Is especially true of Rood's Pills, for no medi-sine ever contained so great curative power in

ways efficient, always satisfactory; prevent a cold or fever, cure all liver illa or fever, cure all liver ills. sick headache, jaundice, constipation, etc. 25e The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla

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### Local Market.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton &	2	OI
London, Friday, Au	g.	6.
London, Thursday, Au	g.	5.
Wheat, white, per bu72c	to	72
Wheat, red, per bu70e	to	72
Wheat, spring, per bu72c		
Oats, per Bu22c		
Outs, new, per bu63c	to	63
Peas, per bu36c		
Corn, per bu321/2c		
Barley, per bu29c		
Beans, per bu35c		

The receipts of grain were principally oats. The price paid was the same as Thursday, 65c to 70c per cwt, the latter price for standard only. The first load of new wheat came in yesterday, the quality being poor, because damp, but the grain was quite Hay receipts were good, and prices

The attendance today was small.

steady; sales a little slov	V.		
Quotations:			
GRAIN.			
Wheat, white, fall, per 100 ibs	. 1 20	to	1 2
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs	. 1 17	to	1 2
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	. 1 20	to	1 2
Wheat, new		to	1 0
Oats, per 100 lbs	. 65	to	7
Pean, per 100 lbs	. 60	to	6
Corn, per 100 lbs	. 60	to	6
Bar' 9 98 100 lbs	. 60	to	6
Rye, per 100 lbs	. 50	to	. 6
Beans, per bu	. 35	to	4
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	. 00	to	0
PROVISIONS.			
Honey	. 8	to	13
Cheese, per lb	. 88		8
Eggs, single dozen	. 10	to	11
Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz		to	9
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PROVISIONS.			
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Cheese, per lb	84	to	8
Eggs, single dozen	10	to	11
Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz	9	to	- 5
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz	81	to	8
Butter, per lb., retail		to	2
Butter, per 1 lb. rolls, baskets	17	to	18
Butter por lb lenge rolls or	11	to	10
Butter, per lb., large rolls or	10	+-	17
Procks	16	to	
Butter, per lb , tubs or firkins	13	to	13
Lard, per ib	5	to	.3
Chickens, per pair,	35	to	5(
Ducks, per pair	50	LO	70
Turkeys, each	75	to	1 0
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef, quarters, per 15	31	to	
Musion, quarters, per lo	5	20	
Vasi, quarters, per lb	5	to	77.1
Lamb, quarter	8	to	
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs		10	7 0
Hides, No. 1 per 1b	7		, 0
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Hi les, No. 2, per lb	6	to	1.00
Hides, No. 3. per lb	5	to	500
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Caifskins, dry, each	4	to	- 3

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Hides, No. 3. per lb		5	to	
Caifskins, green			to	
Caifskins, dry, each		4	to	
Pheepskins, each	1	00	to	1
Lambskins, each		36	to	
Pelts		20	to	
Weol, per lb		19		
Wool, unwashed, per lb		10	to	
Tallow, rendered, per lb		24		
Tallow, rough, per lb		16		
HAY AND SEED.				
Hay, per ton	5	50	to	7
straw. per load	2	00	to	2
VEGETABLES AND FR	UI	г.		
Gooseberries, per quart		4	to	
Currants, black		6	to	
Currants, red		3	to	
Raspoerries, black		4	to	
Raspherries, red		6	to	
Charries, red.		5		
Cherries		9	to	

sparagus, per oz. bunc 1es... elery, per doz. bunches..... auliflowers, per doz.... leas, per quart..... arrots, per doz. bunches..... ns. per doz. bunches..... Radishes, per doz. bur Young pigs, per pair..... 5 00 to

Hogs per 100 lbs. Chickens, per pair.... Buy Your Binder Twine

A. M. Hamilton & Son's, 373 Talbet St., Opposite Market. Phone 662.

The Oil Market. PETROLEA Petrolea, Aug. 6.-Oil opened and closed at English Markets.

London, Aug. 6. Cargoes off coast—Wheat and corn nothing Cargoes on passage-Wheat, less inquiry d lower; corn, rather easier. French country markets quiet.

Liverpool, Aug. 6.—12:30 p.m.
Wheat—Spot firm; demand moderate; holders ofter sparingly; No. 1 Cal., 7s 25d to 7s
4d; No. 1 red northern spring, 7s to 7s 1d; 4d: No. 1 red northern spring. 7s to 7s No. 2 red western, winter, 6s 11d to 6s 11dd. Corn — Firm: demand fair: Amer nixed, new, spot, 2s 11dd; old, 3s jd. Peas—Canadian, 4s 6d. Beef—Extra India mess, 55s.

Bacon—Long clear heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, 27s; whort clear heavy, 45 to 50 lbs, 27s; long clear light, 35 to 38 lbs, 27s 6d.
Lard—Prime western, 22s 6d. Butter-Finest United States, 78s; good, 55a.

neeso-American finest white and colored Tallow-- bine, American, city, 18:. urpentine-Spirits. 21s.

Rosin, common—48 6d. Petrojeum—Refined, 51d. Linseed oil—168 101d.

### Thunder storms prevail. The Dairy Market. NEW YORK.

New York, Aug. 5 .- Butter steady; western creamery, 11c to 15c; Elgins, Cheese steady; state large white, 71/2c

CHICAGO. Chicago, Aug. 4.—Butter firm; creameries, 16c to 14½c; dairies, 7c to 12c. Cheese dull, at 6½c to 9c. KINGSTON, ONT.

Aingston, Ont., Aug. 5 .- At the oheese board today 1,450 boxes offered; 675 seld at 8%c. Cheese was bought on the Frontenac board today at 8c to 814c. CHESTERVILLE, ONT.

chesterville, Ont., Aug. 5.—At a meet-ing of the cheese board, held here this evening, 1,029 boxes of cheese were boarded, 458 white, balance colored; 512 white and colored sold at 81/2c.

LINDSAY, ONT.

900 boxes. Buyers present were Messrs Flavelle, Fitzgerald, and Whitton. The

LISTOWEL, ONT.

Listowel. Ont., Aug. 5 .- At today's board 24 factories boarded 7,083 boxes July cheese. Market was brisk, and most of the cheese was sold or will be sold tonight. The price was from 8½c to 8½c, mostly at 8 5-16c. Some factorics are holding out for a shade higher than bids, and want 8 7-16c or 8½c.

BROCKVILLE, ONT. Brockville, Ont., Aug. 5.—At the cheese board today 55 factories offered 1,642 white and 3,305 colored; total, 4,-947. All sold for 8½c.

### Live Stock Market. MONTREAL.

Montreal, Aug. 5.-There were about 700 head of butchers' cattle, 120 calves and 1,000 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the east end abattoir today; the butchers were present in large numbers and trade was good, but prices of cattle were lower all round than on Monday, the decline being greatest in the common and inferior kinds, o which there were larger supplies than usual; a few prime steers were sold at about 44c per lb; pretty good animals brought from 34c to 4c; common dry were at from 21/4c to 31/4c, and lean-

er beasts at about 2c per lb.
Calves about a month old and in good condition sold at from \$4 to \$5 each; the younger ones sold at from \$1.75 to \$3.50. ers are paying about 3c per lb

or good large sheep; some others were old at about 2½c per lb. Lambs sold at from \$1 75 to \$3 each, or about 4c per lb.

Fat hogs are still rather scarce, and sell at 5½c to 5%c per lb.

NEW YORK. New York, Aug. 5.-Beeves-Receipts, 140; no sales; dressed beef steady, at 6½c to 8c per lb for native sides.

Cables quote American steers at 10%c to 11½c; refrigerator beef at 8½c to 9c. Exports, 329 beeves.

Calves—Receipts, 308; quiet and steady; veals, \$4 to \$6 25; buttermilk calves, \$4 to \$4 50; city dressed veals, c to 91/2c per lb. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 5,635; sheep quiet; steady; lambs slow and

Hogs-Receipts, 2,097; firmer, at \$4 20

## The Grand Trunk.

Workmen's Committee On Griev ances at Montreal.

No Foundation for the Sensation Statement That a Strike is Intended.

Montreal, Aug. 6.—A committee representing the Grand Trunk Railway rievances before the managemen They are very reticent about their m sion, but say that there is no foundation for some of the sense ional storie regarding it, and no dange, of a strike They will probably go west this even-

The following has been given out as the alleged reasons for the present united action on the part of the broth-1. One of the great grievances is th

present system of indiscriminated discharging old employes capable doing their work, and when official are asked the reason or an explanation whatever. 2. Another is that they have much nger runs than formerly, thereby

reventing them from getting home to 3. That they are compelled, since the new regime, to make much faster runs with locomotives that are incapable of doing the work.

4. That only half the amount of oil is given the drivers on these fast runs than formerly, and if a journal gets hot they are soundly berated by the mechanical superintendent for their negligence, and if not in on schedule ime are either suspended or discharged, they claiming that it is enrely the fault of the company. es the proper officials of the company that effect, upon his return instead retaining his old position he is

n a much inferior run. That trainmasters have been apted at various places on the road, Belleville, Hamilton and Stratford, tho seem to have more control and e more orders than the train disatchers themselves.

are enforced to do both the baggage and express messenger's work, and that it is impossible to do both satis-

by all the members.

## DEATH AT THE CAMP.

The Baptist Meeting of Port Burwell-Dr. Smith, of Staffordville, Succumbs.

Port Burwell, Ont., Aug. 5 .- The attendance at the Baptist camp meeting was very largely increased today. It was Tilsonburg's civic holiday, seems to have been a general holiday for all the surrounding country. Port Burwell has been the railying point their way to the Baptist camp. The speakers at the morning meeting were Evangelist Penniston, of Michigan, and Rev. J. G. Brown, returned missionary Receipts of wheat during the rast three lays 129,000 centals, including 119,000 American. Receipts of American corn during the change was made in the programme, from India. At the afternoon session so as to admit of the discussion of the temperance question. The speakers were Rev. G. B. Brown, of Salford, Mr. Charles Tibbits, formerly of Aylmer, and now secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in Cincinnati, Ohio, and Rev. Mr. Ross. Methodist minister from Brantford. These gentlemen delivered rousing addresses on the plebiscite and on other phases of the prohibition question. Following the temperance hour, Mr. Gilmore resumed his exposition of St. John's Gospel, and gave a masterly synopsis of the prologue, or first eighteen verses. In the evening the speakers were Rev. W. H. Cline, of Paris, and Rev. Thos. Shields, of Vit-toria.

spending the day with his son, one of the proprietors of Jubilee Park, suddenly died of heart failure.

ous drug is contained in Ayer's Pills.

They are composed of the active principles of the best verstable and principles of the best verstable. ciples of the best vegetable cathartics,

172 and 174 Dundas Street.

# Summer Clearing Sale

Great Slaughter of prices. Every Department Will Lend a Helping Hand. Bound to Clean Up Stock. Former Price or Cost of Goods Will Not Stand in the Way. All Odds and Ends Laid Out at Ridiculously Low Prices.

# Sale Commences Saturday, Aug. 7,

FOR BALANCE OF THE MONTH.

READ: A Few Articles into Which the Knife Has Gone:

Towelings, Table Napkins, lot of Boys' and Girls' some Mistakes as to the Requirements Hose, odd lot of Prints, Gray Cottons, Ladies' Cotton Hose, Towels, Cretonnes, Sheetings, Children's Medium Weight Vests, Flannelettes, Embroidered and Plain Handkerchiefs, Shopping Bags, a drive in Shirt Waists, Gloves, a lot of Laces, all Washing Dress Goods, Shirting, Ladies' Whitewear, Ladies' Collars and Cuffs, Belts, and all Millinery. A special in Serges and Costume Cloths for fall,

We can only enumerate a partial list. We promise no disappointment. It's a splendid opportunity to pick up everyday ends at greatly reduced prices, as the sale will be general and not confined to above list. Sale starts Saturday morning.

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### CAUGHT IN THEIR OWN NET. An American Fish Company Pinched

by the Dingley Bill—An Appeal to Headquarters. Duluth, Minn., Aug. 6 .- An issue in which a number of large fish com-panies are said to be interested has een raised here. A vigorous protest has been made by the A. Booth Packing Company against paying a quarter That the baggagemen on the train by the Dingley bill. Collector Williactorily to themselves or the com- the fish levied on cannot be admitted 8. That it is not a case of an increase of wages that they are fighting for but a legitimate distribution of the Booth Company. The or, but a legitimate distribution of company, however, has filed a protest, ork that can be honestly carried out in which it is stated that it is an American corporation, composed of citizens of the United States; that the fish were caught by nets owned by the company; that they were packed and transferred that for this reason the fish should be admitted free, under a proitizens of the United States to bring foreign fresh waters. The decision Collector Willicutts will be appealed

the secretary of the treasury and f the company is decided against there, it is said it will be taken into court

and as a test case. WHO STRUCK McCALLUM?

A Serious Story From Dutton - Man Assaulted and May Die.

Dutton Advance: Duncan McCallum, who lives east of Cowal, lies in a prearious condition, the result of a he received on Monday night, July 26. and for which, from all appearances some one is responsible. On that day Mr. McCallum was in Melbourne, where he met several acquaintances, and all were drinking rather freely. At night he left for home with two companions, all being the worse for liquor. Next morning McCallum was found in a barn at Middlemiss, completely prostrated from the loss of blood from a large gash in his thigh. It is supposed that he and his companions had a falling the corresponding months out, and in the dispute one of them drew a knife and inflicted the gash. The unfortunate man's trousers had every appearance of being cut with a

sharp weapon. The wounded man lay on the road-Paris, and Rev. Thos. Shields, of Vitoria.

The wounded man lay on the road-side during the heavy rain of that night age to the city being \$7,640 23. The ingreding the day with his remaining strength together he carnings were \$90,502 85, the percentage to the city being \$7,640 23. The ingreding the day with his remaining strength together he carnings were \$90,502 85, the percentage to the city being \$7,640 23. remaining strength together, he man-aged to reach the barn where he was Sunday cars. found. During the week he was taken to his home, where it was thought he

Telegraphic Brevities.

In a fog off Newfoundland the Dutch steamer Rotterdam struck a reef and lost 4,000 tons of oil. J. P. Whitney, leader of the Ontario Opposition, will stump Algoma and Nipissing this month.

Mr. Magwood, M.P.P., has been re-nominated by North Perth Conservatives for the Legislature. The reduced rates recently made by ae Soo line from St. Paul to Montreal. New York and Boston, have been made by the western roads.

The C.P.R. inaugurated a daily fast freight service yesterday between Monwill be covered in 36 hours. Col. J. B. Riley, the retiring United States consul at Ottawa, will be presented with a cabinet of silv by Ottawa friends on Friday.

M. Markham, a Lindsay shoe dealer fell dead on the steamer Garden City at Port Hope on Thursday. Heart disease, aggravated by hurrying to catch the boat, was the cause.

At San Francisco the will of the late Col. Charles F. Crooks has been admitted to probate. value of his estate is \$3,000,000, but it probably will be three times that the Dominion Government has de- its foot, and every time it moves it head it has to move its foot, or vi eided to grant permission to two com-

panies of the United States Second Regiment to cross Canadian territory. rmed, over the C. P. R. short line etween St. Stephens and Nobleboro, Maine, whence they will remain in camp for a week. The Winnipeg Board of Trade has appointed a committee to consider the

ipment of Manitoba products to the West Indies. It has been suggested that the department of trade and commerce at Ottawa be petitioned by the Winnipeg Bard of Trade to send a competent and experienced man to the West Indies to report on trade there and what is necessary to increase the exports of Canadian products. The Toronto street railway earnings

The gross earnings for the were \$106.750, the city's percentage be ing \$8,540. For July, 1896, the gross earnings were \$87,761 37, the percentage being \$7,020 90. For 1895 the gross convention and to the operation of the

Council held a session at Toronto on Thursday. A question was raised by one of the members regarding the bill Eastman's lawn on Tue islature, which prohibts the sale of althe only drawback being the bad be-LINDSAY, ONT.

Clindsay, Ont., Aug. 5.—The regular fortnightly meeting of the Lindsay cheese board was held here this morn.

LINDSAY, ONT.

Clive Holloway's Corn Cure a trial.

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have the law fixed so druggists could

COWS AND FENCES.

The Great Question Which Is Agitating London West. To the Editor of The Advertiser:

As the conditions of my fences have been made public by the council and press, I should like the public to know the other side. While the council was ing to the four high school forms, but in session I did not hear a word that these are all devised for the purpos was printed, but there was a report against my road fences. I have onethird of a mile of fences on the street line—without dividing line fences which are on the flats, and some of class certificate and to the first part them have to be removed every year. Others get broken down by tons of ice, and are carried away by the water. Now, I ask the public if it is a fair thing to compel me to put up legal to put up legal fences, and cattle are not allowed to run at large. The only cattle that come down the street are and the law definitely states that I am oks has been ad-The estimated Hamilton), keeps a cow in very bad fences, and to prevent it from getting out all the time, he has its head tied to versa. I think the humane attention ought to be called to Now, I think this is the reason I have to make so many fences to keep this my property, which it has often done ages, but asked him to fix his fences. Now, I want the public to wait and see if this act of tyranny is to be forced upon me and other people-to F. ELLIS, London West. ARKONA. Arkona, Aug. 4 .- Rev. Freed, of the Poplar Hill Baptist Church, preached

here both morning and evening. Rev. Baldwin, of this church, occupied the oulpit at Poplar Hill. I. McPherson. Mrs. Carrie Cutler, with her son and converted into a consid daughter, of Lobo, spent Saturday and by a fa Sunday with relatives in this vicinity. didates, and bade farewell to their many friends here, ere they start for their new home at Swarthmore.

Mr. J. Atkin purchased a new whee of the Dominion make while in Strath-The Ontario College of Pharmacy roy on Saturday last.

Council held a session at Toronto on The poverty social in connection with the Y. P. S. C. E., held on Mrs. C. M. passed at the last session of the Leg- last, was quite a success in every way.

# New Carpets! New Carpets!

The first shipment of Fall Carpets just to hand, Our customers who have been waiting for these are invited to call and make their selections.

TAPESTRY CARPETS. 40c, 50c, 60c, 65c: BRUSSELS CARPETS, 90c, \$1 00, \$1 10, \$1 15. UNION CARPETS, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c.

WOOL CARPETS,

School Examinations.

How Promotions in High Schools Are Governed.

anch of the educational system. Bere the discussion goes further it may e well to call attention to a few of the

acts of the case: 1. The education department pre ribes no examinations as a basis of promotion from class to class in the high schools. On the contrary, it has ang schools. On the contrary, it has by express and specific regulation made the head master of each school absolutely supreme in this matter. He has authority to promote whom he pleases and when he pleases. If parents or guardians have any fault to find, he is the person to criticise. The education department has nothing to do with the classification of his pupils do with the classification of his pupils any more than the Czar of Russia or the Sulfan denied liability. the Sultan of Turkey has. That some teachers use the departmental examininations as a guide in the promotion of pupils is quite true, but if this is a wrong course, to pursue, then the department is not to blame for it.

2. The education department does assist in conducting the high school ntrance examination to the extent of ending out uniform examination paers, but it charges no fee for what does. True, it authorizes the local places this is done, but the department not to blame for the practice. is unpopular or injurious in any lohe people themselves. They should

appeal against the fee to the ouncil or the school board which im ooses it. The department does not in my way interfere with the reading o with by local boards of examiners without any appeal to the department. Those who feel aggrieved at the results should lodge their complaints with the local public school inspector who is the presiding genius of this

great annual function. The education department contificates. The first form examination includes the commercial subjects; the second form corresponds to the third of the university junior matriculation the third form corresponds to the sec ond-class certificate and to the second part of the junior matriculation; the fourth form corresponds to the first-class certificate and to the senior matriculation or first year of the university course. No candidate is required by the department to take any one of these four tests unless he intends to teach, and nobody who knows any-thing of our public school system would dream of permitting men or women to "teach" subjects which they do not know. These examinations we must have, and it is perfectly right that those who seek to pass them should be required to pay for the privilege. They cost money, which neither the general public nor the teachers already in the profession should be required to pay. 4. In fixing a scale of charges for these departmental examinations the aim is to make them self-sustaining, not to make them a source of revenue Every cent of the money so collected by the department goes into the consolidated revenue fund of the province; every cent of the expenditure comes out of the same fund, and is checked in the provincial audit office. All the receipts and all the expenditures are open to the annual inspection of the publ accounts committee of the Legi Assembly, and all the items take their places with the other expenditures of the education department, and with the expenditures of all the other departments of the public service, in the ulpit at Poplar Hill.

Ex-Reeve Cuddy and wife, of Adeaide, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.

McPherson

McPherson in any year a small surplus might be by a falling off in the number of can-

SADLY WIDE OF THE TRUTH.

Kansas City Journal. The Supreme Court of Michigan has decided that reporters are not labor ers, which shows that the Supreme Court of Michigan never had an assignment on a live daily paper.

TERRIBLE CONFESSION

Of a Tramp-Secured by a Detective Dressed as a Priest.

Iron Mountain, Mich., Aug. 6.—Peter Bon, the tramp charged with the mur-der of Pearl Morrison at Crystal Falls, has made a complete confession, ackand then strangled the girl to death. erton detective, who visited Bon in his The confession was heard by iable citizens in an adjoining cell, who were placed there on the ostensible charge of drunkenness. The confession has created considerable exciteme

FUN IN COURT.

A Story From a London Police Court-Was Going to Surpass Miss Corelli.

At Shoreditch county court, before Judge French, Q.C., a domestic servant named Ada Wilton claimed £2 another month's money in lieu of

The judge-Why should she not defendant-And neglect her

work? Oh, my, I wish you had her The judge-How did she neglect her The defendant-I was to pay her £14 n year. Just listen how she treated me. I told her to cook some steak for the kitchen. The frying-pan was on the fire, red-hot, and the steak was in

the pantry. (Laughter.)
The plaintiff—That is not true. The plaintiff—That is not true. The defendant—Oh, you wicked girl! Were you not busy writing a novelnot neglect your work.
The defendant—I saw the beginning of it. The title was "The Vengeance of the Viscount." (Laughter.)

The plaintiff—And a good title, too. (Loud laughter.) The defendant-And what did you say when I spoke to you?
The plaintiff—Spoke? Do you call it speaking? You uttered shameful in-

The defendant-Eh, what? The plaintiff-Oh, of course, you don't iderstand. (Laughter.) You swore. dies? At the end of my month I who did not sound her "h's". (Loud The defendant-Your honor, she was

when I spoke. She used to say, "Please speak English. I don't understand of ink over the breakfast table cloth. When I asked her about it she said she had an idea in her head and was bound to write The plaintiff-And I am not going to

go she said she did not care; she would leave there and then. She said would beat Marie Corelli. slang. It said I would outvie Marie Corelli. I have found a publisher. When I have saved enough money they will print my book. No more caps and aprons for me then.

The judge—Will you give her the month's money without notice?
The defendant—Yes, with pleasure.
Let her be as writer-fied as she likes.
The plaintiff—I'll take it. When my novel is finished she can have it back. (Laughter.)

THE TURN OF THE LANE. Can't be stormy a whole life long; Springtime's comin' with a bird's sweet

Lane's got to turn some day.

O believers, Watch and pray; Long lane's comin' To a turn some day.

Toil an' trouble, but the end's in sight, Lane's got to turn some day; World's jest rollin' to the mornin'

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Long lane's comin'
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—Atlanta Constitution.

REMAINS of what seems to be a Roman basilica, with columns three feet in diameter, have been found in the city of Chester, England.