WHOLE NO. 16281

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

POPE-On May 26, 1901, to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pope, Strathroy, a daughter.

MARRIED. LUCAS-McDONNELL-At the residence of Mrs. Darville, sister of the bride, on Thursday, May 23, 1901, by Rev. R. Stewart, B.A., of Melbourne, Charles L. Lucas to Jennie McDonnell, all of Middlemiss, township of Ekfrid.

NOBLE-LASKEY-In this city, on May 24, 1901, by the Rev. Robert Johnston, D.D., Robert Noble, of Rochester, N. Y., to Phoebe Grace, daughter of Mr. William Laskey, of this city.

DIET.

HOUSEN-At his residence, 535 Hill street, on May 24, 1901, John Housen, aged 75 years 1 month.

Funeral private, on Monday, at 2:30 p.m. Please omit flowers. EVANS—In this city, on Monday, May 27, 1901, Mary E., beloved wife of W. S. Evans, aged 46 years.

Funeral will take place on Wednesday, 29th inst., at 2:30 p.m., from her late residence, 394 Waterloo street. Inter-ment at Woodland Cemetery. CARMICHAEL-In London township, on May 26, 1901, Duncan Carmichael, aged

Funeral on Tuesday, May 28, at 2:30 (service at 2 p.m.), from his rate residence, con. 9, lot 14, London township. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

TAYLOR-In this city, on May 25, 1901, William Taylor, in his 38th year. Funeral on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, from his late residence, 114 Wilson avenue, West London, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this in-

PARKINSON-On May 25, 1901, at his late residence, 187 Waterloo street, Thomas A. Parkinson, aged 38 years. Funeral on Tuesday, at 3:30 p.m.; service at 3. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

DADD-In this city, on the 25th inst., at her late residence, 1 Emery street, Mary, relict of the late William Dadd, in her 76th year. She fell asleep in Jesus. Funeral on Tuesday at 3 o'clock (service at 2:30), to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC. Advertisements under this heading 10c per line, or 20 per word each insertion.

OPEN FOR THE SEASON—SULPHUR Springs Baths. Delily from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. Single bath, 25c; five tickets, \$1. Cole & Edmonds. SPECIAL RAILWAY FARES ARE given passengers in connection with steamship passages via Allan and Beaver Lines to Liverpool. Tickets in connection with ocean ticket from F. B. Clarke, agent, next Advertiser.

\$2 65-LONDON TO DETROIT AND return, Saturday, June 1, and Sunday, June 2. Return Monday, June 3; boat and Sarnia. F. B. Clarke, next Adver-

PRIVATE DANCING PARTIES—PAL-ACE Dancing Academy. Perfect ar-rangements guaranteed for summer season. Extra electric fans, ample ventilation, etc. Dayton & McCormick.

MEETINGS.

AN EMERGENCY MEETING OF ST John's Lodge, No. 20, will be held to-morrow (Tuesday) afternoon, at 2 o'clock, to attend the funeral of our late Bro. T. A. Parkinson. Members of other lodges invited. O. Ellwood, W.M.; M. D. Dawson, secretary. b

LOMESTICS WANTED. GENERAL GIRL WANTED-ATLAN-TIC House, corner York and Clarence

WANTED-EXPERIENCED GENERAL Servant. Apply Mrs. Whitewam, 307 King street. WANTED-GOOD GENERAL VANT. Apply 87 Askin street.

COOK AND DINING ROOM GIRL wanted at Britannia House. 77n GIRL WANTED AT ONCE TO ASSIST in housework; good wages. Apply 4 Dundas street. 77tf DINING OR UPSTAIRS GIRL WANT-ED. Apply Boswell House, B. Harri-son, proprietor. 76n

KITCHEN GIRL WANTED-APPLY Central House. 72tf WANTED-BY JUNE 1-A GOOD PAR-LOR maid. Apply to Mrs. John Labatt, 572 Queen's avenue. 70tf

DINING-ROOM GIRL WANTED-AP-PLY to Mrs. Wright, Office Hotel, 378 Richmond street. 63tf

MALE HELP WANTED.

Ic per word first insertion and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. BICYCLE REPAIRER WANTED Wm. Gurd & Co. CARRIAGE WOODWORKER WANTED -C. Reid, Bothwell, Ont. 80c

WANTED-YOUNG MAN ACCUSTOM-Box 28, this office.

BOYS WANTED FOR BOTTLING DE-PARTMENT. Apply Labatt's brewery, Simcoe and Talbot streets. 50c STOUT BOYS WANTED-D. S. PERRIN

BOYS ABOUT 16, FOR WEEDING. Main & Collyer, Ridout street south.

FEMALE HELP WANTED. GIRLS WANTED-APPLY McCORMIC

Savings and Investment Society.

HIGHEST RATES

Paid on Deposits and Debentures.

OFFICES - Masonic Temple NATHANIEL MILLS,

EXQUISITE

don't tell it. Put a couple of trim feet into a pair of those

Astoria Shoes

and-well, say!-it's a "pedal poem," sure as you live.

Men's and women's cost the same -\$1 a pair. Made in every highgrade leather. Every size-every

Sold exclusively by

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AGENTS—DO NOT MISS MY PROPO-SITION—I have staple articles, con-stantly in use; big inducements; ex-asive territory. Cooper, Drawer 531, London. 76n

AGENTS WANTED IN EVERY TOWN and city in Canada to sell Anchored Soap. It sells on sight. A delightful soap for the toilet, promoting healthy action of the skin and invigorating the system. Send 25c for a sample box of two cakes and silver-plated stand.

W. H. GILBERT,
No. 9 Masonic Temps, London, Ont.

LOST AND FOUND.

STRAYED—FROM FOREST, ON SUNDAY, May 19, a bay mare, 4 years old, 16 hands high, nigh hind fetlock white, narrow stripe on face; thin; halter on. Any information leading to the recovery of the same will be suitably rewarded. W. J. Skinner, Forest.

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—GOOD DRY OAK PLANK, 1, 2, 3 and 4 inches thick. Joseph Dud-ley, 277 Wellington street. 80n OOL TABLE FOR SALE—CHEAP—Including cues and balls. Apply 371 Richmond street.

FOR SALE—LADY'S AND GENTLE-MAN'S combination tandem (Colum-bia), in first-class order; \$25 cash. Ap-ply 424 Richmond street. 70tf TRY F. S. ONN, FISH DEALER, FOR all kinds of fish; fresh daily; satisfac-tion guaranteed. Phone 1,296. ZXW

SNAPS FOR THIS WEEK IN PIANOS that have been in use, but overhauled thoroughly and guaranteed for five years. One Gilbert & Co. piano, rose-wood, 7 octaves, good condition, \$65. One Dunham piano, 7 octaves, in elegant shape, \$106. One Williams piano, 7 1-3 octaves, extra condition, \$125. On easy terms of payment. Heintzman & Co., corner Dundas and Clarence.

IMPERIAL WHEELS ARE MADE from the best imported English seam-less tubing, with tool steel bearings; Dunlop three and best equipment. Price, 325. We are sale agents for the J. H. Cumpingham, 639 Dundas street ISHING TACKLE, BICYCLE PUMPS, bells, tubes, tires; all kinds of bicycle parts at lowest prices. D. McKenzie, 298 Richmond street, one door south G. T. R.

NEW RIVER SMOKELESS COAL—Better and cheaper than hard coal; no smoke, no smell; more heat to the ton than any other coal; will kindle in range as quick as wood. Try it. Green & Co., coal and wood dealers, William street and G. T. Railway. 'Phone 1,391.

VE HANDLE THE BEST FRUIT THAT comes to the city, and don't charge fancy prices. Sorrento and Messina oranges, 25c dozen; bloods and oval oranges, 25c dozen; bloods and oval, extra quality, 30c dozen; choice Messina lemons, 13c dozen, 2 dozen for 25c; largest size, 15c dozen; pineapples, 10c, 15c and 20c each; bananas, extra quality, 15c and 20c dozen. T. A. Faulds, 687 Dundas street. Phone 1,192. zxv

for Putting UP HAY Forks farmers use our ladders: painters, plumbers and eavestroughers prefer them to all others. So does everyone. Catalogue free. The Waggoner Ladder Company, Limited, factory corner York and Colborne streets, London, Ont.

ORGANS AND PIANOS FROM \$5 TO \$70; sewing machines from \$2 50 to \$20; bedroom sets and all kinds furniture and stoves taken in exchange for new. Remember the place, A. T. Parish, 357 Talbot street, south market square. FOR BEST COAL AND WOOD DELIV-ERED free, city, try Wm. Buchanan, 633 Colborne street. Phone 1,096.

TWO HORSES FOR SALE-ALSO laundry plant. Bart Cottam Co. 55tf WE CAN SAVE YOU PROM \$1 TO \$5

purchasing your baby carriage or cart from us. Keene Bros., 127 King HARD WOOD-BEECH AND MAPLE-

Best quality; also soft wood. Prompt delivery. S. Gillies & Son. 'Phone 1,312. GREAT SLAUGHTER SALE - WALL paper, paints, oil, glass, mixed paints, brushes. Open till 10 p.m. Scarrow, 434 Richmond.

IF YOU ARE TROUBLED WITH OLD sores, piles, burns, skin disease, use New Century Magic Salve. 25 cents box. No. 15 Masonic Temple. LIGHT SPRING DELIVERY WAGON

and buggies; in good repair. Charles Johns, 361 Talbot street. 70tf HAPPY THOUGHT RANGES AND ALL

kinds of stoves, new and second-hand. 100 cook stoves wanted; will pay cash, at F. Keene's, 141 King street.

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET. O LET-UNION FURNITURE VAN-Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce. South Lon-don, late of London Furniture Company. 'Phone 318.

O LET-NO. 40 ALMA STREET, north; brick cottage, 7 rooms; large stable; hard and soft water. 80u TO LET-NEW BRICK HOUSE, WITH five bedrooms; all modern improvements. Apply 163 Tecumseh avenue, London South. 78k

FURNISHED COTTAGE-BY MONTH or season, at New Orchard Beach, Port Stanley. 182 Dundas street, O LET-HOUSE-SEVEN ROOMS: fresh paper and clean; rent moderate. Piccadilly street. Apply 476 Queen's avenue. 76n

TO RENT-FURNISHED COTTAGE— Port Stanley. Apply 442 King street. 65tf

Richmond Streets.

TO LET - FURNISHED COTTAGE-Fraser Heights, Port Stanley. Apply Strong's Drug Store.

Rich and Stylish

clothes, if made by us, will not cost you an outrageous price. We have about doubled our business this year over last. This would not have been the case if we over-charged or did not give satisfaction.

DEEKS & MUNSON, Tailors and Drapers.

393 Richmond St.

PARCEL DELIVERY. CITY PARCEL EXPRESS—PARCELS called for and delivered to any part of city. Bicycle messengers for small parcels or messages. 'Phone 1,295. Office, WANTED.

WANTED TO RENT-MEDIUM SIZED modern, detached house, at once; park locality preferred. Box 32, Advertiser. WANTED — MIXED RAGS, ALSO tailor and dressmaking rags, all kinds metal, old rubbers and bottles. Pay highest cash prices. Orders promptly attended to. H. Serwer, Grey street, corner Adelaide. 'Phone 1,199.

BOARDING, ROOMS. ETC. WANTED-BY SINGLE GENTLEMAN -Comfortable room in private family, with or without board. State terms. Box 29, Advertiser Office. 80u

BUSINESS CARDS.

WATSON & CO., HOUSE MOVERS-Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 194 Hamilton road. 'Phone 1,231. WM. HODGSON, HOUSE PAINTER. paperhanger, decorator, contractor, etc., 410 Horton street. Orders promptly at-tended to, First-class work done, Patronage kindly solicited. Estimates free

MISCELLANEOUS.

PASTURE FOR HORSES—59 ACRES on Wellington road; has had no stock on this spring; limited number taken. Apply D. H. Porter, 97 Carling street. 'Phone 1,162.

REAL ESTATE.

SUMMER COTTAGE, PORT STANLEY

For sale or to let. Apply J. A. Nelles,
insurance agent, London. 75tf zxv FOR SALE—ONE BRICK COTTAGE, 3 bedrooms, all in good repair; lot 44 by 200. Two frame cottages, 3 bedrooms in each; lots 33 by 200. The above are near the center of the city, and will be sold cheap. J. F. Sangster, 403 Richmond street.

The News Summary

Sir Alfred Milner, on his elevation to the peerage, takes the title of Lord Milner of Cape Town.

Burglars robbed the First Central Bank of Mineral Point, Wis., urday, of \$20,000, or more. Census statistics, just issued, show great gains in manufacturing industries in Idaho, Nevada and Wyoming. P. Marcoux, chief engineer of the steamer Baltimore, which foundered in a gale on Lake Huron, on Friday, and one of those who was lost, was a Que-

bec man. Sixty lashes, an hour in the pillory, four years' imprisonment, and \$5,000 fine, is the penalty given a Delaware negro for trying to poison his father-in-law.

Simon Fraser, of Quebec, has been appointed customs officer at Anticosti, with headquarters at English Bay. He will be the first Canadian customs officer appointed to that post.

The trouble between the Bishop of Ottawa and clergy will go to The bishop virtually takes the stand that he will act independently in all appointments to places in the dio-

Booker T. Washington is no longer "one of the greatest negroes in the world," the A. M. E. conference in session at Harrisburg, Pa., having struck the expression out of the re-

port of the president. It can be said on excellent authority says a Washington special to the New Tribune, that virtually it has been decided to make Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts chairman of the senate committee on foreign re-

lations. Moses T. Hale, for eight years city treasurer of Colorado Springs, Col., and Charles E. Smith, who was for four years prior to 1897 the city clerk, are under arrest, under charges of embezzlement of \$20,000, as principal and

accessory. Chester A. Harris, an old and respect ed citizen of Fort Erie, Ont., dropped dead Friday. He had been out for a walk and just returned home, and while passing from one room to the next dropped dead. Mr. Harris was 74

years of age. At Portage la Prairie, Saturday, fine programme of sports was marred by a serious accident to James Fitzgerson of the proprietor of the Grand Central Hotel. The youth was riding Butterfly, when the horse fell and trampled on his rider's head.

The Lower Yukon River, in American territory, has overflowed its banks, causing \$100,000 damage, principally at Forty-Mile, a new mining camp, where houses were swept away, warehouses were wrecked, and the inhabitants barely escaped with their lives.

G. H. Allen, of Kingston, Ont., general agent for the Standard Insurance Company of Edinburgh, Scotland, has made arrangements to insure all the miners in the employ of the Dominion Coal Company, at Sydney, C. B. This is claimed to be the largest transaction in the history of Canadian life insur-

GIRL OF 17 SUICIDES.

Adrian, Mich., May 27.—Elizabeth Tierney, an inmate of the Industrial Home, hanged herself in her room Saturday at Gillespie Cottage, the manurday at Gillespie Cottage, the manager finding her when she was called to supper. She came from Detroit March 17 last. She was 17 years old. During the day she was ungovernable, determined to strike another girl, and was locked in her room. Then she tore up her bedding. She took some pieces of the sheet, fastened a loop around her neck, stood on a chair tied the other end of the sheet to a hook on the door and then kicked the chair the door and then kicked the chair HOUSE TO LET - NO. 810 TALBOT street. Alex. Harvey, 804 Talbot street. 54tf away. She was dead when cut down by the home physician. Her record was a bad one.

ROYAL VISITORS!

Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York Reach Sydney, N.S.W.

Sydney, N. S. W., May 27.-The Brit- | ed with shipping and excursion craft, the premier, Sir William Lyne, the ministers and the federal officials. As the Russian admiral. the squadron entered the roadstead, the Ophir leading, the Russian cruiser chorage, fired a royal salute. The magnificent, and a brilliant military British cruisers responded, hoisting the

pulletins are now infrequent, and few

which is still flickering in South Africa.

A second combined movement of six

ance of the Eastern Transvaal and

South Delagoa Railway, but the re-

sults are not yet known, apart from

large captures of horses and cattle.

Two Boer forces are reported in this

district-one under Botha, near Caro-

lina, and the other in the mountains

The western and northern districts

of the Transvaal are quieter, but rem-

nants of Delarey's and Beyer's com-

mandoes are still lurking among

the hills. The Orange River Col-

ony is tolerably free from raiders,

guerillas in the Zurburg district of

Cape Colony. Eight or more small

commandos under as many Boer

chiefs are operating in Cape Colony,

and are successful chiefly in eluding

pursuit by mounted British Columns. A British patrol is snapped up once in

a while, but otherwise the Boers accomplish little. While the warfare is

tedious, it is conducted without signs

of exasperation on the British side,

The war office has received the fol-lowing from Lord Kitchener, dated

made a determined attack on a convoy

between Ventersdorp and Potchef

stroom, May 23, but was driven off. Our loss was four killed and thirty wounded. The convoy arrived in safe-

VILJOEN HEMMED IN.

Pretoria, May 25.-A great concerted

morth, but so far without success. The movement of the various columns under Gen. Blood have been attended

with the usual sniping by small parties

of burghers. The only time the Boers

made any attempt at a stand was at a

oint near Dalmanthua, where the

Carolina commando attempted to hold

off the British under Col. Douglas,

while their cattle and wagons were being driven off. The British had al-most turned the Boer position when

SURPRISED A LAAGER.

that the Highland Infantry surprised

a Boer laager in the Brandfort district

of the Orange River Colony the other day. The Boers were routed. They

lost 12 in killed and 12 in wounded,

LIVELY SKIRMISHES.

Pretoria, May 25 .- The troops of the

Cattle Rangers' Corps, which was or-

ganized by Col. Morgan, has returned

to Pretoria from Wolveshoek. They had a number of exciting adventures

and several skirmishes with the Boers,

but by excellent scouting they succeed-ed in getting through the Boer lines

with 40,000 sheep and 4,000 cattle. The Boers lost seven killed in the encoun-

Bermuda, May 25.—The steamship Hawarden Castle sailed from Durban yesterday for Bermuda with 300 Boer

CONVICTED OF TREASON.

it learns that three British officers and about a hundred non-commissioned officers and men who were sent back

from South Africa for various misde-

meanors are now in Portland prison.

A majority of the prisoners are appar-

London, May 26 .- The Chronicle says

BOER PRISONERS.

while 12 others were captured.

Bloemfontein, May 25 .- It is reported

the burghers retired.

ters with this corps.

prisoners.

"A superior force of Boers

Endurance matches endurance.

near Majuba.

COMBINED

Transvaal and South Delagoa Railway.

Highlanders Surprise a Boer Laager-Lively Skirmishes-

Reinvasion of Cape Colony.

ish steamer Ophir, having on board and the shores were lined with thouthe Duke and the Duchess of Corn- sands of spectators. The sun shone wall and York, arrived here at 11 intermittently. When the Ophir came o'clock this morning. She was joined to anchor, she was boarded by the outside the harbor by a squadron of governor-general, the Earl of Hopeseven government vessels, conveying toun, Sir Frederick Darley, lieutenantgovernor of New South Wales, and

The duke and the duchess landed at 2 o'clock, and were greeted by enthu-Gromoboy, from the Atholbight an- siastic crowds. The decorations were escort awaited the landing of the duke Russian flag. The harbor was crowd- and the duchess.

JOHN MORLEY HEARD AGAIN. MOVEMENT!

and therefore carried.

tunate Weakness of Voice.

Princess Victoria's Illness-King's Six British Columns Clearing Eastern

> London, May 27.-An event of the past week has been John Morley's return to active politics with a powerful, eloquent speech, which he made on the second reading of the finance bill. Mr. Morley's long silence, due to an unfortunate weakness of his voice, has been a public misfortune, lamented on both sides of the House of Commons, and throughout dentist. The patient is put under the the country, as well as by his own constituents. Even at the general elec-

his medical advisers, though that did not prevent the electors of Montrose returning him by a large majority. On Thursday night he surpassed all his previous performances in the House of Commons and excited intense ennunciation of the war and the policy which led to it, though studiously imand recalled to many minds the passionate fervor of Gladstone.

but there is a fresh concentration of Action of the Presbyterian General Assembly So Interpreted.

> The Recommendation That the Delegates Decided to Indorse-Many Converts to Revision.

which the assembly thus indorsed is as follows:

movement under Gen. Bindon Blood against the Boers is proceeding in the Eastern Transvaal. Commandant Vil-joen has been trying to escape to the tee be instructed to prepare a brief summary of the reformed faith, bearing the same relation to the confession which the shorter catechism bears to the larger catechism, and formed on the general model of the concensus creed prepared for the general assembly in 1892, or the articles of faith of the Presbyterian Church of England, both of which documents are appended to the committee's report, and submitted to the assembly, to be referred to the committee appointed." With the consent of the assembly the

> was changed so that the vote was taken on the question of striking out the recommendation from the majority report instead of accepting the minority report as a substitute. MODERATOR'S VIEWS. Vice-Moderator Pitcairn, while

> of the amendment. Dr. Minton said the recommendation meant simply the establishment of a new creed. Rev. Dr. J. D. Moffitt informed the sesion that on Monday he would present an amendment with the object of uniting the commissioners in that the recommendation might be

> a logical argument in favor of the retention of the recommendation analyzing the confession of faith, demonstrating the necessity for changes in certain clauses and showing the benefits to be derived therefrom.

the putting of the question. The mod-erator was unable to decide by a viva voce vote, and a division being called

London, May 26.-Lord Kitchener's | ficers, it is said, were convicted of treasonably siding with the Boers. One of them is sufficiently influential to sidelights are thrown by press dispatches upon the guerilla warfare, their identity have hitherto failed. Attempts to discover

CAPE COLONY REINVADED. Middleburg, Transvaal Colony, May columns is in progress for the clear- Van Reenan and Fouche debouched an and Fouche debouched yesterday and crossed the railroad They dashed southward, reinvading the more populous districts of Cape Colony. Fouche's commando has been resting many weeks in the Zeruberg

TOOK A STEP TOWARDS REVISION!

Philadelphia, May 26 .- In refusing to adopt the minority report by a vote of pire. The reconstruction policy is 271 to 234, the Presbyterian general assembly on Saturday took another step in favor of revising the confession of faith. The recommendation

"B-We recommend that a commit-

During the discussion of the subject Moderator Minton gave the gavel to addressed the commissioners in favor

motion was changed so that the vote

After the announcement of the vote, sent to the Presbyteries. Rev. Dr Herrick Johnson presented

Numerous doubtful commissioners were brought ever to the ranks of the revisionists by Dr. Johnston's address. An effort was made to postpone the vote until Monday, but the commissioners were impatient, and insisted on

for, a rising vote was taken.

When the result was announced, the ently ordinary offenders, but the of- revisionists cheered heartily and called render it a brilliant season. Too

jority report. On the advice of the moderator, however, it was decided to postpone consideration of this important matter until Monday. DEBATE ON SECRET SOCIETIES.

for a vote on the adoption of the ma-

Des Moines, Ia., May 25.—The United Presbyterian Assembly of North America devoted two hours today to discussing whether the creed shall be changed to admit members of secret societies to the churches. As a result two amendments to the revision report were offered, and are now with the committee on judiciary. The first offered by Dr. A. G. Wallace, of Allegheny, is a compromise; which de-clares strongly against secret orders, but leaves discretionary power with the various sessions. An amendment to this is offered by Dr. J. M. Wallace of Pittsburg, declares strongly against all organizations which are anti-Christ. The judiciary committee will

report on the two amendments Monday, at which time it is believed the questions will be finally settled. The committee on bills and overtures made a special report, stating that the overture to repeal that part of section 4, chapter 14, of the confession of faith, which reads: may not marry any of his wife's kindred nearer in blood than of his own," has received a clear constitutional majority of the votes of the church,

His Long Silence Due to Unfor-

Unmarried Daughter Has an Incurable Nervous Disease-Sara Bernhardt's Kissing Bee.

tion he was dumb, being muzzled by

SOUTH AFRICAN AFFAIRS. Parliament has adjourned for a proonged holiday, with echoes in whispering gallery and smoking room of rumors that Mr. Chamberlain is expecting aid from Sir Alfred Milner had not yet arrived from America. in overcoming the cabinet resistance to strenuous measures against the advocates of peace. These are incredible tales. There it no evidence that the cabinet has ever been divided on the South African policy. Since the outbreak of the war, Mr. Chamberlain's views have been shared by Lord Salisbury, and no faction on the govern-ment side has been advocating unstable peace with dishonor. Such dif-ferences of opinion as there have been relate to methods of financing the war and the reorganization of the mili-There are no cabinet tary system. feuds respecting the prosecution of the war to the bitter end as the policy essential to the stability of the emcomplex problem; but unless all signs will be left in the hands of the two men most competent to deal with it—Mr. Chamberlain and Sir Alfred Milner-who will now have a prolonged opportunity for going over

every detail of the process. PRINCESS VICTORIA'S ILLNESS. London, May 27.—The condition of Princess Victoria, the King's only unmarried daughter, is causing grave concern in court circles. All the outside world ever hears of the subject is an occasional official announcement that owing to her royal highness' indisposition she will be unable to accompany her mother on some partic-

ular occasion. As a matter of fact, the princess suffers from a distressing nervous malady, which medical science may liate but cannot cure. This doubtless explains why she was not married

THE KING AND QUEEN will spend Whitsuntide at Windsor, where their private apartment in the castle has been refurnished and decorated. The departure of the King and Queen for Windsor was witnessed by holiday throngs with the usual signs of popular enthusiasm. The King is not likely to attend any yacht trials in the future, though the danger to which he was exposed in the Shamrock II. accident has been exaggerated. It has been urged by the ministers that while the Duke of Cornwall is out of England he ought to be more prudent in accepting invitations. It is pointed out that there is no regency act by which emergencies can be met when the throne becomes vacant and the new sovereign is over seas.

STOPPED THE DANCING. The King's own dinner party is of more direct interest to the fashionable world, since it is a warrant of unrestricted dining during the remainder of the season. The dances have stopped almost as soon as begun, for the King has been reported as regarding them with disfavor this year. There can be dancing after dinner, but it must be an incident, not the main entertainment. This will not stand in the way of a good many dinners in different houses, with dancing at one of them. Nothing can avail to

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Beyond question the most perfect and delightful toilet preparation for

the face, chapped hands, etc. Hazeline removes all irritation and inflammation of the skin. Cures roughness, redness, wrinkles, pimples, tan, sunburn, etc., and promotes a clear and brilliant complexion. It is an aid to beauty. Only 25c.

CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE, Chemists and Perfumers, 216 Dundas St., London.

many great houses are closed, and too many fashionable idlers have gone in despair to the continent.

QUEEN DRAGA. The case of Queen Draga of Servia is almost universally regarded in Germany from its comical side. Official circles deny that the affair is fraught with serious political import. The newspapers throughout the week have printed many Servian anecdotes and amusing correspondence from Servia. Several German medical authoriconsider that Queen Draga's health may improve in view of the fact that she has been sent to Franzensbad, one of the best places for

curing certain ills. THE RED CROSS.

Emperor William has created a new decoration for the members of the Red Cross Society who served in South Af-It is a medal with a gold pin. On the medal is the inscription, "South Africa, 1899-1900."

PROVIDING EMLOYMENT. The Prussian minister of the interior has issued a circular in regard of how to find employment for industrial laborers who have lost their positions, recommending that they be sent, when it is possible, to the East Elbian estates to replace Russian Poles and

Galicians, and, when this is not possible, to send the laborers to the col-MUSIC AN AID OF DENTISTRY. Dr. Laborde described to the French Academy of Medicine a method of extracting teeth without pain, and with the accompaniment of sweet music which has been discovered by a Paris influence of gas, and at the same time has applied to his ears, ear pieces con-

nected with a phonograph, which is rolling off gay tunes. BERNHARDT HOLDS KISSING

BEE. Sarah Bernhardt's arrival in Paris was quite as dramatic as any of her productions. When the special train bearing the great tragedienne and her thusiasm among his friends. His de- ed into the station more than 200 people were on the platform to welcome her home. All the celebrities of the stage, personal was absolutely unqualified, gether to give her a royal welcome, the critics and dramatists joined toand she showed her appreciation by kissing every one and was in return kissed by every one on both cheeks. It is doubtful if so many kisses were ever before crowded into so short a space of time as those given Mme.Bernhardt and returned in the brief quarter of an hour when she stood on the platform of the train waiting for her landau, for the yellow-wheeled cab

When Mme. Bernhardt has finished her tournee in England she will have netted an even million as the result of her American tour, and she is immensely proud of the fact. To everyone Mme. Bernhardt spoke enthusiastically of America. The inappreciation of Philadelphia, the legal adventures in Chicago, and the disagreeable orchestra which destroyed her peace of mind in New Orleans, were all forgotten in one wave of grateful recognition for the kindness Americans had shown her. and the French people who gathered around to hear about her trip felt some ealousy towards a country for which Mme. Bernhardt expressed so much

partiality. CABLE NOTES. Krupp has the contract for equiping the entire Swiss field artillery with his guns.

atist, has had another attack of apoplexy, and his condition is now almost hopeless. COST OF GOSSIPING. New York, May 25.-William Woodhull, a farmer, residing at Laurel, Long Island, shot and killed Martha Williamson, a neighbor, last night, and

then committed suicide. It is said the

Henrick Ibsen, the Norwegian dram-

woman had been gossiping a good deal about Woodhull and a young lady living at Sayville, to whom he was en-

GIRL MISSING. Bath, N. B., May 25.—There is much excitement in this vicinity over the disappearance of Louise the 4-year-old daughter of Timothy Dugan, of Moose Mountain, near here. Coming from school on Wednesday, she and her elder sister were attacked by a dog. They ran and the elder girl got home exhausted. The younger one had taken another direction, but has never since been seen, though a hundred men

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WILL THEY DECIDE ON SOMETHING?

Great Britain's Position Re Indemnity

Demanded of China May Be Agreed To This Week-Germany (and Everyone Else) Tired of the Wrangle.

Pekin, May 25.-It seems probable that Great Britain's proposition limiting the indemnity to be demanded from China to 450,000,000 taels will be agreed to by the end of the week. United States Special Commissioner Rockhill thinks this may be considered an American victory. Though his proposition limiting indemnity to \$310,-600,000 was not accepted, still it was Spain Saturday. At Metril, in Granthe cause of the other powers consider- ada, a number of houses were destroy-

The only point likely to cause further ed, but no lives were lost. The inhabdelay in a decision by all the powers itants were panic-stricken. The shock delay in a decision by all the powers except America is that regarding the raising of the foreign customs of 5 per cent. Mr. Rockhill told the ministers at a recent meeting that rather than take this step America would relinquish all claims to indemnity and even make a money present to China, as American commercial interests as American commercial interests would suffer far more thereby than o'clock a.m. in the Coni district, and those of any other power, with possibly one exception.

WALDERSEE'S POSITION USELESS | there was no material damage. New York, May 25.—Oukhtomsky, president of the Russo-Chinese Bank, who is described as knowing the Chinese, as having studied them, and as having lately spent four months at Pekin, is quoted at some length, on the Chinese situation in a St. Petersburg dispatch to the Herald. In the course of control of the sword or the edge of his helmet is

of an interview he said:

"I did not see Count Von Waldersee "I did not see Count Von Waldersee Instead of falling before the Lohen-Instead of falling before the Lohen-Instea at Pekin, but everyone there knew that he felt the uselessness of his position. The kaiser thought Pekin could be ta-ken with a battalion. So it could, but tional rendering of the part, M. Mohthe battalion. So it could, but the battalion could not stop there. This is what he did not understand. He did not comprehend the character of the Finlander and the characteristics of Turanian blood. The Chinese will never forgive and never forget. There is no fear with them. The spirit of fatalplaced by M. Muhlmann. ism among them is far too strong. They would not care even if as many more of them were sacrificed."

'Do they hate Germans particular-"No; they dislike us all about equally, and now more than ever." What would have been the right

course to pursue?" Retire at once after the legations had been rescued and treat the Chinese as barbarians with whom we would have no more intercourse. Had that been done, Li Hung Chang and the rest of the mandarins would have come running after us. Instead of that and I look upon it as a shame that Russian representatives should be in such a position—ministers are running after Li Hung Chang, bowing, scraping and craving audiences of him."

SICK OF IT. Berlin, May 26.-The feeling throughout Germany of tiredness of the China proper care of him. The boy was sent war still continues, and now even in- to the Catholic Protectory. cludes the emperor, who has agreed with the chancellor that it is best to effect the withdrawal of the German forces as quickly as possible and reach some understanding regarding the of paying the indemnity.

The German naval division in the far east concert of the battleships Kurfuerst, Friedrich Wilhelm, Branbrug, Weissenburg and Woerth, and the dispatch boat Hela, has been ordered by cable to return home.

Empero: William has ordered the German command in China to be broken up, and that preparations made to reduce Germany's forces

A GERMAN-AMERICAN UNPLEAS-ANTNESS.

London, May 27 .- A Pekin despatch, dated Sunday, says: "The U. S. legation guard has had its first trouble.

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The legation street is being repaired near the legation, and an American sentry was placed at the point with MRS. LULU BONINE. sentry was placed at the point with orders to direct people around by a side street. Everybody obeyed with the exception of the Germans, both officers and soldiers, who have caused the American sentries much trouble. One of the German officers drew his

near the German legation, a quarter

of a mile off. This, fortunately, was only a light flesh wound. The sentry has been placed under arrest, and

Major Robertson has instituted an in-

Houses Destroyed and the Inhabitants in a

Panic-Wounded in a Stage Duel.

Madrid, May 27. - An earthquake

also at Turin, says a Rome dispatch.

The people were panic-stricken, but

BLOODSHED ON THE STAGE.

grin, who was impersonated by M.

MAY BE FINED \$1,000,000.

partridges, quail, grouse and other game birds were found in a storage

company's establishment by a game warden yesterday. If the storage company can be convicted under the

law the fines will run up to an enor-

mous amount, some estimating the

SONGWRITER'S SON A BEGGAR.

10-year-old son of the late Charles Graham, writer of "Two Little Girls

in Blue," and other songs, was a pris-

THE STEIN CASE. Montreal, May 27.-The Cathedral

congregation has sent a formal pro-

test to Archdeacon Norton against the

treatment of Prof. Stein, and demand-

ed an explanation. The document,

signed by 25 of the leading members,

takes the ground that the college board has no rights to veto in the matter,

and that the professor has been treat-

ed must unjustly. The archdeacon de-

clares he does not know the reason for

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New York, May 27 .- H. Graham, the

figures at \$1,000,000.

New York, May 25 .- Two thousand

shock was felt in several districts of

GET A SHAKING

SPAIN AND ITALY

Her Father a Well-to-Do Merchant in Macen, Missouri. sword and charged an American soldier who brought his bayonet to "charge," whereupon the officer desisted. Subsequently a German soldier charged past the sentry, who fired, hitting another German soldier near the German legation, a quarter

Macon, Mo., May 27 .- Mrs. L. T. Bonine, of Washington, who is charged with killing James S. Ayres, a clerk in the census office, was born in this town, where she lived with her parents the first years of her life. Her father, James E. Hemri, was a merchant, and fairly well-off financially. Mrs. Bonine's maiden name was Lulu Ida Hemri. She met L. T. Bonine while he was here as representative of a St. Louis wholesale drug company, and after a short courtship they were married. Soon after the marriage they went to Richmond, Kan. When Mrs. Bonine was a girl she was very pretty and had a host of admirers. She could have married nearly any of the young men of Macon, several of whom offered her themselves, with small fortunes. She pre-ferred the traveling man, however.

COAL COMBINE

Involving the Operation of Ohio, Indiana and Illinois-Mark Hanna & Co. Go Into a Big Speculation.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 27.—The proposed trust of the coal operators of Indiana is in line with similar movements now in progress in Ohio and Illinois, and the prospects are that a gigantic combination will be formed gigantic combination will be formed, with capitalization of probably \$50,000,000. The trusts in the three states will be under different organizations, but it is said they may all be financed by the same capital. It will probably be known as the Indiana Consolidated Coal Company, and will have head-quarters somewhere near the center of the fields. The minimum capital stock will be \$10,000,000, so it is likely severe cut in the face, whether from the sword or the edge of his helmet is the capitalization will be somewhere near \$15,000,000. It will be incorporated under the laws of this state. It is expected the formation of the

> closed down temporarily, as the large operators assert that there is at this time an over-production. MARK HANNA'S SCHEME. A Toledo dispatch says: M. A. Hanna & Co. have secured options on almost the entire Massillon coal dis-

trust will mean that the mines will be

trict. The output of the properties in-cluded in the deal amounts to over 1,000,000 tons per year.

A POOR DAY FOR THE PAN-AMERICAN

Rained Steadily on Sunday-The Grounds Practically Deserted.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 27 .- A steady downpour of rain from early morning until late last night made the Panoner in police court Saturday on a charge of begging. The boy's mother said she was so poor that she had been obliged to go to work as a janitress to American exhibition ground look like a deserted city yesterday. Those who did have the courage to brave the elsupport herself. She had not told the boy to beg, but she was unable to take ements spent their time in the exhibit buildings, some of which were open a part of the day, or in the remple of Music, where the first organ recital was held in the afternoon. A fair-sized crowd listened to the metalogicus strains of the mammoth pipe lodious strains of the mamm open a part of the day, or in the Tempipes and 53 speaking registers.

Alabama's exhibit in the agricultural building has been finished. display is of an elaborate character and contains many features of especial interest. One is a reproduction of the state capitol in corn. There is also an extensive exhibit of preserved fruits and rye and barley.

Capt. Slocum's Spray arrived at Park Lake, in the grounds, after its long trip around the world and through the Erie Canal. The formal launching of the boat will take place today.

CROOKS THREATEN INVENTOR EDISON

With the Kidnapping of His Daughter Unless He Lets Them Have a Handsome Pile of Money.

New York, May 27.-Thomas A. Edison, the inventor, who lives in a handsome mansion at Llewellyn Park, N. vou. The news for Tuesday some mansion at Liewenyn rank, A. is very important. It tells to kidnap his beautiful young daughter, Madeline, 12 years old, unless he you of many opportunities had a handsome sum of money left

in a lonely spot in the Orange Moun-The letter was received, Mr. Edison said, on Monday, May 6, and was signed "Remember" as was the letter received by Mr. Cudahy when the latter's son was stolen. The police of West Orange were immediately in-formed and the letter was turned over to them. It was not written but printed, evidently with rubber type.

Mr. Edison has engaged private de-

the city, and the prices are exceedingly low." So it is with employed for the two Edison children, till the expiration of the current year Madeline and Charles. On the same day that Mr. Edison received the letter another one was left at the home of J. Warren Smith, cash-

ier of the West Orange Bank, telling

Mr. Smith that unless the sum of \$15,-000 was left behind the Orange Memorial Hospital by Wednesday, May 8, his son Paul, 15 years old, would be kidnapped. TOOK OVER THE N. P. R. Winnipeg, Man., May 27.-The Manitoba Government took over the North-

ern Pacific Saturday. Bonds were signed and delivered at noon Saturday. The Northern Pacific officials will occupy sizes, for, per pair..... 15c their present positions till June 1. How to Cure a Corn

It is one of the easiest things in the world to cure a corn. Do not use acids or other caustic preparations, and don't or other castic preparations, and don't cut a hole in your boot. It is simply to apply Futnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor and in three days the corn can be removed without pain. Sure, safe, painless. Take only Putnam's Corn Ex-

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study, and are scientifically prepared as
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ANOTHER STEAMER LINE.

Birect Connection Between Manchester and Philadelphia To Be Made.

Philadelphia, May 27.-Edgar B. Griffiths, treasurer and general superintendent of the Pennsylvania Warehousing and Safe Deposit Company, of this city, returned home yesterday from England, where he went as representative of the Reading Railroad, and Charles M. Taylors' Sons, for the purpose of establishing a direct steamship connection between Manchester and Philadelphia. Mr. Griffiths said: "It is definitely settled, but the Philadelphia." definitely settled that the Philadelphia and Manchester Steamship Line will begin operations during the early part of July. The plan is to have sailings from both ports every ten days, and the initial trip from Philadelphia will be made by the steamer Manchester Corporation, which is expected to reach this port about July 1."

With the Workers.

CAR WORKERS' OFFICERS. Buffalo, May 24.—The delegates to the convention of the car workers of North America have completed their organization by the election of the following officers: International president, A. T. Fish, Buffalo; first vice-president, P. L. Anderson, Chicago; second vice-president, B. A. Mc Clusky, New Orleans; third vice-president, E. C. Potts, Dover, N. J.; D. Wheeler, Buffalo. The general and main headquarters of the association will be in this city. The organization will be known as the International Association of Car Workers.

SYMPATHETIC STRIKES. At Easton, Pa., 100 boilermakers, employed in the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company's shops here, struck because they had been ordered to repair a locomotive wrecked on one of the upper divisions of the road. The boilermakers at Buffalo and Wilkesbarre, where repair work for the upper division is done, are on strike, and the local men declare they would be faithless to their fellow workers if they worked on the locomotive.

Part of the men employed on the rapid transit tunnel at New York went on strike Friday. The strike leaders claim 1,500 men of the 5,000 are already out, and that the strike will be general. The strike at the tube works of the

Reading Iron Company, inaugurated some three weeks ago, is now general as far as the mills of that company are concerned in this city. A general increase of 10 to 15 per cent in the wages is demanded. Altogether 2,500 THE DETROIT STREET RAILWAY MEN.

A committee of the Detroit Street Railway Employes' Association have received a positive refusal from General Superintendent Stanley, of the Detroit United Railway, to grant the request of an increase of wages from cents an hour to 23 cents, the work day to be nine hours and to be completed, as far as possible, twelve hours. Business Agent Tupper, of the employes, says that the refusal will be considered at a meeting of the employes next Monday night. He cannot tell what the men will do.

A STRIKE CALLED OFF. Pittsburg, May 24.—The strike of window glass workers in Belgium and been on strike for eleven months for recognition of the union and an advance in wages and during that time the glass workers of this country have sent them \$35,000. The strike affected 8,000 men in Belgium and 2,000 France.

Questions Answered.

WYOMING .- Can the owner of land take up and remove surveyor's stakes, planted to fix the boundary, against the wishes of the owner of adjoining land, or for the purpose of putting down a post fence? Has not the post fence to be placed without removing the corner stake, except by mutual consent? Is the removal to be restrained by a civil suit, or is it a crime? Ans.—Everyone is guilty of an indictable offense and liable to five years' imprisonment who wilfully removes any land mark, post or monument lawfully placed by any land surveyor. The stake cannot therefore be lawfully removed. The fence post should not disturb the surveyor's stake, but by mutual consent it might be substituted for it. A criminal prosecution is the proper remedy, but a civil suit for an injunction might also be brought before the removal actually is made.

MERLIN.-A owns a small piece of land which he verbally rented to B for one year at a time; but for 1901 B put in field of fall wheat without any renewal of lease or agreement; balance of land is meadow. Should A sell the land to C, can B hold land for this year on former agreement, and take off the whole crop at last year's rent? Can B claim share in crop of grass as well as the wheat? What shares, if any, can C claim in wheat and grass respectively, should he beletter, and extra watchmen have been memployed for the two Edison obliders. at last year's rent. He can take all the crops until the end of his term. C can only become the owner subject to the tenancy of B, and can therefore not claim any share in the wheat or grass,

> CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLING \$145,486.

Kansas City, Mo., May 27. — Utley Wedge, receiver of the Siegel-Sanders Live Stock Commission Company, of which Frank Rockefeller is the principal shareholder, has made an affi-davit, charging Frank Siegel, late president of the company, with embez-zling a total of \$145,486 of the company's money.

A BRAVE RESCUER.

Toronto, May 25.—Commodore C. M. Ellis, of the National Yacht and Skiff Club, Toronto, while racing in the 16-foot class, was thrown from his boat, the Caterpillar, and went under. His son dived after him, and extricated him from under the canvas, and was in turn rescued and drawn up on the hull until one of the competing vachts

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SOME OF THE THINGS SHARKS WILL EAT.

Tales of Raccoons, Fish and Tin Cans Told by Florida Fishermen.

The capture of a shark at Putna Rasa, Fla., the other day set the people at the hotel to talking about the

things found in the stomach of sharks. This is the story of the shark that got away. Kitchell thought that it was at least 20 feet in length, and he spoke of it as a blue man-eater, which created a smile in view of the fact that he was guessing in the dark. It

caused also a general discussion on the piazza. All hands agreed in the first place that not a single instance was known along the Florida coast where a man had been eaten, or even bitten by a shark. Hands had been snapped at when dabbled in the water by a boat, but the sharks were voted to be too cowardly to attack a whole man wad-

ing or swimming.

Munson told of a big shark caught at Cocoanut Grove after a slight struggle. It had swallowed the bait so completely that the hook touched a vital spot and it came in practically dead. It was nine feet long and had supped upon a live racoon, which it had probably snapped from the roots of a red mangrove while the animal was out after coon oysters. The ra-

coon was a big one, and seemed to have been dead only a few hours. Van Horne supplemented this story by telling about a shark which he cut open at Punta Rica and which contained 32 young sharks, all alive and able to swim away when put in the water. This was a case of a man

catching 33 sharks on one bait. George Schultz told of the sharks that gathered at Key West when the transports and soldiers were there. He said that many of the fish were caught and often their stomachs contained little besides empty beef cans which had been thrown from the ships. In one case a pair of suspenders and a shoe were found in the stomach of a big shark, but nobody suspected that

he had swallowed a man. Huddlestone added his quota by telling of a 12-foot shark which was net-ted off Sanibel Island last year. He saw it cut open, and can bring ablehodied witnesses to make affidavit that the stomach of the creature contained three full-grown pelicans, seven king crabs, undigested, and more than two bushels of mullets in various stages of decomposition.

John Weber, of Toledo, said that he had seen a shark take in all but the head of a 150-pound tarpon, which was being reeled in at Boca Grande. The body of the big tarpon was cut through as if by a knife, and it convinced the narrator that a Boca Grande shapk could bite a leg off a man with ease.

After all the other stories were fold
Shultz modestly remarked that only
a few years ago he saw a shark opena rew years ago ne saw a snark opened at Punta Rasa and its stomach contained the most indigestible parts of a Florida steer. He found the horns attached to the skull and the hoofs all separated in the fish. As a Florida teer is only a few times larger than a Kansas jack rabbit this story seems quite plausible.

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open automatically and applies the open automatically and applies the brakes at once so that the whole train is brought to a standstill within a very short distance. In foggy weather the use of such an apparatus cannot be everestimated, as it is calculated to prevent a train running into another which happens to be delayed at a station.-Pearson's Weekly.

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AS TO PARTING THE HAIR IN THE MIDDLE.

Prof. Starr, of Chicago, Says It Is a Sign of a Degenerate Instinct.

Chicago, May 27 .- According to Prof. Frederick Starr, the anthropologist of the University of Chicago, a man who parts his hair in the middle displays unmistakable evidence of a degenerate instinct in his nature. The professor made this declaration to his class at the university yesterday in a lecture which he warned the students against latter-day fads, such as wearing shirt waists and tattooing their

"Parting the hair in the middle, the new shirt waist for men and tattooing the person are evidences of the alarming and growing degeneracy of our modern civilization," said the professor in the course of a lecture on tattooing. "No normal person will indulge in any of these habits."

GUNBOATS ON THE LAKES. Washington, May 25 .- Any doubt an to the right of the United States Government to send small auxiliary gunboats to the great lakes for the train ing of the naval militia has been dissipated so far as the cases of the Dorothea and the Hawk are concerned, by the graceful acquiescence of the Canadian Government in the movement. It being represented that the little gunboats would traverse the St. Lawrence and the lakes without guns aboard, and it also being understood that they are to be used solely for purposes of drill, the Canadian government, through the British Government, has waived any objection to the entrance of the vessels into the lakes.

THE DEADLY CRACKER. Toronto, May 27.—While celebrating the holiday in the time-honored manner, with fireworks, Arthur Ecclestone aged 18 years, who lives at 46 Macell avenue, met with a serious accident. He was setting fire to a display of fireworks, when a large crackexploded, frightfully mangling his ght hand. He was taken to the mergency Hospital, where the hand was amputated. Ecclestone is emoyed as a bookkeeper for H. S. Howland & Son, hardware merchants.



know it will go down into your lungs or stomach and cause serious trouble. You should use Vapo-Cresolene at once. The cure is so easy and so pleasant. You put some Cresolene in the vapor-

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Contest Takes Place at Yale Club With Young Women as Pawns and Men as Rooks.

New Haven, Conn., May 25,-Three hundred persons witnessed a game of living thess and checkers last night in Music Hall. The match was played on a raised platform. The eight black pawns were young women dressed in black, the white pawns were young girls dressed in white. The four rooks were men, two in white robes and two in black, with castleheaddresses. The knights were armor, with black and white The bishops were black and as were also the kings and The costumes were handsome, and the board made a pretty picture dur-

ng the game. E. B. Adams, president of the Yal Chess Club, moved the white pieces, and C. A. Roberts, vice-president of the club, moved the back pieces. The game was wen by Mr. Adams after three-quarters of an hour's play.

After the chess game had been finished the pawns, augmented by eight young girls, were returned to the board and a sacrifice game of checkers was played by William Reeve and E. B. Adams, the latter winning the game after ten minutes' play

DOWIE MAY HAVE TO CLOSE HIS BANK.

The Chicago Clearing House Has Given Him Due Warning.

Chicago, May 27.—With the grand jury, the state board of health and the city health department closing in on Dowieism financial difficulties are arising to threaten "Dr." John Alexander Dowie.

Formal notice has been served on the "Zion" Bank, of which Dowie is head and front, that after next Thursday, unless unlooked-for arrangements be made, its business will not be handled through the Chicago clearing house. Warning to this effect was entered by the Commercial National Bank, through which institution the Dowie concern has made its clear-

Unless arrangements can be made with some other bank by May 30 the business of Dowie's banking house will be shut out altogether, as no direct contract will be accepted by the clearing house officials. President James H. Eckels, of the Commercial National Bank, stated that the notice that the Zion Bank would have to sever its dealings with his institution was because "public discussion" had reached a point where there could be no other alternative.

"THE WAGES OF SIN." Charleston, W. Va., May 27 .- Mitchell izer, light the lamp beneath and Kidd, a farmer living on Davis creek, breathe-in the vapor while sleeping, near here, was shot and killed Saturthat's all. The healing, soothing vapor, Rowlins, a miner. Rowlins' wife was goes all up through the nose, quieting infatuated with Kidd, and a few days inflammation and restoring the parts to a goo left her husband at their home in Scalthy condition. Doctors prescribe it.

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ON A CURVE!

Five Persons Killed and Over Twenty Injured

In a Trolley-Car Disaster Near Albany—Dreadful Results of Racing for a Switch - Names of the

Albany, N. Y., May 27.-Electric cars cacing for a switch, while running in opposite directions at the rate of 40 miles an hour, cost five lives yesterday afternoon by a terrific collision, while over 40 persons-some fatally and others seriously injured-filled the accident wards of the various hospitals, before morning.

point about two miles out of East red in a fog. Greenbush, on the line of the Albany and Hudson Railway, a just completed road of the third rail pattern. The point where the cars met on the single track was a sharp curve, and so fast were both running and so sudden the collision that the motorman never had time to put on the brakes before southbound car No. 22 had gone almost clean through northbound car No. 71, with human flesh for a buffer and hung in the edge of a high bluff, with its load of shricking, maimed humanity.

One motorman was pinned up against the smashed front of southbound car, with both legs severed, and killed instantly, while the other one lived but a few minutes. Fully 120 men, women and children formed a huge, struggling, shrieking pyramid, mixed with blood, detached portions of human bodies and the wreckage of the cars. Some of the more slightly injured of the men were soon at work helping people out of the rear ends of the two cars and almost everyone extricated in this way was

HEARTRENDING SCENES. The scenes were heartrending. The few women and children who had es-caped injury and death were hysterical and added their cries to shricks of the dying and mutilated. Men with broken arms and jaws, dislocated joints and bloody heads and faces, tried to assist others who were more helpless, and there were many cases of philosophical bravery.

Greenbush and vicinity, and in a little time the wounded and the mutilated dead were loaded on extra cars and taken to Albany. There ambua morgue and hospital. As fast as the physicians could temporarily attend to the wounded they were taken boys of Dayton. to their homes or to the hospitals in carriages or ambulances.

THE SUPPOSED CAUSE. hard to get at the real cause of the accident, but it is pretty well determined that it was caused by an at-OF LIVING CHESS a second switch instead of waiting for would live in them, the men often live the hall of the National Cash Regis the northbound at the first siding. The ing several miles from the shops. Inter Company provided for South Parl torn almost to splinters. Both cars did not care to raise families there. were filled with Sunday pleasure-seekers returning from the newlyopened recreation grounds.

> AT THE CURVE. p.m. The cars on the line were runin an opposite direction passed. motorman of the south-bound car circumstances. reached one of the switches, but see-It was at the curve between them that the two cars met.

KILLED. Frank Smith, motorman of car No. 2: William Nichols, motorman of car No. 19; Maud Kellogg, of Round Lake; Annie Rooney, of Stuyvesant Falls: David Mahoney, mate on the Dean Richmond.

FATALLY INJURED. George C. Barry, Troy, hurt interinternally.

SERIOUSLY INJURED. William F. Barry, Troy, cut on head;

Marie Barry, Proy, leg broken; Geo. P. Bittner, Moerville, cut and bruised; Isaac Blauvelt, Albany, leg broken; Dewitt C. Peltz, Albany, badly bruised; Mrs. Dewitt C. Peltz, Albany, badly bruised; Charles Peltz, Albany, painfully bruised; Howard J. Rogers, Albany, bruised and cut; Mrs. Rogers, Albany, cut and bruised; — Rogers, Albany, leg broken; A. W. Crotsley,

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An Old Shipbuilder Among Those Lost on the Steamer Baltimore—Fourteen More

Cleveland, May 27.-The list of the dead in the Baltimore wreck number-ed thirteen instead of twelve. In addition to the crew of fourteen, the steamer carried on her last trip Capt. Louis Laffriner, an old shipbuilder, who was doing some work on the steamer on the voyage. He was an

Probably Drowned.

old-time shipbuilder and about 79 years 14 MEN PROBABLY LOST. Boston, May 27.-The steamer Ohio, from Hull, reports a collision at sea with the Norwegian bark Elise, from Moss, April 1, for New York, in ballast. One sailor was picked up, but with the possibility of other deaths his stories are so conflicting that it is hard to tell if the bark went down with fourteen men or not. The suppo-SCENE OF THE ACCIDENT.

The scene of the accident was a sailor was saved. The collision occur-

THREE DROWNED. Elkton, Ky., May 27.—In a very heavy downpour of rain Saturday, which caused a quick rise in all streams, a buggy containing Mrs. R. A. Morey, her seven-year-old daugh-ter, and Miss Jennie Craig, was over-All three occupants were drowned.

IDEAS IN CIVIC IMPROVEMENT

A Novel Method Adopted in Dayton, Ohio.

Exposing Homes by Means of the Camera-An Incentive to Improvement of Appearance.

[By Jessie M. Good.] That corporations are not always lacking in soul is proven by the work of the National Cash Register Company, of Dayton, Ohio. About five years ago Mr. J. H. Patterson began putting into practice an idea of his own for making the shop premises Help had been summoned from East more attractive. When this company was organized it bought a quantity of land upon which to build shops, in a locality near Dayton, known as Sliderlances and physicians had been sum- town. It was a locality hard as the moned and the postoffice turned into name it bore, famous for fights, and the home, it seemed, of all the bad

After the success of the company was assured and the managers had time to look about a little, they began With both motormen killed, it was the fact that in spite of the MANY PRETTY. MODERN COT-

TAGES tempt of the southbound car to reach built for the workmen, few of them of this street to an entertainment in cars weigh fifteen tons each, and are quiry developed the fact that men did the largest electric cars built, but so not care to live in such a notorious frightful was the crash that both were locality as Slidertown, and certainly locality as Slidertown, and certainly While this was true, yet it was bad for both employers and men. Men were often late, and a system of docking for lost time is irritating alike to employer and force. Then, too, men The south-bound car left Albany at are tired before the day's work begins 4:30 and the accident occurred at 5 and their services are not so valuable. ning at switch headways-that is, as for a firm to get or keep high-grade a car reached a siding switch it was workmen. The men composing the supposed to wait until another going National Cash Register Company are not the sort of men to be beaten by

Mr. Patterson, a man of broad cul ing no south-bound car decided to ture and kindly impulses, a man who take chances and go on to the next. believes the truest philanthropy is TEACHING PEOPLE TO HELP

THEMSELVES, with his managerial force set their wits to work to overcome the disadvantto work to overcome the disadvantages surrounding the homes of their management had a desk placed at a convenient point in the shops and all employes were invited to state their complaints, grievances and wishes for their comfort, with suggestions for imnally; Fred J. Smith, Albany, injured provement in work and machinery for

I wish I might tell you of THE BEAUTIFUL RESULTS

which have sprung from these confidences between employer and employed; of the large, cleanly toilet and bathrooms for both men and women employes; of the top floor of one building put in fine order as a lunch room for the several hundred women employed in the shops; tables and all the room in snowy-white paint, while the great white pillars supporting the roof are twined with growing vines; of the hot lunches at cost; of the rest of many other things which make this establishment the most altruistic manufactory, I believe, in the world. But I cannot do this, for this article is devoted to the village improvement work inaugurated by Mr. Patterson. About five years ago the company

ordered all the old boxes, barrels and rubbish cleared away from around the factory and all its departments, and sowed all the ground in grass and PLANTED SHRUBBERY, TREES

and flowers. Finally it was decided to employ scientific help, and Mr. John Olmstead, of the well-known firm of landscape gardeners, was induced to come to lay out the factory grounds

good thing if all the people of "Slider-town" (now called South Park) only knew how simply and cheaply this work could be done. Mr. Olmstead showed us by precept and example how to do it." An improvement association was formed, and Mr. Patterson secured an exceptionally fine stere. showed us by precept and example how to do it." An improvement association was formed, and Mr. Patterson secured an exceptionally fine steretopicon and showed by practical illustration the right and wrong way of planting a lawn. Photographs were secured from Miss Gould, Mr. Olmstead, the Vanderbilt estate, and from the best home and foreign sources, made into slides, until now the company owns about 2,500 colored views, many of them as beautiful as water-color paintings. In addition to these beautiful views are others intended as object lessons, slides in plain lettering which set forth the first principles of landscape gardening, and so thoroughly drilled are old and young in these principles that Mr. Patterson tells us even very young children in South Park can tell you that the first principles is, 'Preserve open lawn centers,'

Albany, hurt internally: George Lane, the second, 'Plant in masses, not iso-Albany, badly cut; Fred Herzog, Al-bany, shoulder dislocated. Then the audiences are shown, by Then the audiences are shown, by the use of slides, the

> STYLE OF PLANTING called nursery style, where trees and shrubbery are dotted everly all over the ground; then the contrast is shown where the flowers and shrubbery are massed along the sides in curving lines, leaving a clear space in

> Other slides illustrate the way to set young plants in the ground, when planted too shallow, too deep, when the roots are all knotted, and then a plant is shown which is set in the ground just right. Slides are made of quotations from great writers which help to impress certain rules on the mind of the reader, such as "The ideal garden is one where there is something in bloom from the snowdrop of earliest spring to the chrysanthemum in the latest autumn."—La Mance. "Never cut a tree. The nurseryman must trim and prune to make a trunk; but when once set in our lawns, the beauty of a tree lies in the grace of its extended limbs and top. Chop off the tail of your dog if you must, and shear his ears, if you will, but never cut a A. A. Thomas. Such quotations as these and many others are freely used and have their effect. In addition to showing these slides at the clubs, Sunday schools and wherever opportunity offered, Mr. Patterson and his aides talked of the work constantly, until

the people of South Park thoroughly understood what was wanted of them. A most enthusiastic improvement association was formed. Mr. Patterson offered cash prizes for the THE BEST KEPT LAWN,

the best alley, the prettiest back-yard, and made arrangements with florists, seedsmen and nurserymen to furnish their stock to this organization at greatly reduced prices. The first year's work of the association worked such changes in South Park that the prize offers were renewed, with additional prizes, which were contended for by hundreds. Today practically all South Park is organized to fight dirt and disease and beautify the entire town as well as individual homes. Street vies with street, square with square with square, yard with yard, as to which shall claim the honor of being the most beautiful in South Park.

But the association had not all easy sailing. There were plenty of those obstinate people who are pleased to call themselves conservative. There are plenty of indolent ones who object to the labor of cutting lawns and cleaning alleys, for such the camera and stereopticon did the work. blacksmith owned a vacant lot beside his shop, which bore the accumulation of years of ashes, old iron, vehicles, barrels by the hundred, and weeds as high as the shop, was a particularly hard customer to handle. His sole answer to all committees was. "If they wanted that lot cleaned, they could do it themselves, he never would." One week after a photograph of the lot had been made into a slide and shown to the public that lot was in fine order. So with lots owned non-residents, who permitted lots to be used as a dumping ground; photographs sent them usually brought them to terms. Great difficulty, too, was had with a street occupied largely by washerwomen and charwomen. Their answer was they were too busy with their work and washing to at-tend to their yards and alleys; if Mr.

Patterson wanted them cleaned and made pretty he could do it himself, Mr. Patterson invited about 200 of

MOST DIFFICULT WOMEN They were not told the gatherings. nature of the meeting when invited, but they had had their suspicions. However, they were entertained by Mr. Patterson and his friends with the most winning courtesy. Music, an exquisitely appointed dinner, served in courses, and after dinner the stere opticon was brought out and did its work. The contrasts of beauty and ugliness were too much for them. To a woman they joined the association. There are yet a few places in South Park that are eyesores to the residents. but this year a strong effort is being made to remove the worst of them. Persons who have high board fences which they will not, or feel they can-

not, remove are requested to COVER THEM WITH VINES, and nearly all do so. This is not only beautiful, but most effectually shuts down. There is not a lamp-post or telephone pole in South Park but that is wreathed with vines.

The good work done by this associa-

tion is not confined to the lawns and streets. It has a crematory for garbage. First in the yard is sunk a tile, such as is used for sewers. It is 18 inches in diameter, and 28 inches deep. the top of the large end of the tile projects three inches above the soil. The bucket to fit in this tile is of galvanized iron, has a lid and strong bail for convenience in lifting and carrying it. It also has a conical bottom, which precludes its standing in any but its proper place. This is both convenient and cheap, as well as serviceable.

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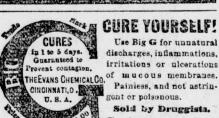
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London, Monday, May 27.

Mission of Hon. David Mills.

The early departure of Hon. David Mills, Minister of Justice, to take part, as the Canadian representative, in the imperial conference on the reconstruction of the Judicial Committee of the Joseph Chamberlain last Discussing the Australian Com-

any greater scheme is to appoint for seven years a representative from each bers of the Privy Council, who shall act during that period as Lords of Appeal, and upon whom will be conferred tinue to sit in the House of Lords, although they will not act as judges, after their term of services has ex-It may be that these services will be renewed and provision may be taken to renew them if thought desirable. The judges so appointed will be paid the same salaries as the Lords of Appeal are now paid, and payment will be made at the cost of the Imperial Parliament."

We presume this scheme, and other matters pertinent thereto, will be discussed by Hon. Mr. Mills and his fellow delegates from other portions of the eminent in the knowledge of constitutional and general law. The outcome of their deliberations will be awaited

Would not Hon. David Mills make a most able and acceptable first representative from Canada on the reorgan-

The Dominion and Toronto's Sewage.

Council?

If Toronto continues to pour its sewage into the harbor, the Dominion lic money to dredge it up and move it away, as has been done these many years, under the presumption that the public were served by the promoting of navigation. This is a fair proposition and the city of Toronto must find some other place in which to deposit its waste solids than its harbor, or clean it out at its own expense.

The Doukhobors.

Probably in connection with the immigration policy of the Dominion no people have been the subjects of greater comment than have the Doukhobors, who, fleeing from the arrows of persecution, have left their native land to seek refuge on our western prairies. Nor can the escape and settlement here be said to be entirely free from undesirable features; this people have, since their arrival on our shores, endured a mild form of attack from a nagging and unfriendly press.

Mrs. Fitzgibbon, who writes so charmingly under the sobriquet "Lally Barnard," presents a very favorable account of the Doukhobors. She has taken the trouble to make personal investigation before coming to conclusions-a course that would become all who would constitute themselves from knowledge borne of experience,

"I am firmly of the opinion that

One of the adverse criticisms often made is that of looseness of the marmunity. The charge Mrs. Fitzgibbon states to be too absurd to even dement, his fellow-man is always the first thought of the Doukhobor, the good of the community transcends, in his mind, the wellbeing of the inconsideration for others the Doukhobor is setting an example worthy of the emulation of even his critics.

critic, that the unwillingness of the estate caused by its big exposition; and, Doukhobor to register is an indication that he will not fall in line with Can- more than it can possibly gain. adian citizenship. This disposition, however, can be easily explained; in Russia, the signing of a document ing to make political capital out of meant often the inserting of the thin the fact that Parliament resolved to edge of military service, thus this increase indemnity paid to members. peace-loving people preferred to live It says Sir Wilfrid Laurier sanctioned by themselves and to forego a citizen- the advance, but it conceals the fact ship which was opposed to the dic- that Mr. Borden, leader of the Contates of conscience. The Doukhobor servative Opposition, spoke strongly in time for not wishing to commit him- supporter from New Brunswick, ar-

A Judge's Resignation.

It may not be exactly orthodox to iscuss right out the resignation of ordships, but every lawyer of promthat Mr. Justice Robertson might withdraw from active duty without impairing beyond repair the efficiency of the bench.—Brockville Recorder.

The trouble with Mr. Justice Robertson is his hearing. It has given fact that Judge Robertson is not fitted to occupy the position which he holds, and that judges similarly situatedthe late Mr. Justice Macaulay, for ex- [Arthur Symons, in Saturday Review.] ample-have deemed it the proper thing to resign. But we are informed, and though it may be a delicate subject to deal with, it is just as well it should be known, Judge Robertson is averse to resigning, because he believes he requires the salary, and as he has not reached the time when he would be entitled, on retirement, to three-fourths of his income, he is distinct the salary and as live! I have fed you once, given all you would, given all I had to give, I have been prodigal; I am poor now, the table is but spread With water and a little wheaten bread; You have taken all I ever had from me. Go from me now, gray wolf, and let me be! nclined to do that which in the pubic interest it is his duty to do-resign. The necessity of the situation is such, however, that we believe the Governin favor of providing a retiring allowance for the judge if he were to express his desire to comply with what seems to be a universal demand. No one would desire him to be dealt with lief from the present anomalous situation, and early action on Judge Robertson's part would bring satisfaction to very many members of the bar, jurors and suitors.

Another Tree Pest.

Canadian farmers will have to be very careful, or another tree pest will get a foothold in the Dominion. Many of them will remember the ravages of the dreaded cottony cushion or maple

New Zealand, and in 1868 was imported into California on trees and shrubs from Australia. The pest began to increase very rapidly. One potted plant is said to have spread the scale through San Gabriel Valley, and the orchards of the entire state were soon infested. For a time it looked as if the orchard lands would have to be turned into pasture for sheep and cartle. Finally the fact became known that there was some parasite in Australia to keep the scale in check, or the forests there would be extermin- Scotch and French scientists. The pracated. Albert Koebele, who was sent to that country to investigate, sent to that country to investigate, sent gave the world the trolley car, the electric material light, the electric motor, while one phones, a minute fly which punctures the scale, and lays its egg, which the scale, and lays its egg, which than Mr. Carnegie the value of prachatches out into a grub that devours tical, scientific discovery, but at the the scale. Mr. Koebele also discovered that the best scale-destroyer was a kind of beetle, and he immediately part in human affairs. captured and shipped back several colonies of the beetles and their larvae. These were distributed in different sections of California, and by December of 1889 the work of exterminating | Evidenced by the Joy Felt at His Recent the cottony scale was practically com-

The Washington State Horticulturist now asserts that the pest has obtained a foothold in the northwestern corner of the United States, and in dangerous contiguity to British Columbia. It is thought that the scale greatest alarm is expressed among the farmers in Washington, Idaho and Oregon lest it may extend its ravages the west will have to keep a watchful eye to prevent it crossing our border. We have no more use for it than for the Russian thistle, which has done so much damage in border western states.

The new Chicago Tribune building will contain every late device in plumb- to his room, said a few words, and adges in such matters. Speaking ing known to the trade, including ice water distributed in pipes.

That is cheery crop news from our never has so desirable, so religious, so Canadian Northwest, including Manimoral and so deserving a body of set- toba. In wishing our far Western feltlers ever been brought to the shores low-citizens good luck, we are also wishing good luck to all Canada.

We had thought of dividing up say riage tie; it is urged that they live five millions among the Ontario coltogether in a sort of "free love" com- leges; but Andrew Carnegie having set the pace at ten millions, we are a little discouraged. On second thought, we serve refutation. Altruistic in senti- may cut down our good intention to a million.

Chicago newspapers say a world's fair injures any place that holds it. An era dividual. By his thoughtfulness and of over-building and of general inflation sets in, leaving behind nothing but an exploded boom. That was Philadelphia's experience; Chicago is only now It is also stated by the unfriendly recovering from the depression in real presumably, Buffalo will in the end lose

The Kingston News is foolish in tryin Canada should be excused for a favor of the increase, and his leading self to documents in an unknown gued with great zest that the amount tongue. A little patience and for- now provided was much smaller than bearance with these new settlers and ought to be paid. The Conservatives it to the United States delegation, is in the House, from their leader down, totally unfounded.

having indorsed the increase, are debarred from making political capital out of the advance. Most people will agree with us that it is a moderate advance in view of the increased length of the sessions, and the claims made upon the average representative.

While She is Alive.

[Ella Wheeler Wilcox.] If his wife were to fall ill, the husband would expend his last dollar to restore her to health, and if she died he would place an expensive tombstone over her grave. Why not use a few dollars, a little heart and a little sense in making her happy while she is alive

The Gray Wolf.

The gray wolf comes again; I had made The door with chains; how has the gray wolf passed
My threshold? I have nothing left to with chains; how has the gray Go from me now, gray wolf, and let me live!

The gray wolf, crouching by the bolt-Waits, watching for his food upon the go; This time I have no store of meats to but I have nothing, and I and his eyes fasten on my O gray wolf, gray wolf, will you not depart
This time, unless I feed you with my heart?

Mr. Carnegie and University Education.

[Toronto World.] Mr. Carnegie's princely donation to the Scotch universities-unparalleled as it is in history-shows that the millionaire steel magnate has high ideas of the value of a university education. The donations made by Mr. Carnegie for public libraries, scientific colleges and technical schools have been most liberal indeed, but they are all dwarfed by his magnificent gift to the universities of his native land. Although a self-made and self-taught man, with an intensely practical turn of mind, Mr. Carnegie has reserved his most substantial gift for institutions that deal with knowledge in the abstract, that have in view the training of the intellect, the cultivation of the reasoning and thinking faculties. For the Scotch universities have earned an enviable reputation in the departments of logic, philosophy, metaphysics and in the classics. They aim to produce thinkers rather than practical specialists. Mr. Carnegie's gift of ten million dollars to advance the cause of abstract, as against practical, knowledge, will come as a surprise to many, but Mr. Carnegie realizes the fact that the thinker precedes the man of action, that the dreamer prepares the way for the inventor. The phenomena underlying the science of electricity were mostly thought out and discovered by English, tical Yankee took up the truths as they were unfolded by these scientists, and telephone. No man appreciates better same time he recognizes the fact that metaphysics, philosophy and pure rea-

THE KING'S POPULARITY

Narrow Escape From Death-A Touching Incident Chronicled.

London, May 25.-The King's escape at the time of the accident on board the Shamrock II. last Wednesday has added to his popularity. With what was brought to Washington State by tact his majesty preserves the happy traffic with the Australian Steamship relations between himself and his sub-Line. At present it is infesting the jects can be judged from an instance maple, apple and cherry trees, and the that occurred this week. Col, the Hon. Charles Eliot, whose friendship with the King dated from the time of the royal visit to America, when Col. Eliot acted as the mentor of the then Prince as it did in California. Canadians in of Wales, lay dying at the Sports Club. Col. Eliot had not had any intimate relations with the King for many years, but his majesty, hearing of the old soldier's condition, immediately drove to the club, got out and inquired sympathetically for his former friend; and these visits were continued daily until Col. Eliot died.

Princess Christian also called at the club, for Eliot was formerly a member of her household. She walked straight kissed the dying man's hand.

THE OTHER SIDE OF THE CANTEEN STORY.

Mrs. L. N. Stevens, National President of the W. C. T. U., Speaks on the Subject.

Chicago, May 25 .- "If army officers could only present statistics showing the amount of disorder at military posts, while the canteen was open, as carefully as they have shown up the since the abolition of the canteen, their reports would lose much of their impressiveness.'

This was the conclusion, as expressed last night by Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens, national president of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, who has returned to Evanston, after a tour through the south. "There is a great deal of evidence," she continued, there is a conspiracy on the part of sentiment in favor of the reinstatement of the canteen. I do not say that all officers are interested in this movement, but there are a good many of

them and some hold high rank. "The Women's Christian Temperance Union has made investigations at several army posts, and is thoroughly satof the canteen. We believe that drunkcrease since the canteen was done away oward the higher morality of the sol-

The published report that the pope has the intention to abolish the apostolic delegation in Canada, and annex

TERRIBLE FATE OF 78 MINERS

No Chance to Save the Entombed Welsh Colliers.

Chamberlaine Grows Propheti Regarding South Africa.

Says the New Commonwealth Will Be a Second Canada.

Characterized by Freedom, Loyalty and Prosperity - Steward of a Steamer Charged With Stealing Gold Bars-The French Soudan Open-Financier Suicides.

181 PERISHED.

The Hague, May 25.-An official dispatch from Batavia, Java, says three Europeans and 178 natives perished as a result of the recent eruption of the volcano at Keloet.

NO HOPE FOR THEM. London, May 25.-All the hope of saving the 78 entombed miners at the Universal Colliery has been abandoned, although the work of rescue continues. As cabled yesterday, an explosion occurred the morning of May 24 at the Universal Colliery, at Senghenydd, in the Rhondda Valley. About a hundred men were in the pit at the time of the disaster. Lack of air rendered rescue work most difficult. The explosion completely wrecked the pit and only five bodies were recov

CHAMBERLAIN'S PROPHECY. London, May 27 .- Hon. Joseph Champerlain, the colonial secretary, gave a luncheon in honor of Lord Milner of Cape Town, Saturday afternoon. There was present a distinguished company, including the Duke of Cambridge, Lord Salisbury, Lady Gwendolin Cecil, Earl of Halsbury, Lord and Lady Roberts, Lady Curzon, the lord mayor and lady mayoress, Mr. Wyndham, chief secretary for Ireland, Mr. Balfour, firs lord of the treasury, and Mrs. Bal-four, and Right Hon. William Brodrick, secretary of state for war. Only two toasts were drunk, "The

King" and "Milner." Mr. Chamberlain, in proposing Lord Milner's health, said that the latter's present vacation was only a prelude to a more difficult, but more congenial task than he had yet faced. He had to return 'to construct a new South Africa out cile two races now unhappily opposed whose co-operation is absolutely necessary to South Africa's future pros-perity."

Mr. Chamberlain concluded with the prediction that Lord Milner would lay broad foundation for a united commonwealth, "as free, prosperous and loyal as the sister federation of Canada and Australia."

THE WORK IN SOUTH AFRICA. Lord Milner, replying, deprecated, he demonstrations his home-coming had produced, but said that he realize ed that had he quietly taken a hand some from Waterloo station to his lodgings it would have been heralded over the continents as evidence of his disgrace. Therefore he bowed to the necessity of a public commotion, which with the habit of self-delusion that the government would not give up its agent in the face of the enemy, and that the people of the country would not be forced into abandoning wha they had spent millions in blood and treasure to

He said the work in South Africa was proceeding now at a slightly quickened pace toward the predestined end. He had been sustained throughout all the phases of the struggle by the certainty that the government's course was the only that would serve for peace and the only alternative was self-effacement in South Africa

"The time will come," he continued "and heaven send it quickly, wher tact, conciliation and forbearing statesmanship will be called for, and should be applied, but they must not be interjected to mar the concluding scenes of the drama now being enact-

FRENCH SOUDAN OPEN. Paris, May 27 .- The opening of the French Soudan to European traffic is



The great Emperor understood that primarily the ach. Primarily every man is a

stomach. The whole body and brain are dependent for health and life upon the orderliness and completeness of the processes which go on in the stomach and allied organs of digestion and nutrition. People who have been treated for dis-

ease of head, heart, lungs, liver, nerves or blood have often been treated in vain, until they began the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. When this medicine had healed the stomach and cleansed the blood, the other diseases disappeared.

disappeared.

"Six years ago last August I was attacked with malarial fever," writes Mr. Daniel A. Carter, of Yost, Rowan Co., N. C. "My spleen become enlarged, and I was in bed off and on for four years. I went to the doctors and some of them said I had dyspepsia, others said I had liver trouble. The last doctor I had called it chronis liver and stomach disease. So I paid out money and nothing did me any good. Two years ago I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and used ten bottles, and now I can do as big a day's work as any man."

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announced. The River Niger can now e used as a means of transport, owing to the success of the Lenfant mission, which traced its course. The French government claims a large tion of the Soudan and declares that it will become a second Egypt, rival ing the older country in resources and

M. Lenfant's mission succeeded in eaching Gaya, Northwest Africa, in flat-bottomed boats, with sixty tons provisions to revictual the troops in

the interior. This demonstrates the fact that the Niger, notwithstanding rapids, can be used as a means of transport to the mouth of the river, whence Lenfant started, for the products of the enormous territory which

has now been acquired by France. The Niger between Duenne and Sai like the Nile, overflows its banks for a distance of 1.400 kilometers, the width varying from 100 meters to kilometers. The deposit is most suit able for grain and cotton crops, and is capable of supplying France all of these commodities which she now purchases abroad.

RUSSIAN FINANCIER'S SUICIDE. St. Petersburg, Friday, May 27 .resident Altchensky, of the Kharkoff chamber of commerce, committed suiride last week by allowing a railroad train to run over him near St. Peters burg. He was a financier of great influence. His death was due to financial difficulties, and will embarrass many institutions.

THE STEWARD ARRESTED. Berlin, May 27.-Theodore Magors the bedroom steward of the North Ger man Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, who in April last, at Bre men, found the three gold bars behind cornice in the corridor outside the second-class saloon, which had been missed from a specie room on the arrival of the steamer at Cherbourg, and who claimed and obtained the reward of 10,000 marks offered for the recovery of the gold, has been arrested at Bremerhaven at the instance of the North German Lloyd company, charged with being the man who abstracted the gold from the specie room.

WORLD CRISIS IN PROGRESS. London, May 27.-Bishop Joseph C. Methodist Episcopal Church in Africa, who has been invalided to London is inclined to take pessimistic views He says:

There is a world crisis in progress in Christianity and civilization. We are face to face with conditions never before encountered. Missionaries and explorers have gone to the farthest corners of the earth and have routed out what may almost be termed the oldest and most secluded peoples. They stand in defiant championship of their ancient creeds and territory. "All through Africa I have seen sign

of this revolt of the barbaric nations. Great Britain is experiencing it Ashantee. All along that west coast, rich in gold and so rapidly being invaded by European capital, the natives need but a spark to set alight aggressive fanaticism that years could scarcely suppress. Take Liberia, for instance, where live to many of our own negroes. Inland there are a million natives who, if they wished, at any moment, could drive our settlers the sea. My only wonder is that they are as peaceful as they have

"Added to this danger are the grasping proclivities of the powers. Liberia would be snapped up in a mement by Germany if it were not for British

and American influ ice. Some of these days it may be absolutely necessary for Liberia to associate herself closely with some great power. It will probably be Great Britain, for a West African possession and its responsibility could hardly be to the advantage of the United States."

Bishop Hartzell has been forwarding about a score of new missionaries to his dioceses and securing additional support for the industrial missions, by which he believes native difficulties in Africa can be alleviated, if not solved. CABLE NOTES.

There is objection to the grants made by Carnegie to the Scottish universities. The Review of the Week says: "Imagine the Duke of Hamilton. Cameron of Lochiel, or McDonald of the Isles allowing his heir to get education at the cost of an American lying fields.

ironmonger." CROPS. The German official crop report, is sued May 15, cites a further deterioration in winter wheat and gives the percentage as midway between poor and medium. Winter rye is reported

GREAT CITIES

Causes of Their Growth and Their Prospects.

New York Sun.1 Mr. H. G. Wells, an author well known by the ingenious manner in which he has blended science and fiction in his tales, exercises his imagination on more serious topics in the Fortnightly Review, endeavoring to prophesy what the great cities of the twentieth century may be. He is always interesting, and his surmises about the future of town and country population are plausible and suggestive. His generalizations are necessarily very broad and for all statements obvious exceptions will be discovered, but these cannot affect the

points he wishes to make. The great change in the distribution of population that marks the nineteenth century is, as Mr. Wells points out, the unusual growth of great cities and a slight tendency to depopulation in the country. Never before, outside of China, with the exception of Rome and possibly of Babylon, had any city had more than a million inhabitants; now there are ten towns with a population of over a million each, twenty more that probably will soon reach that number, and a great number with as many as a quarter of a million inhabitants. They all differ essentially from the towns of previous growth has been doubtless the increased facility in transportation through the development of railroads In the days before railroads, Mr Wells contends, the possible limits of a town were bounded by the accessibility of the business center to the persons who had to work there. natural division of day for work and age free. Stott & Jury, Bowmanville, night for rest has always existed and is always likely to exist, and to get to the place of work and return from it not more than an hour a day each way can be granted. Therefore, when men traveled only on foot, the possible limits of a town were of necessity included within a radius of four miles from the center, and with the use of horses for conveyance that radius became six or eight miles at most. The large cities naturally arose where the

seashore or large rivers made traffic

by water easy. The railroads have now increased the city radius to about 30 miles, or an area, in other words, of 2,800 miles, nearly a third the size of Belgium. The worker, that is to say, may dwell at any point within that circle and yet be only an hour distant from the point where his business calls him daily. Mr. Wells feresees that by the end of the century, with 50-mile-an-hour carriages and 100-miles-an-hour trains, the radius of the city circles will become 100 miles, and its area equal to the whole of Ireland. In other words, the "suburbs" for the London citizen will extend to Nottingham in the north, and Exeter in the west, while the New York man of business can come to his office every day from Philadelphia or Albany or Hartford and the inter-

This points to a tremendous increase in city population, an increase that must be limited by other considerations, however, and Mr. Wells figures out a limit of 20,000,000 for London, St. Petersburg and Berlin, and of 40,-000,000 for New York and Chicago. Nevertheless, this does not mean a greater congestion of population, for 40,000,000 spread over 31,000 square miles of territory is a much more diffused population than 4,000,000 settled

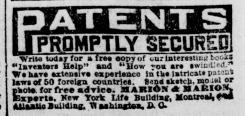
on 50 square miles.

There is no cause for alarm in these tremendous aggregations of humanity. By the side of the forces of attraction the force of dispersion is at work. Already in the great cities, the business centers, the regions of pleasure, the shopping, social and literary districts are distinct. Secondary centers for all matters of immediate need spring up. Moreover, with improvements in modes of communication, like a perfected telephone system, with better methods of collection and distribution, the need of appearing in person at the place of business may be done away with, and without leaving his home, a hundred miles away, the twentieth century New Yorker may transact his business, shop, go to church and attend the theater and opera. Factories may rise wherever it is most convenient to have the workingmen dwell.

Mr. Wells draws a fanciful but delightful picture of suburban districts in these gigantic urban communities, where the dwellers are drawn together by community of tastes, gardening districts, agricultural districts, industrial districts, "horsey" suburbs, artistic and literary suburbs around schools and museums, a place for every man according to his tastes, and the whole country in close touch with the city. His fancies already exist in spots, and perhaps with intelligent organizations as realities they may become common.

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AROUND THE CITY.

From Saturday's Last Edition.

-Mr. Wm. H. Taylor, M.P.P., is in

-Inspector of Prisons Chamberlain r. H. D. Carman, of the Toronto

News, is in the city. -Mr. Fred Piper, of Toronto, is vis-iting friends in this city. -Walter E. Gunn, of the Toronto News, is at his home here.

-Mr. John Doidge, of Toronto, spending a few days in the city. -Malcolm McGugan, M. P., and W. H. Taylor, M. P. P., are in the city. -Miss Emily M. Siddle, of 450 St. James street, is visiting her aunt at

New Hamburg. -Inspector Bell has issued to date 631 dog tags, which is in excess of the figures for previous years.

south, left yesterday for Chicago, where -It is understood that Mr. James T. Dalton has handed in his resignation as

-Mrs. A. Greenlees, of Ridout street

choirmaster at Christ Church. -Dr. Chamberlain, government in-spector of prisons for Ontario, inspect-

-The members of St. George's Society will meet at their rooms tomorrow o'clock to attend divine service with the Sons of England.

-Inspector Sanders, of the Children's Aid Society, has placed three bright little girls in foster-homes, one in Lambton county and two in Oxford.

-Mrs. (Dr.) Fraser, daughter of Hon. David Mills, has arrived from Mexico with her children for a several months' visit at the homestead, South

-The postoffice department has been notified that the Cape Colony postoffice cannot provide for the mission of parcels addressed to civilians in the Transvaal.

-The Hon. David Mills, minister of justice, will sail on Wednesday of next week for Great Britain, and will probably be absent a couple of months. He goes as a delegate in connection with the enlarged judicial committee of the privy council. He will be accompanied Mrs. Mills and also by his private

secretary, Mr. J. D. Clarke. -Mr. J. H. Tennent, V.S., of this city, has received official notice of his appointment as an official veterinary Inspector for the department of agrituberculin test and issue the necessary certificates required to accompany cat intended for export to the United

-The funeral of the late Mrs. Arthur Anderson, of Fernhill, took place yes-terday from the residence of the late Wm. Anderson, Proof Line road, London township, to the Baptist Cemetery, con. 10. Services were conducted at 2 o'clock by Rev. Mr. Little, of Birr, and Rev. Mr. Elliot, of Nairn. There was a very large attendance of friends to pay a last token of respect to the deceased ady. Great sympathy is felt for the husband and child in their sad be-

-Mr. Robert Bell, from Montreal, is the guest of Contractor and Mrs. Wm. B. Davidson, Adelaide street, where he will visit for some time. Mr. Bell and Mr. Davidson were playmates and fast friends when boys at home in Compton county, Quebec, when they separated about 18 years ago and since which they had not met until yesterday. Mr. Bell was one of the Yukon field force who went from Montreal in 1898, returning last year. The meeting, needless to say, was a very interesting

GONE TO KINGSTON.

Deputy Sheriff Watterworth yesterday took James Carroli to Kingston to serve the sentence of two years imposed upon him for theft.

POLICE COURT.

In the absence of P. M. Love, Ald. Hume Cronyn occupied the bench at the police court this morning. All the offenders owed their appearance to in the success of our gathering, I reover-indulgence in the flowing bowl, while celebrating the holiday. George McDonald, who appeared on the double charge of drunk and disorderly, and assaulting an officer, was remanded till Monday. Harriet Williams and George

PAINFULLY INJURED.

Mr. John Sigsworth, driver for the city Parcel Express, met with a pain- shortly after in convulsions. ful accident Thursday evening while delivering a load of parcels. He was driving along Dufferin avenue, near Cartwright street, when a bicyclist date from Ohio. ran into his horse, causing it to shy into a pile of lumber that had been left lying in the road by the sidewalk workmen. Mr. Sigsworth was thrown be convinced WORM? DERANGE the whole system. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator deranges worms, and gives rest to the sufferer. It only costs 25 cents to try it and be convinced

to the pavement and his head and face badly cut. He was carried into the Dufferin Pharmacy, where his injuries were attended to by Dr. Cline. He was afterwards removed in a hack to his home on Ridout street.

DEATH OF JOHN HOUSEN. A well known resident of the city died yesterday in the person of Mr John Housen, of 585 Hill street. Mr.

Housen was born in Germany 75 years ago, and had resided in London for many years. He was a tailor by trade, but retired from active work some years ago. Mr. Housen leaves a wife and grown-up family. The funeral takes place on Monday at 2 p.m. to Woodand Cemetery.

"THE LONDON OLD BOY."

The latest magazine venture is "The London Old Boy," a pictorial, historical and biographical publication devoted to the interests of London Old Boys throughout the world. "The London Old Boy" is published in Omaha, Nebraska, the editor being Mr. H. Lancaster. The initial number will soon be ready for the mails, and will contain much interesting matter, and many illustrations of early London scenes. The venture deserves the success that will no doubt attend it.

MOUNT BRYDGES CONCERT. The entertainment at Mount Brydges last evening, in connection with the Methodist Church, was a decided sucess. Although the evening was disagreeable, a large audience assembled and listened to a delightful programme rendered by London talent. Miss Templeton, A.L.C.M., and Mr. R. Albert Brown were repeatedly encored and will be welcomed again. In solos and duets they were highly entertaining. Miss Ellen Miriam Kurzenknabe rendered readings in an accomplished manner. As an artistic and umorous reader she is unexcelled. Rev. J. W. Holmes, of London, gave a fine address. Governor Boston acted as chairman. During the evening light refreshments were served. Mount Brydges Methodists and their pastor, Rev. J. E. Holmes, are again to be congratulated on their success.

DIED AT ARVA. Sara Kelly, wife of Arthur Anderson, heese manufacturer, Fernhill, died on Wednesday, May 22, at the residence of Mr. John Anderson, Arva (St.Johns). Deceased was born in Adelaide township nearly 33 years ago, and had been married to Mr. Anderson about two She was of a very amiable and lovable disposition and made many friends, who will deeply sympathize with her sorrowing husband in his great loss. She leaves an infant daughter two months old. In addition, one sister and her mother survive her. The noon, the cortege being a very large one. Rev. Messrs. Elliott and Little, of Fernhill and Bethel Churches, conducted the services. The remains were interred at the Baptist Cemetery on the tenth concession, the casket being being borne by James, John, William, Alexander, Edgar and Bert Anderson, five brothers-in-law and a cousin of the deceased.

NOVEL ENTERTAINMENT.

A novel entertainment, which proved a great success, was given by Miss McColl and the pupils of Hubrey school on the afternoon of Empire Day. It was decidedly a "children's worst in fifteen years. rally," for the extensive play grounds were dotted all over with he tots in bright costumes, darting here and there, while some were only able to toddle, helped along by an interested mother or older sister, and the larger pupils were engaged in various games. To the spectator it was a charming scene. "All things seemed joyous on that day." The programme was pleasingly given and received hearty praise. Stump speeches by two fifth class boys were listened to with most gratifying appreciation. Willie Fleming's subject was "India," giving an account of how it became a British possession; while Duncan Elliott told how Australia was acquired. The marching in the yard with flags and music accompaniment was a very pleasing feature. refreshments were served under the shade trees, after which all joined in heartily singing "God Save the King" and "Hurrah for a Holiday."

Letters to the Editor.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

May I be allowed, as one who was present at all the meetings of the National Council of Women, so lately held culture, with authority to apply the in our city, to gather up a few dropped all the contents burned, including live threads, so to speak? I would begin with a hearty tribute to the reporters of our daily press, whose intelligent records have done so much to throw a clearer light upon what the women of our council are at least trying to do. They refrained from personal com-ments, leaving all the space which the courteous editors were able to spare them for the words of others. If the temptation to be "funny" at the ex-pense of strict accuracy came to them from time to time, they refrained from yielding to it. For this we owe them a debt of gratitude, and we thank them, too, for recognizing the reality of our work as woman's work, where possible, in co-operation with, but never in antagonism to that of men. We of the London branch of the Women's Council are especially grateful to and proud of our local press, which has proved itself in no way behind that of either of the eight centers in which the National Council has met, and where our own branch has always been kindly received, and commented upon. As a city, thanks to the kind provision made by our civic authorities, and the street car company. London has spokfor itself, and our delegates from Halifax to Vancouver will carry back with them fragrant memories of the hospitality and beauty of the Forest City, and will tell of its many signs of growth and prosperity. Their sense of all this, and their hearty appreciation of what has been done by our friends within and without our local council to make their visit pleasant, was con-veyed at the last business meeting, in the very heartiest terms, and carried unanimously by standing vote.

Thanking you, sir, for your own share

main, gratefully yours,

H. A. BOOMER,

President Local Council of Women.

DRANK IT BEFORE IT FIZZED. Crystal City, Man., May 25.—Miss May Duncan, aged about 18 years, feeling rather poorley, mixed up a beverage of soda, vinegar and water and drank it before it fizzed. She died

Silent prayer was the only way of ending a contest in the National Mothers' Congress, in Columbus, Ohio. yesterday, over nominating a candi-

GREAT GALE ON THE LAKES!

Friday's Storm Caused Serious Loss of Life.

Large Number of Vessels Sunk at Various Points—News of Further Fatalities Anticipated.

Chicago, May 25 .- Death and disaster, the full extent of which is not yet known, resulted from the gale which raged on the great lakes yesterday. From Chicago to Ogdensburg, N. Y., the storm held sway, and a score of vessels were sunk, wrecked or suffered serious damage. The reports received from ports on the lakes told only of disasters in their immediate vicinity, and it is feared that other wrecks with fatalities occurred at isolated places along the shores. Anxiety is felt for vessels in mid-lake which

could find no shelter from the gale's fury.

The worst disaster reported was the wrecking of the steamer City of Bal-timore, off Fish Point, ten miles from East Tawas, Mich., in which twelve lives were lost. Two members of the crew lashed themselves to a piece of wreckage, and were picked up after George McGinnis, of Chicago, was made insane by his experience, and his companion narrowly escaped the same

The schooner A. Bradley, bound for Chicago, became waterlogged off Milwaukee, hoisted signals of distress, and was towed into the harbor for safety. The schooner H. D. Moore, laden with hardwood, collided with the pier at Shebourgan, Wis. Masts and rigging were carried away, and the crew was taken off. The vessel is at anchor, but leaking and pounding hard.

Assistance has been sent from Port Huron, Mich., to the steamer Frick, stranded near the flats. All vessels leaving that port yesterday were driv-en back to seek shelter from the gale. The fishing tug Constance was cut in two and sunk in collision with the steamer C. W. Moore in the river near Menominee, Mich. The crew escaped. The schooner Montmorency is ashore

on Charity Island, near Bay City, Mich., and may prove a total loss. The schooner George Davis is high and dry on Wenona Beach near Bay City.

The steamer City of New Baltimore was damaged in a collision with a tug

funeral took place on Thursday after-noon, the cortege being a very large part of the raft it was bringing in. The steamer Pewaukee stranded on Bois Blanc Island, near Cheboygan, Mich., with wheel broken. Assistance has been sent.

The steamer St. Louis and two barges are aground on the head of Strawberry Island, near Buffalo. The schooner Sailor sunk at the Buf-

falo Docks. The schooner Acacia collided with the coal chutes at Oswego, N. Y., and was badly damaged. In all ports on the lakes many vessels put in for shelter Many that had started out met the gale and turned back. The storm was declared by marine men one of the

Merely Mentioned.

The total loss from Thursday night's ville, will be between \$100,000 and \$125,-

Francis Kuyper, 58 years of age, of Albany, N. Y., a blacksmith, commitinto his breast. Excessive drinking

Mr. Geo. H. Newton, of the Ailsa Craig Banner, has disposed of the property to Mr. Clothier, of Calgary, N. W. T. Mr. Newton has purchased the North Bay Dispatch. The New York Grand Jury, who re

ported to Judge Foster Friday, filed 26 indictment for gambling as the result of the recent raids on poolrooms and gambling houses. The large brick building on Hamil-

ton avenue, Brooklyn, owned and occupied by the Snoma Wine and Brandy Company, was partially burned Fri- son, 352 Piccadilly street, and Mr. C. day night. Loss placed at \$100,000. A barn owned by John Schreider, near Milverton, Ont., was struck by lightning Thursday night, and it and to \$1,500.

The Toronto University Alumni Society favors the increase of Prof. Hutton's salary from \$3,200 to \$4,000, should he agree to take the position of principal of University College in addition to his present duties.

Ringling Brothers' Circus.

Ringling Brothers' circus will exhibit in London, Monday, June 24. It has been two years since the people of friends in London, received numerof this vicinity had an opportunity to ous and costly presents. see a big tent show, and circus day this season ought to attract more than usual attention. This is especially Pan-American Exposition. true in view of the fact that Ringling Brothers' circus is, according to all reports, the largest and most complete arenic institution that has ever visited Canada. This first tour of the show in Canada is limited, so that those who enjoy a high-class circus performance may congratulate themselves on the fact that London is on the route. Those who have seen the show in the States-and they are numerous -say that the exhibition is quite different from that usually seen with a circus. It is original and up-to-date. and at the same time it is presented upon a hitherto unprecedented scale of magnitude. For instance, there are 300 performers, 500 horses and 30 elephants, and the performances are given in the great hippodrome tent with seats for 18,000. To transport the paraphernalia of the big institution requires 65 double-length railroad cars, and to fully spread the tents a plot of ground 12 acres in extent is requi-Circus day will be inaugurated with a mammoth street parade, which is declared to be the finest display of the kind ever seen in America. At all events, this street procession will be watched with interest, for it will be an index of the show itself.

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CREED REVISION

Presbyterian Assembly Votes Down the Minority Report-271 to 234.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 25.-The Presbyterian General Assembly today defeated the minority recommendation by a vote of 271 to 234.

The minority report agrees with the majority report in all but recommending B, suggesting the preparation of a summary of the reformed faith.

CAPITAL NOTES

Protest Against Thomas Birkett's Election To Be Tried Sept. 16.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, May 25 .- The date of the trial of the protest against Thomas Birkett, Conservative M. P., has been fixed for Sept. 16. All preliminary objections were dismissed, neither side producing any evidence.

TWO MORE GONE

Death of C. A. Barrel and J. Cameron of the B.-P. Constabulary on May 14 and 15 Respectively.

Ottawa, May 25 .- A cable to the milfire at the Reading Iron Works, Dan- itia department from Cape Town, reports that C. A. Barrell died of enteric fever on May 15, and that 2,249, John Cameron, died of dysentery on May 14. ted suicide Friday by firing four shots Both belonged to the South African Constabulary.

WERE WEDDED ON VICTORIA DAY.

Miss Lillian M. Dickson Becomes the Wife of Mr. C. Frank Smith.

Miss Lillian Maud (Daisy) Dickson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dick-Frank Smith, accountant in the London office of the Canadian Express Company, were married Friday at the home of the bride's parents. The The loss will probably amount interesting ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Saunders, pastor of Dundas Center Methodist Church. The house was beautifully decorated for the happy event, an abundance of flowers adding a color and charm to the occasion. Miss Ethel Tucker, of Clarence, on the Ottawa, cousin of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. J. C. Drake, of Toronto, assisted the groom. The wedding march was played by Miss Jessie Reeve, of South London. After the wedding ceremony the guests sat down to a dainty repast. Mr. and Mrs. Smith, both of whom are very popular with a large circle

The young couple left for Toronto and Ottawa on their wedding rip. Be-fore returning home they will lisit the

CANADIAN DAY AT PAN-AMERICAN.

Bands Play the National Airs of Britain-The Country Well Represented.

Buffalo, May 24.—Today is Victoria day at the Pan-American Exposition. The bands at the grounds are playing the national airs of England almost entirely. As is usual on the 24th of May, excursions were run to Buffalo from Canadian points. On the flagstaffs of the buildings and the pennon poles of the courts and trimphal causeway the Cross of St. George and the royal colors of the empire, quartered in the thistle of Scotland, the castle of Wales, the harp of Ireland, and the leopards of England, are in unusual evidence. Canada's exhibits, which in the mines and horticultural buildings are particularly fine, are in a finished state, and the Canadian visitors naturally spent much time about these exally spent much time about these exhibits.

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MORE POWER FOR THE SOOS

The Clergue People to Build An-

On Canadian Side of the River-Company Will Then Have 125,000 Horse Power

[Detroit Free Press.] The Clergue people, or rather the Lake Superior Consolidated Company, recently organized, which now embraces the different companies which have heretofore controlled the large industrial enterprises on the American and Canadian sides at Sault Ste. Marie, together with the Algoma Central Railway, the steamship company, mines, water power and other branches of commercial development, has in immediate contemplation the building of a second water power canal on the Canadian side of the river. The present canal generates power for the operation of the big pulp mill, alkali works, electric light plant and iron works, and has a capacity of 25,000 horse-power. The new canal will parallel the one in operation on the north side and will be 150 feet in width and of sufficient depth to develop 40,000 Most of this will be utilized electrically in the operation of the big steel plant now building and for other enterprises yet in embryo. The plans for the new work, which is almost entirely rock excavation for three-quarters of a mile, have been perfected, and specifications have been forwarded to leading contractors. The proposals are to be opened at the head office on or before July 1, and work is to be commenced as soon afterwards as practicable. It is designed to com-

plete the canal within eighteen months, if possible. The project is one that will materially benefit the When the water power developments now under way on this and the Canadian side are finished the company will have at its command the vast amount of approximately 125,000 horsepower of the cheapest motive force

GREATER STRIKE TO FOLLOW!

Thinks President James O'Connell of the I. A. of M.

Important Proposition To Be Laid Before the Coming Convention at Toronto, Beginning June 3.

Washington, May 24.—President Jas. O'Connell, of the International Association of Machinists, announced this afternoon that he would recommend in his report to the next annual conven tion of machinists at Toronto, beginning June 3, that a date be set for a nine-hour day without reduction in wages in all the railroads of the coun-On railroads which fail to comply with this demand, a strike will be

mcluding 40,000 machinists, the others being boilermakers, patternmakers and semi-skilled workmen who work with the machinists in the various he demand the demand by tieing up practically the entire mechanical service of the roads. It was simply a matter of policy, he said, that the railroads were not included in the present strike. Although a number of them are now in-volved none of the roads was originally contemplated in the order declaring the present strike.

Mr. O'Connell says the convention doubtless will fix a date when the nine-hour day must be in operation on all roads and he believes this date should be some day in the autumn. At 5 o'clock this afternoon, Mr. O'Connell said the outlook of the present strike was very gratifying. headquarters of the strike has been shifted from Washington to Toronto, whither President O'Connell has gone The navy department received notice today from Harlan & Harlingsworth, of the pendency of the strike at their establishment, where naval vessels are building. This makes the fifth notice of strike in yards.

DEMANDS. President O'Connell received dis patches today recording the fact that at Detroit, Mich., the American Car and Foundry Company had granted the demands of a nine-hour day, without a reduction in wages, to the 78 striking machinists and 3,000 other employes.

The same action was taken in Rochester, New York, by the Eastman Kodak Company, which made a like concession to the 40 machinists and 2.000 other employes.

STABBING AFFAIR IN TORONTO. Toronto, May 25 .- During a quarrel last night over some blankets, Samuel Heelpot, boarding at 10 Adelaide street east, stabbed R. Sweezy thrice in the back with a long-bladed knife, which after passing through the overcoat and other clothes, inflicted wounds that rendered necessary his removal to the hospital. Heelpot will be held pending the result of Sweezy's wounds.

MONEY IN OIL! Washington, May 25 .- Statistics re garding the exports of mineral oils from the United States show that the exportations of the fiscal year about to end will probably be the largest in the history of this remarkable which has increased its exports from 204,000,000 gallons of illuminating oil in 1875 to 721,000,000 gallons in 1900. In the quarter-century from 1875 to 1900 the total value of mineral oils exported from the United States was about \$1,-200,000,000, an average of about \$48,000, 000 a year; and during recent years has averaged about \$60,000,000 per annum, or \$5,000,000 per month.

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Reading. 76½ 76½ 76½ 75½ 76
St. Paul 169½ 160 160 1585½ 158¾
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Hamilton's Seed Store?

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET Toronto, May 25.—Wheat—Steady, at 68½c to 69½c on a 13½c freight to New York, and 67½c, middle freights; geose, 67c for No. 1 east, and 66c for No. 1 east; Manitoba is easier, at 82c for No. 1 hard, 85c for No. 2 hard, and 80c for

hard, grinding in transit, and 91c o. 1 hard, 87c for No. 2 hard, and r No. 3 hard, Toronto and west.

Firm; \$2.65 bid for ordinary 90 per patents in buyers' bags, middle its, and \$2.70 asked; choice brands eld 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba is at \$4.25 for cars of Hungarian is, and \$3.90 for strong bakers, bags, ed, Toronto. Milifeed—Dull; shorts, \$13.50, and bran, \$12. Barley—Dull, west, 50c f.o.b. vessels, Lake Onports, and 41c, middle freights; No. Flour-Firm; \$2.65 bid for ordinary 90 per cent patents in buyers' bags, middle freights, and \$2.70 asked; choice brands are held 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba is firm, at \$4.25 for cars of Hungarian patents, and \$3.96 for strong bakers, bags included, Toronto, Millfeed-Duil; shorts, \$13 to \$13.50, and bran, \$12. Barley-Duil; at 45c west, 50c f.o.b. vessels, Lake Ontario ports, and 41c, middle freights; No. 3 extra, 43c, middle freights, Buckwheat Duil; nominal, at 43c, middle freights. Rye-Nominal, at 49c, middle freights. Rye-Nominal, at 49c, middle freights. Corn-Steady; Canada yellow at 41½c; mixed, 40½c west; Amarican No. 3 yellow, 49c at Toronto. Oats-Firm; No. 2 white, 31½c to 32c, middle freights. Peas-Firm, at 65c north and west, 87c east, and 57c middle freights. Butter-Receipts of dairy rolls and tubs fair; demand for choice moderately good; prices steady, at 13c to 14c for best; low-grade and medium, 10c to 12c. Eggs-In fair supply and steady, at 10½c to 11c.

Toronto, May 25.—Baled hay—Market is oderately active and prices are steady, 1 \$9 50 to \$10 per toa for cars of No. 1 mothy on track here. Baled straw—arket steady and prices unchanged; car ts on track here are quoted at \$5 to \$5 50 er ton.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Flour—Receipts 0,598 bbls; sales, 2,509 pkgs; state and n market was inactive and barely Rye flour—Steady; fair to good, \$3 10; choice to fancy, \$3 20 to \$3 50. Receipts, 208,550 bu; sales, 950,600 Wheat—Receipts, 208,550 bu; sales, \$50,000 bu; option market opened about steady, and was exceedingly dull all the fore-toon; cold weather in the northwest was effect by holidays abroad and local realizing; Mr. J. 29ac to 79%; July, 789-16c o 78%c; Sept., 755-16c to 75 11-16c. Rye—guiet; state, 57c to 58c, c.i.f., New York, ar lots; No. 2 western, 60½c, f.o.b., ar lots; No. 2 western, 60½c, f.o.b., ar lots; No. 2 western, 60½c, f.o.b., ar lots; Oo. 2 western, 60½c, f.o.b., ar lots; No. 2 western, 60½c, f.o.b., ar lots; No. 2 western, 80½c, f.o.b., ar lots; No. 2 western, 60½c, f.o.b., ar lots; N

firm; refined quiet. Lead—Dull. Wool—Dull. Hops—Quiet.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Butter—Steady; receipts, 4,718 pkgs; creamery extras, per ib, 19c; do, firsts, 12c to 18½c; do, seconds, 19½c; do, firsts, 12c to 18½c; do, seconds, 19½c; do, firsts, 17c to 17½c; do, seconds, 15½c to 16½c; do, state dairy tubs, fancy, 18c; do, firsts, 17c to 17½c; do, seconds, 15½c to 16½c; do, thirds, 15c; western imitation creamery, fancy, 16½c to 17c; do, firsts, 14½c to 15½c; do, lower grades, 13c to 14c; western factory, large tubs, firsts, 13½c to 18½c; do, fair to prime, 12½c to 13c; factory or dairy, lower grades, 11c to 12c; rolls, common to prime, 11c to 13c; renovated butter, fancy, 16c to 17c; do, common to choice, 12c to 16c; old creamery, 12c to 14½c; old western factory, 10c to 13c. Cheese—Irregular; receipts, 2,242 boxes; new state, full cream, small white, prime, 9c to 9½c; do, colored, prime, 9c to 9½c; do, colored, prime, 9c to 9½c; do, colored, prime, 9c to 9½c; do, fair to good, 7½c to 8c; do, large colored, prime, 8½c to 8½c; do, fair to good, 7½c to 8c; do, fair to good, 8½c; do, fair to good, 6½c; do, fair to good, 8½c; do, fair to go

BUFFALO, May 25.-Spring wheat-No. BUFFALO, May 25.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, old, 83½c; do, new, 79½c, car loads. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 78c; No. 1 white, 77c, on track. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 41½c; No. 3 yellow, 46½c to 47c; No. 2 corn, 46½c; No. 3 corn, 46c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 33c; No. 3 white, 32½c; No. 4 white, 31c on track. No. 4 white, 31c, on track. DETROIT, May 25.—Wheat—No.1 white, ash, 76c; No. 2 red, cash and May, 76c; cash, 76c; No. 2 red, cash and May, 76c; July, 747sc.
Detroit, May 26.—Beans are lifeless, at unchanged prices. Quotations: Cash, \$1 70; Oct., \$1 40 bid.

TOLEDO, May 25.—Wheat—Cash and May, 75¼c; July, 74c. Corn—May, 44c; July, 43¼c. Oats—May, 29c; July, 28¼c.

90 bu; corn, 695,000 bu; oats, 395,000 bu; ye, 7,000 bu; barley, 9,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 11,000 bbls; wheat, 2,000 bu; corn, 387,000 bu; oats, 195,000 bu; ye, 1,000 bu; barley, 4,000 bu.

OIL MARKETS. PITTSBURG, Pa., May 27.-Oil opened PITTSBURG, Pa., May 25.-Oil closed

OIL CITY, Pa., May 25.—Credit balances, \$1 05; certificates, no bid.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

EAST BUFFALO, May 25.—Cattle—All consigned through; feeling steady under good inquiry for butcher steers. Calves—Offerings light; choice to extra, \$550 to \$60; good to choice, \$5.25 to \$5.50. Sheep and lambs—Shade higher for top grade lambs; choice to extra lambs, \$5.65 to \$5.75; good to choice, \$5.50 to \$5.75; good to choice, \$5.50 to \$5.65; fair to good, \$5.30 to \$5.50; common to fair, \$4.25 to \$4.75; good to choice, \$4.25 te \$4.50; common to fair, \$3 to \$4. Hogs—Steady; mixed, medium and heavy, \$6.05, with a few fancy, at \$6.10; Yorkers, \$5.90 to \$6.05; pigs, \$5.80 to \$5.55; roughs, \$5.40 to \$5.60; stags, \$4.25 to \$4.75; close weak, 5c lower than quoted prices. ed prices.
O. May 25.—Cattle—Receipts,



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THE DAIRY MARKETS.

Seven factories boarded 656 boxes at the London cheese market on Saturday. Prices went up considerably, the West Nissouri factory refusing 9%c for 101 boxes. Northwood sold at 9%c, and Malahide at 9c, to Mr. Thomas, who also bought Mapleton at 8%c. Camden and Chatham Gore sold at Mr. Isaac at 9c. The factories boarding were as follows: LONDON.

WATERTOWN, N.Y., May 25.—Sales of cheese on board today, 4,000 boxes, at 84c to 84c; about 1,200 for Montreal sold at 8%c to 84c. wa cheese board today 361 cheese were sold at 85%c per lb.

BELLEVILLE, Ont., May 25.—Twenty factories boarded 1,205 boxes white and 120 colored cheese here today; bids were 8%c, 8 11-16c and 8%c; only 130 white sold, CHICAGO, May 25.—Butter strong; creameries, 14c to 18%c; dairies, 14c to 17c. Cheese steady, 8%c to 10%c.

CANTON, N.Y., May 25.—Cheese, large, 3%c; twins, 8%c; butter, 19%c. CORNWALL, Ont., May 25.—One thousand four hundred and fifty-four cheese were boarded here today; all but 46 were Canadian white: 90 boxes were unsold; Canadian brought 85%c and the American 8 7-16c. A. A. Ayer secured over half the board, 803 boxes; Hodgson Bros. got 319, and James Alexander 242.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red western winter, 5s 11½d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s ½d; No. 1 California, 6s 1½d; futures quiet; July, 5s 11¼d; Sept., 5s 16¾d.
Corn—Spot, American mixed, new quiet, 4s ¾d; American mixed, old, nominal; futures quiet; May nominal; July, 3s 11½d; Sept., 3s 11½d.
Peas—Canadian steady, 5s 8d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter dull, 8s. Hops (at London)—Pacific coast steady, f4 to f4 10s.

Beef-Extra India mess steady, 62s 3d. Pork-Prime mess western easy, 60s 6d. Hams-Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm,

41s 3d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, firm, 44s 9d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, firm, 44s 9d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, firm, 42s 9d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm, 41s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, steady, 40s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 45s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, 45s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs. 40s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 45s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs,

steady, 37s.
good United States, 66s.
Cheese—American finest white dull, 47s;
American finest colored quiet, 46s.
Tallow—Prime city quiet, 25s; Australian (in London) steady, 26s 3d.
Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot steady, 22s, 3d.

.s. od. Turpentine spirits—Steady, 27s 6d. Rosin—Common firm, 4s 4½d. Petroleum—Refined steady, 7½d Linseed oil—Firm, 34s. WEATHER BULLETIN.

Highest and Lowest Temperatures at

London, May 27-8 a.m. TEMPERATURE. 8a.m. Min. Calgary...
Winnipeg...
Parry Sound...
Toronto...
Ottawa...
Montreal... Father Point.....

FORECASTS. Today-Light to moderate winds; a little warmer and partly fair, with a few local showers.

Tuesday-Still unsettled. WEATHER NOTES The same disturbance, area of lowpressure which caused rain in Ontario a week ago is still shown on the weather chart, and is now central near Eggs, 11c. egipts—Flour, 12,000 bbls; wheat, 51,- Virginia. During yesterday the weather was fine and warmer throughout the Dominion except near the shores of Lake Erie and Ontario, where it was cold and showery. Another pronounced heat weave is probable in Manitoba and the Northwest Terri-

Western Ontario.

Building prospects are good in Inwood. The demand for dwelling houses has been very brisk this spring, so much so that the building of a dozen houses are in prospect.

in prospect.

Menno Shantz, a farmer living about two miles out of Berlin, while going through his bush on Saturday, was startled by coming across the body of a man buried in the ground, with the feet and part of the head uncovered. The authorities were notified, and an inquest held. The condition of things seems to indicate murder. indicate murder.

CATARRH OF THE HEAD. or your money back, 25 and 40 cents, at McCallum & Co.'s.

The Toronto golf club defeated the local golfers in a one-sided contest on Friday.

The score was as follows: Boers have been arranging to settle

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WM. D. EMERSON LEFT AT NIGHT.

Principal in London Music Hall Murder Forsook Woodstock.

Managed Woodstock Theater at a Loss and Decided to Depart While the Town Slept.

W. D. Emerson, who has managed the Woodstock Opera House for the 000. past two years, left town with his family and furniture at 4 o'clock this morning for Buffalo, where, it is 656 understood, he has an engagement to OGDENSBURG. N.Y., May 25.—Cheese, 1,483 boxes offered; 8½c bid; all sold.

COWANSVILLE, Que., May 25.—At the board today, 37 factories offered 1,524 boxes cheese; 5 creameries, 314 boxes of butter; 61 boxes butter sold for 19½c; 20c offered for the balance but refused; 539 boxes cheese sold for 8½c, and 55c at 8½c; balance unsold.

WATERTOWN, N.Y. May 25.—Sales of company, and within a few hours of the Northern Pacinic Railroad changed hands at the time of the recent corner in the stock was revived today by the circulation of a report that the Union Pacific syndicate bought some time ago all of the Northern Pacific Railroad changed hands at the time of the recent corner in the stock was revived today by the circulation of a report that the Union Pacific syndicate bought some time ago all of the Northern Pacific Railroad changed hands at the time of the recent corner in the stock was revived today by the circulation of a report that the Union Pacific syndicate bought some time ago all of the Northern Pacific Railroad changed hands at the time of the recent corner in the stock was revived today by the circulation of a report that the Union Pacific syndicate bought some time ago all of the Northern Pacific Railroad changed hands at the time of the recent corner in the stock was revived today by the circulation of a report that the Union Pacific syndicate bought some time ago all of the Northern Pacific Railroad changed hands at the time of the recent corner in the stock was revived today by the circulation of a report that the Union Pacific syndicate bought some time ago all of the Northern Pacific Railroad changed hands at the time of the recent corner in the stock was revived today by the circulation of a report that the Union Pacific syndicate bought some time ago all of the Northern Pacific syndicate bought some time ago all of the Northern Pacific syndicate bought some time ago all of the Northern Pacific syndicate bought some time ago all of the Northern Pacific syndicate bought some time ago all of the Nort company, and within a few hours of the drop of the curtain last evening stage and living apartments were stripped of scenery and furniture. The dispatch with which this was accomplished would have done credit to the best equipped theatrical company on the road. It is understood that owing to Mr. Emerson's failure to make the opera house pay several local firms

will be out of pocket.
W. D. Emerson, it will be remembered, was tried in this city on the charge of shooting and killing James Tuttle, manager of the Tuttle Stock Company, in the Music Hall. He was acquitted despite the fact that he admitted having done the shooting. His counsel, who went to great expense in defending him, was afterwards compelled to sue the actor for the amount

LIZZARDS STOP A TRAIN.

Covered the Rails on an Up-Grade-May Have Come Down in a Shower.

Boston, May 27.—Bushels of small green and black lizards caused the train which conveys freight from the Stonington Line steamers to Boston to come to a dead standstill just this 22, 23 and 24. side of Bolton, Conn., during the heavy thunder shower shortly after midnight on Thursday night. The train was long and as it puffed slowly up the grade through a marshy piece of land after passing the Bolton station on the New England division of the consolidated railroad, the wheels of the lo-comotive began to slip and finally, when no further progress could be made, the brakes were applied to prevent losing ground.

At first the engineer and fireman thought the downfall of rain was causing the difficulty and the sand box was opened wide, but to no avail. Then the crew of the engine jumped off and looked about the wheels with a lantern. They found the rails covered with a slippery matter, while along the track for 300 yards ahead were myriads of lizards. They lined both rails and as the locomotive came along were crushed. The train hands went to work with shovels and after a half hour's work cleared the track of the lizards.

The men told the story on their arrival here and said they thought the reptiles came down with the rain.

SPORTING NEWS.

BASEBALL

A friendly game of ball was played Friday morning between Perrin's league team and a picked team from the shop, resulting in favor of the latter by a score of 17 to 9. The heavy hitting of the picked team and Dickison's umpiring were the features of the

QUOITING.

FOREST CITY CLUB GAMES. The Forest City Quoiting Club games resulted as follows: Morning game between sides chosen by Presiden Mulhall and Vice-President Wm. Wiley was won by the latter with 11 shots. The afternoon game, between sides chosen by Wm. Bell and R. Erington, was won by the latter by 6 shots. The attendance was large and an enjoyable day was the verdict of all. This club has among its members three of the best players in Canada, namely, Mat. Brown, R. Errington and James Bell, all of whom are in fine practice and will make it interesting for Toronto cracks at the coming tournament, which will be held in this city during the summer.

YACHTING.

CUP RACES SEPT. 21, New York, May 25.—The cup races will begin on Sept. 21, Sir Thomas Lipton having by cablegram agreed to

GOLF.

LOCAL CLUB DEFEATED. The score was as follows:
Toronto.
London.

FISTIC.

New York, May 27.-Joe Harris, a featherweight pugilist, of Wilkesbarre, whose real name was Moses Cohen, was suffocated by gas in his home there, a special to the World states. He was found dead on his bed. The gas was turned on full, and all the windows and doors were shut tight. New goods-and only the best Two bottles of carpolic acid were on the table, but neither had been touch-Two bottles of carbolic acid were on ed. The only trouble he had had recently was a defeat at the hands of Jack Kinan, of Pittson, about which he worried for some time. He was 23 years old and had a good record.

TURF. BANASTER DISABLED.

New York, May 27.-Banastar, son of Farandole, favorite in the Brock-lyn handicap of Saturday, may not race again this year. The winner of the Brooklyn Handicap two years ago, and of the Metropolitan Handicap this

at this point that O'Connor took Conroy over on the rail and assumed the lead, closely followed by Herbert. Banastar, third, led Standing by a ad, but the Candlemas colt was on inside, and as Odom attempted displace him, Banastar, Standing | 8 Herbert came into collision. It perhaps never be known who was at fault. Odom thinks that in the mix-up Standing's hoof struck Banastar. Anyway, Banastar was cut on the near hind leg and ran the remaining distance on practically three legs.

The Railways.

C. P. R. traffic returns for the week ending May 21, \$633,000; for the same week last year, \$594,000; increase, \$39,-

Grand Trunk Railway system earnings, 15the to 21st May. 1901, \$515,674; 1900, \$512,643; increase, \$3,031.
New York, May 27.—Interest in the question as to whether or not the control of the Northern Pacific Railroad board of directors and executive committee, was short of the stock from five thousand to seven thousand shares and was one of those forced to settle at a high price after the pushing through of the corner. Mr. Adams was regarded as the representative of the Deutsche Bank of Berlin, in the Northern Pacific, but a recent despatch from Berlin denied that the bank's holding had been sold. Neither of the contestants in Northern Pacific has been willing to maek any statement recently concerning the control of the property, and it is thought no official announcement will be made before the annual meeting in the fall for the election of directors.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

-Mr. Joe Weber and son, of Hamilton, are visiting relatives and friends -Miss Maude M. Hogan and Miss Margaret Nichol, of this city, are visiting Miss Anna Garden, of Parkhill. -Miss Lizzie Reid and Miss Ethel

Sabbath School Association of Ontario will be held in the Metropolitan Methodist Church, Toronto, on Oct.

-Mr. Geo. W. Miller has resigned his -Woodstock Sentinel-Review: A

STEAMERS ARRIVED. May 25-26. Reported at. at. From.
....New York
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Liverpool New York
Montreal Liverpool
Montreal Antwerp
New York Greenock
New York Havre
New York Rotterdam
New York Liverpool
London New York Campania ...

Statendam. New York. Havre Statendam. New York. Rotterdam Cymrle. New York Liverpool Minneapolis. London. New York Southward. Antwerp. New York GUN TO SHOOT TWENTY-ONE

MILES. Satisfactory reports have been regard to the 16-inch gun now nearing completion at the Watervliet Arsenal, New York. The gun has an enormous range, estimated at about 21 miles, nearly ten miles greater than the range of the celebrated Krupp gun recently tested in the presence of the German emperor. An army afficer says that should the weapon be mounted at Sandy Hook, N. Y., with its radius of 21 miles it would be able to protect a territory of almost incalculable wealth. New Rochelle, on the north; Tuckahoe, on the south; Hempstead and Long Branch, on Long Island; Perth Amboy and Paterson, in New Jersey, not to mention New York, Brooklyn and Jersey City, would all be within the zone of its protection, and its shells could pass far above Staten Island and fall half a mile beyond Atlantic Highlands. -Washington Star.

THE LONGEST WORD. The editor of the New English Dictionary, says a writer in the May num-ber of the Temple Magazine, points out in his note to "In-Infer" that those who are interested in the length of words will observe that incircumscriptibleness has as many letters as honor-ificabilitudinity, viz., twenty-two. The authority quoted for the former word is one Byfield, a divine, who, in a treatise on Colossians, published in 1615, wrote: "The immensity of Christ's divine nature hath * * * incircumscriptibleness in respect of place." In the recent biography of Dr. Benson is an entry from the archbishop's diary to the effect that "the Free Kirk of the North of Scotland are strong antidisestablishmentarians"-26 letters.

WHY HE RAN AWAY. "But why did you run away?" we asked. "We had always heard of you as brave." "It was not that," answered the soldier, "but I got to thinking it would ful, if enough trouble were taken. be a sin to waste my life. Just economy, that's all."

HER FIRST REAL TRAGEDY. Daughter (sobbing)-I got angry with Jack and threw a t-tea cup at his

cement in the house.-Stray Stories. CAUSED BY HEAT.—Over-heated blood, impaired digestion, irritable temper, hives and other skin and blood irritations. Parke's Lithiated Fruit Granules (one or two teaspoonfuls in a glass of water) makes a pleasant drink cools

of water) makes a pleasant drink, cools the blood, stimulates the liver and kidneys to a healthy action, and banishes hives. Large bottles, 25 cents. Sold by Cairneross & Lawrence, 216 Dundas street, London. The Apaches have three different kinds of violins, each having but one string and played with a small bow. The unanimous election of Mrs. Maragaret Robins, as city treasurer of Idaho Springs, Col., calls attention to the fact that there are now eight women treasurers of as many cities in Colorado.

New Parcel Delivery.

Mr. Chas. H. Anderson has purchased the business of the City Parcel Express owned by Mr. Barnhart, and intends to give London merchants the best delivery service ever given in the city. Arrangements have been made whereby quick delivery will be one of the mottos. Mr. Anderson has been with gilt braid and the latest patent buckle. Belts from 15c and upwards.

ADKINS, East London.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED.

And of the Metropolitan Handicap this season, was cut down early in his latest race and so badly hurt that at least until autumn he must remain off the track. The accident occurred at the end of the first quarter. It was

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VANISHING ELEPHANT

History of Species Which So-Called Sports. men Are Destroying.

[From The London Standard.] The persecution of the African elephant by sportsmen and others is la-mented. This magnificent animal is not, perhaps, so near extinction as recent accounts would seem suggest. Indeed, the convention recentmade between the countries most interested should serve to check indiscriminate however, the increase of man means the decrease of the beasts of the field. Quebec after Col. Dent and pick up The great herbivorous cratures have large appetites, and prefer the fruits these provinces; the colonel himself of cultivation to those of nature. A was going on to the Northwest and buy full-sized pachyderm in a maize field or all the available ones he could get kitchen garden is about as bad as a bull in a china shop; we can hardly ket for all war horses that can be Russell are spending the holidays with their aunt, Mrs. Joe Weber, of Hamil- wonder, therefore, that the settlers wage war on big game. Efforts were -The 36th annual convention of the made to preserve a small herd of hippopotami in one of the Natal rivers but they became such marauders that they had to be killed cff. This was unfortunate, for they, like the rhinoceros and elephant, are old-time creatures and their lumbering forms seem con-

-Mr. Geo. W. Miller has resigned his position as district manager of the National Life to accept that of representative of the Toronto Globe, with sentative of the Toronto Globe, with of its future destroyer. But the genius club in London is discussing the question, Who Killed Tecumseh? Having has been found in all the great regions tion, Who Killed Tecumseh? Having settled that they might go on to settle that other oft-disputed problem, Who the settled that other oft-disputed problem, Who the settled that other oft-disputed problem, who then the settled that other of the new world a closely allied the settled that other of the new world a closely allied the settled that they might go on to settle that other of the new world a closely allied that they might go on to settle that other of the new world a closely allied that they might go on to settle that other of the new world a closely allied that they might go on to settle that other of the new world a closely allied that they might go on to settle that other of the new world a closely allied that they might go on to settle that other of the new world a closely allied that they might go on to settle that other of the new world a closely allied that they might go on to settle the settle that they might go on to settle the settle that they might go on to settle the settle that they might go on the settle that they might go on the settle that the settle that they might go on the settle that the se genus, called mastodon, was more com-mon. Even the Maltese Islands had a couple of species which, in harmony with their restricted range, were pigmy forms, about the size of donkeys. In our own islands primeval man, when he had no better weapons than roughly chipped flints, must have some time

ceived at the War Department in re- mud and ice on the Siberian Tundras. case the older forms are regarded as specifically distinct from those now living, but as yet as their undoubted

The African elephant may be readily distinguised from the Indian. Its ears are larger and of a different shape; so also is the forehead; the folds of enamel on its molar teeth make another pattern; its tusks often are slightly larger, and the animal is, on the whole, a little bigger. All that the Indian elephant can do the African should be capable of doing. It is said to be more powerful and active, more rapid in its movements, especially on broken ground. According to Sir Sam-uel Baker, it could beat an Indian elephant in a race, and keep up the pace for a longer time. It is also said to endure the sun better. This species was often brought to Rome in the days of the empire, and the animals were tame enough to be led in processions and exhibited in the arena. Pliny had plenty to say about both kinds in his natural history, including some stories which we fear would not command respect ephants figured, as everyone knows. in the Punic wars; indeed, Hannibal managed to bring nearly forty of them across the Alps, though it was hard work to get them down the slippery slope on the Italian side of the pass. The late Mr. Oswell suggested that these were not native animals, but imported from India. This, however, is not very likely. Though the species is said to be rather less docile than the Indian, it could probably be made use-

ALL'S WELL THAT ENDS WELL. nected with the Gas mains. "Ah, Gwendolynne," exclaimed the impassioned but somewhat obscure auathor, "marry me! I cannot live without you. You are the well from Mother—You poor child! and I'll Which I draw all my inspiration.

The maiden thought long before she framed her reply suitable to the needs framed her reply suitable to the needs of the Kansas City of the humorist of the Kansas City

"No, Harold," she said, "I cannot marry you and be your well, but I will always be a cistern to you." "No. Harold," she said, "I cannot

NOT A SUFFICIENT OBJECTION. Mr. Elderly-Think they will marry? They don't seem quite suited to each His wife-No; but that doesn't keep people from marrying.

Mrs. Boresome-Out? It's rather annoying. We had an appointment with The Maid-Yes, ma'am; but that ma not be why she went out.

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San Francisco, May 24.—Secretary Cortelyou today gave out the following statement: "Mrs. McKinley's physicians report that she has continued to improve and gained strength since their visit at noon on Wednesday, the 22nd, and that they are of the opinion that it will be safe for her to leave for Washington tomorrow morn-

CANADIA HORSES WANTED. Toronto, May 25 .- At the annual dinner of the Ontario Jockey Club, held last night at the Toronto Club, Col. Dent said he had orders to buy for the should serve to check indis-butchery. Unfortunately, the increase of man means day. Who was to go over Ontario and all the horses that could be

> got. The stock of California raisins is so large that growers talk of building a distillery to absorb the yearly surplus

BOYS AND GIRLS WANTED. D. S. LOST—ON FRIDAY—RUBBER HORSE— SHOE. Finder please return to 181 Dundas street. 81u

GOOD CARRIAGE WOODWORKER and trimmer wanted at Campbeli's carriage factory. 81c STOUT BOY WANTED - LONDON Sltf

The Western Real Estate Exchange.

had no better weapons than roughly chipped flints, must have some time hunted the ancestors both of the Indian and African elephant.

The former, well known to us as the mammoth, was quite at home, in a cold climate, for it had developed a woolly covering to keep itself warm. It ranged to the extreme north of Asia, and its carcass has been found frozen up in mud and ice on the Siberian Tundras. In fact, unlike the modern Indian elephant, which is undoubtedly its descendant, it seems to have disliked warmth for in Europe it hardly reaches the extreme south, while the ancestor of the African elephant never wandered so far north as the mammoth, and is found on both sides of the Mediterranean. Indeed, the present African species only exists in Spain. In each case the older forms are regarded as at 130 p.m. Suitable for a retired farmer, mechanic, laborer or person of moderate means. We will take a small farm or market garden in exchange for either of these properties. If you want to buy a farm send for our printed lists of over 250 farms for sale and exchange in Western Ontario, JAMES BURROWS, Manager.

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He showed her all about the great fruit conservatory, explaining to her the reason for training the various trees and vines in different ways; while he culled, here and there, luscious peaches from the thrifty branches, picking a few great purple plums, and, lastly, a massive bunch of those far-tamed black beauties of which he had spoken to tempt her which he had spoken to tempt her the place. He arranged them all in a city wire basket, with a few dark-een leaves, then gave it to her to take

green leaves, then gave it to her to take up to madame.
"How exquisitely you have grouped them!" Shirley said, admiringly. "How fragrant they are, too! And, oh! that reminds me of my lilies," she added, lifting a quick, bright look to him. "I think I never saw anything more beautiful, and I want to thank you again; they were like a morning blessing to me."
Neil's face grew luminous, and a slight smile curved his lips at this lovely tribute to his gift.

smile curved his lips at this lovely tribute to his gift.

He had never met anyone who had such a charming aptitude for making these poetic similes as Shirley, and they always moved him strangely.

"The water lilies were the very last of the season; so may they also prove a benediction of peace to you." he gently returned, in a tone that brought the quick tears to Shirley's eyes, for it told her that, with that "benediction of peace" he had also resigned the dearest peace" he had also resigned the dearest hope of his life. He accompanied her to the door of the mansion, where he paused and remark-

"I am going up to Ray now. Shall I tell him that you will come to see him later? He is always so happy when you make him a visit."
"Yes indeed I should be gled to run." make him a visit."

"Yes, indeed; I should be glad to run up for a fittle while if I may," she eagerly replied. Then she added, in a lower tone, and with as light feeling of emberrasement: "We shall be going home this evening, and I should be sorry to leave without saying good-bye to him."

"Going home!" repeated her companion in astonishment, and flushing to the temples, as he thought perhaps his recent declaration had driven her to this de-

"Yes; Madame Marton is far from well, and we decided this morning that it would be best for us to go," Shirley an-swered, as she noticed his flush, and was quick to feel what had occasioned it; thus she had worded her reply in a way to make him understand that the events of the afternoon had not influenced her matter. not be with us tomor-will miss the lawn

row evening— a will miss the lawn party and the app," Neil regretfully re-turned. "Do you suppose that I could enjoy them-or, rather, lightly participate in them-after our dt adful experience of yesterday?" the young girl inquired, in

Lord Wallace was deeply moved by her frankly lated hers within it, he observed:
"How secstively organized you are,
Miss Livingstone—how tonly sympathetic! I did not suppose that anyone besides myself would shrink from the approach-

myself would shrink from the approaching gayeties for the same reason."

"I will be hard for you," Shirley replied, as she lifted a giance of sympathy ot his face. "Would it not have been wiser to have given them up, or at least postponed them until Ray was well?"

"I would gladly have done so if I had had no one but myself to consider," Neil answered; "but since Ray is so much better, and there is not fear that ha will be disturbed. I did not feel at liberty to disappoint so many people. I am sure, however, that your presence will be sadly missed," he concluded, with a quickly repressed sigh, as he realized what a difference her going would make to him alone, for she had been like a veritable sunbeam in the house throughout the week.

"I am sure you are very unselfish in

"I am sure you are very unselfish in the matter, and I know that your guests will appreciate your disinterested kind-ness. I hope that there will be nothing to mar the success of the occasion; and, Lord Wallace, as I may not have an-other opportunity, let me thank you now

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for the pleasantest visit, without any exception, that I ever had in my life," she concluded, looking up into his eyes with a frank, bright smile.

"I'am deepiy gratified to know that you have enjoyed yourself so much," he heartily returned, and glad to see the clouds gone from her dear face.

Then, with another hand-clasp, he left her, while she went slowly and thoughtfully up to Madame Marton's room with her basket of fruit.

CHAPTER XXXI. Madame and Shirley took their departure that evening about seven o'clock, as they had previously planned to do.

They both appeared at dinner, when much regret was expressed over their intended departure and the break which would thus be made in their pleasant party.

Miriam and Ernestine Wallace, with Helen Montcalm, gathered around Shir-

Helen Montcalm, gathered around Shirley, after the company adjourned to the drawing-room, and used their most persuasive powers to induce her to revoke her decision and remain at Ivyhurst until after the hop.

But she smilingly told them that she must go with madame, although she expressed much pleasure at having made their acquaintance, and the hope that they might some time meet again.

The elder Misses Montcalm took a courteous though somewhat reserved leave of her, for Miss Livingstone, the companion, was an entirely different being, according to their conservative ideas, from Miss Livingstone, the supposed nice and ward of the wealthy and aristocratic Madame Marton. The other guests were most cordial and friendly in making their adieus.

Mrs. Lovering and her spoiled daugh ter must be excepted in this statement, however, for they ignored her utterly, although they were very gracious to madame; while they were heartily glad that so dangerous a rival of the petted beauty and belle was about to quit the

beauty and belle was about to quit the field.

Shirley went up to the nursery for a few minutes before they were to leave, to see Ray, as she had promised.

She found him awake, and lying in his pretty bed, which was thickly strewn with costly toys for his amusement.

He looked pale and frail, but his little face lighted with pleasure the moment he caught sight of the gentle girl, to whom he had become deeply attached.

He threw out his hands to her with a glad cry, and Shirley took him in her arms, and, sitting down in a great chair, folded his little form close to her, with a throb of thankfulness that his life had been spared in the recent struggle with that frightful disease which had so nearly proved fatal to him.

She told him two or three stories, for she always entertained him in this way, and made him laugh merrily once or twice; then she told him that she must go, for it was already past his bedtime, and he ought to be asieep.

But he clung to her appealingly.

"Please, Miss Shirley, say the 'fourleaved clover story' just once," he pleaded, laying his white cheek against hers.

"Why, Ray," she laughingly exclaimed, "I have told you that so many times I should think you would be tired of it."

"No, no; just once," he urged; and Shirley, folding him again in her arms, leaned back in the the rocker, and, as she swayed slowly back and forth, repeated these lovely lines:

"I know a place where the sun is like gold

I know a place where the sun is like gold And the cherry-blooms burst with snow, And down underneath is the loveliest Where the four-leaved clovers grow.

"One is for Faith and one is for Hope, The third is for Love, you know, And God put another one in for Luck; If you search you'll find where they

"But you must have Hope, and you must have Faith, You must Love and be strong; and so, If you work, if you wait, you'll find the

Where the four-leaved clovers grow." "There," said Shirley, as she concluded, "I am sure that Ray can almost say hat himself, after hearing it so many

times."
"It is nice," the child remarked, with a thoughtful look in his dark brown eyes, "What is faith, Miss Shirley?"
Shirley smiled, as she told herself that it was rather a knotty subject to explain to a child of five years.
"You believe that papa loves you, Ray, and will do everything possible to make you happy?" she asked.
Ray nodded a hearty assent to this, for no one had better proof than he of for no one had better proof than he of his father's love and devotion. "Well, that is faith," said his fair in-

"Well, that is faith," said his fair instructress.

"And what is hope?"

"It is something that you are expecting, or looking forward to, feeling almost sure that you will get what you wish."

"Then, if I expect that you will come to see me again soon, will that be hope?"
the little fellow inquired, with his yearning eyes fixed on the lovely face bending over him.

"Yes, that will be hope, and I shall certainly come; so you will not hope in vain," Shirley returned, but but deeply touched by his fondness for her.

"And tell me more stories?" he added eagerly.

indeed; but I think I shall have to find some new ones, for you will be getting tired of those I have told you so

getting tired of those I have told you so many times," she smilingly replied.

A quick, glad cry came from Ray, just at this point, made her turn her head, and she saw Lord Wallace standing upon the threshold behind her, and she wondered how much of her conversation with the child he had overheard.

He could have told her almost every word that she had uttered, for he had come to the door just as Ray was begging for the four-leaved clover story, and, not wishing to interrupt it, he had stood quietly without, listening with scarcely less of interest than his child, while he feasted his eyes upon the fair picture she made sitting in the low rocker with his boy clasped in her arms.

"Papa! papa! Miss Shirley is going away!" cried Ray, turning to him.

"Yes, and I have come to tell her that the carriage and Madame Marton are waiting for her." Neil replied.

Shirley instantly arose and laid Ray back upon the bed, but he folded his arms about her neck and still clung to her." I don't want her to go!" he cried with

her.

"I don't want her to go!" he cried with a quiver of his under lip; "I love Miss Shirley; don't you papa?"

Poor Shirley! The blood rushed in a crimson torrent over cheeks, brow and neck at this unfortunate speech; but Lord Wallace's face grew startlingly pale, as for an instant his eyes met those of the girl whom he would have been so glad to shelter, for all time, with his love and tender care. nd tender care. The embarrassed girl bent and kissed

The embarrassed girl bent and kissed the lips that had so unwittingly wounded them both; then bidding the child a fond good-night, she quietly left the room and went below to join madame.

It was nearly eight o'clock when they reached home, and, although there had been much to enjoy at lyyhurst, they were both glad to return to the quiet of the mansion

were both glad to return to the quiet of the mansion.

For a day or two madame seemed more like herself, then she suddenly relapsed again into her curt and sullen manner, and Shirley was almost in despair.

She felt sure that she must have some trouble preying upon her mind to change so, but she did not feel at liberty to question her, and so was obliged to bear it with what patience she could, although it taxed her gentle spirit and her powers of endurance to the utmost.

Three days after the hop they received a call from Miriam and Ernestine Wallace, who came to give Shirley an account of the grand party at Ivyhurst, and to take leave of her, as they were going to resume, their travels on the following day. Ray was impreving rapidly, they said, but Lord Wallace was not at all well—had not, in fact, been himself since the performance of that fearful operation. They feared that the shock to his nervous system had been too much for his strength.

nervous system had been too much for his strength.

Shirley's cheeks burned during the dis-cussion of his lordship's state of health, for she knew but too well what had served to make him appear so unlike himself; but she adroitly changed the subject, and the matter was not referred to again.

subject, and the matter was not referred to again.

The hop had been a great success. The elite of Quebec and its suburbs had been there; the music was exquisite and the programme for dancing delightful, while the supper had been something superb.

"Our visit has been a most charming one, from beginning to end,' Miss Ernestine remarked, as they arose to go, "and one which we shall remember with great pleasure. I sincerely hope, Miss Livingstone, that our paths may cross again some time."

[To be Continued.]

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THE WORLD OF SPORTS.

Third Day's Events at the Woodbine Track.

London Ball Club Defeated by Galt-Western American League Teams Still Winning.

TURF.

AT THE WOODBINE. Toronto, May 27.-The Ontario Jockey Club's third day at Woodbine Park was cool and dreary, but the racetrack lovers were there in force, the grand stands and betting ring were crowded to overflowing, and, apart from the chilly atmosphere, it was a banner day's sport. Twenty books and the combination did business in the ring, and five favorites won, though they had little the worst of it, owing to the great support accorded most of the starters. Papermaker, at 10 and 6 to 1, was the outsider to win, while in the steeplechase all bets were declared off. Sum-

chase all bets were declared off. Summary:
First race, Grand Stand purse, for 3year-olds and upwards, 4 furlongs—
Springwells 1, Moore 2, Colchester 3.
Time, 1:19.
Second race, Woodbine Nursery stakes,
sweepstakes, for 2-year-olds, \$700 added,
5 furlongs—Papermaker 1, Illowaho 2,
Pilaster 3. Time, 1:05.
Third race, selling, purse \$400, for 3year-olds and up, 5½ furlongs—Cormorant
1, St. David 2, Race Bud 3. Time, 1:11.
Fourth race, Breeders' stakes, sweepstakes, for 3-year-olds, foaled in Canada,
1 mile and 1 furlong—John Ruskin 1,
Oreiros 2, Parisian Lady 3. Time, 2:04½.
Fifth race, Minto handicap, \$600, for 3year-olds and up, 11-16 miles—Handicapper 1, Horsa 2, Wine Press 3. Time, 1:55.
Sixth race, Red Coat race, sweepstakes,
\$500 added, for members of any recognized
hunt club, about 2½ miles—Jim Lisle 1,
Reiff 2, The Professor 3. Time, 6:29.
Seventh race, Ottawa purse, \$400, for 3year-olds and up, 1 mile—Teckla 1, Flag
of Truce 2, Tenario 3. Time, 1:48.
CONROY WINS BROOKLYN HANDI-CONROY WINS BROOKLYN HANDI-

CAP. New York, May 27.—James R. Keene's Conroy, the first 3-year-old to win a Brooklyn handicap, cantered home a winner at the Gravesend race track on Saturday with the olds to 4 to 1 against him, while Herbert finished second, with Standing in third position. The favorite, Banastar, was away back in the ruck, unable to get up his speed in the heavy

BASEBALL.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. At Cleveland 0, Boston 5. At Chicago 6, Philadelphia 5. At Milwaukee 6, Baltimore 3. At Detroit 5, Washington 6.

At Chicago 5, Baltimore 0. At Milwaukee 6, Philadelphia 5. NATIONAL LEAGUE.

SUNDAY.

At Boston I, Pittsburg II.
Chicago and Brooklyn, Cincinnati and
New York, St. Louis and Philadelphia
did not play Saturday on account of
rain. The postponed games will be played later in the season. EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Toronto 6, Montreal 3, At Syracuse 10, Hartford 9, At Buffalo 5, Rochester 0. At Worcester 11, Providence 5. SUNDAY. At Syracuse 1, Hartford 9. At Providence 7, Worcester 3.

GUELPH DEFEATED. Guelph Ont., May 27.—The Royal Tiger Giants and the Maple Leafs played an exhibition game here Saturday afternoon, the Giants winning by 10 to 4. The game was fast and interesting. Score: Giants

Batteries-Horn and Robertson; Hickey LONDON LOST.

Galt, Ont., May 27.—The baseball match played here Saturday afternoon between London and Galt resulted in favor of Galt by 9 to 6. Batterles—Sheere and Gibson; Howlett and Pickard. WOODSTOCK BEATEN.

Waterloo, Ont., May 27.—The return Canadian League baseball match between Woodstock and Waterloo was played here Saturday. Zachers' home run in the ninth tied the score, and Thompson's drive over the fence brought in the winning run for Waterloo in the tenth. Woodstock scored their three runs on errors. Score:

Woodstock0000003000—372
Waterloo0000111011—493
Batteries—Robinson and O'Dea; Thompson and King. Umpire, Fred Dyson, Guelph.

R. C. S. TEAM WON. R. C. S. TEAM WON.

An "agricultural" game of ball was played on the Military School diamond on Saturday between the Memorial A. C. and the R. C. Struthers teams, in which the latter managed to come out on top by one run. Each team had a large contingent of rooters, who made it very uncomfortable for the opposition players. The features of the game were the coaching of Mr. Triver Burgess and Mr. Sam Friendship, W. Arthurs' batting, and Ed Struthers' great work on the initial bag. Score by innings:

R. H. E.

ABERDEENS WON.

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The fastest game of ball ever seen on the Riversides' diamond, was played on Saturday between the Riversides and the Aberdeens. Earley, the Aberdeens' pitcher, showed his skill by striking out 16 of his opponents, while they only succeeded in making two hits off his delivery. Burris, the Riversides' pitcher, was hit hard, and was substituted by Beaton. The Aberdeen infield showed up in strong form, not an error being made. The Aberdeens went to Ingersoll on Friday, but did not play, on account of rain. The score on Saturday:

R. H. E.

Batteries-Burris, Beaton and Allen Earley and Wilson. FLYS.

Abbie Johnson, Montreal's second base-man, spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives here, returning yesterday to Toronto, where his team are engaged in a series of games.

THE RIFLE.

MELROSE RIFLE CLUB. The Melrose Rifle Club held its regular shoot on Wednesday, May 22, when the following scores were made: 200 yards, on rest:

J. A. Clare 8 9 7 8 10-	H
E. J. Shaw10 7 7 8 7-	
J. D. Brown	ļ
J. D. Brown	
R. Robinson 7 8 5 8 8-	ļ
A. Harrison 5 4 10 6 7-	-
W. Robinson 6 5 7 4 5-	-
B. Harrison 4 3 4 6 4-	è
200 yards, off-hand:	
E. J. Shaw 4 6 8 9 9-	
J. A. Clare 6 10 5 5 5	
R. Robinson 4 4 6 8 7	
W. Robinson 3 2 4 6 5	į
B. Harrison 3 1 2 9 4	i
A. Harrison 3 1 4 2 2	H
J. K. MOTTS 3 4 0 4 5 5 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6	ř
Totals:	
E. J. Shaw 75 J. D. Brown	
J. A. Clare73 W. Robinson	
R. Robinson65 A. Harrison	
J. K. Morris58 B. Harrison	į

This concludes the competition for the medal which was presented to the club by Dr. McDonald, dentist, of London, one year ago, on which occasion it was won by James Harrison. This time it goes to Capt. T. J. Murphy, 7th Regiment, London, whose percentage for the year is higher than that of any other member of the club. He had a hard fight for it, however, as the percentage of E. J. Shaw is less than one-quarter per cent lower; also that of J. A. Clare is but

a few points less, as will be seen by glancing over the tabulated statement below: PERCENTAGE FOR THE YEAR.

T. J. Murphy... E. J. Shaw.... J. A. Clare.... J. K. Morris... James Harrison. 19
John Oliver. 13
A. Harrison. 21
James Ferguson. 17
Dan Steinhoff. 13
R. Robinson. 20
Wm. Robinson. 16
Chas. Harrison. 15

Chas. Harrison.....15 0 659 426 Other members of the club who had not attended the necessary number of meets (which is 13 during the year) to compete for the medal, made a very favorable showing. To Mr. J. A. Clare belongs the honor of having made the highest score ever made at this range, viz., 82 out of a possible 100. To those not familiar with the standard American target, we may say this is equal to putting all ten shots inside of an eight-inch ring, the distance being 200 yards, and five of these shots being fired off-hand.

For the last ten shoots the scores made

being 200 yards, and live of these shots being fired off-hand.

For the last ten shoots the scores made by E. J. Shaw have been the most remarkable, he having during that time made the very high percentage of .730 on the whole ten shoots. To those familiar with rifle shooting the excellence of this showing will be apparent. This shooting was done in all kinds of weather and in all seasons. E. J. Shaw also has the credit of having headed the score on ten different occasions out of the 23 he has attended during the year. These scores have been made with open sights, using the Lee-Enfield military rifle, which the British infantry are now armed with, and would go to show that when properly handled its accuracy is equal to or superior to that of any other gun made. The club were pleased to learn that one of its members Cent T. L. Murphy, he superior to that of any other gun made. The club were pleased to learn that one of its members, Capt. T. J. Murphy, has been selected to go to England this year to compete in the Bisley matches against the best men in the empire. We are also conceited enough to think that we have two or three other members who are deserving of a place on the same team. To those not familiar with the standard American target an opinion may be drawn from the following: The size is 4 feet wide by 6 feet high; the bullseye, or 10, is 3.36 inches, or about the size of an ordinary teacup; while the 8 and 9 is inside of 8 inches in diameter, or the size of a tea plate. The other counts are similarly divided.

A LONDON TOURNAMENT. Last season the Aylmer cricket club arranged a three-days' tournament at London, playing with Forest, Strathroy and London clubs, one game being played on the St. Johns crease and another on the Asylum crease. The Aylmer club are now taking it upon themselves to arrange now taking it upon themselves to arrange a week's tournament, commencing on Monday, July 15. Forest, Watford, Windsor, Chatham, Strathroy, London City and London Barracks have been invited to meet with the Aylmer club on this date and play according to a schedule which will be arranged later. London now has three good creases—London City club at Tecumseh Park, Wolseley Barracks at Tecumseh Park, and a splendid crease at the asylum, and six clubs can be accommodated each day. E. A. Caughell, secretary of the Aylmer club, has the matter in hand, and does not anticipate any difficulty in completing arrangements, as the St. Johns crease could easily be put into shape for play. Several more clubs could be arranged for if they wish, by writing the secretary of the Aylmer club.

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MISHAPS AT SIMCOE.

Mrs. Robert Stewart Fatally Burned—Boy Badly Hurt With Toy Cannon.

Simcoe, Ont., Dec. 25.-An extreme ly sad accident occurred Friday at the residence of Robert Stewart. Mrs. Stewart was lighting the fire in the stove and was using coal oil to ignite the wood. In some way her clothes caught fire and the unfortunate woman was so severely burned that she died at 10 o'clock that night. Bruce Gray, a colored boy, about 16 years old, with a number of others,

was fooling with a small loaded cannon, when George Ryerse touched the lighted fuse to the cannon, which exploded unexpectedly. Young Gray re-ceived the full charge of powder in the face. Dr. McIntosh, who is attending him, says his eyesight is injured, but he does not know yet how seriously. The young fellow's face is all tattooed with the effects of the

SECTIONMEN FATALLY INJURED. Galt, Ont., May 27.-Watson and Hadden, section men on the G. W. division of the G. T. R. here, were fatally injured Friday afternoon about three miles south of Galt, their hand car being run into by the 3:35 p.m

DRANK CHAMPAGNE WITH

VENGEANCE. Chicago, May 27.—A fondness for champagne is the direct cause of the death of Matthew J. Flynn, well known in theatrical circles as a manager of vaudeville and burlesque attractions. Wednesday night Flynn disposed of the contents of 23 bottles of champagne. The next day he was removed from the hotel to the Washington home, but he never rallied, and on Saturday came the announcement of

BOY SHOT HIS SISTER. Toronto, May 27.—Thomas Ryan, a 17-year-old lad, living with his parents at 26 Leonard street, is at police headquarters, charged with the murder of his little 11-year-old sister Yesterday afternoon the girl was in her brother's room and found a revolver belonging to another member of the family. The lad took it away from her, and she danced up and down the stairs, while he snapped the pistol at her. Thrice he did so while she cried, "You can't hit me." The boy took a cartridge from under the bed, evidently to scare her, and snapped the pistol. The cylinder came round to the loaded chamber, and the bullet crashed into the girl's head right between the eyes, traversed the base of the skull and lodged in the spinal column. The girl died in twen-

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Meteorological.

Toronto, May 26, 8 p.m.—The weather has been fine and warm in all parts of the Dominion except quite near the shores of Lakes Erie and Ontario it has continued cold nd light rain has fallen. Temperatures of 80 and above have been re-ported in Manitoba and the Territorand another heat wave is prob-

Minimum and maximum temperaures: Victoria, 54—72; Kamloops, 8—92; Calgary, 40—84; Qu'Appelle, 42 –80; Winnipeg, 48—80; Port Arthur, 36-76; Toronto, 48-53; Ottawa, 40-66; Montreal, 44-66; Quebec, 36-70; Hall-

Local temperature—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Saturday, May 25, were 60 and 43.5; on Sunday, May 26,

Today (Monday) the sun rose at 4:42 a.m. and sets at 7:47 p.m. The moon rises at 2:31 p.m. and sets at 1:37 a.m.

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A LOCAL BUDGET.

-George Moncrieff, K. C., of Petrolia, is undergoing a course of treatment in St. Joseph's Hospital. -Mrs. A. C. Perkin and Mrs. Ed Tol-

hurst have left for Hamilton to attend the convention of the Ladies' Orange Association of British America. Waterloo's new street sprinkler has

arrived from London. It is performing its work satisfactorily, and compels the admiration of the whole town.

-Sergeant Trumpeter Clifford, of the Royal Military College, Kingston, has arrived at Wolseley Barracks. During his stay here he will instruct to rumpeters of the London Field Bat-

-At the Askin Street Methodist Church yesterday morning Ald. Gerry recording steward) announced that the he year just closed was the best in vears.

-Miss Violet Reed, of Kincardine, cormerly of London, is now in the city undergoing treatment for her eyes. Her many friends here are glad to see her back and wish her a speedy recovery.

-Rev. Walter Mcffatt, the pastor, and the managing board of Chalmers Presbyterian Church. adopted Armed with paint-pots and brushes, the pastor and many members of his church, turned out in force and treated the church building to a much-needed coat of paint.

-Contact with the street car track on north Richmond street on Saturday afternoon ripped a wheel off Mr. D. S. Perrin's carriage and deposited Mrs. and Miss Perrin and two lady friends uninjured into the middle of the road-Good horsemanship on the part of the driver averted what might have

been a serious runaway. -The two-year-old son of Mr. Mc-Lean Stinson, of South London, had both thumbs severed at the first joint er, should by the blades of a lawn mower on Friday. The child, with his five-year-old cause Celery King acts in this way that it is considered superior to many Flanigan, 62 Bruce street. The little girl shoved the lawn mower toward her brother, who put out his hands as if to stop it, with the result that both thumbs were caught between the sharp

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assisted by Rev. Father Aylward as deacon and the Rev. Father Egan as sub-deacon. After mass Bishop Mc-Evay administered confirmation to a class of nearly 100 candidates. Four adults, one man and three women were among those confirmed. Subsequent to the ceremony his lordship addressed the candidates and the con-

OLD RESIDENT GONE.

Mr. Duncan Carmichael, one of London township's oldest and most-respected residents, died on Sunday morning after a long and useful life. He was born on the present homestead 79 years ago. Mr. Carmichael was an active worker in Bethel Presbyterian Church, and there especially his loss will be felt. Mr. Carmicinael is survived by his faithful wife and six grown-up children, they beng Robert M. (of Russell, Man.), Wilfrid B., creditable course, he received the B. Charlotte A., Ethel M., Alberta R. and Gordon B. at home. The funeral takes of Victoria University, Toronto. At place tomorrow afternoon at 2.30.

NOBLE-LASKEY. The Union Jack and Stars and Stripes were entwined on Friday, May 24, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. very pretty wedding occurred, it being the marriage of their daughter Phoebe Grace, to Mr. Robert Noble, of Rochester, N. Y. Miss Maude Laskey Rochester, N. Y. Miss Maude Laskey the satisfaction of conducting services was bridesmaid, and Mr. W. Croley, in the new building before his term in Dr. Johnston, of St. Andrew's Presby-terian Church, was the officiating min-The invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Waddel, Mr. and Mrs. Gites Mr. and Mrs. (Mayor) Chant, Mr. and Mrs. Pullen, St. Thomas; Miss M. Dyer, Toronto; Miss and Mrs. Croley, Mr. and Miss Peel, Misses Claypole, Miss Stonehouse, Mr. G. Heighway, Mr. C. Redge, Mr. and Mrs. T. Gumer, Mr. and Mrs. J. Currie. After partaking of the wedding supper the young couple left for their home in Rochester amid the best wishes of their friends, who wished them God-speed and many years of domestic happiness

FORMER PASTOR IN THE PULPIT.

on a long life's journey.

Rev. George Fowler, of Lisbon, O., in Elizabeth Street Christian Church.

The Elizabeth Street Christian Church was filled last evening by a congregation anxious to greet their former pastor, Rev. George Fowler, inancial condition of the church in M.A., of Lisbon, Ohio. Mr. Fowler preached an able and interesting sermon on "Satan's Lie about the Emir pictures for the art exhibit are not of Arabia." Although living in the unpacked, and will not be ready for United States, Mr. Fowler has not forgotten the land of his birth. He spoke last night of the joy it gave him to point to the splendid record of the Canadian soldiers in South Africa.

The Daily Patriot of Lisbon, Ohio, in a recent issue says of Mr. "Rev. George Fowler begins his third year with the Christian Church under the most favorable auspices. The past two years have been among the best in the long history of the church. The work of last year has developed until the demand comes for a larger seating capacity and a more comfortable and more modern church interior. Plans have been prepared by Mr. Cameron, of Salem, and will be submitted to a meeting of the congregation on Friday evening, at which the soliciting and building committees will be appointed. The Christian Church, never n a better condition than at present, is most aggressive, and must advance and prosperous city. Rev. Fowler, entering on his third year, has bright prospects before him."

SONS OF ENGLAND ATTEND CHURCH.

London Lodges, Accompanied by Ingersoll and Woodstock Brethren, Worship

The London lodges of the Sons of England, accompanied by those of Woodstock and Ingersoll, and St. George's Society of London, attended service in Talbot Street Baptist Church yesterday afternoon, where the pastor, Rev. Dr. Sowerby, preached an eloquent sermon. The parade, which formed at Chelsea Lodge rooms, corner of Carling and Richmond streets, included Imperial Lodge, Ingersoll; Bedford Lodge, Woodstock; Chelsea, British Lion, British Oak, Trafalgar, Beres service in Talbot Street Baptist Church

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ford and Kensington Lodges, London, George's Society, London. Among the congregation at the church were also several members of the Daughters of England. The parade, headed by the A. O. F. Band of Ingersoll, was marshaled by Mr. Frank Newton, past president of British Oak Lodge, and among those who marched were D. D. G. Presidents J. W. Cudliff, of Ingersoll, and A. Flawn, of Beresford Lodge, London.

aid the jubilee church now in process of erection in the Fiji Islands. Rev. Dr. Sowerby's subject was "My Duty to the State and to God," and his eloquent and thoughtful discourse was listened to with earnest attention.

LONDON YOUNG MAN'S SUCCESS

Very Brilliant Career of C. G. Corneille, B.A., B.D.

Received His Early Training in London Public Schools-Will Be Ordained Next Month.

C. G. Corneille, B.A., B.D., who will be ordained at the London conference of the Methodist Church at St. Thomas in June, is a native of this city, where he received his public school training. He afterwards attended the Glencoe High School, from which he graduated with honors. Following up his studies, he attended the Toronto University, from which institution he received his B. A. degree in 1897. After a most this last examination he took the highest average of all the students in the-ology, winning the George A. Cox bursary and special honorable mention, in New Testament theology.

Mr. Corneille went to Windsor in the early part of 1898, and, soon after W. J. Laskey, Talbot street, where a his arrival, conceived the scheme of erecting a chapel in the west end of

the city, as many members of the Methodist Church reside there. He went to work with a will, and had London Loan Company, best man. The contracting parties are well known here, and have a host of friends. Rev. Windsor during his student days, Mr. Corneille had charge of a church at Florence, Ont., and was connected with the

Methodist missions in Alberta. PAN-AM IS NOT YET COMPLETE.

Big Exposition Will Not Be at Its Best Until July 1st.

A ramble for a few hours through the grounds of the Pan-American con- Masons. vinces one that it will be the first of July before it will be in good running order, writes an Advertiser correspondent. The buildings, many of them, are in an unfinished condition.

THE CANADIAN BUILDING. The buildings look very well. The Canadian building will be very creditable, when completed, to our architect, Mr. H. C. McBride. It is well located, and already in order is a good exhibit the Columbia Handle Company. But should it happen to rain when a visitor is making his way around the grounds, he would wish he had stayed home. The roads will require a lot of

The machinery is not in place. The some time. I think it just as well both in the interests of the public and of the exhibition that the public should know these facts. The exhibition, when ready, will be well worth seeing, and when illuminated, at night, will present a magnificent spectacle; but, half-finished, it should not be offered to the public. Not much before the first of

A BAD HEART

-Palpitation the Cause.

Cape La Hune, Nfld., May 27-(Spe-Thomas Barter, of this place, has been in a bad way for some He had palpitation of the heart and had to quit work altogether. His friends feared the worst, but Mr. to meet the demands of our growing Barter himself, never quite gave up. His suffering was great, and he became discouraged, but when a likely remedy was suggested he at once gave A s However, nothing did him any good until he noticed a testimonial for Dodd's Kidney Pills as a cure for

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the 790,000 who died last year had anything to leave by will.

CRUSHED UNDER

Terrible Death of G. T. R. Employe on Saturday.

Stepped Off One Engine and Was Struck by Another, and Instantly Killed.

William Taylor, of 114 Wilson avenue, West London, was instantly killed on Saturday afternoon in the Grand Trunk Railway yards here. In descending from an engine he stepped in the way of a shunting yard engine, and was knocked down beneath the wheels.

The accident occurred at a siding near the repair shops between Waterloo and Colborne streets. Taylor, who was em was getting up steam in engine No. 309 for a run out of London. He had appar-A large congregation was present at the church. Special music was given by the choir, and Mrs. A. E. Brown, sang "The Holy City," in excellent voice. The collection will be used to larkin in the cab, struck him. The yard engine was backing, and was so close to

adjoining track to procure a tool, when yard engine No. 659, with Engineer James Larkin in the cab, struck him. The yard engine was backing, and was so close to Taylor when he descended from engine No. 309, that he had no time to save himself. He was horribly mangled, his head being crushed to a shapeless mass.

The wife of the unfortunate man is prostrated with grief. Two little girls also survive.

The victim of the terrible accident was born in England 38 years ago. He belonged to St. George's Church, West London, and was an industrious and exemplary young man. He had been employed for two years past at the roundhouse, and prior to that time worked at the railway coal chutes in the east end. A brothers is employed on the C. P. R.

The circumstances of the accident were very similar to those surrounding the death of Call Boy Simcoe in the yards a few weeks ago. Coroner MacLaren, after inquiry into the accident, decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

The remains will be interred tomorrow morning.

YEAR'S SUFFERING ENDED BY DEATH.

Thomas A. Parkinson, Well-Known Business Man, Passes Away.

On Saturday night there died, at his late residence, 187 Waterloo street, Mr. Thomas A. Parkinson, of the firm of Parkinson & Co., stove merchants, Richmond street. Pulmonary trouble. from which Mr. Parkinson had suffered for over a year, was the cause of death. Mr. Parkinson took a trip to California some time ago for his health, but was only slightly benefited thereby. During the greater part of the past winter he was confined to his house, but with the coming warmer weather he was able to be Three weeks ago he became out. worse and gradually sank till the end came

Mr. Parkinson was the eldest son o Mr. Thomas Parkinson, 192 Richmond street. He was born in England 38 years ago, but for 30 years he had resided in this city. His wife predeceased him in August, 1899. Four children, the eldest 9 years of age, are thus left orphaned. Besides his father, Mr. Parkinson is survived by two sisters and three brothers—Mrs. Samuel Tapley, of Rosebank, Man., and Miss Lizzie, of this city, and Messrs. Fred, George and Ben, also of London. Mr. Parkinson was prominent in society work, being a member of the following bodies: St. John's Lodge, No. 20, A., F. and A. M.; St. John's Chapter, No. 3, and Richard Coeur de Preceptory, Knights Templar; the United Workmen, the Chosen Friends and Myrtle Lodge, No. 2, Knights of Pythias, of which he was past chancellor, and the Royal Arcanum. The funeral, which will be held temorrow afternoon to Woodland Cemetery, will be conducted by the

FIRST CASE UNDER NEW ON-

TARIO LAW. Toronto, May 27.-The first case under the Ontario law to prevent municipalities enticing each other's factories was begun at Osgoode Hall Saturday morning, when, on behalf of the village of Markham, suit was entered against the town or Aurora for the quashing of a bonus of \$10,000 and exemption of taxation offered to Underhill & Sisman to remove their factory from Markham to

Aurora. KILLED BY STREET CAR. Lansing, Mich., May 27.-Horace Darling, 80 years of age, who has been employed for many years as gateman at E. Bements Sons' factory, was struck by a street car while crossing the street railway tracks on Washington avenue Saturday. He thrown to the ground with great force. his head striking the pavement and breaking his skull, and he expired

three hours later. MYSTERY CLEARED UP. Newcastle, N. B., May 25.-A mys-July will it be in a sufficiently forward | tery of four years was cleared up this condition to be visited with pleasure afternoon when a steam driver nam-and profit. ing of the remains of a man in the thick of the woods near Southern Miramichi. They were the remains of W. C. Anslow, editor and owner of the Newcastle Advocate, who disappeared in October,1897. He had gone out shooting with his son. They became separated and the elder was never seen. A gun, watch, knife and belt-buckle found with the remains leave no doubt as to the identity.

Pimples, blotches and all other spring troubles are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla —the most effective of all spring medi-

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tizer and general tonic before eating: One-quarter wineglass of Angostura Bit-ters; fill glass with water and cracked ice, and add a heaping teaspoonful of powdered sugar. Stir briskly before The stupid policy of hunters in South Africa has led to the almost total destruction of a host of wild animalsthe quagga among them.

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Ladies' Spring Suits, made of nice quality tweed, in Oxford gray and mixed brown shades; jacket Eton style, lined with mercerized sateen, skirt lined through, velvet facing, flare cut. Regular price \$10, for\$6 50

Ladies' Tweed and Venetian colors; jacket Eton style, lined with fine mercerized sateen, lapels neatly stitched; skirt, flare, lined with percale, velvet facing. A handsome suit. Regular \$15, clearing at\$8 50

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