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Honey, comb.

Lard, per lb. VEGETABLES AND FRUIT

Potatoes per bag 90 @
Apples, per bag 75 @
Apples, per busket 150 @
Onions, per bu 60 @
Oeler, perdoz bunches 40 @
Turnips, per bag 25 @

Chickens, per pair. 40 @ Hens, per pair. 40 @ HAY AND SEEDS. Hay, per ton. 8 00 @ Straw, per load 2 50 @ Cloverseed, red, per bn. 3 25 @ MEAT, HIDES, ETC. Beef, front quarters, per lb. 4½ @ Beef, hind quarters, per lb. 5½ @ Mutton, quarters, per lb. 5½ @ Lamb, quarters, per lb. 5½ @ Lamb, quarter . 9 @ Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, light. 5 25 @ Dressed hogs 100 lbs, heavy 1 00 @ Hides, No. 1, per lb. 5½ @ Hides, No. 2, per lb. 5½ @ Calfskins, green 8 @ Sheepskins, green 8 @ Sheepskins, green 15 @ Weekstroper him.

 Calfskins, green
 8

 Sheepskins, each
 70

 Wool, washed, per lb.
 15

 Wool, unwashed, per lb
 9

 Chickens, per pair
 60

 Duckers, per pair
 60

ler in barrels west. Millfeed-Firmer,

at \$15 to \$16 for shorts, and \$13 50 to \$15

for bran west. Barley-Steady, at 45c

to 46c for No. 1 west. Buckwheat-

Steady, at 49c west. Rye—Firmer, at 54c west. Corn—Steady, at 37c for Can-

ada yellow west, and 46c for old Am-

erican at Toronto. Oats-Firmer, at 30c to 31c for white west. Peas-Steady,

at 63c to 66c west. Eggs-Firmer, at

13½c to 14½c on small receipts. Butter—Steady, at 13c to 15½c for large rolls,

and 10c to 131/2c for dairy tubs; cream-

19c to 20c for packed. Dressed hogs— Steady; cars on the track here, \$5 25.

Live hogs—Choice, %c lower, at \$4 371/2; others unchanged; receipts.

Chicago Exchange.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago

Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1278.

American Markets.

Chicago, March 30.—Opening—Wheat, May, 73%c; July, 78%c. Corn, May, 96%c; July, 36%c; Sept., 37%c. Oats, May, 26%c; July, 25%c. Pork, July, \$9 30. Lard, July, \$5 45; Sept., \$6 60. Riba, May, \$4 77%; July, \$4 90.

DETROIT, March 30.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 74½c; No. 2 red, cash, 75c;

TOLEDO, March 30.-Wheat-Cash.

75c; May, 75½c; July, 73¼c. Corn— Cash, 36c; May, 36¾c. Oats—Cash, 28¼c;

MILWAUKEE, March 30 .- Wheat-

CHICAGO, March 30.-The reduced

but there was no pronounced advance,

though the few prime beeves that were offered sold 10c higher; fancy cattle,

\$3 90 to \$5; calves, \$4 to \$6 15. There was

lots: fair to choice, \$3.75 to \$3.87\\; heavy packing lots, \$3.55 to \$3.72\\; mixed, \$3.55 to \$3.80; butchers, \$3.60 to

\$3 82½; light, \$3 60 to \$3 80; pigs, \$3 25

Live Stock Markets.

\$4 321/2 to \$4 371/2.

May, 75%c; July, 731/2c.

May, 281/4c.

Open.
Wheat-May... 73½
July... 73½
Corn-May... 36½
July... 36½
July... 26½
July... 25½
Pork-May... 9 17
Lard-May... 5 33

Ribs-May.... 4 77

Puts, 71%. Calls, 75.

Open. High. Low.

CHICAGO, March 30

Close.
73%
73
36
365%
263%
263%
253%
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	Ask.	Off.
Montreal		247
Ontario		124
Toronto		248
Merchants		180
Commerce	1501/	150
Imperial	216	214
Dominion	268	266
Standard		190
Hamilton		191
British America	129	1273
Western Assurance	166	1653
Consumers' Gas, xd		328
Montreal Gag vd	911	2083
Dominion Telegraph, xd		133
Morthwest Land Company.	pref. 53	52
Canada Pacific Ry Stock	871/4	867
Commercial Cable Company	188	186
Commercial Coupon Bonds.	1041/6	1033
Com. Registered Bonds	104	1033
Bell Telephone Company, R	d	176
Bell Telephone, new		
Michelieu and Untario	1121/4	1117
Montreal Street Railway		
Toronto Street Railway	1161/2	1163
London Street Railway		178
London Electric	127	123
Dominion Savings and Inve	st	76
Huron and Erie L. and S.	190	180
Huron and Erie, 20 per cer		170
London and Canada L. and	A 70	60
London Loan	120	110
London and Ontario		
Ontario Loan and Debentu		123
Montreal Stoc		t.
MONT	PEAL Ma	ren 30.

Montreal	Stock Market	j.
6	MONTREAL, Mar	ch 30.
	Ask.	Of
Canadian Pacific, x		87
Duluth, common	81/2	3
Duluth, preferred.	10	9
Commercial Cable.	190	184
Com. Cable Coupon	Honda	
Commercial Reg F	londs	
Montreal Telegraph	rd 180	175
Richelieu and Onta	rio 1134	112
Montreal Street Ra	ilway 391	319
Montreal St. Railw		317
Toronto Railway, x	1163/	116
Montreal Gas Comp	21014	209
Bell Telephone	180	176
Ben Telephone	1861/	185
Royal Electric, xd.		100
Bank of Montreal.	125	123
Ontario Bank		120
Molsons Bank		240
Bank of Toronto		180
Merchants' Bank		180
Merchants' Bank o	Halifax	125
Quebec Bank	130	
Union Bank Bank of Commerce		
Bank of Commerce		51
Northwest Land, p	ref 60	158
Montreal Cotton C	o., xd160	82
Oanada Colored Co	tton 80	
Dominon Cotton	117	116

New York Stocks. Reported by F. H. Butler, 15 and 16 Masonic

Temple, for The Adve.	reiser.	W	Manch	30
Wantenda 1	New	YOFK,	March	30.
Yerterday's		TT:1	T	2:30.
Close.		High.	1.0W.	211/2
Atcheson 215	2158	215/8	213/8	
Atcheson Pfd 611/2	611/2	62	6134	6178
Brooklyn Tran 13234	1321/2	1353/4	1291/2	135
Central Pacific	.::	.::	.::	.::.,
C., B. & Q1441/8	1441/8	1443/2	14314	144%
C. & N. W16134	160	160%	1581/2	1593/4
Ohicago Gas124%	12454	1243/4	123%	1241/4
Gen. Electric 114%	115%	116	1141/2	116
Jersey Central1171/2	117	1183/4	117	1183/4
K. & T., Pfd 39	39	39	39	39
L & N 651/8	65%	651/2	851/8	6538
Manhattan110%	11036	115%	1103%	1151/4
Metropolitan St 267	264	266	264	266
Mo. P 481/8	481/4	481/2	47 1/8	483
N. Y. Gentral 1421/	142	143	1611/4	14214
N. Y. Gentral. 1421 N. P. Pfd. 791	791/4	7914	79	791/2
Unt. & Western. 27%	27 1/8	271/2	27	271/4
P. M 4974	49	491/4	483/	49
R. I., xd 1205	118%	1191/8	1185	11834
Reading 24	231/2	23 1/8	231/4	23%
St. Paul12814	12814	12814	127 7/8	1287
Southern Ry Ptd 511/	6158			51%
T. C. I 53	521			537
T. C. I				813
W. U. 9334	813%	9334	931/2	935
TRUSTS:	-/-	,-		
Lead 351/4	341/2	343/4	3414	34%
Leather 731/4	723/			73
Sugar16514	165%			170
Federal Steel 6014	603/			643
Rubber 521/2	521/2			52
Steel & Wire 64%	6334			635
Tobacco2227	224	2243/		2244
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Tobacco222% 224 224¾ 223	2241/	Sept., 373c. Oats, May, 267c; July, 253c. Pork,	
Mining Stocks.		July, \$9 30. Lard, July, \$5 45; Sept \$5 60. Riba, May, \$4 77½; July, \$4 90.	A
Teronto. March 29Following are to	a'vah.	CHICAGO, March 31The leading futures	
closing quotations on the Toronto Minir	gand	closed as follows: Wheat-May. 73%c; July,	
Gicsing diocamone on the rotoncoming	and	721/a Com May 26/a. July 267/a to 270:	
Industrial change:		731/sc. Corn-May, 361/se; July, 361/sc to 37e;	
Asked.	Bid.	Sept., 37%c. Oats-May, 20%c; July, 20%c.	
Decca 25	23	Pork-May. \$9 22½; July, \$9 35. Lard-	
Foley 95		May, \$5 35; July, \$5 50; Sept., \$6 62%.	
Hamimond Reef 471/2	45%	Sept., 37%c. Oats—May, 26%c; July, 25%c. Pork—May, \$9 22%; July, \$9 35. Lard— May, \$5 35; July, \$5 50; Sept., \$5 62%. Short ribs—May, \$4 82%; July, \$4 95; Sept.,	
Hiawatha 28	2734	\$5 05. Cash quotations were as follows:	
		Flour, dull and unchanged; winter patents,	
Golden Star 65	64	\$3.50 to \$3.60 straights \$3.20 to \$3.80; clear	
Ohve	90	straights, \$3 to \$3 10; spring specials, \$4 15; patents, \$3 20 to \$3 60; straights, \$2 70 to	176
Sawbill	37	notanta 92 90 to \$2 60; atraights \$9 70 to	
Superior G. and C. Co 7	6	patents, \$5 20 to \$5 bo; straights, \$2 to to	
Cariboo16234	160	\$3 10. No. 2 spring wheat, 70 1/2c to 73c; No. 3	
Minnehaha	27	spring wheat, 66c to 70%c; No. 2 red, 74c to	
	12%	5½c. No. 2 corn, 35½c; No. 2 yellow corn,	
Waterloo	141	351/2c. No. 2 oats, 271/2c to 271/2c; No. 2 white-	
Tin Horn	14	30c to 31c; No. 3 white, 29%c to 30%c. No. 2	
Smuggler 5	43/4	30c to 31c; No. 3 white, 294c to 304c. No. 2 rye, 534c. No. 2 barley, 37c to 47c. No. 2	
SATI CONTRACTOR 16	14%	flaxseed, \$1 211/2; Northwest, \$1 241/2. Frime	
Winchester 16		timothy seed, \$2 35. Mess pork, \$9 10 to	
Old Ironsides	111	\$9 15. Lard, \$5 25 to \$5 271/2. Short ribs, \$5 24	_
Knob Hill 96	911/2	to 84 St. Day golted shoulders 43/2 to 41/2	
Golden Cache 3	11/4	to \$4 85. Dry salted shoulders, 4%c to 4%c.	
Athabasca	48	Short clear sides, \$5 05 to \$5 10. Sugar-cut,	
Dundee 321/4	26	loaf, \$5 83; granulated, \$5 33. Cloverseed,	1 .
Dardanelles 1134	111/4	Contract grade, \$5 65. Eggs, steady; fresh,	1
Noble Five 37	311/4	21c¾.	
Parne A171/	-/-	NEW YORK, March 30 Flour-Re-	1
Payne	361/4		1
Pro Priends	7	ceipts, 18,405 barrels; sales, 1,700 pack-	1
Two Friends	534	ages; state and western inactive, but	1
Wonderful Group		steady. Rye flour dull; good to fair,	1
Van Anda 4	31/4	\$3 10 to \$3 25; choice to fancy, \$3 30	1 :
Big Three 28	25		1
J. O. 41 10	8	to \$3 40. Wheat—Receipts, 40,000 bu;	17
Sentinel 18	16	sales, 750,000 bu; options opened strong	1
Deer Park	11	on cables, eased off under short sell-	1
Evening Star 1114	11	ing, but rallied on southwestern buying	C
Iron Colt			ι
fron Horse	17	and bad crop news; March, 83%c to	
Iron Mask	70	84 13-16c; April, 791/4c; May, 777/8c to	
Montreal Gold Fields 30	25	78%; July, 76% to 78c; Sept., 75c to 75%c	1 8
Monte Cristo Con	10%	Rye-Quiet; state, 159c; No. 2 western,	1
World Cristo Con	3		i
Northern Belle 3¼	44	65c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 90,-	1
Novelty	274	675 bu; sales, 35,000 bu; options quiet,	1.
St. Paul 3		but about steady; May, 40% to 41%c;	i
Bilver Bell Con 5	2%	July, 411/4c. Oats-Receipts, 100,800 bu;	1
St. Elmo 9	71/4		1 5
Virginia	••	options dull; track, white, state, 351/2c	1.
Victory-Trimmph. 61/4	5	to 39c; track, white, western, 35½c to	1
War Eagle Con. 360	6141/2	39c. Butter. Receipts, 2,568 packages;	1
White Bear 4½	31/2	steady. Cheese-Receipts, 1,477 pack-	1
B. C. Gold Fields 61/4	51/4		
Can G F G	-/*	ages; /steady. Eggs-Receipts. 18,904	-
Can. G. F. S 9	51/6	packages; steady; state and Pennsyl-	1 8
Gold Hills	40.00	vania, 12%c; western, 12%c; southern,	1
Orow s Nest Pass Coal48.00		1 101/ 0 5 0 1 0 1 00/	1
Rathmullen 8	7%		-
Empress 8	•	refined steady. Coffee-Dull; No. 7,	1

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P. O. BOX	807,		•	MONTREAL
	Local	Mis	rke	at.

Local Market.
London, Thursday, March 30.
Wheat, white fall, per bu 67%c to 67%c
Wheat, red fail, per bu 67%c to 67%c
Oats, per bu31½c to 32c
Pegs. per bu
Corn. per bu394c to 40%c
Barley, per bu40%c to 50%c
Rye, per bu56c to 56c
Beans, per bu

Rye, per bu	56c	to 56c	
Beans, per bu	75c	to 90c	
GRAIN.			
Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs. 1 12	0	1 14	
Wheat red, fall, per 100 lbs 1 12	0	1 12	
Wheat, spring, per 100 los			
Oats, per 100 lbs	6	91	
Peas, per 100 lbs 90	ä	1 05	
Corn. per 100 lbs 70	0	85	
Bories per 100 lbs 85	ě	1 00	

\$4.75 to \$5.10; lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.95, mostly \$5.50. Receipts—Cattle, 8,000; hogs, 28,000; sheep 10,000. NEW YORK, March 30.—Beeves—Receipts, 1,180; nothing doing; feeling steady. Cables quote live cattle lower,

at 114c to 12c; live sheep, 9c; refriger-ator beef slow and steady. Exports none. Calves—Receipts, 158; market steady; common to choice veals, \$5 to \$7. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3,361; sheep steady; lambs opened firm to a shade higher; closed steady; all sold; common to good sheep, \$3 50 to \$5; culls, \$3; common to choice lambs, \$5 60 to \$6 60; clipped do, \$5 12½ to \$5 50. Hogs—Receipts, 4,178; market steady, at \$4 to \$4 20.

EAST BUFFALO, March 30.-Cattle -The offerings were only one load, and sold principally in small bunches; the position of the market was about the same as yesterday. Calves were in good supply, with very few good; choice to extra were quotable at \$6.25 turies there had not been a generation to \$6.50; good to choice, \$5.75 to \$6.25.

Sheep and lambs—The offerings were 21 loads; the price was low, at 10c to 20c decline on lambs, and steady; lambs, choice to extra, were quotable to the state of the stat at \$6 to \$6 15; good to choice, \$5 75 to \$6; ccmmon to good, \$5 25 to \$5 75; sheep, \$3 95 to \$4; pigs, \$3 60 to \$3 90; roughs, \$3 40 to \$3 60; stags, \$2 to \$3.

English Markets. Ruling prices for the past four market days-The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest

Ducks, per lb	von.				
Ducks, per lb	Mar 25.	Mar. 27.	Mar. 28.	Ma 29	ar.
	6 01/2	6 0	6 01/2	6	01/2
14'a Time to Cour B No. 1 Nor. S	spring 6 0	6 01/2	6 0	6	0
	0 0	0 0	0 0	6	6%
March	5 43/8		0 0	0	0
Cabbages, Cauliflowers, Celery and To-		5 578			51/
matoes, for early use, in a sunny window. July	5 41/4	5 53%	5 448	5	43/4
CORN-	2 61/	3 6%	3 6%	3	614
Buy HAMILTON'S Seeds New	3 61/2				73/
Monob	3 734		0 0	10	0
373 Talbot St, near King St.	3 434	3 534	3 47/	3	5
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Flour	17 3	17 3	17 6	17	6
D 1 D 3 Peas	0 9	5 9	5 9	5	9
1 TOTOLLO Frounce Blankov.   Pork	145 0	45 0	45 0	45	0
l	127 6	27 6	27 6	27 23 27	6
at 70c for red and 71c for white wheat; Bacon, light.	23 6	23 6 27 0	23 6 27 6	23	9
goose wheat is quoted at 67c to 68c; Cheese white	52 0	52 0	52 6	52	6
		52 0	52 6	52	
Manitoba wheat is dearer, at 85c to 86c   Cheese color					63234
for No. 1 hard, grinding in transit, and	Liverpool, 1	darch:	30 OIC	)81n	8:
	pot, dull; No	. Cal.,	aleas Ma	ES;	NO
	ring firm 68		DE, IN	J. 1	100

Liverpool, March 30.—Closing.

Wheat—Spot, dull; No. Cal., no stocks; No. 2 red western, winter, no stocks; No. 1 red northern spring, firm, 6s.

Corn—Spot, steady, American mixed, new, 3s 6½d; do, old, steady, 3s 7½d; futures, steady, April, 3s 5½d; May, 3s 5½d; July, 3s 5½d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 7s 3d.

Peas—Canadian, 5s 9d.

Beof—Dull; Prime mess, 57s 6d; extra India mess, 62s 6d.

Pork—Dull; Prime mess, fine western, 45s; do, medium, western, 42s 6d.

Hams—Short out, 14 to 16 lbs., firm, 35s 6d Bacon—Cumberland cut, 23 to 30 lbs., firm, 29s; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, no stock; long clear middles, light, 35 to 33 lbs., firm, 29s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, firm, 27s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs. firm. 27s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 30s 5d. Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 30s 6d. Eard—Prime western, steady, 27s 6d. ery steady, at 20c to 21c for prints, and

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 18 los, Steady, 23.
Lard—Prime western, steady, 27s 6d.
Butter—Finest American, 90s; good, 66s.
Hosin—Common, steady, 4s.
Cheese—Strong; American finest white, 52s 6d;
do. colored, 52s 6d.
Tallow—Prime city, strong, 23s 6d.
Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, strong,

Turper ine spirits—Firm, 34s 6d. Hops—At London (Pacific coast) firm, £4 10s to £4 15s. Linseed oil—19s. Petroleum—Refined, 6a.

Oil Markets. OIL CITY, Pa., March 30.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 13.

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WHAT A BABY DID IN ONE HOUR. He was the good-natured bachelor of the family, and, being the child's uncle, was left in charge of the baby and bad crop news; March, 83\(\frac{34}{c}\) to 84 13-16c; April, 79\(\frac{1}{c}\); May, 77\(\frac{1}{6}\)c to 78\(\frac{1}{c}\); July, 76\(\frac{1}{6}\) to 78c; Sept., 75c to 75\(\frac{1}{6}\)c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 90,-675 bu; sales, 35,000 bu; options quiet, but about steady; May, 40\(\frac{1}{6}\)c to 41\(\frac{1}{6}\)c; July, 41\(\frac{1}{6}\)c. Page into 100 800 bu; one day while every one else was out, and out of curiosity he made a list of what the baby did in one hour. Here it is:

1. Yelled fifteen minutes without taking breath. (The bachelor timekeeper declares solemnly that this is a true 2. Pulled enough hair from his uncle's head and whiskers to stuff a sofa

3. Further decorated the wall paper as high as he could reach with the vania, 12%c; western, 12%c; southern, poker.

124c. Sugar—Raw fair refining, 3%c; / refined steady. Coffee—Dull; No. 7, 6 1-16c. Hops—Steady. Lead—Steady; bullion price, \$4 20; exchange price, 4. Broke a glass vase by sitting down on it. 5. Swallowed six buttons and a good part of a skein of thread. 6. Emptied the contents of his mo-

ther's workbasket into the fireplace. BUFFALO, March 30.-Spring wheat 7. Tried to squeeze the head of the -No. 1 northern, 82½c. Winter wheat -No. 2 red, 78½c asked. Corn-No. 3 cat into a cup and was scratched badyellow, 391/2c; No. 4 yellow, 381/2c. Oats ly in the attempt. 8. Knocked the head off a fine wax -No. 2 white, 33% c to 34c; No. 3 white, doll belonging to his elder sister in trying to drive a tack into a toy ag-

on with it.
9. Fell off the edge of the sofa and brought down with him two costly vases, which were ruined. 10. Broke two panes of window-glass

with a cane which uncle let him have.

11. Fell into the coal scuttle and spoiled his new white dress. 12. Set fire to the carpet while uncle was out of the room hunting for something to amuse him. 13. Crawled under the sofa and re-

supply of cattle today held prices firm, fused to come out unless uncle would give him the jam pot. 14. Got twisted amongst the legs of a chair, which had to be broken to \$5.70 to \$5.85; choice steers, \$5.40 to \$5.65; get him out.
medium steers, \$4.70 to \$4.95; beef | 15. Poured a jug
steers, \$3.90 to \$4.65; bulls, \$2.60 to \$4; mother's slippers.

cows and heifers, \$3 40 to \$4 25; western fed steers, \$4 25 to \$5 50; Texas steers, coming, he ran to the door and tumbled \$3 90 to \$5; calves, \$4 to \$6 15. There was a good demand for hogs, and prices tearing a hole a foot square in his were largely 2½c higher for desirable dress.

And still the youngster's uncle thinks that boy will make something yet. Frank Johnston, whose parents live to \$3 60. Business was active in sheep, and prices ruled largely 10c higher; sheep sold at \$4 30 to \$5 05, chiefly at \$4 60 and upwards, while heavy exporters brought \$4 85 to \$5 05; yearlings, and may never thoroughly recover.

# OF SCOTLAND

Why It Is So Fertile in Great Men.

The People Saturated With Poetry-Mr. Mabie's Explanation.

[Literary Digest.]

Mr. Hamilton W. Mabie, in an address, delivered recently at Cooper Union, New York, called attention to the fact that, for the last four or five cen-

"Now, why is it that a little country so far to the north, under skies so choice to extra, \$5 to \$5.25; good to ungenial, swept by mists and desolchoice, \$4.85 to \$5; common to good, ated by winds, has been so fertile in \$3.50 to \$4.25. Hogs—The offerings were men of genius? It is not an accident. ated by winds, has been so fertile in men of genius? It is not an accident. moderate, 21 loads; active demand and In the first place, there are no accistrong prices; heavy were quotable at dents. The man of talent can work by \$4 10; medium, \$4 05 to \$4 10; Yorkers, himself, but the man of genius depends on the men around him. The quality of the man of genius is not skill of the hand; it is insight; it is sympathy; it is the power of seeing and of expressing what lies in the heart of his generation or of humanity. If that heart is full, if that experience is rich, if there is something deep and grand in the race, then the man of genius has great things to say; but if he appears among a race that has no depth of experience, no greatness of vision, the man of genius is just as limited as the common-place man.

"In Greece—the country with such a splendid history, with such artistic instinct, with such adaptation of the him, and he was forced to surrender people to their own plays, with such a wealth of tradition—a man of genius untold riches upon which to draw; but the man of genius in Patagonia, what could he be? You must look for something beyond the man of genius, which makes him possible. You will always find his explanation in the soil out of which he grows. Last summer I was talking with one of the foremost contemporary Scotch writers, and I said to him: "Is there not a great deal of poetry among the commonest and most uneducated people in Scotland?' "Said he: 'They are saturated with

"One day in the early spring he was walking along the side of a mountain in Skye, when he came to a hut in which lived an old man he had known a great many years. He saw the old man with his head bowed and his bonnet in his hand. My friend came up and said to him after a bit:

"'I did not speak to you, Sandy, be-cause I thought you might be at your prayers. 'Well, not exactly that,' said the old man, but I'll tell you what I was inally to embrace Mohammedanism, doing. Every morning for 40 years I and unless he had done so he would

"Where untrained farming folk go out and take off their hats to the beau- and, though secret agents from Cairo ty of the world, it is there that we were repeatedly sent to Omdurman to may expect to find poets.

"Peasants do not use the language of poets unless they have the souls of Feb. 20, 1895, when he contrived to get poets in them. I could multiply in-stances to show that with all their dezvous where camels and attendants PITTSBURG, Pa. March 30.—Oil opened to shrewdness and canniness, there is a were waiting for him, and then began day at \$1 18.

PETROLIA, March 30.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 40.

OIL CITY, Pa., March 30.—Oil opened and Of the first bellads through Robert

Solution of the first bellads through Robert

Were Warting for first, and then began the forced marches down the Nile that soon placed him out of reach of the khalifa's pursuers. He has earned his

Toronto Branch. of the first ballads through Robert rest. Burns and Waiter Scott to the men or today. It is not an accident that the Scotch have been speaking to us so long; it is because there is something rich in the soil behind it. It is my belief that the Scotch people have derived their inspiration from their knowledge of the great poetry of the Old and New Testaments. Nobody can know the Psalms of David or the prophecies of Isaiah or that sublime book of Job, without being imbued with a keen imagination. So, I believe that it is largely because of this that a little people so far to the north, so but of the reach of balmy skies and tropical influences, are so rich in the greater elements of thought and knowledge of art and

> WRONG SOMEWHERE. The Last Man: "This can't be my

Manservant: "That's your hat, sir, I'm quite sure." The Last Man: "Well, then-hanged if I haven't been and taken some other fellow's head."

WHEN WELLINGTON GAVE A PARTY.

One day, when some small visitors happened to be in the nursery at Strathfieldsage, the Duke of Wellington walked up to the top of the house and found the youngsters at tea. He gazed grimly around, as if the room were a field of battle, and noticed that there was no jam on the table. Without a word he rang the bell violently. A footman appeared and stood

petrified. "Have the goodness to understand," said the duke, in a voice of thunder, "that when children are invited to my house to tea they have to have jam!" Then he departed, and before he was out of earshot a shout went up that must have reminded him of Waterloo. -Exchange.

MAKING SURE OF HER GROUND. He: "Do you like classical music?" She: "Do you want my honest opinion or are you thinking of inviting me to the opera house?"-Chicago News.

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Welsh, of Amherstburg, who is supposed to have committed suicide, died from the effects of poison, administered either by herself or by parties unknown. Deceased had charged a peddler with criminal assault, but at the trial at Windsor he was acquitted. The day following the trial the girl returned home, 15. Poured a jug of milk into his and later was taken suddenly ill and never recovered.

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### **SLATIN PASHA**

The Khalifa's Old Prisoner About to Leave the Egyptian Service.

Slatin Pasha, one of the most prominent figures in the history of the Soudan for the last twenty years, has decided to resign his commission in the Anglo-Egyptian army and return to his home in Austria. With the reconquest of the Soudan he feels that his task is at an end. In September last he witnessed the capture of Omdurman, where he was for eleven years a close captive. He has taken part in the past three years' operations which led to the fall of the khalifa, and now he intends to retire to the quiet of his native land, after his many years of adventure, peril and

hardship in tropical Africa.

A man's life is seldom so filled with vicissitudes as that of Slatin. In all his career in the Soudan he was either the victim of Mahdism of its foe in the field. He had been governor of the Darfur province scarcely eight months when the stream of Mahdism that had already overrun Kordofan drifted into his territory. He fought the Mahdi until his ammunition was gone and he had lost most of his troops. Father Ohrwalder says that in this campaign with an enemy that outnumbered his force 10 to 1, Slatin was often in the saddle 24 hours at a stretch with little or no food. He slept on the ground beside his native troops and lived on dhurra soaked in water. His powers of endurance were wonderful, and in action he was most heroic. One day a bullet shattered one of his fingers. He seized the shattered remnant with his other hand, ordered the man standing next to him to cut it off with his knife and then toined again in the fighting. But beyond the reach of all succor, as he was, he could not hold out when troops and ammunition failed after 27 hard fights.

Nearly fifteen years ago, Slatin was is rich beyond measure. A man of taken into the Mahdi's presence a pri-genius in Shakespeare's time also had soner. The Mahdi had much respect for brave men, and personally treated the fallen governor of Darfur with kindness, but Abdullah, in whose custody he was placed, threw Slatin into prison, where he was kept in chains for about a year. He suffered terribly from hunger and ill-treatment, and was frequently informed that he would soon be put to death. But finally the khalifa relaxed his severity, and told Slatin he might thank his stars that he was a prisoner when Khartoum was taken, or otherwise he would have shared the fate of Gordon. In the nine remaining years of his

captivity, Slatin was always under the khalifa's eye, and as one of his bodyguard it was his duty to render personal service, and he was treated as a servant. He was lodged in a house next to that of the khalifa, and it was absolutely forbidden hi mto exchange a word with anyone except by permission of his master. Like all the other white prisoners he was compelled nomhave taken off my bonnet here to the beauty of the world!'

and unless he had done so he would not have been permitted to live. He was watched so vigilantly that it was was watched so vigilantly that it was extremely difficult for him to escape, help him to get away, no opportunity promising success presented itself till

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Accommodation		8:10 a.m
Atlantic Express (A)		
Day Express	. 9:40 a.m.	2:10 p.m
*New York Express (A)	. 4:30 p.m.	4:40 p.m
Mixed (c) Detroit Express		7:50 p.m
Detroit Express	. 10:45 p.m.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·

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11:00 a.m.	11:15 a.m.
	6:45 p.m.
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	ARRIVE.	
Chicago Express (A)		3:35 a.m.
Lehigh Express (A)	3:35 a.m.	11:05 a.m.
Accommodation		7:40 a.m.
Atlantic Express (A)	10:10 a.m.	
Accommod ion	2:00 p.m.	2:20 p.m.
Pacific Express (A)		6:35 p.m.
Pacific Express (A)	7:50 p.m.	
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ARRIVE. | DEPART. 7:10 a.m. 12:55 a.m. 11:20 a.m. Express.... 1:10 p.m. ... ... 5:40 p.m. 2:40 p.m. Express..... 10:40 p.m. 6:25 p.m.

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7:10 a.m.

9:30 a.m. 11:15 a.m.

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London	4:30	8:30	5:10
Woodstock	5:22	9:19	6:05
Galt	6:18	10:13	6:58
Guelph		10:41	8:15
Toronto	8:30	12 m	9:00
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Peterboro	11:27		12:12
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Kingstonarrive	4:20		
Ottawa arrive	5:00		0.20
Montreal	7:00		7:50
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Quebecarrive	6:30		2:15
Portland Me arrive			8:10
Boston arrive	8:10		8:30
Halifaxarrive	9:00		
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