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Conflicting Views Regarding the Peace Treaty.

England Determined Upon Letting It Entirely Alone.

Nicaragua Likely to Learn a Long-Needed Lesson.

Second Reading of the Irish Bill to Close Saloons on Sunday—French Views on the Annexation of Newfoundland.

THE QUEEN AT DARMSTADT. Darmstadt, April 24.—Queen Victoria arrived here at 1:45 this afternoon.

TO AMEND THE B. N. A. ACT. London, April 24.—The House of Commons will soon be called upon to consider a bill amending the British North America Act so as to provide for a deputy speaker in the Canadian Senate.

CANADIAN BUTTER IN ENGLAND. London, April 24.—Another consignment of butter shipped under the auspices of the Canadian Department of Agriculture has arrived in Liverpool. It is of rather high color and good quality, and brings higher prices than Australian butter.

A UNIONIST VICTORY. London, April 24.—The Parliamentary election in the mid-division of Norfolk yesterday resulted in the return of Mr. Gordon (Unionist) by a vote of 4,112 to 3,904 for Mr. Wilson (Radical). At the last election Mr. Higgins polled 4,069 votes, to 3,599 polled by Mr. Gordon.

SUNDAY LIQUOR LAW FOR IRELAND.

London, April 24.—In the House of Commons today Mr. T. W. Russell's bill providing for perpetuation of the existing temporary regulation closing the drinking saloons in Ireland on Sunday, passed its second reading by a vote of 168 to 69.

FAMINE FOLLOWS FIGHTING. London, April 24.—The Times correspondent in Newchwang says: There is a famine in Southern Manchuria owing to the badness of the harvest in 1894, the presence of the rival armies, the stoppage of transportation from the north and the paralysis of trade here.

THE BUSMEN'S STRIKE. Paris, April 24.—It is now believed that the strike is approaching its end. The omnibus company has consented to the point made by the men that the minimum pay shall be 2.12 francs a day, and the men in consideration of this concession will promptly abate some of their claims.

A MERE DREAM.

London, April 24.—In an editorial on the Pope's encyclical letter to the English people and the Roman Catholic churches, the Times says the document was, doubtless, intended to convey that on doctrinal points no compromise could be thought of. Lord Halifax and his friends, the paper adds, would do well to take this salutary lesson to heart. The reader of the churches is a mere dream, and the Pope has done his best to make this perfectly plain.

THE BRIDE'S DRESS.

LONDON, April 24.—At the wedding of ex-Speaker Peck's daughter, the bride's traveling dress was of blue silk, trimmed with old lace. She wore a black velvet cape embroidered with jet, and a black velvet dress with jet, trimmed with black velvet. The music consisted of full choral service by the choir of Westminster Abbey. Mr. John Frederick Bridge, musical director of Westminster Abbey, presided at the organ, and Sir Arthur Sullivan conducted. In the course of the service an anthem especially composed for the occasion was rendered.

TO BE TRIED ON FRIDAY.

London, April 24.—Counsel for Oscar Wilde made application in the Old Bailey court this morning for a postponement of his client's trial. Taylor's counsel, however, was desirous of proceeding, and the prosecuting lawyer argued in opposition to the postponement, saying Wilde had had ample opportunity to prepare for trial. The court refused to grant a postponement, and fixed Friday as the day for trial. The sale of Oscar Wilde's effects by auction upon the order of the sheriff is regarded as indicating that his pecuniary means are exhausted.

RUSSIA'S DEMANDS.

London, April 24.—The Daily Chronicle will say tomorrow: Russia is unable to enforce her demands upon Japan. Suppose she were able immediately to concentrate 30,000 men in the east; of what use would they be against the Mikado's 100,000 veterans, better drilled and equipped in every way. Russia might as well try to invade the moon as Japan. Every Russian landed would find ten Japanese awaiting him. Moreover, the Japanese might make a descent upon Vladivostok. Russia must consider such possibilities before deciding to back her protest with force.

A LESSON FOR NICARAGUA.

London, April 24.—The Daily Graphic will say tomorrow, under the caption, "A Martyr to Monroeism": That the soil of the republics of the two Americas is safe from the trespasses of European powers, no matter how the subjects and interests of the latter may have been outraged, has been Nicaragua's pride and solace throughout her tempestuous career, and even though she stand alone she will not desert so convenient a principle. Before sunset today perhaps counsel of a less heroic kind will by that time have taught Nicaragua and other states of Central and South America a lesson long needed.

The Daily Chronicle will say tomorrow: It does not appear that the United States are at all anxious to take a hand in the difficulty between Great Britain and Nicaragua. Everything is indeed well between us and the United States.

NATURALLY ENOUGH.

Paris, April 24.—The Temps commends the speech made by Hon. Wilfrid Laurier, the Liberal leader in the Canadian Parliament last Friday regarding the French shore of Newfoundland.

and the necessity of Great Britain's settling the questions at issue with France. It quotes Finance Minister Foster's statement that an understanding between Newfoundland and England on a basis acceptable to France was likely, and adds: "We hope Mr. Foster's expectations will be realized, but it will be necessary to French diplomacy to examine closely the details of the understanding. In any event, must be understood that the question must be solved before Newfoundland enters Canada."

London, April 24.—It is reported that a French syndicate has bought the island of Anticosti in the St. Lawrence from the liquidator of the old company.

REGARDING THE TREATY.

London, April 24.—A dispatch to the Pall Mall Gazette from Berlin says: The Russian, French and German Ministers today made representations to the Japanese Government opposing the clause in the Sino-Japanese treaty providing for the cession to the latter of territory upon the mainland of China. The representations were received by Minister of Foreign Affairs Mutsu.

London, April 24.—The Frankfurter Zeitung's correspondent in St. Petersburg says: During the last few days Prince Lobanoff, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, has shown a more reserved attitude towards France's representations in favor of an energetic protest in Tokyo. Everything indicates that Russia will play a passive part now, owing to England's attitude. The committee of Ministers has been charged with the necessity that Russia should use Japanese ports in certain contingencies.

London, April 24.—The Daily News will announce positively tomorrow that England will not act in concert with the continental powers regarding the Jap-Chinese treaty. It will say editorially: "England's refusal to co-operate with the other powers is due solely to the desire not to take part in matters which she has no immediate concern. We trust it is not the policy of any of the powers to do more than endeavor to persuade Japan. There is nothing to be gained worth even the remote risk of war."

From St. Petersburg the News learns that Russia has sent a note to Japan stating the various conditions of the treaty which she cannot allow.

GETTING CRITICAL.

Britain Gives Nicaragua Three Days to Pay Up.

Failing that, British Warships Will Blockade Her Ports and Troops Will Land.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, April 24.—Great excitement exists here. The Government, it is reported, will refuse to pay the indemnity, and will abandon Corinto as a port of entry. The belief is general here that if Great Britain obtains possession of Corinto she will continue to occupy it as she has occupied territory in Egypt and other countries where she has obtained a foothold.

LONDON, April 24.—At the Foreign Office it is specially stated that three British warships in the harbor of Corinto, Nicaragua, are there for the purpose of enforcing compliance with the demands of Great Britain set forth in the ultimatum.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Secretary Gresham had a long interview with Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, this morning, and also Minister Guzman, of Nicaragua, and also communicated to him the intelligence which had been received from the cabinet. Very shortly afterwards Mr. Woodley, the President's country home, where a special cabinet meeting was held.

The outcome of the informal meeting at Woodley is understood to be that the United States Administration is disposed to use its good offices between Nicaragua and Great Britain so far as it consistently can. President Cleveland consistently can, matters now stand, the United States can do nothing except to request Lord Kimberley not to force a settlement of the indemnity within a definite time to elapse, so that Nicaragua may not be put in the position of being compelled to pay the "smart money" at the cannon's mouth. If the British Foreign Office shall agree to this the indemnity will probably be closed within the next few days by a compliance on the part of Nicaragua with Great Britain's terms.

Those who understand the sentiment of the Nicaragua people respecting this matter predict that Nicaragua will not pay the indemnity unless Great Britain pursues a more conciliatory course. The disposition of President Zelaya and his advisers is strongly against paying the money under compulsion. To do will, it is said, result in the overthrow of the present Administration by the Nicaragua people, who would even prefer that Corinto should be occupied by the British rather than that they should be compelled to make a humiliating surrender.

THE OIL OCTOPUS

Has Gathered in Assets Stated at \$10,000,000—Latest Quotations for the Field.

New York, April 24.—William Rockefeller, the president, and a majority of the directors of the Standard Oil Company, of New York, have filed with the county clerk the annual report of the company for the present year. They state the amount of the capital stock of the corporation to be \$7,000,000, and the amount of capital stock actually paid in also \$7,000,000. The amount of debts due by the company do not exceed \$2,000,000, and the amount of assets are at least equal to \$10,000,000.

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 24.—The price paid this morning by the Zep agency, who represent the Standard Oil Company, is \$2.10 for Pennsylvania crude oil. The speculative market here and at Oil City is firm, with offerings at \$2.20.

Berlin, April 24.—The Handels-Zeitung's St. Petersburg correspondent says the Russian Finance Minister has not approved the agreement between the Russian and American petroleum rings.

DEATH OF MRS. FRANK LESLIE. Kingston, N. Y., April 24.—After an illness of a year or more, Mrs. Frank Leslie, who was divorced from the well-known New York publisher, now deceased, about twenty years ago, died at Shokan of heart failure today. She had been leading a life of solitude in the Catskills for the past ten years, stopping at Brookhead's Bridge and Shokan. One son, Alfred, survives her.

SIX FARMERS SHOT

In the Course of a Wrangle About a Boat.

Kalkaska, Mich., April 24.—Loon Lake, six miles from here, was the scene of a shooting affray last night, in which P. M. Lossing and his son, Milford Lossing; Oscar Long and his son, Clarence Long; Hiram Drake and Ben Jackson, all well-to-do farmers of the county, received the contents of a double-barrelled shotgun in their faces and abdomens. The farmers were preparing to spear fish from a boat, when Bradford Luister claimed the boat and accused the farmers of attempting to steal it. They would not give it up, and Luister retired to the woods near by and fired at the party. All six were seriously wounded, and P. M. Lossing nearly died. Luister has been arrested and jailed.

PARADISE PARADISE!

Repatriated French-Canadian Colonists in a State of Semi-Starvation.

Marquette, Mich., April 24.—Joseph Croze, a wealthy French-Canadian business man of Houghton, who has just returned from the colony in Ver-nor, Ont., says he found the colonists in a state of semi-starvation. None of them had taken more than enough provisions for their journey, expecting to find supplies there all ready for them, which they had been told would be advanced upon credit and be repaid from the proceeds of the first crop.

There were no supplies, and markets were so remote that it would take days to procure even a small quantity. No teams were available, and railroad transportation was very expensive. The subsidy has not yet been granted by the Government, nor was there a favorable prospect that one would be granted. At the very best, it would be months before it would be available.

The first year's tillage of the soil will not yield enough for the bare necessities of life, and the region is not adapted to general agriculture. It must be many years before that country will develop an isolated state. The Ver-nor other than upon hearing Mr. Croze's story and witnessing the suffering too plainly written upon the faces of the returning colonists, several French citizens—among them the Primeau, Registrar of the United States, and the Office—have decided to actively oppose the efforts that are being made to induce others to emigrate to Paradise colony.

DURING LUNCH HOUR

Crooks Robbed a New Jersey Bank of \$22,765.

Plainfield, N. J., April 24.—The directors of the First National Bank of this city today denounced the theft of \$22,765, of which the vaults were robbed on Monday last. Frank S. Runyon, the cashier of the bank, first discovered the loss Monday by the vaults being open.

Two packages, one containing \$30,000 in new bills of various values from \$1 to \$100, and another of \$2,765 in mutilated bills, were missing.

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OVER \$500,000 SHORT.

Why Marie Wainwright's Lover Committed Suicide.

Tacoma, Wash., April 24.—Instead of a few thousand dollars, as first supposed, the defalcation of the late Paul Schulz, who was landed agent of the Northern Pacific Railway, will amount to \$500,000, and may be \$700,000, according to the report of the experts who are engaged in examining the accounts of the suicide. This sum is believed to be the result of a farwell letter to Marie Wainwright, the actress, was made by his friend, and the statement found in his pocket, and it had been in love with her for some time. The collapse of her divorce proceedings was an insuperable obstacle in the way of the marriage of the actress and Schulz, who obtained a divorce from his German wife over three years ago.

NO LEGAL STANDING.

Grand Trunk Company Couldn't Prosecute Hardiker's Case.

Detroit, April 24.—The trial of Geo. E. Hardiker was commenced in the Recorder's Court this morning. Hardiker was brought from Mexico some months ago on a charge of having embezzled \$3,878.77 from the Grand Trunk Railway while employed as an assistant cashier. The original complaint was made by the Grand Trunk Company. When they came into court it was discovered that as the Grand Trunk is not a company incorporated in this State they have no legal standing, and the Detroit, Grand Trunk and Milwaukee Railway was substituted. The latter company claim to be the collecting agent of the Grand Trunk. The defense will make all they can out of this change of front.

Some 3,400 Spanish troops will sail for Cuba next week. The Official Gazette of Madrid publishes a call for 20,000 more to enter active service.

At the Bordeaux exhibition, which will be opened shortly, will be exhibited the largest bottle ever made. It will be no less than 35 meters, or 115 feet high.

How to Cure All Skin Diseases

Simply apply "Swayne's Ointment." No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for "Swayne's Ointment." Lyman, Sons & Co., Montreal, wholesale agents.

Easter Flowers.

We will have a very choice collection of plants and flowers that will be nice for Easter, namely: Roses, Carnations, Lily of the Valley, Violets, Easter Lilies, Tulips, Hyacinths, etc. Everything in the way of plants suitable for this festive occasion. We make a specialty of church decoration. Green-wax, florist, 248 Dundas street. Green-wax, florist, 248 Dundas street. Green-wax, florist, 248 Dundas street.

Late Canadian News.

Plenty of Oil in Pelee Island—The Ottawa Carnival Executive Had a Surplus of \$700.

David McPherson was elected mayor of Halifax on Wednesday.

The Royal Templars' annual prohibition camp will be held this year in Hamilton, probably in August.

A deputa-tion will wait upon the Ontario Premier on the appointment of a lady inspector of factories.

Advices from Fort William state that the wind has broken up the ice a great deal, and that boats will be safe in reaching that port by May 1.

The executive of the Ottawa Winter Carnival decided to give over the surplus it had from the carnival (over \$700) to the city treasurer.

Rev. Dr. Gregg, who for 23 years has been one of the professors of Knox College, having lately filled the department of church history, has resigned his position. He is now 75 years of age.

Mr. Wm. Maynard, jun., manager of the Bank of Commerce, Stratford, has received notice of his removal to the Guelph branch, which was deprived of its manager by the recent death of Mr. McConkey.

Letters from England convey word of an acceptance of the provostship of Trinity College, Toronto, by Rev. Edward Ashurst, vicar of the Church of the Venerable Bede, Gateshead, Diocese of Durham.

Mary Starke, the little daughter of Wm. Starke, of Montreal, was sick, and the mother, intending to administer an ordinary medicine, gave her a dose of carbolic acid. The child afterwards died in great agony.

Judge Horne announced his decision in the Essex election case on Wednesday. He refused to set aside the election of Dr. Dewar as mayor, without that neither of the candidates had anything to do with it.

Daniel Brooke, one of Brantford's oldest and most respected citizens, died Wednesday morning. Deceased went to Brantford some 48 years ago and opened a law office, which he had carried there ever since. He leaves a family of grown-up children.

There is trouble in the Nor'wester newspaper office at Winnipeg. A private sheriff's sale was held on the property for Millar & Richards' claim on Friday afternoon. Several directors now charge that the sale took place without their knowledge, and several of the largest creditors are left out in the cold.

Wm. Smith, aged 22, a Grand Trunk brakeman, met with a serious accident in the west end of the Stuart street yard, Hamilton, on Tuesday. While coupling cars he was knocked down by the sliding engine, and a portion of his body, causing internal injuries in the head and back. His parents live in Oakville.

Pelee Islanders believe there are masses of quantities of oil in the earth beneath the island. It is said the oil oozes out of the ground in many localities, that it is difficult to have a face well with water fit for household use, as it becomes so impregnated with oil. The Kingsville Pelee Gas and Oil Company have contracted for the drilling of several oil wells, work to commence May 1.

MR. SIFTON EXPLAINS

His Reference to the Action of Orangemen in Haldimand.

Toronto, Ont., April 24.—An enthusiastic gathering of 3,000 people was held in Massey Music Hall this evening, the occasion being a public reception tendered Hon. Clifford Sifton, Attorney-General of Manitoba. The chair was taken by Rev. Chancery Burwash, Mr. Sifton, in reply to the address presented to him, explained that he had intended in his reference the other day to the part played by Orangemen in the Haldimand election to say that the Orangemen had all supported the Government. What he had said was that many of them had not kept their promise of voting for McCarthy.

Mr. Sifton then gave a history of the school question from the Manitoba stand point, and once more plainly stated that Manitoba would not accept a remedial order, and that the Dominion would have to use coercion if it attempted to re-establish separate schools in that Province.

WORK AND WAGES.

The Detroit Railway Has a Strike on Its Hands.

Detroit, April 24.—The Detroit Railway has a full-fledged strike on its hands today, which threatens to assume serious proportions.

This morning about 80 employees, who were engaged in excavating for the new power house at the foot of Ropelle street, refused to proceed with the work unless their wages were raised from \$1.25 to \$1.50 per day.

The Citizens' Company, who are building a power house in close proximity, are paying laborers \$1.50 per day, and the unfavorable comparison caused the dissatisfaction. As soon as the strike occurred the manager ordered the men paid off. The strikers refused to allow a couple of dozen who were willing to go ahead to resume work.

Toronto, April 24.—At the meetings of the Bricklayers' Union and the Builders' Laborers' Union last evening the question was discussed what action should be taken by them in consequence of the fact that the agreement with the employers, by which the bricklayers have been paid 25 cents per hour, and the builders' laborers 21 cents an hour during the past five years, expires on May 1. The employers refuse to renew the old agreement at the old terms, and the men are desirous that some understanding should be arrived at at once. The discussion at both meetings was quite lengthy, but nothing definite was arrived at.

BUCHANAN'S HOPE.

Sing Sing, N. Y., April 24.—Dr. Buchanan told his wife last night that he did not expect to be executed next week, and he still had strong hopes of escaping the death penalty.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., April 24.—

The Priory Farm Home for Friendless Children at Chestnut Ridge was destroyed by fire last night. No lives were lost. Building and contents insured for \$20,000, but loss exceeded that sum by several thousand. The home was conducted by an Episcopal fraternity known as the Brothers of Nazareth.

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You want. If this be so, we can do business. Out of an assortment of nearly 1,100 pieces we should be able to please. You must live with a carpet so long that you want to get thoroughly satisfied in every particular. The place to do that is where you get the largest assortment to choose from.

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Custom Tailoring.

Our tailors are busy. They could do more and would be busier if you would appreciate what it is to have 30 choices of fine imported stuffs, at \$20 the suit. Spring overcoats at \$18, very special, tailored the best way, satin sleeve lining. Skillful cutting, careful making, and intelligent overlooking from the cloth in the piece to the suit on the customer's back—these are the causes for the steady growth of our merchant tailoring business. Unequaled values in choicest cloths also help.

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(Advertisements under this heading one cent a word each insertion.)

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—ONE WEEK beginning Monday, April 24, matinee Wednesday and Saturday, 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. Excellent company. Change of play each performance. Opening bill, Wilkie Collins' beautiful story "The New Magdalen." Night prices, 10c, 25c, 35c. Plan open Friday, 7 o'clock.

THE FOLLOWING ARRAY OF TALENT will take part in the Oldfellow's at home: H. Ruthven, McDonald, Stewart, Huntington, Will Thorne, H. R. Hollinshead, Miss Marie Jex, Miss Evelyn Allen, A. E. Welch and A. K. Smith. Sunday school orchestra. Monday, April 24, 7 o'clock.

THE ODDFELLOWS OF LONDON will celebrate the 75th anniversary of order in their hall Monday, April 24. Refreshments from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Tickets 25c.

A DELIGHTED AUDIENCE WITNESSED the musical "Old Woman in Shoe" can't last Friday, and a jammed house will greet its repetition on the 26th. Come early. Starts at 8 o'clock sharp. Children 10c.

GRAND TEMPERANCE CANTATA—Friday 26th, 8 sharp; bright and sparkling, instructive and enjoyable. Bring all your little folks. Children 10c.

THE SULPHUR BATHS, FOOT OF DUNDAS street, will be open Saturday, April 27, under the general supervision of the undersigned, with hot and cold water. The general public are assured of receiving the best attention. There is no better mineral water for bathing in Canada. Telephone No. 707. J. MILNE, Prop.

ALAN LINE—SARINIAN SAILS MAY 4th, Montreal to Liverpool, via Barry. Passengers' baggage transferred free in Liverpool for London, England. FRANK B. CLARKE, agent, Exchange office, Richmond street, next door to Advertiser's Office.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY. The recognized leading school of Western Ontario. Special half-term for children commences Saturday afternoon, April 6, at 2 o'clock. This term includes the children's closing reception, May 11. Other classes as follows: Beginners' classes, gentlemen, Monday evenings; ladies, Tuesday evenings, at 8 o'clock; ladies and children Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Advanced class, ladies and gentlemen, Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. Private tuition any night not occupied with classes. DAYTON & McCORMICK, members of N. A. M. of D. Academy, 476 Richmond street, Residence, 241 Oxford street.

Religious Services.

(Advertisements under this heading one cent a word each insertion.)

TODAY—AT 3 P.M.—BIBLE READING in Somerset Hall, by Mrs. Barney. At 8 o'clock meeting in St. Andrew's Church. Be sure and hear her.

Meetings.

(Advertisements under this heading one cent a word each insertion.)

THE PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY LOCAL branch, Thursday nights, orchestra, branch Wednesday night 8 sharp. Full attendance requested at 181 Dundas street. ST. JOHN HYMNIST, conductor; S. C. WIGG, secretary.

BOARD OF TRADE—THE ANNUAL general meeting of the London Board of Trade will be held in their rooms on Friday, April 28, at 8 p.m. Annual statement, election of officers and general business. A large attendance is desired. JOHN BLAND, President; J. A. NELLES, Secretary.

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WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST housework. Apply 367 King street, before 9 a.m. or after 5 p.m.

WANTED GIRL TO DO GENERAL housework in family of three. Apply to MRS. SHEA, 747 Waterloo street.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED GEN- eral servant, to whom liberal wages will be paid. Apply at 270 Central avenue, city.

FIRST-CLASS COOK WANTED BEFORE May 1; no washing; references required. Apply 245 Dufferin avenue.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant; no washing. Apply 136 Kent street.

GIRLS, COME TO THE CITY IF YOU want situations as cooks, dining-room, housemaids, chambermaids in hotels or private houses and general servants wanted and furnished on short notice. Dwyer's Intelligence Office, 591 Richmond street. Phone 1121.

NOTICE TO THE GIRLS—IF YOU WISH a situation as cooks or chambermaids, apply at OSBORN'S Intelligence Office, 56 Dundas street.

Male Help Wanted.

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PAPER HANGERS WANTED—ONLY first-class hands need apply. R. LEWIS, 431 Richmond street.

WRITERS WANTED TO DO COPYING at home. Law College, London, Ohio. Mention Advertiser.

AGENTS WANTED—\$5 PER WEEK—Apply to GEO. MARSHALL & Co., Tea Importers, 235 Dundas street.

Female Help Wanted.

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OFFICE LADY WANTED AT EDY BROS., photographers, 211 Dundas street; references required.

WANTED—WOMAN OVER 30—FAIR education, of teaching abilities, to engage in permanent, good paying work. None but the energetic need apply. Address "Energetic," Box 73, this office.

GOOD PANT-MAKERS WANTED—FOR wholesale work. J. GREENE MANUFACTURING COMPANY, 228 Carleton place, 70th.

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LOST—SILK-HAIRED TERRIER—ALSO bull terrier; any one retaining after this notice will be prosecuted. Reward for returning to H. SHARKEY, Arcade Barber Shop.

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TO LET—UNFURNISHED ROOMS—Fleasant locality, 765 Talbot street. 75c xwt

TO LET—FRONT OFFICE, ON SECOND floor, Albion Buildings. Apply T. H. CARLING, city. 62f

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TO FIGHT FIRE.

What the Underwriters Want London to Have.

A Chemical Engine the Chief Item—Conference With No. 3 Committee.

The differences between the Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association and the city regarding the efficiency of London's fire department may soon be settled by the demands of the association being partially acceded to. The association having sent their inspector, Mr. Howe, to confer with the city fire committee in the matter—that gentleman was present at a special meeting of No. 3, called last night. Ald. Parnell was in the chair, and Ald. Ardill, Pritchard, Skinner, Garratt and Weld, Secretary Bell and Assistant Engineer Ironsides were there. Mr. Howe wanted more than the committee were willing to give. He would have liked a chemical engine and a water tower, and he thought a second main was a necessity. The conference, however, was pleasant, and the result was that Mr. Howe received considerable encouragement, and will likely make a favorable report to the association.

Mr. Howe stated to the meeting the object of his mission—discuss the advisability of purchasing a chemical engine or some modern fire appliances, and to see if the differences between the underwriters and the city could not be settled. He also stated that an aerial truck had been decided upon, that the pumping machinery had been increased, and that extra hose had been purchased. If a chemical engine were secured it would be of great importance to the association.

The action of the council in throwing out the recommendation to purchase a chemical engine was explained, but Mr. Howe considered an engine of greater benefit than an aerial truck. The city had 60 and 75 foot extension ladders already, but the latter was useless, as it could not be hoisted. He thought the 60-foot ladder was sufficient for the city.

Chief Roe, when asked to express his views in the matter, said the present hook and ladder truck was practically useless and in a fair way to collapse whenever brought out. They would certainly have to purchase a new truck. If they got a new engine then a span of horses and a building would be necessary. The city could get along without the engine. His choice was a truck. "Does the Underwriters' Association demand a chemical engine?" asked Ald. Weld.

"Either an engine or a salvage corps," replied Mr. Howe. "In a large and growing manufacturing center like London I would suggest that a water tower be purchased. It would cost about \$6,000, but it could be operated by one man and would throw a two-inch stream on any building the height of the tower. There was some talk about the Association and its powers, and whether it could increase the insurance rates on London. "It can raise rates," said the chairman. "Its powers are greater than that of the City of Russia, and if we do not want to take their rates we can go uninsured. Forty of the most substantial companies are represented in the association."

The conversation gradually verged to the waterworks equipments, and Mr. Howe expressed a desire to have a second main. The attitude of the people towards the proposition as shown by a recent vote was mentioned, and the matter soon dropped, although one or two of the aldermen expressed sim-

ilar views to the inspector. The conference was finally concluded by the passing of a resolution recommending the purchase of a truck, as already passed by the council, and also that provision for a chemical engine be made in next year's estimates.

Mr. Doupe and several other ratepayers appeared in opposition to the watering of John street, as passed in the bylaw. The matter will go to the council.

Messrs. E. W. Crouch and J. O'Neill were given a six months' license to operate a merry-go-round in the city for \$75.

MIDDLESEX.

Mr. Wallace Graham, an old Canadian newspaper man, died at Norfolk, Virginia, on April 10, aged 49. For many years he published the Parkhill Gazette, and was well known as one of the ablest writers on the Canadian country press. He at one time published the Windsor Record, but for the past few years had been a resident of the United States. Mr. Graham was a gentleman of extensive observation and reading, and much esteemed by his many friends throughout the western portion of Ontario, where he was well known. Though of gentle and unobtrusive demeanor, he was a man of power and influence, and will be long mourned by hosts of friends as well as by his widow and two grown-up sons who survive him.

The spacious residence of Wm. Barr, Mossley, was the scene on Wednesday of the marriage of his daughter Ada and Rev. John Russell, of Vancouver, British Columbia. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Quance, of Dorchester Street. At the issue of the congratulations accorded to the happy couple, the company was regaled with a delectable spread. The bride and groom left en route for their distant home in Vancouver.

MOUNT BRYDGES.

("Advertiser" Agent, T. Pearce, P.M.) April 24.—Last Sunday evening two young men from Strathroy thought that they would take their best young ladies out for a drive, so went to the livery and hired a single top buggy for four, and all went pleasantly along until near the C. P. R. The driver, who was not looking for ditches, and, perhaps, driving with one hand, upset the whole business into one hand, and the shafts came out, and while the horse struck for home with the shafts, the unlucky quartet crawled out of the wreck none the worse, and pluckily set out on foot for home.

The annual spring show of the Caradoc Agricultural Society was held yesterday, and was the tamest show ever held here. The day was beautiful, but so busy seeding, the latter were few and far between, and only five horses were exhibited, which, of course, carried off all the honors. Mr. Collin McKelgon, of Strathroy, exhibited his beautiful 5-year-old bay stallion, which took second prize at the World's Columbian Exhibition against eleven other competitors.

A number of Oddfellows intend going to London next Sunday to join the brethren there in their annual church service, to be held in St. Andrew's Church. Anniversary services will be held in Strathroy on Sunday, May 5, and in Mount Brydges, Sunday, May 12.

When thinking of purchasing a good reliable railroad watch or anything in jewelry, silverware or clocks, call on C. H. WARD, 374 Richmond street, opposite Masonic Temple.

GLENCOE.

("Advertiser" Agent, John McNeill.) April 24.—Mr. J. E. Hodgson, M.A., high school inspector, paid our school its usual visit on Tuesday and Wednesday this week.

Dr. Saxton, V. S., of Strathroy, has purchased the practice of Dr. Blackwell, V.S., here. Dr. Saxton will no doubt, enlarge the already extensive practice purchased.

The preliminary examination of the London Conference for the probation of young ministers is being conducted this week in the lecture hall of the Methodist Church. About 40 students are taking the examination.

Rev. Mr. Martin, of Sarnia, and Rev. C. W. Brown, B.D., of the Methodist Church here, exchanged pulpits on Sunday last. Appropriate educational sermons were preached.

Miss Mary Bell Adams, of Alvinston, visited her home here this week. Mr. John Graham, of Toronto, visited friends here this week.

Mr. John Hayter is slowly recovering from a severe attack of inflammation. A successful meeting of the local union of the Christian Endeavor was held in the lecture hall of the Methodist Church on Monday evening last. The regular Christian Endeavor topic was discussed by five well prepared papers, and suitably music furnished by the quartet of the society.

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Opinions Expressed in Quebec With Regard to the New Specific.

QUEBEC, April 23.—There has been considerable discussion in this city, both among members of the medical fraternity and private citizens, with regard to the numerous undisputed cures from various diseases of the kidney through the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills. The matter has been not only discussed privately among the friends and acquaintances of those who have received benefits from the use of the remedy named, but has been chronicled in the public press. The general consensus of opinion is that the medicine has undergone a fully deserving of the great praise which has been bestowed upon it.

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Two Canadians Captured by the New Notorious Inspector.

Buffalo, N. Y., April 24.—Henry Shisler and his aged father, residents of Stevensville, Ont., were detained by the customs officers last night, and today deported by Inspector Debarry. The young Shisler had come to Buffalo to work for a milkman. Debarry will prosecute the latter for contracting with aliens.

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WESTERN ONTARIO.

Young Men's Liberal Society in Berlin—Humane Society in Chatham—Wild Cats in East Luther.

The recent smallpox case cost Guelph \$1,500.

Tuesday, April 23, was the 68th anniversary of the foundation of the city of Guelph.

Chatham Council has instructed an engineer to make estimates of a new system of waterworks for the city.

The City Council of St. Thomas struck a general rate of 16 mills on the dollar for the current year. This is the lowest for some years.

The Kingsville Canning Company has been sold under mortgage to L. W. Wigle for \$7,512 40. The original cost was about \$20,000.

The only change made in liquor licenses in St. Thomas by the license commissioners of West Elgin is that a six months' license for the Park House, contiguous to the driving park, has been granted on the ground of its being a summer resort.

Work was commenced Tuesday on the flour and general warehouses of the Canadian Pacific Railway in Windsor. They are situated close to the station, and but a short distance from the dock. The latter is being repaired and made ready for the summer vessel traffic.

A Young Men's Reform Club was formed Tuesday in Berlin. The following officers were elected: President, C. Ritter; first vice-president, C. F. Niehaus; second vice-president, E. Chaus; third vice-president, H. P. Harding; secretary, D. Bowman; treasurer, W. Motz.

The St. George's Society of Petrolia held their annual dinner there Tuesday evening at the Johnson House. President W. H. Hammond, First Vice-President Edward Marshall and Second Vice-President H. Branton were in the respective chairs. The attendance was large, and everything passed off in good old merry England style.

Experimental work at the Agricultural College is being extended during the present year. An experimental barn for cattle and sheep is being made, and a new experimental piggery is also being erected. This, together with the new agricultural and experimental building, will make this branch of the work very complete.

Chief Skirving returned Tuesday from a three days' man hunt in search of George Smith, formerly of Camel's Corners, North Oxford. Smith rented a farm from S. J. Waterworth, of Ingersoll, and just before the rent came due sold off all the stock, some horses, buggy, hogs, hay, and almost everything movable, and cleared out with proceeds. Skirving found him in Seaford after a clever chase.

The Chatham Humane Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, has been organized with the following officers: President, Wm. Ball, vice-president, R. O'Hara; second vice-president, Rev. R. Sims; secretary-treasurer, C. E. Beaton; honorary counsel, Edwin Bell; executive committee, A. St. L. Mackintosh, Dr. McKeough, Henry Dagneau, Charles Hadley, Mrs. O'Hara, Thos. Scudlark and N. H. Stevens.

Wildcats have been creating great havoc for some months past in the vicinity of the great marsh in East Luther. A farmer placed a couple of traps on the carcass of a dead horse, and some hours later found them occupied by two large wildcats, a male and a female. The male was of extraordinary size, measuring about 5 1/2 feet from tip to tip, but was so ferocious that he could not be taken alive. The other

was secured in a box, and was uninjured, except where the jaws of the trap had closed on her leg.

Work on the Tilsonburg and Port Huron Railway will be commenced by June 15, and is to be completed before Dec. 31. Besides the Dominion Government grant of \$3,200 a mile, and the Ontario Government grant of \$2,300 a mile, the township of Bayham gives a bonus of \$3,500, Tilsonburg \$10,000, Malahide township \$5,000, Houghton township \$3,000, and Vienna village \$2,000.

The cost of cleaning off snow fell pretty heavily on some of the railroads last winter. The Chicago and West Michigan expended a total of nearly \$50,000. The Michigan Central spent \$10,000, or more than \$3,000 above the average. The Grand Trunk spent but a little more than in former years. An estimate of the cost entailed by snow for the winter is placed at \$100,000 actual outlay, without counting loss by delay and blockades, which may be safely placed at \$100,000 more.

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—CURES—
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THE COUNTRY NEEDS A CHANGE.

The following significant facts were brought out in the recent debate in the Dominion Parliament. Hard times have prevailed in the country, but the men in power have been more prodigal than ever:

Dominion net debt, March 31, 1894, \$240,189,000; Dominion net debt, March 31, 1895, \$248,150,000. Increase, almost \$8,000,000 in a year.

Deficit in Dominion revenue for the nine months to April 1, 1895, \$5,016,000.

How this deficit has been added to, Sir Richard Cartwright trenchantly pointed out in his speech on the address. In reply to Mr. Foster's plea that the deficit was caused by a reduction in taxes, Sir Richard said:

"The honorable gentleman goes on to tell us that the revenue has fallen off because last year he took off such a lot of taxes. Well, sir, with my customary generosity, I made an estimate of what he had taken off, and I gave him credit for 200 per cent more than he deserved; I credited him, after carefully examining the result of his tariff for two months, with a reduction of 3-10ths of one per cent. I observe now that the six months have been added together, and I committed the grievous error—for which I apologize—of crediting him with 20 per cent too much; the actual reduction was 1-10th of one per cent."

Then Sir Richard exposed the plea that the shortage in revenue arose in spite of the greatest care on the part of the men in power. He said:

"The honorable gentleman's mode of delivering us from a deficit was to agree to give up \$200,000 of revenue to the brewers, \$200,000 and more for the French treaty, \$750,000 a year for the Atlantic subsidy, \$750,000 to be granted to railway subsidies. But, sir, how much more to the Trent Valley Canal? How much more to the Hudson Bay Railway? How much more to other railways gently hinted at, but not quite clearly indicated by the honorable gentleman?"

The fact is that the present Government would not remain a day in power if it were judged on its record as a caretaker and disbursing of the public money.

The country needs a change.

ELECTRIFICATION OF LONDON'S STREET RAILWAY.

It is to be presumed that the parties to the arrangement in connection with the electrification of the London street railway system are making progress, even though the preliminary settlement of pro and con goes on in committee and joint consultation, at the present stage, rather than in the City Council. A certain impatience on the part of the public is natural, though that impatience will not be allowed to hurry the city into any position not in the interest of the citizens. London will have an effective electric railway system, if not under the negotiations now proceeding, then under others. As the old saying has it, there are more ways than one of killing a cat.

THE HUGE DOMINION DEFICIT.

Finance Minister Foster should say plainly how he proposes to meet the huge deficit which ominously confronts the Dominion. Principal Grant, at Kingston recently, made pointed reference to the subject, and strongly condemned the proposal to devote \$2,500,000, in face of such a deficit, towards building a railway to Hudson Bay. Said Principal Grant:

"Good men are more of a necessity in the Dominion Parliament than in the Local House. With an estimated deficit of \$5,000,000 staring it in the face, the Government was talking of giving \$2,500,000 towards building a railway to the Hudson Bay. The railway was not wanted. While the water in the St. Lawrence, the channel to Montreal, would only admit of a vessel of a draught of nine feet, they were talking of throwing away a large amount of money. The channel should be deepened to fourteen feet first, before the railway scheme was even thought of. Economy and cleanliness were needed in the House."

EDITORIAL POINTS.

It is a very important announcement that Great Britain does not propose to interfere with the terms of the peace treaty between Japan and China. Great Britain is sure to get in on the ground floor. Keep your eye on the East! Much history of importance to mankind will be made during the next few years. And it will be all for the best, too, in the long run.

Throughout the world there are a good many English-speaking people, some 110,000,000 of us, altogether.

If Japan is likely to increase in importance as time goes on—and it trade with that country via the Canada Pacific may some day become a big item—should there not be a Japanese lan-

guage chair in some of our Canadian universities?

The European powers that be are casting jealous eyes on Japan and are seeking to deprive her of her skills of victory. But, then, Japan has leaped into greatness and must pay the penalty.

Prof. Andrew Wilson, of the University of Edinburgh, in Harper's for May, tells "The Story of the Liver." The paper is both popular and scientific. One recalls "Punch's" reply to the query, "Is life worth living?" It all depends, according to "Punch," on the liver.

Why not make McGreevy Minister of Public Works? He had control of that department once before!

"The Fishing Streams of New Brunswick." Such is the title of the appetizing first paper in the Methodist Magazine for May. Dr. Withrow, the editor, is nothing if not seasonable.

One of the most eminent mechanical engineers in England, Joseph Nasmyth, favors the driving of machinery with cotton ropes in place of leather bands. As a result of many years' experience and close observation, he states that for heavy main drives it is both more economical and effective to use a series of ropes working in separate grooves.

It is not often that regret is so universally expressed by journalists as in the case of the sudden death of the late James W. Scott, controller and manager of the amalgamated Chicago Times-Herald. For several years Mr. Scott was president of the American Publishers' Association. A better combination of quickness, firmness and geniality is seldom seen in a chairman. During the World's Fair at Chicago Mr. Scott placed his brother publishers under obligation by kindnesses they are not likely soon to forget.

Dr. Goldwin Smith has been called in to prescribe for the trouble in the Provincial University.

The American system of the supremacy of the courts is less democratic in practice as well as in theory than the English system of the supremacy of Parliament. Parliamentary government makes possible more legislation in behalf of the common people than government by the courts. The contrast between the English and American systems brings out strongly two points: first, that written constitutions, instead of being a safeguard for the common people, may be a safeguard to vested interests; and, secondly, that the fact that in England Parliament is supreme and can do almost anything facilitates the passage of progressive laws to an extent that is impossible where courts are supreme.—New York Outlook.

Has the National Policy made you rich?—Toronto Globe. (Thirty-fourth time of asking.)

It is said that no canned salmon compares with that made from our Ontario sturgeon.

A concerted and educational crusade against free silver will be inaugurated in New York this week. The free silver advocates are mainly confined to the silver-producing States of the west, and their motives are apparently more selfish than patriotic. Until a ratio between gold and silver has been fixed by international agreement it is the opinion of President Cleveland and the leading financiers of the country that it would be disastrous for the United States to adopt the bi-metallic standard of its own. In the meantime the President prescribes the gold cure for the financial ills of the Republic.

Bismarck at 80 is in the winter of his life. Gladstone at 85 is in his golden autumn. Bismarck lives only in the past. His present is sterile, and the future can add nothing to his fame. But England's Grand Old Man continues to shed the fruit of his ripened mind, and he has much to harvest yet. His intellect is a treasure house "rich with the spoils of time." He does not keep it under lock and key, but throws it open to the world of thought.

A special train on the Pennsylvania Railroad has just made nearly 59 miles in 45 minutes, one mile being made in 41 seconds. It was a newspaper special train that broke the record.

The new Czar is proving to be as thorough an autocrat as his father. His recent course is not very encouraging—except to the bomb industry.

"Sketches of Wonderland," by Olin D. Wheeler, are pictures of the delightful country traversed by the Northern Pacific Railroad, bound in a handsome volume and issued by Charles S. Fee, of St. Paul, general passenger and ticket agent of the company. The illustrations are beautifully executed, and the descriptive matter well written. The reader is carried through a land of rolling plains, boundless grain fields, lofty mountains, alpine lakes, growing cities, trackless forests and dancing rivers. The chapters on Yellowstone Park and Mount Rainier are especially attractive and complete. Mr. Wheeler making the ascent of the latter for the sole purpose of obtaining the material. This genuinely artistic publication may be procured from Mr. Fee by forwarding 6 cents in stamps and the proper address.

The Speaker of the British House of Commons retires on the snug plum of \$20,000 a year and a peerage.

A wonderful old lady is Queen Vic. skipping from Nice to Darmstadt, and anywhere else her fancy prompts, with all the sprightliness of a young girl.

BRAZIL BOTHERED.
NEW YORK, April 24.—The Herald's Rio Janeiro dispatch states that Brazil has failed to pay Italy the indemnity which had been promised. Minister Nobili has been withdrawn from the legation. At a political meeting held in Rio, President Moraes said if he could not govern the Republic in tranquility he would resign.

House and Lobby

Field Day in the Commons—A Fat Job for Onderdonk—McGreevy and Connolly Refuse to Pay Up—The Royal Whisky Commission Reports—That Mysterious Railway Deal—O'Brien Sets Out Costigan.

(Specially Telegraphed by Our Own Representative.)

OTTAWA, April 24.—The chief features of this afternoon's session at the House of Commons were the speech by Mr. Charlton in favor of the repeal of the Dominion Franchise Act and the laying on the table of the long-promised report on prohibition. Thousands of pages of the evidence taken, much of it worthless, are given in the half-dozen ponderous blue books accompanying the report.

While the preliminaries were in progress, Mr. D. C. Fraser, the present Nova Scotian M. P., entered the House fresh from his triumphs in Antigonish, taking his seat on the Liberal side of the chamber amid cheers. The member-elect for Antigonish, Hon. Mr. McIsaac, sat in the Speaker's gallery, looking down upon the scene of his future labors. He will be introduced when his certificate arrives. Hon. Mr. Geo. Brown, another Liberal member elected last week, is expected tomorrow. Near Mr. McIsaac sat Mr. Marter, leader of the Ontario Opposition, receiving pointers from Mr. McKay, M. P. for Hamilton.

Mr. Charlton, in introducing his bill to repeal the Franchise Act and provide for the use of the Provincial lists in the Dominion elections, said he would follow the British system of explaining the bill then. He plotted the Franchise Act as it really is, an expensive, vexatious and altogether unnecessary measure, and wholly un-British. Three revisions had cost the country \$900,000. What the last revision cost remains to be seen. Mr. Charlton said that both parties should be tired of the measure, for it cost politicians another \$400,000 every revision. It was, indeed, one of a trio of political infamy, the other two being the cut-throat gerrymander and systematic hooding. By such unwarranted expedients, and not by the popularity of its taxation policy, have the men in power held office. Mr. Charlton made Sir Adolphe Caron scowl and caused a forced laugh from Mr. Haggart when he referred to "the wicked Caron and other scandals," and "the McGreevy-Connolly prosecution fiasco." If Mr. McGreevy was really elected, then he should be introduced to the House by Sir Adolphe Caron and Mr. Turcotte, Mr. Haggart in the rear.

Mr. Foster mildly protested against adopting the British system followed by Mr. Charlton, but Mr. Laurier said to him it was a decided improvement to have a bill explained when introduced.

Mr. Edgar brought in his bill respecting frauds upon the Government. He explained that it was intended to make the existing statute prohibiting contractors subscribing to election funds apply to every director and officer of all railways subsidized by or having contracts with the Government.

Stalwart Col. O'Brien made his first appearance today in introducing two bills fathered by Mr. McCarthy. The first provides, as in the Ontario act, for making it a corrupt practice for any railway company to carry electors free of charge. The second act provides for the abolition of the use of French as an official language in the North-West Territories. Col. O'Brien said last year this measure met with small support from the House, but it was well supported outside, as an aid to the unity of the country. Turning towards his fellow-Conservatives on the treasury benches, the colonel repudiated the idea of those men being denounced as demagogues who strove to remove unnecessary class and race distinctions. With an eye on Mr. Costigan—who made a personal attack on Mr. McCarthy last night—Col. O'Brien said that men hardly fit for the position of a civil clerkship had in recent years been made Cabinet Ministers, not because they are able for the position, but because they represent certain class or religious prejudices. "Mr. Costigan," added Col. O'Brien, "is a case in point. Sir John Macdonald made no mistake as to Mr. Costigan. It was impossible for Sir John to make a statesman out of him, but he did come to the conclusion that he would make a most admirable placeman, and a placeman he remained."

These daily scraps between different sections of the Conservative party are causing much anxiety to the leaders.

Mr. Laurier asked if the Government was now prepared to present the order in council passed in favor of the Hudson Bay Railway speculators.

Mr. Foster asked for time to bring down the papers.

Mr. Laurier—You promised an explanation today.

Again Mr. Foster urged delay, and delay there is.

Mr. Devlin, on motion for papers, made strong accusations against the Pontiac Pacific Railway Company, which, while receiving enormous subsidies from Parliament, had failed to pay their employees for the last eight months, leaving them in a deplorable condition.

Mr. Laurier warmly championed the cause of the workers, and pointed out that this vindicated the position he had taken, which had been resisted by the men in power when railway companies asked for subsidies. Millions of money had been voted by this House to all sorts of speculators, and no stipulations as to how the money should be spent had been made. The Pontiac Pacific Junction is a case in point. It has been subsidized to the amount of \$30,000 to \$30,000 a mile, and no obligations imposed upon it.

Mr. Laurier elicited the important information today that the suit instituted by the Minister of Justice against the late firm of Larkin, Connolly & Co. had been compromised for \$100,000, to offset which there was a balance due the firm of \$40,000, leaving \$60,000 due by Patrick Larkin, the Connollys and Robert McGreevy. None of the defendants have paid up, and instructions have been given to collect the money. The latter caused some merriment in view of recent events.

Apparently Andrew Onderdonk has a fat thing in the section of the Trent Valley Canal, for which he has got a

contract. Mr. Haggart today said it was only six miles and a half in length, but the contractors will get \$492,000 for the work, or \$82,000 a mile.

Dr. Landerkin elicited the information that the customs collectorship at Montreal had been vacant since January, 1893, that the salary is \$4,000, and that it is intended soon to fill the vacancy. The Minister of Customs refused to say how many applicants there are.

To Mr. McMullen, Mr. Ives said Mr. Larke ceased to be a World's Fair commissioner on Aug. 21, 1894; that he was appointed an agent to go to Australia on Aug. 25, 1894; that his salary is \$3,000 a year, with traveling and removal expenses, and that he had received \$200 advance money.

Mr. Perry elicited the information that \$3,557 had been spent on the P. E. I. tunnel borings. There were no borings last year because there was no general election then. Interpolated Mr. Davies, but there will, of course, be borings during 1895. The tunnel borings appear to be regarded as a good joke by Ministers.

Mr. Montague told Mr. Mulock that no train conductors had been appointed as Government officers to take charge of cattle trains passing through Canada in bond.

Mr. Foster promised Mr. Laurier to give explanations as to the formation of the Cabinet tomorrow. I am told there may be some unusual developments if the whole truth is told.

Today Mr. Mills explained that an order passed for details of the manufacturing census of London city, ordered two years ago, had not been brought down. Mr. Montague promised attention.

Sir Richard Cartwright was informed that the Dominion has at its credit in Canadian banks today \$5,929,526, and in England, \$964,172. The total unexpended subsidies voted by Parliament to date is \$8,749,271 \$1.

On motion of Mr. Laurier for papers regarding the dispute as to Canadian sealers between Canada, the States and Britain, Mr. Langelier said it would be important to know what truth there was in the statement published in the Conservative papers to the effect that Sir C. H. Tupper had received a mere snub from Secretary Gresham of the United States, when he went on a mission regarding this matter. There was absolute silence on the Conservative side and a hurried whispering between Mr. Foster and Mr. Haggart. "Admitted," cried Mr. Edgar, and the House laughed.

At 6 o'clock the House adjourned.

The report of the prohibition commission is a huge document, containing nearly half a million words. The majority of the commissioners, as expected, pronounce against prohibition, as they allege it would prejudicially affect the business, industrial and commercial interests of the country. The commissioners say they disagree with the churches and many witnesses, who assert that the licensing of the traffic is an immoral and national sin. They compliment the Salvation Army. A combined system of license and regulation is the idea. They assert that a prohibitory law would prove unduly coercive, and therefore would be impracticable. Then the commissioners think that some of the provinces are opposed to prohibition, and that with the frontier of the United States, where liquor is freely sold, unprotected, a general prohibitory law could not be enforced with any reasonable degree of effect. If prohibition were enforced, the commissioners hold that compensation ought to be given. The commissioners suggest that a Dominion tax, as well as a provincial and municipal tax, be collected. They advocate better control of habitual drunkards. They report against saloon licenses, and in favor of a high license system.

Rev. Dr. McLeod dissented from the findings of his fellow-commissioners, and presents a separate report, not yet brought down. G. A. Giguat, another member of the commission, reports: "I dissent from the suggestion that liquor dealers should be required to obtain certificates from the Federal Government. I also dissent from the paragraph referring to the work of the Salvation Army, as I am not satisfied that the temperance movement has been benefited by the work of that organization."

Mr. Laurier will next week insist on having laid on the table a copy of order in council granting or promising aid to the Hudson Bay Railway speculators.

Senators Power, MacDonald and Kibach continued the debate on the address in the Senate today, but no interest is taken in their deliberations. The House of Commons was told today that Dairy Commissioner Robertson sent 915 packages of first-class dairy butter to Great Britain this spring; 246 packages had been sold in Montreal for a little over 20 cents a pound, and 224 of second quality had been taken charge of by dealers in Montreal.

Mr. Casey (West Elgin) has given notice of a bill to provide greater security for passengers and employees on railways, and another measure to provide increased facilities for drainage across railways.

Mr. Boston (South Middlesex) went out to the Experimental Farm today to make arrangements for obtaining the best samples of seed corn and potatoes for his Indian constituents.

Mr. Smith (Ontario) gives notice of a resolution favoring appointing a veterinary surgeon from Britain to examine our cattle and prove there is no contagious disease among them.

So far \$69,676 73 has been spent on the whisky royal commission, but all the accounts are not yet paid, Mr. Foster informed Mr. Edgar.

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- 3rd—5 pieces Granite Cloth, all wool, double fold, in very pretty mixed colorings, worth 50c, Friday for 39c.
- 4th—6 pieces Tweed Dress Goods, a very pretty neat check, worth 50c, on Friday for 35c.
- 5th—5 pieces Fancy Stripe Dress Goods, worth 45c, for 25c.
- 6th—9 pieces Satin Cloth, for dresses, all wool, in the newest shades, worth 65c, for 50c.
- 7th—10 pieces Dress Goods, in a nice small figure, 42 inches wide, in cardinal, bluette, fawn and green, worth 45c, for 30c.
- 8th—5 pieces Fancy Stripe Dress Goods, worth 30c, for 20c.
- 9th—4 pieces Tweed Dress Goods, 46 inches wide, very neat patterns and good colors, worth 50c, for 35c.
- 10th—4 pieces Fancy Black Lustre, worth 50c, for 35c.

STAPLE DEPARTMENT.

- 11th—6 pieces Striped White Muslin, worth 12 1/2c, 15c and 20c, for 8 1/2c.
- 12th—Silk Embroidered Table Covers, 2 yards square, worth \$1 75, for \$1 10.
- 13th—10x4 White Honeycomb Quilts, with fringe, worth \$1, for 75c.
- 14th—3 pieces Twill Navy Flannel, worth 20c, for 12 1/2c.
- 15th—1 piece Plain Unbleached Sheet, 2 yards wide, worth 20c, for 15c.
- 16th—2 pieces Unshrinkable Angola Shirting, worth 30c, for 12 1/2c.
- 17th—10 pieces Dark Colors Scotch Zephyrs, plain colors, worth 12 1/2c, for 5c.
- 18th—10 pieces Fine Bleached Cotton, English make, 36 inches wide, worth 10c, for 5c.
- 19th—4 pieces Twill Oxford Shirting, strong and serviceable, worth 15c, for 10c.
- 20th—6 pieces Cretone Drapery, double fold and reversible, worth 45c and 50c, for 33c.
- 21st—Strong Serviceable Tweed, for boys' wear, worth 35c, for 22c.
- 22nd—Striped Skirting, worth 25c, for 12 1-2c; skirt length for 32c.
- 23rd—36-inch Twill Sheet, unbleached, worth 10c, for 8c.
- 24th—Damask Linen Towels, red borders, worth 20c, for 12 1-2c.
- 25th—10x4 White Quilts, fancy border, worth \$1, for 75c.

SMALLWARE DEPARTMENT.

- 26th—Black Silk Gloria Parasols, gold and black handles, worth \$1, for 75c.
- 27th—Misses' Fine Ribbed Cashmere Hose, all wool, worth 35c, for 25c.
- 28th—Fine White Cambric Embroidery, 5 inches wide, worth 12 1-2c, for 8c.
- 29th—Ladies' All-Wool Cashmere Hose, spliced sole, heel and toe, worth 45c, for 30c.
- 30th—Fancy White Metal Belts, worth 35c, for 20c.
- 31st—Children's Ribbed Cashmere Hose, spliced knee, heel and toe, worth 45c, for 30c.
- 32nd—Ladies' White Cambric Skirts, worth 40c, for 25c.
- 33rd—Ladies' Corsets—"The Gem"—all sizes, worth 50c, for 42c.
- 34th—Colored Silk and Satin Ribbons, worth 12 1-2c, for 5c.
- 35th—Colored Taffeta Gauntlet Gloves, worth 40c, for 25c.

GENTS' FURNISHINGS DEPARTMENT.

- 36th—Men's Flannelette Shirts, all sizes, worth 25c, for 19c.
- 37th—Men's White Laundered Shirts, worth 85c for 69c.
- 38th—Men's White Unlaundered Shirts, worth 60c, for 45c.
- 39th—Men's Black Felt Hats, worth 75c, for 50c.
- 40th—Men's French Cambric Shirts, worth 75c, for 62 1-2c.
- 41st—Men's Fine Merino Shirts and Drawers, worth 35c, for 25c.
- 42nd—Men's Umbrellas, nickel rods, worth \$1 75, for \$1 37 1-2.
- 43rd—Men's Ribbed Cashmere Socks, worth 40c, for 29c.
- 44th—Men's Ribbed Lisle Thread Socks, worth 25c, for 18c.
- 45th—Boys' Flannelette Shirts, worth 25c, for 19c.

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

- 46th—Men's All-Wool Tweed Suits, worth \$6, for \$4 50.
- 47th—Men's All-Wool Tweed Suits, worth \$8, for \$6 50.
- 48th—Men's All-Wool Tweed Suits, worth \$10, for \$8 25.
- 49th—Men's All-Wool Tweed Pants, worth \$2 75, for \$2.
- 50th—Men's Heavy Working Pants, worth \$1 50, for \$1 10.
- 51st—Youths' All-Wool Tweed Suits, worth \$5, for \$4 25.
- 52nd—Boys' Nobby Blouse Suits, gold trimmed, worth \$2, for \$1 25.
- 53rd—Boys' All-Wool Tweed Suits, worth \$3, for \$2 25.
- 54th—Boys' D. B. Sailor Suits, tweed, worth \$3, for \$2 49.

CAPE DEPARTMENT.

- 55th—50 only Ladies' Black and Navy Capes, worth \$1 75, for \$1 25.
- 56th—12 only Black Serge Spring Coats, worth \$4 50, for \$3 75.
- 57th—Navy Serge Capes, with hood, lined with plaid silk, worth \$2 75 for \$2.

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- 58th—Ladies' Flannel Wrappers, worth \$2, for \$1 65.
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Toronto, April 24.—11 p.m.—The pressure continues comparatively high in the Southern States. Elsewhere it is for the most part a little below the average. The weather today has been generally fair in all portions of Canada.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: World, one of the best papers of the west, is in the city.

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Work Being Done by the Children's Aid Society—Little Ones for Adoption.

The following is handed in for publication:
At the last regular monthly meeting of the Children's Aid Society, held in Somerset Hall, there were present: T. R. Parker, president, in the chair; Messrs. E. W. Hyman, A. Morphy, J. Beattie, J. A. Hunt, T. Macbeth, K. Hutchinson, J. W. Jones, P. Mulken, Miss Long, and Messrs. W. H. Wortman, J. H. A. Beattie, barrister, secretary, and Inspector Sanders.

The executive, foster home, temporary home and finance committees made their reports, which were acted upon. The inspector's report of several cases was referred to the executive. The cases of several children were dealt with, and a great deal of sympathy is required in dealing with them, for in some cases the sins of the parents fall upon them, and the bad training they receive in their homes is enough to blight their young lives and make paupers or criminals of them. A number have been placed out in good Christian homes, that will counteract what they have already gone through, and their chances of growing up useful citizens are greatly increased. We cannot think of any better work people can do than adopt one of these and train them up for the Lord. The experience of nearly all that have adopted a child is that they have been amply repaid for their trouble, and they are the means of making their homes more cheerful and happy.

We have two small boys—a baby boy 1 month old, also a baby girl 3 months old—ready for adoption. Application to the president or secretary will have immediate attention.

The sincere thanks of the society are tendered to the city and surrounding editors for inserting the minutes of our meetings in their papers. We realize that they are the best mediums through which we can reach the public and give them an idea of what is being done for the unfortunate but dear children.

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—Mr. J. T. Wilkinson, traveling representative of the Vancouver (B.C.) west, is in the city.

—Mr. Patrick Mulligan, of King street east, has been appointed watchman at the Rectory street crossing of the Grand Trunk Railway.

—Louis Smith was fined \$1 and costs by Squire Lacey yesterday for using abusive language towards John Atwell. Both parties belong to Dorchester Station.

—Mr. Herbert Beal was the recipient a day or two ago of a complete set of Thomas Carlyle's works, also three volumes of the poets, from the Literary Society of the Collegiate Institute.

Many "Advertiser" readers will sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McLean, Stanley street, in the loss of their son, Hugh Francis, a bright little fellow in his fourth year. He was only ill for 24 hours.

The red sandstone for the new front to D. S. Perrin & Co.'s factory has arrived from Portage Entry, on the southern shore of Lake Superior. It came in blocks weighing about two and a half tons each.

—Balliff English passed through the city today, having in charge John Evans, sentenced at Sandwich to six months in the Central for stealing timber. Mr. English took an old-timer from the jail here to serve two months for vagrancy.

—Dr. Bert Leys, son of Col. F. B. Leys, city, and Dr. McLean, of Detroit, left the city on the Grand Trunk this afternoon for New York. They sail for Europe on Saturday on the Etruria, and for six months will visit the leading hospitals in Germany, Austria, France, England, Scotland and Ireland.

—Malcolm McLeod, a middle-aged man claiming Chatham as his home, was charged with drunkenness and vagrancy at the police court today. Malcolm was very drunk when arrested and had to be lifted into the patrol wagon. At the police station he was full of fight, but soon tamed down when given an inch and a half plank on which to rest his muddled head. It was Malcolm's first appearance in court, and the magistrate ordered that he be seen out of town and headed Chatham-ward.

—Mrs. C. P. Colwell, wife of the well-known music dealer, is still a severe sufferer from illness. The lady had been unwell for some time, but was regaining health and strength when the recent fire in the family residence occurred, and the shock caused a serious relapse. Indeed, Mrs. Colwell's condition on Sunday was such as to cause grave fears for her recovery. Yesterday, however, she was a little better, though the discomfort of moving into another place of residence is not favorable to speedy recovery.

—Ida Van Cortlandt will open a week's engagement next Monday in Wilkie Collins' drama, "The New Magdalen," which has proven to be one of the best drawing plays on the stage. It is a dramatization of Wilkie Collins' novel of the same name, and is notable for being a story of strong human interest without, as its name might suggest, developing any of the moral, or perhaps rather, sensational, speculations of some more modern plays.

Miss Van Cortlandt presents a vivid picture of what is noble and good in the "Woman with a Past," and the art which can do this shows the highest and most worthy histrionic achievement.

—It has been definitely announced that the Thirty-eighth Battalion Dufferin Rifles will spend Queen's Birthday with the Seventh Fusiliers of London at the Forest City. An official invitation has been received, and the officers have signified their willingness to visit London. There is no doubt the invitation will be accepted by Lieut. Col. Spence. A deputation of officers from the Seventh Fusiliers is expected to visit Brantford in a few days to make all necessary arrangements in connection with the trip. The battalion parades at the armory on Friday evening, and it is expected that regimental orders commanding parade twice a week until the 24th of May will be issued this week—Brantford Exposition.

—The Boys' Brigade entertainment in aid of the Newsboys' Hall on May 24 promises to be a very unique, interesting and profitable one. A street parade will take place during the day, when from 300 to 500 boys will march in uniform to good music. An excellent programme for the evening has been arranged, consisting of national songs and recitations by first-class talent; camp scenes, ambulance, drill, sword and musket exercises, field and fancy marching, choruses by the boys (one of which is specially composed for the occasion by Mr. J. L. Baron, music teacher in the public schools). The Mechanics' Hall is being especially fitted up for the occasion. A very encouraging letter has been received by A. B. Imrie, captain of First London Company of Boys' Brigade, from his Excellency Lord Aberdeen, the president of the Boys' Brigade in Canada, regretting his inability to be present on that occasion, but promising, in com-

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pany with Lady Aberdeen, to meet with the Boys' Brigade in London in the near future. Tickets can be had at the Newsboys' Hall, James I. Anderson's book store, and others, and from boys deputed to sell same.

—The police force has resumed summer hours of duty.

—Mr. R. McBride (color-sergeant) is taking the initiative in the matter of having a local reunion of the Fenian raid volunteers on the anniversary of the trouble in June.

At the weekly prayer-meeting of the Adelaide Street Baptist Church last night Rev. D. M. Mihell, the pastor, who resigned his pulpit on Sunday, announced that he would reconsider the matter and give his decision in a week.

—The following programme was rendered at the 26th concert of the Woman's Morning Music Club yesterday:

Piano duet—Symphony No. 7.....Haydn
Misses Hickey and Roblyn.

Song—Murmuring Zephyrs.....Jensen
Mrs. Paul.

Piano solo—Marguerite's Song.....Grieg
Miss Mand Reids.

Piano duet—Peer Gynt Suite.....Grieg
Misses Ethel and Morphy.

Song—Sunset.....Budley Buck
Miss Daly.

Piano solo—Aufschwung.....Schumann
Miss Flora McNab.

Song—My Lover Will Come Today. De Koon
Miss Cecily Patterson (Denfield).

Piano duet—Dance. Polonaise. Scherwenka
Miss Helen Taylor and Mrs. Whyte.

—A barn in the rear of Mrs. Barrett's house on Dundas street, London West, caught fire about 10 o'clock last night and began to burn so furiously that the Central firemen were asked to give assistance. They complied, and in a few minutes had a line of hose attached to the Thames street hydrant and a stream playing on the building. For a time Mrs. Barrett's house and the adjoining hotel were in danger, but Springbank water proved too much for the flames. The barn, which contained only a small quantity of hay, was damaged to the extent of \$150. The fire is supposed to have been the work of a tramp, who was seen hanging around the vicinity.

Representative Methodists of the city have decided to ask the Rev. C. H. Yatman, of New York, to come to London and conduct a series of evangelistic services for a couple of weeks. Dr. Yatman has signified his willingness to come if satisfactory arrangements could be made as to the place of meeting. Princess rink will be secured and afternoon and evening meetings held.

Mr. John M. Whyte, of the famous Whyte brothers, will conduct the music, assisted by a large choir of 100 or more voices. The Whyte brothers are the most popular Gospel singers in Canada today. The first meeting of the series will be held in the Grand Opera House on Sunday morning, May 12. While these services are under the direction of the Methodist Church of the city, ministers and members of other congregations are cordially invited to attend.

MRS. BARNEY'S WORK.

There was a fair-sized audience at St. Andrew's Church last night to hear Mrs. Barney, of Rhode Island, speak. The lady is thoroughly wrapped up in her work, any by her pathetic stories of the conversion of men and women in all quarters of the globe she at times holds her audience spell-bound. She will be here all week, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. and W. C. T. U. After the meeting had been opened by prayer Miss Gilmore sang two solos in her effective style. Mrs. Barney took for her theme the first three verses of the 54th Psalm, and made a very powerful address. After the meeting was closed an inquiry meeting was held, to which a good number remained. In the absence of the Rev. Mr. Johnston, the pastor, Mr. Chas. R. Sayer, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., took the chair. Among those on the platform were Mrs. M. Thornley, Mrs. Darch and Miss Cosford. Mrs. Barney speaks tonight again in St. Andrew's Church on "A Modern Median Cry." The lady has had nearly 30 years' experience in prison work, and all who go to hear her may be assured of a treat.

THE BEEF BOOM.

Washington, D. C., April 24.—It is understood that the developments thus far made in the investigation of the beef question has about convinced Secretary Morton that a combination has been formed to keep the price down to the producer and force it up for the consumer.

THREAT TO BOYCOTT CANADA.
OTTAWA, April 24.—Mr. Samuel Thall, advance agent of the "Tribune" company, who is at present here, says that managers of theatrical companies in the United States will next week boycott Canada altogether if the Canadian Government does not do something towards making it easier for the companies to get into Canada. The duty on all theatrical effects at present is so heavy, he says, as to take away all the profit in the business.

STYLISH METHODIST WEDDING.

Toronto, April 24.—A stylish Methodist wedding took place at 98 Madison avenue this afternoon when Margaret, daughter of Rev. Dr. Griffin, and R. D. Kay, of Detroit, were joined in the holy bonds. The bride was dressed in white silk, with point lace, while the bridesmaids were attired in cream and mauve crepon. The bridesmaids were Misses Jean McCallum, Clara Biggar, Ethel Matthews and Miss McKeough. Will Kay, brother of the groom, was best man. The ceremony was performed by the father of the bride, and at the conclusion a reception was held. In addition to presents of solid silver and costly china was a piano from the bride's parents and several checks from members of the family. The young couple left for Detroit tonight.

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