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NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend of 1 per cent on the par value of the stock in this company (1 cent per share), has this day been declared. All purchasers of stock on or before this date are entitled to share in such dividend. The dividend is payable at the office of the company's treasurer, A. A. Campbell, Molsons Bank Building, London, on and after Monday, Feb. 15, 1897. Checks will be malled to shareholders living out of the city. Dated at London, the 12th day of February, 1897. A. GREENLEES, Secretary.

New York Stock Market. Reported by Frank Butler, broker, Masonic Temple.

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Atchison Ry 12}	123	125	121
C. B. and Q 761	771	761	
C. and N. W 1061	1074		1063
Chicago Gas 77	774	77	77
Gen. Electric 341	361	343	
L. and N 494	49		
Manhattan 86	88	86	
Missouria Pacific 22	221	22	
Pacific Mail 264	26%		261
Rock Island 671	684	674	
Reading 214	254	243	
St. Paul 763	774	76%	
Tenn. Coal and Iron. 272	284		
Wabash 16}		164	
Western Union 831		831	
Distillery Trust 13	13%		
Leather Trust 591		59	
Sugar Trust115;		1154	
Tobacco Trust 75	754	718	743
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Farmers Loan and Savings..... Farmers' L and S., 20 per cent .. Huron and Erie L. and S. 100 don and Ontario... Ontario Loan and Debenture SALE — 1 p.m.—Imperial, 20 at 1825, 25 at 1824; British America, 50 at 1184, 11:15 a.m.—Imperial, 6 at 182½; British America, 2, 20 at 1184, 5), 20, 30 at 1184, 50 at 118; Western Assurance, 50 50, 50, 25 at 161½; Can. Pacific Stock, 25 at 54; Com. Cable, 25, 10 at 1654, 25 at 1556.

Montreal Stock Market. MONTREAL. March 6. ninercial Cable ear Street Railway, new, xd. 191 anque du Pouple....

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ing done in the market; prices nomin-

ally unchanged at 31c to 32c for No. 1 , 29c to 30c for No. 1 outside, 27c

Buckwheat is dull and easy, at 24c

Rye is dull at 32c to 33c outside.

north and west today at 38c; peas are in demand for export on the C. P.

Baled straw quiet, at \$5 to \$6.

English Markets.

American Produce Markets.

MILWAUKEE.

NEW YORK

Liverpool, March 5-4:15 p.m.

25c outside

41 1-2c to 42c

ars on track here.

fancy winter. 8s 6d. Peas-Canadian, 4s 4d.

903c; July, 763c. Corn-May, 241c.

white, 21tc in store.

Wheat—May... 76½ ½
July... 73½ ½
Corn—May... 24½
253

Puts. 753: calls. 773.

-May... 4 20 4 2 July... 4 27 4 30 -May... 4 35 4 4) July... 4 42 4 50

STRONG'S

Defies All Honest Competition.

25c Per Pound

Oats-May

Pork-May....

Ribs-May.

graphing this (Friday) afternoon, con-Ought to be treated by other firms The Advertiser dispatches of than the French Dry Cleaning Thursday, which stated that Judges Process. This is our plan, and Ferguson and Robertson would not is the reason why the best trade of city and country comes to give judgment in the many reserved these works. charges in the London election till June next. It is now learned that R. Parker & Co.

judgment is promised on June 5.

London Election Decision.

Our Toronto correspondent, tele-

today, f. o. b., east, at \$9; shorts are quoted west at \$8 to \$8 50, and bran -Judge Edward Elliott held a session of the First Division Court this morning, but no cases of any importance came up.

No. 2, 24c for No. 3 extra, and -2c to 22c for feed. Corn dull at 20c asked for yellow west, and 19 1-2c bid. Oats are quiet, at 17c for mixed and 71-2c to 18c for white west.

Peas are 1c lower, with sales of No.

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Where the pipe was the sewer had been already completed and the earth filled in. Today men are employed responsible to the Woman's Auxiliar Missionary and cleaning out the damage and the second of the work and the work and the work and the second of the work and the Market Square this afternoon, and were escorted to the police station by P. C.s Twohey and Thompson.

Geo. McBean & Co. -Mr. Wm. Wilson, of John Green & DEALERS IN FARM, MILLING AND
DAIRY PRODUCTS

Co.'s wholesale house, who has been confined to his home for the last two Consignments and Correspondence Solicited weeks with an attack of lung trouble, is sufficiently recovered to be able to P. O. Box 807, Montreal. be out. His many friends will be glad to hear this.

-On account of the great prosperity Liverpool. March 5-4:15 p.m.
Wheat—Spot steady; demand moderate; No.
2 red spring. 6s 4d; No. 1 Cal.. 6s 7d;
futures opened steady, with near positions
1½d higher, and distant positions 1½d higher and
other months 2d higher; business about
equally distributed; March 5s 32d; May, 6s
5d; July 6s 5d. that has attended Court Magnolia, A. O. F., they have decided to celebrate their Whird anniversary by a first-class free entertainment, to be held in the Grand Opena House on Monday evening, April 26. Admission thereto will be by invitation only. MONEY OUDER BRANCHES.

other months 4d higher; business about equally distributed; March, 6s 34d; May, 6s 5d; July, 6s 5d.

Corn—Spot steady: American mixed new, 2s 64d; futures opened steady, with near and distant positions 4d higher; closed firm, with April 4d higher, and other months 4d higher; business about equally distributed; March, 2s 64d; April, 2s 74d; May, 2s 84d; June, 2s 84d; July, 2s 94d.

Flour—Firm: demand poor; St. Louis fancy winter, 8s 6d. Postmaster-General Mulock has been of the money order branch of the postal service. The demand is for new offices in places where the population has add 225 sittings. DETROIT.

Detroit. March 5. - Wheat-No. 1 white cash. 873c; No. 2 red cash. 874c; May, 834c; July, 764c. not be touched this year, but may be try and advertise for tenders. The worked at any time for the next fiscal idea is to have the work done as early Toledo. March 5.-Wheat-Cash, 90c; May. year, beginning on July 1. THE G. T. R. SHOPS.

The car shops difficulty is now en-Milwaukee, March 5. - Wheat, cash, 742c; tirely removed. Since last year, when BUFFALO.

Buflalo, N. Y.. March. 5.—Spring wheat—
Dull: No. 1 hard, old. 87½c; do. new. 86½c; No. 1 northern. old, 84½c; do. new. 83½c; No. 2 northern, 81½c to 82½c. Winter wheat—bull: No. 2 red, 90c on track and in store; No. 1 work done in Western Ontario will be worked. Since last year, when the London bill was defeated, new G. T. R. shops have been built in this city, and in the near future all the work done in Western Ontario will be worked. the London bill was defeated, new Messers Shannon, Hutton and Stephens Oats—Quiet: No. 2 white, 21½e: No. 3 white, 20e: No. 4 white, 18e on track; No. 2 New York. March 5. Flour—Receipts, 16,388 bbls: sales 2,000 packages; state and western, firmer but quiet.

Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, Broker, Masonic Temple. 'Phone 1.278, CHICAGO. March 5.

Council asking that the provisions for thereby love which binds us together. a board of control in cities of 100,000 and over shall be extended to apply to all cities of 30,000 and over. It also ourselves on behalf of the lodge, a board of control in cities of 100,000 asks that two members of a city council shall be added to the board of police commissioners. Mr. Hobbs has also presented petitions from this city ask-ing for a "reduction of fees by regis-and Messrs. Shannon, Hutton and Stetrans." Another bill asked for by London provides that toll roads shall be inspected by county engineers at least once a year (whenever the warden or he county shall direct), and he shall clare toll off when a road is out of pair, and leave them off till it is re Provincial Road Inspector Camp-

MR. POCOCKE'S PUPILS Give a Recital in Somerset Hall-Highly

Creditable Performance. A violin recital was given in Somerset Hall last night by the pupils of Mr. Roselle Pococke before a large and well pleased audience. The perform- tered upon their duties yesterday. The ance reflected much credit upon the instructor and the performers. The Wel-

Northwest Land Montreal Cotton Company 128 Oanada Colored Cotton Domminon Cotton, xd 8:4 Postai Telegraph 98 074 SALES-Com. Cable, 1 at 4672; Montreal Street (ry., 150 at 2254; Montreal Gas, 10 at 1945; Membreal Gas, 10 at 194	184 DUNDAS STREET. FREE to every housekeeper on pplication, a valuable recipe book on the art of cooking. ATELETICS.	contributed two part songs. The following is the programme: Otto Langer	n ti
COMMERCIAL. Toronto Crain Market. Toronto March 5.—Wheat—Offerings are fair, the demand is not active, and the market is nather easier; cars of red sold on low freights west today at the same holders asking more; red is beld on the G. T. R. cast at 73c, and on the C. P. R. east, where there is demand for it for export, via St.Jchm. at 74c; white wheat is quoted west at 74c to 74 1-2c west. Flour is quiet and uncharged; cars of straight roller are quoted at \$3.70 to \$3.75 west. Manitoba flour is in fair demand and steady. Millfeed is in good demand; there has been some demand for export lately:	LOCAL BOXING MATCH. The London Boxing Academy has arranged for a six-round glove contest tomorrow evening between Jack Crawford, of Toronto, champion of Canada, and Ton Greenbrook, champion heavy-weight of London, Some lively sparring will be witnessed in this contest. Crawford stopped Dick Collier, champion middle-weight of England, in two rounds, last Saturday night in Toronto. There will also be a bout between Kid Smith, of Toronto, champion feather-weight, and Kid Hutch, of this city, champion bantam-weight. Kid Smith knocked out the best local man in Toronto in one round. This, it is clafmed, will be the best exhibition of the kind ever held in London, and all who desire to see the champions should vist the academy tomorrow evening. Jack Stewart will be master of cere-	Messrs. R. and W. Jex. Violin solos, {(a) "Les Desir" Schubert (b) "Serenade" Pierne Mrs. R. McCully. Part song—"Chimes of Oberwesel" Baumer Wellington Street Choir. Violin solo—"Ballade et Polonaise" Wieuxtemps Mr. George Angus. Quartet—"Allegro, Addante, Roodo" Mozart Misses Blanch Risdon, Luiu Risdon, Anna Marlatt, Stella Risdon. Violin solo—"Romanza" Becker Mr. Wm. Moore. Violin solo—"Romanza" Becker Mr. Wm. Moore. Violin solo—"Valse Caprice" Wieniawski Miss Macel Webb. Cavatina Raff Nine violins. Part song—"The Singers" Gaul Wellington Street Choir. Violin solo—"Rondo des Lutins" Bazzini Mr. George Angus. Lolu du Bal Gillet	to sa m L T a B a L m t! a bi sii ir

A Wash-Out.

Another Calamity on the South | Charitable and Religious Institu-London Sewer.

A Four-Inch Water Pipe Bursts - A Heavy Flood.

Bad luck continues to pursue Con-

Tario Government have appointed Mr.

J. B. Laing, of Toronto (formerly of London), a commissioner to inquire into the financial affairs of Port Arthur.

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Vice-President Price going over the
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Of damage nad ocen the earth, which
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pipe that it snapped off. A great flood
followed, and blicks and dirt were
swept down the new sewer, and a
huge gap made in the ground. The
upper ten feet of the new manhole
was also washed away.

The church and charitable institutions were granted legacies as follows:
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confined to his home for the last two tor has evidently come to the conclusion that the sewer is an unlucky hole.

WILL ADD 225 SITTINGS

To St. James Church South London-A Plan for Extension Approved.

South London, find it necessary to en- \$100. large the building in order to accombuilding committee met last night and approved a plan for extension, of approved a plan for extension approximate appr considering a scheme for the extension of the money order branch of the provider for an addition at the the books of her library are to be rear of about twenty feet, and for two transepts. The enlargement would that all the silver should be kept in grown up rapidly of late, and it is The architects were instructed to calculated that fully 800 such offices could be put in to add to the 1,200 all ready doing business. The idea wild wardens will be asked to call the vestors but the touched this ready doing the foughed this ready advertise for tenders. The n the spring as possible.

THREE CITIZENS HONORED.

Each Presented With a Jewel and Address.

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"C. H. SHANNON, recorder; "JAS. NUCOL, master workman." The jewel's were handed to and Messrs. Shannon, Button and Ste-phens made neat replies. An unusually large burnout of members and many visitors were present.

CITY HALL NOTES.

The South London Sewer Case Settled -Ald. Bennet Acting Mayor-Inspector Carson Recovers-Building Permits.

Ald. Bennet is acting mayor, Mr. Little having gone away on private business for a few days. Ilderton Oddfellows have sent \$10 to City Treasurer Pope for the India fam-

ine sufferers. The new relief wood contractors enlate contractor, Mr. McNeil, declined on Street Methodist Church choir to hand the city rack over to his successor on the order of Ald. McCallum. chairman of No. 3. He obeyed on a note from the city clerk.

Mr. Levi Lewis has agreed to accept the \$1,500 offered him by the city in settlement of his claim for damages, caused by the deposit of sewage on his property in South London. Mr. Lewis wanted \$2,000. His law costs amount to about \$500, and the city's to the same. Corporation men are busy removing the sewage deposits from Mr. place to an adjacent property. Hamilton This case has been before the courts a long time. The drain is used by Bruce street residents, and empties in a small creek running through Mr. Lewis' ground. The creek was dry most of the year, and did not flush

the sewage.
Mr. W. D. McDonald has taken out permit to erect a story and a half brick veneer dwelling on the north side of Dundas street, No. 912. Approx-imate cost, \$1,375. Mr. George Fletchat 407 Grey street.
School Inspector Carson was at his office today for the first time in two works. He had a heavy cold.

March 4. At From Memnon Bristol Portland Lake Ontario St. John Liverpool March 5. At From Aller St. John Bromes

Mrs. Labatt's Will.

tions Not Forgotten.

The Amount of Legacies to the Family and the Various Institutions.

The will of the late Eliza Labatt, tractor Grant. Strikes, cavesin and relict of the late John K. Labatt, was bad weather have succeeded one an-filed for probate in the Surrogate other with unfailing regularity. Now Court yesterday, by Messrs. Fraser & Court today, charged with keeping a a washout is added to the other cal- Fraser, solicitors for the petitioners. watchman thought a waterspout had Christian generosity which during her a little girl named Ingbourg, of Henry broken out at the corner of Evergreen life was one of her chief characteris- street. Platt was ordered to get rid avenue and the Wharncliffe. Dirt and tics, and which endeared her to all who of the dog, which he did by disposing mud were thrown into the air, and a knew her, especially those who were of it to Johnston. knew her, especially those who were interested in the worthy work of charturned to Platt's place, and the little

filled in. Today men are employed repairing the damage and cleaning out the sewer—a very disagreeable and difficult jub, as it is hard for a medium-sized man to crawl through a three-foot pipe and handle a shovel at the same time.

The contraction of the Diocese of Huron, to be distributed by them, as follows: To the Protestant Episcopal of Algoma, \$200; to Bishop Bampus, for his work in Selkirk, \$100; Bishop Reeves, for work in the Diocese of McKenzie River, \$100; to St. Paul's and Kissock River, \$100; to St. Paul's and Kissock Homes, at McLeod, in the Diocese of Calgary, \$100; to that branch of mission work in China in which Miss Leslie is engaged, \$100; to that branch of the Zenana mission work in India in which Miss Sings is engaged, \$100; to the Church of England Society, for the Conversion of the Jews, \$100; Out

The officers of St. James' Church, South London, find it necessary to enlarge the building in order to accommodate those seeking pews. The in the Diocese of Montreal; to the Aged Women and Men's Protestant Home, \$100; to the Convalescent Home, \$100. In case of any dispute arising over these legacies, the two daughters, Misses Frances and Ismena, are nammodate those seeking pews. The

the family as heirlooms. The executors of the will are Mr

SOUTH LONDON GATHERING

Of Royal Templars-A Bountiful Supper and a Programme.

The lodge room in the A. O. F. Hall, Mr. Burgess goes to the Dominion lands branch, at the salary of a dep-South London, has been the scene of uty head, and Mr. Reed has been offermany a pleasant gathering, but none ed a position up to \$2,000 a year, or rough travel, such as tourists who more so than the gathering held last superannuation. James A. Smart is made Deputy-Minister of the Interior sity often experience, the greatest dif-No. 2 red, 90c on track and in store; No. 1
white, 91½c in store, 91c on track.

Corn—Quiet: No. 2 yellow. 261c: No. 3 yellow. 26c: No. 4 yellow, 25c: No. 2 corn, 100 yellow. 26c: No. 4 yellow, 25c: No. 2 corn, 250 to 251/20; No. 4 corn, 250 to 251/20; No. 4 corn, 250 to 251/20; No. 2 white. 21½c: No. 3 in few limits of the Interior and Deputy-Minister brought into the House this year, having for its object the preservation of Brantford's stated interest, that city jewel and address at the regular meet-

The New York, March 5.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS. TECUMSEH HOUSE,

Mr. and Mrs. Rankin, Brandon. Tom P. Allan, Hamilton. W. M. Grant, Toronto. R. B. Webster, Chicago. George H. Burke, Buffalo. Wm. Woollatt, Walkerville. Joseph De Gurse, Windsor, J. H. McQuarry, Hamilton. Henry Munderloh Montreal. S. Lee, Rochester. L. A. Conrad, Toronto. Claves, Paris, France. M. W. Burke, St. Louis. A. Edmondson, Ottawa. GRIGG HOUSE. A. Ashbough, Alymer. G. Newton, Gravenhurst. Wm. Derby, Hamilton

Mrs. J. B. Parker, Strathroy. J. F. McAllaster, Toronto. W. D. Condit and Miss C. S. Mahana, Des Moines. Will Hampton, Waterloo. A. McFadyen, Toronto. A. D. Ellis, Simcoe. James W. Raynor, Hamilton. E. Burt. Toronto

Sanford Platt and wife, Wallace-B. Whaley, Toronto. nomas A. Wharton, Hamilton, Bunting, Montreal. George A. Riggs, Brantford, T. Etwell, Toronto. A. S. Bee, Toronto. Muir, Chicago. J. J. Lockerby, Montreal.

CITY HOTEL. T. T. Webster, Windsor. N. N. Montray, Sarnia. A. Bretz, S. J. Rowse, J. L. Cohran, A. G. Oxiey, Toronto.
Thomas Bain and W. G. Brown, J. W. Humphrey and J. F. Maine Robert Gourlay, Stratford-all attending the annual meeting of the London Life Assurance Company. H. M. Burney, Marnoch. J. M. McIntyre and W. S. Tait, Wood Green

Steamship Arrivals.

James H. Ball, Preston.

James Johnston Forced to Part With His Pet Canine.

Young Prosser Goes Down - Andrew Wilson Given Ten Days-The Drunks Discharged.

James Johnston, a butcher, of Wellington street, appeared at the Police vicious dog. It appears that last June The deceased, in her last will and tes- the dog-which is a valuable onetament, emphasized kind and while it belonged to Arthur Platt, bit

"...ell, then," said Magistrate Parke,
"you had better pay Mr. Johnston
his \$3 back and kill the dog." ston the dog had bitten a child, and he promised to keep the dog out of the Mr. Johnston was satisfied to abide

the dog destroyed. It was retained at the station and shot. Alvin Prosser, the young boy who broke into Mr. Murphy's house, on Cartwright street, yesterday, and stole two rosaries, was given a term in the Reformatory of not less than one year

Andrew Wilson, who was arrested last Saturday in London South, while drunk, with his hands frozen, said he for general use by the tourists is o of the said residue, \$100 is bequeathed to the Sabrevois Mission and colony to the Sabrevois Mission and colony

modate those seeking pews. The Misses Frances and Ismena, are nam-building committee met last night and Other summare and instructions.

McDonald's hotel. He was put out, and to vent his spleen, kicked in the panel of the door. He promised better conduct, and was discharged. Chas. Brown, a drunk, was given another chance and allowed his liberty.

TO SECURE EFFICIENCY. Changes in the Indian Department of the Government

Ottawa, March 5 .- Hon. Clifford Sifton has completed the re-organization of the Indian Department, and is makof the Indian Department, and is making good progress with the Interior trip of the machine that the great fear Department. The new organization of both the inventor and the builder will be at work in the Indian Depart- was in no danger of realization. It

of the conditions of the deal was that the was to live at Qualt's until spring.

The will serve often to remaind you of the teresting feature of the evening was a strong flashlight photo of the members and the staff headquarters of the Indian their friends. The gathering closed with the closing ode of the order.

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The was the object of the Ministers.

ORANGE GRAND LODGE, eye of man.

Closing Session-Per Carita Tax Reduction From \$10 to \$5 Favored.

Woodstock, Ont., March 5 .- At the closing session of the Orange Grand Lodge the report of the committee ap-pointed to prepare a memorial to the Supreme Grand Lodge, praying for etter representation of primary lodges in that body, was adopted, after being amended, so as to provide that every master of every primary lodge should be a member of the Supreme Lodge by right of his office. The closing hours were chiefly devoted to discussing the proposal to reduce the per capita tax on primary lodges from \$10 to \$5. The resolution favoring the reduction carried. After passing the usual votes of thanks, the meeting was formally closed at 2 o'clock yesterday morning.

ADROIT REPLY. Doctor Howley, Archbishop of Canerbury, who died in 1848, upheld the dignity of his position in the fashion leemed necessary.

One day he drove up to the door of the House of Lords in a coach and four, with liveried coachman and two said, and I understood what I said footmen. A Quaker, who knew him, "Friend Howley, what would the Apostle Paul have said if he nad seen these four horses and the purple liveries and all the rest?"

The archbishop, who was seldom flustered, replied with a benignant smile, "Doubtless the apostle would have remarked that things were very much changed for the better since hi

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The bicycle will have a rival on the Continent this coming season. There is in London an organization known by the law, and consented to have bers are devoted to the one idea of de veloping and popularizing in every way possible those curious inventions which are like, and yet unlike, the horseless carriage. Dr. Carl Seelig, a club member, who is the tourist's guide, philosopher and friend, has taken up the matter of motor car excursions,

for general use by the tourists is of people. Dr. Seelig declares that it will make better time than any team of horses, and, besides, all danger of a runaway will be avoided. This autocar will be fitted up in a luxurious

There was a quiet experiment made last year with one of these vehicles. although the invention had not been perfected to the extent it is at present and the result was surprising. It was almost like having your house along with you. A stop could be made at any time, and no one had to stay in the car to hold the horse. Supposing the party reached an inn where there were poor accommodations for horses, they found the usual drawback entirely absent. A tarpaulin, which is carried in the bottom of the car, could be thrown over the vehicle, and that was

to present plans, is to be made in June, and will embrace England and Among the mountains of the latter sections of Britain the auto-car will receive as severe a test as it did last season. Dr. Seelig has induced he will accompany the car on horseback. One of the girls will be taught how to manage the vehicle, for that part of it is simplicity itself, and so it will be, in a way, an excursion of women, although under the protective The second tour will be through

cotland, where the kilted shephe

and the Edinburgh scholar will alike

be astonished by a view of the remarkable method which the tourist has adopted to see the sights. On this occasion there will be three auto-cars containing a total of eighteen persons. It is possible, the inventor of the auto-car holds, to form a regular train, coupled together, provided the leading The one question which threatened heretofore to prevent the auto-car from becoming popular as a vehicle for persons of ordinary means is that of expense. It has been believed and openly stated heretofore that the invention would cost a large sum make it less expensive. the manufacturers say that so long as present prices for material and labor rule, there will be no difficulty in making a complete auto-car and placing it on the market, fully equipped, at a cost below that of the ordinary carriage. The word "ordinary" is used advisedly, the high-priced carriage not

being meant. "How did you get along with the French lady?" asked papa. "Well." said Anne, "she understood what she

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