statute, and that, as a matter of fact

the pay received was pay provided by the imperial government. It would be

Alaska boundary and other questions. The house adjourned at 5 o'clock.

HAVE COME TO TIME!

Chinese Say They Will Inflict the Punish

ments Demanded.

Paris, Feb. 19 .- A Havas agency dis-

patch from Pekin says Li Hung Chang

and Prince Ching have informed the

legations that the court agrees to in-

Called Hence by Death.

Ottawa, Feb. 18 .- John C. Bonny, a

shaving Robert Shanks, aged 48, of Dearborn, and formerly a resident of this city, toppled over and died im-mediately from heart disease.

time was hale and hearty.

Watertown, N. Y., Feb. 19.

man statesman, is dead.

Ind., Feb. 18, 1801.

Potter, of Lafargeville, age

Ont. For many years he was a shoe-

of the most prominent physicians of

this section, and a relative of Bishop Potter, of New York, died suddenly

while making a call on a patient last

Berlin, Feb. 19 .- Count Bismarck-

Boholen, a nephew of the great Ger-

AGED 100 YEARS.

Nalle today celebrated his 100th birth-

day. He was born near Westminster,

W. W. COULTER'S SUDDEN DEATH

real estate and insurance agent, and

citizens, died at his residence Satur-

day afternoon. Mr. Coulter was sup-

erintendent of the Disciples' Church

Sunday school, a trustee of the church, on the board of Disciples' Col-

ege and also a member of the school

FATALLY BURNED.

Mrs. Reason, of Fort Range, Bourg-louis, 86 years old, was found lying dead on the floor of her house Sunday

evening. She lived with her son, who,

with his wife, left the old lady alone while they went to Point Basse, some

distance away, and on their return

discovered the remains of Mrs. Reason

lying on the floor, with her clothing burned, and the house full of smoke.

It is supposed she lit a match to find something, and in some way it ignit-

Joseph Hanlon, late section agent of

Pistoles, died Sunday morning as the

oring to rescue his mother-in-law, who

the railway station there a week ago

WILLFUL MURDER!

Winnipeg, Man. Feb. 19 .- A verdict

of willful murder was returned last

night by the coroner's jury against Wm. Watson for shooting and killing John McCray, at Dinorwic, Saturday

SMALLPOX-DID IT COME BY

MAIL.

Springs, looking after a supposed case

of smallpox. The victim is a farmer

named John Davidson, who is 70 years

tracted the disease from mail matter

received from Texas. It will be three

or four days before a definite diagnosis

can be given. In the meantime the

Ottawa, Feb. 19.-The department of

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

plain passed Brow Head this morning. Allan Line steamship Livonian docked

outlook. 10 for 10 cents.

else. Hutch Tablets benefit, the

Reported at. New York...

disease occurs in form so well

The bulletin gives the symp-

.Glasgow ...... New York

of age. He is supposed to have con-

Toronto, Feb. 19.-Dr. Bryce, provin

ial health officer, is at Sherwood

result of burns received while endeav-

perished in the fire which destroyed

the Intercolonial Railway at

St. Thomas, Feb. 19.-W. W. Coulter,

one of St. Thomas' most prominent

Trappe, Pa., Feb. 18. Rev. John

flict the punishment demanded.

## "Necessity Knows No Law." But a law of Nature bows

to the necessity of keeping the blood pure so that the entire system shall be strong, healthy and vigorous.

To take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier, is therefore a law of health and it is a necessity in nearly every household. It never disappoints.

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Tired Feeling — Was all ran down and had no appetite. Was tired all the time. Hood's Sarsaparilla was suggested, and a trial benefited me so much that now I would not be without the medicine." Mrs. G. D. BURNETT, Central Norton, N. B.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Never Disappoints

### AROUND THE CITY From Yesterday's Last Edition.

-The Aberdeens, of Ottawa, left for

home at 4:30 this morning, via the C. -Miss Tillie Moore, of Toronto, an ex-pupil of Harding Hall, is spending

a few days at the school -The city engineer has in contemplation the construction of a number of lateral sewers that work will commence several of these he already has plans

-The young woman giving the name of Emma Wrighton, who appeared in court yesterday, charged with disorder-ly conduct, is apparently a stranger here. Her name does not appear in

The remains of the late Leon Bodkin, who was killed at Westminster, B. C., arrived here last night, and were taken to Fergusen's undertaking rooms. Many friends from Delaware came to the city to meet the remains.

-Duncan, the 14-year-old son of Thomas McLean, of con. 10, London township, died yesterday. The dead boy was known to many in the city, his father having formerly kept the his father having formerly kept the toll gate on Richmond street north. -Tomorrow being Ash Wednesday high mass will be celebrated at St Peter's Cathedral, at 10 a.m., followed by the distribution of the ashes. At 7:30 p.m. the first of the lenten devo-tion services will be held. They will

be continued Wednesdays and Fridays -Miss Nellie B. Turner, the cele-brated elocutionist, of Indianapolis, [Special to The Advertiser per C.P.R.] will assist the Quaker Male Quartet, of Philadelphia, in the concert to be given by them in the Dundas Center Methodist Church schoolroom tonight.

gramme has been prepared. -St. Thomas Journal: The funeral of the late Mrs. Julia Regan, who died in Lendon, took place from the L. E. and D. R. R. station to the Catholic Cemetery. Rev. Father Fraser, of London, conducted the services. bearers were James Doyle, T. Cough-C. Regan, T. Coughlin, sen., J.

O'Brien and D. Coughlin. -The 22 days' mission in Memorial thanksgiving service. The congrega-tion was large, and a great number plessing by receiving memorial cards. Mr. Murphy will commence a sevenmission in St. James Church, South London, on Sunday, after which he goes to Buffale to conduct missions in that city.

-The special services, 'conducted afternoon and evening by Rev. W. H. Porter, Sabbath school evangelist, formerty of this city, now of Toronto, at the Adelaide Street Baptist Church, are wonderfully encouraging. A large number of children and young people have already testified to a hope in Christ. Mr. Porter has been for the last year successfully engaged in this kind of evangelistic work.

-There have been no new developments of smallpox cases in the city today, nor has anything further trans pired from the protest of property owners in the neighborhood of the isolation hospital. The health author- day, lasting fully 40 minutes. Ities say they are there by right, that It is the best place they could get and that they intend to stay. The permanency of the institution is an after consideration. Speaking this morning, Dr. Campbell said that all possible precautions were being taken to prevent spread of the disease. that the best of all precautions would be for all employers of labor to insist that their employes be vaccinated.

ROBBED OF \$150. King Lee, a Chinese laundryman at 253 Dundas street, was yesterday rob-bed of \$150. A suspected party is said to have left the city.

"ME AND MOTHER" SNOWED IN. The "Me and Mother" Company, which showed here recently, was to have opened an engagement at the To-ronto Opera House last night, but a notice posted on the box office informed theater-goers that the company been snowbound between Chicago and Port Huron, and could not reach To-ronto in time for a performance.

#### LIKE A KNIFE

Such Were the Terrible Pains of Scia-

tics in the Case of Wm. A. Brown. Bolestown, N. B., Feb. 18 .- Northumberland county has seldom seen such an extreme case of suffering as that of Mr. W. A. Brown, of this place. Mr. Brown had Sciatica. He describes his case this way: "I had Sciatica so bad in my back and hips that I could not walk without suffering awful agony. The pains would shoot through my

ning a knife through it.
"I took Dodd's Kidney Pills. The
first box helped me, and three boxes
completely cured me. I have not since had the slightest symptoms of pain or I think they are a wonderful remedy. I have recommended them to a number of other sufferers, and have yet to hear of their falling to cure."

None is so unreasonable as he who demands a reason for everything. WHY WILL YOU ALLOW, a cough to lacerate your throat or lungs and run the risk of filling a consumptive's grave, when, by the timely use of Bickie's Anticonsumptive Syrup, the pain can be allayed and the danger avoided. This Syrup is pleasant to the taste, and unsurpassed tor relieving, healing and curing all affections of the throat and lungs, coughs, soids, branchitis, etc., etc.

### LATIMER PLEADS GUILTY !

To Charges of Burglary Preferred Against Him.

Remanded for a Week for Sentence-Assault Case Withdrawn.

Vincent Latimer, the young man arrested a week ago for complicity in two robberies, was yesterday arraigned at the police court on two charges, one of breaking into and entering Donald McKenzie's shop and stealing therefrom goods to the value of \$50, and one of entering Charles Depper's store and taking therefrom one overcoat, a quantity of underwear, \$4 worth of stamps, and other articles, the total value being about \$25. The prisoner elected summary trial, and at first pleaded not guilty, but after consulting with his counsel, Mr. H. M. Graydon, changed his plea to that of guilty. Mr. Graydon addressed the court at length, adducing a number of reasons why the magistrate should exercise considerable lentency in sentenc-ing the prisoner. The prisoner's own statement is that he had only known his companion for a couple of days, and that it was the other man who had entered both buildings, and it was evident that the other man was the leader in both crimes. The prisoner, who is only 19 years of age, comes from a respectable family. He is a brass-finisher by trade, and Mr. Graydon produced certificates from employers in Toronto, with whom Latimer had worked for nearly a year up to Jan. 1, and this disposed of the theory that Latimer was one of a gang who have been working the country for months past. The prisoner's previous record was not very bad, he having been charged with vagrancy once and with house-breaking rancy once, and with house-breaking once, and discharged both times. Mr. Graydon argued that a light sentence should satisfy the demands of justice. The police magistrate remanded the prisoner one week for sentence. The

maximum punishment for the crime is fourteen years' imprisonment. The charge of assault laid against John McArthur, by Marshall Hea, was withdrawn. A settlement was reached between the parties, McArthur paying \$20 and all costs, amounting to about

The case of P. McPhillips, charged with non-payment of wages by Robert Davis, was adjourned till Friday.

## AT THE CAPITAL

Mr. Charles S. Hyman at His Post-The Member for Essex Fast Recovering.

Ottawa, Feb. 19.-Mr. Hyman, M.P., arrived back at the capital this morning, and has received many congratula-An interesting and attractive pro- tions on the success of the banquet ten-Mr. Cowan, member for Essex, who

has been ill in the hospital, is getting on well, and will soon be out again. PROROGATION IN APRIL.

Ottawa, Feb. 18.-Prognostications are being made that the session will not last any longer than the first week in April, and that when the time for the Easter adjournment comes it will closed last night with a find the business of the house concluded. The idea gains support from the fact that the premier intimated this afternoon that members who had notices on the order paper should take them up and not let them stand, as the administration might very soon ask the house to reserve an additional day

#### Telegraphic Briefs.

James Armstrong pleaded guilty of counterfeiting at Winnipeg. He is 71

Mr. Clare has introduced a bill in parliament to simplify proceedings under the alien labor act. North Norfolk Liberals have nomi-

nated Mr. E. C. Carpenter, M.P.P., for the Legislative Assembly. A sudden and intense eruption from

A further grant of \$1,900 has been made out of the patriotic fund to Trooper Mulloy, making \$2,000 in all. South Perth Liberals will meet at St. Marys on Friday, the 22nd inst., to nominate a candidate for the legisla-

Hon. Mr. Mulock has telegraphed to the mayor of Cumberland, B.C., offer-ing assistance for surviving sufferers by the mine disaster.

The Montreal City Council has decided to set aside \$10,000 for the reception of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York. The green house of the Sydenham Glass Company's plant, at Wallaceburg, was destroyed by fire early this (Tuesday) morning. Loss heavy, but

The Genessee National Savings and Loan Association, at Rochester, N. Y., has gone into the hands of a receiver. Liabilities about \$200,000, and more than

double the assets. Hon. Dr. Montague on Monday was vice by friends in Haldimand. The occasion was the eve of his departure for a four months' trip to Australia.

MAY YET GET IN THOUBLE Toronto Mail and Empire: A prominent member of the O. H. A. says that there is plenty of evidence that the management of the old London hockey club, which was declared a profession-al organization by the O.-H. A. executive, was in charge of the London-Aberdeen games for the Carling cup, so that if any of the players in that game get into trouble over it; they did so with their eyes open.

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## DOMINION **PARLIAMENT**

Question of the Pay of "C" Company Brought Up in the House.

Minister of Militia's Reply to Mr. Clark.

L. E. & D. R. R. Subsidy - Kingston Locomotive Contract—Other Matters Dealt With.

Ottawa, Feb. 18.—From the fact that States products. He urged that Canada should take similar action, expressprecedence is given to private members, the ministers were kept busy for the first half-hour in answering questions upon various subjects in connection with the administration of public affairs. Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper made a vigorous speech in support of a motion for papers in connection with the consideration of government telegraph lines in the Klondike and Atlin districts, which was replied to with equal vigor by Mr. Tarte. Mr. Clarke also brought up the question of pay of men of C Battery

who served in South Africa. Sir Louis Davies laid upon the table an order in council respecting the issue of licenses to United States fish ing vessels under the modus vivendi.

Mr. Blair also laid upon the table the report of the department of rail-

ways and canals. Some score of questions upon the order paper were replied to by min-

Dr. Borden, replying to Mr. Bourassa, said that the Canadian officers who are engaged in recruiting men for Baden-Powell's police force are officers of the headquarters staff, certain district officers commanding, certain officers of the Northwest Mounted Police. and probably the services of other officers will be required. The only officers not in permanent employment so far detailed are Capt. F. W. L. Moore, 4th Regiment Canadian Artillery, and Second Lieut. G. S. Beer, Nelson Rifle Company. They are not paid by the Canadian government; no pay or salary has been arranged for, but an officer is entitled to the pay of his rank while employed,

To a question by Mr. Robinson (West Elgin), Mr. Blair, in the course of a lengthy reply, said that the government promised a subsidy of \$3,200 a mile to the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway, although a considerable portion of the line runs parallel to the Michigan Central, evidence having been submitted to the railway committee of the Privy Council that running powers could not be had by the Scotland, he came to this country in L. E. and D. R. R. over the Michigan 1834, and settled in Peru, near Milton,

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper moved maker, and retired only a few years for a return of reports, papers and ago. He lived under five sovereigns in correspondence in connection with the England. the direction of Mr. Charleston. tween Bennett and Dawson, and Quesnel and Atlin, and the purchase of supplies in connection with the work.

Mr. Tarte said that all the papers asked for could be brought down at any minute, and then Sir Hibbert Tupper would be again found to have made statements to the house for which there was no foundation. In conclusion. Mr. Tarte announced that the only remaining gap of 50 miles will be completed by July 1, and then there would be direct communication between Ottawa and Dawson City. The motion for papers carried without opposition.

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper inquired whether the correspondence Hon. Mr. Sutherland and Hon. Mr. Harty, as set out in a poster used in the general election in Kingston, statthat the government had given an order for twenty locomotives to the Kingston works, was authentic. Mr. Blair, in reply, said that the cordence set forth in the poster is substantially correct. The government was attacked by the opposition for placing orders for the locomotives in the United States although there was no manufacturing establishment in Canada capable of executing the order, and when a company of Canadian capitalists were prepared to revive, enlarge and sufficiently capitalize the Canadian works, which had been closed down, the government felt it to be its duty to afford the company proper assistance and encourage-

ment in its power. In moving for copies of all papers, telegrams, etc., respecting the pay of men of C Battery, Canadian Artillery, who served in South Africa, or re-specting the deduction of any portion of their pay, Mr. E. F. Clarke said he made the motion in accordance with the suggestion made by the minister militia, when he sought to obtain the information in reply to questions. In justification for bringing the ques-tion up, Mr. Clarke said it was claimed that a large percentage of the men of the battery assigned their pay before leaving Canada to their relatives or friends, and they have received the full pay to which they were entitled, while the men who did not make an assignment of their pay had received practically nothing from the Govern-ment of Canada. After their arrival in South Africa C Battery was engag-ed with Plumer in Rhodesia. The Rhodesian Government paid to the men before they reached Halifax, \$130 or \$140 each. It was evident that the Government of Canada intended at first to pay them in full, irrespective of this grant, and could not under-

stand the reason for the change of intention on the part of the govern-ment. If this statement of the case house has been quarantined and was correct the government had been general vaccination ordered. guilty of a very ungenerous act.

Dr. Borden thought it was hardly fair to apply the word ungenerous to the government in this case. The staagriculture has issued a bulletin by tute last year provided the manner and the amount of payment. The mat-Duncan McEachren, chief veterinary inspector, upon typhoid fever in horses. ter was fully discussed in the house, and an order in council made part of and an order in council made part of the statute under which the \$2,000.000 was voted. That order in council pre-scribed the maximum pay to be giv-en these men. If the imperial pay fell short of the amount pre-scribed by the order in council. The marked that it is given a place in professional nomenclature as a distinct toms and treatment of the disease, which has been improperly called inscribed by the order in council. The pay of the men of C Battery was lim-ited to 75 cents a day, and the differ-ence between imperial pay and this fluenza, but is distinct from it. amount was to be paid by this govern ment either directly to the men after their return, or, if they assigned it to their dependents in this country, it was Auguste Victo be paid as the service progressed.

The vital point was that C Battery served under imperial pay in Rhodesia.

there was no question as to that in the sense mentioned in the statute. These men received five shillings a day; the

75 cents a day per man. How, then, was it possible for the government, under the statute, to pay these men anything additional? About one-third

# of the men had assigned their pay, and the department, in ignorance of the five shillings arrangement, had paid them the difference. In his judgment, and that of his officers, instead of the government being under any obligation to pay more money to the two-thirds, the one-third who had received this money ought properly to return to the treasury the money they had improperly received. Checks were made out to pay the men at Halifax, but were destroyed when the officer commending in force.

The Foxy Leader Fails to Reach His Objective.

His Men Revolt Against Their Commander's Cruelty-More Troops Booked for South Africa.

the men at Halifax, but were destroyed when the officer commanding informed the officials of the department that the men had already been paid more than was authorized by statute, and were perfectly satisfied, and that the additional pay was not expected, and should not be handed to them.

The leader of the opposition agreed with the minister of militia that he must be controlled by the terms of the statute, and that, as a metter of feet London, Feb. 19 .- Lord Kitchener, commander-in-chief of the British in South Africa, telegraphing from Prenecessary that there should be a fur-ther vote before the department of militia could make any additional pay-

"Dewet is reported still moving north On the premier's motion to adjourn, Mr. W. F. Maclean quoted from press cables the action of the Russian Govand is now west of Hopetown. He will probably double back to the southwest. The troops are prepared for this. A train was derailed between Voreeninging and Johannesburg this morning, but the Boers were driven off before they secured much." ing his conviction that in no other way could our neighbors be so quickly brought into a frame of mind to deal fairly with Canada in settlement of the

DEWET'S FAILURE. London, Feb. 19. — A correspondent of the Daily Mail, who is with the British column, pursuing Gen. Dewet, says: "Gen. Dewet has failed to reach his objective, having been headed off in turn from Strydenburg and Hopetown. A REVOLT.

"Last night a meeting of burghers was held in Gen. Dewet's camp to pro-test against the indiscriminate flogging of men, and half the force threatened to surrender. Eventually the malcontents decided to fight independently."

GOING OUT AGAIN. The London Daily Chronicle says it understands that several officers of high rank from India are going to South Africa, and that Lord Dundonald, Gen. Kelly-Kenny and Gen. Leach also are going out again. According to the same authority it has been practically decided, in connection with the scheme of army reform, to increase the forces by 150,000 men, to secure whom it is proposed to increase the pay of

### well-known composer of church music, died yesterday of pneumonia. Detroit, Feb. 18.—While in the act of JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

GLANWORTH.

mediately from heart disease.

Kingston, Feb. 18.—Dr. Michael Lavell, who was warden of Kingston Penitentiary from 1885 to 1896, died today, aged 76 years. He is survived by a widow, five sons and two daughters. J. R. Lavell, M.P., Smith's Falls, to a control of the control o Glanworth, Feb. 20.-Four families Burlington, Feb. 18.—T. J. C. Greene, aged 45 years, died this morning. Mr. Greene was a highly-respected citizen and a clever lawyer. He was a brother-in-law of Dr. G. McKelcan, Hamilton, and C. E. O'Mara, barrister, Toare quarantined on account of the outbreak of smallpox. They include over twenty persons. Patrolman Thomas Meadows is guarding the district, having been delegated by the Westminster Board of Health. It is rumored that a child belonging to William Glen, aged 4 weeks, has contracted the disease. A calamitous affair is that Dr. Nichol Toronto, Feb. 19 .- Donald McLaren, who died here yesterday at the age of over 100 years, had been ill for four should be quarantined from his bride. His rations are prepared by his helpmeet, and deposited on the doorstep of his office. Angus Munro is improving. weeks with influenza, and up to that

#### BELMONT.

youngest daughter, Martha, to Mr. Daniel J. Thompson, a popular young the Clan Thompson, with thirteen vehicles, met at the home of the bridegroom and drove in procession to the home of the bride, where the clan was augmented considerably, swelling the number to fully 75. After the interchange of fraternal greetings the bridegroom and retinue filed into the drawing-room and spood beneath a shoe. Then came the bride and her attendants, while the strains of the wedding march by Miss Olive McIntyre enlivened the occasion. The bride was given away by her father, and Rev. H. D. Moyer, Methodist minister of this place, performed the ceremony. The bride was charmingly costumed in white silk with trimmings of lace and pearls, and wore a tulle veil, oril and orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet or white carnations. Misses Annie Pettit, sister of the bride, and Eva Coulter, daughter of W. H. Coulter, of St. Thomas, attended the Quebec, Feb. 19.—A dispatch yester-bride, while Messrs. Henry Harkness ay from St. Raymond states that and Lewis Thompson officiated as groomsmen. The bridesmaids gowned in white organdie, and carried bouquets of pink carnations. After the ceremony a splendid repast was served in courses. Conspicuous among many presents was a check for \$700 from her father and mother. John Noble sang in the way of interlude, 'Ye Banks and Braes o' Bonnie Doon. The Highlandman's Toast" and "Scots Wha Hae wi' Wallace Bled," with Miss Pettie as accompanist. Albert Campbell, of St. Thomas, sang a number of solos with fine effect. Representatives of St. Thomas, Alvinston, Aylmer, Lisbon (Ohio), London and Kingsmill participated in the festivities. The brida pair left at 11 p.m., amid copious showers of rice, for St. Thomas, where they took the train for Niagara Falls, to while away a portion of their honey-The annual meeting of the patrons of

the Westminster cheese factory was held on Friday, Feb. 15, with Elder John Lawson in the chair, D. Black acting as secretary, pro tem. After routine, the expediency of feeding turnips was discussed by a number of those present, but no definite action was The secretary's financial statement, the report of the treasurer and the report of the vigilance committee were presented. Mr. William Fitzpatrick, proprietor, agreed to man-\$1 per 100 pounds of cheese. A. E. Carrothers was re-elected secretary at a salary of 60 cents per patron, and \$15 for treasurership. William Fitzpatrick was appointed salesman at \$50 per annum: D. Black, auditor, salary \$9 75; Messrs. D. R. Dibb, J. G. Dibb, A. W. Venning, David Lawson and H. J. Barons comprise the vigilance committee. Total pounds of milk, 2,331,362; pounds of cheese, 214,887; value of cheese, \$21,-567 10; cost of manufacture, \$2,148 85; average pounds of milk to make a pound of chee'se, 10.84; average price, 10.03c; value per cwt, of milk to pat-rons, making and expenses deducted, expenses, rate per 100 pounds, Five tons have been made in 5.09c. excess of last year, aggregating \$1-Miss Jane Thomson, daughter of

Malcolm Thomson, and Mary Stewart, who was born at Bachmeanach, Kin-1818, died at the residence of Mr. Neal J. Taylor, Yarmouth, on Wednesday Feb. 13, the result of paralysis. In 1854 she emigrated, and settled in Port Stanley, where she lived continuously for 25 years. Then she moved to con 8, Westminster, where she continued to reside for 25 years, with the exception of a few weeks prior to her death. She was a lifelong member of the Presby terian Church. Messrs. James and John Thompson, brothers, survive her. Life looks black to a dyspeptic. The The interment took place to the St. Thomas cemetery on Friday. Rev. John Currie conducted the funeral ser-

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vices at the house and at the grave. The casket was borne by Messrs. John Morrison, James McMillan, John McColl, Archibald McPherson, Archibald Y. Taylor and Archibald W. Taylor.

#### LOBO.

Lobo, Feb. 20.-As Mr. George Dean Lobo village, bought the Foresters' Hall of Mr. Peter McKellar, to be transformed into a new store, the Woodmen gave a farewell banquet Thursday evening, and those in attendance pronounced it the most such cessful and enjoyable one of the kind ever held there. Many guests were 1 The export of Canadian wheat, which present, the village and outside places in 1896 amounted to only \$5,771,521, last being well represented. Everything passed off with a smoothness that reflected great credit on the committee having the affair in charge. Excellent music and furnished by the McClain Orchestra, while Mr. John Hicks and Mr. E. Johnson gave some clever step dancing and Irish jigs. The festivities were kept up till an early hour in the

morning.
Miss Tenna McFarland, of Petrolia, is visiting her cousin, Minnie Camp-

The Farmers' Institute met in the Masonic Hall, Lobo Village, Saturday, Feb. 16, Both meetings were largely attended. The funeral of the late Dougal Graham took place from Strathroy, Sat-urday, Feb. 16, to the Ivan Cemetery. Miss Clark, of Oil City, is the guest of her friend, Miss Belle McIntyre, Komoka road.

#### WARDSVILLE.

Wardsville, Feb. 20.-The concert held in the Wardsville town hall Friday evening, under the auspices of the Presbyterian choir, was a grand suc-cess so far as the entertainment itself was concerned. The house was comfortably filled, and would probably have been packed had the admission fee been placed at a more moderate Belmont, Feb. 20.—A beautiful event figure. The music, both vocal and transpired at the charming residence instrumental, was of an exceptional of Mr. John Pettit, of South Dorches- order. Mrs. Dr. McKillop appeared at ter, on Wednesday, Feb. 13, at 6 p.m., her best, and her singing was highly the occasion being the wedding of his appreciated. She sang only one piece, however, and the audience disappointed when she declined to respond to a vociferous encore.

Mrs. J. Huston, of Glencoe, rendered several selections in her usual happy style. Mrs. Huston possesses a remarkably sweet voice, and her singing elicited the warmest applause. When little Minnie Dykes appeared on the stage, her reception was an

ovation. Minnie was in splendid form and her full rich voice, trembling at with the softest thrilled the assemblage, and fairly brought down the house. Plainly Minnie is a drawing card. close of the entertainment she was surrounded by a host of admiring friends, and eagerly embraced ladies who had come from a distance to listen to the wonderful little songstress of whom they had heard so On the whole the programme was

ably carried out, and everyone seemed well pleased with the night's entertainment.

#### CRUMLIN.

Crumlin, Feb. 20.-The auditors' report of the nort! branch cheese factory shows that a very creditable business has been done during the past season Number of pounds of milk received, 1,590,194; number of pounds cheese made, 143,191; average number of pounds of milk to make a pound of cheese, 11.1054; amount of money received for cheese \$14,344 63; amount paid for manufacturing cheese, \$2,-181 41; average price of one pound of cheese for season, 10.32c.

#### LAMBETH.

Lambeth, Feb. 20.—Miss Bert Head, of London, was the guest of Miss Lena Mann last week.

Mr. U. G. Van Delinder is renewing old acquaintances in the village this

A concert will be given in the auditorium of the Methodist Church on Thursday evening, under the auspices of the Epworth League. The concert will be under the direction of Prof J. W. Fetherston, of the Academy of Music London, with a chorus of picked voices from the academy. The soloists of the evening are Miss L. L. Phoenix, Miss Cora Sifton, Miss Gertie Howden, Miss M. Beaumont, Mr. J. Doherty, and Mr. F. Simmons, with Miss Eva Broome, violinist, and Miss E. M. Kurzenkinsbe, graduate of Boston School of Oratory, reader, chair will be occupied by Mayor Rumball. It is anticipated that this will be one of the best concerts ever given in Lambeth.

The remains of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fraleigh were taken to St. Johns for interment on Misses E. and M. Vandermade, S. and L. Mann, M. Routledge, B. Humpidge, R. Andrews and H. Burch entertained their friends on Thursday evening in the Masonic Hall, at a valentine party, which proved to be the event of the season. The hall was beautifully decorated with red, white and blue bunting. There were present 70 guests from London. Sharon. Glan-worth, Lembeth and vicinity. The fore part of the evening was spent in progressive games, the winners being Mr. F. Wilson, of South London, and Mr. H. Mann, of Glanworth.

After lunch the replies to the invitations, which were all in rhyme, were read, to the great amusement of the guests, who feel satisfied that the s no dearth of poets in this vici A pleasant feature of the evening the visit paid by St. Valentin bestowed on every guest a a year. After a short time tendered a hearty vote of the hostesses and took the well pleased with the ev

# TRADE IS GROWING

Interesting Figures From the Dominion Agricultural Department's Report.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 19.-In his annual report the Minister of Agriculture gives some striking comparative tables showing the enormous growth of Canada's export trade in farm products, especially in cheese and butter.

The export of Canadian wheat, which year reached the total of \$11,995,488. The value of flour sent out from this country grew from \$718,433 in 1896, to \$2,791.885

Four years ago the export of oats was only \$273,861; whereas last year it had attained \$2,143,179. In 1896 this country exported \$7,082,-543 worth of cattle, as against \$9,080,776

Canada's cheese export in 1896 was given as \$13,956,571, but for 1900 the figures are \$19,856,324. During the same period the butter exports have advanced from one million to five million dollars' worth; pork, bacon and hams from \$4,446,884 to \$12,803,034. Britain is clearly Canada's chief mar-ket for dairy products. Of the total export of Canadian butter, amounting

to \$5,122,156, last year, Great Britain took no less than \$4,947,000, while the United States bought but \$5,044 worth; Germany, \$7,270 and other foreign countries, \$43,176. In 1869 the Canadian butter export to Great Britain amounted to a little over a million dollars' worth. Great Britain took almost all of Canada's cheese export last year, while to the United States there went only \$4,836

worth, or \$5,000 less than the export to that country four years ago.

MURDEROUS JEALOUSY. St. Louis, Feb. 18.-In a fit of jealous rage today, Charles E. Berel, of 3,422 Laclede avenue, killed his wife. He then knelt before a mirror and carefully blew out his own brains.

KILLED IN A FOLDING BED. Minneapolis, Feb. 18 .- James Stewart, a retired lumberman, aged 60 years was killed in a folding bed at his home in this city early yesterday morning. The supports of the bed did not rest squarely upon the floor, and in some way the heavy top of the bed fell, the edge striking Mr. Stewart and

breaking his neck. VERY SIGNIFICANT. New York, Feb. 18.-J. Pierpont Morgan's guarantee to underwrite a new issue of 30,000 £10 shades of the British Electric Traction Company is considered very significant, according to the Tribune's London correspondent, as marking the formal entry of the powerful Morgan interests into England for the purpose of organizing gigantic com-

binations of capital, as in America.

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