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h Wanted-B. J. Nash & Co.

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w York Stock Market. March 26-1 p.m -- Stock market

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COMMERCIAL.

Local Market.

ted by A. M. Hamilton & Son. LONDON, Monday, March 26. as quiet on the market to-day, owing eccipts. Values as given below are saturday's market:

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Hamilton & Son, rs in Grass Seed, Seed Grain, ur, Mill Feed, Grain, Hay and Straw.

Talbot Street, London.

American Markets. CHICAGO, March 24. TE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED. T—No. 2, March, 56gc; May, 57gc;

March, 35%c; May, 37kc; July, 37%c. March, 301c; May, 301c; July, 27c;

ORK-March, \$10 95; July, \$10 924. March, \$5 65; July, \$6 55. RIBS-March, \$5 671; July, \$5 671.

CASH QUOTATIONS:

pring wheat, 56%; No. 2 red, 56%; no. 35% to 26c; No. 2 cats, 30%; No. 2 No. 2 barley, 58c; mess pork, \$1092%; Stard, \$6 90 to \$6 92%; short ribs, 67% to \$5 70; dry salted shoulders, \$6; short clear sides (boxed), \$6 to

39,000 Wheat..... 20,000 356.000 Oats..... 399,000 6,000 Barley..... 59,000 37,000 Wheat 23,000

314,000 Oats... 23,000 8,000 Barley 29,000 NEW YORK, March 24.

R_Steady.
Dull; western, 48c to 57c.
EY_Quiet; No. 2 Milwaukee, 63c.

-Canada, 70c.
T-Receipts, none; exports, 222,000 bu; 3,000 bu; futures 24,000 bu spot; spots 2 red, store and elevator, 60c to 61c; thern, 66t to 67c; options steady; No.

rthern, 662 to 67c; options steady; No. arch. 602c; May. 612c; July, 634c; Aug., t. 652c; Dec., 684c.

Receipts, 28,000 bu; exports, 14,000 bu; 000 bu; futures, 1,000 bu spot; spots No. 2, 46c, elevator; options steady; fc; May, 422c; July, 432c.

Receipts, 144,000 bu; exports, 2,000 1,000 bu futures, 29,000 bu spot; spots No. 2, 354c; No. 2, white, 384c; No. 20, 364c; mixed western, 352c to 364c; and white State, 38c to 41c; options farch and April, 352c; May, 342c; July,

Steady; State and Pennsylvania, ic; western fresh, 12c. EE—Exchange closed.

R—Steady; standard "A." 4 1-16c to fectioners "A." 4 13-16c to 5c; cut-16c to 5c; crushed, 4 13-16c to 5c; d, 45-16c to 4c; granulated, 4 1-16c

BUFFALO. N. Y.. March 24.

AT - Spring wheat - Very dull; No. 1
c; No. 1 northern. 68c. Winter wheat
er; 2 cars No. 2 red, 59c; 1 car mixed,

No. 2 extra white, 59c; No. 1 white,

371c; closed 371c asked; No. 3 white quoted at again. S. Delamey and Robert Baldwin were fined \$2 each for fast driving and for white property and solutions are light and taken white property and solutions are light and taken white property and solutions are solutions. before arrival. Quite a good amount of barley will be wanted here before the sesson closes. Prices are strong. Quoted: Choice western, 67c to 68c; fair to good, 60c to 64c; commen, 57c

59c: State, 55c to 73c. RYE—Dull: No. 2, 524c in store. FLAXSEED - No. 1 quoted at \$140. FLOUR. Dull: easy. FLOUR—Dull; easy.
MILLFEED—Quiet and weak. WHEAT—Quiet: 67te cash and March; 69c asked May; tole July.
CORN—37te cash and May.
OATE—32c bid cash.

Live Stock Markets. EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.

EAST BUFFALO, March 24.—Cattle—Only a couple of cars on sale. Trade quiet; fair decouple of cars on sale. Trade quiet; fair demand for butchers' stock.

Sheep and Lambs — Twenty-three cars on sale; market steady; closing not so strong; choice to fancy export wethers. \$4 to \$1.25; good to choice mixed sheep, \$3.25 to \$3.75; choice to fancy lambs, \$4.60 to \$4.75; tops,

\$4.80. Hogs-Offerings 22 cars. Prices generally 50 higher. Some choice selected white pigs sold at \$4.95; choice Yorkers at \$4.90; general mixed, \$4.80 to \$4.90; choice heavy, \$4.70 to

Montreal Produce Market.

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Montreal, March 26.

FLOUR—Receipts, 5,000 bbls; market quiet and unchanged. Quotations: Patents winter \$3 30 to \$3 50; do spring, \$3 50 to \$3 60; straight roller, \$3 00 to \$3 10; extra, \$2 70 to \$2 80; superfine, \$2 40 to \$2 60; strong bakers, \$3 40 to \$3 50; Ontario bags, \$1 30 to \$1 40.

GRAIN—Wheat No. 2 Manitoba hard, 73c to 75c; corn, 53c to 55c; peas, 68c to 69c; oats, 40c to 41c; barley, 50c to 53c; rye, 48c to 50c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, \$2 00 to \$2 10; cornmeal, \$1 20 to \$1 30.

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PROVISIONS—Mess pork, \$15 00 to \$16 00; lard, Se to 10c; bacon, 10c to 12c; hams, 9c to 10c; cheese, 9c to 11c; butter, townships. 21c to 23c; western, 18c to 20c; eggs, 8c to 10c. Toronto Market.

TORONTO. March 26. FLOUR-Straight roller, \$2 50 to \$2 70; extra \$2 35 to \$2 40. WHEAT-White, 56% to 58c; spring, No. 2. 59c to 60c: red winter, 554c to 58c; goese, 56c to 56c; Manitoba pard, No. 1, 73c to 73c; Manibba hard. No. 2, 71e to 71c. PEAS—No. 2, 54e to 76e. BARLEY—No. 1, 42c to 42c.

FEED—36c to 37c. OATS—No. 2, 33½c to 34c. Market much as before. Sales—No. 1 Man-hard wheat outside at 73c; do No. 2 outside at

STRONG'S Baking Powder

184 Dundas Street, London. 25c Per Pound.

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LONDON AND ENVIRONS

-Scarlet fever at 410 Dufferin avenue. -R. A. Gray, B.A., city, is visiting

friends in Elora. -Mr. Ed. Walker, Hamilton, is visiting friends in this city. -High Constable Schram is confined to

his house through illness. -Colin Macdougall, Q.C., of St. Thomas, will act as crown counsel at the Middlesex

Spring Assizes. -Mr. George Kinder, of Strathroy. spent Sunday in town, the guest of Mr. E. Ruse, South London.

-The men at Wolseley Barracks will participate in a grand concert in their barracks hall this evening.

-To-day was observed by all the banks as a holiday. All the offices in the county jail and buildings were also closed.

-The action brought by ex-Reeve Spence to disqualify D. C. Macdonald as reeve of London West, comes up in Toronto

-Two young people of Kintore, Oxford county, Wm. J. Roden and Elizabeth Skillings, came to London on Saturday and

were married by Rev. W. J. Clark. -Mr. W. Saunders and wife, and Messrs. Nichol, Murray, Scott and Ramsay, of Westminster township, have left for Crary, North Dakota, where they intend to take

-Copies of the electric light specifications were sent to each of the aldermen on Saturday, and it is likely that a special meeting of the council will be held this week to consider the matter.

-It is not likely that No. 2 committee will go on their \$1,000 stone crusher junket until next week. Among the places to be visited are Aurora, Ill., Hamilton and Ottawa, Ont., and Kennet Square,

-The criminal docket for the Spring Assizes which open to-morrow, is very light. There are only two cases-Benj. Fisher, charged with robbing the Mount Brydges postoffice and Sam Allander, charged with embezzlement.

-The authorities at Wolseley Barracks are seriously thinking of appointing either a royal commission or a corporals' guard to investigate the absence from the barracks of Pte. Tomigo, a Muncey Indian, who disappeared two weeks ago while serving a short course.

-Auctioneer J. W. Jones will sell tomorrow (Tuesday) at his rooms, Dundas street, that property on the northeast corner of Wellington and Dundas streets, known as the Nitschke block. It has a frontage on Dundas street of 135 feet and on Wellington street of 180 feet more or less. Three brick stores, as well as the Nitschke building, are erected on it. This is a mortgage sale and a splendid oppor-

tunity for investors. -R. J. Wood, grocer, Wellington street, treated a large number of his friends to a real live fox hunt on Good Friday. He procured a large fox and let him go in the vicinity of Walker's blacksmith shop. Glanworth road, followed by some of the best hounds in the neighborhood. There was a large number to see the sport, on horseback, in carriages and on foot. Reynard made a gallant dash for his life, trying every scheme known to a cunning fox, even to swimming across a part of the small lake. The pace was too fast for him. He was overtaken, caught, and given another chance, but he was again captured and killed.

Police Court. The attendance at the police court to-day was large, but the bill of fare offered nothd.

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Basil's, Toronto, at both morning and be far advanced in consumption. ing very spicy. A boy, George Wadswith firing off an air gun in the streets and pleaded ignorance of the stricter laws of preached by Father MacBrady, of St. etc. It has cured many when supposed to

whipping their horse. Four lads, Sid Rogera, Fred. Maul, Burley Wilson and Albert Jenkins, were accused of creating a disturbance at the Grand Opera House entrance. Dismissed with a warnng. A local bicyclist opened the season's cases of this kind by riding on the sidewalk. He was fined \$2. Noble Cook and Pat Crolley promised to repay Liveryman Young for a broken shalt in a buggy they had hired. Two drunks, a man and woman, were discharged.

CITY CHURCH CIRCLES.

The Usual Easter Celebrations at Most of Them.

Fifty People Confirmed at the Memorial -New Christian Church Projected Special Singing-Decorations.

The usual keynote of Easter rejoicing was struck in most of the city churches yesterday. The occasion would have been more imposing but for the wintry weather, as Easter is generally looked upon as the herald of spring and is associated with sunshine and budding foliage. Special music was a feature of all services, and many of the edifices were beautified with

fragrant flowers. The Bishop of Huron administered the rite of confirmation to about 50 candidates at the Memorial Church Sunday evening. The church was crowded, every aisle being filled and the gallery packed. The candidates occupied seats together near the front of the church and stood while the bishop addressed them seriously, dwelling on the import and consequence of the step they were about to take. Each person was then confirmed separately, the service occupying no little time. The rector, Canon Richardson, and Rev. Mr. Shortt assisted. The choir rendered special music during the morning service and the church was

deccrated with easter lilies. Dr. Antliff referred on Sunday to the excellence of the choir of Dundas Street Methodist Church, which, he pointed out, has a Provincial reputation. He asked the congregation to contribute liberally to the choir fund, and thus enable the managers and Mr. Moxon, the new organist, to continue the good work so ably organized by Mr. Birks. The musical service in this congregation on Sunday was most inspiring. Rev. Dr. Sexton, of New York, the exinfidel, preached twice at St. Andrew's Church Sunday. He argued the existence of God and Christ's resurrection from scientific standpoints, and both discourses were original and practical. He lectures in the same church to-night on his fifteen years' experience of infidelity.

Rev. Mr. Aylward, city, addressed the meeting of the Gospel Temperance Reform Club at Hamilton Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Christian (nee Annie Cohen). who, with her husband, is well known as a dramatic singer in the States, sang very acceptably at St. James' Presbyterian Church Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Christian are visiting in the city, en route to England.

The Winnipeg Tribune says: "Brigadier for London, Ontario, and will hold farewell services on Sunday next. It is understood that Brigadier Margetts will take Brigadier Holland's place at London, and that Staff-Capt. Reed, of Newfoundland, will take Brigadier Margetts' position in this city. Evangelist Ranton, well known here, is holding very large revival meetings in

Windsor. Rev. F. A. Cassidy, M.A., returned missionary from Japan, spoke Sunday morning at the London West Methodist Church, and in the evening at Queen's Avenue. At the latter Rev. J. W. Annis preached in

the morning an eloquent Easter sermon. Evangelist Park and wife will continue their good work at the King Street Methodist Church all this week. They are meeting with much success.

A memorial service over the late Mrs. W. H. Hayes was held Sunday morning in the Southern Congregational Church. Rev. actor of deceased.

W. H. Claris spoke feelingly of the char-London Methodist Conference meets in Ridgetown on Thursday, June 7.

In connection with the trial of Rev. G. W. Wye, of Amherstburg, the clergymen appointed by the Bishop of Huron to hear the evidence and formulate a verdict are Rev. S. Cooper, of Ivermay, Bruce county: Rev. T. R. Davis, of Sarnia; Rev. D. Deacon, of Stratford; Rev. J. Downie, of Watford, and Rev. H. A. Thomas, of Warwick. The bishop will pass the sentence

according to the verdict. Rev. G. Trotter Carr, formerly of London, to whom the congregation of the First Congregational Church, Wingham, extended a call, finds himself unable to go to Wingham, on account of ill health. The annual Easter vestry meetings of the

Anglican Church are held to-night. Capt. T. Barker, of the Salvation Army, Clinton, who has worked very faithfully there for the past two months, has come to London, and Capt. Collier, of London, takes charge of the corps there.

Two instructive and appropriate sermon: were preached by Rev. Canon Davis in St. James' Episcopal Church Sunday, which were listened to by large congregations. The floral decorations were especially pretty. Communion was administered by

the rector three times. The Bishop of Huron will preach and assist in administering communion next Sunday in St. James' Episcopal Church.

Rev. Thos. Cullen occupied the pulpit of the Askin Street Methodist Church Sunday. His evening remarks were devoted to pointing out the advantages of systematic Bible reading. It is said that the Rev. Dr. Paton, who

recently visited London, is meeting with unlooked-for success in Great Britain. Already over £3,000 has been added to the fund for the evangelization of the New Hebrides. The prospects are good that the £1,000 per annum required for the support of the mission will be secured by pledges.

The congregations at the Christian

Church, Elizabeth street, were very large at both services on Sunday. In the evening the pastor, Rev. T. L. Fowler. preached on "The Resurrection of Christ," comparing it unto his birth. There had been joy for some and fear for others at both times.

Rev. M. P. Talling, of St. James' Presbyterian Church and Rev. D. Robertson, of King Street, exchanged pulpits Sunday night.

Since Rev. T. L. Fowler took charge of the Christian Church the congregations have been steadily increasing, until the building is too small to meet the demands made upon it. The officials of the congregation have been considering the advisability of erecting a new structure, and a more commodious place of worship is looked upon as one of the possibilities of

the near fature. The Easter services at St. Peter's Cathedral were all largely attended and of an impressive nature. The altars were prettily decorated with lilies and other | throat and air passages and is a sovereign flowers. The choir rendered special music | remedy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness,

evening services. Bishop O'Connor presided at Vespers and High Mass. At the close of his evening sermon at

St. Matthew's last night, the rector, Rev. W. M. Seaborn, referred briefly to the late Henry Griffiths, who died recently in his 104th year. Mr. Seaborn was acquainted with Mr. Griffiths for ten years prior to his death, and spoke of him as a man of much Christian character and a great Bible student considering his years. He was also a man of great faith.

Mr. W. H. Seymour, of the Standard Bank, Toronto, addressed the usual Sunday afternoon meeting in Victoria Hall. The Y. M. C. A. orchestra and the boys' choir were present and took part in the service. Mr. Seymour took well with the boys, and he may be sure of a welcome on his return. The attendance at these meetings compare very favorably with that of the Toronto Sunday afternoon gatherings.

HOW HE GOT HIS JOB

In the Senate-Burns' Tactics-Opposition to the Fast Steamship Project -Prohibitionists Rallying.

[Special to the ADVERTISER.] OTTAWA, March 26 .- The appointment of Mr. Kennedy F. Burns, M. P. for Gloucester, N. B., opens that constituency, and in a tew days the writ for a new election will be issued. Polling will likely take place about April 16. It is interesting to note how this appointment came to be made. Mr. Burns being disappointed in his effort to become Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick, intimated that he saw no reason why he should come to the House of Commons this session and support a Government which refused to recognize his claim. He made it convenient, therefore, to be in England when Parliament met and refused to return until he had been called to the Senate. These tactics accomplished his object and a cablegram was sent notifying him of his success. He sailed the next day for Canada, and immediately on his arrival the announcement of his appointment was

A great deal of opposition is developing to the proposed fast Atlantic steamship service, although, of course, the C. P. R. influence will be exerted in its favor. The members for the city of St. John, N. B., are opposing it unless a subsidy is given to a freight line running from that city to England and back. The trade and manufacturers, journals of Montreal and Toronto are also out it opposition, and it will evidently require a great deal of finesse on the part of the Government to secure the approval of the House to an increase of a subsidy from \$500,000 to \$750,-000. There is a very general feeling that a line which could only carry express freight that the condition of calling at a French | port is to be eliminated from the contract the Government must count upon opposition from the French members of the

House. The coal and iron smelting companies are erecting a booth constructed of native woods in the vestibule immediately inside the main entrance to the Parliament build. ing. The object is to affect tariff conclusions in the House. The exhibit is in charge of B. T. A. Bell of the Mining Review. The companies represented are the Margetts has received orders to farewell new Glasgow Iron, Railway and Coal Comthe Nova Scotia Steel and Forge Company. F. S. Spence, secretary of the Dominion Alliance, is here, and so is the advance guard of the big temperance deputation which will interview the Government tomorrow to ask for prohibition and to de-

nounce the French treaty. Mr. Charlton intends to introduce a bill amending the section of the criminal code which makes lotteries for church or art purposes legal.

THE QUEEN'S PLORENTINE VILLA. An Old House Built From Designs by

the Artist Micheli. FLORENCE, March 26 .- The Villa Fabbri cotti, where the Queen is passing her vacation, was built about 30 years ago from designs by Micheli. After the house had been finished it took two years to complete the decoration of the hall, staircase and saloons. The house, which is to the northeast of the city on the hill of Montughi. occupies the site of an ancient villa, which had been for five centuries the residence of

distinguished Florentine families. The interior of the villa is superbly ornamented with frescoes and painted ceilings, and there are a number of valuable pictures and many fine pieces of statuary. The house is both splendidly and comfortably furnished, and is admirably arranged either as a summer or a winter residence. All that has been done during the last few months has been the overhauling of the sanitary arrangements, the fitting of a lift and of electric bells, and the repapering of the bedrooms and dressing-rooms which are occupied by the Queen and Princess Beatrice. There is a beautiful view over Florence from the terrace and the Queen's own rooms, three in number, on the first floor, command the whole city, with the vale of the Arno beyond and the mountains in the distance. About the grounds is a fine path over which the Queen takes an airing in her donkey-cart.

TO INSURE CHILDREN GOOD MEALS.

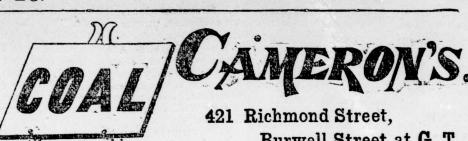
Object of a Charitable Scelety Which

Exists in England's Capital. LONDON, March 26.—The London Schools Dinner Association exists for the purpose of insuring every child in London three good meals a week. It is not an extravagant ideal, but so great is the need in thousands of London homes that the society's funds are not sufficient to cope with it. This led to a conference recently of some hundreds of women and men who are engaged in the work of feeding the children. Interesting and pathetic were many of the stories related, and almost amusing were some of the suggestions made for raising money. Rev. S. D. Headlam was for appealing to the "notoriously wealthy" people, especially the ground landlords, and others were for going to the city companies. But these proposals were put aside as hopeless. It seems that nearly the whole of the cost of the millions of dinners which have been given has been provided by people of small means who know the suffering class, by subscriptions from children in what are called (by comparison) the "well-to-do" board schools, and even by children who during the past few years have been fed by the association and have gratefully devoted some of their first earnings to feeding others.

Steamship Arrivals.

March 26. At Gellert.....New York......

The great lung healer is found in the excellent medicine sold as Pickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, It soothes and diminishes the sensibility of the membrane of the



Burwell Street at G. T. R.

SMOKE RENA ELSA, 10c. A. O. K., U. W., 5c.

See that A. O. K., U. W., is stamped on every cigar. These are unionade cigars. WM. ATKINS, Manufacturer, London.

BEATON

THE HATTER, Has Removed to 138 DUNDAS ST.

OPPOSITE MARKET LANE.

ANOTHER BACKDOWN.

Release of the Congressional Records Seized by Dominion Postal Authorities.

TORONTO, March 25 .- The Congressional Records seized by the local postoffice authorities a few days ago have been re-

leased. Postmaster Patterson says the American frank is no good on this side of the line, but as an act of conciliation it was decided to let the matter go through.

DOUBLE-QUICK BETWEEN OCEANS

In Case of Trouble With Russia, England Can Get There as Soon as the Enemy. WINNIPEG, Man., March 26 .- The

British Government has been making some experiments in rushing troops scross the American continent from the Atlantic to would not meet the requirements of this the Pacific, with a view of determining country. Then, if report be true, as it is, in just how brief a space of time marines could be put aboard British vessels in the Pacific in the event of trouble with Russia in Chinese waters.

A number of special trains have been run over the Canadian Pacific at an average speed of 25 miles an hour from Halifax, N. S., to Esquimalt, B.C., where England is now building extensive fortifications. Special engines have been used, and the marines have been quartered in colonist sleepers with a specially built cooking car attached.

made partly to demonstrate the military pany, the Picton Charcoal Iron Company, the Canada Iron Furnace Company, and Government with a view towards securing Government with a view towards securing

It is pointed out that the road runs from ocean to ocean through British territory, and that, in event of trouble with Russia, troops could be rushed across and reach the scene of action about as quickly as the Czar's troops could be sent to Vladivostock . by the trans-Siberian Railroad.

CONDEMNED THE COLONEL.

The Women on the Breckinridge Scandal

-Sympathy for Pollard. Boston, March 26 .- At the meeting of the Women's Rescue League resolutions were adopted condemnatory of Congressman Breckinridge and in the somewhat lengthy preamble, the members take occasion to emphatically denounce the congressman and brand him as a menace to society and public morals. The resolutions were to the effect that "The Woman's Rescue League of Boston requests the chivalrous people of Kentucky to retire W. C. P. Breckinridge, M.C., to a private life

of obscurity and oblivion. "That we extend to Madeline Pollard our sympathies while her whole life is like an open book and laid bare for public criticism; that this league believes Madeline Pollard more sinned against than sinning." It was voted to send copies of the resolutions to the congressman, Miss Pollard, and to all the newspapers of Kentucky.

Railroad Earnings. BOSTON, Mass., March 26.—The annual report of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad shows a surplus on the main system of over 5 per cent. dividends paid of \$15,044, as compared with a surplus the previous year of \$801,701. The gross

earnings were \$31,042,969; net \$9,818,466. Boy-Kerosene-Match. PERU, Ind., March 25 .- Hiram Knoblock, aged 15, living near Bremen, used coal oil Friday night to wash his head, and shortly afterwards struck a match, igniting his hair. His aunt, Mrs. Gruber, by desperate efforts, smothered the flames. The boy was horribly and probably fatally burned and the aunt was seriously burned

about the hands and face.

ATHLETICS. It will be George Harding's benefit at the Forest City Athletic Club rooms to-morrow night, and as Mr. Harding is a popular and game young man, it will no doubt be a substantial one. Mr. Harding will spar with Mr. T. McCann, of Saginaw, Mich., and a pretty set-to is assured. Jack Stewart, Canada's champion, and Jack Crawford, the instructor of the club, will meet in the ring for the first time on that occasion.

THE TURF. London, March, 26-The Lancashire handicap steeplechase over a three and a half mile course was run to-day. Manifesto, first; Fanatic, second, and Brunswick, third.

If you want a solid walnut or oak caneseated rocker for \$1 25 or anything else in the furniture line just as cheap call on KEENE BROS., 127 King street, opposite market house. Get your furniture repaired and upholstered before the rush.

Another consignment of \$1 oak finished rockers just arrived, also great bargains in sideboards, at TRAFFORD'S Popular Furniture House, 95 and 97 King street. Phone

MILLINERY -:- OPENING (Ours was last week.) EASTER NOVELTIES,

LATEST STYLES. SEE THEM AT-Mrs. MARTIN'S 206 DUNDAS STREET, SXY

The residence portion of Ford, Ky., a growing lumber village, was wiped out by fire Saturday night.

Erastus Wiman denies that W.G. Murdoch, of Toronto, has been retained on his behalf by Max L. Frank, of New York. The cotton mill of the Millville, N. J.,

Manufacturing Company has resumed on full time. Nearly 500 will be employed. C. R. Harding, the English sculler, decline to come to America, but offers to row Gaudaur on the Thames for £200 a

Admiral Mello, the Brazilian rebel, is at Parangua with a French engineer, and is busily engaged in strengthening the harbor defenses there.

Cornell University has definitely agreed to row the race with the University of Pennsylvania this year upon the Delaware River between June 4 and 18.

Judge Bradley, in the Pollard-Breckin-ridge case, has given his decision ruling out certain depositions and saying others ought to have been ruled out because they were so filthy. He appealed to the press to omit the objectionable passages.

CANADIAN. The United Temperance Association is going to petition the license commissioners to reduce the licenses in Ottawa by 25.

John Charlton, M.P., will preside at the mass meeting of Christian Endeavorers in It is supposed that the experiments were Knox Church, Ottawa, Tuesday evening. Charles Chamberlain, of Toronto, who personated several persons in the Winnipeg election, was on Saturday sentenced to

> three years in the penitentiary. The West York Liberal Association held a meeting for organization purposes at Weston on Saturday. Speeches were de-livered by Mr. W. D. Balfour, M.P.P., Mr. A. Campbell, M.P.P., and Dr. Gilmour, the popular member. The North Dakota woman who swal-

owed her false teeth was brought to St. Boniface Hospital, Montreal, for an operation. Her teeth lodged about half-way down to the stomach. Dr. Good made an incision and extracted the teeth, and the woman is in a fair way to recover. Apply B. J. NASH & Co., corner York and Talbot streets.

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