# FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

# HAY WAS PLENTIFUL

-Grain Was Very

Dairy Produce Butter, creamery, lb...... 26 Butter, rolls, per lb... Butter, crocks, lb.... Eggs, crate, dozen... Eggs, fresh-laid, dozen... 10 to 12 to Honey, strained, lb...... Honey, in comb .....

Poultry, Dressed. Turkeys, per lb .. Turkeys, per lb.
Ducks, spring, per lb.
Old ducks, per lb.
Old fowl, per lb.
Chickens, per lb.
Geese, per lb. Poultry, Alive. 

 Old fowl, per lb.
 8 to

 Turkeys, per lb.
 15 to

 Ducks, per lb.
 16 to

 Young fowl, per lb..... 10 to Butchers' Meats. Beef, by the carcase..... 6 00 to

Mutton, per cwt..... Spring lamb, per lb...... 13 to 14 Dressed hogs, per cwt.....11 25 to 11 50 Live Stock. Small pigs, per pair ..... 6 50 Select hogs, per cwt..... 8 15 
 Small pigs, per pair
 6 50
 to 10 00

 Select hogs, per cwt
 8 15
 to 8 15

 Fat sows, per cwt
 5 60
 to 6 00

 Stags, per cwt
 2 00
 to 2 00
 Export cattle, cwt. 5 00 to 5 50 coch 20 to 49 00 Hides and Wool.

Vegetables. Potatoes, per bag..... Cabbage, dozen (to size) ... 

Fruits. Apples, per bu. 30 to 50 Apples, per bag 50 to 100 Apples, per bag ......

RODUCE. TORONTO. Feb. 16.—Grain markets are still today, with little demand: As the inquiry for flour is on a rather limited scale, millers are very little in the marwheat Western wheat prices are a shade ensier. Quotations: Ontario wheat—No. 2 mixed winter, \$1.96 to \$1.07: white, \$1.07 to \$1.08 outside. Mani-wheat-Spot. No. 1 northern, \$1.13; Corn-American No. No. 3 yellow, 70½c to 71c; kiln-dried yellow, 73c; Canadian corn, 66c to No. 2 yellow, 73c; Canadian corn, 66c to 67c. Toronto freights. Oats—Canadian western, No. 2, 43c; No. 3, 42c, on track at lake ports; No. 2 western, 45c, Febru-ary shipment, all-rail; No. 2 white, 33c outside: No. 3 white, 37c outside, 41c 42c, on track at Toronto. Barley—No. 55c to 56c: No. 3 extra, 52c to 54c; No. to like food barley, 47c outside: Manitoba No. 3, 57c: No. 4, 52c, on track at Manitoba flour-Quotations First patents, \$5 70; secper cent patents, Glasgow freights, 29s. Peas-New No. 2, 84c to 85c. Rye-No. 2, 67c to 68c outside. Buckwheat-No. 2, 52c 53c outside. Ontario flour-Winter wheat patents, for export, \$4 20 to \$4 25, in buyers' sacks outside. Millfeed—Manitoba bran, \$22 50 to \$23 per ton; shorts, \$23 50 to \$24, on track at Toronto; Ontario bran,

CHICAGO FXCHANGE Chicago, Feb. 16 Wheat May .... 112% 114% July ..... 103% 105 Corn May ..... 67% (81% July ..... 67% (81% Corn May ..... 47% July ..... 44% Fork May......23 32 23 60 13 25 July......23 22 13 52 13 20 f,ard, May .....12 52 12 72 12 52 12 72 July ......12 45 12 67 12 45 12 67 Ribs, May..... 12 17 12 40 12 17 12 40 July ..... 12 15 12 35 12 15 12 35

\$23; shorts, \$24, on track at Toronto.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 16.-Wheat-Spot dull; No. 2 red western winter, no stock; futures quiet; March, 8s 24d; May, 8s 4d; July, 7s 11d. Corn—Spot, new American mixed quiet, 5s 24d; do,old, 5s 4d; futures March, 5s 6%d. Hams-Short cut, 66s. Bacon-Firm; Cumberland cut, 66s; short ribs, 67s; long clear middles, light, 67s; do. heavy, 66s; short clear backs, 65s; clear backs, 67s 6d; shoulders, square, strong, 56s 6d. Lard-Firm; prime western, 64s 9d; American refined, 65s 2d.

EAST BUFFALO, Feb. 16.—Cattle—Steady; prime steers, \$6 60 to \$7. Veals—Steady; active and 50c higher, \$6 to \$11. Hogs—Receipts, 2.400 head; active and 5c to 10c lower; heavy and mixed, \$9 25 to \$9 30; Yorkers, \$9 25 to \$9 35; pigs, \$9 30 to \$9 40; dairies, \$9 20 to \$9 30. Sheep and LIVE STOCK. \$9 40; dairies, \$9 20 to \$9 30. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,600 head; sheep active, yearlings 25c lower, lambs slow and 10c ower; lambs, \$6 25 to \$8 75, a few at \$8 85; yearlings, \$7 75 to \$8; wethers, \$6 75 to \$7 25; ewes, \$6 25 to \$6 50; sheep, mixed,

TORONTO, Feb. 15.-Trade in baled hay and straw is quiet, with deliveries coming in about equal to the requirements of local consumers. Prices are steady and unchanged from a week ago. Quotations in car lots on track at Toronto are as follows: Hay—No. 1 timothy, \$13 50 to \$14;

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Market Today Was a Small One

at \$7.50 per ton.

POTATOES.

TORONTO, Feb. 15.—Potatoes—Business is active, but heavy supplies still keep the market low. From 45c to 48c and 50c per bag is the range of quotations on track at Toronto, and out of store prices range from 55c to 60c per bag.

STOCKS.
TORONTO, Feb. 16.
Ask. Bid. Scarce.

Bell Telephone
Can. Converters 44½
Canadian Pacific 176
Canadian Pacific 176
Detroit Electric Ry 63
Dominion Coal com 85
Dominion Coal pfd 50
Dominion Coal pfd 50
Dom. Iron & Steel com 69½
Dom. Iron & Steel pfd 135½
Ultimois Traction pfd 92

| Dominion Coal ptd. | Dom. Iron & Steel com. | 69¼ | Dom. Iron & Steel com. | 69¼ | Dom. Iron & Steel com. | 69¼ | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd. | 135½ | 1 | Dom. Iron & Steel ptd.

 
 Royal Bank
 232 ¼

 Traders' Bank
 147

 Can, Colored Cotton
 59

 Dom, Textile Cotton
 pfd.
 104
 

Can. Colored Cotton bonds 1001/2
Dominion Coal bonds 100
Dominion Cotton bonds 104
Dom. Iron & Steel bonds 951/2
Lake of Woods bonds 1111/4
Laurentide Paper bonds 1101/4
Mexican Elec. bonds 82
Ogilvie Milling bonds
Price Fos. bonds
Sao Paulo bonds
Textile Ser A
Textile Ser B
Eextile Ser C 96
Textile Ser D 96 Black Lake pfd .....

 
 Superior
 68%

 Ottawa Power
 100

 Porto Rico
 39½

 Ont. Coal com
 60%

 Int. Coal pfd
 30

 Ruber bonds
 90
 Int. Coal pfd. 90
Ruber bonds 991½ 99
Porto Rico 82½
Cable bonds 98
Morning Sales: Asbestos, 25 at 34½, 25
and 100 at 34, 5 at 34½; Mackay, 25 at 89;
do, preferred, 22 at 73½; F. N. Burt, 10, 5 and 5 at 72½; do, preferred, 15 at 98½;
Detroit, 25 at 62½; Soo, 25 at 1393¼; Electrical Development, preferred, 25 and 2 at 55; Rio, 25, 25, 25, 50 and 50 at 957½, 25, 25, 25, 200, 75, 25 and 50 at 96, 50 and 25 at 95¾; La Rose, 500, 200 and 300 at 4.30, 200 at 4.32, 100 at 4.38, 100 at 4.40; Sao Paulo, 100 at 150; Dominion Coal, 25, 5 and 5 at 85½, 2 at 86; Shredded Wheat, 25 at 44; Laurentile, 20 at 130½; General Electric 5 at 46; Plack Lay

Interest Development, preferred, 25 and 25 a

toba wheat—Spot, No. 1 northern, \$1 13; No. 2 northern, \$1 14, on track at lake ports, for delivery in February; No. 1 northern, \$1 18; No. 2 northern, \$1 18; No. 2 northern, \$1 18, all-ports, \$1 18; No. 2 northern, \$1 16, all-ports, \$1 18; No. 2 northern, \$1 16, all-ports, \$1 18; No. 2 northern, \$1 16, all-ports, \$1 18; No. 2 northern, \$1 18 market has shown a good undertone all morning, Reading having been especially strong. Shorts are becoming and we may see higher prices before the noon were 281,900 shares.

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TORONTO, Feb. 16.—Noon quotations on T. Railway, Toronto, Ont. TORONTO, Feb. 16.—Noon quotations on the Standard Mining Exchange: Beaver, 23; Chambers-Ferland, 36%; Crown Reserve, 3.90; Cobalt Lake, 20%; Coniagas, 5.60; Foster, 25%; Green-Meehan, 9; Kerr Lake, 9.10; La Rose, 4.42; Little Nipissing, 23; Nipissing, 9795; Otisse, 9; Rochester, 194; Nova Scotia, 33; Silver Leaf, 10%; Temiskaming, 50%; Trethewey, 1.40.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16-Noon ported by C. N. Spencer, Stockbroker Market Lane, for The Advertiser.

Open, High, Low.
Amal. Copper ..... 75 75½ 747
Anaconda Copper .... 49½ 43½ 49 American Sugar ....1231/8 1231/2 1231/8 1231 Amer. Beet Sugar ... 371/2 38 1/4 371/2 371/ Amer. Locomotive... 4938 American Foundry. 601/2 American Refining. 82 Amer. Cotton Oil.... 6014 Atchison, com. ....114% 114¼ 114¼ 114¼ 114½ 110½ Baltimore & Ohio...110½ 1107<sub>8</sub> 110½ 1107<sub>8</sub> Brooklyn Transit ... 72 Canadian Pacific....1801/2 Chesapeake & Ohio., 83% Consolidated Gas...14434 1461/2 14434 Col. Fuel & Iron....371/4 371/2 37 Chicago & N. W ..... 1561/2 Distillers ..... 311/2 Erie, com. ...... 281/2

Inter-Metropolitan... 2078 2078 Inter-Met., pfd.... 53 54 Kansas & Texas.... 4214 4334 Louisville & Nash...149 Missouri Pacific .... 70 New York Central...119 Northern Pacific ....135% 135% 135% 135%

INVESTMENTS.

4%, 5%, 6%, 7%

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Canadian Salt.
City Dairy, Com.
City Dairy, Com.
City Dairy, pref.
Consumers Gas.
Crow's Nest.
Detroit United 63½
Dominion Coal, com.
Tominion Steel, com 70
Dominion Telegraph.
Electric Dev., pref.
Lake of the Woods, com.
Laurentide Paper, com. 

 Laurentide Paper, pref
 89½

 Mackay, com
 89½

 Mexican I, & P.
 128

 M. St. P. & S. M.
 135½

 Niagara Navigation
 135½

 Northern Navigation
 108

 Ogilvie Milling, com
 64½

 Peaman
 64½

 Ogilvie Milling, com
 64½

 Peaman
 64½

 Penman, pref.
 68

 Porto Rico Railway
 8

 Rico de Janerio
 96

 R.& O. Navigation
 90½

 Rogers com
 180

 

 R.& O. Navigation
 901/4

 Rogers, com.
 180

 Rogers, pref
 110

 Sao Paulo.
 119

 St. I., & C. Navigation
 119

 Toronto Railway
 93

 Tri City, pref
 93

 Twin City
 12

 La Rose
 12

 North Star
 12

 Trethewey
 12

 Bank Commerce
 12

 Dominion Bank
 244

 Bank of Hamilton
 208

 Imperial Bank
 208

 Imperial Bank
Merchants Bank
Molsons Bank Molsons Bank.
Bank of Montreal
Bank of Nova Scotia. 283% Bank of Nova Scotia 250/8
Royal Bank 242
Standard Bank 145½
Union Bank Agricultural Loan Canada Landed Canada Permanent Central Canada 180 Central Canada 180
Colonial Investment. 68 
 Huron & Erie
 200

 Huron & Erie 20 per cent
 200

 London & Canada
 112

 National Trust
 198

 Otteriol Lorent
 150

Toronto Mortgage...

Dominion Iron and Steel bonds...

Electric Developement... 

Ontario Loan 20 per cent......

Toronto General Trusts .......173

Real Estate ..

flat: Black Lake, bonds, 2000 at 81; Coal, bonds, 500 at 99; Ogilvie, 100 at 1394, 150 and 15 at 1394, 25 and 25 at 142, 15 at 1414, onist Rates

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## MAD DOG SCARE

Continued From Page One tions up to the present time, and there

no crowding about his offices to get the job.

There is likewise no stampede for Dempsey, third. dog-tags. So far this year, there have Following this Mr. Fred Appleton 82% ed to \$78, which would mean 78 dogs 114% at the same period last year.

The inspector is fearful that the receipts will not be so great as last 84% year, owing to the destruction of dogs. 146% but it was pointed out to him that it 3714 would be somewhat easier to take the dog census at this time, as all the owners would have their pups at home in their own back yards, and not visiting 1361/2 as was the case in other years.

After the Scare. "There are some dogs I suppose we never get any money for," inspector. "If they were killed we would be nothing out. However, some the scare has subsided.' As a matter of fact the scare is a-

ments now. According to many veterinaries, an shows them to be healthy as a rule, and they do not fear any outbreak of



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## PRESENTATION OF TENDERED A BANQUET

Girls' Missionary Society Entertained Forty Persons at Splendid Dinner.

**BOYS' CANADIAN CLUB** 

The members of the Boys' Canadian Club of the King Street Presbyterian Church were tendered a banquet in the lecture room last evening by the Girls' Missionary Society, about forty being

The guests of honor included Mrs Rollins, Mr. Forsythe, representing the session: Miss Munro, a eacher of the Boys' Sunday school class; Mrs. George Perry, president of the W. M. S., and Miss Lillian Forsythe, secretary of the W. H. M. S.
The room was very prettily decorated with hearts and other valentines. The menu was an attractive one, and much credit is due Miss Margaret Taylor, the president, and her efficient co-worker, Miss Laura Doan.
Following the opening chorus of "O Canada," a large number of early John, New Brunswick, where he will photographs of those present were displayed, Robert McIlhenny winning the prize of a box of bons-bons for the most accurate guessing.

Mr. Foster came to London 21 years most accurate guessing. Mr. Neil R. Gray, president of the Boys' Canadian Club, acted as toastmaster, the programme being as follows: Our Country, Mrs. Rollins; our in April. church, Mr. Harrison Link; our girls, Mr. Bert Perry; the ladies, Mr. Ralph Skinner; our boys, Miss Munro; the

### PRESBYTERIANS MAY ERECT \$10,000 CHURCH

Proposition Was Outlined at a Banquet Held Last Night.

of patriotic songs.

At a banquet of the Men's Club of Hamilton Road Presbyterian Church, held last evening, the board of managers outlined the proposition to build new church, at a cost of about

The pressing need of church extension in that section was dealt with, and as the board was empowered to go ahead with the scheme at the last meeting of the congregation, a new edifice will be erected. The president of the Men's Club, Mr. C. W. Summers, occupied the chair, among those present being Rev. John Smith, the paster; Rev. J. G. Inkster, of First Presbyterian Church; Rev. Walter Moffat, of Chalmers Church; Rev. P. E. Nicholl, of Knollwood Mission; Mr. T. Alexander, Mr. E. Bourne.

chairman of the board of managers:

### STEDWELL STREET BIRTHDAY PARTY

C. Griffin. The home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Griffin, 827 Stedwell street, was the scene of a most pleasant event last night, when a number of their friends and relatives gathered to celebrate Mrs. Griffin's birthday. The evening was spent in dancing,

eards, etc. Just after lunch, which was served promptly at 12 o'clock, a baby show was held, in which the infant child of Mrs. F. Boyce received first prize; Allan Crowder, second, and Arthur

been 39 tags taken out. Under the gave a speech, and Mrs. C. Griffin new tariff, the money received amountgifts which were presented her. The gathering broke up at 3 o'clock this morning, all having thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

# DEATH OF MRS. THORNTON

Aged Lady Died at Her Home in Pottersburg.

Mrs. Mary Thornton, relict of the late Samuel Thornton, died at her home Hope, president of the Ontario His- ities to be the Frank Daniels who in Pottersburg this morning, after an torical Society, will give a lecture on never changes, it is not strange that desperate state of despondency for illness of about five months. Mrs. Thornton was 88 years of age, came to this country from England interest and of special historical value seat sale will open tomorrow morning of the forwarding of the body to Henwhen a young woman. For 60 years to students, as Mr. Cumberland is an at 9 o'clock. logs will be killed for which we reeive a license, and we will lose. Peodon. For many years she lived in the public are cordially invited to attend. ple will purchase dogs, probably, after city, but 23 years ago moved to Pottersburg, where she has lived ever As a matter of fact the scare is a-ready subsiding. It is thought that much of the trouble has been due to hystoric in come action, which is nuch of the trouble has been some sections, which is tersburg; two daughters, Mrs. Ward, of eing followed by more rational mo-Thomas. The funeral will be held from the family residence, Hale street, examination of many dogs in the city Pottersburg, on Fridey afternoon to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

### STREET RAILWAY HAD TROUBLE

Healing | Ice on the Rails Made Much Work for the Staff. The street railway company had great deal of trouble early this morn-

ing as a result of last night's rain-All switches and derails were frozen chop their way around the different lines. The derails at the Rectory street crossing of the G. T. R. were put out of commission, the water having frozen in the mechanism. The first car around the Ottaway line made the circuit in a little over Thomas.

an hour, the regular running time being 30 minutes.

# P. H. C. R.'S JEWEL

Court Forest City Making Preparations for Big Meeting March 1. The regular meeting of Court Forest City of the Ancient Order of Foresters, was held last evening in Foresters' Hall at the corner of Dundas and English streets, routine business occupy ing the greater part of the time. Arrangements are being made for the neeting on March 1, when Past High Chief Ranger Walter Richards, sen. will be presented with a jewel.
District Chief Ranger Frank Ball

will preside, and the presentation will probably be made by High Chief Ranger Young, of Hamilton, who succeeded Mr. Richards. All courts of the city will be represented, as well as those in St. Thomas, Komoka, and other places in this district. Among the Toronto officials who will be present are Permanent Secretary Williams, Treasurer Wilson, Senior Beadle, Woodstock, and Assistant Secretary Howie.

OFF FOR IRELAND.

Mr. George Foster, of 704 King street, leaves tomorrow morning for St. ago, and since then has not been home

MOTHERS' CLUB.

daughter of King Street Church (Egerton Street Mission), Mr. Forsythe. On Thursday evening, Feb. 17, at p.m., the Chesley Avenue Mothers' Club The evening closed with the singing will hold their regular monthly meeting in the kindergarten of the school An address will be given by the Rev F. E. Malott, of Colborne Street Methodist Church, on "The Relation of the Home to the School," There will also be a short musical programme. This should be a very interesting meeting, and a cordial invitation is extended to all, both fathers and mothers, to be

# **BOARD OF EDUCATION**

Will Not Tamely Submit to Any Move of the Council to Curtail Powers.

The board of education was prepared to deal with the counce if the aldermen had succeeded in getting the resolution into the city of London bill, asking the Government to give the council authority to modify the estimates of the board of education

244 Dundas street, was painfully injured in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium on removed to Victoria Hospital, where Dr. C. H. Reason found that the injury was to Manley's back. It is though he will be around again all right in a

Masonic Visitors. Among the visitors attending the reunion of Rose Croix and London Lodge of Perfection, are: Dr. Thomas Mr. Lawrence has come forward Jones, Hamilton; Wilfred McCorvie, Chatham; Dr. Hicks, Chatham; J. G. McKay, Sarnia; Geo. W. Rowe, Hamilton; C. W. Marlatt, St. Thomas; D. M. Leitch, West Lorne; Geo. Francis, Fingal; W. G. Adams, Harrow, Arthur Sunningham, Harrow, and many

Mothers' Club Meeting.

The Talbot Street Mothers' Club met Tuesday afternoon, with a good attendance. Much interest was aroused through Miss Macklin's talk on "What Are We Doing For Our Girls To Interest Them in Home-Making Subjects' "Children's Parties" came in for discussion-the absurd hours and unsuitable games allowed on such occasions of are a menace to the natural, healthful life a child should live.

Historical Society Meeting.

The Historical Society will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at the Normal School, pany of prominent and Broadway written Monday, which were ready for when Mr. Barlow-Cumberland, of Port beauties; given numerous opportunmailing. Their contents showed clearthe war of 1812-1813 and battle of Yorktown. This lecture will be of great bit at Daly's Theater, New York. The Mr. McLean, Mr authority on historical subjects. The received until afternoon.

A very pleasant euchre evening was ings at the club every two weeks.

D. D. G. M. To Visit St. Thomas.

Feb. 17. A special car has been charat 7 p.m. A large contingent of Lon- given in the city. don brethren will accompany Right solid, and the first cars out had to Wor. Bro. Wallace, and his district secretary, Bro. Carlton, will be on the platform about 6:30 p.m. with tickets at reduced rates-the return trip for 50 cents. This will give the surrounding and city brethren an opportunity to see the new Masonic Hall at St.



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### ABATTOIR CLAUSE IN BILL IS KILLED IN COMMITTEE

Members Say That No Private Corporation Should Be Allowed to Conduct an Abattoir and That Farmers Would Not Patronize It.

[Special to The Advertiser.] the London bill.

READY TO FIGHT for the erection of a public abattoir, ing slaughtered.

but Mayor Beattie said the city had The other clauses of the bill were

SNOW IS DISAPPEARING FROM MAIN STREETS

was thrown out.

Engineer Graydon Continues in Toronto by the Morris Circuit, of New York, and is to be ready for com-His Work Preparing for

David Holcombe on Friday. There is scarcely a town of any importance in the countly that liam Lawrence has not visited during the past five years as Uncle Josh in a new starring vehicle "David Helcomb." a story of Vermont life as it actually exists there today. "The Old Homestead." This season Ladell, Brantford; B. B. Blair, Woodstock; W. A. Karn, Woodstock; Neil actually exists there today. The play is different from the general run of rural plays, inasmuch that it contains nothing of a blood-curdling nature Mr. Lawrence and his original city production will appear at the Grand on Friday at popular prices, decided to not hold an inquest into the

Merry Daniels. The many friends of Frank Daniels, the small comedian with the laughter- the Northwest, and returned about a provoking proclivities, will welcome year ago. He had been in the capital the announcement that he comes to for several months looking for a the Grand, Saturday matinee and position on the astronomical survey. night in his latest success, "The Belle All arrangements had been made for Brittany," comedy that Mr, Daniels picked up in London last summer and which dup-London last summer and which duplicating in this country the hit it made in the English metropolis.

Was no doubt he would have done, a good position would have been open to him. Mr. McLean and the coroner made an examination of the suicide's made an examination of the suicide's

C. P. R. Pictures.

Last evening a large audience was in spent at the St. John's Athletic Club the Auditorium viewing the great attendance upon King Gustave issued a last night. There were 12 tables occumoving pictures of the Canadian the whole satisfactory processing on pied, and a great deal of entertainment Northwest. This is a magnificent recovery was provided by the play. The doubt-ful honor of winning the booby prize fell to the lot of Mr. Arthur Cole, and tween Calgary and the coast line of bedchamber. was the cause of much merriment. At British Columbia. As the spectator the conclusion of the play, light re- sits in his or her seat they gaze on freshments were served, bringing the the beauties on the banks of the very enjoyable evening to a close. It Fraser, plunge through tunnels, was decided to hold these euchre even- sweep around curves, cross bridges and in a word enjoy the hundred and one interesting features of this world-Right, Wor. Bro. J. W. Wallace, district deputy grand master, London district taken to Vancouver, Victoria, sees a trict. No. 3, will pay his official visit real runaway at Banff, glacier, the to St. David's Lodge. No. 302. A., F. Yoho Valley, Calgary and other beauty and A. M., St. Thomas, on Thursday, spots. It behoves every lover of his own land to see these great pictures tered and will leave the Traction denot as it will be the last day it will be

> Whitney Recital. The Foss, Lamprell, Whitney Recital will be given in the Auditorium Saturday evening under the auspices of the affiliated societies. Mrs. Whitney is an interpreter of the best in literature, and her rendition of "The Ser-

The members of the committee ex-Toronto, Feb. 16.—The private bills pressed the opinion that no private committee of the Legislature this corporation should be allowed to con-morning killed the abattoir clause in duct an abattoir, and that the farmers of the surrounding district would not The city of London wanted to enter drive their cattle into the city in orinto an agreement with a corporation der to have them inspected before be-

ome to the Legislature more for ad- merely precautionary measures to valvice than anything else, and the clause idate bylaws which have been passed by the city.

> Her characters are distinct personalities, and keep their several individualties without roughness or hesitancy

A New Theatre. Toronto, Feb. 16.-A new vaudeville

mission in September, 1911. Spring Flood.

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### LETTERS OF M'LEAN SHOW DESPONDENCY

Hensall Man Who

Suicided. Ottawa, Feb. 15-Coroner Baptie has death of Alvan McLean, of Hensall, Ont., the Toronto Varsity student, All

the facts point to suicide. The young man had been away in an English muscial his taking his examination, and it had

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receives instructions from the father GUSTAVE RECOVERING Stockholm, Feb. 16.—The physicians in

