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Russia Massing Troops on Her Western Borders.

The Only Son of the Prince of Wales to Visit Canada.

Gladstone Narrowly Escapes Serious Accident. The Queen's Compliment to an Ameri

can Woman - Skirt Dancing by an English Countess-Accident to Prince Edward of Lieningen—Medical Opinion of the Melbourne Murderer-Edmund Yates' Gessip.

Canadian Trade.

LONDON, April 13 .- The London Board Trade returns show that the exports to Trade returns and a formal increased 5 per cent. during March 7 per cent. during the three months; ports from Canada 21 and 38 per cent. Prince Edward Badly Hurt.

NICE, April 13 -- Prince Edward of iningen, only brother of Prince Ernest, head of the Leinengin family, while alightfing from his carriage here was run over by a passing vehicle and sustained very seri-

Prince George Coming to Canada. LONDON, April 13 .- It is announced that Prince George of Wales will visit Canada in 1893. After visiting Quebec, Montreal, and other places in the Dominion, he will go to Chicago and attend the World's

Bombs in Belgium.

LUXEMEURG, April 13.—Consternation was caused in the rollway station here today by the discovery of two enormous dynamite bombs on a train which had just arrived from Erussels. They were of size the train to atoms.

Can't Sue to Recover a Bet.

LONDON, April 13.—A bill has passed both Houses, and is now only awaiting the royal assent, making bets irrecoverable in a court of law, whether made directly or indirectly. Hitherto they could be recovndirectly. Hitherto they could red if made through an agent.

Brazil's Trouble Due to Anarchists. LONDON, April 13 .- The Brazilian Minister here says that the seditious move ment in Brazil has been promoted by Ansrchists, who have been imported into the country in large numbers lately from Poland and East Frussia. The Republic is now quiet, he says, and the garrisons

Another War Scare. Paris, April 13 .- The massing of troop along the western frontier of Russia is still a matter of discussion among military men.

a matter of discussion among mittary men, and considerable conjecture is indulged in as to the object of Russia in sending such large forces to the western provinces.

The Eclair says several leading Russian generals have left St. Petersburg to assume command of the troops massed on the German frontier.

Deeming's Deficiencies.

LONDON, April 13 .- Mr. Marshall Lyle, Melbourne, solicitor for Deeming, the notorious criminal now under arrest here, employed a doctor to make an examination of the prisoner. The doctor says that Deeming is an instinctive criminal. His lead only measures C inches in diameter, which is exceedingly small, compared with his height. The doctor describes his whole character as one of extreme stupidity and coarrest animality. His escape from arrest hitherto, the doctor says, must have been due more to accident than to any cunning he was capable of.

The Queen's Gift to Mrs. Carson. LONDON, April 13 .- The Queen has just sent another testimonial of her appreciation of the American artist Carpenter's "International Arbitration' picture, which has been placed by her orders in the royal banquetting room of Windsor Castle, to Mrs. Carson, of Newburg, N. Y., who presented the painting to her Majesty in the name of the women of the United States. name of the women of the United States. Besides the royal acknowledgments from the Queen, dated Feb. 27, the day the court mourning for the Duke of Clarence expired, her Majesty sent a second letter asking Mrs. Carsen's acceptance of a full length portrait of herself, mounted and framed, with the date in her Majesty's handwriting, together with her autograph.

Skirt Dance by a Countess. LONDON, April 13 .- In the Royal Theater a performance was given last evening for the benefit of the National Lifeboat Institution. There was a large crowd of fashionable persons present. After W. S.
Gibbert's "Sweethearts" had been performed, the Countess Russell, wife of Earl
Russell, irom whom she made an unsuccaseful attempt to be divorced, and her
sister, Mrs. Dick Russell, appeared in a
specialty. These performers were handsomely attired in similar coatumes of black
and silver, with white wings, and clinging
black lace skirts. The Countess had a
coronet fastened conspicuously to the front
of her accordion-pleated dress. The ladies
received quite an ovation when they made
their appearance. Their contribution to
the performance consisted of a skirt dance,
in which they were assisted by the Messra.
F. and C. Lambert, who were also artired
in fantastic costumes.

Gigletones because the benefit of the National Lifeboat Insti-

Gladstone's Narrow Escape. London, April 13 .- Mr. Gladstone, starting for Hawarden yesterday, had a parrow escape from a serious accident near Square station. Owing to the the Euston Square station. Owing is street being shapery, the horse attach the carriage felt. The horse struggiths feet, but fell again, breaking shafts. The carriage was violently and it was feared that it would ever. There was a right of specito assist Mr. and Mrs. Gadstone. specia enerable couple both rea Vacciable couple both remained cool. Art. Gladstone arighted que ly and assisted Mrs. Gladstone cut, and infling a cab helped her into it. The beggate was then removed from the wreakest carriage and leaded on the cab. Mr. Gladstone gave a glance to see that the fellen horse was being humanely attended to, and then, enter-

ing the cab, he was driven rapidly to the station, which he reached in time to catch

Edmund Yates' Gossip.

London, April 13.-A correspondent n St. Petersburg informs me that the Czarewitch is going to America early in June for a few months. The Emperor wishes his eldest son to marry at once, but the Czarewitch declines to contemplate a permanent settlement in life, and it is hoped that another distant tour may lead him to change his views on the subject. The Czarewitch has given his father a great deal of trouble during the last two years, and is the cause of much anxiety to the imperial family. The Czarewitch will accompany the Emperor and Empress to Copenhagen for the celebration of the golden wedding of the King ond Queen of Denmark on May 28.

The reception of the Hyeres Crimean veterans by the Queen caused much annoyance to the French Government, for every effort has lately been made to bury the Crimean war in oblivion, and the revival of that unwelcome topic is regarded as neculiarly uneascable at the firm whether the substantial processing the properties of the prope Czarewitch is going to America early in

that unwelcome topic is regarded as peculiarly unseasonable at the time when there are disquieting reports of an impend-ing rapproachment between Russia and

Germany.

Mr. Gladstone was one of the eager and industrious readers in the British Museum on three or four days of last week in the intervals of his Parliamentary labors, Folkestone preparations and a few dinner parties. He is busily preparing for his reappearance before the University of Oxford in the autumn as the first lecturer. reappearance before the University of Oxford in the autumn as the first lecturer on the newly-founded Romanese trust. The occasion is wholly non-political, and, the general election permitting, promises to be one of the highest interest. The subject is "Universities in the Middle Ages," and the eminent lecturer is, I understand, in particular preparing an elaborate comparison between Paris and Oxford.

Because Lord Randolph Churchill has let the first part of the session go by without

Because Lord Randolph Churchill has let the first part of the session go by without barking it may not be too readily presumed that he will not bite before the end of the present Parliament. Though he has said nothing publicly and little privately he has been thinking a good deal. Two subjects in particular have been engaging his attention, army reform and taxation. On both of these points he was at one time prepared to take upan advanced position, but his present attitude is one of almost entire acquiescence with the heads of the party which he once led and early in the year there was unwith the heads of the party which he once led and early in the year there was undoubtedly a prospect of his proving antagonistic. Up to now he has been effectually hobbled and when the biting does come it is far more likely to effect his opponents than his colleagues which could not have been said a few weeks ago. He is still, however, as he always has been liable to yield to one temptation, that of letting to yield to one temptation, that of letting his tactical genius be over-ruled by his love of effect. If he gets a really good chance of playing to the gallety he will take it whoever suffers thereby.

115 Houses Burned and Seven Lives Lost.

LONDON, April 14 .- Two fires have occurred in the Bohemian village of Molliken. Seventy houses were burned and four persons perished; and in the Moravian village of Moeidlau, where 45 houses were consumed, three persons lost their lives.

A French Repulse in West Africa. LONDON, April 14.—A dispatch from Freetown, West Africa, says: "Messengers expedition has been repulsed near Kairai-wane, and that four French efficers and 81 cative soldiers have been released. from King Sammadu report that the French rative soldiers have been taken prisoners. The French force is awaiting reinforcements before renewing the attack.

Settling the Hirsch Lands. BERLIN, April 14 .- The Jewish Emigration Committee has decided not to assist Russian Jews except such as are accepted as suitable for colonization. These will be sent in batches of 100 to the United States. Others will be sent slowly to the Argentine Republic, and none will be sent to Palestine. It is estimated that it will take twenty years to settle the Hirsch lands.

THE NEW YORK LIFE. New Staff of Officers Elected-Mr. Beers'

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\$37,500 Pension Vetces.

New York, April 13.—The annual election of the trustees of the New York Life
Insurance Company took place to-day.
Forty-seven thousand voices were cast in
favor of the ticket named by President
McCall and by the policy-holders' committee. Ex-Mayor W. R. Grace, Judge
Hiram R. Steele, C. C. Baldwin, Walter
Lewis and Henry C. Mortimer were elected
trustees. Mr. Grace takes the place of exPresident Beers, and Judge Steele that Ofloh N. Stearnes. The other three trustees

John N. Stearnes. The other three trustes were re-elected.

It was resolved that the pension of \$37, to was resolved that the pension of SS7, 500 a year awarded ex. President Beers by the former board of trustees should not be paid. Mr. Beers was not present at the meeting for the first time in 23 years. He has announced his intention of contesting his president in the second

his pension in the courts. PREACHER VS. POLICE.

Dr. Parkhurst Reiterates His Charges
Against New York's Municipal
Guardians.

New York, April 13.—Dr. Parkhurst
has addressed a letter to the citizens of
New York city in which he says: "My
object is not so much to defend the methods which I have seen it was wise to adoptas to put in distinct shape the one object ods which I have seen it was wise as to put in distinct shape the one object toward which I am working, whether as I took and maintained the position not only were the general charges had previously made supported by but specifically that liquor saloens bling heuses and disreputable house protected by the police department ently for a vehable consideration. evidence which with the a evidence which with the and friends I was easily able to collect and friends I was easily able to collect was secured with the distinct end of showing by unimpeachable testimony something of the extent, irfamy and publicity of certain crimes, with the neces-partition of the security o publicity of certain crimes, with a sary inference that if a police force as competent as ours is conceded to be, and in the possession of all those lead powers known to be accorded to it, fails to hold such crimes in stern check, it can be only because of having entered into some evil broads with them. cab alliance with them."

to the Ohio, which was once the great avenue of travel between the East and West has now fallen into decay and disuse.

Late Canadian News

Mme. Albani Visits Her Father at Chambly, Que.

The Pictou election case of McColl vs.
Tupper, Minister of Marine, is set down
for hearing April 29.
It is reported that Hon. J. A. Chapleau
has so far recovered that he will leave for
Ottawa on Monday to assume his duties as
Minister of Customs.

When shown the dispatch in regard to

the rumor that he was to be appointed vice-president of the Great Northwestern Telegraph Company, Mr. Adam Brown admitted that it was true.

has always looked after her father.

The new Masonic hall erected by Mattawa Lodge, No. 405, was formally dedicated by M. W. Bro. John Ross Robertson, grand master, of Toronto, on Wednesday afternoon. At the close of the ceremony the grand master delivered his treatise on "One Hundred Years of Craft Masonry in Canada," and was accorded a warm vote of thanks.

thanks.

Rev. A. M. Phillips has written to the Papors a short letter disclaiming heretical teaching on the atonement. He alleges that his views as now proclaimed have been openly preached by him for ten years, that he is preaching on the subject at the request of his quarterly board, and that his views are in harmony with those taught in Pope's theology and Wesley's sermons.

Over 300 000 husbels of coru and wheat

Over 300,000 bushels of corn and wheat have been chartered at Chicago for Mon-treal via Kingston. J. H. Metcalfe, M.P., Kingston, is now able to walk about home. He expects to go to Ottawa after Easter.

Messrs. Minnes and Lockbart, house surgeons in the hospital at Kingston, were nearly asphyxiated by gas from a defective pipe on Wednesday night.

It is said that Rev. Mr. Argue will be re-At he said that Kev. Mr. Argue will be requested to take charge of the McDougall Memorial Church as successor to the late pastor, Rev. C. E. Stafford.

L'Electeur publishes the dissolution of the Belleau Printing Company. Mr. Pacaud is now the sole proprietor of L'Electeur, wich will be published henceforth as an evening

for inside lots in the best residential part of the Hudson Bay Company's reserve in Manitoba, has been decided upon by that Maintona, has been destroyed by the Company.

Michael Sherbaneau, employed by the Rathbun Company in the woods back of Tweed, was accidentally shot in the thigh by a companion on Tuesday. He was taken to the Kingston hospital. His mind

The mothers of three bad boys went to

the mothers of three bad boys well to the police station in Kingston on Wednes-day, where they were given rawhides and put in a room with the boys. The shrieks lasted for some time and then the boys were liberated. were interated.

A Winnipeg dispatch says that horses that ranged for themselves in the far North during the winter are being brought in, and are in excellent condition. This fact bears out all that has been claimed for that country as a wintering laimed tor

It is feared, says a Victoria, B. C.

special, that trouble is to be experienced up north. The Indians from the Upper Skeena threaten to kill the Government agent there if an Indian whom he has in custody charged with murder is sent down to Victoria for trial. The Indians are greatly enraged about the matter.

TERRIFIC EXPLOSION.

A Pennsylvania Pewder Mill Goes Up— Eight Persons Killed and Four Injured.

SCRANTON, Pa., April 13.—The glazing nill of the Moosic powder works at mill of the Moosic powder works at doosic, exploded at 11 o'clock to-day, dilling seven men and wounding five, one t whom has died. No one knows how the accident occurred.

POLITICAL POINTS.

There will be no labor candidate for the Legislature in Toronto this trip.

The Liberal convention will be held on Tuesday next and the Conservative gather g on the following day to nominate candidates for the Toronto by-election.

At a convention of South Perth Liberals in Mitchell on Wednesday it was decided to protest the election of Mr. Pridham. Speeches were made by Mr. James Trow and Mr. W. T. R. Preston.

and Mr. W. T. R. Preston.

J. B. Wood had a hearing at Welland on Wednesday before Police Magistrate Hellems, charged with perjury in the late election case. He was committed for trial. He escaped trial at the last Cayuga Assizes of the heart of the proof of the pr on account of the sheriff having summone the wrong jury.

the wreng jury.

Mr. Grieve, North Perth, accepts the decision of the Supreme Court philosephically. "In my opinion," he said to a reporter, "I am confident that the loan to Gowing was an ordinary transaction between friends and did not bear out the control of tween friends and did not bear out the con-struction of corrupt practice put upon it by three of the Supreme Court judges." Con-tinuing he said: "What we have to do now is to put renewed energy into the fight to retain the riding for honest government and freedom of trade."

BASEBALL. John Rainey, the well-known baseball player, left Hamilton vesterday afternoon for Binghamton, N. Y. He is going to play with Binghamton this season.

ALERTS VS. STARS.

Weather permitting, the Alerts and Streamilton one more on the

Stars will try conclusions once more on the at 3 o'clock sharp. A good game may be expected, as both teams have been considerably strengthened since last season. The following well-known players will take

POSITION. ... Spence

Dogs and men can climb the greatest

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 14, 1892. THE WORKING WORLD.

Distress in Yorkshire - Wiremen Get
More Wages - Lancashire Cotton
Spinners Will Strike.

A dispatch from Middlesbore, Yorkshire,
says that owing to the Durham miners'
strike children are crying in the streets for

bread.

The long-pending contest for the secre-taryship of the Amalgamated Engineers' Association in London resulted in a declar-Amderson Anderson tion of the ballots as follows: Anderson ation of the ballots as follows: Anderson, 17,925; Tom Man, 17,037; Glenny, 727. Three hundred electric light wiremen in New York went on strike for an increase in wages, and the greater portion of them returned to work, the increase having been agreed to by many of the firms. The men had been paid \$1 50 to \$2 50 per day. The union demanded a uniform scale of wages of \$3 50 a day.

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A cable dispatch states that the efforts to settle the dispute between the employes and mill owners in the Lancashire cotton district have failed, and that on Saturday

district have failed, and that on Saturday the operatives will go out on strike, when 15,000 spindles will be idle.

All the engravers of the Cocheco Print Works at Dover, N. H., struck Wednesday morning for a reduction of working hours from 58 to 52 per week.

AN AWFUL FALL Two Workmen Dashed to Death—A Man's Body Crashes Through a Plank One and a Half Inches Thick.

One and a Half Inches Thick.

New York, April 14.—The new Astor Hotel, Waldorf, under construction at Thirty-third street and Fifth avenue was the scene of a terrible accident yesterday afternoon. Geo. Pieffer, 67 years old, an iron worker, and his heiper, Rudoiph Sherkle, aged 45, were at work on the iron cupola when the cornice gave way. The two men's bodies crashed through a scaffolding men's bodies crashed through a scanoiding on the third floor as if it was so much pasteboard. At the second floor Pfeiffer's body went through a one and a half inch plank to the pavement. Sherkle's body struck the end of a plank, broke it off and bounded into the street where it struck a laborer and broke his arm. Sherkle is married and had five children.

DIED IN THE LODGE ROOM.

Mr. Wilson Was Attending His Son's Initiation When Stricken Down.

Initiation When Stricken Down.

New York, April 14.—Stephen R.

Wilson, suprintendent of the almshouse of
Newark, dropped dead in the Masonic
Temple while awaiting his sun's initiation
into the secrets of Masonry. Mr. Wilson
was 61 years old, a prominent Mason and
well known in political circles in Newark.

His son, Edgar Wilson, who is assistant
city editor of the Mail and Express, applied
recently for admission to Sylvan Grove

recently for admission to Sylvan Grove Lodge No. 275, F. & A. M., and went with Lodge No. 275, F. & A. M., and were with his father to the lodge room on the fourth floor of the Masonic Temple. Together with other candidates, father and son were sitting in an anteroom talking together, when suddenly the old man fell back uncon-

ors. May and Manning, who were in the lodge room, were summoned, and at once pronounced him dead. The news was communicated to Master W. P. Griffith, who immediately closed the lodge. The body was removed to the library and Coroner Messemer summoned. Death was due to heart failure, evidently superinduced by excitement.

REDUCED TO ASHES.

Big Blaze in Yarmouth, N. S.-Conflagra

YARMOUTH, N. S., April 13.—At 8 o'clock to night a fire broke out in the neighborhood of Homer's candy store, Main street, opposite the Hotel Lorne, resulting in the burning to the ground of L. J. Kelly's shoe store, W. B. Homer's confectionery store, T. K. Knight's bookstore and Geo. F. Parker's photo studio. At 10

and Geo. F. Parker's photo studio. At 10 o'clock the fire is still raging.
GUELT, April 13.—This afternoon fire broke out in the stables of Jos. Hefferan, auctioneer. A Clyde stallion, cow, stable and other contents were destroyed. Loss about \$1,500; insured.
WASHINGTON, April 13.—This morning fire was discovered in the pressroom of the Evening Star building. About 60 printers were at work on the upper floor, besides a

were at work on the upper floor, besides a large number of employes in other parts of

large number of employes in other parts of the building. All escaped with difficulty. Loss, \$25,000.

New York, April 14.—Last night's fire in Long Island city caused damage to the amount of \$150,000. The buildings burned were the storage shed of the Long Island Railway, the moulding mill of Laphan & Co., the building containing the electric light plant and dynamos of the Long Island Railway Company, and Clark & Simpson's Railway Company, and Clark & Simpson's Railway Company, and Clark & Simpson' produce warehouse. The fire also de-stroyed the lumber yards of E. W. Mo-Cleave & H. G. Whiting, the Tunis Sims Lumber Company and Burroughs lumber

Spring Snow Storms. OMAHA, Neb., April 13.—Snow began falling here at 5 o'clock this afternoon, and the storm is still raging with wind from

Books, Iowa, April 13.—A snew storm set in this morning, and a severe storm is now raging.

Lost Both Eyes.

Ann Arror, Mich., April 13.—Edward Demiil Campbell, assistant professor of metalungy in the university, met with a terrible accident yesterday. He was making

terrible accident yesterday. He was making an experiment in steel testing in his laboratory and an explosion followed his mixing of the chemicals, breaking the glass vessel and filling both of his eyes with the broken glass. He was removed to the University Hospital, where it was found that the sight had been destroyed in both eyes, and Dr. Marrow removed the useless members. He has a wife and two small children.

The Brantford Shooting Case. small children.

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Brantford, April 13.—At the Assize Court this morning, Thomas R. Saunders was placed in the dock on a charge of shooting his wife with intent on 23rds of December last. He pleaded not guilty, and was defended by Mr. L. F. Heyd, while the Crown was represented by Mr. George Wells, Q.C., of Simcoe. The jury, after an absence of hall an hour, brought in a verdict of guilty of the misdemeanor of unlawfully and maliciously wounding the woman Saunders. The judge suspended sentence. Mrs. Saunders kept a disreputable house.

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W. T. Sanone, druggest, 184 Dundas

W. T. Strong, druggist, 184 Dundas cetstr, keeps a tult line of toilet articles.

SPECULATED IN STOCKS.

An Elgin Farmer's Insane De sire to Acquire Wealth.

A Nephew of Hon, Goo. Brown also Loses His Wealth in Toronto,

AyI.MER, April 14.—About two years ago Amos Charlton, a well-to-do farmer and the owner of a fine 140-acre farm in South Dorohester, decided to take matters easy, leased his farm and moved into Aylmer. Becoming tired of having nothing to do, he decided to enhance his private means and Becoming tired of having nothing to do, he decided to enhance his private means and become a millionaire by dabbling in wheat in Chicago. He commenced operations one year ago. The usual result followed, he being thoroughly cleaned out by the Chicago stocks, to the tune of \$15,000. He has made an assignment to Wm. Warnock, banker. His assets are placed at \$9,000; preferential liabilities, \$5.800, and unsecured \$10,200. Mr. Charlton stood high in the estimation of the public, no one ever dreaming of a cool-headed farmer dealing in Chicago margins.

Toronto, April 14.—A. G. Brown, for the past year or two carried on here what appeared to be a successful broking and commission business. He had a private wire connection with Chicago, and last year cleared about \$25,000 in a pork deal in

commission business. He had a private wire connection with Chicago, and last year cleared about \$25,000 in a pork deal in the Chicago market. Rumor at the time made it \$60,000. His successes induced him to launch out into a very extravagant style of living. Meanwhile his speculations became less and less successful, and he began to incur heavy debts. He did a good deal of business for clients on the Chicago market last week, but settled up with none of them, though a good many of them claim to have been lucky in their hits. Brown has not been seen here since Friday. He left about \$30,000 of debts here, principally to customers. Brown comes of one of the best Canadian families, being a hephew to the late Hon. George Brown. He is a young man of 27, and was married a few months ago to Miss Sherwood, of Ottawa, sister of the Dominion chief of police.

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In addition to leaving on rough estimate about \$30,000 of debts to customers and others, it is stated that Brown has been guilty of the much more heinous crime of forgery, and that not in one case but in several cases. His family, it is understood, paid up most if not all the money he misappropriated in this way, but an effort will be made at once to locate him and if possible extradite him. He is said to be in Mexico.

Mexico.

MoxIELAL, April 14.—This city was considerably startled yesterday when it was learned that a successful trick had been played upon the Bank of Montreal by which that institution loses about \$22,000. It appears that Judge Senkler, of St. Catharines, held 50 shares in the bank, and when he read the blue books upon banks and banking he was surprised to find that he was not credited with what he owned. Inquiries followed, and it turned out that his shares had been sold some months ago. An investigation followed, and it was found his shares had been sold some months ago. An investigation followed, and it was found that the power of attorney under which the shares were sold was a forgery, and that A. G. Brown, of Toronto, a stock broker, was the man who had made the sale through his Montreal correspondents. A leading official in the Bank of Montreal at once left for Toronto, but failed to find Brown. Thore are several other rumpra in this city. There are several other rumors in this city regarding previous transactions in which Brown has been mixed up.

TERSE TELEGRAMS.

The arsenic scare respecting imported Canadian apples is abating in England. Ten thousand hills have been introduced in the United States House of Repre-

sentatives.

Frank B. Wilkie, a well-known Chicago newspaper man, died Tuesday night at his bome in Norwood Park.

The United States Postoffice Department disapproves of the bill to make the lowest Carolina postmaster carned a salary of 88 ushered in an era where legiting cents last year.

cents last year.

The Congregational ministers of Boston and vicinity have adopted a resolution condemning the Chinese Exclusion Act and requesting Massachusetts Senziors to prevent fragalartics. rent its adoption.

The beligerent Wyoming stockmen sur-rendered to Col. Van Horne Wednesday, and were at once escorted to Fort McKinney. The rustlers offered no objection to the cattlemen surrendering to Col. Van Horne, An agreement between the United States and Italian Governments in relation to the New Orleans affair (the killing of the Italians) has been reached. The United States has agreed to pay 215,000 francs to the families of the Italians who were killed.

THE WORKING WORLD.

The extensive cotton spinning lock-out The extensive cotton spinning lock-out declared by the federation of master spinners began in part on Wednesday, and by Saturday 70,000 operatives will be idle. Six hundred workmen have been discharged from the establishment of the London Tiuplate Company, the oldest and largest works of the kind in South Wales, owing to depression in trade.

Caught in a Bear Trap.

RAT PORTAGE, Ont., April 14.—A little son et Mr. Derry, of Norman, got eaught in a hear trap which had been left near the house, and was terribly injured.

nouse, and was terribly injured.

A Gambler's Fate.

Subbury, Ont., April 14.—Charles Aylwin, a former well-known resident of this town has been sent to the penitentiary for even years for shooting a man dead in a gambling room in a mining town near the Rocky Mountains.

Eumored Ampleamatten Scheme. MONTIFEST, April 14 —The Star cable from London says: "Rumors are mucl discussed in the city lately respecting as alleged projected arrangement between the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacifics. It is stated that the Canadian Pacific's friends have been having a largely of the Grand Trunk. have been buying largely of the Grand Trunk stock to carry at the approaching meeting of the company a scheme by which, in return for certain concessions, the Canadian Pacific will guarantee a 4 per cent, dividend on Grand Trunk first preference stock. The G. T. R. stock has risen or stock. The G. T. R. stock has risen on this rumor, but an anonymous correspond-ent, 'M,' evidently well posted, writes to the Times that a guarantee such as sug-gested would be most rash and risky for the Canadian Pacific, even if the charter did not preclude any such idea."

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PAIRED OFF AND ELOPED.

Mrs. Baker's Husband and Stepson Run Away with Hor Daughters. WASHINGTON, April 14.—Mrs. Addie E. Baker of Staunton, Va., is in the city in search of an eloping family, consisting of a couple of daughters, a husband, and

step-son.
"I have been married to Mr. Baker about four mouths," said Mrs. Baker. "My first husbend died over a year ago, leaving to my two girls and myself a farm of 200 acres and plenty of stock. Mr. Baker had lived near two girls and myself a farm of 200 acress and plenty of stock. Mr. Baker had lived near on a rented farm with his grown son. I consented to marry him, and we lived together at my house. My girls are very pretty, and are 18 and 20, respectively. Some time since Mr. Baker insisted on selling the stock and lending the money. The hard times made it so he could got more interest on the money than profit on the stock, he told me. I let him do so. He said recently that he must come to Washington to see about a war claim. He He said recently that he must come to Washington to see about a war claim. He suggested that I let him bring the girls. So the girls and his son came here with him. Last Friday I got a letter from my husband saying I need not look for them; that he was going to marry my daughter Hattie, and his son would marry Amanda. I then learned that he drew all my money out of the bank the day he left, over \$2,300. He can go West with his son, I don't care where. I never thought all the time of his being over fond of Hattle, but I can see now being over fond of Hattie, but I can see now how it was all arranged.

TEARFUL RECITALS.

Dr. Motealf and His Wife Telling the

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Windson, Ont., April 14.—The libel suits of Metcalf and Triany vs. the Evening Record were continued yesterday, and occupied the court all day. No case has been tried in Sandwich for years which created such intense interest. Both Dr. Metcalf and his wife were moved to tears while giving their evidence, and the audience was visibly affected as each told the sad story of the separation from his and the r standpoint. Eloquent addresses were delivered to the jury by the opposing counsel, after which the court adjourned.

Death of a Once Frominent Physician.
Toronto, April 13.—Herbert Lindsay died suddenly in Smiley's commission rooms this afternoon. The trouble was heart disease. Dr. Lindsay was a well-known man around town. Twenty-five years ago he was a leading onyscian in Montreal, but dissolute habits destroyed his practice. He fell in the social scale.

Breeding for Eeef.

The readiness with which pure-bred animals good enough for show-yard purposes sell even in this period of depression ought to serve to demonstrate to those who are disposed to falter that there is money in the business at all times if the herd is in the business at all times if the herd is made good enough. In the face of the last that nothing but individual merit will command bids in the sale ring, there are still many who fail to bend all their energies in that direction. The public cares little for the manner in which the breeder secures the desired merit so long as it is attained. Bates, Cruickshank, Erica, Blackbird, Wilton, Anxiety, etc., are no longer names which will sell any beef-bred animal to which they may be applied regardless of which will sell any beet-bred animal to which they may be applied regardless of the sort of beast bearing the pedigree. The public is in quest of genuine merit and knows that no one strain or family possesses a monopoly of it. The market calls for cattle first and paper afterward. As we have already pointed out this fact has substret in an era where legitimate breeding can safely count upon its just reward. The best breeder to day is not necessarily

The best breeder to-day is not necessarily he who pays the most money for his breeding stock, but he who breeds the best in dividual animals.

The time is ripe for the breaking down of all animosites and prejudices as between the holders of rival strains of blood. The great breeder of the future must make his success just as the great breeders of the past and present have done, by the free exercise of a sound discretion in the mating of the animals. He must have free rein exercise of a sound discretion in the mating of the animals. He must have free rein as respects to blood, color, and everything else. He must, within the limits of what are regarded as well-bred stock of the particular breed, be trusted to explore the whole field for the materials wherewith desired improvement is to be carried on. Anything abort of this is a species of slavery fatal to all progress. There is hope for the future whenever the barriers of prejudice can be broken down.

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