VERTISEMENTS SINCE LAST ISSUE

Van Courtland-Grand Opera House. yeing—R. Parker & Co. our T's—Barkwell's Drug Store. ailings—Allan Line. vercoats-Oak Hall. illinery-Mrs. McLeod. argains—Eacrett's Bazar. lack Goods—Bayley's. aby Carriages—Wood's Fair. turday Night Sale-Mara's. ibre Chamois. eeting-Labor Hall. ecture-Somerset Hall. Meetings—Mrs. Barney.

Melp Wanted—Rev. T. S. Linscott.

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COMMERCE AND FINANCE

oncert—Culls' Hall.

ypewriters-Creelman Bros.

arpenter Wanted-H. Yates.

oy Wanted-This Office.

Latest Financial News by Mail and Telegraph.

London Money Market. London Honey Harket.

London, April 26, 12:30 p.m.—Consols, 105 5-16
or money, 105‡ for account; Mexican, 20½;
Mexican Central, 65½; St. Paul, 64; Erie, 12½;
Erie, seconds, 66½; Pacific Central, 53½; Reading,
12; Canadian Pacific, 47½; New York Central,
102; Illinois Central, 9½; Bank of England
12te, 2 per cent; open market discount, 13-16. New York Stock Market.

Montreal Stock Market. MONTREAL, April 26. Ask. Off.
 Duluth Common
 7
 63

 Duluth preferred
 14
 1½

 Commercial Cable
 144
 14½
 Wabash Common.....

 Wabash preferred.
 160

 Montreal Telegraph.
 98

 Richelieu and Ontario.
 98

 Montreal Street Railway.
 190½

 Montreal Street Railway, new
 189

 203
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 Montreal Gas Company. 203
Bell Telephone. 1534
Royal Electric. 145 153 141

Toronto Stock Market. TORONTO, April 26.

| Imperial | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 | 268 |

COMMERCIAL

Local Market.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Friday, April 26.

The receipts were very light Oats sold at \$105, and hay at \$9 to \$950 pr ton. Quotations. tions:

GRAIN.

Wheat, white, fall, 100 lbs.....\$1 20 to Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs..... 1 20 to Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs..... 1 20 to Oats, per 100 lbs...... 1 00 to
 Oats, per 100 10s
 1 00

 Peas, per 100 1bs
 1 00

 Corn, per 100 1bs
 95

 Barley, per 100 1bs
 90

 Rve, per 100 1bs
 95

 Lard, per lb
 10 to

 Ducks, per pair
 70 to

 Chickens, per pair
 50 to

 Turkeys, per lb, 10c to 12c; each
 1 00 to

 Honey, per lb. 9 to
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.
Apples, per bag. 75 to

Sheepskins, each......Lambskins, each.....

 Balmoskins, dect
 60
 to
 00

 Pelts, each
 16
 to
 00

 Wool, per lb
 5
 to
 00

 Tallow, rendered, per lb
 3
 to
 0

 Tallow, rough, per lb
 3
 to
 0

 Wool, hard
 4
 00
 to
 4
 50

 Wool, soft
 2
 50
 to
 2
 70

Buy Your Grass Seeds HAMILTON'S

We keep the best quality, and our prices are right. Talbot Street Near King.

Toronto Market.

TORONTO, April 26. Market firm.
WHEAT-Ten cars white, red and spring WHEAT—Ten cars white, red and spring sold on Midland at 74c; two cars of white on Northern with a 7 cent freight to destination sold at 75c. Holders of No. 1 hard afloat at Fort William asking 73c, with buyers at 72c. FLOUR—Straight roller Toronto freights, would sell readily at \$3 40.

PEAS—Exporters bidding 57c for No. 2, middle freights, west, and odd cars sold at 58c.

OATS—White offered west at 33c and odd cars changed hands at 32c, middle freights, west; mixed quoted at 32c.

west; mixed quoted at 32c.

BARLEY—Feed offered west at 44c, but not taken; sales made at 43c west; heavy No. 2 quoted at 47c to 48c outside.

RYE—One car sold east at 55c. Petrolea Oil Market.

PETROLEA, April 26.—Oil opened and closed Montreal Produce Market.

Montreal Produce Market.

Montreal, April 26.

Market firm and slightly higher.

FLOUR—Receipts, 2,300 bbls. Market firm and advanced prices. Patents, winter, \$3 70 to \$3 80; do spring, \$3 80 to \$3 90; straight roller, \$3 70 to \$3 80; extra, \$2 90 to \$3 10; superfine, \$2 60 to \$2 70; strong bakers, \$3 60 to \$3 75; Ontario bags, \$1 50 to \$1 60.

GRAIN—Wheat. No. 2 Manitoba hard, 78c to 79c; corn, 59c to 61c; peas, 70c to 71c; oats, 40c to

9e; corn, 59e to 61e; peas, 70e to 71e; oats, 40e to 01e; barley, 57e to 60e; rye, 54e to 56e.

MEAL—Oatmeal, \$1 90 to \$2; cornmeal, \$1 35 to \$1 45.
PROVISIONS — Mess pork, \$17 to \$17 50;
lard, 7c to 9c; bacon, 10c to 11c; hams, 9c to 10c;
cheese, 10c; butter, townships, 16c to 18c,
Western, 14c to 16c; eggs, 10c to 11c.

English Markets.

English Markets.

London, April 26.

(Beerbohm's Report by Cable.)

Wheat, off coast and passage firmer, 3d higher; LaPlatta, steamship, April, 22s 3d; Russian shipment, May and June, 22s 3d; No 1 Cal., iron arrived, 25s 10½d; No. 2 club Calcutta shipment, April and May, 23s 1½d; sales 4; English country markets dearer, 6d; corn off coast, 6d; corn off coast quiet, 3d dearer; passage rather firmer, 3d higher; sales 2 mixed American, sail grade, prompt steamer, 21s 3d; LaPlatta, yellow steamer shipment, May and June, 19s 4½d.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firm; demand moderate; No. 1 Cal., 5s 1d to 5s 2d; R. W., 5s 1½d to 5s 2d; spring, 5s ½d to 5s 5d; futures quiet; R. W., 5s 1½d April, May and June; 5s 1d July; 5s 1½d April, May and June; 5s 1d July; 4s 5d Aug.; 4s 5½d Sept; flour 17s.

The quotations for the past three market days are as follows:

| April 24. | April 25. | April 26.

Wheat firm, demand moderate, holders offer sparingly; corn firm, demand fair.

Receipts of wheat for the past three days, 124,000 centals, including 54,000 centals American; corn, past three days, 57,000 centals American.

Weather-Cloudy, threatening. On 'Change.

[Special to C. E. Turner, broker, Masonic Temple, from Kennett, Hopkins Company.

Company.

Chicago, April 25.—Speculative sentiment which was bearish yesterday went to the other extreme today, and the crowd have done their best to make a bull market. They have had some help from better cables and fair exports, but there seemed to be no general demand to take the load off their hands. Inquiry for spot wheat has been more limited. The cargo business is apparently at a standstill. The 400,000 lot sold yesterday by Bryant, about which there has been so much talk, is said to have been sold about \$\frac{3}{2}\$c under current prices. It is not so easy to get a premium for cargoes as it was ten days ago. New York is but \$4\$c over Chicago for July wheat, and this is not indicative of a commercial demand at the seaboard. It is hoped that foreigners may take hold vigorously after a while, but they manitest little interest at present.

The flour trade is said to be improving. Weather conditions in the west indicate general rains within a day or two, and they might have a softening effect on the market.

Corn and oats have been dull and steady. Receivers say the advance has increased country

offerings, and larger receipts are expected. In oats receivers have sold May moderately and bought July, but the trade has shown little activity. Reports as to crop prospects are more favorable. ceivers say the advance has increased country

more favorable.

In provisions an effort was made to break prices early, but it was only partially successful. The market has become so dull it is not improbable that the speculative leaders may start in for a little bear campaign to shake out scalping longs and infuse some life into trade. American Markets.

NEW YORK, April 25.

FLOUR—Receipts, 11,000 packages; exports, 6.000 barrels; sales, 16,000 packages; firm. Winter wheat, low grades, \$2 10 to \$2 60; do fair to fancy, \$2 70 to \$3 05; do, patents, \$3 to \$3 50; Minnesota clear, \$2 70 to \$3; do, straights, \$3 10 to \$3 55; do, patents, \$3 40 to \$4 30; low extras, \$2 10 to \$2 60; city mills, \$3 35 to \$3 45; do, patents, \$4 20; rye mixtures, \$2 60 to \$2 89; rye flour, firm, \$3 25 to \$3 60.

CORNMEAL—Steady; yellow western, \$2 65 to \$2 70.

to \$2.70. RYE—Nominal; western, 50c to 57c. BARLEY—Nominal; western, 60c to 65c; No.

RYE—Nominal; western, 50c to 57c.
BARLEY—Nominal; western, 60c to 65c; No.
2 Milwaukee, 60c.
MALT—Nominal; Canada country-made, 85c to 90c; western, 65c to 75c; two-rowed State, 70c to 72½c; six-rowed do, 75c to 80c.
PEAS—Canada nominal.
WHEAT—Receipts, none: exports, 84,000 bu; sales, 5,505,000 bu futures, 48,000 bu spot; spots firmer; No. 2 red, store and elevator, 65½c to 65c; afloat, 66½c; f. o. b., 66½c to 67½c; uagraded red, 60c to 68c; options firm; No. 2 red, May, 64½c; June, 65¾c; July, 65½c; Aug., 65½c; Sept., 66½c; Dec., 68¾c.
CORN—Receipts, 2,000 bu; exports, 1,000 bu; sales, 325,000 bu futures; 37,000 spot; spots firmer; No. 2, none here; ungraded mixed, 52c to 54c; steamer mixed, 52½c to 53½c; options firm; May, 52½c; July, 52¾c; Sept., 53¾c.
OATS—Receipts, 23,000 bu; exports, 3,000 bu sales, 225,000 bu futures; 43,000 bu spot; spots firmer; No. 2, 32¾c; No. 2 white, 37½c; No. 2 Chicago, 33½c; No. 3, 31¾c; No. 3 white, 37c; mixed western, 32½c to 34½c; white do and white State, 36c to 40½c; options stronger; April and May, 32½c; July, 33½c.
FEED BRAN—85c to 87½c.
MIDDLINGS—85c.
HAY—Firm, 70c to 75c.

RYE FEED-85c. HAY-Firm, 70c to 75c. HOPS-Steady; State, 3c to 10c. BERF-Steady; family, \$11 to \$13; extra mess, \$8 50 to \$9.

CUTMEATS—Quiet: pickled bellies, 63c; do shoulders, 6c; do hams. 94c to 94c; middles steady; short clear, \$7 05.

LARD—Steady; western steam, \$7 10; refined dull; continent, \$7 50; compound, \$7 65\$ to \$7 654

PORK-Steady; mess, \$13 50 to \$14; extra PORK—Steady; mess, \$13 50 to \$12; extra prime nominal.

BUTTER—Weak; State dairy, &c to 17½c; do creamery, new, 19½c; western dairy, &c to 13½c; do creamery, new, 12c to 19½c; do old, 9c to 15c; do factory, 7c to 11c; Elgins, 19½c.

CHEESE—Steady; State large, old, &c to 11½c; do new, &c to &c; fancy, old, 10½c to 11½c; do new, &c to &c; part skims, old, 7c to 11½c; do new, &c to &c; part skims, old, 2c to 7c; do new, 2c to &c; full skims, new, 1c to 1½c.

EGGS—Easy; State and Pennsylvania, 13½c; western fresh, 13c to 13½c.

TALLOW—Lower; city, 4¾c; country, 4½c to 5c.

to 5c.

PETROLEUM—Nominal; refined, \$10; do in bulk, \$7 45 to \$7 50.

POTATOES—Steady; Jersey, \$1 75 to \$2; New York white, \$2 to \$2 25; do rose, \$2 25; Bermuda, \$4 to \$8; Florida, \$3 to \$7: sweets, \$2 to \$3 50.

RICE—Firm; domestic, 4½c to 6c.

MOLASSES—Steady; 26c to 32c.

COFFEE—Options steady; sales: 750 bags, including May, \$13 70 to \$13 80; July, \$14 05; Aug., \$14 16; Sept., \$14 16; Oct., \$14 20; Dec., \$14 05 to \$14 10; spot steady, 16c.

SUGAR—Firm; Standard "A," 3 15-16c to 42c; confectioners' "A," 3 13-16c to 4c; cutloaf, 4 9-16c to 42c; granulated, 3 15-16c

higher than yesterday; July corn close a shade lower, and cash \$\frac{1}{2}c\$ higher; July oats gained \$\frac{1}{2}c\$ to \$\frac{1}{2}c\$, and cash \$\frac{1}{2}c\$ Provisions were steady.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 35 cars; corn, 300 cars; oats, 220 cars; hogs, 18,000 head.

There was a good demand for vessel room, with 1c bid, and \$1\frac{1}{2}c\$ asked for wheat and corn to Buffalo. Through rates on flour to New York were 15c per 100 lbs, and on grain 6c per bu.

WHEAT-April, 594c; May, 60c; July, 614c; Sept., 62 c. CORN—April, 47c; May, 47 c; July, 47 c; Sept., 48 c to 48 c. OATS—May, 27 c; June, 29 c; July, 28 c to

PORK—May, \$12 20; July, \$12 47½. LARD—May, \$6 85; July, \$7; Sept., \$7 15. SHORT RIBS — May, \$6 27½; July, \$6 42½;

Sept., \$6 55.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

Flour firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 64c to 65c; No. 3 do, 59c to 63c; No. 2 red, 65c to 60lc; No. 2 corn, 47c to 47½c; No. 2 oats, 29c to 29½c; No. 2 rye, 65c nominal; No. 2 barley, 52c to 53c; mess pork, \$12 10 to \$12 37½; lard, \$6 87½ to \$6 85; short ribs sides, \$6 20 to \$6 27½; dry salted shoulders, \$5 37½ to \$5 50; short clear sides, \$6 55 to \$6 60.

Receints—

Receipts-Flour 10.000 Wheat 16,000
 Corn
 119,000 Oats
 232,000

 Rye
 8,000 Barley
 31,000

BUFFALO, April 25. WHEAT—Spring wheat—Irade quiet, and limits weak in No. 1 hard; 9\frac{1}{2}e over Chicago May asked; No. 1 northern, 9\frac{1}{2}e over. Sales: 13 cars No. 1 hard, 70e; 8.00\times bu No. 1 northern, 9\frac{1}{2}e over Chicago May. Winter wheat—In fair demand; no track offerings. Sales: 12,000 bu; No. 2 red, store, 65\frac{1}{2}e; 9 cars do choice, 65\frac{1}{2}e; closing: No. 2 red, 66\frac{1}{2}e; No. 1 whire. 71e bid on track to arrive; No. 2 red store, 64e to 65\frac{1}{2}e; No. 3 red, 63\frac{1}{2}e; Kansas hard, 65\frac{1}{2}e spot; white, 66e to arrive.

arrive.

CORN—Scarce and higher for track receipts; No. 2 yellow, 52c; No. 3 yellow, 512c; No. 2 common, 513c; No. 3 common, 51c; No.

No. 2 common, 514c; No. 3 common, 51c; No. 3 common, 51c store offerings.

OATS—Firmer; light receipts; No. 2 white sold 36c; No. 3 white, 354c; No. 2 mixed, 324c to 324c on track.

RYE—Dull; No. 2, 70c asked in store, FLOUR—Firm; good demand; unchanged.

MILLFEED—Quiet; weak; unchanged.
Canal freights—No raise established.
Receipts—Wheat; 377,000 bu; corn, 178,000 bu; oats, 112,000 bu; barley, 115,000.

Shipments—Flour, 9,000 bbls; wheat, 155,000 bu; corn, 28,000 bu; barley, 1,500 bu; rye, 1,000 bu.

Chicago Exchange.

Reported by C. E. Turner, broker, Masonic Temple. April 25—1 p.m. Open. High. Low. Close

The Live Stock Markets. MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, April 25.—At the Eastern abattoir marke today the offerings were about 500 head of cattle, 100 sheep, 200 spring lambs, 30 lean hogs and a very large number of calves. Business was dull and prices higher for cattle, as much as 4½c per lb, live weight, being asked, and in a few instances paid for best beeves. Small mea's were only in limited demand. A large number of the calves which came forward were of very poor quality, and sold as low as \$1 each. Following is the general range of as \$1 each. Following is the general range of

quotations:
Cattle—Butchers' good, per lb, 4e to 4½c, live
weight: do, do, medium to fair, do, 2ie to 3¾c;
do, do, do, culls, do, 2e to 2½c.
Sheep—Common to good, \$3 to \$5; lambs, spring, \$2 to \$5. Calves—Good to choice, \$6 to \$10; common to fair, do, \$1 to \$5.

fair, do, \$1 to \$5.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.

EAST BUFFALO, April 25.—Cattle—7 cars through, 7 on sale. Market quiet and firm, with but few on sale. Wals in light supply and stronger. Light to fair, \$3 to \$3.75; good to prime, \$4 to \$4.50.

Hogs—14 cars through, 15 on sale. Market opened steady, but firmed up about noon. Yorkers, early, \$5.05 to \$5.10, later \$5.15; good mixed and mediums, \$5.15 to \$5.20; good to prime heavy. \$3.25 to \$3.30; roughs, \$4.25 to \$4.50; stags, \$3.25 to \$4; pigs, \$5.5 to \$5.10.

Sheep and Lambs—2 cars through, 17 on sale. Market lite to 15c higher for good handy lambs; heavy lots slow and unchanged; prime handy wool lambs, \$5.90 to \$6.05; good to choice, \$5.60 to \$5.81; light to fair, \$4.50 to \$5.50; clipped lambs, fresh, \$4.50 to \$5.55; full clipped, \$5.50 to \$5.65; sheep, steady to strong wools, mixed, fair and good, \$4.to \$4.60; calls and common, \$2.to \$3.75; clipped sheep, \$3.25 to \$4.25; no heavy here and none wanted.

A late report says: Cattle closed firm; hogs also closed firm. Sheep and lambs, closed strong for all good grades.

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NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Beeves — Receipts, 179 head. No trading, feeling weak; city dressed 179 head. No trading feeling weak; city dressed native sides, &c to 10c.

Calves—Receipts, 477. Market active and firm at \$4 50 to \$5 50 for decent to prime veals; dressed calves firm at 4½c to 7c for country dressed veals; 5c to 8½c for city dressed, and 3c to 4c for little calves.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4,535 head. Sheap lower; yearling firm. Ordinary to good unshorn sheep, \$4 to \$5; fair to good clipped do, \$4 37½ to \$4 50; unshorn yearlings, \$4 50 to \$6 50; dressed mutton, 6c to 8½c; dressed yearling lambs, 8½c to 10.0.

lambs, 8½ to 10.c.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,934 head. Market steady
at \$5 25 to \$5 50 for fair to good hogs; country iressed, 5ic to 8c.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO. April 25.—Very light receipts of cattle, with a good demand from eastern shippers and dressed beef concerns caused an advance in choice kinds of 10c to 15c per 100 lbs, but common stock was selling as low as ever. Packers and eastern shippers took hold early, and the urgent buying resulted in a 5c to 10c gain in the price of hogs. The supply, including the amount left over and fresh receipts, were quite large. Sheep were easy, owing to a large supply and only a moderate demand. Cattle — Receipts, 7,200 head. Extra 1,500 to 1,650 lb steers, \$6 20 to \$6 25; choice to extra 1,350 to 1,500 lb steers, \$5 50 to \$6 10; good to choice steers, 1,100 to 1,200 lb, \$4 50 to \$4 55; choice to extra 1,500 to 1,200 lb, \$4 to \$5 25; bulls, choice to extra, \$4 to \$5; bulls, poor to good, \$2 to \$3 %; feeders, 900 to 1,200 lbs, \$9 60

\$5 25; bulls, choice to exira, \$4 to \$5: bulls, poor to good, \$2 to \$3 /0; feeders, 900 to 1,200 lbs, \$3 90 to \$4 85; stockers, 6:0 to 900 lbs, \$2 60 to \$3 85; cows and heifers, extra, \$450 to \$5; cows, fair to choice, \$3 to \$4 25; cows, poor to good canners, \$1 65 to \$2 50; veals, good to choice, \$3 75 to \$5; veals, common to fair, \$2 50 to \$3 50; Texas steers, fed, \$4 to \$5 25; Texas cows, fed, \$3 25 to \$4 15.

Hogs—Receipts, 22,000. Heavy packing and shipping lots, \$4 65 to \$5; common to choice mixed, \$4 50 to \$4 92; choice assorted, \$4 70 to \$4 90; light, \$4 50 to \$4 90; pigs, \$3 60 to \$3 75. Sheep—Receipts, 12,009. Inferior to choice, \$1 50 to \$4 75; lambs, \$3 to \$5 50.

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The MORNING ADVERTISER will be found to have all the Parliamentary news from Ottawa up to date, and also the happenings of the entire globe for the previous 24 hours. Get it every morning. Two cents will buy it.

-The annual art school examinations are being held in the lower forms of the Collegiate Institute. -First Division Court was held by Judge

Edward Elliott this morning. A long list of unimportant cases was disposed of. -Mr. W. T. Bullen, London, arrived at Ottawa today on business with the Government. Mr. Isaac Waterman is also there.

-Thomas Johnston, 471 Maitland street, a popular young fellow and a machinist by trade, left today to work in St. Louis, Mo. -The many big gaps in the Dundas street pavement, between Richmond and Ridout, have been filled in with gravel, and driving

along the thoroughfare is a little easier. -"I never saw passenger traffic so brisk after a holiday season," said a Grand Trunk official, "as it has been since Easter, and prospects for the summer are very cheerful.' -Mrs. Chas. Hutchinson, of South London, has sent cut circulars asking for contributions of books to the county jail library. Already a large number of books have been

donated. -The death of John Blackmer, of Springfield, Mass., removes one of the greatest temperance orators of the Eastern States. Mr. Blackmer is the father-in-law of Dr. George Pool, formerly of this city.

-M. F. O'Mara, of Dundas street west, was charged at the Police Court this morning with keeping a vicious dog. J. W. Fletcher was the complainant. He was walking through a lane adjoining O'Mara's premises the other day when the dog nipped him on the leg. Mr. O'Mara promised to who was besieged in the fort there, keep the canine chained up and the charge and who was relieved on Saturday last was withdrawn.

-A new flag is floating over the Oddfellows' hall in honor of the 76th anniversary liant military achievement in passing of the order. Arrangements for the annual parade on Sunday to St. Andrew's Church have been completed, and besides an excellent sermon from Rev. Robert Johnston, good music by the choir is assured. Brethren from Strathroy and many other outside places are expected.

city treasurer at noon today to corporation the 8th the enemy tried to set fire laborers. This amount had been earned to the water tower, and on the 14th during the previous week by about 160 men, and the sight as they stood in a long row waiting for their turn at the wicket was an interesting one. The appearance and makeup of the men were a study for an artist. and needed all they were getting.

-Mr. Creelman, of Creelman Bros., Georgetown, manufacturers of the wellknown Creelman knitting machines, is in wounded. The enemy on April 8 attempted to set fire to the citadel, and Blickensderfer typewriter, which they handle as agents for Canada. Judging by an inspection of this typewriter, it will certainly secure a strong hold on the commercial world as an improvement in many ways over other machines. It is smaller the standard typewriters, but does the city today establishing an agency for the city to on the 11th the fort was attacked on all sides. The garrison made a sortic con April 17, recaptured the summer-house, and blew up the enemy's mine. The British loss in the sortic was 8 killed and 13 wounded. The enemy established are city to on the 11th the fort was attacked on all sides. The garrison made a sortic con April 17, recaptured the summer-house, and blew up the enemy's mine. The British loss in the sortic was 8 killed and 13 wounded. The enemy established are city to on the city to on the 11th the fort was attacked on all sides. The garrison made a sortic con April 17, recaptured the summer house, and blew up the enemy's mine. than the standard typewriters, but does netted by the troops engaged in the excellent work with rapidity. Since January 60 machines have been sold by this firm. The "Advertiser" has one of the

on Sunday morning.

overwork, but is recovering. -Mr. J. B. Laing, of Toronto, is in the city in reference to his audit of ex-Treasurer Nicholls' London West accounts. It is likely that civil proceedings will be instituted against Mr. Nicholls in a few days to recover the \$904 which Mr. Laing says he still owes the corporation.

-Auctioneeer Jones disposed of the general stock of Hiram Mosser, Allan Park, valued at \$2,158 95, this afternoon to W. Laidlaw, Durham, at 77 1-2 cents on the dollar. He also sold the W. D. Macwillie stock at the same time to J. W. Broderick, city, at 65 cents. The stock was valued at \$892 83. -Mr. Frank W. Peel, of Detroit, son

of Mr. J. R. Peel, of this city, recovered a verdict of \$6,964 87 at Detroit on Tuesday against Jacob and A. Kaier for damages to his marble works, caused, quarrel. Mr. Peel sued for \$7,000.

is to be congratulated on securing such valuable management and experience for his large staff. - Duluth News-Tribune.

-The annual examination of probationers and students for the ministry in the London Conference of the Methodist Church was concluded at Glencoe last night. The number writing in each class was as follows: Preliminary, 13; first year, 7; second year, 5; third year, 4. In the evening a public meeting was held in the auditorium of the church, when certificates of staning were given to the students, and addresses by Rev. Messrs. W. McDonagh and A. L. Russell.

-Woodstock Sentinel-Review: The C. P. R. and G. T. R. tracks run parallel from Beachville. The two afternoon trains due here shortly after 5 o'clock quite often made Beachville at about the same time. This was done last night, and taking advantage of the excellent opportunity to test the motive power of the two iron horses, the crews put on steam, and with Woodstook station as the goal on interesting stock station as the goal an interesting railroad race began. The G. T. R. train is not due to stop at Beachville, and shot through at the rate of about 40 miles an hour. The St. Thomas train, consisting of an engine and two coaches, consisting of an engine and two coacnes, slowed up at the burg, but receiving no orders to stop picked up the mail and sped on. Owing to no stoppage having been made at Beachville the G. T. R. train started off considerably in the lead. But little time was lost by the lead. But little time was lost by the C. P. R. crew in getting up speed, and as the miles were covered the distance between the rear coach of the leading train and the flying engine of the C. P. R. gradually lessened, and in a short time the latter forged ahead. The lead was maintained throughout, and the C. P. R. station here was reached about three minutes in advance of the other contestant.

FAREWELL SMOKING CONCERT. The members and friends of the Arlirgton Club assembled in their rooms, Duffield block, last evening, and held a very successful smoking concert, the occasion being a farewell to Ernest PISTACHIO, BANANA, PINEAPPLE, PEAR, CASPBERRY, VANILLA, ORANGE, LEMON

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Occasion being a farewell to Ernest B. Fewings, a member, who intends leaving for St. Louis, Mo., this evening. The following programme was rendered, with the president, H. E. Thompson, in the chair, assisted by Vice-President W. J. Bridgman: Songs, Messrs. W. J. Clark, W. A. Graham. C. Pavey, Ed.

Ryan, T. J. Ranahan, J. Benenati, C. J. Welford, T. Jones, F. Floyd, B. Masuret, A. Barnard, F. Fenix; instrumental, G. Watts, B. Masuret, T. J. Ranahan, F. McNiff; violin solo, Jex Bros.; mandolin solo, Prof. Cortese; guitar and harmonica. Charles Williamson; harmonica, J. Benenati, W. Portwood, T. Leach; recitations from Shakespeare, A. Caravella. Luncheon was served to about 60 at a Dundas street dining parlor. An energetic committee, comprising R. Laird, secretary-treasurer; R. Bonnie and F. McNiff, had charge of the programme. In acknowledgment of the kindly words of the president and vice-president, Mr. Fewings made a

neat reply. LADIES' BRASS BAND.

A brass band composed entirely of ladies is being formed from the different Salvation Army bands throughout Western Ontario. Capt. Dean and Lieut. Pettit, of Goderich, have the work in hand, and already about a dozen musicians have been secured. Capt. Dean will be the bandmaster. The band meets in London next week, and after a few days' practice will tour Western Ontario, opening at Strathroy on May . Special meetings will be held in every town where a corps is organized, and good results are expected. Two lady members of the local corps have agreed to join the band. Meetings in London are expected about a month hence.

ERAVE BRITISHERS.

Thrilling Story of the Defense of Chitral

And the Heroic Rescue-Terrible Suffering of the Besieged.

Calcutta, April 26.-A dispatch from Simla today announces that the contents of the diary of Dr. Robertson, the British political agent at Chitral, by the flying column commanded by Col. Kelly, which reached Chitral from Gilgit after accomplishing a brilover the snow-covered Shandar Pass, some 12,000 to 14,000 feet above the level of the sea, has been received there, and gives an account of the siege. He says that on March 3 the British garrison made a reconnaissance in force, and lost 22 officers and men killed and had 31 wounded. The -Nearly \$900 were distributed by the siege proper began on March 4. On the besiegers attacked the east side fort, but were repulsed. The tribesmen on April 5 occupied a summerhouse about 50 yards from the tower, and on the 6th they advanced a sangar, or stone breastwork, to with-

They were of all types, nationalities, ages and colors and looked as if they had earned and needed all they were getting. garrison was fighting the flames Dr. Robertson was wounded, and several of the British force were killed or firm. The "Advertiser" has one of the machines in its office and will show the same to any person desiring to look at it.

—Rev. John Potts, D.D., of Toronto, of the tribesmen, who picked off the Rev. John Potts, D.D., of Toronto, will preach at the Collegiate Institute

Was due to the spiendid marksmanship of the tribesmen, who picked off the British soldiers from behind sangars, which were built on all sides.

on Sunday morning.

—Mrs. Ewart, president of the Presbyterian W. F. M. S., Toronto, who is byterian W. F. M. S., Toronto, who is widely known here, has been ill from widely known here, has been ill from the defence of the Chitral fort cannot be read without thrilling national transfer. London, April 26.—In an editorial this al pride. It adds: "If ever the Victoria cross was fairly earned it has been earned by Col. Kelly."

WALKED OFF THE TRAIN.

Botsford's Bad Blunder - Thought He Had Reached the Station.

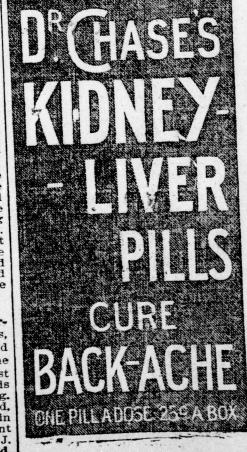
Wyoming, Ont., April 26.—This morning about 6 o'clock Mr. Wm. Phippen who lives near the railroad here, was alarmed by shouts from that direction. He found an old man lying by the side of the track, with his right leg severed between the knee and ankle and the left foot badly crushed. He was conveyed to McParland's Hotel and an examination of his injuries was made by Dr. Brodie, who deemed it best not to attempt an operation, owing to the man's advanced age and his weak conit is alleged, by the defendants setting dition. The patient was quite conscious, fire to an adjoining property belonging and informed the doctor that his name to a relative with whom they had a was J. Botsford, of Madison, Ont. He uarrel. Mr. Peel sued for \$7,000.

-W. H. Trebilcock, who for ten years Point Edward named Mrs. Judson. He ran a large drygoods and millinery em- had been asleep, and waking suddenly porium in London, Can., having sold fancied the train had arrived at the out his interest there, and after spend-tunnel station, and in a half-dazed coning some months in the large stores dition he walked off the car. He will of Chicago, has accepted the manage- not survive his injuries many hours. As ment of the Great Metropolitan Departmental Store of Duluth. M. Freimuth here, and was running very fast, it is a wonder he was not killed outright.

The mayor of Chicago will indict certain ex-city officials for stuffing the pay roll. Sir Oliver Mowat will shortly leave on & trip to Europe for his health.

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