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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

The Manitoba provinctal nominations took place today. Emperor and Empress of Germany have arrived at Potsdam. Bank of England discount rate has

advanced from 5 to 6 per cent. A man digging a well at Sebewaing, Mich., has discovered a mineral that

appears to be gold quartz. Hon. G. W. Ross and Hon. F. R. Latchford will address the electors on Friday night in the Duncombe Opera

House, St. Thomas. A burglar giving his name as George Riley, of Chicago, was caught in the residence of H. Fitzgerald, Toronto, on Monday night.

The trouble is over. All parties unite on Provost Welch, of Trinity Col-

lege, as rector of St. James' Cathedral, Toronto. Burglars entered the residence of H. Fitzgerald, Euclid avenue, Toronto, and

scooped \$104 in cash, six gold watches and other valuables. **Foods That Make**

Flesh and Blood. Dr. L. A. Moore, one of the best-known medical men in Manitoba, writing to the Health Food Company, says: "Having used the foods made by the Battle Creek Sanitarium Health Food Company of London, Ont., I consider they are high in nutrient values, being whole grain preparations, and according to the London Lancet (a recognized medical authority the world over), the Granola and Granose are partially prepared for the digestive process, so they should agree with the most delicate stomach, and be good fat and blood making foods-good for sick or well people. The Caramei Cereal drink is a health producing and excellent substitute for tea and coffee.

(Signed) "L. A. MOORE, M.D."

Mr. Henry Saunders' many friends in this city will be pleased to learn that he is receiving splendid receptions everywhere he has appeared upon the Watkin Mills' tour. — He is the solo 'cellist of the company, and has had

Latest Probabilities

Toronto, Nov. 30-10 a.m.-Probabili-ties for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region: Unsettled and mild, with showers.

Friday-Fresh westerly winds

-Mr. H. Gagnier, editor of the Can adian Tobacco Journal, is at the Tecumseh House. -Miss Rankin, of Stratford, is visit-

ing her friend, Miss Mabel Brown, 340 Dundas street, city. -Hon. David Mills left Ottawa last night to attend the London St. An-

drew's banquet tonight. —The life class will open at the London School of Art on Saturday evening, Dec. 2. No doubt there are many who would like to join this class for sketching from draped figure. -Jack Reidy, the light-weight, who will contest for the championship of Royal Hotel, with his manager and trainer, Frank Burns and Thomas St. Johns.

-The Anderson Theater Company closed a successful three night's en-gagement at the Grand last night, when "The Cannon Ball Express" was the bill. The matinee and evening performances were both well attended.

A requiem mass was celebrated in the English Catholic Church at Rome yesterday for the repose of the souls of the slain in South Africa. The church was filled with English and Americans, including ambassadors of Grat Britain and the United States. The pope sent his blessing.

-Mrs. Annie Lankin appeared before Magistrate Gorwell, of London township, this morning, charged by Henry W. Shoebottom, of Granton, with having used insulting language toward his wife. It is alleged that the defendant called Mrs. Shoebottom a thief. The case was adjourned until 2:30 this af-

-Otis Skinner will shortly make his annual appearance in this city with the comedy by Henry Arthur Jones entitled "The Liars," which had a long and prosperous engagement in New York last season at the Empire Theater. Mr. Skinner impersonates the character of Sir Christopher Deering, and it is considered by far the best

thing he has done in some time. -We have been requested to insent the following: "The F. Talbot, who has lately opened a grocery and provision store at the corner of Lyle and Dundas treets, is not the F. Talbot who was formerly in the employ of the London Street Railway Company, but previous to coming to London, carried on a general store in the village of Birr, and has not been on a street car since the strike was declared

-Tonight at 188 Dundas street, Carlyle will give his incomparable personations in Shakespeare's "Much Ado About Nothing." This is a glorious comedy, full of wit and humor, and rare badinage; and Carlyle is said to hit off each character in the true actor's art with a charge of fee and actor's art, with a change of face and voice for each. It is more than a treat to hear the English language well spoken and by a master. All who want a good laugh should hear Carlyle.
SUCCESS IS ASSURED.

The success of the St. Andrew's annual dinner tonight is assured. About 250 tickets have been disposed of. The programme of speeches and music promises to be the most interesting and entertaining ever given at a (it. Andrew's banquet. Many distinguished guests will be present. Music will be furnished by an orchestra and three pipers. After the programme there will be dancing.

THE WHIST TOURNEY. The Oregons defeated the Orients by 3 points; the Manhattans defeated the East Ends by 23 points; the Foresters defeated the Belvideres by 39 points, in the Whist League games last evening. The standing of the clubs is is

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A CHEAP REPUTATION. The Free Press this morning published the following:

"A street railway employe named McDonald was waiting for a car at the corner of Adelaide and Dundas streets between 12 and 1 o'clock yesterday, when three of the casket works employes who were sanding on the opposite corner, began to call him 'scab' and a few other pet names. It was more than McDonald could stand, and he tackled the three. Before he got through he gave one a hammering with his fists. The others escaped punish-

ment by taking to their heels.' Employes of the casket works in-dignantly deny the story. They say the incident referred to occurred be-tween 1 and 2 o'clock in the afternoon, when all of the casket works employes were at work. Three small boys, they say, who are not connected with the casket works, chaffed a street car conductor, and one of them was heroically hammered by the conductor, as thrillingly described in the F. P. No employe of the casket works had anything whatever to do with the

FOOTBALL'

THE CHAMPIONS' DINNER. The champion London Juniors "Baldheads") will have their photos taken on Saturday. The following are requested to be present in their football clothes: Field, Spry, Peel, McNee, Boyce, Hobbs, Mara, Bice, Rose, Norsworthy, Hennessy, Hodges Ashplant, Wilson, G. White, Christie, F. White, Somerville. All enthusiasts and players who wish to attend the annual dinner at the Kennels on Saturday night will please notify any of the club offi-cials before 10 o'clock Friday morning.

HOCKEY. F. C. B. C. CLUB ORGANIZED. The Forest City Business College students have formed a hockey team for this year, with the intention of joining the city league. Officers are as follows: Honorary president, J. W. Westervelt; president, J. W. Westervelt, jun.; secretary-treasurer, G. C. Mc-Conechy; captain, E. H. Stewart; executive committee, J. W.Westervelt, jun., A. I. Gillies and S. Russell.

Catarrh. Statistics prove that 97 per cent of our population is affected with some form of Catarrh, but since Catarrhozone, the new medicated air treatment for Catarrh and kindred diseases, has been introduced, this percentage has decreased. Catarrhozone never fails to cure Catarrh, Bronchitis, Asthma and Hay Fever, and is warranted to cure the most chronic cases of these diseases. It cures by inhalation. No to respond to several encores every danger, no risk, pleasant to use. For evening since the opening of the tour.

Mr. Saunders will play with the orchestra in the "Messiah" in this city next stamps to N. C. POLSON & CO., Box Tuesday evening.

Mr. T. D. Hodgens, M.P.P., Suc- Already Apparent - The Prevailing cumbed This Morning to Heart Failure

While Driving in the Country to Look at Some Stock.

He Was an Ex Mayor of London and One of the Best Known Stock-Breeders in Middlesex-Sketch of His Career.

Mr. T. D. Hodgens, M. P. P. and exmayor of London, died suddenly about Canada at the Grand tonight, is at the 11 o'clock this morning. The sad news will be a great shock to citizens generally, and to his many friends throughout Western Ontario. A couple of hours before he was stricken down, Mr. Hodgens left his home at 860 Waterloo street, to look after some stock he had pastured on the fourth concession of London township. He was then apparently in good health, though for the past few weeks he occasionally complained of casionally complained of severe pains in his head. This trouble, he considered, was due to injuries received a cou-ple of years ago, when a horse kicked him on the head, and for weeks after which his recovery was doubtful. This morning Mr. Hodgens was driving alone. Shortly before 11 o'clock, Mr. Ramsay, who resides on the fourth concession, noticed him turn his horse around, get out of the rig, and after walking a short distance away, fall on the roadside. Mr. Ramsay ran to his side, and carried the prostrate form in-to the house. Dr. Drake, who happened to be passing, was summoned, and found life extinct. Death was due to heart failure.

Mr. Hodgens was born at Stadbally, Queen's county, Ireland, Nov. 8, 1837. He came to Canada 40 years ago, after the death of his parents, and since then, with the exception of the two or three years that he spent in the Southern States, has been identified with

Middlesex county. Mr. Hodgens dealt largely in horses, cattle and sheep. Among horsemen he was particularly well known, his horse, Kitestring, having once won the Queen's plate. Fire, a few years ago, destroyed Mr. Hodgens' stables, and a large string of thoroughbred horses. In 1886 he was mayor of London, and for some years previously was an alderman. He was a Conservative in poliman. tics, and last year was elected mem-ber for East Middlesex in the Legisla-tive Assembly.

In 1865, Mr. Hodgens was married to Elizabeth, only daughter of the late Thomas Hiscox. Mrs. Hodgens, one son (William T., of Bothwell), and two daughters—Mrs. (Dr.) Pingel, of this city, and Mabel, at home—survive. One brother, George Hodgens, and two sisters, Mrs. Graham and Miss Mary Hodgens, all of Parkdale, are living.

HOLDING IN

He Must in Future Submit All Militia Orders to Minister Borden-Big Increase in Revenue.

[Special to Advertiser per C. P. R.] Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 30 .-- Dr. Borden has given instructions to Gen. Hutton not to issue any more military orders without his approving of same. This has been done because of Hutton hav-ing placed Maj. Stone as chief of staff officers and senior lieutenant-colonel when he had no right to do so. The legal aspect of the matter will be referred to the justice department. CANADA'S GROWING REVENUE.

A statement of revenue, prepared by the customs department today, shows that the revenue for the present month was \$2,394,163 or \$460,150 greater than for November, 1898. For five months of the fiscal year ending today the revenue was \$1,481,777 greater than for the the same time last year.

ONLY 19

And Yet She Has Already Been Married Five Times.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 30 .- Jessie L. Farrar, 19 years old, formerly of Cuba, Mo., but now of this city, was mar-ried for the fifth time Monday, which is absolutely a record for one of her

Mrs. Farrar says that when she was but 13 years old she eloped from Cuba, Mo., and was married to David Johnson, from whom she separated in Chi-Later she was married to Edward Davitt, of Butler, Mo., followed quickly by No. 3 in the person of Will Morton, to whom she was wedded in Hot Springs, Ark. He was succeeded by Joseph Kessler, of this city.

FAMILY WIPED OUT

Revised List of Those Killed in the Paterson Railway Collision.

Paterson, N. J., Nov. 30.—Following is the corrected list of those killed in yesterday's railway disaster: Alex. Craig, of Scranton, Pa., business man-ager of the Scranton Tribune; Esther Craig, his wife; Esther Craig, their 15-year-old daughter; Jessie Craig, their 11-year-old daughter; Mrs. May Bertroe, wife of David Roe, of Itha-ca, N. Y.; Walter Jacob Walbrock, 19 years old, New York city. It was not until this forenoon that the identification of the two children killed was made positive. The accident wiped out that family. They were on their way to spend Thanksgiving Day

with relatives in Brooklyn.

MR. TARTE IN NEED OF REST. Ottawa, Nov. 30.—Greatly to his regret Hon. J. Israel Tarte was compelled yesterday afternoon to telegraph the St. Andrew's Society of London, canceling his engagement to address the banqueters there tonight. The minister of public works is greatly in need of rest, and his physician forbade him making the journey to the Forest City. Hon. David Mills will be present at the banquet. The minister of justice was accompanied by Hon. James Sutherland, who returns to Woodstock

MARRIED. GURD-SMYTH-On Nov. 29, at the residence of the bride's mother, Edith, youngest daughter of the late J. W. Smyth, to Walter H.

ON THE ROAD The Effects of the New 14-Foot Waterway

> [Prosperity-The Manitoba Elections.

Ottawa, Nov. 25.—It is becoming abundantly evident that the expectations entertained by the government of the possibilities of the St. Lawrence transportation route were no idle dream, and that when they decided that one of the earliest acts of their administration should be the rapid completion of the fourteen-foot canal extension, and the improvement of the facilities of Montreal harbor they were fully seized of the pressing needs of the situation.

No sooner are those necessary improvements within measurable distance of completion than the anticipated deelopments loom large in the horizon. A wealthy syndicate was formed some months ago for the purpose of constructing and operating grain eleva-tors at Port Colborne, Montreal and Quebec, and serving them with a thoroughly well-equipped fleet of stee velopment in the transportation business itself, but it also means a great impetus in the shipbuilding and other industries. It means, too, the expendi-ture of millions of money and the permanent occupation of thousands men in both skilled and unskilled labor Very much of the business now transacted through American channel will hereafter come our way, for the Amrican shippers themselves admithat through transportation for large vessels from the ports of the Upper Lakes to the seaboard means a reduction of rates to about half what they are at present. THE MASSES ARE BENEFITING.

The way in which the prevailing prosperity affects the daily life of the masses is concisely set forth by a com-mercial writer in the Globe, who says: "Trade prospects in Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific were never more promising. There have been very few failures. The chief reason for that is the fact that retailers have fewer bad accounts. A prolific source of financial trouble for country as well as city trade is bad debts. People must live. When they have not steady work, they go into debt, unless they have something laid up for a rainy day. A laborer with a family to provide for cannot lay up much for a rainy day out of \$1 to \$1 25 per day. The most remarkable thing about it is that he is able to make ends meet at all, and it is a well-known fact that when small wage-earners, with comparatively large demands for the common necessities of life, get out of work they get into debt: the losses that result to the storekeepers often compel insolvency. The reverse of such conditions makes the state of trade in a country sound and healthy; when labor is well em-ployed and laborers have the wherewithal to purchase the necessities of life, they don't go into debt, and old scores are wiped out, because it is a well-known fact that the laboring classes, when employment is steady, may be depended upon to pay more promptly than any other for what they buy. The farmers, too, as a class, seeing the evil of running up accounts at the country stores, now buy more largely than ever before for spot cash. These

than ever before for spot cash. The two factors have had a beneficial effect on the business of the country."

GOOD MEN FIGHT SHY. One of the greatest disadvantages experienced in the administration of public affairs in Canada is the difficulty of inducing the best men to give their services to the work. This, of course, is largely due to the fact that in a young country like ours there is no wealthy leisure class that can afford to give the necessary time to unremunerative employment. We are essentially a nation of workers, and, save for the time absolutely necessary for rest and recreation, the days and years are entirely taken up in earning a livelihood. But there is another obstacle which deters many a capable citizen from devoting his time and ability to the public service, namely, the bitter and often most unjust criticism to which he is subjected, and the venal motives so readily ascribed to him by

his opponents-treatment which a selfrespecting man, conscious of his own integrity, hesitates to submit to.

Take, for example, Mr. Whitney's criticism of two of the members appointed by the Provincial Government on the public finance commission. One he describes as: "An Ontario official getting a salary," adding: "I say that it is positively indecent for the Government of Ontario to appoint Mr. John Hoskin as one of the commission, and it is positively indecent for Mr. John Hoskins to accept the posi-tion." Of Mr. E. B. Walker, general manager of the Bank of Commerce, he says: "He is one of the leading he says: men in a bank which for years has had all the deposits that belong to the courts of Ontario. He has been a recipient of favors from the Ontario Government, and the Ontario Government has not a stronger sympathizer in all the bounds of Ontario." The insinuations contained in these sentences are most reprehensible, for no business man in Ontario would question for a moment the unimpeachable rectitude of either of these gentlemen, and if

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vertised and concluded to try them. From the first box I got great relief, and after taking them for some time I was completely cured. They seemed to go to the seat of the disease at once, and gave me relief with remarkable quickness.

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Province of Ontario,
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To Wit: which warrant bears date the 21st day of November, 1899, and is to me
directed and addressed as the treasurer of the said county, commanding me to levy in accordance with the provisions of "The Assessment Act," in that behalf, on the lands hereinafter mentioned and described, being in the said county, for taxes in arrears thereon respectively and lawful costs, I hereby give notice that unless the said taxes and costs be sooner paid I shall proceed to sell by public auction at the Court House, in the City of London, Onterio, on Wednesday, the Highth of March, A.D. 1900, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the said lands, or as much thereof as may be sufficient to discharge the said taxes and costs and charges in and about the sale of said lands, authorized by the said act.

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All the lands herein mentioned are patented. (a) "SR" means south of River Thames. (b) Mrs. Roland's. (c) Robert Morrison's.

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dangerous or worthless substitute. every man who evenly remotely and indirectly has business relations with the government is to be debarred from rendering service to the country, it would be perfectly impossible to find competent men to carry on the neces-sary functions of government.

MANITOBA GENERAL ELECTION. The Manitoba Legislature has been dissolved and the general election pro-claimed for the 7th proximo. Mr. Greenway goes to the country with a splendid record of twelve years faithful and progressive service. Under his administration the province has made unparalleled progress, having been opened up and settled at a rate unique even in the annals of rapid western development. The opposition, led by Mr. Hugh John Macdonald, has not, so far, offered any alternative policy to the electors, other than the familiar but scarcely sufficient cry of "It's time you put these fellows out and gave us a chance." In spite of the off-fepeated protests of the Con-servative leaders, both Federal and Provincial, that the politics of Ottawa and Winnipeg should be kept abso-lutely distinct, very active assistance is being rendered Mr. Macdonald by Sir Charles Tupper himself, and many his more prominent colleagues in the Federal arena. Sir Charles makes the rather curious complaint that the elections have been sprung upon the province very unexpectedly and at un-reasonably short notice; but if Sir Charles had only read this column more carefully than he appears to do. he would have noticed that as far back as last April it was predicted here that an election might come at any time. and certainly must be before the end of the year. In the same way I have declared repeatedly that there would be a general election before another session of parliament, but Sir Charles has scarcely brought himself to believe that yet. If he would only show a little more respect for my predic-tions I think I could give him some

valuable pointers; but if he won't learn, what's the use?

SIR WILLIAM DAWSON. In the death of Sir William Dawson, former principal of McGill University, Montreal, Canada loses one of her most famous sons. A Nova Scotian by birth, he devoted his life to the pursuit of science, and as president of McGill for 38 years he has rendered invaluable service to the cause of higher education in Canada. Under his able and sympathetic guidance, the great Protestant institution of Eastern Canada rose from a moribund condition to the proud position she holds today, for it was his good fortune, not only to accomplish much himself, but to interest and enthuse others, able and ready to render splendid aid to the cause he had so much at heart. His labors have added a lustre to the national reputation of the Dominion, which is recognized and appreciated throughou! the scientific world.

Rejoinder to Mr. Hobbs

To the Editor of The Advertiser: Though I have not so much time at

my disposal for entering into controversy as Rev. R. Hobbs has, I cannot refrain from asking your leniency for a few last words (as far as I am concerned) on this subject. On perusing Rev. R. Hobbs' answer to my letter of the 21st inst., I must say I am struck by his utter failure to draw a single logical conclusion to any argument he advances. Take, for instance, his refusal "to be governed in his attitude or disposition towards any man or body of men, by what they have done or said." Shades of Luther and Wesley, and all the reformers! what are we to make of that? There is a man whom I have known to be a drunkard, an extortioner and a thief, but one day he deems it advisable (shall I say "for a consideration?") to give a handsome stained glass window to the church, or perhaps a subscription, out of his ill-gotten gains. Therefore I must greet him with the handshake of fraternity and friendliness, and maybe elect him into a position of trust because he, having put on the semblance of goodness for the present, I must not be governed in my attitude or disposition towards him by what he has done or said in the past! It seems to me that before letting my heart run away with my head, I ought first to require information as to how far all this may be genuine, and whether this man has ever repented to the extent shown to be necessary by the teachings of the same gospel preached by Rev. R. Hobbs, even to the amends and restitution it exacts? I leave this for the thoughtful general public to decide. Mrs. Baskerville has not adopted any "starve-out principle" that she is aware of, neither has she laid any design, that she knows off, whereby to "ostracise" that "snakelike party" (whoever he may be) men-tioned in the letter; but here she remembers-or is it but a dream?-that

one night not very long ago there was a motion made to "ostracise" a certhat doesn't live very far

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to do so, like a great many others, and she thinks the weekly sheet Rev. R. Hobbs is interested in can do without her cents this time, as she proposes to invest them where they will be Mkely to do better than raising angry passions or help on with ridiculous parodies and disrespectful comments, even though she be "liable to a fine not exceeding \$100, or three months' imprisonment" for the same. I am, dear sir, yours for fact vs. sentiment.

MRS. E. M. BASKERVILLE.

REGISTRATION FEES RAISED. Toronto, Ont., Nov. 30 .- The Provin-Government has increased the minimum fee for company registra-tion from \$50 to \$100. Between \$40,000 and \$100,000 capital, the fee is \$100 for the first forty and \$1 for each additional \$1,000. Between \$100,000 and \$1,-000,000, the fee will be \$160 for the first \$100,000 and \$2 50 for each \$10,000 additional. Over \$1,000,000 the fee ditional. Over \$1,000,000 the fee \$385 for the first million and \$2 50 for each \$10,000 additional. For cheese and butter, cemetery and educational companies, the fee is the nominal one of \$10. The general effect will be to materially increase the fees for large corporations. Formerly for companies with a capital of \$1,000,000 or upwards, the maximum fee was \$400. Now, for such a company as the Canada Cycle, for example, with \$6,000,000 capital, the fee would be \$1,635.

A DINNER PILL-Many persons A DINNER PILL—Many persons suffer excruciating agony after partaking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healing nutriment, it becomes a poison to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct acidity such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions and convey the food partaken of into healthy nutrifrom this daily's door, and the motion open the secretions and convey the carried with a standing vote, Rev. R.

Hobbse included! To conclude, Mrs.

Baskerville walks because it suits her take if troubled with indigestion.