# MARKETS TODAY

Local Market.
London, Friday, June 17.
Wheat, white fall, per bu 87c to 87c
Wheat, red fall, per ba87c to 87c
Wheat, spring, per bu87c to 87c
Peas, per bu
Corn. per ba80c to 85
Barley, per bu
Rye, per bu
Beans, per bu
The receints were light as asual of
Wriday. No change in quotations.

### LAND PLASTER

A. M. Hamilton & Son's 873 Talbot St. Opp. Market Square.

Oil Markets.

PETROLIA, June 17 .- Oil opened and closed PITTSBURG, Pa., June 17 .- Oil opened 85c. St. Thomas Market.

St. Thomas, June 16.-Wheat, per bu, 35c; oats, 34c to 35c; peas, 55c to 60c; barley, 40c; corn. 40c; beans, 60c to 80c; elover seed, \$2.50 to 32.75.

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CHICAGO, June 16.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—June, 86c; July, 79c to 79½c; Sept., 70½c to 70½c; Sept., 70%c to 70½c; Sept., 34c. Oats—July, 83½c; Sept., 34c. Oats—July, 24½c: Sept., 21½c. Mess pork—July, 29 72½; Sept., 89 90. Lard—July, \$5 82½; Sept., \$5 92½. Short ribs—July, \$5 50; Sept., \$5 60 Cash quotations: Flour, dull and neglected. No. 2 spring wheat, 80c to 92c; No. 2 red, 88½c to 90c. No. 2 corn. 33½c to 33½c; No. 2 yellow corn. 33½c to 34c. No. 2 oats, 25½c; No. 2 white, 28½c to 29c; No. 3 white, 27½c. No. 2 rye, 43c to 43½c. No. 2 barley, 3tc to 34c. No. 1 90c. No. 2 corn. 33½c to 33½c; No. 2 Yellow corn. 33½c to 34c. No. 2 oats, 25½c; No. 2 rye, 43c to 43½c. No. 2 barley, 31c to 34c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 13½. Prime timothy seed, \$2 65. Mess pork, \$9 75 to \$9 80. Lard. \$5 80 to \$5 85. Ehort rib sides, \$5 35 to \$5 65. Dry salted thoulders, 4½c to 5c. Short clear sides, \$5 85 to \$6 65. Sugar, unchanged. Eggs, firm; fresh, 9½ c.

Receipts—Flour, 5,900 bbls; wheat, 15,100 bushels; corn, 546,500 bushels; oats, 281,800 bushels; rye, 3,500 bushels; barley, 9,000 Shipments—Flour, 5,500 bbls; wheat, 3,900 bushels; corn, 451,900 bushels; oats, 320,000 bushels; rye, 52,100 bushels.

English Markets. Ruling prices for the past four market days— The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest

prices are given:		June   13.		June   14.		June 15.		June 16.	
WHEAT-								•••	
Red Winter	8	6	7	10	7	10		10	
No. 1 Cal		0	8	4	8	4	8	4	
May	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
July	9	71/2	7	91/4	9	11/2	7	5	
Sept	6	41/8	6	.2	6	71/2	6	41/4	
Dec	6	01/2	5	117/8	6	33/8	6	17/8	
CORN-							100		
New	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	41/4	
May		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
July		23/4	3	2	3	31/2	3	4	
June		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sept		45/8	3	45/8	3	51/2	3	61	
Flour		9	30	0	32	0	30	0	
Peas		3	5	21/2	5	2	5	2 3	
Pork		6	52	6	51	3	51	3	
Lard	1	3	29	6	26	6	30	0	
Tallow		6	20	0	20	0	19	6	
Bacon, light		6	31	0	31	6	31	0	
Cheese, white	-	0	35	0	35	0	34	6	
Cheese, colored		6	35	0	135	0	134	6	

Liverpool, June 17-412:30 p.m.
Wheat—Spot. dull; No. 1 Cal., no stocks;
No. 2 red western winter, 7s 6d; No. 1 red
northern spring, 7s 10d.
Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new,
3s 3¼d; do, old, nominal; May, quiet, 3s 9¾d;
July, quiet, 3s 8¼d; Sept., quiet, 3s 8¾d.
Peas—Canadian, 5s 2d.
Beef—Extra India mess, 75s; prime mess,
6s 2d.

Pork-Prime mess, fine western, 52s 6d. Pork—Prime mess, fine western, 528 6d.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 530 lbs, dull,
35s 6d; long clear middles heavy, 40 to 45 lbs,
31s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, firm,
31s; long clear middles light, 35 to 38 lbs,
31s 6d; short rits, 20 to 24 lbs, dull, 34s 6d;
clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 36s.
Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 27s 6d.
Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 35s 6d.
Lard—Prime western, 30s.

Lard—Prime western, 30s. Butter—Finest United States, 78s; good, 65s. Cheese-American finest, white and colored,

Tallow—Prime city, 19s 6d. Furpentine spirits—24s 9d. Rosin—Common, 5s. Petroleum—Refined, 5%d. Linseed Oil-18s. Cottonseed oil-Liverpool refined, steady, 16s

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### Live Stock Markets.

MONTREAL, June 15.-About 550 head of butchers' cattle, 500 calves and 325 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the east end abattoir today. Butchers seemed to be out in full force, and trade was good. Prices for good beeves were slightly lower than on Monday, while the common and inferior stock were considerably lower than on that day, there being quite a number of grass-hopper cattle on the market. Prime beeves sold at 41/2c to 43/4c per lb; pretty good stock at 31/2c to 41/4c, and common to inferior beasts at 21/2c to 31/4c. Caives sold at \$1 to \$7 each, there being a good demand and fair prices paid for good veals. Sheep sold for a little less than 3c per 16, to 31/4 c do: lambs sold at \$2 50 to \$4 each, very few being over \$2 50. Fat hogs plentiful, and sell about 5c per lb; store hogs sell at \$6 to \$9 each, and small pigs at \$1 25 to \$2 50 each.

CHECAGO, June 16 .- There was a good demand for cattle today; prices were generally steady for the common grades, and stronger; choice steers, \$4 90 to \$5 35; medium, \$4 50 to \$4 671/2; beef steers, \$4 10 to \$4 45; stockers and feeders, \$3 50 to \$4 95; cows and heifers, \$3 30 to \$4 75; canners, \$2 50 to \$3 25; calves, \$3 50 to \$7 25; Texas steers, \$3 75 to \$4 90. Chicago packers and eastern shippers took hold of the small supply of hogs, and prices took a jump of about 10c; fair to choice, \$4 to \$4 15; packers, \$3 05 to \$3 971/2; butchers, 85 to \$4 10: light, \$3 70 to \$4: pigs, \$2 75 to \$3 85. The light supply of sheep caused a firm market; native sheep, \$3 50 to \$5 25; rams, \$2 50 to \$3 30; clipped lamios, \$4 to \$6; spring lambs, \$4 50 to \$6 50; yearlings, \$5 50. Receipts-Cattle, 8,500; hogs, 18,000;

CHICAGO, June 17.-Hogs-Fistimated receipts today, 20,000; left over, 2,943; active; 10c lower. Light, \$3 70 to \$3 95; mixed, \$3 80 to \$4; May, \$3 80 to \$4 05; roughs, \$3 80 to \$3 90. Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; steady; Aexas steers, \$3 60 to \$4 35; stockers and feeders, \$3 80 to \$4 85; beeves, to \$5 15; cows and heifers, \$2

NEW YORK, June 16.-Beeves ceipts, 1,117; no sales; feeling strady. Cables higher; live cattle, 9%c to 10%c; System Togold. 50 do Strong, the courters of beef. Calves—Receipts. System Togold. 50 do Strong, the courters of beef. Calves—Receipts.

230; on sale, 654; market firmer; 100 unsold; veals, \$450 to \$475t extra, \$6; buttermilks, \$3 to \$350. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 6,290; on sale, 25 cars; prime stock in good demand and firm; good lambs, 10c to 15c higher; common and medium sheep a shade lower; 6 cars arrived late unsold; sheep, \$350 to \$485; lambs, \$575 to \$710; 1 car choice, \$525; yearlings, \$525 to \$530. Hogs—Receipts, 198; sales none; nomi-Hogs—Receipts, 198; sales none; neminally steady, at \$4 to \$4 30.

EAST BUFFALO, June 16 .- Cattle-Receipts about all consigned through. Veals and calves—Supply moderate and for the good to prime kind of fat yeals the market ruled stronger, but other grades were about steady; good tops brought \$6 to \$625, with a few fancy at \$6 50; others sold at \$5 to \$5 75. Stockers and feeders—The offerings this week were liberal, all of 60 cars, 44 of which were from Canada; market ruled slow, all of 10c to 15c lower for the best ones, but common coarse or scraggy lots were all off 25c to 40c per cwt lower, and the latter kind were slow in cleaning up; good to best stock steers, \$4 15 to \$4 50; common to fair, \$3 70 to \$4; good to best feeders, \$4 20 to \$4 50; fair to good, \$3 90 to \$4 10; yearlings and stock calves, \$4 50 to Hogs-Receipts light; fair demand for the best grades of hogs, and prices for these kinds ruled stronger, with pigs and common light lots no stronger than heretofore; good to ers' grades, \$415 to \$417; medium weights, \$417 to \$420; heavy hogs, \$420 to \$4 22; roughs, \$3 50 to \$3 70; stags, \$2 75 to \$3; pigs, \$3 25 to \$4. Sheep and lambs-Receipts are exceedingly light; market strong and firm for all offerings, especially good handy stock of either kind; native lambs, choice to sheep, choice to selected wethers, \$4.75 to \$4.85; good to choice mixed sheep, \$4.50 to \$4.70; common to fair, \$4 to \$4.25; culls to common

sheep, \$3 25 to \$3 85. LONDON LIVE HOG MARKET. Paid Drovers Off Cars.

Long, lean, pea-fed singers.\$5 10 per cwt Fat pea-fed singers ..... 4 75 per cwt Light hogs ....... 4 25 per cwt Dairy Markets.

KINGSTON, Ont., June 16 .- At the cheese board today, 2,200 boxes were boarded; sales, 150 at 71/2c; 1,500 at

BROCKVILLE, Ont., June 16.—At the cheese board today, 54 factories offered 1,453 white and 2,919 colored; all sold on board at 7½c.

BARRIE, Ont., June 16.—At the meeting of the cheese board here today, 1,151 boxes of cheese, all first half of June, were offered, and after much rivalry and spirited bidding, 300 were sold at 7 3-16c; 115 at 7\%c; 415 at were sold at 7 3-16c; 115 at 71%c; 415 at 7 1-16c, and 7c refused for balance. Venus Mirror, The Annuclation, "The Golden Stairs" and "Merlin and Vivian." He was knighted in 1864. Five buyers were in attendance. NEW YORK, June 16.—Butter firm; western creamery, 13½c to 17c; do, factory, 11c to 12¾c; Elgins. 17c; imitation creamery, 12c to 14½c; state dairy, 12½c to 16c; do, creamery, 13½c to 16%c. Cheese steady; large white, 6%c to 6%c; small do, 7c; larger colored. 6%c; small do, 7c to 7%c; light skims, 5%c to 5%c; part skims, 4%c to 51/4c; full skims, 2c to 21/2c. CHICAGO, June 16 .- Butter creameries, 13c to 151/2c; dairies, 111/2c

to 131/2c. The Hide Market Toronto, June 16.-Hides-The receipts continue small, there is a good demand for all coming forward, and the market is firm at 8½c for No. 1 green; cured are quoted at 91/4c. Sheepskins—The season is about over, and there are very few offering. The receipts of lambskins are increasing, and the market is firmer at 30c. Shearlings are quoted at 20c. Calfskins are steady at 10c for No. 1 and 8c for No. 2. Tallow-The demand is fair the market is steady. Local dealers are offering 31/2c for prime rendered, and asking 3%c to 4c.

### MIDDLESEX.

The provincial auditor has been called on to examine East Williams township accounts, a misunderstanding have arisen between the council and the treasurer.

Theree new bridges are to be built over Mud Creek this summer, two in East Williams and one in Adelaide. The members of Howard Lodge, I. O. O. F., will decorate the graves of their deceased brothers in the cemetery at Strathroy on Tuesday even-A baby girl was born to Mrs. Cornish, of Avon, on Sunday last, June 12. Steps are being taken to form a company to work the alleged placer gold fields of Caradoc, near Komoka. Rev. Alex. Henderson, of Appin, has left on a trip to Scotland. He will return in August. In the meantime his pulpit at Appin will be supplied by Mr. Robertson, of North Ekfrid, and at Tait's Corners by Mr. Ross, of Glen-

### AN EVENT

That Occurs But Once in a Lifetime. Is the great twelve-day piano sale now on at the Williams Piano Warerooms, 171 Dundas street, London. You will regret it if you let pass this golden opportunity to secure one of Canada's highest grade Pianos-A WILLIAMS-at a sacrifice price and on easy terms. We expect no profit during this great sale. We do it simply to further advertise and give everybody who will buy The Chance of a Lifetime. Only one Piano will be sold to each person at the great cut-price during this sale. There are many different styles and sizes to select from. Williams' Pianos are the Artists' Choice, and are the finest made. Beautiful Casings, Beautiful Tone, Beautiful Scale, Best Material, Best Construction, Best Value, are exclusive features of WILLIAMS PIANOS. Come quick with England and other nations. Aproand make your selection, as this wonderful sale only lasts twelve days, peginning June 11, and ending June 22. No reasonable offer refused during this W. E GREEN, chief salesman, Wil-

liams' Piano Warerooms, 171 Dundas street, London, Ont. 60c

A DINNER PILL.-Many persons suffer excruciating agony after partaking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healthy nutriment, it becomes a poi-Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct open the secretions and convey the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medicine to take if troubled with indiges-

Bolivia perpetuates the name General Bolivar, the "liberator of

You can easily tell the woman who takes Merrill's System Tonic. Her complexion is clear, her cheeks rosy and her step light and firm. There is none of that "don't care to live" air about her. For all female troubles, and for worn-out, run-down feelings, Merrill's System Tonic is worth its weight in gold. 50 doses for 50c, Sold by W. T. Strong, the druggist. Explanatory pam-

Declines to Form a Bouregos

Exercised About British Naval Maneuvers.

Anglo-French Disputes Satisfactorily Settled-Germany Revenging Herself on Canada.

THE FRENCH CRISIS. Paris, June 17 .- M. Leon Bouregos, it is declared, has declined to accept the task of forming a coinet. Paris, June 17.—President Faure has invited M. Ribot, a former premier and minister of finance, to form a cab-inet, to succeed the Meline ministry, which resigned on Wednesday last. SETTLED!

London, June 17 .- In an interview choice Yorkers, \$4 10 to \$4 15; light to good Yorkers, \$4 05 to \$4 10; mixed pack- Daily Mail, M. Hanotaux, minister of foreign affairs, said that in the opinion of himself and other foreign office officials the settlement of the Niger dispute cleared all serious questions between France and England except that of Egypt.

SPANIARDS ALARMED. Las Palmas, Canary Islands, June 17.-Considerable excitement and comment has been caused here by the fact that prior to her departure from this port, the British second-class cruiser went through maneuvers said by the Spaniards to be unusual, in front of the bay, including practicing the landings on the south coast.

ZOLA'S APPEAL REJECTED. Paris, June 17.-The court of cessation rejected the appeal of Emile Zola, entered by the latter's counsel against the competency of the assize court of Versailles to try the libel suit brought by the members of the Esterhazy court martial against the author, and the proprietor of the Aurore, the paper which published the alleged libel.

DEATH OF A NOTED PAINTER. London, June 17 .- Sir Edward Cole Y. Burn-Jones, the painter, is dead. He was born in 1833. Some of his principal pictures are "The Merciful Knight," "The Chat d'Amour." "The Days of Creation," "King Copoeta,"
"Venus' Mirror," "The Annunciation,"

RIGHT TO EXPEL. London, June 17 .- In the House of Commons, replying to a question relative to the power of the government of Canada to expel Spanish agents from that country, Sir Richard Webster, the attorney-general, said that under ordinary circumstances power to deal with such matters was a prerogative of the crown, and that the colonial government would not be liable to be sued for damages for expelling such persons.

THE OLD STORY OF OUTRAGE. Vienna, June 17.-Further details of ne sanguinary conflicts between the Albanians and Christians in the Kuskub part of Turkey, northwest of Sa-lonica, show that the Albanians have attacked and burned nine Christian villages, consisting of 450 houses, in the vicinity of Berano, near the Montenegrin frontier, up to yesterday. The in-habitants have fled to Montenegro, whose representative at Constantinople has made strong representations on the subject to the sultan.

SIR HENRY IRVING, LL.D. London, June 17 .- The degree of LL.D. has been conferred by Cambridge University upon Sir Henry Irving, who delivered his inauguaral address as rede lecturer at Cambridge, in which office he becomes the successor of John Ruskin, Matthew Arnold, Thomas Huxley and other prominent men of letters. Irving's subject was "The Theater in Relation to the State." He argued that the theater, being a means of spreading knowledge, its scope in respect of working upon the human character deserved encouragement by the state and muni-

### GERMANY'S SPITE Exclusion of Canadian Goods From

Benefit of Treaties With England.

London, June 17.-Imports from Canada will be subject after July 31 to the scale of duties contained in the German autonomous tariff. It is semiofficially stated that measures will be adopted at the various German custom houses to prevent goods of Canadian origin from being represented as coming from any other source. The inference here is that Germany is attempting to revenge herself upon Canada for daring to upset the Anglo-German treaty, but Mr. Chamberlain is not likely to allow Canada to suffer for her imperialism. A protest will come from the British Government, if for no other reason than because what is called here the Laurier plan has been made the British policy in South Africa, and in view of future co-operation with the United States in the event of the latter entering upon colonial expansion. The Daily Mail says Britain must see that Canada does not suffer for her self-sacrifice on behalf of the em-The St. James Gazette, commeeting on the same question, affirms that the action of Germany gives Canada a free hand in making treaties pos to the suggestion the quotes from Kipling: "Daughter am I in my mother's house, but mistress in my own."

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS AGAIN. Conductor Hogg Tells the Story of His Rescue From Diabetes.

Toronto, June 13—(Special).—Mr. H. Hogg, the well-known and popular street railway conductor (No. 107), who has been cured of a very severe case of Diabetes, by Dodd's Kidney Pills, has written as follows to the Dodd's Medicine Co., Limited: "My sufferings extended over a

period of three years, and grew worse every day. I could get nothing to sure the Diabetes nor to purify my blood. Finally, the dizziness so overpowered me, and I grew so emaciated and weak, that I had to quit work. "A friend advised me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I laughed at him, for I had tried so many remedies, only to be disappointed, that I had lost hope. However, I did try Dodd's Kidney Pills, thank God. Six boxes cured me

Senator McInnes has offered to sell Dundurn Park to the Hamilton council

Did you see the Fly? Yes.

# IN FRANCE TOMORROW'S BARGAINS.

Here's a list of snaps for Saturday's trade. Remember, when we say bargains, bargains they are, and if you read heedlessly don't condemn us if your neighbor gets | what you miss:

200 dozen fine Embroidered and Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs, were 15c, 18c and 20c, Saturday. 9c 5c Tooth Brushes, children's size,

Saturday ..... 50 Bristle Hair Brushes, English

make, Saturday ..... 19c 15c Egyptian Cotton Vests, beautiful make and finish, Saturday.121/2c 50c and 75c fine silk and wool and all-wool Dress Goods, odd lot of dress ends, Saturday ...... 25c 25c and 35c-One more chance at

Leather Belts, all colors, Saturday ...... 19c \$2 25, only 29 left, assorted colors, Ladies' Fine Parasols, Saturday.\$1 00

20c fine French make Bristle Tooth Brush. Saturday ..... 18c box fine Toilet Soap, Saturday. 9c 75c Ladies' Night Gowns, finely trimmed, Saturday ..... 59c

AT SLAUGHTER PRICES.



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surround Manila. The foreign residents Mr. Preffer was one of the best have fled to the ships. Admiral Mon- known and wealthiest men in the tejo and Gov.-Gen. Augusti have plac- county. He was born in Union, and ed the women, the children and the was for years a farmer on con. 5, priests in the forts for safety. Gov.- Yarmouth. For the past fifteen years Gen. Augusti is reported to be willing he had lived on the St. George street to surrender to the Americans in order hill. He leaves a wife, formerly Mrs. to prevent the insurgents from cap- | Haight, and one step-daughter. turing the capital and setting it on fire and killing the Spaniards. The arch-bishop, however, is opposed to the sur-curred heard the engine whistle and render, and has overruled Augusti.

abortive. Aguinaldo was made very sick, but has completely recovered. A Spanish prisoner was caught trying to assassinate Aguinaldo. When his some parties near by got to him. plot was discovered he attempted to escape, but was shot dead. The success of the insurgents is wonderful. The Spaniards taken prisoners in the two weeks' campaign aggregate 3,000, including 2,000 soldiers of the regular Tenders His Resignation to the Synod army. Prominent among them are Gens. Garcia and Cordoba. WAR NOTES. The New York Journal prints a

Washington dispatch which says: President McKinley has determined to carry the war into Spain itself if that country does not sue for peace at the end of the Porto Rico and Santiago A dispatch from Shanghai to the

Frankfort Zeitung says it is believed there that Germany will avoid a conflict with the Americans, but that if the Philippines question arises she will expect to be considered. The total number of officers and men

the latest expedition from San Francisco is 3,540. This, with the 2,600 who are en route to Manila, will give than 6,000 well-armed, wellequipped and well-seasoned soldiers. is expected that the expedition which sailed Wednesday will arrive at Manila about July 4.

### WAR TAXES

The New Revenue Bill of the United States.

Which Provides Money to Carry on the War-Condensed List of Imposts.

Tobacco ......12c a pound Cigars ......\$3 per 1,000 Cigarettes ...... \$3 66 per 1,000 Bank checks ......2c stamp Manifests of express package.1c stamp Lond-distance telephone call.....1c Telegraph message ..... 

Benefit society insurance-40 per cent of first week's premium. Fire insurance-One-half of 1 per cent on each dollar insured. Lease-One year, 25c; 3 years, 50c; over 3 years, \$1. Mortgage-Under \$1,500, 25c; for each \$500 over \$1,500, 25c. Passage to foreign countries—Not exceeding \$30, \$1; not exceeding \$60,

\$3; over \$60, \$5. Patent medicine-For each 5c value. one-eighth of 1 per cent. Perfumery-For each 5c value, oneeighth of 1 per cent.

Wine .....1c a pint Oil and sugar—Refiners are taxed onefourth of 1 per cent on gross receipts exceeding \$250,000. Mixed flour ......4c a barrel Tea ......10c a pound

Old Men and Kidney Disease.

Aged persons troubled with weak back, impaired kidneys, pain in the back and base of abomen, scalding urine, with a small quantity of water at a time, a Liver Pills. You know the doctor's reputation, you know the value of his bate of several hours followed.

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COTTON LOOPS-A large assortment, 10c, 12tc, and 15c. WHITE SILK LOOPS-20c.

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### BY FOOTPADS

Joseph Labreck Waylaid and Found Unconscious Near Charing Cross.

Windsor, Ont., June 17 .- Joseph Labreck, a farmer, living near Charing Cross, was found lying in an unconscious condition by the roadside, near his home, Tuesday night. His coat, shoes and watch were gone, and there were dark bruises on the back of his

Labreck had left home directly after supper, on foot, to go to a neighbor's house. He stayed about an hour, and started soon after dark. It is thought that he was attacked by tramps, who were seen in the vicinity yesterday morning. Efforts to find them have, so far, been fruitless.

### BICYCLIST KILLED

An Old Gentleman Meets a Terrible Death Near St. Thomas.

St. Thomas, Ont., June 17.-Mr. Lucius Preffer was killed yesterday afternoon. He was riding a bicycle, and when crossing the Loop Line track at the second road crossing west city was struck by a train and had both legs cut off. Mr. Preffer was a man of about 70 years of age, and was very deaf, and probably did not hear the approaching train. Physicians were summoned, but their services of Admiral Dewey's fleet completely shortly after the accident.

Mr. Preffer was one of the best Mrs. Beals, who lives near the town curred heard the engine whistle and the bell ring. She saw Mr. Preffer A Spanish spy has attempted to poison Gen. Aguinaldo, but the plot was crossing. He was struck when just in the center of the track, and was carried 100 feet. He was breathing when

### **BISHOP SWEATMAN**

of Toronto.

Toronto, June 17 .- At the Anglican synod last evening Rev. A. H. Baldwin, chairman of the widows' and orphans' fund committee, in discussing the failure of some of the parishes to contribute their share to this fund, mentioned that St. Alban's parish had contributed nothing at all. This is under the care of the bishop, and is not a regular constituted parish.

There were cries of "Order!" and the bishop told Mr. Baldwin he had no right to stand there and insult his bishop. He ordered Mr. Baldwin to withdraw his remarks. Mr. Baldwin said that if the bishop looked at the collections he would see St. Alban's had not contributed a

The bishop said St. Alban's was not a parish, and was not supposed to lodge. make collections, though it sometimes

Mr. Baldwin said he thought they ought, as Christian gentlemen, to take Andrews, Londesboro; grand vice-tempart in the collections. He did not see the poor little parish of St. Bartholomew, which contributed so well, should be held up to view when there were no collections by St. James and St. Alban's.

Bishop Sullivan of St. James, said two collections had been taken up at St. James, but too late to be included in the statement. When the general purpose committee report came up Mr. B. Cumberland

pointed out that the sum of \$1,000 would have to be taken from this fund to pay the deficiency in the bishop's salary for the current year. He objected to the practice, and thought an assessment on the parishes would be better. The bishop rose and spoke somewhat

indignantly on the subject of the non-payment of his salary; also on the lack of cordial support he had received as bishop. He closed by abruptly announcing his resignation forthwith of the office of bishop, and then adjourn-

ed the synod. When the session resumed after re cess the bishop made a statement in connection with the matter that had come up just before resigning. He said his salary had frequently not been forthcoming, though it was small enough in any case. But he did no so much mind the matter of salary as the fact that for the past twenty years, the whole period of his bishopric, there were many in his diocese, lay and clerical, who had persistently opposed him and thwarted every pro ject he had entered on. He was utterly disheartened and weary of it. He had friends in England, and trusted to be able to secure a quiet living, there to spend the remainder of his life and provide for his family. He had his re signation written and would forward it

to the archbishop at once. tendency to urinate often, especially at night, should use Dr. Chase's Kidney the bishop then withdrew that the matter might be talked over, and a dework, and that Dr. Chase would not almost unanimous feeling was that the risk his reputation on an unknown and bishop must, if possible, be induced to untried remedy. Every druggist in Consda sells and recommends them it was determined to take from the



sary to make up the bishop's salary for the past year, and to raise the amount in future by regular assessment in the parishes.

## **ORONHYATEKHA**

Enthusiastic Welcome to the Forester Chief.

Toronto, June 17 .- Dr. Oronyatekha, supreme chief ranger of the Inde-pendent Order of Foresters, went abroad four months ago in search of He was by no means a sick man, but the administration of an enterprise so great as that of which beis the directing mind imposed a strain upon him that made rest and change a necessity. These he sought in a trip to Europe and the east. Last night the brethren of the order welcomed him back to Toronto, fully restored, and the occasion was marked by a brilliance and enthusiasm that shed luster upon the achievements of the order and proved how large a place the honored chieftain occupies in the respect and confidence of its members. The Temple was in a blaze of light from the stately and ornate portals to the tenth story.

### **GOOD TEMPLARS**

Grand Lodge Meets in Toronto Next Week.

Peterboro, Ont., June 17 .- At yesterday morning's session of the grand lodge, I. O. G. T., the receiving of contributions to the propagation fund occupied the time. At the afternoon's meeting Toronto was chosen as the place for the next meeting of the grand

The election of officers resulted as follows: Grand templar, Geo. Spence, Toronto; grand counsellor, Rev. J. W. plar, Mrs. W. L. Scott, Ottawa; grand S. J. F., F. S. Morrison, Hamilton; grand secretary, Duncan Marshall, Toronto; grand treasurer, Geo. A. Powell, Peterboro; grand auditors, J. Pearce, Ottawa; E. L. Farnham, Conrepresentative to supreme stance; representative to supreme grand lodge, J. D. Andrews and F. S. Spence, Toronto; alternates, F. Rogers, Ottawa; J. W. Andrews, boro; D. R. W. G. C. T., R. M. Storr, Ottawa: executive committee. George Spence, J. W. Andrews, Mrs. W. L. Scott, F. S. Morrison, D. Marshall, G. W. Powell, W. F. Brokenshire.

## CONSTIPATION.

In the summer especially should the bowels be kept free, so that no poisonous material shall remain in the system to ferment and decay and infect the whole body. No remedy has yet been found equal to B.B.B. for curing Constipation, even the most chronic and stubborn cases yield to its influence.

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