

Not Popular With His Col-

of Charles J. Higgs, who was until yester-

day a stenographer in the employ of Mc-Carthy, Osler, Hoskin & Creelman. Higgs

is wanted on a charge of forgery.

THE BIGGEST YET. IMPORTERS ARE CAUTIOUS.

SATURDA MORNING, MARCH 3 1894--EIGHT PAGES

The Customs Revenues For February Shows a Slight Shrinkage-Tarte For Once Has a Closed Mouth: HON. J. C. PATTERSON SAYS THAT TORONTO HAS PLENTY. OTTAWA, March 2. - The statement of re-

A warrant has been issued for the arrest The Sergeants' Mess of the Queen's Own turns and expenditure for the month o Has a Gala Dinner At Webb's-An February and for the eight months of the Appreciative and Enthusiastic Audi- fiscal year which will appear in to-morrow's ence Listens To Many Able and Elo. Canada Gazette shows that the policy of caution which has been pursued by imquent Speeches. The sergeants of the Queen's Own dined porters for some months past in only im-

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 HIS WIFE ELOPED TO TORONTO.



Toronto World. DICKSON & TELEPHONE TOWNSEND General Auctioneers, Valuators, etc., Manning's Arcade. Sentetioned by the High Court of Justice

THE VALUE OF CANADA'S AGAREGATE TRADE FOR 1893 REACHED THE SUM OF

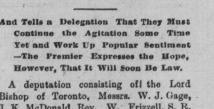
A 247.638.620 THE HIGHEST. IN THE HISTORY OF THE DOMINION

J. K. McDonald, Rev. W. Frizzell, S. R. Heaks, S. C. Briggs, Q.C., D. J.

O'Donoghue, J. Hoyles, Q.C., J. Tait, M.L.A., D. Parker, A. E. O'Meara and others waited upon the Government vesterday to urge legislation establishing a Saturday half holiday. Several ladies, including Mrs. Shortreed and Mrs. Savigny, emained to hear the argument.

Mr. J. K. McDonald urged that a cen tain number of hours should be fixed by law as a week's work; and order that over-reaching and greedy em-ployers could not take advantage of the ployers could not take advantage of the blover the order to take advantage of the provisions of such an enactment. The law in New Zealand provided that the number of hours during which a person could be kept at labor each week should not exceed 58. It required a half holiday during the week without specifying Satur-day, but they felt that the half holiday should have some relation to the Sabbath Day in order that employes could enjoy rest and attend church. They desired to prevent late hours for clerks on Saturday nights, and he was convinced that the phy-sical and moral well-being of the community would be greatly increased by the adoption of the half holiday on Saturday, which should apply to all establish-ments having three or more em-ployes. Representatives of workingmen and labor unions attached a great deal of importance to such a provision, which

Want a Week's Work Defined.



ONE CENT.

SIR OLIVER CALLS THE PROPOSAL A SORT OF REVOLUTION. And Tells a Delegation That They Must Continue the Agitation Some Time Yet and Work Up Popular Sentiment

SATURDAY HALF HOLIDAY:

worthy foundation in fact is very scarce. The newspapers are printing columns of varied speculation, but most of this matter is the result of palpable guess work and throws no light on the Cabinet situation. Major-General Sir John Clayton Cowell, Major-General Sir John Clayton Cowell, Master of the Queen's Household, visited the Treasury Department this morn-ing and held an extended conference with Right Hon. Edward Majoribanks,

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we also complained the p could not consult in regard party could not consult in regard to its future leader, and we cannot admit for a moment that either the Queen or the Cabinet can select our leaders in secret conclave. It is obvious that the Queen

concluve. It is obvious that the Queen will select the man most grateful to the Court instead of to the people. The secrecy manutained in regard to Mr. Gladstone, the semi-official denials up to the last mo-

ment, the manner in which his successor For corafortable bright rooms and com

ment, the manner in which his successor was sprung hypon us and the House not sitting have a very ugly aspect and smack of cabal and intrigue. "That the Queen has a right to select the Premier is more true in theory than in fact and it is probable (that within the next few means if was among united was shall sugar

years, if we remain united, we shall sweep away the hereditary chamber. When we welcome them in the House of Commons as men prefer it.

elected members they will have the same claim as others to lead us. Until then it would be more patriotic if a Liberal peer chosen by the Queen should decline to

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Rupture.

The Ontario Mutual Life Assurance Com-pany offers incomparable advantages to all seeking the security of life insurance. Its rates are within the reach of all. Its security is undoubted. Its uniformly suc-cessful experience of twenty-four years has analled the company to give better results. Out of my 20,000 roses there are now a great many in bloom. "Lovers of the Rose" are welcome at my greenhouses, Bloor-street west. Salesroom, Danlop's, 445½ Yonge-street, next Harry Webb's. Telephone 4192. Have you a cough? Try Coughleura, 100

health? One of the best known physicians in Detroit writes that "those who regularly

tould be more patriotic if a Liberal peer hosen by the Queen should decline to rve." Mr. Labouchere said further has regarded ity of party as paramount to leadership, raonally, he believed the claims of Sir Uliam Harcourt to the Premiarchi. Wa want to he provide the tade. Wa want to he

Mr. Labouchere sad furcher de regarded unity of party as paramount to leadership. Personally, he believed the claims of Sir William Harcourt to the Premiorship were paramount to those of any other. Labouchere is sending telegrams broad-(Continued on Second Page.)
In Keeping With the Times. We want to become acquainted with you. Have your trousers prossed free of charge. We will send for them in the a.m. and you tab yonge. Continued on Second Page.)
Academy of Music. Owing to its enormous success "Mixed France. We want to be come. We will send for them in the p.m. Waterson's, 126 Yonge. Try Watson's Congh Drops.

 MEW YORK, March 2.—Physicians reported last night that William Dwight Wiman, son of Erastus Wiman, was out of Danger. He has been very ill of pneumonia at his home at St. George, S.L., several days. His father has been allowed to see him only once since his release from the Tombs on bail.
 To "Canada, our Home," Lieut.-Col. George at he high esteem in which the server showed in the high esteem The reception given to the toast of the "Commanding Officer and Staff" showed the high esteem in which the sergeants hold their military rulers. It was responded to by Col. Hamilton, Major Delamere and Capt. Mercer. President of the Mess, Sergt. J. G. Langton in a neat speech proposed the

mineral water, when bottled and carbonated.

without one of quinn's new English stocks on his neck will be interdicted from association with decent men. Don't fail to hear the Bey. T. C. Jack-son to-morrow evening at Forum Hail, seats free. Blight Bros, stationers, have removed from The Globe Building, corner Yonge and Melinda-streets, to 65 Yonge-st. 246 Try Vatanty function association built of the Globe Building, corner Yonge and Melinda-streets, to 65 Yonge-st. 246 Try Vatanty function association built of the Globe Building, corner Yonge and Melinda-streets, to 65 Yonge-st. 246 Try Vatanty function function to seats free. Built Bros, stationers, to 65 Yonge-st. 246 Try Vatanty function to function to function to seats free. Built Bros, stationers, to 65 Yonge-st. 246 Try Vatanty function to is very unhealthy, and that is the reason "Spruch" is bottled fresh at the spring. Most mineral waters sold here are bottled in

habled the company to give better results o policy holders than any similar corpora-tion operating in Canada. Office 33 Church-What shall we drink to keep in perfect

drink Sprudel, the celebrated water from the Mtr Clemens Spring, will keep their sys-

The New Fish Market "We make over eighty per cent, of the high-class Smoking Tobaccos packed in fancy tins. Have you tried the Athlete, St. Leger, or our Perique Smoking Miz-oysters 30c per quart. Tel. 2894. St. Leger, or our Perique Smoking Mix-ture? D. Ritchie & Co., Montreal, Canada, and London, Eng." 2467 Dangerous Weather, The damp, weather that prevails at the New Brokers' Firm. Mossrs. Henry A. King & Co. have opened stock, grain and provision offices at 213, 214 and 215 Board of Trade Buildings. Mr.King, be has hed on provision officer at a state of the state of t New Brokers' Firm. who has had an experience of over twenty years with the late James Norris of St. Catharines, is correspondent of Messrs. F. G. Logan & Co., Chicago; Hubbard, Price & Co., New York, and R. G. Forget & Co., Montreal, all houses that stand high in the commercial world. Decidedly Mild. Minimum and maximum temperatur Calgary, 8-10; Edmonton, zero-40; Battleford 16-20; Qu'Appelle, 28-40; Winnipeg, 20-40 Port Arthur, 24-26; Toronto, 32-40; Kingston Eternal Punishment is Rev. T. C. Jack-32-38: Montreal, 36-40; Quebec, 30-44: Halifax

son's subject to-morrow evening at Forum Hall, Scats free. - Probs-Southeast to southwest winds, fin and decidedly mild.

By Promptness We Prosper Burns' Tourist Hoadquarters, What are the advantages in buying a spring suit now? These: You have the ad-

What are the advantages in buying a spring suit now? These: You have the ad-yantage of selecting from a full range of yantage of selecting from a full range of the world, see Chas. E. Burns, 77 Youge st., 2nd door above King. 246 vantage of selecting from a full range of patterns; you can have your order completed before the rush starts; you can buy as cheap now as later on; you need not take them until you need them. Our spring stock of suitings, fpantings and overcoatings is now complete, and we want you to cal and see them. Waterson, 126 Yonge-street.

citor of its libelous nature and refused upon the whole community. And ma breach of contract and recovered \$15. FASHION'S DEVOTEES.

The worst feature of the present system was that the worst paid had the longest Ladies Are Not the Only Slaves to the Modern Idol,

hours; and the reform proposed was aimed particularly at the sweating system. With certain limitations such a change would con-

machinery moved the faster the men had to work. He pleaded particularly

for the unfortunate retail clerks. Workingmen could combine and protect themselves, but Parliament should help the helpless classes. During their whole in-

quiry only one manufacturer had opposed a Saturday half holiday. They asked for serious consideration, and then that the Government should pass such a measure. Sir Oliver: Consideration always take

Mr. Heaks: We have done the considera

tion for you, sir. [Laughter.] Sir Oliver: Then do the other part for me, too. Mr. Heaks: I would be very glad to do

so. [Laughter.] Sir Oliver: I feel quite an interest in what you propose and we will be very glad to consider any document you may submit. I am afraid we can do nothing this session.

but I hope it will not be very long before what you want will become law. You had better prepare a bill on the subject. The deputation withdrew.

Ask for the "gentleman's chew" and be sure you get the genuine Beaver Plug.

BIRTHS.

DEATHS. BRECHIN-At 201 Queen-street west, John Ritchie Brechin, aged 8 months, dearly beloved son of Samuel and Katie Brechin.

wife of William T. Gray of a daughter.

GRAV-On March 1, at 67 O'Hara-avenue, the

Spring Overcoats for \$2.90 This is a catching price, and yon'll find the goods more catching still when you see them. They are really good value at \$6 to be got only at the Army and Navy Clothing Stores, 133.135 King-street east, opposite St, James' cathedral, and 136-138 Yonge-street, corner Temperance-street.