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LONDON, CANADA, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1898.

WHOLE NO. 10,768.

For Leys and London First

Ed. James, 1024 Mabel street, advertised in The Advertiser for \$6 lost. Today he called at our office and stated that the advertisement found him his money.

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Births, Marriages, Deaths

BLACK WELL-In this city, on Monday, Feb. 14, 189; to Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Blackwell, 365 Central avenue, a son.

DIED. KINGSMILL-On Feb. 21, Arthur R. Kingsmill, youngest son of T. F. Kingsmill, aged Funeral from his late residence, 139 Fullarton street, on Wednesday, at 3 p.m. Service at 2:30.

M'MECHAN-At the old manse, Port Perry Out., on Feb. 17, 1898, aged 29 years, Sydney Hamilton Rowen, fourth son of the Rov. J. McMechan, and grandson of the late Sheriff McKellar, of Hamilton.

INGS-On Feb. 22, 1898, Maggie, beloved wife of Thomas Ings. aged 26 years. Funeral from her late residence, 208 Hamil ton road, to Brick street cemetery, on Thurs-day, at 2:30 p.m. Service at 2. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this

Amusements and Lectures Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per Mne each insertion. CRAND OPERA HOUSE,

Saturday Evening, February, 26. Sir Squire Buncroft in dramatric readings. Benefit of the Children's Wing of the Hospital ORGAN RECITAL

AND SACRED CONCERT DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST CHURCH, Tomoriow (Thursday) evening. Solo organist, Mr. W. H. Hewlett.

Assisted by Miss Dora Taylor, and the quartet and choir of the church. Admission; Silver collection of 10 cents and utwards. Doors UBILEE RINK - TONIGHT GRAND exhibition hockey mat h. London Seniors vs. Jubilee team. Admission loc and loc. b DRINCESS-HOCKEY-INSTITUTE VS. Inger-oll, Friday, 25th. Admission 10c and Coupons not accepted. Skating before and after match. YOUNG LADIES' MISSION CIRCLE 'AT Home' at Mrs. R. C. Struthers' 508 West Home" at Mrs. R. C. Struthers', 508 Wellington street Thursday evining, Feb. 24. Every body welcome. Silver collection. b

VOICE CULTURE— EVA N. ROBLYN. Studio, Bell Plano Parlors; Residence 320 Dun das street. Concert engagements. I hone 1,279

A LLAN LINE—NUMIDIAN SAILS FROM
Portland, Wednesday, March 2: Haifax,
Thursday, March 3. This steamer cails at
Derry to land mails and then proceeds to Liverpool. For tickets apply F. B. Clarke, the
Exchange, Richmond street, next Advertiser. DRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY R. B. Millard, at his residence, 345 Princess avenue. Special attention given to the waltz, two-ster, two-step Jersey and the cycle, Satisfaction guaranteed. Le-sons any

TOALACE DANCING ACADE MY-PRIM-ARY classes—Gentlemen Monday even-ing; ladies, Tuesday evening; ladies and children, Saturday afternoon; advanced c ass, Wednesday evening. Dayton & McCormick.

Meetings.

B. A hplant will address electors in the issues of the campaign, East Ind Town Hall, Thursday, Feb. 24, 8 p.m.; Ciry Hall, Rich-mond street, Friday, Feb. 25, 8 p.m. Headpuarters, K. of P. Hall, open Wednesday. ONDON COUNCIL, NO. 233, ROYAL Areanum, will meet this (Wednesday) evening, at 8 o'clock in Duffield Block. b TENRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL-Special meeting lower room, Labor Hall, Thursday, evening, Feb. 24th. b SPECIAL MEETING OF FOREST CITY Camp No. 1, Canadian Order Woodmen Rates 22 ar of the World, will be held tomorrow (Thurs- proprietor. day) evening in Duffleld block. Visitors wel-come. Charles Doe, cle k. 63u TEVHE SECOND "VIAVI" FREE HEALTH talk to women, by Mrs. Stein, at Somer-et Hall, on Thursday February, 24, at 3 p.m.

Bubject - Nervousness. All welcome. b ONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS cost 1 Cent per word for first insertion and one half cent per word for each subsequent in sertion. No advertisement less than 10 words.

Domestics Wanted. COMPETENT G'RL F R GENERAL housework in small family. References

required. Apply 383 Dufferin avenue between INING-ROOM GIRL WANTED. APPLY ()N HAND - GARDENER, ONE WHO understands care of fruit, flowers and vegetables, also management of greenhouses, hot be is, first-class references; also house-keepers, hotel cooks and girls for all kinds of work. Wanting dining-room wirls for out of city. Duran's country of the country of t

city. Dwyer's Agency, 591 Richmond street. ADIES, LEAVE YOUR ORDERS FOR servants with the O-borne Tetelligence agency, 56 Dundas street. Phone 386.

Marriage Licenses. LICEN ES ISSUED BY THOS. GILLEAN eweler 402 Richmond street. ARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUFDBYW H. HARTRAM, 90 Dundas street. ARRIAGE LICENSES AT WESTON'S grocery, 64 Stanley street; take a belt

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY J. G. Shuff, chemist, 549 Dundas street (corner William). Trolley cars pass the door. No witnesses required. A ARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED AT

Male Help Wanted.

Articles For Sale.

MLAY'S ANNUAL AUCTION SALE-Thursday, February 24, 1898-5 new milch cows, 14 springers and to calve in April. Also horses, pigs, sheep, etc. b READ-WORKINGMEN CAN BUY fancy or pan 2-1b. loaf bread for 5c, at AUSTIN'S bakery, 767 Dundas street, east. 59n

HEETRUBBER AND RUBBER HOSE, hose nozzels and reels and lawn hydrant. SMITH HROS., 265 Dundas street MRST-CLASS MEDICAL BATTERIES-MRST-CLASS MEDICAL BATTERIES—\$1, \$3 50 and \$4 50. Call and see them. Medical batteries and electric bells repaired at lowest raies. At work guaranteed. The Electrical Specialty Company, F. B CLAMKE, agent, the Exchange, Richmond street. Telephone, 658.

California Navel Oranges and Lemons for sale at very low price. Who esale and retail. Catalano & Sansone, 306 Dundas

DICYCLES REMODELED, REPAIRED re-nameled, nicketed, etc. Ska es and and skate parts for sale. HUTCHINson, 651 Dundas street.

OR SALE - SKATES AND SKATE parts: bicycle enameling repairing at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co. 374 Richmond street. SPECIAL LINE OF LATEST NOVELS from 3c up to 25c.
R. V. S. SAUNDER3,

650 Dundas street, Kast London. CARLOAD COWS FOR SALE AT BEL MONT, Saturday, Feb. 26. W. H. O'DELL. CUSTOMS PAPERS OF ALL KINDS always on hand at Advertiser Job Department. You can have them in large or small quantities.

PANTERSON & JOLLY. 1211 TNGINE FOR SALE-A - BARGAIN and Victorian Order of Nurses. Box plan open revolutions: is in capital order; can be run at 30 to holiers of tickets Thursday, 2 a.m. To the public Friday and Saturday. Admission 75c. "Advertiser" Office. Address Engine, care butfacett CHIPPING TAGS-AT CLOSE PRICES-ADVERTISER Job Depa DOSTERS - ALL STYLES - HANGERS and dodgers. ADVERTISER Job Depart-

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CTOVES AND SECOND HAND FURNI TURE for sale cheap at KEENE'S Furniture Store, Massnic Temple, Market Square. YMENT-BAKER LUMBER CO.-Lumber Yara, Planing Nill.

Box Factory, Wood Carving. Corner Wellington and Bathurst Sts.

Board and Lodging.

TOLEASANT FRONT-ROOM FOR TWO LEASANT FROM FROM Policy g ntlemen or ladies, with board. 1 ullarion street. OUNG LADY DESIRES BOARD IN private family. Address, Central, this

Houses, Etc., To Let.

Hotel Cards.

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Viavi Treatment, RS. STEIN AT HOME SATURDAYS to ladies of the county, 311 Hyman

Dental Cards. R. HARRY E. SH.K. DENTIST-Honor graduate of Toronto University
1854 Dundas street, over Gurd's cun store. E. I. TT HOLMES, L.D.S., ROOM 3,

B E. I TT HOLMES, LD.S., Reference burdled Block, Dundas and Charence streets. Phone 897. R. L. H. DAWSON, DENTIST, CORNER Dundas and Lyle streets, East Lond n. R. JEFFREY N. WOOD-DENTIST-Over Runians & Butler Dunlas street. McDONALD, DENTISE,

Office, 1834 Dundas street, London

R. J. H. SWANN-DENTIST-OFFICE 207, Dundas street. Telephone 1,131. OOLVERTON & BENTLEY, DENTISTS

-216 Dundas street, next Edy Bros.

over Cairneross & Lawrence, druggists. Tolo-

R. O. H. KENNEDY, DENTIST, preservation of natural teeth, 179 Dundus street. Phone 975.

WANTED-A GOOD STHONG BOY TO drive delivery rig on Saturdays. T. A. Rowat & Co.

WANTED-TWO FARM LABORERS to work on dairy farm: also girl to do A GENTS-"WOMAN, MAIDEN WIFE and Mother," a marvelous book; preface by Lady Aberdeen. Big commission. Prospectus free to canvassers. The Linscott Company, Toronto. ANTED-TRUSTWORTHY PERSONS to travel; salary \$780 and expenses: reference: inclose self-addressed, stampe: envelope. The Dominion Company, Chicago.

A GENTS—"GLIMPSES OF THE UN-SEEN" fascinating book; sweeps the entire field of borderland subjects. Fverybody orders: marvelous illustrations. Prospectus free to canvassers Bradley-Genetson Com-pany, Limited, Toronto. WANTED -A FEW GOOD MEN FOR Linscott Company, Toronto. 6in

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C'ALE OR RENT - TWO-STORY DE. TACHED brick residence, 12 rooms; 525 Queen's avenue; all modern improvements. Only \$800, near car shops. If you want a bargain, here it is. Grocery stock, good bargain, here it is.
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J. F. SANGSTER,
403 Richmond street.

Public Meetings, in the Interests of the Liberal Candidate.

DR. J. MeWilliam

LITTLEWOOD, Vednesday Feb. 23. ST. JOHN, Wednesday, Feb. 23. DORCHES ER, Thursday, Feb. 24. BYRON, Friday, Feb. 25. GLANWORTH, Friday, Feb. 25. POND MILLS, Saturday, Feb. 26.

HARRIETSVILLE, Monday, Feb. 28 The candidate and others will address the electors at each of the above places. Meetings will be called at 7:30 p.m. Everybody welcome. The opposition candidate invited. W. B. LAIDLAW. Sec E. M. R. Asso.

Physicians wishing to serve on the active CEALED TENDERS "SEPARATE OR IN skined. The lowest or any tender not nices-sarily accepted. James klsey, Secretary, Trust Board.

Wreck of the British Sailing Vessel Asia.

The Captain With His Family and Most of the Crew Drowned.

Provincetown, Mass., Feb. 23.-The tug Mercury (Capt. Evans) has arrived here bringing news that three men of the crew of the British ship Asia ISS SHUFF-GRADUATE OF DR. S. Weir M tchell's Hospital for Nervous Diseases, Philadelphia, Massage and Swedish Phone 562 of the crew of the British ship Asia were rescued alive yesterday by the crew of the Handkerchief lightship. The men were taken from a piece of wreckage on which they had been decided. age on which they had been floating for It was learned that the Asia struck on Great Round Shoal, off Nantucket, during the gale on Monday, and went to pieces. Capt. Dakin, of the Asia, with his wife and daughter, were among those on board at the time, and are supposed tohave perished. It is reported that the body of the captain's daughter is at Wood's Hole, have been recovered yesterday, with that of a man supposed to have been the mate of the vessel. Capt. Evans says the Handkerchief light crew put off in a dory, and rescued three men from a piece of wreckage which drifted by The men had been affoat nearly 24 hours, and was barely alive when picked up. They told the story of the Asia's wreck and the probable loss of all on board, including the captain and his family. The lightship crew could give no further details of the disaster, nor the names of the rescued men.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Ladies. Be On Hand.

At Tecumseh House on Wednesday,

First Blood for Liberals Complexion Hints.

Government by Acclamation.

The Whitney Candidates Opposed in Every Constituency

A Clean Sweep for the Liberals in Western Ontario.

Two Opposition Candidates to One Government Nominee in Each of the Lambtons.

A Returning Officer Blockaded by a Snowstorm.

Four Candidates in London and Four in Oxford.

Withdrawal of Conservative and Independent Nominees

minations yesterday Two straight supporters of the Liberal party were returned by acclamation. Not a Conservative candidate in the whole 94 finds himseif in a similarly enviable position. In Prescott, Mr. Evanturel (Liberal) had no opposition. Then, in South Bruce, where a determined attempt was made by Mr. Whitney to get opposition to Mr. Truax, the popular Liberal candidate has been returned by acclamation, it being impossible for the Opposition to coax even a Patron candidate to court defeat.

In Parry Sound, the Conservatives have put up a candidate in opposition to Mr. W. R. Beatty, who gave the Government an independent support at last election, and has promised to do so in the next Legislature. Mr. Beatty's election is, however, certain. In Monck, Mr. Beck, the independent candidate, has retired, leaving a straight contest between Mr. Harcourt, the provincial treasurer, and Mr. Galbraith. In Centaff of the City Hospital during the sum- ter Bruce, Mr. Shouldice, the Conservamer months will please send their applicative candidate, has retired, leaving the 185 ST. JAMES STREET TO LET-NICE tion to R. Lewis, chairman, before March 4. Princess avenue.

tion to R. Lewis, chairman, before March 4. field to Mr. Malcolm, Liberal, and Mr. Macdonald, independent. In North Essex a third candidate, Mr. Joseph Mar-will be the same—the government supporter will triumph. In East Middlesex, Mr. Shore, the patron member, in last legislature, has retired, leaving a straight fight, which is decidedly in favor of Dr. McWilliam, the government candidate. For East Lambton and for West Lambton, the Conservative organizer for Western Ontario (Dr. Roome), Mr. Beattie, M.P. for London, and Mr. Marter, Mr. Whitney's lieutenant, made a special arrangement at a secret conclave in this city two weeks ago. The agreement was that the Conservative candidate should be withdrawn in East Lambton, and that the Conservatives should support the 24 hours, and were greatly exhausted. P. P. A. nominee, Mr. McCallum. It was also arranged that no Conservative candidate should be nominated in West Lambton, and that Mr. Gurd, the P. P. A. nominee in that riding, should have the support of the Conservative party. This official programme, however, a number of Conservatives in both the Lambtons have repudiated, and one of their number has entered the field in each of these ridings. This development was not required to insure the success of the government candidates, as Messrs. Pettypiece and Pardee were winners anyway. But the Rapids by Hootchei and Dalton Post development will only add to their cinch on victory. Hardy has thus gain-Take Laxative Brome-Quinine Tablets. All ed two seats by acclamation, while the druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. opposition is opposed in every constituency either by government candidates or by Patrons, who will doubtless give

Two Seats Carried by the | sell county that the returning officer could not get to the place of meeting in time. A special election will be held

> The proceedings at Tuesday's nominations in West Middlesex, East Middlesex and North Middlesex were decidedly favorable to the Liberal nom-The minister of education inees. had an especially warm reception at Mount Brydges, Mr. Taylor was the favorite at Ailsa Craig, and in West London Dr. McWilliam could not have wished for a more enthusiastic welcome for himself personally, nor for the policy of the government of which he makes so able an exposition. West of London, we believe, the Liberals will make a clean sweep. In the late legislature, there were government supporters in all but the Lambtons. On red by authority to several of the larg-Tuesday next, the candidates supporting Premier Hardy in Lambton will also be elected. The news from East win, and north of this city the prospects are equally bright. Even in South Huhoped for by the Conservative organizer, the election of Mr. McLean, the late member, is now assured, so ably has he conducted his campaign. North Bruce was lost to the Liberals at last election because of the defection of Patron Liberals. There is a straight cabinet.' Liberal vs. Conservative fight this time. the Liberal candidate in South Bruce, having been returned without opposition-no thanks to his Conservative opponents, who tried hard to get any colleagues, and then in answer to our kind of candidate to fight him-will be inquiries stated that you were the muable to lend a hand in the neighboring ridings. It need surprise no one to see the counties of Middlesex, Huron, Bruce and Perth go solidly Lab-

eral this time, as they have done be-The friends of good government all over the province, in fact, are equally confident of the triumph of the government. The cry that it is time for a change in the absence of any charge against the government and its premier, is repudiated by the vast majority of the electors, who know that the administration of Ontario is pointed to in other parts of the Dominion, and by visitors from Great Britain, as a

model government. With steady and determined effort to poll every vote favorable to the continuance of good government, and against the conspiracy to get control of the government of the banner province, in order that is resources may be used to menace the new administration of the Dominion, Premier Hardy and his friends will score a signal victory on Tuesday next.

Parliament.

A Yukon Railway Offer Which

Was Never Made. Interesting Correspondence Between

the Premier and Sir William Van Horne. Ottawa, Feb. 23.—The opposition have en prophesying that the Hamilton Smith offer to build the Yukon railway, of which they have talked so much during the past few days, would proa rapid change of public sentiment when the papers on the case were laid upon the table. They were right. The papers brought down yesterday by Sir Wilfrid Laurier produced a sensation in the house, because they proved that Mr. Hamilton Smith is a romancer of talent, and, in the course of serious negotiations in regard to the Yukon railway, made the assertion that he had offered, through Sir William Van Horne, to build a railway over the Dalton Trail for a reasonable subsidy, or over the Stikine route, if the government preferred that route. In order to settle this point most effectively, Sir

Wilfrid Laurier wrote to Sir William Van Horne as follows : "Dear Sir William Van Horne,--On the 15th inst. I received from Mr. Hamilton Smith a letter, as to the statements of which I would desire to communicate with you. Mr. Smith in his letter makes the following assertion: 'My associates and myself have for many years been connected with the Treadwell mine and other gold mines on the coast of Alaska, so that we have been especially familiar with the northern country. out instance Mr. Henry Bratnober was sent on an exploring expedition from Lynn Canal to Dawson, with instructions to see what route was best adapted for the construction of a railway from the coast to the unobstructed waters of the Yukon. He returned via to Pyramid Harbor, noting elevation, distances, and the character of the country. He was, we are informed, the econd white man who has passed over the entire length of this line. His report to us was so favorable as to the many advantages of this route that as soon as your minister of the interior the Liberals an independent support. returned from the west I approached. March 2, to see Prof. Dorenwend's lat-est designs and styles in hair goods—the Patrons in no unmeasured terms, build in the year 1898 a substantial No witnesses required. Residence, 198 Dundas street.

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The beauty and purity of the skin may be greatly enhanced by the daily use of the new toilet lotion, Hazeline. Its success has been marvelous in curing and preventing many forms of Eczema, for purifying, preserving and beautifying the skin; in curing chapped. rough or red hands, etc. If directions are followed carefully the most pleasant results are obtained. The complexion soon becomes clear, velvety and youthful.

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est financial firms in London, showing that our ability to build such a line was beyond question. The answer I received was that the government Elgin, also, is that Dr. McIntyre will might prefer the Stikine-Teslin route. To this I replied that in my judgment, which I felt sure from my familiarity ron, where a government reverse was line line had practically no value as with the country was correct, the Stika commercial route, and that no sane capitalist would invest a penny in it; but of course if the government would the right assistance we would build the line, while disclaiming any responsibility for its value when constructed. Doubtless these informal ne-

gotiations were communicated to the The omens of victory for the Govern- and Mr. Bowman will win. Mr. Truax, communication of this letter, stated that the above assertion was altoing in my office, and he accordingly met tual friend who had communicated between him and Mr. Sifton. Under such circumstances I would feel obliged if you would let me know at your earliest convenience whether, as claimed by Mr. Hamilton Smith, you can corro-borate his statement. Believe me, as ever, dear Sir William, yours very sin-

cerely, (Signed) Wilfrid Laurier. SIR WM. VAN HORNE'S DENIAL On the same day I received the following answer from Sir William Van

Horne Dear Sir Wilfrid,-In reply to your inquiry of this date, I beg leave to say that I have never communicated to the Hon. Mr. Sifton or anybody else any proposition from Mr. Mamilton Smith concerning the building of a railway towards the Yukon district, nor had I authority from him to make any proposition. Faithfully yours, (Signed) W. C. Van Horne.'

After passing a number of bills a stage, the house, by mutual consent, adjourned till March 2-"until after the storm," as Sir Charles Tupper put it.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

A cable from Bermuda announces the death at St. Kitts, W. I. I., of Mr. Joseph Jackes, of the firm of Jackes & Jackes, Toronto.

The defense in the trial of Sheriff Martin and his deputies at Tiffin, Ohio, is trying to prove that the people were afraid of the strikers, and that they fired first.

It is said that there has been a revival of the interdiction upon the exportation of tobacco from Cuba, and as a result there is a scarcity of both filler and leaf tobacco. Mrs. Estella Trumbull brought suit

for divorce in the Indianapolis courts against Oliver Trumbull, whose stage name is Ollie Mack. He is an Irish cemedian, and his wife alleges that he is now paying too much attention to a Chicago woman.

Count de Rouville, one of the passengers by the mail steamer Numidian from Liverpool, comes to Canada as an agent from the Belgian Government, to investigate the opportunities offering for trade between Canada and Bel-

Another gigantic scheme is proposed to develop the water power going to waste in St. Catharines city. A company has been formed to manufacture steel and nickel, and electric power will be used. The water will be taken from thhe Chippewa Creek, and the power canal will be enlarged to double its capacity. The power houses will be at Revnoldsville.



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