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Toronto, Aug. 20.

Morning. Afternoon

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Afternoon Sales: Mackay, common, 25 and

Toronto, Ang. 21. 12:45.

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Union Bank

Twin City Railway .. 861/4

Toronto Railway

LOCAL MARKET.

London, Wedneedsy, Aug. 21.
Hay sold quickly today, and there was
ot enough offered for the brisk demand;
siles were made at \$13 50 to \$14 per ton. load of straw (the first th's week)

The first load of new oats were offered day, which sold at \$1 30 per cwt; old oats sold at \$1 50 per cwt.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

While there was no new feature at the markets held here during the past week, there was a brisk demand in almost every line, and prices were firm. Grain-The demand for oats is excellent;

prices are higher than a week ago; sales made at \$1 45 to \$1 50 per cwt, nearly all at the higher figure; new oats are sell ing at \$1 30 per cwt; this is 441-5c per bu. millers are offering 80c per bu for new

farmers are busy harvesting their oat to \$4 50; strong bakers, \$4 20 to \$4 50; strong bakers, \$4 20 to \$4 50; strong bakers, \$4 20 wheat, and 85c for old. Hay and Straw-Owing to the fact that crop, the delivery of hay has been small; onsequently there is a good demand and prices are \$1 to \$1 50 per ton higher than butter, Eggs and Cheese—Firm and unweek ago; sales are made at \$13 50 to changed. \$14 per ton. Straw is very scarce at present; prices are steady, at \$6 50 per ton. Butter and Eggs-Butter is in good demand and prices are firm, at 20c to 21c for

oity. As soon as the people start to buy, prices will advance. Peaches are selling at Oc to \$1 per 11-quart basket, and plums

the supply is not as large as a week ago; prices rule at 80c per bu. Poultry-Trade is a trifle slow, and the following prices are most frequently paid: Spring chickens, 10c per lb alive and 12c

Spring chickens, 10c per lb alive and 12c dressed; old fowl, 7c to 8c per lb alive and 9c dressed; ducks, 8c per lb alive and 9c to 10c dressed; there is no trade for turkeys.

Dressed Hogs—There is a good demand, at \$9 25 to \$9 50 per cwt.

Live Hogs—The price paid here last

Live Hogs.—The price paid here last Monday was \$6 60 per cwt; the market is

to 8 weeks old.

Butchers' Meats—Beef is dull of sale, at
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Peas—Canadian firm, 68 9d. are selling at \$5 to \$6 per paid for pigs 6 to 8 weeks old. \$5 to \$6 50, and occasionally \$7 per cwt s paid for an extra choice carcase; for hindquarters prices range from \$6 to \$8, and \$5 to \$6 for forequarters; lamb is selling at 14c per lb by the carcase; veal is in demand at \$8 to \$9 per cwt; mutton, \$8 to \$10 per cwt.

Honey-Sales have been made the past week at 10c per lb for strained in large lots and \$1 60 to \$1 75 per dozen for sections. HAY MARKET.

car lots on track here.

Baied Straw-\$7 50 per ton in car lots on track here. SUCAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK. New York, Aug. 20 .- Sugar-New steady; fiar refining, 3:35c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3:29c: molasses sugar, 3c; refired quiet; No. 6, \$4 60; No. 7, \$4 55; No. 8, \$4 50; No. 9, \$4 45; No. 10, \$4 35; No. 11, \$4 30; No. 12, \$4 25; No. 13, \$4 20; No. 14, \$4 15; confectioners' A, \$4 80; mold A, \$5 35; cut-leaf and crushed, \$5 70; powdered, \$5 10; granulated, Amal \$5; cubes, \$5 25. Molasses—Steady; New Amer Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, 37c Amer

TORONTO.

Toronto, Aug. 20 .- Sugar-Steady; Montreal granulated, in barrels, \$4 50; yellow, \$4 10: Ontario beet, \$4 35; in bags, 5c less. DAIRY MARKET.

CHICAGO. Chicago, Aug. 20 .- Butter-Firm; cream-

eries, 20c to 24c; dairies, 18c to 22c. Cheese-Steady, 12c to 131/c. NEW YORK.

New York, Aug. 20 .- Butter-Firm; re- Erie, ceipts, 13,465 packages; creamery, common te special, 20: to 25:; we tern factory, com- Illine mon to extra, 181/2c to 211/2c. Cheese-Firm and unchanged; receipts,

COTTON MARKET. NEW YORK.

New York, Aug. 20.-Cotton-Spot closed middling uplands, 13.25c; middling Norfolk & Western. 70 gulf. 13.50c; sales, 208 bales. New York, Aug. 21.-Cotton-Futures o; ened steady; Auvgst, 11c bid; September, 11.16c; October, 11.75c; December, 11.90c; January, 12e; February, 12 02c bid; March 12.68c; April, 12.12c bid; May, 12.16c.

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG. Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 20.-Oil opened and OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., Aug. 20.-Credit balances,

BEAN MARKET. DETROIT.

Detroit, Aug. 20.-Beans-Spot, \$1 57; Oc- Wisconsin Central ... 14 tober, \$1 52; November, \$1 50.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

EAST BUFFALO East Buffalo, Aug. 20 .- Cattle-Receipts.

225 head; fair demand and s'eady; prime steers, \$6 25 to \$6 75. Veals—Receipts, 100 Hoston stock exchanges. steers, \$6 25 to \$6 75. Veals—Receipts, 100 head; active and steady, \$5 to \$8 25. Hogs—Receipts, 7.700 head; slow, 20c to 40c lower; heavy, \$6 25 to \$6 45; mixed, \$6 40 to \$6 50; Yorkers, \$6 50 to \$6 60; pigs, \$6 80 to \$6 95; roughs, \$5 25 to \$5 50; stags, \$4 to \$4 50; dairies, \$6 to \$6 50. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,600 head; sheep active and steady; lambs slow an 25c lower; lambs, 5 50 to \$7 50; yearlings \$6 to \$6 25; wethers, \$5 50 to \$6; ewes, \$4 50 to \$5 25; sheep mixed, \$2 50 to \$5 25.

\$5 25; sheep, mixed, \$2 50 to \$5 25. OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, Aug. 20.-Canadian cattle are steady, at 11% to 12% per lb, dressed Dom. Steel, pfd....

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, Aug. 21.—Cattle—Receipts.

100 head; slow, prices unchanged. Veals—
Receipts, 100 head; active and steady. 85

Mackay, com.

Hoge-Receipts, 3,800 head; 121113 achievings, 25c lower, others 5c to 10c higher: heavy, 86 20 to 86 65: mixed, 86 50 to 86 65: Yorkers, 86 60 to 85 70; pigs, 86 65 to 86 70: -Receipts, 3,800 head; fairly active; dairies, 26 to 26 60.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,600 head: Montreal Telegraph...

active and steady, unchanged: R. S. Steel & Coal....

CHICAGO. Chicago, Aug. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, about R. & O. Navigation. 631/2 Chicago, Aug. 21.—Cattle—Rece'pts, about 18,000 head; steady; cows, \$1.70 to \$5.40. Texas steers, \$5.75 to \$5; westerns, \$4.25 to \$6.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.65 to \$5.10. Hogs—Receipts, about 25,000 head; market weak to 50 lower; light, \$5.55 to \$6.30 mixed, \$5.55 to \$6.20; heavy, \$5.25 to \$6.30 mixed, \$5.55 to \$6.50; pigs, \$5.40 to \$6.15 good to choice heavy, \$6.20 to \$6.30; bulk of sales at \$6.65 to \$5.90. Sheep—Receipts, about 23,000 head; market steady; natives, \$3.25 to \$5.70; westerns \$3.75 to \$5.50; yearlings, \$5.50 to \$6.30; lambs, \$5.25 to \$7.50; westerns, \$5.25 to \$7.50 mm. Textile, pfd. \$4.50 mm. Textile, pfd. \$4.50 mm. Textile, com. \$42.50 mm. Textile, com. \$42.50 mm. Textile, pfd. \$4.50 mm. Textile, pfd. \$4.50 mm. Textile, com. \$42.50 mm. Textile, com. \$42.50 mm. Textile, pfd. \$4.50 mm. Textile, com. \$42.50 mm. Textile, com. \$42.50 mm. Textile, pfd. \$4.50 mm. Textile, com. \$42.50 mm. Textile, com. \$42.50 mm. Textile, pfd. \$4.50 mm. Textile, com. \$42.50 mm. \$42.50 mm. Textile, com. \$42.50 mm. \$42.50

PRODUCE MARKET.

TOBONTO.

Dom. Textile, pfd... 84
Dom. Textile, com... 424
Bell Telephone, bds. 105%
Dom. Coal, bonds... 98
Dom. Cotton, bonds... 94
Dom. Steel, bonds... ...
Halifax Ry, bds... ... 101 Aug. 21.—Deliveries of new inue quite light, with prices ined to fluctuate according to

re: Afternoon Sales: Montreal Railway, 100 Wheat—Ontario No. 2 white, nominal; at 187, 25 at 189, 100 at 187, 75 at 189; do. Wheat—Ontario No. 2 white, nominal; at 187, 25 at 189, 100 at 187%, 75 at 189; 00, new wheat, 81c to 82c outside, quick delivery, and 79c f. o. b., for export; Manitoba wheat, No. 1 northern, 95c; No. 2, 92c. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 64c to 65c at Toronto; No. 3 yellow, 63% to 64c; No. 3 mixed, 62c. Barley—No. 2 is nomial, at 52c to 53c; Molsons Bank, 10 at 200, 25 at 200; Iron, No. 3 extra, 51c to 52c.

Onta No. 2 white is accres 44% to 45c.

Oate—No. 2 white is scarce, 44% to 45e outside; new oats, 38c to 39c, Chatham freights; Manitoba, No. 2 white, 45c to 451/2c on track at elevator; No. 2 mixed or No. 3 white, 431/2c to 44c.

Peas Nominal, at 75c for No. 2. Rye-65c. Flour-Ontario 90 per cent patents, about nominal, \$3 20 to \$3 25; new wheat flour, \$3 10; Manitoba first patents, \$5 to \$5 25;

LEATHER MARKET.

Butter and Eggs—Butter is in good demand and prices are firm, at 20c to 21c for crocks and 21c to 22c for pound rolls by the basket lot. Eggs are dull of sale, as the dealers report that they are getting their supply at 15½ per dozen for crates; by the basket lot 16c to 16½ per dozen is most frequently paid.

Fruits—"There will be no big days for fruit this season, unless I am greatly mistruit this season as the people start to buy,

HIDES SKINS AND TALLOW.

Toronto, Aug. 20.—Leather—Business continues quiet and wholesale houses are wholesale houses are unioned turn of events in the book. Dom. Coal, com. 47

Dom. Steel, com. 29

Dom. Steel, com. 20

Mackay, com. 60

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Mackay, pfd. 61

Mexican L. & P. 42

Nipissing Mines

No. 1, 28c to 35c; No. 2, 27c to 29c; calfekin, French, 81 20 to 81 46; pebbles and buff, 14c

to 16c; harness, union oak tanned, 35c to 38c; cod oil, 45c to 48c; degras, per lb, 3c

to 3½c.

HIDES SKINS AND TALLOW. TORONTO:

HIDES, SKINS AND TALLOW.

bring the same price; thimbleberries sell at 15c to 16e per box wholesale; the apples offered at present would be unsalable last season; sales are made at 80c to \$1 per bu for hand-picked.

Potatoes—There is a good demand, but the supply is not as large as a week ago;

Toronto, Aug. 20.—Hides—Prices are being generally maintained, but trade is dull.

Stocks are generally large in this city. Inspected steers and cows, No. 1, 9c; No. 2, 8c; do, country hides, 7c; calfskins, city. Bank of Mourreal.

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WOOL MARKETS.

TORONTO.

LIVERPOOL. Monday was \$6.60 per cwt; the market is unsettled at present, and it is hard to tell how prices will go; the buyers say that prices are likely to be lower; small pigs 78 %d; March, 78 3%d. December. 78 %d; March, 78 3%d.

Peas—Canadian firm, 6s 9d.

Flour—Winter patents steady, 27s 6d.

Hops (in London)—Pacific coast quiet, 22 10s to £3 5s.

Beef—Extra India mess steady, 95s.

Pork—Prime mess western quiet, 80s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 55s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs.

dull, 55s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, steady.

54s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs.
quiet, 52s; do, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, dull, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 50 lbs, quiet, 50s; short clear TORONTO.

Toronto, Aug. 20.—Baled Hay—O'd hay is nominal; new steady, at \$12 50 to \$13, in 44s 6d; American refined, in pails, quiet.

Toronto Railway...

Toronto Railway...

Twin City......

Winnipeg Railway...

Winnipeg Railway...

Also 6d; American refined, in pails, quiet.

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COBALT

All mining stocks bought and sold.

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Montreal, Aug. 20.

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ein-Common steady, 11s 71/2d.				City Dairy, pfd 90
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Morning Sales: Mackay, common, 10 at 60%, 5 at 60%, 10 at 60%, 5 at 60%, 30 at 60%, 3 at 60%, 10 at 60%, 300 at 60%, 50 and 50 at 85%, 5 and 5 at 86; Rio. 50 and 50 at 42, 25, 25, 25 and 50 at 42%, 25 at 41%, 25, 25 and 25 at 41%; 60, bonds, 3,000 and 5,000 at 69%; Sao Paulo, 10 at 111%, 25 at 110, 25 at 110%, 25 at 111%, 25 at 111%; 25 at 111%; 25 at 111%; 25 at 111%; 25 at 111%, 15 and 25 at 111%; 25 at 111%; 26 at 111%; 27 at 111%; 28 at 111%; 28 at 111%; 29 and 10 at 62%.

STOCKS RISING.

London, Aug. 21. - The favorable construction which Wall street placed on President Roosevelt's speech at Provincetown, Mass., yesterday, and the subsequent rise in prices at New York, caused Americans to open strongly on the stock exchange this morning, but in the absence of sustained buying power prices soon dropped, and at noon the market ruled dull, with quotations fractionally under parity. In other directions the tendency was better. Consols improved a quarter continental buying.

THROWN DOWN SHAFT.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 21. - Daniel Houston, "is about fifty. I don't think F. Cobb, president of the Daniel F. it will go much over that this year." Cobb & Co., of this city, and formerly general southwestern agent of the not be definitely known until the Equitable Life Insurance Company, Minister of Education's report is prefell down an elevator shaft from the fourth floor of the Fidelity building, 421/2 and was instantly killed yesterday. The accident was caused by an inexperienced elevator conductor, who failed to stop the car at the proper position, catching Mr. Cobb's foot between the bottom of the elevator and the floor. The car shot upward and Cobb

thrown down the shaft. MUST THROW OPEN BOOKS.

New York, Aug. 20. - Stock watering and over-capitalizing by utilities high schools of the Province, Supercorporations in this city will be prac- intendent of Education Seath stated totically an impossibility hereafter as day that any changes to be made withhereafter to make any increase in the themselves to the alterations. capitalization they will have to throw open their books, and that the most minute details will be required to be will be even considered.

Pierre Thierry has entered an action ngainst ex-Empress Eugenie, claiming 1920,000. Thierry's uncle lent Napol-on \$600,000 in 1855. Napoleon renew-

Not So Much

Please do not put quite so much Red Rose Tea in the teapot as you do of other kinds. If you do the tea will be too strong.

Red Rose Tea combines strength with that rich, fruity flavor which has made it famous.

You are sure to like it. Will you order a package from your grocer?

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STANDARD OIL TO ITS EMPLOYES

Absolutely Innocent of Illegal Acts.

contains a statement from President Gibson, a negro, who was formerly 200 at 60, 50, 25, 50, 25, 25, 5 and 14 at 60%, 1 at 60%, 50, 25, 25, 50 and 25 at 60; Dominion Savings, 20 at 71½; Toronto Railway, 5 at its intro 98; Rio, 50, 25 and 25 at 41½, 5 at 42; Sao follows:

Paulo. 6 and 20 at 108, 4 at 107%; Canada Landed, 15 at 122; Imperial Bank, 8, 10, 2 and 2 at 217; Standard Bank, xd., 20 and Company in printing this pamphlet to pieces. 20 at 2151/2; Bank of Commerce, rd., 13 at desire to emphasize to the half million people directly interested in its welfare, the assurance of the company's absolute innocence of wrongdoing in any of the prosecutions lately instituted against it, in the federal courts. Particularly is this so in the

diana. bate or discrimination, but simply of on Piccadilly street. ed by the rigorous exclusion of evi- looked forward to. dence that would remove all presumption of guilt. If the judgment BRITISH GUNNERS in question be allowed to stand, the company will be forced to pay \$20,000 (that is 50 times the value of the oil) ton road for two years at an open 6 per cent rate, at a rate used over three competing railroads for ten to fourteen years. The trial judge refused to allow proof that the 6 per cent had been filed by the Chicago and a 'legal rate.' He refused to allow Eastern Illinois, and was, therefore, proof that linseed oil, for instance, was carried at 8 cents, and other bulk commodities as low as 5 cents. He insisted that 18 cents was the only others have decided to stay. legal rate for oil when no one had ever paid it, and when it was author-Morning Sales: Mackay, common, 10 at itatively sworn that it did not apply

FIFTY PER CENT FAIL

About the Same Number as Usual Fail to Matriuclate.

Toronto, Aug. 20 .- "The failures this year have been very little more numerous than in other years."

This was the statement made by the registrar of the education department this morning, when asked regarding the impression generally enterof a point, and Copper shares attract- tained that the percentage of failures ed attention. Rio Tinto advanced 11/2 on in connection with the junior leaving and matriculation examinations this year had been exceptionally large.

"The usual percentage," said Mr. The exact percentage of failures will pared, which will not be for some

ELIMINATION OF EXAMS.

Work Towards It.

gramme of studies for the public or more than one year this man main-

examinations.

TWO WITH AXE

New York, Aug. 20.—The directors Camden, N. J., Aug. 20. — Mrs. of the Standard Oil Company today Frances Horner, aged 67 years, wife of written large over the first year's work of the Standard Oil Company today issued a pamphlet to its employes and stockholders relative to the fine of servant, were chopped to death today stockholders relative to the fine of servant, were chopped to death today of Canada. Their first convention, of Canada. upwards of \$29,000,000. The pamphlet in their home, it is charged, by Chas. which was brought to a close with a

Pieces When Caught

Stealing.

NEGRO MURDERS

employed on the farm. Moffet, presiding officer of the com- The assassin first set fire to the pany in Indiana, and a number of Horner barn to attract the attention were able to glean much useful inforeditorials favorable to the company, of the farmer's household, and thus taken from the various American enable him to rob the place with free-dom, but while Horner and Mrs. Nanewspapers. The especially note-poli's husband were trying to rescue worthy feature of the pamphlet is some of the horses from the barn, Mrs. its introductory statement, in part as Horner and her servant came upon the negro in the act of robbing the house. The robber attacked the women with "The directors of the Standard Oil an axe and practically hacked them

DIGNITARIES ARE COMING

Unitarian Members of Great Britain Will Preach Here in September.

present Chicago and Alton Railroad Unitarian ministers from England, insurance world, "There is still," he case, made notorious by the sensational fine of \$29,240,0000 imposed on association; Rev. W. G. Tarrant, of much discord and unrest. The air is a bomb that had been placed on the much discord and unrest. The air is a bomb that had been placed on the much discord and unrest. The air is a bomb that had been placed on the much discord and unrest. The air is a bomb that had been placed on the much discord and unrest. The air is a bomb that had been placed on the much discord and unrest. the Standard Oil Company of In- London, and Rev. C. Street, of Shef- pregnant with legal investigations. window-sill of the room in which Lord "It should be known as widely as Sept. 6, and will address a public meet- the business. Home offices are won- Glenahira Lodge, near Clonmel, expossible that this is no case of re- ing that evening in the Chapter House dering what next, and agents are hold- ploded, shattering one side of the house

the legality of a freight rate. It should The following Sunday Rev. Mr. Bowie lative body will still more cut commis making his escape from his room just be known that the verdict was ob- will preach. These men occupy im- sions and otherwise hamper field work in time to escape the fall of a mass tained by the Government upon the portant places in the Unitarian body by a lot of foolish laws. The overnost hair-splitting technicality, aid- of England and this visit is eagerly wise are condemning and the foolish from another part of Ireland on the

for every carload carried over the Al- Half of Them Will Not Return, They Like the Country So Well.

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expressing pleasure at the welcome made to get a sermon or two each year given them in Canada and stating that from the pulpits on the economic and half of them are not coming back, beneficial value of guaranteed indem-Several have got appointments, and nity."

COMMONS BUILDING

Ottawa, Aug. 20 .- The main building of the Parliament Buildings had a nar- Life, Calgary, Alta.; E. R. Machum, row escape from what might have Manufacturers' Life, St. John, N. B.; proved a destructive fire last night. The chairman of executive committee, G. telephone and electric light wires above Herbert Simpson, North American the front basement entrance to the Life, Montreal; treasurer, F. H. Heath. senate side got crossed in some way London, Ont.; and secretary, W. S and an electric spark set fire to the Milne, Toronto. door which was blazing merrily when Mr. George L. Root, on behalf of New Yorkers, some of them ranking fortunately discovered by a watchman. the National Association, invited the as millionaires, says the World today. He was just in time to prevent a ser- delegates to subscribe to the printed have sold their automobiles within phones on the senate side are out of The work is issued at \$1 per copy. business owing to the breaking of the wires in the fire.

TERRORISTS ON TRIAL

Sons of Noted Families Implicated in Plot to Kill the Czar.

by court martial of the persons im- bec, St. John, N. B., and Halifax were chines, American or imported, has plicated in the Terrorist conspiracy against the life of the Emperor, which ing decided in favor of Quebec for New Yorkers, who, until recently were rest of a soldier of the Guard regi- Ex-President Allen vacated the chair generally supposed to be rich enough ment at Tsarskoe-Selo, and in which in favor of the new president, Mr. to afford any luxury. Some of the women took a leading part, made Cox. Mr. Allen pinned to the coat of stories are pathetic. rapid progress yesterday, and it is the new holder of the office the presiexpected that it will come to an end dential badge. President Cox was re- an expensive family and his expenwithin a week.

The sitting developed no details beyond the contents of the original in-Seath Says High School Changes Will dictment. The case of the Government rests principally with the testimony of the soldier of the Guard regiment, who has confessed to the acceptance COMMONS REJECT Toronto, Aug. 20.-With respect to of a large money bribe to assist in contemplated changes in the pro- the murder of his Emperor. For tained close relations with M. Naoun off, a mail clerk, one of the suspects, the result of a new rule adopted by the in the next few months would not in and it is worthy of notice that he is public service commission. The rule any way disturb the schools, and that closely related by family ties to sevserves notice on such concerns that teachers and pupils could easily adjust eral well-known military and naval families. Boris Nikitenko, another of Dr. Seath intimated that several the conspirators, and a retired naval or eight years to really get all plans board the cruiser Otchakoff, M. Feoworking. These proposals, he further dossieff is the son of a vice-admiral, stated, tended towards eliminating the and Mme. K. Teodossiewa, one of the women suspects, is a daughter of General Schwerin, who distinguished eon \$600,000 in 1855. Napoleon renewed the note in 1870. It was lost at the time of the Franco-Prussian war, but was found recently.

EOLLOWAY'S CORN CURE is the medition of the Russo-Japanese war, and was decorated for personal bravers. and only costs the small sum of twenty-five cents

IS MR. H. C. COX

writers Closes With Election of Officers.

Toronto, Aug. 21.—"Success" may be banquet at McConkey's, last night, parts of Canada, and the delegates profession. Mr. H. C. Cox, of the Canada Life, has been elected president

for the ensuing year, with Mr. T. G McConkey as honorary president. Today the convention of the National but that at present there was no proof Association of Underwriters of the that residents of the house were United States will be opened, and guilty. several hundred delegates from var- Patrick O'Brien, Nationalist from lous points will be present. The con- Kilkenny, thereupon declared that it vention will be largely of a social was believed in the district of Drumbo character, and a good deal of the that Lord Ashtown himself was retime will be spent in sightseeing. "The Magic Key." Mr. C. W. Pickell, of Detroit, man-

The Unitarian Society, of this city is looking forward to the visit of three Unitarian ministers from England to the visit of three affairs which at present exists in the loutrages. field. They will arrive here on Friday, Some newspapers give mean jabs at Ashtown was asleep in his house, ing their breaths for fear some legis- and part of the interior, Lord Ashtown

are simpering." The magic key, to which the speaker referred, was the ideal keynote or fundamental tone of the insurance moveada and the United States to prepare plosion, but the flames were extina textbook of insurance for introduction into the public schools. "A fur-London, Aug. 20.—Bandmaster Ro- ther attempt should be made to estabarticles should be attractively written Volunteer artillerymen write home for the press. An attempt should be

Election of Officers.

On the recommendation of the rominating committee the following officers were elected: Honorary presi-MENACED BY FLAMES dent, T. G. McConkey, Toronto; president, H. C. Cox, Canada Life, Toronto; vice-president, John R. Reid, Sun Life, The Ottawa; C. P. McQueen, Great West

ious conflagration. Today all the tele- volume of proceedings of that body the last few weeks. Almost as many vited on to the platform, and were chines. These automobiles represent

warmly applauded. President Cox and Vice-President Reid both addressed the meeting and returned thanks for their election. Quebec Next Year.

There was a spirited debate in con- ing, as he exhibited several letters nection with the selection of the place and telegrams canceling orders for of meeting for next year. The claims machines. St. Petersburg, Aug. 21.—The trial of Ottawa, Kingston, Calgary, Que-

ceived with ringing cheers, and the ditures are on a large scale. Any singing of "For He's a Jolly Good Fel- curtailment of income cuts off the low." He gave a brief address, in luxuries because he lives up to his which he promised to do all he could income. So the automobile has to to further the interests of the asso- be sacrificed. ciation

London, Aug. 21. - With the Irish Nationalists wide-awake, and nearly everybody else asleep, after a night-long session, the House of Commons consideration of the House of Lords reading of the deceased wife's sister amendments to the evicted tenants bill by 111 to 79. The minority innew schemes might be introduced into lieutenant, is a son of a colonel in bill. Practically all the changes in the cluded every one of the seventeen the school system by September of the army, who distinguished himself bill made by the Upper House were regiven before new bond or share issues next year, but that it would take seven in the suppression of the mutiny on jected, and at 7:45 a.m. the weary legislators went home after appointing a committee to confer with the Lords, and attempt to arrange the differences.

> New York city has acquired the reputation of having the most discourteous railway employes of all cities in

IA SENSATION IN **BRITISH COMMONS**

Company Declares That It Is Literally Hacks Two Women to Convention of Canadian Under- Irish Member Accuses Lord Ashtown of Blowing Up His Own House.

> London, Aug. 20 .- In the House of Commons this afternoon Irish members made the sensational suggestion

Jeremiah MacVeagh, Nationalist member from Down, asked Mr. Birdrew a large gathering from various rell, secretary for Ireland, whether it was intended to hold a special inquiry in view of the fact that "it had almation on many points regarding their ready been proved" that the alleged outrage was the work of residents of

Lord Ashtown's house. Mr. Birrell replied that the most careful investigations were being made,

sponsible for the explosion, and he asked Mr. Birrell to cause inquiries to be made into the possibility of Ash-Mr. C. W. Pickell, of Detroit, man-ager of the Michigan, Massachusetts town himself committing the alleged Mutual Life, read a paper, entitled outrage in order to give a fillip to his "The Magic Key." He commenced by infamous business of defaming Ire-

The bomb consisted of about seven pounds of blasting powder in an iron pot, with three lighted fuses attached. TO STAY IN CANADA ment. This he defined as "straight- The carpets and curtains of the drawforward promulgation." He suggested ing-room had also been saturated with a joint commission of seven for Can-petroleum and caught fire from the ex-

guished. Lord Ashtown has been very active in his opposition to the cattle boycott Band hope shortly to again visit Cancolleges and universities. A series of thence to Glenahira for the purpose of

assassinating him. **NEW YORK'S RICH** DROPPING AUTO

"Rich Man's Panic" la Causing a Curtailment of Luxuries.

New York, Aug. 21-More than 2,000 more, it is estimated, by the trade, The newly-elected officers were in- have canceled orders for new maa total cost of over \$15,000,000. They are now probably worth \$7,000,000. "The rich man's panic," in Wall street has made all the trouble," an

automobile dealer is quoted as say-Every dealer in high-priced ma-

The average rich New Yorker has

THE SECOND READING

LORDS' AMENDMENTS Deceased Wife's Sisters Bill Advances Another Stage.

> London, Aug. 21 .- After a prolonged and animated debate, the House of Lords last night passed the second House.

BILIOUSNESS BURDENS LIFE.-The bilious man is never a companionable man, because his ailment renders him morose and gloomy. The complaint is not as dangerous as it is disagreeable. Yet no one need suffer from it who can procure Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. By regulating the liver and obviating the effects of bile in the stomach, they restore men to cheer-