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LONDON, CANADA, THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 1902.

WHOLE NO. 16530.

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DIED.

EMITH-At Lambeth, on March 12, 1902, Thomas A., only son of Alexander G. and Mary Eleanor Smith, of Springfield, county of Elgin, in his 22nd year. Funeral from the residence of Henry Hamlyn, Lambeth, on Friday, March 14, at 1:30 p.m.; service, 1 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

HARRISON-At Glencoe, on the 13th of March, 1902, in the 49th year of her age, Rachel, the beloved wife of Geo. M.

Harrison. Funeral services in St. John's Church,

Glencoe, on Saturday, at 2 o'clock; in-terment at Oakland Cemetery. McDERMID-At Strathroy, on March 12, 1902, suddenly, Clara A., daughter of the late William Plewes, and beloved wife of Daniel McDermid.

Funeral at 3:30 on Friday, from the residence of her mother, 57 Becher street; services at 3 o'clock.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC. Advertisements under this heading 10c per line, or 2c per word each insertion.

NEW GRAND Mat.

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the world's most eminent Phrenologist, in his great lectures at the Auditorium. "Vitosophy." Friday night, March 14. free. "How to Become Rich," Saturday night, March 15, free. "How to Become Healthy." Monday night, March 17, free. "Matrimony." Tuesday night, March 18; both sexes, admission 10 cents. At this lecture Prof. Windsor will introduce several beautiful young ladies and select husbands for them from the audience. "Health and Beauty." Tuesday afternoon, March 18; to ladies, 15 cents.

London Opera House, Wednesday night, March 19; men only, free.

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and virtues, your best business adapta-tion, your health and how to secure it, adaptation in marriage and business partnership, how to accumulate a for-tune and prolong life. Hours, 10 a.m. to

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New Grand Opera House, MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 17. Hirwen Jones, tenor; Hilda Richardson, violoncellist; Alice Calder Stock, soprano; Owen A. Smiley, entertainer. Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c. 26h

DON'T FORGET ANCHOR BASEBALL oncert and assembly in City Hall, Friday evening. 30u

TONIGHT-LECTURE, "THE TRIAN-GULAR Man." Rev. Richard Hobbs, Askin Street Methodist Church. Tick-

FRIDAY, 14th INST.-YORK STREET Mission Hall. Social evening. Good programme. Tea served. Little Marie Barrows and others will recite and sing. All welcome. Admission, 15c. b

THE STEAMSHIP IONIAN, OF THE Allan Line, sailing Monday, March 24, will take passengers at Halifax only. For Liverpool, calling at Moville, to land mails and passengers. F. B. Clarke, agent Allan Line, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

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MEETINGS.

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF the London retail merchants this (Thursday) evening, in Duffield block, at 8 o'clock. All retail merchants are asked to attend.

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Address Bramblett & Beygeh, Minne-apolis, Minn. 29c WANTED-EXPERIENCED PORTER must be first-class. Apply New Daly House, Ingersoll. 271

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PLY 227 Hyman street. EXPERIENCED SKIRT AND WAIST makers wanted. Apply at Smallman & Ingram's.

WANTED-A GENERAL SERVANT.
Apply Fraser House. 29c WANTED-SMART GIRLS; STEADY employment. Reid Bros. Co., Clarence street.

WANTED-50 FUR SEWERS. Apply Fried, Wright & Co., wholesale manu-facturing furriers, Cruickshank block, opposite Tecumseh House. 281 WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED housemaid. Apply to Miss Meredith, 565 Talbot street. 28c

EXPERIENCED HOUSEMAID WANT-ED, by the beginning of April. Apply Mrs. Puddicombe, 293 King street. 26tf

GIRLS WANTED. APPLY SUPERIN-TENDENT of D. S. Perrin & Co. 19tf

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Apply 7621/2 Richmond street. SALE-HOUSEHOLD FURNI-TURE, also horses, wagons and har-ness, cheap. Got to be sold, as parties Chester street, brick cottage, south side.

FOR SALE-THREE PENS OF THOR-OUGHBEED Barred Plymouth Rocks. 170 Bruce street. 30c-wty GOOD THREE-SPRING WAGON AND cart for sale, cheap. Apply 576 Grey

OR SALE-WELL-BRED YOUNG driving horse. Apply H. N. Fleming, 474 Pall Mall street. SHAMROCK—A SPRIG OF SHAMROCK for St. Patrick's Day. Pots of the real Irish Shamrock can be had for 25 cents

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FOR SALE-50 EGG INCUBATORS, \$5. D. Greenside, 99 Clarence street. 27n FOR SALE-SAFE, NEARLY NEW. Apply 152 Carling street.

MEDICAL BATTERIES FOR SALE OR hire. Apply 552 Central avenue. 26g NEW BICYCLE TIRES, \$3 50 PAIR. Large stock of all kinds. Second-hand tires, 50c to \$1. J. H. Cunningham, 664 Dundas street.

EMPTY OIL BARRELS AND CASKS. London Soap Company. WOOD FOR SALE—WE CAN SUPPLY summer wood at \$1.25 a load. D. H. Gillies & Co., 673 Bathurst street, leading east end wood yard. 'Phone 1,312. COSMOPOLITAN MAGAZINE AND

Cincinnati Enquirer, one whole year for \$160. Red Star News Company, 90 Dundas street, London. TWO ENGINES AND BOILER FOR sale, and one Laird brick and tile mill combined. For particulars apply to Charles Hales, Northwood, Ont. 23h

HAVE YOU TRIED MIRACLE WASH-ING COMPOUND? It has no equal. Free sample at G. Marshall & Co.'s F. S. ONN, DEALER IN ALL KINDS of fresh, salt and smoked fish. Your patronage solicited. Satisfaction guar-'Phone 1,296.

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P. Hendershott & Co., 427 Park avenue.

PRINTING BARGAIN HOUSE-THOU-SAND statements, billheads, circulars, etc., \$1. Write for prices. Adams,

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THE NOBBIEST THING IN GO-CARTS and Baby Carriages ever seen in London, at Keene Bros., 127 King street. \$110 WILL BUY A SECOND-HAND GAS engine, in first-class order. D. Kenzie & Co., 298 Richmond street. FIRST-CLASS RUBBER STAMPS, 10 cents per line. Send for list. G. M. Haldane, Strathroy, Ont.

STOVES-STOVES-WE HAVE a large stock of stoves, comprising coal baseburners, hot blast and St. Lewis airtight. Very cheap, at Keene's, 141

SNAP-GOOD PIANO, ROSEWOOD case, 71-3 octaves; in first-class condition, and guaranteed for 5 years. Only \$100, on easy terms of payment. Heintaman & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner

FOR THE BEST HARD AND SOFT coal, steam coal and slack, or the best hard and soft wood, and good, dry sawmill slabs, at \$1.30 per load, go to Green & Co., William street and G. T. R. 'Phone 1,391.

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SIDENCE of the late E. N. Hunt, newly decorated; 9 rooms, furnace, hot and cold water, bath and every convenience; barn. Bargain. Move quick. Apply 356 Dundas street. 23n-xwtywt

FOR SALE-BUILDING LOTS, NEAR new Normal School. Will sell cheap on easy terms. Apply 278 Ridout street. 16tf-ywt

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NUE, for sale cheap. Brick house and frame stable. Apply T. H. Luscombe,

FOR SALE-TWO STORY BRICK RE-SIDENCE, modern. 456 Piccadilly

FOR SALF-FINE 50 ACRES, CLAY loam good buildings, near Watford.

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loam, good buildings, near Watford. 110 acres new land, 45 ready for crop; new buildings; only \$35 per acre. J. F.

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with modern improvements; famil two. State particulars. Box 13.2,

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TO LET-TWO STORY BRICK BUILD.

sion by April 15. Apply Canada Trust Company, executors, Richmond street.

TO RENT-A HUNDRED ACRE FARM,

TO LET-COTTAGE, IN GOOD RE-

PAIR, Wellington street, near King. J. H. Tennant, 275 King street. 26c-tyw

TO LET-BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED

venience; central location. Apply Mrs. E. N. Hunt, 356 Dundas street.

TO RENT-HOUSE, BARNS AND 12 acres of land in Village of Komoka; orchard and about 2 acres of small fruits. Carles Wernham, Komoka.

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avenue, in good repair; large lot for

gardening purposes; immediate possession. Apply A. Keenleyside, 500 King

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Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Catheart and Bruce, South London, late of London Furniture Company. 'Phone 310.

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Tolstoi Suffers a Sudden Change for the Worse.

Abandonment of Proposed Royal Visit to Ireland Officially Announced and Causes Keen Discussion.

NEW SPANISH CABINET.

Madrid, March 12.-Premier Sagasta was received in audience by the queen regent today, and informed her majesty of the definite resignation of Senator Urzaiz, the minister of finance. The cabinet is to meet tomorrow under the presidency of Senor Sagasta, when new heads of the ministers of finance and the interior will be appointed. TOLSTOI WORSE.

St. Petersburg, March 13 .- A sudden change for the worse has taken place in the condition of, Count Tolstoi, who has been ill for some time past at Yalta, Crimea. His weakness is more pronounced today and symptoms of pleurisy have developed. His pulse is most feeble and frequently stops. The patient cannot sleep and is in low spirits.

London, March 13 .- The King's proposed visit to Ireland has been definitely abandoned. An official announcement to this effect was made last night. Although no reason has been assigned for this decision, it is an open secret that both Earl Cadogan and Mr. George Wyndham advised his majesty not to visit Ireland this year, owing to the unsettled condition of certain parts of the country. At the conclusion of the cabinet meeting on Tuesday, Earl Cadogan went across to prolonged interview with the King.

MORLEY AGAINST ROSEBERY. As was anticipated, John Morley, M.P., when he spoke at Manchester last night, strongly supported home rule and Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, as against Lord Rosebery. He HOUSE, NEARLY NEW, FOR SALE cheap. Apply H. N. Fleming, 474 Pall Irish, the Laborites and the Radicals.

MR. WYNDHAM'S PLANS. Mr. Wyndham was an optimist when ne was under secretary for war, and he has not changed his character since his transfer to Ireland. His faith in the efficacy of his own land purchase bill has influenced the two Balfours, and through them the Cecil family, now in charge of the affairs of the empire. That WANTED-HORSE, IN EXCHANGE for painting or paperhanging. Apply 410 Horton street. 28c measure will be produced by Mr. Wyndham before the resources of the crimes act are employed against the United Irish League. COME AND SEE OUR NATURAL Ponipadours. They are perfect. Comb-ings wanted. Miller's Hair Store, 222

NATIONALISTS AND LANDLORDS SKEPTICAL. This is a source of regret to the more aggressive Nationalist members, who are anxious to have the league proclaimed as soon as possible, and the area of disorder, now confined to the

c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No western counties of the island, widened. They are as incredulous as the landlords themselves respecting Mr. Wyndham's ability to lessen the ten-ING, with basement, suitable for workshop or storage. Apply 515 Richmond. sion between owners and occupiers in congested districts. Landlords and poli-LET-MODERN TWO STORY TO LET-MODERN TWO STORY brick house, centrally located; five minutes' walk from postoffice. Posses-

BUSINESS CHANCES. FOR SALE-QUEEN'S OWN HOTEL

property, Sarnia gravel road, including license. Apply 16 Horton street. with dwelling house and barns, and well fenced; plenty of water; 12 acres fall wheat sown. Inquire T. Tambling, 200 Ridout street, South London. 87tf-12tf-wty GROCERY BUSINESS FOR SALE—Good chance. Address Box 90, Advertiser office.

BAKE SHOP FOR RENT. INQUIRE at St. James P. O., London South. AGENTS WANTED.

33 A DAY SURE—SEND US YOUR address and we will show you how to make \$3 a day, absolutely sure; we furnish the work and teach you free; you work in the locality where you live. Send us your address and we will explain the business fully. Remember we guarantee a clear profit of \$3 for every day's work; absolutely sure; don't fall to write today. Imperial Silverware Company, Box 504, Windsor, Ont.

AGENTS-WE START YOU IN BUSI-NESS. You can easily make \$25 per week. No capital required. Apply P O. Drawer 531, London. 91tf

CLAIRVOYANT.

MADAME BAKER WILL BE ABSENT from the city for ten days. 28n License Commissioners' Office, 629

Talbot Street.—To Tavernkeepers, Shopkeepers, Wholesale Merchants and others whom it may concern: NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications for license for the sale of liquor in the City of London, for the year 1902-3, commencing on the first day of May next, will be received at this office on and after the twelfth day of March. Any application for premises not now under license must be accompanied with petition signed by a majority of duly qualified electors in the polling subdivision in which the premises sought to be licensed are situate. No application can be received after the first day of can be received after the first day of ROBERT HENDERSON, April. 28c-ywt Inspector.

EXECUTORS' SALE OF VALUABLE residential property in the Village of Dorchester Station.—The executors of the estate of the late John Hunt have instructed Mr. Thomas Clarke, auctioninstructed Mr. Thomas Clarke, auctioneer, to offer for sale at public auction
on Saturday, the 22nd day of March,
A. D. 1902, at the hour of 3 p.m., on the
premises, in the Village of Dorchester
Station, the residence and real estate in
connection therewith belonging to the
estate of the late John Hunt. Upon this
property there is erected one solid two
story brick dwelling house, in good state
of repair. There is also a good woodshed and a good horse stable. Terms
and conditions of sale will be made
known on day of sale, or may be had
on application to MESSRS, MEREDITH
& FISHER, solicitors for the executors,
Lodon, Ont., or to MR. THOMAS
CLARKE, auctioneer. HOME FOR INCURABLES, LONDON, Ont.—The comforts of home, with nursing, for invalids, male and female, city or country, on moderate terms. Apply to Mrs. Pattuilo, secretary Women's Christian Association, Lon-

ticians are convinced that the resale of the Dillon estate, with its wiping out of heavy arrears of rent and its material reduction of occupiers' annual charges, has unsettled the entire land question. They are wondering what Mr. Wyndham can do with the agrarian agitation when compulsory sale is excluded by the English principle of right of ownership.

THE KING'S FIRST COURT. The King, the Prince of Wales and Princess Louise were employed yesterday in royal functions at St. James', Manchester and Liverpool. The ar-rangements as revised for the first court show that the etiquette of the Victorian drawing-room has been virtually retained, although the function has been renamed. The number of courtesies has been reduced to two, and the members of the royal family stand behind the King and Queen. The first court will be larger and less exclusive than has been reported during

the last few weeks. Lady London-

derry's reception and Lady Hayter's party were the chief midweek events COUNTESS VS. EARL. Countess De La Warr has commenced suit against Earl De La Warr for a restitution of conjugal rights, and the outcome of the petition is awaited by society with considerable interest. appears that Earl De La Warr left the countest a couple of months ago on the ground of incompatability of Earl De La Warr was protemper. minent in city sensations of recent years, notably in the Hooley company promotions, in which the earl figured

among the titled directors. COLONIAL HELP APPRECIATED. A statement cabled today that Canada would gladly render further assistance in the war, if the Methuen disaster is taken to indicate its need, is widely quoted here with expressions of warm appreciation. On the other hand, Truth sneeringly comments on the fact that the Australian and Canadian contingents were costing England \$2,-500,000 this year, and says: "If the patriotism of these colonial imperialists materialized itself in the form of

cash, I should have a higher opinion of it.' A dispatch to the Times from Wellington, N. Z., says: "Premier Seddon guarantees that New Zealand will subscribe her share, on the population basis, toward strengthing the Australian force in South Africa. Seddon also suggests the establishment of a reserve force within the colony, ready to take the field when the British Government requires it. Arrangements will be made for rapid mobilization of the tenth New Zealand Marlborough House, where he had a contingent for service in South Africa if it is needed.

EMIGRATION BEGUN. Canadian emigration season opened today, the Parisian leaving Liverpool with a full complement. Web-ster, a Canadian Government agent, will be in charge of Canadian emi-grants. The Sardinian, leaving emigrant inquiries have been received this year, compared with less than half that number last year.

The Canadian gold and food ex-

hibits at the Colonial Exhibition in the Royal Exchange are attracting large interested crowds, and must do much good.

FLYING MACHINES FOR WAR PURPOSES.

Details of a flying machine which Dr. C. F. A. Burton is constructing for the war office were given by him in a paper read at a meeting of the Aeronautical Society. The machine, he explained, is a combination of gas vessel and screw propeller principles, the alloon being fish-shaped and divided internally into four compartments. The driving mechanism consists of six screw propellers coupled to motors. HIGH-TONED DRUNK.

London, March 13.-Lady Christiania Sykes, whose domestic difficulties have caused notoriety, was arrested on the Strand on the charge of being drunk and incapable of taking care of her-She was arraigned at the Bow street police court, but her ladyship laughingly pleaded illness and the magistrate released her with a warning not to come before him again, Lady Christiania (Jessie) Sykes is about 46 years of age and a daughter of the Right Hon, Geo. Augustus Cavendish-Bentinck and a relative of the Duke of animals in this vicinity. The horses Portland. She was married in 1873 to will be shipped to Utah, where they Sir Tatton Sykes, a wealthy Yorkshire baronet, 29 years her senior. Her ladyship became prominent on the turf and Orleans, whence on the stock exchange. Early in December, 1896, her husband advertised that he could no longer be responsible for her debts. Since that time Lady Sykes has been several times in court on charges of financial irregularities. Last year she and Sir Tatton agreed to a friendly separation, her ladyship being given a yearly allowance of \$25,000.

CHINESE REBELS CHASTISED. A Hong Kong cable says: Marshal Su, who recently arrived at the scene of the Kwang Si rebellion, and took command of the imperial forces, has defeated the rebels at Lung Chow. Su expects to suppress the rising in a

REINFORCING BRITISH NAVY. The British Admiralty has contracted with various shipbuilding companies for the construction of five firstclass and two third-class cruisers and two battleships.

FIGHTING IN CHINA. A dispatch received at St. Petersburg today, at the war office, announced that another fight occurred March 3 between Russian troops and 300 Tunguses, north of Hubandsy, Manchuria. Two hundred Tunguses were killed, including their leader. Two Russians were wounded.

CABLE NOTES. H. G. Emms & Co., diamond merchants, London, have failed. Their liabilities are estimated at £70,000. A dispatch from La Paz, Bolivia, says that trouble between the American missionaries and the local clergy there is exciting the populace.

The Italian premier, Signor Zanarpeared before parliament after resignation on Feb. 21. The premier announced that the king, having refused to accept the ministers' resignations, the ministry remained in power and would ask for a vote of confidence. There is great dissatisfaction in Canton, at the extortionate taxes which the mandarins are levying under the pretext of meeting the Chinese indemnity. The merchants have netitioned vicercy for redress.

OOM PAUL'S CONFIDENCE

In Boer Success Remains Unshaken.

Delarey's Victory Reminds Him of Daniel's Experience.

Names of Some of the British Who Fell-Montana Cayuses Being Bought for British Cavalry.

New York, March 13 .- A dispatch A Coming Minister-James Confrom Utrecht, over the signature of former President Paul Kruger, to the Journal, says: "There will be more good news yet

from Delarey. This victory reminds me of Gen. Botha's allusion a year ago to the miracle of faith which saved Daniel out of the lion's den.

"My confidence in the ultimate triumph of the Boer cause could not be Conmee will become a member of the greater than it is now, and, indeed, t never has been shaken.

"I hope Britain will show that she sees her folly of attempting to subdue the Boer race by recognizing it now and by restoring independence to the Transvaal republics. By doing this she will spare herself as well as the Boers further bloodshed and expense and will retain the republics as friendly neighbors."

BOER OFFICERS SLAIN. Cape Town, March 13 .- During a skirmish near Pearston, Cape Colony, March 10, between some British troops and Commandant Fouche's force of Boers, Commandant Ovendaal and Field Cornet Van Dor Vall were killed. BRITISH CASUALTY LIST.

London, March 12.-The war office last night issued a list of casualties among the officers in the fight of Lord Methuen's force with the Boers under General Delarey: Lieutenants Vanning, Nesham and Hartley and Col. Wilson were killed; Gen. Methuen and Col. Townsend were dangerously man, as against Lord Rosebery. He advised the Liberals to stand by their convictions and said he failed to see how a parliamentary majority could conducted parties will leave personally conducted parties will leave were severely wounded, and Lieut. wounded; Capt. Outram, Lieut. Denbe secured if they quarreled with the by each succeeding steamer. At the Squires, of the Imperial Yeomanry, Irish, the Laborites and the Radicals. government office here 8,000 Canadian slightly wounded. Thirty-eight men were killed and 72 wounded.

The war office issues a correction as to the point from which Lord Methuen was marching. In the dispatches it was stated that he was marching from Wynbery. It should have been Vry-

The official information on General Methuen's disaster is still incomplete. The total known British casualties

amount to 324. There are still 326 men unaccounted for. METHUEN A HERO. Berlin, March 13 .- General Methuen,

who was British military attache at Berlin from 1877 to 1881, made many friends while here. Among the stories related of him is that upon one occasion when he was going to the palace to visit Emperor William, in 1881, jumped into the Spree and saved the life of a drowning child. The time required to change his clothes made him late at his audience with the emperor. For this he apologized, but did give the reason for the delay. A few days later at a reception in the palace, the emperor drew the British attache aside and pinned the rescue medal on

the lapel of his coat. CAYUSES FOR THE CAVALRY. Sheridan, Mont., March 13.-British agent J. A. Conway, who is purchasing horses for the use of the British cavalry against the Boers in South Africa, purchased a large number of will be inspected by the British officers. Later they will be sent to New the stock shipped to South Africa. The British express great satisfaction with the hardy mountain cayuse from Montana. Over the roughest ground the animals and Hudson's Bay Railway, projected appear almost indefatigable, hour after from Michipicoten Harbor to James' hour keeping up the swinging gait peculiar to the range horse. RHODES' CONDITION DANGEROUS London, March 13 .- The Cape Town correspondent of the Standard cables that the breathing of Cecil Rhodes is frequently most difficult and labored and that all the dangerous symptoms

Cape Town, March. 13-Cecil Rhodes passed a restless night, which has appreciably told on his general strength.

A DEATH-DEALING SOUTHERN CYCLONE

Sweeps Through Sections of Mississippi-A Village Wrecked and Several Lives Lost.

Vicksburg, Miss., March 13 .- A cyclone swept through the southern end of Copiah and the northern section of Lincoln counties yesterday, killing at least have a dozen people and leveling buildings, trees and fences. Montgomery, a village in Copiah, on the Illinois Central Railroad, was the worst sufferer, and four bodies are known to be under the debris of collapsed buildings. Three miles further south a railroad camp was wrecked and three negroes killed. A passenger train on the Illinois Central Railroad delli, and the cabinet, yesterday, ap- was struck by the storm and every window in each coach was shattered. At Hazelhurst considerable damage was done, but no lives were lost. Wires are down in all directions, and it is impossible to hear from outlying dis-

> The London Stock Exchange is investigating a report that news of Gen. Methuen's reverse was known to cer-tain dealers in Kaffirs two hours before it became public.

A large assortment of new and improved styles to select from.

Satisfaction guaranteed or your money back.

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London, Ont.

mee, M. P. P.

In another column will be found a short sketch of James Conmee, M. P. P. for West Algoma. With the growing importance of New or Greater Ontario, special attention is drawn to the qualifications of Mr. Conmee as a member of the Cabinet, and there is a growing belief that at the first opportunity Mr.

Cabinet. The strength of the Ontario Government has always consisted in the fact that it was progressive and practical. and composed of men of sound common sense. It has always led public opinion. It has not waited to be pushed

We have unlimited faith in our Northern Province, and there is no man in or out of the House who has a more intimate knowledge of it, or who would exercise a sounder judgment with reference to its government than Mr. Conmee. We hope soon to see him a member of the Cabinet, either as Minister of Mines, should such a department be established, or in some other important position. In the development of Ontario's great possessions to the north, much will depend upon the capacity and integrity of those intrusted with the work. Knowledge of the country, too, is a very necessary thing, and this Mr. Conmee possesses in an exceptional degree.

James Conmee, M. P. P. for West Algoma.

[From the Industrial Review.] The present member for West Algoma in the Ontario Legislature was born on Oct. 13, 1848, in Grey county, Ontario. He took the shaping of his fortune into his own hands at the age of 15, and in 1864 enlisted in the 8th New York Cavalry, serving under the famous General Custer until the close of the civil war. Returning to Canada he then commenced his career as railroad contractor, on section A of the C. P. R., and from one of his contracts arose the "cause celebre" of Conmee & McLennan vs. C. P. R The latter company

fought the case carough every Canadian court. Mr. Conmee finally securing an award against it. One of the oldest residents of Port Arthur, Mr. Conmee served in the council, and in 1885 was elected mayor, during the same year being nominated and elected as the first member to the Local Legislature for this constituency. Since entering politics he has been a very active member, and has to his credit several acts on the statute book, which show along what lines his ideas ran. Among these are the municipal waterworks act, the mechanics' lien act, the mining schools act, and the

way and lighting franchises. 1889 he commenced the construct tion of the Port Arthur, Duluth and Western Railway, in partnership with George H. Middleton. The line, now a part of the Canadian Northern system, was completed in 1892. He was also one of the principal advocates of the Ontario and Rainy River Railway. Mr. Conmee is at the present time chief contractor of the Algoma Central

Conmee act, dealing with electric rail-

Bay, the construction of which will take several years. Possessed of strong and aggressive individuality, and constructive ability, Mr. Conmee has wielded great influence in West Algoma, and at the last Lib-

eral convention was renominated as the party's candidate. THE SMALLPOX

Shows Little Abatement-Spreading in the Ontario Lumber Camps.

Toronto, March 12.—Several new cases of smallpox were reported to Dr. Bryce oday from various parts of the province. today from various parts of the province. Three families have the disease in Alfred township, Prescott county, and four more houses at Castleman, in the same county, have been quarantined on account of the disease. There is a case in Admaston township, Renfrew county, the man having come from Rathbun's lumber camp, in Blythfield. Two new cases are reported from Eddie & Jordan's camp, in the Sudbury district, and cases are reported from Eddie & Jordan's camp, in the Sudbury district, and one in Bahmen's camp, near Cartier, in the same district. A man with the disease has crossed from O'Neil's lumber camp in Quebec, to Ottawa. At Sudbury they have a man in the camp with the disease, who escaped from the pest house at the American Soo. Dr. Hodgetts has, with the physicians of several camps, visited a number of camps in the Sudbury district, and seen that all patients bury district, and seen that all patients are vaccinated. In a number of instances the police magistrate has gone to the camps and fined persons when necessary, and vaccinated all the men.

EGGS TAKE A TUMBLE. New York, March 12 .- More than 6.000,000 eggs were received in New York Tuesday, mostly from the west, and the price dropped to 17 cents. They sold two weeks ago at 37 cents. There is such a demand at present, however, that the dealers say they do not ex

pect any further decline.