carried on in the city. interview with the local ma Ir Dixon, as to the price of this city, it was admitted that staple cuts were a good ut that they were as low as sent methods of doing busithe credit system, where such mounts have to be carrried m month to month with all of bad debts, would permit. said Mr. Dixon, "is worth dred cents on the dollar." new market, business will and each purchaser will be to carry home his own parof bookkeepers and delivery and the saving thus affected applied to the reduction of

ash meat market will be run ate the big meat markets in cities where every line of supplies will be found. A will be made of Saturday uly advertised. Edmonton is be a great city and in order it modern and abreast, ob nethods in business must be and money saving methods eir place. In this innovation P. Burns & Co. mean to be front rank.

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ALBERTA CITIES MUST BUILD SEPTIC TANKS More Revelations of the Listening

Legislation in Sight Which Will Stop Edmonton and Strathcona Dumping Sewage Into the Saskatchewan---Ravages of Typhoid at Down River Points Alarming.

formal consideration to the question, ening boards." One of the former but that town will also be affected operators, Miss Jessie Leckie, whose by the legislation that is shortly to special duty it had been to overhear

both towns is dumped into the Sas- stand in the forenoon. She stated katchewan and the ravages of ty- that monitors, or employees holding phoid fever have prevailed to an positions above ordinary operators, alarming extent on the shore front | could, if they desired, make certain between here and Fort Saskatchewan. the mining camps in that area being to overhear any private conversation. meeting than anything else, a comthe greatest sufferers. In one mine Sometimes these monitors took what mittee was appointed to arouse a alone there have been twenty cases they heard down in writing. Miss sentiment of retaliation against the of fever with six deaths during the Leckie said she did not care to hear past winter. Such a condition is conversations over the wires, and alarming and enforces the necessity somethimes the talkers used bad lanof the proposed legislation.

shortly have to establish septic tanks on the "listener." in connection with the sewerage systems now in progress of construction in each municipality. This will be a result of the new health bill to be brought before the legislature now in

Up to the present time there is no-

WROTE DOWN **CONVERSATIONS**

Board in Bell Central Office--- No Privacy in Toronto Telephone System --- Girls Refuse to Continue the Espionage--Official Listener on the

Toronto, Feb. 12-There was evidence before the telephone commis sion today to show that other officials of the Bell company have opportun-Strathcona has as yet given no the line besides the girls at the "list-

CANADIAN CLEARINGS ...

treal Shows Gain in January.

Montreal, Feb. 12-The Canadian thing in the plans of the Edmonton clearings for January, of the eleven mands of the farmers who are unable system now in course of construction cities reporting, aggregate \$356,617,to show the location of a septic tank | 021 over January, 1906, or a gain of at the terminus of the Rat Creek sew- 8.8 per cent. Montreal was the only er, but Mayor Griesbach yester- city showing a decrease.

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MILESTONE **FARMERS** RAMPANT Governor Van Zant of Queen City

ioing After the Canadian Pacific With a Sharp Stick--- Claim That of 600. 000 Bushels of Grain Offered Fcr Shipment Only 100,000 Has Been Moved---Call on Government to Take

Milestone, Sask. Feb. 12-The shipity of overhearing conversations on pers of grain, including many farmers, of Milestone and surrounding conversations and who had finally pose of considering the conditions At the present time the sewerage of refused to do such work, was on the relative to the car shortage and to memorialize the government to adsituation. After a stormy session connections that would enable them which savored more of an indignation railway company, in neighboring towns, and to adopt such measures guage. Maw, inspector of service, as will insure the movement of grain Both Edmonton and Strathcona will determined what lines should be put to the terminals. Of the 600.000 bushels of grain to be shipped from this point alone, only one hundred thousand bushels have been billed out. The banks in consequence

Every City in Canada Except Mon- have been overburdened with the call loans and have practically gone out of business for funds to meet the deto realize money on their produce. To

> DEAF MUTE RUN DOWN. .. while walking on the track.

The MANGHESTER HOUSE ESTABLISHED 1886.

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INVESTIGATING TORONTO JAILOR

Bastile Makes out Case to Show Specious Charge is Being Trumped up Against Him---Women Appear in Court to Indignantly Deny Allega-

Toronto Feb 19-At the Van Zant investigation today before Commiscountry, attended a mass meeting at longing to the jail. There were also gun. The references in the reading range grass, and building operations nied statements made by previous witnesses, as to the conduct of the opt stringent measures to relieve the at jail. Mrs. Perry, of Kingston, es- and praised the assistance rendered cerned, it is now held that no post that at the time of the accident the pecially denied any of the statements respecting this, made by several of the guards. Another witness said House of Lords. that a man named Hood had offered him money to give evidence that Van Zant had patronized the East Elgin CANADIAN PACIFIC hotel, where alleged immorality was going on, but he refused as he knew that Van Zant was respectable.

Toronto Feb. 12-Some whose names were introduced into the inquiry into charges against Governor Van Zant, of the Toronto jail, appeared today before Commissioner Judd and entered a general denial to reports of misconduct given in the evidence of say the least, the situation appears allleged acts of misbehaviour with minous and may have a serious ef- Governor Van Zant while visiting the fect upon the future of the district. jail. An oil traveller recalled a con- local agent of the C. P. R., acting and other points report quite a per-

the guards and others. The women gave visible proof of annoyance at

RING DOWN CURTAIN SUNSHINE MAKES ON HOUSE OF LORDS

Day When Peers Will Lose Their Power is in Plain Sight---Commons Cheers Passage in Speech Which Proposes to Discipline Upper House.

London, Feb. 12-When the House ex-prisoners of the jail swore that speaker. James Lowther, read the they had often done repairs on speech from the throne, and the de-House of Lords situation were cheered. In the House of Lords, Lord Castletown, Liberal, moved the adgovernor of the jail with them, when dress in reply to the King's speech sary to change the machinery of the

PROVES ITSELF A BULLY

auses Arrest of Farmers and Mer-Citizens Indignant

versation with John McMillan, the under instructions, has issued sumsteward, who was said to have desir- monses for seven local prominent has a long list of witnesses to present editor of the local newspaper and turned their cattle into the crop to the commissioner and the investi- some of the wealthiest farmers of the when other fodder was not to be had, gation is likely to drag along some district. Indignation runs high among but these farmers who kept their oats

A SMILING LAND

Lethbridge Reports Snow all Gone, Cattle Fattening up, Building Oper ations in Full Swing, Farmers Threshing Last Year's Crop out of the Stack and Coal Mines Resuming Full Shifts.

Lethbridge, Feb. 12-This part of of Commons convened the entrance of Southern Alberta, after a week of Sir Henry Campbell Bannerman was splendid weather, has practically rening on time, the eattle are filling boots for guards with material be- bate on the address in reply was be- up on the withered but fattening three female witnesses, who all de- to the Kingston incident and the have been resumed with a swing. The by the American navy at Kingston. sible combination of adverse circum-train was running over fifty miles He also declared that it was neces- stances during the balance of the an hour, a speed which, when the nominal winter can do them any poor condition of the track on this damage. Reports from various mines in the district show also a return of gine left the rails, followed by the the normal, more or less, and both second engine, a boarding car and the raising of coal and its movement two cabooses. on the railways is being accelerated. After bumping along the ties for The country mines suffered most from the severe weather, but Taber and ment into about twelother points report an increased act- It is probable the g

ivity, and the mine will resume full snow that saved the shift at once. Spring threshing, chants of Swift Current Who Com- thing unique in Alberta, is starting workmen no one mandered Company Coal When in some districts which were caught by the early snow. Levi Parker, of Railway Failed to Deliver Fuel--- by the early show. Levi Parker, of Magrath, reports that threshing start- LANCTOT NOMINEE ed there yesterday, about one quarter of the crop having been left stacked. Swift Current, Sask., Feb. 12-The | Cardston, Raymond, Spring Coulee centage of grain still in the stack and there may be some thousands of ed the removal of the governor. citizens and local farmers who helped acres of it in Southern Alberta, The Money was offered for evidence at themselves to coal from a car on the reports are that the grain has suffer-Port Dover, deaf mute, aged sixty, have taken part in the West Elgin obtained from the local coal merch-other notch for Alberta wheat. Spring was run over and fatally injured election. The repairing of boots with ants, and when they were entirely Coulee reports a considerable quantjail leather stock for the guards was without coal during a temperature of ity of wheat not stacked, which shows date for the House of Commons to spoken of by two former prisoners. thirty-five below zero. Among those only a trace of discoloration. Some contest the vacancy in Richelieu, a Leather for new boots was bought summoned to appear next Thursday fields of standing oats were sold in seat made vacant by the appointfrom down town. Governor Van Zant are two of the leading merchants, the the hard weather to ranchers who ment of Mr. Bruneau to a judgeship.

apparently have suffered no loss.

SWAN LAKE

After Nine Days Tie-Up Track is Cleared and Train Reaches Town---Snowplough, Locomotive, Cabooses and Boarding Car in the Ditch---Train Ran 50 Miles an Hour on Unballasted Track.

Swan Lake, Man., Feb. 12-After branch is considered, is highly dangerous. The tender of the head en-

about 200 feet the cabooses and boarding car rolled down an embank-

Chosen Liberal Candidate to Contest Vacancy in Richelieu for the Dom-

tot was today chosen Liberal candithree names were submitted but on the first ballot Mr. Lanctot received

FINAL DISGRACE

Fadden who Travelled Primrose Path to its Terminus.

Winnipeg, Feb. 12-Nellie Fadden, who died in the cells at the police station on Saturday afternoon, had trict, and while it may be that the just got out of Grace hospital, she woollen manufacturers of Canada having been laid up since Christmas have a hard time to get along, the producers of wool in the West, who have their sheep ranches, have pro-Mr. Bennett, of Simcoe, wanted discharged from there only on Thurs-American built ships prohibited from day. The body is still at Gardiner's being purchased and brought into Canadian waters, because the shipbuilding industry was the "backit. Some of the theatrical people of bone" of the town of Collingwood, the city are trying to give the excluded also, and pointed out as an actress a decent burial and may do

VILLAIN STILL AT LARGE.

Brandon Police Looking for Brute Who Made Assault on Young Lady.

lice so far have not been able to apprehend the villain who made the prepared to advocate a duty on coal on Louise avenue last Friday night. for the purpose of encouraging the One man was arrested on suspicion development of the coal mining in- but he was able to prove his innocmay be found in the circumstance | lowed to depart. The police have not that the province of Ontario has no given up the hunt by any means and coal, and if the coal mining industry there is still hope that the scoundrel

> Phoenix, B.C., Feb. 14. - Howard runaway ore train. Rushton was a

THE PRESS GALLERY

ing a number of lines that are very special values. We shall be pleased to have an opportunity of showing you jurisdiction of the Railway Commis- that the duty on raw wool could not sion by amendment of the Railway be increased without also placing

of the member for South York. ******** ing car companies were already in Mr. Foster thought this was an ex-Act, and that the government had in

Sproule was informed by the Post-Departmental regulations were neces- outside of Canada.

of the government. The House went into committee to woollen manufacturers, said:

Ottawa, January 31.—The Railway creasing the duty on wool, and refer- somewhat different from that which Committee met this morning and took ence was made to the memorial pre- he placed before it, with regard to We have just received and placed in up a bill presented by W. H. Mac-sented to the Tariff Commission by a the condition of the woollen industry stock the largest variety in linen and lean, Conservative member for South bath towels we have ever had, including a number of lines that are very In reply, Mr. Fielding pointed out

> heavy duties on woollen goods. bate his earnest regrets that three tories, having to pay more for raw bably as many difficulties to meet. Mr. McLean contributed to the de-Otherwise, the Canadian woollen factranscontinental railway companies material while competing on the same were constructing telegraph systems terms as at present with imported in the West, and said he would prefer goods, would be driven out of busito have the telegraph business of the ness. This surely was not an evenwhole western country in the hands tuality courted by the opposition. of one great company. The people While the wool growers delegation of the West who have had twenty had asked for a higher duty on raw years experience of the control of wood the farmers generally, and partelegraphic business by one great ticularly those of the West, had procompany will probably entertain tested against the imposition of a coropinions of their own on the subject responding duty on woollen goods. not remarkably coincident with those Yet without such duty on woollen goods a higher duty on raw wool The Minister of Railways said sleep- would cripple the Canadian factories. cluded in the scope of the Railway treme view. He was sure the duty necessary on woollen goods would not the bill under consideration. The joke either and left the House to form

committee reported the bill with the its own conclusion as to what he ped by the mover when it again came on woollen clothing. He urged that there must be no stopping at 7 the When the House assembled Mr. "half-way house," and wanted a thorough going high tariff; how high master General that no legislation he did not say and apparently did was necessary to enable the depart- not care so long as the Canadian ment to extend the postal system to consumer was prevented from buying

sary, and the advisability of extend- Mr. Knowles, representing the

During the discussion the opposit his superior knowledge, but I desire orthodox Conservative theory of entrescue of a sailor of the French

Ontario. He wanted dredges exevil consequence of the importation of this class of craft that whereas the Public Works Department formerly had to pay 25c. per cubic yard for dredging, the work is now done for 9c. per cubic yard. Mr. W. F. McLean read a letter iting a proposal of an American ongressman for reciprocity in coal, but declined to endorse or repudiate contemplation an amendment to the be more than 45 per cent. The extended the letter. He was not apparently dastardly assault on the young lady act which would meet the purposes of Minister did not propound this as a prepared to advocate a duty on coal on Levise events. understanding that it would be drop- would consider an "extreme" duty dustry. A reason for his reticence ence beyond a doubt, and he was alwere encouraged by the tariff it would will fall into the hands of the law. he at the expense of Ontario and to the benefit of the other provinces. include the carrying of parcels C.O.D. any article of woollen goods anywhere high duty on automobiles, and with

What he did want, however, was a typical protectionist inconsistency tive of Spring Hill, N.S., employed by founded his demand on the conten- the C. P. R. on the Field hill on the ing the system to include the service views of the sheep growers of Sasktion that the consumer paid the duty. main line previous to coming to Phoesuggested was engaging the attention atchewan as against the demand of 'Mr Macdonell Conservative of nix. He leaves a mother in Nova Mr. Talor for more protection for the South Toronto, wanted Canadian furs re-admitted free of duty after being | London, Feb. 12-The French govgard to the woollen trade I defer to did not appear in accord with the silver medal and diploma for the

During the discussion the opposition brought up the question of into place before the committee a view couraging Canadian industry.

suggested was engaging the attention atchewan as against the demand of 'Mr. Macdonell, Conservative, of liscuss the tariff schedules, and fair When the hon, member for North sent abroad for manufacture. Mr. ernment will award Captain John progress was made during the after- Lanark makes any statement with re- Fielding mildly suggested that this MacDonald, of the ss. Virginian, a