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They Hold the Fort!

Futile Attempts to Demoralize the  
Home Rule Phalanx.

Long and Stubborn Contest in the  
Spanish Cortes.

Suicide of an Officer Who Lost 3,000,000  
Roubles in Gambling—The  
Norwegian Crisis.

Train Stopped by Locusts.

PARIS, May 12.—A cloud of locusts  
settled on the railway near Oued Chouly  
to-day and delayed the train for two hours.

Suicide of a Gambler.

MOSCOW, May 12.—Prince Alexandroff, a  
lieutenant in the Russian army, took a  
dose of poison last evening and died soon  
afterwards. He had lost 3,000,000 roubles  
in gambling.

Germany's Electoral Conflict.

BERLIN, May 12.—Emperor William has  
declared his intention to open in person the  
new Reichstag. The Government is now  
discussing the expediency of proposing  
to discuss the question of a new  
constitution as a means of raising  
the money required by the Army Bill.  
Social Democrats are conducting an aggressive  
campaign.

In Defiance of King Oscar.

CHRISTIANIA, May 12.—As a sign of  
defiance to King Oscar asked to those who  
are advising him to force the Norwegians  
by force of arms, the radicals in the  
Norwegian Parliament have introduced a  
bill in that body providing that the emblem  
of the union of Sweden and Norway shall  
be eliminated from the Norwegian flag.

Home Rulers Hold the Fort.

LONDON, May 12.—The House of Com-  
mons, sitting as a committee of the whole  
on the Home Rule Bill to-day, resumed the  
debate on the motion made yesterday by  
Mr. George Balfour (Conservative) to  
strike out the first clause of the measure,  
practically rejecting the whole bill. The  
debate was marked by several scenes of  
excitement.

Mr. F. W. Russell, who represents the  
south division of Trevel, though a Liberal,  
is opposed to home rule, and was protesting  
against Ulster being coerced into acquies-  
cing in the establishment of an Irish Par-  
liament, when a voice was heard asking,  
"What the devil are you talking about?"

Mr. Russell accused Mr. John MacNeill  
(anti-Parliamentary Unionist) with asking  
the objectionable question.

Mr. MacNeill indignantly denied having  
asked the question and insisted that Mr.  
Russell apologized for forcing him of doing  
so.

Viscount Cranborne (Con.), declared  
that he had heard Mr. MacNeill utter the  
words attributed to him by Mr. Russell.

Mr. Wm. McArthur (Con.), said that it  
was Mr. Thomas Sturges, the well-known  
anti-Parliamentary, who asked the question.

Mr. Sturges denied this statement and  
admitted that he had uttered a word.

A general question seemed imminent,  
and Sir William Vernon Mount appealed  
to the House to restore order. The chair-  
man then intervened, saying that order  
must be observed, such remarks as the  
one that some member had just made were  
most indecent and becoming frequent in  
the House. He sincerely hoped that every  
member would assist the chair in keeping  
order under the difficult circumstances  
attending the session of the committee.

The chairman's remarks were greeted  
with cheers, and the committee good-  
naturedly proceeded to take a vote on  
Mr. Balfour's motion which was defeated,  
269 members voting against it and 267  
voting in its favor.

In Session 54 Hours.

MADRID, May 12.—The Cortes has  
finished the 54th hour of continuous sit-  
ting. Members and Ministers are ex-  
hausted. Many sleep half the time, and  
are aroused by their colleagues only when  
a vote on the matter of municipal elec-  
tions is taken. Republicans and Carlists  
display apparently unbroken stubbornness.

A Ministerial crisis is imminent.  
The counter-motion of the Republicans  
in the Cortes against leaving the Govern-  
ment a free hand in the matter of the  
municipal elections, was rejected shortly  
after a vote of 126 to 21. The  
Republican deputies retired for a few  
minutes to the lobby to confer, leaving but  
two men to watch the Government.

Almost immediately after their departure  
the men on watch summoned them back in  
all haste. It was too late, however. The  
original bill postponing the election had  
already been rushed through by the Min-  
isters. The Republican members at once  
withdrew from the building. The news  
spread like magic, and before the deputies  
reached the Republican Club thousands  
were marching behind them shouting:  
"Long live the Republic!" Some 10,000  
men and women assembled near the  
Parliamentary building and were cheering  
for the republic. The police ordered them  
to disperse. They refused to do so.

The police charged and were re-  
pulsed. Three companies of reinforcements  
were summoned. All charged with  
drawn sabers, and the mob and scatted  
the groups through the streets. The  
Republican Club is surrounded by thou-  
sands of cheering men and women. The  
Government is taking steps to prevent the  
publication of Republican manifestoes.

Bering Sea.

PARIS, May 12.—The incident yesterday  
which seemed to threaten the success of  
the arbitration was based upon a differ-  
ence of opinion between the American  
and British representatives as to the  
liability of the United States for seizures  
made in Bering Sea in the event of a  
decision against the United States on the  
question of jurisdiction. The result of the  
debate is considered an indication that  
Great Britain anticipates a favorable de-  
cision in the issue of jurisdiction.

Sir Charles Russell contended to-day  
that the American statutes were not in-  
tended originally to treat the Bering Sea  
as a mere clemency, but the American  
courts so interpreted them that the in-  
stance of the American Government. In proof  
of this he cited the copy of a brief for the  
United States in which the doctrine of a  
mere clemency was the only one relied on  
by their counsel.

Mr. Phelps.—We dispute the authenticity  
of that copy.

Sir Charles Russell.—I am prepared forth-  
with to submit proof of its authenticity.

# London Advertiser

SATURDAY EVENING, MAY 13, 1893.

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Per Copy.

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Will Cure Coughs.  
Will Cure Colds.  
Will Cure Croup.  
Will Cure Asthma.  
Will Cure Bronchitis.  
Will Cure All Affections of  
the Throat and Lungs.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS  
PRICE 25 CENTS.

RUNNING AGAIN.

The L. and P. S. R. Lessees Using  
M. C. R. Trains.

Port Stanley People Again Hear the  
Shriek of the Locomotive Whistle  
—A Special Meeting of the  
Council Called.

Last night the announcement was made  
that the L. and P. S. R. trains would con-  
tinue running to-day, using the M. C. R.  
terminal facilities. This was no doubt the re-  
sult of a conference between President Le-  
yard, of the M. C. R., and Mr. C. H. Ivey  
in Detroit yesterday, so that commencing  
to-day the L. and P. S. R. lessees are using  
the regular M. C. R. trains leaving and ar-  
riving in the city.

The M. C. R. ran a train from St.  
Thomas to Port Stanley and back this  
morning in time to connect with the regular  
noon train to London. Conductor Fraser,  
of the L. and P. S. R., acted as pilot, and con-  
siderable freight and yard work were  
hustled through in a short time. Trains will  
continue to run on the M. C. R. time table  
until a change is made. L. and P. S. R.  
tickets of all classes accepted. The perma-  
nent time table under the new ar-  
rangements has not yet been prepared.  
Manager Lamour, of the L. and P. S. R.,  
is in Detroit to-day, probably on business  
in connection with it.

Mayor Esary states to-day that the  
matter would, in all probability, be dealt  
with at Monday night's meeting of the  
council. He was not certain whether or not  
the opinion of the city solicitor would then  
be made known. The time had about  
arrived, he said, when it would be made  
known just who were running the  
road. It was discreditable to the  
city the way matters were run, and it  
was worse than discreditable to those  
who were withholding the information.  
The mayor was also warm in his disap-  
proval of "foreigners" who came over here,  
and by piling up figures and statements  
sought to cast discredit both on the road  
and on the city.

An ADVERTISER reporter this morning  
inspected an amended copy of the  
London and Port Stanley Railway Act as  
passed by the House of Commons.  
The only clause in it which, under present  
circumstances, seems to apply to the  
fortification of the road, is that in which  
the lessees bind themselves to run two  
trains each way daily (except Sundays)  
Whether the temporary cessation of the  
past few days constitutes a forfeiture or  
not is a question that may be argued on by  
lawyers. The general forfeiture clause  
deals with the rent, slip-dock and paid up  
stock. If the rent becomes 30 days over-  
due, if the slip-dock is not built by Dec. 31,  
1893, or if \$100,000 capital stock is not  
paid up within six months after possession,  
then the city of London again becomes  
proprietor of the road—and \$25,000. It  
remains to be seen whether these con-  
ditions are complied with in the course of  
time.

A BIG SALE.

Valuable Real Estate on Carling's  
Heights Offered Under the  
Hammer.

An important sale of real estate is ad-  
vertised in another column of this issue. The  
Hon. John Carling has concluded to sell the  
unsold portion of his valuable property,  
known as Carling's Heights. It is to be  
offered in building lots and sold at  
public auction. This must prove one of  
the most important sales of real estate  
ever held in the city of London, as it is the  
most desirable property now remaining in  
the city unsold. It will certainly command  
the attention of the citizens who are look-  
ing to establish a home or who may pur-  
chase for speculative purposes. One of the  
reasons of its great value for residential  
purpose is its favorable situation, being  
the highest point near London, and this  
will make it a most healthy location to  
reside in. The street railway company  
will ere long adopt the electric motive  
power, and any of these lots offered for sale  
will thus be reached in a few minutes  
from any part of the city. To make the  
location a still more desirable place of  
residence no doubt the C. P. R. will erect  
at an early day a station on Adelaide  
street, thus giving increased accommoda-  
tion to residents. The easy payment must  
commend these lands to the favorable con-  
sideration of the citizens. The sale takes  
place on Thursday, June 15, at 1 o'clock  
p.m., at Carling's Heights. Any infor-  
mation regarding terms of sale see the ad-  
vertisement, or call on Mr. A. B. Powell,  
who has this large and important sale of  
lots under his direction, where all infor-  
mation can be obtained.

Hurry Up and Get One

WE ARE STILL

GIVING AWAY

the best and most useful patent washing  
machine we have ever seen to

Every Purchaser

Of \$2 worth of C. W. C. etc. This  
is really giving

\$5 Worth Good Value for \$2

We have just a few left.

Bart. Cottam

404 Talbot Street, London.



PROFESSOR ABBY LEACH,  
Who Has Charge of the Greek Play at  
Vassar.

Miss Abby Leach, professor of Greek at  
Vassar College, has in charge all of the  
preparations for the performance of the  
Greek play "Antigone" of Sophocles, which  
the Vassar girls will give in the Pough-  
keepsie Opera House on May 26. Miss A.  
W. Story, who trained the New Haven  
ladies when they presented this same play,  
from a translation, has given freely of her  
long experience in dramatic art. The  
players are selected from all classes in the  
college, according to their proficiency in  
Greek, and their general fitness for their  
respective places.

If the correctness of the copy was really  
questioned, why was not the original pro-  
duced long since?

In conclusion Sir Charles demanded that  
the tribunal pronounce illegal the seizures  
made by the United States in Bering Sea.

Senator Morgan.—If the seizures can be  
justified on other principles than those ad-  
vanced at the hearing of a case is it not  
open to the United States to raise them?

Sir Charles Russell.—No. The United  
States seized ships on certain grounds. The  
judge punished the men in accordance  
therewith. A great nation cannot shift  
and change her position. Moreover, the  
reasons now advanced even if admitted do  
not justify the fining and imprisoning of  
sailors.

SHE WAS DROWNED!

The Body of the Missing Parkhill Girl  
Found in the River.

PARKHILL, Ont., May 12.—The remains  
of the missing girl, Miss Kate Beatty, were  
found floating on the river to-day a  
hundred yards from the railroad bridge,  
where it is supposed she drowned herself.

Miss Beatty was not unhappy in any re-  
lation of life, but always expressed con-  
tinentment. Some months ago she had  
typhoid fever, and it is thought that the  
effects of the disease unsettled her mind.

ANDERSON VENEY'S CASE.

A Report That the Murder Will Be  
Retrieved.

WINDSOR, May 12.—The Detroit News  
says: Anderson Veney will not be  
hanged next Thursday. Although no  
official notification has yet been received  
by Sheriff Hill to this effect, the News has  
inside information that a reprieve will be  
granted, and that the condemned man  
will not suffer for his crime on the gallows.

Delos R. Davis, Canada's only colored  
lawyer, who has done so much for the  
colored in town to-day. He had received  
private information of a very reassuring  
character. Acting Minister of Justice  
Olmsted telegraphed Jail Surgeon Casper  
for a statement of Veney's condition, which  
the latter forwarded to Ottawa. The  
official announcement as to a reprieve will  
surely come. Dr. Sampson, who has made  
a careful study of Veney, says he looks and  
acts like an imbecile, and that his execu-  
tion would be an act of butchery.

TERSELY TOLD.

Smallpox is epidemic in Gothenburg,  
Sweden.

The wheelmen's day at Chicago is set for  
Wednesday, May 13. It is expected that  
nearly 20,000 wheelmen will participate.

The Gould family will erect a memorial  
Presbyterian church for the late J. Gould  
at Roxbury, N. Y. Mr. Gould's birth-  
place.

The New York Central engine, No. 909,  
again broke the world's record Friday  
between Rochester and Buffalo by making  
the run in 32 seconds.

Minister Guzman, of Nicaragua, at  
Washington, D.C., has news contradicting  
that received by Secretary Gresham. He  
said the rebels had not been victorious.

Two men held up the northbound  
Mobile and Ohio passenger train Thursday  
night about 24 miles south of Cairo, Ill.  
The men were finally frightened off and  
obtained nothing of value.

Firebugs have been at work in Schenectady,  
N. Y., recently. Some half a dozen fires  
have been started in as many days in dif-  
ferent places, but each one fortunately has  
been discovered in time to prevent serious  
loss.

While Deputy Sheriff Wm. Rader, of  
Meigs county, Mont., was trying to ar-  
rest Wm. Gay near Castle on Thursday,  
Harry Gress, with whom Gay was stopping,  
shot Rader through the heart.

Francis H. Weeks, ex-president, ex-  
ecutary and ex-treasurer of the Land and  
River Company, of West Superior, Wis.,  
and ex-treasurer of the West Superior Iron  
and Steel Company, is missing. His resi-  
dence is in Canada.

Deluge in Arkansas.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 11.—The levee on  
the Arkansas side of the Mississippi River,  
near Lake Port, broke this morning. The  
break is 70 feet wide, and a large portion  
of Arkansas is under water. The indica-  
tions are that Arkansas City will be seen  
under water.

When you feel all tired out and broken  
up generally you need a good tonic. Hood's  
Sarsaparilla is the best. 22c.

"I will now write something in a light  
and airy vein," said the clerk who makes  
out gas bills.

Many cases of indigestion and biliousness  
are being permanently cured by the use of  
Eagle's Liver Laxative. 25 cents a box.

It is pleasing to note in the papers that  
last year's strike in the paper will be stuck  
to it.



JAMES S. CLARKSON.  
Chairman of the National Republican  
League.

The National Republican League of the  
United States met in Louisville May 9 to  
12. Mr. Clarkson was president. At the  
Minneapolis Convention last year Mr.  
Clarkson occupied a commanding position  
in the practical affairs of the Republican  
party. It was in 1869 that he first attracted  
public attention, at which time he was  
made chairman of the State Republican  
committee of Iowa, his native State. He  
held this office three years. In 1872 he was  
made postmaster at Des Moines, and oc-  
cupied this position until 1877. He has  
been a member of two Republican national  
committees, and in 1884 was a member of  
the executive committee. In 1888 he was  
a delegate to the Chicago convention. In  
1889 he accepted the office of First As-  
sistant Postmaster-General under Mr. Wan-  
maker.

MANY FAILURES.

Seven London Brokers Upset by  
Settlement.

The Chicago Columbian Bank Collapse  
Involves a Number of Other  
Financial Institutions.

LONDON, May 12.—The completion of  
the account absorbs the attention of job-  
bers and brokers at the Stock Exchange.  
Thus far in the course of the settlement  
seven London brokers have failed. A better  
feeling prevails in the market for American  
railroad securities.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, May 12.—The Com-  
mercial Bank of this place has closed its  
doors. It was controlled by the Chicago  
Columbian Bank.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, May 12.—The private  
bank of D. Wiggins, Starbuck & Co., at  
Williamsburg, Ohio, has failed. The  
same firm's bank at Geneva, Ohio, has also  
closed its doors.

KOKOMO, Ind., May 12.—The Commercial  
State Bank of Russiaville, and the Far-  
mer's Bank at Greentown, both under one  
management, closed their doors this morn-  
ing with deposits of \$30,000. They were  
caught in the Columbia Bank failure of  
Chicago.

TOLEDO, Ohio, May 12.—The Ottawa  
County Bank at Elmore, a branch of the  
Chicago Columbia, has closed its doors.

NEW YORK, May 12.—R. G. Dun &  
Company's weekly review of trade says:  
The smash in the industrial stocks a week  
ago, the failure of some firms, and of the  
National Cordage Company, and the  
largest decline in stocks known in any  
week since 1873, have been followed by  
surprisingly little disturbance. Business  
has shown remarkable soundness and  
strength under such a strain, although dis-  
quieting rumors are naturally current fre-  
quently. Interior money markets are  
growing tighter and more cautious, but no  
such stringency is yet seen as to check gen-  
eral trade, which appears to have some-  
what improved with more reasonable  
weather.

The failures during the past week for the  
United States, numbered 257.

LAWTON, Mich., May 12.—The village is  
greatly excited over the failure of the local  
bank to open this morning.

CHARLEVILLE, Mich., May 12.—W. B.  
Brown & Co., proprietors of the Bank of  
Charlevoix, made an assignment last night.

CONVOY, Ohio, May 12.—The Farmers'  
Bank of Convoys, with deposits of \$30,000,  
failed in its relations with the Columbia  
National Bank of Chicago.

BROKE THE RECORD!

The New Ocean Giant Campaign Makes  
The Fastest Eastward Trip.

QUEENSTOWN, May 12.—The Campaign  
passed the Parls of the American line,  
when 109 miles east of Sandy Hook. The  
Campaign had passed the Sandy Hook  
lightship at 11:13 a.m. on Saturday, May 6,  
and the Parls had passed the lightship at  
10:58 a.m. The Parls made the best time  
ever recorded was that of the American  
line New York to Queenstown for about  
19 hours and 57 minutes, as against the  
Campaign's 3 days, 17 hours and 42 minutes.  
The Cunard Company made arrangements  
to land passengers of the Campaign on ar-  
rival of the steamer to-night. This is pre-  
cedented in the history of the trans-  
Atlantic travel. The office of the company  
is thronged with an excited crowd of peo-  
ple betting whether passengers by the Cam-  
paign will be landed in Liverpool before or  
after passengers on the Parls will be landed  
in Southampton.

LIVERPOOL, May 12.—The Campaign  
landed her passengers here at 10 o'clock,  
and thus beat all previous records. She  
steamed from Queenstown to Liverpool in  
10 hours and 3 minutes, or at the rate of  
22.48 knots an hour.

Many citizens of London are receiving  
permanent benefit from the use of Eagle's  
Liver Laxative, who have been using pills  
and other purgatives for years to no pur-  
pose. 25 cents a box at all drug stores.



WM. SKINNER.

The above is the likeness of a good  
citizen of long standing and recog-  
nized worth—Mr. Wm. Skinner. Mr.  
Skinner was born in Crediton, Devon-  
shire, England, Oct. 21, 1828. His father,  
William Skinner, was born in England,  
and the mother, whose maiden name was  
Sarah Woodley, was also a native of Eng-  
land. By their marriage there are two sons  
living. William, the eldest, and the sub-  
ject of this sketch, was reared at his  
birthplace, and learned the trade of  
shoemaking in his youth. This he  
made his principal occupation during  
life, and is a good example of the old  
proverb, "Shoemaker, stick to your last."  
In 1849 Mr. Skinner immigrated to Canada,  
and arrived in London on May 24 of that  
year, entering business on his own account,  
which he has conducted with satisfactory  
results. He erected his present building 32  
years ago, and has occupied it continuously  
since. He was married in 1849 to Miss Emma  
Saunders, of Crediton, Devonshire, England,  
a lady of refined tastes and domestic habits,  
whose life has been devoted in making  
home happy and attractive. To them have  
been born seven children, five of whom are  
living. Bessie (now Mrs. Noble), Olive  
(now Mrs. Miner, of Buffalo, N.Y.), Ernest  
E., Wilhelmia and William H.  
Two are deceased (Louis, who died in  
1877, at the age of 19), and Lillia (who was  
one of the victims of the Victoria disaster,  
aged 17). In 1876 Mr. Skinner was se-  
lected a suitable person to represent his  
ward in the City Council, and with the  
exception of an interval of a little over one  
year he held this position continuously un-  
til he retired in 1891, never suffering defeat.  
He has also served on the Board of Edu-  
cation with like ability and diligence. Mr.  
Skinner is a member of the L. O. F., and  
one of the two original Oddfellows of  
London in good standing. He is also  
past master of St. George's Lodge, No.  
42, A. A. F. and A. M., and for the  
past fourteen years he has been treas-  
urer of the same, and has been the recipient  
of a beautiful jewel in honor of his efficient  
service in this position. An enthusiastic  
Englishman, he has always been actively  
identified in the work of St. George's  
Society which has recognized his services  
by electing him president.

TRAGEDY IN DETROIT.

A Burglar Shot Dead in Attempting to  
Enter by a Window.

DETROIT, May 12.—About 12 o'clock last  
night Marion Wiczenwski, of 980 St. Aubin  
avenue, corner of Hancock avenue, was  
upstairs preparing to retire for the night,  
when he heard a noise as if someone was  
trying to break into the house, and saw  
three or four men in the back yard.

Wiczenwski went down stairs, but the  
men had gone. He discovered that the  
window of a clothes closet off the dining-  
room had been forced open. Wiczenwski  
then told his wife to put out the light and  
go upstairs, while he armed himself with a  
revolver and waited for the return of the  
burglars.

After a watch of about twenty minutes  
he heard footsteps on the outside and then  
saw a head slowly appear over the window  
sill. Wiczenwski fired two shots in quick  
succession. There was a sound of a body  
falling and the hurried steps of some men  
making off. He then ran out into the  
yard and found a man lying dead just out-  
side the window.

The dead man was recognized as Tony  
Renka. He had no shoes on, and the  
lower portion of his face was hidden by a  
handkerchief tied over his mouth. A bullet  
had struck him in the middle of the fore-  
head, and death must have been instan-  
taneous. Renka was well known to the  
police as a burglar, and a desperate  
character, though only 20 years old.  
Wiczenwski gave himself up to the author-  
ities.

Since the introduction of type-setting  
machines, with seats for the operators, the  
printer's trade has lost a great deal of its  
standing.

If you are free from indigestion you need  
not fear cholera. If you are not free, you  
are in danger. K. D. C. will free you from  
indigestion and cholera.

So many newly married people who the  
papers say are to be evicted don't look so.

Itch on humans or animals cured in 30  
minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion.  
Sold by John Callard and all druggists.

The country minister has no respect for  
priest-riggers, but he sighs when he reads  
of the sums they realize from their proud  
parities.

Among the pains and aches cured with  
marvelous rapidity with Dr. Thomas' Elec-  
tric Oil is cramps in the young are espe-  
cially subject to it, and the desirability of  
this Oil as a family remedy is enhanced by  
the fact that it is admirably adapted not  
only to the above ailment, but also to the  
hurts, disorders of the bowels, and affec-  
tions of the throat, to which the young are  
especially subject.

The man who is canvassing for a new dic-  
tionary wants a word with you.

Physicians in cholera districts state that  
where there is no indigestion there will be  
no cholera. K. D. C. will cure your indig-  
estion and make you cholera-proof.

The late William B. Astor's personal es-  
tate in Great Britain has been returned with  
an official valuation of \$1,320,000.

Women cause feverishness, moaning and  
restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves'  
Worm Expeller is pleasant, sure and  
effective. If your druggist has none in  
stock, get him to procure it for you.

Get rid of your indigestion before the  
threatened outbreak of cholera. K. D. C.  
will cure the worst form of indigestion. It  
will prevent cholera.



IGNACE PADEREWSKI.

Paderewski is 34 years of age, and has  
played since he was a boy. He was born in  
Podolia, a Russian-Poland province. His  
education began when he was 7, and at the  
age of 18 he was made professor of music in  
the Warsaw Conservatory. After holding  
several positions of this kind, he studied for  
three years under Leschetizky, his country-  
man. Then he made his artistic debut in  
Vienna, and covered himself with glory.  
Since then he has gone steadily forward  
in the field of success. Every country he  
received him with open arms. Paderewski  
married before he was 20 a girl who died  
early and left him a son, to whom he is de-  
votedly attached. No man is more free  
from the taint of affectation than he; no  
man more sympathetic and generous than  
this Russo-Polander who has stirred the  
musical world to its profound depths. He  
has been called a study in old gold, for  
his luxuriant hair is tinged with that hue.  
His face a full of intelligence and delicate  
sensibility. He wears his honors meekly,  
although placed on the same plane with  
Liszt and Rubinstein. He carries \$180,000  
away as the result of his last tour in the  
States.

CUTTING DOWN EXPENSES.

The Board of Education Knock Off  
\$4,100—The City Council Consented.

When J. S. Dewar, chairman, called the  
meeting of the Board of Education to  
order, he explained that the conclave had  
been convened to consider what could be  
done to reduce the estimates to meet the  
views of the City Council.

Mr. Dewar then read a letter from Hon.  
G. W. Ross, Minister of Education, who  
stated, in reply to a question put by him to  
that gentleman, that the fiscal year of the  
public and high schools was analogous to  
the fiscal year of the city.

Mr. Jeffrey reported that the estimates  
of the board for the balance of the year,  
after consultation with No. 1 and 2 com-  
mittees, had been placed by the audit  
committee as follows: Collegiate Institute,  
\$15,857.07, showing a reduction of \$3,000;  
public schools, \$49,925.91, being a diminu-  
tion of \$11,100. He moved, seconded by  
Mr. McKelvey, that the report be  
adopted.