

## Optimistic Tories

Predict an Early Dissolution of Parliament

And Anticipate Their Own Return to Place and Power.

Radicals Anxious for Prompt Action Against the House of Lords.

Mr. Gladstone Coming Back to Hawarden Wednesday.

Lord Rosebery's First Ecclesiastical Nominee—Shadowing the M. P.s—A Move to Checkmate France and Belgium in Africa—Talk of Another Coal Miners' Strike.

LONDON, April 8.—The political situation has taken an unexpected turn, and the Conservatives confidently predict that Parliament will be dissolved within the present month. The Tories may be over-optimistic, but their prediction is by no means an extravagant one in view of the present aspect of things. The Liberals themselves admit that a crisis may be precipitated any day, and after their experience of Thursday they no longer attempt to conceal their appreciation of their precarious hold upon Parliament. Of course, any further defeat will involve the resignation of the Ministry, and the Opposition are looking forward with feelings of the utmost confidence to the next appeal to the country, which they believe will result in the return of a Conservative majority.

THURSDAY NIGHT'S SURPRISE.  
The normal Government majority of 36 was reduced on Thursday night to 24 through the absence of some of the Liberal members, who have recently been spending their time in Dublin quarreling among themselves and denouncing the Government's lukewarmness toward the home rule question. Three Liberals were also absent and not paired. This would not have rendered the position so critical, but the successive divisions taken in the House that night show that the Liberal whips cannot with any degree of certainty rely upon their own responding promptly, if at all, to their summons. From the 24 mentioned, the Government's majority dropped to 18 through absenteeism, then to 15, and was finally wiped out in the division on the East London Water Bill. The Liberals made a great outcry at this, but the Government's majority was not so nearly reached as the point of revolt that the Government is extremely unwilling to take the risk of seeking a majority on Mr. James Henry Daziel's motion to abolish the veto power of the House of Lords. Fearing to test the sense of the House on the question the Government have practically wiped out Mr. Daziel's motion by the appropriation of the day set for it, consideration of discussion of the private members' bills and Government business. This change of the programme will be made on motion of Mr. John Morley.

ACTION AGAINST THE LORDS.  
A very large majority of the Liberal members are eager for immediate action against the House of Lords and earnestly desire to obtain an expressive opinion on the subject on the part of such as will support the Government, but the Ministers are not so eager. Just now they are anxious for delay, and will make every effort to secure it. Last evening Sir William Harcourt and Mr. John Morley were very active in canvassing the House in this matter and endeavoring by private conversations to induce the irrecconcilable Radical members to submit to the waiting policy of the Government and acquiesce in the shunting of Mr. Daziel's motion until some more opportune time. Instead of meeting with any success in their campaign Messrs. Harcourt and Morley were met on all sides with the Radical ultimatum that time must be given to the anti-Lords motion and given in the very near future, too.

THE TORIES ON THE QUI VIVE.  
The Conservatives are watching their chances in the detection of the Radicals—a chance which they believe will not be long delayed. Their whips are active, energetic and untiring. The normal Conservative voting strength in the House has been considerably augmented by the attendance of members who are seldom seen in their seats, and besides this a full force of Unionists is on hand ready to assist in snatching victory from the Liberals on any division that may

the insinuations of Mr. O'Donnell are absolutely false. The anti-Parnellites do not draw a single penny from the purse of the Liberal party. It is possible, however, that some, or all of them, may receive assistance in carrying out their fight at a general election, but otherwise not one of them is a beneficiary of the Liberal fund. It is a matter well known to those who have had an opportunity to learn the facts that both the Parnellites and McCarthyites have absolutely clean personal and party records as regards their relations with the English parties, and no member of either of the English parties would dream of asserting otherwise.

MR. GLADSTONE'S CONDITION.  
Mr. Gladstone will return to Hawarden on April 11. The catarrh on his eye has so far advanced toward the condition necessary for surgical treatment that the operation on it will probably be performed in May. Dr. Nettleship, the celebrated ophthalmist, will visit him at Hawarden twice a week.

Lord Rosebery's first ecclesiastical nominee, the Rev. T. W. Leigh, who has just been designated Dean of Hereford, is well-known in religious and temperance circles at home and abroad. He was associated with the co-operative movement in temperance work and Christian Socialism, and was a personal friend of the late Rev. Charles Spurgeon. He passed four years on a plantation owned by his wife in Georgia, and spent the most of his time while there in endeavoring to evangelize the negroes. Lord Rosebery paid a visit to Mr. Leigh in Georgia during the Premier's visit to the United States some years ago.

THE PREMIER'S CANDIDATE FOR THE DERBY.  
Lord Rosebery's bay filly Ladas stands in an excellent position in the forecasts of the Derby, and his bay filly Orle is a candidate for victory in the Thousand and the Oaks and is heavily backed. His lordship's chestnut colt Ravelston, also entered in the Derby, has recently lost favor. Ladas is a favorite with many, and if she should win the Derby it would greatly enhance the Premier's popularity.

The Social Purity Association is reported to be engaged in shadowing nightly the movements of a number of prominent members of the House of Commons, Conservative and other distinguished personages, and their detectives have been instructed to keep a minute record of everything they discover bearing on the morals of the persons shadowed. This information is being gathered with a view to its use in the next general election. A minor society paper, *Reactions*, Lord Rosebery has recently taken a midnight saunter through the remote quarters of Islington and Camberwell, whither he had gone to study the social undercurrents.

TO CHECKMATE FRANCE AND BELGIUM.  
An English African expedition is to be undertaken with a view of checkmating the designs of France and Belgium, who are aiming to obtain access to the Upper Nile. The English expedition is also aiming at Upper Nile and will reach the objective point before any expedition from Uganda can get there. It is likely that before Commander Montell's expedition starts from Uganda, in May, the whole of Unyoro and Emin's province will have been brought into the British sphere. The expedition will start from London, north of the equatorial province, and Colonel Colville, its commander, has been given the very widest scope of action.

ANOTHER STRIKE IMPENDING.  
A renewal of the coal miners' strike is impending. The representatives of the miners on the conciliation board resent the action of President Shandis in giving his casting vote against the demands of the men, fixing the minimum rate of wages, regulating the selling prices and permitting them to inquire into profits of owners. For this action Mr. Shandis is denounced as an aristocrat, humbug, tool, etc. The consensus of public opinion is that as the miners accepted the proposal to settle their grievances by arbitration, they ought to abide by the decision of the arbitrators.

"IF I SHOULD DIE TO-NIGHT."

Ben King, Poet and Humorist, Found Dead in Bed After Reciting His Poem Thus Entitled.

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., April 9.—The clerk of the Moorhead House found Ben King, the Michigan poet and humorist, dead in bed Saturday morning.

King appeared at the opera house last night with Opie Read, and retired apparently in the best of health. Death is supposed to have been caused by heart disease. King's joviality last night was even more marked than usual. There was an immense audience to hear him and Read, and the former never appeared to greater advantage, quite captivating his hearers. Friday night at the supper given by the local press to Read and King, one of the party remarked that there were just thirteen at the table. Mr. King, professedly very much excited, but evidently in jest, jumped up and declared that he would not again seat himself until another guest was provided and the unlucky number broken. Another singular coincidence is found in the fact that on the same occasion he recited his poem entitled "If I Should Die To-Night."

Revolutionary Plot in Cuba.

NEW YORK, April 8.—The steamer *Cienfuegos*, from Cienfuegos, brings intelligence of the discovery of a revolutionary plot in Cuba.

Got Twenty-Eight Years.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 8.—Rev. Clement W. Lewis was yesterday sentenced to 28 years in the penitentiary on fourteen indictments charging him with wholesale pension frauds.

A Japanese Horror.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—The steamship *Belgie* brings news from Japan up to March 24. The Shinrei colliery at Kurategun caught fire while 755 men were in it, and 80 were burned to death.

Windows Broken by Hailstones.

EMPORIA, Kan., April 9.—A fall of the largest hailstones ever witnessed in this part of the State occurred Sunday afternoon about 4 o'clock. The streets were white with hail, and though there was not much wind many windows were broken, and it is thought much damage to the fruit crop was done.

THE TURF.

THE NOTTINGHAM HANDICAP.

LONDON, April 9.—The Nottingham spring handicap stakes of 1,000 sovereigns for 3-year-olds and upwards, a straight mile, was won by Mr. Daniel Cooper's Javelin (5 years). Mr. A. D. Cochran's Egerton (4 years) was second, and Sir J. Bundell Maple's Macerandy (5 years) was third.

## Under the Lion's Paw.

Great Britain Will Not Relinquish Uganda.

German Steamship Agents Decide to Raise Passenger Rates.

Interesting Figures From the British Board of Trade Returns.

Will Hold Uganda.

LONDON, April 8.—Cable advices from Zanzibar indicate that Great Britain has decided to retain Uganda.

Killed by an Elephant.  
ROME, April 8.—Dispatches from Zanzibar announce that Prince Eugene Ruspoli, son of the mayor of Rome, while on an exploring expedition on Dec. 4 last, was killed by an elephant.

British Board of Trade Returns.

LONDON, April 8.—The Board of Trade returns for March show that the imports increased £1,280,000 and exports decreased £1,330,000 as compared with those for the corresponding month of 1893.

Raising Steamer Rates.

BREMEN, April 8.—The conference of steamship agents in this city resolved to increase the charges for cabin and steerage passengers to America, the increase to go into effect May 1. The question of pooling receipts has not yet been decided.

One of the Favored.

LONDON, April 8.—In the House of Commons Sir Edward Gray, Parliamentary Secretary to the Foreign Office, declared that British merchants were entitled to the advantages of the Russo-German commercial treaty under the most favored nation clause.

The Recovery of Silver Values.

LONDON, April 8.—The Statist, reviewing the history of the silver market for the last six years, expresses the opinion that the recovery of silver from the recent decline, which was due to a panic, is inevitable if the Indian mints are reopened. The price may reach as high as 50, but extent of rise will depend upon whether India buys as extensively as before.

Discount Rates.

LONDON, April 8.—The rate of discount last week was 1 both for 3 months and 30 days. Gold flowed in steadily and there was no sign of any demand for export. The rise of the silver price ceased. The consensus of opinion is that American sales are likely to depress the market. The Stock Exchange was unsettled, although there was a firm undertone. Consols rose 1/4. American securities were firm and there was considerable trading in them.

Laying a New Cable.

LONDON, April 8.—Messrs. Siemens Bros. & Co. have manufactured 1,600 out of the 2,200 miles of the Commercial Cable Company's third cable. The Faraday sails from London on Wednesday with 500 miles of the first section on board. The principal portion of this is of a very heavy type, and is to be laid from Canzo to near the Newfoundland banks, where it will be buoyed. If the weather should be favorable and nothing unforeseen occurs, the Faraday will return then to England and take on board the second or deep sea section between June 1 and 10, and it is expected the cable will be completed July 1.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

At the cathedral at Baltimore Sunday morning, Rev. P. J. Donahue was consecrated Bishop of Wheeling.

The greatest gold strike of the year at Cripple Creek, Col., is reported in the *Caledonia*. The vein is eight feet wide. The lowest assay shows \$90 to the ton. A half-ton assayed at \$400 to the ton.

A tenebrous at Memphis, Tenn., collapsed Sunday. Twenty-two people were known to be in it at the time. Six escaped without serious injury, four were taken out dead, five wounded and the rest are missing.

Alexander Watson is being conducted back from Denver, Col., to Grand Rapids, Mich., by a detective. Watson is known to have at least five wives. No. 1 lives in Grand Rapids, Mich., where she was discovered by Nos. 2 and 3. They discovered that in 1892, Watson had married Mary Corrie of Hammond, Ind., and as soon as he had obtained her money he decamped and married a 17-year-old Chicago girl. Watson is about 40 years of age.

CANADIAN.

A blinding snow storm is raging in Prince Edward Island.

K. L. Rayler, a printer, was asphyxiated Sunday night at Baltimore. He was a native of Quebec, 27 years old.

At Plantagenet, Ont., Sunday, Garfield Allen, aged 9, son of Albert Allen, of the woolen mills of that place, while crossing the bridge on his way from Sunday school, fell into the river and was drowned.

Three little children of George H. Townsend, Guelph, were poisoned Saturday evening by chewing the colored paper attached to a writing pad. Antidotes were given them, but they are still very ill.

Montreal shipping men expect to see a very large export of Canadian horses this season. Already a contract for the buying of 4,000 has been given by the Glasgow Tramway Company, whose representatives are now up west.

About two years ago Mrs. Wm. Fowler, of Brighton township, while eating a "boiled dinner," swallowed a hard substance which has since given her a great deal of trouble. She has had severe fits of coughing. During one of these paroxysms she coughed up a bone in the shape of a crescent, which measured one inch in length and three-eighths of an inch in breadth and thickness.

Labor Notes.

HAMILTON, April 9.—The 300 rolling mill employees who went out on strike last week against a reduced scale of wages returned to work this morning. At a conference held Saturday between the strikers, President Doolittle and Manager Wilcox, a compromise was suggested by the officers of the company whereby the reduced scale was modified in the men's favor.

He—And would you marry a poor poet? She—I don't see how I could marry a rich one.

## A Notable Discovery.

A Precious Collection in One of the Pyramids of Egypt.

York Is Business-Like—A Royal "Horder"—The Belgian Mystery—Doctors Wanted in Russia.

LONDON, April 9.—An important discovery has just been made by M. de Morgan, director-general of the "Service des Antiquites Egyptiennes," in connection with the pyramid of Dashour.

Relying on a passage in Herodotus, M. de Morgan devoted all his energies to the study of this pyramid, which is situated at a distance of 36 kilometers from Cairo. It has been the object of various searches, but none of them has produced results which can be compared with the discovery of M. de Morgan. The inscriptions state that this is the treasure of the Princess Ousertesen II. and Ousertesen III. It consists of thirteen funerary chambers, the mummies of which have not yet been moved; of a breastplate in massive gold bearing the cartouche of Ousertesen II., the hieroglyphics of which are made of cornelian, lapis-lazuli and turquoise; a collection of small gold bivalve shells, with which the Egyptians loved to adorn themselves; of bracelets in gold set with stones, a scarabaeus in amethyst, a tiger's paw in gold, a lotus ornamented with stones, a lion couchant after the fashion of the sphinx, a gold and silver mirror, some pins, a considerable quantity of pearls, amethysts and other precious stones.

These treasures have been for the last few days on exhibition at the museum at Ghiseh. M. de Morgan has at present only explored the north part of the pyramid of Dashour; the south part is still intact. He expects to find in the latter the royal chamber, where he will no doubt discover still more extensive treasures.

The Future King.

The Duke of York has been attending public luncheons and opening public buildings this week. The work is considered an indispensable part of the training of the heir to the British throne, and for years has pressed heavily upon the Prince of Wales. The young prince shows considerable aptitude for this business. If he feels bored his face does not betray his feelings with the exasperating plainness which was the characteristic of his dead brother, the Duke of Clarence, and he makes his little speeches in a clear voice without a trace of German accent, which is something for Englishmen to be devoutly thankful for.

Leopold Takes a Header.

The King of Belgium is an enthusiastic cyclist, but now proposes to abandon the bicycle for the safer tricycle. His Majesty took a terrific header in the palace grounds Wednesday, and if he had not landed in a rhododendron bush, which broke the fall, would have been badly injured. His bicycle was smashed. A tricycle is being built for him to be worked by electricity.

The Belgian Insurance Mystery.

The great Belgian insurance mystery, which was described a week ago, is developing slowly. The references to the case in many journals have become so pointed that the accused woman published a denial of the charges that she murdered several relatives in order to obtain their insurance. Fresh facts which have transpired regarding her recent and other deaths in her house confirm the public belief in her guilt. The judicial inquiry is said to be nearly completed and a full revelation will then be made.

Wanted in Russia—Doctors.

Complaint comes from Russia of a lack of physicians throughout the empire. The number of medical men is only one in 6,000 for the entire population. These are mostly in large cities, and the village population has only one in 30,000, while the remote provinces have only one doctor to 120,000 people.

New Medical Theory.

Pro. Horsley, who is the chief defender of vivisection in England, delivered a remarkable lecture in the Royal Institution recently, which he illustrated by daring experiments with a rifle fired at animal tissue. The most important point he attempted to show was that death from gunshot wounds in the brain is due not to a stoppage of the heart's action, as given by the text books, but to the arrest of respiration. The first aid to the wounded should, therefore, take the form of artificial respiration. The experiments were remarkably successful, and proved the professor a good shot as well as a brilliant physiologist.

—Mr. Adam Brown, postmaster of Hamilton, and famous as a lecturer, will speak on Jamaica to-morrow night at Victoria Hall. In connection with a really interesting lecture there will be shown by electric lantern 150 views of Jamaica supplied by "Jamaica" Johnston and another Scotch photographer. Many of these views are colored, and all are very pretty. Mr. Brown's large experience with the subject of his address renders him peculiarly fitted to handle his topic. Life in Jamaica in every form will be shown on the canvas, and the grand scenery and the magnificent views for which the island is noted cannot fail to draw a crowd.

Faulkner's Remains Interred.

The remains of Alex. Faulkner, the second victim of the Grand Trunk wreck on Friday, were interred at Mount Pleasant this morning. The funeral took place from the residence of deceased's mother on Queen's avenue near Elizabeth street, and was very largely attended. A profusion of floral tributes testified to the esteem in which Mr. Faulkner was held by his neighbors and fellow workmen. The Machinists' Union walked in front of the hearse as a mark of respect. A great many relatives of the dead man were present from a distance. The services were conducted by Elder Wm. Corbett, of the Church of the Latter Day Saints, of which Mr. Faulkner was a member. Mr. George Eli, who was riding with the two men at the time of the accident, was one of the pall-bearers. The others were Thomas Hawthorne, James Thatcher, Wm. Fligg, Wm. A. Lardey and Samuel Pope.

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Interesting Reminiscences—The Church  
in Early Days—The Early Ministers of  
St. Paul's—Special Musical Services—  
Sermon by Principal Miller, city, and  
Bishop Sweetman, of Toronto.

The chimes of new St. Paul's rang out  
a merry and cheery welcome in the bright,  
clear air of yesterday morning to the vast  
throng who were crowding to participate  
in the main service of praise on the  
restoration of the cathedral. Scarcely had  
the bells stopped pealing when, led by the  
sweet-voiced choir of 70 voices, a congrega-  
tion of nearly 2,000 people joined  
heartily in the words:

We love the place, O God,  
We love the place, O God,  
We love the place, O God,

And so St. Paul's was reopened. It was  
impossible to get near the doors at church  
time in the morning, and hundreds were  
content to stand in the aisles inside,  
while the hallway leading into the  
synod hall held quite a small congregation.  
The scene was repeated in the afternoon  
and at night many were present before the  
verge opened the doors. At 6:30 the tide  
had turned, and hundreds upon hundreds  
turned away, finding it impossible even to  
get in. Pretty as the edifice looks from the  
interior in daylight with the sun streaming  
through the cathedral windows, it is none  
the less pretty when viewed from the outside  
after dark, with the vast incandescent glow  
illuminating the place and showing up in  
bold relief every inch of the 4,000 feet of  
colored glass contained in the building.

The clergyman present were: Right Rev.  
M. S. Baldwin, D.D., Bishop of Huron;  
Right Rev. Lord Bishop Sweetman, Tor-  
onto; Dean Innes, Canon J. B. Richardson,  
Canon W. P. Smith, Canon Davis,  
city; Canon W. A. Young, Simcoe; Princi-  
pal Miller, Huron College; Prof. Andras,  
Huron College; Rev. J. O. Crisp, curate;  
Rev. J. F. Cullen, St. Andrew's; Rev.  
Jacobus, Sarnia; Rev. R. Hicks, Simcoe  
(formerly curate at St. Paul's), and Rev.  
W. E. Scott, Ridgeway.

The service was divided among the  
visiting clergy, and the sermon was  
preached by the Bishop of Huron, who  
chose as his text, II. Timothy, ii.,  
"God standeth sure, having this seal; the  
Lord knoweth them that are his. And let  
everyone that nameth the name of Christ  
depart from iniquity."

HISTORICAL RESUME.

The bishop, in beginning, referred to  
London's early history, beginning at the  
time when Gov. Simcoe first explored this  
section in 1793. In part, he said: "In  
1812 war broke out between England and  
the United States, which further retarded  
progress and helped still more to put back  
settlement and immigration. From a  
book published in 1836 we learn that the  
township of London was settled in 1818,  
and the town was laid out in 1826 by the  
crown. The first house built in this place  
was in the fall of 1827. Turning now to  
that which most deeply interests us on the  
present occasion, the history of our own  
church, I might say that the first clergy-  
man who ever ministered to the mem-  
bers of the Church of England in this  
locality was the Rev. E. N. Bosworth,  
who, as far back as 1829, was located here,  
and serving the few and scattered members of the flock.  
The remains of his widow are buried in  
St. Paul's Churchyard. In 1832 the Rev.  
Benjamin Cronyn arrived on his way to  
Adelaide, to which he had been appointed  
by the then governor. After holding ser-  
vices here on the Sunday, a deputation  
from the congregation waited on him,  
begging him to remain with them as their  
clergyman, for they were at the time  
utterly without any spiritual guide. Con-  
senting to this, he first conducted services  
in an old frame school house upon the  
court house square. In 1835 it was found  
necessary to erect a more commodious  
building, and upon the site of the  
present church a frame church  
was erected, facing towards the  
south. It is thus described in a book  
published in 1836: 'The Episcopal  
Church, if we except the spire, which is  
disproportionate to the size of the tower, is  
one of the finest, and certainly one of the  
nearest churches in the Province.' It was  
destroyed by fire on Ash Wednesday, 1844.  
In 1838 this parish and that of St. Johns,  
London township, were created rectories,  
and Mr. Cronyn was appointed rector of  
them both by a patent from the crown.  
St. John's, London township, he resigned in  
1842, and that of St. Paul's in 1866. The  
foundation stone of the present building  
was laid with great ceremony—the military  
turning out in force and firing a  
salute of 24 guns—by the Rev.  
John Strong, bishop of Toronto, on  
St. John the Baptist Day, June 24, 1845.  
The architect employed was Mr. Thomas  
of Toronto. The material—that is, the  
brickwork—was made and burned on the  
ground where the old frame church had  
stood. The edifice was completed and  
opened for divine service in 1846. On July  
8, 1857, in this church the first Episcopal  
election in Canada took place, when Dr.  
Cronyn was elected Bishop of Huron and  
proceeded to England for consecration by  
the Archbishop of Canterbury. He re-  
ceived the Queen's patent creating the  
Diocese of Huron and appointing him bishop  
thereof—probably the last patent ever issued  
directly by the Crown of Great Britain to  
a colony possessing responsible govern-  
ment. On the resignation of the rector of  
St. Paul's by the bishop in 1866 the Very  
Rev. Dean Helmuth was appointed to the  
vacant position. During his administration  
the old church was pulled down and a new  
one built. The organ was removed from  
the galleries and placed in the chancel and  
Bishop Cronyn Hall, so long used for  
diocesan and parochial purposes erected in  
its present position. On July 19, 1871, the  
Very Rev. Dean Helmuth was elected in  
this church coadjutor Bishop of Huron  
with the title Bishop of Northey. On the  
death of Bishop Cronyn, Sept. 2, 1871, Bishop  
Helmuth resigned the rectory of St. Paul's,  
and in October of the same year was  
the present esteemed rector, George  
Mignon Innes, was appointed by the bishop  
to fill his place. It only remains to say  
that St. Paul's Church was consecrated as  
being free from debt on the 12th of  
November, 1884, by the late Ven. Arch-  
deacon Sandys, the sentence of consecration  
being read by the present chancellor, Mr.  
V. Cronyn.

"Before concluding this brief outline of  
the history of this parish I cannot but re-  
fer to the eminent services rendered to it  
by its first rector, George Benjamin  
Cronyn, the first bishop of this important  
diocese. It was with the blessing of God  
on his faithful labors that this parish  
during a long pastorate of 34 years was  
built up and made to occupy the prominent  
position that it does to-day. Earnest and

outspoken for the true interest in Christ, it  
was his continual joy and delight to preach  
the great reformation doctrine of justified  
faith alone, most justly counting  
this to be the grand foundation of the  
church on which the whole superstructure  
was hereafter to be built. Able, calm and  
definite was his exposition of the Gospel.  
The benefits of his noble testimony remain  
as a permanent blessing to the church to-  
day."

The anthems sung at each service were  
fitting to the occasion, and rendered in a  
manner that reflected great credit on every  
individual member, and especially Mr.  
George B. Sippi, F.S.Sc., the organist and  
choir master.

At the Litany service in the afternoon  
the sermon was preached by Principal  
Miller, of Huron College. In the evening  
the Lord Bishop of Toronto delivered the  
sermon, taking his text from the singularly  
appropriate lines: "The glory of the latter  
house shall be greater than the former,  
saith the Lord of Hosts"—Haggai, ii., 9.  
The address was thoughtful and scholarly,  
and in it the preacher referred to the  
splendor of the new building compared  
with old St. Paul's, with which he was at  
one time connected. His close and per-  
sonal association with the church, and the  
memories of many hallowed associations  
when he used to worship and mingle with  
the members. He wanted the congregation  
to shun modern innovations and take  
pattern by the grand old cathedrals of  
England, and in ritual and music to be  
like them. The Bishop of Huron received  
a kindly worded acknowledgment of both  
from the gifted speaker and Dean Innes  
was also feelingly referred to and his merits  
extolled.

## DISASTER AT PETERSEURG.

Fifteen Men Killed by a Powder  
Explosion,

And Half as Many More Terribly  
Injured.

PETERSEURG, Va., April 8.—Fully fifteen  
men were killed and half as many more  
wounded by an explosion of powder in the  
fireworks factory of Messrs. Bland Bros.,  
city, yesterday afternoon, a few minutes  
before 3 o'clock. Just prior to the ex-  
plosion Mr. Charles N. Romain, the senior  
member of the firm, Mr. John Bland, the  
senior member of the tobacco manufactur-  
ing firm of Bland Bros. & Wright; Capt.  
James Tash, a prominent citizen, and  
Chas. Bland, of the firm of Bland Bros.,  
were engaged in conversation in the office  
of the fireworks concern. Fire was dis-  
covered in an outbuilding and these gentle-  
men went to the assistance of the em-  
ployees and tried to extinguish it by throw-  
ing buckets of water on it.

An alarm had been turned in and just as  
Chief Engineer Farley, of the fire depart-  
ment, drove into the yard, the explosion  
occurred. Messrs. John Bland and Charles  
Romain were killed instantly and their  
bodies horribly mangled. Both were mem-  
bers of the city council. Chief Engineer  
Farley was fatally injured and died in two  
hours. Capt. Tash's body was burned al-  
most beyond recognition. The other dead  
were: Robert Roland, James Roland, James  
Parker, William Tyler, John T. Harris,  
Red Graves and five others not identified.  
Among the wounded are Charles Shier,  
John Wells and several Italians who will  
probably die. The loss by fire will reach  
\$100,000.

The fire started in the building about 5  
o'clock. An alarm was turned in, and soon  
afterward followed by a loud explosion.  
About fifteen minutes thereafter there was  
a second explosion. These explosions were  
distinctly heard for over a mile. The ex-  
plosion in the fireworks factory of C. N.  
Romain & Bro., where powder for whistle  
bombs was made. The flames were  
quickly communicated to the other build-  
ings used for the manufacture of fireworks,  
and there were frequent small explosions.  
It was reported that there was a large  
quantity of powder stored—exactly where,  
no one appears to know—in these  
buildings, and kept the crowd from  
venturing too near the fire. On the  
opposite side of the street from the fire-  
works building, all of which were frame  
structures, was the trunk factory of Messrs.  
Bland Bros., and close by were the large  
brick tobacco factory of Bland Bros. &  
Wright and the old whisky distillery now  
unused. All these buildings, with stock  
and machinery, were burned to the ground,  
as also a large quantity of lumber. There  
were three explosions. The first was a  
small affair. As soon as it occurred Messrs.  
Romain, Bland and Tash rushed into the  
drying room and there the second and  
fatal explosion occurred, and they were  
killed. A number of girls employed in the  
fireworks factory escaped just before the  
second explosion.

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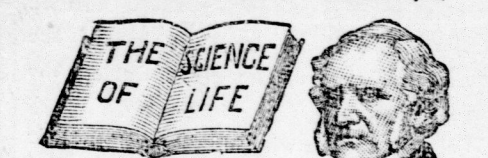
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## WESTERN ONTARIO.

BRUCE.  
Eisnor is likely to have prohibition  
without an enactment, its only hotel-keeper  
giving up the business.

London Bros., of Kincardine, are to build  
a \$3,500 bridge over the Saugeen at Han-  
over.

The total assessment of Chesley is \$354.  
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The W. C. T. U. of Listowel is asking the  
enforcement of the curfew bylaw.

The North Bruce spring fair will be held  
in the agricultural grounds, Port Egin, on  
Friday, April 13.

ESSEX.  
The petition of Western Ontario fisher-  
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have now, and all they expect to have.  
—[EDWARD EVERETT HALE.]

London, Monday, April 9.

THE LONDON ADVERTISER, with its morning and evening editions, covers the ground. With one exception, it is the ONLY EARLY MORNING DAILY IN ONTARIO, outside of Toronto.

—Only those communications to which the writers are willing to have their names appended in print will be published in these columns. Neither the writing nor the publication of anonymous letters can be justified.

—New fodder cheese is selling in Eastern Ontario at 10½ to 11 cents. It is expected that the export business will begin in about a month.

—Mr. Andrew Laidlaw has been enterprising enough to turn his newspaper, the *First Reformer*, into a daily journal. The first number is bright and new, and gives evidence that the *Daily Reformer* has come to stay.

—Every Canadian product is low priced in the world market just now. They take what we have to sell if we supply cheaply enough, but not otherwise. Why should we impose heavy taxes for the benefit of a few upon the products we must receive in exchange?

—After the debate on the tariff juggle has been completed to-morrow night, or early Wednesday morning, the Finance Minister will proceed to revise the revision. He is plainly told by the organs of the "Protectionists" that in so far as he has made any changes that affects them he must be prepared to crawl down the tree.

—The debt of the Dominion increases. According to the official returns, the total net debt of the country on 31st of March last was \$240,189,793, against \$237,613,602 at the same date last year. In 1878, when the Mackenzie Government went out of power, the total debt was \$140,362,069, which, despite the greatly increased taxes paid every year, has since been increased by \$100,000,000.

—The oil duties are still being canvassed in the Dominion Parliament. Mr. Davies, of Prince Edward Island, on Friday night produced an actual invoice of a cargo of kerosene oil imported into St. John, N. B., recently, and valued at \$2,785, on which a duty of \$4,972 was paid. It is probable that when the tariff is considered in committee a determined attempt will be made to secure a reduction of these duties. Invoices like those produced are hard nuts for the "protectionists" to crack.

—Under the new Dominion Insolvency Bill which is now before Parliament it is provided that farmers can avail themselves of its provisions. In their case, however, recourse to the law must be voluntary, and no demand for assignment can be made upon them. This is a following out of the English act. It is recognized that if the creditors of a farmer had the right to compel him to assign at will serious results might ensue, especially if the interference took place during a time when the crops required immediate attention.

—The Bishop of Manchester frankly acknowledges that the labor problem is preeminently the question of the day. This is his apology for discussing the question of the "living wage." He accepts the claim that wages should be determined by the wants of the worker and holds that this view is sustained by Christian principles. "What the workers really mean by a living wage," comments the *London Chronicle* on this declaration, "is the living principle that wages shall govern contracts and not contracts wages." It was for this principle that the English miners struggled so bravely through the recent lockout. Governments and municipal corporations could well set an example to private individuals when giving out work by contract, so long as that system prevails.

## FARMERS' TARIFF.

[Toronto News.]

It has been asserted that the amended tariff is in the interest of the farmers. This assertion Col. O'Brien (Conservative) undertook to disprove in the Commons yesterday, and most thoroughly did he accomplish his task.

The member for Muskoka showed that the new duties on reapers, mowers and drain tiles are 20 per cent; on wagons, 25 per cent; on threshing machines, harness, nails and pumps 30 per cent; on horse blankets, 32½ per cent; on axes, scythes, spades and shovels, 35 per cent.

These facts are a sledge-hammer blow to the theory that the new scale of taxation has been designed for the special benefit of those engaged in tilling the soil.

## THE CAT OUT OF THE BAG.

While in some parts of the Province the anti-Mowat missionaries are preaching that they have no sympathy with the men that they assisted to send to the House of Commons in Ottawa, and refuse to be in any sense responsible for their misdeeds, Mr. Marter, who is Mr. Meredith's new lieutenant, is less inclined to conceal the facts. While in Lambton recently, the man who is now out with Muskoka, and is roaming the Province in search of a seat, was candid enough to remark that "if the Conservatives had control of the Province they could greatly assist their friends in the Dominion House." This bold bid for a unity of forces will no doubt put independent electors on their guard. Such a combination has been tried before, and came nearly being successful at a time when the Brawling Brood of Bribers attempted to purchase with Dominion bills a majority in the Legislature. Their object then was, as now, the control and expenditure of the Ontario surplus, the seizure of Ontario's rich resources. The assistance these "Dominion House" friends looked for, and would get, is the right to manage Ontario's mineral, timber and other resources as they have managed those of the Dominion. Is it not notorious that at Ottawa the first care of the men in power is to help "friends" by granting them public property, practically at their own terms, whereas the rule of Sir Oliver Mowat and his Ministers is to dispose of no public property except by public tender. The contemplated grab game which Mr. Marter foreshadows would cost the Ontario taxpayers a pretty penny. Surely they have too vivid a recollection of the Rykert, Langevin, McGreevy, Connolly, Caron and other rascalities to for one moment place themselves in the power of the associates of these men.

## BACK TO THE LAND.

British land owners are beginning to look more to the masses than to the classes for relief from the unprofitable holding of large farms. While foreign was impaired the producing capacity of their rivals, the British landlords took little stock in the small farmer class. They added farm to farm, and squeezed out the crofter with a relentlessness that caused much hardship at the time, though to this treatment Canada and other new countries owe many of their most energetic and successful pioneers. But for the amalgamating of the small farms, and the driving away of those whose ancestors had brought the soil into subjection, Canada would have been deprived of thousands of her best settlers. At this late day, when war rents are no longer possible, when good tenants for large farms no longer tumble over one another to pay the landlord his price, the landowners appear to realize their mistake. They are now as ready to cut up and sell out in small lots as they were to accumulate and amalgamate 40 or 50 years ago. Lord Ashburton will offer 8,000 acres in lots to suit tenants who desire to become freeholders and to pay for the land in lieu of rent; the Duke of Marlborough has followed suit; and the Earl of Westmorland has put the celebrated Apethorpe estate in Northampton on the market, "either as a whole or in lots to meet the convenience of purchasers." Under the altered conditions it may not be so difficult an operation to get the people back on the land as some imagine.

## THE TWO VOTERS' LISTS.

Everyone outside the small circle of violent anti-Mowat partisans looks upon the new Ontario manhood suffrage registration law as a most important, useful, time and money saving agency. We have always held that it was undesirable that the people should be put to the annual trouble and expense of the revision of the voters' lists when a contest generally takes place but once every four or five years. It is better to have the revision and all the other work incident to the election crowded into the campaign. This will be the case here in the Provincial elections after the revision now in progress. What an advance on the Dominion Franchise Act, which provides for an annual revision, with an enormous waste of time and money, but has only been enforced three times in the nine years it has been on the statute book. Despite the fact that hundreds of thousands of dollars of public money, and probably a greater amount of private funds have been spent on these revisions, no one of them has been finished close to an election, and most incomplete and cumbersome lists, with great possibilities of fraud, have been provided. The demand for a radical change is widespread.

## THE SAINTS AND THE CURFEW.

St. Thomas city council have adopted the curfew bell law, and in future all young children who are unattended by parents or guardians must be home at a reasonable hour in the evening. The object of the law is a good one. Everybody knows that opportunity to run wild on the streets has been the beginning of the ruin of many a child. The home is the proper place for the young after nightfall, and for this purpose it should be rendered as cheerful as possible, and the child ought to be taught to look to it and its surroundings for enjoyment rather than to street corner haunts. But if, as is unfortunately the case in some instances, children are neglected, the welfare of society demands that the community should take a hand, and aid in the removal of opportunities for juvenile wrongdoing. This is the object of the curfew bell, which every municipality afflicted by juvenile night hawks may enact with positive benefit to all parties concerned.

## WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

The question of the right of woman to vote, even under a restricted franchise, in the election of members for the Dominion Parliament, will be brought before the Dominion House of Commons during the present session.

We fail to see why doubts as to their duty in regard to the question should be entertained by any reasonable man. Women, like men, are consumers of dutiable goods, and one of the chief labors of members of Parliament is to discuss and pass upon tariffs that add or take away from the legitimate earnings of women as well as of men, according as the taxes are levied for revenue only or are "protective" and imposed for the benefit of individuals. Women are also interested in all great moral and social reforms that from time to time, often with little result, occupy the attention of Parliament. What legitimate objection then can a member of Parliament raise to a woman having some voice in the making of the laws which she is compelled to obey, and which may be so constructed as either to increase her comfort or make her lot miserable.

Every Liberal member should vote in favor of a change so manifestly fair and in the interests of the reforms that Liberalism has set before it as worthy of achievement.

## THE ENEMIES OF LABOR.

(Toronto Star, labor organ.)

The Opposition in the Assembly is not only always found upon the side of corporations which ask legislation that the people oppose, but the Conservative members seem always to stubbornly and blindly oppose all measures the Government offers for the improvement of the condition and government of the people.

For instance, here we find Mr. Meredith opposing the Government bill to provide councils of conciliation and arbitration, saying the bill embodies a dangerous principle in permitting ten men to put an employer to considerable loss and inconvenience in answering a charge which might be unfounded.

The contingency is very remote. The chances are ten to one that the men will be right. But because such an event might occur, are employees who have just complaint to be allowed no remedy? And the Opposition leader, when reminded that it is a necessary feature of legal proceedings that unfounded charges may be brought into court, adds that the cost of those proceedings is frequently a deterrent, while this bill provides no such deterrent. He carefully avoids to mention that the cost of legal proceedings frequently prevents just suits being prosecuted, and enables wealthy men and corporations to escape the consequences of wronging their employees.

It is singular that while the Federal Conservatives have always championed the cause of the workman, the same party in the Assembly is always found upon the other side.

## A DEATH-DEALING BOOK.

An Indiana Doctor Discovers Diphtheria Bacilli on Its Covers.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 8.—A child of Dr. J. N. Hurty was taken sick with diphtheria March 26 and the parents were so positive that the child had not been exposed to the disease that the father began an investigation. He learned that the child had brought a book home from the library ten days before and he took the book to the office to examine it. It was greasy and dirty and when put under a glass the print of a child's teeth could be clearly seen on one of the covers. The doctor then began an examination of the book, and discovered and moistening the book with sterilized water at the place where the teeth marks were found. The sterilized platinum needle was then rubbed well around into the spot. The poison, if any, could thus be transferred from the book to the culture soil. Within 26 hours along the track of the needle in the culture tubes appeared the grayish white growth which characterizes diphtheria. This growth was, after proper straining, examined under the microscope carefully and exhaustively. The result of the examination was the detection of many of the true Klebsieller diphtheria bacilli. He then made cultures directly from the throat of his son and examined them side by side with the cultures made from the suspected book. As far as it was possible to determine by the most rigid study under the microscope the two cultures were identical. Dr. Hurty is positive that his son contracted the disease from the book, but the records of the public library, which show the complete circulation of the book since it was rebound in September last, do not seem to justify his conclusion. The book has been in nineteen separate families, and the health records do not show that a case of diphtheria occurred in any of the families or in the immediate vicinity of any of them.

## AFTER TYPHOID FEVER.

Harvey Neff has Kidney Disease, Which Doctors Could Not Cure. Dodd's Kidney Pills Restored Him to Perfect Health.

FORT COLBORNE, April 9.—In March, 1893, Harvey H. Neff, of this place, had a bad attack of typhoid fever. Good nursing and medical attendance brought him around, but the attack left him a victim of kidney disease. This the doctors failed to cure, but Dodd's Kidney Pills, the infallible remedy, did the same good work in his case as in all others, and Mr. Neff is well to-day. Dodd's was the first kidney remedy in pill form ever offered the public. Its wonderful success in curing all forms of kidney disease has led to the introduction of numerous cheap and worthless imitations. Purchasers, for their own safety, should insist on getting Dodd's Kidney Pills. Sold in large boxes; price 50 cents, or six boxes for \$2 50. To be had of all dealers.

## Found Dead in Bed.

(Special to the ADVERTISER.)

STRATHROY, April 8.—Mrs. Richardson, an old lady about 76 years of age, living alone in the west end of this town, was found dead in bed about 9 o'clock this morning. Apoplexy was the cause of death. She was the widow of the late Wm. Richardson, of Yorkshire.

## Do You Suffer Pain?

Does a dull aching of nerve or muscle, or the acute pangs of neuralgia, toothache, or lumbago make life a misery? Thousands are compelled to suffer day in and day out simply because they are unacquainted with the extraordinary pain subduing power of Nerviline—the great nerve pain cure. It is certain to cure nerve pain speedily. Nerviline cures toothache, rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, etc. Nerviline is powerful, penetrating and effectual. Sold everywhere.

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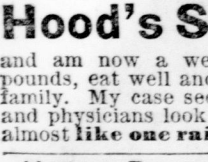
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## In Bright Array.

The Alerts to Blossom Out in New Suits.

The Detroit Six Days' Walking Match a Failure.

Suggestions for the London Relay Bicycle Race.

## PEDESTRIANISM.

A FIZZLE.  
DETROIT, April 8.—The walking match ended last night, with the scores as follows: Dick, 440-8; Messier, 425-1; Smith, 415-2; Stevens, 413-6. If the rules are lived up to, Dick and Messier take all the money, but Smith and Stevens were probably paid to stay in to the finish. The proceeds above the rent and music are said to have been \$1473, so the walkers will not get enough to see them out of town. Many of the employees will have a hard time getting salaries, and some other expenses will not be paid unless the manager goes further into his own pocket.

## BASEBALL.

THE ALERTS IN NEW ARRAY.  
The patrons of the Alerts will find their favorite nine clothed in a manner becoming their youth and beauty this season. The old red and black uniforms, which were anything but handsome, will be discarded for natty suits of blue, relieved by a dash of white here and there. The club's name will be worked in the latter color across the jerseys. In cold weather white sweaters will be worn. To meet the expense the club has printed books of tickets, which they are selling at a reasonable rate. This is a good chance for their friends to give them practical encouragement.

CRICKET.  
The Alerts are negotiating with a Detroit professional team for a game here on Dominion Day (July 2).

REORGANIZATION OF THE PARKHILL CLUB.  
A meeting was held in the Mechanics' Institute room, Parkhill, the other evening for the purpose of organizing a cricket club. The following officers were elected: Honorary president, Mr. L. Rogers; honorary vice-president, Dr. Caw; president, E. M. Bigg; secretary-treasurer, C. M. Wedd; captain, E. Bishop.

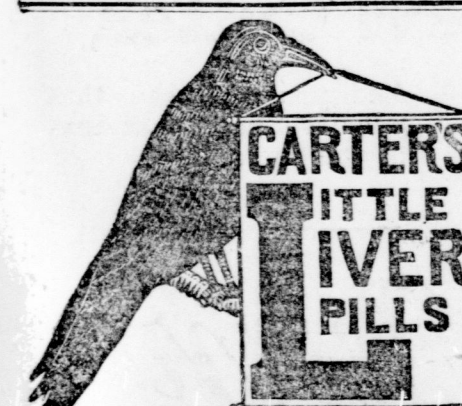
THE LONDON RELAY RACE.  
Dr. W. N. Robertson, president of the Stratford Bicycle Club, suggests that at London in the bicycle relay race, one staff of riders could take the southern route, going by way of Woodstock and Stratford, while another staff could go by the northern route, taking in St. Marys and Stratford, thence to Hamilton or on to Toronto. This would enliven the competition between the two sets of riders, and be a veritable race from London to Hamilton.

BOWLING.  
CANADA'S CHAMPIONS BEATEN.  
NEW YORK, April 8.—The international bowling match between the Victoria Rifles, champions of Canada, and the Americans, of Newark, N. J., champions of the American Amateur Bowling Union, at Brooklyn last night resulted in a victory for the Americans by a score of 3,533 to 3,182. Four games were played, the first two under American rules, with a team of five men, and two under Canadian rules, with six men. The Americans won all four games, as follows: First, 810 to 656; second, 831 to 751; third, 924 to 862; fourth, 968 to 913. A banquet followed.

CHARTER OAK STAKES.  
HARTFORD, Conn., April 8.—The famous Charter Oak Stakes, guaranteed to be not less than \$10,000, will be offered this year on the twelfth time for a 2:16 class trotting race for horses, eligible May 7, to be trotted at Charter Oak Park the week preceding the Grand Circuit meeting at Fleetwood. Other stakes and purses will be announced as the usual time.

ST. JEROME CREMATED.  
PONTIAC, Mich., April 8.—Wm. Barnes, owner of the horse St. Jerome, went to his stable yesterday morning and found the horse dead. St. Jerome was by Hamiltonian Wilkes, dam by Masterdole, and was sired by Hammond Wilkes, 2:17. He was valued at \$5,000.

A \$5,000 PURSE FOR PACERS.  
BUFFALO, N. Y., April 8.—Secretary Hawley, of Buffalo Driving Park, announces an addition to the programme of the grand circuit meeting to be held in this city. It will be a sensation of \$5,000 for pacers in the 2:09. The purse will close May 1, when the first payment, \$50, will be due and horses must be named.



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## CONCISE CULLINGS.

The Pope will receive 15,000 Spanish pilgrims on April 18.

A battle between soldiers and Indians in Oklahoma is looked for.

At Greensburg, Pa., eight prisoners escaped from the county jail Friday.

Timothy Healy emphatically denies that he intends to form a new Irish party.

Congressman Wilson has returned to San Antonio, Texas. He is much improved in health.

The great Crescent Creamery Company, with headquarters at St. Paul, Minn., has failed for \$900,000.

Premier Crispien, of Italy, refuses to reduce the military budget. Possible disturbances of the peace, he says, forbid it.

London Tory papers predict the Government's speedy downfall. The Opposition is preparing for a vigorous onslaught in the House.

At Pittsburg, Pa., Daniel Whorling, a worthless fellow, shot and killed his wife Saturday because she would no longer support him.

King William of Germany has landed at Venice, and was embraced by King Humbert. The populace received them enthusiastically.

At Salt Lake City, the 64th annual convention of the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints has convened in the Tabernacle.

Gov. Tillman, of South Carolina, says that he will have 250 men within two weeks on whom he can rely if any further emergency arises.

Arthur La Porte, son of a Chicago liquor dealer, shot Mrs. Emma Levi, Friday, because she would not marry him. He then shot himself and will die.

The grape crop of Italy during the past two years has been so abundant that many districts were emptied of water and filled with wine when storage was scarce.

The Provisional Government of Hawaii is in desperate financial straits. The effort to compel natives to swear allegiance to it has created much dissatisfaction.

Con. Coughlin, the Irish giant, is lying dangerously ill at St. Luke's Hospital, New York, suffering from internal injuries received in a friendly boxing bout about two months ago.

The rebel fleet in Brazil is bombarding the city of Rio Grand. The rebels surprised the president's garrison near Santa. Borge and blew up the citadel. The slaughter was terrible.

ANOTHER STRATFORD TRAGEDY.

Children Play With Fire and a Little Boy Loses His Life.

STRATFORD, April 8.—The children of Mrs. Newcomb, Frederic street, while playing in the barn Saturday afternoon, set fire to the building and before assistance could be rendered a boy of about 4 years of age was burned to death.

The mother, hearing the screams of the children, made desperate efforts to reach the boy, but was unable to do so, and was badly burned about the face and arms and had to be removed to the hospital.

A horse and cow which occupied the building were also burned.

THE WILLIAMS TRAGEDY.

Telegram From Detective Greer at Bozeman—Nothing Definite Regarding Dutton.

TORONTO, April 8.—Deputy Attorney-General Cartwright has received from Detective Greer a brief telegram announcing that officer's arrival at Bozeman, Montana, a mining camp on the Northern Pacific Railway. The officer had not concluded his investigation when he wired, but said he would be in a position in a few days to say whether or not any reliance could be placed upon the alleged confession of the man Dutton, who says he is the murderer of the aged Williams couple.

A Foot of Snow.

GEORGETOWN, April 8.—A storm from the northwest set in about 9 o'clock Friday night and continued all night. Snow fell to the depth of a foot. Men were drawing sawlogs to the mills on sleds.

Sudden Death of Ben King.

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., April 8.—Ben King, the Michigan poet and humorist, who appeared at an opera house here on Friday night with Opie Reid, was found dead in bed yesterday morning. He had evidently died of heart disease.

Five Victims.

SPENCER, Ind., April 8.—The boiler in the mill belonging to Christian Weber at Lancaster, ten miles from Spencer, exploded Saturday. The mill owner, his son, Lewis Weber, and Clifton Linehart, a laborer, were instantly killed. Two other laborers whose names are not known were fatally injured.

Two Horses Drowned at Windsor.

WINDSOR, April 8.—On Friday night, as C. Randot, F. A. Hough and S. Goffield were driving from the gun club, west of Windsor, to their homes in Amherstburg, their horses became frightened and ran away. Both animals dashed into the River Renaud and were drowned. The men escaped. The horses were valued at \$250.

Mayor Kennedy Commended.

TORONTO, April 8.—J. H. Carson, secretary of the Quebec Provincial branch of the Dominion Prohibition Alliance, writes to Mayor Kennedy that he was instructed by the alliance to convey the congratulations of the temperance men of Montreal and the Province of Quebec to him for his dignified action in refusing to extend a welcome to the liquor men meeting in Toronto, and adds: "Your action was such as to command the gratitude of everyone in our Dominion who recognizes in the liquor traffic the deadly enemy of all that goes to make our country great and good."

Masonry for Women.

CHICAGO, April 8.—Mary Ellen Lease, of Kansas, who arrived in this city yesterday, said: "I am in Chicago to organize a Masonic order for women. I have decided that the Masonic order has been of such wonderful benefit to men—so wonderfully uplifting and educational—that it is certainly a pity to deprive women of its benefits. I do not propose to organize anything antagonistic to the present Masonic order, but the organization will be made in such a manner that they will cooperate with us and approve of it."

A Better Outlook.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Yesterday's bank statement was a proper and thoroughly intelligible index to the week's financial movement. It was in all respects encouraging. The loan increase of \$6,627,900—the largest in many months—means what indeed was evident before, that securities lately purchased in quantity have been guarded by capital, and very largely taken out of the market. Specie and legal tender holdings of the clearing house institutions have decreased \$1,114,000, which suggests at any rate a decided check to the eastward flow of idle money. Reports from the trade centers, however, are favorable only negatively if at all.

## Late Canadian News.

Narrow Escape of a Steamer From Disaster.

A Prominent Citizen of Lindsay Found Dead in His Garden—Fatal Accident to a Hunter.

Dr. Janson, of Ottawa, died Friday, aged 40.

The Newfoundland election trial will be resumed to-day.

T. H. Lorimer, of the Bank of Ottawa at Winnipeg, died on Friday of typhoid fever.

Speaker White, of the Commons, gave his first parliamentary dinner on Saturday night.

Mrs. Hill, wife of Rev. Jos. Hill, Methodist minister at Bridgen, died suddenly of apoplexy.

Mrs. Russell's reception at the Russell on Saturday night was largely attended.

Seeding has commenced in the Moose-mint district, but will not be general in Manitoba for two weeks yet.

A. Clement, an old Grand Trunk man, was killed on Saturday evening by falling off the train at Montreal, the cars passing over him.

A 5-year-old boy named Wm. Charters, and John A. Bourassa, a gardener, were run over and killed by trolley cars in Montreal on Friday.

Mary Connolly, of Halifax, has been sentenced to fourteen years at Kingston Penitentiary for shooting H. Welner with murderous intent.

Constable George Pendleton, of the Northwest Mounted Police, who formerly lived near Toronto, was crushed to death near Fort Saskatchewan the other day.

At Bright Friday evening, Mrs. Peter W. Bristow was found dead in her kitchen. She had evidently fallen against the stove, as there was a small wound in her forehead.

A mining convention will be held in the Rossin House, Toronto, on Tuesday next, at Kingston, Port Arthur and Sudbury districts are expected to be represented.

The body of a man, supposed to be that of Timothy Gavin, of Hamilton, was found in the tunnel of the G. T. R. at Thorold on Sunday morning. It is evident that he was killed by a passing train.

Rev. A. Dowley (Presbyterian), of Campbellford, Ont., and formerly a missionary in China and India, died of heart disease on Thursday night, aged 50.

A widow and four children are left.

W. L. Davidson, a fireman in Parkdale, was killed Saturday on the propeller W. B. Hall at the waterworks wharf, when he fell from a ladder to the dock and was killed. He was a steady man and unmarried.

A Collingwood citizen who wrote "All is well" on the margin of a newspaper which he sent by mail has been fined \$10 and costs.

A young lady in the same town who scribbled a few words on a paper has been fined a similar amount.

Samuel Cornell, a respectable citizen of Lindsay for 25 years, was found dead Saturday afternoon in his garden, where he had been doing some work. Heart failure was the cause of death. Mr. Cornell was president of the Bee Keepers' Association.

The township of Whitby is being sued by the Dominion Bank on promissory notes to the amount of \$5,830, arising out of the disappearance of John F. Moore, late treasurer. Hon. Mr. Dwyer's name is on Moore's bonds as surety for \$3,000.

The steamer Barcelona, from Liverpool, via St. Johns, arrived from Halifax Saturday night. While entering the narrows in a blinding snow storm the vessel's steering gear broke and she nearly went to the rocks. Fortunately she backed off without injury.

News of a hunting fatality comes from Coochegong, Northumberland Straits, near Moncton. Eustace Herbert left in a boat to shoot water geese. He stood up in his boat and aimed, and the recoil of his gun knocked him overboard and he was drowned.

The Washington authorities have decided that the practice of American subjects buying clothes in Canada and wearing them over the border is a fraud, and will be suppressed. Canadian tailors take the measure of such customers in the States from samples.

A deputation of Canadian sealers waited upon Premier Davis, British Columbia, urging him to cable to Lord Rosebery to insist that only British vessels be empowered to seize British Columbia sealers.

The Premier thought such action would be useless.

In an interview with Mr. Foster the New Brunswick Conservative members of Parliament represented that there was nothing to be gained by establishing a fast Atlantic line at such enormous cost, because if it was a fast line it could not carry heavy freight and if it did not carry general freight it could not be a fast line.

The Niagara Falls Park and River Railway will begin on Monday the construction of an incline railway from the top of the bank at the southwest corner of the Clifton House and descend to the Maid of the Mist landing at an angle of 50 degrees. The railway company pays the commissioners of the Victoria Niagara Falls Park \$10,000 for the concession.

Steamship Arrivals.

April 7. At From.

British Columbia New York..... Liverpool

Westernland London..... New York

La Touraine London..... New York

Baroness Halifax..... Liverpool

April 8. At From.

Madura Halifax..... London

Umbria New York..... Liverpool

Graham New York..... Rotterdam

Vendram New York..... Rotterdam

ALL MEN

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## MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

KEENE TO-MORROW NIGHT.

Mr. Thomas W. Keene, now the foremost tragedian of the American stage, will be the attraction at the Grand to-morrow evening, on which occasion Mr. Keene will be seen as Shylock in the "Merchant of Venice."

Twelve years service constantly engaged in portraying the leading characters in the Shakespearean dramas, certainly gives Mr. Keene a strong claim to popularity and consideration, and wide recognition by the most eminent American critics secures for him a place in the dramatic history of his country among the most illustrious of our tragic actors.

He, from the night of his debut, has verified the most sanguine prophecies made by his admirers. He has overcome the natural opposition to all new exponents of classic roles, and the admirers of his originality and vigor have swelled from hundreds into the thousands in every city in his country.

MRS. GENERAL TOM THUMB.

Mrs. Tom Thumb is now the Countess Magna. She is the same charming little mite of humanity.

In putting together a company of artists to support this wonderful little lady Manager Mozart has selected refined and interesting artists. Among those that will support the little lady are: Count and Baron Magri, Miss Annie Nelson, Alvido, Neil Litchfield, James Douglas and Cheyverell Tazewell. Her performances will be most interesting, as a great many new and novel features will be presented. Manager Roote has this attraction booked at the Grand Opera House for three performances, commencing Wednesday, April 11. A special children's and ladies' matinee will be given Thursday, at 3 p.m.

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

A Cyclist's Protest.

To the Editor of the ADVERTISER:

Does your council wish to prevent bicycle men from visiting your city? If they do, they are going about it the right way, and wheelmen will avoid London as an unhealthy place, and your clubs might as well quit the idea of making a success of a 24th of May meet, or of ever getting the C. W. A. meet, and all on account of one unfortunate wheelman coming to grief. It is all right to protect pedestrians and drivers, but at least give the bicycle rider a fair show.

Ox HILLMAN.

April 5, 1894.

WORK AND WAGES.

Probable Close of the Hamilton Iron Workers' Strike—Other Labor Matters.

HAMILTON, April 8.—Several conferences were held Friday and Saturday between the Ontario rolling mill strikers and the officials of the company, and as a result it is likely the men will return to work on Monday. President Doolittle said the strike was practically settled.

MONTREAL, April 8.—The Montreal carpenters have been victorious in their agitation for the nine-hour day. Nearly all the employers have signified their willingness to accede to the request of the union, 20 cents an hour and nine hours to constitute a day's work. It was reported at a recent meeting that out of 102 shops 70 were willing to adopt the new scale from May 1 next; 32 are yet undecided. It is the manly and open manner in which the carpenters' union has conducted the agitation that they are now engaged in that has won for them the sympathy of all classes. The union has a membership in Montreal of 1,500, and is daily increasing.

CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., April 7.—John McCloy, the fugitive labor agitator, charged with complicity in the murder of Jos. H. Paddock, was arrested here last evening.

SANDWICH, Mass., April 8.—There is some dissatisfaction here over the arrival of a number of fishermen from Nova Scotia to operate the fish traps of T. L. Mayo & Co., Boston. A number here who formerly followed the occupation and were employed on these traps are unable to secure situations, claiming that it is in the nature of a monopoly.

It is reported that but one complaint has been made to the commissioner of immigration.

VIENNA, April 8.—Twenty-five mass meetings were held by the workmen of the city to-day. Most of the speakers addressed their audiences on the necessity of obtaining a universal suffrage bill from the Government.

NOTES.

The Blue Iron Mining Company, Negaunee, Mich., have closed down their mine, throwing about 75 men out of employment. It is predicted that but one mine in the city will be in working operation by June.

Traimlen's wages on the Wabash will be reduced May 1.

Over 200 men digging out the dead bodies under the snow slide in Washington State have struck for \$2 per day and quit work. The new terms which Hamilton iron workers are said to have accepted call for a reduction equal to just 10 per cent. all around on piece hands.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRES.

Blaze at Merritt—Narrow Escape of a Family from Death—Other Conflagrations.

MERRITT, April 8.—The frame dwelling of Thomas O'Neil, with all its contents, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning. Mrs. O'Neil and six children were sleeping in the house and did not awaken until it was almost too late to escape. When they were rescued the mother and four children were badly burned as to make it necessary to send them to the hospital. A 13-year-old girl's injuries are probably fatal.

QUEBEC, April 8.—The upper story of the large stone building in St. Peter street, owned and occupied by Messrs. Giroux & Freiss, druggists, was gutted by fire yesterday morning. Considerable damage was done especially to the stock. Insured for \$16,000.

BOSTON, Mass., April 8.—The contents of Holt & Bagbee's lumber yard in East Cambridge were ruined by fire yesterday afternoon, entailing a loss to the firm of \$75,000.

SEAFORTH, April 8.—About 5 o'clock this morning a fire broke out in a brick store, main street, completely ruining all the stock. The store was occupied by G. Snithers as a general store, and was insured for \$2,500. Total loss about \$3,000.

CONY ISLAND, N. Y., April 8.—Fire which started last night in Lewis' hotel destroyed that building, Stratton & Henderson's pavilion, Perry's concert hall, R. A. Sutherland's hotel, Tim Oney's restaurant and two or three buildings in "The Brewery." Loss \$30,000.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 8.—Fire in the Diggins block, corner of North Division and Main streets, caused loss to about a dozen establishments aggregating about \$70,000 to \$80,000.

Mr. Bretzel is a beer bottler in Kansas. Husband—Does that novel turn out happy? Wife—It doesn't say. It only says they were married.

## BERING SEA.

The British Bill Creates Adverse Criticism.

After All, However, the Difference is Merely One of Form.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 8.—The second reading in the House of Commons of the Bering Sea Bill, which exempts from forfeiture Canadian vessels which had already sailed caused astonishment in the State Department circle.

The exception in the bill, it is contended, violates the agreement, and it is said the United States has already asked an explanation.

The matter came to the front in the Senate yesterday, when Mr. Hoar had read the dispatch from London giving the substance of the British regulations which relieve from responsibility any sailor who can prove his departure from port before the scheduled provisions were proposed. Mr. Hoar asked Mr. Morgan for information, saying that if this was true the situation was dangerous, and the United States regulations would require remodeling.

Mr. Morgan replied that he knew nothing definite.

MERELY A MATTER OF FORM.

LONDON, April 8.—In an interview on the Bering Sea question last evening Baron De Courcel, who presided over the tribunal of arbitration, said the difference between the English and American bills was merely one of form. He felt convinced that both Great Britain and the United States would persist in their intention of giving full effect to the award of the arbitrators.

Ambassador Bayard said to-day: "The fact is that the United States has passed a bill in accordance with the spirit of the arbitrators, whereas the English bill may be subject to amendment. The first idea was that the two bills were as similar as possible, but some of the Canadians doubtless are displeased."

SOMETHING DROPPED!

Nearly Twelve Acres of Scranton City Settled Several Feet.

SCRANTON, Pa., April 8.—Nearly twelve acres of a closely-built section of this city settled several feet last night by reason of an enormous cavern of the abandoned workings of the Leggett Creek mine. Many doors crushed together so tightly that it was impossible to open them, and the new school building, recently erected at a cost of \$40,000, is in imminent danger of destruction.

The House of the Good Shepherd, erected at a cost of \$60,000, is also in the vicinity of the cavern, and will be affected if the crash becomes more serious.

Opium Smugglers Nipped.

BUFFALO, April 8.—Chas. Kennedy, Ed. Patterson and George Henderson, opium smugglers, were arrested last night while delivering to a Chinese supply house about 400 pounds of opium which was wrapped up in Vancouver, B. C., newspapers. The duty would be nearly \$5,000.

All three prisoners were well supplied with money. Patterson belongs to Victoria, Ont. Henderson resides in Windsor, Ont., and is said to have operated very extensively between that port and Detroit. Detectives have secured an additional package of smuggled opium and are looking for more.

Higher Education.

Uncle George are you learning much at school?

Little Nephew—Yes, indeed. I'm learning to sit still, an' not talk, an' not make any noise, an' get up an' sit down, an' march, an' lots of things.

Easy to Do.

She—I shall never forget the night you proposed to me. You seemed scared to death, and when I said 'yes' and kissed you, I really think I touched your heart.

He—Very likely; I know my heart was in my mouth at the time.

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