, was third, with

ATHLETICS. A GREAT PROFESSIONAL RACE. Fully 11,000 spectators saw the recent 400 yards race between Downer and Bredin at Bolton, Lancashire. Only a short time previously both the principals were at the very top of the tree in the world of amateurs. Downer did occasionally have to spike his flag

at sprint distances to C. A Bradley out again and again honors were, in that respect, made easy by Bradley succumbing to Downer. were born abroad, Bredin at Gibraltar in 1866, and Downer in Jamaica in 1873. Downer is by connection, education and training a Scotchman, and, though he never won an English championship, was from his first appear ance the finest sprinter in Scotland, and secured the 100, 220 and 400 yards Scotch championships in 1892. Bredin won the English championships at 440 yards in 1893 and 1894, and at 880 yards in 1893, 1894 and 1895. He also holds the 600 yards record, and tied with H. C. L. Tindall for the quarter-mile record, 48 1-2 seconds.

There was a great contrast between the men as they awaited the signal

and looked less anxious than Downer, ground, strained apparently to the u

when the pistol cracked Downe jumped into his running at lightning speed, and seemed almost immediately to be two yards ahead. Still further he drew away until at the half dis-tance he was five yards to the good. Then (until three-quarters of the distance had been covered in 32 seconds) he failed to add an inch to his advantage; whilst immediately on enter-ing the last 100 yards Bredin began to overhaul his man. Fifty yards from home Bredin had got back three of his lost five vards, but another eighteen inches constituted all the further impression he could make on his man, who won "all out," and completely exhausted, by a yard and a hatf, in the new professional record time of 44 4-5 seconds. The previous professional best was T. Brian's 45 seconds. as long ago as 1841. The Engilsh amateur best is 43 3-5 seconds, by H. C. L. Tindall, at Stamford Bridge, on June 29. 1889: and the American amateur best is 43 seconds, on July 20, 1890, by

W. C. Dohm THE GREAT FIGHTERS. Carson City, Feb. 24.—Fitzsimmons and Corbett are fighting—with their mouths. The rules don't suit. BETTING ON THE BIG FIGHT. In San Francisco, Cal., some bet with Corbett in the long odd, but the big speculators are quibbling over the odds. The Fitzshmmons men want 10

While the sentiment in New York has veered to Fitzsimmions, it is not the same in other parts of the country. In Chicago Prof. George Dawson, the boxing instructor, made a prediction that Fitz would win, and this caused several small bets at odds of 5 and 10 to 7 to be put up. In Boston the odds range from 5 to 3 to 5 to 4, with Corbett the favorite. Ait New Orleans the turf exchange has reduced the odds on Fitzsimmon

firom even money to 9 to 10. The Corbett odds, 7 to 10, remain the same WILL ADMIT WOMEN. Carson, Feb. 25 .- Dan Stuart, through his representative, has made the fol-lowing announcement: "I will admit women to the fight simply because some of the most prominent men in the State have indicated a desire to bring their wives. I am not making this move for the money there is in it but as a matter of accommodation to the men mentioned. If women desire to see the fight, I have nothing to say They are the best judges of what the should and should not see

RUSH FOR TICKETS Carson, Feb. 25.—The sale of tickets to see the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight began yesterday, and a rush set in early in the morning. The first day's sale figured close on \$8,000. Aside from this, reservations for as much more came by wire and letters.

RYAN VS. TRACEY. Over three thousand people crowded into the Alhambra at Syracuse, N. Y. Wednesday, to see the contest for the world's wester-weight championshi between Tommy Ryan, of Syracuse the champion, and Tommy Tracey, Chicago, champion of England a Australia. The contest was scheduled for twenty rounds. Ryan got his opponent going in the sixth, and in the sevenith and eighth Tracey was sent to earth several times, staying the limit In the eighlith, Creedon, Tracey's sec and, climbed into the ring, evidently to throw up the sponge, but Tracey waved him back and clinched out the round.

McCAFFREY'S OPINION. Oneill, Neb., Feb. 25.-Dominick Mc Caffrey, the ex-pugilist, says of the approtaching fight: "It is a great boxe gainst a great fighter, and you kno there is a vast difference between boxing and fighting The fighter generally brings the money home, all things being considered I feel sure that Fitz-simmons will win if he gets fair play, Corbett will be handled by a smarte proprietor than Fitz, and he is a bethand, there is no man alive that Fitz To give an idea of the money the

BLOWS Fitzsimmons made his first appearice in the ring at a tournam Majority for Ald. Stevely, 10 shot. ganized by Jem Mace, in Timaru, New Zealand. The old champion will be one of the visitors to the battle in

> There will be three fights instead of one at Carson. Besides the Fitzsimmons-Corbett fight, Billy Smith

BASEBALL. PROPOSED CANADIAN AMATEUR

LEAGUE. Frank Dorschell, secretary of the and other places that can be conven- fall effect on the markets. Every e and other places that can be conventant enter on the hardes. I and other places that can be conventant enter on the hardes. Enter of the should be made to improve some of the junior teams, to form a quality of the product. Three rinks from the Forest City
Curling Club go to St. Thomas this
senior players and managers, who seem afternoon to compete for the Malahide medal. will doubtless receive the patronage of proud possessors of three handsome medals—Walker, Carling and Glass—biblions ithey witnessed last vermedals—Walker, Carling and Glass— which they have won from the London might be well satisfied with a fast junior game. Little effort is neces sary to put up better ball than was senn in Omtario last year.

GROUNDERS. The directors of the St. Thomas Baseball Association have appointed a committee to wait upon Judge Hughes and arrange for a lease of George Black says a six-club league at least will be operated in Michigan the coming season

WHEEL. AT CLEVELAND Cleveland, O., Feb. 25.—In the six-day bicycle race last night Anderson finished first. The score at the close of the racing was: Anderson, 121 miles; Farnsworth, 121; Glaw, 121; Allen, 121; Baldwin, 106, 14 laps; Berry, 89 miles

THE SIX DAYS' RACE. Chicago, Feb. 24.-The following is the score in the six-day bicycle at 9:45 a.m.: Schinner, 858; Ashinger, 800; Miller, 798; Lawson, 747; Stewart, 729; Brady, 716; Hale, 616. Hale left the track at midnight and did not return until 8 o'clock this morning, and then only for an hour. While he had not withdrawn, he seems to have lost all interest in the outcome

Chicago, Feb. 25.-In the bicycle race ing contestants was as follows: Schinner, 1,050 1-2 miles; Miller, 982; Ashin-ger, 941; Lawson, 932; Stewart, 896; Bradis, 854; Hansen, 833; Holbrecht, 829; Smith, 822. Teddy Hale, the world's champion, quit the track at 10:20 o'clock last night, with 617 miles to his

THE C. W. A. MEET. Toronto, Feb. 25.—Mr. Sydney Stephenson, president of the Chatham Bied to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me any good."

to start. Downer stands 5 feet 7 1-2 inches high, while Bredin is 5 feet 10 inches. Bredin stood almost erect, cycle Club, is in the city booming the

Fair and Cold.

Has slain its thousands—has made miserable its millions. We've had wet feet ourselves. Know what we are talking about. It's all very well to save money, but it's not all very well to save it at the expense of your health. Very few people do that now, because they can buy good shoes for very little money, but sometimes by neglecting to secure snug footwear, they realize what a slight cold will bring forth. We draw attention to the following

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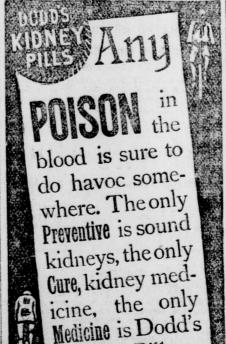
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five carloads of raw tobacco shipped from that town to last week. There are about two hun dred farmers around there who mak tobacco growing a part of their business, though there are many other who have small patches on is about 250,000 pounds a year. Th ter business man all around, and is soil in many parts of Essex count, other is very suitable for tobacco cultur can't hit, and when he lands he makes is in the business, Mr. Archibald, wh the desired impression. Corbett never got hurt up to date, and when he does he will forget his cleverness. It will grown on an acre and a half. Quite the will forget his cleverness. It will grown on an acre and a half. Quit certainly be the greatest fight of the a few received between \$90 and \$10 an acre, and others from \$50 to \$75 "I do not know of any crop that would pay the farmer better than tobacco he said. "An acre of ground well pr paired should produce from 1,200 1,500 pounds. At the low price of cents a pound this would be wort from \$60 to \$75 an acre. Then if car were maken to have the product of a superior quality, it would bring 6 or 7 cents a pound and be worth \$100 an acre. I don't know of any crop the yield him better than that. The ave age farmer who raises 40 bushels oats an acre and sells the product at 20 cents a bushel only receives \$8 for what he grows on an acre of ground." Continuing, he said that the fammers need not fear that going into hear from Stratford and Guelph amateur teams in regard to forming a prices. He thought a million pounds eague composed of amateur teams could be grown around Leamington from Berlin, Gait, Guelph, Stratford every year without having any mater-

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