mishap is no more serious, and that no permanent injury will be the result.

are exhibiting together, with Latta Bros., Wm. McLoud, Chas. Stewart, R. McCurdy, H. Tozer, L. Sage, Jas.

Arthur, C. Brierley, F. A. Andrews, T. Kingsmill and John Bogue (Strath-

AT THE POLICE COURT.

Lorenzo Alexander, charged with ob-

allows. One drunk was discharged.

Shop and Residence of William Lang Con-

sumed by Fire.

ed and set fire to the flooring above.

ly 7 o'clock before the fire was extin-

\$700 will cover the damage done to the

layed by Huge Drifts.

Country roads were in a very un-

satisfactory state Saturday and yes-

terday, especially in the Lobo town-

ship district, between here and Niles-

town, and on the Wortley and Pipe

In Lobo the concessions are partly

opened, but the sideroads are almost

impassable. The storm in its course

swept along sideroads, and huge drifts

from six to ten feet high are thrown

up along the road. Many "pitch holes"

have formed in the roads, which are

in most cases disastrous to loads of

hay and other top-heavy vehicles. Farmers report that it is extremely

Gladstone cutter between here and Il-

Mr. Dan McIntyre, the well-known

hog buyer, and his son, were tipped

over twice between the city and Niles-

town, and several funerals have been

delayed by drifts along the same road.

bringing in a load of hay was twice

upset. The Pipe Line road, going to

Woodland Cemetery, is being dug out. It would have been impossible to

reach the cemetery yesterday had not

the farmers of the neighborhood plow-

LATE SPORTING.

HOCKEY.

The St. John's A. C. II. team has

challenged the first team of the club

to a game of hockey, and the battle will be fought at the Westminster rink

GAME THROWN OUT.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the City Hockey League, held

on Saturday, the game won from the

Hortons by the Memorials on Wednes-

day night last was thrown out. The

game was protested on the ground

that Douse, who played with the Me-

morials, had not been a resident of the

city for a month. A motion was made to award the game to the Hortons, and

the vote resulted in a tie. Mr. C. W.

Smith, president of the league, and

chairman of the committee, cast the

PEDESTRIANISM.

SIX DAY WALKING MATCH.

New York. Feb. 10.-Of the 42 teams

the favorites with the crowd. They keep at a steady pace, and make lap after lap in fine time. The Hurst brothers are continuing at a steady pace. Both Englishmen maintain a steady pace, and do not join to the sprints.

CHINESE AT THEIR OLD GAME.

Hong Kong Feb. 10.-A dispatch

not join in the sprints.

missionaries escaped.

deciding vote against the motion.

The local railway service is more or

Mr. M. Cole, of Brick street,

less demoralized.

tonight at 10 o'clock.

difficult to sit in the back seat of

IN BAD CONDITION

building. The loss is half-covered by

of the house were not injured.

insurance.

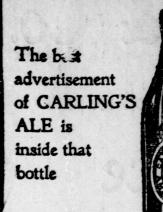
Line roads.

derton.

GENERAL STORE.

FLAMES DESTROYED

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TO-DAY'S MARKETS

MONTREAL STOCKS. MONTREAL, Feb. 10.

Ask Off.

115½ 115½ Canadian Pacific Ry......1151/ Canadian Pacific Ry. 115%
Duluth com. 12%
Duluth, pref. 24
Commercial Cable 164
Cable Coupon Bonds
Montreal Telegraph 173
Richelieu and Ontario 111%
Montreal Street Railway 268
Montreal Street Ry. new 17
St. John Elec. Ry 125
Halifax St. Ry 110
Twin City Transit, xd 109%
Montreal Heat and Power Co, xd 95
Bell Telephone Company 168
Bank of Montreal
Ontario Bank Ontario Bank..... Ontario Bank
Molsons Bank
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Morchants Bank
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Moyal Bank
Union Bank
Union Bank
Bank of Commerce
Bank of Nova Scotia
Northwest Land, preferred
Montreal Cotton Co. 12716
Canada Colored Cotton. 60
Dominion Cotton. 52
Dominion Coal Com. 71 Dominion Coal Com. 71
Halifax Heat and Light Bds. ...
War Eagle Mining Co. 13
Payne Mining Company. 35
Republic Mining Co. 8
North Star Mining Co. 24
Virtue Mining Co. 25

TORONTO STOCKS. TORONTO, Feb. 10. Ontario......1281/4 Nova Scotia 227

Ottawa 210

Traders 210 British America.
Western Assurance vational Trust. Canada Northwest Land, pref. 76 Canada Northwest Land, com. 30% Can. Pacific Railway Stock. 10 Can. Pacific Railway Stock 10
Toronto Electric Light 143
General Electric 2164
London Electric Light Commercial Cable 165
Cable Coup. Bonds 100
Dominion Telegraph Bell Telephone 2195 104 163 98 99 123 helieu and Ontario Nav. Co..111% 1114 109% gle..... 13½ North Star... 28
British Canadaan L. and I... 75
Canada Landed and Nat. Invt. 102
Canada Permanent.
Canada S. and Loan... Central Canada Loen
Dominion Savings and Invest.
Freehold L. and Savings
Hamilton Provident London Lean, L. and Z. London and Ontario Manitoba Loan. Ontario Loan and Deb.

Dominion Coal, com..... Dominion Coal, pref..... NEW YORK STOCKS. Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker,

foronto Savings and Loan......

Toronto Mortgage
Dominion Steel, com
Dominion Steel, pref.
Dominion Steel Bonds,

Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser. Close. Open. High, Low. 2p.m. Anaconda. 33% 33% 33% Annal Copper. 73% 73% 73% 71% Atcheson. 77% 78% 77% 78% 71% Atcheson Pfd. 98% 98% 99 98% B. & O. 104 104% 104% 104% 104% Brooklyn Tran. 66% 67% 67% 66% 66% 10114 171% 103% 165% 57% N. Pacific. Pfd. 3114 341/4 34 People's Gas.....100½ 101 101 100¾ 101 eather..... 811/2 ugar 198% 129¼ 129¾ 128¾ 128¾ 128¾ 1.S. Steel Com 43¼ 43¼ 44¼ 43¾ 44 J. S. Steel Pfd. 93¾ 93¾ 94½ 93¾ 94

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET. Toronto, Feb. 10.-Wheat-The offerings are not very liberal, but the demand continues slow and the market is quiet; red and white, 58 lbs, winter, are quoted red and white, 58 lbs, winter, are quoted ½c to 1c lower than a week ago, at 73c to 73½c, middle freights; goose wheat is steady; No. 2 is held at 69c on a low freight to New York, with 68c bid; spring is dull, at 72c for No. 1 east; Manltoba wheat is easier, at 86c to 87c for No. 1 hard, 83c to 84c for No. 1 northern, 80c for No. 2 northern, grinding in transit at North Bay and Sarnia. Flour—The demand for export is fair, the offerings are

more liberal, and the market is steady; cars of 90 per cent patents are held at \$2.90 in buyers' bags, middle freights; choice brands are held 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba flour is steady, at \$4.20 for cars of Hungarian patents, and \$4 for strong bakers, sacks included, on the track at Toronto. Millfeed—The market is steady; cars of Ontario shorts in bulk are quoted at \$19, and bran at \$17 to \$17.50 middle freights; Manitoba millfeed is steady, at \$22 for cars of shorts and \$20 for bran, sacks included. Toronto freights. Barley sacks included, Toronto freights. Barley -Steady, at 56c for No. 1, 54c to 55c for No. 2, 51c for No. 3 extra, and 50c for No. 3, middle freights. Buckwheat—In moder-3, middle freights. Buckwheat—In moderate demand only, and the market is steady, at 54c, middle freights. Rye—Steady, at 56c for No. 2 east and 55½c middle freights. Corn—There is a fair inquiry, and the market is steady, at 55½c to 56c for Canada mixed, and 56½c to 57c for yellow west. Oats—Quiet, at 40c bid and 41c asked for No. 2 white, middle freights. Oatmeal—Steady; cars of bags are quoted at \$5.25. and barrels at \$5.40 are quoted at \$5.25, and barrels at \$5.40 on the track here, and 25c more for broken lots. Peas—Steady, at 84c north and west, and 81c middle freights. Eggs—The offerings of new-laid are liberal now; there is a good demand for them, and the market is firm, at 25c to 26c; fresh-gathered, 20c to 22c. Butter—The receipts of choice new-made dairies continue small; there is a good demand for tinue small; there is a good demand for

them, but the offerings are poor and sell slowly at or near bottom prices; creameries are filling the bill for fine goods; there is a good demand for them, and the market is steady to firm; creamery prints, 21c to 22c; solids, 20c to 21c; dairy round rolls choice 15c to 17c; large rolls pound rolls, choice, 16c to 17c; large rolls, choice, 16c to 16½c; tubs, 14c; medium and low grades, 10c to 12½c. Dressed hogs— The offerings are not large, as the cold weather enables holders to keep them; packers appear to be indifferent, and are not quoting by 10c as high as they were a week ago; cars on the track here are quoted now at \$750; hogs on the street market here at farmers' wagons are lower than a week ago, at \$8

Toronto, Feb. 10.-Baled hay-There is a good demand; the offerings are fairly liberal and the market is firm; cars of No. 1 timothy here are quoted at \$550 to \$10, and medium at \$550 to \$9. Baled straw—The market is steady; cars on the track here are quoted at \$5 to \$50.

ENGLISH MARKETS. LIVERPOOL. The following table shows the quotations per cental yesterday for American products at Liverpool, as well as for the three previous market days. In each case nighest prices are given: Feb. | Feb. | Feb. | Feb. | 5. | 8. CORN—

New ... 5 4½ 6 4½ 5 4 5 3

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Dec ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

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Feb ... 5 3½ 5 3½ 5 3½ 5 2½

March ... 5 3½ 5 3½ 5 3½ 5 2½

March ... 5 3½ 5 3½ 5 3½ 5 2½

May ... 5 3½ 5 3½ 5 3½ 5 2½

Flour ... 19 9 19 9 19 9 19 9

Peas ... 6 8 6 8 6 8½ 6 8½

Pork, prime mess 72 0 72 0 72 0 72 0

Lard ... 7 0 47 6 47 6

Tallow ... 30 0 30 6 32 6 29 9

Bacon, light ... 48 6 48 6 48 6 48 6

Cheese colored ... 49 6 49 6 49 6 LIVERPOOL, Feb. 10-Closing.

Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 2d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 1½d; No. 1 California, 6s 3d; futures quiet; March, 6s 1¼d; May, 6s 1½d. Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new, 5s 3¼d; American mixed, old, 5s 4½d; futures quiet; Feb. nominal; March, 5s 2½d; May, 5s 2½d.
Peas—Canadian steady, 6s 8d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter firm, 8s.
Hops (at London)—Pacific coast firm, 43 10s to £4 4s.

13 10s to f4 4s.

Beef—Firm; extra India mess, 79s. Pork-Firm; prime mess western, 72s. Lard-Prime western, in tierces, steady, 47s 3d; American refined, in pails, steady, 48s 6d.

Hams-Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, steady, 41s 6d; short rigs, 16 to 24 lbs, steady, 44s 6d; short rigs, 16 to 24 lbs, steady, 44s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, quiet, 45s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, quiet, 44s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, steady, 45s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 45s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs

dull, 36s 6d.

Butter—Steady; finest United States, 90s; good United States, 72s.

Cheese—Firm; American finest white, 48s 6d; American finest colored, 49s 6d.

Tallow—Prime city steady, 39s 9d.

Turpentine spirits—Firm, 31s.

Rosin—Cemmon steady, 4s.

Petroleum—Refined steady, 71/6d.

Linseed oil—Firm. 31s.

Linseed oil—Firm, 31s.

The imports of wheat into Liverpool last week were 43,600 quarters from Atlantic ports, none from Pacific ports, and 6,000 from other ports.

The imports of corn from Atlantic ports last week were 5,000 quarters. last week were 5,900 quarters.

SUGAR. London, Feb. 8.—Raw sugar, Muscovado, 7s 3d; centrifugal, 8s 3d; beet sugar, Feb., 6s 9d.

AMERICAN MARKETS. NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—Butter—Strong; receipts, 2,910 pkgs; creamery extras, per lb, 28c; do, firsts, 26c to 27½c; do, seconds, 23c to 25c; do, lower grades, 20c to 22c; creamery, held fancy, 22c to 23c; do, firsts, 20c to 21c; do, seconds, 18c to 19c; do, lower grades, 16c to 17c; state dairy tubs, fresh finest, 24c to 25c; do, firsts, 20c to 22c; do, seconds, 17c to 19c; do, lower grades, 15c to 16c; western imitation creamery, fancy, 20c; do, firsts, 17c to 18c; do, lower grades, 15c to 16c; western factory, fresh fancy, 18c to 18½c; do, choice, 16½c to 17c; do, fair to good, 15c to 16c; do, fair to good, 15c to 16c; do, fair to good, 15c to 15½c; do, lower grades, 14c to 14½c; renovated butter, fancy, 20½c to 21c; do, common to choice, 14c to 19c; packing stock, 13½c to 15½c. Cheese—Firm; receipts, 558 boxes; state full cream, small fall-made colored, fancy, 11½c to 11½c; do, fall made NEW YORK, Feb. 8.-Butter-Strong; state full cream, small fall-made colored, fancy, 11½c to 11½c; do, fall made white, fancy, 11½c to 11½c; do, early-made, average best, 10½c; do, common to fair, 7c to 9½c; do, large fall-made, fancy, 10¾c; do, early-made, average best, 9¾c to 10c; do, good to prime, 9c to 9½c; do, common to fair, 7c to 9¾c; light skims, small choice, 8¾c to 9¼c; do, large choice, 7¾c to 8¼c; part skims, prime, 7½c to 8c; do, fair to good, 5½c to 7c; do, common, 3c to 4½c; full skims, 2c to 2½c. Eggs—Steady; receipts, 6,823 cases; state and Pennsylvania, fresh uncandled, 28c to 29c; do, western and Kentucky do, 28c; do, fair to good, 27c to 27½c; southern, best, 27½c; do, fair to good, 26½c to 27½c; do, fair to good, 26½c to 27c; dirties, 25c to 26c.

BUFFALO, Feb. 10.—Spring wheat—No.

BUFFALO, Feb. 10.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 82½c; No. 2 northern, 80½c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 91½c, on track. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 68½c; No. 3 yellow, 64c; No. 2 corn, 63½c; No. 3 corn, 63½c; n store. Oats—No. 2 white, 48c; No. 3 white, 47½c; No. 2 mixed, 45½c, on track. DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 10.—Wheat—No. 1 white, csah, 88%c; No. 2 red, cash and Feb., 86%c; May, 86%c; July, 82%c.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Reported for Butler, stock			iser by	F. H.
	CHICAGO, Feb. 10.			
	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat-May	775%	78	771/2	775
July	78	7838	777/5	773%
Corn-May	6154	62	6138	615%
July	6134	631/8	6134	61 54
Oats-May	43	4314	43	4236
July	371/4	371/2	3614	3654
Pork-May 1	5 85	16 05	15 85	15 92
Lard-May	9 45	9 60	9 45	9 52
Ribe_May	e 10	8 80	8 59	8 5T

CANDY BABY AT THE MORGUE. A policeman, whose pity had been deeply touched, brought to the morgue the body of a little child wrapped in

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WEATHER BULLETIN

London. Feb. 10-8 a.m. TEMPERATURE. STATIONS-WEATHER 8 a.m. Min. Calgary.
Winnipeg.
Parry Sound. Quebec...... Father Point.. FORECASTS.

Today-Fresh to strong northwesterly and northerly winds; fair and decidedly cold. Tuesday-Decidedly cold; snow flurries.

WEATHER NOTES. A pronounced fall in temperature oc-curred during last night in Manitoba and Northern Ontario, and decidedly cold weather is probable during tonight and tomorrow throughout Quebec and

The Nurses' Sleigh-Ride.

There was no necessity whatever for any motion at the Trust in connection with the sleigh-ride of the nurses to Crumlin. It was an unnecessary insult. The discipline of the Hospital ever since the Hospital Trust was formed has been all that could be desired, and there has never been a breath of suspicion against any of the nurses during the whole of that time. Nurses work hard, and are entitled to the benefit of fresh air and some recreation.

We do not mean to say that the adoption of sound rules for the guidance of nurses is not wholesome and necessary; but we do say that for any breach of discipline that has occurred since the organization of the Hospital Trust, a word has always been sufficient to correct it, and there has never been any necessity whatever for the publicity given to the matter in this instance.

The Free Press claims that the lax methods at the Hospital have blunted Mr. Gilmour's otherwise clear perceptions. Mr. Gilmour could inform the Free Press that the methods in force at the Hospital have been as sound COUNTRY ROADS and as effective as those at any institution of its kind in America.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS Several Vehicles Upset and Funerals De-

-The next sitting of the weekly high court will be held on Saturday. -The temperature is 25 degrees below zero this (Monday) morning at Win-

-Mr. C. C. Woods, has received a permit to make alterations to his store on Dundas street. -Mrs. J. Alexander McNeil, of 340 Dundas street, left this morning to visit friends in Hamilton, Allandale

and Barrie. -Trains 12 and 13, on the M. C. R., leaving here at 6:20 a.m. and arriving at 9:55 p.m., are to be discontinued after Feb. 11.

-Miss Murray, of Underwood, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. Edmund Meredith, left this morning on a trip to Chicago.

-Mr. George Gray, of the Central Fire Hall, has resumed duty after a four months' illness, brought on by the breaking of his leg. -Miss Maud Parkes has returned

from visiting her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Burgess, of Port Huron. Before leaving her hostess gave a pleasant party in her honor. -The manufacturers' committee. through the mayor, has received a communication from the Port Hope

Canning and Preserving Company, regarding a location here. -The January number of the World's Work contains an article on the United States consular service, and among the illustrations is a good half-tone picture of Col. Culver's residence at the corner of King and

Maitland streets, in this city. -A concert under the auspices of the literary society will be given in St. George's school house, West London, on Tuesday evening. Some of the best local talent will be present, and the members of the society will give a cantata entitled, "The Merry Com-

pany." A pleasant evening is assured to all. -Today's clear cold weather delighted the members of the Manhattan Club, whose fourth annual carnival is to be held at the Jubilee rink tonight. The carnivals given under this club's auspices, have in the past been successful, and tonight's should beat all records. The club is offering good prizes for the most fanciful costumes.

-A pleasant time was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Lewis, 77 Clarence street, Friday night, the event being a surprise party by a number of friends. After enjoying games, dancing, singing and recitations. tions, a sumptuous oyster supper was served, which all did ample justice to. The party dispersed in the wee small hours of the morning, all speaking highly of the enjoyable time spent with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis.

-Mr. W. N. Yerex, of the London Business University, has just learned that Mr. Alfred H. Reed, a graduate of that institution, and now private secretary to Superintendent G. C. Jones, of the G. T. R., Toronto, while returning from the country with a sleighing party, was upset in a snowdrift, and the result was a dislocation of the left shoulder. Mr. Reed is doing nicely, and hopes to be around again in a few

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physician who happened to be at the morgue examined the body. "It certainly is a sweet baby," he said. "It's a DKINS, East London."

A Coroner's order.

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ADKINS, East London.

Missionary Society's buildings at Fayen, near Canton, have been burned by an anti-Christian mob. The Marriage Licenses issued.

weeks. His parents, who reside in this city, as well as his hosts of friends, will be greatly pleased to know that this PATERSON, N. J. Anti-Vaccination Doctor in Boston Dying

—A carload of poultry belonging to London breeders was shipped by the Dominion Express Company yesterday afternoon to Ottawa, where an exhi- Has Spent Its Force and Is bition is to open today. There were upwards of 400 birds in the car, which Dying Out. was specially built for poultry purposes. The lot included some of the best to be found in the London pens. They were in charge of Messrs. Wm. McNeil and Joseph H. Saunders, who are exhibiting together, with Latta.

Estimated Loss of \$10,000,000 Reduced to \$8,000,000—The Great Silk Mills Escaped Destruction.

Paterson, N. J., Feb. 10.-The fierce conflagration which burned its way FUNERAL OF LATE MOTHER through the business center of Paterson yesterday, has completely spent its The funeral of the late Mother Clare, force and is dying out in the ashes and formerly of this city, who died in Chatbroken brick of its ruin. The firemen ham on Thursday, took place on Saturday from St. Joseph's Chapel to the nun's plot in the Catholic Cemewho hurried from other cities to save the endangered city have gone back, tery. Rev. Father James officiated at the funeral. and several companies of the local department have been ordered to their DEATH OF MRS. MARY MANLEY. houses for the rest and refreshment Mrs. Mary L. Manley, wife of Conthey so sorely need. ductor A. G. Manley, of the G. T. R.,

THE LOSSES. and a very highly-esteemed woman, died yesterday at St. Joseph's Hospital. Conservative opinion is inclined today to cut \$2,000,000 from the aggregate Mrs. Manley was born in Sarnia, and was 45 years of age. The funeral takes place tomorrow at 9:45 a.m. to Sarnia. loss of \$10,000,000 agreed upon yesterday, and \$8,000,000 will probably be accepted as the actual cost. Probably no fire of equal magnitude and widespread destructiveness ever produced Willis Moxley, who broke into Mrs. an equally small casualty list. Dozens Sarah Williams' house on Miles street, of firemen and the volunteers who on Saturday, was let go this morning labored with them were slightly injured by falling bricks and timber, at the police court on agreeing to pay burned by flying firebrands, or temporfor damage done and costs of court. arily overcome by smoke, but only a few of them needed either surgical op-The magistrate thought Moxley an honest, hardworking man, but advised him to let liquor alone. Frank and erations or medical attention.

The fact that the great silk mills escaped the ravages of the flames is structing the Carling street sidewalk, most important, as silk-making is the were let go with a warning. Herbert principal industry of the city. Waugh was fined \$1 for driving over Another important industry is that Victoria bridge faster than the law of the locomotive building, and it was equally fortunate that these works escaped the flames.

All the banks in the city are open for business today, having made their headquarters in the Paterson Saving Institution, which was only slightly damaged by the fire.

FIREMEN WORKED 30 HOURS. The firemen were completely exhausted after more than 30 hours' continuous service, but they remained at their posts and will go on until nothing further remains to be done.

Mr. Wm. Lang's general store and There was comparatively little sufresidence on the corner of Hamilton fering on the part of those rendered road and Rectory streets, was damaged houseless by the fire. The armory and by fire last night to the extent of \$1,public shelters opened their doors to but few applicants during the night. 200. The fire started about 4:30 a.m. Practically every home that escaped and was caused by mice eating the the flames was thrown open in a spirit tops off parlor matches, which ignitof broad charity, and nearly every refugee found shelter at the house of

An alarm was rung in and the firemen A bread and coffee famine was quickly responded. The fire had gained averted by outside aid. A Newark company early this morning started considerable headway, and it was nearwagons loaded with 3,000 loaves of guished. The largest part of the roof bread for free distribution in the stricken city. Wealthy residents of was burned off and a number of the rooms badly scorched. The occupants this city ordered large supplies of cof-Mr. Lang had been in business at the fee and provisions from Passaic, Newark and New York. store for but a few months. The loss The sternest feature which Mayor to the stock will amount to \$500, and

Hinchcliff and his co-workers find confronting them today is the necessity of providing employment and permanent homes for the destitute. IN THE HOSPITALS

are 63 persons injured in the long fight against the flames. But two deaths were due to the calamity. One was that of an old woman who fell downstairs in her anxiety to view the fire. The other was a woman who had just become a mother and died from the excitement of having to be removed from her home.

Just before daybreak the militia arrested in one bunch eleven men caught looting a building. THE ANARCHISTS.

The anarchists, who have made this city their headquarters, mourn the loss of their favorite meeting place, the office of "La Questione Sociale." The offices of this newspaper was in Market street, and it went down in the path of the flames. The home of Miss Ernestine Cravella, the young woman who attracted attention after the murder of King Humbert, by her inflammatory speeches in public meetings, was also burned. The homes of many others of the Paterson anarchists went up in the flames.

A NEW ELECTION

Made Necessary by Latest Cabinet Changes -Hon. David Mills To Be Sworn in

of the supreme court tomorrow. The order in council appointing him was signed by Lord Minto today.

Mr. Fitzpatrick is on his way here from Quebec, and as soon as he arrives he will be sworn in minister of justice.

Mr. H. G. Carroll, the new solicitorgeneral, is expected here at once. He will require to be re-elected. The writ for the new election will be issued at once.

DETROIT SAVINGS BANK SUS-

PENDED. Detroit, Mich., Feb. 10.-Asked the reason for the suspension of the City Savings Bank, State Banking Commissioner Maltz said: "Frank C. Andrews, vice-president of the bank, and commissioner of police, is the reason." The bank had total deposits of something over \$3,000,000, and Andrews had more than a third of this money out on certified checks and overdrafts. There are also \$662,000 out in certified checks and \$914,000 in overdrafts. Henry R. Andrews, cashier of the bank, advanced this money to Frank C. Andrews without the knowledge of the directors.

New York. Feb. 10.—Of the 42 teams which started at midnight in the six day walking match at Madison Square Garden, only 29 teams were left on the track at 2—o'clock this morning. The race is a series of sprints and spurts between the leaders. The men at all times are strung out around the tan-bark eval, and it is hard to tell who is in the lead. Reliefs are frequent, and the scorers THE BACHELOR'S CONFESSION. "Why don't you marry?" I am asked
Quite frequently, and so
I feel it is my duty, friends,
That I should let you know
My reasons, and forever stop
Your oft-repeated wall Concerning me, and why I'm still Beyond the marriage pale. Reliefs are frequent, and the scorers are kept busy. At 8 o'clock the pedestrians were 3% miles ahead of the record. The Indian team, David and Carroll, are

'Tis not because I am afraid I could not earn enough
To buy a wife fine dresses and
New bonnets New bonnets, or such stuff; Nor do I fear I'd have to walk The floor while baby bawled, Or that life would be burdensome When my wife's mother called.

Such things would not jar me a bit;
I don't believe it pays
To worry, for by doing so
You'll quickly end your days,
So I'll tell you in confidence
Just why I'm single still.
I can't get any girl to say
Those loving words, "I will." from Canton announces that the Berlin

-Phil Philander.

THE SMALLPOX

Boston, Feb. 12.-A sensation was caused Saturday night by the announcement of the board of health that Dr. Immanuel Pfeiffer, who voluntarily exposed himself to smallpox at the hospital at Gallopes Island about two weeks ago, is ill with the disease in its worst form, and cannot possibly live.

He is one of the strongest opponents of vaccination in the state, and recently

appeared before the legislative commit-tee to urge repeal of the compulsory vac-cination law. Having the courage of his convictions he went to Gallopes Island and completely exposed himself to small-

pox.

Dr. Pfeiffer gained notoriety some time ago by fasting for a month.

SMALLPOX STILL SPREADS. Toronto, Feb. 10.-The provincial medical health officer was on Saturday notified of a new case of smallpox at Sarnia, and was also informed that a new case had been brought into Sturgeon Falls from a camp near that place. There is also a new case at Bonfield township, on the line of the C. P. R., west of Mattawa. This is a new center. Several cases in Bruce township have developed most serious symptoms. The local health authorities of Jarvis say that there are only two convalescent cases there, and they are indignant that a death which occurred to have occurred in their village. Four additional constables have been sworn in to aid the health authorities in Big Island camp.

The Cause of Colds.

Volumes have been written on the wretched condition which, taking one of its causes for the disease itself, we call a "cold;" but very nttle progress articles, sending out the has been made in the way of its prevention or cure. In avoiding it we are warned to beware of drafts, wet feet, cleaning and dyeing establishments, sudden changes of temperature, and so and the Chinese laundries have drawn forth, and the advice is excellent. The only objection to it is that it is impossible always to follow it. But expossible always to follow it. But ex-posure of this kind is not the sole now refuse to buy very fine table linen, cause, for if it were, a wetting or a lingerie or other articles, such as child-chill would always be followed by a ren's and infants' clothes, which recold, and that, we all know to our quire fine work. They purchase the

joy, is not the cause. A cold in the head is an inflammation of the mucous membrane of the while, nose produced by certain bacteria. What these bacteria are, and whether it is always the same kind that produces a cold, are questions that have not been settled. Some, at least, of them are probably always present in the air of our houses or the dust of our streets, in our pockets, where, whenever suffering from an acute cold in the head, we carelessly put soiled handkerchiefs containing wast numbers of the germs, and on clothes, books, furniture, money and hundreds of other things with which we come in daily contact. So it cannot be the germs alone that cause a cold. otherwise we should never be free from one.

The germ of any disease is the same as a seed; it will grow and multiply if planted in suitable soil, but not otherwise. So the germ or germs of a cold will not grow in a healthy nose; the mucous membrane of the nose must be prepared by some local or general cause which weakens its power of resistance. This may be a local disturbance of the blood supply, caused by a chilling of the surface of the oody, or irritation by the inhalation of dust or of strong fumes, as of burning sulphur; or it may be some defect in the construction of the nasal cavities, causing a chronic discharge which keeps the mucous membrane constantly irritated; or it may be some influence which depresses the general system and makes it vunerable to the

attacks of the microbes. Such influerces may be fatigue, mental anxiety, loss of sleep and the like, but perhaps more often self-poisoning by the waste products found in the intestines and absorbed instead of being promptly eliminated. The absorption of those waste products of the body which should be got rid of through the lungs, but which are not because of faulty habits of breathing, is another form of self-poisoning which leads to colds.

The Chatterer. [Boston Herald.] "Why should Americans take any

more notice of a king's coronation than

emperors take of a president's inauguration?" This is a conundrum asked by Mrs. John A. Logan, and it can be quickly answered by another, Why do Americans like to travel in Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 10.-Hon. David Europe? A love of the picturesque, a Mills will likely be sworn in as judge | fascination of chivalry and romance for them are instinct for mental improvement, to say nothing of the mercurial disposition of all Americans, impel them to seek the old world and look on old world ceremonies and shows which hand down historical customs. One reason why Europeans do not "take any more notice" of a president's inauguration is because it is so frequent an affair and so baldly democratic in its celebration; but a better reason yet, Mrs. Logan, for not comparing the two is, 72,000,000 of us prefer to have the president's mauguration over as soon as possible with-out any flummery. The day our inaugurations become pageants and the nation kills the fatted or the golden calf, so to speak, plenty of Europeans will be eager to pay for front seats. But just at this stage they naturally find that it is not worth while to come and see a president take the oath of office. At present presidential inaugurations are about as enlivening as a Sunday school picnic, and it takes all our partiotism to perceive the glory of such a political consummation. who desires any other way? And, apropos, at the risk of Mrs. Logan's dire displeasure, I wish I was going to. the coronation! It is the idea of wit-

> "vulgar monetary" one which Mrs. Logan so eloquently deplores. THE RETORT CRUSHING. "Well," said the man on the opposite side of the street car to the passenger who had been staring at him in an absent-minded way, "do you think you'll know me the next time you see

nessing that procession and one of

those memorable scenes which have

that would take me over, if there was

"Why, yes," replied the other recovering himself, "a man can't easily forget a face like yours. Why don't you have it changed?"

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PROBLEM OF THE LAUNDRY.

Delicate Fabrics Are Ruined by Modern Methods.

How Poor Girls Are Taught in New York City to Become Competent Laundresses.

France, so long the acknowledged queen of the art of laundry work, is yielding her scepter to England. In New York, for years the French laundries have demanded exorbitant rates for their work which people have paid gladly, however, for the methods of the ordinary public laundry and their sad results have been only too well known to those dependent on such establishments for the washing and ironing of their fine linens and laces.

Such articles as a general thing come home from the public laundries not only poorly washed and ironed, but scorched, torn, and with the delicate fabrics rotted with acids in many cases. Besides this there is always the laundry mark with which even the finest table linen is disfigured. A few visits to the laundry usually annihilates anything in the way of wearing ap-parel which is not of the strongest description, writes a contributor to the

New York Sun.

But of late there has been a decrease in the number of French laundries. Those who have been able to pay the prices charged at these places have found it more profitable to employ private laundresses for the finer wash to women who take the things home at so much a dozen. Many of the French laundries have evolved into a large trade among those satisfied with their work.

But the standard of laundry work less expensive grades knowing that the laundry is to end them in a short

English people used to send their laundry work to the Paris washerwomen who opened places in London, but there has always been the same complaint in London as in New York It would seem as though the pic-turesque laundresses of the Latin turesque laundresses of Quarter are more artistic than practical in their labors, for late laundry work has been sent from Paris each week across the channel to Lon-

England has long had the distinction of providing the best house servants, although France held the palm for laundry work until recently. But the demand now is for butlers, grooms and coachmen, housemaids and nurses

of English birth. They demand and get the highest rate of pay for their work. Now that they have added laundry work to the list of their accomplishments, they must stand pre-eminent in this line.

erica, through its colored laundry women, could show eminence in the art of doing up fine linen, but while the colored laundress of the South still achieves good results with the muslin and lace of her Southern mistress, the Northern variety of negro laundress is not expert. Besides the conditions in the crowded parts of the cities where the negroes live is not conducive to the thorough airing and cleanly drying necessary for good work in this

Pratt Institute in Broklyn has long made a specialty of its laundry classes. One day each week the pupils gather about the teacher with tubs and irons and learn the mysteries of the art. For they are veritable mysteries to most women, few of whom understand that like cooking, laundry work is a science and can be made quite as interesting as other branches of household science. One of the first lessons of the laundry class teacher is to inculcate the idea that laundry work can be done in as neat a costume as that of a parlormaid, and with as dainty hands.

The best method for boiling, starching blueing and rinsing are all shown with explanations of the chemistry of each operation and its meaning. Table linen, so rarely washed and ironed properly, is the subject of a lesson all by itself. The new dull finish, popular linen, is one of the fine points of the course.

Many women send their maids to the Pratt Institute so that they may become expert in the work, while others go themselves and acquire a knowledge of the process so that they may intelligently instruct their domestics at

A school for laundresses has been in operation for some time in this city under the auspices of a charitable organization. Here girls may learn the work under competent teachers, the course costing \$5, and consisting of twelve lessons. When a girl becomes fairly expert she is paid at the rate of 60 cents a day for her work.

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C. A. KINGSTON, · City Clerk.

Clerk's Office, 4th February, 1902. 99i-xvz

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