THE DAY'S SPORTS.

THE RACING CALENDAR.

AT NEW ORLEANS.

New Orleans, Feb. 27.—Favorites were in much better form to-day, and landed the money in four races:—

First race, 7 furlongs—Tobe Payne, 101 (Mitchell), 13 to 5 and even, won; Berlha Nell, 99 (Rose), 12 to 1 and 5 to 1, second; Tyran, 93 (J. Waldo), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1.28. Diggs, By George, Juennetta, Burles, J. E. Cline, Can I See Em and Leasman also ran.

Second race, mile, 2-year-olds—Grace Phillips, 101 (Mitchell), 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, won; Allie Hale, 100 (Dominick), 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Matt Simpson, 110 (Ross), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1.43. Russell R., Doris, Wedding Guest, Polly Bixby, Orlando, Clara M., Jodes, Dr. Fannie, Round O., Wilkerson and Eyes of Blue also ran.

Third race, 1⅛ miles—Julius Caesar, 107 (Mitchell), 13 to 5 and even, won; Banquo 11., 108 (P. Clay), 15 to 1 and 5 to 1, second; Pat Garrett, 100 (J. Miller), 4 to 1, third. Time, 3.19. Nailer, Teutons, Monongah, Babe Fields and Clifton also ran.

Fourth race, handicap, 6 furlongs—Gold Or, 104 (Wedderstrand), 11 to 5 and 4 to 5, won; Andes, 115 (Mitchell), 9 to 2 and 8 to 5, second; Maggie Davis, 92 (J. Waldo), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1.13¾. Diana Fonso, Him Tine Marsella and Althea also ran.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Elsmere, 112 (Gilmore), 5 to 2 and even, won; Northumberland, 104 (Frost), 7 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Jennie F., 107 (Miller), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1.49¼. Little Reggie, Seaport, Martha Fox, Emma Smith, Covington Ky. and Vignette also ran.

Sixth race, 6½ furlongs, selling—Troubaline, 105 (Mitchell), 13 to 5 and 4 to 5, won; Lovable, 102 (Shaw), 7 to 2 and 6 to 5, second; Fleuron, 109 (Clawson), 5 to 2, third. Time, 1.21¼. First Past, Barney F., Sadie Burnham and Monometallist also ran.

Entries for to-morrow:—

First, 1 mile, selling—Princess Murphy, Bannie, 106; Vignette, 108; Clarence B., Little Singer, 111; Loyalty, Wild Lark, Bill powell, Judge Steadman, 113; Arquebus, 116; Little Billy, L. T. Caton, Admetus, 118; Goose Liver, 121; Sea Knight, 121.

Second, 1¼ miles, selling—Nan O'Kee, El Jay, Orlandin, Statira, 101; Dr. Fannie, 103; Engano, 103; Sir Fitzhugh, Ben Chance, 106; Frangible, 107; Caviar, 110.

Third, handicap, steeplechase, short course—Bleaknore, 131; Althea, Clifton B., 112; Reeves, 112; Voyageur, 134; Jack Hayes, 148.

Fourth, the Lexington selling stakes, half mile—Jane Wood, 90; Zemphire, 92; Clara Davis, 95; St. Mary's, 108; Adnoor, 112; Sod Sam, Plead, 113; Choice, 116. Couple Plead and Choice, H. and D. Morris entry.

Fifth, 1 1-16 miles, handicap—Devo, 98; Bacebud, 94; Dr. Vaughan, 94; Glenone, 95; Blitheful, 96; Sidney Lucas, Strangest, 100; Tip Gallant, 103; Eva Rice, 105.

Sixth, 6 furlongs — Vitruia Loka, My Chicken, Zaza, 105; Philter, 105; Traylor, Elderim, Rangee, 105; Fay Wood, Indian, Tommy O'Brien, Grandeur, 110.

AT TANFORAN.

San Francisco, Feb. 27.—Weather clear, track fast.

First race, 6 furlongs purse—Loch Katrine, 108 (Jenkins), 7 to 10, won; Glenn Ann, 117 (Moody), 10 to 1, second; Ponge, 122 (Piggott), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1.10⅘. Jael, Wanyah, Tammany and Wild Het also ran.

Second race, half mile, purse, 2-year-olds—Sofala, 115 (Bullman), 2 to 5, won; Count Hubert, 112 (Piggott), 2½ to 1, second; Aphrodis, 101 (Henry), 40 to 1, third. Time, 48¾. Spindle, Modder and Modrina also ran.

Third race, Futurity course, selling—Strongoll, 114 (Ruiz), 3 to 1, won; Almoner, 114 (Jenkins), 6 to 1, second; Tallac, 112 (Henry), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1.11¼. Lulu W., The Last, Romany, Ann Page, Crocker, Clarendo and Gold Baron also ran.

Fourth race, 1⅛ miles, selling — Rio Chico, 106 (Jenkins), 2 to 1, won; Mary Kinsella, 104 (Bullman), 2 to 4, second; Nonsuch, 103 (Ross), 7 to 1, third. Time, 1.55½. Lewanda also ran.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs, purse—Vesuvian, 107 (Henry), 8 to 5, won; Bessie Lee, 117 (Jenkins), 12 to 1, second; Mortgage, 102 (Bullman), even, third. Time, 1.14½. Mountebank, Waterwick, True Blue and Bandora also ran.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Toribio, 109 (Walsh), 2 to 1, won; Persens, 102 (Henry), 12 to 1, second; Tappan, 119 (Spencer), 2½ to 1, third. Time, 1.46½. Lena Morinel, Topmast, Uarda, Espionage, Red Pirate and Einstein also ran.

Entries for to-morrow:—

First, mile, selling — Aborigine, Sam Dannebaum, Burdock, 109; Tekla, Formatus, Bobodrine, 106; Coming Event, 102.

Second, selling, mile—Homenlohe, 124 Twinkler, Muscalado, 121; Be Happy, Scintillate, 119; Croker, 116; Adam Andrew, 114; Ace, 111; Ulm, 106; Utero, 104.

Third, 7-16 mile, selling, 2-year-olds — Laura Marie, 116; Loneness, 116; Gladia, Corncake, 108; Screenwell Lake, 105; On Time, Cushion, 104; Rollick, 103; Florantbe, Countess Clara, 102; Ticolita, 98; Cambermec, 107.

Fourth, mile and sixteenth, selling—Dr. Sheppard, David Tenny, 114; Forte, 111; Arbaces, 109; Lothian, Ventora, 106; Formero, 105; Erwin, 94.

Fifth, mile and sixteenth, selling—Bishop Reed, 116; Perseus, Castake, Socialist, 116; Tyrade, 114; Twinkle Twink, Alleviate, 109; Sylvan Lass, 104; Vinctora, 99; Allenna, 94.

Sixth, six furlongs, free handicap—Frank Bell, Loving Cup, 115; Afameda, Andrissa, 110; Headwaiter, Ben Ledy, Olinthus, 108; The Fretter, 105; Decoy, 98; Mamie G., 89. Couple Decoy and Andrissa as Jennings entry.

THE RING.

SHARKEY AND FITZ MAY FIGHT.

New York, Feb. 27.—Tom O'Rourke, manager of Tom Sharkey, announces that he will cover Fitzsimmons' money forfeit of $5,000 on Monday, when he would meet the former champion and arrange for a fight.

SKATING.

TRIO ASKED TO COME TO TIME.

London, Feb. 27.—If Messrs. Galbraith, Simms and Hefferman, who have been challenging each other for a race for the city championship, will meet at the office of the Jubilee Rink to-morrow (Thursday) evening, at 8 o'clock, I will arrange to put up a suitable trophy.—C. W. Smith.

CURLING.

GLENCOE CLUB LOST.

Two rinks of the London Curling Club went to Glencoe Monday and there played a friendly game with the local curlers, defeating them by four shots. The score was as follows:—

London.		Glencoe.
	No. 1 Rink.	
H. S. Robertson		E. T. Hughson,
T. M. Turnbull,		W. D. McIntyre,
G. B. Harris,		A. E. Sutherland,
J. Stevenson, sk...	19	W. D. Moss, sk..	18
	No. 2 Rink.	
J. S. Walker,		J. Pool,
J. W. Jones,		J. Simpson,
F. Rumball, (Mayor)		R. R. McKellar,
H. C. McBride, sk..	22	A. Finlayson, sk..	19
	41	37

Majority for London, 4 shots.

FOR THE MALAHIDE MEDAL.

Three rinks from the St. Thomas Curling Club played the Forest City Club here yesterday for the Malahide medal, but were defeated, Forest City winning by 15 shots The medal, which is a handsome gold one, was given by the late Senator Elijah Leonard, and is open to all clubs in the district, which Mr. Leonard at one time represented. The Forest City Club retains the medal, which it has now held for some years. The scores:—

London Forest City.		St. Thomas.
	Rink No. 1.	
J. B. McKillop,		A. McCrimmon,
J. W. McIntosh,		Geo. Ellison,
L. McDonald,		A. W. Graham,
R. Inglis, skip....	27	D. McLaws, skip.	12
	Rink No. 2.	
C. H. Tune,		C. L. Robertson,
C. E. Sterling,		W. R. Jackson,
J. M. McWhinney,		J. M. Glenn,
J. M. Burnett, sk.	15	W. K. Cameron, sk.	28
	Rink No. 3.	
C. M R. Graham,		J. Boughner,
Alf. Talbot,		G. Mickleborough,
W. T. Strong,		J. McAdams,
Robert Reid, skip.....	25	J. Mickleborough, skip.....	12
Totals.....	67		52

Majority for Forest City, 15 shots.

HOCKEY.

UNBROKEN STRING OF VICTORIES.

The Waterloo seniors met a Waterloo in the Princess Rink last night, when they played with the Londons, intermediate champions of Ontario. A very large crowd saw the game, and enjoyed it immensely. The ice was keen, and the first half of the game was hotly contested, and developed some exceedingly fast play. The score at half-time was 4 goals to 3 in London's favor. It was in the last half that the champions showed their training, when they literally ran away from the Seagramites, piling up goal after goal, until the score reached the satisfactory figure of ten to the visitors' original three. The Waterloos failed to score at all in the last half. They made in all only four attempts to shoot a goal, and only one of these was Johns called upon to stop. London's combination play provoked great applause. The champions were in championship form, and they raced up and down the rink in pursuit of the elusive puck with a speed that wearied the Waterloos. Peel began the fast work of the last half—Peel, the quiet point, who has made some of the most brilliant plays of the season. The puck came to him from a short lift, and with lightning speed he seized it and threaded his way through a maze of opponents to the very portal of the Waterloo goal, where a hot shot rendered Raymo powerless. After that the Londons scored regularly. The next goal was shot on a pass from an off-side play by Ewing. Then it fairly rained goals for London. Every man of the local seven accomplished wonders. No one was better than his comrade. And trainer George Black whispered to his friend "That's condition for you." So it was. The game was devoid of roughness. Jack Brown was cut on the mouth and Ewing on the forehead, but not seriously. The Waterloos lacked Joe Seagram, their clever cover point, but they are said to have played Carmichael, the well - known forward, under an assumed name. The teams lined up as follows:—

London.		Waterloo.
Johns.....	Goal...	Raymo
Peel.....	Point...	Forrester
Brown.....	Cover point... ..	Forest
Ashplant.....	Forward.. ..	Ed. Seagram
Ewing.....	"	Morley
Westcott.....	"	Young
Hughes.....	"	Sovier

Referee—Jack Gilmour. Goal judges, Walker and B. P. Moore. Time-keepers, A. B. McBride and W. A. Mace.

THE SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

Toronto, Feb. 27.—It was decided to play off the senior championship of the O. H. A. in two games, the first here on Wednesday night and the second in Kingston on Saturday night. Wellington and Queen's are the teams.

WATFORD BEATS SARNIA.

Sarnia, Feb. 27.—The Sarnia and Watford hockey teams played a match game here to-night. The game was the fastest ever played here Watford scored 4 and Sarnia 3 in the first half. Watford added 6 in the second and Sarnia 1. Score, 10—4 in favor of Watford.

SHAMROCKS IN THE LEAD.

Montreal, Que., Feb. 27.—The Shamrocks defeated the Montrealers to-night in the championship hockey series by 5 games to 3. The match was an important one, as both teams were in the lead for the championship, and to-night's victory gives Shamrocks a slight advantage.

SHIPPING.

Feb. 27.	Reported at.	From.
La Normandie...	New York...	Havre
Rotterdam.....	New York.. ..	Rotterdam
Numerey.....	Halifax..	Liverpool
Lake Ontario....	Halifax..	Liverpool
Oceanic.....	Queenstown...	New York
Columbia.....	Genoa..	New York
Bengore Head...	Belfast..	St. John
Thingvalla.....	New York.. ..	Copenhagen

There is now an epidemic of scarlet fever at Les Ecureuils, some 25 miles above Quebec. There are 111 families, which have members attacked by it, and have scarcely any medical attendance. In consequence the disease is spreading with great rapidity. There are now from twenty to twenty-five cases.

Two more white persons and eight Kanakanas have died of the Bubonic plague at Noumea, New Caledonia.

Skirts Made For 50c.

172 BAYLEY'S Dundas St 174

SPECIAL—We will make Ladies' Skirts at 50c in the latest style, guaranteeing fit and finish, when material are purchased here. NEW MATERIALS, Fashionable Homespuns, just to hand, fresh and crisp from the best makers.

AT $1.00—Very handsome designs in finely finished Homespun Tweed, fifty-four inches wide. We consider this a particularly good bargain. See it—$1.00.

AT $1.25—Pretty Checks in subdued tones. A beautiful fabric; will produce superb effect in skirt or costume.

AT $1.35—Plaids, Checks and Plain Homespuns, in a variety of styles and colors, 54 inches wide. One of the leaders for this season's selling, we venture to predict.

AT $1.50—Fifty-four inches wide, only three styles at this price. An ideal tailor effect, made from selected stock, beautifully colored and finished; will sell at sight.

AT 25c—50 doz. Fine Rib Cashmere Hose, worth 35c; seamless, with double heel and toe.

This is a very choice range, and we would suggest an early inspection and selection, for many of above lines cannot be repeated at the price now selling at.

Bayley's

Substitution

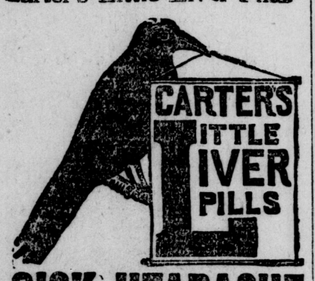
the fraud of the day.

See you get Carter's,

Ask for Carter's,

Insist and demand

Carter's Little Liver Pills.



SICK HEADACHE

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

HARD FIGHTING.

Gen. Buller's Task Proving a Most Difficult One.

BOTH SIDES LOSE HEAVILY.

An Armistice to Allow of Burying Dead and Caring for Wounded.

LADYSMITH GUNS DO GREAT WORK.

Severe Fighting Continues, the Enemy Trying to Outflank Buller—All England Rejoices Over the Surrender of Cronje—Lord Roberts Within Striking Distance of Bloemfontein and Master of a Large District of the Free State—The Transvaalers will Likely Continue the Struggle with Undiminished Vigor—10,000 Additional British Troops to be Sent to South Africa.

London, Wednesday, Feb. 28, 4.30 a. m.—From John O'Groat's to Land's End there has been cheering for the Queen and universal singing of the national anthem. This, with mutual congratulations, is the Briton's way of celebrating the most cheerful day of the war. Already he is taking stock of the situation and measuring the future. There is no disposition to overestimate the success. The Government entertains no illusion. As announced in the House of Commons, 10,000 additional troops will immediately go out and the effective will be kept near 200,000. Lord Roberts has done more than to capture 4,000 Boers and a few guns. He is within striking distance of one of the Boer capitals and is master of a large district of the Free State. He has given a shock to Boer confidence, and immeasurably restored the confidence of his own force. In taking Cronje he has taken a leader whose presence alone was worth thousands to the Boer cause. The best opinion here is that the Transvaalers are certain to continue the fight with undiminished valor; but it is not so certain about the Free Staters. Lord Roberts has not allowed the correspondents or descriptive writers with him to supplement his plain narrative as yet, and there are

SOME POINTS IN DOUBT.

It is not clear whether the 4,000 prisoners include those taken in small parties before the capitulation. What has become of the rest of the Boers who held the Magersfontein lines, and where are the big guns? The smallness of Cronje's force causes some wonderment. The morning papers, without exception, comment on the achievement of the Boer leader and men in holding off for ten days a force from six to eight times as large as theirs. British opinion is far more generous in victory than in defeat.

HARD WORK IN NATAL.

Sir Redvers Buller is having a hard time in Natal. It is evident now, after a fortnight's fighting, that he was misled when he wired that there was only a weak rear-guard between him and Ladysmith. Apparently some of the hardest fighting of the war took place at the end of last week, as an armistice was agreed upon to allow attendance upon the wounded and burial of the dead. Both sides must have lost heavily. At any moment, however, news may come of Gen. Buller's success. Friday will begin the fourth month of the siege of the garrison, which is seemingly in a position where it is unable to do anything to help Gen. Buller.

A DIFFICULT TASK.

A despatch to the Daily Mail from Pietersmaritzburg, dated Monday, describes at considerable length the "enormous difficulties of Gen. Buller's task," and says:—"The real advance began last Wednesday. The stupendous nature of the task was only understood when, being on the spot, one was able to realize what it means to hurl infantry at positions aligned in every direction, with carefully prepared trenches, and with breastworks defended by practically invisible riflemen, armed with the most deadly rapid-fire weapons, and aided by quick-firing guns, which put all of our cannon but those of the largest type into the shade."

FROM LADYSMITH.

The Daily Mail has the following from Ladysmith, dated Saturday, Feb. 24:—"Yesterday the Boer retreat continued. A party of about seventy, en route for the north, drew rein near Limit Hill. A battery of 15-pounders, placed not far off, suddenly opened fire and practically annihilated the party. A Boer ambulance was later on seen collecting the dead and wounded. The Boers are trying to form a brigade drift across Klip River, south of Umbulwana Hill, evidently for the purpose of permitting the passage of wagons and artillery in their retirement from Colenso. Our guns are preventing this work being carried on."

INNISKILLINGS LOSE HEAVILY.

A Colenso special, dated Sunday, says:—In the attempt of the Inniskillings Friday evening to rush the Boer position on Pieter's Hill, the Boer fire was so terrible, when the infantry emerged from the cover of the trees, that almost every man in the leading half of the company fell wounded.

FIGHTING CONTINUES.

A special despatch from Colenso, dated Tuesday, Feb. 27, says:—"The Boers are endeavoring to outflank us and severe fighting continues."

THE SPION KOP FIGHT.

London, Feb. 27.—A letter has been received from a man in the First Dragoons, now in South Africa, confirming the report that a supply transport reached Ladysmith during the engagement at Spion Kop. He says the Dragoons were the escort of the transport, which was several miles long, and adds:—"That is why Buller engaged the enemy at Spion Kop. Old Buller knows what he is doing, and all are willing to follow him in spite of his reverses."

BRABANT AT JAMESTOWN.

Sterkspruit, Monday, Feb. 26.—Boer reports say that the force under Brabant have occupied Jamestown, Cape Colony.

MURDER AT MAFEKING.

London, Feb. 28.—Mr. Paerslow, the correspondent of the Daily Chronicle at Mafeking, who had previously been reported accidentally shot and killed on Nov. 2nd, was, it appears from the diary of a Morning Post correspondent, and from a letter received by the Daily Chronicle, murdered by Lieut. Murchison, of the British artillery, reputed to be a man of fine professional abilities. It seems that Mr. Paerslow and Lieut. Murchison had dined together, and when they were strolling across the square Murchison was seen to draw a revolver and to kill his companion. An inquest was held, and a finding of wilful murder was returned. Lieut. Murchison will be tried by court-martial.

FOREIGNERS LEAVING.

London, Feb. 28.—The Lorenzo Marquez correspondent of the Times, telegraphing Tuesday, says:—"Many foreigners are leaving the Transvaal, and numerous Government officials are starting for Holland. Mr. Adelbert Hay, United States consul in Pretoria, is earning the respect of both Boers and Uitlanders, and proving himself tactful and assiduous."

WELCOMED THE CANADIANS.

Cape Town, Monday, Feb. 26.—The Canadian troops who arrived on the Allan Line steamer Pomeranian were welcomed by Major Hanbury-Williams, military secretary to Sir Alfred Milner.

THE PRISONERS.

London, Feb. 28.—The military critic of the Times suggests that General Cronje probably buried some of his big guns. With regard to the large number of prisoners, the disposing of whom presents some difficulty, this writer suggests that they be sent to St. Helena, adding:—"Gen. Cronje, according to a great precedent, might be accommodated with the large retinue he desires at Longwood."

A MINIATURE SEDAN.

Spencer Wilkinson, reviewing the military situation in the light of Gen. Cronje's capitulation, says this morning:—"On a moderate estimate one-tenth of the Boer army has been taken out of the account by the capture of Gen. Cronje. The battle of Paardeberg is a miniature Sedan. To-morrow the whole of Gen. Roberts' army, 45,000 men, will be ready for a fresh advance, if, indeed, the start be not made to-day. The objective must be the next Boer army of importance, which is in Natal. The next move, therefore, with a view of drawing the Boer army from Natal, implies an advance on Bloemfontein, or some point on the railway between Bloemfontein and Wynberg, which would sever the connection between the Boers in Natal and those south of the Orange River. If the Boers make a stand west of Bloemfontein, so much the better. With 45,000 men Lord Roberts may well be able to envelop and destroy a respectable force there. The effect of the Paardeberg victory will probably be a movement northward of the Boer forces, south of Orange River. In Natal the effect will be moral, rather than strategical. The effect of elation on one side and of depression on the other will be equal, for the moment, to the addition of a brigade to Gen. Buller's forces. The Boers in Natal have to face a crisis. If they send troops to the Free State, they will sacrifice the whole result of the long campaign before Ladysmith. Not to send them will be to render probably a second and still more important victory by Lord Roberts a few days hence."

TALK OF PEACE.

The Cape Town correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, telegraphing Monday, says:—"There is talk of peace in the air. The English organ of the Afrikander Bund proposes the formation of a conciliation committee, the object being, of course, to save Boer independence. While Lord Roberts was holding Cronje at Paardeberg, it is understood that Gen. French was moving towards Bloemfontein." Afrikander Bund congress has been postponed. The explanation given is that owing to the enforcement of martial law in several districts the members might possibly be unable to attend.

CONGRATULATIONS.

It is understood that the Queen and the Prince of Wales have received a telegram of generous congratulation from Emperor William on the victory of Paardeberg. King Humbert and Queen Margherita also wired congratulations to the Queen.

BOERS QUIT ARUNDEL.

Arundel, Monday, Feb. 26.—The Boers, under British pressure, have evacuated their positions in this neighborhood, and are retiring northward. In the fighting hereabouts their loss is thought to have been considerable, as 25 graves were found.

Maladministration.

Montreal Witness (Liberal).

The appointment of Mr. McShane to the position of harbor master in the port of Montreal will, it is angrily asserted in trade circles, lose the Government thousands of votes in the next general election. As to that, the politicians have no doubt made their own calculations. Venal politicians, who consider that business interests must not be allowed to stand in the way of partisan politics, have been besieging the Harbor Commissioners for a year and a half past in the interest of Mr. McShane, and the majority of the commissioners have yielded to this importunity by making such an appointment as shows how far party politicians appointed to a public trust are willing to go in the direction of betraying the business interests at the behest of the Government. The present administration got the support of many honest men because of the maladministration of their predecessors, yet in this instance they have outshamed their opponents. The salary and allowances of Captain Howard, the late harbor master, amounted to $3,400, and his assistant's salary was $1,000, making a total of $4,400. Captain Bourassa, who has fulfilled all the duties of the office for several years past, has been paid $2,350. His salary has now been raised to $2,500, with allowances for horse, and Mr. McShane gets $3,000. Therefore, the shipping interests of Montreal now have to bear a burden of $5,500, against a burden of $4,400 in what Liberals have hitherto considered the palmiest days of Conservative corruption. As the individual cannot offend against common honesty with impunity, so the present Government will hardly escape some retribution for such flagrant offences against the public trust as these. Those who have thus increased the burdens of the port, while at the same time reducing its efficiency, are the same men who reduced the salary of the chief engineer about two years ago by $1,000, ostensibly in the interests of economy, but really at the bidding of the Government, the object being to drive the chief engineer from office. We would again urge the business interests of this port to send a delegation to wait upon the Government at Ottawa with a strong protest against this appointment. We hope that the Government as a whole, if acquainted with the circumstances of this appointment by business men, will protect the interests of the port.

HORRIBLY MANGLED IN SHAFTING.

Toronto, Feb. 27.—Willie Townsend, aged 15, son of T. R. Townsend, Dominion Express agent at Toronto Junction, an apprentice in the C. P. R., was oiling in the shafting room last night at closing time, and began his work before the shafting commenced to revolve. He was not missed for a couple of hours, when one of the carpenters, passing through the shop, found the lad's body horribly mangled and completely naked. His clothing had evidently caught in the shafting.

Portfolio No. 7 is here. We have a few of No. 6 left. If you want them call quick.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 27.—By the decision of the Supreme Court yesterday upholding the trust clause of Senator Fair's will, the estate is now left for distribution in the hands of three trustees, W. S. Goodfellow, J. S. Angus and T. G. Crothers, who are to pay the income of the estate equally to Fair's children during their lives. Charles Fair gets nothing but a one-third interest in the income during his life. His issue, should there be any, are disinherited. If he should die, the income awarded to him goes to his sisters or to their issue. In case of the death of the three children the estate is to be divided as follows:—One-fourth to the issue of Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, one-fourth to the issue of Mrs. Herman Oelrichs, and one-half to the heirs of Mr. Fair's brother.

LABATT'S ALE and PORTER

USED MEDICINALLY: Have the recommendation of nearly all physicians. Reports of 4 chemists furnished on application.

USED DIETETICALLY: Stimulate the appetite, improve digestion, promote sleep.

NECESSARY with cheese—VALUABLE with soup and meat—ENJOYABLE with oysters.

AS BEVERAGES: Pure and wholesome.

Ask for "LABATT'S" when ordering.

HER MAJESTY'S NAVY USES

NOVO

So does the Cunard, White Star, P. & O. and Orient S. S. lines. Simply NOVO is the most wonderful compound ever made for cleaning paint work, carpets, linoleums and clothes of all kinds. Price, 12c and 20c per block. Ask your grocer for NOVO.

AGENTS FOR LONDON, - - - A. M. SMITH & CO.

MEN OF ALL AGES

suffering from the effects of early folly quickly restored to robust health, manhood and vigour. Lost Manhood, Premature Decay, Weak Memory, Errors of Youth, Night Losses, Varicocele, for ever cured.

$1 BOX OF MEDICINE FREE.

OLD DR. GORDON'S REMEDY FOR MEN in a few days will make an old man of 60 feel 20 years younger. Sent sealed, on the receipt of 12 cents to repay postages, full regular one dollar box, with valuable medical book rules for health, what to eat and what to avoid. No duty, no inspection by Custom House, reliable Canadian Company. Write at once; if we could not help you we would not make this honest offer.

QUEEN MEDICINE CO.,
w.s P. O. Box 947. G., Montreal.

Contents of English Volunteers' "Kit."

"KELPION" or Stainless Iodine Ointment, is the only remedy contained in the kit (see "The Daily Chronicle," London, Eng., 12th Jan.) as a dressing for their sore feet and wounds. It is also a cure for swollen glands and tonsils, goitre (big neck), lumps, morbid growths rheumatism, sciatica, lumbago, salt rheum, scrofula, sores, erysipelas, eczema, catarrhal sores, skin diseases, sprains, ulcers, felons, boils, stiff neck and knees, bruises, cuts, swellings and irritations. A leading doctor says:—"In my opinion it is the best and most useful ointment ever given to Canadian physicians and the public." Sold by all druggists, 25c. Try it. w,s&cw

You'll save more money on work than the extra you'll pay for Apollo galvanized iron—you may not pay any extra—your jobber does.

Apollo Iron and Steel Company, 26 St. Sulpice Street, Montreal.

Libby's are the largest hygienic kitchens in the world. All meats prepared are under U. S. Government inspection.

Libby's Brisket Beef

Perfectly cooked, compressed, and seasoned just right.

Prepared with such care that the delicious wholesomeness and all the nutriment of selected beef is retained. Makes a lunch or dinner substantial.

Of exceptionally fine flavor.

Convenient size, key opening cans.

Ask your grocer, or write

LIBBY, McNEILL & LIBBY, CHICAGO, ILL., U. S. A.

For your name on a postal we'll send New Edition "How to Make Good Things to Eat." 9A

TUCKETT'S NEW MYRTLE NAVY 4's

20 Cents.

SEE T. & B. IN GILT ON EACH PLUG.

GRAHAM FLOUR

Sweet, Pure, Wholesome,

Made from selected wheat. Our own manufacture. Just the thing for gems and graham bread

J. D. SAUNBY,

'PHONE 182. 1 RYDOUT ST.

Wood's Phosphodine,

The Great English Remedy.

Sold and recommended by all druggists in Canada. Only reliable medicine discovered. Six packages guaranteed to cure all forms of Sexual Weakness, all effects of abuse or excess, Mental Worry, Excessive use of Tobacco, Opium or Stimulants. Mailed on receipt of price, one package $1, six, $5. One will please, six will cure. Pamphlets free to any address.

The Wood Company, Windsor, Ont.

Wood's Phosphodine is sold in London by Anderson & Nelles and C. McCallum & Co., druggists.

THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK

RICHARD A. McCURDY PRESIDENT

STATEMENT

For the year ending December 31, 1899

According to the Standard of the Insurance Department of the State of New York

INCOME

Received for Premiums - -	$44,524,510 22
From all other Sources - -	14,365,557 99
	$58,890,077 21

DISBURSEMENTS

To Policy-holders for Claims by Death - - - - -	$15,629,979 43
To Policy-holders for Endowments, Dividends, etc. -	10,739,057 12
For all other accounts - -	12,228,444 13
	$38,597,480 68

ASSETS

United States Bonds and other Securities - - -	$176,185,461 74
First Lien Loans on Bond and Mortgage - - - -	74,794,821 63
Loans on Bonds and other Securities - - - - -	6,330,000 00
Loans on Company's Policies -	4,374,636 66
Real Estate: Company's 12 Office Buildings, and other Properties -	23,186,525 00
Cash in Banks and Trust Companies - - - - -	13,012,455 02
Accrued interest, Net Deferred Premiums, etc. - - -	6,960,637 41
	$301,844,537 52

LIABILITIES

Policy Reserves, etc. - -	$251,711,988 61
Contingent Guarantee Fund -	47,952,548 91
Available for Authorized Dividends - - - - -	2,180,000 00
	$301,844,537 52
Insurance and Annuities in force - - - - -	$1,052,665,211 64

I have carefully examined the foregoing Statement and find the same to be correct; liabilities calculated by the Insurance Department.

CHARLES A. PRELLER Auditor

ROBERT A. GRANNISS VICE-PRESIDENT

WALTER R. GILLETTE General Manager
ISAAC F. LLOYD 2d Vice-President
FREDERIC CROMWELL Treasurer
EMORY McCLINTOCK Actuary

THOMAS MERRITT, Manager, Toronto, Ont.

TENDERS WANTED.

WHOLE TENDERS FOR THE ERECTION and completion of the House of Refuge of the County of Essex will be received up to and including Saturday, March 17th, 1900, by Mr. Geo. F. Cronk, chairman of building committee, at Leamington. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of A. G. Baker, Leamington, and at the office of H. J. Powell, Stratford, Ont. Separate tenders both for steam and hot water will be required. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. A marked cheque for 2½ per cent. of the amount of the contract must accompany each tender. Such cheque will be returned to the unsuccessful tenderers. Successful tenderer will be required to give good and sufficient bonds for the due performance of the work.

y B21h H. J. POWELL, Architect.

—IT PAYS TO—

The Best

THE CANADA BUSINESS COLLEGE, CHATHAM, ONT.

Canada's greatest school of SHORTHAND and BUSINESS training still holds a very strong lead over its contemporaries. No better evidence of this claim need be offered than the following, which shows how widely this justly popular school is patronized. One hundred and forty-seven cities, towns and villages in Canada, United States and Newfoundland represented in the attendance during the year to date. Thirty counties in Ontario, six of the United States, together with five from Manitoba and Alberta, have sent their representatives. They come from the Atlantic on the east, to the Pacific on the west. Distance proves no hindrance to those who are determined to attend the best. The present is an excellent time of year to make a start. Pupils are admitted at any time. For catalogue, address

D. McLACHLAN & CO.,
B21de-w.s&wi Chatham, Ont.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Estate of Robert John Smith, Late of the Town of Ingersoll, in the County of Oxford, Hotelkeeper, Deceased (Formerly of the "Duke of York" Hotel, in London, Ontario.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT to R. S. O., 1897, Chapter 129, Section 38, that all persons having claims against the estate of the said Robert John Smith, who died on or about the thirty-first day of December, A. D. 1899, are requested to send by post, prepaid, or to deliver to Jno. J. Jackson, Esquire, solicitor for the executors, Ingersoll P. O., on or before the first day of March, A. D. 1900, their names, addresses and description, and full statement and particulars of their claims and the nature of the security, if any, held by them, duly certified, and that after the said date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.

Dated the fifteenth day of February, A. D. 1900. JNO. B. JACKSON, Solicitor for the executors of Robert John Smith, deceased. B17v-s,s,w

This Paper is Printed from INK —PURCHASED FROM— GEO. H. MORRELL & Co INK MANUFACTURERS, 17 to 31 Vandewater Street, NEW YORK.

AVERY CASEY

B. C. L., Barrister, etc., 90 Dundas street, London. Money at 5 per cent.