Carling's Porter

MONTREAL STOCKS.

MONTREAL, May 16.

SALES: C. P. R., 50 at 126%, 25 at 127%.

50 at 127%, 100 at 127%, 50 at 127, 156 at 1274, 50 at 127%, 100 at 127, 55 at 127, 55 at 127, 55 at 127, 55 at 127, 50 at 100%, 125 at 100%, 50 at 50, 40 at 50, 50 at 54%, 75 at 54%, N. S. Steel, 50 at 56½, 75 at 54 25 at 54%, N. S. Steel, 50 at 56½, 75 at 54 25 at 54%, 100 at 54%, 25 at 110%, 25 at 110%, 25 at 110%, 25 at 110; North Star, 11,000 at 24, 16,500 at 25; Twin City, 5 at 119%, R. and O., 125 at 112; C. P. R., new, 53 at 122, 50 at 123, 400 at 122%, 9 at 122%; Dominion Cotton, 100 at 58, 25 at 58%, 25 at 590, 25 at 59%; Payne, 2,000 at 20%.

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

Toronto, May 16.—Wheat—Very firm; red and white, 79c to 80c, middle freights; geose, 68c for No. 2 east; Spring, 76c for No. 2 east; Manitoba, No. 1 hard, 89c; No. 1 northern,

ENGLISH MARKETS.

8s 9d. Hops (at London)—Pacific coast firm, f3 15s to f4 15s. Beef—Extra India mess firm, 101s 3d. Pork—Strong; prime mess western, 76s. Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs. steady,

Bacon—Cumberland cut. 26 to 30 lbs, steady, 50s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, steady, 52s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, steady, 52s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, steady, 52s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, steady, 52s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 52s 6d; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, quiet, 39s 6d.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, firm,

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, firm, 3s; American refined, in pails, steady,

AID AND RESCUE

What Is Being Done for Sufferers 12

West Indies.

London, May 16. - Regarding the

measures proposed by the government

for the relief of the sufferers from the

volcanic outbreaks in the West Indies,

the government leader, A. J. Balfour,

the most sympathetic manner in which

the United States Government have, to

their desire to share in the work of aid

promised to help with money and

goods. "I have no doubt," he added,

whatever sums are necessary, and the

supplement the contributions from

other sources to whatever extent may

-Jude William Elliot, disposed of

the scene of another very pleasant

dance last evening, when Messrs. Day-

ton & McCormick entertained a large

number of guests to an extra hop be-

onstrates the popularity of the acad-

Mr. Harry Richardson, foreman at

results were expected, he having re-

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very conscientious and skillful em-

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For Sore Throat.

throat. Don't wait till sore

Try Scott's Emulsion for a sore

sion heals both sore lungs and sore

Hon. J. L. Forget and his nephew,

Rodolph Forget, of Montreal, have pre-

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gold, tin like silver, crockery like marble,

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one sister, survive him.

of the late Judge Gill.

and windows like crystal.

about 40 cases at this morning's sit-

ting of the first division court.

SUCCESSFUL HOP.

emy with our citizens.

VERY SUDDEN DEATH.

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and rescue." Mr. Balfour went on to

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MONTREAL, May 16.

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TODAY'S MARKETS

TORONTO, May
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Mentreal
Ontario
Merchants
Commerce. 156%
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Cariboo (McKinney)
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Canada Permanent
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Freehold L. and Savings
Hamilton Provident
Imperial L. and Invest
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Toronto Mortgage SALES: Commerce, 20 at 159 cash, at 155; Dominion, 70 at 2441/2, 10 at 2443/4. Consumers' Gas, 6 and 4 at 211: Canada Northwest Land, preferred, 80 and 3 at Northwest Land, preferred, or and of the series of the common, 110 at 66; Cable, 75 at 160; Canadian General Electric, 145 at 210, 12 at 210½, 10 at 210½; Strin City, 50 at 119¾, 150 at 119¼, 75 at 119, 5 at 119½, 50 and 25 at 118½; Dominion Steel, common, 425 at 55; Northern Navigation, 10 at 188, 10 at 165; C. P. R., 175, 125 and 25 at 127½, 75, 775 and 75 at 127½, 210 at 127½, 850 and 200 at 127¾, 8ell Telephone, 1 at 164; R. and 0., 25 at 111½; Toronto Electric Light, 25 at 152; Toronto Railway, 50 at 119¾; Sao Paulo, 25 and 25 at 100, 11 at 102; Dominion Steel, preferred, 100 at 90; Dominion Coal, 225 at 136; N. S. Steel, common, 100 at 110; Canada Landed, 60 at 106; Canada Permanent, 126 and 274 at 121.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE. Canada Northwest Land, common,

CHICAGO EXCHANGE. Reported for The Advertiser by F. H. Butler, stock broker. CHICAGO, May 16.

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	Open.	High.	Low.		
Wheat-May	751/8	751/4	745/8	7458	
July	753%	7578	743/4	74%	
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Corn-May					
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WEATHER BULLETIN.

No. 2 east; spring, 76c for No. 2 east; Manitoba, No. 1 hard, 89c; No. 1 northern, 86c, and No. 2 northern at \$4c, grinding in transit. Flour—Firm, at \$290 bid for cars of 90 per cent patents in buyers' bags, middle freights; choice brands, 15c to 20c higher. Millfeed—Firm, at \$19 to \$20 for cars of shorts and \$16 to \$16 50 for bran in bulk, middle freights. Barley—Quiet, at 52c for No. 3 extra, and 50c to 51c for No. 3, f.o.b. vessels, and 1c less f.o.b. cars east. Rye—Firm, at 60c for Canada No. 2 mixed, and 61c for No. 2 yellow west. Oats—Firm, at 46c for No. 2 white, middle freights, asked. Peas—Firm, at 79c, middle freights, asked. Peas—Firm, at 79c, middle freights, Butter—Creamerles easter; the continued improvement in dairies is making itself felt in creameries; good demand for all choice grades; creamery prints, 19c to 21c; sollds, 19c to 20c; dairy pound rolls, choice, 16c to 17c; large rolls, choice, 15c to 16½c; medium, 12c to 14c; low grades, 9c to 12c. Eggs—The market is steady, with a good demand, at 14½e. Live hogs—Receipts today, 2,700; prices unchanged; choice bacon, 7½c; heavy and light fat, 7c.

ENGLISH MARKETS. SATURDAY: HIGHER TEMPERATURE Toronto, May 15—8 p.m.

The weather has been fine and warm in the territories and Manitoba, warmer in the Lake Superior region and elsewhere fine, with little change.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Victoria, 48—58; Kamloops, 54—62; Edmonton, 48—78; Qu'Appelle, 52—74; Winnipeg, 48—74; Port Arthur, 30—66; Parry Sound, 30—54; Toronto, 38—57; Ottawa, 34—62; Montreal, 36—56; Quebec, 34—54; Halifax, 32—60.

Toronto, May 16-8 a.m. 8 a.m Min. 48 48 Fair 58 46 Fair ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, May 16—Closing.

Wheat—Spot steady; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 5d; No. 1 California, 6s 5d. Futures quiet; May, 6s 1½d; July, 6s 1½d; Sept., 6s 3%d.

Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new, 5s 8d; American mixed, old, 5s 8d. Futures quiet; July, 5s 2¾d; Oct., 5s 2d. Peas—Canadian steady, 6s 10½d. Flour—St. Louis fancy winter firm, 8s 9d.

FORECASTS. Light to moderate winds; fair today and on Saturday; a little higher tempera-WEATHER NOTES.

There has been no material change in existing conditions since yesterday. Generally fair weather is still indicated for Ontario and Quebec, but as yet no very high temperatures.

Local temperatures Thursday: Highest, 65°; lowest, 29.5°

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

-The funeral of the late Wm. O'Dell, of Wellington road, took place this afternoon to Brick Street Cemetery. -Chantler Bros. have received a permit for the erection of new brick stables on Bathurst street, near Welling-

-Mr. W. D. Gillean, formerly of the 52s, American reinted, in pans, steady, 52s 3d.

Butter-Finest United States firm, 95s. Cheese-Firm; American finest white, old, 57s; do, new, 56s; American finest colored, old, 61s; do, new, 55s.

Tallow-Prime city firm, 31s.

Turpentine spirits-Firm, 34s 9d.
Rosin-Common steady, 4s 1½d.
Petroleum-Refined steady, 7½d.

Linseed oil-Firm, 33s.

Receipts of wheat during the past three days were 397,000 centals, including 343,000 American. Canada Paper Company, Montreal, is in the city on a visit to his father, Mr. James Gillean, Maple street. -The famous Westminster Abbey choir, whose entertainment here on

Tuesday evening proved so enjoyable, will give a sacred recital in St. Paul's Cathedral tonight. -Principal Merchant, of the Normal School, lectured on "Wireless Teleg-raphy" last night at Strathroy, before Receipts of American corn during the past three days were 24,200 centals.

Weather—Raining.

the annual meeting of the West Middlesex Teachers' Association. -Mr. J. J. Thompson, of the Line, was in London yesterday, look-

ing after the interests of the steamship company, calling on F. B. Clarke, agent of the Allan Line, London. -The Westminster Abbey Choir will give a sacred recital in St. Paul's Cathedral this evening. The programme will consist of anthems spe-

cially arranged, the boy soprano will also take part. -Mr. J. W. Westervelt, principal of said: "We have not taken account of the Forest City Business College, attended the meeting of the West Middlesex Teachers' Association at Strathroy this morning, and delivered an in-

use their own language, expressed teresting address on "Penmanship." -The Kincardine Review says: The remains of the late Hector A. Campsay that Canada, Jamaica, and other bell, who died in London on May 12, West Indian Islands and the Island of of brain fever, were brought to Kincardine for interment on Monday even-Mauritius (in the Indian Ocean), had ing. He was a son of the late David Campbell, of Lorne, and removed from here about five years ago. The funeral took place on Wednesday from the "that the other colonies will be equally of his uncle, Mr. John residence The governor of the Windward Campbell, Kincardine. He was in his Islands has been authorized to spend 23rd year.

imperial government is prepared to REGISTER AT ONCE,

Liberal residents of West London should not fail to register tonight or tomorrow if they have not already done so. It is highly important that every available name should be placed on the lists. The registration booth is at Collins' Hall.

The Palace Dancing Academy was DR. HADLEY WILLIAMS' LECTURE Dr. Hadley Williams was in Forest on Wednesday, the 14th inst., and delivered a paper on "Tubercular Glands of the Neck," before a large attendfore the closing of the season. The ance of the physicians of Lambton very large classes and a great num- County Medical Association. Among ber of private dances conducted by the those invited were Dr. Bray, of Chatprofessors during the past season dem- ham, and Dr. H. Howitt, of Guelph. The discussion brought out four important points regarding the prevalence of this disease: 1. Its greater frequency among children than adults, the average age being 12 to 15 years. 2. Its preference the London Brass Foundry, died sud- for the florid and fair complexion, radenly this morning at his home, 90 ther than the dark. 3. That it not infrequently leads to tubercular disease Wharncliffe road. Although he had of the lungs. 4. Its greater frequency been ill for about three weeks with in- in cities and crowded homes than in

flammatory rheumatism, no serious rural districts. OSGOODE HALL NOTES.

week and returned to work, although In the divisional court-People's again compelled to desist. He was a Building and Loan Association of London, Ontario, vs. Stanley, -W. H. Bartdence of his employers. He was born ram (London), for defendant, appealed in this city about 45 years ago, and from order of Lount, J., at London, had lived here continuously. He was striking out the jury notice served by of a very quiet, retiring disposition, defendant and allowing plaintiffs to serve notice of trial before 4 o'clock learn of his untimely death with sin- on the day the order was made. The action was upon covenants in mortgage deeds. The defense was fraud, etc. D. W. Saunders, for plaintiffs, supported the order. Judgment reserved. In the same case Bartram moved the London Prohibition League, has for leave to appeal from an order of Lount, J., refusing leave to appeal goes on into sore lungs. Scott's Emul- from an order of the master in chambers, disposing of the costs of a mo-

throats. A great safe-guard against tion for summary judgment. Refused. Mr. Robert Denning, who has been on the Merchants' Bank staff of Alvinston for the past two years, received orders to report at Edmonton, Alberta, and left at once for that place.

Anyone troubled with boils, pimples, rashes, festering sores, or any chronic or malignant skin disease, should use Burdock Bloed Bitters externally and take internally. It will cure where others fail.

> \$2.25. Eight-Day, half-hour strike, large size FANCY CLOCKS, at above price at

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MAPLE TREES ATTACKED BY DESTRUCTIVE INSECT

Havoc Among City's Shade Trees.

Lovers of horticulture will be delighted to learn that there is a welltested and efficacious remedy for the ravages of the maple-borer, a pest which is likely to do great damage to many beautiful shade trees unless prompt measures are at once taken to prompt measures are at once taken to

eral years ago by Dr. Wm. Saunders, of described above.

Larvae of Beetle Working the Ottawa Experimental Farm, and the proved successful wherever it has proved successful wherever tried. Take carbonate of soda (common washing soda), dissolve it in water until the water will hold no more in solution, and add sufficient soft soap to make a thick creamy mixture. Apply this to the tree trunks, and it will have the desired effect of killing the destructive larva without injuring the

The beetle whose larva does so much injury to the maple is a member of the long-horned family. It is a black pest is invisible to the eye, and the only way to safeguard against its ravages The remedy is one compounded sev- is to treat all trees with the mixture

ONLY FOUR CASES ON LIST

Opens Monday.

in Many Years.

The list for next week's non-jury sitting of the assize court is one of the smallest in years, only four cases being set down for hearing. The two cases street, by which this firm might seentered since yesterday afternoon are as fellows:

Edward Zavitz, administrator of the estate of Donald McArthur, deceased, vs. Margaret Leitch and Christina attempts to extend its business which Leitch, executrices of Dugald Leitch, deceased-Suit for recovery of chattels and stock in trade due under mortgage. Elliott Traver, Strathroy, for plaintiff; Meredith, Judd & Elliot, for de-

fendants. Sterling Bros., London, vs. Kersey Bros., Edy's Mills - Suit to recover \$281 80, amount owing for goods supplied. The defendants are now serving terms in Kingston penitentiary for robbing the mails. Gibbons & Harper, for plaintiffs; Hanna & McCarthy, for

WOULD ESTABLISH A BAD PRECEDENT

Situation as to Horton Street Application.

AUDITOR OPPOSES ANY REBATE

Plan to Secure Freedom From Future they claim are not sound. Payments Considered Unjustified.

A movement will culminate at the

meeting of the city council Monday night, which has existed without attracting much notice, but may nevertheless have very important results. It is the attempt that is being made by a number of Horton street ratepayers, championed by ex-Ald. Carrothers, to secure freedom from future payments upon the sewer which is in that thoroughfare in front of their residences. Twenty years ago a peti-tion was sent in for this sewer. It was granted, and debentures issued to repay the outlay, to extend over a period of 25 years. Everything in connection with the matter was open and above board, and the petitioners were well satisfied. Had they not been, they might have taken advantage of their right to appeal to the court of revision, but they did not. Three years ago ex-Ald. Carrothers went to the council, and said that the cost of constructing the sewer was then overpaid, and asked that the ratepayers be absolved from the necessity of continuing the payments which were still to run for some years. Upon the strength of a report upon the subject prepared by Auditor Jewell, the council set its Dyke, professor of literature at Princefoot down upon any such action. The ton University, was elected moderator application was repeated a few weeks of the general assemely of the Presago, and Mr. Jewell prepared a second byterian Church. He was elected on report, which was equally against the the second ballot. proposal. To grant it would mean the destruction of a city asset amounting to nearly \$8,000, but its effect as a precedent would be more far-reaching. It would unquestionably mean an influx of petitions for similar privileges which should in justness be received by the council with equal leniency. For instance, this would be possible, probable, in the case of cement sidewalks, which were constructed in 1898. The citizens before whose homes they pass, are paying two-thirds of their But a year later a bylaw was passed which provided that ratepayfortunates who had walks built in assembly at this morning's session. 1898 are still paying two-thirds of the cost. Already they have petitioned that they be granted the lower rate, but this has been denied them. if the council allows the Horton street request, it could not very well refuse this, or similar ones. The disposition of the majority seems to be favorable to the Horton street application, notwithstanding the city auditor's negative opinion, and the belief expressed in council that it is iniquitous, justified on neither legal nor equitable

CHALLENGE TO DEBATE

Prohibitionists Desire Public Discussion of the Referendum.

Mr. D. A. McDermid, secretary of sent to the nominees of the two political parties a challenge to debate publicly the question of prohibition. London Liberal Association was as fol-

D. A. McDermid, Secretary London I am instructed by the executive of the London Liberal Association to acdressed to Col. Leys.

WILL COMBAT DECISION

Non-Jury Sitting of Assizes Sifton Electric Company to Make Strong Protest.

Docket Will Be One of the Shortest Claim Arguments Against Them Are Unsound.

> The summary dismissal of the Shuttleworth application for permission to have wires strung across Clarence cure electric power from the Sifton Company, somewhat astonished those who have been following the spirited this young and ambitious company is making, in the face of continuous opposition. Although the board of works filed the application, and had power to do so, the matter will not rest there, but will come again before the city council when it meets on Monday night. It was considered by the aldermen two weeks ago, but as it was then obscured by some legal haze, which the city solicitor was looking into, it was sent to No. 2 committee, with power, the intention being that if the Sifton Company were legitimately entitled to this privilege, it should be granted to them without unnecessary delay. The city solicitor sub-mitted his opinion last night and it was that the Sifton people had the right, under the council, of stringing their wires, yet the committee refused to grant them the privilege. The board's decision will be combatted by the company. They will ask the countric Company were notified that the matter would be decided last night, when neither Mr. Shuttleworth nor Mr. Sifton were told of it, and therefore were not represented at the meeting. They will ask, also, to be allowed to answer some of the arguments advanced by their competititors, which

A NEW CLEARING HOUSE

Bank Managers Will Establish One Here.

At a meeting of the local bank managers yesterday it was decided to establish a clearing house in this city. Its location has not been fixed.

A clearing house is an establishment in which banks make an exchange of checks held by each against the others, and settling differences of accounts. It is a convenience for the banks, and will dispense with the necessity of going from bank to bank to make settlements and deposits.

It is probable that the banks will in time supply a manager for the new institution.

DR. HENRY VAN DYKE

Moderator of Presbyterian Assembly -Creed Revision.

New York, May 16 .- Dr. Henry Van

The second day's sessions of the Presbyterian general assembly began at 9 o'clock today, in the 5th avenue Presbyterian Church, the new moderator, the Rev. Henry J. Van Dyke, presiding. The morning session was taken with reports of special com-

mittees. The meetings of the women's missionary board began today in the Central Presbyterian Church in 57th street. They will be continued daily

until May 21. The report of the special committee ers should have to pay only one-half on the revision of the confession of of the cost of construction. The un- faith was presented to the general will be referred back to the Presbyteries. It will require a favorable vote of two-thirds of their number to make it a law. A two-thirds vote is required in each individual presbytery as well.

> ordination in St. John's Church, London township, on Trinity Sunday, May 25, when Messrs. Bice, of Huron College, and Kinder, and Woodruff, of Wycliffe College, will be ordained deacons, and several deacons will be advanced to the order of presbyters.

PROMINENT CANADIAN SINGER. The following is from a recent issue of the Record-Herald, of Chicago, being a telegraph dispatch from St. Louis: "George C. Carrie, a St. Louisan, 25 years of age, has what prom-The reply which he received from the ises to become the greatest lyric tenor voice in the world. Mr. Carrie is a member of the choir at the Grand Av-Prohibition League, City-Dear Sir,- enue Presbyterian Church. He sings two octaves and a half and goes to high C twenty times within ten minknowledge yours of the 13th inst., ad- utes without perceptible fatigue. His range is a full tone greater than that As, in our opinion, prohibition is not of Jean de Reszke, the world's most an issue in the present campaign, no good purpose would be served by the acceptance of what you call a "chal- sextet, of which Carrie was a memlenge" for a debate on Saturday even- ber. Hearing him sing, the great soprano said: 'The young man has one



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10-quart Tin Pails, for Saturday only Large Size Steel Frying Pan.

Dippers 5c Pie Tins, 2 for5c 4-pint Tin Teapots10e Tin Drinking Cups 3e Nutmeg Graters 2e Spittoons 10e Metallic Lemon Squeezers 15e

Fairbank's Laundry Soap, 6 for Set of three Sad-Irons for Saturday, including handle and stand 65e Special in Go-Carts.... \$1 45 Rail Wagons for Saturday

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ever heard." Thomas boy, having left there several years ago. He is a brother of Mr. of Runians, Gray, Carrie Company. SOME 449,000 MEN

Mr. Carrie is a · St.

Convention. MR. MITCHELL'S STATEMENT

the Bituminous Coal Workers-A Great Struggle Started.

Hazelton, Pa., May 16.—The miners' convention adjourned sine die at 11:45 of the intentions of the Boers, but Lord a.m. today. The delegates voted to some idea of what has been going on leave the question of calling out the engineers, firemen and pump runners has now commenced, and military men to the national and district officers.

Steps were taken by the convention render. to involve in the strike all the bituminous and anthracite coal miners in the United States. The officials hope that they will be able to bring out aster. the non-union bituminous miners in over the government office, there are Pennsylvania.

After adjournment President Mitchell issued the following statement: "At this morning's session the convention petitioned the national officers to issue a call for a national convention of all miners employed in the United States for the purpose of considering the situa-tion in the anthracite field. If the de-sire of the anthracite miners is carried into effect, a parional suspension of coal sire of the anthracite infiners is carried into effect, a national suspension of coal mining will be inaugurated. All questions of detail as to the direction of the strike in the anthracite field were referred to the district and pational officers. red to the district and national officers. Definite plans will be outlined within the Definite plans will be outlined within the next few days. For the present the engineers, firemen and pump-runners will continue at work. All mine workers are advised to remain at their homes, abstain from frequently saloons, and under all circumstances to observe the law."

At present the United Mine Workers are at variance with the Bituminous Mine Operators in Pennsylvania, Virginia, Kentucky and Michigan, and if the national convention meets and decides for a general strike, the men in these four states will probably be the first to be affected.

Mr. Mitchell said that if a general strike did occur, it would involve altogether 449,000 men. POLICE COURT.

Today was "assault day" at the ponot be debated until Thursday or Fri- lice court, no less than three charges day next week. Should the report be of this offense being entered. Mrs. Isaadopted by the General Assembly, it bella Martin was charged by Mr. Morgan Gray with assaulting his daughter. At request of Mrs. Marshall's counsel the case was adjourned till Tuesday next. J. G. Fitzgerald was charged with assaulting Mrs. Mary J. Hatherly, of Talbot street, while he -The Bishop of Huron will hold an was removing from her premises a sewing machine which she had failed to pay for in full. The police magistrate gave Fitzgerald the benefit of a doubt, and dismissed the case. Margaret Horn, of Ridout street, was charged by Catherine Demery, another living on the same street, with blacking her eye, and otherwise disfiguring her. Mrs. Demery, failed to appear and the case was dismissed. The charge against James

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McMartin, A. B. Barr and T. H. Galpin, of having their billiard rooms open after hours, was adjourned for one week. Four sidewalk riders paid Carrie, formerly a member of the firm | \$2 each. Cattle at large cost citizens \$1 each.

THE BOERS' DECISION

Awaited With Anxiety-Rumors Plentiful, But No News.

London, May 16 .- The result of the conference of Boer leaders at Vereeniging is anxiously awaited here. The government is hopeful, if not sanguine. The uncertainty with regard to the decision of the Boers, and the fear that negotiations may be still further pro-longed, are interfering seriously with business. When the delegates left Pretoria nearly a month ago to consult the various commandos with the countenance and assistance of the British mil-Efforts Will Be Made to Bring Out itary authorities, most people thought the long-looked-for end was at last in sight. Various rumors, some hopeful others despondent, have been current ever since, and today the situation is as clouded as ever. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach says the government is unaware among the commandos during the last few weeks. The South Af: ican winter anticipate that this fact will go a long way toward inducing the Boers to sur-

CABLE NOTES.

Visitors in Paris cannot understand the seeming indifference of the Parisians in regard to the Martinique dis-Beyond the half-masted flags Virginia, West Virginia and Central no signs of public mourning. The tend the races and fill the theaters. The military bands are playing as if 30,000 Frenchmen had not perished. Former President Sam of Hayti and his wife have left Port-au-Prince to go into exile. Gen. Le Conte La Roche hief of the general staff; the sons of en. Sam, and many senators and de-

puties have gone to Gonaives and Cape Haytien. All the cities east and west of Hayti are falling in with the provisional government, which is entitled, "The Committee of Public Safety.'

The Empress of Germany has invited the German Red Cross Society to attend a meeting for the purpose of issuing a circular seeking contributions for the relief of the victims of the volcanic eruptions in the West In-

Kansas permits the sale of spirits for mechanical purposes, and one applicant writes that he needs "four gallons "mechanically-going to have a

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