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New York Stock Market. NEW YORK. April 18-1 p.m.-Stock market

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COMMERCIAL.

Local Market. Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

WEEKLY REVIEW. LONDON, Wednesday, April 18. Since our last weekly report there has been more activity on this market. Farmers are now busy seeding and the consequence is little or no grain is offering, and prices on almost every kind of grain advanced more or less. Oats made a gain of 4c, closing at \$1.65 to \$1.67. Wheat sales were made at 90c to 97c for red and 95c to \$1 for white; demand good.

Peas were quite scarce and sold at \$1.10 per cwt when they were fit for seed, and 95c when cols for feed.

Barley was scarce on small lots; sold at \$1 per cwt.
No buckwheat, rye or beans offered.

In the provision trade business was quiet and no change in values can be noted.
Butter sold all the way from 20c to 25c per

pound.
Eggs brought from 9c to 10c by the basket and 10c to 12c by the dozen.
The meat market was quiet and unchanged, Lamb sold at 6c to 9c.
Beef at 4c to 6c.
Veal at 5c to 7c.
Dressed hogs unchanged at \$5 50 to \$6.
Vegetables were steady, no change occurring in any kind but rotatees. They sold a little higher at 55c per bag by the load.
Timothy seed sold from \$1 50 to \$2 25 per bushel.

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| Hay sold better toward the end | of | the s | week |
| receipts being smaller. Sales \$8; | 0 28 | 50 a | t the |
| Close. | | | |
| Quotations: | | | |
| GRAIN. | | | |
| Wheat. white, fall, 100 lbs \$ | 95 | to | 1 00 |
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| Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs | | 00 |
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| Corn. per 160 lbs | | 95 |
| Barley, per 100 lbs 8 | | 1 00 |
| Rvc. per 100 lbs 90 | | 1 00 |
| Buckwheat, per 100 lbs 1 00 | | 1 00 |
| Beans, per bu 90 | | 1 00 |
| PROVISIONS. | | - 00 |
| Eggs fresh. single doz 1 | to | 12 |
| Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz | | 10 |
| Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz_ 10 | | 10 |
| Butter, single rolls, per lb 2 | | 25 |
| Butter, per lb. 1 lb rolls, baskets 2 | | 23 |
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| croc (8 20 | to | 20 |
| Butter. per lb. tub or firkins 18 | | 18 |
| Lard, per 1b 1 | | 12 |
| MEAT. HIDES, ETC. | | ** |
| Beef, carcass, per lb | to | 6 |
| Mutton, quarters, per ib | | 61 |
| Veal, quarters, per lb | | 6! |
| Lamb, quarters, per lb | | 71 |
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| | Parsnips, per bu | to | 50 |
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| 1 | Celery, per doz | to | 58 |
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| | Onions, per bu | to | 8 |
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DUTCH SETT ONIONS

A. M. Hamilton & Son,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. Toronto Market.

FLOUR-Straight roller, \$2 60 to \$2 75; extra \$2 40 to \$2 56.

WHEAT—White. 58c to 69c; spring. No. 2.
69c to 69c: red winter. 58c to 69c; goose, 58c to
58c: Manitoba hard. No. 1. 74c to 74c; Manitoba hard. No. 2. 72c to 72c.

PEAS—No. 2. 53c to 53c.

BARLEY—No. 1. 41c to 42c.

FEED—37c to 38c.

OATS—No. 2. 33c to 33c.

Market provided Solve No. 1 Market

Market unsettled. Sales—No. 1 Man. hard outside at 73½c; white and red wheat outside at 60c.

Montreal Produce Market.

Montreal Produce Market.

Montreal, April 18.

FLOUR—Receipts. 800 bbls.: market quiet and unchanged. Patents, winter, \$3 40 to \$3 60; de. spring. \$3 60 to \$3 70: straight roller, \$3 00 to \$3 10: extra, \$2 60 to \$2 80: superfine, \$2 50 to \$2 70: strong bakers, \$3 50 to \$3 60; Ontario bags. \$1 35 to \$1 40.

GRAIN—Wheat No. 2 Manitoba hard, 74c to 76c: corn, 55c to 55c; peas, 69c to 70c; oats, 40c to 41c; barley. 59c to 53c; rye, 50c to 52c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, \$2 00 to \$2 10: cornmeal, \$1 20 to \$1 30.

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PROVISIONS—Moss pork, \$15 00 to \$16 00; lard. 8e to 10c; bacon, 10c to 12c; hams, 9c to 11c; cheese, 10c to 11c; butter, townships. 21c to 23c; western, 19c to 21c; eggs, 10c to 11c. English Markets.

Beerbohm's report by cable.
London. April 18.
Floating cargoes—Wheat rather easier; corn Cara oes on passage-Wheat quiet but steady;

Cartoes on passage—Wheat quiet but steady; orn steadier.

Mark Lane—Wheat slow: corn rather casier; flour slow: spot good No. 2 club Cal. wheat 24s, was 24s; present and following month 23s 9d, was 24s; spot good mixed American corn 18s 6d, was 18s 9d; straight Minn. flour 15s, was 15s; good cargoes No. 1 Cal. wheat off coast 24s 3d, was 24s 6d; good cargoes Australian wheat off coast 24s 3d, was 24s 6d; present and following month 25s 3d, was 24s 6d; present and following month 25s 3d, was 23s 3d; present and following month 23s 6d, was 23s 6d; good cargoes Walla wheat off coast 23s. was 23s 3d; present and following month 23s 6d, was 23s 6d; No. 2 R. W. prompt steamer 24s 9d, was 24s 6d; present and following month 22s 9d, was 24s 6d; present and following month 22s 9d, was 22s 9d.

Liverpool—Spot wheat steadily held; corn firm but not active; corn 3s 11d—4d dearer; peas 4s 11d—unchanged.

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American Markets. NEW YORK, April 17. FLOUR-Dull.

FLOUR—Dull.
RYE—Dull; unchanged.
BARLEY—Dull; unchanged.
PEAS—Canada nominal, 70c.
WHEAT—Receipts, 83,000 bu; exports, 48,000 bu; sales, 1,800,000 bu futures; 26,000 bu spot; spots dull; No. 2 red. April, 62½c; May, 63½c; June, 64c; July, 65½c.
CORN—Receipts, 385,000 bu; exports, 84,000 bu; sales, 1,600,000 bu futures, 147,000 bu spot; spots firmer; No. 2, 44½c to 44¾c, elevator; ungraded mixed, 45½c to 46c; steamer mixed, 43½c to 45½c; options steady; April, 44½c; May, 44½c; July, 45½c.
OATS—Receipts, 112,000 bu; exports, blocks

44½c; July, 45½c.

OATS—Receipts, 112,000 bu: exports, blank: sales, 1,000 bu futures, 76,000 bu spot; spots firmer; No. 2, 38c to 38½c; No. 2 white, 40c to 40½c; No. 2 Chicago, 39c; No. 3, 37c; No. 3 white, 39c to 39½c; mixed western, 38c to 39½c; white do. 39c to 44c; options dull, 37½c; May, 37c; July, 36c.

BUTTER—Moderate demand: State dairy, new, 16c to 22½c; do creamery, new, 17c to 24c, EGGS—Quiet; State and Pennsylvania, 12½c to 12¼c; western fresh, 12c.

EGGS—Quiet; State and Pennsylvania, 12½c to 12½c; western fresh, 12c.
RICE—Steady; domestic, 3¾c to 5½c.
MOLASSES—Steady, 30c to 38c.
COFFEE—Options steady; sales, 10,000 bags, including May, \$16 10; July, \$15 75; Sept., \$15 to \$15 10; spot Rio, dull; 17½c.
SUGAR—Steady; standard "A." 4 1-16c to 4½c; confectioners' "A." 3 15-16c to 4½c; cutloaf and crushed, 4 13-16c to 5c; nowdered, 4 3-16c to 4½c; granulated 4 1-16c to 4½c.
CHICAGO, Ill., April 17.

The trade in wheat to-day was of a local character. The opening was easy, followed by fairness. The close was easy at a shade below yesterday's prices. Corn was firm, closing ic to ic higher than yesterday. Oats gained ic. Provisions were weak at the close. May pork was 47% clower than yesterday, May lard 25c lower, and May ribs 30c lower.

Freights—A little more demand existed for yessel room at 1c for corn to Buffalo and Port

vessel room at le for corn to Buffalo and Port Huron, charters to both ports being made at that figure. hat figure.

THE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED.

WHEAT—April, 60c; May, 63½c; July, 62½c; Sept., 632c. CORN—April, 38gc; May, 39gc; July, 40gc;

Sept., 41½c.
OATS—April, 32½c; May, 32½c; July, 29½c;

ÖATS—April, 32½c; May, 32½c; July, 29½c; Sept., 25½c.

MESS PORK—May, \$12 82½; July, \$12 92½.

LARD—May, \$7 62½; July, \$7 20.

SHORT RIBS—May, \$6 50; July, \$6 42½.

CASH QUOTATIONS:

No. 2 spring wheat, 60c; No. 3 do. 52c to 62c; No. 2 red, 60c; corn, 39½c; No. 2 oats, 32c; No. 2 rye, 49c; No. 2 barley, 59c; mess pork, \$12 82½ to \$12 85; lard, \$7 67½ to \$7 70; short ribs sides, \$6 52½ to \$6 55; dry salted shoulders, \$6 to \$6 25; short clear sides, \$7 to \$7 25.

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| WHEAT—Spring wheat, more trading ing weak; weak for No. 1 hard, 72½c; Northern, 70c; No. 1 hard, c. i, f., 67%c | il 17. |

Northern, 70c; No. 1 hard, c. i, f. 673c; No. 1 northern, 664c. Sales were: 3 cars No. 1 hard, 72c in outside elevator; 5,000 bu No. 1 northern, 704c; 10,000 bu do, 70c spot; 5,000 bu No. 1 northern, 664c, c. i, f. Winter wheat—Holders asking 62c for No. 2 red on track, and No. 1 white in store; no demand.

CORN—Opened 4c higher, closed with additional 4c asked, for car lots. Sales on track, 10 cars No. 2 yellow, 434c; 8 cars do, 45c; 3 cars No. 2 corn, 43c. Sales in store; 14,000 bu No. 2 yellow, 424c; 10 cars do, 424c; 2 cars do, 424c; 3 cars No. 2 corn, 414c.

OATS—Closed strong, offerings light; 3 cars No. 2 white sold 38c; 2 cars do, 384c on track; closed 39c on track, 394c in store; No. 2 mixed, 384c.

BARLEY—Receipts 77,000 bu, none of which was placed on the market. The only offering was a little high-priced Canadian barley.

RYE—Dull; No. 2, 54c in store.

FLOUR—Quiet, steady.

MILLFEED—Dull, easy.

FOLEDO. April 18.

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WHEAT-59c bid cash and April; 594c May;

613 July. CORN-401c cash; 391c bid May. OATS-34c bid cash. CHICAGO, April 18-CHICAGO, April 18—11:30 a.m.
WHEAT—May, 60c; June. 614c; Sept., 634c.
CORN—May, 394c; July, 40c to 404c; Sept.

CORN—May, 394c; July, 294c; Sept., 254c.

OATS—May, 324c; July, 294c; Sept., 254c.

PORK—May, \$13 05; July, \$1 35.

LARD—May, \$7 75; July, \$7 32; Sept., \$7 30.

RIBS—May, \$6 60; July, \$6 55.

DETROIT, April 18.

WHEAT—Closes: White, 59c cash; red, 584c cash; 594c asked May; 613c asked July.

MILWAUKEE, April 18.

WHEAT—Closes: 57c cash; 58c asked May.

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO. N. Y.

EAST BUFFALO. April 17. — Cattle — Fair clearance; no trading of consequence; market Sheep and Lambs—Offerings 70 cars, mostly held over; market almost neglected; following yesterday's decline of 15c to 25c, there was a further break to-day of 25c to 30c. The eastern dressed meat trade is reported ic to 1c lower, and the immediate prospects are unfavorable. Choice to fancy wethers, \$4 75 to \$5 25; good to choice sheep, \$4 to \$4 50; choice to fancy lambs, \$5 25 to \$5 40; good to choice, \$4 25 to \$5 40; good to choice, \$4 25 to \$5 16 for 75 to 95 1bs; elipped stock, 50c to 65c per cwt below these figures.

Hogs—10 cars on sale; market active, and 10c higher. Choice heavy, \$5 80 to \$5 85; mixed, \$5 75 to \$5 80; good to best Yorkers, \$5 70 to \$5 75; light to good Yorkers, \$5 50 to \$5 65; pigs, \$5 30 to \$5 55. Sheep and Lambs-Offerings 70 cars, mostly

The Dairy Markets.

LITTLE FALLS, N. Y.

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LITTLE FALLS, N. Y. April 17.—Cheese sales
-1,711 packages of cheese on commission; 25
boxes of full cream went at 10c. Prices of old
cheese during the past week have been 11½c to
11½c; 37 packages of farm dairy butter sold at
19½c to 21c; bulk at 20c.

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address.

-Thos. Ouelette, Amherstburg, is in -Lieut.-Col. Gartshore is on a short trip to Chicago.

-Pay your gas bills on or before April 20 and save the discount. -S. S. Armitage, South London, has lost

a valuable cow by milk fever. -Mr. David Odgen, of this city, left last night on a trip to England. -Mrs. A. Cameron, York street, who has been very dangerously ill, is now recover-

-Mrs. W. J. Legg, of King street east, is recovering from a severe attack of the

-Mr. Walter Andrews, Hamilton road, has left on a month's trip to the Pacific

-Mr. R. C. Struthers, the well-known wholesale merchant, leaves on a trip to the English markets. -"Abbie" Johnson, of London, donned the Busalo baseball uniform yesterday and

-Someone walked off with a basket containing twelve dozen of eggs from the front of W. J. McCoomb's grocery shop on Rich-

mond street on Saturday night. -Under the patronage of Lieut.-Col. Smtih and officers, No. 1 Company Cricket and Football Club hold a grand performance at Wolseley Barrack to-morrow even-

-Mr. Jas. Campbell, proprietor of the City Wood Yard, has located in the premises formerly occupied by John Mann & Sons, on Bathurst street, just east of Richmond street.

-Hector F. H. Maclean, a well-known London boy, has been appointed by the Dominion Government to a very lucrative position in the Excise Department and is stationed at Windsor. -Joseph Oliver, grand master of the

I. O. O. F., accompanied by John Donough, P.G.M., of Toronto, are in the city and will visit Dominion Lodge, No. 48, this (Wednesday) evening. -Charles Briegler, an attendant at the

asylum and a native of Gray, Austria, was married on Monday to Mary Flora Armstrong, a widow residing on Charlotte street, East London. J. Cooper Antliff, D.D., performed the ceremony. -Superintendent Woollat and Engineer

De Gurse, of the Lake Erie and Detroit River road, are in town. They proceeded on a jaunt of inspection over the L. and P. S. R. this afternoon in company with Mayor Essery, Ald Coo, Engineer Graydon and others.

-The street railway company still has a large force of men at work grading the hill from Ridout street to the river and lowering the tracks. It will be properly drained, and will be a decided improvement. The work will cost the company about \$300.

-Patrick Lawson was arrested in London township about 1 o'clock this morning by Constable R. Ward, of London West, on a charge of insanity. Lawson is about 21 years of age and worked for Mr. Wm. Ta bot, con. 6. He was remanded for a week by Squire Lacey.

-The "Grand Duchess" will be presented by the London Amateur Opera Company on May 11. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Holman will assume the leading roles. Mrs. Holman is having made by Miss Clara Woodworth several handsome costumes to be worn by her as the Duchess.

-The first annual exhibition of the London branch of the Women's Art Association will be held in their rooms on Richmond street from April 27 to May 5 inclusive. Themembers will be given the privilege of a private day on April 26. Toronto will furnish a number of paintings. It certainly should prove a most successful affair.

-Rev. George Rogers, superintendent of Episcopal missions in Rupert's Land, lectured on the Indian work in that territory to an audience chiefly of ladies in Cronyn Hall last night. The address was enhanced by lime light views. Mr. Rogers gave a general outline of the successful missions carried on among the Indians. missions carried on among the Indians. They were, he said, rapidly becoming civilized, and in one diocese there were 8,000 Christians. Mr. Rogers also paid a tribute to the archbishop of Rupert's Land, who, since taking charge, had established eight dioceses with 81 ordained clergy.

Guest Again Remanded. For the third time since his incarceraion on the charge of bigamy, Wm. F. Guest was this morning brought before Judge Edward Elliott for trial and for the third time the trial had to be postponed on account of the illness of Mrs. Guest No. 2. who became a mother recently and is yet

unable to leave the house. An adjournment was made for two weeks. James Hobbins and Hugh Semple were also arraigned, but a remand was made

for a day to give them an opportunity of electing trial. He Had Quinsy.

John McAll, formerly of Poplar Hill, is now a resident of Uncle Sam's domains, having left his old home but a few days ago to escape being locked up. McAll was on Jan. 15 last summoned by Inspector Schoff, of West Middlesex, for selling liquor without a license, Lobo township having in force the local option law. On Jan. 18 he was taxed by Squire Henry Edwards, of Komoka, to the tune of \$55 60. He was short of funds at the time, and asked time for payment. Three months were given, and the time having expired last week without payment, constable John Edwards, of London West, was instructed to place McAll under arrest. He was found at home, but complained of a severe attack of quinsy, and on the dector's recommendation Constable Edwards postponed the arrest for a couple of days. When the officer went again to make the arrest shortly after it was found that the man with the throat trouble had gone-to Port Huron-and had sent a telegram to his friends informing them of his whereabouts. -Mr. W. A. Westcott, 42 Bruce street, South London, received from a friend in the United States the other day a souvenir

of the early days of journalism that he prizes highly. It is a copy of the first number of the Maryland Journal and the Baltimore Advertiser, published on Friday, Aug. 20, 1773. In his salutory to the public, W. Goddard, the publisher, excuses himself for long delaying printing his sheet, and says he hopes soon to provide facilities for bringing the Philadelphia papers promptly to him! He intended, he said, to provide a rider to carry the latest papers down. The latest news from England is dated Portsmouth, June 17. Three local items are given—one, the killing of a snake in the intended processory of which three rab. the internal economy of which three rabbits were found; another, telling of a woman who died aged 121, who was a total abstainer; and a third, showing how history repeats itself, detailing the tragic death of a father by a didn't-know-it-was-loaded accident at the instance of his son. There are few advertisements. In one, a trader offers hops for sale and expresses a desire to buy a negro girl 12 years old. Other advertisements, offering awards for runaway slaves, show that slavery flourished then and was not at all enjoyed by the enslaved.

A Narrow Escape. The eldest daughter of Mr. L. W. Crawford, 985 Maitland street, had a narrow escape from drewning a day or two since. While dipping up soft water from the cistern in the yard her hat fell off, and in the sudden effort to recover it lost her balance and plunged into the well. The water was fully seven feet deep. Miss Crawford struck her head on the bottom and, on coming to the surface, managed to clutch a board overhead. She shouted for help but it was so long before she could make herself heard that she was almost forced to relinquish her hold and sink. Her mother finally heard her and with the assistance of a relative pulled her into safety.

Happy Nurses. The "annual event" at the city hospital is always the evening when the graduating nurses receive the rewards of their patient continuance in well doing for two years amid the applause of friends and happy surroundings. Last night five of them joined in practice. The Express says he ablaze, and the corridors were thronged were so honored. The institution was with friends of the staff. In the spacious room on the east wing the formal ceremony was performed, the place being crowded to the doors. The nurses, in muslin aprons and caps, looked demurely charming, and the physicians of the city were there in full force to show their sympathy with their colaborers of the fair sex. Col. Lewis, chairman of the Hospital Trust, presided. Mr. Moxon enlivened the proceedings with piano solos at intervals in the programme. After prayer by the chaplain, Rev. Canon Smith, Col. Lewis welcomed all in his usual felicitous manner. Miss Tye, the head nurse, followed with an entertaining and instructive review of the work of the training school. Feeling references were made to the late Miss Wyle, a London probation. ery nurse, who died from typhoid fever in

the discharge of duty. The five graduating nurses, Misses Ford (Wyoming), Wycoff (London), O'Dell (Nilestown), Proudfoot (London) and Moralee (Hyde Park), then stood up and received their diplomas respectively from Dr. Antliff, Hospital Trustee Gilmour (of Dorchester), Trustee Complin, Dr. Flock and Rev. Canon Smith. Each gentlemen also volunteered kindly words of advice. The medals were handed over by Rev. Mr. Ford (uncle of one of the graduates), ex-Ald. Skinner, Dr. Antliff, Dr. Balfour (medical superintendent) and Col. Lewis. A round of applause greeted each of the fortunate ones as she received

her insignia of success. It is the chairman's yearly pleasure and custom to present the graduates with Bibles. Dr. Antliff in a neat address did this on |Col. Lewis' behalf. A duet by Messrs. Carroll and Skinner and a solo by the latter were much enjoyed. Refreshments were afterwards served and an hour spent in promenade and social intercourse. Miss McAlpine, the sixth graduate, was unable to be present.

Drought in Europe. London, April 17 .- Here in England farmers are beginning to be seriously frightened at the protracted drought, which bears a malignant resemblance to last spring's experience. We have been practically a month without rain, which in the humid British Isles is peculiarly abnormal. To-day there is a gray, cold sky, but still no downfall, and if rain continues withheld another week will see the hope of the hay crop almost abandoned and the whole harvest imperiled. Last year struck such a blow at the fodder crops that a repetition now would be cruel in the extreme. There are certain light compensations, it is true; trees are all in leaf, flowers are abundant and cuckoos and nightingales have appeared earlier than for half a century. Ireland, too, which is always contrary, and starves in years when there is plenty elsewhere, expects this season

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A Liberal Caucus.

(Special to the ADVERTISER.) OTTAWA, April 18 .- Rev. W. F. Wilson, Toronto, waited on Sir John Thompson this morning and presented a petition signed by 2,000 residents of East York asking for the release of T. G. Williamson, ex-reeve, who was in 1889 sent to Kingston penitentiary for seven years for forging his brother's name to a mortgage.

D. E. Thompson, Toronto, legal adviser to the Board of Trade, has had an interview with the Minister of Trade and Commerce on the Insolvency Bill.

The Liberal members of the House of Commons met in caucus this morning, Mr. Julius Scriver, the member for Huntington, presiding. The sessional programme and the order in which certain matters should be taken up, were discussed and settled. Those present say there was the best of feeling and no difference of opinion on any

BURNED TWO SQUARE MILES. The Disreputable Portion of a Chinese City-American Marines Perish.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 18 .- The China steamer Peru yesterday brought news of a great fire on April 6 which half destroyed Yoshiwari of Yokohama, the quarter devoted to disreputable women. An area of two square miles was burned over. Two marines of the United States steamer Marion and four Japanese were burned to death. The Japanese fire department is antiquated, and as the houses were cheap anairs of bamboo and paper they burned like tinder. Hundreds of women rushed out into the streets and many had narrow escapes. The two American marines, John Moore and a man named Woods, had drunk brandy and smoked opium until they were helpless, and the four Japanese women were in a similar condition. The Yoshiwari is very carefully guarded by the police and is protected by a high fence. The fire was finally put out with the aid of men from the American war vessels, Baltimore and Marion. The Nectarine, the large house which was pointed out to all tourists, was saved by American man-of-war men.

MONTREAL, April 18 .-- R. K. Latimer's carriage store and factory, corner St. Henri and William streets, was burned down today. Brayley, Sons & Co., wholesale druggists, adjoining, also suffered \$25,000 damage; total loss, \$60,000.

THE TURF. GREAT ENGLISH RACES.

London, April 17 .- At the Epsom spring meeting to-day the West Ainsley Plate was won by De Rothschild's Attar; Jennings' Sauter, second; Barclay's Cardross, third. The great Metropolitan Stakes were won by Thursby's Paddy; Houldsforth's Busney Park, second; Durward's Medici, third.

The Hyde Park plate was won by Lord Ellesmere's McNeil, E. Weader's Jack Sniper second, and the Duke of Portlands Patna third. Steamship Arrivals.

April 18.— At. From.
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