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STOCK MARKETS.

for cars of shorts and \$16 for bran in bulk, west or east; Manitoba, \$21 for cars 11. C. Becher, broker, Bank of Com-merce building, received the following by private wire from Bartlett, Frazier & 11. C. Becher, broker, Bank of Commerce building, received the following by private wire from Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington today.

New York, April 30—Close.—The bank statement was favorable beyond expectation, showing that in spite of enormous gold exports, the cash in banks has increased, and the surplus reserve is diminished only slightly. It had no effect on the market, however, being interpreted to mean that the business throughout the country is falling off to such an extent as to be reflected in a much less active demand for accommodations. Much comment is being made in greatly increased expenses of conducting railroad transportation, and it is reported that employes are now contemplating further demands. The market is entirely professional, but the feeling, if anything, is bearish.

MONTREAL.

MONTREAL.

	Montreal, April 30.		
1 16	ASK.	Off.	
Canadian Pacific	1171/2	1167	
Winnipeg Electric	200	150	
Montreal Street Railway	2098/	2091	
Toronto Railway	1013/2	1012	
Halifax Railway	100	92	
St. John Street Railway	120	106	
Twin City.	937/6	931	
Richelien & Ontario	861/2	587	
Montreal Telegraph		1561	
Bell Telephone	114	142	
Dominion Iron and Steel, o	em 101/4	10	
Dom. Iron and Steel, pref.		28	
Montreal H. L. and P	741/6	741	
Nova scotia Steel, com	771/6	77	
Detroit Railway	63	62	
Dominion Cotton	40	33	
Mackay, com	241/6	231	
Mackay, pref	71	613	
Dominion Coal, com	66	653	
Dominion Coal, pref		1081	
Int. Ocal	190	75	
Bank of Montreal	250	247	
Moisons Bank		200	
Merchants		160	
Ogilvie Flour			
Ogilvie Flour	120	115	
Cgilvie Bonds	115		
Union Bank			
Royal		1000	
Union Bank	135		
Hochelaga			
Northwest Land		160	

SALES: C. P. R., 100 at 117; Iron, preferred, 25 at 28½; Montreal Railway, 25 at 209%, 25 at 209; Nova Scotia, 20 at 77¾; Iron, common, 125 at 10, 5 at 10½; Mackay, preferred, 25 at 67%; Twin City, 20 at 93½; 25 at 93½; Nova Scotia, preferred, 25 at 116; Scotia bonds, 1,000 at 107½; Coal, common, 35 at 66; Bank of Toronto, 1 at 223.

WILLIAM ABBOTT,

Bond, Grain and Stock Broker. Torkspondent W. F. Dever & Co., New York, Boston and Chicago, Stocks bought and sold on margin and for cash. 113 Masonic Temple. Long distance phone

TORONTO.	
Toronto, Ap.	ril 30.
	127
Ontario	228
Toronto	157
Merchants	153
Commerce	217
Dominion	227
Standard	225
Standard	209
Nova Scotia270	-00
Traders	1371/2
800, com	601/2
Seo, pref	117
British America100	•
Western Assurance 80	
Imperial Life. 206½ Consumers Gas. 206½ Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land. Canada Northwest Land, pref Can. Pacific Railway Stock. 117½	149
Consumers Gas 20614	
Ontario and On'Appelle Land	94
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Can Pacific Railway Stock 11714	117
Toronto Electric Light	1341/8
General Electric	1431/2
London Electric	110/2
Dominion Teles raph	120
Bell Telephone144	1431/
Richelieu and Ontario Nav. Co 87	851/2
Niagara Navigation	1181/2
Northern Navigation 90	
St. L. and C. Navigation	92
Twin City Railway, new 931/2	927/8
Winnipeg St. Railway	160
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Crow's Nest Coal	80
Canada Landed and Nat. Inv	101
Canada Permanent	121
Canada Savings and Loan	1191/
Central Canada Loan	150
Dominion Savines and Invest	70
Hamilton Provident	120
Dominion Savings and Invest	180
Landed Banking and Loan	120
Manitona Loan	95
Manitoba Loan. Toronto Mortgage.	90
London Loan	30
London Loan	122
Toronto Savings and Loan	130
Dominion Iron and Steel Bonds. 641/4	61
Nova Scotia Steel Bonds	106
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SALES: Bank of Toronto, 1 a Beil Telephone, 25 and 5 at 144, 23 25 at 143%, 25 at 143%; Mackay c 10 at 23%; Mackay, preferred, 5 C. P. R., 5 at 1174, 25, 25 and 100 Toronto Electric Light, 25 and 25 Twin City, 10 at 93%; Dominion	at 671/2
C. P. R., 5 at 1174, 25, 25 and 100	at 1171/8
Toronto Electric Light, 25 and 25	at 1341/8
Twin City, 10 at 93¼; Dominior 100 and 10, 10 preferred at 28½; at 65½; Canada Permanent, 43	Steel
100 and 10, 10 preferred at 281/2:	Coal, 2
at 65% Canada Permanent 42	at 199
Dominion Steel bonds, 5,000 at 6	at the

HOUSES TO LET—HO for sale on monthly list at Scarrow's Wa Dundas street.	installm	ents. Store	See	Weak; receipts, 3,369 boxes; state full cream, fall-made, small fancy, 10%c to 11c; choice, 10c to 10½c; good to prime, 9c to 9½c; common to fair, 8c to 8½c; large fancy, 10%c to 11c; choice, 10c to 10½c;	which mization. The of year we
NEW YORK.				good to prime, 9c to 91/2c; common to fair,	Patron
Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker,			-lean	8c to 8½c; light skims, choice, 6c to 6½c; prime, 5½c to 5½c; part skims, prime, 4¾c	inson, F. Brya
Masonic Temple, for				to 5c; good, 4c to 4½c; common to fair,	Honor
	w York,			21/2c to 31/2c; full skims, 11/2c to 2c.	ex-presi
	High.			CHICAGO.	Honor
Amal. Copper 48		483/4	481/4		Christie.
American Sugar Co127	14 1271/2	12714	1271/4	Chicago, Ill., April 29.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 14c to 23c; dairies, 13c to 21c.	Col. Lin
American Foundry 17	¥			Cheese—Weak. 9c to 101/2c.	Arthur.
Atcheson, com 72		721/2	727/8		Presid
Atcheson Pfd 98		791/4	791/4	BEAN MARKETS.	Vice-I
B & O		46	16%	DETROIT.	Macdon
C.P. B			10/4	Detroit, April 20.—Beans—Cash, \$1 80;	
Chic. Great Western 16				May, \$1 80 bid.	Crichton
Consolidated Gas 209		2091/4	2093/8	AMERICAN MARKETS.	Secret
Delaware and Hudson_ 157				NEW YORK.	Execu
Ede 25	18 251/8	24%	247/8	New York, April 30,-Flour-Receipts,	Charles
Edison Gen. Electric 160	1/2 635/8 160	15934		12,725 bbls; sales, 2,700 pkgs; flour quiet	Rudd,
Illinois Central130		10074	103/4	and unchanged; Minnesota patents, \$5 to	Audit
Kan, and Tex, com 1				\$5 25; winter straights, \$4 80 to \$5; winter	A cor
Kan, and Tex.pref 37		1		patents, \$5 to \$5 35. Rye flour-Quiet.	warded
Louisville and Nashville.10	1/2 107 1/2	1071/4	1071/4	Wheat-Receipts, 3,000 bu; sales, 800,000	and af
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Mexican Central 7			921/4		meeting
M P. Sorfolk and W 5		57	57	delayed spring wheat seeding; May, 92%c	The a
Ont and West 3				to 931/2: July 89%c to 90%c; September,	doners
Pacific Mail S. S. Co 2				183%c to 84c Rye-Quiet. Corn-Dull and	register
Pennsylvania11	1/6 11776	1175%	1175%	featureless. Oats-Receipts, 46,500 bu.	above.

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PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, April 30.—Wheat—Steady, at 0c for No. 2 red and white, west; Manioba, 95½c for No. 1 hard, 94c for No. 1

LOCAL MARKET.

Notwithstanding the threatening wea

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, April 29.—Canadian cattle are steady, at 11½c to 12½c per lb; refrigerator beef, 10c to 10½c per lb; sheep, 12c per lb; yearlings, 14c.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, April 30.-Cattle-Receipts, 500;

market nominal; good to prime steers, \$5 to \$5 60; poor to medium, \$3 90 to \$4 85 stockers and feeders, \$3 to \$4 50; cows,

Hogs-Receipts, 14,000; market 5c to 10c

lower: mixed and butchers, \$4 75 to \$4 90; good to choice heavy, \$4 80 to \$4 90; rough heavy, \$4 70 to \$4 80; light, \$4 55 to \$4 75; bulk of sales at \$4 75 to \$4 80.

HAY MARKET.

Toronto, April 29.-Baled Hay-Fairly

Baled Straw-Car lots on track here are quoted unchanged at \$5 to \$5 50 per ton.

CORN! CORN!

Wheat, oats, etc. Market advices from Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington, members

of all leading stock and grain exchanges. Long distance 'phone 213.

H. C. BECHER, Bond and Stock Broker, 412 Richmond St.

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 29.-Oil opened and

Pittsburg, Pa., April 29.—The Standard Oil Company made a cut of 3c on all grades of crude oil except Ragland.

DAIRY MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, April 29.-Butter-Firm and

steady, at \$9 to \$9 50 per ton for car lots on track here. A special London cable says: The market is steady, with good

London, Saturday, April 30.

July..... 6 70 -May..... 6 25 July..... 6 42

Chicago, April 30.

Headquarters for Silk Elastic Stockings. Shoulder Braces, Crutches, Atomizers, Hot Water Bottles, Rubber Sheeting, etc.

Strong's Drug Store.

Sugar-Raw steady; fair refining, 3 3-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 11-16c to 3 23-32c; melasses sugar, 2-15-16c to 3 1-32c; refined steady. Coffee-Quiet; No. 7 Rio, 7%d. Lead-Quiet. Wool-Steady. Hops-

Lead—Quiet. Steady. ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL. Liverpool, April 30.—Wheat—Spot dull;
No. 1 California, 7s. Futures quiet; May,
6s 2%d; July, 6s 4%d.
Corn—Spot steady; American mixed,
new, 4s 3d; do, old, 4s 7d. Futures quiet;
May, 4s 3%d; July, 4s 3%d.
Peas—Canadian firm, 5s 7d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, dull,
8s 3d.
Hops (in London)—Pecific coast form toba, 36½c for No. 1 hard, 94c for No. 1 northern, 91c for No. 2 northern, and 87c for No. 3 northern, at Georgian Bay points, and 6c more grinding in transit. Flour—Steady, at \$3 60 bid for cars of 90 per cent patents in buyers' bags, west; choice brands are 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba at \$5 for cars of Hungarian patents, \$4 70 for second patents and \$4 60 for track at Toronto. Millfeed—Steady, at \$17 for cars of shorts and \$16 for bran in

Hops (in London)—Pacific coast firm, 6 6s to £6 15s. Beef-Easy; extra India mess, 58s 9d. Pork-Easy; prime mess wester Hams-Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady,

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 45s 6d.
con—Quiet; Cumberland cut, 6 to YY
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, quiet, 36s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, quiet, 36s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 35 lbs, quiet, 36s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, quiet, 36; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 35; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, quiet, 37s.
Lard—Prime western, in tierces, firm, 34s; American refined, in pails, steady, 35s. Butter-Good United States steady, 74s Cheese—Easy; American finest white, 3s; do, colored, 45s. 3s: do, colored, 45s. Tallow—Prime city easy, 22s 3d

Turpentine Spirits—Quiet, 42s 3d. Rosin—Common firm, 7s 3d. Petroleum—Refined steady, 71/4d. Linseed oil, 16s 3d. ther of this morning, there was a good-sized crowd at the market. The supply of small stuff was the feature of the market. The demand was good for everything offered, with the exception of maple syrup, which was a drug. Prices were steady as a rule for the majority of the lines represented.

Grain—Oats were in fair supply and the demand was brisk, at \$1 02 to \$1 00 per cwt; most of the loads went at the Wanted a Share in His Late Butter and Eggs-Butter continues to be dull, at 14c for crocks and 16c for pound rolls. Eggs were a shade higher at the opening of the market; 15c per dozen was Father's Estate—Action of the High Court. asked for large lots; later in the day most of those offered sold at 14c per dozen wholesale and 15c to 16c retail.

Vegetables and Roots—Potatoes were quite plentiful, at \$1.15 to \$1.25 per bag; the demand was good, and all the lots offered were sold early in the day; rhubarh was brisk at \$1. per deport. of the high court of justice held this morning. Mr. Justice Anglin presided barb was brisk, at \$1 per dozen; lettuce, for the first time, and the motions ons sold at 30c to were heard and disposed of in comper dozen. Parsnips were dull, at paratively short time. 50c per bag.
Poultry—There was not the usual supply for a Saturday, but more offered than any other day of the week; turkeys young man so closely identified with the Sifton murder trial, was interestwere scarce, at 16¢ to 17c per lb; dressed chickens sold at 85c to \$1 25 per pair.

Apples were scarce, at \$1 50 to \$1 75 per barrei, and 60c to 85c per bag; not enough offered to meet the demand.

Dressed Hora There were recombined as the control of the case and deed, was disposed of definitely. For some Dressed Hogs—There were only about eided to dismies the action.

20 carcases offered, which sold at \$6.25 to \$6.50 per cwt, mostly at the last-named was suing to get a share in Herbert, it has been explained before, was suing to get a share in his fath-

Live Hogs—Monday's price will be \$4.75 per cwt; for an extra good bunch \$4.80 will be paid; small pigs were again numerous; sales were slow, at \$4 to \$5 Sanders vs. Hammond-This was Butchers' Meats—There was a good demand for the moderate supply that was offered; veal sold from \$5 to \$7 per cwt; beef is higher, and some real choice stuff went at \$7.75 to \$8 per cwt; common beef sold at \$6 to \$6.50; mutton, \$6 to \$8; lambs, \$1 to \$5.50; mutton, \$6 to \$8; lambs, \$1 to \$6 to \$6 to \$8; lambs, \$1 to \$6 Re the estate of Robert Garner-\$4 to \$5.50 each; pork, hindquarters, 8c; forequarters, 7c per lb. Motion for construction of will. Judg-Maple syrup was offered in abundance; ment reserved. T. G. Mered'th, K. C., sales were a trifle brisker than on Thursday, at #1 per gallon; a few lotss went guardian of infant children; J. C. Jar-

vis, for estate: W. R. Meredith, jun., for adult children. THEY REMEMBER THE OLD HOME

Map Out an Aggressive Policy for Future.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,000; market steady; good to choice wethers, \$4 75 to \$5 65; fair to choice mixed, \$3 75 to \$4 75; native lambs, \$4 25 to \$5 90. The Winnipeg Morning Telegram The former residents of London, Ont., who are now living in Winnipeg are imong the most progressive in the mat-

ded to open a registration book for he entry of the names of London residents who have arrived in the city during the past year so that all may be located and become members of the as-sociation. The book will be kept at sociation. The book will be kept at wyatt's hardware store, No. 332 Main street, and in it will be found the names of all Londoners in Winnipeg, at the McClary minstrel performance was the work of Mr. B. E. Chadwick. was the work of Mr. Oliver Gelinas, BIG, BUT DULL, MARKET.

ple may take a rest and receive any information required. A committee will have charge of the text and receive any of the First Prosbutarian Church will have charge of the tent and will look after those applying for informa-

Robert Wyatt, president of the association, with Secretary George J. Cameron, was appointed a benevolent committee to look after a way appointed a w New York, April 29.—Butter—Firm and unchanged; receipts, 3,683 pkgs. Cheese—Weak; receipts, 3,389 boxes; state, full cream, fall-made, small fancy, 10%c to 11c; choice, 10c to 10½c; good to prime, 9c to 9½c; common to fair, 8c to 8½c; large fancy, 10%c to 11c; choice, 10c to 10½c; good to prime, 9c to 9½c; common to fair, 8c to 8½c; light skims, choice, 6c to 6½c; prime, 5½c to 5½c; part skims, prime, 4%c to 5c; good, 4c to 4½c; common to fair, 2½c to 3½c; full skims, 1½c to 2c. mittee to look after any cases of need which might be reported to the organ-lot at the southeast corner of Ontario

year were as follows: houses. Work Patrons—William Whyte, Jerry Rob- ar early date. on, F. W. Taylor, A. Hardy, George

President—Robert Wyatt.
Vice-Presidents—R. M. Elliott, Dr.
Macdonald, G. C. Keenleyside, W. M.

May, \$1 80 bid.

**AMERICAN MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York April 30.—Flour—Receipts.

12,775 bits; sales, 2,700 pkgs; flour quiet and unchanged; Minnesota patents, \$5 to \$5.5; winter straights, \$4 50 to \$5; winter patents, \$5 to \$5.5. Rye flour—Quiet. Wheat—Receipts, 3,000 bu; sales, \$00,000 bu; wheat opened about steady on the cables; the early session was firm but irregular on light northwest receipts, light offerings, a better cash demand and delayed spring wheat seeding; May, 27% to 33%; July, 85%c to 36%c; September, 25%c to 84c. Rye—Quiet. Corn—Dull and featureless.

**Orichton.

Secretary-Treasurer—G. J. Cameron. Executive Committee — H. Millman, Charles and thirty non the pay roll. In the event of a men leaving the employ of the foundant three hundred and thirty non the pay roll. In the event of a men leaving the employ of the foundant three hundred and thirty non the pay roll. In the event of a men leaving the employ of the foundant three hundred and thirty non the pay roll. In the event of a men leaving the employ of the foundant three hundred and thirty non the pay roll. In the event of a men leaving the employ of the foundant three hundred and thirty non the pay roll. In the event of a men leaving the employ of the foundant three hundred and thirty non the pay roll. In the event of the funeral will be held tomorrow to woodland Cemetery.

FORGOT TO RETURN IT.

The county police have been asked to be on the lookout for a horse and rig stolen at Springfield a few days ago. The outfit was hired by an unknown man about 27 years of age, and the funded and thirty non the pay roll. In the event of a man leaving the employ of the function of a few weeks ago.

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W. T. STRONG, Hamilton Takes Tinplate Industry From London

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ing for itself at the outset a large local

Determined to Locate in the Ambitious City.

According to the Hamilton papers London is about to lose an industry and Hamilton will secure it. The concern in question is the Canadian Tinplate Company, which has been doing business in this city for a couple of the Canadian Tinplate Company, which has been doing business in this city for a couple of the Canadian Tinplate Company, could not be found at the factory today, so that the above story could not be authenticated.

Will be increased to \$160,600, and the capacity will be doubled. At the outset from 80 to 100 hands will be employed, the majority of them being skilled workmen, making high wages.

"This makes the list of new manufactories assured with the past month as follows: The Mansfield Glass Company, the Petric Machine Company, and the capacity will be doubled. At the outset from 80 to 100 hands will be employed, the majority of them being skilled workmen, making high wages.

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plate Company, which has been doing business in this city for a couple of years. The Spectator says:

"Still another new industry is assured for this city of rapid manufacturing development. This time it is a concern from London, Ont. For over a year the management of the Canadian Tinplate and Decorating Company, which has been doing business in a small way in London, has been in communication with Assessment Commissioner Hall as to the advisability of a move to this city. The value of Hamilton as a center for this business impressed itself upon the Londoners, and, after a good deal of negotiating, they have at last decided to make a move.

"Within the past week a lease of the Norton Can Company's building, at the corner of York and Queen streets, been secured, and at an early date the plant of the company will be moved from the London factory and set up there. The company "manufactures fancy tin boxes for biscuits, tobaccos, lard, canned meats, etc., and in moving to this city is assuring for itself at the outset a large local output.

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Despite the above assertion, it is claimed at the city hall here that London sti "Just now the company is capitalized at \$56,000, but as soon as the move to Hamilton has been completed the capital

INEQUALITIES OF UNDERWRITERS' ADVANCE IN THE INSURANCE RATES

The Increase On Some Classes stead of making the advance on a perof Risks Is Much Heavier Than On Others.

when it is remembered that the fire other. On the buildings, the old rates ands of dollars, and that not a great the other.

centage basis, which would bear equally on all classes of risks, the centage basis, which would bear equally on all classes of risks, the underwriters tack on \$2.50 and \$5.50 decision of the Fire Underwriters' Association to raise the rates in the has much to do both on stocks DEATH OF WILLIAM STOTHERS. down-town and East London business and building rates - the latter districts-\$5 a thousand in the former, being raised in proportion to the floor and \$2 50 a thousand in the latter. The space. The rates on wholesale and rebusiness men do not feel that they tail stocks ranged heretofore from \$1 05 should be called upon the help pay the to \$2 40 down town, and on each of losses sustained by the companies in these 50 cents has to be added, meanthe Toronto fire, and more especially ing an advance of nearly 50 per cent do they consider the advance unjust, in one case and 20 per cent in the

deaprement of London has been great- ranged from 85 cents to \$1 85, or an ly strengthened during the last eight advance of close upon 60 per cent in months, at an expense of many thous- the first instance and 27 per cent in On residences in the downtown area

vance was made. They point out, also, affected by the increase, the rate for that in proportion to the amount of insurance carried some of the firms are for three years. Fifty cents is added to hit much harder than others. In- this, an increase of 83 per cent.

The case in which Walter Herbert the roung man so closely identified with Rumor Hamilton Wants Chief Clark Back Again and severe winter on the quail. The reports to hand show that large numbers of the hirds were killed, but that

Head of London's Fire Brigade streets. Another permit was taken out by J. Leah for two one-and-a-half Says He Knows Nothing About It.

It would appear from a story which was given out on good authority to- mates had a ready handshake for him. that Hamilton is somewhat sorry that Chief Clark was allowed to come on the Hamilton fire brigade, and it is said that the Ambitious City will make an attempt to have Mr. Clark fire chief can be better engaged than Hamilton is ready to increase his pres- money to guard. ent salary to have him return.

Chief Clark was seen by a reporter today and was asked if he had been registered with City Clerk Edwards, 81 approached on the matter. He replied that he had not. He passed through April, 1903, there were 51 births, 18 Hamilton on his way to Toronto on marriages and 53 deaths. Thus there

\$1 50 to \$1 35; heifers, \$2 25 to \$4 75; canners, \$1 50 to \$2 60; bulls, \$2 25 to \$4; calves, \$2 50 to \$5 75; Texas-fed steers,

Man Out an Accrossive less the Hamilton salary was a very good one. There threatens to be a big shake up in the Toronto fire brigade one of these days, and it is said sever- ling fire, and that he is suffering from al local firemen may receive offers to no optical disease. Already the optic go to the Queen City. has been examined by three or four go to the Queen City.

> mits were issued from the city engi-neer's office. All of the permits were for dwellings, not a single permit for a factory or repairs to a factory ap-

story dwelling houses (brick veneer), on Dundas street, east of Egerton. Fireman Taylor, who has been in the hospital for some weeks undergoing an operation for appendicitis, was able to

be around the hall today. His former

Instead of Chief Clerk carrying the to London. It is well known that money around and paying his men himsome important changes are about due self, as has been done heretofore, all return to Hamilton. In fact, it is said running around with a satchel of

During the month of April there were births, 38 marriages and 57 deaths. In Thursday night, but he had seen no one there regarding returning to Hamriages and 4 more deaths. As compared with the month of March, there were in educational institutions. The children most pleasant evening. Of course, London would be sorry to with the month of March, there were in lose the chief, and it is hardly likely April 14 more births 9 more marriages

Fireman Jack Crawford says that THE CONVOCATION. his eye, with which he has had much trouble of late, was injured in the Sterphysicians, and Mr. Crawford intends During April seventeen building per- to consult a specialist in Buffalo

> A rumor was current around the city hall today that ex-Fireman Frank

At the second annual meeting of the association held in the Queen's Hotel dining-room the other night it was de-

-Mr. Oliver Scott, at one time proprietor of a King street hotel, is leav-

-Ex-Ald. Wilkey has bought a large and Elias streets, and will erect there-The officers elected for the ensuing on a number of story-and-a-half brick serious fires during the month, year were as follows:

| And Ellias Streets, and and and an arrangement of story-and-a-half brick serious fires during the month, houses. Work will be commenced at PASTOR'S SALARY BAISET

-The funeral of the late Mr. Thos. F. Bryan.

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—The funeral of the late Mr. Thos.

Graham, of 518 Waterloo street, was held this afternoon to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Being of a private nature it was attended only by the immediate friends and relatives. Rev. George J.

Bisnop, pastor of the First Methodist Church, conducted the services.

works has remained unchanged since the reduction of a few weeks ago. About three hundred and thirty nentare now on the pay roll. In the event of a man leaving the employ of the company, his place will be filled, when possible, with one of the number who were leid off.

Mrs. Matilda Scott, wife of Thomas Scott, concession 2, Delaware Township, died on Thursday at the family residence. She was 42 years of age. The funeral will be held tomorrow to Woodland Cemetery.

FORGOT TO RETURN IT.

The county police have been asked. -The staff and hours at the car

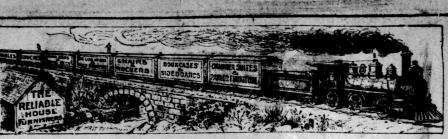
—The friends of Mr. A. B. Cox will be much gratified to hear that there was a marked change for the good in the students qualified for free transportation to their homes. Fred Moore, of St. Marys, secured 65 per cent of the Though the appointment to the students qualified for free transportation to their homes. Fred Moore, of St. Marys, secured 65 per cent of the Though the appointment to the students qualified for free transportation to their homes. The market of the student was "plucked" in the students qualified for free transportation to their homes. Freed Moore, of St. Marys, secured 65 per cent of the students qualified for free transportation to their homes. The statement was "plucked" in the students qualified for free transportation to their homes. The statement was "plucked" in the students qualified for free transportation to their homes. The statement was "plucked" in the students qualified for free transportation to the students qualified for free transporta 75 per cent of the total marks, these possible. The papers of Victor Braith--The orchestration which was so much admired by the large audiences at the McClear ministral performance rejected, and these students struck off the college books for misconduct in

> The market this morning, was big, but dull. There were the usual offerings of produce of all kinds, but there was little change in prices. Maple syrup was abundant, and a drug.

The firemen responded to 21 alarms during the month of April. Four of these were grass fires, and a half doze were chimney blazes. There were n PASTOR'S SALARY RAISED

The vestry of St. George's Church, West London, at a meeting last even-ing, decided to increase the salary of the rector, the Rev. G. B. Sage, by \$100. Improvements in the school house were discussed and plans are to be submitted to an adjourned meeting. DEATH IN DELAWARE.

Mrs. Matilda Scott, wife of Thomas



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day morning at 11:05 for Denver, Col., where they will in future reside. They their honor Wednesday evening las by Mr. Robert Crawford, Horton street uncle of Mrs. Clinger. About 50 persons were present including the Kenwick male quartet. Music and games were indulged in.

STILL THEY COME. James Grant and James Jeffries ar being tried on more cases of theft be fore Squire Laces this afternoon. These are the two young Englishmen to whom Detectives Paisley and Northgreaves have attached a long list of thieveries in London Township. They are being tried today on a charge of stealin from P. H. Lawson and John Bickley. ELKS WILL ATTEND.

The merchants and manufacturers of London protest against the recent decision of the Fire Underwriters' As-

Mr. William Stothers, uncle of Co Stothers, of Crumlin, died at the lat ter's home yesterday at the age of 75 years. Mr. Stothers had spent a great many years in Harlem, N. Y., where he was engaged in business, but he re- Is better than any other kind. tired nine years ago, since which time Crumlin. His wife died many years ego. The funeral will be held to Brown's Cemetery, Nissouri Township where the remains will be laid beside

those of Mr. Stothers' mother. The funeral services will be conducted by the rector of the Anglican Church at HOW THE QUAIL WINTERED.

Mr. Montague A. A. Smith, of Forcommission, has been conferring with Mr. Tinsley, chief game warden of the Province, as to the effect of the long and severe winter on the quail. The bers of the birds were killed, but that a fair breeding stock is left over. The the breeding season before determin-ing to ask the Government to proclaim term.

RUNAWAY-SMALL DAMAGE. A team of horses belonging to a they were emerging from a lane cast otherwise no damage was done. FOR EMPIRE DAY.

Half a dozen copies of the new patriotic song, "Colonials and the Flag." have been presented to the board of is quite new, has been specially rection. Hon. Richard Harcourt. for a of the London schools will in all probability be taught the song for the day named

The convocation of the London Med-

cal College will be held at the Auditorium on Monday evening, when the graduating class of eighteen students purposes handling the very best goods will take farewell of their alma mater. in those lines, and if straightforward The exercises will be along much the same lines as those of previous years. with prices and quality as good as the The reading of the valedictory has been hest allotted by the graduates to Mr. Edward Spence, the gold medalist of the native city, and the membership of the organization known as the London Old Boys' Association has been growing steamly and showing remarkable enterprises. custom to select the one who stood at the head of the class. Mr. Spence casion at the examinations during the past four years, and when it came to the final he had a very substantial lead over the balance of the class. Not one student was "plucked" in the grad-

Though the appointment has not been officially announced as yet, it is ed in Antigue. There are now 4,000 acres understood that Mr. Richard Griffith under cotton cultivation in the smalwill succeed Mr. Reycraft as assistant ler islands of the West Indies. superintendent of the London Street ing the summer a sample of Sea Island Railway. Since Mr. Reycraft sent in cotton was received at Liverpool from his resignation some days ago, the employes have presented a petition to the best cotton ever seen in England. Manager Carr asking him to retain the services of Mr. Reycraft. The petition it is understood, bears 100 names. On monday the company will begin run-

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tains, furniture coverings, and in R. PARKER & CO., Cleaners and Dyers, Richmond Street, near corner of Dundas, London, Ont.

•++++++++++++++++++ ning cars on the Springbank line two trips in the morning—one at 6:30 and

ENTERTAINED THE CHOIR. The Empress Avenue Methodis London Township farmer named Rout- Church choir were entertained last ledge, ran way on King street this evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. morning. They took fright just as R. G. Bowie, who have always taken a deep interest in all departments of of Richmond street, and they ran the church work. During the evening west to the market square, where they Miss Mabel Greene was presented with were captured. A quick swerve of the rig dumped its contents on fo the desk in appreciation of her valuable road. A wheel was also broken, but services so cheerfully rendered from time to time in presiding at the church organ and otherwise helping in the service of song. Miss Alice Greenway read the address, and Miss Carrie Wilson made the presentation. Miss education by the composer, Mrs. (Dr.) Greene thanked the choir for their Keane, of Brantford. The song, which kindness. A musical and literary programme was then rendered, after ommended by the Minister of Educa- which refreshments were served. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered place on the programme for Empire the host and hostess, and then the

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