F. H. BUTLER,

STOCK BROKER.

Stocks, Bonds, Grain, Provisions and Cotton bought and sold for cash or on margin. Send for vest pocket manual. Long distance phone, 1278. Correspondents, J. Kelly & Co., New York. OFFICE—Tecumseh House, London.

Geo. McBean & Son.

We are open for offers of GRAIN, FLOUR and MILLFEED. If offering please state staple quantities and lowest prices.

P. O. BOX 807, - MONTREAL

TODAY'S MARKETS

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, May 16.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	..	255
Ontario	130	144½
Toronto	240	..
Merchants	160	..
Commerce	150	146
Imperial	..	212
Dominion	267	262½
Standard	..	198
Hamilton	185	..
British America	114	110
Western Assurance	143	140
Consumers' Gas	215	213
Montreal Gas	184½	181¾
Northwest Land Company, pref.	52	51
Canada Pacific Ry. Stock	94¼	94⅛
General Electric	167	165
London Electric	..	113½
Commercial Cable Company	166	165¾
Cable Coup. Bonds	..	..
Cable Reg. Bonds	..	..
Dominion Telegraph	..	123
Bell Telephone Company	..	176¼
Richelieu and Ontario	106½	105
Montreal Street Railway	..	..
Toronto Street Railway	99	98
London Street Railway	..	..
Dominion Savings and Invest.	..	75
Huron and Erie L. and S.	..	177
Huron and Erie, new	..	..
Lon. and Can. L. and A.	76	55½
London Loan	..	106
London and Ontario	..	..
Ontario Loan and Debenture	..	122

Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, May 16.

	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	94½	94⅜
Duluth, common	6	4½
Duluth, preferred	16	14
Commercial Cable	167	165½
Com. Cable Coupon Bonds	..	..
Commercial Reg Bonds	..	..
Montreal Telegraph	163	162
Richelieu and Ontario	106	105
Montreal Street Railway	255	254
Montreal St. Railway, new	245	240½
Toronto Railway	99¼	99
Montreal Gas Company	182½	182
Bell Telephone	185	176½
Royal Electric	200¼	200
Bank of Montreal	270	255
Ontario Bank	..	..
Molsons Bank	190	175
Bank of Toronto	..	..
Merchants' Bank	160	155
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	..	..
Quebec Bank	..	..
Union Bank	120	..
Bank of Commerce	..	..
Northwest Land, pref.	50½	50
Montreal Cotton Co	..	..
Canada Colored Cotton	80	75
Dominion Cotton	99	98

New York Stocks.

New York, May 16.

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Tecumseh House, for The Advertiser:

Yesterday's	Close.	Open.	High.	Low.	2p.m
Anaconda	42	41½	41½	41	41½
Atchison	24⅞	25¼	25½	25	25⅜
Atchison Pfd	69½	70	71	69⅞	70⅞
B. & O.	74½	74¾	74⅞	74½	74⅝
Brooklyn Tran	68½	68⅞	69½	68	68⅝
C., B. & Q	125⅝	125¾	126⅛	125¾	126¼
C. C. C.	58	58⅛	58½	58⅛	58½
C. & N. W.	..	..	..	..	..
C. F. I.	35¾	36	36⅜	35⅝	36⅜
Con. Gas	189¼	..	..	..	..
Gen. Electric	135	..	..	..	..
Jersey Central	..	..	..	..	..
K. & T. Pfd	33¼	33	33	32⅝	32⅝
L. & N.	79⅞	80	80½	79⅝	80¼
Manhattan	88⅝	89	89	88½	89
Metropolitan St.	148	148½	149½	147½	148¼
Mo. P.	57¼	57	57¼	55¼	56⅜
N. Y. Central	130⅝	130⅜	130¾	130⅜	130¾
Norfolk and W.	35	35½	35½	34¼	35
Northern Pacific	57¼	57⅜	59	57⅜	58¾
Ont. & Western	21⅜	21¼	21⅜	21¼	21⅜
P. M.	29¼	29¼	29¼	29¼	29¼
Pennsylvania	128⅞	128⅞	129½	128½	129½
People's Gas	98¼	97½	98⅛	96⅜	98
R. I.	105⅞	105¾	106⅜	105¾	106⅜
Reading	54¾	55	55½	55	55½
St. Paul	115⅝	116¾	116¼	115⅝	116
Southern Ry. Pfd	54¼	55	55½	54¾	55½
Southern Pacific	33¾	34	34¾	34	34⅜
3rd Avenue	..	108¾	108¾	107½	107½
T. C. I.	69¼	69⅛	71⅛	68⅞	71¼
U. Pacific	53⅝	53¾	54⅜	53½	54⅜
W. U.	79⅛	..	..	..	..
TRUSTS:					
Lead	13	19	19	19	19
Leather	69⅛	69	69	67	67½
Leather Com	11	11	11½	10⅝	10¾
Sugar	108¾	108¾	109	106½	108
Federal Steel	34¼	35¼	35¾	34½	35⅜
Rubber	29	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾
Steel and Wire	34	34	35	33¾	35
Tobacco	92	92	92½	90½	91½
Continental	24⅞	24¾	24⅞	23⅜	23⅛

Scottish-Canadian Shares.

These are thoroughly good and offer a splendid opportunity for making money fast at this price, as we must be close to the ore, which will rush them up to a higher figure. Look into this—it will pay you.

15c

A. E. WELCH, 207 Dundas St., LONDON, ONT.

Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, May 16.—Wheat—Fair market, steady; white and red, 65c, asked, west; buyers, 64c to 64½c; goose, 68c to 69c west; spring, 65c east. Manitoba wheat, 77c, immediate shipment, for No. 1 hard, Toronto and west; 78c grinding, in transit; 73½c, Goderich, and 73½c, Midland. Flour steady; cars of straight roller or Ontario patents in barrels are quoted at $2 75 west. Manitoba flour steady at $4 to $4 10 for patents and $3 70 for strong bakers in car lots here. Millfeed easier at $14 50 to $15 for shorts and $12 50 to $13 for bran west. Barley dull; No. 2 at 41c west. Buckwheat steady at 50c west. Rye dull at 51c west. Corn quiet at 39c for Canada yellow west; American, 45c, for new No. 3 yellow, Toronto. Oats steady; mixed, 26½c; white, 27c to 27½c west. Peas dull and easy at 58c to 59c west. Butter—Choice dairy in pails and tubs are quoted at 12c to 13c; common to good, 10c to 11½c, creamery steady at 17c to 18c for tubs and 18c to 19c. Eggs are firmer at 12½c. Dressed hogs—Receipts, small; demand slow; prices steady at $7 to $7 25.

Tested SEED Corn.

We have all the varieties that have proven of advantage in this section of country. See our stock!

A. M. HAMILTON & SON.

373 Talbot St., near King.

English Markets.

Liverpool, May 16.—Closing.

Wheat — Spot, steady; winter, firm; No. 1 Cal., 6s 2½d to 6s 3d; No 2 red western winter, 6s 11½d; No. 1 red northern spring, steady, 5s 10d; No. 1 red northern Duluth, 5s 10½d futures, steady; July, 5s 8¾d; Sept., 5s 8d.

THE CPC HAMS

Lunch Bacon, Cooked Hams, Lard, Bologna, in choice quality.

THE CANADIAN PACKING CO. STORE

Phone 909. 445 Richmond Street.

Corn—Spot, American mixed, new, steady, 3s 11¼d; do, old, nominal, 4s 3¾d; futures, firm May, 3s 11½d; July, 3s 10½d; Sept., 3s 10½d.

Peas—Western, 5s 9d; Canadian, 5s 9½d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 7s 3d; Minn., 7s 9d.

Beef—Prime mess, dull, 73s 9d; extra India mess, dull, 80s.

Pork—Dull; prime mess, fine western, 66s 3d; do, medium western, 42s 6d.

Lard—American refined, in pails, firm, 37s 9d; prime western, in tierces, firm, 35s 9d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 47s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, firm, 43s; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs, firm, 41s; long clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs, firm, 41s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm, 40s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, firm, 37s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 40s.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 35s 6d.

Butter—Finest American and good, nominal.

Cheese—American finest white, steady, 55s; colored, steady, 55s; ordinary new, 56c.

Tallow—Prime city, dull, 26s 9d; Australian in London, steady, 27s 6d.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), steady, £2 5s to £3 15s.

Cottonseed oil — Hull refined, May-Aug., dull, 23s 9d.

Turpentine spirits—Firm, 45s 6d.

Rosin—Common, steady, 5s.

Linseed oil—35s 9d.

Petroleum—Refined, 7¼d.

American Markets.

NEW YORK, May 16.—Flour—Receipts, 18,451 bbls; sales, 3,500 pkgs; state and western quiet but steadier on choice grades; Minnesota bakers, $2 65 to $2 90; winter patents, $3 60 to $3 85. Rye flour steady; fair to good, $2 90 to $3 15; choice to fancy, $3 20 to $3 50. Wheat — Receipts, 187,775 bu; sales, 1,150,000 bu; options, market was strong and higher this morning on bullish crop news and active local covering; May, 70⅞c; July, 71 13-16c to 72 5-16c; Sept., 72 11-16c to 73 3-16c. Rye steady; state, 57c to 58c, c.i.f., New York car lots; No. 2 western, 61¼c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 238,875 bu; sales, 150,000 bu; option market was very strong on a scare of shorts, resulting from too much wet weather; May, 41½c; July, 42¼c to 42¾c; Sept., 42½c to 43⅛c. Oats—Receipts, 43,400; options dull but steady; track, white state and white western, 28½c to 34c. Butter—Receipts, 6,883 pkgs; market firm; factory, 13c to 15½c; imitation do, 14c to 17½c. Cheese—Receipts, 3,062 pkgs; market quiet and weak. Eggs—Receipts, 16,684 pkgs; dull; state and Pennsylvania at mark, 12½c to 13c; storage western at mark, 12½c; southern at mark, 10c to 11½c. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3 15-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 7-16c; molasses sugar, 3¾c; refined steady. Coffee quiet. Lead dull. Wool quiet. Hops steady.

BUFFALO, May 16.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 70⅜c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 74½c; No. 1 white, 73½c asked. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 43½c; No. 3 yellow, 43c asked. Oats—No. 2 white, 28½c; No. 3 white, 27½c.

DETROIT, May 16.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 72½c; No. 2 red, cash, 72¼c; May, 72¼c; July, 71¾c.

TOLEDO, O., May 16.—Wheat—Cash, 73¼c; May, 73¼c; July, 72⅝c. Corn—May, 38¼c; July, 37¾c. Oats—July, 23c.

Chicago Exchange.

CHICAGO, May 16.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, broker, Tecumseh House. Phone 1278.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—May	65¼	65⅛	65½	65⅜
July	66¼	67	66¼	66¾
Corn—May	35⅝	37⅛	35⅝	37⅛
July	36¾	38⅛	36¾	38
Oats—May	22¼	22¼	22¼	22¼
July	22	22⅜	22	22¼
Pork—May	11 57	11 75	11 57	11 75
July	11 70	11 90	11 67	11 87
Lard—May	7 05	7 05	7 05	7 05
July	6 97	7 10	6 97	7 07
Ribs—May	6 70	6 70	6 70	6 70
July	6 70	6 75	6 67	6 72

Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, May 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 13,000; general cattle market steady to strong; good to prime steers, $5 to $5 75; poor to medium, $4 25 to $4 85; stockers and feeders, $4 25 to $5; cows, $3 to $4 70; heifers, $2 25 to $5 10; canners, $2 20 to $3; bulls, $2 80 to $4 25; calves, $4 to $6 75; Texas fed steers, $4 to $5 20; Texas bulls, $3 25 to $3 75. Hogs—Receipts today, 26,000; tomorrow, 23,000; left over, 1,695; 5c to 10c higher, tops, $5 57½; mixed and butchers, $5 20 to $5 50; good to choice heavy, $5 35 to $5 57½; rough heavy, $5 20 to $5 30; light, $5 15 to $5 45; bulk of sales, $5 35 to $5 47½.

LEADERS

Strong's Baking Powder

Strong's Flavoring Extracts

Strong's Fruit Colors

Strong's Drug Store

185 Dundas Street, London.

zxv

Latest Probabilities.

Toronto, May 16—10 a.m.—Probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours: Moderate to fresh easterly winds, becoming showery towards evening or during the night. Showers Thursday.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

Mary had a little lamb,
'Twas long, long years ago.
It lived until a ripe old age,
And this is how I know:
At dinner yesterday upon
Some "spring lamb" I was fed;
I knew straightway I tackled it
That Mary's lamb was dead.

—Mr. John McMillan's condition has improved slightly.

—Judge Wm. Elliot is confined to the house suffering with heart trouble.

—The Seventh Regiment will drill on the Market Square tomorrow evening.

—The hospital building committee met last night and passed a few accounts.

—Miss Marie Winterbottom, the victim of the recent mishap, is improving steadily.

—Mr. James Parker, of Clarence street, has returned from a business trip to St. Clair and Port Huron.

—The sum realized for the Red Cross Society funds from the concert in the First Methodist Church was $216 50.

—The city laborers are repairing the southern part of the Wellington street sewer, which has been exposed by a cave-in.

—Major McMillan, city, will hold a very special service in the Salvation Army Barracks, Woodstock, tonight. Staff-Capt. Phillips, of London, will be present and assist the major.

—David Williams, the Indian, charged with indecent assault on Mary Shwak, an Indian woman, was arraigned before Judge William Elliot this morning. The charge was changed to one of common assault, to which Williams pleaded guilty. He was allowed to go on suspended sentence, on his own recognizances of $100, to appear when called upon.

—There was a great rush for seats when the plan for the May musical festival ("Elijah") opened at the Princess rink this morning, and the success of the affair is now assured. St. Thomasites have reserved 250 seats, Ingersoll 100, and many other outside places a correspondingly large number. The presentation of "Elijah" promises to be one of the finest musical events ever held in this city.

—Last night a silver medal elocutionary contest, under the auspices of the Royal Templars of Temperance and C. E. Society of Talbot Street Baptist Church, was held, Miss Gwendoline Anthistle, of Grosvenor street, being the successful contestant. Rev. Dr. Sowerby, who presided, introduced the following programme: Instrumental, Miss McLeod; solo, Mr. Adams; duet, Mr. and Mrs. Leach; solo, Miss Wilson; guitar solo, Mr. Charles; instrumental selection, Miss Westervelt; solo, Miss O. Niall.

—Mr. Richard Wright presided last night at a concert given under the auspices of the choir of St. Matthew's Church. The attendance was somewhat small considering the excellence of the programme, which was furnished by Miss Winnie Hooper, Miss Pickard, Miss Burke, Miss Daisy Rumball, Miss P. Mowat, Miss L. Phillips, Mr. J. Nicholls, Mr. W. H. Hewlett and the Imperial Male Quartet, Messrs. J. T. Dalton, A. E. Galpin, Fred Fitzgerald and J. Nicholls, the latter taking the place of Mr. Albert Riddle, who was unable to attend owing to an accident. Messrs. Hewlett and Fitzgerald acted as accompanists for the vocalists.

CURLERS MAKE MERRY.

A jolly time was spent last night in the London House, when nearly 40 members of the Forest City curling club dined, sang, and listened to some capital replies to toasts. Happy incidents of the past good season were related with zest, and to those who had been so fortunate, the prizes they had won were distributed. The night was well advanced when the gathering dispersed.

MASONIC TEMPLE TENDERS.

The work of rebuilding the Masonic Temple has commenced. A number of the old walls will be torn down. The contracts for steam heating, elevators and electric wiring have not been let. While there may yet be changes, the following list of successful tenderers is in the main correct:

Brick and cut stone—Burnett & Son.
Carpenter work—John Purdom.
Painting and glazing—R. Lewis.
Plastering—Murray Bros.
Plumbing—Smith Bros. & Co.
Galvanized iron work—Stevely & Son.
Felt roofing—George Roughley.

WHEELING PARTY.

The employes of the Runians, Gray, Carrie Company, accompanied by their friends, held the first wheeling party of the season to Springbank last night, and enjoyed a dance at the Palace Dancing Academy pavilion. Some two hundred young people tripped the light fantastic to the sweet strains of the academy orchestra. Refreshments were also served. The pavilion was brilliantly illuminated. The happy gathering broke up shortly after midnight. The members of the party expressed their appreciation of the manner in which Messrs. Dayton & McCormick had provided everything for their enjoyment and comfort.

NON-JURY SITTINGS.

The case of Pope vs. Stuart et al., which was begun yesterday morning, occupied the attention of the court all day yesterday and this morning, and was resumed this afternoon. The action is to set aside a deed and establish a will. The plaintiff is a sister of the late Charles Clarke, who was assaulted and robbed at his residence in March of last year, dying from his injuries a few months later. The defendant, Stuart, is a nephew of the late Chas. Clarke, and the plaintiff alleges that while Mr. Clarke was incapable of properly disposing of his estate, and during the period following his injury, the defendant Stuart induced him to make a conveyance of all his property to himself (Stuart), and his wife, and also had him make a will leaving them the beneficiaries to the estate. The case is still in progress.

STILL NEED CLOTHING.

Mrs. Boomer has received the following letter from Mrs. Griffin, president of the Ottawa Local Council of Women: "Your letter reached me this morning, and as there happened to be an executive meeting of the woman's relief committee in the afternoon, it was read and considered without delay. We are all sincerely grateful for the kindness and promptitude with which the London Local Council and its friends have already come to the aid of our destitute and homeless people by sending such a generous gift of clothing. I trust you will not think we are wanting too much when I tell you that I am instructed to say, that notwithstanding what has appeared in the newspapers, there is still great need of clothing, and that we would gladly welcome the contents of the two large packing cases you speak of in your letter. Every day we are hearing of people of the better class who have absolutely nothing left but the clothes they had on when they had to flee from their burning homes, and many of these people find it almost impossible to ask for further relief. We are making an effort to reach such cases, and this further gift from London would probably be of the very greatest service in this special work.

"Would you kindly address the packages to Mrs. A. Rosenthal, care of Mr. Dawson, Exhibition Grounds, Ottawa, and pay the freight, which we will refund to you.

"I am writing in great haste to catch the evening mail."

BANK CHANGES.

A Montreal dispatch says: A number of interesting bank changes have taken, or are about to take, place in this city. In the first place Mr. Jack Meredith, for so many years local manager of the Merchants' Bank of Canada, and for the last six months away on leave of absence, has resigned his position, and the place will hereafter be filled by Mr. Ramsay, who has been acting manager during Mr. Meredith's absence in London, Ont. The retiring manager has been in the employ of the Merchants' for a long time, and the directors valued his services so highly that they voted Mr. Meredith a bonus of $10,000 when they found that he intended to sever his connection with the bank. Mr. Meredith has the reputation of being a comparatively wealthy man and it is said that he will not resume active business for some time to come. The general managership of the Molsons Bank will soon become vacant, as the many friends of Mr. Wolferstan Thomas (formerly of London) regret to learn that the eminent banker is sinking fast, and that the end is very near. The name of Mr. Mathewson, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, has been mentioned in connection with the Molsons Bank, but it is thought that Mr. H. Markland Molson, the present manager, will be the new general manager, and that his position on the directorate of the city and district will be taken by Mr. Robert Bickerdike, M.L.A., for St. Antoine division.

Fine Watch And Clock Repairing.

None but practical workmen employed
Prices reasonable.
All work warranted.

ADKINS, East London.

Marriage Licenses Issued.

DEANERY OF MIDDLESEX

Successful May Meetings at Lucan—Many Excellent Papers Presented.

The May meetings of the Chapter, Sunday School and Lay Workers' Associations of Middlesex Deanery were held yesterday in Holy Trinity Church, Lucan. The service began with the Holy Communion, at 11 a.m., conducted by Rev. H. A. Thomas, rector and Rev. Canon Richardson, and followed by devotional services, led by Rev. Canon Smith, rural dean, and Revs. G. B. Sage, E. W. Crawford and W. F. Brownlie.

The afternoon session began at 3 o'clock, the rural dean presiding, with Mr. C. H. Armitage, vice-president, on his right. The opening services were conducted by the rector, after which the minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Rev. G. B. Sage. An address of welcome was presented by the rector and the wardens, Messrs. J. Fox and J. Abbott, on behalf of themselves and the congregation, to which the rural dean suitably replied. A telegram, conveying fraternal greetings, was sent to the Deanery of Waterloo, then in session at Hespeler, to which a cordial reply was subsequently received, reciprocating good wishes.

Deanery business matters were then taken up and approval given to the opening of a service at Melbourne. Rev. L. W. Diehl and others, reported favorably on the services in their districts. Rev. W. F. Brownlie reported the opening of a new school in his parish. The various statistical reports showed good progress. Rev. W. Stout, of the Deanery of Perth, but who has one church in Middlesex, was invited to take part in the meetings. Mr. E. A. McIntyre, of the Memorial Church, London, then contributed an earnest, thoughtful paper on "How best to develop spiritual life in the school." Rev. A. H. Rhodes opened the discussion in a forceful address, followed by Revs. J. H. Moorhouse and W. Stout, and Mr. A. E. Welch, of London. Rev. Canon Richardson then read a carefully prepared paper "Concerning the Church," giving its history, doctrines and rites. Rev. G. B. Sage followed with a practical address along the same line.

The meeting then adjourned for refreshments, and the clergy and delegates were again invited, as at noon, to the hospitable homes of the congregation. At 7:30 the services reopened, the church being filled to the doors by an interested audience. Addresses on the subject of "Lay Help" were given by Messrs. C. H. Armitage, of London, and L. Fox, of Lucan.

Rev. W. J. Taylor, of St. Marys, gave an excellent paper on "Wall Building," followed by Rev. C. R. Gunne, M.A., of Parkhill, who emphasized the various points brought out in the paper.

Rev. R. S. W. Howard, B.A., of Thorndale, read a thoughtful paper on "Systematic teaching of fundamental doctrines," dealing ably with several live questions of the day.

Rev. C. C. Owen, B.A., of London, followed with an earnest, practical address, after which the question drawer was opened, the answers to the several questions being given by Mr. C. H. Armitage, in his usual clear style.

A resolution was passed, asking Rev. Canon Richardson to take measures for publishing his paper "Concerning the Church," in such form as will enable it to be circulated.

A vote of thanks was tendered to the friends at Lucan for their liberal hospitality, and a very successful meeting was closed by singing the National Anthem.

Steamship Arrivals.

May 16.	At	From
Pomeranian	Martin River	Glasgow

A Poor Millionaire

Lately starved in London because he could not digest his food. Early use of Dr. King's New Life Pills would have saved him. They strengthen the stomach, aid digestion, promote assimilation, improve appetite. Price 25c. Money back if not satisfied. Sold by W. T. Strong & Co.

President McKinley has issued his warrant for the surrender to the Canadian authorities of Alexander Daigley, under arrest in Detroit on a charge of forgery to the amount of about $1,000 in Montreal.

A DINNER PILL.—Many persons suffer excruciating agony after partaking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken off is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healing nutriment, it becomes a poison to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions and convey the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medicine to take if troubled with indigestion.

The bylaw to raise $10,000 by debentures for waterworks improvements was carried at Waterloo.

THERE is not a more dangerous class of disorders than those which affect the breathing organs. Nullify this danger with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil—a pulmonic of acknowledged efficacy. It cures soreness and lameness when applied externally, as well as swelled neck and crick in the back, and, as an inward specific, possesses most substantial results.

Col. Tyrwhitt, Conservative M. P. for South Simcoe, is ill with heart trouble.

The Gallipolis and Point Pleasant Street Railway, Ohio, has ceased operations, and the road will be torn up and the property shipped away.

Beecham's Pills

CURE SICK HEADACHE

and act like magic on a weak stomach and disordered liver. at all Druggists.

Housekeepers, Attention!

THIS IS THE HOME-MAKING SEASON.

During these days of planning and designing and contriving we can offer you much of interest and value.

Wardrobes Single or double doors with mirro All made portable.

Corner Wardrobes, large sizes.

Children's Folding Cots, curtain fronts, spring bottoms.

Folding Mantel Beds, large size.

—SEE THEM AT—

JOHN FERGUSON & SONS,

Furniture, Upholstering and Undertaking Warerooms,

174 to 180 King Street.

A Union-made 5c Cigar. O Wm. Atkins, Manufacturer, London. K

Late Sporting,

TURF

PRINCE OF WALES' HORSE WINS AGAIN.

London, May 16.—At the Newmarket second spring meeting today, the Prince of Wales' Diamond Jubilee (the winner of this year's Two Thousand Guineas stakes) won the Newmarket stakes, of 30 sovereigns each, half forfeit, with 2,000 sovereigns added, for 3-year-olds. Mr. J. Musker's Chevening finished second, and Mr. A. Henderson's Guid Wife was third, in a field of six horses.

FISTIC.

JEFFRIES' ARM IN BAD SHAPE.

New York, May 15. — The punch that put Corbett down and out last Friday night was far less harmful to him than to the man who sent it in. The physical effect of the blow lasted with Corbett about two minutes, but Jeffries' good left arm, that did the work, is stiff and sore. Since he struck that blow he has never been free from pain, and an X-ray examination shows that an operation on the elbow will probably be necessary.

The original cause of the disorder in the joint was a bout with the medicine ball while training for Sharkey last October. In a careless moment Jeffries caught the medicine ball while holding his arm at the wrong angle, and the damage was done. In a few days the surgeon's knife will be applied and the champion expects to be freed entirely from further trouble.

The injury lies in the elbow at the junction of the three bones of the arm. One of these bones, the doctors say, has been torn from its socket and has slipped down about a quarter of an inch. Its point presses against one of the others and prevents the arm from being straightened out. To remedy this the bones must be laid bare, the one out of place must be put back into its original position, and both bones must be scraped with a knife.

CAPITAL ECHOES

Rebate of Duty on Ottawa-Hull Donations—Yukon Field Force To Be Withdrawn—Bill to Incorporate Bankers' Association.

[Special to The Advertiser per C.P.R.]

Ottawa, May 16.—An order in council has been passed providing to give a rebate on duty on all donations sent to Ottawa and Hull in aid of the fire sufferers. This will last for two months.

The government has decided to withdraw the Yukon field force. They will leave Dawson and Selkirk as soon as navigation opens. The peace and order of the district will for the future be attended to by the Mounted Police.

A bill to incorporate the Canadian Bankers' Association was discussed at the banking and commerce committee today. The object of the bill is to promote the interest and efficiency of banks and bank officers, to properly qualify, and to train all persons who enter into the employment of banks, to arrange for lectures on commercial law and banking, and to publish the journal of the Canadian Bankers' Association. Thirty-four banks have already joined the association. Mr. Borden (Halifax) opposed the bill on behalf of the Bank of Nova Scotia, which objects to the clause providing that the association may establish and conduct in any place in Canada clearing houses for banks. This power Mr. Borden thought should not be delegated by parliament to the banks. S. H. Blake, Q.C., who represented the banks, said that uniformity in the regulations and conduct of clearing houses was what was aimed at, and no injustice would be done to any bank. The bill was passed with a few unimportant amendments.

WOUNDED CANADIANS.

[Special to The Advertiser per C.P.R.]

Ottawa, May 16.—The following was received today by Lord Minto from Sir Alfred Milner:

"Cape Town, May 14.—No. 7,833, Pte. J. W. Raymond (alias J. W. Culver) was slightly wounded at Israel's Poort on 25th April.

"No. 334, Trooper T. Woolcombe, Second Canadians, Mounted Infantry, died of dysentery and pleurisy at Carnarvon on 22nd April."

Don't lose your temper—lose your bile! LAXA-CARA Tablets take away all impurities from the stomach, bowels and blood. 25 cents, at druggists.

MANITOBA CROPS.

Winnipeg, May 16.—The Northern Pacific Railway crop report says: Along the main line the reports from the different stations show the wheat to be all sown and up about four inches. The growth last week was slight, owing to the dry weather, but the plant was not affected otherwise. The wheat is fully two weeks earlier than last year. On the Morris-Brandon branch the same conditions are reported, with a slight rain on May 13. The hay crop will be light. Early sown wheat is doing well, but that sown later is feeling the effect of the dry weather.

Reports from travelers on the C. P. R. Lines in the province are practically the same as those of the Northern Pacific. Wheat sown in light soil has been affected by the winds. The wheat so far looks healthy, and is growing evenly. Rain fell on May 13 as far west as McGregor.

British Columbia "tooth picks"—each about 3 inches square and 60 feet long—is a name given by Canadian lumbermen to large timber baulks.

THE. . .

Rinaldo

is the most popular Hat in London today. The sale for them has been enormous, because they have the distinctive characteristics of style, quality and particular pleasing powers.

ROSS'

196 Dundas Street. Phone 1319.

"The back door robbeth the house." That's a bit of quaker wisdom you may have found is true. How much fuel do you waste three times a day? You light your coal or wood stove long before you actually need it, and it is still going after you are through with it; you heat the whole house as well as the whole stove. When you use a GAS STOVE you light it just when you want to use it—and you have the heat just where you need it. We'll tell you more about it some other time.

City Gas Company, 401 Clarence St.

Something Appetizing

During the hot weather you want something to tempt the appetite. Try Burnham's Jellicon and Custard Powder; makes the most delicious jellies and custards in a moment, no cooking required. We have a full assortment of Van Camp's Soups, Durkee's Salad Dressing, French Mustard, Roquefort Cheese (in jars), Upton's Jams, Jellies and Marmalade, Pineapple Chunks (in large and small tins), etc.

Phone 968. Call us up, or if you wish we shall be pleased to send for your order.

Cash Bargain Grocery,

133 King Street, Phone 968.

THE quality of our ICE CREAM is not measured by anybody else's standard. It is the best because we have the knowledge, experience and willingness to make it so.

GEORGE PETERS,

519 Richmond street—near Kent.

M. W. Slater

MERCHANT TAILOR,

Has removed to—

212½ DUNDAS ST.

All sorts of suits at moderate prices on time.

50tf