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Institution.

For some time it has been under-

Companies in Several Cases.

[Special to The Advertiser.].

SMALLPOX IN THE NORTH

ported To Be on the Increase.

**ELEVEN BODIES FOUND** 

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW-WARMER.

FORECASTS.

on Friday; a little higher temperature.

Calgary Winnipeg

hours previous.

TEMPERATURES.

8 a.m. Min.

The first column in the above table re-

cords the temperatures at 8 o'clock this

merning, and the second column records

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

WEATHER NOTES.

sonably low, especially in the Western

Provinces, Prince Albert recording 6° dar-

Detroit, May 1.-Forecast for Lower

were: Highest, 53°; lowest, 28°.

ing the night and Winnipeg 12°.

Toronto, May 2-8 a.m.

Fair

Cloudy

PRICE TWO CENTS.

# A LONDON BOY'S BIG WORK IN REPUBLIC OF COSTA RICA

Mr. William E. Mullins the Head of the Government Railwa System-Difficulties Overcome-Mr. Arthur Stringer's Interesting Description.



Central America,

work together this summer on a book with the tropics for a background. "The More I Know of the South, the

Mr. Arthur William E. Mullins. But first let me Stringer, the e say something about the country itself. novelist a n d "Costa Rica-it was called Rich poet, who pass- Coast' by Columbus, because the naed through Lon- tives carried golddust down to his ship don yesterday on when he first landed there-has a pophis way to his ulation of a little over a quarter of a Springs million, and is only 21,000 square miles farm, has just in size. That is, of course, as far as returned from can be estimated according to the presa n extensive ent understanding, for, like every pleasure trip in South American country, it has a disputed boundary line. In fact no South the West American republic is happy when all its borders have been once defined. It doesn't leave them anything to fight

> across its map, so that even its national debt is owned in Boston, and its railways in New York and London The result is that last year the country exported over 2,000,000 bunches of ban anas to England and America. Its

able. Not only is the actual account- by subsidizing lines of steamers be case of the little republic of Costa version on the part of the government. What there is to say about this officials but bettles this a colonies, is being seriously conromantic little Central American state of the country is not yet opened up. the suggestion is to bring about a tains and their mines alone. This mine the colonies.

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From photo taken on a banana plantation in Costa Rica, showing Mr. Mullins standing in front, on the right hand side of a motor car.

# about. And the Spanish-American always prefers following the more para-CONSIDERED BY BRITISH GOVT.

In Lieu of Preference May Give SOVEREIGN BANK Fast Lines to the Colonies.

London, May 2. - The suggestion Java—is almost as valuable, and it Canadian premier, to the effect that a emilius Jarvis, of Toronto, same thing is taking place down in the tropics—at least in those different re-woods, rubber and considerable fruit. lating its free trade policy, might give publics that have learned to go 24 hours woods, rubber and considerable fruit. lating its free trade policy, might give the colonies a "quid pro quo" for their without a revolution and a change of world. Its mining wealth is inestimworld. Its mining wealth is inestim- preferential treatment of British goods officials, but besides this, a great part sidered by the cabinet. The object of was taken out of the Aguacate Moun- ing an indirect form of preference to

olonies are entitled to expect. The Canadian premier specially suggested imperial steamship lines beween England and Canada, and Can- stood that Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan, the ada and Australia, reducing the time powerful finnacier of New York, and a conference with the employers.

# RAPID HEADWAY

Grand Trunk, Makes It.

Mr. A. J. Nixon, the new assistant FOR TWENTY THOUSAND superindendent of the G. T. R. middle be located at A. J. Clark's store, cor- A couple of weeks ago when a quar- division, with headquarters in London,



ASST. SUPT. NIXON.

pected that the outbreak will be stamp-New York Central and other United ed out before the summer. Mr. Shaver says that there are at States lines as a train dispatcher. On ed he will retire from the ministry to present only seventeen cases of small- returning to Canada he entered the pox on the reserves, and he hopes to service of the G. T. R., being dis-He is the son of the last Bishop of be through with his work by Monday. patcher at Montreal until May 1, 1904, when he was appointed chief dispatcher at Stratford, and a year later trainmaster at that place in succession to

not yet attained his 30th year. Of a full extent of the fatalities. generous build, clear head and a vigorous constitution, he is capable of any New York, May 2.-Arthur McEwen, amount of work, which he accomfriction. Although a hard worker himself and a strict disciplinarian, he is

#### McEwen was born in Scotland 56 CAPT. DUNN REINSTATED Cottawa NOTHING IN CHARGES Quebec Father Point ..

ed of Accusations.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Ont., May 2. - Capt. Dunn, of the Government cruiser Vigilant, vestigated, the result being that the captain has been reinstated.

## EDWARD AT PARIS

Paris, May 2.-King Edward and Michigan: Thursday-Partly cloudy and Palace lasted 45 minutes.

There are in the city 29 union men and 19 of them are at work.

hat though they had originally asked for 10 cents an hour increase, they had merely made the demand so as to secure what they are looking for, namely 5 cents an hour increase, which means a uniform wage of 35 cents an hour for all plumbers and fitters. BOARD CHANGES

the circumstances, is moderate, and while they are not out to make trouble, they must insist on the wage being paid in London. They point out that with this wage

hour a plumber is put on a job. Toronto, May 1 .- Several important

changes took place yesterday in con- the compromise.

The Bricklayers. The union bricklayers last night held a meeting in the Albion block and had

from England to Australia to twenty his associates, have been acquiring a It was said by a boss bricklayer to-Both To Be Opened in Rapidly County Constables Having a instead of thirty days, and in the end firmer hold on the stock of the bank day that the men had asked the em- sey, a prominent East Zorra farmer diverting some of the traffic now going in conjunction with the Dresdener ployers for a three-year agreement and was found dead in a ditch on his farm by way of New York.

Bank of Germany. Having become a graded scale of prices. graded scale of prices. this afternoon. Mr. Moysey was sub-The first year the men want 43 cents ject to fainting spells. About 10 o'clock heavily interested, it is further stated,

> cation should be effected in the policy the next 471/2 cents an hour. IN RAILWAY WORLD of the bank. The changes now made The bosses would not consent to a return at noon, and shortly after a and those that may take place later three-year agreement, but were willing search for him was made. He was are apparently the result of this pur-to give all good men 45 cents an hour, found in a ditch in which was some and others they were willing to pay 40 water, dead. It is supposed that while scent foul play in the case of Simon cents an hour.

not being announced. Of the \$21,200, demands the men have made, though the Wabash will pay \$11,600, the M. C. he would not name them, are reason-R. \$6,600, and the Pere Marquette \$3,- able. Bricklayers in London are now drawing 15 cents a week less than they drew twenty years ago, because, though the pay has increased per hour, the days are shorter.

## Government inspector is in the township fighting the epidemic. It is ex-

bodies of eleven dead have been re- University was to issue an appeal isdiction. covered from the wnippie mine, where an explosion of gas occurred late yes- through the press today for \$1,125,000, Magistrate Jelfs said the transaction master of the eastern division at Monan explosion of gas occurred late yesterday, and this was thought to be the to supply the most urgent needs of the involved about \$32,000, and it had not treat. Mr. William Bibby, new roaduniversity. Lord Curzon intimates been snown that Butler had a balla de master at St. Hollads, and Mr. J. Hen-Moderate variable winds; fine today and

## HON. G. W. ROSS TO WED

Announcement of Ex-Premier's Engage- Frank Close, of Hamilton, offered to ment to Miss Mildred Peel.

the minimum temperatures during the 24 Toronto, May 2. - The Toronto World this morning announces the en- to investigate his financial standing. It The highest and lowest readings of the gagement of Hon. George W. Ross to is likely that Mr. Butler will be bailed thermometer at the local observatory for Miss Mildred Peel, daughter of the out this afternoon. the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Wednesday late John R. Peel, of London, Ont., and sister of the late Paul Peel, the celebrated artist. Miss Peel has attained Fine waether is general over the Domin- quite a reputation as a sculptor. The ion, but the temperature remains unsea-

Mexican legation at Guatemala City was searched Monday by

Guatemalan authorities to ascer-

tain whether there were shelter-

ed in it Guatemalans who were

suspected of complicity in the

attempted assassination of Presi-

dent Cabrera in Guatemala City

Monday. The search was made

on the invitation of Minister

Gamboa, as soon as he learned

of the suspicions of the Guate-

malans. The fact that the Mex-

ican legation was suspected of

being an asylum for criminals

has caused indignation and ex-

citement. It has been learned

from a reliable source that the

Mexican Government is prepar-

ing for an emergency. Rumor

has it that thirty thousand men

are being fully equipped for a

two months' campaign, and that

troops are being rapidly moved

in small numbers to the Guate-

malan frontier. Official confir-

mation of this rumor cannot be

procured, but the source of the

this same authority that there is

likelihood of Mexico making a

demonstration, if pending ques-

Dies Alone in the

Fields.

gage in his regular work. He did not

Trial at Hamilton.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Frank H. Butler, the London stock-

of the Molsons Bank.

tions are not settled officially.

Mexico To War

The labor situation in London appears to be much improved today, despite the fact that a number of union plumbers and painters are still on

The firms still standing out are Smith Bros. & Co., James Greenaway and Wm. Skelly.

cents an hour, will still be making a clean rake-off of 15 cents an hour every The men also stated that they had offered to compromise with the employers for 35 cents an hour, but that the three firms mentioned had refused

elected a director and becomes the new An employer informed the reporter president in place of Mr. Randolph that the employers had last night offerelected to succeed him as a director. with 35 cents an hour. It was under directly a Toronto financial institution.

declared that there will be no trouble. He said that for a year or more many St. Thomas, Ont., May 2. - Verdicts of the bosses; have been paying 45 st. Thomas, Ont., May 2. — verdicts of the bosses have been paying 40 of juries and settlements in six cases cents an hour, and some of them 47% THE BUTLER CASE

and Literary Studies.

Charleston, W. Va., May 2.—The Lord Curzon as chancellor of Oxford Canadian courts had therefore no jur- ter of the northern division at Allan-

that it is his desire to promote modern tering into a deal of that magnitude. derson, roadmaster at Belleville, will points out that the bequest of Cecil the young man who took money from the Rhodes, though the greatest of recent his employer, with the intention of the hear appointed ground studies, literary and scientific, and He was in much the same position as go to the eastern division. benefactions, has entailed corre- paying it back if his dealings proved been appointed general transportation sponding burdens, and that if Oxford profitable. If the criminal code did not manager, has appointed Mr. A. A. Tisis to fulfill Mr. Rhodes' idea of an im- cover the case, it should, and his wor- dale at Montreal assistant to him. perial and international center of edu-ship thought the attention of the Govperial and international center of edu- simp thought the attention of the Government should be called to the matter, WILL NOT BUILD comers all that is best in teaching and as there were altogether too many equipment. Lord Curzon also empha- cases similar to that of Butler's. In sizes the cost of the property mainten- conclusion, his worship said that he had decided to send Butler up to a ance of the Bodleian library.

## CONFESSES KILLING NEICE.

had made a confession.

# BADLY BURNED WHILE AT PLAY

Four-Year-Old Katharine Handley, of the Base Line, May Die From Injuries.

Little Katharine Handley, the 4year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Handley, of the first con-London and Port Stanley Railway home yesterday afternoon, that her physician, Dr. C. W. Belton, is fearful for her recovery. The child cident. Last night she was very restafternoon her condition was critical.

It appears that the child, with a number of others, was playing in the yard. The little ones had a length of stovepipe, and, standing it on end, they set fire to leaves which they placed

Katharine noticed that the leaves were not burning rapidly, and she attempted to look down the pipe. In ap instant the flames shot up and enveloped her hair.

The mother, who was working in the kitchen, heard the child's agonized cries, and rushed to her assistance. With her hands, and aided by her apron, he smothered the flames.

Despite the mother's heroic efforts, however, the little girl was terribly burned. Her hair had been completely burned and the child's face and body had suffered fearfully.

Mr. William Spettigue drove to the city and in a few minutes returned with Dr. Belton, who did all in his power to save the little girl. While the pandages were being applied the child prattled to the physician. Dr. Belton

id she was so badly injured she could Later she was brought to the city by her father, and placed in Victoria Hos-

Mrs. Handley was badly burned on the hands and arms while rescuing her child. Mother and father are almost distracted because of the accident,

## Woodstock, May 1. - Richard Moy- DEATH IN HAMILTON POINTS TO FOUL PLAY

for Traces of Poison.

crossing this ditch he was seized with Budu, the Hungarian, who died under RAILWAYS MUST SETTLE After a long discussion the meeting one of his spells, dying either from its peculiar circumstances yesterday mornbroke up without anything being effect or from drowning. It is im- ing, and there may be interesting deprobable that any post-mortem will be velopments at the inquest to be held held. Deceased was about 46 years of next Monday. The contents of the vertiser today positively refused to age, and favorably known throughout man's stomach have been sent to Tothe district. He is survived by a ronto to be analyzed. It has been disfamily of four children; one boy, covered that Budu had paid up insur-Beverley, is a clerk in a Toronto branch ance in his native country for 25,000 crowns, and that he was fairly well fixed. Another thing that has aroused

the suspicions of the authorities is that the boarders in Budu's house and Mrs AGAIN IN COURT Budu refuse to give any information

## Magistrate Commits London Broker for TRACKMEN GET ADVANCE IN WAGES

Grand Trunk Gives Ten Per Cent In-Hamilton, Ont., May 2. - Magistrate crease to 1,500 Men. Jelfs this morning committed for trial

broker, charged by Meadows & Wil-A circular just issued by the Grand tiser that they have experienced the liams, of this city, with fraud, the alworst of their troubles, aned they have legation being that he placed an order per cent in the wages of roadmasters, now sufficient men to carry them for the sale of C. P. R. stock, which foremen and sectionmen. The advance Wiarton, May 1.—According to some reports from St. Edmund's Township, smallpox is on the increase there. A Government inspector is in the towns. TO ASSIST OXFORD reduced his arguments to writing and the Trackmen's Union, but is given as forwarded them to the magistrate, the result of representations made by What he contended was that no offense the men as to the increased cost of Anxious to Promote Modern Scientific had been committed, and that if there living today compared with a few had been an offense under the provi- years ago.

sions of the criminal code it was com- Two more G. T. R. officials have gone mitted in the United States, where the to the Great Northern Railway to take London, May 2. - The first move of stock was sold by Meadows & Wil- office under Mr. McGuigan. They are liams, and not in Canada, and that the Mr. P. H. McFadden, general roadmasdale, and Mr. F. McCooe, general roadbeen shown that Butler had a bank ac- master at St. Thomas, will succeed to

# ON PRESENT SITE

Hamilton Road Methodists' New Church to Go to Hyatt Avenue.

The trustee board of the Hamilton Road Methodist Church has reconsidered the location for the new structure. It was to accept Mr. Close, who is president found that the ground on which the presof the board of trade, until he had time ent church stands is not large enough, and not of a shape that will allow the proper erection of a new structure.

Surveys of all available lots in the vicinity were taken, and it was found that Hyatt avenue was the only place where ground could be secured for the purpose.

The trustee board has accordingly securmass meeting tonight the nomination ed the Hyatt avenue property, and will of Hon. William Pugsley was unan!- proceed to build as soon as possible. Almously ratified. In his speech of ac- though this site is a few rods west of the ceptance the candidate announced that present location, it is just as near to the

day, Mr. Stringer said that he and about. And the Spanish-American alstarted out on this southern trip puretempting material had been stumbled bors, Costa Rica happens to be at upon that the two Canadians will peace. The shadow of the white man

Better I Like the North." "Up here in the north," said Mr. Stringer, "we hear a good deal about west is being dotted with cities, like coffee business-and the Costa Rican prosperity, nowadays. All our great west is being dotted with cities, like coffee is the finest grown, used for London, May 2. — The suggestion mushrooms in a sheep-pasture. Our flavoring the so-called mocha and thrown out by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Dominion is getting rich. Well, the

should be of especial interest to Londoners, because its entire system of was taken out of the Aguacate Mounting an indirect form of preference to this city. Mr. Aemilius Jarvis was will soon be ended. railroads is now under the management of a former London boy, who got his first railway training right here was discovered by a priest, who in the Grand Trunk offices. I mean

TWO NEW BRANCH ROUNDING UP REDS POSTOFFICES SOON FOR VACCINATION

the City.

Growing North End of

and Adelaide streets, and the other will the outbreak of smallpox.

The other postoffice will accommo-

#### son as assistant. DR. BALDWIN RESIGNS

Business Life.

rector of All Saints' Church, sent in skins are becoming reconciled to behis resignation today, and he announc- ing vaccinated.

Huron. He was a very popular minister and had a large congregation.

go into business.

DEATH OF MR. GEO. WOOD Prominent Young Merchant of Winnipeg Passes Away.

wood Company, died today in his 42year. Mr. Wood was a son of the late
death, according to a cablegram received in this city. Mr. McEwen went to
Bermuda ten days ago on a trip for
lic. Manitobas in 1880. He is survived by his health. The body will be brought

#### widow and six children. DEFIED THE POLICE

Montreal Socialists Hold May Day Parade the Virginia Chronicle, where he was Commander of Cruiser Vigilant Clear-Despite Authorities.

Montreal, May 1.—In defiance of the and half a dozen of others who later authorities the Socialists paraded the on became famous. McEwen later restreets this evening and held a mass turned to San Francisco, where he meeting on the Champ de Mars, where was connected with the various news- has been reinstated. He was suspendthey were addressed by a number of papers as editorial and special writer ed on the complaint of one of the offiprominent local Socialists. For some until two years ago, when he moved cers of the boat. The charge was inreason the police decided not to inter- to New York. fere. The Laval University students also paraded, but the rival factions did not collide and the affair passed off Atlanta, Ga., May 2.- The Dixie Fly-

without any disturbance.

# Muncey Reserves.

It is announced that two new post- "An Indian hates vaccination worse officers will be opened up at once in than he hates poison," said County Assistant Superintendent Nixon, of the pose. Constable Shaver today to The Adver-One of the sub-offices will be at tiser, when relating his experiences on Knapp's grocery, corner of Grosvenor the Muncey and Oneida reserves since

ner of Piccadilly and Oxford streets. antine was placed on the two reserva- is a Canadian, a native of the Eastern East Elgin Juries Decide Against make a statement regarding the meet-The former postoffice will prove a tions, Constable Shaver was sent to Townships of Quebec. He got his early The former postomice will prove a take command of the Indian con-great boon to the people who reside stabulary, who were unable to control subsequently filled positions on the in London township, just outside the the large number of reds who were try-

city limits, as they will be able to buy ing to avoid vaccination and to break money orders, registered stamps, etc., quarantine and he has evidently been a pretty busy officer since accepting the commission. When Shaver first went to the redate a large and growing section of the serves the Indians were up in arms

against the officer who was to vaccin-Both offices were petitioned for some ate them, and they were threatening to do him bodily harm if he did not Mr. John M. Shaw, who has had the leave the territory. The doctor would postoflice in South London for years, drive to an Indian home followed by has retired from the grocery business, the constable who, when a subject rebut will continue to conduct the post- fused to be vaccinated, placed him office. He will have Mr. Frank Robin- under arrest. A number of the Indians tried to escape from the locality after

the quarantine was placed, and the constables had many merry chases bringing the runaways back to the fold. It wasn't long, however, before the The Rector of All Saints Going Into Indians realized that there was nothing to be gained by running away, getting arrested, and being brought back; and at the present time everything is Montreal, May 1 .- Rev. Dr. Baldwin, peaceful on both reserves and the red-

# JOURNALIST MCEWEN DEAD

Chief Editorial Writer of New York American Dies Suddenly.

chief editorial writer of the New York plishes with the minimum amount of American, and well known throughout Winnipeg, May 1.—Mr. Geo. D. Wood, the west in journalistic circles, died kind and considerate to those under of this city, head partner in the Geo. suddenly yesterday at Hamilton, Ber- him, and hence is very popular with Wood Company, died today in his 42- muda. Heart failure was the cause of the men. Courtesy and promptitude in

> to New York. years ago. He went to California in the early '70's, and thence to Virginia City, Nevada, and joined the staff of associated with Chairman Godwin, editor of the Salt Lake Tribune, Mark Twain, Dennis McCarthy, Edward Hart

## DIXIE FLYER DITCHED.

er, due here at 7:50 a.m., from Savan-Alderman Martin received a letter nah, is reported wrecked south of threatening him with assassination. Griffin, about 40 miles from Atlanta. President Fallierres exchanged visits warmer. Friday-Partly cloudy; probably The police consider it the work of a One person of others reviewely bust a Palace lasted 45 minutes. number of others seriously hurt.

# Labor Situation Improved No Strike of Bricklayers

#### Feeling Prevails That Bosses and Men Will Reach Agreement -Plumbers Still Out. Mexico City, May 2. - The

At the plumbers' headquarters this morning it was stated that there are but ten men on strike now, and that four firms have signed the agreement. They gave the names of the firms as follows: F. C. Hunt, London Engine Supply Company, James Green, and L. J. O'Dell.

The men informed The Advertiser

They claim that the demand, under

the bosses, who charge the people 50

nection with the Severeign Bank of However, the plumbers were quite

ernment, however, point out that the Macdonald, of Toronto, who has re- ed the men 321/2 cents an hour, but that British Government has spent millions signed. Mr. D. M. Stewart, the gen- the compromise had been refused. He of pounds sterling in profitless rail- eral manager, resigned from the vice- said that the men had not intimated oads in Africa, and that this is the presidency and directorate, and Mr. J. to the employers, so far as he was roads in Africa, and that this is the H. Dunn, of London. England, was legitimate form of preference which the H. Dunn, of London. England, was aware, that they would be satisfied Prominent East Zorra Farmer pital, where every effort is now being with 25 cents an hour. It was under-The change will make the bank more stood they wanted 40 cents.

Mr. Morgan desired that some modifi- an hour, the next year 45 cents, and this morning he left his house to en- Stomach of Hungarian To Be Analyzed

The men who were seen by The Ad-Nevertheless, one of the union men

entered against railways for damages cents an hour to what they termed for injuries at the spring jury assizes good men. He feels that the bosses (which close today) total \$21,200. This and the men will settle their differdoes not include the amounts paid in ences without any trouble. two cases, the basis of the settlement | Another bricklayer stated that the

Master painters stated to The Adver-Outbreak in St. Edmund's Township Re-

wedding will take place next month. Bennington, Vt., May 1.-States At-Meagher announced today that Hon. Clifford Robinson, who was elect- majority of the east end members. The Mahan, held for the murder of ed by acclamation in Westmoreland old church and lot are now offered for

## MR. PUGSLEY NOMINATED

Mr. George Reid, of London, who

was Mr. Butler's bondsman, refused

to go on his bond again, but Mr.

Crown Attorney Washington refused

higher court for trial.

take his place.

St. John, N. B., May 1 .- At a Liberal ar-old niece, Ethel, Sunday this week as provincial secretary, sale by tender, subject to the approval of would succeed him as premier.