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Houses, Etc., To Let.

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O LET - COTTAGE - 125 SYDENHAM street; rent. \$7. Apply 846 Dundas street

OFFICE TO LET—DOUBLE ROOM WITH vault, first floor Albion Building; also front room on first floor; immediate possession Apply T. H. CARLING, at the brewery.

TO LET—COTTAGE, CORNER RIDOUT and Oraig streets, South London; rent Apply GRORGE C. GUNN, barrister. 425f

TO LET-RESIDENCE. 484 COLBORNE street, corner Dufferin avenue, 10 rooms, modern conveniences. Apply Fraser & Fraser.

Agents Wanted.

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WANTED—AGENTS TO SOLICIT BUSI-NESS for the Home Life Association of Canada—assessment system. Good remunera-tion. Apply L. W. Burke, Superintendent, No. 5 Masonic Temple.

Wanted.

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advertisement less than ten words.

Laundries.

AUNDRY CALLED FOR AND DE-LIVERED—All hand work. Best finish. HOP SING, 252 Dundas street.

Artists.

M ISS LAURA DOUGLAS RECEIVES pupils in oil and pastel painting at 2434 Dundas street, upstairs.

Articles For Sale.

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COME ESTATE MONEYS TO LOAN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT application will be made by the Corporation of the City of London, to the Legislature of Ontario, at its next session, for an act to authorize the Corporation of the City of London to privide a sum not exceeding fifty-five thousand dollars, for the purpose of assisting in defraying the cost of the proposed sewerage works of the city, out of the proceeds of the loan authorized by "The City of I ondon Debt Consolidation Act, 1891," to be effected. Dated this 30th day of December, A. D., 1895. C. A. KINGSTON, city clerk.

A SSIGNEE'S SALE—THERE WILL BE sold at rooms of J. W. Jones, London, on Thursday. Jan. 23, at 2:30 p.m., the stock in trade of Mary Hill, of London, consisting of fancy goods, toys and millinery, as per inventory, \$1,427 25. Terms—One-fourth cash at time of sale, balarce in 2 and 4 months, with interest at 7 per cent per annum. Further particulars and stock list at my office. E. H. Johnston, assignee's solicitor, Alf. Robinson, assignee.

Re G. F. Burns.

THE STOCK of Mr. Burns' estate, amount

Intending purchasers can judge for themselves whether this affords an opportunity for them to get such bargains as have never before been offered in Lendon. C. B. ARM-STRONG, assignee of the estate of Geo. F. Burns.

A PRIEST ON TRIAL.

Rochester, Jan. 20. - Today the trial be-

gan of the Catholic priest, John M. Fitz

gerald, charged with setting fire to the parochial school house at Charlotte. There

will probably be much more bad blood shown in the trial of the Fitzgerald case

was considered all the time as acting merely

as the tool of the defendant in the present

trial. It is expected that the sensational

evidence the district attorney is said to

possess has all been reserved for "Father

MURDERED THE PREACHER.

been received here of the mysterious assass-

nation of the Rev. Warren Powers, a well-

known country preacher, near Halts Sta-

mmunity and Dixon took the sermon as

Yachting is the only form of athle-

tics in which the Princess of Wales in-dulges. She disapproves of bicycling

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has

done once it will do again.

John's" trial.

applying to him.

for women.

estate refuse to accept.

I have been instructed to

WILLIAM ELLIS, 98 Dundas street, Lond

KINGSTON, city clerk.

SET BRASS GLADSTONE HARNESS cheap. J. DARCH & SONS, 377-379 Talbot

FRASER.

MONDAY, JANUARY 20, 1896.

DIND.

PHELAN-In this city, on Jan. 18, Ellen, beloved wife of Mr. Michael Phelan, aged 46

Funeral will leave her late residence, 194
Mill street, at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning for
St. Peter's Cathedral. Friends and acquaintances will kindly accept this intimation. HOUGH-In this city, on Jan. 19. Richard Hough, aged 60 years.
Funeral from his late residence, 561 Princes avenue, to St. Peter's Cathedral, at 9:30 a.m., Tuesday.

TO LET-STORE, 265 DUNDAS STREET, with dwelling above, side entrance to dwelling. Apply J. H. A. BEATTIE, barrister, 87; Dundas street. HEALEY-At the City Hospital, on Jan. 19 Mr. Simeon Healey, late of her Majesty's Seventy-Kighth Highlanders, aged 58 years, Funeral will leave his late residence, 334
Lorse avenus, tomorrow, at 10 o'clock, for
St. Peter's Cathedral. Friends and acquaintacce please accept this intimation.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading two cents per word each insertion. Is advertisement less than 10 words.

BAND AT BULPHUR SPRINGS PARK Rink Tuesday evening. 7u RAND CARNIVAL QUEEN'S AVENUE rink, Tuesday, Jan. 23, Albert Waltz, the European Pedal Cycling Wonder, in sensational statorial act. Special attractions. Full band of the Seventh Battalion by permission of La.-Ocl. Lindsay and officers. Fine prizes.

QUEEN'S AVENUE RINK - HOCKEY championship to-night. London vs. Strat-ford; game called 7:45. Admission 25c; gallery

TRAND OPERA HOUSE—SPECIAL RETURN engagement, Wednesday, Jan. 22, Mr. Walker Whiteside, assisted by Miss Lelta Wolstan and a select company of players, in Bulwer's famous drama, "Richelieu." Prices: First three rows circle, \$1; balance lower floor, 750; balcony, 50e; gallery, 25c. Seats now on sale,

ROB ROY-GRAND OPERA HOUSE—
Feb. 6. Subscription list will open Thursday. Jan. 23rd, for three days. Plan for subscribers will open Monday, Jan. 27. Plan for general public will open Monday, Feb. 3. Out-of-town parties can order by mail, telephone or telegraph, and their names will be put on subscriber's list in the order in which they are received. Prices—Lower floor, \$1 50; balcony, first two rows \$1 50; balance \$1, gallery, 50c; box seats \$2.

THE WOMAN QUESTION WILL BE definitely settled Friday evening: debate, 2th inst., at Collegiate Institute. Representatives from class of '99, Toronto University vs. Collegiate Institute. Admission, 15c. Vs. Collegiate Institute. Admission, loc. b

LURNS' ANNIVERSARY — ANNIVERBARY of birth of Robert Burns by Balmoral Scottish Club by a ceilidh, Westminster
Rink, Monday, Jan. 27: 60 kilted Highlanders
in marches, reels and strathspeys on ice; Musical Society and pipe band; good cash prizes;
special cash prizes for best representation of
Robert Burns and his Highland Mary. b MATINEE -FAUNTLEROY, SATURDAY Jan. 25, at 2:30. Prices—10c, 20c, 30c.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY-NEW
Year's term commences Monday, Jan. 6.
Gentlemen Monday, ladies Tuesday; advanced
class Wednesday evenings. Children Saturday afternoons. DAYTON & McCormick. Princess avenue. A thorough system of teaching the modern glide waltz and all fashionable dances guaranteed. Lessons given any hour.

Meetings.

First insertion le per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. TODAY AT 3 O'CLOCK MISS ELIZA-BETH Yates of Maine will address a woman's meeting in Somerset Hall. Silver collection.

EUREKA LODGE, I. O. O. F.—TUESDAY night, important business; no member should miss any meeting remainder of the

Male Help Wanted.

First insertion lc per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. 200 MEN WANTED-TO BUY OUT 200 MEN WANTED—TO BUY GUR made to order trousers, \$2, \$3 and \$4; suits \$12 and \$15; fit in style and workmanship. Repairing done. 291 Wellington street. R. H. SEMPLE, merchant tailor.

ORGANIZERS WANTED-PROFITABLE. permanent employment. Apply by let-Grand Organizer Oddfellows, 49 King

A GENTS-WANTED-\$20 PER WEEK-A Apply to GEO. MARSHALL & Co., tea importers, 258 Dundas street.

Domestics Wanted.

First insertion le per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. WANTED-XPERIENCED GENERAL W servant. Apply in the evening at 4.9 King street. Ring street.

PING UP THE OLD RELIABLE,
Dwyer's In.elligence Office. On hand:
Cooks. generals. housemaids, dining-room
girls, girls for all kinds of work; 591 Richmond

W ANTED AT ONCE — GOOD DINING ROOM girls and chamber maids to go out of city; also generals and girls for all kinds of work. Armstrong's Intelligence office, 56 Dundas street. Phone 386.

Business Chances.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. A BARGAIN, FOR CASH ONLY, jewelry and fancy goods, no opposition, plate front, rent low, stock about \$1,200; highest bid gets it. Address box \$29, Thames-

Lost and Found.

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OST-BETWEEN ST. PAUL'S CATHED-RAL and Askin street, a silver chain pracelet. Reward for return to this office. b OST - THES MORNING - NEAR Bailey's a ore, Dundas street, for ruff for he neck. Would be gentleman who picked tunkindly return to this office?

it up kindly return to this office? LOST-ON FRIDAY-A FOX TERRIER pup (bitch), black and white. Return to 7tf

OST-THURSDAY, AT QUEEN'S AVEN-UE Rink, silver heart. Finder please leave

OST - NOTE FOR \$70 - PAYABLE to Jas. Milton. Any person endeavoring collect will be prosecuted. OST FRIDAY AFTERNOON - NEW gray robe. Leave at Parsons' grocery, Clarke's Bridge. Heward.

Accountants.

W. MAGEE,
ACCOUNTANT,
413 Richmond street,
or 610 Talbot street, London.

LFRED A BOOKER, ACCOUNTANT—
136 Elmwood avenue, South London.
lephone 1999:

Jewelers.

EMOVAL-J. T. WESTLAND, JEWEL ER and engraver, removed to 240 Rich-

Sounded by the London Globe Against United States Senators.

The Capitulation of Coomassie to the British Officially Reported.

Prince Henry of Battenburg the Laughing Stock of London,

Birdie Sutherland Declines to settle Her Breach of Promise Suit-Spain May A GENTS — "SKEPTICISM ASSAILED"—
The most powerful and convincing collection of facts ever produced against all foes of Christianity by Hon. Britton H. Tabor, introduction by Dr. C. H. Parkhurst, who says: "That in view of the invincible array of evidence therein it would seem a thousand times harder not to believe in the Bible." All skeptics are vanquished by evidence. No book ever sold so fast. Four hundred agents wanted. Don't miss opportunity to secure territory. Full particulars, J. L. NICHOIS & Co., Wesley Building, Toronto.

Str. ANTERNATION AGENTS TO SOLICIT BUST. Fight the United States if the Latter Recognize the Cuban Patriots.

CHINESE LOAN. Hong Kong, Jan. 20.—The Deutsche Bank has obtained a contract to issue a Chinese loan of 100,000,000 taels, with interest at 5 per cent, to cost 89 1-2 and to be issued at 95.

BRITAIN CAN STAND ALONE. London, Jan. 20.—The Standard prints a review of the European situation, in which it declares emphatically that Great Britain does not seek an alliance with any power.

BULGARIA St. Petersburg, Jan. 20.-Reports received here show that another crisis WANTED-HOUSE WITH 8 TO 10 rooms, moderate rent, by good tenant, who will take a lease of one or more years. Address Box 329 this office. is at hand in Bulgaria. Prince Ferdinand is being openly opposed by Dr. Stiloff, and wants to replace him by M. Grekoff in the office of Prime Min-M ESSRS. C. WELSH & CO., 3 TABER-to solicit regular consignments of fresh oysters, fruit and other American produce. Best prices realized.

A GRAND PALAVER. Coomassie, Ashanti, Jan. 18.-The Governor of Coomassie arrived here at midday and was met outside the capital by Sir Francis Scott, his staff and the British troops. The antillery fired a royal salute, and arrangements were made for holding a grand palaver this afternoon.

ALIVE AGAIN. London, Jan. 20 .- A correspondent at Shanghai cables: "In spite of the denials of the reported escape of the Queen of Corea from her would-be assassins. I have excellent authority for my former statement on the subject. It is an open secret among her diplomats here that the Queen is still alive."

CAMPOS CONDEMNED. Madrid, Jan. 20.-The conservative organ at Havana protests against the UMBER-WHOLESALE ONLY—CAR
or cargo lots; spicer's extra British Columbia red cedar shingles; pine and Ontario
cedar shingles; pine, hemlock, hardwood, cedar,
lumber, posts, piles, etc. D. Ferguson, Mant.
Agent, London, Ont. asertion of Marshal Martinez De Car pos that he is the victim of political intrigue. They insist that his recall is due to his failure as a general, and not to political pressure. Reinforce-ments of sixteen battalions of troops, under Generals Barges and Ahumada, will be sent to Cuba shortly.

BIRDIE SUTHERLAND'S SUIT. London, Jan. 20.-Birdie Sutherland, a gaiety theatre actress, has refused an offer of £3,000 to settle out of court the action for breach of promise of marriage brought by her against Dudley Churchill, eldest son and heir of Lord Tweedmouth, and the case will proceed to a judicial settlement. Miss Sutherland places her damages at

£20,000. BRITISH ENTER COOMASSIE. London, Jan. 20.-It was officially announced today that Coomassie, the capital of Ashantee, was peacefully occupied by the British expeditionary forces at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of Friday last, Jan. 17.

Coomassie, Ashantee, Jan. 20.-The native forces in the employ of the British were the first to enter Coomassie. They met with no opposition, King Prempeh was ordered to meet Sir Francis Scott, in command of the British expeditionary force, this afternoon.

UNITED STATES SENATORS WARNED.

ing to \$17,000 or thereabouts, was offered by public auction at a rate on the dollar. The highest bid was 50%, and the inspectors of the London, Jan. 20 .- The Globe this afternoon during the course of an article condemning the attitude of the United States Senate Committee on Foreign Affairs, says: "The English Sell Off the Stock By Refail, people will not stand much more flouting from anybody, and these gentlemen, whom we credit with no more exalted sentiment than the wish to stand well with their Irish constitu-MONDAY, the 20th Inst. ents, may very easily find themselves

could only be called appalling." DISTINGUISHED PRELATE DEAD. Tours, France, Jan. 20 .- Cardinal Guillaume Rene Meignan, Archbishop \$272,009, and withdrawals \$286,609. of Tours, was found dead in bed this morning. Cardinal Meignan was born in 1817 and was created a cardinal in Of recent years he distinguished himself in his attitude toward the republic by following the conciliatory policy of Pope Leo XIII. He was the author of a number of religious and historical works, was decorated with the cross of the Legion of Honor in 1868, and promoted to the rank of ofthan there was in that of Cronin. Cronin fleer of the Legion of Honor in 1891. In 1893 he was vicar-general of Paris, and was promoted Archbishop of

face to face with a situation that

Tours in 1894. LAUGHING AT BATTENBERG. London, Jan. 20.-The sudden illness of Prince Henry of Battenberg, the husband of Princess Beatrice, before Tombsboro, Georgia, Jan. 29 .- News has he had fairly reached the enemy in Ashantee, is likewise a topic of much chaff in London. He was permitted to go, much against the wishes, it is said, of his commanding officers, who tions, this county. Powers was called to his door at night and shot, falling dead in the arms of his wife. The suspicions of the feared the responsibility and anxiety of the royal amateur's charge. One of his fellow-officers said, however: officers have been directed to a man named "He would not give me much anx-Dixon, a member of Powers' church, and he lety, because when we got near fighting I should suddenly find out that he had had fever and should send is under arrest. It is said that last Sunday Mr. Powers preached a strong sermon against the marital infelicities of some of the

him back to the coromandel to the care of the sisters."

The fact that he was sent to Madeira by a special warship and was accompanied by a doctor, thus taken whisky, which contained a condition away from his duties, is something of powder intended for a horse. It was

Cuba. He will sail from Barcelone for Havana on Jan. 25. Gen Weyler is very popular. He is

Gen Weyler is very popular. He is an energetic soldier, and it is expected he will adopt severer measures than did Gen. Campos towards the insurgents and their direct and indirect allies. The Government will give Gen. Weyler 20 battalions of infantry, 25 squadrons of cavalry and several mountain batteries. Fresh reinforcements will be sent to Cuba in February. All the money required to push operations decisively before the rains of May set in will be provided.

UNCLE SAM ASKED A QUESTION. Alarm at Ottawa Over Opposition UNCLE SAM ASKED A QUESTION. Paris, Jan. 20.-The Eclair today, referring to the suggested additions to the Monroe doctrine, asks: "Does the American Government think it is strong enough to appropriate in its own inenough to appropriate in its own interest one of the two hemispheres and forbid Europe to have access to it?"

The Eolair adds: "If it pushes its extravagant pretensions to this point, the only thing that can happen will be that all of Europe will arrive at an understanding by which they will close their ports to American ships, a measure which will make Americans ask for mercy within a week.

Why does America assume an attitude she Why does America assume an attitude she

cannot maintain? THE DREIBUND. Berlin, Jan. 20 .- All the stories in circulation to the effect that the Triple Alliance has been shaken through England's hostility to Germany are semiofficially declared to be utterly without
foundation. None of the powers concerned according to this authority, have
suggested the slightest modification of
the terms of the Drebbund or intimated any desire to withdraw therefrom Both the Berlin and Vienna Governments are interested in the ventures of Italy in Abyssinda and are fully conscious of the consequent drain upon the resources which are weakening her as an ally, but that is held to be no sufficient reason why the stability of the triple alliance should be shaken.

THE WAR IN ABYSSINIA. London, Jan. 20 .- A dispatch from Massowah states that the situation at Makalle, the Italian position which the Abyssinians have been trying for some time to capture, is unchanged. It is re-ported that Menelek has offered to treat for peace, but on what conditions is not positively known. It is alleged that he offers that the Italians will not be harmed if they abandon the fortress at Makalle. and retreat. It is believed that the negotiations on the part of the Abyssinians are only for the pur-pose of gaining time in which to make preparations for another attack on the Italians. The Abyssinian force numbers 55,000 men, most of whom are armed with Remington rifles. Ten thousand of them are armed with

KING OSCAR'S IDEA.

London, Jan. 20.—King Oscar of along until June. The highest con-Sweden, in his speech at the opening stitutional authorities, however, are of the Riksdag, declared that the anxiety concerning the union of Sweden rather than that there should be doubt and Norway had diminished, and ex-pressed the hope that the causes for passed by Parliament, the April condiscord would rermanently vanish, re- tention will hold good. How could Parcent events making it more needful liament legally sit beyond April 29, the than ever for nations to hold together date on which the present Parliament for security and liberty. He said that the present large surplus in the treaswould permit of grants for national defense. He asserted that in the event of warlike developments in Europe, Sweden and Norway would maintain a strict neutrality. The budget for 1897 was then submitted. It provides for the building of two ironclads, four torpedo cruisers, six torpedo boats, besides 5,000,000 kroner for the equipment of fortresses and the

SPAIN AGAINST THE UNITED STATES.

City of Mexico, Jan. 20.-El Correo Espanal, organ of the Spanish colony here, says that if the United States should recognize the belligenency of the Cuban insurgents Spain should declare war on the United States.

"American statesmen are not farsighted," says El Correo, "and they imagine that Spain is not in a condition to take the offensive, but it will not be this nation of mechanics who will humiliate our pride nor suffocate our energies, nor will its feeble fighting squadron inspire fear, nor its undisciplined troops.

"The power of the United States is more apparent than real, and that nation is in no condition to make arms respected. Every Spaniard desires war with the United States. We want this war to demonstrate to the United States that we are strong and not degenerated, and know how to make our rights respected."

Sparks from the Wire

Nothing more has been heard of the fate of the three men seen affoat on an ice floe in Lake Erie. The deposits in the Government sav-

ings banks during December were The 26th annual convention of the Young Men's Christian Associations of Ontario and

Quebec will be held at St. Catharines from Jan. 23 to 26. The statement of circulation and specie for December shows amount of notes outstanding \$22,413,463, a reduction during the month of \$464,-837. The excess of specie over am-

A FATAL JOKE.

ount required by law is \$5,183,369.

A Ballawhack Lad Given a Horse Powder Which Caused His Death.

Napanee, Jan. 20.—Ballawhack. a small settlement a short distance back of Tamworth, is in a state of excite-ment over the falal ending of an alleged joke, and some interesting developments are expected at the inquest, which will be held today. On Jan. 11 Frank, the adopted son of Mr. John Tyner, of Ballawhack, died after a short illness. The symptoms of the case were such that they led the attendant physician, Dr. Clark, to the conclusion that the young man had been poisoned. He communicated suspicions to others, and as a result Coroner Carscallen decided to hold an inquest. A jury was empanelled on Saturday, but adjourned until today to allow of a post-mortem examination of the remains. The boy's death is due, it is said, to the effects of a glass of away from his duties, is something of a scandal in military circles.

WEYLER SUCCEEDS CAMPOS.

Madrid, Jan. 20.—It is officially stated that the Government has appointed Gen. Weyler to succed Gen. Campos in

No Guess Work

WHOLE NO. 12407

Coughs and Colds

Can be cured by a few doses of Parliament Must Legally Dissolve on

to Sir Charles Tupper.

April 25 Next,

Hon. Mr. Angers' Views on the Con-

spiracy.

Ottawa, Jan. 20 .- A host of Conservative speakers are being drafted for

Cape Breton, so serious is the aspect

Charles Tupper. It seems Mr. Mc-

Keen, M.P., was promised a Senator-

ship if he would retire, and hand over the constituency to the High Commis-sioner, but there is resentment against

such a course as this, and a call has

been sent to Ottawa for Messrs. Mon-

tague, Foster and others to try to

head off a Liberal victory. And this

in a high tax stronghold, where Sir

Charles Tupper stated he hoped to be

I hear today that Hon. Mr. Angers,

who left the Dominion Government

last summer, now states that he has

no more sympathy for the Premier,

and he holds that Sir Mackenzie Bow-

ell should have formed a new Cabinet

and left the conspirators out in the

A successor to Gen. Powell as Adju-

Ottawa society is all agog over the

by their Excellencies in the Senate

Chamber on Feb. 17. A series of eight

dances, emblematic of leading periods of Candian history, is being arranged

and promises to be a great attraction.

It is now generally conceded that

the life of this Parliament expires on

April 25, though a few high tax ad-

vocates contend that it can legally run

opposed to the latter contention, and friends of the men in power now say

began its sittings five years ago? Par-

liament can last five years and no

to be provided with an automatic de-

vice in the hose coupling of such air

brakes, or in the train pipes, so ar-

ranged that after the cars are coupled,

ranged, accidentally or otherwise, with-

cars built in Canada must, after the

passing of this act be of a uniform standard height, and provided with at-

tachments for security of railway em-

ployes. There are also limitations re-

specting hours of labor for nailway

employes, compensation for injuries,

as their candidate for the Commons.

The Liberals of Colchester, N. S., have

THE POT POLITICAL.

the late Sir John Macdonald.

be faithful in the future. They are like

a magnetic battery. In this respect

Mr. Laurier greatly resembles the late 'old chieftain' of the Conservative party. All the lines on Mr. Laurier's

The Hamilton Herald declares that

'a country is in pretty hard luck when

it falls into the hands of men who ac-

cuse each other of being treacherous and incapable, and who evidently are."

HALTON.

Wednesday, Feb. 12, to nominate a candi-

THE WEST HURON COUNT.

Goderich, Jan. 20 .- The summing up of

the vote in West Huron took place in the courthouse on Saturday, and Returning Officer Beck declared M. C. Cameron duly elected by a majority of 190 votes. Mr. Cameron will leave for Ottawa this after-

MR. PETER RYAN.

It is stated that Mr. Peter Ryan, of Toronto, the well known Irish-Canadian, may enter the ensuing Dominion contest as a

date for the House of Commons.

Halton Liberals will hold a convention on

face are symp thetic and refined."

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elected without a contest!

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Be sure and get the genuine, which is stamped of opposition to the election of Sir T. T. in red letters on each label. PRICE 25 CENTS. - - WHOLESALE BY

Cairncross & Lawrence.

"A Serious Step."

Action of the United States Senate on the Venezuelan Question

Regarded in England as "a Most Serious Step'-The Feeling in Venezuela,

London, Jan. 20.-The Daily News (Liberal) says that it regards the adoption by the United States Senate committee on foreign relations on Friday of the resolution of Senator Davis supporting the Monroe doctrine tant-General of Militia has not yet as a most serious step. It adds: been appointed. Lieut.-Col. Aylmer, "The sooner Lord Salisbury discovered as method of arbitration the better." tant-General of Militia has not yet adjutant-general, and is freely spoken of as likely to succeed Col. Powell. During the past day or two the names of Col. Otter, of Toronto, and Col. Smith, of London, have also been the manuscript of the collection of the better. The Venezuelan commission thangs fire, not, perhaps, without President Cleveland's connivance. If he is giving us time we would be foolish not to take it." of Col. Otter, of Toronto, and Col. Smith, of London, have also been

The Chronicle says it is probable that

England and Venezuela will order in-quiries to be made into the settle-ments and cessions of land in the disgrand fancy dress ball to be given puted territory. This will offer a basis for a renewal of negotiations, and it is now thought will be the form of arbitration that will be resorted to. New York, Jan. 20.—C. Marenzo-Erazo, who has arrived in New York from Philadelphia, where he represents large commercial interests. was interviewed. and says: The statements published in the papers here about the war feel-Venezuela are grossly exaggering in ated. He has been traveling for the last two months over a large portion of Venezuela, and was impressed everywhere with the absence of anything like bravado, and the feeling prevailed among Venezuelans that the pending questions would be ultimately settled without war. Nobody in Venezuela seems to believe in war, and there is no inclination on the part of the authorities or on the part of the people to precipitate an issue. The country is prosperous and business is progressing in its usual channels without any dis-turbance. The people of Venezuela are entirely satisfied with the prospects of The bill of Mr. Casey, M. P. for West arbitration, and both in official and unofficial circles there is a determina-Elgin, to secure the safety of railway tion to abide by it, but they are at employes and passengers, contains the same time determined that they some provisions which are of special shall not be despoiled by force. Mr. interest to railway men. For instance, all cars fitted with brakes are Marzen-Erazo, in conclusion, said that nothing but positive agression on the part of England could bring about war.

MOORE'S GREAT SCHEME

and the air pump on the locomotive cannot be broken, or the coupling de-For Predicting Rainfalls -Will Send Up Kites. out knowledge of the engineer. Another clause provides that all box freight

Washington, Jan. 20 .- The weather bureau, under the direction of Prof. Moore, is now engaged in experiment in the management of aeroplanes of kites that promise to be of high scientific value. It is the purpose of Prof. Moore to devise a system of kites which can be relied on to carry a considerable weight, six or eight pounds, perhaps, two miles above the surface of the earth. The kite adopted for the purpose is of cellular construction, without the old-fashioned tail, and has nominated Mr. Firman McClure, of Truro, remarkable lifting power. It is intended to carry up to this altitude varicus observation instruments, barometers, thermometers, hydrometers, and other like instruments, which will aut-A writer in the Ottawa Journal gives omatically record the condition of the this pen sketch of the Liberal leader: "And now a word about Mr. Laurier. atmosphere above. Prof. Moore feels that the weather service has now Here you have a striking face, a comreached a satisfactory state, so far as bination of the intellectual length seen concerns predictions of winds, their in Mr. Foster, the mental vigor obviolence and temperatures, but the served in Sir Hibbert Tupper, and a weak spot that remains is in the prelarge quantity of the tact and knowldiction of rain falls. According to his edge of human nature displayed by theory, a vast improvement in accurthe late Sir John Macdonald. The acy in this respect can be attained forehead is high and wide, showing by a full knowledge of what is going on in the air far above the earth. both mental force and astuteness, while the mouth is firm, as denoting and this he expects to ascertain by means of kites. strength of will and personal aggressiveness, yet sufficiently flexible to al-

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low of an adaptation to the views of others, and to circumstances, acalculat-Winnipeg, Jan. 20.—Premier Greenway ed to make friends. But the strong has returned to the city from his farm. He points in Mr. Laurier's face are his said that the new Legislature of Manitoba would probably be called for the dispatch of eyes. They are wonderful eyes. They express his every feeling. While his face is expressionless, his eyes will tell business on Thursday, Feb. 6. The Premier expressed great satisfaction at the result of you a bookful. While the Liberal leadthe elections. He said that it would be the er can talk brilliantly with his mouth, earnest endeavor of his Government during he can be equally expressive with his eyes. In conversation he looks more their next four years of office to promote in every way possible measures and means conducive to the best interests of Manitoba than he says. When he shakes hands with a supporter whom he meets for as an agricultural country. the first time, his eyes in one glance thank the supporter for his past ser-vices, and flash an appeal to him to

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