

### EMPEROR WILLIAM'S BIRTHDAY.

Program for the Celebration of the Anniversary.

Berlin, March 18.—The program for the Emperor's anniversary is as follows: On Monday a family dinner will be given at the palace by the Emperor and Empress to all the members of royal families attending the celebration. At night the students' torchlight procession starts from the Lustgarten, passes the palace of the Crown Prince, and the Emperor and Empress will have a supper at Philharmonie Hall. On Tuesday morning the Emperor will receive the congratulations of the royal families and the foreign ambassadors. He will dine at the palace of the Crown Prince and afterwards hold a general evening reception in the White Palace, returning the instant any symptoms of his strength being overtaken. The pupils of all the schools will march on Tuesday to the churches, where special prayers of praise will be offered. The municipal authorities will go in state to St. Nicholas Church, and a banquet will be given at the Town Hall. At night all the public buildings and many private houses will be illuminated. On Wednesday the Crown Prince will give a reception, which will be followed by tableaux vivants and a concert. A special performance will be given at the Opera House every night during the celebration. The Emperor is in capital health and high spirits. At the dinner on Monday covers will be laid for eighty-five guests. Most visiting royalties will reside at the Royal Castle, and their suites at hotels. The Prince of Wales, Prince and Princess Christian, the Grand Duke of Hesse and Princess Irene will stay at the palace of the Crown Prince.

The revolt which is caused in a dyspeptic stomach by a meal digestible by one which is in average health, is a possible result of the food and the state of the organ, restored by the systematic and persistent use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, which purifies the blood, removes all impurities from the blood.

### THE DEDHAM DISASTER.

Investigation of the Causes That Led to the Disaster.

Dedham, March 18.—The railroad commission this morning continued their investigation into the cause of the accident at Dedham. W. E. Lockwood of Philadelphia, who has made special study of the power of a hammer blow delivered by the driving wheels of a locomotive, read a paper prepared for publication in a scientific magazine, in which he demonstrates that the driving wheels of a Pennsylvania railroad engine, the drivers being five feet eight inches in diameter, the cylinders 18 1/2 inches in diameter, the pistons 12 1/2 inches in diameter, the steam pressure 125 pounds, would exert a hammer blow of nine tons at each revolution of each pair of drivers, or at a speed of a mile a minute a blow of eighteen tons every second. He attributed many of the breakdowns of rails to this cause.

George E. Dunham, a passenger on the train, testified that he was in the first car, three seats from the rear. Just as the car got to the station and of the bridge it bumped, just as a horse car will when off the track. The shock was violent enough to throw him off his seat, and the car went on bumping until it stopped. Witness noticed no snap before the bumping began, and noticed no more than the usual swaying of the car around the curve. He had no more anxiety than usual that morning, for "we all expected to go down with that bridge some time."

Mr. Crocker: "What did your anxiety arise from?"

Witness: "From the looks of the bridge. It looked unsafe and we thought it would go some time."

Witness said the train was running at about its usual speed, twelve or fifteen miles an hour. Some five or six years ago he stood on the corner of the bridge when it was new. He never tried it again because the bridge swayed and jared so. He thought the bridge unsafe from the start. It seemed to him that it was a mass of construction, for "it seemed only a mass of construction."

The hearing was then adjourned until 2 p.m. Monday.

### A COWBOY'S DARING DEED.

Shooting Boldly Off With a Valise Full of Money.

Chicago, March 18.—A Times' special from Douglas, W.T., says: Particulars have just been received here of the robbery of United States Army Paymaster D. N. Bush of \$7500 at Antelope Springs, Mai. Bush was en route to Fort McKinney to pay off the troops there, and stopped at Antelope Springs to eat his dinner, leaving his valise containing the money in the coach, which stood a few steps from the building and in plain view of the Major and his escort. As they sat at the table, and during the progress of the meal a stranger who had arrived at the station that morning, and was present when the stage came, ran to the vehicle and seized the valise, jumped on a horse standing near and was off like the wind. The paymaster's party sprang for their guns and ran out, firing several shots at the flying desperado without effect. Mounting the stage horses they followed the fugitive, who turned in his middle and fired several shots, which were returned by his pursuers with interest. The robber's horse, however, was far superior to those on which the paymaster's party were mounted, and he was soon lost to sight. Following his trail, the valise was found from which the robber had taken the money, also a pair of pants minus one leg, evidently utilized by the fugitive as a sack in which to carry his cash. The thief is known as a cowboy named Charles Facker who has been lately on a ranch on the Cheyenne River. The money taken is \$7500 in silver, the balance in bills. Mai. Bush offers a reward of \$1000 for the capture of the robber, or a return of the money.

### A Thief's Success.

A select company of 150 thieves sat down to supper in Glasgow on Tuesday night. Each guest was provided with a ticket with the inscription:

ADMIT BEARER TO A SUPPER

Of Beef Steak Pie and Plum Pudding. SPECIALLY FOR THIEVES.

On Thursday evening, Feb. 17, at 8 o'clock, in his kitchen at 100, St. George's Street, this supper is only for men who have been convicted of theft.

NEW WEIGHT (From London).

who was himself a convicted burglar and Prize Fighter will make some interesting statements, and it is hoped, will lead to the conviction of the thief who has been already proved a great blessing to others.

At the number is limited to 150 come early and secure your seat.

On the reverse of the card was the following information:

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### "TRUTH" AND "LADIES' JOURNAL" BIBLE COMPETITION.

NO. 17.

A Fine Brick House with Large Lot Given Away.

At the solicitation of hundreds of friends of TRUTH the proprietor will offer one more competition, in the value of the rewards offered as well as in the number of them, far exceeding anything hitherto attempted by any publisher in the world.

Everything named in the list below will be given away without any reserve or post-nomine under any conditions.

The leading reward is a really first-class, exceptionally well built brick house, with a large lot, situated in the most desirable part of the city, near the city hall.

The house is the middle one of three and is in first-class order, newly done over, painted, and contains large parlour, dining room, kitchen and hall on first floor, and three good bedrooms and a large bathroom on second floor, in short all modern conveniences, and is a residence good enough for any one to live in.

One thousand dollars at seven per cent, which may be paid off by arrangement, or may remain as a cash prize.

This competition will remain open until the 1st of December next, inclusive. It is a special feature of the TRUTH, and is a rare opportunity for those who wish to win a large sum of money.

The following are the names of the winners of the first prize in the TRUTH Bible Competition, 1896:

1. One hundred dollars in gold.

2. A fine automobile.

3. A fine house.

4. A fine lot.

5. A fine garden.

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Portrait in Oil, Water Colors, Crayon, Ink, etc. Life-size photographs made from life or negatives. Nothing to equal them in the Dominion.

While in the city attending the Forensic Court, Geo. Gammage, the High Sheriff of the County of York.

GARDNER'S STUDIO, 30 YONGE STREET.

and had some negative made. He has given Mr. Gardner permission to sell copies to members of the order wishing them. Miss Packer, the lady who made the above portrait, is a member of the order, and took advantage of their visit to the city to have some made by the same talented photographer.

PERKINS, PHOTOGRAPHER, 203 YONGE ST. (Just 6 doors north of Wilton Ave.) Having made extensive alterations, am ready now to do a larger business than ever.

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Infallible Blood Purifier, Tonic, Directly to the Liver, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Dropsy, Indigestion, Jaundice, Rheumatism, all Kidney Diseases, Scrofula, Diseases peculiar to Females, Eczema, Erysipelas, Salt Rheum, Headache, Heartburn, Dryness of the Skin, and every species of disease arising from disordered Liver, Blood, Stomach, Kidneys, BOWELS OR BLOOD.

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Burdock Blood Bitters, WILL CURE OR "ELUVE," BILIOUSNESS, DYSPEPSIA, INDIGESTION, JAUNDICE, ERYSIPELAS, SALT RHEUM, HEADACHE, DRYNESS OF THE SKIN, and every species of disease arising from disordered Liver, Blood, Stomach, Kidneys, BOWELS OR BLOOD.

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