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THE MARKETS.

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Dominion Steel Bonds N. S Steel Bonds......

MONTREAL MARKET. Montreal, April 9. Ask. Canadian Pacific.130 1293/

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NEW YORK. New York. April 9. Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker lasonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

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TORONTO.

Toronto, April 9.—Wheat—Firmer, at 69c to 69½c for No. 2 red and white, middle freights; Manitoba firmer, at 85½c for No. 1 hard, 84½c to 85c for No. 1 northern, North Bay, and No. 1 hard is offering on the track at lake ports on the opening of navigation at 79½c to 80c, and No. 1 northern at 78c to 78½c. Flour—Steady, at \$2 65 for cars of 90c per cent patents in buyers' bags, middle freights; choice brands are 15c to 20c higher. Millfeed—Steady, at \$16 50 for cars of shorts and \$15 for bran in bulk, middle freights. Buckwheat—Lower, at 42c east. Rye—\$15 Steady; No. 2 at 51c, middle freights. Corn—Steady, at 41c for Canada mixed or yelow west; American No. 3 mixed sold yelow west; American No. 3 mixed sold TORONTO. Corn—Steady, at 41c for Canada mixed or yelow west; American No. 3 mixed sold today at 4½c and No. 3 yellow at 48½c, delivered between Cornwall and Torofto. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 30c, middle freights, and 29c high freights west. Peas —Easier; No. 2 at 61c to 62c, middle freights, and 60c high freights. Butter—Steady. Eggs—Steady.

ENGLISH MARKETS. LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, April 9.—Wheat—Spot quiet; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 1d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 1½d; No. 1 California, 6s 7½d. Futures steady; May, 6s 2¼d; July, 6s 24dd. Corn—Spot, American mixed, new, quiet, 4s 3d; do, old, steady, 5s 4d. Futures steady; May, 4s 34d; June, 4s 2%d; July, Peas—Canadian quiet, 6s 3½d. Flour—St. Louis fancy winter quiet,

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast steady, f6 to f7.

Beef—Extra India mess easy, 82s 3d.

Pork—Prime mess western firm, 86s 3d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, Bacon-Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs,

50s 6d.

Butter—Good United States steady, 78s.
Cheese—Firm; American finest white
and colored, 69s,
Tallow—Prime city steady, 27s 3d.
Turpentine spirits—Steady, 44s.
Rosin—Common firm, 5s 9d.
Petroleum—Refined steady, 6½d.
Linseed ail—Dull 24s 2d. Linseed oil—Pull, 24s 3d.

The receipts of wheat during the past three days were 150,000 centals, including

The receipts of American corn during past three days were 15,200 centals. CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Reported for The Advertiser by F. H. Butler, stock broker. Chicago, April 9. 76¼ 111 Wheat-May ... July Oats-May... 33½
July ... 30½
Pork-May ... 17 50
July ... 17 25
Lard-May 17 27 17 22 July 1 25 Lard — May ... 9 85 July ... 9 80 S. Ribs — May .. 9 67 July ... 9 60 9 80 9 70 9 62 9 75 9 60 9 60

No market Good Friday. HAY MARKETS.

TORONTO. Toronto, April 8.—Baled Hay—Car lots on the track here are steady, at \$9 per Baled Straw-Continues unchanged, a \$5 per ton for car lots on the track here.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, April 9.—The leading futures closed: Wheat—May, 76½c to 76%c; July, 71%c to 72c; Sept., 69¾c. Corn—April, 42½c; May, 42½c to 42¾c; July, 43½c; Sept., 43c. Oats—April, 32½c to 32%c; May, 32½c to 32%c; July, 29¼c; Sept., 27%c. Pork—May, \$17 65; July, \$17 25; Sept., \$17. Lard—May, \$9 85; July, \$17 25; Sept., \$17. Lard—May, \$9 85; July, \$17 25; Sept., \$17. Lard—May, \$9 70; July, \$9 71½; Sept., \$9 57½. Ribs—May, \$9 70; July, \$9 62½; Sept., \$9 57½. Rye—May, 50c; July, 50c. Timothy—April, \$3 50. Clover—April, \$12. Barley—Cash, 42c to 53c.

CHICAGO.

AMERICAN MARKETS

NEW YORK.

New York, April 9.—Flour—Receipts, 20,655 bbls; sales, 4,500 pkgs; flour was firm and held higher. Rye flour—Steady. Wheat—Receipts, 25,350 bu; sales, 1,400,000 bu; wheat was firm and higher on covering, smaller Argentine shipments and the strength west; May, 79%c to 79%c; July, 76%c to 76 15-16c; Sept. 74%c to 74%c. Rye—Steady; state, 56c to 6lc, c.i.f., New York; No. 2 western, 59%c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 46,200 bu; sales, 35,000 bu; corn was dull and easier through liquidation and fine weather west; May, 51%c to 51%c; July, 49%c to 49%c. Oats—Receipts, 57,000 bu; oats were also dull and easier. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 31-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3%c; molasses sugar, 213-16c; refined steady. Coffee—Quiet; No. 7 Rio, 5%c. Lead—Quiet. Wool—Quiet. Hops—Easy; state common to NEW YORK. —Quiet. Hops—Easy: state common to choice, 1902 crop. 21c to 27c: 1901 crop. 18c to 21c; Pacific coast, 1902 crop, 21c to 24c; 1901 crop, 18c to 21c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, April 8.—Beeves—Receipts, 2,568: steers active and 10c to 15c higher; cows 5c to 10c higher: steers, \$5 10 to \$5.85; bulls, \$2.75 to \$4.50; cows. \$1.75 to \$4.25. Exports, 800 cattle, 1,014 sheep and 7,700 cuarters of beef: tomorrow, 8 cattle, and 17 sheep. Calves—Receipts, 4,263; veals steady to strong; veals, \$4 to \$8.50; little calves, \$2.50 to \$3.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 6,082; sheep barely steady; lambs 10c to 25c lower; swring lambs weak; sheen, \$4.50 to \$6.75; spring lambs, \$4.50 to \$6.55; spring lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.50 per head.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,658; good medium and lings—Receipts, 6,658; good medium and lings—Receipts, 6,658; good medium and sylvania and state hogs, \$7.40 to \$7.70.

Agency for Parker Fountain Pen. NEW YORK. SALES: C. P. R., 250 at 129½, 325 at 130; Coal, common, 200 at 108, 25 at 108¾, 25 at 108½, 10 at 108¾, 25 at 108½; Packers, A, 25 at 97¼; Bank of Montreal, new. 1 at 250¾; Montreal Street Railway, 2 at 270; Merchants' Bank, 10 at 168; Iron, preferred, 25 at 64½, 5 at 65; Iron bonds, 1,000 at 76¾; Lake Superior, 100 at 6¾; Hallfax Railway, 25 at 100; Power, 125 at 85½, 10 at 25½; Twin City, 5 at 111, 250 at 111½.

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CHICAGO.

NEW YORK.

spring lambs, \$3 to \$5. Hogs—Receipts, 2,114; about steady; state and Pennsylvania hogs, \$7 65; state

THE COLOR LINE IN COURT

or a Black Skirt?

in an Assault-Offender Fined.

Whether a young lady had on a white

had a dispute over the color question, as

mentioned above. They were speaking of

Avey said that a few days before she had

on a white dress. "Oh, no," said Ward,

"that day she had on a black dress."

Avey was quite sure that it was white.

Ward became positive it was black, so

Avey to keep still, but Avey did not

agree to be "sat upon," as he expressed

it, and repeated that it was a white dress.

Two intoxes, both giving the name of

Walsh, appeared in today's court. One

was remanded a week and the other paid

\$3. One young man, remanded from four

days ago, on a charge of being drunk

and disorderly, was discharged. It was

BRITISH UNION REQUEST

Picketing.

being 195,310. Of that number 166,946

The bank's advantage at Monte Carlo

over the player is less than 2 per cent

and it wins about \$6,250,000 per an-

During the past year 861 persons were

over the previous year.

Then Ward assaulted him.

offender \$2 and costs.

his first offense.

skirt or a black one is scarcely so mo-

Cooking.

Chicago, April 9.-American news-STRONG'S DRUG paper men, in conjunction with French and American economists, have devised a novel scheme to fight the threatened European tariff coalition against the commerce of the United States. The scheme contemplates the FREE to Housekeepers on application, a valuable recipe book on the Art of publication in Paris of a commercial newspaper, devoted to cultivating better relations between the European na-

Canadian cattle are 10½c to 12c per lb, dressed weight; American cattle, 12½c to 13½c per lb; sheep are 14c per lb; refrigerator beef is firmer, at 3½c to 10c per lb.

CHICAGO tions and the United States. The name of the paper will be "Le Commerce D'Amerique Avec Les Pays Chicago, April 9.-Cattle-Receipts, 10,-

Chicago, April 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 10.000; steady; good to prime steers, \$5 to
\$5 60; poor to medium, \$4 to \$4 80; stockers
and feeders, \$3 to \$4 75; cows, \$1 75 to \$4 65;
heifers, \$2 50 to \$5; canners, \$1 75 to \$2 75;
bulls, \$2 50 to \$4 35; calves, \$3 to \$6 75.
Hogs—Receipts, 20,000; slow to steady,
50 lower; mixed and butchers, \$7 20 to
\$7 35; good to choice heavy, \$7 20 to \$7 57½;
rough heavy, \$7 20 to \$7 35; light, \$6 90 to
\$7 20; bulk of sales, \$7 20 to \$7 40.
Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; choice steady to
5c lower; good to choice wethers, \$5 75 to
\$7 20; bulk of sales, \$7 20 to \$7 40.
Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; choice steady to
5c lower; good to choice wethers, \$5 75 to
\$7 25; fair to choice mixed, \$4 50 to \$5 60;
native lambs, \$5 to \$7 85.

NEW YORK.

The consuls of France, Italy, Russia,
Belgium, Switzerland and other European countries, it is said, have assured the support of their respective governments to the promoters. Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw, Senators Beveridge and Aldrick, Secretary of Commerce George B. Cortelyou and Chief of the Bureau of Foreign Commerce George B. Cortelyou and Chief of the Bureau of Foreign Commerce Brederic Emory have written encouragingly of the movement.

Among the business men supporting had promoted Sir George White to the encouragingly of the movement. banquet the King announced that he Among the business men supporting had promoted Sir George White to the the plan are Volney W. Foster, James rank of field marshal. New York April 9.—Beeves-No receipts

A Blackmailer.

Duluth, Minn., April 9. — Alexander E. Morgues, a paroled convict from Dartmoor prison, England, who is serving a ten days' sentence for vagrancy, has confessed that he is the author of a series of blackmailing let-ters that have long puzzled the English police. Morgues was in Winnipeg last fall and sent the letters. Among those to whom they were sent were Major-Gen. W. A. Lawrence, of St. Helen's, Sandhurst; Major Brisco, governor of Portland prison; and the police magistrates of the Grange, Bolton. He expresses a willingness to return to England.

H. Hyde, James Deering, Alexander H. Revell, Charles R. Crance, William Warren and several eastern manu-

New York, April 9.—Beeves—No receipts and no sales reported. Cables quoted American steers at 124c to 13½c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef, 9½c to 10c per lb. No exports today. Calves—Receipts, 145; veals steady; veals, \$5 to \$8 25. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 3,243; slow and weak; unshorn sheep, \$4 50 to \$6; culls, \$3 15; clipped, \$6 25; unshorn lambs, \$6 25 to \$8; clipped, \$5 50 to \$5 75; state spring lambs, \$3 to \$5. HE GAMBLED ON HUMAN NATURE AND FOUND IT VERY UNSAFE

German Money Lender Enjoys Battling With Some Social Humbugs.

Did the Woman Wear a White Berlin, April 9.—Heinrich Pariser, a wealthy money lender, was sentenced today to two years' imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$2,500 for usury. Sixty Momentous Question That Resulted specifications were brought, including the complaints of several noblemen and officers of the army. In one instance Pariser charged Baron "Von E." (the court did not permit his full name to be known), 236 per cent, which the baron paid, although he had an mentous a question that one would think unmortgaged income from a landed esit would lead to a dispute and a case of tate amounting to \$25,000 yearly. Anassault in the police court. Yet the difother exceptional case was that of a ference of opinion as to whether a mutual friend of two men wore a black dress or million are the protection of 100 per cent for terest at the rate of 100 per cent for a white one did have this result.

This morning Richard Ward was a short-term loan of \$5,000. Pariser Miraculous Escape.

New York, April 9.-Caught in a wheel making 100 revolutions a minute, Michael Devanney, an oiler employed in a Brooklyn iron works, was whirled around the circle for perhaps two minutes yesterday, but not seriously He was at work beside a big flywheel, when his coat was caught in the belting. He yelled once or twice as he felt himself drawn to what thought was his death, and then became unconscious.

Quickly the belting was thrown off the wheel and Devanney's body fell to the floor limp and apparently lifeless. Doctors were summoned and the sup-posed dead man was thoroughly examined for mortal injuries. While the doctors and shopmates were gathered about the limp form the supposed corpse sat bolt upright, rubbed his head and looked about in a confused man-

a certain young lady known to both. THE EMBLEM OF PURITY HONORED BY THE ANCIENTS spring clear as crystal, and the goddess caused him to fall in love in the

Sentiments of Easter.

Ward did not deny anything. Magis-In All Ages It Has Come Close to trate Love talked to them both on the question of quarreling, and fined the the Heart Life of the People.

> Tales of Love and Grief Embalmed forth lilies, and he is thus represented in Verse and Clustered About Chaste Posies.

Easter is pre-eminently a festival of flowers. The day finds its highest spir-They Want a Bill Passed Legalizing tion of the Resurrection; but Easter is older than Christianity. It is, too, a festival instituted by Nature herself, New York, April 9.—Butter—Steady; receipts, 5.563 pkgs; creamery, held extras, 22c to 25c; do, firsts, 22c to 25c; do, lower grades, 15c to 21c. Chese—Firm and unchanged; receipts, 2.646 boxes. Eggs—Strong; receipts, 2.646 boxes, Eggs—Strong; rec London, April 9. - The British It is typified in all systems of religious work. This is the object of Mr. early Christians joy at the renewed po-Shackleton's bill, which is suported by tency of the physical sun and at the Sir Charles Dilke and the labor memawakening of nature from the death of winter became joy at the rising of the Piles
To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles, the manufacturers have guaranteed it. See testimonials in the daily press and ask your neighbors what they think of it. You can use it and get your money back if not cured. 60c a box, at all dealers or EDMANSON, BATES & Co., Toronto, Sun of Righteousness-at the resurrection of Christ from the grave.

THE EASTER LILY. Of all the flowers which open with the spring none so beautifully typifies the religious sentiment of Easter as the lily. It has come to be regarded as the And symbolic flower of the Resurrection. The lily, once known as the Persian Dr. Chase's Ointment The lily, once known as the legend goes, Beauty-but changed, the legend goes, The population of New Mexico ex-ceds that of Arizona by about 73,000, plucked and held it in her hand—known also as the fleur de Marie, called by Dante, the Lily of the Arno, by Tasso, the golden lily, by Solomon the lily of the field-stands pre-eminently the IN FIELDS FAR OFF.—Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is known in Australia, South and Central America, as well as in Canada and the United States, and its consumption increases each year. It has made its own way, and all that needs to be done is to keep its name before the public. Everyone knows that it is to be had at any store, for all merchants keep it. type of Easter hope and joy. In all ages and all lands the lily has come close to the heart-life of the peo-

"A lily flower," The old Egyptian's emblematic mark Of joy immortal and of pure affection,"

sings the poet Wordsworth.

The Buddhist finds in the sacred lotus lily the type of consolation. To it are dedicated the prayers printed on slips fastened on constantly revolving cylincremated in Germany-an excess of 200 ders in the great temples of Thibet. the popularity of the sacred lotus of the year, reigns. Tradition relates that Judith, According she entered on her mission to destroy

Doubtless the connection the lily has always had in the mind of the religious world with purity of thought and as-

their paintings. In the Madonna pic- was missing. tures of the old masters are frequently either the Trinity or the Annunciation, either the Trinity or the Annunciation, Conception and Birth of the Saviour. A Conception and Birth of the Saviour. A crowned.

Stillies over doors or windows symbolizes the Virgin in ecclesiastical art

and architecture.
St. Joseph's staff that budded brought by the earlier masters of art. There is a legend that the lily of the valley sprang from drops of the Virgin's milk spilled upon the ground. In some of the English country villages the pretty flower is called Ladder to Heaven, and in the floral languages of Europe it is emblematic of the return of ness, doubtless in allusion to the seablossoms.

DAFFADOWNDILLY.

during the solemn penitential period, the herald of joy and hope. Some trace

winds of March with beauty.

The daffodil has been a favorite flower poesy. Herrick wrote of the fair daffodils that

* * * haste away so soon; As yet the early rising sun Has not attained his noon.

We have short time to stay as ye We have as fleet a spring. As quick a growth to meet decay, As you or anything. We die, As your hours do; and dry Away

Like to the summer's rain, Or, as the pearls of morning's dew, Ne'er to be found again. Wordsworth's daffodils suggests his lovely Lakeland home and the sister

to whom we partly owe its creation:

I wandered lonely as a cloud
That floats on high o'er vales and hills,
When all at once I saw a crowd,
A host of golden daffodils,
Beside the lake, beneath the trees,
Fluttering and dancing in the breeze.

There is a superstition among rustic English folk that it is very unlucky to With the Romans the lily was Juno's flower. The classics tell of feasts given of the year. If a single daffodil is SO RAPIDLY does lung irritation spread and deepen, that often in a few meeks a simple cough culminates in tubercular consumption. Give heed to a single daffodil is brought in or left lying in a house, it ished the lily and from Egypt to China is a said there will be no luck the rest According to tradition, the briar rose

the Israelitish heroine of the Apocry- was born of the drops of blood that pha, wore a crown of lotus lilies when fell to the earth from the Saviour's brow pierced by the crown of thorns Holofernes. Joan of Arc was crowned The passion flower, with its wonderful with lilies as symbolical of the purity formation, is emblematical of the Crucifixion and its symbol of faith.

THE CROCUS. In the language of flowers, the cro-

DOMINION OIL CO., Limited.

Chartered Under the Laws of Ontario, and Operating Western Ont. Oil Fields This company has acquired since February 1,085 acres additional of proven oil lands, including 500 at Thamesville, 360 in the Wheatley district and 225 more in the Raleigh oil field, and is now drilling on the Thamesville and Raleigh properties, adjoining three new good wells just brought in. These additions to the company's holdings give it a total

Increase of 70 Per Cent in Assets.

It has now two drilling rigs running on its properties, and recently purchased and installed the finest drilling equipment in Western Ontario, which is now running day and night on the Thamesville property. This company has paid dividends at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on par continuously since its inception, thus netting the investor 24 per cent return; and in view of its rapid progress and substantial increase in assets, it has been decided to advance the price of stock to 60 cents per share, a very conservative advance, being an Increase of Only 20 Per Cent in Price.

Mr. D. C. Woodward, son of the president, recently discovered some new petroleum deposits of large extent in Alberta, and the president starts to acquire these properties for the Dominion Oil Company in the course of a few days. As ordinary coal oil retails at 3%c a gallon in that country, owing to the heavy import duties and freight tariffs, and as there is a great demand for illuminating oil in the Northwest, through the newness of the country, there being practically no electric light or gasworks, this company will find a ready market for its product at large profits by the installation of a refinery which the company purposes erecting after it has developed the production. From the analysis made of this product by President Woodward, this oil is proved to be of great value also as a lubricant, to such an extent that the farmers have been using it for lubricating their betweeting machinery and wagons.

President Woodward's experience of 35 years as one of the foremost oil opera-President Woodward's experience of 33 years as one of the foremost of operators and refiners of Western Ontario, erecting and operating some of the leading refineries, and subsequently the management of large operations for English companies in Borneo and Russia, particularly qualify him for his new exploration and construction of a refinery in the great Northwest.

For the purpose of carrying on this development in the Northwest, the balance of the present allotment of stock is offered at 50 per cent of par (par value \$1,

fully paid and non-assessable). The Advance in Price to 60c

will positively take place at the close of business on Saturday, April 11, and immediate application is necessary to secure it at the present price, as no stock will be sold at 50c per share after the above date. Mail orders must positively bear date and postmark not lawr than Saturday,

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MANNING CHAMBERS, TORONTO. COLONIAL SECURITIES CO.. 62i-tzxvt

cus signifies cheerfulness, hope. The word crocus is from a Greek word, which signifies thread, because their thread or filament was in such request for saffron dye. The Greeks fabled that Crocus, a beautiful youth, was transformed into this flower. as his lady-love, Smilax, was at the same time into a yew tree. The Austrian peasants have a superstition that the crocus must only be gathered by strong men or robust young girls, claiming that it has a tendency to draw away the strength.

harvesting machinery and wagons.

THE VIOLET

"The violet was as proud a device of the Ionic Athenians," says a well-known author, "as the rose of England and the lily of France. In all seasons it was to be seen exposed for sale in the marketplace at Athens." Greeks called this flower Ion, and it PRICE, was said that Jupiter caused the first violet to spring up in the grass, when the unhappy Io, metamorphosed into a heifer, bent her lips to eat. Because of the frequent allusions Shakespeare makes to the nodding violet, some think it the great poet's favorite flower.

THE NARCISSUS.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, steady, 50s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, quiet, 51s 6d; long clear middles, land the magistrate asked the two heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, quiet, 52s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 52s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 52s; shoulders, leave to backs, 16 to 16 lbs, quiet, 52s; shoulders, steady, 50s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 52s; shoulders, leave to talk it over in his room. When belies, 14 to 16 lbs, quiet, 52s; shoulders, steady, 50s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, quiet, 52s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 52s; shoulders, leave to talk it over in his room. When belies, 14 to 16 lbs, quiet, 52s; shoulders, say, there was a beautiful nymph, so the old Greeks say, there was a beautiful nymph, so the old Greeks say, there was a beautiful nymph, so the old Greeks say, there was a beautiful nymph, so the old Greeks say, there was a beautiful nymph, so the old Greeks say, there was a beautiful nymph, so the old Greeks say, there was a beautiful nymph, so the old Greeks say, there was a beautiful nymph, so the old Greeks say. Once upon a time, so the old Greeks square, 11 to 13 lbs, quiet, 41s 6d.

Lard—Prime western, intierces, quiet, 1s; American refined, in pails, steady, 50s 6d.

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Saturday afternoon he and Mr. Ward the goddess of beauty and love, avenged this injury on Narcissus. One day as he was hunting on Mount Helicon, he bent to quench his thirst from a water. The object of his desires being unattainable, he, too, pined away from grief and was metamorphosed by the constant contradiction. He commanded The Lily Typifies the Religious piration caused it to be adopted by the gods into the flower that now bears his barrier masters of art who placed it in earlier masters of art who placed it in name. When the Naiads had prepared the hands of the saints and angels in the funeral pile for Narcissus, his body

three lilies on one stem, typifying Instead whereof a yellow flower was

The cup in the center of the flower is supposed to contain the tears of the ill-fated Narcissus.

MATINEE AND EVENING TODAY. "Herrmann the Great," the world's most prominent expert of legerdemain, itual significance in the commemora- son of the year when it puts forth its direct from a triumphal summer's engagement in Europe, will appear at the Grand this afternoon and evening. Mr. The daffodil was once called the Lent Herrman has brought over with him to Chocolate, Pink, and celebrated since the world began. lily and the Lent rose, coming as it did this country many new feats of legerdemain, and promises some new and startling illusions. He will be accompanied by the musical Laskys.

> "DEVIL'S AUCTION" TOMORROW. Among the very many clever things which have become part and parcel of the kaleidoscopic performance of Charles H. Yale's everlasting "Devil's Auction," which is the attraction at the Grand tomorrow (matinee and evening), is the number of exceedingly funny and intricate trick scenes that each year are introduced in this popular show-play.

AT THE LONDON. The audience at the London Opera House last night was not as large as "Uncle Tom's Cabin" will be shown and it should have been, considering the will no doubt be largely patronized. class of performance put on at popular



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"DAVID HARUM," MONDAY The dramatization of Westcott's widely read and phenomenally successful book, "David Harum," will be made known at the Grand on Monday, with special matinee. There is little to be said regarding the extent and scope of the popularity of "David Harum" as a sketch of life and characters in Central New York. In dramatizing the book, the fact was never lost sight of that in order to make it a successful play, all of those things which endeared it to its readers would have to be incorporated in the comedy.

LEWIS MORRISON COMING. Lewis Morrison's famous "Faust," with its new and magnificent scenery, dazzling electrical effects, new costumes and skillful mechanical devices, will be seen at the Grand on Tuesday next, with Lewis Morrison himself as Mephistopheles. From the beautiful prologue to the final scene of the apotheosis of Marguerite everything is new. The seat sale opens tomorrow.

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The company made a good impression when here before, and has since then been strengthened, and some good specialties added. Among these is Miss Edna Baldwin, in a clever song and dance act. At this afternoon's matinee "Jasons Joskons," a comedy, will