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Toronto Stock Market.

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	Ask.	Off.
Montreal		249
Ontario		129
2'eronto	253	247
Merchants		169
Commerce		1523/
Imperial		215
Dominion		266
Standard		1905
Hamilton		192
British America		1265
Western Assurance		1633
Consumers' Gas		228
Montreal Gas		-
Dominion Telegraph		1293
Canada Pacific Ry . Stock	975%	97
Northwest Land Compan	ny neof 5314	525
Commercial Cable Comp		1853
Commercial Coupon Bor		104
Com. Registered Bonds.	10414	104
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Bell Telephone Compan Richelieu and Ontario	10012	1087
Montreal Street Railwa		157
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London Electric	t	76
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Huron and Brie L. and		180
Huron and Erie, 20 per	cent	62
London and Canada L. a	nd A 70	110
London Loan	120	
London and Ontario	90	121
Ontario Loan and Debe	nture	141

Montreal Stock Market MONTREAL April 29

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Ask.	" Uft.		
Canadian Pacific 97%	975/8		
Duluth, common 51/4	51/8		
Duluth, preferred 131/4	131/2		
Commercial Cable1861/8	1853/4		
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Commercial Reg Bonds			
Montreal Telegraph			
Richelieu and Ontario1101/2	1091/		
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Montreal Street Railway 3361/2	33214		
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Toronto Railway	205		
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Bank of Toronto	••		
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Merchants' Bank of Halifax	180		
Quebec Bank			
Union Bank	.::		
Bank of Commerce	151		
Northwest Land, pref			
Montreal Cotton Co	156		
Canada Colored Cotton 90	90		
Dominon Cotton	171		
New York Stocks.			

Reported by F. H. Butler, 15 and 16 Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

	Nev	v York	. April	29.
Yesterday's				
Close,	Open.	High.	Low.	
Atcheson 2056	2014	2014	201/2	201/2
Atcheson Pfd 611/	613/8	611/2	655/8	603/4
Brooklyn Tran1351/	1334	1343/8	1311/4	1311/2
Canada Pacific	981/4	981/4	961/4	981/4
C., B. & Q14374	14378	14378	1431/8	1431/8
C. & N. W	161			
Chicago Gas 127 1/4	12734	12734	1261/2	1261/2
Gen. Electric 119%	119	119	1181/2	1181/2
Jersey Central 120%	1201/	1201/	1201/4	1201/4
K. & T., Pfd 39%	391/4	391/	39	39
L. & N 681/4	6734	68	67 5/8	68
Manhattan 12034	11914	120	119%	11934
Metropolitan St 24734	244	2461/2	2421/4	2421/2
Mo. P	4934	493/4	491/2	491/2
N. Y. Central 1391/2	1391/2	1394	13814	139
N. P., Pfd 79	791/8	791/2	791/8	791/8
Ont. & Western. 271/8	271/8	271/8	26 1/8	27
P. M 51%	52	52	511/4	513/4
B. I11636	1161/2	1161/2	116%	1161/4
Reading 223/4	223/	223/4	223/4	223/4
St. Paul12814	128	129	1275/8	127%
Southern Ry, Pfd 53%	531/2	537/8	531/2	531/4
T. C. I. 631/4	63	63	611/2	61 1/6
T. C. I. 63¼ U. Pacific 79%	791/	793/8	791/8	791/8
W. U 921/4	921/8	921/8	92	921/8
TRUSTS:				
Lead	3374	33%	33 1/8	33 1/8
Leather 731/8	731/4	731/4	723/4	723/4
Sugar16944	170	170	1683/8	1683/8
Federal Steel 6834	69	69	681/8	6836
Rubber 52%	521/2	531/4	52 1/8	531/4
Steel & Wire 681/2	685/2	6834	6734	683/4
Tobacco222	220%	22038	220	22034

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373 Talbot Street, Near King St. THE REPORT OF THE PARTY

Toronto Produce Market. Toronto, April 29 .- Wheat-Steady, at 68c to 69c for red and white west; goose wheat is in demand for export, 66c west and 67c at water points; Manitoba wheat is steadier, at 83c for No. 1 hard at North Bay, and 85c grinding in transit. Flour-Dull, at \$2 95 for cars of straight roller in barrels west. Millfeed-Firm, at \$14 to \$16 for shorts and \$12 to \$12 50 for bran west. Barley Dull and nominal, at 41c for No. 1 wes: Buckwheat-There is some inquiry, and the market is steady, at 48c to 50c west. Rye-Firm, at 53c bid west. Corn-Steady, at 351/2 to 36c for Canada yellow west; American is quoted at 43c for old and 42c for new west. Oats-Firm, at 321/2c for white west. Peas-One cent firmer, at 64c to 65c west. Butter-Large rolls in abundant supply and weak, at 101/2c to 11c. Eggs-Easy, at 10c to 111/2c. Dressed hogs-Nominal, at \$5 for cars of western mixed weights here.

#### American Markets.

CHICAGO, April 29.—Closing—Wheat, Maye 71½c; July. 73½c to 73½c. Corn, April, 33½c; May, 34½c; July, 35½c; Sept., 35½c to 35½c; Oats, April, 26½c to 26½c; May, 25½c to 26½c; July, 24½c; Sept., 22½c. Pork, April, 28 90; May, \$8 90 to \$6 92½; July, \$9 15; Sept., \$9 30. Laid, April, \$6 17½; May, \$5 17½; July, \$5 30 to \$5 32½; Sept., \$5 42½ to \$5 45. Ribs-April, \$4 65; May, \$4 65; July, \$4 85; Sept., \$5.

BUFFALO, April 29.—Spring wheat -No. 1 northern, 80%c; winter, No. 2 red, 771/2c. Corn-No. 3 yellow, 391/2c; No. 3 corn, 39c. Oats-No. 2 white,

DETROIT, Mich., April 29.-Wheat-No. 1 white, cash, 74c; No. 2 red, cash, 741/2c; May, 743/4c; July, 751/8c.

TOLEDO, April 29.-Wheat-Cash and May, 75c; July, 75%c. Corn — Cash, 35%c; May, 35%c; July, 35%c. Oats— Cash, 29c; May, 271/2c; July, 251/4c. MILWAUKEE, April 29.-Wheat-

Cash, 721/2c. NEW YORK, April 29.-Flour-Reeipts, 16,399 bbls; sales, 1,700 packages; state and western quiet, but steadily held; Minnesota patents, \$3 90 to \$4 10. Rye flour—Easy, good to fair, \$3 to \$3 15; choice to fancy, \$3 20 to \$3 40. Wheat-Receipts, 9,250 bu; sales, 675,000 bu; options opened steady, and after a moderate break under short selling recovered on a demand from shorts; the bull influence all day was drought and cold weather news; May, 77% to 77%; July, 76% to 77 3-16c; Sept., 75% to 78%; Dec., 76% to 77c. Rye—Duli: state, 63c; No. 2 western, 671/2c, f. o. b., afloat. Corn-Receipts, 38,025 bu; sales, 60,000 bu; options opened steady with wheat and near the close advanced on covering; May, 39%c to 39%c; July, 39%c. Oats—Receipts, 158,000 bu; op-

38½c. Butter—Receipts, 3,981 packages; steady; state dairy, 13½c to 16c; creamery, 13½c to 15½c. Old cheese—Receipts, 1,385 packages; duli and weak. New cheese—Dull and weak; large, 9¾c; small, 9½c to 9½c. Eggs—Receipts, 8,709 packages; steady; western, 13½c to 13½c; southern, 12½c to 13½c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 4 3-16c; refined firm. Coffee—Quiet. Hops—Steady. Lead—Steady; bullion, \$4 10; exchange, \$4 32½ to \$4 35. \$4 321/2 to \$4 35.

Chicago Exchange. CHICAGO, April 29.
Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago
Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butter

1	broker, Masonic Temple.		e. Phor	Phone 1278.		
ā				Low.	Close.	
	WheatMay	715%	717/8	711/8	715	
8		731/8	731/4	7278	73%	
		721/8	731/4	711/8	733	
	Corn-May	31	341/4	3334	344	
3	July		351/4		35	
3	Sept		35 1/8	353/8	353	
3	Oats-May		26%	261/4	263	
	July	24	2434	24	24 1/2	
	Sept		- 221/2	221/8	221	
	Pork-May 8		8 95	8 90	8 90	
	July 9		9 17	9 10	9 15	
3	Sept 9		9 32	9 27	9 30	
	Lard-May 5		5 17	5 12	5 17	
K	July		5 32	5 27	5 30	
	Sept		5 45	5 40	5 42	
	Ribs-May		4 70	4 62	4 65	
	July 4		4 85	4 82	4 85	
1	Sept 4		5 00	4 95	5 00	
•	Puts-7236. C					

Live Stock Markets. CHICAGO, April 29.-Hogs-Estimated receipts today, 15,000; Monday, 33,o00; left over, 3,146; opened steady; easy later; mixed butchers, \$3 70 to \$3 97½; good heavy, \$3 87½ to \$4; rough heavy, \$3 60 to \$3 75; light, \$3 70 to \$3 95. Cattle-Receipts, 100; steady.

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#### <del>\*</del> Latest Probabilities ‡

Toronto, April 29 - 10 a.m. + Probabilities for the lower lakes + region for the next 24 hours: +
Moderate southeasterly and sou-→ therly winds; fine and warm. ♦ Sunday-Winds shifting to west- ♦ + erly; local showers, but for the + + most part fair and warm.

-Mr. R. Coleman, city, was in Sarnia yesterday.

Mr. W. C. Forman, of Ingersoll, was in the city yesterday on business. -The annual meeting of the board of trade will be held next Friday night. -A number of small lads went swimming in the vicinity of the coves

this morning. -Rev. J. G. Stuart, of South London, returned last evening from a short visit to Riverside, California.

-The annual exchange of pulpits in the 24 city churches represented in the Ministerial Association, takes place

-The Sulphur Baths, under the management of Cole and Edmunds, are now open every day, from 6:30 a.m. to 9 p.m.

—Mr. George A. Stone spent Sun-day with his mother, Mrs. Stone, of Dundas street, who has been very ill for the past few weeks. -The London cheese market will

open on May 13, at 10 o'clock, and an all-day session will be had to discuss the proposed rules to regulate the

-Mr. Jack O'Neil, of Galt, is in the city, having been engaged by the management of the Orient Club to appear with them again at the Grand Opera House on Monday evening.

-Mr. Jas. E. Wigglesworth, of Norwich, died in the city hospital yesterday from a paralytic stroke. Deceased was aged 44 years. The remains will be taken to Norwich for interment on Mon-

-Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hallam, lately of this city, are pleasantly located at McAdam Junction, N.B., on the C. P. R. Mrs. Hallam's friends will be glad to know she has much improved in health since leaving Lon-

don. -It appears that the statement made last evening that the McCormick Manufacturing Company's "head biscuit baker" was about leaving that establishment is incorrect. The party leaving is not the "head" baker, but the second in rank-the head man, Mr.

Dunn, being still with the company. -"A Union Man" writes that some of the grocers are not adhering to the early-closing regulation, and says that every union man is being supplied with the names of grocers who refuse to close at 6:30 o'clock on week nights and 10 o'clock on Saturday nights. He finds that since the movement the conditions have been made a great deal better for grocery em-

-The hotel business now being conducted in Nilestown by Robert Reid is about to be taken over by George Chittick, formerly postmaster at Dorchester Station. Mr. Chittick has many friends in this district who wish him success in his venture. "Bob" moves into Lordon, to assume charge of the Ross House. The change takes place next

week. -A "19th cent-ury concert" will be given in St. John the Evangelist schoolroom on Tuesday evening, in aid of the library. Canon Dann, Miss Love, Mr. Horace McDougall ("Paderewski"), Mr. Thomas Mitcheltree (pianist), and several pupils of Hellmuth College, with others, will assist. "The Peake Sisters" will also be presented. The admission corresponds with the cent-

ury-19 cents. -Mr. W. T. Hallam, who carried off the Senate's scholarship at the Western University here last year, has been successful at the second year examinations of Dalhousie College, Halifax. He obtained high honors in 39½c. Oats—Receipts, 158,000 bu; options quiet; on track, white state, 35c to 28½c; on track, white western, 85c to Mr. Hallam has many friends in Lon-

don who will be pleased to hear of his well-doing, and wish him still further success in his studies.

-The Cannom Stove and Oven Company yesterday received a check from the British America Assurance Company, in satisfaction of their claims for damages from the recent fire. The directors are highly pleased with the generous and prompt treatment they received from the British America. The new manufacturing company is likely to prove one of London's greatest. The premises have been refitted and ex-tended, in anticipation of the enormous business which the warm weather is developing in their line of goods.

CUSTOMS RETURNS. London customs returns for April, 1899, total, \$52,458 20, an increase of \$6,903 90 over the same month last

DAYTON & McCOR-MICK'S CLOSING "SOCIABLE." The closing sociable of the season was held at the Palace Dancing Academy last evening. Nearly 100 young people attended, and enjoyed a most pleasant time. The twelve soci-ables given this season have been very successful.

POLICE COURT CASES. Three offenders appeared at the police court this morning, and all were discharged. Margaret and Sarah Halliday were charged with vagrancy, having been found on the street at a late hour. Mrs. Halliday's excuse was that she was out looking for her son, who had skipped out with \$13 of her money. INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION. 

The 23rd biennial international convention of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held at Grand Rapids, Mich., from May 25 to 28. Plans of the London association building will be on exhibition at request of the international committee. The citizens of Grand Rapids are preparing to extend a most cordial welcome to the visitors. A number of delegates will attend from this city.

A GREAT CANADIAN SINGER. Mr. Whitney Mockridge, the famous Canadian tenor, who gives a song recital at the Auditorium Monday night, sings tonight and Sunday night in Chicago, and will leave for London at the close of the Sunday night concert. What Albani is to Canada, so is Whitney Mockridge. It is claimed that no ward Lloyd. The plan opened yesterday and is selling rapidly.

GIRLS ON STRIKE. Fifteen girls employed at Laidlaw & claimed that one of their fellow-employes was insolent and insubordinate, and discharged her on Thursday. Yesterday the girl wanted to return to work. The forewoman required an apology, which the girl refused. The firm sustained the forewoman, and the other girls in the room went out in a body. The firm say there has been no other difference, save over the matter of discipline. They have offered to take back all the girls but two. A deputation of the men employes have gallantly offered to act as mediators, and will interview the striking girls

MISS OLGA NETHERSOLE. Miss Olga Nethersole appears at the Grand Opera House for one night, May 17. The career of Miss Olga Nethersole is a vivid example of what may be achieved by hard work and indomitable ten years, and at an age when many artists are only beginning to take their first important dramatic steps. Miss Nethersole at this moment occupies an undisputed place among the most prominent English-speaking dramatic artists. Her voice is a marvelous organ,

as magnetic as are the dark eyes that seem to read the very soul. Without remarkable strength, her voice is so perfectly under control in its well-modulated penetration that every word of the lines she speaks conveys exactly the shade of the meaning she desires to express. In her face is where the greatest secret of Miss Nethersole's power dwells. Its mobility is phenomenal; shades and waves of meaning are exploited in this facile countenance at times, that makes one's heart fairly leap in recognition. Genius she has beyond all question. In England, in Australia and in the United States, Miss Nethersole has pursued her destiny. ever aiming at the highest, ever endeavoring to direct her great gifts towards the goal of perfection. Her universal popularity is obvious testimony to the immense success she has achieved.

#### CITY HALL NOTES

Cement Walks in Favor-28 Mill Rate Inevitable-Vital Statistics.

There is every probability of Ald. Jolly's scheme to encourage the laying of permanent walks being supplanted by the scheme outlined in yesterday's Advertiser, and which has been adopted by Hamilton. The objectionable feature of a rebate to ratepayers having permanent walks will then be obviated. No appropriation will be made for plank walks. Only cement walks will be laid, and the portion that the ratepayers for whom the walks are laid will be called upon to pay will be about equal to the cost of a plank walk. The mayor gives Ald. Jolly great credit for persistently advocating permanent walks, but personally is strongly in favor of Hamilton's plan. Ald. Jolly may withdraw his motion in favor of the more recent suggestion.

Even if \$15,000 or \$17,000 be not appropriated for plank walks, the tax rate will be 23 mills, or a small fraction under 23, it is said. The mayor frankly confesses that had the rate been 22 mills last year, as it should have been, a rate of 221/2 mills might be sufficient this year. But with that oppressive deficit, the loss of the loan companies' taxes, and the necessity of providing a sinking fund for a dam at the waterworks a 23-mill rate is inev-

While engaged in "paring the estimates." the financiers at the city hall live up to the motto on the city's coat of arms, "Labore et Perseverentia."

The vital statistics for April show 50 marriages, 68 deaths and 54 births.

Wheat sowing in Manitoba is now progressing favorably, a week earlier than last spring, and Hunt Bros. are now hopeful of a plentiful supply of that grandest of wheats for the manufacture of their celebrated "Diamond Flour" for the coming year.

Will Move a Resolution in the Dominion Parliament

Favoring a Measure Which Leaves Out Quebec-Opposed to Coal Oil Duties.

[Special to Advertiser per C. P. R.] Ottawa, April 29.—It has been decided by the prohibition members of parliament, in accordance with the recommendation of the Dominion Alliance, to bring in a resolution next week calling on the government to recognize the result of the recent plebiscite by bringing in a law against the importation, manufacture and sale of intoxicants throughout the Domin-ion. Provided, however, it shall only come into force in provinces which express their approval by vote of the people. Quebec will thus be freed from its operation, while the Maritime Provinces can avail themselves if they choose.

A large delegation of members of parliament waited on Messrs. Jolly and Fielding last night, and protested against the duty on coal oil. They want a reduction, with the entire removal, as soon as possible. The British Columbia, Manitoba and Northwest Liberals were with the delegation.

#### WILL NOT URGE HIM TO REMAIN

St. Andrew's Congregation Have Informally Decided to Allow Their Pastor a Free Decision-Offered \$6,-000 a Year and a Free Manse.

About 25 of the most influential members of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church held an informal meeting yesterday in the office of Mr. M. H. Rowland for the purpose of obtaining an expression of opinion regarding the recent calls to Rev. Dr. Johnston. The meeting unanimously expressed confidence in their pastor, and agreed to ask him to remain, stipulating, however, singer so fine has been here since Ed- that if he wished to go to Baltimore they would place no obstacle in his way. A deputation was appointed to wait on Rev. Dr. Johnston, and inform him of the sentiments of the meeting. Dr. Johnston made no definite reply, Watson's shoe factory, went out on but in the course of his remarks read strike yesterday. The forewoman letters from eminent divines all over the country, urging him to accept the Baltimore call. In this connection some anonymous letters which he had received were also referred to. These letters are not supposed to have come from any of his congregation, but from some parties who disagree with the action taken by Dr. Johnston respecting Marion Brown. From what Dr. give a decided answer at tomorrow evening's service.

The call to Baltimore is from the leading Presbyterian Church of the Eastern States. The stipend is \$6,000, and a free manse. His stipend here is less than \$3,000. Dr. Johnston will likely preach in Baltimore on May 7.

#### LATE SPORTING

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Chicago	8	5	.615
Boston	7	5	.583
Brooklyn		5	.583
Baltimore	6	6	.500
Cincinnati	5	5	.500
Louisville	5	5	.500
New York		7	.364
V/ashington	3	9	.250
Pittsburg	2	7	.222
Cleveland	1	6	.143
Cicrema			

FIRST PRACTICE GAME. Charles Frank, the London's utility man, arrived this morning from San Francisco. The first practice game of the season is on at Tecumseh Park this afternoon.

A Filipino nine was easily made up, with the help of a few likely maver-icks who hope to catch on. . FISTIC AFFAIRS.

SCHOLES AT HAMILTON. Young Jack Scholes, the feather-weight champion of Canada, England, and Australia, arrived in the city Friday morning from New York, and was met at the T., H. and B. depot by his father, John Scholes, of Toronto; Jesse Chapman, of this city; Mr. Hook, a wellknown sporting man of Ingersoll, and a large number of people who were with a house and with a guard, and anxious to catch a glimpse of the first Canadian who had had the temerity to cross the big pond to measure strength and ability with the best amateur exponents of the manly art that all England and Australia could produce. Scholes was accompanied by Denny Gallagher, his faithful trainer and seconder, and appeared to be in splendid condition. He is a tall, fine-looking young fellow, bearing not the slightest sign of the follower of the squared circle, and would be much more readily singled out for a young society swell, with a tendency for lawn tennis and golf, than a conqueror of three nations in the bruising pursuit of the roped arena.-Hamilton Herald.

## HELD AS PRISONERS

News of the Men Missing From the Yorktown.

New York, April 29.-The Herald has a dispatch from its correspondent at Manila, which says that the insurgents at Baler state that they have the missing? men of the gunboat Yorktown, and are holding them as prisoners. This refers to Lieut. Gilmore and the 14 marines captured near Baler some time

### Acknowledgment.

Marshall Bros. & Co., Importers of Teas and Coffees. 67 Dundas street, London, April 29, 1899.

Mr. C. E. German, London: Dear Sir,—I beg to acknowledge payment in full of policy 5,921, issued by the Ontario Mutual Life Assurance Company on the life of my brother, Robert Marshall, who passed away last Monday. Thanking you for your promptness, I remain, yours truly, GEO. MARSHALL.

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#### AFTER THE STORM

Revised Roll of Victims at Kirksville and Newtown. Mo., Shows 63 Dead and 158 Injured.

St. Louis, Mo., April 29.—The roll of killed and injured at Kirksville, Mo., where half the residential portion was destroyed by a tornado Thursday evening continues to grow by reason of the finding and identification of additional bodies of the dead and wounded, and the release from their sufferings by death of some of the more badly hurt of the victims.

A revised list shows the names of 52 dead and 126 injured. To the list of deaths is added the name of Mrs. Hennon, wife of a newsdealer. At least a dozen of the injured are so badly hurt that their lives are despaired of. M. R. Elliott is added to the list of missing. Scarcely a household in the devastated district but lost a member by death, or suffered injury in some way. In several

WHOLE FAMILIES WERE WIPED OUT.

The total financial loss is placed at \$350,000; falling most heavily on small householders, who lost everything. It is believed that all the dead and injured at Newton have been accounted for. The number of dead is placed at 11 and the injured at 32.

#### THOSE PARLEYS

Luna's Negotiations Were Not Official -Another Dicker in Progress-The 'Pinos' Demands.

London, April 29.-Members of the Filipino junta here made the statement to the Associated Press correspondent today that the peace negotiations between the United States authorities at Johnston told the deputation, there is every reason to believe that he will in character. Gen. Luna, the junta as Manila and Gen. Luna were unofficial serts, does not represent Aguinaldo's government.

It is further asserted by the junta that secret negotiations between Dean C. Worcester, of the United States Philippine commission and a representative of Aguinaldo have been in progress since before the attack on Malolos. The following conditions, it is aileged, were proposed after the capture of Malolos: The Americans to issue a proclamation granting the Filipinos self-government, and political, civil and religious rights similar to those enjoyed by the people of Canada; the Filipinos to control international mercantile relations; Americans and Filipinos to enjoy equal rights in the islands; Manila to remain in the possession of the United States until congress decides otherwise: the American flag to fly over the capitols of the islands, and in the most prominent position, along with the Filipino flag, except at Mantla, where only the American flag shall fly; all vessels to fly the American flag, with that of the Filipinos; the Roman Catholic clergy to be under the same administration as in the United States, Spanish clerical direction and intervention to be abolished; the statu quo of rural property belonging to the religious orders to be maintained, and not that ante-bellum; hospitals and schools formerly administered by the orders to be handed over to the government, the orders to retain only their present town property, the secular clergy to retain their property.

The junta asserts that Aguinaldo, in view of these proposals, withdrew from Malolos, but that Gen. Otis' proclama-tion after the occupation of Malolos failed to grant self-government on the proposed lines. This, it is further asserted, caused the hostilities following the capture of Malolos.

Manila, April 29.-The envoys from Gen. Luna were very hospitably treated by Gen. Otis, who provided them permitted them to visit friends here. Manila is divided between two opinions, the majority believing that the Filipinos desire peace, while others think that they are sparring for time in which to rehabilitate their demoralized army. The latter opinion gained color from the fact that reinforcements have been sent to the south, opposite the American lines.

CAUGHT HIM.

Webbwood, Ont., April 29.-Yon Yonsen, the Finlander, who is charged with committing murder at Sudbury on Monday, and who has been at large ever since, has been captured by Pro-vincial Constable Wm. Irving, of this place, about ten miles east of here, where the Canadian Pacific Railway crosses the Spanish River. The prisoner has been taken to Sudbury.

Startling Confessions. Show that 25 per cent of men and women suffer the tortures of itching piles. Investigation proves that Dr. Chase's Ointment has never yet failed to cure itching piles, and all of these men and women could end their sufferings at once by using it. Scores of thousands have been cured by this treatment. Everybody can be cured in

the same way. A Skaguay report says: It is understood that the Canadian Government has instructed its collectors to see that all American convoys are allowed to proceed to Log Cabin as formerly. It is further stated that the Canadian officials, on stopping convoys at the

summit acted without authority. The great lung heater is found in that excellent medicine sold as Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It soothes and diminishes the sensibility of the membranes of the throat and air passages, and is a sovereign remedy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness, pain or

The Japanese are, as a race, so small that it is necessary to build especially low bicycles for them.

Of the 11,000,000 women in Italy about 2,000,000 are employed in in-dustrial labor, and over 3,000,000 in

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Mr. William Winters, who for the past two years has been assistant at the North Street cheese factory, has left to take charge of a factory at Inwood. We wish him success.

Mr. T. Hamlyn, inspector of roads for bicycles, reports them in good condition as far south as St. Thomas and east as far as Yarmouth Center. Miss Mutch, who for the past few weeks has been visiting at the parson-

age, returns to her home in Gorrie today. She has won several warm friends who regret her departure. Mr. Robinson has turned the sod where he intends to erect a fine brick

house with all the modern improvements. Seeding is well under way now. Wheat is generally a good average

Mr., Mrs. and Miss Weeks have moved into the house just vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dores, who have moved to Mr. Blewett's. Mr. Chas Frampton, an ex-policeman of London, is now a resident of

this town in one of Mrs. John Routledge's houses on Talbot street. At banquets during Elizabeth's time

every guest came with his spoon in Chinese babies are fed on rice and

nothing else after they are a few months old. Cow's milk is never given to them.