WHOLE NO. 16277.

Births, Marriages, B

DIED. ABBOTT-in this city, on the 21st inst., Emily Hunt Abbott, wife of Hodson G. Abbott, 314 Dundas street, aged 58 years and 5 months.

Funeral (private) Thursday, 3 p.m., to Mount Pleasant; service at 2:30. ANDERSON-At the residence of Mrs. William Anderson, Arva, on Wednesday, May 22, 1901, Sarah, beloved wife of Arthur Anderson, of Fernhill, aged 22 years and 8 months.

Funeral will leave the residence of Mrs. Anderson, Arva, on Thursday, May 23, at 2:30 p.m.; services at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances will kindly accept this intimation.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC. Advertisements under this heading 10c per line, or 2c per word each insertion.

BASEBALL-VICTORIA DAY-Canadian League.

LONDON VS. GALT. games-Morning, 10:30; after-

noon, 3:30.
Admission, 25c; boys, 10c.
Covered stand, 10c; bleachers free. 76k THE STEAMSHIP NUMIDIAN, OF THE Allan Line; salls from Montreal Saturday, May 25. She will connect with the steamship Gaul, of the Union-Castle Line, sailing for Cape Town, South Africa, on June 5. F. B. Clarke, agent, Allan Line, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

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COOK AND DINING ROOM GIRL wanted at Britannia House. 77n WANTED AT ONCE—A LAUNDRY woman and dining-room girl. Apply to Matron, Victoria Hospital. 76c

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KITCHEN GIRL WANTED-APPLY Central House, 72tf GENERAL SERVANT WANTED— Apply, with references, Mrs. Jento, 280 Dufferin avenue. 721 WANTED-BY JUNE 1-A GOOD PAR-LOR maid. Apply to Mrs. John Labatt, 572 Queen's avenue. 70tf

DINING-ROOM GIRL WANTED-AP-PLY to Mrs. Wright Office Hotel. 378 hmond street.

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FOR SALE-LADY'S AND GENTLE-MAN'S combination tandem (Columbia), in first-class order; \$25 cash. Apply 424 Richmond street. 70tf

PICNIC HAMS, 11c; Spiced Rolls, 12½c; Three pounds Sausage, 25c; Butter, 15c to 17c. At G. Park's, corner Market Lane. ywt

BEST 1 LB ROLL BUTTER, 17c; choice crock butter, 16c lb; extra quality old cheese, 13c lb; good new cheese, 11c; blood oranges, fine fruit, 25c dozen; Sorrento oranges, good size, 25c dozen; choice lemons, 13c dozen, 2 dozen for 25c; pineapples, 2 for 25c. We get the best bananas that come to the city, 15c and 20c dozen, Expect to have strawberries regular this week, T. A. Faulds, 687 Dundas street. 'Phone 1,132.

TRY F. S. ONN, FISH DEALER, FOR all kinds of fish; fresh daily; satisfaction guaranteed. 'Phone 1.296. zxw

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IMPERIAL WHEELS ARE MADE from the best imported English saom less tubing, with tool steel bearings; Dunlop tires and best equipment. Price, \$35. We are sole agents for the city. J. H. Cunningham, 639 Dundas street.

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FOR SALE-1 HEAVY WORK HORSE, price \$50: general purpose horse, price \$60; 1 thoroughbred horse, 4 years old, dark bay, sound and gentle, price \$125. Call at 262 South street, city. 68tf

FOR SALE-ON EASY TERMS-NO 134 Sydenham street, 1½ story brick veneer house, 7 rooms, lot 33x160 feet; price \$1,-250. Apply on premises Apply on premises.

FOR PUTTING UP HAY FORKS farmers use our ladders; painters, piumbers and eavestroughers prefer them to all others. So does everyone. Catalogue free. The Waggoner Ladder Company, Limited, factory corner York and Colborne streets, London, Ont.

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ORGANS AND PIANOS FROM \$5 TO RGANS AND PIANOS FROM \$5 TO \$70; sewing machines from \$2 50 to \$20; bedroom sets and all kinds furniture and stoves taken in exchange for new. Remember the place, A. T. Parish, 357 Talbot street, south market square. FOR BEST COAL AND WOOD, DELIV-ERED free, city, try Wm. Buchanan, 633 Colborne street. 'Phone 1,096.

TWO HORSES FOR SALE-ALSO laundry plant. Bart Cottam Co. 55tf WE CAN SAVE YOU FROM \$1 TO \$5 by purchasing your baby carriage or go-car; from us. Keene Bros., 127 King

HARD WOOD-BEECH AND MAPLE— Best quality; also soft wood. Prompt delivery. S. Gillies & Son. 'Phone 1,312. GREAT SLAUGHTER SALE — WALL paper, paints, oil. glass, mixed paints, brushes. Open till 10 p.m. Scarrow, 434 Richmond.

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WANTED.

WANTED-SOIL FROM AN OLD PAS-TURE field. Address Box 24, Adver-tiser. 76c

WANTED-FAMILY 'VASHING-TO take home. Apply 423 Oxford street. WANTED — MIXED RAGS; ALSO tailor and dressmaking rags, all kinds metal, old rubbers and bottles. Pay highest cash prices. Orders promptly attended to. H. Serwer, Grey street, corner Adelaide. 'Phone 1,199.

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST-MONDAY NIGHT-A RUG-Between Ilderton and London, or in the city. Return to this office. LOST-ON SATURDAY-PURSE, CON-TAINING sum of money; lost probably on Dundas street, or in one the Dun-das street stores. Finder will be re-warded on leaving it at Advertiser office. 75k

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FOR RENT OR SALE—A TEN roomed cottage, with barn, etc., and one acre of ground, in first-class condition. Apply this week, 719 Dundas street.

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-For sale or to let. Apply J. A. Nelles,
insurance agent, London. 75tf zxv

TO LET-FROM JULY 1 NEXT, THE offices now occupied by the Confederation Life, Market Lane, Ontario loan and Debenture Company's Building, Apply W. F. Bullen. ro LET-HOUSE-SEVEN ROOMS; fresh paper and clean; rent moderate. Piccadilly street. Apply 476 Queen's avenue. 76n

TO LEASE FOR A TERM OF YEARS— Boat house at Sulphur Springs. Apply at Springs. 74n

TO RENT-FURNISHED COTTAGE-Port Stanley. Apply 442 King street. 65tf TO LET - FURNISHED COTTAGE-Fraser Heights, Port Stanley. Apply Strong's Drug Store. 64tf

HOUSE TO LET - NO. 810 TALBOT street. Alex. Harvey, 804 Talbot street. FURNISHED COTTAGE-BY MONTH or season, at New Orchard Beach, Port Stanley. 182 Dundas street.



Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and indorsed "Tender for Work," will be received at this department until Wednesday, May 29, for the erection of a Physical Museum and Biological Laboratory, on the grounds of the Agricultural

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms of tender procured at the college and at this department. An accepted bank check, payable to the indersigned, for 5 per cent on the amount of each tender for the above work, will be required. The check of the unsuccessful parties tendering will be returned

when the contract has been entered into. The bona fide signatures and business addresses of two parties as sureties must accompany each tender. The department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

F. R. LATCHFORD. Commissioner

Department of Public Works, Ontario Toronto, May 18, 1901.

Tenders for Drain.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RE-CEIVED by the undersigned up till noon on Monday, May 27, 1901, for the con-struction of a drain through lots 16 and 11, in concessions 5 and 6, south of the river, known as the Barr Drain. Plans and specifications to be seen at the office of F. W. Farncomb, London. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accounted. any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. B. LANE, Clerk.

MUCH SMALLPOX

la New York City-Mrs. Fegancher (Nee Mary Morrow, of Havelock), Quarantined With Her Husband.

New York, May 21.-Fifty-six new cases of smallpox have been reported to the board of health since Saturday, and there have five deaths due to the disease in the hospital on North Broth-

"We are not making any headway against smallpox and cannot until everyone is vaccinated," said Dr. Dillingham, the assistant sanitary su-perintendent for Manhattan. "To that end, beginning with next Friday, and continuing until June 1, we will keep the vaccination bureau open evenings until 9 o'clock to give an opportunity to working persons who cannot come in daytime to be vaccinated."

Dr. Dillingham gave out a table,

showing the number of smallpox cases in the various states between Dec last and May 3. It shows that New York has had 601 cases, against 22 in the same period in 1900, but that other states have been scourged much more severely, notably Tennessee, with 4,228 cases; Ohio, with 1,685; Minnesota, with 2,753; Kansas, with 3,915, and Colorado, with 1,763. Main has had only one case and Connecticut only nine. New Jersey has had 46.

FELL UNDER THE WHEELS. St. Thomas, May 22.—Herman Chute 39 Hughes street, employed on the G. T. R.-Wabash gravel train, fell off a car at Simcoe gravel pit, the wheels passing over his leg, causing a com-pound fracture below the knee. Dr. by Lord Cranborne in the House of Commons. He declared the govern-Hutchison, of this city, and Dr. King-ston, of Aylmer, set the fracture. It is not yet known whether the leg will have to be amputated or not.

EACH ONE INSANE! MACHINERY TO

Worry Over a Young Woman Drove Her Two Elder Sisters Crazy.

New York, May 22.—The three | sister, Agnes, who was the first of the White sisters-Catharine T., Mary Veronica and Agnes Cecilia - who were taken on Saturday from their home at 154 East 127th street, to Bellevue Hospital, were all declared insane yesterday by Drs. Fitch and Wildman, the lunacy experts. There was no doubt in the mind of the examining physicians that the elder sisters, Catherine and Mary, had become deranged from worry over the younger) years ago.

three to exhibit symptoms of mental

unsoundness. The malady of the three is the same—religious mania. The women's family physician and one of their two brothers were in Bellevue at the time of the examination. It was said that the sisters will probably be transferred from the hospital to a private asylum, possibly to Middletown, where there father has been confined since he became insane soon after the death of his wife eight

WITH CRONJE AT ST. HELENA!

British Surgeon Says Cronje Told Him the Boers Would Never Give Up.

An Imperial Star for Canadians Who Served in South Plains of Abraham. Africa---Pro-Boer Resolution Defeated.

New Orleans, May 22.-Dr. E. Mc- | Colony, and has been taken up with Carthy, surgeon on one of the British transports between this city and Cape Cape Town, reports that the vessel upon which he returned stopped at St. Helen and while there he had a chance to talk freely and privately with Gen.

the battle of Paardeburg. Gen. Cronje said that he had been kindly treated in his captivity, but that a very strong guard was kept over him to prevent any attempt at escape. He was totally ignorant of the progress of the war, and did not even know that President Kruger had left the Transvaal, but expressed the opinen that the Boers would never cease fighting until they won their cause, as they preferred death to English rule.

IMPERIAL STAR FOR CANADIANS. Toronto, May 21.-The Canadian Military Gazette, issued today, says: It will be learned with pleasure by all those who served for the empire's cause in South Africa that in all probaoility they will receive an imperial star in addition to the regular British medal. The idea originated in Cape and forage.

BRITAIN IS SANE,

Hence She Won't Guarantee Any

Chinese Loan.

But Is Inclined to Modify Claims for

Indemnity-Lord Cranborne Ex-

plains the Situation.

London, May 22, 1 a.m.-Official ex-

planations in parliament yesterday

disclosed the Chinese policy of the

possible, and the foreign office has de-

clined to have anything to do with an

international guarantee. The reasons

for the latter course are cogent. A

joint guarantee would imply joint ob-

ligation, and, if the responsibilities of

the Chinese government were repudi-

ated there would be necessity for joint

action of the powers. Britain's ally,

view, and so also does the United

Lord Cranborne in the commons

yesterday said, while discussing the

Chinese question, that undoubtedly China's obligation to pay the indem-

nity was a joint obligation, and, though he hoped it would not be ne-

cessary, if such a loan was guaran-

teed it would have to be by the joint

obvious that the government would have nothing to do with it. Consider-

ing that British credit stood higher

than that of other powers, wnile Brit-

ain only claimed a small portion of

Lord Lansdowne, the foreign secre-

tary, made a statement in the House

of Lords similar to the statement made

Germany, virtually takes the same

States government.

zest in all of the fourteen separate countries which were represented in the fighting lines. All the colonies the fighting lines. will contribute towards the cost.

RESOLUTION DEFEATED. Brussels, May 21.-The Senate today, by 37 to 22 votes, rejected a resolution introduced by M. La Fontaine (Socialist), declaring in favor of the Transvaal, and regretting that Bel-gium was powerless to do anything Cronje and the other Boer prisoners in the matter. The foreign minister, there who exceed 4 000 in number. He there, who exceed 4,000 in number. He also talked with Col. Schieles, the Austrian who was captured with Cronje at otherwise ill-treated the Boers, said Great Britain had carried civilization to all the countries of the world, and had everywhere defended liberty of the person and of conscience

"BOBS" IN POOR HEALTH. London, May 22.-The Morning Leader says that the health of Earl Roberts, commander-in-chief of the British army, is giving his friends concern. The work in his department of the war office is greatly in arrears

DEWET'S WHEREABOUTS. Pretoria, May 22.-Army officers claim to have information that Gen. Dewet is not in Cape Colony. They say that, with 4,000 armed Boers and three field guns, he is in the difficult country near Botha's pass. This place is located between Orange Colony and Natal, and not far from Majuba Hill. In this country the Boers have scored their greatest success.

Dewet is said to have plenty of food

of the loan. The government, therefore, had suggested to the powers that China should give the powers' bonds China should give the powers ponds representing the amount due to each of them. These bonds might be extinguished in a term of years by the payment of the principal and interest.

Cortain sources of revenues should be consideration I have decided upon this course."

It ended in an incoherent and almost illegible manner, but enough was said to indicate that the man was despond-Certain sources of revenues should be ear-marked, and the yield be paid to a board, which should distribute it. If China then made default it would be

to the powers collectively. 200 CHINESE KILLED. Berlin, May 21.—A dispatch from Field Marshal Von Waldersee, dated Pekin, May 19, says 200 Chinese were killed or wounded as a result of the explosion of the Kalgan arsenal, May 15, when Lieut. Kummer, of the German army, and several german soldiers were wounded.

government. The amount of the Brit-ish claims have been placed as low as commander. Beyond the southern line of demarcation, the Boxers, Gen. Bailoud reports, are being dealt with successfully by Chinese troops.

AGED 19 AND ACCUSED OF BIG-AMY.

New York, May 22.—A Jersey City detective came to Brooklyn yesterday and arrested Mrs. Gladys Downes Braumlich, 19 years old, on a charge of bigamy. She had her alleged first husband, Peter Braumlich, had been living in a furnished room under the name of Brooks. She was locked up and will be held pending a requisition cashier hounded me so much with ask me what the badge I wore meant. I told him three or four times that it was Jersey City on Sept. 22 last, after having married Braumlich at Good Ground, L. I., in 1898. Mrs. Braumlich has been a variety actress, and was once billed force of all the powers. The objection to appear on the stage as Alice Gladys to a joint guarantee, however, was so | Castleman.

DEPORTING GYPSIES.

New York, May 22. - Fifty Servian ypsies who were detained on Ellis ain only claimed a small portion of the indemnity, it would be nothing short of insane to agree to jointly guarantee the loan.

LANSDOWNE'S STATEMENT.

Island, as likely to become public charges, have been taken to the steam-ship Lahn for deportation. In spite of the fact that the gypsies had about \$5,000 and were bound for Canada, the immigration officials decided that they could not land. One of the objections to Island, as likely to become public immigration officials decided that they could not land. One of the objections to admitting the gypsies is their filthiness. The silver spangles on their clothing cannot hide the grime, and their habits are disgusting.

ment desired to avoid an arrangement for the payment of the indemnity by which China would be compelled to contract separate obligations, and could not agree to the joint guarantee (Tuesday) morning

COME IN FREE.

Government Framing Bill to Encourage Beet Sugar Manufacture.

Plains of Abraham Will Be Purchased -Estimates for Harbors-Bounty on Lead Refining.

Ottawa, May 21.-The bill respecting the Ottawa branch of the royal mint was put through its final stages in the house today. The report of the committee upon the resolution increasing the sessional

indemnity was received, and a bill founded upon it was introduced and given a first reading. HARBORS ESTIMATES.

All the items for harbors and rivers in Ontario, amounting to \$460,900, having passed after prolonged discussion, the remainder of the public works supplementary estimates for harbors and rivers for the Provinces of Manitoba and British Columbia, also for dredging, slides and booms, roads and bridges, telegraph lines and miscellaneous, and the public works supplementary estimates charachle to constitution. mentary estimates chargable to capital, were voted with great rapidity.

All the public works items having been disposed of, the supplementary estimates of the minister of trade and commerce were taken up. commerce were taken up.

BEET SUGAR MACHINERY. Shortly before midnight Mr. Fieldshortly before midnight Mr. Fielding introduced a resolution providing for the removal of the duty on beet root sugar making machinery. It puts on the free list all machinery used in the manufacture of beet root sugar, and structural iron and steel for use in the construction of such factories.

in the construction of such factories.

The resolution was adopted at midnight, and Mr. Fielding introduced a bill in accordance with it.

The house went into supply, taking up the item for the purchase of the

LOW SPIRITS CAUSED HIM TO SUICIDE

Terrible Deed of a Former Londoner in Milwaukee.

Wrote a Note to His Wife and Deliberately Drowned Himself.

"I Hope No Man Ever Lived Who Has to Go Through the Toriures of My Feelings," Wrote James H. Milwaukee, May 22.—The body of Jas.

H. Carrothers, formerly a proprietor of the Kirby House, and one time a resident of London, Ont., was First Methodist.. \$ 2,670 78 recovered from the Milwaukee River at noon, on Friday, May 17. Letters found on his person show that he committed suicide and had premeditated the act at least since Lambeth Delaware

the previous Wednesday. A letter addressed to Mrs. J. H. Carrothers, 617 State street, was found in the pocket of his coat on shore. It began: "My dear Alice and Mildred, after

ent over money matters. A heavy diamond ring, a Masonic badge and some clothing were found on the river bank near Kern's farm this morning, about a mile and a half north of the city limits. It pointed to suicide. The river was dragged and the body of Mr. Carrothers was brought to the surface and taken to the morgue.

Following is the text of a portion of the letter addressed to his wife: "My dear Alice and Mildred: After due consideration I have decided upon this course. If I had the strength to fight this case alone without counsel, which you know I have not, I would not do what I am about to do, and I hope no man ever lived has got to go through the tortures of my feelings at this moment, and every man I owe tell them the reason I could not pay. If I made errors in the assignment case of the Canada property or anything else in regard to same according to lack of thought in giving. If I was not a citizen of the United States I know I had lived here long enough to make me one.

I may have made an error. I am very nervous, my dear. "In regard to the Palmyra case, bosh! two imbeciles with a load of alcoholic spirits in them would do as the baby would in regard to the Plankinton with a social order, Masons. Finally he tortured me so much by the same thought I was an Orangeman. What did I know about an O, same as you, my dear."

The remainder of the letter referred to life insurance, on which premiums had been paid by "the consistory," and to matters in language that could not be deciphered.

Mr. Carrothers was 45 years of age, and was employed as a traveling sales-man. He was proprietor of the Kirby House with Eugene Josslyn, of Oshkosh, for a number of years up to five years ago.

Mrs. Carrothers had been employed in the crockery department at Gimbel Bros.' store since Christmas. She received word shortly after noon of her bushend's spicide, and at once word to

husband's suicide, and at once went to Mr. Carrothers at one time kept the Hutchinson House in Stoughton, and at another period was proprietor of a Janesville house.

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METHODISTS OF THIS DISTRICT.

Interesting Statistics About the Eighteen Churches In It.

Total Active Membership Is 6,214-Finances Include \$50,352 for Circuit Purposes.

The annual meeting of the London District Methodist Churches was concluded at the First Methodist Church yesterday afternoon, after the transaction of considerable business during the session. The next district

meeting will be held in Centennial Church. The annual reports of the various churches show that while the finan-cial support has been good, there has been practically no increase in membership. Twelve churches show a to-

tal increase of 226, while six churches show a decrease of 220. MEMBERSHIP. First Methodist
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Dundas Street
Wellington Street

Totals

......6,208 FINANCES. Thamesford Centennial Westminster Hamilton Road. impress Avenue. Dundas Street.... Wellington Street Bryanston

Colborne Street.. Thorndale Totals\$10,772 90 \$50,352 00 \$17,120 DELEGATES TO CONFERENCE. The following elections of delegates to conference took place:

Stationing committee-Rev. J. W. Holmes. Sabbath school committee-Rev. John Morrison and Mr. Ezra Hunt. Epworth League committee-Rev. T. E. Harrison and Dr. E. B. White.

Sustentation fund-Rev. S. J. Allin and Mr. William Bowman. Laymen elected representatives to the conference—Messrs. Hamilton, C. J. Beal, Thomas Rowe, J. Nicholson, Windrum, William Jenkins, William Gerry, David Wilson, J. Hockins, S. Tackaberry, W. R. Langford, R. Walker, E. McLeod, Thomas Lane, A. Venning, John Kelly, J. M. Kaiser, B. Cornell, J. H. Chapman, William Bow-man, J. Wheaton, E. McCann, E. S. Hunt, T. McCormick, George Robinson, S. W. Abbott, W. H. Wortman, Isaac Webster, William Wyatt, Uren, Albert Jones, W. H. McCutcheon, James E. Orr and F. C. Toon. Mr. Bowman was elected to the conference missionary committee, with Mr. E. S. Hunt as

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