

Legislature. Recommendation Struck Out. A Lot of Parish Business Transact-On motion the recommendation was struck out. The division was as follows: Yeas-Ald. Spence, Dunn. AcMunrich. Hubbard. Denison, Foster, Urquhart, Beli, Crane, Saunders, Graham, Russell, and the ed at the Three Hours' Meeting Yesterday.

The City Council held a three hours' session yesterday afternoon and even then did not dispose of all the business that was before them. With the exception of Ald. Burns and Ald. Woods all of the members were present, Ald. Graham mak-ing his first appearance since his illness. The request of the secretary of the To-ronto branch of the Canadian Patriotic Fund for a room in the new City Hall in which to hold a meeting on Friday pext

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Complete the St. Lawrence

Market Alterations.

CRANE IS AFTER THE GRAFTERS

Fund for a room in the new City Hall in which to hold a meeting on Friday next was granted. Who Got the Horse ? Ald. Denison rose to a question of pri-Ald. Denison rose to a question of pri-Ald. Cox's Plan. Ald. Russell, in an Ald. Denison rose to a question of pri-vilege. He desired to ask the Mayor if Ald. Denison rose to a question of privilege. He desired to ask the Mayof if he was aware that some one had stolen, appropriated or removed one of the horses belonging to the city. The Mayor: I don't see that that is a question of privilege, Ald, Denison, but I have all the correspondence on the matter and it is open to you at any time. **Wants a Fire Commission.** Ald. Cox, seconded by Ald. Russell, in an nemedment to the amendment, moved that, the aldermen be elected by the city at and seconder were the only ones who voted and seconder were the only ones who voted and I find out now he has been taiking all along to the gallery." **Crane Shows It Up.**

Wants a Fire Commission. A letter was read from Ald. Denison, ask-ing Council to dissolve the Fire and Light Committee and appoint in its stead a com-mission. The representative from Ward 5 also gave motice of motion to bring in a bill to do away with the committee. Ald. Crane Shows It Up. Ald. Crane objected strongly to legisla-tion being applied for to amend the Assess-ment Act so that Council shall not be limit-ed to \$500 as payment to members of the Court of Revision. "Many and many a time," he said, "the Legislature has sared this Council from itself." Ald. Crane also remarked that he knew of some aldermen sitting in Council who wanted to be grafted on a job. "The Mayor: Ald. Crane that is a cow-rame the aldermen or retract the state-ment.

line to Toronto Junction, will be acted

upon. Outside Legal Assistance.

the city had an experienced legal department, ment, and demanded an explanation. Ald. Sheppard undertook to explain mat-ters, and said that it was a trivial natter, and the request for outsides services had come from the City Solicitor's Department. Ald. Spence: I opposed The maitter when it came up in the Board of Control had taken the responsibility. Time was treed-in a mat if they had, waited until Council had met it would have been too late Rather than have any trouble His Worship said he would pay Mz. Du Vernet's fee timeself. "We mean business, at least some of us do," the Mayor remarked. The ac-count, however, will be paid. The City Hall Plumbing. When the board's report regarding the plumbing in the new City Hall came up a long wrangle ensued. Ald Denison in-sisted that the work was a not what the specifications called for. Ald. Urquhart said that the firm whod id the work was a neliable and weil known one. The only fair was to go to the harchiteet and contractor and go over the Known one. The only fair was to go to the harchiteet and contractor and go over the known one. The only fair was to go to the harchiteet and contractor and go over the known one. The only fair was to go to the harchiteet and contractor and go over the harchiteet and contractor

London, Feb. 19 .- A representative of the

ment. Ald. Crane, however, did neither, and the recommendation was passed, notwithstand-

In the Board of Control's report mention was made of the fact that Lawyer E. A. Du Vernet had been retained by the city. Ald. Bowman took exception to this. He thought it very strange that it was ne cessary to secure outside assistance when the city had an experienced legal depart-ment, and demanded an explanation. Ald. Sheppard undertook to explain mat-ters, and said that it was a trivial natter, and the request for outside services hat the return the City Solicitor's Department. Ald. Spence: I opposed the matter when it came up in the Board of Control, was passed in addition to Ald. Spence's amendment that the following sumers' Gas Company and acquire the "including trailers" was struck off the compet the Toronto Street Railway Com-pany to have two men on each car, includ-in the ground, that Council alone had the

esidents of The Hartley, a fashionable

clothing.

BUY STOCKS WHEN THE SAP IS RIBING. To a torget this sage advice of Daniel Webster. Apply it to your past experi-to a second state process and you will see the truth of it. Stocks bought this season of the year invariably show big profits lefore midsummer. Don't wait till midsummer because the war will be over, now that it is run on Kitchener's military timetable. This time-table reads something as follows: At Bloemfontein, Feb. 24.; Ladysmith Orange Free State proclaimed part of the Orange Free State proclaimed part of the Stocks now at prices to suit our buyer. Anda, Montreal-London. Send us your list Anda, Montreal-London. Send us your list them. If you have purchased shares at a high figure, buy another block now to there in first to show the way to higher prices. Camp McKinney, with three years' a shout fifter paying dividends steadily for five years, is a great investment. It has about fifter paying dividends steadily to five years, is a great investment. It is tocks now the way to higher prices. Camp McKinney, with three years' to be the first to show the way to higher prices. Camp McKinney, with three years' a be the first to show the way to higher prices. Camp McKinney, with three years' is about fifter paying dividends steadily for five years, is a great investment. It has been the market, because you will only catch up when prices reach the top. Write or wine your orders at once. **CURERTE & KITELLEY, 52 Yourge St.**

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 London, Feb. 19 .- Mr. John O'Donnell and Major John McBride, the latter commanding the Irish Brigade in South Africa, were to-day nominated to fill the vacancy in the to-day nominated to fill the vacancy in the House of Commons for South Mayo, caused Black Tall Princess Maud (as.) 8 Camp McKinney by the resignation, Oct. 26, 1899, of Mr. Michael Davitt, Irish Nationalist. Cariboo Minnehaha

Michael Davitt, frish frish frish Mayo Mr. At the last election in South Mayo Mr. Davitt was returned unopposed. The Globe declares this afternoon that if Major McBride is qualified for election to Major mcBride is glass liable to be shot as Davit he is also liable to be shot as traitor as soon as captured, as only Brit h subjects are eligible for election to the to the

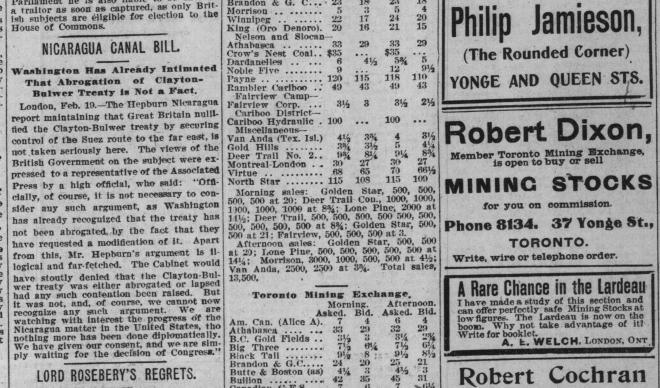
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Vashington Has Already Intimated That Abrogation of Clayton-Bulwer Treaty is Not a Fact.

London, Feb. 19.-The Hepburn Nicaragua report maintaining that Great Britain nullified the Clayton-Bulwer treaty by securing

tied the Clayton-Bulwer treaty by securing control of the Suez route to the far east, is not taken seriously here. The views of the British Government on the subject were ex-pressed to a representative of the Associated Press by a high official, who said: "Offi-North Star 115 108 115

logical and far-fetched. The Cabinet would have stoutly denied that the Clayton-Bul-wer treaty was either abrogated or lapsed had any such contention been raised. But it was not, and, of course, we cannot now recognize any such argument. We are watching with interest the progress of the Nicaragua matter in the United States, tho nothing more has been done diplomatically. We have given our consent, and we are sim-ply waiting for the decision of Congress."



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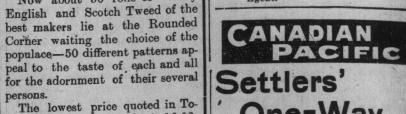
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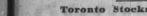
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Wheat-Ontario, red

north and west; goose, 76 No. 1 Manitoba hard, 78c 1 Northern at 76c.

Oats-White oats quoted

Barley-Quoted at 41c feed barley, 35c to 36c.

Ryc-Quoted at 49c nor 50c east.

Bran-City mills sell bra horts at \$15.50, in car lot

Buckwheat-Firm; 48c n Corn-Canadian, 40c on American, 41c on track.

Oatmeal-Quoted at \$3.2 \$3.35 by the barrel, on t in car lots.

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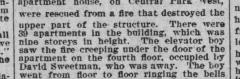
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known one. The only fair way to deal with the matter, he contractor and go over the specifications with them, instead of having his (the contractor's) name bandled about in the way it had been. He moved that the renort he struck out. AFFAIRS IN PORTO RICO. Merchants of San Juan Demand Im-the veas and nays be taken on his motion, the veas and nays be taken on hi

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Edward David, a plucky elevator boy, the

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to go on at once so as to clear the skirts of the contractors. The recommendation was passed, but the last two clauses asking that permission be granted to the Medical Health Officer to allow James Sheriock to inspect the plans of the plumbing were thrown out. The Assembly Room. The Mayor made a strong appeal in favor of the controllers' report regarding the completion of the assembly room. The re-port says that the board have instructed the City Solicitor to give notice of the in-tention of the city to apply for legislation

cond and it settled in a back tooth. He consulted a denfist here, who advised ex-traction. The dentist used some drug to deaden the pain, which paralyzed the nerves of the throat, and soon after the tooth was drawn Macdonald's mouth closed, and be has not been able to open it since, even enough to admit a spoon. The doctors fear gangrene.

-Whose Vitality is Gradually Wasting-To Those Particularly Who Have Drugged in Vain-This is a Fair Offer

London, Feb. 19.—Lord Rosebery writes o The Times, expressing his regrets that a recent sneech he format to the fo

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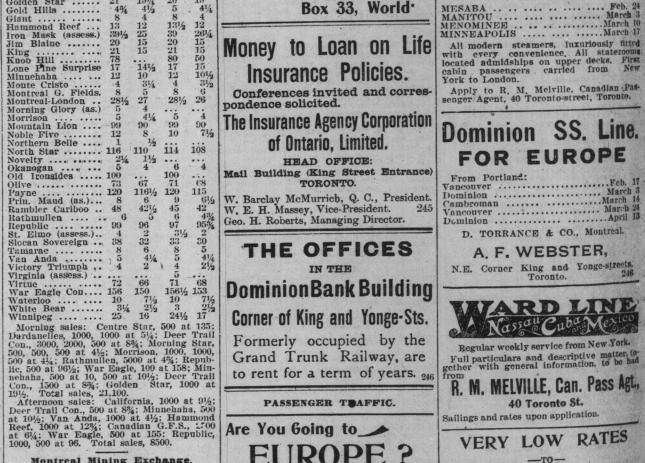
 POLICE COURT.

 James Sherlock, 72 Dundas-street, did not appear when his case was called in the Po-lice Court yesterday. Sherlock was charged with having attempted to blackmail Joseph Wright of the firm of Bennett & Wright. Another day was given him in which to come before the court.
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On a charge of trespass on the premises at 77 King-street, John Brownlee was fined \$1 and costs or ten days. Mrs. Alfred Spicer was very anxious to Mrs. Alfred Spicer was very anxious to get an order of protection from her hus-band, but the case was adjourned till to-

William Mulcahy, charged with shopbreak-ing, was also remanded till to-day.

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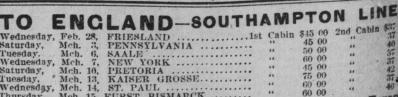
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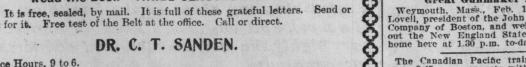






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