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Drygoods—Chapman's. Cat Lost—Parisian Steam Laundry. Servant Wanted—Mrs. W. Smithson. Steamship Rates—Frank B. Clarke. New Interlining Fibre Chamois. Meeting—Board of Trade. Easter Flowers-Greenway. International Entertainers-Opera House. Spring Goods-Mara's. Shorthand-W. C. Coo. Maple Syrup—A. L. Sanderson. Spring Goods—R. J. Young & Co. Cloaks-Smallman & Ingram. Surprise Soap. Spectacles Lost—This Office.

COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

Meeting—King's Daughters and Sons. Tenders Wanted—A. A. Campbell.

Meeting-G. T. R. Gun Club.

Embroideries-Priddis Bros.

Latest Financial News by Mail and Telegraph.

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Toronto	Stock	Market.	
	To	RONTO, March	27.
		Ask	
Montreal		272	218
Ontario		98	_
Molsons			_
Toronto			2101
Merchants		167	162
Commerce		1363	136
Imperial		181	178
Dominion		275	268
Standard		164	161
Hamilton		154	1534
British America.		118	1174
Western Assuran	co	161	150
Canada Life			-
Confederation Life	e	290	-
Consumers Gas			196
Toronto Street Ra	ilway	76	75}
Dominion Telegr	aph	1184	117
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Canada Pacific R			373
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Dominion Saving			76
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Assurance, 50, and	d 50 at 160	1, 100, 50, 30	and 40
at 160; Dominion	Telegra	ph. 2 at 117	; Com
Cable, 25 at 144, 25	at 1437, S	25 at 144.	

NEW YORK. March 27 .- Stocks quiet and Atchison...... 51 C. B. & Q...... 734

New York Stock Market.

LONDON. March 27-12:30 v.m.-Consols. 1041 for money, 104 9-16 for account; Mexican, 184; Michigan Central, 62; St. Paul, 509; Erie, 104; Erie, seconds, 63½; Pacific Central, 52½; Reading, 7½; Capadian Pacific, 334; New York Central, 984; Illinois Central, 99; Bank of England rate, 2 per cent; open market discount. 11 to 1 3-16.

Montreal Stock Market.

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MONTREAL, March	
ASK	Off.
C. P. R	38
Duluth Railway, common 4	31
Duluth Railway, preferred 10	73
Commercial Cable Company144	1431
Wabash	
Wabash preferred	_
Montreal Telegraph Co	1574
Rich. and Ont. Navigation 97	95
Montreal Street Railway	1881
Montreal Street Railway, new 188	1854
Montreal Gas Company 196	195
Bell Telephone Company	157
Bell Telephone, new	
Royal Electric 145	141
Toronto Street Railway 761	754
Bank of Montreal 2'21	219
Ontario Bank	-10
Banque du Peuple	1124
Molsons Bank, ex-div	160
Bank of Toronto	2404
Banque Cartier	-103
Merchants Bank	1621
Merchants Bank of Hallfax	
Union Bank, ex-div	101
Bank of Commerce	136
N. W. Lead Company 65	
Montrea Cotton Company122	117
Canada Colores Cotton Co	40
Dominion Cotton Company 95	85
SALES-Duluth Com., 100 at 31; Duluth	rre.,
25 at 71; Montreal Telegraph, 75 at 158;	Mon-
treal Street, 25 at 190, 150 at 1904, 412 at 1	90, 75
at 1884: Montreal Street, new, 25 at 188.	50 at
187½; 75 at 187, 6) at 186½, 100 at 185¾, 8 189; Montreal Gas, 95 at 198, 50 at 197¾,	25 at
189; Montreal Gas, 95 at 198, 50 at 1973,	50 at
1974, 40 at 197, 75 at 196, 25 at 1861, 160 at 19	964, 75
at 1961.	

COMMERCIAL.

Local Market. Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son London, Wednesday, March 27.

The deliveries from farmers during the past week have been light; demand good; prices Oats sell from \$1 05 to \$1 10 owing to the small receipts.

The receipts of wheat have been light; prices firm and higher. White sold up to \$107 per

cental today.

Corn receipts fair, selling from 95c to \$1. Feeding barley 90c to \$1. No rye or buckwheat offering.

Dressed hogs, very few offering.
Potatoes in fair supply at 75c 10 80c per bag.
Hav in good supply at \$9 to \$9 50 per ton for all good loads. Wheat, white fell look

Wheat, white, fall. 100 lbs \$1	00	to	1 07	t
Wheat, red. fall, per 100 lbs 1		to	1 05	t
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs 1		to	1 05	
Oats, per 100 lbs 1	07	to	1 10	
Peas, per 100 lbs 1	00	to	1 25	
Corn, per 100 lbs	95	CO	1 (0	i
Barley, per 100 lbs	90	to	105	1
Rye. per 100 lbs	95	to	100	J
Buckwheat, per 100 ibs	90	to	1 00	I
Beans, per bu 1	00	to	1 20	
HAY AND SEEDS.				4
	00	to	9 50	4
Straw. rer load 2	00	to	3 00	4
Clover seed, red, per bu 6	10	to	6 50	
Cloverseed. Alsike, per bu 5	00	to	5 50	
Timothy seed, per bu 3	10	to	3 25	-
Hungarian seed, per bu	6)	to	70	8
Millet seed, per bu	55	to	80	I
PROVISIONS				1
Fggs fresh single doz	14	to	15	6
Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz	13	to	13	C
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz_	12	te	13	2
Eggs, packed, rerdoz	12	to	12	7
Butter, single rolls, per lb	17	to	18	8
Butter, per Ib. 1 ib rolls, baskets	16	to	17	
Butter, per ib, large rolls or				2
Croc (8	13	to	14	2
Butter, per lb. tub or firking	8	to	14	-
Lard, per Ib	8	to	9	3
Ducks, per pair	70	to	1 00	
Chickens, per pair	60	to	8)	
Turkeys, per lb, 10c to 11c; each. 1	00	to	2 00	
Honey, per lb	9	to	10	
VEGETABLES AND FRU	IT-			
Apples, per bag	75	to	1 00	
Pears	75	to	1 00	1
Cauliflowers, per dozen	50	to	1 50	1
Potatoes, per bag	75	to	75	1
Carrots, rer bu	25	to	50	1
Turnips, per bu	20	to	25	1
Parsnips, per ba	60	to	70	1
Dumpling perder	50	+0	1 00	1

Carross, rer bu	40	LU	O.
Turnips, per bu	20	to	2
Parsnips, per ba	60	to	70
Pumpkins, per doz	50	to	1 00
Citrons, per doz	50	to	78
Beets, per doz bunches	20	to	2
Radishes, per doz bunches	20	10	2
Cabbages, per doz	30	to	6
Celery, per doz	35	to	4
Squashes, per doz1	00	to	1 2
Onions, per by	45	to	6
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef. carcass. per 10	4	to	
Mutton, quarters. per Ib		to	
Veal, quarters, perib	5	to	
Lamb. quarter	7	te	
Dressed hogs, 1001b	00	to	65
Hidee, No. 1, per lb	4	to	
Hides. No 2 per lb	3	LO	
Hides, No. 3, per lb	2	to	
Calfskins, green		50 t	0
Calfskins, dry, each	20	to	2
Sheepskins, each	2	5to	5 5
Lambakins, each	25		0
Pelts each	00		i
Wool per lb	15		5
Tallow, rendered, per lb		+ to	
Tallow, rough, per lb	3	to	5
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Montreal Produce Market MONTREAL. March 27.

FLOUR — Market quiet and unchanged.
Following are the quotations: Patente, winter, \$340 to \$3 50; do. spring, \$3 80 to \$3 90; straight roller. \$3 to \$3 10; extra. \$2 70 to \$2 80; superfine. \$2 35 to \$2 50; strong bakers, \$3 50 to \$3 75; Ontario bags, \$1 30 to \$1 45.

GRAIN—Wheat No. 2 Manitoba hard, 73c to \$75; corp. 562 to 58c near \$92 to 70c; oats 411c.

75c; corn. 56c to 58c; peas. 89c to 79c; cats, 413c to 42c; barley, 58c to 60c; rye, 53c to 55c.

MEAL—Catment, \$2 to \$2 05; cornmeal, PROVISIONS — Mess pork. \$15 to \$16; lard, 7c to 9c; bacon, 10c to 11c; harms, 9c to 10c; choses, 9c to 16c; butter, townships, 14c to 16c; Western, 10c to 12c; eggs, 14c to 16c.

Petrolea Oil Market. PETROLEA, March 27 .- Oil opened and closed

Toronto Market.

TORONTO, March 27.

Market quiet.

WHEAT—Seven cars of white sold G. T. R. west at 64c; and old cars reported sold on Northern at 64c; spring held at 67c on Midland, and 65c bid No. 1 hard G. T. R., via Sarnia, quoted at 83jc.

FLOUR—Straight rollers, Toronto freights, sold at rather better than \$3, and at that figure could easily have been got for more.

PEAS—Exporters bid 57½c for lots of No. 2 G. T. R. west.

OATS—Car lots of mixed sold west at 34c, and of white at 34½c; car lots of mixed offered on track at 38c and white at 38½c.

BARLEY—Three cars of No. 3 extra east BARLEY-Three cars of No. 3 extra east

RYE-Car lots east held at 47c, and 46c bid BUCKWHEAT-Car lots sold east at 41c. English Markets.

LONDON. March 27. (Beerbohm's Report by Cable.) (Beerbohm's Report by Cable.)

Wheat, off coast dull; passage rather firmer;
LaPlatta, sail shipment, March and April, 21s
9d; sales 2; Kurrachee white, canal shipments,
March and April, 21s 10½d for Antwerp; English country markets quiet, steady; corn off
coast quiet; passage quiet, steady; sale 1;
mixed American, prompt steamer, 1857½d.
Liverpool—Spot wheat steady, demand poor,
holders offer moderately; futures steady, R.
W., 4s 8½d March and April, 4s 8½d May 4s 8½d
June and July; corn, spot, quiet, demand
poor, 4s 3d; futures quiet, American, 4s 2½d
March, April and May; 4s 2½d June; 4s 2½d
July; 4s 2½d Aug.; flour 16s.

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

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| March 25. | March 26 | March 27.

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Spring	5	2	5	3	5	2	5	3	5	2	5	3
Red Winter		81	4	9	4	9	4	91		9:	4	91
No. 1 Cal	5	0	5	1	5	0	õ	1	5		õ	ī
Corn	4	23	0	0	4	3	0	. 0	4	3		0
Peas, per c.	5	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	5	.0	0	0
Pork	57	6	0		58	9	9	t	58	9	0	0
Lard		0		0	36	0	8		35	3	0	0
Bacon, h'vy.		0		0	32	6		ě	32	6	0	0
Bacon light.		6	0	0	33	0	9	0	33	0	0	0
Tallow	24	6	0	6	24	6	0	0	-4	6	U	0
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Cheese, col.,		0	0	0	51	0			51	0	Ú	
Wheat st	ead									lers	01	fer

American Marvets.

New York, March 27.

FLOUR—Receipts, 21,000 packages; exports, 2,000 bbls; sales, 11,000 packages; steady. Winter whoat—Low grades, \$1 90 to \$2 30; do, tair to fancy, \$2 35 to \$2 75; do patents, \$2 90 to \$3: Minnesota clear, \$2 25 to \$2 60; do, straights, \$3 to \$3 25; do, patents, \$3 25 to \$4 10; low extras, \$1 90 to \$2 30; city mills, \$3 35 to \$3 40; do, patents, \$4 to \$4 14; rye mixture, \$2 20 to \$2 60; rye flour firm, \$3 to \$3 35; buckwheat nour, \$1 50 to \$1 60.

BUCKWHEAT—50c to 55c.

CORNMEAL—Steady; yellow western, \$2 70 to \$2 75.

to \$2 75. RYE-Nominal; western, 50c to 57c. BARLEY-Nominal; western, 63c to 68c; No. BARLEY MALT — Nominal; western, 63c to 65c; No. 2 Milwaukee, 64c to 65c.

BARLEY MALT — Nominal; Canada country-made, 85c to 90c; western, 65c to 70c; two-rowed State, 70c to 724c; six-rowed

70c; two-rowed State, foc to 72½c; six-rowed do. 75c to 80c.

PEAS—Canada. nominal.

WHEAT—Receipts, 4,000 bu; exports, 40,000 bu; sales, 2,040,000 bu futures, 4),000 bu spot; spots firmer; Ko. 2 red. store and elevator, 60c to 60½c; afloat, 61½c to 61½c; f. o. b., 61c to 62½c; ungraded red, 57c to 63°; No. 1 northern, 69c; options steady; No. 2 red March, 60½c; May, 60½c; June, 60½c; July, 60½c; Aug., 61½c; Sept., 61½c; Dec., 63½c.

CORN—Receipts, 7,000 bu; exports, none; sales, 185,000 bu futures, 10,000 bu spot; spots firmer; No. 2, 56c, elevator, 57½ afloat; steamer mixed, 50½c to 52½c; options firm; May, 51½c; July, 51½c; Sept., 51½c.

OATS—Receipts, 27,000 bu; exports, none; sales, no futures, 94,000 bu spot; spots firm; No. 2, 33½c; No. 2 white, 37c; No. 2 Chicago, 34c; No. 3, 33c; No. 3 white, 36½c; mixed western, 34c to 35c; white do and white State, 37c to 40½c; options dull; March, April and May, 33½c; July, 3½c.

FEED BRAN—87½c to 92½c.

MIDDLINGS—90c to 95c.

RYE FEED—85c.

HAY—Steady; 70c to 75c.

HOPS—Steady; State, 3c to 10c.

BEEF—Firm; family, \$9.75 to \$12; extra mess, \$7.50 to \$8.25.

CUT MEATS—Strong; pickled bellies, 63c to 7c; pickled shoulders, 5½c; pickled hams, 8 1-2c to 9c; middles firm; short clear sides, 8%c 10 9c.

3 1-2c to 9c; middles firm; short clear sides

LARD—Easy; western steam. \$7 22 1-2; refined easy; continent, \$7 65; compound, refined easy; continent, \$7 65; compound, 51-2c to 5gc.
PORK—Firm; better demand; sales, 200 bbls; mess, \$13 50 to \$14; extra prime, nominal.

BUTTER—Firm; State dairy. 9c to 19c; do creamery old, 10c to 15c; do new, 21c; western dairy, 8c to 13c; do creamery, new, 12c to 21c; do old, 9c to 14c; do factory, 7c to 12c; Elgins, 21c.

CHEESE—Steady: State large, 8c to 11½; do factory colored, 11½; do white 11cd o small.

do fancy colored, 11½c; do white, 11c; do small, 8c to 1zc; part skims, 2½c to 8c; full skims, ic to 2c. EGGS—Firm: State and Pennsylvania, 121c; western fresh, 124c. TALLOW-Higher; city, 44c: country, 44c

PETROLEUM-Nominal; refined, \$7 10; do in bulk, \$4 55 to \$4 60.

POTATOES—Firm; Jersey, \$1 57 to \$2 12;

New York white, \$2 to \$2 25; do Rose, \$2 25 to \$2 50; Bermuda, \$5 to \$9 50; sweets, \$2 25

to \$2 50; Bermuda, \$5 to \$9 50; Sweets, \$2 25 to \$3.

RICE—Firm; domestic, 4½ to 6c.

MOLASSES—Firm; 28c to 38c.

COFFEE—Options firm; sales, 11,250 bags, including March, \$15 35 to \$15 45; April, \$15; May, \$14 80 to \$14 90; June, \$14 75 to \$14 80; July, \$14 80 to \$14 90; June, \$14 70; Oct., \$14 70; Dec., \$14 50; spot firm, 16½c.

SUGAR—Steady; standard "A." 3 11-16c to 4½c: confectioners' "A." 3 13-16c; cut-loaf, 4 9-16c to 4½c; crushed, 4 9-16c to 4½c; powdered, 4 3-16c to 4½c; granulated, 3 15-16c to 4½c.

BUFFALO. N. Y., March 27.
WHEAT—Spring wheat—Limits are weak
and 1c lower; No. 1 hard closed 621c; No. 1
northern, new. 651c asked; no offerings of old
No. 1 northern; sales: 17,000 bu No. 1 hard, Sales, 6 cars No. 2 red, 60c to 60c; 1 car No. 1 white, 62tc on track; No. 2 red in store, 58tc CORN-Quiet; steady; sales, 2 cars No. 2

yellow, 491-2c; 10 cars No. 3 yellow, 494c; No. 2 yellow, 491-2c; 10 cars No. 3 corn, 49c on track. OATS—Firmer. Sales: 8 cars No. 2 white, 342c to 35c; 9 cars do choice, 354c to 35½; 3 cars No. 1 white, 36c.

BARLEY—Dull: unchanged. RYE—Firmer; No. 2, 59c bid, 60c asked. FLOUR—Steady; light inquiry; unchanged. MILLFEED—Firm: unchanged. Receipts—Wheat, 35,000 bu; corn, 32,000 bu; oats, 27,000 bu.

Shipments-Wheat, 31,000 bu. WHEAT-57c asked cash and March; 57%c

May: 573c July. CORN-46c asked cash; 464c May. OATS-31c bid cash. OATS-31e bid cash.

MILWAUKEE, March 27.

WHEAT-56t cash; 57t asked May.

DETROIT, March 27.

WHEAT-Closed, white, 58te bid cash; red, 56te bid cash; 57te asked May; 57te July.

CHICAGO, March 27.

Wheat today scored a bid advance on account of the dry weather, but later declined on lower cable, closing to te above yesterday. Corn and cats closed unchanged for May, and te higher for cash. Provisions were lower.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, Mr. Castell 32 cars, corn 105 cars, oats 100 cars, hogs 30,000 at Regina.

head. Freights unchanged. THE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED: WHEAT-March, 514c; May, 554c; July, 6½c. CORN—March, 45½c; May, 46½c; July, 46½c. OATS—May, 29½c; June, 29½c; July, 28½c. MESS PORK—May, \$12 324; July, \$12 50. LARD—May, \$6 97½; July, \$7 12½; Sept.,

SHORT RIBS-May, \$6 121; July, \$6 271;

Sept., \$6 424.

CASH QUOTATIONE:

Flour unchanged; No. 2 spring wheat, 574c to 614c; No. 3 do, 55c to 59c; No. 2 red, 544c to 544c; No. 2 corn, 454c to 454c; No. 2 coats, 29c to 291c; No. 2 rye 54c; No. 2 barley, 54c; mess pork, \$12 20 to \$12 30; lard, \$6 90 to \$6 92½; short ribs sides, \$6 (5 to \$6 10; dry salted shoulders, \$5 35 to \$5 37½; short clear sides, \$6 30 to \$6 35. Receipts-

14.000 Wheat..... 27,000 41,000 Oats...... 205,000 3,000 Barley..... 13,000 Flour..... Corn.... Chicago Exchange. Reported by C. E. Turner. broker. Masonic Temple.

March 27. -1 p.m. Open, High, Low. Clean

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.. March 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 6! cars through, 2 on sale. Market steady with but few here.
Hogs—Receipts, 12 cars through, 25 on sale. Market steady to firm for medium and heavy grades, but slow for light grades and piga. Yorkers, good, \$5 to \$5 10; light, \$4 85 to \$4 90; mixed packers and mediums, \$5 10 to \$5 15; good heavy, \$5 15 to \$5 20; roughs, \$4 25 to \$4 60; stags, \$3 25 to \$4. Market closed weak for all kinds to 5c lower, with a number of pigs and light grades unsold.

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Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4 cars through, 36 on sale. Market steady and firm. Good to prime lambs, \$5 75 to \$5 90; fair to good, \$5 25 to \$5 65; light and common, \$3 75 to \$5 mixed sheep, fair to good, \$4 25 to \$4 80; culls and common, \$2 50 to \$3 75; export sheep, \$5 to \$5 55. Market closed strong: sheep, 10c to 15c higher; good 95 lb mixed lots at \$5 15. All sold

NEW YORK
New sides, 8c to 10c.
Calves—Receipts, 1,808 head. Market active

Calves—Receipts, 1,806 head. Market active and firm at \$4 to \$6 25 for ordinary to prime veals, \$6 30 to \$6 50 for choice do, and \$3 for culls; dressed calves higher at 5c to 94c for city dressed veals; 4c to 81-2c for country dressed, and 3c to 31-2c for little calves.

Sheep and Lambs — Receipts, 8,375 head.

Market steady, Decent to good sheep, \$4 to \$5 30; common to choice lambs, \$4c to 10c, Hogs—Receipts, 10,872 head. Market firm at \$5 to \$5 25; country dressed, 51-2c to 8c.

CHICAGO. Ill., March 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 14,000 head; market weak; extra steers, \$6 25 to \$6 45; choice to extra steers, \$5 75 to \$6 25; choice steers, \$4 0 to \$5 75; common to medium steers, \$1 15 to \$4 50; bulls, choice to extra, \$4 60 to \$4 75; bulls, poor to good, \$2 to \$3 50; feeders, \$3 90 to \$4 60; stockers, \$2 60 to \$3 75; cows and heifers, extra, \$4 50 to \$; cows, fair to choice, \$3 to \$4; poor to good canners, \$1 50 to \$2 35; veal calves, choice, \$5 to \$5 25; common to good, \$2 50 to \$6 75; Texas steers, fed. \$4 25 to \$5 50; Texas cows, fed, \$3 to \$3 75. Hoge—Receipts, 28,000 head; market weak; heavy, \$4 76 to \$5 15; common to choice mixed, \$4 60 to \$5 05; choice assorted, \$4 80 to \$4 90. \$4 60 to \$5 05: choice assorted, \$4 80 to \$4 90. light, \$4 60 to \$4 80; pigs, \$4 25 to \$4 60. Sheep—Receipts, 15,000 head; market steady; inferior to choice, \$3 to \$4 75; lambs, \$3 75 to \$5 75.

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Hear Mr. C. Franklin Ward tonight at the Grand. -The firemen were called to extinguish a chimney fire on Grey street

last evening. The London Bicycle Club hold their first annual dinner this evening in the Knights of Pythias Hall. The affair is in the hands of an energetic committee, and a "good time" may safely be predicted.

-A deputation on behalf of the brass workers' ball waited upon Mayor Little yesterday and made arrangements whereby their ball, which takes place in the City Hall on Good Friday eve will not be canceled, as before stated.

-The London branch of the Ontario Lord's Day Alliance was formally organized last evening in the lecture room of the Park Avenue Presbyterian Church, when the following officers were appointed: President, the Bishop of Huron; first vice-president, Rev. W. J. Clark; second vice-president, Rev. J. R. Gundy; third vice-president, Mr. John Cameron; treasurer, Ald. Geo. W. Armstrong; secretary, Chas. R. Sayers. A constitution was adopted and other business thansacted. The third Sunday in April was suggested as a day on which to set before the people the necessity of observing the Lord's Day. A strong committee was appointed to act in the interests of the alliance.

-Capt. John Williams, of the London Field Battery, has been given the rank of major on the retired list. -Miss Restorick, of the General Hos-

pital staff, Chatham, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. W. C. Fitzgerald, Burwell street. -Mr. Levi Carley, boat-builder, of Port Stanley, has removed his family to London. Mr. Carley is engaged in the construction of a number of steam launches at present.

-An engagement has been announced be tween Mr. Castellain, son of a wealthy citizen of Ottawa, and Miss Marion Mackintosh, third daughter of Lieut. Gov. Mackintosh, of the Northwest Territories, and a native of Strathroy. Popular report at one time had this estimable young lady engaged to a well-known Northwest statesman, but as the result shows the public were "out" in this as in a good many other suppositions. Mr. Castellain is about to start in business

-Squire Armitage, of Clandeboye, held an inquiry recently into the burning of the barn and contents belonging to Joseph and Thomas Carring, lot 13, con. 4, McGillivray township. The fire occurred on Feb. 12, and besides the building five head of cattle, a threshing machine and several hundred bushels of grain were destroyed. bushels of grain were destroyed. Foot who was ahead of the flying team

marks were discovered around the place, and the company carrying the insurance asked that the inquiry be held. No evidence was given to connect any person with the blaze.

George Nimens Sued the Water Commissioners for That Sum,

But Justice Rose Non-Suited the Action.

Proceedings of the Middlesex Spring Assizes-Other Cases.

Wednesday Morning. On Sept. 28 last George Nimens, of this city, was thrown out of a rig on King street, just west or Adelaide, and by his fall on the block payement received a broken thigh and other injuries. At the time and place of the accident, excavations were made on either side of the roadway by employes of the waterworks, in order that a water service might be put into a house of Mr. Isaac Sargent's. The openings were about five feet long and two and a half feet wide. The sand and blocks were piled up at either side, and a clear roadway of thirteen feet—enough to allow of the passage of two rigs—re-mained. Nimens was driving westward about 10:30 in the morning, and before his rig had hardly got clear of the gaps it collided with a farmer's rig going in an easterly direction. The wheels became interlocked, and Nimens' horse was frightened. It made several plunges, and the driver was thrown out. The farmer escaped unhurt. Nimens was taken to the hospital, and three months elapsed before he was discharged. Now he is unable to do any work. A suit for \$3,000 damages for injuries received was entered by Mr. Nimens against the water commissioners, the ground being negligence on the part of the waterworks employes. The case was tried at the assizes before Mr. Justice Rose this morning. James Allston, foreman of the department, was called for the plaintiffs, but gave good evi-dence for the other side. He stated that Nimens admitted he had plenty of room to pass the other rig, and that no fault existed with the employes, but with the farmer. Nimens, in the box, denied this admission, but to City Solicitor Mere-dith acknowledged (1) that he had not driven to the right hand side when going between the openings; (2) that the accident might have been averted had he done this, and (3) that there was

room for two rigs to pass. At the conclusion of the plaintiff's case, Mr. Meredith asked for a non-suit. Justice Rose allowed it, holding that there was no negligence on the part of the commissioners which could in any way have caused the accident, and that the accident was, according to the plaintiff's own story, caused by his colliding with another rig. Under authority of the case of Headford vs. McClary, tried in London by himself, and confirmed by all the superior courts in Canada, Justice Rose withdrew the case from the jury, with costs.

Wednesday Afternoon. The entire session of the court was Prescriptions taken up with the case of Smith vs. Lampman, Thorp and Walt. The parties belong to the township of Bosanquet, in the county of Lambton. The action was brought to compel the removal of certain obstructions in a highway by the defendants. The plaintiff claimed that his land abutted on the road, and that he suffered loss in various ways through the blockade. The defense held that the road in question was not and never had oeen opened as a highway, and that the plaintiff had suffered no special damage through it being closed. Justice Rose took the case from the jury on the ground that it was practically a question of law. Judgment was reserved, pending an inquiry into Q.C., Sarnia, for the defense.

The case of McGuffin vs. Colbert has been settled on payment by the defendant of \$350 and costs. The case promised to be of a very unsavory nature. Elizabeth Ann McGuffin, wife of Hugh Mc-Guffin, con.9, London township, charged Thomas Colbert, who rtsides immediately opposite, with circulating slan-derous statements about her charac-She also charged Colbert with posting a placard on a public highway, the inscription on which was very obscene. Colbert denied this in his statement of defense, but claimed that she had made immoral proposals to him. Colbert is a bachelor, 54 years

of age and wealthy. Yesterday afternoon the grand jury visited the asylum, city hospital and St. Joseph's.

NOTES. A motion was made by the defendants in Down vs. McGillivray to refer the action to the referee under the Drainage Act, Mr. B. M. Britton. The motion was granted. E. R. Cameron for plaint-iffs; T. G. Meredith for defense.

The grand jury visited the jail this morning and were shown through by Governor Kelly. The institution was in its usual tidy condtion.

Justice Rose takes a constitutional during the noon recess. The clearness of his legal vision will not be any the less clear because of this exercise.

FIVE RUNAWAYS.

A Policeman's Life or Death Catch of a Flying Team.

One Team Starts Four Others-Exciting Time on King Street.

A runaway began yesterday at the gas house and ended in a policeman's arms at the Market Square. That is, the original runaway ended there. But in the meantime other horses had been scared by the first team, or had caught the infection, and the stream of misfortune that followed in its wake continued to swell and gather until four other horses were running away, two leaving dismantled and broken rigs and going off with dangling shafts banging against their heels or flying around their ears. One horse was of an "advanced" order, and preferred the crowded sidewalk on the west side of Richmond street in the City Hall block to the muddy street. It was also wise enough to avoid a policeman on the corner, but preferred to stop running when it came to the vile pavement on Dundas street just west of Richmond. It had regard for its feet.
A man named Smith was passing the

gas house with a heavy team and teaming wagon about 10:30 a.m. The engineer at the gas house blew off steam just as the team was passing. The horses were scared and ran off, the jerk throwing the driver out. Up Ridout street galloped the team, and at King street it turned east. The empty wagon was making a noise like thunder on the block pavement, and finally McNeill's little grey horse which was standing on King street thought that it would "mosey" along, too. The two rigs needed about all the street, and a milkman

whipped up his horses, and in a moment they were running away also, and heading the procession. The milk wagon turned into the market at the fish stalls on King street, and team No. 1 did likewise. Finlay McNeil's horse ran slapbang into another delivery wagon, and straightway two damaged rigs lay on the side of the road, and a black horse and a little grey mare were scam-pering up King street like all possessed. The black turned north on Richmond street and kept the sidewalk to Dun-das. Here P. C. Monaghan attempted to interrupt the animal, but was unsuccessful. In turning west on Dundas street it lost its momentum and was

P. C. Michael Twohy was on King street when this singular conglomera-tion of runaways came dasning up. The milk team was still leading, and seeing that the driver was staying with it, Mr. Twohy devoted his attenuon to the heavy, driverless team behind. He made a running grab for one of the horse's heads, and secured a hold. He was dragged about fifteen yards before his weight brought the animals to a standstill. Bystanders say that Mr. Twohy virtually took his life in his hands in making the stop, as to have missed his hold would have meant disablement under the horses' heels and the heavy wagon. It was a brave act.
Mr. McNell's horse was padly cut over the eyes, and the wound had to be sewed up by a veterinary. It was also cut on the heels. Another delivery horse ran off, but was captured before going

A COWARDLY DEED.

A Toronto Man Tries to Kill His Wife and Himself.

She Will Live But He May Die-Sheer Malice the Cause.

TORONTO, Ont., March 27 .- Arthur C. Zimmerman, of 16 Brant Place, attempted to kill his wife Maria this morning and then made a desperate effort to take his own life. Zimmerman has been quarreling with his wife for the past three months, and was summoned to appear in the police court today to answer to a charge of ill-treating her. This served only to increase his temper, and going into the house this morning he seized a hammer and dealt her two savage blows on the head. The woman fell unconscious to the floor, and Zimmerman, thinking that he had killed her, then commenced to commit suicide.

Procuring a sharp knife he slashed one of his wrists thinking that he would immediately bleed to death, but finding this too slow he plunged the weapon into his left breast. The blade, however, missed his heart and pierced one of his lungs medical aid was summoned. It was found that the woman's skull had been fractured. but she was not in so critical a condition as Zimmerman himself. Zimmerman is a German, and has been in Toronto only a couple of months. He was employed by the Silver Plate Company, King street west.

DOMINION CABINET CHANGES.

Reported Resignation of Sir Charles Tupper.

Other Shakes-Up Under Way-Ill Health Alleged to be the Cause of Mr. Patterson's Resignation.

OTTAWA, March 27.-The Citizen (Conservative) prints this morning a report that Sir Charles Tupper has resigned from the Cabinet. This report cannot be verified. Hon. Dr. Montague, who was sworn in

Minister of State last evening, afterwards left for Haldimand. The resignation of Hon. J. C. Patterson authorities on the subject. Hellmuth has been accepted. The Hon. Mr. Dickey and Bartlett for the plaintiff; Lister will take his place on his return from the Maritime Provinces. The avowed reason given for Mr. Patterson's resignation is ill

THE SINKING OF THE ELBE.

Resumption of the Inquiry-Postponed for a Week. ROTTERDAM, March 27.-The in-

quiry into the circumstances of the sinking of the steamer Elbe was resumed here today. The counsel representing the North German Lloyd Steamship Company announced that the company has deposited the £2,000 demanded by the owners of the Craithie as security for the damages sustained by the latter vessel. Counsel for the Craithie's owners asked that the embargo which had been put upon the Craithie be removed, and argued that the owners were in no way responsible for the disaster. He also asked that costs be awarded to the owners because of the embargo. Counsel for the North German Lloyd asked that the inquiry be postponed another week. The court remarked that it would probably be 1896 before the arguments of the counsel were concluded. Nevertheless, the request was granted, and the inquiry was postponed for a week.

BAD FAILURE. TORONTO, March 27.—Assignee Barber has prepared a statement of the affairs of R. H. Ramsay & Son, commission merchants. The statement shows liabilities of \$21,325, and assets of \$5,-476. Many of the creditors are country merchants who shipped produce on com-

mission. WILL WRITTEN ON A SLATE. HAMILTON, March 2.—Lawyer L. H. Patton has filed in the Surrogate Court the will of the late Miss M. J. Stenabaugh, of Ancaster, in which the testator bequeaths \$1,625, some of which goes to missionaries, societies, etc. The will is written upon an old slate with one side of the frame missing and one side of it so dusty that the writing on that portion is barely legible.

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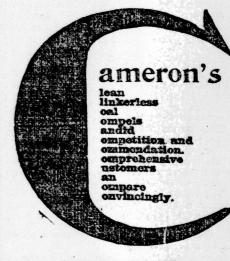
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