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TODAY'S MARKETS

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Montreal	Stock Market
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Montreal Stock Market	
MONTREAL, Feb.	20.
Ask.	Uff.
Canadian Pacific 901/2	90
Duluth, common 41/2	3
Duluth, preferred 11	1034
Commercial Cable	192
Com. Cable Coupon Bonds	
Commercial Reg Bonds	
Montreal Telegraph	17614
Richelieu and Ontario 107	106%
Montreal Street Railway 3061/	306
Montreal St. Railway, new 306	305/2
Toronto Railway 11434	114%
Montreal Gas Company213	212
Bell Telephone	174
Royal Electric	163
Bank of Montreal	250
Ontario Bank	
Molsons Bank	
Bank of Toronto	
Merchants' Bank	180
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	180
Quebec Bank130	123
Union Bank	129
Bank of Commerce	1501/4
Northwest Land, pref	
Montreal Cotton Co	1601/2
Canada Colored Cotton 80	75
Dominion Cotton, xd	112%
Toronto Stock Market.	
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TORONTO, Feb. 20.
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British America 129
Western Assurance 167
Consumers' Gas 167
Consumers' Gas 214
Dominion Telegraph 167
Canada Pacific Railway Stock 90%
Commercial Cable Company 193%
Commercial Coupon Bonds 105%
Com. Registered Bonds 105%
Bell Telephone Company 175
Bell Telephone Company 175
Bell Telephone Registered Bonds 107
Montreal Street Railway 167
Montreal Street Railway 1143%
London Electric 134
Dominion Savings and Invest.
Huron and Erie L. and S.
Huron and Erie L. and S. Huron and Erie L. and S. Huron and Erie, 20 per cent.... London and Canada L. and A. ... London Loan....... London and Ontario.

Ontario Loan and Debenture.... New York Stocks. Reported by F. H., Butler, 15 and 16 Masonic

Temple, for The Adve	stiger	w Vor	k, Feb.	20.
Yesterday's	Ne	W 101	.,	
	Open.	High.	Low.	2:30.
Atcheson 23	235%	237/2	221/4	23 1/8
Atcheson Pfd 63%	63%	661/2	63 7/8	66
C., B. & Q147 1/2	148	1481/2	1461/2	147
C. & N. W	1511/4	1511/4	1493/4	150 1/2
Bay State Gas 61/2	61/2	63/4	61/2	61/2
Chicago Gas11434	115	11634	115	1161/8
Chicago Gas114/4	110	.10/4	***	
N. Y. Gas	1121/4	1133/3	1121/2	11336
Gen. Electric	655%	6598	651/4	651/4
L. & N 65½	1115/8	1143/4	1111/3	114
Man1111/4	461/4	481/2	46	183/8
Mo. P 461/4	4074	30/2		
Omaha	513/8	52	5136	511/2
P. M 5156		122	121	1217/8
B. L1203/4	223/4	23	223/4	227/8
Reading		140	139	1393%
N. Y. Central1391/8	1321/4	1333/4	1321/4	133
St. P1317/8		445/8		441/2
T. C. I 43½	433/4		231/2	2316
Wahash		251/2	851/4	953%
W. U 95	9514		945%	971/8
Brooklyn Transit 91%				813/3
U. Pacific 80%		7214		723/8
Leather Trust 721/2	3674		3654	37
Lead		140	133%	1397
Sugar1351/2	158	169	158	1681/
Tobacco			5016	51
Southern Ry, Pfd 505				1043/
Jersey Central 104 7/2	39			403/
K. & T., Pfd 39				80%
N. P., Pfd 79%	801/	0074	1076	00,4

Toronto Produce Market. TORONTO, Feb. 20.-Wheat is steady, at 69c for red and white, west; Manitoba wheat steady, at 79c for No. 1 hard, Midland. Flour is quiet, at \$2 95 to \$3 for cars of straight roller barrels, west. Millfeed firm, at \$14 to \$16 for shorts, and \$11 50 to \$14 for bran, west. Barley steady, at 46c to 47c for No. 1, west. Buckwheat firm, at 50c, west. Rye firm, at 55c, west. Corn easter, at 35½c for Canada yellow, west; 45c for old No. 2, American, and 42c for new, Toronto. Oats easier, at 29c for white, west. Peas firm, at 67c, middle weights, and 66c, west. Eggs steady, at 13c to 19c for new laid. Butter steady, at 13c to 15c for large rolls, and 11c to 131/2c for dairy tubs here. Creamery steady, at 20c to 21c for prints, and 19c to 20c for pack-Dressed hogs steady, at \$5 to \$5 15 asked for cars of western, mixed weights, here, and \$4 90 bid.

Euglish Markets.

Liverpool, Feb. 20—Closing. Wheat—Spot, firm; No. 2 red western, winter,

Whent—Spot, firm: No. 2 red western, winter, stocks exhausted; No. 1 red northern spring, stocks exhausted; No. 1 Cal., no stock.
Corn—Spot quiet: American mixed, new, 3s 6%d; do, old, 3s 7%d; futures, steady; Feb., nominal; March, 5s 5%d; May, 2s 5%d.
Flour—St. Louis facey winter, dull, 7s 6d.
Peas—Canadian, 5s 8d.
Pork—Dull; Prime mess, fine western, 50s; dc, medium, western, 47s 6d.
Beof—Dull; Prime mess, 69s; extra India, mess, dull, 65s.
Hams—Short cut, 14 to 13 lbs., dull, 34s 6d.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, dull, 28 to 30 lbs., 27s; snort ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, dull, 27s 6d; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, dull, 28s 6d; long clear middles, lato 16 lbs, dull, 31s 6d.
Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 24s 6d.
Lard—Prime western, dull, 28s 6d.
Butter—Finest American, 86s; good, 65s.
Rosin—Common, steady, 4s.
Cheese—American finest white, dull, 49s; do. cejored, dull, 49s.
Tallow—Prime city, strong, 23s.

colored, dull, 49s.
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Cottonseed oil-Liverpool refined, firm, 15s 9d.
Turpentine spirits-Firm, 22s 9d. Hops-At London (Pacific quast) firm, 44 15s

to £5 5s.
Linseed oil—18s 9d.
Petroleum—Refined, 6%d.

Imports of wheat into Liverpool for the week From Atlantic ports, 121,400 quarters; from acide ports, none; from other ports, 25,000 Imports of American corn into Liverpool from Atlantic ports, for the week, 74,900 quarters.

American Markets. CHICACO, Feb. 20.—Opening—Wheat, May. 72½c; Ju y. 103. Corn, July, 36c; May, 25½c; Bept., 36, 5c. Oats, May, 27½c; July, 25½c, Pork, May, 28 60. Lard, May, \$5 40; Sept., \$3 62½: July, \$5 50. Ribs, May, \$5 77½c.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20-Noon.-Flour -Receipts, 13,728 bbls; sales, 2,400 pkgs; state and western ruled quiet but steadier; Minnesota patents, \$3 90 to \$4 15; do bakers, \$3 10 to \$3 25; winter patents, \$3 75 to \$4; do straights, \$3 55 to \$3 65; do extras, \$2 50 to \$2 85; do low grades, \$2 40 to \$2 65. Rye flour rulet; good to fair, \$3 15 to \$3 30; choice to fancy, \$3 40 to \$3 55. Wheat-Receipts, 21,600; sales, 625,000; options opened steady on crop damage reports, eased off under foreign selling, but recovered at noon on big clearances; March, 82%e to 82%e; May, 76%e to 77%c; July, 74% to 75c. Rye dull; state, 61%c. Corn—Receipts, 42,900; sales, 95,000; options opened steady with wheat and sold off under liquidation: later rallied on covering; May, 404c to 40%c. Oats dull; options dull; track, white, 37c to 41c. Butter-Receipts, 7,-551 pkgs; steady; state dairy, 13c to

23½c to 24c; western, 23½c; southern, 23c to 23½c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3 13-16c; refined firm and held higher; crushed, 5½c; granulated, 5c. Coffee—Dull; No. 7, 6½c. Hops steady; state common to choice, 1897 crop, 11c. to 13c; 1898 crop, 18c to 19c; Pacific coast, 1897 crop, 11c to 13c; 1898 crop, 18c to 20c. Lead steady; bullion price,

\$4 20; exchange, \$4 50 to \$4 60. Chicago Exchange. CHICAGO, Feb. 20. Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butter, broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1278.

Wheat-May 70½
July 70½
Corn-May 35½
July 36
Oats-May 27½
July 25½
Pork-May 9 47
Lard-May 5 40
Ribs-May 1 77

Live Stock Markets. CHICAGO, Feb. 20.-Hogs-Estimated receipts for today, 40,000; tomorrow, 35,000; left over, 2,768; weak; 5c to 10c lower; mixed and butchers, \$3 45 to \$3 75: good heavy, \$3 65 to \$3 75; rough, heavy, \$3 45 to \$3 55; light, \$3 45 to \$3 76. Cattle—Receipts, 19,000; 15c lower; beeves, \$3 75 to \$5 85; cows and heifers, \$1 75 to \$4 75; Texas steers not quoted; stockers and feeders, \$3 50 to \$4 70.

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***** LATEST "PROBS"

Toronto. Feb. 20-10 a.m.-Prob-+ abilities for the lower lakes region + for the next twenty-four hours:
Fresh and strong southwest
winds; generally fair and mild. Tuesday-Fair and mild.

-Rev. J. H. Orme is confined to his bed through illness. -The Oxford Musical Club of Boston, Mass., stopped over night at the Te-

cumseh House last night. -Mr. Charles Spaulding, baritone doing business in China, I found the soloist, of Galt, sang a very effective trade was really confined to America, solo in Dundas Center Methodist England, Germany and Japan." Church last evening.

-The thermometer at the G. T. R. station registered 58 degrees above zero. A week ago the mercury showed at about 80 degrees lower.

-The remains of the late Mrs. Jemima Crow were laid at rest this afternoon. The funeral took place from her late residence, Pipe Line road. -It is probable that at the council meeting tonight a strong move will be made to refer the question of in-

creases in officials' salaries to the finance committee. -The funeral of the late James Hewland, who died in this city on Saturday, aged 66 years, took place this afternoon to Mount Pleasant Cemetery from Clarke & Smith's undertaking

rooms. -Saturday's report of the hospital trust's meeting, by the omission of "not," described the trust's action on the question of appointing nurses to relieve Miss Lind and Miss Murray, the

opposite of what was intended. -Mr. W. H. Hewlett will give the fourth of the successful series of monthly organ recitals in Dundas Center Methodist Church next Saturday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, assisted by Miss Inez Ethelyn Smith, soprano soloist, of the First Methodist Church. -The work of enlarging the drill shed by extending it in front to the street will likely begin soon. Chief Engineer Paul Weatherbee, of the department of militia, Ottawa, has written City Engineer Graydon regarding the work.

-The funeral of the late Mrs. Mc-Keown took place this afternoon from her late residence, 37 Palace street, to the Scotch Cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. Robt. Johnston. Four sons survive, Harry and Samuel at home, and two married, re-

siding out of the city. . -A very joyous gathering of friends took place at Mr. Hilbourne's, 165 Albert street, on Friday evening, Feb. 17, on the occasion of his birthday, and the happy meeting of his sister, Mrs. Rann, from England, who has come to visit him, after a separation of 35 years. A most pleasant time was spent by the friends on the happy ocasion.

-The board of police commissioners met this morning, and awarded con-tracts for clothing for the force. Seven dealers tendered. Joseph Dambra was given the contract for summer pants at \$6 per pair, and J. H. Deeks will make the serge tunics at \$6 50 each, and winter pants at \$6 25 per pair. The torce numbers 27 men. This is a light year for clothing, and the total will make only \$700. All the members of the board were present.

SIX WEEKS IN PAIN DUNGEON.

A Confirmed Invalid From Acute Rheumatism-South American Rheumatic Cure Gave Him Liberty.

Geo. England, of Chatham, N. B., is a carpenter and shipbuilder by trade. Through exposure to all kinds of weather he contracted a most acute form of rheumatism. His joints swelled and stiffened, and he was laid up in his bed for six weeks. After doctors had failed to relieve him he tried South American Rheumatic Cure, and 21c; state creamery, 16c to 22c; west- to use his own words: "In 24 hours ern do, 16c to 22c. Cheese—Receipts, after I commenced taking the remto use his own words: "In 24 hours 156 pkgs; state steady; large white and edy the pain all left me, the swell-colored, 101/2s; small white and coloring subsided, and today I am a cured ing subsided, and today I am a cured ed, 11c to 111/2c. Eggs-Receipts, 4,903 man. pkgs; steady; state and Fennsylvania, | Sold by W. S. B. Barkwell,

PROCEEDINGS

An Aged Citizen Charged With Beat ing His Wife-Two Boys Accused of Housebreaking and Theft.

At the police court this morning, Robert Black, a white-haired, feeble, old man, who lives on Alma street, was charged with beating his wife. Examined by Magistrate Parke, he denied having struck the woman. He said that when he went home from work Friday night he found her lying on the floor helpiessly drunk, with an empty whisky-bott e beside her. In the house also was a man named Prodgers. Black says he pushed his wife away from him when she came near him later in the evening, and she fell, bruising herself. The magistrate discredited part of his story, and the prisoner was remanded for a week.

Two young men had to answer a serious charge-housebreaking and theft. They were John Boyle and Wm. Mc-Mahon, and were arrested yesterday morning in the Masonic Temple, where they were discovered by Caretaker Tucker. They were alleged to have entered the lodge rooms by means of a pass key, and to have gathered to-gether a quantity of knives, forks and spoons, worth \$30, with which they were just about to decamp when nab-bed. They pleaded not guilty and were remanded until Thursday.

Walter Hewlett said George Dodson bed the steroed to take his life, and had

had threatened to take his life, and had him bound over to keep the peace. Both are young men and colored. An ardent marksman was fined \$2 for firing a gun within the city limits.

BERESFORD

Given an Enthusiastic Reception-Trade With China.

Buffalo, Feb. 20.-One of the largest meetings of the Buffalo Merchants' Exchange ever held was that at noon today, when Lord Charles Beresford addressed the me bers and business men of Buffalo. The big meeting room was jammed to its fullest capacity at 12 o'clock, and fifteen minutes later a long line of people were standing in the corridors. Lord Beresford arrived at 12:05, and was given an enthusiastic reception. President Haines, of the Merchants' Exchange, introduced him in a brief speech. He said it gave him great pleasure to introduce such a distinguished visitor, who would talk on trade relations in the far east. Lord Beresford expressed his gratitude for the invitation extended to him to address the Merchants' Exchange. 'You have asked my views of China. The Associated Chambers of Commerce of Great Britain sent me to see about invested capital, trade possibilities and the condition of affairs there generally. I regarded it as a great compliment to be sent to that far-away country. I went into the questions very fully. The trade in China has been increasing. It decreased some last year, but at present there is no security for further de--A meeting of the committee, re St. Andrew's ball, will be held at 8 o'clock tonight, in Col. Leys' office.

PARIS QUIET

The Police Busy Making Many Arrests.

Paris. Feb. 20 .- The city is calm today, and stringent precautions have been taken to maintain order. About 160 persons were arrested yesterday for taking part in the disturbance. this number 60 persons were detained in custody.

HOCKEY.

THE NATIONALS ARE COMING. The famous National hockey team of Guelph will play the London boys at the Princess rink tomorrow night, for the championship of the semi-finals. The crowd will no doubt be one of the largest of the season. The executive have given orders that the game must be pulled off, despite the mild weather. The Guelph aggregation will arrive in the city in the afternoon. This will likely be one of the fastest and hardest fought games of the season, both teams being confident of victory. The sides of the rink have been boarded up, which allows for a much faster exhibition of hockey. The ice at present is in good condition. Citizens should turn out and cheer the home boys on

HENS MAKE A RECORD.

Milford, N. J., Feb. 18 .- Peter C. Bartolette, a poultryman, of this place, got 2,041 eggs in the months of November and December last from his 92 hens, beating all records in the egg-producing line in this section.

WILL PAY THE SHOT. Washington, Feb. 20. - The house committee on appropriations today dered a favorable report on the bill to

pay Spain \$20,000,000 for the Philippines. The amendment declaring the policy of the government toward the Philippines was defeated by a party vote. Chairman Cannon was directed to call up the bill today under suspenzion of the rules. When Beauty Fades.

In response to repeated inquiries from ladies with whom Dr. Chase's Ointment has become so popular for skin diseases, asking if face powders are injurious and can be used while using the ointment, we state that while the majority of face powders are injurious we can recommend the recipes given in Dr. Chase's supplementary recipt book on page 45, which will be sent to any address on receipt of 5 cents in stamps. Dr. Chase's Cintment is the ladies' friend for all skin diseases. Address Dr. A. W. Chase Co., Toronto.

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A White Woman's Journey Alone Across Desolate Thibet.

Left Alone by the Murder of Her Husband-Her Trip Through a Land Where Explorers Met With Difficulty-How the Unprotected Woman Was Saved From Robbers.

MRS. RIJNHART'S STORY.

Shanghai, Jan. 4 .- News of the disappearance and probable murder of Peter Rijnhart, the missionary and explorer, while traveling in Thibet, on Sept. 26 last, came recently in a dispatch from his wife, who reached Tachienlu, China, on Nov. 30. For two months the poor woman, absolutely alone and through the desert places. She had only one horse, and though the details of her trip are still lacking, she must have endured extreme hardships, as she was without a tent or any appliances for cooking, these having all been stolen by robbers. When the story is told in detail it will form one of the most remarkable narratives of courage and endurance sustained by simple and primitive faith. She has written a letter to G. H. Bondfield, of Shanghai, giving details of the experiences of herself and her husband in Thibet and inclosing Mr. Rijnhart's last diary.

Her story is very pathetic.

The two started out, with their little child, to distribute Bibles and tracts in Thibet. They had nine horses and several Thibetan servants. Everythis worth well with the reached a thing went well until they reached a place not far from Ngachuka, where the child died. It was buried in the region of eternal snow. Then they set out again, reaching Ngachuka, where they were stopped by guards and requested to remain until the nearest Thibetan authorities could be consult-

Getting up early the next day the overtaken by the guards. Mr. Rijnhart was perplexed whether to go to Darjielury by way of Shawn or to Tachienlu, but finally, because of the poor condition of the horses, he concluded to strike across Thibet to Tachienlu. So they set out passing through a very desolate country covered with snow. They distributed Bibles and tracts, and by Sept. 15 had nearly exhausted their

supply. On Sept. 20, near Tashi-Gomba, came the first hints of trouble. On that day, when camped near nightfall on the banks of the Tachu River, they saw two men on white horses, heavily armed, on the opposite side of the river. One man had his face painted many colors. They talked with Mr. Rijnhart's men, and he became suspicious and kept watch all night over his horses. His story of the attack by robbers is told in his diary of Sept. 21. After going over a bad trail they reached a point at the foot of a cliff, near the river. Here follows the story in his own words:

"Suddenly a shot falls near us, and the two boys run to get the horses, when one of them is shot through the upper arm. They all run into the shelter of the cliff. I run out to see whence the shooting comes, and looking up see three men hiding behind the cliff, but a flash warns me to bend down, and I involuntarily do so. Just at this moment a bullet whizzes past my head. Several shots follow, aimed to frighten the horses, which in confusion run to-ward the road we had just come over. We all keep sheltered by the cliff to avoid bullets and huge pieces of rock hurled down to prevent us following to get the horses. How many robbers there were we do not know.

"After a few more shots, and a final yell, silence reigns. We find that of our nine horses five had been driven away and three shot, so that one, the most tired of all, was the only survivor. Our three men have gone away, saying they would go to the Lamasary, and return with help for us. They have not returned. Our dog has gone also.' There are only three more entries in the unfortunate man's diary. On Sept. 22 he records that they started back over the hill, walking and leading their only horse. They had no tent, and went supperless to bed. On the following day they reached the Tachu River, and, as a cliff barred the way, Mr. Rijnhart was forced to swim across with the pony, returning for his wife and the remnant of their goods. Nothing had been heard of the three

servants. On Sept. 25 he makes this final entry: These two days have been spent in going far in from the riverside to get round some rocks barring the road along the bank. We see tents by means of the telescope far down on the other bark. It has snowed, and our horse slips over and over down the hill, so that we are obliged to stop, so I decide to try to ford the river and reach the tents. The horse almost swept away, and I return. We stayed all night, and I am to

swim across in the morning." Mrs. Rijnhart takes up the diary at this point. On Sept. 26, she says, her husband swam across the river to get the people in the tents to come with animals to their aid. She saw him disappear behind some rocks. Through the telescope she could see a flock of sheep near the place where he had gone. For several days she stayed around the place, vainly hoping hear from him. Then she makes this

despairing note: "He has undoubtedly fallen a prey to the avarice of the wicked tent peo ple or robbers, perhaps the same ones who robbed us of our horses."

Alone, and a prey to the terrors of a strange, inhospitable land, in which she had left her child and her hus-band, Mrs. Rijnhart set out on her journey to the nearest Chinese point. To use her own touching words, she "made the long journey alone with God, from where Mr. Rijnhart is no more, to this place (Tachienlu)." And then she adds these meager details of the terrible two months' trip:

When the robbers came we lost everything, even my surgical instruments. I arrived here with just enough silver left to pay for the telegram sent. Praise God, I got here safely through places where Rockhill had great difficulty. But God cares for his little ones. On this road I had a sword held over my head, and my horse was demanded from me. I just called to God, and looked at the man, and he went and joined his five companions. God had delivered me from him. I shall rest here for a while, and then if everything is quiet on the river I shall leave for the coast and

then for America.' It may be added that the Rijnharts

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unfriended in a country which has tried the courage of Rockhill and other veteran explorers, made her way

ciety. Mrs. Rijnhart says she has written to the British and Dutch ministers to see what can be done, and whether any definite word can be gained about her husband's fate.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

Right Hon. Wm. St. John Broderick, foreign office secretary, states that Britain had no thought of annexing the Samoan Islands.

The khedivieh has given birth to a son at Montazat. There are general great rejoicings at the fact that the khedive now has an heir to the

Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, says that the House of Commons will be asked to £30,000, to be invested for Gen. Lord Kitchener, Soudan conqueror.

Samuel H. Stevenson, D.D., one of the oldest Presbyterian ministers in travelers made a forced march of the United States, is dead, at Bloomthree and a half hours, but were soon ington, Ill., at the age of 86. He was a near relative of former Vice-President Stevenson. The sensational report sent out from

New Westminster, B.C., about a boiler explosion, prove to have been untrue. There was an accident resulting from the destruction of a large seven-foot fly-wheel. No one injured. At Almonte, on Sunday, a frame building owned by Thomas White, and occupied by John Donaldson as a re-

tail furniture warehouse and undertaking establishment, was burned. Loss building, \$1,500; on stock, \$6,000. News has been received at Seattle, Washington,, of the wreck of the Great Northern Flyer near Spokane, Sun-day morning. Engineer Works, Fireman Jones and Express Messenger Klinefelter were the only ones in-

jured. A dispatch to the New York Tribune from Paris says: "Never before has a president of the French republic been confronted from the very hour of his election with such hostile demonstrations, nor persecuted by such an abusive press.

The court refuses to allow the opening of the Druce vault in Highgate Cemetery, London, England. The vault contains the remains of Thomas C. Druce, who, it is alleged, by his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Anna Maria Druce, was the fifth Duke of Port-

Fire today did damage estimated at \$100,000 in the buildings at 455 and 457 Broadway, New York, occupied by the spool silk manufacturing firm of Delding Bros. and Company, Hamburger & Hohman, cigars; the telegraph company: Blums' railroad ticket office, and Gumbinger & Co., silk manufacturers. A house at French Run, 35 miles east

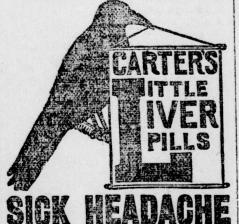
of Dubois, Pa., belonging to a woodman named Carlson, was burned while Carlson was away. His wife had just time to grasp a baby and jump from a second-story window into the snow. Four other little ones, aged 12, 7, 5 and years respectively, perished in the flames.

The floor of the Lion Brewery, at Waterloo, Ont., gave way Saturday afternoon, and two employes named Dan Kalbfleish, and Wm. Hoffman, who were shoveling about 2,000 bushels of malt from one wareroom to another, when they were carried down to the story below, a distance of 20 feet, with the malt on top of them. Hoffman escaped serious injury, but Kalbfleish was killed. The latter was 45 years old, and leaves a wife and five children.

STRATHROY.

Advertiser Agent, J. D. Meekison. Strathroy, Feb. 18.-Rev. D. K. Mc-Kenzie, returned missionary from Japan, preached morning and evening. Sunday, in the Frank Street Church. Donald McKellar, aged 67 years, died in Strathroy on Monday morning last. Deceased was a former resident of Lobo, and was buried at Coldstream on

Wednesday. This (Monday) evening in St. Andrew's Church, Rev. Lindsay Robertson, of Merritton, will give a chat on "Picturesque Scotland," illustrated with about a hundred views, and a side trip to the eastern part of Niagara Peninsula, with about fifty views, illustrating the effects of the cyclone there last fall. An admission fee of 10



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TOTETO. on Feb. 19, George Nev SAYERS-In this cit

The funeral will see place from the residence of C. E. Sterlig, 282 Piccadilly street, on Wednesday, at 23 p.m. 73u MULKERN—At the fmily residence, 253 Horton street, on Feb. 1Honor, beloved wife of Michael Mulkern, her 68th year.

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