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THE LYNCHING.

uses That Led to the Terrible Deed.

urder of Chief of Police Hennessey.

Supposed Assassins—Operations of the Mafia, or Murder Societies—All Quiet at New Orleans.

HE MAFIA.

ORLEANS, March 16.—In explanation of the terrible events of Saturday it may be stated that New Orleans large Italian population, some 15,000, aps one-half of whom are Sicilians, ong whom the vendetta practice urishes. They bring over from Europe editary feuds against each other. It has en a common thing to find murdered lians in the streets of the Southern city a list of 40 Italian murders that have ccurred during recent years has been printed in one of the New Orleans papers. Finally, however, an especially violent outbreak between the Provenzanos, who had formerly enjoyed a monopoly in unloading fruit vessels, and the followers of one Matranga, who succeeded in getting it away from them, led to the wounding of several persons, and Chief of Police David Hennessey arrested and convicted some of the Provenzanos, who were charged with doing the shooting. Hennessey was a brave and energetic man, and though only 32 years old is said to have been the best chief of police the city ever had. His success some years ago in capturing a famous Italian brigand who was wanted by the home government doubtless convinced the other criminals that he was a man to be dreaded. It is said that the Italian assassins patched up their feuds against each other, resolved at a secret meeting on

THE CHIEF'S DEATH,

nd concealed themselves in alleys at each orner of the block in which he lived. bout midnight Oct. 15, as he was on his home, a volley was fired at him as he ed the corner and came under the glare electric light. He drew his re- nd returned the fire; the assassins with twenty or more shots, and who had just left him and ing up was himself wounded in He found the chief lying on his erstep riddled by bullets. He died xt morning, declaring that Italians one the deed. Half a dozen arrests made at once, one of the accused being Antonio Scaffidi. A newspaper rrier named Thomas Duffy, a friend of ennessey, visited the jail to identify him, and, before two deputy sheriffs who were standing near could prevent, shot the Italian in the neck. Scaffidi recovered and was one of Saturday's victims.

TRIAL OF THE ITALIANS.

Nineteen persons altogether were indicted, and nine were put on trial Feb. 28. The only person who was able to identify any of the actual murders was a Mr. Peeler, who lived opposite Hennessey's house. He identified three fruit venders, Scaffidi, Bagnetto and Polietz. The last named became greatly excited during the trial, and arose and addressed the judge. A private interview was granted him through the interpreter, and as his counsel refused longer to defend him, it is believed that he made a confession. He was the man who was hanged Saturday on a lamp-post outside the jail. Joe Macheca, one of the accused and one of Saturday's victims, was a wealthy merchant, the founder of the pioneer New Orleans house in the steamship fruit trade with Central America. He was worth some hundreds of thousands, had been a prominent politician, and was believed to be at the head of the conspiracy. He had a pistol and wounded the police sergeant on the day of the lynching. Monasterio, another of the victims, was a shoemaker in whose shanty, it is said, the conspirators met, while the younger Marchesi, who was spared, though his father was killed, was a boy of 17, who is said to have warned the assassins by a whistle that Hennessey was approaching.

THE CAUSE OF THE LYNCHING.

The verdict of the jury that led to the lynching acquitted Macheca, the two Marchesis, Bagnetto, the two others whom the mob spared, Matranga and Incardona. There was a mistrial in the case of the other three, the jury standing 9 to 3 in favor of the conviction of Scaffidi and 6 to 6 regarding Monasterio and Polietz. The jurymen explained that they did not believe most of the witnesses for the state, and that the failure of the prosecution to put on the stand the two policemen who were the first persons to arrive at the scene of the murder made a bad impression. The men who were acquitted were not at once discharged, because there was another accusation hanging over them. It will be noticed that five of the men lynched were among the accused who had been tried.

ALL QUIET.

NEW ORLEANS, March 16.—The district attorney has entered a nole prosse as to all the indictments impending in section "B" of the Criminal District Court against the Italians implicated in the Hennessey assassination. This releases Charles Matranga, Incardona and the boy Marchesi. The indictments in section "A," Judge Marr's division, still hold Sunserri, Patenno, John Caruso, Natale and Piettze. All is quiet here.

THE MURDER SOCIETY.

Joseph Provenzano says he has not been connected with the Mafia in any manner. On the contrary, he has been an object of their enmity. "About five years ago," says Provenzano, "the Mafia sent me several letters threatening to kill myself and brothers unless we gave the society $1,000. We did not respond, and Jim Caruso shortly afterward came to me and said he belonged to the society and we had better pay the money. He said I could do so by going to the old lake and bandaging my head in a red handkerchief and leaving the money on a stump in the swamp near by. I was then to go about my business and they to get the money. I then went to some of my friends, and they said not to pay it. I then dropped the matter, and told Caruso to have nothing more to do with the society, to give up his fruit stand and come on the levee, and we would make him a free man. He said he would do so, as he was tired of the Mafia, having recently been selected on a committee to kill some one. "I told Jim Caruso that he must go and swear that he would have nothing further to do with the Mafia before I gave him work. He did so, for I went for him to the Italian church on Conti and Rampart streets and he knelt before the altar and took the obligation. He said Charlie Matranga was the chief of the gang, and that he presided at the meetings robed in a black domino suit. He said Rocco Gracci was also a leader. Caruso said he only attended one meeting, that he went in and Matranga held up a skull in his left hand and a dirk in his right. He was then sworn with uplifted hands to abide the decision of the order. He said he was informed after taking the obligation that the object was to kill those who were against the Mafia gang.

THE WAY IT WAS DONE

was to select a victim and invite him to a dinner and afterwards do him up. Caruso did not like this, and went to work for me. I told him I wanted none of the Mafia people in our employ." Provenzano was asked why his name should have been connected with the Mafia by Father Manoretta, and he replied: "I think Di Carlo has given the priest this idea. Di Carlo was to marry Tony Mattang's daughter, and there is much intimacy between Manoretta and these people. I think he knows all about the members of the Mafia from his intimacy with them. I do not know that Di Carlo belongs to the Mafia, but I have a strong belief that he does. Caruso told me Sinceri was a member. He pointed out eight or nine men whom he said belonged to it, and I discharged them. Caruso worked for us about two years, but there was nothing further said about the Mafia. He finally left us and went with Matranga. I do not know whether John Caruso belongs to it or not; his brother never told me that he did." Provenzano says that Polietz was working for him when Caruso was given employment. He was one of the men pointed out by Caruso as belonging to the Mafia. He was discharged at the time, and was not heard of again until the murder of Hennessey. Sinceri was also in his employ at the time, and was discharged for belonging to the Mafia.

"SOBER SECOND THOUGHT."

NEW ORLEANS, March 16.—New Orleans is as quiet now as it ever was, and the sober second thought of the people has returned. Attorney-General Rogers has investigated Saturday's occurrences at the jail. The prison officials say they recognized some of the persons who were inside the prison, and their names, it is understood, have been forwarded to the Attorney-General. Some indictments may follow as a formality, but so great a number of people were concerned in the killing that it will be impossible to arraign them all or to secure a conviction in case they should be arrested. The Italian consul says a full report of the proceeding has been transmitted to Rome and to the legation at Washington, and all further action will be taken through the legation. O'Malley, the detective who was largely the cause of the trouble, is not in town.

ACTION AT WASHINGTON DEFERRED.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—No further action will be taken by the Federal authorities here regarding the shooting of Italians at New Orleans until after Gov. Nichols' reply to Secretary Blaine's telegram stating the Government's position. Officials of the Department of Justice and the War Department say, in explanation of why the Government took no steps to prevent mob violence, that the Federal authorities are powerless to act in cases of disorder in States except when called upon for aid by the State authorities, or when necessary for the special protection of Government property.

TELEGRAM FROM THE ITALIAN CONSUL.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—Baron Fava, Italian minister to the United States, yesterday sent to the Italian consul-general at New York the following telegram: I learn from papers that excitement is prevailing in the Italian colony on account of the New Orleans event. I have to resort to your influence and authority to urge upon the Italians of New York that they should be dignified, calm and strictly legal in their behavior, and show themselves in these circumstances worthy of their civilized country. Relying upon your incontestable authority, as well as on the patriotic feelings of the colony, I am sanguine that this advice will be followed." It is understood similar instructions have been sent by Baron Fava to all the other Italian consuls in the United States.

THE FEELING IN ITALY.

NEW YORK, March 16.—Telegrams expressive of indignation of the Italian colonies throughout America are being received by the editor of an Italian paper here. A telegram from Palermo, Sicily, to-day stated indignation there was growing over the New Orleans tragedy. It is the only subject talked of, and the American residents have migrated over to Italy and the south of France.

ACTION OF THE ITALIAN DEPUTIES.

ROME, March 16.—In the Italian Chamber of Deputies to-day, Premier di Rudini, regarding the New Orleans tragedy, said President Harrison had recognized the right of Italians in the United States to protection, and the authorities had expressed profound regret at the occurrence and had charged the Government of Louisiana to guard the Italian residents of New Orleans and to bring the assassins to justice. The Premier added that United States Minister Porter had called upon him to-day to convey President Harrison's regrets to the Italian Government. Mr. Porter said he trusted the explanations he had furnished would draw even closer the friendly relations existing between Italy and the United States. Signor Breganze, who had announced his intention of interpolating the Government on the New Orleans matter, said that note had been taken of the Minister's statement. Signor Ferrais urged that indemnities should be demanded for the families of the victims.

A DISGRACE TO THE UNITED STATES.

ROME, March 16.—The Riforma denounces the New Orleans lynching as an outrage, and says it is a disgrace to the United States that such a case is possible within its borders.

NEW ORLEANS, La., March 16.—It is now stated that the reason Politze's confession was not used by the State in the recent trial was because Politz did not incriminate himself, but asserted that all the others accused were guilty.

Father Manorita was visited by a reporter yesterday and exhibited a letter he had received on the 10th inst. The letter bore the seal of the Mafia organization, the

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at the top and bottom. The letter advised the reverend father to stay at home and not go to court every day, as his presence there did not do the society any good. He was told to beware. The letter was signed "The Mafia Society, M. M. C." Father Monorita said he had intended to give the letter to the district attorney, but refrained from doing so through fear.

NO LACK OF LEGAL MACHINERY.

Attorney-General Rogers said yesterday in speaking of Saturday's tragedy that the question presented to the authorities was: Were the laws of the State violated and what crimes had resulted from such violation. "The grand jury is in session" he said, "and we have in full operation all the means and modes of enforcing the laws. I have no doubt those charged with official duty will act firmly, justly and fearlessly."

NEW LIGHT ON THE KILLING OF HENNESSEY.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 16.—A Denver dispatch says: J. H. Moore, ex-lieutenant of the New Orleans police, gives a statement of the cause leading to the killing of Chief of Police Hennessey, which throws an entirely new light on the matter. He says that while the Mafia may have had something to do with the murder, he has strong reason to believe they were nothing more than hired assassins. He ascribes the trouble to an old feud between the detectives of the city, which had its foundation in the times of the famous whisky ring and sugar ring excitements twenty years ago, when several men lost their lives. The same bitter fight, he says, caused the killing of the elder Hennessey by Guerin in 1872. Guerin, according to Moore, was not supposed to be a member of the Mafia, and such a charge was not made against him until recently. He does not believe Macheka had anything to do with the killing of Hennessey, as he was a man of too great wealth to risk interference with such affairs although he was something of a politician. The marder of Chief Hennessey he has no doubt was due to the old detective feud, which for years was a main issue in local politics. It was simply a quarrel over the spoils, which were richer perhaps than ever before.

ITALIAN PRESS COMMENT.

ROME, March 16.—The Popolo Romano, referring to the New Orleans tragedy, says that in relying on the foresight of the American authorities, and out of regard for a sincerely friendly power, Italy has refrained from sending an ironclad to the mouth of the Mississippi.

TWENTY-TWO DROWNED

By the Sinking of a Steamer off the Scilly Islands.

The British Steamer Atrato Sunk—Other Disasters at Sea.

LONDON, March 16.—The steamship Roxburgh Castle has been sunk off Ushant by collision. Capt. Tyrer and one seaman were saved. The Roxburgh Castle collided with the British ship British Peer twenty miles southwest of the Scilly Islands. The Roxburgh Castle sank immediately, and of the 24 men aboard 22 were drowned. The captain and one seaman, the only ones rescued, have been landed at Falmouth.

The British Peer, which was bound from Calcutta to London, was greatly damaged and has been towed to Falmouth. The Roxburgh Castle sailed from Newcastle and was 1,222 tons burden.

QUEENSTOWN, March 16.—The steamer Ardancorrah from Mobile, has arrived here with her bows stove and her forehold full of water. On Feb. 24 she ran into an iceberg. She was so badly damaged that she narrowly escaped foundering.

LONDON, March 16.—The British steamer Atrato, from Batoum for Calcutta, has been sunk in collision with the turkish steamer Salonica. Her crew have arrived at Constantinople.

PARNELL'S POLITICAL OPTHALMIA.

The Air of Dublin Does Not Agree with Him.

DUBLIN, March 16.—At a large meeting at Mitchellstown yesterday, many priests being present, the opinion was generally expressed that Parnell would be politically dead six months from now.

The Dublin National Press, McCarthyite organ, says: "Triumph after triumph was scored by the Nationalists yesterday throughout the country. The voice of the nation is being heard, and it is interesting to watch the daily increasing intensity of the Parnellites' assaults upon the bishops."

Timothy Healy, in his speech at Newry, said when Parnell was wanted at the Tenant's Defense League meeting he had always a bad cold. The air of Dublin did not agree with him, but the seaside air of Brighton did. The decree of divorce granted to Capt. O'Shea had afflicted Parnell with political opthalmia, but the most revolting thing in the whole business was that Parnell seemed to think they were all fools. He could not remember the difference between Parnell, the untainted leader, and the Parnell of 1891.

THE WAR IN CHILI.

Serious Reverse for the Government Troops—Murderous Methods of the Insurgents.

LONDON, March 16.—The Times has a dispatch from Santiago giving an official version of the recent battle in Chili. From this it appears that Col. Robles, who commanded the Government troops on March 6, being short of provisions, rashly abandoned a strong position on Mount Sebastopol, and, with 1,200 infantry, 25 cavalry and a few guns, attacked a force of 2,500 rebels. At a critical movement the enemy, by a decoy truce for a parley, opened a fearful fire at close quarters, killing or wounding two-thirds of the Government troops. A general massacre of wounded officers, including Col. Robles, ensued. The loss of the insurgents is estimated at 300 killed and 400 wounded. This places the Province of Tarapaca entirely in the hands of the insurgents.

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THE ONTARIO LEGISLATURE.

Information as to the Vacant Registrarships in the Province.

Beet Root Sugar Making and Fruit Culture Progress.

Points in the Public Accounts.

TORONTO, March 16, 1891.

There were less than 40 members present when the speaker took the chair.

The first business was an announcement by Mr. Speaker that he had received official intimation of the death of Mr. J. H. Hunter, representative of South Grey, and that he had given his warrant for the issue of the writ for an election. The nomination will be on April 1 and the election on April 8. The writ has been sent to Mr. Thomas Lauder, registrar, who will be returning officer, as he was in the last election.

Petitions were presented to-day from the County Councils of Oxford, Essex and Welland, asking that the control of county jails remain undisturbed in the hands of the county councils.

The city of London is seeking legislation to permit the issue of debentures spreading over 40 years to redeem debentures about to fall due. The petition of the corporation was presented to-day by Mr. Meredith.

The towns of Essex and Collingwood, wishing to consolidate their respective debts, are petitioning for the necessary authority. Their petitions were to-day presented by Messrs. Balfour and Wylie.

Mr. Balfour presented a petition from the Kent and Essex Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company asking amendments to the law that will require greater care in the handling of agricultural steam engines.

The County Council of Wentworth want toll roads owned by municipal corporations exempted from taxation. Mr. Awrey presented their petition.

Mr. McCleary laid before the House a petition from Welland County Council asking for power to appoint inspectors to prevent the spread of noxious weeds and diseases affecting fruit trees.

The Right Hon. Lord Wantage, Sebastian Z. de Ferranto, Albert D. Shaw, T. S. Stayner, J. G. Scott, T. McGaw, C. J. Holman and John D. Irwin are seeking incorporation as the Niagara Electric Railway Company, to operate an electric railway from the town of Niagara to the town of Fort Erie.

Mr. Wood, of Hastings, was given an opportunity to put the question of which he had given notice concerning vacant registrarships. This is what Mr. Wood wanted to know: What vacancies exist in the office of the registrar of deeds for any registration division in the Province? What vacancies in the said offices existed on the 1st day of January, 1891? The dates when, and the causes by which such vacances were respectively occasioned.

Hon. Mr. Mowat replied—The vacancies are East Middlesex, Frontenac, Lambton, Wentworth and Victoria. Since the 1st of January Hastings has fallen vacant and has been filled, so that there are now five vacancies, which occurred as follows: East Middlesex, 4th August, 1889; Frontenac, 27th August, 1890; Lambton, 13th October, 1890; Wentworth, 25th November, 1890; Victoria, 6th January, 1891. Each of these vacancies has been caused by the death of the incumbent.

As the Premier sat down Mr. Meredith suggested that no statement had been made in answer to the question when these offices would be filled. "I don't think that is part of the question," said Mr. Mowat, referring to the order paper. "It's a moot question," suggested Mr. Hardy.

The names of Messrs. White, H. E. Clarke, Metcalfe, Magwood and Clancy were called over that they might have the opportunity to present resolutions of which they have given notice, but none responded. Mr. Meredith seemed ready to go on with his bill to amend the Controverted Election Act but as the bill had not been distributed it was decided to defer the discussion.

The House adjourned at 3:25 o'clock.

BEET ROOT SUGAR.

The establishment of a beet root sugar industry in Ontario is being pushed again. A deputation waited upon the Attorney-General, Hon. Mr. Dryden and Hon. J. M. Gibson this afternoon to get the assistance of the Government in setting the manufacture going. The deputation representing the capitalists who are interested in the scheme was composed of Messrs. W. H. Howland, W. Skaife and R. A. Lawder. Mr. Skaife has been running a beet root sugar factory in the Province of Quebec, but the results have been discouraging. The conditions of the manufacture down there, he says, are not favorable, while in Ontario it has been, in his opinion, proved that the climate, soil and farmers insure the successful operation and the great extension of the industry. All the members of the deputation addressed the ministers. No matter how sure the profit of the scheme could be made to appear on paper it was an experiment and capital was timid, so that what the deputation wanted was that the Provincial Government guarantee bonds for one-half of the cost of putting the first factory into operation. The idea was to build and equip a 300-ton factory, and it would cost about $250,000. If the Province would promise to aid it in the way desired capitalists would be found to put the factory in operation. Then with everything complete the company would issue bonds for one-half of the cost, and if the thing proved a success the Province would not be called upon to redeem the bonds. In the event of the failure of the industry the shareholders would stand to lose the whole of their $125,000, while the Government for their $125,000 would have the factory and its plant. The Attorney-General promised the usual consideration.

FRUIT-GROWERS' ASSOCIATION.

The 22nd annual report of the Fruit-Growers' Association of Ontario, printed by order of the Legislative Assembly, was laid on the table of the House. The report of the treasurer shows receipts, including $2,012 members' fees and $1,800 Government grant, of $4,385, the expenditure, including expense of the Canadian Horticulturist and salaries, etc., of $4,301, leaving a balance on the right side of $84. The address of the president, Mr. A. M. Smith, of St. Catharines, delivered at the annual meeting at Hamilton on the 16th of December last, is given in full. This address contains an interesting epitome of the society's work as well as a thoughtful survey of the situation and prospects of the great fruit-growing industry. The society has now over 2,000 members and is, as the president says with pride, the largest horticultural society in America, if not in the world. The president says: 'Our town and cities which were formerly, largely supplied from the neighboring republic are now abundantly stocked with fruits of our own growing, and many sections of our country to which apples were sent from the States and Niagara district 30 years ago are now exporting thousands of barrels annually to the old country and even to the United States, and that of a quality, too, which cannot be excelled or even equaled in the whole world. And by careful hybridizing and judicious selections varieties have been found that will succeed in many sections where it was thought fruit could not be grown; and, if experiments and plans which are now under way succeed, and I have every confidence that they will, the day is not far distant when every inhabitant of Ontario, if not of the Dominion, who has land capable of being tilled, if he cannot sit under his own vine and fig tree may at least, if he choose, raise enough of some kinds of fruit to supply his own table." Speaking of the loss of time and money involved in private experiments with plants which turn out worthless, Mr. Smith says: "As testing new fruits is a work that benefits the whole country, I do not see why our Government should not assist us in this work. But it may be said by some that we have agricultural and experimental farms already for doing this work at Guelph and Ottawa. I would ask what can be done at either of these places in testing tender varieties of apples, pears, plums or cherries, much less grapes, peaches, apricots, nectarines, etc.? . . . I believe if we had an experimental ground carefully conducted somewhere in Southern Ontario, where our tender fruit trees, shrubs and plants could be grown and tested, and where only varieties that were worthy of cultivation would be recommended, it would be a great boon to the country, and in 30 years more we would make much more rapid advances in the improvement of varieties than we have in the past. I hope that a committee will be appointed by this association to interview the Government upon this subject."

A feature of this report which makes it of the greatest interest and value to fruit-growers is a verbatim report of the proceedings at the winter meeting. The report in this respect has been prepared with the same care that marked its predecessors.

ENTOMOLOGICAL SOCIETY.

The 22nd annual report of the Entomological Society has been presented to the House. It is a document of the greatest practical interest to farmers, fruit growers and horticulturists, whilst the scholarly discussion of entomological subjects makes it a welcome addition to the library of the scholar and scientist. Mr. W. E. Saunders, the secretary, in submitting the report, states that the Canadian Entomologist, the monthly magazine of the society, has been published regularly and promptly and continues to receive contributions from all the most eminent entomologists in North America and to circulate in all parts of the world. The address of Rev. Dr. Bethune, president of the society, delivered at the annual meeting held in London on Aug. 27, 1890, gives an interesting summary of the noteworthy facts of the year from the entomologist's point of view. Published with illustrations in the report, it is an invaluable treatise. The other papers and addressses included in the book are also worthy of careful study by the thousands of people interested.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.

Hon. Richard Harcourt, Provincial Treasurer, presented to-day the first volume of the public accounts bearing his name. The document is in much the same form as those of previous years. The statement of receipts and expenditures on account of consolidated revenue fund may be summarized as follows:

RECEIPTS.

Consolidated Revenue Fund:		
Dominion of Canada—		
Subsidy	$1,116,872 80	
Special grant	80,000 00	
		$1,196,872 80
Interest on capital held, and debts due by the Dominion to Ontario..	$300,000 00	
Interest on investment	63,596 94	
		$363,596 94
Crown Lands Department—		
Crown lands	$ 74,031 78	
Railway lands	11,563 56	
Grammar school lands	1,538 27	
Rent, re lands	130 00	
In suspense, re lands	80,512 40	
Woods and forests	916,156 67	
Casual fees	1,195 18	
Refunds—		
Settlers' homesteads	52 80	
Inspection	44 45	
Colonization roads	425 86	
		$1,085,646 97
Sale of lands at Toronto Asylum		82,076 87
Licenses		312,007 55
Law stamps		90,348 93
Algoma taxes		2,093 10
Education Department		36,661 61
Casual revenue		52,015 99
Public Institutions—		
Toronto Lunatic Asylum	$ 36,907 61	
London Lunatic Asylum	14,895 74	
Hamilton Lunatic Asylum	9,124 04	
Kingston Lunatic Asylum	3,584 03	
Orillia Lunatic Asylum	1,669 08	
Reformatory for Females	3,598 72	
Reformatory for Boys	823 73	
Central Prison	35,654 52	
Deaf and Dumb Institution	128 11	
		105,663 43
Total		$3,327,884 19
Open accounts		507,713 27
Balance from public accounts, 1889		105,518 90
Total		$5,941,116 36

EXPENDITURE.

Civil government	$219,563 77
Legislation	121,475 92
Administration of justice	391,066 00
Education	626,142 93
Public institutions maintenance	760,905 68
Immigration	5,585 98
Agriculture	127,906 21
Hospitals and charities	126,037 38
Repairs and maintenance, public buildings	63,600 83
Locks, dams, etc	11,536 40
Surveys, inspections, etc	476 95
Colonization roads	125,233 26
Charges on Crown lands	125,172 23
Refunds	21,691 59
Miscellaneous	151,983 39
Total	$2,887,288 57
Open accounts	1,009,035 81
Balance	44,791 93
Total	$3,941,116 36

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Died Cursing.

DECATUR, Ill., March 16.—William H. Crawford was executed here Saturday. Crawford's last hours were taken up with senseless profanity and threats against all who had incurred his enmity. Last August Crawford murdered Mrs. Mathias because she refused to accept his attentions.

Cornwall's Close Call.

CORNWALL, Ont., March 16.—On Saturday evening Cornwall came within a hair's breadth of being visited by the repetition of the disaster of 1886. The water rose to a terrible height and the lower part of the town was somewhat submerged. The high wind from the west drove down mountains of ice and blocked the river up between the Point and Cornwall Island. The water rose to within about a foot of overflowing the bank. It found its way to the basement of the Canada Cotton Mill, the Cornwall Manufacturing Company dyehouse and the Stormont Cotton Company boiler house. However, not much damage was done, as the goods were hastily removed. The water has subsided, and now all fear is over.

Behring Sea.

OTTAWA, March 16.—Sir John Thompson, in regard to the Behring Sea question, says that there is only one difficulty existing between Lord Salisbury and Secretary Blaine. It practically amounts to only a difference of opinion respecting the form of submission of the case for arbitration, and it is believed that the difference of mere words is not likely to stand in the way of effecting a settlement by arbitration.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—Acting Attorney-General Taft said Saturday, in response to an inquiry on the subject, that the United States Government would take no steps so far as he was advised to secure the dismissal of the proceedings instituted by the British Government in the United States Supreme Court involving the jurisdiction of this Government over the Behring Sea fisheries, pending the reported reference of that issue to arbitration.

We All May Live to a Good Old Age.

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GETTING INTO SHAPE.

The Directors of the Western Fair Strike Standing Committees,

The Personnel of Which Augurs Well for the Success of the Greatest of All Shows for 1891.

The annual meeting of the directors of the Western Fair Association was held in the offices of the association on Saturday afternoon. President A. W. Porte occupied the chair and associated with him were Directors Allen Bogue, William Walker, W. R. Hobbs, Ald. Shaw, D. Mackenzie, A. M. Smart, A. R. Rowat, John Kennedy, J. S. Pearce, William Yates and W. B. Scatcherd.

STRIKING THE COMMITTEES.

The principal business of the meeting was the consideration of the report of the Striking Committee, which was presented as follows:

Executive—A. W. Porte (chairman), J. W. Little, John Kennedy, D. Mackenzie, A. M. Smart, Mayor Taylor, T. Herbert Marsh, W. R. Hobbs, W. J. Reid and W. Y. Brunton.

Finance—A. M. Smart (chairman), W. J. Reid, W. Y. Brunton, J. W. Little, John Kennedy, T. Herbert Marsh, W. R. Hobbs and Mayor Taylor.

Grounds and Buildings—Mayor Taylor (chairman), J. S. Pearce, Aldermen Scarrow, O'Meara and Shaw, Allen Bogue, W. B. Scatcherd (Wyton), W. H. Beattie (Wilton Grove), Wm. Jones and John Campbell.

Gates and Tickets—T. Herbert Marsh (chairman), J. W. Little, Aldermen F. J. Fitzgerald and Shaw, Wm. Jones and W. J. Craig.

Printing—W. R. Hobbs (chairman), D. Mackenzie, A. M. Smart, George M. Reid, Col. Lewis, James Douglas and Frank Leonard.

Prize List—W. Y. Brunton (chairman), G. M. Reid, William Yates, Col. Lewis, Col. Leys, J. S. Pearce, Allen Bogue and A. R. Rowat.

Special Attractions—W. J. Reid (chairman), William Yates, Col. Leys, Major Gartshore, Ald. O'Meara, Ald. F. J. Fitzgerald, Adam Beck, J. S. Dewar, James H. Brown, David Ferguson, Major Smith and J. H. Wilson.

Horses—Col. F. B. Leys (chairman), John Kennedy, Ald. O'Meara, W. Walker, R. Whetter, A. Rawlings (Forest), Adam Beck, James H. Brown, T. D. Hodgens, D. Ferguson, Major Smith, John Fulcher, Capt. Thomas Robson, J. D. O'Neil, J. H. Wilson, J. F. Elliott (Watford), James Hall (Arkona), Dr. Macarthur (Ailsa Craig), G. H. Cook (Ingersoll), James Henderson (Belton), James White (St. Marys), John Sipes (Blair), and F. R. Shore (White Oak).

Cattle, Sheep and Hogs—A. R. Rowat (chairman), W. B. Scatcherd, W. Walker, R. Whetter, W. H. Beattie, T. D. Hodgens, John Fulcher, Capt. Thos. Robson, J. H. Hodgens (Arva), M. Macarthur (Coldstream), J. D. O'Neil, A. W. Smith (Maple Lodge), James Ferguson (Strathroy), John Brown (Stratford), James Douglass (Galt), E. D. George (Putnam), and D. DeCoursey (Bornholm).

Poultry—Allan Bogue (chairman), Ald. Scarrow, William Moore, R. Oke, W. McNeil, George G. McCormick, J. H. Saunders, Charles Bonick (Toronto) and Thomas A. Duff (Toronto).

Main Building—George M. Reid (chairman), Col. Lewis, Major Gartshore, Ald. F. J. Fitzgerald, A. Rawlings, J. D. Sharman, J. M. Denton, W. J. Craig, James Douglass, J. M. Denton, J. S. Dewar, John Pope, W. E. Saunders, J. J. Hall (Woodstock), L. T. Lawrence, C. E. Keene, J. M. Dillon, Frank Leonard, J. H. Griffith and George G. McCormick.

Agriculture, Horticulture and Dairy Products—J. S. Pearce (chairman), Ald. Shaw, A. R. Rowat, W. B. Scatcherd, W. B. Walker, Wm. Moore, J. D. Sharman, J. M. Denton, Geo. Cairncross, Thos. Wistow, W. S. Case, Wm. Collyer, Daniel Dempsey (Stratford), John Macpherson (Poplar Hill), A. W. Humphries (Parkhill), John Hannah (Seaforth), James Carmichael (Birr).

Agricultural Implements, Heavy Machinery and Carriages — William Yates (chairman), Major Gartshore, Ald. Scarrow, John Campbell, John Bland and Samuel Friendship.

It was taken up clause by clause and each passing, the report was adopted as a whole on motion of Director D. Mackenzie.

A communication was received from the secretary of the Ontario Bee Association announcing the intention of that association to subscribe its customary grant to the prize list. It was acknowledged and thanks returned.

The London Homing Pigeon Society was granted the use of the Board room for the holding of meetings at a nominal rental.

Ten Thousand Cases of Grippe.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 16.—There are 10,000 cases of la grippe here. Thomas Callahan died of the disease last night.

The Cat Smothered the Baby.

CHICAGO, March 16.—A 5-months-old daughter of Bernard Shrone was suffocated yesterday by a pet cat that was sleeping in the cradle with the baby.

Nine Perished.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 16.—Following is a corrected list of the victims of the insane asylum fire. The names of the dead are: Dr. Frank Hollowell, of Davidson county; John Poindexter, of Wilson county; A. R. Goodlett, of Davidson county; John S. Johnson, of Rutherford county; W. J. Settles, of Wilson county; W. H. Beasley, of Hickman county; J. Brooks, of Davidson county; John Kelly, of Wayne county; John Nance, of Smith county. The escaped numbered between 30 and 40, many of whom have been captured, some of them many miles from the scene of the fire. The loss to the building is estimated at about $50,000.

The Fools Not All Dead Yet.

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POOR PROSPECTS FOR PARNELL.

His Manifesto Creates Great Surprise—Arrival of His Delegates in New York.

LONDON, March 16.—Mr. Parnell's manifesto to the Irish in America greatly surprises the Irish leaders here and in Ireland. They had expected a much abler and more adroit document. They had specially looked for a thrusting forward of the evicted tenants, who are having a very rough time of it, as a pretext for American charity. Of course any such appeal would be the baldest kind of a pretext. Mr. Parnell has apparently sequestered every penny of the $15,000 he recently got from the tenant support fund in Paris. At least nobody can find any evicted tenant who has seen a sixpence of it. But, as it turns out, he never says a word about evicted tenants, but asks purely and simply for a skirmishing fund to enable him to support his little Parliamentary rump, hire drunken ruffians from town slums to break up Nationalist meetings and give as many Irish seats to the Tories at the next election as is possible.

The St. James Gazette is of the opinion that if the line Mr. Parnell has taken does not answer, the game in America is up. The Star says: "If the Americans swallow that (Mr. Parnell's manifesto) they will swallow anything."

The Dublin National Press, the new McCarthyite organ, says that Parnell's manifesto is "as stupid as his Sunday speeches. Its readers will find it as mystifying as the fifteen puzzle or pigs in clover." The Irish Times remarks that Mr. Parnell's last effort to win freedom by constitutional means begins where all these movements begin and end, in a fund.

Rev. Father McOscar, administrator to the primate, preaching at Armagh, said he had advised the primate to refrain for the present from taking issue with Mr. Parnell, but that if the latter persisted in his present course the sacrament would be refused to his adherents.

Mr. Healy, speaking at Newry, said whenever Mr. Parnell had two men and a boy to listen to him they would read that several thousands had assembled. Mr. Healy advised an alliance with any party, Tory or Liberal, to secure their ends.

NEW YORK, March 16.—Jas. J. O'Kelly, M.P., John O'Connor, M.P., W. K. Redmond, M.P., and Henry Harrison, M.P., delegates sent to this country by Mr. Parnell for the purpose of raising funds for the Nationalist movement, arrived here yesterday on the Etruria from Queenstown. They were met by a reception committee and an address of welcome was presented to the delegates.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 16.—The Union, whose editor was the first president of the first land league formed in the United States after the arrival here of Messrs. Parnell and Dillon in January, 1880, and which has led here in all movements to raise money for the home rule cause, meets Parnell's appeal with "Not a dollar!" and his delegation with "Go home and get together."

DUBLIN, March 16.—In the parish church at Mitchellstown Father Sexton said that the next election would probably result in the retirement of Wm. O'Brien, and every effort should be made to elect a McCarthyite member of Parliament for that district.

At an anti-Parnellite meeting held at Newry Sunday there was a scene of great disorder, the Parnellites turning out in strong force and doing their utmost to break up the meeting. About 5,000 persons were present. The police were frequently compelled to interfere and separate the combatants, using their clubs freely. A Parnellite meeting held at Middleton, county Cork, was sparsely attended. Messrs. Harrington and Clancy were unable to obtain a hearing when they attempted to speak, and the police had to be called on to suppress a free fight.

TELEGRAMS IN A NUTSHELL.

Prince Napoleon is delirious and sinking fast.

The Sons of England will shortly open a juvenile lodge in Belleville, Ont.

The river at Cornwall, Ont., is so high as to cause fears of a flood similar to that of 1887.

The Arizona Legislature has passed a bill establishing the Australian ballot system in the territory.

P. T. Barnum will erect a $125,000 building at Bridgeport, Conn., as a gift to the historical and scientific societies of that city.

A San Francisco dispatch says: Frank McAllister, nephew of the great and only Ward has married a Tivoli theater ballet girl.

Mesdames George Caughell, Ed. Davis and R. Koyle, of Aylmer, Ont., were poisoned Saturday evening by eating poke root. All are out of danger excepting Mrs. Koyle.

A dispatch from Tonquin states that William Keable, an agent of the Chinese custom house, and his wife, both of whom were British subjects, have been murdered by the Tonquins near Bacle, a post of the French army of occupation.

A Baltimore dispatch says that the will of Bishop Edward R. Ames, of the Methodist Church, who died in 1879 is to be contested by Emma Louisa Ames, wife of Otto B. Weik, granddaughter of the deceased, on the ground of fraud and undue influence being used at the time her grandfather was in a feeble condition.

The United States steamship Galena and the United States steam tug Lina went ashore Friday night one mile south of Gay Head Lighthouse, near Vineyard Haven, Mass., during a strong southerly wind and a dense fog. Both vessels are badly damaged. The officers and crew, 77 in number, were taken off by the Galena's boats.

Isaac H. Radford was committed for trial on a charge of fraud at the Toronto Police Court Saturday morning. He is accused by Samuel Close with obtaining documents by false pretenses from him, which entitles the holder to the possession of about $30,000 worth of goods. Mr. Close deposed that the property deeded him by Radford was not really owned by him.

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THE WORLD OF WORK.

Plan for a Strike Involving the Greater Part of Europe.

The delegation of miners who are going to the congress which is to be held in Paris on March 31, have been charged to propose a plan for an international strike, to include the miners in England, France, Belgium and Germany. The scheme includes the controlling of the strike by a central committee.

The united framers of New York have made a demand for shorter hours and more wages, and threaten to strike on May 1 unless the bosses accede to the request.

A committee of the girls employed in the Clark thread mills, Newark, N. J., held a secret meeting Sunday afternoon and decided to call all the girls out on Tuesday evening, and at a general meeting of the girls it was decided to abide by the decision of the committee.

SPOILED HIS WEDDING SUPPER.

Fred Hall Found to Have Too Many Wives.

OTTAWA, Ont., March 14.—Fred W. Hall, of Cleveland, O., and Miss Katie Warren, of this city, were married here Friday night. They had become acquainted while the young lady was visiting her brother in Cleveland. After the ceremony the bride and groom and invited guests sat down to a wedding supper in the house of the bride's father. The merriment had reached its full sway when a friend of the young lady beckoned to the groom to come to the door of the room. Hall immediately grew white and replied nervously: "Is it me you want?" Hall went out and was then and there charged with having a wife and family in England. After some hesitation he admitted that he had been married, but claimed that he had been divorced from his wife. The matter becoming known, the greatest excitement prevailed, and in the midst of it, after the newly-made bride had given back the wedding ring, Hall disappeared and has not since been seen. It is supposed that he left for Cleveland on the night train, and the friends of the young lady are now condemning themselves that they made no attempt to stop his flight. Steps will at once be taken to have the marriage annulled.

Babies Galore.

PENFIELD, Pa., March 16.—Within a week Mrs. Jerry Coplin, of Decatur township, has given birth to four children at once, and Mrs. Snyder, of New Washington, to triplets.

Arbitrators in the Newfoundland Dispute.

LONDON, March 16.—M. Waddington, the French ambassador here, has written to Lord Salisbury that the arbitrators chosen by France in the effort being made to settle the Newfoundland dispute according to the agreement recently arrived at between France and England are Prof. Martens, of the St. Petersburg University; M. Rivoir, the Swiss consul at Brussels and president of the Institute of International Law, and M. Grau, ex-judge of the Supreme Court of Norway. The expenses of the arbitration and the arbitrators' fees will be equally shared by the two powers interested in the dispute.

Death in March Winds.

Poets and novelists go into ecstasies over what they romantically call "beautiful spring," and "gentle spring," and while, no doubt, everyone is glad to see winter release its icy grasp, "beautiful spring" is, after all, one of the most deadly seasons of the year. Sudden transitions from warmth to extreme cold, with piercing, chilling wind; from dry to sloppy, "muggy" weather, all combine to make the season a most trying one, even to the hardiest constitution, while to those with weak constitutions the season is one of positive danger. Undoubtedly the greatest danger at this season of the year is from cold in the head, which very few escape, and which, if not promptly and thoroughly treated, develops into catarrh, with all its disagreeable and loathsome effects. Catarrh, neglected, almost as certainly develops into consumption, annually destroying thousands of lives. At this trying season no household should be without a bottle of Nasal Balm. In cases of cold in the head it gives almost instant relief and effects a speedy cure, thus preventing the development of catarrh. Where the latter disease has already secured a hold it is equally efficacious, and with persistent use will cure the worst case. From the outset it sweetens the breath, stops the nauseous droppings into the throat and lungs, dispels those dull headaches that afflict the sufferer from catarrh. Nasal Balm is not advertised as a cure-all—it is an honest remedy which never fails to cure cold in the head or catarrh when the directions are faithfully followed, and thousands throughout the country have reason to bless its discovery. Nasal Balm may be had from all dealers, or will be sent post-paid on receipt of price (50 cents, small, or $1, large size bottle), by addressing Fulford & Co., Brockville, Ont.

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THE OTTAWA GOVERNMENT AND ITS POLICY.

[From Hon. Edward Blake's Letter.]

(a) The Canadian Conservative policy has failed to accomplish the predictions of its promoters.

(b) Its real tendency is towards disintegration and annexation instead of consolidation and the maintenance of British connection.

(c) It has left us with a small population, a scanty immigration and a Northwest empty still.

(d) It has left us with enormous additions to our public debt.

(e) It has led to an extravagant system of expenditure and an unjust and oppressive tariff.

(f) It has left us restricted markets and a host of evils arising therefrom.

(g) It has diverted trade from its natural into forced channels, and therefore into less profitable channels.

(h) It has left us with unfriendly relations and frowning tariff walls, estranging us from the mighty English-speaking nation to the south, with whom we ought to be, as it was promised we should be, living in generous amity and liberal intercourse.

(i) "Worse, far worse." It has left us with lowered standards of public virtue, and a deathlike apathy in public opinion.

(j) It has left us radical, religious and Provincial animosities rather inflamed than soothed.

(k) It has left us with a subservient Parliament, an autocratic executive.

(l) It has left us with debauched constituencies, and corrupted and corrupting classes.

(m) It has left us with lessened self-reliance and increased dependence on the public chest and on legislative aids.

(n) It has left us possessed withal by a boastful jingo spirit far enough removed from true manliness, loudly proclaiming unreal conditions and exaggerated sentiments, while actual facts and genuine opinions are suppressed.

(o) It has left us with our hands tied and our future compromised.

THE LONDON TIMES AND CANADIAN LOYALTY.

The London Times, by the attitude which it assumed towards the Liberal party in Canada during the late elections, has no doubt satisfied many of its English readers by this time that a majority of the people in the Province of Ontario and Quebec are disloyal to the sovereign of Great Britain, and are in favor of political union with the United States. That journal has at all events done its utmost to create the impression that all who favored free trade with the United States only professed that policy to cloak their real sentiment of annexation. A lengthy article in its issue before the election was as clever at twisting statements against the Liberal leaders here as Sir John Macdonald or Sir Charles Tupper. Mr. Farrer's negotiations with American politicians, of which the Times says that Sir John Macdonald promptly and "perhaps not too scrupulously" took advantage, are quietly assumed to have been carried on at the instigation of the Liberals. "They may have been wholly unauthorized by his party friends," the Times says, "though if so it is curious that they should have taken formal shape in a printed pamphlet, and not less curious that they should have been treated by request as secret and confidential." Therefore, because the negotiations of Mr. Farrer took formal shape in a pamplet and because the writer requested that they should be treated as secret and confidential, they were authorized by the Liberal leaders!

This will appear to be wonderfully conclusive reasoning on this side of the Atlantic, where it is known that when the pamphlet referred to was written Mr. Farrer was neither directly nor remotely associated or identified with the Liberal party. So also the Times concludes that because Mr. Farrer's arguments were not refuted by Mr. Laurier and Sir Richard Cartwright they must be in agreement with him; at least, this is its tacit meaning. Then we have the letters of Mr. Farrer and Mr. Hitt to Mr. Erastus Wiman, of New York, which the latter gentleman by some ethical impulse peculiar to himself got conveyed to Sir Charles Tupper. This is further proof to the mind of the wise editors of the London Times that the Liberals of Canada are annexationists, although the letters referred to were written two years ago, when Mr. Farrer was on the staff of the Mail newspaper. But no matter what the Liberal leaders may have said on the subject, nothing will convince the London Times that they are not implicated in a conspiracy to hand their country over to the United States. "Sir Richard Cartwright and Mr. Laurier and their Parliamentary following may indignantly deny the charge," it says, "and may challenge Sir John Macdonald to put them on their trial for treason. The fact remains that apart from any technicalities of criminal law, the policy to which the Opposition are committed has been described by some of their own friends in the United States as leading inevitably to annexation, and is said to be favored on this account by a faction among the Canadians."

Furthermore, this sapient journal, after asserting that a party in Great Britain infested with the taint of such revolutionary projects as the abolition of the monarchy or the absorption of the British Islands in the French Republic would meet with little mercy from the electorate, proceeds to this conclusion: "If it should turn out to be otherwise in Canada we shall know for certain that annexation does not alarm the colonists, and that it is Mr. Farrer and not Sir Richard Cartwright who has a clear perception of the actual position of affairs." Well, the Times knows now what the voice of a majority in the great Provinces of Ontario and Quebec is on the subject of continental free trade, and if it still believes what it preached a few weeks ago it is bound to tell the British people that these Provinces are ripe for political union with the United States.

But the Times has been far too eager to help a Canadian leader who makes loud professions of truculent loyalty to England, and in so doing it has sought to make the impression that more than half of the population of the largest and wealthiest Provinces in the Dominion are ready to cut the British connection and go over to the United States. Sir John Macdonald and his followers have endeavored to create the same impression; yet in spite of their tactics, Ontario and Quebec have elected majorities to support the policy of continental free trade. And we may add that but for the money so lavishly spent by the Government to purchase votes, and but for the gerrymander and the rotten voters' lists, the Liberal majority in these Provinces would have been three times larger than it is.

MR. BLAKE'S SPEECH.

Some newspapers and some correspondents seem rather to lose their heads in discussing Mr. Blake's letter to his constituents.

1. The letter will do no harm, and it may do some good.

2. There is no accusation anywhere that the letter had any other than an honest intention. In an era of pinchback Dizzys and Great Stretchers, that is something, at any rate.

3. With Mr. Blake's statement that the destiny of political union with the United States lies probably ahead of a continuance of Tory misrule and extravagance, who can honestly quarrel? That Mr. Blake's prediction of Canada's probable, "though not the ideal, and not the inevitable," future, should be received so placidly by the public, shows the large forward step Canada has taken in toleration of dissentient opinion. Mr. Blake has at least done good service in throwing wider open the gates of free speech. Canada's future will be whatever Canadians themselves decide that it shall be; and were Mr. Blake's opinion that Canada's future would be preferably, rather than only probably, political union with the United States, he would have exactly the same right to express that opinion as Mr. Mowat to advocate things as they are, Principal Grant to espouse Imperial Federation, or the ADVERTISER to argue for Canadian Independence.

4. It was worth while to have had Mr. Blake's letter if only for its masterly arraignment of the high tax policy, its glittering promises and its disappointing results.

THE STRENGTH OF CONTINENTAL FREE TRADE IN ONTARIO AND QUEBEC.

One transparent result of the elections is that the Government is in a minority in the two chief Provinces of the Confederation. Not less than ten is the majority of the Liberals in Ontario and Quebec, in spite of the gerrymander, the old voters' lists, and the money bags of the boodlers. In Ontario there is a considerable Liberal majority of votes polled, the average of majorities per member being 350 against 290 for the friends of the Government. Or, if put in another way, the aggregate Liberal majority is sufficient for eight additional representatives on the basis of the average Conservative majority. But in reality it is much more if account be taken of the personation practiced by Government supporters under the cloak of the old voters' lists, and of the large numbers in Toronto and adjacent ridings who were enabled to cast from three to five votes each. The large majorities in the three divisions of Toronto were made up largely of men who voted in each of the three divisions, not to speak of the hundreds of the dead and the absent whose votes were easily personated. And so also in West York, the whole of Clarke Wallace's majority was made up of Toronto men qualified through the ownership or occupancy of town lots in the suburbs of that city, as well as of the dead and the absent ones.

It is safe to say that under a proper register, with fresh lists and the principle of one man one vote in operation, the aggregate Liberal majority over Ontario could not be less than 6,000, and it is not at all unlikely that it might not have been double and treble that number. In the western half of the Province the Liberal representation is almost solid, and no doubt the eastern half would have done equally well but for the tens of thousands of dollars spent in corrupting voters in the villages and towns.

The farmers of Ontario and Quebec favor free trade now by a large majority and by the time that the next election comes round—which by the constitution ought to be next year—there will not be found one farmer in five to support the restrictionist party. The McKinley tariff will, in the course of the next eight months, make converts to continental free trade by the hundreds in every rural constituency.

ONE FORM OF SELFISHNESS.

It is said to be Canadian-like to pose as more English than the English themselves. Presuming that as a nation we have not yet outgrown the childish necessity of imitation, why should not this tendency be turned to good account by servility only to the best influences that emanate from the mother country?

Judging from all accounts the typical Englishman is scrupulously clean and neat in his person. It is a commonplace virtue. There is no one who has not been told that he should not judge by appearances, and there is no one who does not judge by appearances to a very large extent. It is, of course, possible to be deceived. Not every one who bathes daily has a clean mind to match his body, but the chances are strongly in his favor; not every one who is irreproachably neat in attire is orderly, systematic and thorough in his business affairs, but the exceptions are too few to deserve mention; not every one whose nails and teeth are perfectly clean is refined in speech, gentlemanly in deportment, considerate in thought and action, but his tendencies lean noticeably in these directions. The person who always looks as if he had just come from his bath may be a perfect stranger to you, but you do not object to being crowded against him in a street car, or sitting next to him at the table. The Briton's disinclination to travel without his "tub," and his alleged inability to repose for a single night on a mountain top unless this convenience is hauled up after him, have been greatly ridiculed, but an unusual degree of self-respect is an admirable fault. An American lady, residing in England a part of each year, when asked suddenly what especial superiority she found in the British over her own people, replied, naively, "Oh, their men are so clean!" It would be going too far to assert that the average male American or Canadian was unclean, but is he not sometimes open to the charge of being untidy? There is nothing criminal in spotted clothes, unbrushed shoulders, frowzy hair, frayed shirt cuffs, uncertain finger nails, depressed collar, or soiled cravat, but there is nothing agreeable in them either. A well-groomed horse is not half so pleasing a spectacle as a well-groomed man. It is not a matter of wealth. Cleanliness, neatness and money have nothing to do with each other. Lack of attention to externals is sometimes considered characteristic of a great mind, but we of the present day are very suspicious of that sort of greatness which does not manifest itself in a delicate consideration for the feelings of others. Slovenliness is, in fact, a peculiarly offensive form of selfishness.

—If we rightly diagnose Sir Charles Tupper's speeches, it was highly proper for the C. P. R. to favor restriction and Sir John, but highly naughty for the G. T. R. to favor reciprocity, retention of bonding privileges and Mr. Laurier.

OTHER NEWSPAPERS:

DON'T WANT US.

Buffalo Express.

The Toronto Globe remarks that annexation is not the "ideal future" of Canada. We hope not. There is room for another great Republic in North America.

BEATS EAST MIDDLESEX'S RECORD.

Winnipeg Tribune.

Talk about personating! The most barefaced personation was where seven men came into the city from St. Boniface, voted once, then changed their clothing in a store on Main street and voted a second time.

MERELY POSTPONED.

St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Reciprocity between Canada and the United States is merely postponed by the Dominion election. It is not defeated, and will not be. The sentiment in favor of it is strong, and is growing in extent and intensity every year.

JUST LIKE HIM.

London World.

A good story is told of Rogers, the poet. A lady very fond of her husband, notwithstanding his ugliness of person, once said to the poet:

"What do you think? My husband has just laid out 50 guineas for a baboon just to please me."

"The dear little man," said Rogers, "it's just like him."

TUPPER TALKED IN LONDON, TOO.

Ottawa Free Press.

It was at Windsor, in North Essex, that Sir Charles Tupper made his expose of the alleged "plot" to annex Canada to the United States; basing his ridiculous allegations upon the private letters stolen by his emissaries. Result, a Conservative majority of 150 in North Essex was converted into a Reform majority of 840. What a pity the High Commissioner did not make a few more speeches in Ontario.

THE LONDON CONTEST.

Sarnia Observer.

The energy, pluck and wonderful organization of the London Liberals have scored a triumph that stands unequaled by that of any other body of workers in Canada. Last week's work was the culmination of over 30 years of uphill fighting. From 900 at Confederation the majority of Mr. Carling has been gradually reduced by dint of persistent effort, until it has disappeared beneath a Liberal majority of nearly 200. This is no sudden change of sentiment, but the outcome of long years of political teaching, backed by an organization unapproached by that of any other constituency in Canada. London Liberals deserve all the honor their friends throughout the Dominion can shower upon them.

THE "LABOR COMMISSION FARCE."

Toronto Labor Advocate.

The Imperial Government intends to appoint a Commission of Inquiry into the labor question. The principal phases of the problem which it will be asked to consider are the best methods of averting strikes and regulating the hours of labor. The appointment of a commission is merely a device for staving off action, and no practical outcome need be expected from it. Sir John Macdonald a few years since fooled the Canadian workingmen in a similar way. A commission was appointed and traveled all round the country examining witnesses and investigating local conditions at an expense of many thousand dollars, but the sole result so far has been a bulky report. None of the suggestions of the commission have been put on the statute book, and the money laid out on this expensive job was worse than wasted, inasmuch as it was made the means of giving a soft job to a few political heelers in return for their influence at elections.

UNDER THE SEMAPHORE.

The New York Central's Latest Acquisition.

The New York Tribune says: "The absorption of the R. W. and O. R. R. by the New York Central has directed fresh attention to the position of the New York and Western in the system of New York State railways. At the first glance the transaction might be looked upon as a blow at the Ontario and Western road, but railroad men who have studied the situation are confident that the logical result of the Rome deal will be the ultimate transfer of the control of the Ontario road to the New York Central. It is known that the question of absorbing the Ontario has been under consideration by the Vanderbilt management, and the principal reason why the control of the property has not been changed before this has been that the Central people have considered the property too dear. It is pointed out also that the capture of the Rome Railroad by the Central is likely to increase the importance of the Ontario Railroad to the Canada Pacific, which is seeking to secure an independent entrance into New York city. With the Canadian Government back of the last road financially, there might readily arise circumstances which would give it great power as a competitor for control of the Ontario line.

The train agents of the Union News Company, on the New York Central and Lake Shore Roads are being hauled up before the various division superintendents charged with violating the rules of the roads on which they operate and making themselves obnoxious to passengers.

The Rome, Watertown and Ogdensburg Railway has been leased in perpetuity to the New York Central.

In a letter presented at Saturday's meeting of the Toronto Esplanade Committee President Van Horne, of the C. P. R. has declared his intention of forcing a speedy settlement of the water front question, either by voluntary action on the part of the city or through the intervention of the Railway Committee of the Privy Council. The committee took steps toward securing the land on the front required for the C. P. R. terminus instead of the land at first decided upon, and which the city claimed would, if built upon, shut the citizens from the water front.

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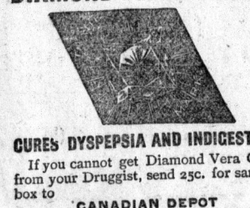
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THE TURF.

The race for the Australian cup at Melbourne on March 3 was won by Vengeance, Highborn second and Megaphone third. Fourteen horses started, and Vengeance won only by a neck in 4:02¾. The distance is 2¼ miles.

The semi-finals for the English Football Association cup were played Feb. 28. Blackburn Rovers beat Westbromwich Albion three goals to two, but Sunderland and Notts made a draw. The attendance at the two matches was 40,000 persons, of whom 25,000 were at the Notts-Sunderland game.

At the late congress of the American Trotting Association, whose rules govern most of the tracks in Ontario, the most important change in the bylaws was in section 60, which provides for the punishment of frauds, abuses and violations of the bylaws and rules. Heretofore it was provided that no fine should exceed $100, but the limit has now been raised to $1,000. Rule 11 is so amended as to cover classes "for horses that have never beaten 2:30," or "for horses with records no better than 2:30," providing that fractions shall not be a bar in such classes—that is to say that a horse with a record of 2:29¼ would be eligible. Rule 19 in its amended form provides that a horse's name may be changed, provided he has never started in a race. Rule 34 now compels persons making protests to swear to them, and rule 45 prohibits an association declaring any race off after it has been started. Rule 101 is so amended as to enable the judges to keep in the race a horse that is behind the flag, provided they believe his being distanced would favor a fraud. Rule 121 is amended, raising the limit of the fine for breaches of decorum from $100 to $1,000. Rules 152 and 153 define stakes and guaranteed stakes. In substance these definitions declare that all money contributed by nominators to stakes belongs to the winner or winners; and it is provided that in guaranteed stakes any excess over the amount guaranteed shall go to the winners and not to the organization or person giving the stake.

W. H. Crawford, of Lexington, and J. A. Goldsmith, of California, have put up big money for two trials of speed between the get of Wilton and Sable Wilkes. The two races are for $10,000 each, $5,000 a side, both to be trotted at the fall meeting of the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' Association, in 1892. One race is for 2-year-olds, the other for 3-year-olds. Crawford is to name two of the get of Wilton and Goldsmith two by Sable Wilkes.

CRICKET.

A dispatch from Bermuda says the first cricket match between the Philadelphians and the Garrison was played at Prospect, and resulted in the defeat of the former by an inning and 25 runs. The return match played at St. George's ended in a draw.

THE WHEEL.

The Brantford Bicycle Club met in Wickliffe Hall on Saturday evening and elected the following officers: President, Rev. A. W. Richardson; vice-president, Walter Hughes; secretary-treasurer, J. G. Farmer; captain, Karl Huffman; first lieutenant, Fred Fleming; second lieutenant, C. Bowes; standard-bearer, F. Asten; executive committee, W. H. Shapley, Phillips and Schultz with the officers.

THE TRIGGER.

Anson defeated Wallie Hoffman, in a live bird contest at Chicago, Wednesday, for $100 a side. Anson killed 83 out of 100 birds, while Hoffman shot down 78.

ATHLETICS.

Alice Williams, of New York, has issued a challenge to wrestle any female in England or America either Graeco-Roman or catch-as-catch-can style for from $250 to $1,000 a side. "Female" is good. Alice knows her business.

BASEBALL.

It is not likely that Toronto will be represented at the International League meeting at Buffalo on Tuesday. There seems no probability of anyone stepping into the breach with financial aid. The idea of Toronto becoming a member of a possible Canadian league seems to meet with equally little favor.

BASEBALL.

Keefe's price is $93 61 per hour for pitching.

Charley Morton, of last year's Toledos, is spoken of as manager for the Toronto club.

Al Johnson says the Association people cannot keep the League out of Cincinnati.

The Philadelphia League club has gone to Cape May to get into condition for the coming season.

The Philadelphia club will probably release Sunday, who says he will quit baseball and do missionary work in the Y. M. C. A.

The International League, through its committee, Messrs. White, Burnham and Frazer, made final application to the National Board for National Agreement protection and privileges. This was granted and protection given to all contracts from Feb. 13, the date of the first formal application. The league was admitted to Class B, with a salary limit of $2,500 per club a month and $200 a month to a player. All contracts signed must be forwarded direct to Secretary Young, at Washington, who will approve and promulgate them.

There is now no doubt that Rochester will have a club, in the International League.

The New England League will be composed of Worcester, Lowell, Brockton, Haverhill, Manchester and Portland, Springfield and Providence will be asked to join.

Dan Quinn, who played first base for the Buffalo Internationals last year, is looking for a place on some strong minor league club. He is now in South Boston, Mass.

The American Association is at present negotiating with Buffalo to fill the gap made by the desertion of Johnson. It is said that the Association has offered $10,000 for the franchise.

Secretary Young, of the National Board, announces that contracts for 1891 have been made with the following players: Boston, C. A. Nichols, William Nash, F. L. Lake and J. Quinn; Philadelphia, R. G. Allen; Denver, James McGarr and James D. Curtis; Sioux City, W. J. Vandyke, B. H. Dewald and E. Genius; Minneapolis, D. E. Dugdale, Howard J. Earl and P. L. Murphy; Syracuse, Ed. Doyle, J. A. Lighton, Charles Higgins and Thomas Flanagan; St. Paul, Tim O'Rourke; Albany, William Hanrahan. Released—By Boston, James McGarr; by Chicago, H. J. Earl; Milwaukee, W. F. Kreig.

CURLING.

Four rinks of the Sarnia Curling Club visited Detroit on Saturday and added another to their list of victories. Score:

SARNIA.		DETROIT.	
H. Richardson,		J. D. Hawks,	
A. Spencer,		W. S. Waugh,	
Chas. Cooney,		R. Williamson,	
J. McGibbon, skip	13	T. Williamson, skip.	15
J. Robertson,		R. Keat,	
R. Calvert,		Alex. Kerr,	
J. Thomas,		T. Fairbairn,	
J. M. Chester, skip	16	Jas. McAdam, skip.	11
Capt. McDougall,		Chas. Haigh,	
Capt. McGregor,		A. W. Baxter,	
Capt. McDonald,		D. Wallace,	
Capt. Robertson, skip	17	J. Williamson,	6
D. Hamilton,		G. W. Morgan,	
T. N. Matheson,		A. M. Rolls,	
T. Dundas,		Fred. Bamford,	
D. Crawford, skip	15	J. J. Dodds, skip.	8
Total	61	Total	40

Majority for Sarnia, 21 shots.

The final series of matches in the competition for the Western Ontario tankard began at the Simcoe street rink yesterday afternoon and will continue until this evening, when a banquet will be held in the Tecumseh House. The Thamesville, Stratford and St. Marys clubs have arrived in the city and others are expected.

TANKARD COMPETITION.

The first draw of the final series in the competition for the Western Ontario tankard was played off at the Simcoe Street Rink yesterday afternoon between Stratford and Thamesville. The ice was in excellent condition, and some first-class shots were made. When the first rink had finished the Stratford men were three ahead, but their second rink came out one behind their competitors, which left the victory with the Stratford men by just two shots. The score is attached:

FIRST RINK.

STRATFORD.		THAMESVILLE.	
K. E. Wilmuth,		J. Sherton,	
C. E. Nasmyth,		C. F. Roe,	
J. D. McFadden,		A. J. Campbell,	
A. F. McLaren, skip	23	J. Ferguson, skip	20.

SECOND RINK.

J. H. Nasmyth,		J. Davidson,	
W. Maynard,		J. Howitt,	
N. S. Watson,		W. Kay,	
John Welsh, skip	16	R. Ferguson, skip	17

In the evening the Stratfordites, flushed with victory, arranged to play off their final match with St. Marys, and received a most severe drubbing, which shut them out of all hope of winning the Tankard. The St. Marys men played all around them, beating their first rink by four shots and their second rink by seventeen. The scores made are attached:

FIRST RINK.

ST. MARYS		STRATFORD.	
J. D. Moore,		J. H. Nasmyth,	
James Oddy,		A. J. Watson,	
J. M. Weir,		W. S. Watson,	
S. Sparling, skip	20	J. Welsh, skip	16

SECOND RINK.

James Clyde,		K. E. Wilmuth,	
K. Waring,		C. E. Nasmyth,	
T. O. Robson,		J. D. McFadden,	
W. Andrews, skip	25	A. F. McLaren, skip.	8

The London and St. Marys teams played a friendly game during the afternoon, which resulted in a victory for the local men by 10 points. The scores were:

FIRST RINK.

LONDON.		ST. MARYS.	
Thomas Gillean,		Jas. Clyde,	
H. Beaton,		K. Waring,	
D. Regan,		T. O. Robson,	
J. D. Wilkinson, s	18	W. Andrews, skip	12

SECOND RINK.

T. H. Browne,		J. D. Moore,	
H. Fysh,		James Oddy,	
W. S. Reid,		J. M. Weir,	
C. W. Andrus, skip	24	S. Sparling, skip	20

The teams from Forest, Brussels and Chesley, winners in their respective groups, failed to send their teams, and consequently forfeited their right to compete in the final series.

PEDESTRIANISM.

NEW YORK, March 16.—The ten leaders in the six days walk at Madison Garden are: Curley, Howarth, Hughes, Bennett, Cartwright, Congers, Moore, Hegelman, Burns, Gluck, in the order given.

Kincaid street, Brockville, Ont., Jan. 11, 1889: "I was confined to my bed by a severe attack of lumbago. A lady friend of mine sent me a part of a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil, which I applied. The effect was simply magical. In a day I was able to go about my household duties. I have used it with splendid success for neuralgic toothache. I would not be without it." MRS. J. RINGLAND.

To save money a man should associate with men whose income is only one-half as large as his own.

"If you found $5 would you try to find the owner?" Pat—"Faix, no, I am no hog. I'd be satisfied finding the five."

Why will you allow a cough to lacerate your throat or lungs and run the risk of filling a consumptive's grave, when, by the timely use of Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup the pain can be allayed and the danger avoided? This Syrup is pleasant to the taste, and unsurpassed for relieving, healing and curing all affections of the throat and lungs, coughs, colds, bronchitis, etc.

A. (to bachelor friend)—Do come and see me some day, old chap; mind you, my daughters are all of them engaged!

Mr. J. R. Allen, upholsterer, Toronto sends us the following: "For six or seven years my wife suffered with Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Inward Piles and Kidney Complaint. We tried two physicians and any number of medicines without getting any relief, until we got a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery. This was the first relief she got, and before one bottle was used the benefit she derived from it was beyond our expectation."

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News of the Day Without Note or Comment.

Twelve Lives Lost in the Asylum Fire at Nashville—100 Dervishes Killed.

CANADIAN.

There is to be no St. Patrick's Day procession at Ottawa to-day.

John Burns was on Saturday sentenced at Montreal to fourteen years in penitentiary for highway robbery.

Rich and Robinson, the Bradford, Pa., decampers, were released from jail at Hamilton yesterday on giving up cash to the amount of 40 per cent. of their debts.

St. John, N.B., has a financial sensation in the winding-up of the Provincial Building Society, the developments being likely to disgrace some very prominent people.

Mesdames Francœur and Lamontagne, widows of two victims of the recent worsted factory explosion at Quebec have instituted actions for damages against the company for the loss of their husbands.

The Law Association of Ontario county has called a convention of delegates to be held at the Rossin House, Toronto, on Saturday next, in connection with the election of benchers of the Law Society.

Mr. Crowe, a Montreal cattle exporter, charges that something very like fraud was perpetrated on the owners of the Canadian cattle which were seized at Dundee last year as being affected with pleuro-pneumonia.

There is some uneasiness in Montreal civic circles over the results of the recent loan negotiations. The delegation hinted that the amount was placed at 3½. It now appears the real figure is 4 per cent., including commission, and that the Barings insisted on $6,000 commission on the unsold portion of the bonds.

Mr. James Freeman, an elderly and blind resident of Freeman, near Burlington, was going across one of the crossings of the N. and N. W. Railway, when the engine of a passing train struck him. He was carried on the cowcatcher for a short distance before being pitched off. Fortunately he was uninjured, except a few cuts on the head.

The geological and mining section of the Canadian Institute have passed a resolution recommending that a mining convention be called to meet in Toronto at the Canadian Institute on the 31st of March to consider measures for the advancement of the mining industry, and the advisability of establishing a Provincial Department of Mines. The various mining localities throughout the Province are invited to send delegates.

UNITED STATES.

The first tow of the season left Rondout, N. Y., yesterday afternoon for New York city.

Judge John B. Brady, of the New York Supreme Court, died yesterday morning of paralysis.

Sir Julian Pauncefote had another interview with Secretary Blaine regarding the Behring Sea question yesterday.

It is now known that twelve of the patients in the Central Tennessee Lunatic Asylum lost their lives by Saturday morning's fire at Nashville.

To-day for the first time services will be held in the new St. Patrick's Church at West Troy, N. Y. The church is exceeded in size by only one church in New York State and that is the cathedral in New York city.

FOREIGN.

The C. P. R. steamship Empress of India is at Singapore.

Gen. Campenon, formerly French Minister of War, is dead.

The Newfoundland arbitration commission will sit in Brussels.

Gladstone will deliver an important speech at Hastings to-night.

Thousands of Germans will attend the funeral of Dr. Windthorst, which will be held in Hanover.

Spain and the United States appear to have nearly concluded a reciprocity treaty applying to the Spanish West Indies.

Another firm of distillers, the Societe des Depots de Bordeaux et Marseilles, employing a large staff of workers, has been obliged to close business, owing to the new tariff on maize.

During the year 1890 61,433 persons emigrated from Ireland—a falling off of 9,365 from the average; 52,685 went to the United States, against an average for the four preceding years of 61,785.

A Vienna dispatch says the negotiation between Count Von Taafe and the German Liberals have collapsed. The Cabinet will now try to conduct the Government without the majority on the Reichsrath.

The Governor of Mozambique confirms the report of the seizure of the steamer Countess of Carnarvon. The steamer was seized on a charge of smuggling, after forcing the Limpopo and landing 1,000 rifles and 20,000 cartridges for Gungunhoma.

A Cairo dispatch says: A terrible disaster occurred to-day at the arsenal of Omdurman. From the reports received it appears that about 100 Dervishes were killed by an explosion there, which destroyed immense stocks of ammunition and scattered the arsenal building and everything in the immediate neighborhood.

An Aged Couple Burned to Death.

ROCKFORD, Ill., March 16.—Owen Garry and his wife, aged people, were burned to death yesterday morning. It is supposed the woman got up and struck a match to get a drink and in her hurry set fire to the bed clothes.

The British Parliament.

LONDON, March 17.—In the House of Commons Mr. Smith asked for morning sittings for Government business on Tuesdays and Fridays. He explained the Government was anxious to prorogue Parliament three weeks earlier than usual. This is held to confirm the report that the Government intends to dissolve Parliament next autumn.

Suicide by Inhaling Ether.

NEW YORK, March 16.—Louis Davis purchased a half-pound can of ether last night, went to his house, No. 1,358 Lexington avenue, locked himself in the bath-room and then inhaled himself out of existence. He was a traveling salesman and leaves a widow and five helpless children. Davis was despondent on account of loss of employment and quarrels with his father-in-law.

Went In It Again for Seven Years.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Charles C. Hearne, of the Dorcas Publishing Company in July last induced J. Coen, a young Irish immigrant, to put $700 in his business as a loan for a position in the company's office. Coen found he had been swindled by an old game, and had Hearne arrested. The latter was convicted and Judge Fitzgerald sentenced Hearne to seven years and seven months in State prison.

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ELECTION ECHOES.

The Liberal Candidate Counted Out in South Wentworth.

QUEBEC, March 14.—The full returns from Charlevoix, show that Mr. Simard, the Liberal candidate, is elected by 306 majority, although the Conservatives have all along claimed the election of Cimon. The election of Mr. Coulombe, Conservative, in Maskinonge was also claimed, but the full returns show that Mr. Legris, Liberal, is elected in that constituency by 108 majority. A re-count is in progress in South Wentworth.

West Bruce.

Following are full returns of the election in West Bruce:

	Rowand.	Morrison.
Bruce	475	102
Kincardine	343	194
Huron	350	283
Kinloss	289	156
Kincardine town	141	173
Lucknow	84	90
Totals	2,015	1,085

Majority for Rowand (Lib.) 930.
Spoiled ballots, 20: rejected, 18.

Corrected Majorities.

Bruce, W., Rowan (Lib.)	930
Essex, N., McGregor (Lib.)	895
Essex, S., Allen (Lib.)	51
Hastings, N., Bowell (Con.)	206
Simcoe, E., Spohn (Lib.)	207
Ottawa county, Que., Devlin (Lib.)	414
Waterloo, N., Bowman (Lib.)	85
Wellington, S., Innes (Lib.)	376

A BELLEVILLE SENSATION.

BELLEVILLE, March 16.—The sensation of the hour in Belleville is the conviction of Mayor E. Guss Porter of the crime of voting twice in the West Riding of Hastings at the recent election for the Commons. Although warned by the Liberal scrutineers in Bleecker ward that he had no right to vote there he insisted on doing so, and voted in Murney ward. The Liberal scrutineers made four declarations of the fact. His worship having been informed that his guilt was known, and fearing that the Liberals were about to secure his punishment, resorted to a masterly piece of strategy. Taking advantage of Magistrate Jones' alleged absence in Toronto he caused an information to be laid against himself by Police Officer Cook on Monday last. The magistrate named was expected home that night, and Ald. Laroche and Collins, his political confreres, were aroused from bed at 11 o'clock at night and driven to the mayor's private office on Front street. Ald. Laroche was prevailed upon to issue the summons which the mayor had secured from the city clerk's office during the day. The words "at 10 o'clock in the forenoon" were crossed out in the summons and the word "forthwith" substituted. To the serious charge his worship pleaded guilty, and a fine of $20 was inflicted on his worship without imprisonment. The Ontario says: "Citizens of Belleville, what do you now think of his worship, your mayor, and the aldermen who were a party to this farce in justice? Shall such iniquity be allowed to pass unnoticed? Had it been a poor man who had done such an act his case would have been allowed to stand over for weeks, to be followed by fines and imprisonment. What a mockery! What a farce! It is hoped the suggestion already made, that a public indignation meeting be held next week in the City Hall with the object of taking such steps as will bring about the resignation of his worship and his aldermanic companions in this most foul blot on the good name of Belleville, will be acted upon." It is likely that the case will be carried before the grand jury in April.

NOTES.

Legris' majority in Maskinonge (Que.) is 108. He is certainly elected.

The official returns in North Hastings give Hon. Mr. Bowell 206 majority; in East Simcoe Dr. Spohn had 207.

Official declarations were made Saturday as follows: Ottawa county, Devlin (Lib.), 414 majority; South Victoria, Fairbairn (Con.), 25.

Carroll (Lib.), who was at first announced as having been elected in Kamouraska, is now reported to be defeated by 25 votes owing to the returing officer having neglected to inclose the required certificate in three of the ballot boxes. His opponent was Mr. Chapais.

Mr. Widdifield, on behalf of Dr. Platt, applied to the county judge for a recount, which will take place next Thursday. From information received it is plain that there were gross irregularities in the election in Prince Edward county.

Solicitors for Mr. George Guillet, ex-M.P., made application to Judge Benson for a recount of the ballots in the West Northumberland election. The re-count will take place Monday. Mr. Hargraft's majority is 36, and as there were only 17 rejected ballots it is not expected that any change in the representation will be effected.

J. P. Sootheran, returning officer for South Victoria, made his official report, declaring Chas. Fairbairn, the Conservative candidate, elected by 25 majority. Owing to a number of rejected and destroyed ballots and irregularities claimed by the friends of Mr. Walters, an application was made for a recount, which will be held on Tuesday next.

A movement is on foot to form a Liberal club in St. Thomas with club rooms in the city. At a preliminary meeting Friday night Mr. M. S. Carl was elected secretary and instructed to secure all possible information regarding the management of such institutions. Messrs. K. W. McKay and A. S. Smith were appointed a committee to secure a suitable building.

The recount of the ballots cast in the South Wentworth election began Saturday. There are about 3,500 ballot papers and the day was occupied in sorting the papers. Mr. Middleton has received a letter from W. B. Bridgeman, the deputy returning officer who bungled so badly over his returns, inclosing another certificate of the votes polled, reversing the figures sworn to by him on election day, and giving Middleton his proper majority in the division. At the bottom of the certificate was a note, signed by A. D. Lacy, the poll clerk, to the effect that the error in the figures was made by him and that Deputy Returning Officer Bridgeman swore to and signed the certificate without looking at it.

The re-count in South Wentworth leaves Mr. Carpenter, the Conservative, a majority of one.

Messrs. Julius Scriver, Liberal, and D. McCormick, Conservative, were nominated in Huntingdon, Que., Monday.

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WESTERN ONTARIO.

Chatham.

Chatham was visited Monday morning by a fire at the residence of Mr. John McKay, corner of Kirk and Prince streets, making a total wreck of the building. Mr. McKay was sick at the time and had to be carried across the street to a neighbor's. Just at the time the firemen were preparing to leave for home a second alarm was sounded for No. 2 ward, this time being the chimney of the separate school. No damage was done to the school.

Mrs. Wm. Ball, Cross street, had a narrow escape from poisoning through eating sardines. The doctors think she is now out of danger.

Mr. Albert Miller returned home on Friday.

Rev. Jeffrey Hill was in town on Monday.

Rev. W. H. Wade, Woodstock, will occupy Christ Church pulpit next Wednesday evening.

The recent American consul, Mr. Jerome Eddy, was in town for a couple of days.

A Baby Farm Victim.

TORONTO, March 17.—Coroner Pickering held an investigation yesterday into the death of an infant child in a licensed baby farm in the city, kept by Mrs. Berry. About a month ago a girl named Marshall, a waitress in a down-town hotel, took her child to be boarded by Mrs. Berry. She never came back, and on Friday night the child was suddenly taken ill and died. A burial certificate was refused, and the evidence at the inquest to-day shows death to have resulted from insufficient nutrition. A verdict of manslaughter was found against Mrs. Berry, keeper of the baby farm.

Love and War.

Spatts—It is said that all is fair in love and war, but there is one great difference between them.

Bloobumper—What is it?

Spatts—In love the fighting does not begin until after the engagement is over.

Awful Neglect.

Mrs. Flatbush (of Brooklyn)—It's perfectly dreadful the way Mr. De Myrtle is acting. I shouldn't be surprised to hear any day that he'd run off from his wife.

Mrs. Hibridge—Mercy! Is he neglecting his family?

Mrs. Flatbush—Awfully! I saw him out walking only yesterday without the baby.

Among the pains and aches cured with marvelous rapidity with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, is ear-ache. The young are especially subject to it, and the desirability of this Oil as a family remedy is enhanced by the fact that it is admirably adapted not only to the above ailment, but also to the hurts, disorders of the bowels, and affections of the throat, to which the young are specially subject.

Clara—And that's your new hat? Well, it's simply stunning. Laura — That's exactly what papa said when he saw the bill.

What the Queen Drinks.

The tea consumed by the Royal household in England is purchased at a quaint, old-fashioned shop in Pall Mall, and has been bought there during the reigns of Queen Victoria's five predecessors. It costs 5s 4d a pound, and was for a long time known as "Earl Grey's mixture," this nobleman having recommended this particular mixture to her Majesty. When a dinner is given at Windsor or Buckingham Palace, fish to the extent of £60 worth is ordered. For an ordinary family dinner only three kinds of fish are put on the table, whiting being almost invariably one of them. A sirloin of beef is cooked every day, and is put on the sideboard cold for luncheon. The Queen takes after her dinner one water biscuit and a piece of Cheddar cheese; the Prince of Wales eats a bit a Gongonzola, with a crust of home-made bread. The tea, the cheese, and the Royal bed are always taken along whenever Her Majesty travels. The Queen's wine, which is well known to be incomparable, is kept in the cellars of St. James's Palace, and is sent in basketfuls of three dozen bottles to wherever she may be, this being done more for the household and guests than for herself, as when alone she drinks only very weak whisky and water with her meals by her physician's orders. At banquets, however, she takes two glasses of Burgundy. The clerk of the Royal kitchens, who always carves, receives £700 per annum the head chef the same salary, and the confectioners £300 and £250.

The Old Man Is Wealthy.

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Finance Notes.

The New York associated bank statement is technically unfavorable. The reserve decreased $1,087,490 during the week, and the surplus is now $9,790,575, as against $1,050,800 at the corresponding date of last year, and $8,067,925 in 1889.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, March 16—1 p.m.—Stock market dull and steady; American Express, 115½; Canadian Pacific, 76¾; Canada Southern, 59½; Delaware and Hudson, —; Delaware and Lackawanna, 153½; Lake Shore, 110½; Michigan Central, —; Northern Pacific, 27½, preferred, 73; New York Central, 102; St. Paul, 55½; preferred, 113½; St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, —; Union Pacific, 45½; Western Union, 80½.

London Money Market.

LONDON, March 16—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 96 15-16 for money, 97 1-16 for account; U. S. 4s, 122½ ex coupon; U. S. 4½s, 104½; St. Paul, 56½; Erie ex coupon, 19¼; Erie, 19½; Pacific Central, 52½; Panama, 103½; Canadian Pacific, 78½; New York Central, 104½; Illinois Central, 95½; bank of England rate, 3 per cent.; open market discount, 2½.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, March 16.

		Off.
Montreal	225½	224½
Ontario	115½	114
Molsons	220	215
Toronto	143½	142
Merchants	129	128½
Commerce		157
Imperial	233	233½
Dominion		146½
Standard	153	152
Hamilton	101	99½
British America	145½	145
Western Assurance	—	—
Canada Life	—	—
Confederation Life Association	—	—
Canadian Northwest Land Co	77½	76½
L. P. R. Grant Bonds	77¾	76½
C. P. R. Stock	76½	122½
Farmers' Loan and Savings	123	124
London and Canada L. & A	125	115
London and Ontario	—	—
Huron and Erie	124	—
Dominion Savings and Loan	90	88
Ontario Loan and Debenture	130	125½
Canadian Savings and Loan	—	116
London Loan	—	—

SALES—Dominion, 20 at 222; Western Assurance, 85, 10 and 20 at 145½, 20 at 145½; C. N. W. L. Company, 25 at 77½, 20 at 77, 20, 20 and 30 at 78, Consumers, 25 at 77½, 20 at 77, 20, 20 and 30 at 76¾, 200 at 76¾, 50 and 50 at 77, 90 at 77¼, 50, 50 and 20 at 77, 75, 20, 50, 20, 15 and 20 at 76½, 20 at 76¾.

SEEDS WANTED.

Clover seed, timothy seed, Mummy, Golden Vine, Crown and Prince Albert peas wanted. Send sample and price to

A. M. HAMILTON & SON.

378 Talbot Street, London, Ont.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Monday, March 16.

Only a few loads of grain offered this morning. No change in prices. Hay in light supply and prices higher, selling from $8 to $9 per ton. Quotations as follows:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, per standard bush	$1 00	to	$1 00
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 60	to	1 67
Wheat, Democrat, per 100 lbs	1 60	to	1 65
Wheat, Clawson, per 100 lbs	1 60	to	1 67
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	1 65	to	1 10
Rye, per 100 lbs	1 05	to	1 10
Buckwheat	1 35	to	1 38
Oats	1 08	to	1 10
Corn	1 10	to	1 20
Peas	1 25	to	1 30
Beans, per bush	1 00	to	1 67
Barley, per 100 lbs			
PROVISIONS.			
Eggs, retail	15	to	15
Eggs, basket	13	to	13
Eggs, store lots	10	to	11
Butter, pound rolls, basket	20	to	23
Butter, crock or large rolls	17	to	19
Butter, tub or firkin	19	to	15
Butter tub or firkin	14	to	15
Cheese	10	to	10
Lard	5 00	to	6 00
Dressed hogs	25	to	5 50
Turnips, per bush	30	to	33
Carrots, per bush	35	to	1 00
Potatoes, per bag	50	to	90
Parsnips, per bush	50	to	50
Onions, per bush	80	to	70
Apples, bag	4 50	to	1 60
Beef, per lb	6	to	6 50
Mutton, per lb	8	to	8
Lamb, per lb	0	to	9
Veal, per lb	40	to	0
Chickens, per pair	60	to	70
Ducks, per pair	70	to	2 00
Turkeys each			
FLOUR AND FEED.			
Patent roller flour, per 100 lbs	2 75	to	3 80
Roller flour, per 100 lbs	2 50	to	2 70
Stone flour, stone	2 25	to	2 55
Buckwheat flour	2 25	to	2 50
Oatmeal, standard	2 60	to	2 70
Oatmeal, granulated	2 70	to	2 95
Oatmeal, rolled	2 90	to	3 00
Cornmeal	2 00	to	2 50
Bran, per ton	18 00	to	20 00
Shorts, per ton	20 00	to	22 05
Clover seed, per bushel	4 00	to	4 70
Timothy seed, per bushel	1 50	to	1 60
Hay	6 50	to	7 55

Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

Toronto Market.

TORONTO, March 16.

WHEAT—Manitoba hard, No. 2, $1 06 to $1 07; Manitoba hard, No. 3, 96c to 97½c; spring, No. 2, 95c to 95c; red winter, No. 2, $1 to $1 02; fall, No. 2, 89 to $0 06.

BARLEY—No. 1, 61c to 61c; No. 2, 57c to 58c; No. 3 extra, 52c to 52c; No. 3, 48c to 49c.

PEAS—No. 2, 71c to 73c.

OATS—No. 2, 50c to 52c.

CORN—61c to 62c.

FLOUR—Extra, $4 40 to $4 50; straight roller, $3 90 to $3 90; superfine, $3 25 to $3 35; fine, $3 00 to $3 20.

Market quiet. Sales—No. 2 spring wheat, outside at 92c; No. 2 red winter at $1 01; oats on track at 51½c, and outside at 49c to 50c.

English Markets.

Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LONDON, March 16.

Floating cargoes—Wheat and corn nil.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat and corn very little demand.

Mark Lane—Wheat turn dearer, corn American steady, Danube quieter, flour firmer.

French country markets very firm.

Weather in England, milder.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firmer, corn steadier, No. 1 Cal. 8s 4d—1d dearer; Walla 8s; red winter 8s 2d, Indian 5s 11½d, flour 27s 6d, corn 25s 8d, peas 6s 1d—all six unchanged.

Indian Wheat—Shipments to United Kingdom 36,000 qrs., to continent 16,000.

LIVERPOOL, March. 16.

The quotations for the past three market days are as follows:

	March 13.		March 14.		March 16.	
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Spring	7 7½	7 8	7 7½	7 8	7 7½	7 8
Red winter	7 6½	7 7	7 6½	7 7	7 6½	7 7
No. 1 Cal	8 3	8 3½	8 3½	8 4	8 4	8 0
Corn	5 8	5 8	5 7½	5 8	5 7½	5 8
Peas, per c	6 1	0 0	6 1	0 0	6 1	0 0
Pork	48 9	0 0	48 9	0 0	48 9	0 0
Lard	31 6	0 0	31 0	0 0	31 0	0 0
Bacon, s. c	28 0	00 0	28 0	00 0	28 0	00 0
Bacon, l. c	28 0	00 0	28 0	00 0	28 0	00 0
Tallow	26 0	00 0	26 3	00 0	26 3	00 0
Cheese, wh	54 6	00 0	55 0	00 0	55 0	00 0
Cheese, col	54 6	00 0	55 0	00 0	55 0	00 0

Wheat firm, demand improving; holders offer sparingly. Corn steady, demand improving.

Montreal Market.

MONTREAL, March 16.

FLOUR—Receipts, 2,500 bbls; market quiet and unchanged. Patents winter, $5 25 to $5 40; do. spring, $5 50 to $5 75; straight roller, $4 75 to $5 00; extra, $4 35 to $4 50; superfine, $3 75 to $4 15; strong bakers, $5 25 to $5 25; Ontario bags, $2 10 to $2 20; city bags, $0 00.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 hard Manitoba, $1 08 to $1 10; corn, 72c to 73c; peas, 82c to 82c; oats, 56c to 56c; barley, 60c to 67c; rye, 68c to 70c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $2 75 to $2 85; cornmeal, $1 50 to $1 75.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, $14 50 to $15 50; lard, 8½c to 8½c; bacon, 9c to 10½c; hams, 10½c to 11½c; cheese, 10½c to 11c; butter, townships, 20c to 23c; Morrisburg, 19c to 21c; Western, 14c to 15c; eggs, 18c to 19c.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, March 16.

LEADING FUTURES CLOSED:

WHEAT—March, 99c; May, $1 01½; July, 97½c.

CORN—March, 60½c; May, 62½c; July, 60½c.

OATS—May, 52½c; June, 51½c; July, 42c.

MESS PORK—March, $11; May, $11 20; July, $11 67½.

LARD—March, $6 17½; May, $6 35; July, $6 60.

SHORT RIBS—March, $5 20; May, $5 40; July, $5 70.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

No. 2 spring wheat, 99c to 99½c; No. 2 red, $1 01 to $1 01½; No. 2 corn, 60½c to 60½c; No. 2 oats, 50½c to 51c; No. 2 rye, 96c; mess pork, $11; lard, $6 15 to $6 17½; short ribs sides, $5 15 to $5 20; dry salted shoulders, $4 15 to $4 25; short clear sides, $5 20 to $5 40.

Receipts—			
Flour, bbls	7,000	Wheat, bu	42,000
Corn, bu	129,000	Oats, bu	195,000
Rye	11,000	Barley	38,000
Shipments—			
Flour, bbls	8,000	Wheat, bu	11,000
Corn, bu	112,000	Oats, bu	101,000
Rye, bu	12,000	Barley, bu	7,000

OSWEGO, March 14.

WHEAT—Firm; White State sold at $1 11.

CORN—Unchanged; No. 2 yellow at 69½c.

OATS—58c.

BARLEY—Nominal; No. 2 extra Canada at 85c; No. 1 Canada at 90c.

TOLEDO, March 16.

WHEAT—Quiet; $1 02½ cash, $1 04½ May, 97½c July, 95½c Aug.

CORN—62c cash and May.

OATS—53c nominal cash and May.

DETROIT, March 16.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, $1 02½ cash; No. 2 red $1 03½ cash, $1 04½ May, 97½ July, 95½c Aug.

MILWAUKEE, March 16.

WHEAT—Quiet; 97c cash and May, 95½c July.

NEW YORK, March 16.

FLOUR—Unchanged; moderate business.

WHEAT—Receipts, 19,200 bu; exports, none; sales, 7,864,000 bu futures; 34,000 bu spot; spot unsettled; lower; quiet; No. 2 red, $1 13½, elevator; No. 1 northern, $1 20½ to $1 21; No. 1 hard, $1 25½ to $1 26; options opened ⅜c to 1⅛c lower on selling; advanced 1c on firmer cables and closed firm at ⅛c to ⅜c under Saturday; No. 2 red, March, $1 12½; May, $1 09½; June, $1 08; July, $1 04½; Aug., $1 01½.

CORN—Receipts, 77,200 bu; exports, 48,000 bu; sales, 1,896,000 bu futures; 47,000 bu spot; spot stronger; moderately active; ungraded mixed, 72c to 73½c; options closed strong at 1c to 1⅛c advance on light offerings and short covering; March, 71⅛c; April, 70½c; May, 68c; June, 66¾c; July, 66½c.

OATS—Receipts, 113,000 bu; sales, 245,000 bu futures; 88,000 bu spot; spot quiet; stronger; futures fairly active; firm; March, 57c to 57½c; May, 56½c to 57¼c; July, 55½c to 56½c; spot No. 3, 57c to 58½c; mixed western, 55c to 59c; white do., 57c to 62½c.

SUGAR—Quiet; unchanged; standard "A," 6 7-16c; cut-loaf and crushed, 6¾c; powdered, 6¼c; granulated, 6¼c.

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO, N.Y.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., March 16.—Receipts, 110 cars; cattle in good demand; fair to good butchers' stock sold all of 10c to 15c stronger; trade being rather irregular on all kinds, but on the whole stronger for common to good grades of medium and shipping steers; heavy and export cattle were in light supply and demand at steady former prices, or from $4 90 to $5 50; several loads being taken for the Philadelphia trade. The attendance of buyers was rather light, and the report from the east of a weak nature; good butchers' stock, fat cows and heifers, sold at $3 50 to $4, and good handy fancy steers brought $40 to $50; old cows, fair to good, $2 50 to $3; fat bulls, $3 to $3 50; extra heavy, $3 75; common and bologna bulls, $3 50 to $3 75; oxen, fair to good, $3 25 to $4 15; common thin lots, $2 50 to $3; stockers were in light supply, and some inquiry, but at weak former prices, although a few loads of good formed western stockers of 650 to 700 lbs. brought $3 85 to $3; feeders, $3 15 to $3 50; but the bulk of the latter, if at all fleshy, went to butchers; milch cows were in liberal supply and fairly steady for good to choice lots of fresh cows, but late springers are still neglected and dull, if very late wholly unsaleable. We quote best cows, $35 to $40; fair to good, $25 to $32; common, $15 to $22. Veals in liberal supply and lower, prices ruling all of $2 per cwt off from a week ago for good lots. Sales—Best veals at $5 25 to $5 75; bulk of sales at $5 50; fair to good lots, $4 25 to $5.

Sheep and Lambs—Fifty-five cars constituted the offerings; market fairly active and for lambs 10c higher. Market pretty well cleared of stock at close. Best sheep, $6 25; good to extra, $5 50 to $6 10, mostly $5 85; best lambs, $6 90 to $7, latter asked for fancy; good to choice, $6 25 to $6 75.

Hogs—Receipts of sale stock were 80 cars. The market was slow and prices about steady at Saturday's closing figures. Heavy grades, $4 10 to $4 20; medium and mixed, $4 10 to $4 15; Yorkers, light to heavy, $4 to $4 15; pigs, $4 15; Yorkers, light to heavy, $4 to $4 15; pigs, $4 15; roughs, $2 75 to $3 25. common to best, $3 50 to $3 80; roughs, $2 75 to $3 25.

MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Q., March 16.—About 500 head of butchers' cattle, 75 calves and 30 sheep and lambs offered at the east end abattoir to-day. Trade was very dull, and prices lower all round, especially for rough and leanish stock, which comprised the bulk of the offerings; a few choice beeves intended for the eastern market were held at 5½c per lb, but none of the sales made during the early part of the day exceeded 4¾c per lb, with pretty good stock at from 4c to 4¼c do; rough steers, oxen and large bulls sold at from 3½c to 4¼c do, with common dry cows and milkmen's strippers down to less than 3c per lb. There was an active demand for good calves, which were scarce, but the veals and other "bobs" are getting plentiful and low-priced. Several of the sheep that offered to-day had been shorn of their fleece, and seemed to miss their covering in the cold winds. The prices of sheep were from $3 50 to $7 each. There is a very active demand for good spring lambs, but some of those brought to market are rather young for profitable killing, although they bring more than they would if kept six months longer. Lambs sold at from $4 50 to nearly $9 each. Fat hogs are rather scarce, and sell at from 4¾c to 5c per lb.

BRITISH TRADE.

EDINBURGH, March 7.—John Swan & Sons' weekly report says: The number of fat cattle on offer this week was very similar to that of the preceding week. Trade throughout has been fairly steady for the better descriptions of cattle, and prices about equal to late rates. Fat cows have been shown in larger numbers, and they met a worse market—quite 10s reduction. Sheep were a fairly average supply. The demand has been quiet, though previous prices were about maintained, any reduction that took place not being quotable. Lambs are coming to hand in small numbers, making up to 44s each. Fat calves were a very small show, and realized extreme prices, nice weights making up to 1s 1d per lb. Pigs slightly more numerous, and met a rather better trade at a light advance in price. Store sheep are slow to sell at prices just the turn in favor of buyers. Milch cows not quite so numerous. They met a very dragging trade, secondary, especially, experiencing a fall of 20s to 30s each. Best beef, 5s 6d; in some cases, 5s 8d; secondary, 7s 6d; inferior, 6s 6d. Best muttons, 6s; secondary, 7¼d to 7½d; inferior, 6½d per lb.

Petrolea Oil Market.

PETROLEA, March 16.—Oil to-day opened and closed at $1 31½.

LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—Rev. W. J. Clark, of this city, preached at Knox Church, Dundas, Sunday.

—The Bishop of Huron, who has been suffering from a light attack of diphtheria, is now recovering.

—The Seventh Band supplied music to an immense crowd at the Princess Rink Saturday afternoon. Last year the ice held good until April, and the chances are that this season will "go it one better."

—An array of empty benches greeted the Ward Glee Club on their appearance at the Dale school house on Friday evening. The minstrels returned to the city without attempting to awaken the musical echoes.

—Fanny Alice, third daughter of ex-Ald. John Callard, died on Friday from diphtheria. Mr. Callard has the sympathy of the community, as his wife and several of the children are prostrated with the dread disease.

—A meeting of the W. M.'s and I. P. M.'s, of the city Masonic lodges, was held Saturday evening at the Masonic Temple, and passed a resolution inviting the Grand Lodge to hold its coming annual session in this city.

—A Presbyterial council will be formed in this city. This evening a meeting of the Presbyterian pastors and representative elders will be held and a draft of the constitution submitted for consideration and subsequent adoption.

—Secretary C. R. Sayer, of the Y. M. C. A., is confined to his house through illness. The young men's meetings in Victoria Hall Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon were conducted respectively by Messrs. W. Lind and W. H. Liddicoatt.

—Mr. Charles Efner, of this city, left yesterday afternoon for Toronto, where he intends residing in future, having secured a first-class position. A number of his friends assembled at the Grand Trunk depot to wish him health and success.

—Dr. Arnott, of this city, and Dr. F. H. Mitchell, of Delaware, were among those present at the closing exercises of the Michigan College of Medicine at Detroit on Friday evening. Dr. Mitchell replied to the toast of "Medical Reciprocity."

—The case against Francis Blackwell, charged by Adelia Moseby with indecent assault, was dismissed by Squire Jarvis on Saturday. Both the parties live near the asylum. The story told by the complainant was that Blackwell came into her house to solicit votes and then assaulted her, but the evidence did not bear out her story.

—Miss Jennie Burr, 521 Pall Mall street, leaves on Thursday for Bonneville, Oregon, where she will become the bride of Mr. W. C. Forsythe, formerly of this city. The many friends of both young people in this city wish them prosperity in the West. Miss Jessie Burr will accompany her sister as far as Chicago, where she intends making a few weeks' visit.

—Rev. C. E. McIntyre, of the Askin Street Methodist Church, preached the funeral sermon of the late Mrs. McEvoy Sunday morning. His text was II. Thessalonians, iv., 16, and he alluded feelingly to one who had ever been a hard-working church member, and whose life and spirit were glowing examples of Christian virtue and resignation.

—The well-known Toronto evangelists, Messrs. W. A. Parlane and W. P. Crombie, opened a series of special mission services at the Memorial Church Sunday evening. Both gentlemen spoke briefly and earnestly, impressing their hearers with their sincerity and fitness for their work. The meetings will be continued in the Memorial school room next week, evenings and afternoons, the latter being devoted to Bible reading.

—Sunday night about 6 o'clock, Mr. W. H. Seccombe, of the Wortley road, noticed a large Newfoundland dog tugging energetically at some large object, with the evident desire of getting it into a neighboring yard. He enjoyed watching the labors of the canine at the time, but later on he felt sorely grieved, for on going into his back kitchen he found that an eighteen pound ham (not yet cut into) was gone. But the dog had three hours' start, and his after search was fruitless.

The Ministerial Association.

A well-attended meeting of the Ministerial Association was held in Victoria Hall yesterday. It was decided to enforce the prohibitory rule against Sunday funerals, notwithstanding complaints to the contrary. Rev. H. C. Speller read a paper on church attractions, holding that the gospel was sufficient attraction for the church and no other was needed. A discussion ensued, and a vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Speller. A general exchange of pulpits will take place on April 19.

Mothers

Castoria is recommended by physicians for children teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation; its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste and absolutely harmless. It relieves constipation, regulates the bowels, quiets pain, cures diarrhœa and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mother's friend. 25 doses. 35 cents.

One of the problems of human nature is how a dentist ever gets up courage to have his own teeth drawn.

Mr. Job Scales, of Toronto, writes: "A short time ago I was suffering from Kidney Complaint and Dyspepsia, sour stomach and lame back; in fact, I was completely prostrated and suffering intense pain. While in this state a friend recommended me to try a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery. I used one bottle, and the permanent manner in which it has cured and made a new man of me is such that I cannot withhold from the proprietors this expression of my gratitude."

The man who has never made a fool of himself doesn't know much about the value of human sympathy.

A Dinner Pill.—Many persons suffer excruciating agony after partaking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healthy nutriment it becomes a poison to the sytem. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions and conver the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medicine to take if troubled with indigestion or Dyspepsia.

Notice of Removal.—Wm. Smith, practical repairer of sewing machines, has removed to 255 Dundas street, next to Ranahan's confectionery. ywt

Fanny Davenport

WRITES:

Providence, April 7, 1889.

My Dear Madame.—Purely by accident one day in Chicago I bought a pot of your Recamier Cream, and on trying it found it the most delightfully refreshing thing I have ever applied to my skin. Most assuredly you have made a marvelous discovery, and one and all of our sex should heartily thank you. I find it is not only a refreshing, softening article for skin at night, but for the day use also. Please send me some of the Balm, and another jar of the Cream to the Brunswick, Boston, and believe me,

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FIRE IN ST. MARYS.

Knox Presbyterian Church Completely Destroyed—The Engines Unable to Throw a Drop of Water.

ST. MARYS, March 16.—A disastrous fire occurred here this morning, resulting in the entire destruction of Knox Presbyterian Church. The fire was first noticed at about 7 o'clock in the furnace room in the basement. An alarm was immediately sounded, and steamer and hand fire companies responded promptly. By an unfortunate coincidence, through the negligence of those in charge, both engines were out of order and refused to work. Hundreds of anxious spectators stood by powerless to check the steady progress of the flames, and the magnificent edifice was totally destroyed before their eyes without a drop of water being thrown upon it. The fire originated from the furnace and must have been smouldering nearly all night. The caretaker left the church apparently all right about 10 o'clock last night. The building is insured in the Western for $5,000, and the loss is estimated at about $15,000.

Steamers Arrived.

	At.	From.
March 14.		
Suevia	Plymouth	New York
Umbria	Queenstown	New York
City of New York	New York	Liverpool
Adriatic	Queenstown	New York
Etruria	New York	Liverpool
March 15.		
La Bourgogne	New York	Havre
Rugia	New York	Antwerp
Sorrento	New York	New York
Nevada	Queenstown	New York

A Michigan Village Wiped Out.

FOWLERVILLE, March 16. — The most destructive fire that ever occurred in this village spent its fury at 6 p.m. yesterday. The loss will foot up over $200,000. Some 35 business places were burned. Fowlerville is, or was, a thriving village of 1,200 inhabitants in the township of Handy in Livingston county, nine miles west of Howell. It has Baptist and Methodist Churches, neither of which were burned, and had two newspaper offices, the Review and Independent, but the former was destroyed. The Western Union Telegraph office escaped destruction, and the operator, in response to an inquiry, last evening, laconically replied, "there's not enough of Fowlerville left to wad a popgun."

In advanced age the declining powers are wonderfully refreshed by Hood's Sarsaparilla. It really does "make the weak strong."

Doors Locked to Keep Out the Crowds.

The doors had to be locked again yesterday (Monday) no less than five times to keep out the rush of purchasers at Powell's great bankrupt sale. From the time the doors were opened at 10 o'clock the crush began, and all afternoon nearly the doors had to be kept looked to enable those who were fortunate enough to be inside to get served. Many who had been once served returned a second time and waited patiently until the door was open for a second chance. The great sale will be continued each day during the week. The shop doors will be opened at 10 o'clock each morning. Don't fail to go and take your friends. Remember the stock was bought at a ridiculously low price, and from appearances the general public will have the full advantage of the auction price of the stock. Remember the sale will be continued at Powell's old stand, 134 Dundas street, London, Ont. b

Chapman is making really good cabinet photos at $1 50 per dozen for a short time. Remember, opposite City Hall, London. ty

At this season of the year Centenelene should be used for chapped hands, face and lips. This is a lotion of superior excellence, put up in 25-cent bottles and sold on a guarantee at STRONG'S Drug Store, 184 Dundas street. 24tf

Preparing for the Rush.—Anticipating a greater demand than ever at house-cleaning time for wall paper, window shades, cornice poles, etc., I am preparing to meet it by laying in a large and well selected stock of the above; and in order to make it to your interest to deal with me, we will offer some genuine bargains in the above lines. Don't fail to inspect our line before making your purchases. E. N. HUNT, 190 Dundas street. ywt

G. F. Robertson's 650, Dundas street, is the place to get parlor games—Flips, Authors, Nations, Jack Straw, etc. School supplies a speciality. Just opened a fine line of wall paper from 5 cents up per roll. yvt

Housekeepers, Notice.

All good housekeepers will look to their furniture before the rush of house cleaning and have it repaired and varnished and made to look as good as new for a trifle. Drop a card or telephone. W. J. BRYANTON, 123 King street; telephone, 479. Goods sent for and returned. ywt

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LICENSE NOTICE.

ALL applications for liquor licenses in the licensed district of East Middlesex must be filed with the inspector on or before the 1st day of April.

Applications for licenses for premises or parties not now under license must be accompanied by a petition signed by the majority of electors for Legislative Assembly in polling sub-division in which the premises are situated; said petition must contain at least one-third of resident electors of said polling sub-division.

Blank forms can be obtained from the inspector at his office, Dorchester Station, or at his office in Market Lane, London, on Saturday, from 2 o'clock p.m. until 5 p.m.

JOHN DURAND,
Inspector for East Riding Middlesex.
Dorchester Station, March 13, 1891. 90c

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Haddo House, Aberdeen, Scotland, Dec. 1, 1890.

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AN ARMY PORTIA.

By Charles King, U. S. Army.

AUTHOR OF "THE COLONEL'S DAUGHTER," "THE DESERTER," "FROM THE RANKS," "DUNRAVEN RANCH," "TWO SOLDIERS," ETC.

All day long on guard the men had taken frequent occasion to declaim quotations from the Palladium, until by evening stables they had rung the changes on Welsh's excellent family connections, his American blood, his patriotic motives it enlisting, his ardor for the flag, and his fidelity to his oath, until he was ready to wish to heaven the Palladium had singled out anybody else to be the martyr for its preconcerted exposition of official tyranny in the army, and heartily sick of the part he had been induced to play.

But where, meantime, was Abrams? The day wore by, and not once had he come to the garrison, and Welsh, sulkily plodding up and down his muddy post by the stables, and knowing well that every time the men looked at him or nudged each other in the ribs they were guying him, had earnest desire to see his champion, and to prevent the publications of other letters they had projected, since the only effect, locally, of the assault upon the good name of his young officer was to bring down the indignation of the enlisted men upon himself. It only made him rage the more spitefully against Hearn, and he longed for an opportunity to vent his spleen.

When the devil is working in the human heart, opportunity is seldom lacking. The evening gun had thundered, the last notes of "retreat" had died away, and the sun, that had been obscured all morning, went down in a golden radiance, leaving a sheen of beautiful color lingering across the crest of the opposite bluffs and reflected in myriad millions of rain-drops still clinging here to the clumps of buffalo-grass. Tempted by the loveliness of the evening, Mrs. Lane had ordered out her carriage, and the moment the report had been made after retreat roll-call and Mr. Hearn was returning sadly to his own quarters, Lane headed him off:

"No. I'm going to take you away from Wallace and Martin to-night; I don't mean to let old Kenyon get his hands on you again. Mrs. Lane and Miss Marshall want you to drive with us an hour or so; then we'll come back and have a quiet little bite just among ourselves." And Hearn pressed the captain's hand and quietly thanked him.

Half a dozen of the guard were seated about the rough stone porch of the gloomy old guard-house as the carriage came rolling by, and at sight of the occupants they quickly laid aside their pipes and respectfully arose and raised their hands in salute. The sentry on No. 1, facing sharply to the front, brought his rifle to the carry with a snap that made the bayonet ring. The one man who remained seated and staring sulkily at the carriage wore the cavalry uniform; it was Welsh.

Both officers noticed the fact as they touched their caps in acknowledgment of the courtesy of the infantrymen, and exchanged significant glances. The ladies, too, were quick to note what had happened, and they, too, looked at each other and then somewhat anxiously at Hearn. But the carriage rolled along. The instant it had passed, Corporal Stein turned to Welsh. So did others of the guard.

"What do you mean by sitting there like that?" was the demand.

"I know my business," was the surly reply. "Just you 'tend to yours. You'd better study Tactics and Regulations before you try to learn me anything."

"Oh, do let the high-spirited scion of our finest families alone, corporal. Can't you see its turning his stomach to be civil to anybody?" protested a tall infantryman.

"Ah, let up, now, or Mr. Welsh nee Mulligan—that's what they called ye in the Twenty-Third—wasn't it Mulligan? Or was it Sullivan? Sure I know the family, and it's a foine one," protested Private Kelly, his blue eyes swinkling with fun.

Welsh sprang furiously to his feet, clinching his fist and making straight for the laughing little "dough-boy." That young Celt, though a head shorter than his dark antagonist, in no wise disconcerted, stood squarely facing him, and awaited the attack with a grin of genuine delight on his freckled face. Stein sprang forward, however, and interposed.

"No fighting here," he ordered. "Wait till you're off guard in the morning, and settle it then."

"Don't thwart the gentleman, corporal. Here comes his friend the police reporter," laughed the group of guarsmen. But the unusual chaff had summoned the officer of the guard to the spot, and at sight of the lieutenant every Irishman in the party assumed an instantaneous expression of preternatural innocence. Mr. Abrams, too, had reined up in front of the trader's store, a few yards away, and, noting the little knot of soldiers peering across the road, divined at once that something was going on, and so, with the instinct of his profession, hastened to the scene in time to catch a part of the colloquy that ensued.

"The corporal tells me the trouble grew out of your refusing to rise and salute when Captain Lane passed," said the officer of the guard, addressing the stalwart trooper.

Welsh glanced furtively over his shoulder until sure the Palladium man was in range of his voice, and then loudly replied—

"I'm a member of the guard, sir, and the Regulations forbid guards paying compliments of any kind after 'retreat,' and I can show you the paragraph."

"You know perfectly well, Welsh, that that applies to the guard collectively when under arms, and not to individual members. I want no hair-splitting here. See to it that you pay proper courtesy to every officer while you're under my command." And the lieutenant, a young infantryman, with decidely resolute face, looked squarely into the glowering black eyes of the trooper and then, turning quietly toward his little office, his eye lighted on the Palladium man. For an instant it looked as though he had something to say to him too; but, struck by a sudden thought, he passed in without another word, and presently the sergeant of the guard appeared in the door-way. There was evident purpose in his coming.

Half an hour later Welsh was standing some twenty yards away, engaged in a low-toned eager chat with his civilian friend. The faces of both men were clouded, and every little while the gypsy-looking soldier shot an angry glance toward the guard-house door. Presently they moved across the road and headed for the open bar at the trader's, wherein the lamps were just beginning to gleam. Before they reached its open portals, Corporal Stein was at their heels and his stern voice ordered Welsh to halt:

"Go back to the guard house, Welsh; it's against orders for a member of the guard to leave it, and you know it as well as I do."

"My relief don't go on post for two hours yet, and this gentleman has business with me; you'd better not interfere with him."

"The gentleman can see you over there. You can't see him here."

Already the sergeant was striding across the road; the lieutenant appeared at the door; a dozen members of the guard were eagerly watching the scene. Welsh half turned. Mr. Abrams bent and muttered a few words in his ear, but the soldier, after one glance around him, shook his head. Slowly and reluctantly he turned.

"I'll get even with you for this, Stein," he hissed. And then, with shrugging shoulders, the two objects of general interest—the civilian and the enlisted man—slouched back across the road, the eyes of all upon them.

It was as this instant that the rapid whirr of wheels and the click of iron-shod hoofs were heard upon the drive, and briskly the Lane carriage came around the turn. Lieutenant Lewis stepped out from the door-way. Again the sentry faced the road and carried arms; again the soldiers of the guard arose, and those about the trader's door, also, faced the road-way; again the white-gloved hands were raised in soldierly salute and one man only turned his back and slouched away. Every soldier within range saw that Welsh was determined to disobey the orders he had just received. In six giant leaps the sergeant had reached his side.

"Halt, Welsh, and face about," he thundered, and then, as the man still strove to edge away under the wing of his civilian accociate, laid a brawny hand upon the hulking shoulder and spun him about as he would a top.

"Heels together, now. Look square at Captain Lane. Now, then, left hand salute."

"Not badly done, sergeant," said Lieutenant Lewis, a moment after, as with kindling eyes he reached the spot just as the carriage had flashed by—"Finish what you have to say to your friend in fifteen minutes, Welsh and then report to me at the guard-room."—"Not badly done," he repeated, as he turned away with the tail infantryman by his side.

(To be Continued)

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General Lew Wallace, the author of "Ben Hur," says he can cure rheumatism in one night, without fail, by a poultice of mustard and garlic applied to the feet. If this is true, the other half of the world's population will now rise up—after the cure—and call General Wallace blessed.

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CORRECTED TO JAN. 1, 1891.

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LONDON TIME.

Canada Southern Division—Going East.

	Leave London	Leave St. Thomas.
North Shore Limited (daily)	8:30 p.m.	11:00 p.m
N. Y. Express (daily)	8:30 p.m.	3:05 a.m
American Express (except Monday)	9:50 a.m.	11:15 a.m
Atlantic Express (daily)	9:50 a.m.	1:50 p.m
Mail (except Sundays)	2:25 p.m.	3:15 p.m
Limited Express (daily)	8:30 p.m.	2:05 a.m
N. Y. and Boston Express (daily)	9:25 p.m.	5:05 p.m
Accom'd'n (except Sunday)	8:30 p.m.	7:00 a.m

Canada Southern Division—Going West.

North Shore Limited (daily)	8:30 p.m.	7:23 a.m
Chicago Express (daily)	5:30 p.m.	5:05 a.m
Chicago L'd'd Exp. (daily)	9:50 a.m.	10:55 a.m
American Express (except Mondays)	2:50 a.m.	1:35 p.m
Mail (except Sundays)	2:25 p.m.	3:10 p.m
Pacific Express (daily)	2:25 p.m.	5:45 p.m
Accom'd'n (except Sunday)	8:30 p.m.	7:40 a.m

[NOTE.—No trains to or from London on Sundays.]

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MAIN LINE—Going East

	ARRIVE.	DEPART
Limited Express (a)	4:15 a.m.	4:35 a.m
Mail	.....	6:00 a.m
Atlantic Express (a)	11:05 a.m.	11:30 a.m
Day Express	10:50 a.m.	2:20 p.m
St. Louis Express (a) (b)	4:20 p.m.	4:25 p.m
Mixed—No. 28 Freight (c)	5:45 p.m.	6:50 p.m
Erie Limited	11:20 p.m.	11:40 p.m

MAIN LINE—Going West.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Chicago Express (a)	5:10 a.m.	5:30 a.m
West End Mixed	.....	6:45 a.m
St. Louis Express (a)	11:20 a.m.	11:25 a.m
Erie Limited	12:05 p.m.	.....
Accommodation	12:45 p.m.	2:15 p.m
Pacific Express (a)	6:50 p.m.	7:10 p.m
Mail	9:45 p.m.	.....
Accommodation	.....	7:20 p.m

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Limited Express (b)	4:20 a.m.	.....
Atlantic Express (b)	11:25 a.m.	.....
Accommodation	2:15 p.m.	.....
Accommodation	8:45 p.m.	.....
Erie Limited (b)	11:35 p.m.	.....

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Chicago Express (b)	.....	5:20 a.m
Accommodation	.....	7:35 a.m
Erie Limited (b)	.....	12:10 p.m
Accommodation	.....	2:30 p.m
Pacific Express (b)	.....	7:00 p.m

London, Huron and Bruce.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Express	10:15 a.m.	8:05 a.m
Mail	6:45 p.m.	4:25 p.m

London and Port Stanley.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Mail	.....	6:40 a.m
Accommodation	7:20 a.m.	9:30 a.m
Mail	2:10 p.m.	2:50 p.m
Accommodation	5:35 p.m.	7:00 p.m
Mixed	6:50 p.m.	.....
Mail	11:15 p.m.	.....

St. Marys and Stratford Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Mixed—Mail	11:20 a.m.	7:35 a.m
Express	5:40 p.m.	2:15 p.m
Express—Mixed	9:20 p.m.	6:00 p.m

Toronto Branch.

Hamilton—Depart—							
a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.
7:50	9:15	10:50	12:25	4:10	5:30	7:00	9:25
Hamilton—Arrive—							
a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.
12:30	8:45	10:00	11:45	4:00	6:25	8:30	12:30

* These trains for Montreal.
† These trains from Montreal.
(a) Runs daily, Sundays included.
(b) Runs daily, Sundays included, but makes no intermediate stops on Sundays.
(c) No. 28 carries passengers between London and Paris.
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ERIE & HURON RAILWAY.

Trains South.

Stations.	Exp	Exp	Mix	Mix
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Sarnia (G. T. R.)	.....	6:10	7:40	.....
Courtright	.....	5:45	8:20	.....
M. C. R. Junction	.....	.....	8:22	.....
Chatham (C. P. R.) (arr	.....	7:45	10:35	3:20
Chatham (C. P. R.) (dep	7:45	.....	10:40	4:40
Fargo (M. C. R.)	8:10	.....	11:05	5:05
Blenheim	8:29	.....	11:20	5:35

Trains North.

Stations.	Exp	Exp	Mix
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Blenheim (dep	8:30	2:30	6:40
Fargo (M. C. R.)	8:43	2:45	5:53
Chatham (C. P. R.) (arr	9:08	3:30	6:20
Chatham (C. P. R.) (dep	9:13	4:40	.....
M. C. R. Junction	11:20	.....	.....
Courtright	11:25	7:05	.....
Sarnia (G. T. R.)	12:00	7:40	.....

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Going East.

DEPART—			
London	4:05 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	6:30 p.m
Woodstock	4:55 a.m.	8:50 a.m.	6:28 p.m
Galt	6:02 a.m.	9:50 a.m.	7:30 p.m
Guelph	6:20 a.m.	11:05 a.m.	8:40 p.m
Toronto	8:15 a.m.	12:00 noon	9:55 p.m
Peterboro	11:38 a.m.	.....	12:13 a.m
Kingston	.....	.....	.....
Ottawa	5:45 p.m.	.....	6:00 a.m
Montreal	7:55 p.m.	.....	8:10 a.m
Quebec	8:30 a.m.	.....	3:00 p.m
Portland, Me	9:30 a.m.	.....	8:35 p.m
Boston	8:10 a.m.	.....	8:50 p.m
Halifax, N. S	10:35 p.m.	.....	.....

Trains arrive from the east at 11:25 a.m., 6:55 p.m., 10:00 p.m.

Going West.

DEPART—			
London	8:15 a.m.	11:25 a.m.	7:00 p.m
ARRIVE—			
Chatham	11:15 a.m.	1:05 p.m.	8:50 p.m
Detroit	.....	2:55 p.m.	10:40 p.m
Chicago	.....	10:15 p.m.	7:20 a.m
St. Louis	.....	7:45 a.m.	6:15 p.m
Kansas City	.....	6:30 p.m.	9:20 a.m

Trains arrive from the west at 4:00 a.m., 12:15 noon, 5:25 p.m.

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THE WEATHER PROPHET.

TORONTO, Ont., March 16—11 p.m.—The pressure is highest to-night over the lake region, and comparatively low in the St. Lawrence Valley and in the Northwest States and Territories. Light snow falls or snow flurries have occurred generally from the Rocky Mountains to our Atlantic coast. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 26—46; Qu'Appelle, 6—24; Winnipeg, 18 below—14; Toronto, 15—33; Montreal, 14—34; Quebec, 14—34; Halifax, 18—34.
Local temperature—Highest, 24° above zero: lowest, 12°.

TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.

TORONTO, March 17—1 a.m.—The indications for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville) are: Moderate winds; fine; higher temperature.

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LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—Mr. Montague, of Elmwood avenue, South London, purposes removing to his farm in Westminster.

—Mr. Walter Adams, of Grey street, is improving rapidly from the effects of his recent accident. He expects to be around again in a week.

—Messrs. Leonard & Sons, of this city, have received a contract from the corporation of Windsor to supply an engine and boiler. The figures are $3,065.

—Rev. John Robbin, of Truro, N. S., well known in Western Ontario, preached both sermons in St. Andrew's Church Sunday. As a pulpit orator the reverend gentleman has few superiors.

—At the morning and evening services in the Queen's Avenue Methodist Church on Sunday prayer was offered by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Boyd, for the restoration to health of the Bishop of Huron.

—Of the six prisoners in the Police Court dock yesterday five were comparative youths, ranging in age from 15 to about 21 years. Three of the latter were arraigned for drunkenness and two for larceny.

—David W. Robb, the chief luminary of Christian Science in this city, has been conducting a class at Dorchester station. Its members are now pretty well learned in the doctrines of the faith and are taking the finishing course.

—Dr. Meek leaves next week for a six months' trip to Europe, and will combine study with pleasure. The greater part of the time he will spend in Lawson Tait's celebrated hospital at Birmingham, in the furtherance of surgical attainments.

—Sunday evening in one of the leading churches of the city two young women and two young men made themselves conspicuous in the choir by their giggling and whispering throughout the greater portion of the service, causing unfavorable comment. The conduct is not likely to be repeated.

—An immense congress of crows assembled at 6 a. m. yesterday in the grove on Dundas street, nearly opposite the defunct Globe works. The subject under discussion has not transpired, but the noise made by the black-coated disputants was about equivalent to that of half a dozen sawmills, and almost as musical.

—Gershaw Guymer was fined $1 yesterday morning by the police magistrate on a charge of being disorderly in front of the Pall Mall street S. A. barracks on Sunday week. P. C. Chalmers said there was a crowd of boys outside mocking the exercises of the army people within. Young Guymer denied raising any disturbance.

—The first semi-annual report of the Christ Church Guild has been presented to the members by Secretary Minhinnick. It shows for the guild satisfactory progress since its inception and promises much benefit to the church. At the inaugural meeting thirteen names were subscribed to the membership roll, which has since been swelled to 64. The balance in the treasury amounts to $32 58.

—A very interesting paper on the principals of nationalism was read by President Brent Sunday afternoon at the assembly meeting in Labor Hall. From the statistics given there appears to be a vast amount of wasted energy in carrying out the present system of industry. The third in the series of papers on evolution by Mr. Johnston will be given next Sunday afternoon, when it is hoped a large number will be present.

—A good example of the working of the gerrymander is shown by the results of the election in the four ridings of Middlesex. The vote polled for the Liberal candidates in these ridings amounted (without counting the vote for Mr. Brock) to 7,218. The vote polled for the four Government candidates was 7,161, so that the Liberals had a majority of 57. Yet the Government has 3 representatives from Middlesex and the Opposition only 1.

—The parents of John Gray, who died a couple of weeks ago, desire to acknowledge with thanks the donation of $33 subscribed by the firm for which he worked and his fellow employes for the benefit of the family, which has been bereft by the death of three of their children within a few months of each other. Mr. Gray was an industrious young man and well liked by all who knew him. There are others of the family who are seriously ill, and the parents have the sympathy of the community in their hour of trial.

—Sunday evening's services in Adelaide Street Baptist Church were of a memorial character, consequent upon the recent death of Miss Aggie McLeod, late organist and leader of the church choir. Pastor H. C. Speller preached an impressive sermon from the words: "Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints"—Psalm cxvi., 15. Appropriate music characterized the services, including the anthem, "Sleep Thy Last Sleep," which was sung by the choir with much feeling. The pulpit, organ and choir seats were draped in mourning for the occasion.

—A large congregation listened to a powerful sermon on missions, delivered in St. James Church, South London, Sunday night by the venerable Archdeacon Phair, of Rupert's Land, who is endeavoring to raise funds to establish churches in the far north. He selected his text from Romans, i, 16. There were 3,000 Indians in Rupert's Land, he said, spiritually starving and in utter darkness, and the only way to confer any benefit on them was to send out strong, active men to minister in their interests, and not give them preachers who were incapacitated both bodily and mentally for the hardships that must be endured. When the Indian was converted he in many cases was incomparably superior to the white man regarding the strict observance of the spiritual law, and many acts of devotion to duty he related were very forcible illustrations of this fact. The speaker's earnest remarks left the congregation many points upon which to think regarding the great work being accomplished by the Anglican Church in the far north mission field.

Charged with Stealing $184.

On Dec. 12 Mrs. John Smith went to a pertormance at the Opera House, leaving $184 in cash in a bureau drawer at the residence of Mrs. Webb, Thames street, whom she was attending during illness. When she returned the money was gone, and so was young Thomas Webb, who took a trip to the States. The police got wind of his return and arrested him Sunday. In the Police Court yesterday he pleaded not guilty to a charge of larceny and was remanded for a week.

A Youthful Offender Sentenced.

Charles Baker is only 15 years old, yet he has been before the police magistrate three times for larceny. The last offense occurred a couple of week ago, when he stole some boys' clothing from Wm. Stewart's house on Cartwright street. A silver watch and some cutlery also disappeared the same day, but they have not yet been recovered. The magistrate reminded the boy that twice before he had been released, but with no good results. His sentence was six months at Penetanguishene, and an indefinite period thereafter, not exceeding five years. If Charles behaves himself and shows signs of reform he will be given his liberty in half a year.

Not Exactly Wedded Bliss.

Pat Murtagh, the old man charged with brutally assaulting his wife on March 7, came up on remand at the Police Court yesterday. Mrs. Murtagh was conveyed to the court from the hospital, but owing to her weak condition she could not be carried upstairs to give evidence. P. C. Crawford told how he had visited the house on Hill street and found the woman lying on the floor, her head cut open and her hair matted with blood. Murtagh denies assaulting his wife. He says she struck him on the head, and as he warded her off his own gore bespattered her person. The magistrate decided to send the man to jail until his spouse is able to appear in court. The couple have been married only two years.

ELECTED.
A Handsome Majority.

Friends, voters and Canadians, lend me your ears. "The evil that men do lives after them. The little good will not soon be forgotten." To come from love of right, and home and country; come with the thousands that have already marked their ballots, and thus declared that in medicines there are no preferences, no favoritisms, and no choice, save that of merit; and the preparation by whatever names be it known, regardless flavor, odor or color, commends itself to the intelligent public only in proportion as it meets the requirements of the particular cases for which it is recommended; as for instance, a patient was suffering from pulmonary diseases of long duration and associated with general debility the most suitable preparation for his case would doubtless be an Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda. The late Mr. Harkness was in possession of an excellent formula containing the nutritive properties of these popular remedies in their fullest form, very pleasing to the taste and easily digested, and is highly recommended by the medical faculty. In addition to this he was possessed of many other valuable formulas, prominently among which are his Bronchial Syrup for coughs, colds and croup; Harkness' Kamphone, a specific for Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago, and all sprains, aches and pains, and all cases where a liniment is required Kamphone will be found to have superior merit. Then there is Harkness' Antibilious Pills, Harkness' Sarsaparilla, and very many other valuable preparations which our space will not admit of commenting upon here; but we must mention that invaluable preparation which has attained so much popularity, not less for the excellence of the formula nutritive and recuperative properties, than for the extravagant quantities contained in each bottle (24 ounces). We refer to the now famous Harkness' Beef, Iron and Wine, containing Liebig's Extract of Beef, citrate of iron and pure sherry wine. The impaired system and impoverished blood, whether caused by nervous debility or any disease whatever, needs something in the shape of a nutritive tonic to help nature to recuperate. Such a preparation is Harkness' Beef, Iron and Wine. Gently stimulating, nutritive and toning, it speedily overcomes exhaustion, fatigue, general weariness and debility. All the ingredients are simple and good, and in combination form a valuable restorative for convalescents. All the late Mr. Harkness' valuable formulas are the property of his successor, W. S. Bryers Barkwell, manufacturing chemist, under whose careful supervision they are compounded.

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