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WAS GRANTED

The License Commissioners Allowed Transfer of Grand Central License -Inspection of Mr. Massey.

The Board of License Commission ers for West Kent held a special meeting on Saturday afternoon for the purpose of considering the matter of a license transfer. There were present, Chairman W. B. Baxter, Commissioners Thos, C. Martin and Andrew McKibbon and Inspector Nathaniel Massey.

On motion Inspector Massey was appointed as secretary of the Board. Inspector Massey submitted his report on the hotel in quention and the proposed transfer. It was then moved by Commissioner Martin and seconded by Commissioner Martin and seconded by Commissions.

mioner McKibbon that a transfer of the license for the Grand Central Hotel from Theodore Boarassa to Joseph J. Carron be granted.—Car-

A copy of the by-law of the city

relative to the reduction ...
was read and fyled.
Inspector Massey has been asked for make a rigid inspection of all premises of applicants for renewals of licenses and report thereon.
The Board then adjourned till that, when they Saturday, the 22ud inst., when they will consider the matter of applica-

tions for licenses.

A TEST CASE

Abraham Zakoor, who has opened up the fruit store on King St., next to the Rankin Hotel, appeared in the Police Court to-day to answer a sharge of infraction of the transient traders' by-law.
Mr. Zakoor has rented the store

Mr. Zakoor has rented the store where he is, paying a year's rent in advance. He has also an agreement to purchase the store for \$3,500, the year's rent to apply on the purchase price, and has since tendered \$1,000 price, and has since tendered \$1,000 on the purchase. Mr. Zakoor was given the opportunity of paying \$100, same to apply on his taxes if he made the purchase, and he was willing to do so, but the man who sold him the property advised him against liong so.

O. L. Lewis appeared for Zakoor.

LADIES LOOK YOUNGER

Which is the desire of one and II. Take the trouble of visiting Prof. Doreuwend's private show Froms at Garner House, Chatham, on Tuesday, April 18th, and see the many beautiful inventions in Styles of Human Hair Coverings, Wigs, Bangs, Switches, etc., and inspect his new patent atructure.

THE NEW AGENT

R. W. Youngs, who came here from Ridgetown as agent of the Pere Marquette, has been promoted to the important position of agent of the P. M. at Chatham, succeeding Mr. L. E. Tillson, Mr. Youngs, who is a brother-fallew of Mr. M. G. Hay, has made many warm friends during his residence here. He is a live, energetic railroad man and the citizens of Ohatham will find him a valuable acquisition to their business circles. Mr. Youngs will assume his new duties on the 18th.

Mr. J. W. Ruth, formerly cashier here, but at present chief clerk at Suspension Bridge, will succeed Mr. Youngs at St. Thomas. Mr. Ruth is a capable railroad man and will be welcomed back to this city, where he has a large number of friends.—St. Thomas Journal.

SET ASIDE APRIL 22ND.

New York Central Railroad will run an excursion to New York on April 22nd. Tickets good going only on that date, and good five days for retura, \$10.23 round trip from Suspension Bridge and Buffalo. Write L. Brago, 69 1-2 Yonge street, Foronto, for all information.

ANNIVERSARY

Rev. R. D. Hamilton, of Petrolea, conducted the Sunday school anni-versary services in the Park street Methodiat church yesterday. Large crowds were present at all of the

In the morning the reverend gentleman gave an illustrated talk to the children on the words "I am the light of the world" and "Ye are the light of the world." The address was illustrated with candles and Mr. Hamilton introduced his talk by explaining the process by which these candles are made in his own home in Petroles. Petrolea.
In the evening Mr. Hamilton gave

an address to the teachers and parents. It was a masterly effort and ents. It was a masterly critically thoroughly enjoyed and appreciated. In the afternoon a Bible text finding contest was held in the Sunday sohool room and the visiting clergy-man delivered another address to the The music at all of the services

was of a special nature and ably rendered by the choir and soloists,

MATTER OF TASTE

Dr. A. W. Thornton tells a good story on one of the members of the Young Men's Club of the Park street Methodist church. The incident hap pened yesterday and it is well worthy of repetition,

The doctor was engaged in teaching this plass of young men from the lesson of the supper at Bethany when Martha served and Mary sat at the feet of her Master and Martha complained that Mary did not assist in the serving of the supper.

The doctor asked the question,—"Which woman do you admire the most and which would you rather be with?"
One bright youth realied.— The doctor was engaged in teach

with "'
One bright youth replied,—
"That all depends on what time
of day it was."
It proved to be a very wise answer, for if it were evening he would
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rather be with the loving and sympathetic Mary, and if it were meal-time he would rather spend the hour with the thrifty and industrious Martha.

READ IN THE HOUSE

At the Friday afternoon sitting o the Provincial Legislature the peti-tion of the City Council of Chatham, praying that the Municipal Act may be so amended as to confer the franchise upon married women who are property owners, was read and re-ceived. It was formally presented on the previous day by A. B. Mc-Coig, M. P. P., West Kent's representative.

Men who like the least to make money, like the most to spend it.

Pride costs us more than hunger, thirst and cold.



Not New. Don't think our Vapo-Cresolene is something new, for it isn't. For more than twenty years it has been extensively used for all forms of bronchias and

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GREAT RAILWAY STRIKE

Italian Army and Navy Called Upon to Mann Trains.

nt Has Determined to Maintain a Limited Service and As Much Order As is Possible-Trains Will Be Escorted by Soldiers and Cavalry the Tracks - French Porcelair Strikers Clash With Military,

Rome, April 17.—A general strike of railway employes is to be inaugurated this morning, in accordance with the arrangements perfected through cipher as directed to all railway cer

arrangements perfected through ciphes telegrams directed to all railway centres by the agitation committee at Rome. The Neapolitan Railway men were insistent upon going on strike Saturday night, and as a concession to them the central authorities of the Operatives' Association consented that traffic on some of the. Naples lines should be stopped immediately, but that on others one train should be run yesterday. The strike will prove a great embarrassment to foreign tourists, of whom there are a great many in Italy just now.

Premier Fortis Speaks.

In reply to an interrogation in the Chamber of Deputies, relative to the railway bill which is on the calendar fora discussion to-day. Premier Fortis said: "We still hope with persuasion to bring the railway men to reason; but if those means are insufficient I declare the Government knows its duty and how to accomplish it with the approbation of the Cabinet, trusting to have the approval of public opinion, which wishes to prevent arrogance by the railway men. I can state that public order will be maintained everywhere, and also that the public will be served within the limits of possibility.

Manned By the Military.

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The chief measures upon which the Government relies consists in having the stations occupied by military and trains conducted by soldiers, the navy suppling engineers and stokers, Trains will be escerted by soldiers and will carry workmen ready to repair any damage that may be inflicted upon the tracks. Express trains will be discontinued and the natinium of ene edinary train daily will be maintained on each of the principal lines. The tracks will be patrolled by cavalry.

on each of the principal lines. The tracks will be patrolled by cavalry. Socialist deputies are discussing the advisability of adopting obstructionist tactics in the Chamber of Deputies to prevent the passage of the railway bill Porcelain Strikers Stone Soldiers. Limeges, France, April 17.—The excitement among the porcelain strikers is becoming more vicient and manifesting itself principally against the Amer-

is becoming more vielent and manifesting itself principally against the American firm of Haviland, which has taken
a leading part in the lockeut. The
Socialist Mayor's attitude of inactivity
and his appeal to the ministry not to
send troops appears to encourage the
workmen to continue their demonstra-The Minister of the Interior ordered

The Minister of the Interior ordered reinforcements to be sent here.

A procession of several thousand men, some of them armed, paraded the streets yesterday morning, proceeding to the prison, where they unsuccessfully attempted to force the doors. A picket of troops endeavored to break up the demonstration, but the strikers registed attorius, the soldiers. The crowd finally dispersed on the arrival of cavalry.

TURKISH TROOPS IN PERIL.

Lost Guns and Stores in Fight With Arabian Insurgents at Sanaa. Constantinople, April 17.—News received here from Hodelda is to the ef fect that the situation at Sanaa is pre

fect that the situation at Sanaa is pre-carious, necessitating a new relief ex-pedition owing to Gen. Riza Pasha, aide-de-camp to the Sultan, having lost all his guns and stores in recentif-sighting his way into Sanaa. A despatch from Constantinople of April 1 said that Riza Pasha with a strong force of men had reached Sanaa, capital of the Province of Yemen, Ara-bia, on March 29. On March 3 it was reported that Sanaa had fallen into the hands of the insurrents and en March hands of the insurgents and on March 18 a despatch stated that Sanaa had capitulated, but subsequently this was denied by the military authorities at Constantinople.

Carrie Nation Is Again Sentenced. Carrie Nation le Again Sentéhoed.
Wichita, Kans., April 17.—Yesterday
Carrie Nation, Myra McHenry and
Mrs. Lucy Wilhoit were found guilty of
destroying property and sentenced by
Judge Wilson. Mrs. Nation was fined
\$250 and given four months in jall;
Mrs. McHenry, two months and a fine
of \$150, and Mrs. Wilhoit, twenty-five
days in jail and a fine of \$150. Sentence was suspended pending goed behavior.

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London, April 17.—Lady Warwick, the Socialist countess, continues her stump-speaking in behalf of the Socialist-Labor candidates for Parliament. She has told an audience of workingmen at Burnley that her husband, the earl, had also become a Socialist. She said that she had been born and reared in the shadow of feudalism and knew and appreciated its injustice.

Sullivan to Fight Mitchell. Bullivan to Fight Mitchell.

Tacoma, Wash, April 17.—The sporting editor of a Tacoma newspaper has, it is said, succeeded in matching John L. Sullivan, former champion puglist of the world, and Charley Mitchell, champion boxer of England, for a twenty-round bout, Marquis of Queesberry rules, the battle to occur some time in May.

lington Booth said of it, years ago, that "No family where there are young children should be without Vapo - Cresolene." You breathe in the vapor, it goes all through the bronchial tubes, soothing, healing, curing. It's pleasant, safe and economical.

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Ottawa, April 17—A militia order announces that a free issue of 50 rounds of service ammunition will be made to cadets who have attained the age of 16 years, when the supply of ammunition is sufficient to permit of such

A TORONTO SUICIDE.

Wife Awaiting Burial R. J. Hunter
Cuts His Throat.
Toronto, April 17.—With his wife,
lying in her coffin awaiting burial.
Richard J. Hunter, 52 Defoe street,
yesterday morning committed sulcide
by cutting his throat with a razor. Mrs.
Hunter died on Friday of diabetes.
Two sisters of the deceased woman,
Mrs. and Miss Lalley, remained in the
Hunter homestead with the household.
About 6 o'clock yesterday morning
they heard Hunter walking around the
house. Then they heard a fall. They
found Hunter lying on the floor, gasping with a wound in his throat and a
razor by his side. Medical efforts were
of no avail and he died an hour later.
The suicide was 45 years of age and
had worked for the C. P. R. Co. as a
blacksmith for some time. He was
mot d amongst his acquaintances as a
devoutedly religious man. At times
some of his friends say, his religion
amounted almost to a mania. This and amounted almost to a mania. This and the death of his wife is supposed to be the cause of his rash act. The fun-eral will be a double one.

R. M. C. GRADUATES FAVORED.

They Will Have Refusal of Permanent Corps Commissions.

Ottawa, April 17.—The important step has been resolved upon by giving graduates of the Royal Military Col-lege the refusal of commissions in the ermanent corps.

The regulations providing for the en

The regulations providing for the engineers and permanent artillery and every alternate commission in the permanent cavalry, mounted infantry, infantry and ordnance corps will be offered in the first instance to graduates of the college.

Three commissions will be given annually, should vacancies exist, to the graduating class, viz.: Every year one in the Canadian permanent infantry, and each alternate year one in the permanent engineers, and one in the permanent field artillery or in the permanent cavalry or mounted infantry and one in the permanent permanent garrison artillery.

Further, every three years a con mission in the permanent corps will be given to the graduating class.

Subpoenas for Six Little Wives. Subpoenss for Six Little Wives.
Chicago, April 17.—Subpoenss have been issued for six women, wives of men employed by various packers. All of these men, it is said, are now in Canada, and the subpoenss for their wives have been issued in connection with alleged disappearance of husbands. The women are: Mrs. Irving A. Vant, wife of the assistant secretary of Swift & Co.; Mrs. James Brennan, whose husband is a department manager for Swift & Co.; Mrs. A. R. Fay, wife of the traffic manager for Swift & Co.; Mrs. A. R. Fay, wife of the traffic manager for Swift & Co.; Mrs. Frank A. Spink, wife of the manager for the National Packing Co.; Mrs. Frank A. Spink, wife of the manager of the hide, tallow and cashing departof the hide, tallow and cashing department of Swift & Co.

Britain's Debt to France Paris, April 17 .- The Matin says th community of ideas between the United States and France regarding Morocco Is a sand France regarding Morocco is most complete, and the paper comgratules the Government upon the coordiality existing in London and the strong support given there to the French position. This leads diplomats to say that Great Britain ewes France much most than moral support in Morto say that Great Britain ewes France much more than moral support in Morocco. The Anglo-French understanding resulted in France relinquishing to Great Britain the French shore of Newfoundland and important rights in Egypt, and Great Britain's consideration for this was the recognition of France's paramount influence in Morocco

Bullet Hits a Powder Gask Bullet Hits a Powder Cask.

Trenton, Tenn. April 17.—Three men
were killed, three injured and considerable damage done to property here
Saturday by the explosion of some powder in a storehouse in the rear of a
hardware store. Robert Phelan was
trying a target gun. It is thought a
ball pentrated a can of powder in the
storehouse and caused the explosion.
Nearly every business house downtown
was damaged to some extent.

45 Years Old: Has 33 Children. Naples, April 17.—On the steamer Prins Regent, from Zanzibar, Madame Gondel, wife of a Hamburg millionaire, has just arrived here. She is only 45 years of age, but is the mother of 33 children—all born during 25 years of wedlock. Five times she had triplets, and some of her children are now traveling with her. Her eldest child is a daughter 24 years of age.

Mrs. Francis H. Medcalf Dead, Toronto, April 17,—The widow of Francis H, Medcalf, who was Mayor of Toronto from 1864 to 1866, and also in 1874 and 1875, died at her home on Saturday, in her 95th year. Mrs. Medcalf was a native of Burnley, Lancables.

Addressed Ottawa's Club. Ottawa, April 17.—Rider Haggard and Commandant Booth-Tucker of the Salvation Army addressed the Canadian Club at Saturday's luncheon. Nearly three hundred members attended.

Former Editor Dead. Whitby, April 11.—Charles Taylor, aged 65, died here yesterday from paralysis. He was formerly editor of The Gazette, and later in the customs of fice for over a quarter of a century.

Hurt By Falling Crane. Brantford, April 17—J. Tully, of Hamilton, was injured in a T. H. & B. Rallway wreck here yesterday. A heavy orane upset, crushing Tully. Traffic was suspended for the day.

Street Car Victim Dead. Toronto, April 17.—Thomas Armstrong, the aged customs official who was struck by a Yonge street car about two weeks ago, died Saturday night at his home.

E. F. Clarke Testimanial Fund.
Toronto, April 17.—Up to Saturday
night E. B. Osler, M. P., had receive
and acknowledged on behalf of this
fund the sum of \$19,438.83. St. Lawrence Is Open.

Montreal, April 17.—The ice cleared out of the channel opposite Montreal Saturday and river navigation is ex-pacted to open at once.

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A Brown Derby

Takes five years off your age.

You'll believe this when you see how well you look in the color that's smart this Spring, and you'll want to look your best for Easter.

Come in and see the great values and the large range of STYLISH SPRING HATS we have to choose from.

\$1.50 to \$3.00

THORNTON & DOUGLAS.

Percurser of Cholera.
St. Petersburg, April 17.—A peculiar opidemic of cerebral spasms, almost always fatal, has made its appearance in St. Petersburg. The doctors say it was imported from Galicia to Lodz, Russian Poland, where there have been many victims. It is regarded by the doctors as a procursor of cholera.

Don't Stop!

Read the Ad. through, you may see goods you need at the right price. We shall be pleased to s. nd your order to approve of the circumstance.

A Winnipeg Mystery.

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Winnipeg, April 17.—A mysterious jewel robbery occurred here on Saturday afternoon, when a tray of diamond rings, valued at \$2,000, was taken in broad daylight out of D. R. Dinwall & Co.'s store in the McIntyre Block. Some alterations were going on in the fittings, and the diamond tray stolen was in a temporary show case, with doors opening into the body of the shop; Four clerks were in the store at the time, besides a number of oustomers, and the thief must hae taken out the tray under the eyes of a dozen or more people. There were twelve rings in all, ranging from \$100 to \$700 apiece. The police claim a clue.

To Meet at Messina.

Rome, April 17.—A telegram from Messina to the Giornale Di Italia says that King Edward and Queen Alexan-dra are expected to meet Emperor Wil-liam at Messina about April 28. \$4,000 Fire At Berlin.

Berlin, April 17.—Fire yesterday morning did between \$3,000 and \$4,000 damage in the pearl button factory of J. B. Gateman & Co. It was caused by an overheated stove. Mrs. Chadwick To Be Freed.

Cincinnati, April 17.—Mrs. Cassie I Chadwick is to be released on a bon-of \$5,000, according to an order mad-Saturday by Circuit Judge Lurton. Purse Snatchers in Hamilton,

Hamilton, April 17.—Purse snatche were busy here on Saturday night Their booty, however, was small each of the cases reported. 3,000 New Comers. Montreal, April 17.—Nearly three thousand immigrants, for the most part British, passed through here yes-

terday on their way west. Death of Mrs. Harvey.

Barrie, April 17.—Mrs. Harvey, mother of the sheriff of this County and of the Drs. Harvey in Orllis, died here Saturday in her \$2nd year.

For Protection of Animals. Ottawa, April 17.—Orders-in-council have been promulgated providing for enforcing the precautions against scales on sheep and glanders among horses. Inspectors are given arbitrary power in the matter of killing animals so affected. The regulations come into force at once.

Farmer's Barns Burn.
Ripley, April 17.—Fire at midnight yesterday destroyed the barn and annexed sheds belonging to George Brooks, a farmer, residing three miles north of this place. Loss is estimated conservatively at \$2,500.

Discontentment seems a positive joy to some people.

any part of the city. Pickled Cucumbers ready for

Toc per doz.
Clothes Pins 1c per doz.
Farmer's Lard, 10c a lb.
Best table Syrup, 15c a qt.
Fresh Soda Biscuits, 7c a lb. Tapioca, 7c a lb.
Dried Apples, 6c a lb.
New Prunes, 5c a lb.
6 cans of Sardines, 25c

lb. pail of Jam, 45c bottle Pavorite Shoe Dressing and whisk OROOKERY

From 15 to 20 per cent of all China, 10 per cent of Dinner, Tea and Chamber Sets, 10 per cent of Glassware. A good chance, don't miss it.

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2,000 BUSHELS Three Cars in This Week

One car Fancy Eastern Stock, Beauty Hebron Variety, which we guarantee to be first-class cookers.

Two cars Fancy Michigan Stock, strictly one variety, also good cookers.

Quote either variety 90c. Per Bag. We also have 30c Bushels of Early Michigan Seed Potatoes.

Will make special price on quantities

JAS. N. MASSEY, OPP MARKET Phone 60. Prompt Delivery.

Cheese Prices Drop. London, April 17.-(C. A. P.)-There has been less business passing last week on the cheese market; values are at the end tending in the buyers favor to about a shilling below last week's price ces; choicest is 58s to 59s; finest, 57s; Bacon, No. 1, is 53s, 56s, 61s; heavy, 52s, 56s; No. 2, is 50s, 53s, 56s, 58s; heavy, 52s, 55s; No. 3, 59s, 52s, 56s, with fair market.

Welcomed at Algiera.

Algiera, April 17.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra arrived here yesterday on board the British Royal yacht Victoria and Albert. The French and British men-of-war in the harbor saluted the Royal yacht. Visits were exchanged with the Governor. The populace show great enthusiasm. King Edward remains on board the yacht.

Sarsaparilla, The doe-Store' Sarsaparills. The tested and tried Sarsaparilla. The Sarsaparilla that makes rich, red blood; strengthens the nerves; bui

Are You Conscious Of Your Wants

YOU have elegant furniture, carpet and rugs in your drawing room, but have you nice pictures? A fine portrait will attract as much attention as your piano, but a cheap one-one of the "Giveyou a picture and sell you a Frame," Kind

will spoil everything else in the room. We made a specialty of Large Portraits, and we allow no picture which is not a work of art to leave our studio.

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