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LONDON.

TO-DAY'S MARKETS

MONTREAL STOCKS. MONTREAL, April 18. Canadian Pacific...... Canadian Pacific Rights Duluth, common ... Duluth, preferred . Winnipeg Electric Montreal Street Railway, xd, xr.271 West India 68 West India 68
Toronto Street Railway, xd 123
Halifax Street Railway 112
St. John Street Railway
Twin City Transit Railway 123 Richelieu and Ontario, xd....
Commercial Cable.....
Montreal Telegraph......
Bell Telephone.... Dominion Iron and Steel, com. 70% Dominion Iron and Steel, com. 70% Montreal Heat, Light & Power 101% Nova Scotia Steel, common....114 Laurentide Pulp.......100 Ierchants' Cotton......... North Star. 139 Bank of Montreal..... ntario Bank ... Ierchants Bank ink of Nova Scotia. Quebec Bank. 115 Hochelaga.

Northwest Land, pref.

Dominion Iron and Steel Bonds 93

Heat and Light.

NEW YORK STOCKS. Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker.
asonic Temple, for The Advertiser.
Yesterday's

Yesterda	ay'e			
	e. Open.	High.	LOW.	20. m
Anaconda 70	110%			
Amal Copper 64	34 6434	64 7/8	63%	64%
Atcheson 83		8434	8314	831/2
Atcheson Pfd 99		100 %	9934	1003
B. & O109		110	1091/1	10936
Brooklyn Tran 65		67	651/2	661/4
C. B. & Q				
C. C. C		*****	*****	100
C. F. L107		1091/2	10714	108
Erie 38		3934	39	39
K. & T. Pfd 55			551/4	56 1/2
L. & N128		1291/2	1271/4	127 %
Manhattan133			134	134 14
Metropolitan St.154			154	1543
Mo. P101	18 10116		1011/8	1021/
N. Y. Central 163		160%	159%	1593
Norfolk and W., 58	581	5878	581/4	585
N. Pacific Pfd				::.
Ont. and West 34	341/2	34 1/2		
Pacific Mail	431/2	433/4	431/2	433
Pennsylvania151	1/8 15136	151%	151	1513
People's Gas 105	14 1023/	105	1023/4	1045
R. I		174%	1741/8	
Reading 84		843/4	81	843
St. Paul		1733%	1703/	
Southern Ry 9		961/2	9534	96
Southern Pacific. 6		6 633/8	671/	
Texas 4		441/4	4314	433
f. C. I 7	01/2 703/	7156	703/	713
U. Pacific10	21/2 1035		1034	1045
W. Union 9		941/		93
TRUSTS-	-,-			
Leather 8	454 85	85	841/	84
Sugar13		4 133	1324	132
U. S. Steel, com.,			421	8 42
U. S. Steel, pref 9				92
Rubber	1758 18			
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U. S. Steel, com., 41%	421/4	4216	421/8	42%
U. S. Steel, pref. 944	931/8	9358	9234	92%
Rubber 17%	181/4	181/4	171/	1715
TORONTO	ST	OCK:	3.	
	TOR	ONTO,	Apri	1 18.
		Ask.		Off.
Montreal				260
Ontario		135		134
Toronto		242		239
Merchants		152	16	148
Commerce		160	1/2	160
Imperial		240	78	240
Dominion		216		245
Standard				240
Hamilton		234		230
Nova Scotia				246
Ottawa		215		21214
Traders				11856
British America		104		10114
Western Assurance				1093/4
Imperial Life				139
National Trust		142		165
Toronto General Trusts		111		212
Consumers' Gas		219		213
Montreal Gas				65
Ontario and Qu'Appel	e Lai	d		90 14
Canada Northwest La Canada Northwest La	na pri	el 91		2075
Can. Pacific Railway	na con	191	3.	12114
Toronto Electric Light	+	14	74	1445
General Electric		999	2	2213
London Electric Light			,	1064
Commercial Cable		15	11/	155 %
Cable Coup. Bonds		Q'	7.	
Cable Reg. Bonds		9	8	'
Dominion Telegraph.				119
Bell Telephone				
Richelieu and Ontario	Nav.	Co11	614	1154
Hamilton Steamboat				
Toronto Railway		12	254	1225
London Street Railwa	y			150
Halifax Electric Trans	1			
Ottowa Street Railwa	av			
Twin City Railway		12	21/4	1225
Luxfer Prism., pref		8	0	
Cycle and Motor				

Carter Crume

 Carter Crume
 101

 Dunior Tire, pref.
 108

 War Eagle.
 17

 Republic.
 10

 Payne Mining.
 35

 Cariboo (McKinney).
 35

Central Canada Loan......
Dominion Savings and Iuvest.....
Freehold L. and Savings......

North Star.... British Canadian L. and I..... British Canadian L. and I. 61 Canada Landed and Nat. Inv. 102 Canada Permanent. 122½ Canadian Savings and Loan.

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

Toronto, April 18.—Wheat—Firmer, at 172c to 72½e for red and white, middle freights; some holders asked 73c; goose, 66c for No. 2 east; spring, 72c to 72½e for No. 2 east; Manitoba firmer, at 83½e for No. 1 northern, and 80½c for No. 2 northern, lake and rail. Flour—Firmer; local exporters bid \$2.75 for 30 per cent patents in their bags, middle freights; choice brands, 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba, \$4 for Hungarian patents and \$3.60 for strong bakers, bags included, on the track, Toronto. Millfeed—Steady, at \$18.50 to \$16 for bran in bulk, middle freights. Barley—Steady, at 53c for No. 1, 52c for No. 2, 50c for No. 3 extra, and 48c for No. 3 east and middle freights. Buckwheat—Scarce and firm, at 61c east, 60c middle freights. Rye—Steady, at 55c to 55½c, middle freights. Corn—Steady; 57c bid for Canada No. 2 mixed and 58c for No. 2 yellow west. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 40c was bid in buyers' bags, low freights to New York, and 40½c asked. Peas—Steady; No. 2 white, 90c west; No. 2 white-eyes, 85c asked, high freights. Butter—Choice dairy and creamery are scarce, more particularly the former; demand strong, creameries selling well; the supply of low grade and medium dairles TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET. scarce, more particularly the former; demand strong, creameries selling well; the supply of low grade and medium dairles is too liberal; creamery prints, 22c to 23c; solids, 21c to 23c; seconds, 13c to 20c; dairy pound rolls, choice, 18c to 20c; large rolls, choice, 18c to 19c; tubs, 14c to 16c; medium and low grades, 10c to 12½c. Eggs—Demand good, owing to high price of meats; prices firm, at 12c. Live hogs—Receipts today, 1,500; prices unchanged; choice bacon, 6½c; heavy and light fat, 6c; sows, 5c.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

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NEW YORK, April 18.—Flour—Receipts, 14,307 bbls; sales, 4,500 pkgs; state and western market firmly held; Minnesota patents, \$3 90 to \$4; winter straights, \$3 70 to \$3 85; Minnesota bakers, \$2 90 to \$3 20; winter extras, \$3 10 to \$3 35; winter patents, \$3 85 to \$4 65; winter low grades, \$2 90 to \$3 15. Rye flour—Steady; fair to good, \$3 15 to \$3 40; choice to fancy, \$3 50 to \$3 65. Wheat—Receipts, 208,650 bu; sales, 1,225,600 bu; wheat opened steady on the bullish weather map, but slowly receded during the forenoon under foreign selling and unsatisfactory cables; May, 80%c to 80%c; July 80%c to 80 15-16c; Sept., 80c to 80%c; July 80%c to 80 15-16c; Sept., 80c to 80%c; Dec., 815-16c to 81%c. Rve—Firm; state, 60c to 61c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 64%c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Sales, 70,000 bu; corn was firm at first on cables and the small movement, but later followed the wheat decline and was easy: May, 67%c to 68%4c; Sept., 66%c to 66%c. Oats—Receipts, 58,000 bu; oats were firm all the morning on bullish crop news; track, white state and western, 51%c to 55%c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 2%c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3%c; molasses sugar, 2%c; refined firm. Coffee—Dull; No. 7 Rio, 5%c. Lead—Quiet. Wool—Steady. Hops—Firm.

BUFFALO, April 19.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 73%c: No. 2 northern, 77%c. BUFFALO, April 19.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 79½c; No. 2 northern, 77½c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 86c. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 68½c; No. 3 yellow, 68c; No. 2 corn, 67¾c. Oats—No. 2 white, 49½c; No. 3 white, 48½c, on track. DETROIT, Mich., April 18.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 84c; No. 2 red, cash and April, 83c; May, 83c; July, 78½c.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE. Reported for The Advertiser by F. H. Butler, stock broker. CHICAGO, April 18. H1UAG High 74% 76 62% 62% 63% 44 46 95 17 10 9 75 9 85 9 30 9 40 O. April Low. 6 7334 744 614 624 43 3534 16 75 16 97 9 20 9 32 Open. 745% 705% 623% July
Corn-May
July
Oats-May 44 ... 36½ .16 95 .17 12 ... 9 75 ... 9 85 ... 9 20 ... 9 40 Pork-May.

Ribs-May... ENGLISH MARKETS. LIVERPOOL. The following table shows the quotations per cental yesterday for American products at Liverpool, as well as for the three previous market days. In each case highest prices are given: | April | April | April | April | 14. | 15. | 16. | 17.

1	WHEAT-			•••						1
	Red Winter	6	014	6	2	0	0	6	416	l
1	No. 1 Nor. Spring	6	1	6	1	6	31/4	6	4%	ł
1	Walla	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	١
	No. 1 Cal	6	2	6	2	6	436	6	4	١
	March	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
	May	5	1134	5	11%	6	05%	6	1	1
	July		11	ã	10%	5	1130	5	11%	
	CORN-	34	-							ı
	Now	0	0	5	0	5	6%	0	0	i
	Old	5	314		614	5	634	5	61/2	j
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	I ec	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	Jan	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	
	March	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	
8	May	6	2	5	2	5	2	5	0×	
3	July	5	2	5	0%	5	034	4	11%	
	Oct	4	11%	14	1134	5	0	4	11%	
	Flour	20		20	0	20	0	20	6	
	Peas		0	6	10	7	9	6		
	Pork, prime mess.	72	3	72	3	172	3	72		
	Lard			49	6	49		19		
2	Tallow		6	29	6	29	6	29		
	Bacon, light			48	0	148		18		
4	Cheese, white			61	0	53	0	53		
8	Cheese colored			53	0	154	0	54	0	
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London, April 17.—Raw sugar, Muscovado, 7s 3d; centrifugal, 8s; beet sugar, April, 6s 3%d.

LIVERPOOL, April 18-Closing. Wheat-Spot quiet; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 3d; No. 1 California, 6s 4d. Futures quiet; May, 6s %d; July, 5s 11%d. Corn-Spot steady; American mixed, new, 5s 6%d; do, old, 5s 7d. Futures steady; May, 5s %d; July, 5s; Oct., 5s. Peas-Canadian firm, 6s 10d. Flour-St. Louis fancy winter (including duty) firm, 8s 6d. ing duty) firm, 8s 6d.
Hops (at London)—Pacific coast firm, f3 15s to f4 15s. Beef-Extra India mess strong, 88s 9d. Pork-Firm; prime mess western, Hams-Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm,

Bacon-Cumberland cut. 26 to 30 lbs, Bacon—Cumberland cut. 26 to 30 lbs, firm, 48s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, firm, 49s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, firm, 50c; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm, 49s; clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, firm, 49s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 50s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, firm, 38s 6d.

Lard—Firm; prime western, in tierces, 49s 9d; American refined, in pails, 49s 9d. Butter—Finest United States, firm, 35s; good United States nominal.

Cheese—Firm; American finest white, 53s; American finest colored, 54s.

Cottonseed oil-Hull refined, spot firm, Tallow-Prime city firm, 29s 9d.
Turpentine spirits-Strong, 32s 8d.
Rosin-Common firm, 4s 1½d.
Petroleum-Refined steady, 7½d. Linseed oil-Firm, 31s. Receipts of wheat during the past three ays. 78,000 centals, including 46,000 erican. American.

Receipts of American corn during the past three days, 200 centals.

Weather—Clear.

Sporting Notes.

The governor-general will visit the Montreal Horse Show on May 7.

The long California race meeting will end on April 30.

The Kentucky Futurity for trotters closed with 1,145 entries.

Schaeffer and Vigneux will play for the billiard championship in New York next month.

A. H. Megson, the English fancier, has bought in Scotland for £250 the successful show collie dog Annandale Piccolo.

The Detroit Bowling Club team won the game necessary to hold the Walker cup permanently.

The Bennings meeting proved very suc-

The Bennings meeting proved very successful. The racing scene in the east shifts to the Aqueduct track, which will hold the first meeting around New York. Linloch Park, St. Louis, will not hold a meeting this spring, as the dates are not satisfactory. The opening in St. Louis will not occur until May 3, with the fair grounds meeting.

Broker W. E. Cook banks a lot on the 4-year-old Monarch Chimes, bred on the same lines as Fantasy. Last summer the colt trotted in 2:20, and Mr. Cook thinks he will make trouble for the matinees club bunch.

A GOOD NAME IS TO BE PRIZED.—
There have been imitations of Dr.
Thomas' Eclectric Oil, which may have been injurious to its good name, but if so, the injury has only been temporary.
Goodness must always come to the front and throw into the shadow that which is worthless. So it has been with Eclectric Oil; no imitation can maintain itself against the genuine article. 2% against the genui- article.

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FREE to housekeepers on application, a valuable recipe book on the Art of Cooking.

Marriage Licenses at above address.

-Judge Wm. Elliot presided at the first division court today. -Harry Hawtherne, formerly of Heilmuth & Ivey's office, is in the city. -One case has been entered for tomorrow's high court. Mr. Justice Fergusin will probably take the sitting. -Miss Murray, of Underwood, after

guest of Miss Mary Meredith, of Col--Dissatisfaction is again being expressed among local horsemen at the manner in which the horse inspection at Queen's Park is being conducted. Not over 20 passed Major Gore on

a two months' visit in Chicago, is the

-Miss Edna Freek, of St. Thomas, a pupil of Miss Roblyn at Alma College, has been appointed soprano soloist at Methodist Church, Wood-Central stock. Miss Freek has filled a similar position during the past year in Central Methodist Church, St. Thomas.

WILL BUILD ADDITION. The Hobbs Hardware Company are preparing to build two extra stories on their back warehouse.

ENTERTAINED CHOIR. The members of the choir of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church spent last evening at the home of Mr. C. E. Wheeler, organist of the church, and were pleasantly entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE JAMES

MARSH. The funeral of the late James Marsh took place this afternoon from his late residence, London township, to St. John's cemetery. It was very largely attended. Rev. Canon Richardson conducted impressive services.

THE HOSPITAL CONCERT. The concert in aid of Victoria Hospital takes place at the Grand on Friday next. The talent will include Mme. Julie Wyman, soprano, and Mr. Arthur H. Blight, baritone, of New York: Mr. Frank Blatchford, violinist, Toronto, and the best local talent.

DIED IN LOBO. Many friends in the district will regret to learn of the death of Mr. John Lamont, an aged resident of Lobo township, which occurred yesterday at the homestead, lot 1, con. 6. Mr. Lathat neighborhood, and was very highly respected. He had been ill for many

BIG LONDON BUSINESS. The following is from the Canadian Baker for April: Mr. E. Parnell, the well-known London baker, who is also proprietor of the George Coleman Bak-

ing Company, Limited, Toronto, was in town last week. Mr. Parnell's Toronto business is now entirely under the management of his son, making it time in this city, as formerly. He is a heavy out-of-town business, which shows a substantial increase each year.

DIVISIONAL COURT PROCEED-

Sherlock vs. Wallace-T. W. Crothers (St. Thomas), for plaintiff, appealed from judgment of Ferguson, J. (1 O.W. R. 54). Action to compel reconveyance to plaintiff of certain lands conveyed by him by absolute deed to defendant as security for any sum which might be found due after the conclusion of certain investments in stocks made by the parties. J. M. McEvoy (London), and W. A. Wilson (St. Thomas), for defendants, contra. Not finished.

RECRUTS FOR FOURTH IN ONTARIO TOTAL 365

Up Till Today—Ottawa Leads With 89—All Officers Selected. [Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Ont., April 18.-Up till noon 365 have been enlisted for South Africa in Ontario and the eastern provinces. Ottawa leads the list with 89. It is said that Sergt.-Major Butcher, of C School, Toronto, has been appointed as a lieutenant. All the officers have been selected and are now awaiting the approval of the war office.

CAPT. ARTHUR KING ILL. Dr. S. A. King, of Windsor, has been advised that his son, Capt. Arthur King, is ill with enteric fever in one of the British hospitals in South Af-

MOLDERS MARCH. The molders and other workmen employed in Clare Bros. & Co.'s foundry at Preston, Ont., escorted to the G. T. R. depot Tommy Martyn, a fellowmolder, who goes with the fourth con-tingent. At the depot they presented Preston's first South African volun-

teer with a purse and an address.

FORTY MORE. Montreal, April 18. - Thirty of the recruits so far selected in this city for the fourth contingent for South Africa, left for Halifax today at noon.

OUR REPAIRING DEPARTMENT of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, etc., has for many years given every satisfaction. All work receives prompt and careful

Adkins, East London Marriage Licenses issued.

ONTARIO ELECTIONS MAY 29; NOMINATIONS ON MAY 22

Provincial Campaign.

Preparations for Registration Voters in London.

[Special to Advertiser.]

Toronto, April 18 .- It is officially announced that the provincial elections will be held on Thursday, May 29. Nominations will take place a week

earlier, Thursday, May 22

The announcement of the precise stirring in the political camps of the The writs will probably be issued tomorrow, in which case the board of registrars for the registration of voters will commence their sittings on Monday, April 28.

the police magistrate and the local master of the high court. Sittings wil. be held for four days, the hours being tration of absentees.

Short, Sharp and Decisive | from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., 2 p.m. to 6 p.m., and 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m.

> Generally speaking, every male pervoters' list and is 21 years of age and a British subject, and not disqualified under The Ontario Election Act, or otherwise prohibited from voting, may be registered, provided he has the necessary qualifications as to residence. The residence qualifications to entitle a man to register are:

(a) He must have resided in the province for twelve months next preceding the day of the first sitting of the

(b) He must have resided in the proval that the play had been stopped municipality for which registration is being held for three months next preceding the day of the first sitting of the registrars.

Students in attendance at any university, college, school, or other inbe registered where their home is The board in the city of London comprises the two county court judges, school, unless that is their bona fide the most beautiful one in the book, lacked dramatic possibilities, and he picked

POLICE THINK PATE THE MAN

Suspected of Others.

Authorities Expect Robberies to Cease It Was Prepared Long Ago and Now That McLeod & Nolan Thief Is Caught.

The authorities believe that the their hands.

years, only three of which he served, ately. ents' efforts.

ing up a living in many ways. Some row. three weeks ago he returned here, and mont was one of the oldest farmers in started peddling a brass sign cleaner among the business houses. He was receiving of water rates. doing very well, for the merchants were willing to help along a man who apparently was industrious. And, so the authorities say, he repaid their kindness by planning to ransack their

premises. The robbery at McLeod, Nolan & SURVIVOR OF A Co.'s, for which he was arrested yesterday, was clumsily conceived, and stamped the operator clearly as an unnecessary for him to spend so much amateur; and when the police learned of a man being found with a bad foot building an addition to his London at the rear of the G. T. R. station at bakery, which will give three thousand | 3 a.m., Thursday, and being driven into square feet extra floor space. A largely | London South to the corner of Duchess increased trade has made this step ne- avenue and Wortley road, where the cessary. The London concern handles prisoner lives, it took the detectives no time to fasten upon the right man. Officers Nickle and Rider discovered the suspect in bed. They were unable to secure any admission of guilt Stoddart Has a Good Word for he seems to have realized that the game was up. He made a complete

from him until a conversation had been held at the police station. There confession, and on a return trip to the house, the officers were directed by the prisoner to the garret, where cigars were found. A pair of boots, admitted to have been stolen last week from a Dundas street store, were also discovered.

At this morning's police court, Pate presented a miserable appearance, having evidently suffered a sleepless night as a result of injuries to his right foot, sustained in jumping from the window. Several bones were broken, and some weeks will elapse before the injured member will be fit for use. The prisoner asked to be tried summarily, and cigar factory and shoe store, offering as an excuse that he was drunk at the time. He was remanded till Wednesday next for sentence. In the meantime Pate will receive the best care of

the jail physicians. Mrs. Sarah Linder again appeared against her husband, who is motorman on a street car, and refuses to carry out the agreement to pay \$2 50 per week for the support of his two children. The magistrate remanded the case for a week in order to allow the father time to make up his mind what

he intends doing.

Walter Wilkins allowed some cases of oranges to stand too long on the sidewalk yesterday and it cost him \$1. Frank Hamlyn was up for driving a horse with a sore shoulder, but was not convicted of cruelty, as it was shown that the animal was in good condition, and perhaps suffered no pain. He was ordered not to drive it again until the sores thoroughly healed, and the case was dismissed. Charles Webster had a fighting fit on

him last night, which cost \$2; Wm. at present residing in Chicago." Quinn paid \$1 for driving over a sidewalk; and Charles Hall, who rode on a path in Victoria Park, was assessed \$1.

The Death Record.

Rat Portage, Ont., April 18.-Editor Chapman, of the News, died this morning. He leaves a wife and two chil-

TEACHERS STARTING FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

Lake Ontario tomorrow morning.

BYLAW WILL BE PASSED AT ONCE.

Confesses to Two Burglaries; Council Will Pass Anti-Trading Stamp Legislation.

> Was Just Awaiting Decision of Court of Appeals.

The bylaw prohibiting the giving of petty robberies that have taken place trading stamps and similar premiums in London during the past couple of will probably be taken up and passed weeks, causing worry alike to owners at Monday night's council meeting. Acof the places and police officers, may tion on the bylaw had merely been decease now Wm. A. Pate is safely in ferred till the result of pending legislation had been known. The recent de-Pate commenced life bad. Five cision in the court of appeal has deyears ago, for breaking into a coal termined the rights of municipalities and wood office in East London, he to pass such legislation, and the bylaw was sent to the reformatory for seven will go on the city statutes immedi-

securing his release through his par- Inspector Sanders has placed two Regaining his liberty, he wandered year-old girl was sent to Lincoln of pedestrianism which few would unin various parts of the country, picking up a living in many many country yesterday, and an 8-year-old girl goes to Lambton county tomor-

> The waterworks office at the city hall will be open till 9:30 tonight for the

should be a short one, as there is no business of importance yet in sight for

GREAT GALAXY

Has Acted With America's Best Players.

Coming Attraction.

He Likes London, Canada, and Canadians-His Memoirs Will Be Published Soon.

Mr. J. H. Stoddart, the sturdy and

sterling old actor who is almost the sole surviving representative of a generation of distinctively great players, is again to appear at the New Grand tonight in "The Bonnie Brier Bush," the play that has won unanimous appleaded guilty to both robbing the proval from press, public and pulpit. An Advertiser reporter, with pleasant memories of an interesting interview with Mr. Stoddart last November, forth with the exclamation:

again sought the genial old man at his hotel this morning. After the preliminary greetings, Mr. Stoddart burst "I'm in love with London. It is a beautiful city, and I am pleased to be here again.'

A question regarding Miss Stoddart, who was her father's companion on his former visit, drew forth information that her liking for Canada was quite equal to that of her talented parent. "Miss Stoddart writes me that she is very sorry to miss the trip through Canada. She did not care so much for traveling in the States, but she was de-

lighted with Toronto, Ottawa, London, and Hamilton. I, too, like Canada and the Canadians. There's less bustle and excitement here, but there's more real domestic comfort. I may tell you, too, that my son, who is in law, is to soon marry a Canadian girl, a Miss Hilton, "How do you like Canadian audiences?" asked the scribe.

cities have given us more appreciation, both in an artistic and pecuniary sense, than any other places we have been. Even in Galt last night we packed the house. It must be because of the large Scotch element in Canada."

"Have you had Otis Skinner here yet?" asked Mr. Stoddart, abruptly changing the subject. On being told that Skinner was coming next week, Mr. Stoddart said: "Well, you'll see St. John, N. B., April 18.—The second one of the most beautiful productions batch of teachers for South Africa are in America. Mr. Skinner has been gathered here, and will sail on the successful in this play on the strength of a great performance and a magnifi-

cent company. I sincerely hope that roto team he will have a big house, for in these days, when so much rubbish is seen on the stage, anything so elevating should be well supported."

Mr. Stoddart also said a good word for Miss Kathryn Kidder, who comes next week in "The County Girl." Mr. Stoddart told the interviewer that it was not necessary to say much of his past career, as he has now in process of publication by the Century Company a volume of memoirs, which should appear next fall. The work

was undertaken at the suggestion of Wm. Winter, the distinguished critic.
Two installments will appear in the Century Magazine for May and June. "I have lived a proper life," said Mr. Stoddart. "Not that it's anything to brag about. I loved my home and family. I had a lovely woman, and she was taken ten years ago, but she left me a good daughter. I have not lived in New York for many years, but on my New Jersey farm, going direct from the stage door to the

train.' Mr. Stoddart expressed himself strongly on the subject of the Passion Play. The proposal to produce it was an outrageous one, he thought, and it would never be tolerated by the people of America. He noted with ap-

The idea of writing a drama on Ian MacLaren's "Bonnie Brier Bush," said Mr. Stoddart, originated with Charles Cooper, a New York magazine artist, who urged Mr. Stoddart to secure a dramatization, taking Dr. MacLure as the central figure Dr. Watson's consent was gained, and a play was made by James Macarthur, editor of the stitution of learning in Canada must Bookman, and Tom Hall, a magazine writer since deceased. Mr. Stoddart, however, soon recognized that the charon the character of Lachlan Camp-Provision is also made for the regis- bell as the one around whom the action should center. The services of Augustus Thomas, a practiced play- night for Halifax. wright, were secured, the play was rewritten to make Lachlan Campbell the predominant role, and the subsequent success of the play is now known all

over the English-speaking world. Mr. Stoddart concluded the interview with the declaration that if "The Bonnie Brier Bush" lasts two more seasons, he would then take leave of the stage and spend his remaining years under the trees and in the fields of his little farm. Mr. Reub Fax, the humorous Posty

of the play, is still with the company. He and Mr. Stoddart are inseparable.

LONG WALK FOR OYSTER SUPPER

Local Pedestrian Heel-and-Toed Ninety Miles, More or Less,

But He Earned the Bivalves in the End and the Man Who Doubted Paid the Shot.

Ninety miles' walk, more or less, for plate of oysters is certainly a feat dertake, but it is the record made by a well-known young man who is a member of the office staff of a large wholesale grocery. Over a month ago he made a wager with an equally wellknown young tobacconist that he could Today's meeting of No. 1 committee walk five miles in 60 minutes or less, the stake being an oyster supper for the bettors and half a dozen friends. The pedestrian immediately started on a course of training, under the direction of a friend, who put him under a severe regimen and saw that he covtervals. It was during the progress of this training that the ninety miles, more or less, was covered. The event was postponed several times to allow the walker to train down a little finer, but last night was finally fixed upon and the feat was pulled off, with a victory for the pedestrian. The course was determined by measurements from the city engineer's office, and was by Adelaide street, thence to Dundas and out to the asylum sideroad and return. The time, as caught by the official timer and his little watch, was 54 minutes 21 seconds, the record by miles being: First mile, 11:16; second mile, 9:56; third mile, 12:30; fourth mile,

10:05: fifth mile, 10:34. All along the course the pedestrian's rapid passing created much surprise and amusement for the people on the street, but in spite of much guying, he thought of the oyster supper awaiting him and pressed bravely on till victory was within his grasp. The supper was held later in the evening and was an

enjoyable affair. The professional walking records for one and five miles are respectively minutes 23 seconds and 35 minutes 10 seconds, while the amateur records are 6 minutes 29% seconds and 36 minutes 27 seconds.

TURF.

LONDONERS WIN AT BOSTON. At the Boston Horse Show, Llewellyn Meredith got high commendation in the saddle class for horses under 15.2, carrying up to 175 pounds, with his bay mare, "Red Wing." Mrs. Adam Beck's mare, "Westminster," and mare "Falkirk," got first in sporting tandems class, while in the hunter's class, Mr. Beck won honors.

FISTIC.

DEATH OF "WILD BILL." Chicago, April 18 .- "Wild Bill" Hanrahan, the pugilist, died this morning at the county hospital after several days' illness of pneumonia. He was about to enter the ring when it was discovered that he was sick. A doctor was called and discovered that the pugilist had a temperature of 104. He was immediately sent to the hospital. SANTRY BADLY HURT.

Chicago, April 18.-In the Santry-Tommy Sullivan contest at Apollo Hall, Referee Johnny McInerny de-cided it was "no contest." After about a minute and a half of boxing in the third round Santry fell out of a clinch "I like them so well that we are repeating our tour in Canada," answered Mr. Stoddart. "Canadian towns and the referee picked him up, and held Sullivan tried to continue the fight, but the referee called a halt. Santry was unable to continue, saying Sullivan put his knee into his groin disabling him. A doctor found him injured as he described, and he had to be carried from the ring. Up to the time of the accident Santry had all the better of the boxing, and was slamming Sullivan around at a lively rate.

LACROSSE.

roto team promised an exciting and closely contested game, but these indications had a very short career, for the Canucks soon set so fast a pace that the English players got tired very quickly. Then it was an easy matter for the Torontos to score freely and easily. The entire first half was a keen battle, as the score of 4-2 in favor of the tourists would indicate.

The second half saw the Englishmen overcome by exhaustion, while the Canadians stayed in the game to the last, feeling as fresh almost as when they began to play.

Essex relied solely on low throws, the old style of playing that has been displaced in Canada by combination work. The clever and lightning passing of the Torontos dazzled the Essex men. Mara, Querrie and Lambe again won the praise of the crowd for their beautiful stick-handling and clever checking. Charley Querrie scored five of the fourteen goals marked up in Toronto's favor.

So far the matches have drawn good crowds, and the attendance will be much greater later on, when the team visits the older lacrosse centers of the country.

NO NEED TO BELIEVE THIS. NO NEED TO BELIEVE THIS.

The class of London in lacrosse is about the junior series. There is no record that London ever had a first-class team, and the declarations of some of the people who say there will be a first-class team there this year are not binding on anybody.—Globe.

BASEBALL.

EASTERN LEAGUE MEETING.

New York, April 17.—The annual spring meeting of the Eastern Basebali League was begun here today. The season will open on May 1, Jersey City playing at Providence, Newark at Worcester, Toronto at Buffalo, Montreal at Rochester, and the final games will be played on Sept. 20, with Jersey City at Buffalo, Newark at Rochester, Providence at Toronto and Worcester at Montreal.

The games at Jersey City conflict with New York eleven times during the entire season, two in May, one in June, one in July, six in August and one in September. The Jersey City club will play on 53 dates which will not conflict with either the Brooklyn or New York clubs of the National League.

There was no dissent to the schedule presented by President Powers. EASTERN LEAGUE MEETING.

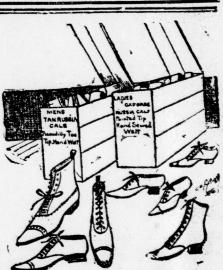
Twenty-seven recruits for the fourth contingent left Toronto Thursday

The bylaw to grant \$57,000 to the Grand Trunk to take its main line through Brantford was carried in that city by a large majority.

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Marriage Licenses Issued. Thirty directors of the chief British railways have seats in the House of Lords and 49 in the House of Com-

mons.

TORONTO'S COMBINATION WON.

London, April 17.—The early portion of yesterday's lacrosse match between the Essex county twelve and the touring To-