

Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED
LEWIS—In this city, on Tuesday, June 6, 1899, at 701 Queen's Avenue, William Lewis, aged 61 years.
Funeral on Thursday morning, at 10 o'clock sharp, for G. T. R. train, 10-25 to Hamilton. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation. 64u
LUARD—At Wollaston, Mass., on the 6th June, Alfred Luard, formerly of this city.
Funeral Thursday at 11:30 a.m., from the Michigan Central station. 64u

Amusements and Lectures

Baseball Championship
Toumsh Park, June 5 and 6.
London vs. Hamilton.
Games called at 4 o'clock. Guelph, June 7, 8. 62c

EVENING OF SONG—INIZ ETHELYN
Smith, Minnie W., Raymond, Helen E. Fitzgerald, F. Edythe Hyman, Wesley Hall, Tuesday evening, June 6. Single tickets 15 cents; double 25c. 61k
\$1.75—NIAGARA FALLS—JUNE 9
—East Middlesex Farmers' Excursion, via Grand Trunk, London and stations in East Middlesex two days. 61k
50 CENTS—SARNIA—TO DETROIT
and return, good to return for two days. Inquire for date of excursion via boat. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser. ywt

ALLAN LINE SPECIAL EXCURSION
to the old country on the Royal Mail Steamships. "Nimidian," sailing June 10. "Callifortian," June 17. "Tainia," June 24. Return via "Parisian," sailing from Liverpool, July 20, and new steamship "Bavarian," July 27. All information from F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser. ywt
\$10 RETURN FARE, INCLUDING
meals and berth, via the Persia and Ocean, from Toronto to Montreal during June, good to return till June 20. Take the beautiful St. Lawrence River route to Montreal, passing the Thousand Islands and rapids in daylight. F. B. Clarke, agent, Richmond street, next Advertiser. ywt
YES! YOU CAN LEARN BICYCLE RING
or fencing at the Palace Dancing Academy; competent instructors; primary lessons on violin and cornet; orchestra, pianos, etc. Dayton & McCormick, 422 Richmond street. 61k

Meetings

STAR LODGE, No. 367, A. O. U. W.
meets this evening, 6th, at 7 o'clock. Block. D. Tripp, Sec'y. Thomas Woolley, Recorder. 61k

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT
—Apply 745 Waterloo street. 61c
WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT
—Apply 222 Central avenue. 63c
WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—APPLY
352 William street. 63c
WANTED—COOK—REFERENCES REQUIRED.
Mrs. Coffey, 662 Wellington street. 61k

Male Help Wanted.

WANTED—BOY TO DRIVE GROCERY
wagon. Apply 474 Dundas street. 63u
WANTED—TWO SMART, ACTIVE BOYS
to work in Woodland Cemetery. Apply personally, to superintendent on the ground. 63u
BOY WANTED—16 OR 17 TO WORK
around building. Apply 133 Langarth street. 62c
WANTED—FOUR OR FIVE GOOD ACTIVE
boys, aged about 16 years, to work in bottling department. Apply to Carling B. and M. Company. 60ft

Female Help Wanted

WANTED—APPRENTICES AND EXPERIENCED
hands for dressmaking. J. C. Halliday, 115 Dundas street. 64c ywt
WANTED—AN INTELLIGENT GIRL
for the order department, Cash Bargain Grocery, 132 King. 64c

Situations Wanted

MARRIED COUPLE WANT SITUATION
as caretakers or place in gentleman's house; wife good English cook; man experienced in club or house; good references. Apply 12 Napier street, West London. 63c

Lost and Found.

LOST—\$5 GOLD PIECE—GIVEN OUT
by mistake. Reward if returned to 474 Dundas street. 63u
FOUND—PAIR GOLD EYE GLASSES
Apply Advertiser office. 62c

Real Estate.

FOR SALE—BRICK COTTAGE, 45 ELM
WOOD avenue, 1/2-acre lot, well stocked with garden fruit. Apply on premises. 61a
IN ORDER TO CLOSE AN ESTATE
—For sale cheap, 2-story, 4-room, good locality, 431 Pall Mall street, near Colborne street. 63a
FOR SALE OR RENT—NICE MODERN
residence; 6 rooms, central location. Apply A. N. Udy, over C. P. R. ticket office. 61k
FOR SALE—BRICK VENEER COTTAGE
—East of city limits, situated on Homer street, near Hamilton road. Apply Lewis Clark, 328 Hector street, or this office. ywt
FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—TWO
houses, producing \$13 a month rent, for \$1,200 cash or brick cottage in suitable locality. For particulars apply to J. W. G. Winnett, barrister, etc., 422 Talbot street. 61k
FOR SALE OR RENT—A 2-STORY
brick house, 12 rooms and cellars, large barn, half acre of orchard and small farms South London, just outside city limits. Inquire T. Tambling, 260 Hildout street. 26ft ywt
\$100 A YEAR WILL PURCHASE A
fifty-acre farm in the township of Dawn, county of Lambton, or will exchange same for city property. Tennant, McDonald & Coleridge, London. 26ft
IN ORDER TO CLOSE AN ESTATE
the following properties are now offered for sale, viz.: Brick dwelling, No. 237 Queen's avenue; 3 frame houses, Nos. 231 and 233 Queen's avenue; brick dwelling, No. 422 Park avenue; brick cottage, No. 330 Huron street; 2 frame houses, Nos. 197 and 199 Mill street, and frame house, No. 1072 Dundas street, together with lands hereto adjoining. Also a number of good building lots on Charlotte and Dundas streets. For particulars inquire at Abbott's Carriage Factory. 26ft

Business Chances.

FOR SALE—GOOD INVESTMENT IS
offered for one or two live men by the proprietors of Tally-Ho Livery and Boarding Stables. Doing large business. Reasons given for selling. 283 Dundas street, London. 61a
AN AI GROCERY CORNER WITH
small, well-selected new stock for sale; reasons for selling. Apply box 8, Advertiser. 64i
HOTEL FOR SALE—BEST VILLAGE
stand in the county of Middlesex—Large brick hotel, stabling for 30 horses, large garden and orchard, plenty of small fruit, additional six acres of land if desired; license transferred. Good reasons for selling; terms reasonable. For particulars address Box 3, Advertiser. 60ft 45ft
INVEST \$300—SECURING EXCELLENT
weekly income, conservative prospect. Second successful year. Investigation invited. H. Griffin, 1180 Broadway, New York.

Pocock's Shoes

Are a Treat To the Feet....

Ladies and gentlemen will be interested in seeing the styles for summer. The touch-stone of success is to know exactly what you want, and make prices that surpass the market for cheapness. Gentlemen, are you ready? Our assortment of men's medium-priced footwear surpasses anything heretofore, comprising all the newest styles in Canadian and American makes.

Pocock Bros.

140 Dundas Street.

Articles For Sale.

USE IN ANY COOK STOVE—
GAS COKE—Grand, Quick, Cheap Fuel
\$4 and \$4 25 a ton.
City Gas Company, 401 Clarence street.
RAYMOND NO. 3 SEWING MACHINE
—Slightly used. Apply 434 Pall Mall street. 63u
FOR SALE—PHANTOM BUGGY—GOOD
as new; cheap. Apply 264 Clarence street. 63u
FOR SALE—GOOD WOOD COOK STOVE
—Bargain for cash purchaser. Apply 143 John street, city. 62c
SEED CORN REDUCED IN PRICE
—An excellent growing quality. A. McInnes, 263 Talbot street.
FOR SALE—BANTAM HEN AND FOUR
young ones. Apply after 6 p.m. at 70 Elmwood avenue. 62c
DIAMONDS REMOUNTED AND OLD
jewelry made up-to-date at small expense J. T. Westland, 340 Richmond street, upstairs.
BYCICLES EXCHANGED ON WELLAND
Valley and White (Cleveland) wheels. Sold for what they will bring. Stringers, 141 King street, 3 Masonic Temple.
PIGS FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE
—"Homes" a specialty. Apply for particulars, Box 198, this office. 45ft
FOR SALE—ONE SQUARE PIANO ON
easy terms, quantity second-hand stoves and ranges, bedroom sets, sideboards, extension tables, Pariah's store, 357 Talbot street, south market.
BUY YOUR GROCERIES FROM
T. H. JAMES,
Wentworth road, South London, and save money. Trading stamps given on all purchases. Do minion Laundry agency. ywt
SPECIAL SALE—FOR THIS WEEK—OF
S. Fearman's Shoulder at 8c, Ham at 14c, and English Sugar Cured Breakfast Bacon, 12c lb. No nicer meat ever was cured, and never sold before at these prices. We are still selling our purest at 7c lb by the pack, or 3 lbs for 25c. Pure pork Sausages, 8c lb, 4 lbs for 25c. F. B. Clarke's Provision store, 3 Market Lane. ywt
500 CORDS OF DRY WOOD UNLOADED
at Bowman & Co.'s yard, via G. T. R. Name price charged for same as for new wood. Guaranteed first-class wood. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser, sells for Bowman Co. Quick attention. ywt
ENGINE, POLISH, SHAPING, BELTS,
and wood turning lathe, pulley and fittings, etc. and cross cut saws, with tables, etc., would exchange for wood. Apply W. G. Eader, or Alex. Bogg, London Postoffice. 12ft
FOR SALE—SUMMER WOOD—AT THE
sawmill, East Bathurst street, Call, or phone 1312, and try a load. D. H. Gillies & Co.
BYCICLES, TIRES, CEMENT, GRAPH-IT
etc. etc. First-class bicycle repairing and lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond street. 12ft
300 YARDS RAG CARPET AT 20c AND
35c a yard. Keene Bros., Cash Bargain Furniture Store, 127 King street. 61k
KENNES, MASONIC TEMPLE, IS THE
cheapest place to buy stoves or furniture. Large stock on hand.
ONE HEINTZMAN & CO. PIANO, UP-
RIGHT, 7 1/2 octaves, slightly used, at a bargain. Heintzman Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence. 12ft
MERRY BELLS—WE MAKE BELLS
and Brass Work. Our Babbit metals are equal to any, and cannot be beat. John Law, 124 Clarence street, London. 12ft

Houses, Etc., To Let.

120 ACRES CHOICE PASTURE LAND,
for horses and cattle; abundance of spring water. Apply W. T. Westby, 109 Dunas street. 45ft ywt
TO LET—BRICK HOUSE, 27 PETER
street, 3 rooms. M. H. Rowland, 468 Queen's avenue. 26ft 6d
TO LET—COTTAGE—655 YORK STREET;
rent \$5. Apply on premises. 62c
TO LET—STORE, 189 DUNDAS STREET,
now occupied by W. Mann & Co. Possession Aug. 1. Apply R. Short, 673 York street. 60n
TO LET—COMFORTABLE HOUSE—NINE
rooms, furnace and all modern conveniences, central location. Apply J. R. Shuttleworth, 288 Clarence street. 13ft
FOREST CITY MOVING VAN—LARGEST
in the city. 30 years' experience. 393 Talbot street. Joseph Brown & Co., auctioneer and proprietors. 12ft
TO LET—JOHN BIGGS, THE FURNITURE
mover, 22 years with London Furniture Co., will do you a good job. Call phone 310. 63u

Wanted.

WANTED—LIGHT SET DOUBLE HAR-
NESS, silver mounted. Address J. H. M., this office. 61n
WANTED—AT ONCE—A FURNISHED
house, for the summer. Apply Box 7, Advertiser. 63u
HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLE
MEN'S cast-off clothing. A. P. Sainsbury, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to. 63u

Insurance.

LANCASHIRE
INSURANCE COMPANY OF ENGLAND
Capital and Assets Exceed \$20,000,000.
J. A. NELLES,
Board of Trade Rooms, 422 Richmond Street, London. ywt

THE LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE
Canada Branch, Montreal.
Assets over \$50,000,000
Fire Losses Paid Since 1833 \$174,350,852
EDWARD TOWE & CO
Office—OVER Can. Bank of Commerce, London. Funds to loan, 5 per cent. Phone Nos 60 and 1107. 63u

Veterinary Surgeon.
J. H. TENNANT—VETERINARY SURGEON—Office, King street, opposite Marquet House. Residence, corner King and Wellington. Telephone. 63u

Why Not Arbitration?

Sir Arthur Helps, in one of his books, speaking of war, says the combatants fight and fill their respective countries with widows and orphans, not to mention men with wooden legs. Then, after the two sides are pretty well exhausted, several bald-headed, elderly gentlemen, called statesmen, get together around a green baize table, and make the terms of settlement. What puzzled Sir Arthur Helps was why the elderly gentlemen could not have been got about the green-baize table before—instead of after—all the loss, and trouble, and disturbance. There is a moral here for the contending parties in the London Street Railway dispute. Why not arbitration first, rather than last?

The Question of Union.

One of the commonest arguments against recognition of employees in their collective capacity is the real or alleged fear that organized labor would not be amenable to proper discipline, and would not consider the employers' interests, or the conditions of the times. To this it may be replied that the great railway corporations in Great Britain and the United States have reaped immense advantages through the steady power of the men's organizations over the individual members, who might otherwise be disposed to be too rash and impulsive. Take Mr. Arthur, for long head of the Brotherhood of the Locomotive Engineers. Everybody knows that his moderation, good sense and sage counsels have averted many a strike that would have been precipitated had there been no organization of locomotive engineers. In other words, intelligent collective labor recognizes that it has responsibilities and duties as well as rights.

The Toronto Globe, speaking of the G. T. R. trackmen, says: "They have acted in an orderly way on every occasion, and have shown themselves fully alive to the responsibilities as well as the advantages of unionism. The recognition of such unions as theirs is only a question of time, and once it is established the company will be averse to going back to the old method of irresponsibility. Unions in Canada are passing from the raw, reckless and irresponsible stage which marks many new organizations, and becoming, as in Britain, conservative bodies, recognizing at once their duties and limitations. They are the financial agencies, the business office of the men, and as such are found ultimately advantageous to employers as well as to their own members."

Tonight's Meeting.

Tonight's procession and mass meeting will no doubt be largely attended. Like all the other processions and meetings, it will, beyond question, be enthusiastic, yet at the same time orderly. Organized labor in London has made a great impression on public opinion by its orderliness and self-restraint, and that impression it will endeavor to retain to the end.

Livery Stables.

LILLEY'S LIVERY—NO. 619 DUNDAS
street, East London, Ont. Telephone 668.
THOMAS THEBECLOO—STAR LIVERY
—633 Richmond street. Best hacks, coupes, etc. Light livery a specialty. Careful attention to orders. Phone 423. Open night and day. 63u

Miscellaneous.

ELIZABETH HENRIETTA KEYES, B.E.
—graduate of the National School of Elocution and Oratory, Philadelphia, is prepared to receive pupils in elocution and physical culture. Studio 359 Dundas street. 63n
THE LONDON CARPET-CLEANING
Works—Carpets cleaned and relaid, and every carpet disinfected. Jas. S. Shaw, Phone 1368. 63u

TENDERS.

TENDERS FOR BUILDING TWO EN-
GINE and generator foundations at Victoria Hospital will be received at the city treasurer's office, up to 5 o'clock p.m., on Friday, the 9th inst.
Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the architect, H. C. McBride. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. H. C. McBride, Architect. 61u

Notice to Creditors.

IN THE MATTER OF THE WESTERN
Shoe Company, of the city of London, in the county of Middlesex. Notice is hereby given that the above named Western Shoe Company have made an assignment to me under provisions of Chap. 124, R. S. O. 1887, and amending acts, of all their estate and effects in trust for the benefit of all their creditors. A meeting of the creditors of the said estate is hereby convened, and will be held at the law offices of Gibbons & Harper, London, on Monday, the 12th day of June, A. D. 1899, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the appointment of inspectors and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate. All creditors of the said estate are hereby required to file their claims with my solicitors, Gibbons & Harper, London, as directed by the said statute, on or before the day of such meeting. After 15th July, 1899, I shall proceed to distribute the said estate, having regard only to such claims as I shall have notice of, and I shall not be responsible for the assets of the said estate, or any part thereof, to any person or persons whose claims or claims shall not have been filed. Dated 2nd day of June, A. D. 1899. GIBBONS & HARPER, solicitors for assignee, London. C. B. ARMSTRONG, assignee. 63u

Mr. Carr Attacks The Advertiser

It was not to be expected The Advertiser would escape attack for presuming to stand for fair play for organized labor. Accordingly, we are not surprised to receive the following letter: To the Editor of The Advertiser: A great deal has appeared in your paper about bogus and penny-a-line interviews, and you have published statements to the effect that no reading matter advertisements ever appear in The Advertiser without being distinctly marked as such. I hold receipts for thousands of lines of such matter printed in your columns without any distinguishing mark, and paid for by the London Street Railway Company. Are you gifted with short memory, or do you think it justifiable to deceive the public on this, as well as other matters connected with the strike. Yours, etc., C. E. A. CARR. "London, June 3, 1899."

The intention of the above letter clearly is to discredit The Advertiser, in revenge for this journal standing up for organized labor, and for refusing to bow the knee to Baal.

Once more Mr. Carr has overreached himself, as a plain statement of the facts will show.

It has been an undeviating rule with The Advertiser not to insert reading matter advertisements without some distinguishing marks, unless where the subject matter shows them obviously to be advertisements. Now, it might be held that paragraph advertisements, announcing the time of the Springbank cars, inviting the people to come down to cool off, see the fireworks, etc., would come under the designation of obvious advertising. For the most part, even such obvious advertising was marked with asterisks, or other advertising marks. Wherever such was not the case it was through carelessness of the Linotype operators, and directly contrary to orders.

So much was this the policy of The Advertiser that it was reiterated from time to time, and the following notice was again pasted on the Linotype machines, Aug. 2, 1898, as instructions to operators. It will be seen that even the Springbank excursion notices, to which Mr. Carr evidently makes special reference, were specifically ordered to be marked with indications of their

being the company's own sentiments.

Here is the notice affixed to the Linotype machines, and which has been there since Aug. 2, 1898:

To Linotype Operators: All readers, such as Springbank notices, Fair notices, and any special readers of advertising nature must have mark of stars at bottom. Aug. 2, 1898.

Now, we assert once more, that The Advertiser, for 35 years, has had one consistent rule, not to sell the influence of the paper, by allowing reading matter to seem to be the voice of the paper, when it was really a paid advertisement. That was our rule when The Advertiser declined to accept money for anti-prohibition reading matter during the plebiscite campaign. That was our rule when the chemical sewerage scheme promoters obtained glowing eulogiums of their method in other papers, but found their so-much-per-line of bogus reading matter would not go in these columns. That was the rule in regard to the question and answer catchism by which the London Street Railway Company sought to load up public opinion against organized labor.

It is very probable that Mr. Carr's letter will be passed on to his organs for publication, and, presumably, at the same old rate per line, heading and all.

The Company and Mr. Carr seem to think themselves in Russia rather than in free Canada. They will find that on British soil the free expression of public opinion cannot be stifled.

The Golden Rule.

In the recent book, "David Harum," the shrewd character of that name gives the following as a common version and practice of the Golden Rule:

"Do unto the other feller the way he'd like to do unto you—an' do it fast."

We cannot say that this is any improvement on the good old original, which reads thus:

"As ye would that men should do to you, do ye also to them likewise."

We are positive the street railway dispute can be better settled along the line of the latter saying than according to the saying of David Harum.

Disorderly Debate

Uproarious Scenes in the French Chamber of Deputies.

Opposition Leader Escorted to the Street by a Squad of Officers.

Government Takes Measures to Punish Offending Officials.

The Grants to Lord Kitchener Passed—Treatment of the Mahdi's Head Figures in the Discussion—Government Explanation.

Paris, June 6.—The government has closed the Puteau Athletic Club, which numbered among its members Count Christiana, and many others of those who took part in the demonstration against President Loubet at the Auteuil race course on Sunday.

Violent Scenes.

There were violent scenes in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday afternoon, owing to Royalist denunciations of President Loubet, and the soldiers on duty had to expel the chief anti-Loubet speaker, M. Rionz de Largentaye, of Cotes du Nord. M. Lalogue, who moved the interpellation, rose at 2:25 p.m., and said the hour of action had struck. (Cheers from the Leftists and murmurs from the Rightists, and a babel of cries, in which Cassagnac and Lasies, anti-Semite, participated.) M. Lalogue asked the premier if he had been warned beforehand of the demonstration. He eulogized President Loubet, who, he said, undertook the presidency in a time of unrest. M. Rionz de Largentaye (Conservative), shouted: "Loubet is not honest; he is a Panamist."

"Down with Loubet."

These statements called forth violent protests and cries of "order," but M. Largentaye persisted, in spite of the shouting and uproar, in declaring "Honest men were arrested yesterday." This was followed with shouts of "Down with Loubet!" and a scene of wild excitement ensued. The Leftists shouted at the top of their voices: "Down with Loubet!" and the Rightists, in a babel of cries, in which Cassagnac and Lasies, anti-Semite, participated. M. Lalogue asked the premier if he had been warned beforehand of the demonstration. He eulogized President Loubet, who, he said, undertook the presidency in a time of unrest. M. Rionz de Largentaye (Conservative), shouted: "Loubet is not honest; he is a Panamist."

the house, and then rose and walked out, escorted by the soldiers.

There was cheering and counter-cheering when M. De Largentaye appeared in the corridors.

The sitting was then resumed.

Premier DUPUY'S STATEMENT.

Premier Dupuy, in answer to M. Lalogue, said that after Sunday's incidents, his first step was to address a respectful greeting to the nation's elect and to "the firm citizen who was and who remains the guarantee of republican communion." (Cheers.) Continuing, the premier said that yesterday at Auteuil, the advance guard of the reactionary party protested against him, and called for his resignation, and "proceeded to enlarge upon the coarseness of such a demonstration against an invited guest. The proceedings at Auteuil were all the more disgusting because they occurred in the presence of foreign representatives. The persons who have been arrested will be examined by a magistrate, who will decide whether there was a conspiracy. We are satisfied the accused are members of clubs which the government has decided to close. Yesterday's demonstrators pretend to represent France in the army; but the public was against them. We are supporters of the republic, and Republicans who do not mix with those who have only borrowed her name in order to destroy her."

M. de Cassagnac (Conservative) interjected: "The country is sick of the republic. As to the affair which has divided the nation and families, it will weigh heavily against you. The stories current in regard to the measures which you prefer against the generals—"

"A certain amount of courage," exclaimed the premier, "is required to do what we propose."

"To drag before a high court," retorted Cavaignac (the former minister of war), "your former colleague. You have cause to close the clubs, for the nation is awakening, and is only awaiting the right man." (Applause.)

VOTE OF CONFIDENCE.

After further debate an order of the day was accepted by the government, stigmatizing the occurrence at Auteuil and approving the declarations of the government. It was carried without a division, after the first part had been adopted by a vote of 513 to 32, and the second part had been voted by 326 to 175. Prior to the vote being taken, M. Denys Cochin (Conservative) remarked that the letter of the government demanding the prosecution of Gen. Mercier should be communicated to the house. The premier replied that it saddened him to take the steps deemed necessary, but the government believed it to be its duty to ask the chamber to say if the prosecution should be undertaken. (Great excitement and applause from the Leftists.) The vote was then taken. ARMY OFFICERS TO BE PROSECUTED. A heated discussion afterward oc-

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Makes the face and hands soft as velvet, cures Roughness, Redness and any Irritation of the Skin.

A Matchless Preparation for the Complexion. An aid to beauty.

PRICE 25 CENTS.

FOR SALE BY

Cairncross & Lawrence

Pharmacists, Etc., 216 Dundas street, London. Branch—Cor. Richmond and Piccadilly.

curved over the prosecution of Gen. Mercier, in the midst of which M. Lasies demanded the impeachment of the president, and violently accused those who were "prosecuting" Gen. Mercier, which, the deputy declared, was a maneuver made to influence the court-martial at Rennes.

Finally the chamber voted, 399 to 298, to adjourn the appointment of the commission of inquiry into the conduct of Gen. Mercier until after the court-martial at Rennes.

The Leftists moved that the verdict of the court of cassation be placed everywhere in France, and the motion carried, 317 to 212. The house then adjourned.

ESTERHAZY.

The minister of war, M. Krantz, has ordered proceedings to be taken against Esterhazy for obtaining and using documents connected with the so-called "secret dossier," and the minister has also issued instructions that proceedings be taken against General Pellieux for the manner in which he conducted the Esterhazy case.

LORD KITCHENER'S \$150,000.

London, June 6.—Mr. Balfour, in introducing the vote of \$150,000 for Lord Kitchener in the House of Commons, said that the fact that the power of mahdism was crushed was due to the genius of the man they desired to honor and reward. He hoped those who objected to the policy of the Sudan advance would not think that was a reason for resisting the vote, as such a course would be introducing politics into military matters. The sirdar had surmounted difficulties and organized victories by his unswerving and almost superhuman industry. He deserved a signal mark of gratitude, and therefore he (Mr. Balfour) believed that in proposing the vote he was only carrying out the wishes of the house and the country.

Mr. Balfour did not refer to the incident of the Mahdi's head, excepting indirectly, when he said he conceived that there was only one question before the house, namely, military merit.

AN ERROR OF TASTE.

Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the opposition leader, cordially supported the motion, while expressing regret at the treatment of the mahdi's body, which he regarded as an error of taste and judgment.

Mr. John Morley, the former Liberal chief secretary for Ireland, opposed the vote on the ground of the treatment of the mahdi's head.

THE MAHDI'S CORPSE.

Mr. Balfour replied that he did not believe the element of vengeance had influenced General Kitchener in the smallest degree, pointing out that he had treated the Mahdi's family with the utmost consideration. The removal of the body, he explained, had been public, as publicity was an essential part of the policy dictating the act. It was the first duty of the man responsible for the safety of the men who were left in charge of Omdurman to put out the fanatical superstition which had been the strength of the Mahdists for years. Mr. Balfour admitted, however, that perhaps the reinforcement of the remains might have been conducted in a better manner.

CAN'T BE KING.

Auckland, N. Z., June 6.—At the Queen's birthday celebration in Samoa it was officially announced that Great Britain would absolutely veto any proposition that Mataafa should ever become king.

SUDDEN DEATH OF AN M. P.

London, June 6.—Mr. Robert Wallace, Liberal, member of parliament for East Edinburgh, who, while speaking during the debate on the grant to General Kitchener, of Khartoum, was seized with cerebral paralysis, is dead.

—The death occurred yesterday of Mrs. Anna Shaw, of Westchester township, aged 63 years. Several sons and daughters survive. The funeral took place to Lambeth cemetery this afternoon.

Time

Saved

If you need a summer suit you'll save a good deal of time by coming here, as we carry the largest assortment in Western Ontario.

SLATER BROS.

Merchant Tailors,

Phone 844 399 Richmond St.