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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2.

"A VOICE THAT IS STILL."

These are sad days of mourning in the Maple City.

One by one, within an impressively short time, her stalwart sons - men who have been the pioneers of her progress, citizens who have devoted lives of labor to her development, colleagues of intellectual strength and unquestioned integrity - are being called from within her gates to the portals of the Great Beyond.

The sad news last evening of the demise of E. W. Scane cast a gloom over the entire community. Death has taken from us an esteemed resident, one who was universally held in high regard, honored as a citizen, respected and beloved as a man. He has served Chatham faithfully and well in almost every office within the gift of his fellow citizens, he has given an earnest life of service to the

Chatham mourns herself to-day, while she sympathizes with the bereaved widow and family. The loss is shared by all.

# THE BOYD THREATS.

Says the Woodstock Express: Somebody appears to be very anxious to shoulder the blame for the murder of James Quirk, the Brantford hotelkeeper. Letters have been received from Woodstock, Detroit and Buffalo, assuming the responsibility. This fact recalls an interesting circumstance in connection with the Benwell tragedy. It may be remembered that when Birchall condescended to say anything at all in his own defence, beyond a general formal denial, he threw out certain hints about a mysterious "Colonel." who was supposed to have accompanied Benwell and Birchall on the day of the murder and who went into the swamp with Benwell after Birchall had started to return to Eastwood. The story of the "Colonel's" connection with the tragedy was never clearly told. It was merely hinted at. There was neither beginning nor end to it. The "Colonel" appeared suddenly on the scene without any introduction, and disappeared just as sudden ly. But it is worthy of note that the "Colonel" wrote a letter, in which he spoke of his connection with the killing of Benwell as a matter of fact, and this letter bore the post mark, of a Michigan town, and was doubtless posted there, though it was generally believed to have been written in Woodstock. Indeed, the suspicion was very general that it was written by Birchell himself. The mystery of the "Colonel" has never been cleared up, but there was a general feeling at the time that he had no existence outside of Birchall's imagination. There may be a hint in all this for the Brantford authorities, not to look too far from home for the writer of the letters.

IF CHAMBERLAIN COMES.

Mr. Chamberlain may make a tou of the colonies.

It is time he did so. There is a great deal he ought to know, and see in the outer empire before he undertakes to engineer a scheme for federating the whole system.

A man in the office of Colonial Secretary who has never seen the colonies is both a folly and a danger.

If Mr. Chamberlain is open to receive a suggestion, it might be urged on him-in view of a certain remark he recently made about the Canadian climate-that he should make his tour towards the end of next winter, so that he could see our worst weather. and remain a while and see some of our best. He must be made to repent his words about our glorious winter

#### CHILD SAVERS.

In the ten years of its existence the Children's Aid Society has sheltered 2,680 neglected children, the majority of whom have found homes with good families throughout the Dominion and are now being educated and trained as the natural children of their foster

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er inherent in the child. The work of the Children's Aid is worthy the support of the philanthropically inclined people of the Dominion. It is in good hands, and its work speaks for itself.

> HARD ON THE SCOTCH. Hamilton Herald.

Five of the Toronto Highlanders allowed themselves to be pulled over the line by four Yankee soldiers in a tug of war. Those Highlanders should go away back and put on

> FEMININE IDIOCY. Ottawa Citizen.

A mob of sentimental women waited for Kubelik, the young Hungarian violinist, outside the stage door of a Brooklyn theatre the other evening and when he came out proceeded to hug and kiss and maul him until the police had to come to his rescue. American women's osculatory enslaughts are gradually becoming as much a national institution as lynchings in the South.

> THE BRITON'S BURDEN. Montreal Witness.

A Canadian from the West who has just been spending a few weeks with his relatives in England, says it is very painful for a Canadian to realize the crushing burden of taxation which has fallen on struggling pecple in Britain, and the uncomplaining way in which they face it, while we Canadians have practically not touched the burden at all, though it that he is paying 9c per lb. for yelis, as it were, for our sakes, as collow pickerel, and 4c per lb. for mullet that it is being incurred. We think the great majority of Canadians fee exactly as this man does, or would do if brought, as he has been, face to face with the facts.

Consumption and Sulphur. A German physician recommends to consumptives the sulphur treatment. This consists in the patient living in rooms where one or two drams of sulphur are melted daily on a hot stove. The first ten days there will be felt increased irritation and cough. These soon decrease, and improvement is rapidly felt, and complete cures are often effected if the disease is not too far

advanced.

Mice and Peppermint. K. M. Mikhailoff, a Russian chemist, has discovered that mice have a peculiar dislike to the odor of peppermint. He places small pledgets of cotton saturated with peppermint oil in openings made by the mice, and they do not show up for some time. Later the mice make an attempt to return, but the peppermint oil is once more used, and the mice don't came back.

### RICKETY CHILDREN.

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## THE MARKETS.

Planet Office, Tuesday even

April 1 Alderman Waddell reports change in market and hardly any r

GRAINS.

Wheat, 70c Corn, ear, 52c. Corn, shelled, 53c. White oats, 39c. Mixed oats, 38c., ckwheat, 50c Barley, per cwt., 90c to \$1.00. Cornmeal, \$1.50 per cwt.

SEEDS.

Nelson Stringer gives The Plan the following quotations:-Red Clover, \$4.25 to \$4.50. Alsike, \$6 to \$8. Timothy, \$2.50 to \$3. Alfalfa, \$6 to \$6.50.

FURS.

Nelson Stringer gives The Planet the following quotations-Market remains steady. Furs remain about the same, th eason being about over. Coon skins, 15c to \$1.25. Fox skins, \$1.00 to \$2.00.

Skunk skins, 15c to 75c.

Mink skins, 75c to \$1.50. Dog skins, 25c to 50c. WOOL AND HIDES.

Nelson Stringer states that the hid market is quiet, at lower prices. Wool season, has started, small quantities being brought in, mostly by farmers who shear early so as to have their sheep looking good for exhibition. Prices the same.

Wool, washed, 12c. Wool, unwashed, 7 1-4c. Calf skins, 6c to 7c per 1b. Lambs and shearlings, 25c to 65c. Cow hides, No. 1, 5 1-2c; No. 2, 4 1-2c Pelts, 25c to 50c. Horse hides, \$1 to \$2.

Samuel Orr, dealer in hay reports the hay business quiet although loading a few cars; the prices remain about the same. Hay buyers are paying \$4.50 to \$5.

Hay, clover, \$5.25. Hay, baled, \$6.50 to \$8. Hay, loose, \$4.50 to \$6.

MEATS. Pork. 8c to 12c.

Mutton, 9c to 12 1-2c. Live hogs, \$5.25 to \$5.50. Dressed hogs, \$6.75 to \$7. Beef, 10 to 12 1-2c. FISH.

wholesale, and cannot get enough at that high price. White fish, 15c per lb. dressed.

W. Bunning, dealer in fish, reports

Lake Huron trout, 10c per lb., dress Yellow pickerel, 6c lb., dressed. Sturgeon, 10c lb., dressed. Herring 25c to 50c dozen. Perch, 25c dozen.

OUTSIDE MARKETS.

TORONTO FRUITS.

Toronto, Airil 1.-There was good demand for all seasonable fruits and prices are steady. Spanish onions have ceased offering. We quote—
Apples, 20 to 350 per basket, and \$2.50 to \$4.50 per bbl.

Malaga grapes, \$6 to \$7 per keg. Bananas, per bunch, \$1.25 to \$2. Lemons, per box, \$2.75 to \$3.

Oranges—Jamaica, per bbl., \$5 to \$5.50; Seville marmalade oranges, \$2.75 to \$3 per box; Valencias, 420's, ordinary, \$4.50; 420's, large, \$5.50; na-

vals, all sizes, \$3.50 to \$3.75 per box. Cranberries, per basket, \$1.25, per Florida pineapples, 24's to 30's, \$4.50

Tomatoes, 6-basket carriers, \$4.50.

BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.

East Buffalo, April 1.—Cattle—Re-eipts, 140 head; very dull ; veals, top, to \$8; common to good, \$5 to Hogs-Receipts, 7,000 head, slow and

lower and several loads unsold; Yorkers, \$6.60 to \$6.70; light, do, \$6.45 to \$6.50; mixed packers, \$6.70 and \$6.85; choice heavy, \$6.85 to \$6.95; pigs, \$6.20 to \$6.30; roughs, \$6 to \$6.35; stags, \$4 Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 10,000

head; sheep and yearlings about lambs dull; choice lambs, \$6.50 to \$6.-60; good to choice, \$6.50 to \$6.60; culls to fair \$5.55 to \$6.25; sheep, choice handy wethers, \$6 to \$6.25; common to extra mixed, \$5.10 to \$5.75; culls and common, \$3.75 to \$6; heavy export ewes, \$5.50 to \$5.75.

TORONTO HAY AND STRAW.

Toronto, April 1.—Baled Hay—The is steady and the demand is good. No.

1. Timothy on track here sells at Baled Straw-Demand is good and market is steady at \$5.75 on track here.

TORONTO PRODUCE.

Toronto, April 1 .- Butter-The maris quiet, with a good demand for choice creameries and dairies, and all choice creameries and dairies, and the offerings consist largely of low grade and medium dairies. We quote: Creamery prints, 22 to 23c. Creamery solids, 21 to 22c. Creamery seconds, 18 to 20c. Dairy, pound rolls, 18c to 20c. Dairy, parge rolls, choice, 17 to 17 1-2 Dairy, tubs, 14 to 16c. Dairy, medium and low, 10 to 12 1-2

Dairy, medium and low, 10 -The market is steady at 12 l-2c. Offerings are plentiful and demand good. Potatoes—The heavy offerings

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stock are 12 1-2 to 13c for turkeys and

TORONTO GRAIN MARKET.

Toronto, April 1.-Wheat-The mar-

ket is steady. On call No. 2 red was

offered at 72 G. T. R., middle freight.

No. 2 white was offered at 72 1-2c, G

T. R., east, and No. 2 mixed was of-

fered at 72c on the Midland. No. 2

goose was offered at 66c, C. P. R, mid-

75c to \$1 forchickens.

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cars of Hungarian patents and \$4 for strong bakers in car lots, bags included, on track, Toronto. Millfeed—Market quiet at \$18.50 for cars of shorts, and \$16.50 for bran in bulk, middle freights. Manitoba is steady at \$22 for cars of shorts and believe him perfectly honorable in all \$20 for bran, sacks included, Toronto

fireights. Barley-Is dull and prices are nom inal at 54c for No. 1, 52c for No. 2, 50 for, No. 3 extra, and 48c to 49c for No. 33 middle freights. On call No. 3 was offered at 50c outside. Buckwheat is quiet at 56 to 56 1-26

niddle freights. Rye is steady at 56c middle freights Corn—Is steady. On call 55c was bid for No. 2 mixed outside, and 50c was bid for No. 2 yellow C. P. R. out-

Oats are steady. On call No. 2 white were offered at 41c low freights to New York, at 51c G. T. R., middle freights, and No. 3 white were offered at 42 1-2c on spot Toronto.

Oatmeal—Is quiet at \$4.60 for cars of bags and \$4.75 for barrels on the track Toronto, and 250 more for broken lots.

Peas-Are steady. On call to-day No. 2 white were offered at 80c los freights.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Montreal April 1.-Grain.-The market is quiet and of a holiday charac ter. Buckwheat, 69c afloat, May Manitoba feed barley, 51 1-2c ex-store Ontario, No. 1 spring wheat affoat May, 76c; No. 2 spring wheat, 75c, and 9 peas, 90c; rye, 63 1-2c; barley, 56c; oats, 46c, and No. 2 oats, on spot 46c to 46 1-2c ex-store.

Eggs—Owing to heavy receipts the
market was a little easier at 11 1-2c

Cheese-The market is quiet very firm; finest Ontario makes, 11
3-8c to 11 1-2c; finest townships
makes, 11 1-4 to 11 3-8c; finest Quebec makes, 11 1-8c to 11 1-4c; under
grades, 10 3-4c.

Butter—Finest fresh creamery 21 1-2c to 22c; held creamery 21 1-4 to 21 3-8c; creamery seconds, 20c to 20 3-4c; western dairy rolls 15c to 17c. FIVE LITTLE MINUTES are the time Perry Davis' Painkiller needs to stop a stomach-ache, even when it is strong enough to make a strong man groan. Don't be fooled by imi-tations. 25c. and 50c.

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to Mary: Dear Mary-We are all very well; only mother has hysterics. Tim has the tooth-ache, and Jane has a baby. I hope you are the same. Your affectionate brother,

-London Outlook.

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