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READ IT. Everybody is talking about Hon. G. W. loss and his address on school questions de-dered in South London. It was a splendid dication of the educational policy of the Mowat Government, and a fitting exposur of the tactics of its traducers. It must ave carried conviction to the minds of even the most prejudiced.

YESTERDAY'S NOMINATIONS.

In Muskoka, Parry Sound, Nipissing and who have already been announced as in the field, except that in Nipissing Mr. Purvis, Conservative, and Mr. Rourke, Reform, were placed in nomination along with Mr. Loughrin. Mr. Duncan Kippen, of Perth, received the nomination of the South Lanark Liberals. Mr. N. Mc-Lenaghen announces himself as an independent candidate in the same riding.

WORK AND WAGES.

#### Two Big Strikes Satisfactorily Settled-The Miners' Congress.

Scott Haven, Pa., May 23.—The miners at W. L. Scott's were notified yesterday that the firm would pay them 1 cent less than the Columbus scale. All will resume

was resisted by the Albanians. Turkish soldiers attempted to quell the Albanians and were routed, many being killed.

A Rome dispatch says: "Labor riots occurred in Ravenna to-day. Three peasants were killed, and numerous soldiers and peasants were wounded. The latter earn only 7 pence a day. The Anarchists are fomenting trouble.

A Fatal Flash.

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GONE BACK TO WORK.

PITTSBUEG, Pa., May 23.—The big strike at the National Tube Works at McKeesport ended this morning by the men going back to work. The company offered a satisfactory compromise.

DECISION OF THE MINERS' CONGRESS.

BRUSSEIS, May 23.—The Miners' Congress has unanimously adopted a resolution in favor of a working day of eight hours, including the time occupied in ascending and decending the pits.

The Nova Scotia Elections.

HALIFAN, May 23.—Dr. Haley (Liberal) in Hants and C. H. Cahan (Conservative) in Shelburne are returned. Twenty-eight Government, ten Opposition.

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Skipped to Canada.

Kansas Crry, Mo., May 23.—Elso Allen, confidential clerk of the Austin Investment Company, has, it is alleged, forged Austin's name to checks aggregating \$20,000 and gone to Canada with the money.

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Ottawa, May 23.—Hon. C. H. Tupper, on being asked about the reports from Washington respecting the Behring Sea question, replied: "The Government have no information which can be made public." Kemmler's Case-Writ of Error Denied. Kemmler's Case—Writ of Error Denied.
WASHINGTON, D. C. May 23.—The
Supreme Court of the United States to-day
denied the application for a writ of error in
the case of Kemmler, under sentence of
death by electricity. Opinion by Chief
Justice Fuller.

Ravages of the Saw-Fly.

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BLOOMINGTON, Ill., May 23.—An insect called the saw-fly is reported to be ruining he wheat in various parts of Illinois, otably in Logan county, where the area of theat planted is unusually large. Large reas of wheat will be plowed up and the and planted with other crops.

Three Fatal Shots.

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TRINIDAD, Cal., May 23.—J. J. Pratt hot and killed his Mexican mistress, Katie larcia, yesterday, and then put a bullet tarough his own head, dying a few hours afterward. Cause jealousy.

CATTLETBURG, Va., May 23.—At Pigeon River a few days ago, Jim Brewer shot and killed Ike Bremer, jun. The shooting was caused by the reopening of an old feud.

Physical Ruin Threatening the Yankees Physical Ruin Threatening the Yankees,
NASHYILLE, Tenn., May 23.—The report
of the Committee on Dietetics at the American Medical Association yesterday concluded that the American people were being
ruined by the too free use of liquid foods,
and that children were the greatest sufferres from this cause. The use of liquid food
caused defective jaws and teeth, which was the first step downward and unless stopped would ultimately end in oblivion.

Fatal Accident Near Aylmer. AYLMER, Ont., May 23.—Yesterday afternoon while an old man named Thomas afternoon while an old man name. Wiles was walking on the Grand Trunk Railway track, about two miles west of this place, he was overtaken by a train, and the place of the place to the place of the pla

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our two Railway track, about this place, he was overtaken by a train, and being almost totally deaf he did not hear its approach until struck by the pilot of the engine and hurled down the embankment, killing him instantly. The train was stopped and the remains brought to this place. Deceased was a member of the Baptist Church, and was highly respected. No blame is attached to the train men. Heir to Half a Million.

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TORONTO, May 23 — The Supreme Court of Judicature for Ontario handed over a trust yesterday morning that it had held for almost 21 years. In 1876 Mr. George James Foster died in Hamilton, leaving only an infant son to inherit his \$500,000. An administrative suit was commenced. An administrative suit was commenced, Foster vs. Bell, and the child Harold became a ward of the court. Mr. Bethune, became a ward of the court. Mr. Bethune, manager of the Dominion Bank, Toronto, and Mr. George S. Papps, Hamilton, were appointed trustees, and when he came to a proper age he was sent to Cambridge with an annual allowance of £1,000. The court entrusted the investment of the boy's fortune to the firm of barristers, now styled Messrs Kingsmill, Symons, Saunders & Torrance, while all the accounts were kept in the large of the Supreme Court, and Torranes, while all the accounts were kept in the ledger of the Supreme Court, and cover 700 pages. The investments of the money has brought sufficient to pay the \$5,000 yearly allowance, the trustees fees, all other charges and increase the fortune to \$517,392. The boy is now become a young man, and having come of age the other day has been handed over his fortune. Yesterday the necessary order was made and the money was handed over to the d the money was handed over to the access, who have power of authority to exest it for the young man, who is aveling in Europe.

Riding Lessons.—The spring term for tiding will commence on April 28. For time and terms apply or telephone to J. FULCHER, riding master, 288 Dundas street.

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made \$94,700 in the same time; W. M. Devine put \$16,500 in his pocket in one year and ten months; C. Herman Plantz put \$128,300 to his credit during his term of two years, and Bernard Roesing, the present incumbent, has managed to get \$60,400 in nine months. These sums the city intends to bring suits for among the bondsmen of city treasurers for ten years. Kissing Scrape That May Lead to International Complications.

Explorer Stanley's Utterances

Discredited by Salisbury.

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British Cabinet Officers in

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London, May 23.—The installation of th

Turkish Governor, Karehman, at Laiche,

was resisted by the Albanians. Turkish

A Fatal Flash. BERLIN, May 23.—The village of St. Maylen, near Hildesheim, has been visited

recently by a hail storm, which has done

Turkish Temerity.
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Salisbury on Stanley.
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bury, speaking at a banquet last night re-ferred banteringly to Stanley's utterances

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assent of the Farhament and the country are necessary before committing ourselves to the defense of a territory that is only ac-cessible to sea after three months of travel.

Pertinent Queries.
London, May 23.—In the House of Comions yesterday E. S. Hill asked whether, in view of the opposition of American

in view of the opposition of American refiners to the proposed abolition of duties in America on sugars below 16 Dutch stand-ard, the Government would reinvite the Washington Government to join the sugar

Sir James Fergusson replied that it was

Mr. Smith replied that liberty must be

Old World Wirelets.

second son of the Prince of Wales.

A Cabinet-meeting was held at Paris today prior to the departure of President
Carnot on a tour of the provinces. M.
Ribot, Minister of Foreign Affairs, announced that the arrangement for the conversion of the Egyptian debt has been completed.

rushed to death.

Routed by Rioters.

Re Sugar.

## CURRENT CONDENSATIONS.

Gen. Middleton says the report that he had resigned is entirely without foundation Premier Mercier announces that the scandals in connection with the Whelan sontract will be investigated by a royal Sixteen Deaths.

VIENNA, May 23.—The deaths resulting from the rioting at Pilsen now number

commission.

Mr. Tarte, at Montreal, has entered an action to recover \$380,000 from Hon. Thos. McGreevy, on the ground that the latter has violated the Independence of Parliament Victoria, Australia, was opened yesterday Victoria, Australia, was opened yesterday by the Earl of Hopetown, governor of the colony. He congratulated Parliament upon the prosperity of the country and upon the rapid strides towards federation which he said was near. This proved the growth of the feeling of a common Australian

Act.

James Norris, a respectable Kingston farmer, was attending a colt, Wednesday, when it became frightened and ran away, dragging him with it. He was caught in the harness and could not clear himself. Norris was dragged over stones, bushes and timber for more than 100 yards, receiving injuries which caused his death half an hour later.

A large portion of Milford, Utah, was urned Thursday. Loss \$45,000. Heavy rains fell throughout Kansas Thursday, and materially benefited the

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Claus Spreckles, the sugar king, telegraphed from Philadelphia to C. P. Holloway, of Detroit, as follows: "Contradict all reports that I have joined the trust. They are absolutely false, I have not joined the trust, and I never will."

The Wastern Window Class Many recently by a hail storm, which has done great damage. Yesterday the people gathered in a church to pray for the cessation of the storm. While the services were in progress a thunder storm came, and the church was struck by lightning. Four persons were killed and twenty injured, four being rendered completely blind. The people were panic stricken, and in the mad rush for the doors two children were crushed to death.

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The Western Window Glass Manufacturers' Association have decided to shut down all the factories in the country for the summer on or before June 14. A combine was also made with jobbers, by which the price of glass is to be made uniform. The jobbers and manufacturers agreed to neither buy nor sell to any but members of their respective associations.

NEWFOUNDLAND.

# French Outrages-Loss of a Schoone

CONSTATINGFIE, May 23.—It has been ascertained that the ladies belonging to the Russian Embassy who were assaulted while walking in Buyenkedere were the wife and daughter of the Chief Dragoman of the Embassy, and the offenders were a Turkish officer and four students. The ladies were walking in a garden when they were seized by the officer and students, who forcibly kissed them. A party of sailors belonging to a Russian dispatch boat happened to be in the garden. They heard the ladies cry for help and ran to their rescue. The offenders were captured, taken to the Russian Embassy and delivered into the keeping of M. de Nelidoff, the Russian Ambassador. The Turkish authorities asked that the prisoners be turned over to them for trial and punishment, but De Nelidoff refuses to transfer them to the Ottoman officials, basing his refusal on the ground that Turkish justice is illusory. The affair has created much comment, and it is feared it will result in complications between the Russian and Turkish Governments.

Salisbury on Stanley. HALIFAX, May 23.—A dispatch from Channel, Nfld., says: "Another French outrage, on the way to the so-called French storm, her been committed." A French outrage, on the way to the so-called French shore, has been committed. A French captain named Bischell, of the schooner Marie, while coming into Port au Basque last Friday, carried a poor old man's net away. A magistrate issued a summons which was served on Bischell, but he did not appear. Judgment by default was given against him, and a warrant for his arrest issued. The constable boarded the vessel with a warrant while the schooner was under way, but so far Bischell is gone with summons, warrant and constable. The magistrate telegraphed the facts to the commander of the Indre and also the Government."

ferred banteringly to Stanley's utterances regarding England's Áfrican policy. He warned his hearers against supposing that the illustrious traveler's statements revealed the secets of the Government's policy. Nothing had been surrendered because no agreement had been arrived at as yet. Moreover, it was impossible that England could make a settlement not acceptable to those principally concerned—the trading companies' missions, etc. He hoped the fears which Stanley's dark insinuations had aroused would be reetc. He hoped the fears which Stanley's dark insinuations had aroused would be removed. In conclusion he said: "The acquisition of the magnificent territory which Stanley has revealed must be viewed from the point of prudence as well as from that of boldness. After our experience at Khartony converse.

Sir James Fergusson replied that it was by no means certain what would be the final decision of Congress on the tariff. There was no ground to think that a renewal of the invitation to the Washington Government to join the convention would be successful.

Sir Lyon Plairfair asked Mr Smith, the Government leader, to state whether the Government would ratify the convention before the assent of Parliament was obtained. Mr. Smith replied that liberty must be reserved to the Government to act as they thought necessary in the event of other powers ratifying the convention.
"Do the Government suppose," continued Sir Lyon Playfair, "that they have power to ratify without the consent of Parliament?" (Opposition cheers.)
Mr. Smith declined to answer the questions. The workmen employed in the State gun factories at Spandau, Germany, have re-seived an advance of 20 per cent. in wages. ceived an advance of 20 per terms, carry-ments, carrying six guns, sailed to join the fleet on the North American and West India stations. She is under command of Prince George, second son of the Prince of Wales.

Reported at. From. ...Queenstown ... New York ... London ... New York

day prior to the departure of President Carnot on a tour of the provinces. M. Ribot, Minister of Foreign Affairs, announced that the arrangement for the conversion of the Egyptian debt has been completed.

A Matter of "Interest."

Chicago, May 23.—Comptroller Onahan has figured up the amounts that the last five city treasurers have received for interest on the people's money. He says during the two years and one month that Rudolph Brand served he got \$76,500; J. M. Dunphy

City of Berlin. ... New York .... Liverpoof Mad Dog in a School Room.

Burlington, Ia., May 23.—A panie was caused in North Hill public school Thursday by a mad dog, which ran up the steps and into the hall of the building where the children were congregating. The scholars fled to their rooms and the doors were shut by the teachers. The dog roamed up and dodding the frightened immates of the building at bay for half an hour, when their cries attracted a butcher in the neighborhood, who came and killed the animal.

Mowat Government's Solid Claims for

### Facts and Figures Versus Bugaboos and Bosh.

Support.

Hon. G. W. Ross Electrifies the Electors of East Middlesex

With His Clear-Cut Statements and Defiant Challenges.

Rousing Reform Rally in the South London Rink-An Ovation to the Minister of Education-Rattling Speeches by Chairman Grieve, Messrs. Lee, Geo. C. Gibbons and E. R. Cameron-Enthusiastic and Hearty Indorsement of the Mowat Administration.

The Minister of Education had a splendid reception at the great mass meeting of electors of East Middlesex in Thomas' Skat ing Rink, South London, last night. Before the hour at which the proceeding were timed to begin the hall was well filled, but the people kept trooping in for a long time afterwards, and an audience of nearly 3,000 was in the building before the Minister began to speak. The audience listened with attention to the speeches made, liberally applauded point. A pleasant feature of the meeting was the presence of a large number of ladies, embracing a considerable portion of the youth and beauty of the suburb.

ON THE PLATFORM. Mr. Elliott Grieve, the well known Westminster farmer, occupied the chair, and around him on the platform sat the follow

ing gentlemen:
Hon. G. W. Ross, Rev. Mr. Colling, Geo. Hon. G. W. Ross, Rev. Mr. Colling, Geo.
Gibbons, Lyman Lee (Hamilton), Moses
Masuret, J. D. Clarke, E. R. Cameron,
Geo. C. Davis, John Ferguson,—Chalonner,
James Murray, ex. Warden Robert Boston,
ex. Mayor John Campbell, D. Regan, James
Bell, J. H. McGuffin, Albert Stanton, James
Learn, Thomas Coyne, Col. Lewis, W. B.
Seatcherd, James Magee, Edward Parnell,
R. J. Blackwell, James Garside, T. Ross, Wm.
Craig, John Stephenson, R. Stevens, J. J.
Spettigue and others.

The Chairman's Remarks.

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pointed towards a successful issue of the contest in the riding.

Mr Lyman Lee,

ex-president of the Young Liberal Club of Hamilton, was the first speaker introduced by the Chairman. Some eight or ten years previously he had attended the Collegiate Institute of this city for two years and a half, and he was glad of the opportunity of being present to renew old acquaintanceship and to say a few words for the Mowat Administration. At pelitical gatherings, he was always pleased to see ladies present, as it was a symbol of the interest taken, and the influence exercised by them in the community's welfare. The Mowat Administration did not require long speeches to be made in its effects. Mowat Administration did not require long speeches to be made in its single scandal spoke volumes. So far as its single scandal spoke volumes. So far as its legislation, its financial showing and its conduct of various departments were considering Confederation. The agreement protected the Catholic separate schools of Quebec, and could only be overturned by an Imperial Act. With regard to the amendments of which Mr. Meredith and his followers complained there was one question which should be scheme of inflaming race prejudice. This had been partly tried in 1886 and had

failed, and the speaker predicted that in the present contest its failure would be even more marked. In the city of Hamilton success was sure, and in adjacent constituencies the supporters of the Government were more than ever certain of winning; io fact, from all over the country came tidings that the Liberals were about to win another glorious victory. He referred to the financial record of the Government, which should be attentively studied by every ratepayer. Tories denied the existence of the \$6,000,000 surplus because certain assets were in the hands of the Dominion Government, bearing interest. If a man had a mortgage or was a shareholder in a stock company and received his interest regularly would that not be looked upon as a good asset? The speaker admitted that the expenditure had been intued as during the Sanfield Macdonald Administration but \$14,379,000 would have been spent in eighteen years, whereas over \$27,000.000 had been distributed In a stock company and received his interest regularly would that not be looked upon as a good asset? The speaker and mitted that the expenditure had been increased. If the same rate had been ontinued as during the Sanfield Macdonald Administration but \$14.379.000 would have been spent in eighteen years, and the statisticated among the various municipalities. Had been some the consequence would have fallen heavily on the consequence of the Pravince. Of the pravince, of the pravince, of the pravince, of the pravince of the pravinc

minion—
Voice—Charley Rykert. (Laughter).
Mr. Gibbons continued with a resume of
Mr. Meredith's speech at London, how he
had howled about "putting down bribery
Mr. Meyer mentioned

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## Tea Biscuits.

one or two mild remonstrances. The first amendments with the exception of making one or two mild remonstrances. The first amendment made in 1877 was to instruct the assessor to enter upon the assessment roll the names of those who were Roman Catholics. It was made for a good purpose in order to more easily identify the separate school supporters. It was approved by Mr. Meredith. In 1886 it was said that this amendment to the Separate School Act would force a Roman Catholic to support the separate schools, and the country was disturbed. The question was referred to

the

HIGH COURT OE JUSTICE,
and the decision was in favor of Mr.
Mowat's contention. (Applause.) Before
this amendment to the law irregularities occurred. In London the Roman Catholics
were set down as separate school supporters
by the assessor without any motion on
their part. That was wrong, as the law has
been and is that every man is a public
school supporter unless he gives notice to
the contrary. Eut to prevent all mistakes,
the law of last session instructs the municipal clerk to keep a register of every
separate school supporter who has given
notice, and he is to be guided by this
register, and every man whose name is not
on it is a public school supporter. (Applause.) The Confederation Act gives the
Catholic the right of choice and he is a separate school supporter. arate school supporter
IF HE GIVES NOTICE.

The Government offended some by allow-ing separate school supporters on high school boards. It would be well to look at this matter. This amendment was made in 1886. There were 120 of these high schools in the Province of Ontario and every de-nomination was represented on them. Roman Catholics were taxed the same as Roman Catholics were taxed the same as others for the support of these high schools, and it was natural for them to ask if these schools were for Protestants only. No. They were tor both alike. Catholics wenot to be blamed for refusing to send their children to them when ostracized in this way. The Government were anxious that Roman Catholic children should attend the Roman Cathone enduren sneuth accent the high schools. It was desirable that they should avail themselves of these without any restraint. The condition of this great Province depended upon the INTELLIGENCE OF ALL CLASSES (Cheers.) This scheme only affected 44 out of 120 of these schools, and was concurred in high Mr. Meredith. In towns and

by Mr. Meredith. villages where both separate and high (Continued on page 3).

# "BUDWEISER"



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