[Special to The Advertiser.]

issues taken up in the House, and dis-

Neil McCahill, of Forest, said he

The balloting then commenced, but

tween Mr. McCahill and himself.

cussed the briefly.

## LOCAL MARKET.

London, Tuesday, March 17. The roads are in fair shape for wheeling a few miles from the city, but further back the sleighing is not

bad, consequently there was a goodsized crowd of farmers present; in fact, a much larger number than was expected under the circumstances mentioned

There was a good demand for nearly everything offered. Hay was about the only line in which sales were at all draggy. Prices as a rule were firm. Hay and Straw-There were thirty

loads offered and the demand was fair at \$14 to \$15 per ton for choice timothy hay; nearly all at \$15 per ton. Straw scarce at \$8 and \$8 50 per ton. Grain-lats were in good demand, and prices firm at \$1 57 and \$1 60 per cwt. Barley sold at \$1 32 per cwt. Butter and Eggs-Butter was scarce and grocers had quite a time to secure enough for their immediate requirements. Sales were made at 31c to 32c for pound rolls and 30c for easier at 20c to 22c for crate and basket lots.

Vegetables and Roots-Potatoes Rhubarb scarce at \$1 per dozen. Lettuce plentiful at 40c per dozen, Radishes and green onions, 40c per dozen. Parsnips, 40c to 50c per bushel.

Apples were slow and prices steady. The supply of poultry was exceedingly small. The high prices don't seem to be a sufficient inducement for the farmers to market their surplus stock of poultry.

Dressed Hogs-There was a good demand, and prices were firmer at \$7 and \$7 25 per cwt; most of them sold at the higher price.

Butchers' Meat-The supply was small, and prices steady. middling, 5.98; low middling, 5.64; good ordinary, 5.20; ordinary, 4.70.

The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export, and included 6,400 American. Receipts, 9,000 bales, including 6,300 American. Futures opened and closed steady; American middling, G. O. C., March, 5. March and April, 5.57; April and May, 5.571/2; May and June, 5.58; June and July 5.57; July and August, 5:54; August and eptember, 5.46; September and Octobe

### 3.281/2; October and November, 5.281/2; cember and January, 5.28. DAIRY MARKETS. LIVERPOOL DAIRY REPORT, WEEK

ENDING MARCH 6. [Hedgson Bros.' Letter.] Cheese-The demand has been limited, no change to report on values on the 9.73c; December, 9.77c. week. The larger arrivals of New Zealands to London have caused importers 11.20c; middling gulf, 11.45c; sales, \$2,300 of this class to slightly shade prices, but | bales. a reaction may be expected almost immediately. Medium grades of cheese are a We report today's values as

fellows: Finest Canadian, colored, 64s to 65s per cwt; do, white, 63s to 64s; earliermade Canadians, white and colored, 61s to 63s; States half-meats, a slow sale, offering at 52s to 56s; finest first grade New Zealands, white and colored, 62s to 64s. Butter has steadied after the recent unprecedented slump is values, and towards the close of the week there is a firmer tendency, holders asking a little more than values current at the end of last week, and the arrivals of choicest qualities are well cleared. The Copenhagen otation for next week is cabled unhanged. Medium grades of butter are till in exceedingly slow request. W quote today: Choicest Canadian creamery 56-lb boxes, none; choicest Danish, i Kiel casks, 123s to 126s per cwt; choices Russian and Siberian, in Kiel casks, 112s to 116s; secondary grades, do, 100s to 105s choicest Australian and New Zealand, 118 to 124s; choicest Irish creamery, none choicest Argentine, 120s to 123s; choicest States creamery, none; States process creamery, nominally 100s to 104s; State ladies and imitation creamery, nominally

## WOOL MARKET. TORONTO.

Toronto, March 16.-Wool-Local prices Washed wools, 19c to 20c; unwashed wools, 10c; rejects, 14c to 15c. HIDES, SKINS AND TALLOW.

TORONTO. March, 16.-Hides-Ruling orices here are: Inspected steers and cows, No. 1, 5½c; No. 2, 4½c; No. 3, 3½c; do, country hides, 3½c to 4c; calfskins, Hogs, selects, cwt, off cars. 5 40 @ to \$1; horsehides, \$2 75.

Horsehair-25c Tallow-Rendered, 41/2c to 51/2c.

## LEATHER MARKET. TORONTO.

Toronto, March 16.-Leather-No. Spanish sole, for jobbing, 27c to 29c; No. 2, se to 28c; No. 1 Spanish sole, for manufacturing, 251/2c to 27c; No. 2, 241/2c to 26c; No. 3, 221/2c to 24c; No. 1 oak sole, 27c to 29c; No. 2, 26c to 28c; No. 1 English sole bends, 43c to 45c; No. 1 slaughter sole, heavy, 29c to 30c; medium, 28c to 29c; Harness Leather-No. U. Q., 34c to 35c;

rejected, 30c to 32c; No. 2, 30c to 31c. Hemlock Country Harness-No. 1, 28c to , 25c to 28c. Upper-Heavy, 40c to 47c; light and me-

dium, 43c to 50c; grained, 15c to 17c; kip skins, French, 75c to \$1; veal kips, Canadian, 55c, 70c 75c; hemlock calf, 60c, 75c. 80c; imitation French, 75c to 80c; French calf, \$1 to \$1 45. Splits, light and medium, 25c to 27c

neavy, 25c to 27c; junior, 20c to 25c; enamel cow, per foot, 20c to 25c; pebble grain, 13c to 15e; buff, 141/2c to 171/2c; colored buff, russets, extra heavy, per dozen, \$14 to \$15; shoe russets, per lb, 50c to 55c; russets, No. 2, all grades, per 1b, to 40c; glove russets, per dozen, \$9

# No Bachelor's **Buttons**

are required for Pen-Angle Underwear. Buttons are sewed on to stay, which will Le



BEAN MARKETS.

DETROIT. Detroit, March 16.-Beans-Spot, \$2 20, minal; April, \$2 23 bid; May, \$2 25 bid. SUGAR MARKET.

Toronto, March 16.-Sugar-Firm; Mon treal granulated, in barrels, \$4 70; yellow. \$4 30; in bags, 5c less; Acadia, in barrels or bags, \$4 80.

## PRODUCE MARKET.

TORONTO. Toronto, March 17 .- Corn is still firm, at 71e to 72c, but oats are easier. No. 2 white oats offered at 50c outside. Prices are: Wheat-Manitoba No. 1 northern, \$1 21; 2 northern, \$1 18; feed wheat, 671/20; No.2 feed, 611/2c; Ontario No. 2 white, 34c, outside; No. 2 red, 93c; No. 2 mixed, 92c; goose, 90c to 91c. Corn-Firm; No. 3 yellow American, 71c to 72c, Toronto freights; No. 3 mixed, 1/2c

Barley-No. 2, from 65c to 70c, according to quality

Peas-No. 2, 86c outside. Rye-No. 2, 83c to 84c.

Flour-Manitoba patents, special brand, \$6; seconds, \$5 40; strong bakers, \$5 30; winter wheat patents, \$3 50. Bran-Full cars, \$25 to \$26, bags includd. outside. Shorts-Scarce, \$23 to \$24.

### SUGAR MARKET. NEW YORK.

New York, March 16.-Sugar-Raw firm crocks in wholesale lots. Eggs were fair refining, 3.56c; centrifugal, 96° test, 4.06c; molasses sugar, 3.35c; refined sugar steady; No. 6, \$4 60; No. 7, \$4 55; No. 8, \$4 50; No. 9, \$4 45; No. 10, \$4 35; No. 11, were scarce and prices higher, as \$1.50, No. 12, \$1.50; mold A, \$3.35; sales were made at 95c and \$1 per cut-loaf, \$5 80; crushed, \$5 70; powdered, 100 at 331/2; Bank of Nova Scotia, 9 at 283 bag wholesale, and \$1 to \$1 10 retail. \$5 10; granulated, \$5; cubes, \$5 25. Molasses cash; Detroit Railway, 25 at 321/2. -Quiet; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, 28c to 42c. LONDON

London, March 16.-Raw sugar-Centrifugal, 11s 6d; Muscovado, 10s 41/2d; beet

## sugar, March, 10s 8d. OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG Pittsburg, P OIL CITY

Oil City, Pa., March 16.-Credit balances LONDON

London, March 16 .- Petroleum, American refined, 6 9-16d; spirits, 71/4d. ANTWERP. Antwerp, Belgium, March 16 .- Petroeum, 22 francs.

### HAY MARKET. TORONTO.

Toronto, March 17 .- Baled Straw-\$9 to \$10 per ton on track here.

Baled Hay—Timothy is quoted at \$16 to \$17 in car lots on track here. COTTON MARKET.

New York, March 17.—Cotton—Futures opened steady; March, 10.35c to 10.40c; April, 10.35c bid; May, 10.39c; July, 10.14c; August, 9.95c; October, 9.72c; December,

NEW YORK. New York, March 16 .- Cotton-Futures closed with near months steady and disant points easy. Closing bids: March, 10.35c: April, 10.35c; May, 10.40c; June, but holders are very firm, and there is 10.21c; July, 10.17c; August, 9.98c; October, Spot closed quiet; middling uplands

LIVERPOOL

FIRE

# J. A. NELLES & SON INSURANCE Beard of Trade Bidg, 388 Richmond St.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

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5 40 pathy with the movement and sec-EAST BUFFALO. East Buffalo, March 17.-Cattle-Re Veals—Receipts, 100 head; active

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, March 16.-American cattle,

Liverpool, March 16.—Canadian cattle, sary for these streets. He was not a \$600 grant for prizes. This will be guilty. No evidence was taken, the ronto tonight. Canadians, 111/2c to 12c; cows, 111/4c; bulls, 01/sc: trade slow.

Glasgow, March 16 .- Edward Watson & Ritchie report 485 cattle offered; United States steers, 12c to 12%c; Canadians, 11%c to 1214e; bulls, 91/2c to 101/2c per lb. CHICAGO.

Chicago, March 17.—Cattle—Re- although it was heartily supported by ceipts, 3,000; strong; beeves, \$4 30 to the master bakers of Toronto. \$6 35; cows and heifers, \$2 to \$5-35; Dr. Sheard, medical health officer, of Texans, \$4 10 to \$4 90; calves, \$5 to Toronto, is out against the bill, and \$6 75; westerners, \$4 to \$5; stockers last night a communication was reand feeders, \$3 to \$5.

Hogs-Receipts, 17,000; 5c higher; drawing the attention of that body to \$4 85; heavy, \$4 50 to \$4 85; roughs, \$4 50 to \$4 60; pigs, \$3 90 to \$4 45; bulk of sales, \$4 70 to \$4 80. Sheep-Receipts, 11,000; strong to 10c higher; native, \$4 05 to \$6 50; forts to protect the customer. western, \$4 05 to \$6; yearlings, \$5 75 to \$6 90; lambs, \$5 75 to \$7 50; west- to the bill.

## ern, \$6 25 to \$7 60. ENGLISH MARKET.

LIVERPOOL. Liverpool, March 17 .- Wheat Liverpool. March 17.—Wheat — Spot steady; No. 2 red western winter. 7s. 3½d. Futures steady: March nominal; May, 6s 11%d: July, 7s 1½d. Corn—Spot firm; prime mixed American, new, 5s 2½d; do, old, 5s 6d. Futures quiet; March, 5s 2d; May, 5s 5d. Flour—Winter patents quiet, 29s 9d. Flour—Winter patents quiet, 29s 9d. 11 los to £2 los.

Beef-Extra India mess quiet, 85s.
Pork-Prime western mess easy, 68s 9d.
Hams-Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, must prove that the person who sold

ese-Canadian finest colored arm Cheese—Canadian finest colored firm, 64s 6d; American finest white firm, 61s; do, colored, firm, 63s.

Tallow—Prime city aesy, 26s 6d; Australian (in London) quiet, 29s 6d.
Rosin—Common steady, 9s 3d.
Petroleum—Refined quiet, 63/4d.
Linseed Oil—Weak, 22s 6d.
Cottonseed Oil (Hull refined)—Spot firm, 22s 3d.

228 3d.
Turpentine Spirits—Steady, 36s 9d.
16 to 2 0lbs, quiet, 35c; clear bellies, 14 to
16 lbs, quiet, 34s 6d; shoulders, square, 11
to 13 lbs. dull, 30s.
Lard—Prime western, in tierces, steady,
37s 9d; American refined, in pails, steady,

STOCK MARKETS

TORONTO. Afternoon Sales: Sao Paulo. 4, 5, 1 and 25 at 120; do, bonds, 500 at 941/2; General Electric, 50 at 9014; Twin City, common. 25, 10 and 15 at 83%, 5 at 84; Rio, 15, 3 and 5 at 33, 100 at 331/8, 1 at 331/4; Mackay, common, xd., 25 and 50 at 561/2; Consumers Gas, 2 at 197; Canada Permanent, 40 at rack at Toronto; No. 2 mixed, 48c out- at 10214, 25 at 102, 5 at 1011/2; Nipissing, 50

> MONTREAL. Afternoon Sales: Montreal Railway, 50 Dr. Gibson, called the convention to at 183, 35 at 1831/2, 25 at 1833/4; Textile, pre-order, and welcomed the delegates. ferred, 25 at 82; Twin Ciay, 10 at 83%; Toronto Railway, xd., 10 at 98%, 1 at 98%, 10 at 981/2; Power, 10 at 91; Laurentide Paper, Between Boards: Penmans, 77 at 35;

Mexican, 25 at 50, 25 at 4978; R. & O., 10 the best man would be chosen. at 70; Soo, common, 25 at 5814, 25 at 103, Nominations were then call 50 at 102, 50 at 1021/2, 25 at 102, 50 at 1021/4, 25 at 102%, 25 at 1021/2, 50 at 102%, 25 at 102½, 100 at 102, 25 at 102½, 10 at 102½, 50 at 101%, 25 at 102, 25 at 102%, 10 at 102%; Iron, common, 50 at 1614; C. P. R., 10 at 1441/2;

# **GUEST BRIDGE TO BE REBUILT.**

(Continued From Page One.)

would be rebuilt as soon as the weather candilate. He had represented the ridpermitted.

ing for the past four years, and while Work will probably begin around the he may have made mistakes he had early part of June. done his best. Mr. Montgomery de-The estimated cost of the new strucclared that he had been criticised beture, which will be of steel, is \$11,000. cause it was not thought he had the Three thousand dollars of that ability for such a position, but he very lengthy one, and is an exhaustive amount, however, will be spent in rais- maintained that he had made a suc- criticism of the Askin street school, ing the roadway leading to the bridge cess of his farm, and if a man made and also of the board of management. eight feet or more.

## done along either side of the road.

There is also a lot of filling to be cess.

Great Inconvenience. Pending the completion of the new bridge the people residing on the Nissouri end will have to either ford the

Councilor Glass, of London Townhave on the county assuming the new structure, said that the sale would make no difference, for the reason that the county will not assume control until the 1st of April.

## God Roads Act.

built next summer in the county, will would allow his name to go to the Liverpool, March 16.-Cotton-Spot clos- be erected under the new good roads convention on that ground. ed quiet; prices unchanged; American act, which was passed at the January session of the county council. Mr Montgomery won with some to The other bridges to be built and spare. The support that would have

for which tenders are being called for gone to Mr. Farrel was divided beare as follows: Other Bridges.

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the city has the right to select two

streets on which it could erect an

overhead bridge or a subway towards

each of which the C. P. R. was to con-

The residents in the north end were

It would do no harm at least to get

Ald. Ferguson was in hearty sym-

A Good Idea.

council would be surprised when they

The bill to make a uniform loaf of

bread compulsory, introduced by Mr.

McNaught, M. P. P., of Toronto, does

not seem to be so splendid a measure

Bill Is No Good.

The motion carried unanimously.

anxious that something be done in this

tribute \$16,500.

onded the motion.

came down.

labeled.

is sold.

The nomination was made unani-One at Westminster, one in West Mr. Montgomery, the candidate, mous. Williams, one in West Nissouri, two in was put up four years ago as a forlorn date to contest the east riding of Wyoming. McGillivray, one in Biddulph, and one hope against Mr. Pettypiece, but was lambton, made necessary by the resignificance of the landslide. There was a lacted in the landslide. There was a lacted in the landslide. There was a lacted in the landslide. in North Dorchester. These bridges will be of steel and strong disposition among the deleconcrete, and tenders will be opened at gates to nominate another, but neither the office of the county commissioner Mr. Farrel nor Mr. McCahill was pop-

on the 15th of April. ular with certain factions. The estimated cost of the seven After the nomination, speeches were bridges is between \$12,000 and \$13,000. delivered by Mr. F. G. McDermid, M. P.P., West Elgin, and Mr. Geo. Neely,

OVERHEAD BRIDGE FOR C. P. R. woted themselves to the issues of the M. P. P. East Middlesex. Both deconvention broke up with

## cheers for the candidates. WESTERN FAIR

Committees Make Arrangements for Different Competitions. .

tee of the Western Fair board it was trouble of the Premier is so pronounced leadership in the House of Commons now the city engineer's estimates on the decided to make a grant of \$50 for a that his physicians up to the present time has been abandoned. milking contest. The Holstein Association also granted \$50 for prizes. Some changes will probably be made in the classes for fat and grade

cattle, when further information is and steady, \$5.50.

Hoss-Receipts, 100 head; active and steady, \$5.50.

Hoss-Receipts, 2100 head; fairly active and 10c to 15c higher; heavy and mixed, \$5.15 to \$5.20; Yorkers, \$5. to He pointed to the many level crossings of London, and declared that if Wellington street were opened in this manner in would prevent the present level higher; lambs, \$5 to \$5.00.

He pointed to the many level crossings of London, and declared that if Wellington street were opened in this manner it would prevent the present level higher; lambs, \$5 to \$8.

# ORATORIO "SAMSON"

Season's Most Important Choral Event on Thursday Night.

The final rehearsal for the performance of "Samson" in the First Methodist Church will be held tonight. Director Jordan is authority for the statement that this is the ceived from him by the city council, best chorus he has had yet. Great light, \$4 50 to \$4 80; mixed, \$4 50 to some discrepancies in the proposed act. pearance of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra Quartet, consisting of The bill, declared Dr. Sheard, will Genevieve Clark-Wilson, soprano; practically set aside all methods of Rose Lutiger-Gannon, contralto: bread inspection, and nullify all ef- John B. Miller, tenor, and Arthur Middleton, bass. Each individual There were three cardinal objections singer is a great artist, and a rare treat may be looked for. As there In the first place, the baker can are no counter-attractions on Thursmake anything he pleases and call it day night, one of the largest and most fancy bread. It will not then need to fashionable audiences the Festival 17.—Wheat — Spot be of uniform weight, but may be Chorus has had may be expected. Ticket-holders are allowed the priv-In the second place the inspector has flege of entering the Wesley Hall door no right to enter any place excepting at 7:15. The front doors will be openwhere the bread is made-not where it ed at 7:30, and the performance will commence sharply at 8 o'clock. Those In the third place, the inspector has who wish a preferred seat should puronly the right to seize bread below the chase tickets at music stores and come specified labeled weight, and then ne early.

# 11 to 13 lbs, easy, 28s 6d. Lard—Prime western, in tierces, firm, 38s 9d; American refined, in pals, firm, 49s 3d. Butter—Good United States easy, 88s HUGH MONTGOMERY Inspector Nutter Reiterates Charges THEID CHOICE THEIR CHOICE In Regards To Askin Street School

## East Lambtoa Conservatives in Report Presented to Council for brick wall, and that the so-called make an estimate. Convention at Watford Select Last Night Shows No Sign Local Candidate. of Backdown.

Watford, March 16 .- At the Conservative convention here today Mr. last evening, when two communica-Hugh Montgomery, M. P. P., was tions were read before that body.

chosen to contest the riding of East | One was from City Engineer Gray-Lambion in the coming elections for don, who had inspected the building, the provincial house. There was a and the other was from City Architect good attendance of delegates. Among Nutter, who made a very scathing Buckwheat—No. 2, 67c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 50c outside, 52½c on Standard Bank, 10 at 218; Soo, 25 and 25 mid M. P. P., Mr. Geo. Neeley, M. P. criticism of those who had appeared the recent disaster at Collinwood, as P., Dr. Gibson, John Farrel and before the council at its last session on an example of what might happen here The president of the association,

> Mr. Graydon's Report. The task of choosing a representative

clared. However, he felt certain that and that one of the windows in the Nominations were then called for and the following names were pro- safe. The engineer did not know what report was a reasonable one. Smith, Forest; W. McMahon, Plymp- were no handles on the doors of the that such trifling with the council making a considerable sum of money." ton; John L. Fuller, Arkona; Geo. G. partitions running east and west, but should not be permitted. Moncrief, Petrolea; Reeve Darville, of there were some on the doors running Brooke, and W. G. Willoughby, of up and down. He said that the report All retired with the exception of reptitiously by a Free Press reporter, Mr. Montgomery, Mr. Farrel and Mr. and had done a great deal of harm by Mr. Montgomery was the first

## Mr. Nutter's Reply.

City Architect Nutter's reply is a success in one thing he was a suc- He referred to the attack upon him, and declared that it was incumbent The speaker also touched on the upon him to make a reply.

The criticism that the school was not completed was answered by the of City Engineer Graydon as building John Farrel followed. He referred argument that it was in occupation, inspector was an anomaly, when City to his long service for the party. He and that a fire was just as liable to Architect Nutter had to do the work. had spoken on every platform in the occur in an uncompleted building as in river or go around by way of Whiting, riding, and had worked faithfully and a finished one. Mr. Nutter spent conwell for the nominee of the party. He siderable time in the building, and had had been asked to allow his name to examined it thoroughly. He declared ship, when questioned as to what ef- go before the convention and had consented. However, he would support the admission of those in charge, did

> was half a Liberal. He had been a Liberal, but had changed from that introduced by Sir John Macdonald.

The Askin Street Sunday school matter was again before the council not on the partitions, and of other figured out that the difference was

sent to No. 2 committee.

The report of City Engineer Graytoday was no easy task, as there were don recommended that one window in risk. several good men in the field, he de- the south side be made into a door,

being misunderstood.

# Graydon concluded.

not call for the changes he recomwas a candidate. He denied that he mended.

Alleged Discrepancies.

party when the National Policy was wall, and declared there was no inter- mittee.

## brick fire wall to which the Askin Street board refers, is pierced by door openings. There were voids and holes Graydon. n the floors and ceilings, and they were not filled. Mr. Nutter was willof exits to any expert for opinion. The not figured it out. Yesterday he came

## Where He Erred.

"If I erred in my report," was the concluding paragraph, "I erred in not tee when this matter first came up condemning more strongly the exist- that there was considerable difference ing conditions of the building. With between the two?" was asked. the matter. Both communications were in an aggravated form, in our midst, it is difficult to conceive of a body of humane men, wanting to take chances with their eyes open upon such

Totally Uncalled For. gallery be made into a fire escape or on Mr. Nutter was totally uncalled for. contract called for broken stone, and slide and the building would be quite He was thoroughly competent, and his they were willing to go on with the posed: Hugh Montgomery, M. P. P., ground floor exits there would be, as thought that the building should have difference in the price. They figured John Farrel, Forest; Neil McCahill, the work was not complete. With been condemned more strongly. He on the fact that the street railway. Wat- slight alterations direct exits might be was highly pleased with the city forl; Thos. Martin, Plympton; A. O. made. He also declared that there architect's opinion. Ald. Booth thought they would also be given the right,

Ald. Saunders declared that the school was a fire trap when inspected by Mr. Nutter. The doors slid up or pushed aside, and there were no morning, stated that the Guest bridge speaker, and declared that he was a Mr. Nutter as being incapable, etc., is placed in box stalls like horses, and in handles on them. The youngsters were both uncalled for and untrue, and is case of fire there was no protection for dangerously near being libelous," Mr. them at all. It was perhaps not the only place in town where this occurred,

## but that was no excuse.

Has Backbone. "I am glad we have one man in the city engineer's office who has backbone enough to stand up for what he thinks is right, and refuses to be intimidated by an alderman sitting round this

board," declared Ald. Saunders. Ald. Moorhead thought the position He thought that Mr. Nutter's report was correct and he would support it

## File the Reports.

Ald. Gerry wanted to file both reports until the building is finished. "I will agree to that, if the building is not used until it is finished," retorted Ald. Saunders. The matter was finally settled by

# Mr. Nuter then dealt with the brick both reports being sent to No. 2 com-The new Guest bridge, as well as He was a temperance man and on the a number of others which will be temperance platform he stood. He would allow his name to go to the Liberals Will Nominate Tomorrow

nation of Mr. H. J. Pettypiece. A great deal of interest is being redeeming the riding.

history of the party.

men, and would have no difficulty in

ises to be one of the largest in the result of the Conservative convention company, even if \$2,500 is given back held here yesterday, as it is figured to the city." that Mr. Montgomery is by far the

# Among those whose names will weakest of the three candidates placed ber Company will make an offer at come before the convention are Mr. R. in nomination. "C.-B." THROUGH WITH PREMIERSHIP

London, March 16.-The bulletin issued | have not been able to restore this organ today concerning the condition of Sir to its normal activity. Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the pre- There are still great hopes that Sir

patient, has caused a renewal of the mier will never again be a strong man,

# Jessie Gould's Body To Be Exhumed

ner it would prevent the present level held on this day, will be held on waitress, who came to Toronto from Gould. Detective Mackie left for Petercrossings from being properly protectTuesday, and the programme will be Peterboro, and who, it is alleged died boro, where the interment took place continued throughout the week as on Tuesday last from the effects of an and the exhumation will be made this The dog show committee asked for operation. Both prisoners pleaded not afternoon, and the body brought to To-

# Supplementary Estimates Presented

Ottawa, March 16.-Suplementary estimates totaling \$5,325,633 were bec, \$107,000. brought down in the Commons today. Among the items are the following:

Civil government, \$24,105. Militia and defense, \$702,950. Intercolonial Railway, \$335,477. Lachine Canal, \$128,000. Welland Canal, for dredging slide i

Renewing Port Maitland entrance piers, \$21,460. London postofice additions and improvements. \$6,600.

deep cut. \$6,000.

Belle River dredging, \$750. Owen Sound, dredging and pile protection, \$14,200. Point Edward, dredging, \$10,300. Southampton, dredging to breakwater, \$700.

Honor Accorded a London Township Boy in St. Thomas.

General dredging, Ontario and Que-

Reorganizing bookkeeping of light-

Compensation to the owners of the United States fishing tug Kitty D., occasioned by the seizure by the Petrel, \$3,000. Expenditure caused by the smallpox on Ontario Indian reserves, \$8,500.

Expenses entertaining Prince Fushmi. \$37.000. Intercolonial, chargeable to collection of revenue, \$1,400,000. Prince Edward Island Railway, \$50,-

# DR. FRED GUEST APPOINTED CORONER

Mail subsidies and steamship sub-

ventions, extra, \$94,296. Dominion steamers, extra, \$85,000. Limekiln Crossing, Detroit River, \$10,000.

house service, \$14,000.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, firm, 35s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, steady, 35 to 40 lbs, quiet, 35s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, steady, 35 to 40 lbs, quiet, 35s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, steady, 35s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 35s 6d; shoulders, square, 16 to 20 lbs, firm, 35s 6d; shoulders, square, 16 to 20 lbs, firm, 35s 6d; shoulders, square, 16 to 30 lbs, firm, 35s 6d; shoulders, square, 16 to 30 lbs, firm, 35s 6d; shoulders, square, 16 to 30 lbs, firm, 35s 6d; shoulders, square, 16 to 30 lbs, firm, 35s 6d; shoulders, square, 16 to 30 lbs, firm, 35s 6d; shoulders, square, 16 to 30 lbs, firm, 35s 6d; shoulders, square, 16 to 30 lbs, firm, 35s 6d; shoulders, square, 16 to 30 lbs, firm, 35s 6d; shoulders, square, 16 to 30 lbs, steady, 35s; clear bellies, 14 lbs, steady, 35s; clear bellies, 14 lbs, steady, 35s; clear bellies, 14 lbs, steady, 35s; clear bellies, 15 lbs, steady, 35s; clear bellies, 16 lbs, firm, 35s 6d; shoulders, square, 16 to 30 lbs, steady, 35s; clear bellies, 16 lbs, firm, 35s 6d; shoulders, square, 16 lbs, firm, 35s 6d; shoulders, square, 17 lbs, square, 18 lbs, steady, 35s; clear bellies, 18 lbs, steady, 35s;

Dr. Guest was born in London Township, Nov. 29, 1866. He graduated from the Western University in London in 1890, and from the College Club there. of Physicians and Surgeons, Toronto, Mr. Hamilton is a brother of

# PEOPLE MUCH PLEASED

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committee of the difference in the cost of the two materials, and he declared that he had not been asked to "I was not asked to make an esti-

mate on the difference," said Mr. "Ald. Stewart came to me several times and asked me what the differing to leave the point of the adequacy ence was, and I told him that I had

handles recommended in his report are again and asked me to do it, and I handles now on, most of them have about \$1,980. I had the figures ready been placed there since the inspection. then as I expected that I would be asked by the council to give an esti-

"Why did you not tell the commit-

Came From Mr. King. "The Barber Company did not figure in this matter at all," he answered. "The request came from Mr. King of the street railway, altogether. He wanted to use gravel. I was instructed to write to the Barber people and ask them if they would make any dif-Ald. Booth thought that the attack ference, and they wrote me that the

> The Committee. "Did the committee know the difference in price between the materials?" was asked.

"I don't know," Mr. Graydon answered. "They had the communication from the Barber people, which said no difference would be made, and I think they followed that lead." "There is a decided difference in the price, then. You are sure of

As far as can be learned, the statement in The Advertiser yesterday that the Barber Company will make the difference in price good is absolutely correct. The company figures the difference

"Yes, that is right," he replied.

Statement Correct.

that?" was asked.

on first call as between \$700 and \$1,-Ald. Ferguson figures the differ-

ence to be \$2,200. Should Have Known It. "The board of works should have known the difference in the cost of the gravel and the broken stone," declared a prominent citizen this morning. "All they had to do was to compare the figures for the Park avenue contract with the figures of the Dundas street pavement, and the difference would bear out the statement of Ald. Ferguson. That was an easy matter. The Barber people, of course, were holding out a bluff. They want-

ed to save the difference, if it could e saved by any nos Still Profitable.

"The company can pay the difference and make a considerable sum of money on their contract by using Watford, March 17.—The Liberals of J. McCormick, of Warwick, president gravel. The difference will be in the the east riding of Lambton will meet of the association; M. A. Smith, of will be put down. There will be here tomorrow to nominate a candi- Forest, and possibly Dr. Coglan, of hold-ups, as in the case of broken that two surface yards per cubic yard more can be laid by using gravel intaken in the convention, and it prom- The Liberals are delighted with the the contract is a good one for the

> the next meeting of the board of works when the matter comes up for settlement. Mr. Graydon Replies.

City Engineer Graydon has written a reply to the sensational article of yesterday, as follows: To the Editor of The Advertiser: mier, which makes especial reference to Henry will recover his health, but it is article appeared in last night's Free the "considerable weakness" of the recognized by his friends that the Pre-At a meeting of the cattle commit- anxiety concerning his health. The heart and all idea that he might resume active marks, "it has been estimated that there are 13,000 cubic yards in the base of this pavement and it would mean that the city was paying \$13,000 more than it should etc." To show now idiotic this is I will take the

> formant's figures) at \$6 ..\$78,000 00 der of Barber Company.. 3,954 71

Company, for the entire works, including curb and

gutters ..... \$30,155 71 Loss to Barber Company as

Free Press .... As a matter of fact there is about 2,150 cubic yards in the proposed Dundas street pavement. I make the difference between cost of broken stone and gravel concrete about \$1 per cubic yard. The company on the other hand claim it is much less. However, I merely give you the figures above to show you what ridiculous statements are made to the reporters, and by them (in all innocence) to the public. Yours truly, A. O. GRAYDON.

## City Engineer. TEMPERANCE IN WEST

Interesting Discussion in the First Congregational Church.

In the Congregational Church last evening the temperance question was ably discussed by Messrs. D. A. Mc-Dermid and Fred C. Hamilton, a prominent real estate dealer of Winnipeg, and president of the Young Liberal

the same year. He commenced the Rev. D. S. Hamilton, pastor of the

figures of their informant, and show where they lead to. A cubic yard of concrete made with broken stone is

Asphalt surface, say \$1 05 per yard ..... 13,659 60 Total as per figures.....\$95,504 71 Total amount of actual contracts signed by Barber

per figures in the article of