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MONDAY, MAY 18. 1896.



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BRODRICK-On the 15th May, the wife of P. W. D. Brodrick, of a son.

DIED. DUTTON-On May 16, 1896, William D. Dut ton, aged 69 years. Funeral from No. 152 Center street. London West, Monday, May 18, 1896, at 2:30 p.m.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading two cents per word each insertion. No advertisement less than 10 words. PORESTERS' EXCURSION, VIA GRAND Birthday. Fare \$2. Good two days. 3bu RAND OPERA HOUSE - THE DRA-RAND OPERA HOUSE — THE DRAMATIC event of the sesson, Tuesday,
May 19, Stuart Robson, under the direction of
Wm. R. Hayden, in the most successful play
of the century, "The Henrietta." by Bronson
Howard. Mr. Robson, as Bertie the Lamb.
Prices 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1. Seats on sale Monday.
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DEST ENTERTAINMENT OF THE SEA
TO RENT—BRIOK HOUSE—173 KENT
street (south side) near Richmond. Apply to E. MEREDITH, Dundas street west. 99tf

BEST ENTERTAINMENT OF THE SEA-SON — King Street Methodist Sunday school concert, Monday, May 18,8 p.m. Tickets

WAIT FOR NIAGARA FALLS EXCURSION, July 1; \$175. 8k tzyt OIVES PERFECT SATISFACTION— Court Magnolia excursion to Detroit via Grand Trunk Railway, May 25; two days, \$175.

A RE YOU GOING TO CAMP AT PORT Stanley?—Port Stanley Campers' Supply Agency will attend to your wants. Rooms. cottages or tents to rent. Apply at once, SIM

SULPHUR SPRINGS BATHS—HOT AND cold—open daily. Plunge open on and after Friday, May 15. Dundas street west.

TALACE DANCING ACADEMY, 476 Richmond street. Fall term will open early in September. DAYTON & McCormick, residence 241 Oxford street. Tesidence 241 Oxford street.

14 DAYS TRIP — LONDON TO PORT Stanley, thence Cleveland, Toledo, Windsor, Detroit, thence Montreal via Cleveland, Port Colborne, Toronto, Kingston, Brockville, Prescott and Cornwall. Cost (including meals and berths), only \$25, during May and June. Magnificent electric lighted steamers of Merchants' Line, in connection with L. E. and D. R. R., will cover this route. Frank R. Clarke, agent, Richmond street, next "Advertiser."

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One cent per word each insertion. No advertisement less than 10 words. LUREKA LODGE, NO. 30, I. O. O. F., most; Tuesday evening. Members are requested to attend the lodge meetings. Visit-

PECIAL MEETING OF THE LONDON PIDELITY LODGE, A. O. U. W., MEETS tonight, 8 o'clock. Members requested to be present. Visitors welcome. E. A. Gibson, M. W.; S. H. Milling, Recorder.

Domestics Wanted.

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WANTED-GOOD COOK-APPLY DO-MINION House, corner York and GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—
Apply at 609 Colborne street. Sc

WANTED - COOKS, DINING-ROOM girls, laundresses and kitchen girls for summer resorts. Dwyer's amployment Agency, 691 Richmond street; phone 1,121.

WANTED-25 GOOD GENERALS, COOKS, V housemaids, dining-room girls, chambermaids, in and out of city. Armstrono's Intelligence Office, 56 Dundas street. 'Phone,

Male Help Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. WANTED-A CANVASSER FOR JOB printing; must be a practical man and have a thorough knowledge of the business. Address Canvasser, P. O. Box 530, London.

NY PAIR OF PANTS MADE TO ORDER A for \$4 50 for one week; cleaning and re-pairing done neatly. R. H. SEMPLE, merchant

WANTED - AN IDEA - WHO CAN think of some simple thing to patent?
Protect your ideas: they may bring you wealth. Write JOHN WEDDERBURN & Co., patent attorneys, Washington, D. C., fortheir \$1,800 prize offer and list of two hundred in

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

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

Female Help Wanted.

First insertion ic per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. WANTED AT ONCE - FIRST-CLASS pant maker. Apply to SLATER BROS., 393 Richmond street, south of Dundas street.

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OST-ON WEDNESDAY EVENING, ON the G. T. R. Pacific Express west, between Harrisburg and London, or on the tween Harristory and London, or on the street railway cars in London, a memorandum pocket-book, containing \$50 in bills, railway passes and other memoranda, of no use to any person but owner. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to this office. 5tf

Storage.

FIREPROOF SAFE FOR SALE—WEST-ERN Storage and Commission Company,

Articles For Sale. dvertiser

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. ENGLISH AND WESTERN SADDLES for sale—been used. J. Darch & Sons. 317, 379 Talbot street, wholesale and retail

ONE LARGE MANGLE, SEVERAL CHIL-DREN'S buggles, a few cheese safes, to be sold cheap, at "the Ark," Market Square. FOR SALE - MASON & RISCH AND Williams pianos, also Heintzman & Co. (nearly new). 236 Dundas street. H. W. Bur-

FOR SALE—DESK AND IRON STAIR AT
Bank of Toronto. 1tf COR SALE-HORSE-GOOD DRIVER-6 years old; quiet and good mover. Apply 20 Craig street, South London. 90:1 DICYCLES - DAYTON, STEARNS, Dieter, Regent. Croscents, full line, \$60 up. Purchasers taught to ride free. Palace Riding Academy, 476 Richmond street. Dayron,

CORMICK & CO MACHINERY FOR SALE—H.W. PETRIE,
Toronto, is offering a very large and
varied stock of new and second-hand machinvaried stock of new and second-hand machinery, and those who contemplate purchasing will do well to send for his new descriptive catalogue No. 12. Machinery you have no use for taken in exchange. Address H. W. PETRIE, adjoining Union station. Torento.

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First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. TTO LET - BRICK HOUSE, BECHER street, South London, modern, nearly new, convenient, \$13. Apply 27 Becher. NEW BRICK HOUSE TO LET-MODERN conveniences: Benconsel-1

WO-STORY BRICK-4 BEDROOMS-double parlors, fine location, cheap rent, 412 Princess avenue.

TWO LET - THAT DESIRABLE BRICK residence, \$17 Dufferin avenue, corner of Peter street; containing nine rooms, with bath room and cellar, with furnace. Apply FLOCK & FLOCK. FLOCK & FLOCK. OFFICE TO LET—DOUBLE ROOM WITH vault, first floor Albica Building; also front room on first floor; immediate possession Apply T. H. CARLING, at the brewery. 33 if

TO LET-COTTAGE CORNER RIDOUT and Craig streets. South London; rent \$13. Apply George C. Gunn, barrister. 42tf TO LET-RESIDENCE. 484 COLBORNE street, corner Dufferin avenue, 10 rooms, modern conveniences. Apply Fraser & FRASER.

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Agents Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent Ansertion. No advertisement less than ten words. MEN TO TAKE ORDERS IN EVERY town and city: no delivering; good wages; pay weekly: no capital. Steady work. GLEN BROS., Rochester, N. Y. 5bi xtz TANTED - IMMEDIATELY -ENER-Stock guaranteed. For particulars write

Real Estate.

BROS.' COMPANY, Nurserymen, To-

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. CHADWICK & SON — ACCOUNT-ANTS, Real Estate and General Agents Room 2 Albion Building.

POR SALE—FINE TWO STORY FRAME house, King street, \$2,000; two-story brick, York street, only \$2,000; good cottage, Queen's avenue, only \$1,300; two-story, brick, Hyman, \$3,000. J. F. SANGSTER, over C. P. R. Ticket Office.

Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words A GREEABLE, EXPERIENCED HOUSE-KEEPER to rent a modern eleven-room house, centrally located. Present tenants, man and wife, would like to furnish room and

board with party. Address box 78, "Adver-ANTED - BY YOUNG WOMAN-Apply A. B., "Advertiser." 8u

Board and Lodging.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. R COMS-FURNISHED OR UNFURNISH-ED; private family. Apply 589 Talbot 8k

Miscellaneous.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. EWARD IS OFFERED FOR CONVIC-TION of person who has broken windows house corner Ridout and Craig streets. GEORGE C. GUNN, barrister.

Auction Sale Household Furniture ON TUESDAY, MAY 19, AT 549 COL-BORNE STREET.

MR. NEIL COOPER has been instructed to sell contents of house to sell contents of house, comprising in Parlor suite, pictures, blinds, carpets, ack, oilcloth, sideboard, extension table. glassware, crockery, lounges, Raymond Sewing Machine (new), three bedroom suites, springs and mattresses, No. 9 cooking range, kitchen utensils, besides sundry other articles. Sale at 10:39. NEIL COOPER, Auctioneer.

Westminster.

THE COURT OF REVISION OF THE assessment roll of the township of West ster for 1896 will be held at W. L. Odell' minster for 1896 will be held at W. L. Odell's hotel on Tuesday, the 26th day of May, 1896, at 10 o'clock a. m. All persons having business at the said court are hereby notified to attend.

HENRY ANDERSON, Township Clerk. bd bw May 14, 1896.

 Your order solicited for 1896. D. COLLINS & CO.

35 Blackfriars Street - - Phone 890.

Details of Death and Devastation in Texas

Resulting from the Recent Cyclone in the Vicinity of Sherman.

Over 200 Persons Perished-Scores of Houses Turned Into Hospitals-Harrowing Scenes.

Sherman, Tex., May 18 .- The water n the creeks and brooks has subsided, and thousands of spectators have travrsed the path of Friday's tornado. Every business house in the city except the drug stores and eating houses suspended business on Saturday morning, and the attention of everybody has been turned toward caring for the wounded and the dead, the number of which is hourly increasing from deaths in the hospitals and bodies found in the subsiding streams. The city's street been busily engaged in preparing graves for the victims of the storm. The undertaking establishments are being taxed to their limits.

A word picture cannot approximately portray the terrible aspect of the pathway torn through the city. Great oak trees and elms of a quarter of a century's growth are torn up by the roots or were twisted off like reeds. The remnants of beautiful homes are scatdomestic animals are lying dead and scattered about. Barbed wires are often found twisted about fence posts several times, and stones and bricks, evidently from the Fly residence, are found several hundred yards north, driven in the ground. The widest point in the pathway of

the tornado in the city is perhaps 200

yards wide. At other points it rarely

or ever exceeded 150 yards, and often

narrowed to not over 100 yards. AN APPEAL. following appeal has been is "The loss of life and property sued: by the cyclone is much greater than was supposed, and the number injured is much larger, the dead and wounded exceeding 200. The loss of property is over \$250,000. Sherman is taking good care of the wounded, but many families have lost their all and are left destitute. All contributions will be thankfully received, as they will help us to aid those who will have to begin life anew.'

THE LOSSES AT SHERMAN. Three miles of electric light wire was prostrated, and the city left in darkness. A great number of inquiries for ost persons are being made, over 100 thus far. Later reports show that Mrs. J. J. Johnson and child were killed four miles west of Howe, twelve miles southwest of this city. Sam H. Hendricks, who lives near them, is fatally injured. Three members of the Connor family are fatally injured. The total number of injured will reach 150, and the total number of killed outright, so far as heard from Sherman and other points in the country, is about 60, and it is estimated that at least that many more who are missing are dead. Conservaive estimates place the total number of killed n Grayson county at between 120 and 150. The path of the storm, which went west of the town, passes through a section of country which has no telephone or telegraph connection with the city. All telephone communication west and northwest of the city is

OTHER SECTIONS SUFFER. When the first blast of the cyclone was felt at Justin, in Denton county, more than 100 miles from Sherman, men, women and children were wholly unprepared for it. Justin was the first town to feel the blast. From there the cyclone swept northwest, through Gerald, Denton, thence to Mingo, to Gribble Springs, and on to Mustang. A hundred miles was traveled in an hour. The small settlements along the line of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad, north of Denton, all suffered. Elmview was lashed and then the village of Howe.

The southeast end of Sherman reto have gathered new fury to have an early date. reaked the worst of its ruin on this

THE DEATH LIST GROWS. The results of the terrible cyclone additions to Sherman, are not com- of the United States towards Cuba, plete. The list of dead up to noon on Saturday included 78. At least a dozen boys were expected to die before night. It is estimated that 20 or 30 bodies are yet unrecovered. Six more bodies, four dead, two alive, were recovered yesterday morning. The missing child of Lake Montgomery was found 50 yards north of Washington bridge, 200 yards from its home. The little one's skull was crushed in and the brains are gone, as if scooped out. This completes the destruction of Mr. Montcomery's family, his dead wife and two babies being previously found.

STREETS FULL OF MOURNERS. The streets are filled with griefstricken people. Hundreds of farmers are in the town, and it sems as if half the population of Denison is here. The details of the storm grow more horrible as they are made fuller. Bodies have been decapitated, limbs andria, Egypt. For the week there were 216 cases and 161 deaths. Every sticking through the limbs, skulls crushed, and many in other ways horribly mutilated. Some are not broken bered nine. or bruised at all, but apparently lie peacefully and serene in death. Many private homes are used as hospitals Ladies of the city are doing all in their power to save and succor the wounded, caring for and dressing the dead.

UNDERTAKERS' ESTABLISH-MENTS CROWDED. Undertakers' establishments are ed with newspaper men, every paper seized upon and the contents are devoured.

IN GRAYSON COUNTY. At the same hour of the tornado at Sherman, a tornado swept over the northwestern portion of Grayson counnorthwestern portion of Grayson county, ten miles from Denison, and great damage was done. The best information obtainable is to the effect that there were three streams, all traveling in the general direction and all of terrific fury. Seven miles east of Denison the Turley home was wrecked and the Turley family all hurt. Furton to protect the shipping. and the Turley family all hurt. Further north the farmhouse of Louis Duval was in its path, and every member of the British House of Commons

Further east in Grayson county anacross the river, and left a path of perform the work of the strikers in destruction. Everything is gone and loading and discharging cargo, and searching parties are out looking for the dead and wounded. A number of are detained here. persons are missing.

Reports from isolated Indian Territory points in the track of the storm are beginning to arrive. On Reynolds' Prairie, twelve miles east of Denison, a dozen houses were wrecked and many people injured. Reports from Joel, I. T., are that much property was grading force, supplemented by a destroyed. The storehouse, gin and large number of men, have been transferred to the cemeteries, and have several of the Kemp family hurt. AT DENTON.

At Denton the cyclone, which cut out the heart of this county and Grayson started within a mile county, Justin, in this county. A terrible wind was experienced here. People were blown down, houses demolished, and farm buildings completely removed Reports from the country districts indicate some five people killed. tered in all directions. Hundreds of roads are impassable, and the small streams of the county swollen beyond their banks. So far no one has reported killed in this town, but the place is in darkness and under water. Reports from Justin, Sherman and Gribble are to the effect that \$500,000 worth of property has been destroyed in the two counties.

At Carpenter Bluff, seven miles east vant was blown down and four persons, Devant and wife, and Devant's hired hand, named Armour, and a little hild, received injuries from which they will die. Kellar, a small town to the north of Justin, was almost entirely wrecked, and it is reported that only one house in the hamlet is now standing. All that section of the country immediately north was left in ruins by the storm. Further reports from Gribble Springs say the injured in that place will number 30.

Frightful Loss of Life by Terrific Explosion.

Colonel Napier's Men Repulse Another Matabele Attack.

President Kruger Indulges in Message of Cool Politeness.

Cholera on the Increase in Egypt-Spain

Feels Sore in Regard to the

United States.

RUMORED DEATH OF THE

KHALIFA. Suakin, May 18 .- It is rumored here that the Khalifa is dead, but no confirmation of the report is obtainable. 200 PEOPLE KILLED.

London, May 18 .- A dispatch from the Lagos, on the west coast of Africa, says that the palace of the Emir Malekis, at Bida, has been destroyed by an explosion, and that 200 persons were killed.

FAVOR CLEMENCY.

Pretoria, May 18.—The executive council has resolved to give favor- with Mr. McCarthy's agent, to come up ceived the full force of the storm, which, while sweeping over Denton mitigation of sentences imposed upon mitigation of sentences imposed upon county and a part of Grayson, seemed the Reform Committee prisoners at take is that I don't propose to be run SPAIN IS SORE.

the Spanish Government, in a circular which swept Gray's Hill and Fairview, note to powers regarding the attitude fringed all conventions.

FIGHTING AT BULUWAYO. Cape Town, May 18 .- A dispatch from Buluwayo says: Col. Napier, with 160 men, while engaged in establishing a heliograph station, was but, after a sharp fight, the natives were driven away, leaving 80 dead behind them. Cecil Rhodes has started from Gwelo for Buluwayo.

THE CHOLERA. London, May 18.—Seventy-three new cases of cholera and twenty deaths he from the disease are reported at Alex- be held. steamer leaving this port is packed hair pulled out, great slivers of wood with people fleeing from the scourge. Eleven fresh cases were discovered at

Cairo

yesterday. The deaths num-

KRUGER POLITE. Pretoria, May 18.—President Kruger has replied to the dispatch recently sent by Mr. Chamberlain, British it. Colonial Secretary, to Sir Hercules Robinson, Governor of the Cape Colony, and communicated to Pretoria, wherein Mr. Chamberlain promised over-run with work. The city is crowd- that full inquiry should be made into the affairs of the British South still continues. Many bodies are being brought in hourly. The total of dead will reach 120, and the wounded will aggregate 100. The people of the city are responding generously to calls are beautiful into the allegations against the British South African Company and its directors. The Government will follow the inquiry with interest. Thanks for your expressions of symdependent man is not brought out.

for help from the destitute and homeless people. Over \$6,000 has been raised so far.

THE ROTTERDAM STRIKE

THE ROTTERDAM STRIKE. Rotterdam, May 18.-Six thousand

ber of the family were injured, some of them dangerously. From there the tornado crossed Red River and moved in a northerly direction toward the Chickasaw Female Academy.

The seamen on board the British other storm swept down Choctaw Bayou and desolated the country. It moved in a northwesterly direction comply with the demand that they would refuse to comply with the demand that they the cosequence is that 50 steamers

Meeting of the Independent Electors of the Riding.

The Advisability of Bringing Out a Candidate Debated.

Convention Adjourned for a Week-Mr Bartram and Mr. McCreadle Willing to Run-Mr. Macklin Leaves the Conservative Party.

A convention of the independent electors of East Middlesex was held in of Denison, the dwelling of John De- the county buildings on Saturday to discuss the question of bringing out a candidate for the commons.

The chair was filled by Mr. Pardy, reeve of Nissouri, who opened the meeting with a short address, in which he explained the reasons for his resignation, which were that his health was not good, and that he could not found out that the convention had well afford the time.

On motion his resignation was accepted. Mr. Thomas Robson, of London township, then took the chair, and said the matter was open for discussion. Pardy had simply misunderstood him; They knew the position of affairs. Mr. Wm. Shore, M.P.P., said he had dy, and would have helped him in his sent out notices calling a convention own neighborhood, but could not spare because he knew many to be in favor the time to go away very far.

want him. Mr. Robson asked if it was advisable to choose a candidate then. Mr. Bartram had been approached, and asked to come, and had consented.

ig out. P.P

Dr. Towle, of Kintore, said: "When Mr. Pardy put his resignation in the ter, and I think so, too. I say the duty of every independent man is to send to here, and if he wants the nomination, the House of Commons men who will stand up for what is just and right. It is the unanimous determination that there shall not be any coercion on ufacturer, and claimed that he was the part of the Roman hierarchy. The hierarchy had tried to oppress and coerce the Province of Manitoba, but the people of this Province will not have facturer of tile and sewer pipe, had a

They were only too willing to place their names on paper for any candidate who would vote against interference with Manitoba and any remedial legislation. Let Manitoba be cople are not only willing to sign their names, but willing to stand to the guns, if necessary, to protect the interests of the Province of Manitoba." Several voices called for Mr. Bar-

Mr. Bartram explained that after Dr. Towle presented the requisition, he (Mr. Bartram) made arrangements here and arrange a campaign. Mr. Shore then slipped in, and wanted to run East Middlesex. "The position I by any outside constituency. I don't propose to be run by the Patrons, and Madrid, May 18.-It is stated that will not be a Patron candidate. They don't want me in their order. If Mr. McCreadie wants the nomination, let him take it and run. If you want a candidate who is an anti-Jesuit, and prepared to fight it out on those lines. I'll take the nomination. You cannot afford to support either of the old parties. The only course open is to send enough independent men to Parliament to say that you will not have conciliation, coercion, or see Manitoba rampled upon. The British constitution higher than the articles of Confederation, and the British constituattacked by a large force of natives, tion is on the side of Manitoba. I have no desire to force myself upon this onvention. If this meeting is unanmous in indorsing my candidature I

will do all I can." Mr. Shore took exception to Mr. Bartram's speech, saying that he wanted to run East Middlesex. He said he merely spoke to Mr. Bartram because thought another convention should

Mr. Thomas Smith, Nissouri, thought t was too bad if East Middlesex should ot be represented by an independent. If Mr. McCreadie was not going to be the candidate, he would like to see Mr.

Mr. Bartram-Well, gentlemen, I have a requisition, and can be a candidate, anyway. I don't want this convention, unless it is unanimous. If Mr. McCreadie wants it, let him have Mr. Henry Macklin, city, told the

people he had been a Conservative all his life, and had always voted Conservative, but he was not going to do it this time. He had no confidence in Sir Charles Tupper, who had promised that comes to the city containing an account of the storm being eagerly sympathy with Mme. Kruger, who is to coerce Manitoba. He was prepared to coerce Manitoba. He was prepared to stand by any man who would seized upon and the contents are description of the south of the south

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Chemists, Etc.

216 Dundas Street, London, Ontario,

Branch-Cor. Richmond and Piccadilly Sts. There seems to be a little friction, and if an independent man is not brought out a majority of the people in the constituency are practically disfranchised. We have had enough of the old party and the hierarchy, and it is time we did something. I am willing to be a candidate, but if I am it will be because the convention is unanimous Dr. Towle-Did you make any stipula-

tion about the raising of funds? Mr. McCreadie-I don't think I could stand the whole expense myself. Mr. Putnam spoke sharply about the way in which Mr. McCreadie had been led by the neck into the matter and then withdrawn. He wanted to know if the meeting was called solely for

the sake of Mr. Bartram. Mr. Bartram-I am prepared to stand by this convention if it is unanmous in its support.

Mr. Putnam—I have been informed that the people of No. 5 ward were all clamoring for an independent candi-

Mr. Langford, London township-I have always been a Conservative, and have been known all over the country as one, but I am an independent voter this time. I think it better to adjourn for a week. It is not fair that such a small number should decide on a candidate, when over 200 who had signed the petition for Mr. Bartram were not

Mr. Pardy said he represented a considerable number who could not be in attendance, and thought it proper to adjourn the meeting for a week. accused Mr. McCreadie of perfidy to his cause. After Mr. McCreadie had gone in favor of himself (Pardy), he (McCreadie) was not willing to do anything. He told Mr. McCreadie if he wanted the nomination he could have

Mr. McCreadie explained that Mr. that he had nothing against Mr. Par-

Mr. Bartram was asked the question Independents and Patrons seemed to if he would stand by the convention one week from that day. Mr. Bartram-I don't want to have

any ill-feeling against the Patrons, or anybody else. I told Mr. Shore to do as he liked. I am not going to be fool enough to run with another independent candidate in the hands of Mr. Bartram, people came to field. If you nominate Mr. McCreame and said: 'Is there going to be no die you will hear no more from me. independent candidate at all?' They Mr. Shore stepped in and stopped all said it was a shame for the two old my plans after the requisition had been parties to have all the say in the matments. Mr. McCreadie has a majority

> let him take it. Mr. Bartram also pointed out that Mr. McCreadie was a protected mantherefore dishonestly a Patron, while he (Mr. Bartram) was honestly not a Patron. Mr. McCreadie, as a manu-

protection of 35 per cent. Mr. McCreadie said he objected to these insinuations. "I didn't call this convention," he said, "and never asked a man to vote for me or told her own master of her affairs. The him that I wanted to run. The Patrons did not come here to support me any more than any other man, and there are not more than a dozen active Patrons here. Mr. Pardy-That is because the

order is going down. Mr. McCreadie-I was led to believe that the P. P. A. had pledged their support to Mr. Bartram. Mr. Bartram-I am not asking any favors from you. If you want me as an independent man, I am willing to run. The convention will meet again

next Saturday to consider the situation. THE REFORM SUICIDE.

Great Demonstration at His Funeral at Pretoria-Barnato There. Pretoria, May 18.—There was a great demonstration today upon the occasion of the funeral of F. L. Grey, the reform prisoner who committed suicide by cutting his throat while in jail, after having become insane. Barney Barnato rode in the first carriage. The streets were packed with people and many wreaths were sent by Grey's fellow-

prisoners. FELL BENEATH THE CAR. Ridgetown, May 17.-Wm. Rumstein, a young man who lives near Duart, undertook to ride home on a freight train from this station Sunday night, and in getting of at Highgate fell beneath the wheels. The cars passed over his left leg, which was severed below the knee. The injured man received every attention, and the best effort was made to ease his sufferings.



SLATER BROS.

TAILOPS,

399 RICHMOND STREET South of Dundas Street.