\$1,000,000 Blaze at Portland, Me.

ton, nearly all at the last-named figure. There should be a good demand for hay Oats sold quickly today, the supply being small; prices were a little higher, all the loads selling at \$1 47 per cwt. A couple of loads of straw sold at \$8

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO. Chicago, Ill., Jan. 24.-Cattle-Receipts, about 1,100; market strong to 10c higher; beeves, \$3 65 to \$6 15; cows and heifers, \$1 60 to \$4 65; Texans, \$3 25 to \$4; calves, \$5 to \$7; Westerns, \$3 70 to \$4 65; stock- Mexican L. & P.

Hogs-Receipts, about 25,000; market N. S. Steel, com 60 generally 5e higher; light, \$4 05 to \$4 30; M. S. S. 90 mixed and heavy, \$4 10 to \$4 40; rough, Prairie Lands180 \$4 10 to \$4 20; pigs, \$3 50 to \$4 10; bulk of Bank of Commerce.162 sales at \$4 25 to \$4 30.

Dominion Bank218 about 5,000; market Bank of Hamilton ... strong; natives, \$3 25 to \$5 50; westerns, Imperial Bank210 yearlings, \$4 90 to \$5 65; Merchants' Bank ... 156 Westerns, \$5 to \$7; lambs, \$5 to \$7. Bank of Montreal...238 Bank Nova Scotia.... Standard Bank220

EAST BUFFALO. East Buffalo, Jan. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, Traders' Bank

25 head; slow; prices unchanged. Veals Canada Landed -Receipts, 700 head; active and firm, \$5 Canada Permanent..122 to \$8 75, a few at \$9. Hogs-Receipts, 12,000 head; active and 5c higher; heavy, \$4 45 to \$4 50; mixed, Dom. Savings 44 50 to \$4 55; Yorkers, \$4 55 to \$4 60; pigs, Hamilton Provident.120

\$4 60; roughs, \$3 80 to \$4; dairies, \$4 40 Huron & Erie...... Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 18,000 head; London & Canada..100 slow; sheep steady, lambs 10c lower; National Trust150 lambs, \$5 to \$7 15.

TORONTO

Toronto Morigage Rio, bonds 75 Toronto, Jan. 24.—The receipts from the Sao Paulo, bonds... 92 Union Stock Yards, Toronto Junction, for this week are 84 cars, consisting of 1,270 bonds, 5,000 at 75%; Canada Permanent, cattle, 483 sheep, 1,000 hogs, 8 calves, 150 40 and 100 at 122: General Electric, 25 at

DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO. Chicago, Jan. 23.-Butter-Market firm; creameries, 21c to 301/2c; dairie, 19c to 27c. Cheese-Steady, 11c to 131/2c.

NEW YORK. New York, Jan. 23.-Butter-Steady; receipts, 7,450 packages; state dairy, comman to finest, 20c to 30c. Cheese-Firm and unchanged; receipts,

OIL MARKETS.

OIL CITY. Oil City, Pa., Jan. 23.-Credit balances,

LONDON. London, Jan. 23.-Petroleum, American refined, 71-16d; spirits, 7½d. ANTWERP. Antwerp, Belgium, Jan. 23.-Petroleum,

22 francs. PITTSBURG. Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 24.-Oil opened and

closed at \$1 78.

SUCAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK. New York, Jan. 23-Sugar-Raw quiet; fair refining, 3.30c; centrifugal, 96° test, 3.80c; molasses sugar, 3.05c; refined sugar steady. Molasses-Steady. LONDON.

London, Jan. 23.-Raw sugar-Centrifugal, 11s; Muscovado, 9s 10½d; beet Shawinigan 61 sugar, January, 9s 9%d. TORONTO.

Toronto, Jan. 23.-Sugar-Firm: Montreal granulated, in barrels, \$4 50; yellow, \$4 10: Acadia, \$4 35; Ontario beet, \$4 35;

COTTON MARKETS.

NEW YORK. New York, Jan. 23.-Cotton-Futures closed steady. Closing bids: January, 11.09c; February, 11.08c; March, 11.20c; April, 11.25c; May, 11.29c; June, 11.25c; July, 11.15c; August, 10.88c; October, 10.30c. Spot closed quiet, 20 points lower; middling uplands, 11.90c; middling gulf, 12.15c; sales, 1,200 bales.

BEAN MARKETS. DETROIT.

Detroit, Jan. 23.-Beans-Spot, \$2; February, \$2; May, \$2; all bid.

PRODUCE MARKET TORONTO.

Toronto, Jan. 24.-Deliveries are slow, to make concessions. The demand for 15 at 81/2, Laurentide, 10 at 106/3; Mexican, bran is still in evidence and holders are 25 and 25 at 48, 25 at 48%; Detroit Railway, wheat prices are unchanged. Prices are: 94%; Penmans, 9 at 31%; Iron, common, 25 Wheat-Manitoba No. 1 northern \$1 22. No. 2 northern, \$1 17; feed wheat, 69c; No. 2 feed, 65c; Ontario No. 2 white, 99c; No. 2 red. 89c to 981/2c; No. 2 mixed, 98c. Barley-No. 2, 76c to 78c outside; No. 3 at 58; do, preferred, 25 at 63; Soo, comextra, 75e to 76c.

Flour-Winter wheat patents, for export, are selling at \$3 75; Manitoba patents, special brands. \$5 80 to \$6: sec onds, \$5 20 to \$5 40; strong bakers, \$5 10

Peas-84c to 85c outside.

Rye-No. 2, 81c. Corn-No. 2 yellow American, 64c to American Smelting. 661/8 661/4 625/8 64%c, Toronto freights; quotations on Anaconda 32% Canadian corn are about nominal, at 57c. Oats-No. 2 white, 491/2c to 50c outside. Buckwheat-No. 2, 66c outside. Millfeed-Bran, \$22 outside; shorts, \$24; oran sold at \$24 at Toronto, to arrive. Butter-Steady; creamery prints, 28c to e; do, solids, 27c to 28c; dairy prints, 24c to 26c; dc, solids, 22c to 23c; inferior, 20c Rock Island 13% 14% 13%

to 21c. Cheese-131/2c to 131/4c. Eggs-Ordinary storage, 21c to 22c; selects, 26c; new-laid, 30c. Live Hogs-Selects easy, at \$5 40. Dressed Hogs-Unchanged, at \$7 10 to

HAY MARKET.

TORONTO. Toronto, Jan. 23.-Baled Straw-Quiet, at \$9 50 to \$10 50 per ton, on track here. Baled Hay-Timothy is quoted at \$16 50 to \$17 50, in car lots on track here.

ENGLISH MARKET. LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, Jan. 24.-Wheat-Spot. No. 1 red western winter easy, 7s 81/2d. Futures steady; March, 7s 7%d; May, 7s 74d. Corn-Spot easy; prime American mixed, new 5s 3%d; do, old, 5s 51/2d. Futures January, 5s 31/2d; March, 5s 33/4d. steady: January, 5s 31/2d; March, 5s 41/4d. Peas-Canadia. steady, 7s 9d.

Flour-Winter patents steady, 31s. Hops (in London)-Pacific coast steady Beef-Extra India mess firm, 96s 3d.

Pork-Prime mess western, 88s 9d. Hams-Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 42s. Bacon-Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs weak, 41s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, weak, 46s; long clear middles, light, 28 reading. to 34 lbs, weak, 45s 1/2d; do, heavy, 35 to 16 to 20 lbs, weak, 43s; clear bellies, 14 to responsible for the invalidating of the 16 lbs, weak, 47s 6d; shoulders, square, 11 last act. to 13 lbs, steady, 36s.

Lard-Prime western, in tierces, easy 39s 6d; American refined, in palls, quiet, Cheese-Canadian finest white, new

firm, 63s 6d; do, colored, new, firm, 64s 6d. tian (in London) dull, 31s 9d. Turpentine Spirits-Quiet, 38s 9d. Resin—Common firm, 10s 1½d. Petroleum—Refined firm, 7½d. Linseed Oil—Dull, 24s 6d.

STOCK MARKETS. Cool Head Prevents a Fire Panic Toronto, Jan. 23. Morning. Afternoon. Ask. Bid. Ask. Bid.

Canadian Pacific Sao Paulo Tram .. Toronto Railway ... 96 Twin City Railway. 88 Winnipeg Railway.... Niagara Navigation... R. & O. Navigation. 65 Bell Telephone127 City Dairy, com..... 30 Dom. Coal, com.... 39 Dom. Steel, com..... 16 Dom. Steel, pfd..... 51 Dom. Telegraph ...110

Mackay, com.

Nipissing Mines ...

Central Canada

Landed Banking

Ontario Loan

Colonial Loan

Detroit Railway

Dom. Coal. com 40

Dom. Steel, pfd..... 51

Halifax Railway 97

Woods, com. 80

Woods, pfd.

Mackay, com. 571/4

Mexican L. & P.... 481/4

Minn. & St. Paul... 901/2

N. S. Steel, pfd.....110

R. & O. Navigation. 64

Sae Paulo Tram

Toledo Railway

East, Town, Bank

Merchants' Bank

Molsons Bank ...

Royal Bank

Textile, pfd.

Hochelaga Bank138

Bank of Montreal...245

Bank Nova Scotia....

Bank of Quebec

Textile, com. 44

Dom. Steel, bonds

Mex. Electric, bds... 76

Mex. Power, bds.... 85

Mont. Power, bds... 95

N. S. Steel, bonds...105

Ogilvie, bonds112

Rio, bonds

Textile bonds, A

Textile bonds, B.....

Textile bonds, D

mon, 50 at 901/2, 25 at 91.

Amer. Locomotive .. 38

Atchison, pfd. 87

Brooklyn Transit .. 45

Col. Fuel & Iron.... 20

Chesapeake & Ohio.. 291/2

St. Paul113

Illinois Central1291/2

Missouri Pacific 441/8

Ontario & Western.. 331/2

People's Gas 851/2

Pressed Steel Car... 221/4

Southern Railway .. 1034

Southern Ry., pfd... 32%

S. Steel

Union Pacific125

Wisconsin Central .. 16

U. S. Steel, pfd....

Wabash, com.

U. S. Leather 18%

Southern Pacific ...

Kansas & Texas

Amal. Copper ...

Atchison ...

Erie ...

Lead

Winnipeg, bds.

Havana, bonds 90

Dom. Coal. bonds.

Woods, bonds ..

Montreal Power 85% 851/2

Rio Janeiro 331/8 33

Toronto Railway ... 941/2 94

110

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83

New York, Jan. 23.

... 4978 50% 49¼ 49% .. 38 38 37 37

441/8 441/8

2334

171/2

221/4

323/4

181/2

285/8

917%

1011/2 1015/4

1035%

1834

Afternoon Sales: Montreal Railway, 15

at 1514, 100 at 1514; Twin City, 5 at 87;

Iron, preferred, 75 at 501/4; Bell Telephone,

75%; Power, 5 at 86; Mackay, 10 at 57, 1

NEW YORK.

American Sugar1121/2 1127/8 111

Baltimore & Ohio... 871/4 871/4

Canadian Pacific1491/2 1201/4 149

38% 39

Great Northern122½ 122½ 121¼ 121%

Northern Pacific1251/4 1261/8 1233/4 1247/8

Pennsylvania113% 113% 112% 113

PASSED NATAL ACT AGAIN

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 23. - In almost

The act provides for an educational

231/2

Mexican Central 15% 15% . 15%

Montreal Railway... . 179

Laurentide Paper Laurentide Paper Laur. Paper, pfd....106

Mackay, pfd.

Ogilvie, pfd.

Dom. Steel, com..... 15% 151/4

Afternoon Sales: Mexican Electric,

9934; Winnipeg, 5 at 14214; Mackay, com-

25 at 209; Bank of Hamilton, 1 at 191, 10

at 190; Traders' Bank, 5, 24 and 2 at 1221/4.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Jan. 23.

Morning. Afternoon.

Ask. Bid. Ask. Bid.

mon, 5 at 571/4, 25 at 571/2; do, preferred, 25

Mackay, pfd.

building sheltered the supreme, judito the police department.

The fire was the worst in the state

The Worst in Years.

securities in the latter are believed insured for \$240,000.

Portland, Me., Jan. 24-A fire which to be intact, although it will be alcaused a property damage of \$1,000, most impossible to ascertain definite-000 early today, destroyed the city by until the vaults have cooled sufhall and police buildings, and endan-ficiently for an examination to be gered the lives of more than 700 per- made. One of the most valuable libsons. Although known as city hall, raries in the state, the Greenleaf Law the building was divided between city Collection, was completely destroyed, and county offices, while the police with a loss estimated at \$10,000. The blaze originated in the city cial and municipal courts in addition electrician's office and was caused by

crossed wires. meeting of the Pythian body, was met it along to future generations. Not since the great conflagration in Port-in the hallway by three men who one-half of the people in the church acquainted him with the condition of now give to missions. The laymen ness and residential sections were al- affairs. Coolly he entered the audi- aim to appeal to these, and give them torium and ascended the stage, in- a chance to perform their duty. There Death was absent from the fire, a terrupting the rites of investure which is a worldwide opportunity. There is fact considered very remarkable, as were going on at the time. He calm- as it were a challenge from God to there were more than 700 members ly told the assembled members of the the businessmen to belt the world of the Nestern Maine Knights of existing conditions, saying there was with the message of Christ as we Pythias jubilee gathered in the audi-no need for hurry, and himself super-have received it. In times of national torium of the city hall when the vising a system of orderly departure, peril we are prepared to sacrifice flames were discovered. Only a few which proved effective in averting a persons were hurt. Chief Engineer panic and bringing out more than 700 pire. We are members of a greater panic and bringing out more than 700 pire. We are members of a greater panic and bringing out more than 700 pire. Melville Eldridge, the only one known persons without injury. Chief Enempire, which is ruled by the King of

tion of the city clerk's and the city frontage of 150 feet and was 250 feet many as there are now in the field. treasurer's offices. The money and long. The property destroyed was

at 63; St. Lawrence, xr., 1 at 100; Rio, 50 Plan a Newer and Greater Knox \$400,000 To Be Raised for College

the present building and land, which for Sunday school teachers. be asked for \$200,000

some date early in March.

has been determined on for the new lege in Canada, or even the United these native workers schools must be Knox College, and the building com- States. Its object will be to supply provided. Turning to our own western mittee is asking for no less a sum the needs of every line of church work missions, the last 34 years has shown Of this, \$125,000 is expected from for the mission field, for evangelists, ing erected all over the country, and

occupies three acres, and \$300,000 is Reinforced by some assistants, the seven years more than \$20,000. afined at from contributions. Toronto present staff of Knox will devote present half a million foreigners are is to supply \$100,000, and the rest of themselves to the realization of this there. It seems as if God were bringthe province and friends of Knox will forward movement. Ten final year ing these men to this country in order men, have each pledged \$100, or \$1,000 that they may have a chance to hear Competitive plans will be called for in all, for a new Knox. The rest of his Word. Calgary has caught the misthe class will raise this to \$1,500. This sionary spirit, and is contributing

Revolt Plot Was Nipped in the Bud

Tri-City, pfd. 72% ... 78 70 Twin City Railway 86% 86% 86% 86% 86% in the bud last night by the prompt ac- | A case of revolvers and

> 2391/2 street risings. out the coup d' etat.

75% Several of them, however, were cap- arrests are expected.

to overthrow the monarchy and pro- a Republican journalist; Franca Bor- churches, and are a great strength to claim Portugal a republic was nipped ger, editor of Omundo, and a merchant them. In many parts of New Ontario by the name of Grendella.

The conspirators intended to take ad- placed around Premier Franco's house, provide for old age. vantage of various festivities to carry and the night passed without further

CALABRIA SHAKEN BY EARTHQUAKE other denomina \$3 32 per head.

ince today. The inhabitants, recalling asking \$24 50 per ton, to arrive. Ontario 2 at 39; Toronto Railway, 25 at 94, 10 at the devastation wrought by the earthquake of last October, were thrown into a condition of frenzied panic. No than the first. 2 at 128; Mexican Electric, bonds, 5,000 at report of loss of life has been re-

Reggie di Calabria, Jan. 23. - A the open fields, or took refuge in the and buyers are more and more willing at 180; C. P. R., rights, 125 and 300 at 8%, strong earthquake shook this provat any moment.

> ceived. The shocks were particular- large number of houses being render- portionately. The Baptists have all ly severe at the villages of Blanco, ed uninhabitable. The municipal had their share in the general pros-Brancaleone, Bruzzano and Ferruz- building at Blanco Nuove collapsed. perity and can surely afford to give of zano. Screaming and terrified, the Notwithstanding the intense cold, the their increase. When do we begin to people rushed from their houses to people are camped in the open.

HOUSE DISCUSSES THE NATAL ACT

Government Influenced Gov. Dunsmuir.

New York Central. 991/2 995/8 973/4 973/4 Act, which was passed last year by was the subject of discussion in the views of the crown. This was a griev- of \$300 over last year.

House of Commons. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in speaking of 7514 the matter, denied that the Dominion province in refusing to sign the bill. they would not be playing the part of 285/8 917/8 Mr. Duncan Ross (Yale, Cariboo) read an article which appeared in the Vancouver Province on the eve of the provincial elections to the effect that 50,000 Jap laborers were to be brought in for work on the Grand Trunk Those of New Brunswick Province To Pacific. A similar statement, he said, was made by Attorney-General Bowser in a speech on the previous eventhe Legislature, and given its first Mr. Bowser, who, as solicitor, had held early in March. drawn up an agreement between the This announcement was made by The only change is the correction C. P. R. and Mr. Goteh, the Japanese Premier Robinson this morning. Japan, securing laborers for the C. P. day will be Feb. 27, and polling day promised. R. Later, Mr. Bowser brought in his on March 4.

test to be imposed on all immigrants Natal Act, which Mr. Ross claimed disabilities to attend unauthorized McBride told Hon. R. W. Scott in parties. immigrants are set forth, and penal- Ottawa a week before the second readties provided to be imposed on any ing of the act, that Mr. Dunsmuir corporation assisting immigrants to would refuse to sign it. "Dunsmuir is lemonade out of all the lemons handed committee to carry on the work of or- as honest as he is stupid in politics," him.

said Mr. Ross, who claimed that Mr. what we owe the Lord. Everyone owes Bowser knew when he brought the act at least one-tenth of what he earns. even with the assent of Mr. Dunsmuir, prospers us. How little it is when we which really meant the reverse of what when others are giving their lives. it was supposed to mean. Later, he Local Churches Pledge Large Sums. was impossible to bring in immigrants, as formerly, he introduced the second rived, it was suggested that some per-Premier Laurier Denies That the as formerly, he introduced the second rived, it was suggested that some perdiesex. bill removing the defect of the first sons in the audience might have somebill. "I believe that the negotiations thing to say. carried out by the postmaster-general Mr. George F. Robertson arose and will prove a satisfactory settlement of stated that Maitland Street Church their difficulties in British Columbia." (until lately a mission) last year gave

said Mr. Ross. to do with Lieut.-Gov. Dunsmuir's ac- mean \$500. tion. It was plain that he withheld ing to do.

R. G. McPherson (Vancouver) said wise men.

MARITIME ELECTIONS

Be Held Early in March.

Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 23.-New

The present Government has been Mr. Charles Plymm sang a solo. entering British Columbia, with the was designed to compromise the Fed- in office since 1883, and at the elecordinary reservation, and a provision eral Government, and to make it still tions five years ago they carried 36 ing to the snowstorm, did not arrive by-elections in South Huron and Stanfor the enforcement of the act and possible for the bringing in of Jap- out of 46 seats. There has been no until very late, and gave a brief ac- stead, respectively, were loudly cheered

BAPTISTS HOLD A BANQUET

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of the missionary society. As a result of what was said there it was unanimously resolved to attempt to evangelize the world in the present ment is to point out to Christians their duty in this regard, and help them to do it.

The Work of Businessmen.

"Businessmen came in touch in no personal way with the great mission problems, facing the church until it was brought to their attention by the present great movement. The men of When the flames were discovered, this generation are the ones to do the William A. Turner, chairman of the work, and ought not to try and pass to be seriously injured, was able to gineer Eldridge was injured by the Kings, and we should be prepared to direct the fight against the flames breaking away of a slamese coupling sacrifice just as much in this greater throughout being supported by two of hose, which hit him in the stomach. cause, Britain, the United States and When the flames communicated to Canada give 85 per cent of the total the police building, where the city sum contributed to missions. Ap-The financial loss is estimated at jail is located, the prisoners were lib-proximately there are one billion (1,-\$1,000,000, but this sum will not cover erated. The building, which was a 000,000,000 persons who have not the loss of the papers and documents five-story brick structure, was burn-heard the Gospel. The present misin the registry of deeds, where every- ed. The city hall survived the great sionary force in the field is only capthing was destroyed. Other city de- fire of 4866, although it was badly able of teaching 325,000,000 persons, so partments were swept clear of every- damaged at that time. It was first that it will be necessary to provide thing by the flames, with the excep- opened in 1859. The building had a for and send more than three times as

Canada's Share.

Canada has 400,000 non-Englishspeaking people in need of missionares. In India a million and a half of people are looking to the Baptists alone for the gospel. So far the work has been greatly blessed, notwithstanding the small number of missionaries, who consist of 24 trained missionaries, 225 native workers and 51 Bible women. In Toronto, Jan. 23.—A new departure scope than any other theological colorder to carry out all this work \$120,the training of men for the ministry, a wonderful change. Churches are bethe offerings have increased in the last The new Knox will have a wider is the first step taken for the fund. largely to the work. We must maintain the work at home if it is to be effective abroad.

Home Missions.

In Ontario there is home missionary work to do, and it must be maintained Lisbon, Jan. 23.—An abortive attempt tured, including the leader, Joe Choas, send their numbers to swell the city there are no churches, and they must | o be built sooner or later. It is most in found in the cellar. A general alarm portant that the men who are now do-As near as can be ascertained the was immediately sent out, and while ing mission work get more than the plan was to assassinate Premier Fran- the prisoners were bing taken to jail, starvation pay they now receive. As co, and then depend for success on troops began to appear from all directhings are, many of them have 1.0 tions. A squadron of cavalry was chance to educate their children, or o

This year it is proposed to raise incident. From papers captured it was \$200,000 for missions-more than double The police discovered what was in evident that the conspiracy was badly the amount given last year. There is the wind early in the evening, and sur- organized and premature. Chagras, the little doubt the money will be given as rounded and raided a house where the leader, has always been an active revo- a result of the enthusiasm created by ringleaders in the plot were conferring. lutionary. After the revolt in 1891 he the laymen's movement. In Toronto When they broke in the doors, lights escaped to Brazil and subsequently, alone it is proposed to raise \$50,000, were extinguished, and in the confu- being pardoned by amnesty, returned and the churchmen are contributing so sion that followed most of the conspir- to Portugal. As the details of the plot largely already that there is no doubt ators managed to make their escape. | are in the hands of the police other the amount will be obtained. In Toronto the Baptists are contributing much more in proportion than any other denomination, and are giving

Yes, undoubtedly, for the trade of Q Canada has increased 62 per cent in the last 25 years. Our bank assets A repetition of the shock is feared have increased to nearly \$900,000,000, and the actual savings of the people Later in the day another shock was have increased from \$390,000,000 to experienced, considerably more severe \$622,000,000 in the six years, 1901-1906. Wages in Canada have increased very Many buildings were damaged, a greatly, and the value of property progive to missions? Not until we have given one-tenth do we begin to give in that it could not be made effective We should give weekly as the Lord

\$160 for missions; this year they in-

would total about \$1,600. last year was \$350.

act has been again introduced into that the information was supplied by solved at once and elections will be sions, and expected to double that sum posure of the tactics of the McBride this year.

bs, weak, 45s 6d; short clear backs, of the typographical error, which was immigration agent who was then in Rumors have it that nomination best secure the increased amounts to give the societies time to consider opinion, and reflects great credit on the increased amounts to give the societies time to consider opinion, and reflects great credit on the increased amounts to give the societies time to consider opinion, and reflects great credit on the increased amounts to give the societies time to consider opinion, and reflects great credit on the be that regular weekly offerings would in the insurance bill had been dropped vertisement, but merely an unbiassed During a pause in the proceedings on a still stronger basis.

> the penalties for its infraction. The anese. Mr. Ross said that Premier change since in the standing of the count of the missionary movement and by the Liberals as they entered the of what was being done in Toronto. After the speakers had concluded it An optimist is a man who can make was unanimously resolved to form a

A TRAINED NURSE

After Years of Experience, Advises Women in Regard to Their Health.

Mrs. Martha Pohlman of 55 Chester Avenue, Newark, N. J., who is a graduate Nurse from the Blockley Training School at Philadelphia, and for mix years Chief Clinic Nurse at the Philadelphia Hospital, writes the letter printed below. She has the advantage of personal experience, besides her experience, professional education and what she has to say may

afflicted as she was. They can regain health in the same way. It is prudent to heed such advice from such a source. Mrs. Pohlman writes: "I am firmly persuaded, fter eight years of experienafter eight years of experience with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, that it is the safest and best medi-

be absolutely relied upon.

Many other women are

ine for any suffering woman to use. "Immediately after my marriage I found that my became weak and pale, with severe bearing-down pains, severe bearing-down pains, fearful backaches and frequent dizzy spells. The doc-tors prescribed for me, yet I did not improve. I would

bloat after eating and frequently become nauscated.

I had pains down through my limbs so I nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, could hardly walk. It was as bad a case of "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" female trouble as I have ever known. Lydia
E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, however, cured me within four months. Since that time I have had occasion to recommend true remedy. Lydia E. Pinkham's it to a number of patients suffering from all Vegetable Compound at once removes forms of female difficulties, and I find that such troubles. while it is considered unprofessional to recommend a patent medicine, I can honestly recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for I have found that it cures

The medicine and I and that it cures

No other female me world has received such unqualified endorsement.

agree that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the most universally ham's Vegetable Compound.

known to medicine.

tion, and nervous prostration, or are beset years, she has probably had to deal with with such symptoms as dizziness, faint-dozens of cases just like yours. Her aess, lassitude, excitability, irritability, advice is strictly confidential.

world has received such widespread and female ills, where all other medicine fails.

It is a grand medicine for sick women."

The needless suffering of women from diseases peculiar to their sex is terrible Money cannot buy such testimony as to see. The money which they pay to this-merit alone can produce such re- doctors who do not help them is an sults, and the ablest specialists now enormous waste. The pain is cured and

No other female medicine in the

successful remedy for all female diseases. It is well for tomen who are ill to write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., The When women are troubled with irre-gular, suppressed or painful periods, in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, her assistant weakness, displacement or ulceration of for many years before her decease, and the female organs, that bearing-down for twenty-five years since her advice has feeling, inflammation, backache, bloating been freely given to sick women. In her (or flatulence), gene al debility indiges- great experience, which covers many

Lydia E. Plakham's Vegetable Compound Succeeds where Others fail.

The Chance of

a Lifetime @

20% Off Sovereign Brand, the best clothing in Canada. REMEMBER, as advertised, this sale will close on Wednesday night next. There will be a big rush here tomorrow, as EVERY OVER-COAT IN THE STORE will have 20 Per Cent reduction, and EVERY SOVEREIGN BRAND SUIT will go at 20 Per Cent Off, except blues and blacks, which have 10 Per Cent reductions.

OAK HALL

mittee will be chosen from the different | ?

OPPOSITION OBSTRUCTS

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Ottawa, Jan. 23.—The vetoing by Dr. Sproule (East Grey) couldn't tended to give \$400. Next year they of the papers moved for by Mr. Ames. Lieut.-Gov. Dunsmuir of the Natal see what the Federal Government had hoped to "walk alone," which would and it was obvious from the first that the object of the Opposition was to Deacon Graham, for Egerton Street, hold up public business until the Govthe Legislature of British Columbia, his assent in order to ascertain the said they would give \$400-an increase ernment gave way. In vain did Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Fielding point ance purely for the Provincial Govern-C. W. A. Woodburne said that outside Ames contended was unprecedented For Adelaide Street Church, Deacon out that the principle for which Mr. of the missionary organizations it was and preposterous. In vain did they brewed than Carling's. At the present their intention to give \$1,000, or over inform Mr. Borden and his following time their ale is simply superb. Physi-Government had, in any sense, influthat if the people of British Columbia

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Dermid (treasurer), explained that other member asked for papers and that it is the best product of the malt-Adelaide Street had a large liability to gave sufficient reasons for their pro- that it is the best product of the maltmeet, and with one or two exceptions duction the request would be granted. ing house today before the public. The its members were only wage-earners; Neither Mr. Ames nor any other mem- results derived from a moderate but that with the contributions of aux- ber of the Opposition would state the medicinal quantity of Carling's ale or illary societies their mission fund reasons why the motion should be porter are simply remarkable. granted, and the discussion simply de- tonic it is unsurpassable; it stimulates Rev. W. M. Walker intimated that veloped into an attack upon the Gov- the appetite, aids digestion, promotes South London Church would consider- ernment. The discussion will be re- absorption, and helps powerfully in the ably increase its contribution, which newed tomorrow. In the afternoon Mr. elimination of waste products. If you Ross (Yale-Cariboo), and Mr. Macpher- want to produce good results prescribe Deacon Holman said that Talbot son discussed the Japanese immigra- a quart daily of Carling's ale, where the same form as last year, the Natal ing. Mr. Ross said he had inferred Brunswick Legislature will be dis- Street last year gave \$1,500 for mis-Government. Mr. Fielding announced The consensus of opinion seemed to that the assessment or fraternal clauses

> Hon. George P. Graham and Hon. Mr. J. S. Shenstone, of Toronto, ow- Sydney Fisher, who had charge of the ion.

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