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LONDON, CANADA, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1899.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

Notices of Births, Marriages and Leaths which are inserted in The Daily Advertiser also appear in The Western Advertiser. Births 25c, Marriages and Deaths 50c.

DIED.

BLACKWELL- At her late residence, 515 King street, on Feb. 4, Jane, widow of the late Wm. Blackwell, aged 82 years.

Funeral on Monday, Feb. 6, at 2:30 p.m. Services at 2 o'clock. Private. HETHERINGTON-On Feb. 3, 1899, Esther, relict of the late Arthur Hetherington, aged

Funeral will leave her late residence, No. 83
Oxford street, West London, on Sunday, Feb.
5, at 11 a.m. Friends and acquaintances will
please accept this intimation.

MANNING -In this city, on Thursday, Feb. 3 1899. Ferguson Manning, aged 76 years. Funeral from his late residence, 308 Queen's avenue, on Sunday, Feb. 5, at 2:30 p.m.; services at 2 o'clock. Please omit flowers. 59u

BELL-On Feb. 3, 1899, William Bell, lot 11, con. 1, Delaware township.

Funeral takes place on Monday. Feb. 6, at
1 o'crock. Friends and acquaintances please
accept this intimation.

HEMINGWAY-On Friday, Feb. 3, 1899, in the township of Westminster, Mary, beloved wife of William Hemingway, aged 71 years. Funeral from her late residence, Westminster Station, on Monday, Feb. 6, at 10:30 a.m.
Service 10 a.m.

Amusements and Lectures

GRAND S554

The Great Frame

and his company of invincible Stars, Singers Dancers, Pipers and Specialty Artists. Prices: 25c, 50c, 75c. Seats now on sale.

GRAN) OPERA HOUSE Thursday, Feb. 9, direct from the New York Casino, the Extravagant Extravaganza—

YANKEE DOODLE DANDY." With all the original Scenic and Calcium Effects. Walter Jones and Great Company

or 70. Sale of seats begins Tuesday. Prices-25c, 50c, 75c, \$1 and \$1.50. ORGAN RECITAL AND PRAISE SER-VICE in the Memorial Church Wednes-day, the 8th. Soloist, Miss Eva N. Roblin; solo organist, Mr. Charles Wheeler. Full choir of the church, under the direction of the organist.

Mr. J. V/. Fetherton. Silver offertory for organ TREBELLI - JARVIS - FOX CONCERT Grand Opera House, Monday evening, Feb, 13. Subscription list at Bell piano warerooms. Plan open to subscribers only at Grand opera. House on Wednesday morning next at 9 o'clock and to general public the day after.

A TTENTION—REV. W. J. CLARK
A deliver his interesting lecture, "With
Fire and Sword Through the Soudan," in Knox
Church, South London, on Tuesday, Feb. 7, at
8 o'clock. All welcome. An offering at the
60c A TTENTION-REV. W. J. CLARK WILL deliver his interesting lecture, "With

DALACE DANCING ACADEMY-NOTICE Members of advanced class will meet Tuesday evening, Feb. 14, instead of Wednes-day evening, 15th. Dayton & McCormick. JUBILEE RINK — BAND TONIGHT — After skating, hockey, Y. M. C. A. vs. South London. Music—skating—hockey—10c

WILL WAIT FOR THE CHINA mails—The steamship Numidian of the Allar Line will sail Monday, Feb. 13, from St. John to Liverpool, one day later than regular time, on account of waiting for China mail. Very lowest rates to old country. F. B. Clarke, Pichrond street, next. Advertises.

Richmond street, next Advertiser. POPULAR CONCERT COURSE. AUDI-TORIUM, Miss Ida Benfey, Thursday, Feb. 9. Plan opens Tuesday at 9. b

PRINCESS - CALICO HOCKEY MATCH by ladies from Calico Town, Tuesday Feb. Lots of fun. Admission 15 cents. b

DRINCESS-CATHOLICCLUBCARNIVAL Tuesday, Feb. 7. Cash prizes. Calico hockey match. Lady teams from Calico Town. Rink handsomely decorated. Musical Society Band. Skating and lots of fun. Administrative Skating and lots of fun. Admission 15

PRINCESS-SEVENTH BAND TONIGHT. and music every evening next week. PRINCESS-CALICO HOCKEY MATCH by ladies from Calico Town, Tuesday, 7th. Lots of fun. Admission 15c.

PRINCESS—BAND SATURDAY NIGHT and afternoon. Catholic Club carnival Tuesday, Feb. 7.

VOICE CULTURE
EVA N. ROBLYN.
Studio, Bell Piano Parlors. Residence, No. 320,
Dundas street. Concert engagements. Tele-

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING— Hapid teaching; low rates. All who desire a thorough knowledge of the art of dancing should avail themselves of this opportunity. Lessons any hour. R. B Millard, teacher of Lessons any hour. R. B Mu dancing, 346 Princess avenue.

Meetings.

NOTICE-CLASSES OF INSTRUCTION will be held in the drill shed, on Monday, and Thursday evenings, for the benefit of men desiring to join the 7th Battalion. 60u MASONIC-THE TUSCAN LODGE, NO. 195, meets Monday evening, Feb. 6, at 8 o'clock. Third degree. Visitors welcome. W. A. Young, W. M., P. W. D. Brodrick, Secretary.

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED-GENERAL SERVANT-MRS. Lawrence, 178 Albert street. 60tf WANTED-GOOD GENERAL SERVANT -Apply Mrs. J. A. Croden, 281 Hill street.

WANTED — GENERAL SERVANT — Immediately. Family of two. Apply 59c 571 Ridout street. WANTED - GENERAL SERVANT - Family of three. Mrs. Thos. Branton, Gore of London. Apply 203 Hamilton road

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED-FAM-ILY of three. Apply Mrs. R. Munro, 270 Piccadilly street. GENERAL SERVANT WANTED-NO washing or ironing. References required. Apply to Mrs. Bayly, 186 Albert street.

Male Help Wanted.

WANTED-WRITERS TO DO COPYING at home. Law College, Lima, Ohio.

WANTED - GOOD GENERAL BLACK-SMITH; to go to St. Marys; steady job. Apply to Jas. Cowan & Co. 59e

WANTED - CARRIAGE WOODWORK-ERS at Campbell's Carriage Factory.

YOUNG MAN (GRADUATE OF F. C. B. C.), desires situation as bookkeeper; some ex-perience. Address A. M. Campbell, Melbourne, Ort. 57k

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What Is Going On In The Leading Churches Of The City.

NOTICE-CHANGES FOR CHURCH SERVICES MUST BE HANDED IN BY FRIDAY EVENING.

A DELAIDE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH A —Pastor, Rev. Thomas S. Johnson. Services, morning, 11; evening, 7. Sabbath school, 2:45 p.m. Everybody welcome.

A SKIN STREET METHODIST CHURCH-A Quarterly meeting day. Rev. Richard Hobbs will preach morning and evening. Sacramental service after the morning and evening sermons. Reception service at night. CHALMERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-Rev. Walter Moffat, pastor. 11 a.m. and p.m. Pastor's Bible class and Sabbath school,

COLBORNE STREET METHODIST Church—Services II a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by the pastor, Rev. George Jackson. Lovefeast at 9:30. Sacrament after morning service. Good music by the choir.

CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH-Morning, "Separation From the World and Its Reward." Evening, "The Earnest of the Future Inheritance." Quarterly lovefeast at 10 a.m. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at close of evening service.

DUNDAS CENTER SUNDAY SCHOOL extends a cordial welcome to visitors, and young or old residents not attending other schools; service at 2:45.

DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST CHURCH—11 a.m., Rev. D. H. Trimble; 7 p.m., Rev. Dr. Saunders; continuation of series of special sermons to young people. Subject, "A King's Daughter. Sacrament at close of evening service. Morning—Anthem, "Te Deum" (Woodward); solo, "The Golden Pathway" (Gray). Evening—Anthem, "Hosanna in the Highest" (Stainer); solo and chorus, "O, Praise the Mighty God" (Emerson); quartet, "Lead Me Gently Home" (Excell).

CMPRESS AVENUE (WEST LONDON) Lord's Supper. Evening, Rev. D. H. Trimble. FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH— Rev. J. W. Pedley, pastor. Morning—"Ra-tional Religion" communion service. Evening—"God's Fools."

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH-Rev. Dr. Smith, pastor.

Morning—"How to Use the Bible." Anthem.
"Christian the Morn"; "The Land Beyond."

Evening—"Christian Histrionies: What Part
Do You Play?" Anthem. "Ye Shail Dwell in the

Land;" anthem, "Gently, Lord;" solo and chorus, "Thy Will Be Done." FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. W. J. Clark, pastor, will preach 11 and 7 p.m. Sabbath school and Society for Bible Study, 3 p.m.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST (SCIENTISTS)—Duffield Block—Sunday services, morning, 11 o'clock; evening, 7 o'clock. Morning subject—"Soul." Evening subject—"Healing the Absent." Testimonial meeting, Wednesday evening, 8 o'clock. Sunday school immediately after morning service. All welcome. D. S. Robb, C.S., first reader: Mrs. Edna Robb, C.S., second reader. Residence 293 Princess avenue.

HAMILTON ROAD METHODIST CHURCH AMILION ROAD METHODIST CHURCH Rev. J. G. Fallis, pastor, will preach at both services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday school at 3 p.m. Evangelistic services every night, commencing at o'clock.

KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN
—Rev. Thos. Wilson. Morning—"Our
Death Arranged For." Evening—"Is the
Church Losing Her Hold Upon the World?"
Stranger welcome

Strangers welcome. K NOX PRESBYTEKIAN CHURCH (South London)—Rev. J. G. Stuart, B.A., pastor. Subjects—Morning—"Melchisedec." Evening—"The Covenant With Abraham." LATTER DAY SAINTS - MAITLAND street. Preaching at 11 and 7. All wel-

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, SOUTH LONDON-Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. SOUTHERN CONGREGATIONAL

Church, Horton street. Rev. W. H. A. Claris, pastor. Services II a m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath school and pastor's Bible class, 2:45.

ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. A. J. McGillivray, M. A., pastor, Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by the pastor. Visitors welcome. ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN.

Rev. Robert Johnston, B.D., pastor.
Mr. John McKay, of Knox College, Toronto,
will preach at both services.
Monday, 8 p.m.—Y. P. S. C. E.
Wednesday, 8, p. m.—Prayer meeting.
Thursday, at 3 p.m.—W. F. M. S.

ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL - SUNDAY,
Feb. 5-Morning-Venite (Bucknall); Te
Deum (Sippi); Benedictus (Stainer). Preacher,
Rev. Canon Dann, B.A. Evening-Magnificat
(Burnett); Nunc Dimittis (Burnett); anthem,
"Far From My Heavenly Home." Preacher,
the Dean. Holy communion at 11 a.m. Collection for poor fund.

PALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH-Rev. Ira Smith, pastor. Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

WELLINGTON STREET METHODIST

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Church—Rev. J. Edge, pastor, Morning,

"The Family of God." Evening, "Profane
Swearing." Lovefeast in the morning. Sacrament at close of evening service. Morning,
anthem, "O, For a Closer Walk With God"

(Foster); duet. "Ch How He Loves" (Blakley),
A. Carpenter and H. R. McDonald, solo, "He
Is There" (Pease); H. R. McDonald, Evening,
anthem, "The Day Is Past and Over" (Marks);
trio, "Praise Ye the Lord" (Verdi), Miss Maud
Fowler, A. Carpenter and H. R. McDonald,
solo, "The Heavenly Song" (Gray), Miss Maud
Fowler; solo, "My God, My Father" (Marsden),
H. R. McDonald.

Lost and Found.

LOST-BLUE BELTON AND TAN ENG-LISH setter dog: owner's name engraved on collar and tag No. 233 attached. Finder re-warded at London House, and any one retain-ing him after this notice will be prosecuted. b LEFT IN DUNDAS STREET CAR GOING west about 8 p.m., Jan. 23, book, "Science and Health." Present possessor please leave at or mail to this office. Reward.

A Big **New Yorker**

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The new policy contract of a big New York life company is heralded with a great flourish of trumpets. The Globe of the 17th ult. points out that all of the attractive features so commended have been available to policyholders of The Ontario Mutual Life for many years. Policies issued in the interests of policyholders may be obtained from The Ontario. Examine one of them.

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C. E. GERMAN, GENERAL AGENT.

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Articles For Sale.

FORSALE-ONE PLANFR, ONE JOINTER, r or e large and one small grin is one; all in first-class condition. Cheap. Parisian Steam Laundry.

PRIVATE SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNI-TURE, in luling severity-five yards new carpet. 344 Burwell street.

CORNET FOR SALE-NEARLY NEW-Apply 87 Wellington street. 59u \$4.75 PER TON (NOT IN BAGS)—
Pocahontas coal for kitchen ranges or furnaces; in bags, 25c per ton extra. Same coal as sold by Harold Richardson & Co. Butts' Cannel coal for open fires. Bowman & Co. Call at F. B. Clarke's, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

next Advertiser. Baseburner for sale - Nearly new. Apply 201 or 468 Dundas street.

DARRED PLYMOUTH ROCKS AND eggs for hatching from prizewinning stock at London and Toronto shows. John Aitken, jun., 170 Bruce street, London. 56i yt CNAPS FOR TODAY—1 GRAND UNION Piano, 7½ octaves, \$100; 1 Weber & Co. Piano, 7½ octaves, \$125; 1 Knabe & Co. Piano 7½ octaves, \$135; 1 Chickerini; & Sons Piano, 7½ octaves, \$150; 1 Dominion Organ, large, 10 stops, \$35; 1 Karn & Co. Organ, large, 11 stops, \$15. Easy terms to good parties. Heintzman & Co. 117 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

SPRING SKATES, 35c PAIR. SKATES hollow ground, 10c. Bicycling repairing at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Rioh-

FINE GROCERIES A SPECIALTY-DOM INION, laundry agency. Tracing stamp given on all purchases. T. H. JANES, Wortley road, South London DUILDERS AND FARMERS—CHEAPER than ever—Lumber, \$8 per M; shingles, \$1 per M; lath \$2 per M; posts, 12c each. Doors, sash, frames. Will furnish all material for any building—pine, hemlock, planed, matched. Delivered any station on cars. Call at yard or address J. A. Sutherland, Pall Mall street, North London.

A MHERSTBURG STONE QUARRY—
A Building stone, crushed stone, dimension stone and lime. Estimates furnished and cor respondence solicited. First-class shinping facilities by rail or water. J. A. H. Campbell, Manager, Windsor, Ont.

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BEST HARD COAL AND WOOD DE-LIVERED in all parts of the city. W. G. Eadey, 771 Dundas street. Phone 1,134. ELECTRIC BELLSKEPTIN PERMANENT repair, only 50c per year. R. M. Millar, 434 Talbot street. 21tf

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TO LET-SPENCER BLOCK, Dundas street. Large rooms lately vacated by Y. W. C. T. U. 20 rooms. No. 2-0½; well suited for business, educational or light manufacturing Store 276, rent \$13 month. Apply 282 Dundas street. TO LET-BRICK COTTAGE ON JOHN street, near Richmond. Three bedrooms. Apply next door. 60c tyw TO RENT-35 ACRES-LOT 34, CON. 2, Westminster. Apply on premises. Gardener preferred. TO LET-FLOUR AND FEED STORE-197 King street. Apply on premises. 54tf TO LET-GOOD BRICK AND FRAME stable. Inquire A. N. Udy, over C. P. R. ticket office. Phone 735. TO LET-NO. 427 KING STREET-APPLY at 383 King street. 96tf TO LET-COVERED MOVING VANS-When moving have your furniture and pianos carefully moved. Address 97 Carling street. Phones 1,162 and 1,167.

Educational.

THE HARDING HALL GIRLS SCHOOL LIMITED. Spring term commences Feb. 8. Kindergarten branch is held in a room in Conservatory of Music building, Dundas street. For calendars and other information apply to Mrs. J.

Business Chances.

FOR SALE-GROCERY BUSINESS AND fixtures, in good running order. Apply 646
Dundas street. WANTED-PURCHASER FOR LIVE running grocery business in good town. \$1,000 required. Splendid chance. Address T. B. Escott & Co., wholesale grocers, London, Ont. 58c wtz&bw

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Real Estate.

TARM FOR SALE-100 ACRES SOUTH half lot 21, Con. 5, London Township. Brick house, 2 barns, 5 miles from-London, convenient to churches, school and postoffice. Frank Lipsett, Masonville, Ont. b 29i

100 ACRES, SOUTH HALF LOT 17, CON 5, Westminster; all under cultivation; six miles from London gravel road; fifteen acres in wheat; thoroughly tile drained; fail plowing all done; large apple orchard and variety of small fruit; brick house; frame barn and good outbuilding. Will exchange for small farm near city. Apply or address John Moore, 134 Tecumsch avenue, South London. Must be sold to wind up estate. 27u 54u t OR SALE-50-ACRE FARM, CON. 6, LOT

22, six rules west of London; choice land; good buildings; well watered; eight acres fall wheat, twenty acres plowed. Price \$2,800. Apply 441 Piccadilly street, London, Ont. FOR SALE—NEW TWO-STORY BRICK house, with all modern conveniences; arge lot; near the park on Wellington street. Owner leaving the city. Cheap for quick buyer. J. F. Sangster, 403 Richmond street.

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CHEAP RENTS - NO. 512 PICCADILLY

CHEAP RENTS — NO. 512 PICCADILLY street. 8 rooms, gas, new furnace, barn, key next door; 3:6 Central avenue, 6 rooms; No. 500 Dufferin avenue, lately occupied by Mr. Mayell, 10 rooms, all modern conveniences. Renwick estate—Those splendid building lots on Oxford, Wellington and St. James streets; very cheap; interest, 5 per cent, Victoria terrace, Princess avenue, 6 dwellings; safe and profitable investment; see this property. 10-acre blocks in northern part of the city.

To builders—Some fine lots, St. James street, between William and Adelaide streets, to exchange for work or building material, also some choice lots on Oxford street cheap for cash.

cash.

Rare chance—New 6-roomed brick cottage,
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dirst-class barn; outside city taxes; will be sold
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W. D. BUCKLE.

P. Walsh's Bulletin.

438 Simcoe street—Frame store and dwelling; just the corner for a butcher; price \$800. A

315 Grey street—A new frame cottage, five rooms, with a good deep lot; at a bargain to close a sale. 786 Elias street—A splendid brick cottage, seven rooms, finished in style; frame barn; good lot; price to suit.

Francis street, opposite the car shops—A new 1½-story brick house, seven rooms, lot 35x 150 feet; price \$1,000. 633 Lorne avenue-A handsome brick cottage

six rooms, in perfect order; lot 40x150; price \$1,350. \$1,300.

520 Piccadilly street—A new brick cottage seven rooms, modern, good lot; price \$1,400.

We are now commencing to sell our vacant lots, and call the attention of intending purchasers to the balance of those cheap lots on chasers to the balance of those cheap lots on the Hamilton road, Redan street and Nightingale avenue.

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properties included. P. WALSH. 110 Dundas St. Phone 1021.

City Realty Mid-Winter Snaps. Low Prices.

THE following properties might suit you. The prices have been reduced to induce im mediate purchases. First come, first served: Colborne street—1½-story frame, excellent repair, nice locality, gas, city and soft water. Price \$1,800.

Princess avenue—Brick cottage, seven rooms, good condition, substantial, gas, furnace, central. Very cheap a \$1,850.

Alma street—Frame cottage, five rooms, lot 34x104. Price reduced from \$600 to \$525. Must be sold at once. Wortley road-Modern 2-story brick residence. all modern appointments, corner lot. Price

Elias street—1½-story frame, 9 rooms, good condition, two lots. Price \$1,700. BUILDING LOTS. Lote ranging in price from \$100 up to \$4,000—ac cording to size, location, etc.

COTTAGES. Frame or brick, varying from \$500 up to \$2,000 RESIDENCES. A large number to select from. Prices \$2.000 up to \$10,000.

BUSINESS PROPERTIES. Dundas street-One of the best retail stores on the street; a chance not frequently offering to secure such desirable business premises. Call for price, terms, etc.

Bathurst street—Lot having 110 feet on Bath-urst and extending back to G. T. R. tracks, lying opposite M. C. R. depot. It is a great bargain. Open only for a few days. Chapter House—This valuable property, suitable for subdividing, at a low figure. Will be wholesaled, and retailer can make \$5,000 profit. Call and see plans.

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M Swedish therapeutic massage, graduate of the Hugo Oldenburg Institute, Chicago.

Wanted. TWO SINGLE GENTLEMEN DESIRE two bedrooms, with bath and toilet; extra room suitable for cooking. Address Box 130, Advention.

WANTED-DOUBLE PARLORS OR PAR-W lor and bedroom, furnished or unfurnished, with or without board; modern conveniences required. Box 129, Advertiser. b WANT TO BUY SECOND-HAND SHOW VV cases, cash register and mirrors, for cash. D. McMillan & Co., Petrolea. 60u

PROPERTY WANTED — BRICK COT-TAGE, monthly installments until half purchase money is paid, when deed to be given. Address particulars to J. W. G. Winnett, bar-rister, 420 Talbot street, solicitor for purchaser. PARTY CALLING ON FARMERS AND others with horses and rig is open to carry a side line. Good connection through London township; references and security if required. Apply Box 125, this office.

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLE MEN'S cast-o.f clothing. A. P. Sains bury, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to

THE CORPORATION OF LONDON will pay to all teamsters and other per-

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for any quantity of good sound stone, from one cord upwards, delivered at the crusher on Cheapside street.

A. O. GRAYDON,
City Engineer. ALD. H. M. DOUGLASS, Ch. Board of Work s

TENDERS WANTED—TENDERS WILL be received by the President of the Millar-ton Cheese and Butter Company until March 1 for sinking an artesian well, at so much per foot, contractor to furnish all material, 5-inch foot, contractor to turnish all material, 3-men pipe to be used and a first-class pump and plenty of water guaranteed, pump and water to be thoroughly tested before any money is paid, well to be completed by 1st of May. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accented.

WM. POLLOCK, Pres. Box 2, Kincardine P. O.



BINDER TWINE FOR SALE.

CEALED tenders, indersed "Tender for Twine." and addressed "Inspector of Penitentiaries, Ottawa." will be received until Wednesday, the 15th of February, inclusive, for the prospective output of the twine factory at the Kingston Penitentiary for the current year. Kingston Penitentiary for the current year. The lot consists, approximately, of five hundred (500) tons of "Pure Maniia," "Mixed" and "Pare Sisal" twine, and includes the twine on hand and manufactured since the 1st of August last, as well as that which may be manufactured before the 1st of August next. The twine will be delivered f. o. b. cars Kingston in quantities to suit the purchaser. The Penitentiary warehouse to be cleared of all twine on the 1st of August next, at which date the con-

tiary warehouse to be cleared of all twine on the 1st of August next, at which date the contract will terminate.

Terms—Cash on delivery.

The quality of the twine may be ascertained by inspection at the Penitentiary warehouse.

Tenders shall state the price per pound for each grade, and must be accompanied by an accepted check for two thousand dollars, payable to the Minister of Justice, which, in the event of the tender being accepted, will be retained by the Department as a guarantee of the faithful performance of the contract, and accounted for in final settlement.

DOUGLAS STEWART.

Inspector of Penitentiaries.

Ottawa, Jan. 12, 1899. 48k t

THERE WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUC-TION at the rooms of J. W. Jones, 242 Dundas street, London, that choice 2-story brick residence of 12 rooms, lot 44 feet frontage, the residence of the late Mrs. Davis, 418

Choice City Residence, on Saturday

Feb. 18, at 2:30 P.M.

King street.
Terms—10 per cent at time of sale with sufficient to make \$1,000 in 10 days thereafter, balance in 5 equal annual installments with interest at 5 per cent. For further particulars apply to J. W. JONES, Auctioneer; or to R. K. COWAV Schlafter. King street. COWAN, Solicitor,

Auction Sale of City Property.

THERE will be sold at the auction rooms of J. W. Jones. 242 Dundas street, London, on Wednesday, the 15th day of February, 1899, at the Lour of 2:30 p.m., that property on the east side of Richmond street, formerly belonging to Mr. Abraham Slater, and being street No. 564, distant 219 feet south from the angle formed by the Intersection of Richmond and Clarence streets, now Park avenue. On the property is a two-story brick dwelling in excellent repair; four bedrooms, large parlor and dining-room.

dining-room.

Terms—Ten per cent on day of sale, one-third cash in ten days, balance in ten equal consecutive yearly payments; interest five per

cent per annum.
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MAYORALTY ELECTION IN WIND-SOR. Windsor, Ont., Feb. 4 .- Judge Horne has decided in the costs dispute over the Walkerville municipal elections that ex-Mayor Russell and ex-Councilor Dobie shall bear the expenses, and that a new election for the

mayoralty shall be held. Those Tired Kidneys. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills help tired kidneys to do what they must do if you are to be a healthy man or wo-

There is almost a positive belief among United States army officials that there will be a mitigation of the sentence imposed by the court-martial which tried Commissary - General

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Child Almost Interred Alive at

Berlin, Ont. Youngster Well Twelve Hours After Death Was Supposed to Have

Taken Place.

Berlin, Ont., Feb. 4.-Joseph Charles, child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Joseph Uryeous, Assyrians, breathed its last, as everyone believed, Thursday afternoon, after a brief illness. The remains were prepared for burial, and arrangements made for the funeral. The father sat up during the night with the body, and was startled hear a weak gasp for breath. Looking

closely at the child, he noticed signs of returning life. Restoratives were applied at 3:30 yesterday morning, and twelve hours after its apparent death the child seemed to

be as well as ever.

ing one. TIDE FLOWING TO CANADA

The case is, to say the least a puzzl-

Immigration Is Above High Water

Mark-January's Record. Ottawa, Feb. 4.-The tide of immigration to the Dominion, which continues in the now, may now be said to be above high water mark. Local figures confirm the accuracy of the statistics of the board of trade of Great Britain, that the gain is at least 20 per cent. This is the more gratifying from the fact that the immigration to other countries shows a falling off from 1 to to 10 per cent. The British oficial returns show, according to yesterday's cable dispatches, that during the past year there sailed from ports in the United Kingdom for Canada 17,665 persons of British origin and 9,888 foreigners. Local returns obtained show that the number of immigrants who arrived at Canadian ports in the month of January of the present year was up-wards of 2,400. This is the largest number that has ever set foot on Canadian soil in a winter month. In summer the figure has been exceeded once, and that was in June of last year, when the number of new arrivals was 3,152. These figures do not, however, represent the octual number of new settlers from the old world, for very many travel by way of New York to make their homes in Canada. Practically all these immigrants travel to the North-west by the Canadian Pacific trains.

TRUTH MAY COME OUT Regarding the Adams-Barnet Poison

Case. New York, Feb. 4.-The Evening World today publishes a statement by Harry Cornish, regarding the Adams-Barnet poison case. The paper says Mr. Cornish gave it the names of the guilty persons, and they will be turned over to the police. The statement says he is sure in his own mind as to the identity of the murderer and that if he is asked at the coroner's inquest to give the name he will undoubtedly do so. "If he is then asked to tell what he believes to be the motive which caused the attempt to murder him he will answer truly, just as he has answered when the same question was

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WHAT LONDON TALKS ABOUT

Newspapers Full of Choate's Smart Sayings.

Marked Curtailments of the Cabbies' Privileges.

Buried the Hatchet.

er Menaces Noted by the British Au-

[Special London Cable Letter to The Advertiser.]

London, Feb. 4.—Queen Victoria is to return to Windsor from Osborne on Tuesday next, and will receive the new United, States ambassador, Mr. Joseph H. Choate, who will present his credentials before her Majesty starts for the Riviera. Mr. Choate's reputation as a wit and as a bright after-dinner speaker has preceded him. The newspapers are full of his witty sayings. In fact, from the moment he sets feet on British soil, Mr. Choate will be ex-

pected to coruscate like a brilliant. As Mr. Henry Labouchere says in Truth,

"He will find it hard to live up to the reputation for smart, pointed ragartee that our newspapers have made for

THE MARLBOLOUGHE The Duke of Marlborough went to Osborne on Thursday, and was introduced and kissed hands on his appointment as paymaster-general. He has also been sworn in as a privy councilor. The Duchess of Mariborough is becoming very active in small public functions. She is to open a bazar at Hackney next Thursday, in aid of the Teachers' Orphanage site. These kindly acts greatly promote her popularity, as they entail something more than mere attendance. It means a handsome contribution to the funds.

CABBIES' PRIVILEGES CUR-TAILED.

The question of the hour in London is the stringent orders of the police prohibiting empty cabs from entering the Strand, Bond street and other busy thoroughfares, and compelling them to wait on the cab racks. Every visitor in London remembers the endless procession of loitering cabs, popularly known as "crawlers," rendering it almost impossible for foot passengers to cross the roadways and leading to incessant congestion of traffic. Already about 2,000 cabs have been withdrawn from the streets.

FRENCH MALIGNITY.

tished in a Rome paper, has created by the resignation of D. C. Caven, has considerable stir in some quarters in London, as it is held to show that France has in no wise buried the hatchet, but is determined to attack Great Britain at the first opportunity. People here, however, can hardly credin the veracity of the interview, in which M. Lockroy begins by describing the British naval organization as being "all humbug," and saying, "the English have only the brutal force of The minister of marine is numbers." also quoted as declaring that war with Great Britain is inevitable, and he is said to have added, in conclusion: "Let England continue to construct big warships. Our naval programme is steelplated, powerful, swift cruisers, torpedo boat destroyers and submarine boats.

TAKEN SERIOUSLY

The British newspapers have apparently taken these utterances seriously. and are urging the government to "reply to words with deeds." These French menaces seem to accord with confidential information to the effect and, Mich., on Tuesday night last, when that military and naval circles here are convinced that France means war. Secret advices, it appears, have been received at the British war office, showing that the French authorities are noiselessly preparing for the struggle. In fact, it is even said the Napoleonic idea of an invasion of Great Britain is revolving in the minds of the French military authorities, and, at the present a gradual but silent movement of troops is said to be proceeding towards the northern coast of France, where, in two months' time, it is asserted, about 150,000 men will be concentrated.

The British war authorities are determined not to wait France's con-venience, but to call her hand, as they lid in the Fashoda Incident, and will declare that they regard this concenration of troops as an act of war. In the meanwhile, the British navy is paying the greatest attention to gunnery. channel squadron, this week, has been engaged every morning in firing

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practice at moving targets. The results are being carefully noted.

DISRAELI'S POLITICAL MORALITY. The publication of Sir Robert Peel's correspondence has thrown a strong light on the late Benjamin Disraeli's (Lord Beaconsfield) political morality. It is pointed out that seldom has the lie direct been brought home so conclusively. The letters show Disraeli as abjectly imploring Sir Robert Peel for office in 1841, and that he also got his wife to write to him in the same strain, but without success. Soon after Disraeli turned on Peel and hurled all kinds of satire and abuse at him. Peel, in replying to this virulent attack, ex-pressed surprise that Disraeli should Indications That France Has Not

Buried the Hatchet.

Plessed surprise that Disrael should have wanted to join his ministry, whereupon Disraeli, with unblushing effrontery, rose and said: "I can assure the house that nothing of the kind has occurred. I never asked a favor of the government, and with respect to my being solicitous for office, it is entirely thorities and Will Be Promptly Met unfounded." Sir Robert Peel, it further appears, with wonderful self-restraint Disraeli's Dishonesty Shown by and respect for the good name of the house, refrained from producing the letters showing that Disraeli did not tell the truth, but the letters now pubties the publication of Sir Robert Peel's letters showing that Disraeli did not tell the truth, but the letters now publication of Sir Robert Peel's dishonesty. lished prove Disraeli's dishonesty.

THE CRACK YACHTS. It is said that the bronze plates to be used in the construction of the America's cup challenger, Shamrock, cost from \$400 to \$500 per ton. There is considerable disappointment in yachting circles at the news that Valkyrie III. will probably not be fitted out for trial races with the Shamrock, owing

to differences among her owners. The Yachtsman says the Shamrock has reached the same stage as the cup defender, adding that Fife has decided on the model and materials, and that it is hardly possible that anything will occur to change either parties views, whatever may come out respecting

McKINLEY CARTOONED.

Vanity Fair, which is generally either abusive or extremely patronizing towards Americans, has a cartoon this week, showing President McKinley in a Napoleonic pose. A so-called biographical sketch says: "Since he came into office he has done well, conducting the little war with Spain quite ably. He is quite a dignified president, who can conduct himself with the courtesy of an English gentleman. His servants are all colored. His chief fault, indeed, is his liking for niggers."

DIDN'T SIT LONG

A Short Session of the Legislature-Notices of Motion.

Toronto, Feb. 4.-The legislature was in session for a short time yesterday, and, beyond receiving a number of petitions, very little business was transacted. Before adjournment Col. Matheson inquired whether the public accounts for 1898 are printed yet, and, if so, when the house might expect to

receive copies. The provincial treasurer replied that the accounts are being printed and he hoped to have them ready for distribution some day next week, possibly

on Wednesday.

The house then adjouned.

BAILIFF APPOINTED. An alleged interview with the French minister of marine, M. Lockroy, pub-

been filled by the appointment of Jas. Caven, of Port Elgin. NOTICES OF MOTION.

The following notices were handed in: The attorney-general (on Tuesday next)-Bill respecting the moneys of infants and others in the high court. Also-Bill respecting voters' lists in

unorganized territories. Mr. Davis (on Tuesday next)-Bill to amend the prison and asylum inspection act.

Mr. Barr (on Wednesday next)-Bill to amend the registry act.

BROKE HIS JAW IN SIX PLACES

Horrible Accident to a Brakeman While Switching at Flushing. Michigan, on the C. S. and M. Railroad.

A frightful accident occurred at Dur-

Mr. Alex. Anderson, of Sarnia, brother of Morris Anderson, of Westminster, had a narrow escape from death. Only a few days ago Mr. Alex. Anderson accepted a position with the C. S. and M. R. as brakeman, and on Tuesday evening he left Durand on a freight, feeling light-hearted and happy, having just made arrangements for the removal of his wife and family from Sarnia to Durand. At Flushing he was compelled to stake some cars in switching. While balancing the stake, it broke, striking Mr. Anderson in the face with terrific force. He was picked up unconscious, and removed to the office of the company's physician, where on examination it was ascertained that the blow had caused six fractures of the jaw and cheek-bone. The whole lower portion of his face was crushed to one side, his eyes swollen, and shut, and his forehead badly marked. The blood from the wound ran down his throat, and further complicated matters. was Wednesday afternoon beactual work was begun, five physicians commenced and to operate, viz., Drs. Fair, Perrin, Hix-Taylor, and Arnold, of Owosso. An interdental splint was with difficulty placed in the unfortunate man's mouth, after which two holes were bored in the lower and upper jaws, and the bones wired into their natural position. A tube was inserted in his mouth to relieve his breathing, and a strap under the chin and round his head holds his face in a rigid position. is doing well, and it is thought will come around all right.

ARKONA.

Arkona Feb. 2.-Mrs. York is still on the sick list. Rev. C. W. Bristol called on Arkona

friends this week. Mr. Johnson, of Pine Hill, who is having a sawmill erected in town, has moved his family here, and will reside

here in future. Miss Etta Muma, daughter of Mr. Joseph Muma, was united in marriage to Mr. Gilbert Shire on Wednesday, in the presence of a large number of invited guests, who assembled at the family residence. Rev. C. W. Bristol, former paster of the Methodist Church,

performed the ceremony.

F. Hooper is having an auction sale La grippe is still doing its work. Many

are having slight attacks
S. P. Brown is quite ill at present with la grippe.

Descants on the Importance of the Hohenzoilerns.

What He Swore About When on the Mount of Olives

Exciting Scenes at the Burning of Macaulay's House-Villagers Give Willing Aid-Historical Portion of the House Escapes.

CHARACTERISTIC SPEECH BY THE KAISER.

Berlin, Feb. 4.-Emperor William,

speaking at the annual banquet last night of the Brandenburg Diet, said: "The Hohenzollerns have always considered themselves responsible to God personally for their acts, and a sense of responsibility to the people has also been inherited by every Hohenzollern.

When I stood on the Mount of Olives I renewed the oath taken to the colors not to leave a stone unturned to assure the welfare of the people." His majesty recalled Marshal Von Moltke's words to Prince Bismarck after the Franco-German war, "Now is the time to see the tree grow," and said: "I will be a good gardener to the tree of the German Empire, lopping off the branches which impede its growth and extirpating obnoxious root gnawers." emperor then alluded to the universal efforts being made to maintain peace, and declared that Germany "must stand united, like a bronze rock, against any attempt to disturb peace." added: "Peace must be preserved at home and abroad, and the people of the Mark of Brandenburg, above all, must lend me their help to do so." His majesty concluded with calling for cheers for the Mark of Brandenburg and its

MACAULAY'S HOUSE ON FIRE. London, Feb. 4.-There were exciting scenes yesterday at a fire which oc-curred at the birthplace of Lord Macaulay, the historian, at Rothley Temple, Leicestershire. The villagers for miles around flocked to the scene, and aided in removing the contents of the building. Fortunately the flames were confined to the new wing, and the historical portio escaped.

A DERVISH VICTORY.

Brussels, Feb. 4.-It is reported that the Belgian post at Rejaf has been captured by dervishes. Rejaf is situated on the Nile, between Fashoda and Uganda. It was attacked by the dervishes in force in June last, but they were repulsed by the garrison.

BAD WEATHER FOR THE CATTLE

Thousands Dying From Cold and Lack of Food in the Northwestern States.

Dallas, Texas, Feb. 4.-Telegrams from Northwestern and Western Texas say stockmen in those sections have suffered great losses in their herds by the cold weather of the last month. Cattle have died by the thousands from lack of food and by freezing to death. In Moore county the loss of cattle rly severe, and the country west of San Angelo is full of dead sheep.

Denver, Col., Feb. 4.-The reports constantly coming in from the ranges from all parts of the west show very badly for the cattle and stock which are roaming the plains during this ter-rible weather. John W. Springer, president of the National Live Stock Association, has received advices from Montana, Wyoming and Texas to the effect that there will be heavy losses

of range cattle within the week.

Denver, Feb. 4.—It has been years since the Colorado railways had to contend with such conditions as those of Manitoba, will reside in Edinburgh, now prevailing in the mountain regions. The outlay of cash to pay army of snow shovelers, is estimated at \$25,000 a day. Not less than 1,000 men have been shoveling snow for several days. Over 500 miles of road in the mountains have been at times shut off from communication with the main lines. Storm-bound passengers are fed and cared for by the railway companies. On the mountains thousands of cattle are freezing and starving to death, and nothing can be done to save them. In Eastern Colorado hay is being hauled long distances over the prairies to feed cattle, and it is hoped to avert heavy losses of live stock if the cold and storm abates within a day or two.

FUEL FAMINE.

Aspen, Col., Feb. 4.-The situation at the mining camp at Independence, 13 miles from here, is critical in the extreme. Starvation stares the inhabitants of the town in the face. Provision and fuel supplies are nearly exhausted. Wood that has been cut and piled up for the winter use lies buried under many feet of snow and cannot be reached, and the mines there, in all probability, must close down until spring. Roads leading to this place are impassable, and the only method of journeying is on snow shoes, an exceedingly dangerous method of travel. The storm still rages fiercely at Independence, making the outlook more gloomy. Snow slides are so frequent between Aspen and Independence that it is almost suicidal to venture on the route there Edward Rogers, a miner, was killed

by a snowslide near Silverton yester-

The officials of the Denver and Rio Grande Railway Company say the system has not had such an experience since the winter of 1885. At Glenwood Springs are three Rio Grande and two Midland trains, snowbound. Each road has a train at Lead-

ville, and the Rio Grande two at Grand Junction, and one at Minturn. No road except the Union Pacific is accepting through west-bound passengers. Snow is reported on the Rio Grande lines all the way from three feet on the level at Glenwood Springs, to six feet at Crested Butte.

The steamship Gaspesia, of the new Canadian Steamship Company, left New Carlisle, Que., at daylight, Friday, for Milford Haven. She intends calling at St. Johns, Nfld., for passengers and freight.

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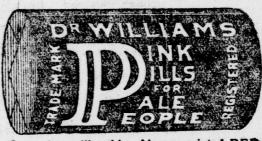
their food, breathless and palpitating at the heart after slight exertion, so that it is a trouble to go up stairs. They are "Anæmic," doctors tell them; and that is Greek for having "too little blood." Are you like that? Are your gums pale instead of being scarlet? Pull down your eyelid-Is the lining of it blood-

shot and pale? That is where "too little blood" shows.

More anæmic and weak people have been made strong, energetic, cheerful men and women by taking

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V. P. Shaughnessy, C. P. R., sails for England next week. Mr. Moscrip, ex-M.P.P., will not run

again in South Perth. Paul Kruger, president of the Transvaal Republic, is to retire.

Berlin, Germany, is to have an antivaccination congress in June.

Scotland. Fire in Dresden caused the almost total destruction of Baxter Bros.' bakery and store Wednesday night.

Telegraphing without wires is now successfully done between ships and lighthouses on the British coast. Smallpox is prevalent in half a dozen

Arkansas counties, and a shotgun quarantine is in force at many points. Conductor French of the freight train which was derailed at Medicine Hat on Thursday has died of his injuries. E. A. Small & Co., of Montreal, the Fit Reform clothing people, offer 30c on the dollar, which will probably be ac-

There was a pitch-in on the Canadian Pacific at Cardwell Junction, by which a number of loaded freight cars were

damaged. Sir John Carling and Mr. John Labatt, having interests in Toronto, were last night elected members of Toronto St. George's Society.

The Toronto World says the Conservative party in Ontario needs a new organization, a new organizer, fresh blood and a clean start. Later details of the fight on the Blue

Nile received from Cairo show that the dervish force numbered about 4,000, and that Col. Lewis' victory was won against overwhelming numbers. The Filipino junta says: The Spanish

imposition of the poll tax is enforced by the Americans with greater severity. Formerly the poorest paid \$2 and the rich \$7. Now the lowest pay \$5 and the rich \$100.

Deaths among troops in the Philippines, since arrival to Feb. 1, seven months, 220, of which 41 were due to wounds and accidents; 65 died of typhoid, 43 of smallpox, 22 of dysentery, 8 of malarial fever. The entire com-

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| destroying qualities, for use | All Harsday, Feb. 22 and 25.
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 mand has been vaccinated several times.

The death is announced at Orilna of Rev. Thomas Williams, a superannuated Methodist minister. He was one of the earliest pioneers of the district. He was the father of Rev. R. W. Williams, St. Thomas; Rev. N. Williams, Saskatchewan, and Dr. Williams, Sault Ste.

A Washington dispatch to the New York Press says Major-General Merritt is to succeed Major-General Miles as major-general, commanding the army, The orders relieving Miles of command have not been signed by the president. But this action is practically settled upon.

Details of the loss of the British steamer Glenavon received at San Francisco state that she ran on a wreck about 20 or 30 miles from Hong Kong on Dec. 20, and sank shortly after. Chief Officer Dixon, Quartermaster Smith, Second Steward Wilson and two Chinese firemen perished.

Bishop Potter claims he has been misquoted. He had been, he said, pleading for a saloon—a coffee saloon and to say that the saloon is a social necessity is not to say that the rum saloon is a social necessity, any more than to say that a bank is a social necessity would mean a faro bank.

Dr. Thomas Wildes, retired physician, living on Lexington avenue, New York, shot Hugo Wolfert, a cook in a car, Thursday night, inflicting a wound which is said to be fatal. Wolfort, according to the story told to the police, was occupying more room in the street car than he was entitled to and would not make room for a lady. Dr. Wildes upbraided Wolfert, who struck him, whereupon the doctor shot the cook.

STRATHROY.

Advertiser Agent, J. D. Meekison. Strathroy, Feb. 4 .- On Monday evening, Feb. 6, a social evening will be held at Front Street Methodist Church. An excellent programme will be presented

and refreshments will be served during intermission. Admission, 10 cents; childrep, 5 cents. Special meeting will begin in Frank Street Church on Monday evening, Feb. 6. A four-days' meeting has been arranged by the pastor, to begin on Tuesday, and during the four days services

will be held at 3 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. The death took place in Adelaide on Thursday, Jan. 26, of Eliza Raison, wife of Charles Raison, aged 77 years.

Mrs. Cadenhead, of Uxbridge, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Cameron, Front street.

The fifth Epworth League and Sunday school convention of the Strath-roy district will be held in the Methand Thursday, Feb. 22 and 23.

The regular monthly meeting of the town council will be held in the Firemen's Hall on Monday evening next. A large number from Strathroy witnessed the game of hockey played between the Watford and Strathroy clubs,

at Watford, last evening.

The death occurred in Winnipeg on Jan. 20 of Mrs. Annie Miles, widow of the late Donald Miles, formerly of Secretary James Noble of the Strath-

roy Grain Elevator Company, is in communication with the provincial secretary regarding a charter Get it at your druggist's. company. The price forwarded is \$50.

The late Edwin Maitland, of London,

was insured in the Royal Arcanum of Strathroy for the sum of \$3,000. Mr. A. D. Learoyd has purchased the Dickson-Cole bankrupt stock, and has opened up in Learoyd's store, Front street. Mr. Dickson is in charge. Miss Annie Edgecombe is visiting friends in Aylmer.

GONE TO NEW YORK

anadian Cabinet Ministers Summond -It Concerns the Treaty.

Ottawa, Feb. 4.-Hon. David Mills, Hon. A. G. Blair, Hon. W. S. Fielding and Hon. Clifford Sifton left at 4 o'clock yesterday for New York. Hon. J. I Tarte will join them at Montreal. They go to meet the premier and other Canadian members of the international commission at Washington, who will be in New York on the arrival of the ministers there. A meeting of the ministers will be held in New York to consider matters which are now engaging the attention of the commission. It is understood that the Canadian commissioners will return to Washington and that the other members of the cabinet will return to Ottawa, reaching here on Monday evening.

According to the Bozener Zeitung, the Roman Church in Austria alone (without Hungary) has capital and property amounting in value to 609,769,890 florins.

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STOCK-TAKING.

Two pieces Stripe Velveteen, worth 25c yard, for 111c yard. Six pieces Waist Silk, natty colorings, worth 50c yard, for 35c

Three pieces Navy Blue Figured Washing Silk, regular price 43c, for 15c yard.

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> BASEBALL. GROUNDERS.

Among the new teams to appear in college baseball in the east next season will be the University of Toronto, Canada. This team will visit the east early in June, and will meet several of the college teams of New York and New England. For several seasons past the Canadians have played west, and have won the distinction of being the strongest amateur team in Canada.-New York Journal.

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SMALLPOX SPREADING.

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STRIKERS WANT GOLD. Colon, Feb. 4.-At Panama the steam-

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Reason Restored After Twelve Years to a Chicago Man.

Resident of York Mills Has Not Awakened Since Saturday.

Chicago, Feb. 4.-Twelve years ago Charles Burrell was struck on the head with a brick. Since then, until Thursday, he had been insane, and for a number of years he was an inmate of the Eastern Illinois asylum at Kankakee. Wednesday Dr. W. G. Stearns, at the asylum, aided by the X rays, operated on Burrell's skull. Now the cloud which had so long obscured the light of Burrell's mind has passed away, and he began life where he left off twelve years ago.

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GIFTS TOTAL \$2,650,000.

Montreal, Feb. 3.—Sir William Macdonald has forwarded to the treasurer of McGill University a check for \$181,-250, to make up the estimated amount will make his total benefaction for this building alone \$350,000, and will bring up the gifts of Sir William Macdonald to the university to something like

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tilla 2, Satin Wood 3. Time, 1:301/4.
Third race, selling, 7 furlongs—Yours Truly 1, Can I See 'Em 2, Tragedy 3. Time, 1:291/2. Fourth race, 11/2 miles-Jackanapes 1, Muskadine 2, Sutton 3. Time, 1:551/2. Fifth race, selling, 6 furlongs-Borden

1, Lucky Monday 2, Lady Disdain 3. Time, 1:161/2. Sixth race, selling, 6 furlongs—Command 1, Merry Day 2, Everest 3. Time, 1:14%.

FISTIC. FITZ AND SHARKEY.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 4.—After working the wires nearly all day, Martin Julian and Tom O'Rourke have settled the dispute over the \$2,-500 check put up by Sharkey to cover Fitzsimmons' forfeit. The check is to be changed to cash, and all parties are to meet in Chicago or New York next week to sign articles for the fight, which is to be 25 rounds or more, Inner to take all.

BASEBALL. GROUNDERS.

Among the new teams to appear in college baseball in the east next season will be the University of Toronto, Canada. This team will visit the east early in June, and will meet several of the college teams of New York and New England. For several seasons past the Canadians have played west, and have won the distinction of being the strongest amateur team in Canada.-New

York Journal. President Young, of the National Baseball League, has fixed upon April 15 as the date for the beginning of the championship season. It will continue until the middle of October, with 154 games. The Eastern League will open two weeks after the National.

ATHLETICS.

ATHLETIC EXHIBITIONS. Some one hundred persons attended the athletic exhibitions in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium last night and showed much interest and enthusiasm as the different events were pulled off. High and low diving, running high jumps, tumbling and long herse work were on the programme, at the conclusion of which an exhibition game of basket ball was given between the first and Sarnia took a turn at putting the puck between the posts, and before time was second teams of the Y. M. C. A. League. No. 1 team won by a score called had succeeded in shooting four goals. These were interspersed with of 24 to 19 points, pulling out a cictory

teams were: No. 1, McBride, Ashplant, McLeary, Wilson and Ferguson. No. 2. McLaren, Clark, Parker, Weaver and Greene.

Grand Trunk Brakeman Crushed to Death.

Rev. J. W. Pring, of Port Lambton, Seriously Injured-Man Thrown From a Load and Killed.

Lindsay, Ont., Feb. 4.-W. Higgs, aged 21 years, Grand Trunk brake-The Nationals defeated the O. A. C. man here for the past two or three years, was killed yesterday afternoon whilec oupling cars. The accident was not witnessed by anyone, but it is supposed that Higgs slipped while coupling the engine to a freight car, and tender passed over his body. Death was instantaneous. Higgs was A MINISTER SERIOUSLY HURT.

Port Lambton, Feb. 4.-On Wednesday evening a serious accident hap-pened Rev. J. W. Pring, of this place. he was holding a series of revival services at Brown's Church, assisted by Evangelist Brownlow, of Toronto. Before going to the church after tea Mr. Pring went to the barn to feed his horse, and when putting down hay from the mow, stepped in a hole, and fell to the floor beneath, sustaining serious injuries, breaking his collar-bone and receiving bruises about the head. The reverend gentleman was rendered unconscious for two hours after the accident. A physician found that the unfortunate gentleman was suffering from concussion of the brain, and he is in a critical condition.

KILLED BY HIS HORSES. Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 4.—Wm. Webb, only son of Thomas Webb, a farmer living near Elfrida, was thrown from a load of wood which he was bringing to Hamilton, by his horses bolting, and was instantly killed.

SMALLPOX SPREADING.

Toronto, Feb. 4.-Dr. Bryce, secretary of the provincial board of health, has heard from Warren's Point, Osnabruck, Stormont county, that a case of smallpox had appeared among the workmen engaged on the canal.

A report has been received from East Hawkesbury township also that two more cases have appeared in the house of the reeve, where the first outbreak occurred.

From Irish Creek, Grenville county, where a previous case was reported, word has been received of the development of two other cases in the Brown House, where the young man died last Saturday.

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BLAZE AT BARRIE.

Barrie, Feb. 4.-This town was visited yesterday by a disastrous fire, which commenced in Vain & Co.'s drygoods store, and spread to Mrs. Mc-Neil's living apartments, a store recently occupied by Frawley & Devlin, J. F. Jackson's photo gallery, and W. A. Pae's drygoods store, and on the other side to Steven's clothing store, James Vain's grocery, and E. Williams' stores and living rooms. The block of six stores was owned by W. A. Pae, Thomas Johnson, Geo. Plaxton, R. O. Oxenham, J. S. Johnson and Robt. King, sen., whose losses are about \$500, \$1,500, \$27,000, \$2,000 and \$500 respectively. The merchants who lost are: W. A. Pae, \$1,000; J. F. Jackson, \$400; Vain & Co., \$15,000; R. A. Stephens, \$3,000; James Vain, \$4,000; E. P. Williams, \$1,500; Mrs. McNeil, \$300.

STRIKERS WANT GOLD. Colon, Feb. 4.-At Panama the steamship strikers, who were engaged by the month, petitioned the governor to en-force the payment of their wages up to the date of the beginning of the strike, these having been held on the plea of breach of contract. A conference was held at the governor's palace, attended by agents of the steamship company and the Panama Railroad, and it was agreed to increase the wages 25 cents in silver per day, as well as to make the payment of arrears asked for in the petition. Nevertheless, the strike continues, the strikers demanding a dollar in gold. The British consul at Colon, it is reported, has cabled the governor-in-chief and captain-general of Jamaica, Sir August Hemming, requesting that a British man-of-war be dispatched to Colon to protect British subjects and property

Reason Restored After Twelve Years to a Chicago Man.

A Resident of York Mills Has Not Awakened Since Saturday.

Chicago, Feb. 4.—Twelve years ago Charles Burrell was struck on the head with a brick. Since then, until Thursday, he had been insane, and for a number of years he was an inmate of the Eastern Illinois asylum at Kankakee. Wednesday Dr. W. G. Stearns, at the asylum, aided by the X rays, operated on Burrell's skull. Now the cloud which had so long obscured the light of Burrell's mind has passed away, and he began life where he left off twelve years ago.

When but a boy young Burrell had a quarrel with a playmate, who threw a brick at him. He was dazed by the blow, and never recovered from its effects until the operation. Dr. Stearns put the young man in a chair. With the X ray a skiagraph of the skull was taken. This showed a thickening of the bone near the top of the skull on the left side. This was removed in the usual manner, the foreign matter excised, and the patient was put to bed. He awoke Thursday entirely rational, and his first words were: "Why did you hit

Hamilton, Feb. 4.-Mr., William Enright, one of the very old residents of York Mills, who kept a small store nearly opposite the postoffice for many years, has been in a state of somnolence since the end of last week. He has not been in good health for some time, and since Saturday has lain in a sound sleep. It is thought by the doctors that he will probably pass away in his present condition.

GIFTS TOTAL \$2,650,000.

Montreal, Feb. 3.-Sir William Macdonald has forwarded to the treasurer of McGill University a check for \$181,-250, to make up the estimated amount necessary to endow the Macdonald building of chemistry and mining. This will make his total benefaction for this building alone \$350,000, and will bring up the gifts of Sir William Macdonald to the university to something like

LOSS \$500,000 TO \$800,000.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 3.-A fire, which originated in the big cracker bakery of the Stewart Cracker Company, at Thirteenth and Hamilton streets, at 4 o'clock this morning, completely gutted that structure, and thousands of dollars' worth of the adjoining property was destroyed, the total loss being estimated at from \$500,-000 to \$800,000. The block in which the fire occurred is occupied entirely by manufacturing establishments.

THE GROWING TIME.

Windsor, Feb. 4.-County Clerk Marcon's list of chattel mortgages filled with him by Essex farmers during the last year, shows that 369 were given, aggregating \$106,208. In 1897, 352 mortgages were filed, their equivalent in cash being \$118,284. The decrease in the cash value of the mortgages was \$12,-086. "This," said the clerk, "is surely a sign of increasing prosperity among the farmers of this country."

Toronto wholesalers generally report paper well met this month. Some of the houses report payments as hardly up to expectations, though good on the

Over the door of a church in the south of England is engraved in stone, "This is the gate of heaven;" but down below the inscription is a printed notice to the effect, "No admission during the winter months.'

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Canadians Squeezed by a Trust. It is no longer a secret that the whole oil refining industry of Canada has passed into the hands of the Standard Oil Company, the greatest commercial trust and menopoly in the world. So

far this has worked no injury to the well-owners of the oil district, and has caused no displacement of labor in the Petrolia and Sarnia refineries. But there is reason to suspect that the consumers are not faring so well. The Standard Oil Trust is apparently employing the same tactics in Canada tors to be reckoned with. In the first that it has pursued so successfully in place, there must be positive assurthe United States, namely collusion with the railways to kill off competition. This is the only inference that can be drawn from the action of trial under its improved conditions. If the C. P. R. and G. T. R., in practic- the deepening of the St. Lawrence ally doubling the freight rate on Am- canals has the effect of making the erican oil in Canada. Despite our high all-water route from Lake Superior to tariff on oil, it is so much cheaper in Montreal as cheap and popular as the the United States that it can be laid route to New York via the Erie Canal, down in Canada, duty paid, at a profit. there will be no need for spending mil-This the Standard Oil Company seeks lions on a parallel line, in which the to prevent in order to monopolize the Canadian market for its Petrolia and Sarnia refineries, and so exact the Then again, in the case of the Ottawa highest possible price from Canadian and Parry Sound Railway, private enconsumers. The company can obtain terprise is doing what the Toronto peono turther tariff protection from the Government, but the purpose is serv- The Ottawa-Parry Sound road promed just as well by discriminating freight rates against American oil. This is clearly an imposition on the public that calls for action by the railway committee of the privy council. The people of Canada in the past consented to be taxed a pretty penny for the sake of the oil interests, but now that these have passed into the tentacles of the great American octupus hey will not be so considerate.

Set a Good Example.

moved, seconded, debated and carried, all within four hours, at the Ontario Legislature on Thursday. The only speakers were the mover, the seconder, the leader of the Opposition and the leader of the Government. This is as it should be. The debate on the speech is usually a long, windy prologue, irrelevant to any of the real business of the House, and on that account better liked by members who prefer to let their tongues run at large instead of being tied down to specific questions. It is to be hoped the Legislature will always follow Thursday's precedent. The House of Commons should also put a time limit on the same debate and spare itself unnecessary infliction.

ary assemblies might be cut off without loss of dignity. In fact, the scenic accessories at these curtain-raisings border on the ridiculous. This was shown at the opening of the Nova Scotia assembly the other day, when the royal military salute was fired at the approach of a military official who was mistaken for the Lieutenant-Governor.

Some strange results are flowing from the operation of the act of the British Parliament by which those who swear they have "conscientious objections" to vaccination, are permitted to escape the compulsory clauses of the measure. Up to the end of last year the vaccination officer in England and Wales received certificates of conscientious objection from parents or guardians of 275,000 children. The unions or parishes in which such certificates have been most numerously granted are as follows: Oldham, 27,062; Keighley, 15,-596; Basford, 11,706; Norwieh, 11,420; Northampton, 11,244; Leicester, 9,885; Burnley, 8,333; Luton, 7,885; Rochdale, 7,402; Ashton-under-Lyne, 5,786; total four most populous cities the objection to vaccination is of a very limited character, as the following table shows: London (except Bethnal Green, St. George in the East, Westminster and Mile End, the statistics of which are not available), 2,336; Liverpool, 7; Manchester, 19; Birmingham, 42; total (representing a population of 5,000,000), 2,404.

The most common objection urged against vaccination is that the parent opinion of my friends." is afraid that worse results will follow inoculation than would follow an attack of smallpox. This allegation, however, is not borne out by the facts. It has to be admitted that occasionally, though very rarely, children have suffered severely after vaccination, but medical men assert that all such discomforts are vastly overshadowed by This is the view which has generally prevailed in Canada, and which is well borne out in those districts of the country where outbreaks of the disease have been reported. There it has not been difficult to get the consent of all parties to prompt vaccination. In fact, vaccination is eagerly It is believed the individual cases, at has not been vaccinated.

smallpox in some parts of Canada, short remove from the worst type of "conscientious objections" will get no aborigine. consideration when vigorous measures are deemed necessary.

Toronto's Railway Scheme.

At a public meeting at Toronto on Thursday night, a resolution was carried, expressing the opinion that the Federal Government should build and operate an independent railway line from the Georgian Bay to Toronto. Fervent speeches were made by local magnates, in which such a line was declared to be "the best way of transporting the agricultural products of Canadian and American Northwest." The idea is that Northwest products shall be carried by steamer to some Georgian Bay port, thence taken by rail to Toronto, and transferred there to steamers for Montreal.

The Government should use a great deal of circumspection before it commits itself or lends countenance to any such scheme. There are several facance as to the necessity of the road, and this cannot be ascertained until our canal system has been given a fair extra trans-shipment caused by the land portage is an inherent defect. ple call upon the Government to do. ises even greater achievements this year. Let us wait and see what our present means of transportation by land and water are fully capable of before plunging into further expenditure. The Toronto scheme involves not only the building of the railway line, but the deepening of Toronto harbor and some harbor on the Georgian Bay, and the provision of elaborate facilities for handling the grain at both ports. It is a costly project. We are not, by any means denouncing it in advance. It may The address from the throne was prove ultimately to be desirable and feasible, but that has not been demonstrated yet.

Goldwin Smith's Reply.

The attention of Mr. Goldwin Smith was recently called by a representative of the Toronto Mail and Empire to a paragraph in a London (England) journal, professing to give an account of his motives for settling on this side of the water. It has been a great honor, as well as literary advantage, to Canada to have been selected as a place of residence by a man so eminent, so worthy and high-minded. It was not necessary for Goldwin Smith to make answer to any traducer; but in meas-Some of the ceremonial frills attend- ured and dignified terms he has seen fit to do so. His reply is as follows:

water has before been ascribed to discreditable motives. The real account is simply this: "I held the professorship of modern history at Oxford, the chair held before by Arnold, and since by Freeman and Stubbs, which was the summit of my limited ambition. I resigned it because family reasons obliged me to leave Oxford, requiring my presence at home. On my father's death, having independent means and no profession, I was rather at a loss Jerry has coined an apt word. for an object in life. I was offered a The Anti-Vaccination Move. nomination to Parliament, and for a sure seat; but I knew that I had neither strength for the work nor any gifts that way. I had visited America, and had formed the interest in American history and politics which has since led to my writing a little history of the United States. My thoughts were turned that way when I fell in with Andrew D. White, now American ambassador at Berlin, then president of the Cornell University, which was being founded under his own and other noble auspices, for the special benefit of poor students. White invited me to take part as a historical lecturer in the enterprise. I consented, feeling that I should thus combine an object of practical interest with the fullest facilities for my American studies. Two very I spent at Cornell, with which I maint in a more than friendly connection. Then I took up my abode with members of my family who had settled before me here, and presently I married and became permanently resident in Canfor ten unions, 116,419. It comes as an ada. I may say that while living here agreeable surprise to learn that in the I have received offers, both political four most populous cities the objection and academical, from the old country, which showed that I had still most kindly relations both with political and academical friends. This disposes of another set of reports. Since I have settled in Toronto I have allowed a series of these fictions to pass with the disdain due to those who cannot discuss public questions without assailing private character and feelings. I do not even know whether I ought to say what I am saying to you now. But I hope it will be taken less as an answer to my enemies than as a tribute to the

American Militarism.

It may be that as a result of the present troubles in the Philippine Islands, the United States will have to fight its way into the possession of the islands, which Americans believed that the benefits arising from the practice. they had fairly won from Spain; but the islanders may be excused if they now are inclined to assert their independence of the United States itself, though there are many evidences that the more thinking natives would gladly welcome peaceful occupation by the United States if they could see their sought at such times. By this means way clear to an assertion of local selfgoverning powers on the model of the once isolated, may be disposed of with- States' governments. The question now out risk of general contagion. It has is whether or not the people could be been ascertained beyond doubt that trusted to maintain order if left to the vaccinated person has the disease themselves. If recent stories of their much more lightly than the person who treatment of prisoners can be believed, there is very much of the heathen in In view of the present outbreak of the Filipinos yet. They are but a

> Despite the unpromising character of States. the outlook, it is apparent that the

people of the United States do not like the prospect of a vast extension of their armed forces. Until the recent their armed forces. Until the recent do? At least the Grand Trunk is, being war the permanent army of the United amendable to the Dominion Railway States was less than 30,000. But as Act, which requires all new railway soon as the conflict was over. made proposition was standing army of the republic should be at least 100,000, and since Congress has been in session, there has been an official lobby at work, endeavoring to get the consent of the representatives to the big scheme. There has been an equally strong determination on the part of many thinking men to prevent the launching of the country on huge and unnecessary military expenditure. Republican after Republican statesmen rose in their places and asserted that they would never support the vast increase in the standing army in time of peace. The protest has been so strong that the majority of the committee on military forces have consented to establish an army of only 50,000 men, instead of 100,000, as proposed, with a provision authorizing the president, at his discretion, in time of emergency, to increase it to 100,000.

This is regarded as a distinct victory for the traditions of the republic, which have always hitherto been that the standing army shall only exist for police service. But unless there is soon a very great improvement in the Philippine Islands, they will for many a long day need nearly all the 50,000 to keep things straight in that bellicose

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> Bowell or Tupper, Which shall be upper?

Gen. Gomez at first wanted liberty or \$60,000,000 for Cuba, but has compromised with Uncle Sam for \$3,000,000.

An American firm has issued a contract to build a trolley line to the pyramids of Egypt. It is enough to make the sphinx break her eternal

Toronto is beginning to suspect it is being sidetracked by Montreal, not to say Ottawa, in the matter of railways suspicion not entirely without

Since his return from Great Britain, Sir Charles Tupper issues his daily grumble. No one grudges him any consolation which he may get from this. "My settling on this side of the It is the only comfort in the political world which he can lay hold of.

> Jerry Simpson, the Kansas political freak, was called a demagogue by an opponent in Congress the other day, whereupon Jerry retorted that his opponent was a "plutogogue," meaning a panderer to the trusts and combines.

Hon. Clarke Wallace, in a speech made at a Conservative meeting in a Toronto Orange lodge room last week, asserted that it was the most ardent desire of the Liberals of Canada to see the manufactures of the Dominion extinguished! This is bearing false witness against one's own neighbors with a vengeance. Mr. Clarke Wallace cannot be so ignorant as this assertion would indicate. He was Controller of Customs in the late Government, and he must know that a very large number of the manufacturers of the country are Liberals? Was he trading on happy, and, I hope, not unfruitful years the supposed ignorance of those he addressed? The great mass of the people of Canada know that the statement he uttered, as reported in the World, is a slander, and unworthy of any man.

WHAT OTHERS SAY.

Still Have Their Troubles. [Toronto Telegram.]

Last summer the Conservatives were worrying because Hon. John Dryden did not have a seat, and this winter their worry is entirely due to the spectacle of the Honorable John in the seat which Charles Calder once

A Disgruntled Royalist. [Paris L'Autorite.]

The English lash away at us; Russia abandoned us; Germany scorns us; Italy hates us, and the pig-dog of a Siamese, to whom we scarcely gave dogs' food at the Elysee, barks at our In a little time, thanks to the republic, one will blush to be a French-

The Cold Microbe [Hamilton Times.]

The London Spectator declares that colds are infectious, and it hopes that ere long our bacteriologists, having discovered the hostile microbe, having learned his habits, traced his life history, and tracked him to his lair, will be able to show us how we can get the better of our foe.

The Oll Trust.

[Ottawa Journal.] The intention is clear to give the owners of the Petrolia and Sarnia wells an overwhelming advantage against competitors, and the owners of the Petrolia and Sarnia wells are the Standard Oil men, a gang who have not stopped short of encouraging arson and practically murder to destroy opposi-tion to their monopoly in the United

The question arises, Have the Grand

tariffs to be laid before the railway committee of the privy council. We are not sure but that the C. P. R. is exempt from the railway act as regards its

Dingley Floorea. [Buffalo Inquirer.]

They tell an entertaining story on the late Mr. Dingley and Tom John-

1894, when the Wilson tar-In bill was under discussion in iff the house, Mr. Johnson, a rampant free trader and single tax advocate, claimed that the Steel Rail Trust owed its life to the McKinley bill. Mr. Dingley denied the very existence of such a

"Does the gentleman deny that there is such a trust?" asked Mr. Johnson, with some show of amazement. "I do," said Mr. Dingley, vehemently.

"There is no such trust." 'Then," shouted back Tom Johnson, with every evidence of satisfaction, "I wish to tell the distinguished gentleman from Maine that he is unacquainted with the object. There is a steel rail trust, for I, myself, am the president of that great corporation."

Men rarely got ahead of Mr. Dingley in debate, but on this occasion he was floored. The Tom Johnson he had in mind was the single tax advocate, and free trader, not the street railway magnat and iron-making millionaire. Mr. Dingley could hardly be blamed because, curiously enough, they happened to be the same person, not a usual combination.

LIGHT AND SHADE.

Handicapped at the Outset.

He-Have you lived here very long? She—Sir, I want you to understand that at my age it would be impossible for one to have lived anywhere very

Of course after that he found it impossible to keep the conversation from dragging.-Cleveland Plaindealer.

Too Clever to Keep.

that Robson has got sacked? Second Shipping Clerk-No. Is that a fact? I thought he was such a clever sort of chap. First S. C.-Too clever by half. He invoiced a consignment of cradles as matrimonial fruit baskets.-Vanity

First Shipping Clerk-Have you heard

Life.

A crust of bread and a corner to sleep A minute to smile and an hour to weep

A pint of joy to a peck of trouble, And never a laugh but the moans come double, And that is life!

A crust and a corner that love makes precious,

With the smile to warm and the tears to refresh us; And joy seems sweeter when cares come

after, And a moan is the finest of foils for laughter,

And that is life! -Paul Lawrence Dunbar.

His Reason.

"You don't think you will make anyone think you are younger by dyeing your beard, do you?" "No, but they will realize how old I am and treat me with a little more consideration."-Indianapolis Journal.

Another.

Educated Filipino-Yes, sir, it is said there are 7,000 different dialects in use on these islands.

American Soldier (from Connecticut) -Wall. I swan! Educated Filipino-That makes 7,001. -Chicago Tribune.

CANADIANS GET THERE.

Havana, Feb. 4.-The control of the existing railway system of Cuba has been secured by the New York syndicate, which includes Canadian capital-The deal includes about all the railways on the island.

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New Departure in British Army Regulations.

France Contemplates Creating a Huge Navy.

Austria Under the Rule of a Dictator.

A Bandmaster's Unfortunate Blunder-Nan-Ning, China, To Be a Treaty Recent Concession by Turkey to Germany.

London, Feb. 4.-The English war department has inaugurated a measure of considerable importance. It provides that in future every cavalry regiment shall comprise a certain number of trained telegraphers, and inasmuch as increased pay and brighter prospects of promotion are to be accorded to troopers and non-commissioned officers who have mastered the science of telegraphy, the result will be that in the course of time nearly every cavalryman will know how to telegraph. In modern warfare cavalry is used almost exclusively for reconnoissance, and the idea is that each trooper shall be sufficiently expert, not only to be enabled to tap the wires with a view of obtaining valuable information regarding the enemy, but shall be able to send important news which may be secured. It is known that Germany and Russia keep large bodies of cavalry on either side of their long frontier with the main purpose of cutting and tapping the enemy's telegraph wire just across the boundary line, for the pur-pose of interfering with the mobilization immediately on the outbreak of It will be seen, therefore, that a knowledge of telegraphy is indispensable to the cavalrymen of the future, and in view of this fact, the new rule inaugurated by the war department here excites universal approval,

THE FRENCH NAVY.

Rome, Feb. 4.-The Carriere Delta Sera contains an interview with the French minister of marine, in which he says the French naval programme includes the construction of powerful battleships, cruisers, submarine ves-sels and torpede boat destroyers. Then, the minister said, they counld maintain a sea war with England, as well as a great blockade. He also thinks England's war organization is overestimated.

"IF I WERE KING!"

Paris, Feb. 4.-Through an unfortunate blunder of the bandmaster at the presidential banquet to the bureaux of both chambers this evening, as President Faure entered the banquethall, the band of the Garde Republicaine played, instead of the customary Marsellaise, the overture, "Si j'Etais Roi" ("If I Were King").

The revision committee of the Chamber of Deputies held a five hours' sitting yesterday.No official note has been issued regarding what occurred, and nothing has leaked out; but the fact that the premier and minister of justice were present excites the keenest inter-

FRANCE PROTESTS.

A dispatch to the Frankfort Zeitung from Constantinople says the French embassy has formally and strongly protested to the porte against the concession to Germany of a port and, dock at Haidar Pasha, nearly opposite Constantinople, on the south side of the Sea of Marmora, to be used as a terminus of the Anatolian Railway,

NOT IN A MAD-HOUSE. The French newspapers are raising an outcry against the alleged detention and ill-treatment of Princess Louise of Coburg in a lunatic asylum, but the Brussels correspondent of the London Daily Mail says that King Leopold has paid his daughter's debts, and that if current reports in Belgium are to be believed, the princess is in the

mad-house at all. AUSTRIA UNDER A DICTATOR. Vienna, Feb. 4.-The statement that constitutionalism in Austria has succumbed is confirmed by the announcement that Count Thun Von Hohenstein, the premier, intends to rule as dictator without the reichsrath for a tions against this overthrow of parliamentary government.

NAN NING TO BE OPENED. Pekin, Feb. 4.-The Tsung Li Yamen (Chinese foreign office) has agreed to open as a treaty port the city of Nan Ning, in the province of Kuang See, on the River Fu, near the Tonquin frontier, which the British consider necessary for the exploitation of the West

The Tsung Li Yamen has also agreed to pay \$30,000 to the relatives of the murdered British missionary, Mr. Fleming. In addition, two of the murderers have been beheaded, the military mandarin of the locality has been banished, and two officials have been degraded.

CANADA'S ADVANTAGES. London, Feb. 4.-Inquiries as to trade prospects with Canada made at the of- and impracticable."

fice of the high commissioner, elicited the fact that there are English firms open to buy metal residues and sweet cider in 60-cask lots. A Glasgow firm is ready to import grain and provisions and consignments of woolen manufactures. It would, of course, require National Evangelist Henry Creagents in Canada. An agent here is desirous of representing Canadian mak-

ers of pavement blocks.

Lord Strathcona has a letter in the morning papers directing the attention of intending immigrants to the great advantages presented by Canada. FAMINE IN RUSSIA.

United States Ambassador Hitchcock has reported to his government on the famine conditions prevailing in several parts of Fussia. The report is taken from the statement of the Red Cross Society in the official gazette. Destitution, following a failure of crops, exists in seven easterr and two central provinces of Russia and the relief work is being carried on by the Russian Imperial Government through the agency of the Russian Red Cross. The Red Port-France Protests Against a Cross Society thus far has appropriated about \$562,000 to the relief work. CABLE NOTES.

> The marriage took place at Rome on Thursday of Miss Lillian Blauvelt, the American prima donna, to W. F. Pendleton, formerly a broker in New York. Mr. Colville Y. Ingate, American viceconsul at Patras, Greece, has died of hydrophobia. He was bitten two months ago, but kept it secret. He refused treatment. He was must beloved and regretted. Ingate was appointed to the consular service from Alabama.

THE COUNTESS IN CUSTODY

On the Charge of Defrauding an Insurance Company.

Berlin, Ont., Feb. 4.-Matters in the Von Webeneau fire of Tuesday morning have taken a serious turn, Frau von Webeneau and her nephew, Herman Bolderhausen, being lodged behind prison bars. The woman was arrested by High Constable John Klippert. He was acting under instructions from Mr. E. P. Clement, acting county crown attorney, on information furnished by Mr. W. M. Gray, inspec-tor of the Merchants' Fire Insurance

The charge against the two is "conspiracy to defraud the Merchants' Fire Insurance Company," and it is possible the woman may be charged with arson. TOOK OUT A POLICY IN SEPTEM-BER.

In September of 1898 a policy was taken out for \$2,000 by the woman for her nephew on the contents of the dwelling. Since the fire on Tuesday a claim paper has been made out by Mr. C. Bitzer, who has been asked by Frau Webeneau to look after her case. Acting County Crown Attorney Clement gave him the following state-

HOUSEHOLD GOODS SENT AWAY. On the morning of Jan. 30, sixteen cases of goods were left at the G. T. R. station at Waterloo, addressed to Buffalo. These cases contained household goods of the prisoner, who had consigned them under the name of was alleged these cases contained expensive salves and medicines, but upon examination the contents were found to be only ordinary household goods.

The crown claims the case against the woman is very strong. She was arrested in the court house, where she come to see now ner claim getting along, and when "arson" was mentioned, exclaimed, "Oh, God!" NEPHEW ALSO ARRESTEL.

Detective Klippert then went on the trail of the young man, and arrested him at the house of a friend. They were remanded until Friday, Feb. 10.

MIDDLESEX NEWS

Glencoe girls develop their muscles in the town gymanasium. W. E. Thompson has returned to his home in South Africa after visiting his

old home in Glencoe. Cricket will be revived in Strathrov

Fred Lenfesty, of Strathroy, will take a course as a trained nurse at Grace Hospital, Detroit.

Eli D. Mann, a former resident of United States and not in an Austrian Strathroy, died at Atchison, Kansas,

At the regular meeting of the West Middlesex District Council of Royal Templars, held in French's Hall, Glencoe, there was a good attendance of delegates from the various councils in the district, and reports were highly gratifying to the organization. The dictator without the reichsrath for a year and possibly until the term of the present parliament expires in 1903. The Socialists are preparing for demonstrations against this eventhrow of parliament to the organization. The wardsville Council especially showing renewed vigor, with a membership of about 90 in good standing. Officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: Select councilor, Alfred Mc-George, Wardsville; vice-councilor, Miss M. E. Bryans, North Ekfrid; past councilor, Charles Strachan, Appin; chaplain, W. Johns, Wardsville; treasurer, John Cooper, Melbourne; herald, W. A. English, Appin; deputy herald, Miss Ida McCracken, Glencoe; trustees, Tom Pole, W. J. French, W. R. S. McCracken; representative to Grand Council, which meets at Stratford Feb.

16, Alfred McGregor. The famous Oxford University Union Debating Society, which was so antagonistic to the north during the civil war in the United States, have, by a vote of 46 to 30, passed the following resolution: "That any formal alliance

with America would belooth injudicious

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While this work is going on the Tablets are restoring the stomach to its natural health and strength. When they have done this there is no further need to use them. Their work has been

Stomach, Liver and Bowels have been strengthened, and enabled to properly perform their duties

ates a Sensation.

Renounces M. E. Church and Joins Adventists-She Says the Union Is Surcharged With Politics.

Battle Creek, Mich., Feb. 4. There is quite a sensation among the members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, of this city, over the position being taken by the national evangerist, Mrs. S. M. I. Henry. Twenty-five years ago Mrs. Henry was elected to the office of national evangelist, and has held that office ever since. She has lectured all over the country, and bas a reputation in the W. C. T. I. next to the late Miss

About two years ago, Mrs. Henry came to the sanitarium for treat-ment. She had always been a prominent and devoted member of the M. E. Church. While here she investigated the doctrines of the Seventh Day Adventists, and was cured by prayer by the members of that denomination. Her cure was telegraphed all over the country, and much ado was made over her remarkable recovery; She soon espoused the doctrines of the Adventists, and renounced her Methodist church. Since then she has been growing more and more zealous in her It has been reported that she intends to leave the W. C. T. U., as she can no longer sanction its work. She hinted at this in a recent Adventist

meeting.

Recently at a mother's meeting of the union, she spoke on this subject and said that something worried her with reference to the W. C. T. U. She had a burden. There seemed to have come a crisis in the organization which would indicate that the union passing through a critical period. This was noticeable at all the last state conventions, and at the last national convention. Unless the organization be baptized anew with the Holy Spirit its usefulness will be at an end. The union must come back to first principles and the old way. In the old time, when the crusaders were active. nothing came up that could not be settled after it had been prayed over. The speaker charged that there was passed through the probate court of Oxtoo much politics in the organization to keep it in a healthy state, and that the machinations of these same politicians would be the ruin of the union.

In the early days denominationalism gersoll, probate to executors for \$20,000, was left out, but now, according to Margaret Baxter, married woman, late Mrs. Henry, members have been dis- of Dereham, administration to James qualified from holding office because baxter for \$500. Thomas Wood, merof their religious beliefs and the dechant, late of Ingersoll, probate to execute the control of the of their religious beliefs and the denomination to which they belonged.

If the W. C. T. U. is not brought into er, late of South Norwich, probate to the work that God has given executors for \$7,500. Elizabeth Matheline to do the work that God has given it to do he will raise up another company of women who will do it. There may be another crusade, or it may be by another means. To do what we do in the name of the Lord would revolutionize the average American home. She would not be surprised at any time to hear that the organization had exploded into a thousand fragments. She advised the women to grasp the opportunity given them now for doing God's work, and prepare for the coming of the end of the present age.

Mrs. Henry has been writing articles for the official organ of the Seventh Day Adventists, and from the tone of them it is surmised that she intends to organize and place herself at the head of some sort of a sisterhood of Advent-

outcome of her agitation watched with interest by the temperance people.

Fatal Accident to a Moore Township Farmer.

Death of a Centenarian in Chatham-Batch of Ox ord Wills Probated.

The Petrolea waterworks supplies 930

Rev. Dr. Thompson, of Sarnia, is in very poor health at present. Sarnia barbers will ask the council to pass an early-closing bylaw.

Walters Bros. & Co., drygoods merchants, Sarnia, have assigned. The Duncan farm, 56 acres, near Brig-

den, was sold at auction last week for \$1,400. Andrew Butler, jun., is now in charge

of the Farmers' Exchange Hotel, Wy-A.company of cadets has been organized in connection with the Petrolia high school.

Eddie Stafford, a 7-year-old Marthaville lad, was bitten on the lip by a dog recently. A. C. Lochead has disposed of his

drug business in Thedford to Dr. J. H. Grimby, of Wiarton. J. A. H. Campbell was elected chairman of the Windsor board of education

on Wednesday evening. Rev. A. R. Park, Baptist minister, Forest, is able to attend to his duties

again after a severe illness. Rev. Gerald Willoughby, of Alvinston, will spend three months visiting the principal points of interest in Europe. Mr. J. G. Hutchcroft, of the Petrolea

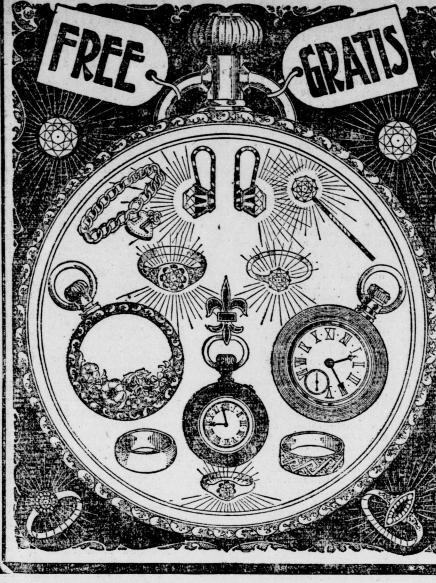
Advertiser staff, and Miss May Mc-Whorter, were married on Wednesday. Forty-three years ago Wednesday, Jan. 26, 1856, Mr. George N. Matheson, collector of customs at Sarnia, entered the customs service at Point Edward. Few have filled a position so long, so

faithfully and so well. A grand military entertainment under the patronage of Lieut.-Colonel Hegler and the officers of the 22nd Battalion Oxford Rifles, will be given by members of the 48th Highlanders, Toronto, in Woodstock opera house on Friday evening, Feb. 24. The proceeds are in aid of the Woodstock hospital.

Mrs. Thos. McIntee, of Burford, who nearly met death by inhaling chlorois reported out of danger. Mrs. McIntee was worked upon by the doctor for nearly five hours before she recovered consciousness. The grief of the lady on learning the circumstances of her husband's death was pitiable. She is still in a very delicate state, though it is hoped she will recover.

The death occurred in Windsor on Wednesday of Captain W. J. Rose, at his home, 10 Chatham street east. The deceased had been a sufferer from spinal trouble for years. He was 52 years old, and had resided in Windsor for the past fourteen years. He was to be those belonging to the Spanish born in Amherstburg, and was at one time in command of one of the Michigan Central transfers at that place. He was buried at Amherstburg.

The oldest landmark in Chatham was removed Wednesday in the death of gist has nore in stock, get him to pro-Thos. Robinson. Born in Glengarry, cure it for you.



Scotland, on Jan. 9, 1800, he came to

this country while yet a young man, and settled first in Madoc. Afterwards

inson up to the time of his death en-

ford county recently is as follows:

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heim; probate to executors, estate \$1,200. Peter Stuart, miller, late of In-

utors for \$6,200. John W. Harris, farm-

son, widow, late of Embro, probate to

executors for \$3,250. Henry Green, farmer, late of East Oxford, probate to executors for \$11,000. Abigail Watson, widow, late of Woodstock, probate to

executors for \$500. Phoebe Ann Van

Doser, widow, late of North Norwich,

An accident that was attended with

terrible injuries befell Mr. John Elliott,

of the 12th line of Moore, on Tuesday

afternoon, and which may yet result

fatally. Mr. Elliott was engaged fell-

ing a tree, and when in the act of driv-

ground to insure the tree talling in a

certain direction, the huge stick of tim-

ber swayed to one side and came down

unexpectedly, striking Mr. Elliott on

with his father at the time, ran for

aid, but before it could be secured the

unfortunate man had lain over an hour

on the ground and had almost bled to

death. It was found that the unfortun-

ate man's left leg had been broken at

the thigh and at the knee, also that the spine had been injured, and his skull

crushed in on the left side of his head.

and it is feared he is hurt internally.

The sufferer was removed to the Sarnia

general hospital, where he is receiving

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School Board Re Domestic Science

in the Schools Contradicted.

As the closing address of the late

ask of your courtesy permission to con-

ment therein, regarding the effort be-

ing made to have domestic science

The misstatement is this, that "the

promoter of this new idea has stated

that the object is to get girls of 14 to

16 years interested in the subject, and

as the average age of the girls passing

from the public schools to the Collegiate

Institute is about 131/2 years, there is

therefore no place for it in the public

There could be no more convincing

argument against the introduction of

domestic science than the above, if only

it were true, but it is not true, and no

one should know better than the chair-

man, who has had so many years' ex-

perience upon the school board, what is

the average age of girls in the Fourth

Standard, for whom alone this privilege

It might be asked why I did not chal-

lenge the statement when the address

was being delivered. My reply is that

did not hear it, for, at the moment

its reader introduced the subject of

domestic science, he, with a somewhat

flank movement which carried his voice

to the other side of the council cham-

ber, and that most baffling attitude was

so carefully maintained that beyond its name and an intermittent and occa-

sional sentence, the main drift of the argument was lost to me, and it was

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There are at least 2,500,000 acres of good land in the Province of Ontario available for settlement at the merely nominal price of 50 cents an acre, in regard to which it was long felt more ought to be known. To this end a 24page pamphlet has just been issued by the Ontario department of agriculture, containing the gleanings from a trip made by Mr. Duncan Anderson, a practical farmer of Rugby, Ontario, through a number of the newer sections of the province. The first section visited was that lying around Port Arthur. Here the soil varies from a clay to a sandy loam. Some of it is brule, or burnt-over land, and is easily cleared.

government established a small experimental farm to show the capabilities of the soil, there are about 170,000 acres of available land, or enough to form a fair-sized Ontario county. Mr. Anderson devotes a good deal of space to this fertile patch amidst the western mineral region, and relates with a glow of enthusiasm that he held the plow for a couple of rounds on one settler's place, turning up for the first time to the summer's sun some of the virgin soil of the Wabigoon country. Some of it is brule and easily cleared, while por-tions of it along the river bottoms are heavily timbered, but the bulk of it could be cleared for about \$5 an acre.

Mr. Anderson gives the history of one settler from York county with two stout boys to help him. He located in ing a similar assurance of a decent the township of Eton, close to Oxdrift Station, arriving about the beginning of April. He started to plow on the 18th of the same month, and by the 15th of May had 25 acres cleaned up, plowed and sown with wheat, oats, peas and barley. On the 28th of May he had planted his potatoes and corn, and was preparing his turnip land. One of the great advantages of the Wabigoon country, as of other agricultural sections in that part of Ontario, is that the development of the mineral lands promises a splendid market for all the farmer produces. Speaking of the pioneer farm, Mr. Anderson says it has demonstrated very clearly the excellent agricultural outlook in the district by changing wild waste land to clean fields and a cultivated farm in four short years. From his own experience in clearing lands, Mr. Anderson knows that a working farmer of moderate means, with an industrious family (if not afraid of flies for a few weeks in the heat of summer for the first few years, and other drawbacks incident to pioneer life), can in five or six years have 100 acres cleared and free from both stumps and stones. "Thus many men," he says, "who are now forced to work for others, if they were to put forth an effort and deny themselves some of the luxuries of life, could in a few years become independent by having a very comfortable farm home of their own in the Wabigoon country."

There are some able for settlement in the Rainy River country, and the soil is of a high average all through. Mr. Conmee, the member for West Algoma, in conversation with Mr. Anderson, said that the good land is not confined to the river valley alone, but extends northeasterly along the shore of Lake of the Woods, and he estimates the agricultural lands all told at four million acres. This was in part confirmed by Mr. Alex. Luttrell, a well-known resident of the district, who states that the unsurveyed portion of the Grassy River country contains fine farming land. The town of Rat Portage and the mining and fishing population on Lake of the Woods supply a good market. The fertility is remarkable, and a twenty-five-fold return for wheat is not at all uncommon. From what Mr. Anderson saw he believes there is no more fertile soil in the Province of Ontario, and he questions if there is a more productive tract of land on the continent. Railway facilities are promised in the near future by the construction of the Rainy River Railway. Mr. Anderson also visited the land around Goulais Bay, near Sault Ste. there, however, have been taken up.

comprise about a million and a quarter acres, the southern point of which is but 250 miles from Toronto. The land is situated on the 48th parallel, and, as Mr. Anderson reminds us, is a long way south of the most southerly por-Two and a Half Million Acres of tion of the Province of Manitoba, and south of half of the continent of Europe. In regard to the fertility, perhaps nothing better could be said than to quote the following from Mr. An-

"On the Quebec side of the lake, at Baie des Peres, there is a farm of 350 acres of cultivated land. The principal product is hay. This season they had 180 acres of mixed grass, timothy, common red and a little alsike clover. It was estimated that there would be over 500 tons. Some of the fields had been mown for six years. I never saw so much fine hay growing in one place. The first and second years' cut would yield three and three and a half tons to the acre. This land never had been manured. This farm was in bush previous to 1884, but is now growing immense crops of hay, barley, peas, wheat, oats, potatoes and vegetables, without the aid of either artificial or barnyard manure. They keep about 25 head of cattle."

The Temiscaminque settlement is quite young. Five years ago there were only about a dozen settlers on the Onman's work for three or four days is sufficient to clear an acre and make it ready for the plow. Fort William and Port Arthur are good local markets.

In the Wabigoon country, where the In the Wabigoon country, where the is at present the greatest drawback to settlement. The whole report is one worthy of some reflection. There are scattered throughout the concessions and side-lines of Ontario farm hands who would make excellent settlers in these portions of New Ontario. By a few years of toil but little greater than now serves to give them a scanty living, they could become the owners of good farms. The same lesson might be pondered by thousands of laborers and strong and hearty mechanics in the cities. Let any such ask himself whether he is likely to be happier depending on the precarious chances of employment in cities, or to apply his health and his strength to labor that will surely give him a home and a living of which no man can deprive him, besides furnishlivelihood for his boys and girls in the healthy and virtuous atmosphere of the country. Almost the only capital required is health and industry to turn the landless man of the cities into the farmer, with his broad acres, his sheep, his cattle and his barns.-Toronto

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THE MECHANIC AND ARTISAN

The Trades and Labor Council heid its regular meeting this week, President W. A. Hunter presiding. The organization committee's report was full of From Speaker Gully's Recent Lecture. interest, showing that the spirit for closer affiliation of the various trades and callings was on the boom. It was five new unions would be formed.

The report of the president in referunion and that representation on the council could not be granted to the society until all its members were affiliated with the union of their trade or

calling, where such existed.

It was resolved that the council indorse the action of the city council in asking the legislature to allow municipalities to assess street railway or other like companies in any one ward of the

W. A. Hunter and W. Burleigh were appointed as representatives to the Western Fair Association. The cigarmakers' delegates reported that another union cigar factory had

started in the city. . GENERAL LABOR NOTES. Shoe lasters at Elgin, Ill., are on strike because of the discharge of one of their

Carpenters of Des Moines, Iowa, expect to inaugurate an eight-hour day April 1. The new scale calls for 39c per hour.

The Colorado state commissioner of mines reports that during the past year 30,231 miners were employed in the various mines of that state.

T. V. Powderly's suit against the Knights of Labor for \$4,000 back salary has been settled out of court. Judgment for the full amount with interest was entered last December.

A big miners' strike is threatened in Belgium. The employers are said to be combining and to refuse to treat with the men, who are restless and threaten to walk out all over the kingdom.

The striking miners at Pere Marquette, Mich., have returned to work at the terms offered by the mining company, which is the same rate as is being paid in the other local mines. Secretary Klapetzky, of the Barbers' International Union, in reply to an inquiry, ruled that lady barbers were not admitted into the union, neither could a shop employing one display a union

John Mitchell, of Illinois, was elected by the United Mine Workers of America as their president, vice M. D. Ratchford. Reports of the secretarytreasurer show the organization to be on a good financial basis.

The headquarters of the International Barbers' Union will be removed from Syracuse, N. Y., to Cleveland, Ohio. The Tobacco Workers' National Union is now located in Louisville, Ky., having removed from St. Louis, Mo.

All the employes of the National Maileable Iron Company of Toledo, Ohio, 150 men, went on strike. The trouble arose over the discharge of a workman by the foreman because he was two utes late for work in the morning. Attempts are soon to be made to or-

ganize unions among the Milwaukee packers, nailers and wireworkers, as the organization committee of the Milwaukee Trades Council has been instructed to take steps in that direc-

manufacturers to supply the demand, by the practice of permitting a general the Box Makers and Sawyers' Union has decided to open up a box factory from the chair. of their own.

The shoeworkers' lockout at Mariimpoverished condition.

Des Moines (Iowa) Trades and Labor claimed a right to try, convict and Assembly, says the Iowa Capital, shows sentence persons who had attacked that organized labor in that city is neither the members nor privileges of earning 25 cents to \$1 50 per day more the house a notable case being that of earning 25 cents to \$1 50 per day more the house a notable case being that of than the unorganized workers, and in the crazy religious enthusiast Naylor, addition to this they are working from one to five hours less per day.

Frank R. Gadd, formerly connected with the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen in an official capacity with the general offices at Peoria, Ill., has been indicted on sixteen counts for misappropriation of the funds of the order. An examination of the books so far shows that he embezzled \$6,000.

Labor unions of Colorado are unanimous in the sentiment that the two pre-eminent things to be demanded at the hands of the present legislature by organized labor are the repeal of the boycott law and the confining of the power of injunction courts to those things originally embraced within their

dominion. Frank A. Westerman, of Columbus, Ohio, was arrested on Jan. 5 for violating the anti-trust law, in acting as leader in the carpenter's union of that Last Tuesday Judge Swartz, of the city court of Columbus sustained the demurrer to the affidavit against Westerman. The court held that labor unions were not trusts.

The labor press all over the country is shouting against the recognition of the Sullivan-Elliott faction of painters by the American Federation of Labor, because Sullivan and Elliott are well known as the original seceders from the bona fide organization five years ago, and neither of them has worked at the business for ten years.

Organization is booming in Toledo, Photo-engravers, stereotypers, bookbinders, bindery girls, paper rulers and stockkeepers, sewer brick layers and a nonpartisan independent club of union men have all been organized within the past two weeks, while the Toledo Typographical Union has levied an assessment of 25 cents per member to be used in furthering the allied printing label.

The Sedalia, Mo., divisions of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, at a joint meeting last week, passed ringing resolutions protesting against the proposed legislation of the Missouri legislature having for its object the reduction of railroad fares in the State. The engineers contend that if the legislation is enacted it will result in either a reduction of wages for railway employes or a material reduction in the

working forces. William Inskip, secretary of the Boot and Shoe Operatives' Union of nEg-land, who was one of the fraternal delegates to the Kansas City session of the American Federation of Labor, has arrived in London. On being asked for an opinion of the American laborer, he

said in his opinion they had yet much to learn from their English brethren, but the trade union feeling in America was so strong that eventually 90 per cent of the workers would enroll themselves as union men and women.

OLD BRITISH PARLIAMENT

During the Long Parliament and those of the Protectorate, the regular stated that before the end of the week hour for the sitting of the house was 8 a.m., and any member not there at prayers was liable to a fine of 1 shilling to the poor. This, however, was a falling off from the early rising habwas presented. It showed that the Musicians' Protective Association should not be recognized as a bona fide labor union and that representation monwealth committees would often sit from 6 to 8 in the morning. In August, the house itself. Usually three preach-1641, a Sunday sitting of the house was | ers were appointed, who preached one ordered to remonstrate against the king's intended journey to Scotland. The house thereupon met at 6 in the morning to hear prayers and a sermon in St. Margaret's Church. The ideal of the house as regards time and length of sittings was probably given in the resolution of the second parliament of Oliver Cromwell, which ordered that the lecturers who preached the morning lectures in Westminster Abbey should begin their sermon at 7, finish at 8, and then resort to the house to pray with the members daily before they entered upon their work. The resolution fur-ther ordered that the house do rise at 12 every day, and that the speaker do put the house in mind thereof. Sitting till dark was so far exceptional that it was unlawful to introduce candles except by express order of the house, until the reign of George I., when the house made a standing order for the sergeant-at-arms to take care that candles be brought in without any particular order. In the stormy times to which he was particularly alluding, there were many sittings which would be thought very long even now. For example, in Richard Cromwell's parliament, after nine long days' debate, the house sat one night till 10 p.m. next day. Mr. Chaloner Chute, the speaker, was compelled by sickness to leave the chair, and he died a few weeks later. Mr. Long, recorder of London, who had been chosen in his place, sat for four days, when he also succumbed and died a few days later. Thus one de-bate killed two speakers. In the course of this long debate one member said plaintively: "Mr. Speaker, I perceive the house grows empty; so do our bellies; I pray you would adjourn for an hour"; but the house sat on relentlessly till 4. FORMS AND PROCEDURE.

There was plenty of evidence that the house then, as now, was a keen and, on the whole, a fair-minded critic of speeches. Ancient traditions as to constitutional law and custom rapidly hardened into prescribed rules, fortified and hedged in by many precedents. Since 1650 large additions and modifications of rules of the house have been made, but the principles of order, courtesy, and freedom in debate have certainly come down to us from the seventeenth century, if not from a much earlier date. The rules to avoid per-sonal altercations between members were much the same as at present. The practice had not, however, yet grown up of referring to members in connection with their constituencies. Members were described as "that honorable person," or "that very learned man that spoke near the post"—probably one of the pillars supporting the gallery. An early, if not the first, record of der for naming members was in May, 1641. Offensive language was prohibit ed, and personal violence was forbidden, and, so far as he could judge, was never used, though at time it might have come near it. A weak point in the conduct of business seemed to have made boxes by the wholesale houses of Chicago and the inability of the union vance in debate, a difficulty aggravated vance in debate, a difficulty aggravated debate before any question was put

PRIVILEGE.

At that period the house pressed very boro, Mass., and that of textile workers in Georgia are still on. Both have the persons and reputations of memsent agents out to collect funds to wage bers as protected by privilege at all the fight to the bitter end. The Georgia places and on all occasions, and dealing textile workers are said to be in a very with disputes which were more fitted for a police court. But the parliaments The report of the statistician of the of the Commonwealth went further, and who was brought to the bar of the house and for his "horrid blasphemy" was sentenced to be pilloried, whipped, branded with a hot iron and have his tongue bored through with a hot iron, and who afterwards was kept in prison two and a half years. But the house had other and less hurtful ways of dis-

THE HANGING SWORD.



lived with a sword continually hanging above his head, suspended only by a single hair? Many a woman of the present day is like Damocles. She is living with a constant menace of danger hanging over her head because of some weakness or disease of the special organism which makes her a woman. It

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playing its intense interest in religion. It was the practice from the time of James I. onward to set apart, as soon as the house met, a day for fasting and humiliation. In the time of the Comafter the other, and the services lasted all day, the appetite of that generation for long services being prodigious. It was curious to see how questions which interested the parliaments of the Comthe licensing laws and the abolition of IN ONE QUALITY ONLY. monwealth, such as the amendment of oaths, raised several questions very analogous to some which were heard of now. The tone and conduct of the debate when a definite issue was once placed before the house were not altogether unlike those of the present day.

A PRESENTATION

At the close of the prayer meeting recently held in the North Congregational Mission, the people presented Mr. Samuel Wilson, the superintendent of the Sabbath school, with an address and a large teacher's Oxford Bible. Mrs. Wilson was made the recipient of a beautiful basket of carnations. Mr. Wilson was taken completely by surprise, but made a very feeling reply, thanking the donors for their handsome gifts to Mrs. Wilson and himself. He asked the people to think over the great value of the present just given him, and said that he would make it his chart throughout life, and exhorted them to do the same, closing with prayer to God for the work in that part of the vineyard. At the close of the presentation refreshments were served, and a pleasant evening sent all dispersing after singing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again."

The address was as follows:
"Mr. Samuel Wilson: Dear Friend Brother in the Lord,-We, and your friends, the members fellow-workers of the and fellow-workers of the North Congregational Mission, wishing to North express our appreciation of your un-tiring, faithful and earnest labors in this portion of our Lord's vineyard, have thought this an opportune for presenting you with this small token of our love, and the high esteem in which you are held by us. May you long be spared to labor for the Lord, and be kept by him, who doeth all things well. Signed on behalf of the mission, W. H. A. Claris, pastor, London, January, 1899."

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In Woman's Interest

In Fashion's Realm.

You, of course, want to know about all the new things in the world of fashion, but there are so many new features that I hardly know how to begin telling you about them, says the

Beginning with millinery, there are promises of many changes this spring. ats will be larger, will be worn further over the face, and until the season is advanced will be trimmed in bizarre fashion.

Shaped flounces will be pronounced passe for street gowns, a simulated flounce taking their place, the flounce effect being produced by bias bands. Nearly all the skirts will show the bias seam in the back.

One of the smart gownmakers, who is now abroad making her selections for her exclusive trade, writes me that she is going to bring home some better corsets for her customers than she has ever shown before, realizing that American women are certainly too lax in this department of clothes. Petticoats will be brought over, too, made with yokes six inches deep, tight to the knee and elaborate, separate flounces of hemstitched lingerie will be buttoned on. Do you not think these petticoats will be lovely? One can always be so

dainty and fresh if one cares to be. The cotton shirt waist has made its annual appearance. Some say the shirt wals: is especially suited to the needs of the poor woman, but experience has proved that her rich sister finds just as much use for it. There is nothing startling new about the first display of made of fine ginghams and cheviots in delicate colorings, and are somewhat less fancy in design than those of last year. Most of the materials are striped either vertically or in Bayadere effect. White waists promise to find even greater favor than formerly, and some of the shirt waist girls have already declared their intention of wearing no other. The white waist certainly has some advantages. It does not fade and as a rule takes starch well, which those made of too soft gingham refuse to do. On the other hand, white is not so becoming generally as some of the soft shades, and it is especially trying in thick cotton goods, such as are used in the swell waist.

Now is the time when woman lays in the supply of summer lingerie. All of shops that carry a fine line of underclothing, and those that carry loads of common things, too, are hav-ing their annual sales. One can be guilty of no greater extravagance than that of buying really cheap lingerie. The best in every detail of dress is always the cheapest in the long run, and this is truer of night dresses, chemises, corset covers and the rest than of anything else. When so many things are displayed, and the prices are so low, women are often tempted to sacrifice the material for a lot of fascinating, fluffy material. This is a mistake. When a customer's income is limited one should look well to the material of the garments purchased, and should forego the frills and furbelows so dear to her heart. A little good lace or embroidery on a garment of fine texture is far more effective, much more stylish and in much better taste than loads of coarse cheap trimming on cambric or muslin that is none too fine.

The Profession of Housekeeping.

There is no use denying the all-tooapparent fact that our women have drifted away from much of the simplicity of living, and instead have complicated their lives by trying to crowd too much into them.

We may be loath to acknowledge this, but the fact admits of no real doubt. declares the Ladies' Home Journal. Organizations have taken by far too great a hold upon the lives of our women, and not by any means to their greatest advantage. Outside interests have crowded our home affairs in the case of too many of our wives and mothers, and unless a radical change is made we shall, in a few years, see the effects of this wrong course far

more clearly than we already do. This is not a fantastic prophecy. Every woman of common sense admits it. That whole business of women's clubs and women's organizations is overdone. They are simply complicating the lives of our women: they are not broadening them, as is so wrongly supposed. The nucleus of the idea of woman's advancement is tenable enough and commendable enough. It is in the unwise

what every normal woman knows to be true, that to govern a home well, to rule it as it should be ruled, gives her some time, but not a great many spare

moments. Housekeeping is a profession. Not a mere getting through from day to day, as best one can. It requires tack, skill, brains to be a good housekeeper, and, generally speaking, running a house well is about all the average woman can do well, just the same as about all the average man can do is to run his business well.

000 Orange Custara.

Juice of six large oranges (they should be well flavored and a trifle tart); four eggs beaten light; one cup fine sugar; one tablespoonful butter; half-pint whipped cream. Put orange juice and sugar together in a double boiler; when these are warm, add the eggs, and stir till the mixture thickens like an ordinary custard. Put in the butter, and turn all into small custard-cups to cool. When ready to send to the table, heap whipped cream on the top of each. Serve small cakes with this dish.

000 The Cranberry.

The value of the cranberry as a medicinal agent was clearly recognized by our American aborigines, who used to prepare poultices made from them to extract the venom from wounds made with poisoned arrows, on the same principle as they are now very often used as a popular remedy for erysipelas, applied as a poultice or taken inwaists. For the most part they are ternally. Eaten raw, cranberries are also known as an excellent remedy for indigestion and biliousness, as they contain certain acid combinations not found in any other fruit, and they are also valued as the best of tonics and appetizers. Added to these sterling qualities comes the latest certified tribute to their efficacy in preventing the grip. One family, who have thus far been immune from the prevailing epidemic, cook the cranberries in plenty of water and keep the syrup on hand all the time as a drink. They declare that the acid of the berry is fully as agreeable as lemonade and most efficacious in preventing bronchial or malarial trou-

> Cranberry farina is prepared by cooking three scant teaspoonfuls of farina in one pint of sweetened cranberry sauce until thick, molding and serving cold with cream.

> For dessert whip one pint of thick cream to a solid froth; add two tablespoonfuls of sugar, one teaspoonful of vanilla and three bananas pressed through a sieve, mix lightly, heap in small glasses, and serve within an hour.

000 Have You?

How many have tried boiling Brussels sprouts in salted water for barely ten minutes, draining and cooling them, then dipping each little head into beaten egg, rolling in fine crumbs and frying in deep fat like croquettes. They are very delicate and appeal alike to eye and palate.

000 How to Have a Pink Skin.

When a Swedish woman has a clear, beautiful skin, it rivals almost in exquisite loveliness the bloom of the "English rose," or her cousin the "American lily." To lie in bed and be waited on by a nurse with a wild-rose complexion, and to discover health returns one may hope to attain to such a complexion by the use of very simple means seems to make up some degree for the dreary days in bed. "Oh, nurse, if I only had your complexion! If I could change my dull, spotted skin for one like yours, it seems to me I would be willing to jump into

a barrel of burning oil." "Well, den, mees," was the reply, 'you can haf it, sure, if you do but one leetle ting. My skin vas all spots vat you call 'peemples,' and the doctor say it change of climate. He then tell me to buy 25-cent worth phosphate of soda. I take a teaspoonful in glass varm vater at bedtime and de same before breakfast. It not nasty. So, for von veek I also take the same before each meal: after dat for von veek I take only night and morning. In two veek,

behold me as now!" Reader, I have followed the above advice for "von haf veek" only, and already my skin is like "that of a child." To those who are desirous to change a thick, unresponsive skin for a clear, bright complexion, this simple and practical advice is gladly given by a excess to which women are carrying it | convalescent.-Chicago Record.

WITCHCRAFT

It Is Still Practiced Among the Zunis of the Southwest.

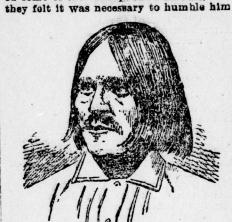
Prof. G. Wharton James Describes a Trial Which a Short Time Ago, Nearly Led to a Revolt of the Aborigines-The Story of the Zuni Indian

The story of Nick, whose picture is here shown and whose history is told by Prof. G. Wharton James, demonstrates that there still exists on this continent among the Indians as implicit belief in wizards, witches and witchcraft as that which is professed by the Morality Department of the Toronto police organization Prof. James says:

Nick is an Indian and lives at Zuni, in New Mexico. Take your map of that territory, and you will notice just on the borders of New Mexico and Arizona the town of Gallup. Forty-five miles south of Gallup is Zuni. Coronado visited it over 350 years ago, and expected to find its streets paved with gold. Of course, he was disappointed. Nick was born there, so also was another Zunian who is generally known to the white people as Dick. But though their names are much alike, they themselves mentally are very different. Nick was brought up in a white man's family, speaks English fluently, and regards the religious ideas of his people as superstitious nonsense. Dick, on the other hand, is a firm be-

witchcraft. A few years ago Nick mortally offended some of the chief priests of Zuni, and

liever-as are nearly all the Zunians-in



ZUNI NICK, THE ALLEGED WIZARD. in some way, and destroy his influence with the young men, or their own power

would largely be lost. The evil fates favored them. For a couple of years crops were bad. Floods came and washed out their corn once; then a fierce wind came and blew all their growing peaches off the trees; a disease carried off a number of their sheep and geats, and, to crown all, an epidemic of smallpox slew a number of their baby boys and girls.

Little by little it became whispered about-no one exactly knew how-that Nick was responsible for all this evil. Finally it was openly stated that Nauche -one of the chief priests-accused Nick of being a witch. A few hours after this story had gained currency, not a man. One of the most interesting and at woman, girl or boy passed Nick without the same time most capable women of

in order to ward off his wicked influences. For some days this fearful state of tension existed. Then the caciques, the priesthood of the Bow and the city officials felt it incumbent upon them to take steps to disarm the dreadful power exorcising the demon by fire or water.

In the still of the night, down in one of the underground kivas of the tribe, called by the old Spanish warriors estufas, or stoves, on account of their intolerable heat, these defenders of the peace and safety of their tribe met. Dick was accused, and no doubt accurately, of being one of the party. Carefully each man was bathed in water from the sacred spring of Ta-ya-e-la-ne; a charm especially prepared was hung around the neck of each one; a fresh supply of sacred meal was given to all who were in any way to handle the defiled man, and then, after due consultation and laying of plans, the party set out to arrest the disturber of their peace.

Without a sound, as secretly and stealthily as they had come, they returned to the kiva with their unhappy but defiant and proud-spirited captive, who was placed on trial. The dark, underground kiva, with no outlet to the world outside except the small hole at the top, through which the poles of the ladder pointed to the dark and lowering sky; 20 dark-skinned, wrinkled-faced, sternvisaged warriors, with naked bodies painted in mysterious symbolism which denoted their abhorrence of the practices of which their captive was accused; no light save that given from two cr three smoky pine torches, which merely served to heighten the gloom and rendered more

terrible the merciless faces of the warriors. Seated on the ground in the center of the circle formed around him sat the captive. No movement was possible, and the gag prevented the issuance of any sound from his lips; only the flercely, proudly disdainful flash of his eyes and the unrepressed snort of anger denoted the defiance his tongue longed to utter.

As he sat there his captors began to sing. Wild, weird, plaintive, thrilling, passionate in turns, it was all the time pregnant with wos for Nick:

"In our cruel hands is hecruel, treacherous witch The cruel, treacherous witten Who blights and slaughters by fiendish arts

Our sheep, our cattle and our children; Seek we now ourselves to save, E'er he drive us to the grave." The song ended, one by one his accus-

ers stated what they had suffered at his hands. No stolid, indifferent Indians were these, but quick-witted, alert, active to arouse indigation and anger against the one man hated, despised and yet feared, who, by compulsion, crouched before them. Fierce were the words, flercer the gestures and more flerce still the looks cast towards the accused witch

as the narrations proceeded. Na-u-che, the war chief of the tribe, finally gave the word for what was to be done. It was now daylight. The early beams of morning light lit up the valley, with its dead lava flows side by side with the living stream, and made brillient the red and gray walls of Ta-ya-o-lane when Nick was brought out from the estufa and conveyed to the plaza, or public square, behind the ruins of the old church, built under the direction of one of the Jesuit priests who followed the redoubtable Vargas. Here a convenient crossbeam supported upon strong posts afforded a good hanging place. Nick was rudely stripped entirely naked, and his

feet tied together. Then his arms were stretched behind him and his wrists so tied that his hands were back to back, with the thumbs upright. A stout raw-hide rope was new fastened to his wrists and thumbs, the other end thrown over the crossbeam, and several willing bands. upon a signal from Na-u-che, hoisted the unbappy victim of this merciless procedure several feet from the ground. As he there swung, suspended from the ground, the whole of his weight resting upon his thumbs and wrists, and the rope lacerating his skin and flesh to the very bone, he was asked—nay, commanded—to confess his witcheries. The gag was removed would Nick confess? He had nothing to say, and a second time he was hoisted,



THE PUEBLO OF ZUNI FROM THE SOUTHEAST. this time with flerce imprecations, equally without success; a third attempt brought forth blows from the onlookers, and a storm of hisses speers and revilings from the men and women of the village who had now gathered in a crowd to witness the punishment, even unto

ceath if need be, of this hated foe of their

But by this time Nick's friends were aroused. They complained to the few whites who were in the village, and interference on Nick's behalf was at once made. He was released from his cruel bands, his wounds attended to, and a courier sent post-haste to the commandant of the military post at Fort Wingate for troops to arrest the perpetrators of this deed of darkness. Two days elapsed and an officer with several men appeared on the scene. The warlike Zunis, always intolerant of outside interference in their affairs, viewed with bitter anger the arrival of these men, and urged on by the unwise counsels of some of the more daring, resisted the troop, assailed them with foul names from their houseteps, led them into a trap, and there, by force of superior numbers, well armed and dangerous, kept them until re-infercements, which had been hastily summoned. arrived. After due consultation of the military men with Nick and others supposed to be familiar with the affair it was finally decided to arrest two prominent Zunians, punish them saverely, warn the others and thus end the affair without provoking an Indian outbreak. Dick

was one of the two singled out for arrest. Brooding upon his imprisonment he came to the conclusion that Nick was responsible for it, and upon his release and return to Zuni it was with all of an Indian's vindictiveness and hatred, but now combined with a wholesome fear of the power of the white men who declared that Nick should be protected, that he looked and still looks upon the man through whose instrumentality he was

imprisoned.

IS AN ABLE WOMAN.

The Marchioness of Salisbury Has Done Much to Increase Her Husband's Influence.

One of the most interesting and at sprinkling an offering of sacred meal to England to day is Lady Salisbury. In her all the gods of all the six cardinal points espacity as a political hostess, it is doubt--north, south, east, west, up and down, ful if her equal could be found, and it is not too much to say that on several occasions, through her tact, straying peliticians have been brought into the paths which, according to her husband's views, are the right ones. The story of her life is interesting, not only to England and ascribed to Nick, even to the point of the English, but to all who can appreciate the noble qualities of a good woman, In her younger days she was the heroine of a somewhat romantic courtship. She



was the daughter of the Hon. Sir Edward Hall Alderson, Baron of the Exchequur, and as Miss Alderson Lord Robert Cecil fell in love with her. Lord Robert's father disapproved of the marriage, and straightway the young couple took the matter into their own hands and were married. Because of this, Lerd Robert's father would have nothing to do with them, and the young man was forced to turn to newspaper work to support his wife. In his early work, as well as in his political duties, his wife helped him greatly by acting as his amanueusis.

The first eight years of Lady Salisbury's married life were spent in this way, until on the death of his brother Lord Robert Cecil became Lord Cranbourne, and journalism was put aside for the work of the politician. It was at this time that Lady Salisbury took upon herself the duties of a political hostessduties which became her well. She was shrewd, practical and of steady judgment, and when her husband succeeded to the marquisate she took her position as mistress of Hatfield house with distinction. Four times Lord Salisbury has been Foreign Secretary, and three times Prime Minister, so that Lady Salisbury's political and social duties have been by ne means light.

Among those favored folk who know Lady Salisbury in private life she is greatly beloved for her kindly sympathy and the steadfastness of her regard. The hauteur which she bears so well as the wife of the English Premier in political circles vanishes at home. Like Mrs. Gladstone, Lady Salisbury has no love for the "smart" set in society. Of later years the parties at Hatfield have been composed mainly of members of the family; but when she was stronger Lady Salisbury delighted in gathering about her the cleverest men and women of the day. Few know it, but the management of the big estate at Hatfield has always been under Lady Salisbury's care, and in her most active days the tenants knew her as a good business woman who

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wrestlers," or Dukhobors, the Quakers

of Russia, by which he has incurred

the animosity of the procurator of the holy synod of the national Greek church, Mr. Pobledonostzeff. There is nothing improbable in the rumor that Pobledonostzeff seeks to turn loose upon Tolstoi the dogs of persecution. He is a nineteenth century Torquemada. It would be strange however, if the czar, who so recently proclaimed himself a prince of peace, should consent to the banishment of the greatest man in all his empire for

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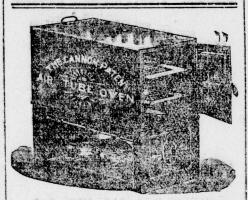
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"Mr. Malcolm Guernsey."

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impulses and emotions. He suffered

and he was happy, he aspired and he

accumulating through 6,000 years of in-

looked upon her he seemed to d

keen for a tilt at flirting. She had

come to believe that all men would

have to turn and look at her in glar-

ing admiration when she entered the

room. It had become, also, a foregone

conclusion that any man upon whom

she wielded her magic charms would

be transported by her beauty, by the

mantling blushes, the persuasive

sweetness of the rosebud mouth, the

trick of the eyes and the encouraging

tones of dallying conversation, and

to be checked in the act of proposing.

would, therefore, either propose or have

She found that Mr. Malcolm Guern-

sey never turned his head to take a

long look at her. He had conquered the schoolboy trait of curiosity. He

could put his back to her and study a

picture on the wall. At the piano he

turned the leaves of the music, and

she could not observe that his hand

trembled. When she lifted her gaze

and looked up at him through the lash-

es, all in melting tenderness, he an-

swered with the studious scrutiny of

one who is examining some new kind of flower or insect. What satisfaction

to have captivated a hundred youthful

dancing men when here was a lordly

creature who resisted all her charms,

Alack! Miss Olivia Rayburn could not

know that Mr. Guernsey had to make a constant struggle to hold back the

words that came to his lips, and that

only by sternest resolution could he

smother the poetry that was aroused

man she either hates or traduces him,

weapons and sets forth to bring him

Miss Rayburn chose the second plan.

Why? Because she could not hate Mr.

Guernsey. She had to admit that she

A hundred slaves had followed her

and courted her. Now she had found a

master-a man who neither courted nor

followed, a man who would have to be

won. Here was a flirtation with a new

zest and an element of danger. What

if she should fail after making an open

battle for him? The very thought of

it was terrifying, but at the same time

the dreadful risk involved in the cam-paign made Mr. Guernsey seem all the

It must be admitted that Miss Ray-

burn sacrificed a part of her maidenly

reserve in her fierce assaults on Mr.

Guernsey. She compelled him to sit on

the stairs with her while the others

were dancing. In dim corners she snuggled him, and talked to him in a

confidential whisper. She forced him to

waltz with her, and she held him to his promise that he would call.

Need anybody doubt the result? Bear

in mind that Miss Olivia Rayburn was

the most beautiful and fascinating

creature in all the world. Here was

poor Mr. Guernsey, with as much

youth, fire, romance and poesy as ever

belonged to chevalier or troubadour, put

to agonizing temptations such as no one but St. Anthony ever resisted.

The torrent of his aroused love car-

he had been strengthening for years.

One evening, tried beyond human en-

Miss Olivia Rayburn, and, drawing her it in his final chapters to the Romans,

in his soul.

loved him

more desirable.

and that without apparent effort?

ferior womanhaad.

he had not.

'Twas part of Mr.Malcolm Guernsey's a shell. Within him were all the rational training of himself to learn to restrain the common emotions. Upon looking about him at the bifurcated creatures who wore cloth garments and passed for responsible members of society he perceived that most of them were child- he was too strong and brave and free like in their weak willingness to be gov- to imitate the usual modes of hypoerned by impulse rather than reason.

For one thing, they were brutally curious as to the small happenings and ciplinarian, said that she was a mathe scandal of the world, so much so that Mr. Guernsey had seen them fight for the possession of a morning newspaper. So Mr. Guernsey schooled himself to restrain the instinct of curios-

ity.

If he were walking along a street and saw twenty people tiptoeing and cran-ing their necks to look at some object in a show window, he would have an aching desire to push through the throng and find out what the object was, but instead of doing so he would elevate his chin in the spirit of resolution and march on, his curiosity unsatisfied, in its true, but his soul was made stronger, his self-respect vastly increased, and his pity for the multitude

made more profound.

As Mr. Guernsey learned to despise any exhibition of eager c came to have a contempt for boister-

ous merriment. There was no piece of news which would cause Mr. Guernsey to gasp and of man. ask for particulars. He would simply say "Indeed?" and give the agitated messenger a calming look.

The most excruciatingly funny story ever told could not move Mr. Guernsey to audible laughter. Sometimes he wanted to laugh, and it was a matter of shame with him that he enjoyed funny stories, but he confined his applause to a pensive smile. Mr. Guernsey had reason to believe that the guffaw belonged in animal history.

So also with demonstrative grief. At funerals there are some mourners who wail and beat the cushions with their palms. Mr. Guernsey always sat dry and immovable, even though it were funeral of a near relative.

It follows that anyone so opposed to the ordinary procedures under the ordinary conditions would be set against the conventional flatteries, apologies and explanations which gloss the ugliness of modern social life. Mr. Guernsey observed that it was the habit of your smirking salesmanlike man to give a ready-made compliment to every woman he met; so Mr. Guernsey, seeking a splendid isolation for himself, refused to deal in these compliments. Consequently, as he never flattered women and never cajoled them and never pursued them, the women thought that they hated him, but they proved that they were interested in him, for they discussed him over their tea. It was remarked of Mr. Guernsey that

he was always sparing of praise. To commend each and every human performance in hackneyed adjectives is the self-imposed task of the parlor manikin, but Mr. Guernsey rebelled at the task. When a young woman just from the conservatory had tortured a small company with something from the German all the other persons present would sigh that it was "Lovely," "Beautiful," and "Awfully sweet," but Mr. Guernsey would simply gaze at the tremulous amateur with lack-luster eye and then bring up some topic entirely foreign to music-possibly he would inquire if any one knew where he could purchase a rough-coated spaniel.

If he was chary of his praise, he was also slow to condemn. Forceful criticism seemed to him to imply a condition of wrath, and yielding to wrath was virtually an admission of weakness. The elemental and primitive men whom Mr. Guernsey saw in State street were accustomed to become angry and sour if human events did not move according to their several programmes, so Mr. Guernsey knew that if he wished to be different he must control his tem-

Thus you will see that Mr. Guernsey was not a cynic. He fancied that he was a stoic, but his stoicism was only

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able, but the chances of recov-

infect himself.

strong enough to kill them."

OPINIONS OF THE MODERN PULPIT

Our Anglican friends sometimes wince under the criticisms of their Nonconformist brethren, and affect a contempt for their opinion, but, as the Quarterly Review points out, the radical misrepresentation of the essayists on Church reform, lies in their insensibility to the fact that "every despaired, he hated and he loved, but he allowed no one to suspect. Restraint Englishman, whether Churchman or Nonconformist, has his rights in the Church, and can claim a voice in its -restraint. Always the curb. He never removed the mask. He was a hypocrite even while he convinced himself that affairs, and that this is a necessary adjunct of the British Establishment. The trouble with numbers of the adherents of the Church of England, is Thus when he met Miss Olivia Raythat they seek to perform that impossible task of combining in one com-munion, the privileges of a State Church, and the libertles of a Free burn the hypocritical Guernsey, the disterial organism, made up of oxygen, hydrogen, carbon, iron, phosphorus and Church. The thing cannot be done. One or the other can logically be, not both.—The Observer. other simple elements, and on the spiritual side had inherited the follies

The Sunday evening service is a The other Guernsey (the one under the shell) warmed at sight of her and problem everywhere. Some preachers are becoming quite discouraged beconfessed that she was the most ancause of the smallness of their evening gelic creature ever put at large to tan-talize the male sex. But Mr. Guernsey congregations. The Rev. Madison C. Peters, however, declares, that would not have acknowledged this subclergyman "who preaches a good ser-mon, will get an audience every time, confession, no, not to his closest friend, if he had had any close friends, which at night as well as in the morning." and that he himself wishes that he could have two Sunday evening ser-So, while his heart fluttered and he felt a dizziness from the joy of her presvices, since then he gets at the people ence, the habit of restraint was so who most need him. Mr. Peters thinks strong within him that he stood before that in the morning, it is the church, her in icy self-possession and called and in the evening, the man, that her "Miss Rayburn" with no tremor in draws. However this may be, he must his voice, and all the time that he be a weak man who surrenders the evening service withou proper device to render it a success. with such dispassion that poor Miss Rayburn lost her sense of power and There are many possible kinds of relidiscovered that here was another kind gious service, and it may take some a good deal of experimenting to determine just what form of evening as-You may well imagine that she was sembly tends most to edification and puzzled and not a little piqued. She extension of religious influence in a was accustomed to have men hover given community.-The Observer. over her and whisper complimentary things. She expected to find every man

0 Nothing is more difficult to realize than Christian Socialism, and nothing more sure to come. The substitution a democracy for a monarchy is itself a long step toward socialism; and all the ethical progress of the century has been slowly moving along this The city park, the village road line. and the state canal, already belong to the people as a whole and not to individuals, as in many cities our waterworks and plants for lighting do. It would be felt intolerable that our mails should be handled by companies and not by the state. That may be true of the transportation of packages next. and then of persons, butw hatever attempts to hasten this process unduly will ruin it .- The Interior.

0 Of course you "can be just as good outside the church as in it," but as a matter of fact you won't be. in the judgment of charity there are millions of saved people outside the church; but as a matter of history the saints have all been found within it. The men who gave their lives for Christ, and the women who "received their dead alive again," were all in the church, not outside it. The "noble army of martyrs" all belonged to the church, and so did "the goodly fellowship of the prophets." Livingstone and Hannington and Patterson all belonged to the church, and so does John Paton. Is it not a little singular that with such a vast number believers outside the church, who When a woman meets an indifferent are all "just as good as church members," there should fail to appear one or else she attires herself in the fullest splendor of war dress, sharpens her saint or a single martyr?-The Interior.

A friend says that what we need is a return to the unfolding of the plan and process of salvation. With that sentiment we heartily agree. The question is insistent from generation to generation, "What must I do to saved?" and that question needs to be answered continually and fully, and above all, understandingly. The Salvation Army exhorters do not answer it-from lack of knowledge. Many that learned do not answer it understandingly, because they seem not to partake of the spirit of the truth. In youth we were often baffled by problems of mathematical study-but they could be overcome by persistence, It was not so with the great question of the soul. The answer was locked away in a safe of adamantine dogmas, and could not be won, though sought carefully and with tears. was described in all its intricate parts, but it was not opened. It would have been an easy thing for a minister who knew the way himself, to have ex-pounded the twelfth of Romans—it is a "reasonable service." Including that chapter and on to the end of The "reasonable service is deepistle. scribed with the utmost of clearness and simplicity. It was not preached then, and we fear that it is not preached as simply as it should be now. Then "a last clause of the verse" was taken, and it was shown how it linked into "the system." Now the last clause is made a pivot for turning the ried away the barrier of restraint which light upon some modern question. The question which is the most important of all questions needs answer continudurance, he threw his right arm around ally, as simply and fully as Paul gave

close to him, he poured out all the in-The Poets.

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Danny Deever.

"What are the bugles blowin' for?" said Flies-on-Parade.
"To turn you out, to turn you out," the

color-sergeant said. What makes you look so white, so

Next morning he received a note:
"My Dear Mr. Guernsey,—When we parted last evening I had not given any white?" said Flies-on-Parade.
"I'm dreadin' what I've got to watch," definite answer to your very flattering proposal. Believe me, I am deeply honored to have received the offer of your the color-sergeant said. "For they're hangin' Danny D ever, you can 'ear the dead march play, heart and hand, but after due reflection The regiment's in 'ollow square I am forced to the conclusion that our tempers are not compatible—that the union would not be one of lasting hap-

they're hangin' him today; They've taken of his buttons off an' cut his stripes away, they're hangin' Danny Deever in the mornin'."

pain by the frank statement. I shall always esteem you as a friend. Very sincerely, "OLIVIA RAYBURN."
The act of an unfeeling coquette?
Certainly not! She had loved Mr.
Guernsey in all fervor until he put his "'Is cot was right-'and cot to mine," said Flies-on-Parade. "'E's sleepin' out an' far tonight," the color-sergeant said. arm around her and made the fatal "I've drunk his beer a score o' times," declaration. At that moment, as he afterwards discovered, he revealed him-

said Flies-on-Parade.
"'E's drinkin' bitter beer alone," the color-sergeant said.

"They are hangin' Danny Deever, you must mark 'im to his place,
For 'e shot a comrade sleepin'—you must look him in the face; Nine 'undred of 'is country an' the regi-

ment's disgrace,
While they're hangin' Danny Deever in the mornin'."

'What's that so black agin the sun?" said Flies-on-Parade.
"It's Danny fightin' hard for life," the color-sergeant said.
"What's that that whimpers over-

'ead?" said Flies-on-Parade.
"It's Danny's soul that's passin' now,' the color-sergeant said. "For they've done with Danny Deever, you can 'ear the quickstep play, The regiment's in column, an' they're

marchin' us away; marchin' us away,

Ho! the young rec'uits are shakin' an'
they'll want their beer today,

After hangin' Danny Deever in the
mornin'."

-Rudyard Kipling.

The City of the Dead.

They do neither plight nor wed In the city of the dead.

In the city where they sleep away the hours: But they lie, while o'er them range Winter blight and summer change, And a hundred happy whisperings of

flowers. No, they neither wed no plight, And the day is like the night, For their vision is of other kind than

They do neither sing nor sigh In the burghs of by and bye, Where the streets have grasses growi-

ing, cool and long; But they rest within their bed, Leaving all their thoughts unsaid, Deeming silence better far than sob or

song. No, they neither sigh nor sing, Though the robin be a-wing,
Though the leaves of autumn march a million strong.

There is only rest and peace, In the city of surcease From the failings and the wailings 'neath the sun; And the wings of the swift years

Beat gently o'er the biers, Making music to the sleepers, every one. There is only peace and rest, But to them it seemeth best

For they lie at ease, and know that life is done.

-Richard Burton.

LA GRIPPE

Old Lucifer, standing on a hot rock, overlooked his domains. He had just returned from Mars, whither he had gone spreading snares, and had received a very chilly reception; and he now felt himself possessed by most dis- and what he interests us with. But in agreeable shivers, which went coursing

up and down his back. A form appeared beside him, and a voice, that sounded like the creaking of a furnace door, inquired, "What

His only answer was a shiver. "Ugh! I am cold!" said Lucifer. "That is easily remedied," ejaculated the secretary, for so he was called, who immediately gave orders for more

brimstone. Long before it arrived, however, his majesty had retired to his private compartments, where he lay, tortured alternately by fever and chills. The sudden change from the cold regions on Mars back to these sultry climes had

affected him detrimentally. The secretary regarded the prostrate monarch with a wondering gaze. Never before in his long experience as private secretary had he known anyone to be seized with chills, and he decided to hold a council. Mighty winged monsters surrounded

the monarch's couch. "Is there anything we can do?" asked

the secretary, at length.
"Great balls of fire!" screamed the agonizing king. "Leave me alone, can't you? I ache in every joint! I am as dizzy as a drunken fool! I cant see! can't think! One minute I am as cold as the poles, and the next as hot as molten rock!"

"Do for me! Do for me! Yes, I'll tell you something to do for me! Curse mankind for evermore with this dire disease, and call it The Grip. For truly it has got the grip on me!

MERCURY. SAID TO BE FUNNY.

Man Overboard-Help! Help! Stranger-Why don't yez swim? Man Overboard-I don't know how. Stranger-Be gorry, ye've got an illegant chance to learn

Teacher-How many of my scholars can remember the longest sentence they ever read? Billy-Please, mum, I can

Teacher—What! Only one? Well, William, you can tell the rest of the scholars the longest sentence you ever Billy-Imprisonment for life.

He-That fellow over there cheated me out of a cool million. -How could he? He-Wouldn't let me marry his daughter

said she, on her first voyage.
"Oh, that is the steerage," said he. "And does it take all those people to make the boat go straight?"

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Thackeray's Philosophy of Life

The concrete illustration of ideas in character is what interests Thackeray this his interest and his power of interesting us are hardly to be measured. When he is called a "realist" something more is-consciously or vaguely-meant than that his novels are pictures of life rather than classic or romantic compositions. It is meant that his philosophy is realistic-that is to say, based on the data furnished by the perceptive faculties, faculties which in his case, it cannot be too often repeated, were

of amazing sharpness: "There is life and death going on in everything, truth and lies always at battle. Pleasure is always warring against self-restraint; doubt is always crying 'Pshaw!' and sneering. A man in life, a humorist in writing about life, sways over to one principle or the other and laughs with the reverence for right and the love of truth in his heart, or laughs at these from the other side. * * I cannot help telling the truth as I view it, and describing what I see. To describe it otherwise than it seems to me would be falsehood to that calling in which it has pleased heaven to place me, treason to that conscience which says that men are weak, that truth must be told, that fault must be owned, that pardon must be prayed for,

and that love reigns supreme over all. That is Thackeray's philosophy in small compass. There is nothing very new about it. It is as old, "Here at St. Peter's of Cornhill,

As yonder on the Mount of Hermon." It is simply the natural truth underlying the dogma and informing the spirit of Christianity. The force that over-threw the civilization of the ancient world was certainly an overwhelming movement of spiritual feeling, and since then philosophy has had to reckon, at all events, with the soul as well as with the mind.—From "William Make-piece Thackeray," by W. C. Brownell, in the February Scribner's.

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Report for Two Weeks-Are the Nurses

Being Overworked ?-Request

From the Head Nurse.

The regular meeting of the hospital

Col. Lewis' office. Dr. Balfour, medical

superintendent, reported that the hos-

pital was crowded, and that there was

All the private and long wards are also

filled, and lately a number of applica-

tions have had to be refused for pri-

would soon be ready for occupation.

ing in proper condition, was discussed

work the nurses so hard, and that they

should be kept in such apartments as

The question of the nurses being overworked, and their quarters not be-

Mayor Wilson thought it a shame to

Mr. McCormick asked why more

Miss Lind, the chief of the nursing

staff, wrote the trust, asking if nurses could be selected from the city and

county only. She would like permis-

sion to choose nurses from places out-

side of Middlesex. In the past the

trust has given the preference to re-

sidents of the city and county. Non-

Reports by the medical superintend-

pital since Jan. 20, the date of the last trust meeting. Three of the patients were suffering from diph-

theria. Twenty-five males, 17 females,

and two children were discharged, leaving 37 males, 28 females, and 1

child-a total of 66-still under treat-

cured and four were improved. Four

applied for positions on the staff. They

Col. Lewis (chairman), T. H. Purdom, Thomas McCormick, Mayor Wil-

THE NEW CENTURY

communication from 'An Old Subscrib-

er,' on the much-discussed question, the

new century. In order that this writer's theory might prove to be correct,

he must first prove that there was 0

at the beginning of the Christian era. As far as I know this fact has not been

proven. A person who will be 100 years

old on Jan. 1, 1900, must necessarily

lowing the writer's argument still fur-

ther, a person attaining, if it were pos-

sible, the age of 1,900 on the 1st of Jan-

uary, 1900, must of necessity have been

born on Jan. 1 in the year 0, which

vear, as noted above, never existed.

Leaving out of consideration the mis-

take that was made in commencing to

the birth of Christ would, of course, be

would not complete nineteen centuries

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have been born on Jan. 1, 1800; and fol-

son, and Dr. Balfour, were present.

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patients died during the fortnight.

will be placed on the list.

Of those discharged, 36 were

residents were never barred altogether.

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THE MARKETS.

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		30
Foley	97	343/
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Superior G. and C. Co	26	20
Sawbill	140	146
Cariboo		1734
Minnehaha	1852	1174
Cariboo Hydraulic	98	63/4
Smuggler	71/2	0/4
Knob Hill	85	9
Waterloo	10	. 9
Old Ironsides		int/
Dundee		331/4
Athabasca		58%
Dardanelles	17½	16
Golden Star		45
Noble Five		16
Salmo Con	20	
Rambler-Cariboo Con	30	25
Crow's Nest Pass Coal		52.00
Van Anda	41/2	31/2
Big Three	171/2	15
Commander	9	
Deer Park	18	1734
Evening Star	8	63/4
Giant	5	3
Homestake		3 2
Grand Prize		2
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Iron Colt		9
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Novelty		21/4
Silver Bell Con	7	
St. Elmo		31/2
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 at 35; Minnehaha, 500 at 19¾, 500 at 19¾, 500 at 19¾; Athabasca, 100 at 59; Dundee, 500 at 33¼; Dardanelles, 500 at 16¼; Deer Park, 500 at 18.

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Local Market. London, Saturday, Feb. 4.

Wheat, white fall, per bu69½c to 70c
Wheat, red fall, per bu691/2c to 691/2c
Peas, per bu54c to 63c
Oats, per bu30½c to 30½c
Corn, per bu44c to 45c
Barley, per bu
Buckwheat, per bu45c to 48c

Very little grain came in today. Wheat sold at \$1 15 to \$1 17, and oats at 90c. Flint corn sold at 75c to 80c, and barley at 85e to \$1 05, according to

Butter and eggs were steady and unchanged. Chickens scarce and higher at 50c to

70c a pair. Dressed hogs were quiet and steady at \$5 to \$5 25, and single hogs sold at

Hay was quiet and unchanged.

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Potatoes brought 75c a 1	bag.		
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Peas, per 100 lbs	90	(08	1 00
Corn, per 100 lbs	70	00	80
Barley, per 100 lbs	82	(0)	1 00
Rye. per 100 lbs	85	0	85
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PROVISIONS.		~	40
Honey, comb	9	@	12
Honey, extracted	7	108	10
Cheese, per lb	10	@	12
Eggs, single dozen	20.	a	22
Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen	17	(a)	13
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Eggs, per dozen, basket, p'kd.	14	(0)	
Eggs, fresh, store lots, doz	00	(4)	00
Batter, per lb, retail	18	(0)	20
Butter, pound rolls, baskets	15	0	16
Butter. Ib, large rolls or crocks	14	@	15
Butter, per lb. tubs or firkins.	10	a	14
Butter, per 10, subs of makins.	9	(0)	10
Lard, per lb			10
VEGETABLES AND	FRU		1 00
Pumpkins, per doz	50	(1)	1 00
Potatoes, per bag	75	(00	80
Apples, per bag		(0)	
Apples, per basket		(0)	
Apples, per barrel		(0)	
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Beets, per dozen bunches			The second second
Onions, per bu	60	a	90
Celery, perdoz bunches	40	(0)	50
Turnips, per bag	25	Œ	30
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LIVE STOCK			
	2 00	@	3 50
Young pigs, per pair	2 00		
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MEAT, HIDES,	ETC.		
Beef front quarters per ih			5

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Ducks, per lb
Turkeys, per lb
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American Markets.

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.— The leading futures elosed as follows: Wheat—May, 73½c to 38c; Sept., 38½c. Oats—May, 23½c to 28½c; July, 26½c. Pork—May, \$10 20. Lard—May, \$5 75; July, \$5 85. Ribs—May, \$5 10: July, \$5 22½. Cash quotations: Flour, dull and neglected; No. 2 spring wheat, 69c to 71c; No. 3 spring wheat, 64c to 70c; No. 2 red, 71½c to 73c. No. 2 corn, 36c to 36½c; No. 2 yellow corn, 36c to 36½c; No. 2 oats, 27½c to 28c; No. 2 white, 30½c to 31c; No. 3 white, 29½c to 30½c. No. 2 rye; 55c. No. 2 barley, 41c to 52c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 14½; Northwest, \$1 18½. Frime timothy seed, \$2 35 to \$5 57½. Short ribs, \$4 80 to \$5. Dry salted shoulders, 4½c to 4½c. Short clear sides, \$5 15 to \$5 57½. Short ribs, \$4 80 to \$5. Dry salted shoulders, 4½c to 4½c. Short clear sides, \$5 15 to \$5 25. Sugar, unchanged. Eggs, steady; fresh, 17c to 17½c.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 11,000 bushels; wheat, 27,000 bushels; corn, 641,000 bushels; oats, 246,000 bushels; rye, 11,000 bushels; wheat, 5. SHIPMENTS—Flour, 10,000 barrels; wheat, 5. SHIPMENTS—Flour, 10,000 barrels; wheat, American Markets.

4,000 bushels, 196, 1,000 bushels; wheat, 3,009 bushels; corn, 159,000 bushels; oats, 191,000 bushels; rye, 1,000 bushels; barley, 4,000 bushels.

Dairy Markets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.-Butter firm: western creamery, 14c to 19c; do factory, 12c to 14c; Elgins, 19c; imitation creamery, 13c to 161/2c; state dairy, 13c to 17c; do creamery, 14c to 18½c. Cheese easy; large white, 10½c; small white 11c to 11½c; large colored, 10½c; small colored, 11c to 11½c; light skims, 8c to 9c; part skims, 7c to 8c; full skims, 3c to 4c.

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—Butter firm; creameries, 13c to 18½c; duries, 10½c to 16c. Cheese steady and unchanged.

Live Stock Markets. EAST BUFFALO, Feb. 3.-Cattle-There were only a couple of butchers' on sale, and the feeling was steady, with the best prices of the week; offerings of beeves were liberal, about 150 head; good demand and higher; choice to extra, \$7 75 to \$8 25; good to choice, \$7 25 to \$7 75. Sheep and lambs—The offerings were about 50 loads; there was an active demand at the decline to the basis of \$5 to \$5 05; good to choice, \$4 90 to \$5; common to good, \$4 75 to \$4 90; sheep, choice to extra, \$4 25 to \$4 40; good to choice, \$4 to \$4 25. The offerings were well cleaned up at the close and steady. Hogs-The offerings were nominal, about 46 loads, and opened fairly active; heavy, \$4 05 to \$4 10; Yorkers, \$2 90 to \$3 95; pigs, \$3 65 to \$3 75; roughs, \$3 35 to \$3 50; stags, \$2 75 to \$3; at the close just as good heavy sold at \$4 05 as were sold at the opening at \$4 10; a few Yorkers were sold early at \$3 97½, but the close for good Yorkers was \$3 95.

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.-Beeves-Receipts, 3,133; market very dull; top steers about steady; medium to fair, 10c to 15c lower; bulls steady; cows, 10c to 15c lower; steers, \$4 50 to \$5 65; oxen and stags, \$2 50 to \$5 70; bulls, \$3 25 to \$4 27½; extra fat do, \$4 60 to \$5; cows, \$2 to \$4. Cables quote live cattle firmer; top price at London, 13c; at Liverpool, 121/2c; live sheep, 11c to 12c; refrigerator beef, 9½c per lb. Exports, 450 cattle. Calves-Receipts, 121; market steady; veals, \$5 50 to \$8 50; 15 southern calves unsold. Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 4,270; weak; lambs, 15c lower; fair to good sheep, \$4 to \$4 25; medium to prime lambs, \$5 to \$5 40. Hogs—Receipts, 3,703; hogs

steady, at \$4 to \$4 20; pigs lower; car of western sold at \$4. CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—The small supply of cattle today was disposed of at generally unchanged prices; fancy cattle brought \$6 to \$6 50; choice, \$5 60 to \$5 95; bulls, \$5 to \$5 25; beef steers, \$4 to \$4 95; stockers and feeders, \$3 to \$4 80; bulls, \$2 70 to \$4 85; cows and heifers, \$3 30 to \$4; western fed steers, \$4 20 to \$5 85; Texas steers, \$3 75 to \$5 10; calves, \$4 to \$5 25. There was a good demand for hogs, and prices ruled stronger, with sales at \$3 35 to \$3 971/2, the greater part selling at \$3.75 to \$3.90; pigs sold at \$3.50 to \$3.60, the heavier weights selling the highest. Trade in sheep was active at steady prices; inferior to prime sheep, \$2 50 to \$4 30; yearling wethers,

\$4 20 to \$4 50; lambs, \$4 to \$5. Receipts:

Cattle, 2,500; hogs, 29,000; sheep, 5,600. TORONTO, Feb. 3. - An unusually heavy supply of cattle on the cattle market today resulted in prices weakening for the poorer grades, though for quality the prices remained firm. The deliveries of yesterday and today combined made a total of 165 loads. There were about 1,000 hogs and 300 sheep and lambs. The best shippers and good butcher cattle were all picked up at good prices, choicest exporters fetching \$4 80, and in one or two instances even a little higher. Export bulls all sold at \$3 75 to \$4; heavy feeders, \$3 to \$3 75; stock bulls, \$3 25; butchers' a little off, and a few left unsold, except for very choice butchers, which fetched \$4 to \$4 20; common and inferior grades were a drug on the market. Lambs were worth from \$4 to \$4 40. Sheep, \$3 25 to \$3 35. Bucks, \$2 50 to \$2 75. No change in hogs from last Tuesday's market. Export cattle-Choice, \$4 40 to \$4 80; light, \$4 to \$4 20. Bulls-Medium export, \$3 40 to \$4; heavy export, good quality, \$3 75 to \$4. Loads good butchers and exporters mixed, \$3 75 to \$4. Stockers and mediums to good, \$3 25 to \$3 65; feeders, heavy, \$3 60 to \$3 75. Butchers' cattle, picked lots, \$3 50 to \$4; butchers' good, \$3 60 to \$4 20; butchers' medium, \$3 to \$3 50; butchers' eemmon, \$2 75 to \$3; butchers' inferior, \$2 75 to \$3. Milch cows, each, \$25 to \$45. Calves, each, \$3 to \$8. Sheep, per cwt. \$3 to \$3 25; bucks, per cwt, \$2 50 to \$2 75; spring lambs, each, \$4 to \$4 40. Hogs—Best, \$4 37½; light,

\$4 25; fat, \$3 75. TORONTO, Feb. 4.-Sixty loads in today, including 1,000 hogs and about 400 sheep and lambs. Choice export cattle, \$4.75 to \$5; light do, \$4.37½ to \$4 621/2; medium export bulls, \$3 50 to \$3 75; heavy, good quality, export bulls, \$4; stockers, \$3 55 to \$3 75; feeders, \$3 75; stock bulls, \$3 to \$3 50; picked lots of butchers, \$4 to \$425; choice butchers, \$4 50; good butchers, \$3 50 to \$3 75; medium butchers, \$3 to \$3 75; common butchers, \$2 75. Export sheep, \$3 25; lambs, \$4 25 to \$4 50; bucks, \$2 50 to \$2 75. Hogs—Singers, \$4 37½; light, \$4 25; any thick fat, \$3 75, off cars; trade fair.

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Ruling prices for The following table cental at Liverpoor market days. In	he pa	st four r	narket uotatio ree pr	ons pe
prices are given.	Jan. 31.	Feb.	Feb.	Feb.
WHEAT-				
Red Winter	6 34	6 3	6 3	6 2
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6 15	6 1	6 1	6 0
No. 1 Cal			6 91/2	6 9
March		5 10%	5 978	5 9
May		5 918	5 8%	5 8
CORN-				
New	3 10	3 9%	3 934	3 9
Old		3 10%	3 1014	3 10
March	3 81		3 73%	3 7
May	3 77		3 738	
Flour	19 0	19 0	19 0	19 0
Peas		15 10	5 10	1 5 10
Pork	50 0	50 0	50 0	60 0
Lard	199 6	99 3	29 3	25 0

Hunt's Your Wheat—Spot, dull; No. 2 red western, winter. 6s 2d: No. 1 red northern spring, 6s; No. 1 Cal.. 7s 10d to 6s 11d; No. 1 cash. Se 27sd.
Corn—Spot quiet: American mixed. new, 3s 9d; do. old, 3s 9½d; futures, quiet; Feb. nominal; March, 3s 7½d; May, 3s 7½d. Diamond Grocer Flour

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do, medium, western, 47s 6d.

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mess, dull, 65s; do, medium, western, dull, 50s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., firm 35s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, dull, 28 to 20 lbs.,
27s; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, steady, 28s; long
clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, steady, 28s; long
clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, steady, 28s; long
clear middles, laght, 35 to 38 lbs, steady, 28s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, steady, 28s;
clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 32s.

Shoulders—Souare, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 25s 6d.
Lard—Prime western, steady, 28s 9d.

Butter—Finest American, 36s; good, 65s.

Rosin—Common, steady, 4s 11½d.
Cheese—American finest white, 49s do.
colored, 49s.

Tallery Prime city, strong, 29s 6d. Description of the Hockey Game at Sarnia.

Departure of the Enthusiasts for Sarnia-Royal Reception-Magnificent Game-Puckerings,

Never before in the history of London was there a more enthusiastic crowd than the 400 supporters of the hockey club, headed by Dave Walsh's band, that journeyed to Sarnia by special train last evening to witness the championship game between London and the boys of the Tunnel Town. The scene at the station before leaving was one that will never be forgotten. London's colors, red, black and white, tacked to hockey sticks and fluttering from the dresses of the fair admirers. of the game, together with the grotesque costumes of the band and their drum major, presented a very bright

Upon arriving at Sarnia, the special was met by a large delegation of citizens and the Twenty-Seventh Battalion band. Headed by the two bands, the London contingent marched to St. Andrew's rink, where the contest was to take place. There were fully 1,500 people inside the building, and it was trust was held yesterday afternoon in with difficulty that the ice was cleared

for the game. At 8:10 the London team made their appearance, This was a signal for a mighty cheer. The Sarnia team came not an empty bed in any ward, with on the ice a moment later, amid deafthe exception of the diphtheria section.

ening applause.

The referee, Mr. Gordon Gauthier, of Toronto, called the players together in the center of the ice, and the mayor of Sarnia delivered an address of welcome, complimenting London on the the thought that the new buildings, with accommodation for 130 to 140, spirit existing between the two two would soon be ready for

	ng between the s lined up as fo	
LONDON.	Positions.	SARNIA.
Johns	Goal	Pierce
Peel	Point	Freeman
Brown	Cover Point	Clement
Hobbs	Forwards {:	
Ewing	Forwards	
Westcott	forwards (:	Smith

Referee-G. H. Gauthier, Toronto. Umpires-Donald and Macbeth.

nurses were not added to the staff, if At 8:25 the game started, London's forwards, carrying the puck to the Sar-Dr. Balfour stated that in proportion nia goal. Pearce relieved, and for four to the number of patients treated, the minutes the prettiest and fastest hoc-London hospital had as many nurses key ever seen in the Sarnia rink was on the staff as any other hospital. The displayed. Gilmour secured the puck, number on at present was larger than and the forwards were off, passed to ever before. Dr. Balfour agreed with the members of the trust that under Ewing, who slipped past the Sarnia point and scored the first goal for Lonthe system of appointing probationers now in vogue, many of the best a plidon. The London forwards were playing a magnificent game, and when the can's were lost. The applicants were whistle blew at half-time, the score taken according to the order in which stood 4 to 0, Ewing adding two more their names appeared on the list, and and Gilmour one. In the first half, frequently they would have to wait a Westcott, the speedy wing man, broke year before they were called. They his skate, and Pousette went off with would also apply for appointments at him. The London defense during this other hospitals, and the result frehalf was a stone wail, and simply imquently was that when needed for the London hospital they were found

pregnable. When the teams lined up again the play was fast and furious. A few moments after play had started, Clement, Sarnia's cover, cross-checked who never gave in, but was hurt internally. This greatly handicapped London's scoring abilities. Hobbs laid out twice, the second time retiring from the game. In short order Sarnia scored three goals, while London only added one, Westcott doing the trick. ent showed that 22 males and 11 Sarnia scored again, making the score females had been admitted to the hos- 5 to 4 in London's favor. Sarnia here 5 to 4 in London's favor. Sarnia here made a final effort, but London's defense broke their combination right and left. With a furious rush by the London forwards, the puck was carried to the other end, and by a quick pass from Westcott, Ewing shot it through, and London wiped out their defeat of last year by a score of 6 to 4. The whistle was blown for time, and the London team were carried off the ice on the shoulders of their support-Minnie Logan, of Thorndale, and Miss Mary Clark, of the Pipe Line road,

At 2 o'clock this morning the hockey special, bearing the victorious London club, and between 300 and 400 rooters pulled into the depot here. Cheer after cheer rent the air as the hilarious crowd, swaying hockey sticks, adorned with the club colors, and headed by the German Band, marched up Richmond. The club had worked hard, and their admirers feel proud of them. It has not yet been decided where the A New Subscriber writes: "I notice in your issue of yesterday (Feb. 1), a played in London, where good ice, ample accommodation, and a good gate can be obtained.

PUCKERINGS.

Gauthier makes a grand referee. Johns is the only goal tender on earth.

Peel and Brown are like hard-boiled eggs. They can't be beat. Ewing, Gilmour, and Hobbs decorated the fence for five minutes each. Gilmour, Hobbs, Ewing and Westcott

are four of a kind, and London can always stand pat.
Vice-President Macbeth presented Ewing with his decorated hockey stick, which was so much admired, for scoring four goals.

CURLING.

number the years of the Christian era, called Anno Domini, the first year after FOREST CITY CLUB IS A DAISY. London Forest City curlers, by decalled 1, the next 2, etc. A person born feating Woodstock and Glencoe yesteron Jan. 1 in the year 1, would be 1 year day, are entitled to play in three imold on Jan. 1 in the year 2, 2 years old portant competitions, viz.: The West-ern Ontario Tankard, the western dison Jan. 1, 3, etc., and following it up to the present time, would be 1,899 years old on Jan. 1, 1900, and consequently trict Cup contests, and for the Cadillac handsome gold medal, the prize of the Detroit bonspiel. Skip J. H. Burnett until Jan. 1, 1901, the entrance into that has done some excellent curling this season, and has a record of nine sucyear commencing the twentieth cencessive victories to his credit. London Forest City's chances for beating Waterloo out in the W. O. district cup finals on Monday are splendid. Water-Is at present being directed to Catarrhloo entered the finals by defeating Ayr, ozone, and much interest has been aroused by its marvelous effect upon and this latter club, when playing here, was a "regular cinch" for the disease germs. Catarrh, bronchitis, irlocal curlers. ritable throat, and such maladies in-

AMUSEMENTS

FRAME ON MONDAY AND TUES-DAY.

W. F. Frame, Scotland's "Man You Know," and his superb company of seven stars, will appear at the Grand Monday and Tuesday. A continuous flow of mirth, music and dancing characteristic of the land of the heather is provided for at these concerts by the following special artists: Miss Florence Hayward, soprano: Miss Annette H. Gray, contralto; Mr. Walter Haigh, solo violinist; Mr. Walter Gray, tenor; Mr. John Mackenzie, champion highland and characteristic dancer; Mr. James Booth, pianist and musical conductor; Mr David C. Mather, champion piper and dancer; and Frame,

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pairs only, former price \$2 50, now\$2 00 pairs only, former price \$3, now\$2 40 pair only, former price \$3 50, now\$2 75 pair only, former price \$3 75, now\$2 75 pairs only, former price \$4 25, now\$3 35 pairs only, former price \$4 50, now\$3 60	8 pairs Wool Crib Blankets, were \$1 25, 161.

3 only, worth \$4 50, now 4 only, worth \$4 75, now 4 only, worth \$5, now 2 only, worth \$7 59, now 3 only, worth \$8 50, now 3 extra large, 6x6 feet, worth \$12, for 6 Handsome Satin and Sateen, worth \$10, for \$7 50.

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only, Ladies' Black Jackets, silk lined, were 315 each, now. only, Black Jackets, velvet collar and lapels, were \$3 50 each, now. only, Ladies' Fur-Lined Cloak, 60 inches long,	. \$7	50
was formerly \$20, now		00
only, Girls' Empire Jackets, large collar, neatly trimmed, suitable for girls from 6 to 12 years, former prices \$4 50, \$5, \$5 50 and \$5, now on sale at \$2 25, \$2 5	50. \$2 7	5, \$3

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"YANKEE DOODLE DANDY." The story of "Yankee Doodle Dandy,"

the greatest and most recent success, that will be seen at the Grand next Thursday, is an effort on the part of its author, Mr. Hugh Morton, to catch the spirit of the times, and he has taken for his background the late war with Spain. Naturally, he has not gone anywhere near the tragic features of the war, nor yet has he treated the subject in a flippant way, but has merely used it for pictorial effect, and to give atmosphere to the play. The first scene opens in a class room in the Academy of Design, in New York. One of the students has fallen in love with a stucco girl, who forms a portion of the frieze running round the ceiling of the class room. With the aid of an up-to-date Mephisto, in the form of a theatrical property-man, the student brings the stucco girl to life. When she learns that she is in the great metropolis of America, she craves for the excitement of its life, and leads her mother a merry dance. She meets a Spanish admiral, the inventor of the incubator, and a number of col-lege chappies, and men about town. The situation is thus carried out through various scenes of burlesque. There is a chorus of Rough Riders, West Point cadets, naval reserves, United States and Spanish military and naval officers, Red Cross nurses, etc. The finale of the first act is a grand

ballet, with the colonial figures of the United States, together with the British and Yankee Doodle boys and girls. One of the features of the second act is Mr. Johnson's "chowder party." The company presenting the piece includes Walter Jones, Louis Wesley, Harold Blake, Gertrude Zella, Zella Frank, and 60 odd young men and women, principally the latter. The entire production will be identically the same as regards scenery, costumes and mechanical effects as that shown at the New York Casino early in the fall.

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Consumers' Gas. 235
Montreal Gas. 235
Dominion Telegraph.
Northwest Land Company, pref. 57
Canada Pacific Railway Stock. 86½
Commercial Coupon Bonds. 105½
Com. Registered Bonds. 105
Bell Telephone Company. 173½
Bell Telephone, new. 173½
Bell Telephone, new. 167½
Montreal Street Railway. 114½
London Street Railway. 114½
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Reported by F. H. Butler, 15 and 18 Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser. New York, Feb. 4.

Yesterday's Close. Open. High. Low. 22 136 127 ½ 41 23 ½ 95 ½ 92 ¼ 80 ¼ 73 38 | Rending | 22 - 22½ | N. Y. Central | 135% | 136 | 137% | 127% | 127% | T. C. I | 43% | 44½ | Wabash | 23½ | 23½ | W. U | 95½ | 95% | 221/8 1361/8 1277/8 22¼ 138¾ 138% 128½ 44¾ 23¼ 96 93¼ 80¾ 73¾ 38 127 /8 44 23 1/4 95 1/6 92 3/4 80 1/8 73 38 W. U. 95½ Brooklyn Transit 92¾ U. Pacific. 79¼ W. U. 95½ 95½ Brooklyn Transit 92¾ 93½ U. Pacific... 79¼ 80½ Leather Trust... 73 73 Le. dd... 38½ 38 Sugar... 183½ 134 Topago... 145¼ 145¼ 1331/8 1331/8 1345/8 50% 50% 50 Southern Ry, Pfd 501/2 Jersey Central... 100 K. & T., Pfd.... 38 N. P., Pfd..... 801/4 38 80¾ 38½ 80¾ 375/8 80

Toronto Produce Market. Toronto, Feb. 4.—Wheat is steady at 691%c to 70c for red and white west. Manitoba wheat is steady at 80c for No. 1 hard, Midland. Flour is quiet at \$3 for cars of straight roller in barrels west. Millfeed firm at \$13 to \$16 for shorts, and \$12 50 to \$14 for bran west. Barley steady at 47c for No. 1 west. Buckwheat steady at 50c east and 49c west. Rye firm at 54c west. Corn is steady at 361/2c to 37c for Canada yellow west, 45½c for old No. 2 American, yellow, and 42½c for new American, Toronto. Oats steady at 29c for white west. Peas steady at 65½c to 66c west. Eggs steady at 22c for strictly newlaid, 16c to 17c for held, and 14c to 15c for limed. Butter steady at 14c to 15c for large rolls, and 12c to 14c for dairy tubs; creamery steady at 20c to 21c for prints, and 19c to 20c for packed. Dressed hogs are easier at \$4 90 to \$4 95

American Markets.

for cars here.

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—Close.—Wheat, May 72½c; July, 70½. Corn, Feb. 35½c; May, 36¾; July, 37c; Sept., 37½c offered. Oats, Feb., 26¾c; May, 27½c; July, 25c. Pork, Feb., \$9 90; May, 210 07½. Lard, Feb. \$5 £0; May, \$5 70; July. \$5 80; Sept., \$5 90. Ribs, Feb., \$4 90; May, \$5 60 offered; July, \$5 12½; Sept., \$5 25. CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—Opening—Wheat, May, 73½; July, 71c. Corn, May, 37½c; July, 71c. Corn, May, 37½c; July, 37½c. Oats, May, 28½c. Pork, May, \$10 20. Lard, May, \$5 75. Ribs, May, \$5 07.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.-Flour-Receipts, 19,767 bbls; sales, 2,000 packages; state and western quiet and easier; winter straights, \$3 60 to \$3 70. Rye flour -Neglected; good to fair, \$3 30 to \$3 40; choice to fancy, \$3 45 to \$3 60. Wheat-Receipts, 65,600 bu; sales, 1,225,000 bu; options opened steadier, but immediately sold off under pressure and local short sales. Rye-Dull; state, 611/2c; No. 2 western, 66c, f. o. b., afloat. Corn -Receipts. 24.375 bu: sales. 105.000 bu; options dull and weaker from realizing. Oats-Receipts, 74,400 bu.

Live Stock arkets CHICAGO, Feb. 4.-Hogs-Estimated receipts, 20,000; left over from yesterday, 5,227; closing 5c to 10c lower; fancy, heavy, \$3 90; rough, heavy, \$3 53 to \$3 65; good, heavy, \$3 70 to \$3 871/2; mixed, \$3 55 to \$3 85; light, \$3 50 to \$3 75. Cattle-Receipts, 300; dull, steady.

Chicago Excoange CHICAGO, Feb. 4.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1278.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat-May	7334	733/3	72	721/8
July	71-1/8	711/4		
Corn-May	8/5/8	373/4	3674	363/4
July		38	37	37
Oats May		281/4	27 7/8	
July		2678	257/8	
Pork-May10		10 22	10 05	10 07
Lard-May 5		5 75	5 67	5 70
July 6		5 87	5 82	5 82
Ribs-May	07	5 10	5 02	5 02
July 6	15	5 17	5 12	5 12

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egon because of the war tax. The earnings of the Grand Trunk system for the seven days ending Jan. 21 were \$462,947, an increase of \$17,096 over that of the same period in 1898.

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LATEST "PROBS"

Toronto, Feb. 4-10 a.m.-Prob- ♦ abilities for the lower lakes region + for the next twenty-four hours: → Moderate to fresh northwest to → → west winds; generally fair; local → + snow flurries; colder at night. Sunday-Fair and cold.

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-The condition of Dr. C. S. Moore today is unimproved. -Miss Helen Anderson, of Toronto, is the guest of Mrs. Greenway, South

London, -Mr. F. Toon lies seriously ill at the residence of his son, F. C. Toon, 196 Ridout street south.

-Mr. Louis Buxton and bride, of Goderich, were guests at Mr. W. Riley's Craig street, this week. -The Burleigh Castle Tent, K. O. T.

M., gave a supper last night, which was greatly enjoyed by the members. -Two drunks, Sam Perkins and David Durkin, appeared at the police court this morning. Both were allowed to go.

-Little Gertrude, the 7-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Froman, of 127 Wharncliffe road, died yesterday from pneumonia.

-The latest street railway schedule went into effect this morning, but some hitches occurred, which will be straightened out on Monday.

-Classes of instruction will be held the drill shed to give new men who wish to join the Seventh Fusiliers, in-

structions, etc. was no better than yesterday. Rev. John McKay, of Knox College, who preached here during the summer, will occupy the pulpit at St. An-

drew's tomorrow. -Mr. James A. Dale, of Lambeth, wishes the public to understand that he is not the J. Dale referred to in the report of Dr. Hutchinson on the city's milk supply. Mr. James A. Dale was

never in the milk business. -Miss Lettie Armstrong, Dundas street, city, entertained a number of her friends on Wednesday evening last. A very sociable time was spent in games, recitations and music. Refreshments being served, the company dis-

persed shortly after the midnight hour. -Memorial Church choir will give another service of praise on Wednesday next. They will be assisted by Miss Eva N. Roblyn, and several organ selections will be given on the new organ by Mr. Charles Wheeler, of St. Andrew's Church. A silver offertoy will be taken for the organ fund.

-No. 1 committee of the board of education met in Secretary McEl-heran's office last night and transacted some general business. Trustees Bayly (chairman), Dr. Teasdall, E. J. McRobert, D. Regan, Mrs. Boomer, Dr. Ziegler, J. Macpherson, E. W. Boyle and Thomas Evans were present. It was decided to recommend the appointment of Mr. E. E. Gibbs as principal of the Wortley road school, a position he has been filling for five months, with general satisfaction. Miss Claris and Miss Dunn will be recommended for positions on the substitute staff. The resolution, re domestic science, adopted by the public meeting held in the Collegiate Institute some weeks ago, was filed for reference.

SIXTH "SOCIABLE" A BIG SUC-CESS.

Messrs. Dayton & McCormick's sixth annual "sociable" at the Palace Dancing Academy last evening, was attended by over 100 guests, all of whom enjoyed a most pleasant time. An enlarged orchestra furnished excellent music, and the "Society Cakewalk" was again the rage, being encored every time it appeared on the programme. FUNERAL OF MISS MCARTHUR.

The remains of the late Miss Annie Christina McArthur, principal of the Wortley road school, were laid at rest in Woodland Cemetery this morning. The funeral took place from the family residence on the Wharncliffe road, and was attended by the board of education in a body. A large number of the city teachers and the scholars of the Wortley road school also attended. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Stuart, of Knox Church, of which deceased was an esteemed member. Many beautiful floral tributes were sent and the cortege was a large one.

WANT NO THIRD PARTY. The Retail Merchants' Association of Ottawa have prepared a resolution asking the government to impose a heavy license fee on all trading stamps, cash coupons, and similar schemes. The Retail Merchants' Association in several of the large towns and cities have decided to organize to secure legislation against the working of such concerns unless heavily taxed. The merchants claim that these organizations come in between the retailer and consumer without benefitting either, besides causing considerable annoyance and delay in transacting

MRS. WM. BLACKWELL DEAD. Mrs. Wm. Blackwell, another of London's old residents, died this morning at the advanced age of 82 years. For some time past Mrs.Blackwell had been ailing, but she passed away this morning after a short and severe illness. She and for the past 50 years had been a less enthusiast had poked his hockey at Grand Trunk city or station ticket have never been known to fail in a was well known and highly esteemed, resident of the Forest City. She was stick through it.

a native of King's county, Ireland.
Four children survive her. They are:
Thomas P., traveler for Joseph Smith;
Robert, librarian, of the Public Library; William J., of the car works, and Miss Sarah, at home. The news of Mrs. Blackwell's death will be received with sorrow. She was a kind mother, a generous friends, and a devout Episcopalian.

THE GRIM REAPER

Death of Three Aged Citizens at the Mount Hope Refuge-Laid at Rest.

Three aged citizens passed quietly away at the Mount Hope Refuge yesterday within a few hours of one an-

other. They are: Mrs. Mary Callahan, widow, aged 67 years, only ailing five days from la grippe. She was a member of the Ro-

of a gardener here for some years. Heart disease was the cause of death. He was a member of the Catholic Church.

Mrs. Mary A. Grovenche, aged 85 years, also a native of France, and a member of the Catholic Church. La grippe was the cause of death. The three funerals took place this morning.

CITY HALL NOTES

-Mr. Bartram writes, saying: You have, unintentionally, I am sure, misreported me as saying that the punishment for the offense of giving a false fire alarm would be "only two days in jail." I never said so to anyone. I am not sure that there is a bylaw making such an offense, but if there is, the penalty could not exceed 21 days in jail in case the fine of \$50, or less, and costs were not paid. The letter to the city clerk did not mention this fact, but simply notified the de facto council that the offer of any reward for such an offense was not within their powers -even if it were a reasonable thing to do-and involves a misapplication of the funds of the corporation. I would suggest that inquiry be made at the city hall to ascertain the nature of the bylaw making it an offense, as it might be of interest to the needy or to the tramps to know that two of prominent dailies, carry in big black them might raise funds and shelter— letters the headline "Crisis in the one by giving the false alarm and securing 21 days' lodging at Castle Boston, and the other by securing his reward of \$50 out of the pocket of the members of the council who passed the resolutions offering the reward. If there is no bylaw, then the offer could not safely be accepted, except for the lodging aforesaid. I would suggest that the opinion of the city solicitor be taken. My object is to draw the attention of the citizens to the various on Monday and Thursday evenings in ways in which the taxes are applied.

-An increase in the salary of Chief Roe, of the fire department, is being mooted. The chief's present salary is \$800, and the chiefs in Ottawa, Hamilton and Brantford receive respectively \$2,000, \$2,400, \$1,600. Some of the aldermen are also of opinion that the firemen are also underpaid here. The efficiency of the force, however, stands unchallenged.

> -The term for which Mr. J. C. Dodd mittee will expire in a week.

-A big grist of business will engage the attention of the council Monday

BURNED TO DEATH!

Sleeping Boarders Cremated-A Brave Woman Loses Her Lite to Save an Old Man.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 4.-In a boarding-house fire today three persons were burned to death. The dead are: Mrs. Eva Withey, proprietor of the boardinghouse: Mrs. Helen Rose and J. C. Hall. When the fire broke out the house contained eighteen boarders, nearly all of whom were asleep. Mrs. Withey, after arousing the boarders and getting her four children out, went back into the house to assist Mr. J. C. Hall, an old man of about 80 years, who occupied a room on the second floor. She was not seen afterward until her charred body was removed from the ruins. The loss

PEACH BUDS SAFE

Can Stand Ten Below Zero Without Injury

St. Joseph, Mich., Feb. 4.-John T. Murphy, the veteran fruit-grower, was interviewed today as to the probable effect of the recent cold snap on peach buds and on small fruits in general. and he gave it as his opinion that peach buds have not been injured in the least, and that small fruits in general were also safe. Ten degrees below zero was about the coldest weather experienced in the fruit belt, and nearly all kinds of fruit can stand that.

MILLION A MINUTE

Was the Shrinkage of Rockefeller's Wealth Yesterday.

New York, Feb. 4.-When it became known on Wall street that the "extra" dividend declared by the Standard Oil Company was only 3 per cent-it was 7 per cent last year, and nearly 20 per cent in 1897-there was great excitement on the kerb, and certificates fell in six minutes from \$470 to \$458 each. The loss of John D. Rockefeller in the shrinkage in value of his holdings was about \$6,000, 200, which was at the rate of \$1,000,000 a minute.

Steamship Arrivals.

Feb. 3.	At.	From.
	Liverpool	
	Halifax	
	Queenstown	
	London	
State of Nebra	skaGlasgow	New York
Feb. 4.	At	From.
	New York	
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-Some time during the night one of the large windows on the Richmond street side of Hammond and Gillean's Insurance office Dundas and Richmond streets, was smashed. Mr. Gillean says the window looks as though some reck-

Cologne Gazette on the Czar's Peace Conference.

Sir William Harcourt May Lead the Anti-Ritualists.

A Potent Coalition Against the Gov ernment-Oom Paul Kruger Turned Down.

Berlin, Feb. 4.-The Cologne Gazette, in an inspired communication, foreshadows the collapse of the peace conman Cathelic Church.

Mr. Goes Le Goll, a native of ference, and publishes the following exFrance, who had followed the calling pression of opinion, under a St. Petersference, and publishes the following exburg date: "It is difficult to judge whether the new idea which unexpectedly appeared, and according to which a conference is only possible when based upon conditions created by the existing treaties, will survive a change, of persons. People of sober judgment doubt this eventuality. It is well, therefore, that we, too, should join the doubters, keeping our powder dry."

ANTI-RITUALISM. London, Feb. 4.—The anti-ritualistic excitement is spreading to an alarming extent throughout Great Britain. The question threatens to become a prominent issue in parliament. Already a large Protestant party is being formed of members of the House of Commons. Among them are many Liberals who have not hitherto been identified with ecclesiastical questions.

Sir William Vernon Harcourt will, in all probability, become the leader of this new party. He has been asked to abandon his projected visit to the conthe anti-ritualists, whose rise may mark a new and potent coalition against the government.

and confessional," started by Kensit, and carried on by new Protestant leaders, has now come to a pass demanding settlement is recognized by the most conservative churchmen.

The Times, Spectator, and other

KRUGER TURNED DOWN. London, Feb. 4.—Though Paul Kruger has not yet announced his intention of retiring from the presidency of the Transvaal Republic, his successor has already been selected. The Boers have arranged that the next president of the republic shall be Andreas Daniel Wynand Wolmarans. Heretofore Oom Paul would not permit anyone to succeed him, even if the people by their votes expressed the opinion that he had been in power long enough. At a previous election it was practically certain that Gen. Joubert had a majority of votes, but Kruger was duly returned at

the head of the poll. The president is elected by ballot among the adult male Boers, but if the powers that be say that a certain man is to be elected, he will be, and there is an end to it.

There is no hope for Kruger's election now, for the Boer politicians have said that Oom Paul, who is now in his was appointed clerk of the works at the new hospital by the building compresident. Wolmarans, who is 42 years of age, has fought in the Secocoeni war of 1876, and took prominent part in the siege of Pretoria in 1880. He is a rabid anti-Uitlander.

TO "RUSSIANIZE" FINLAND. St. Petersburg, Feb. 4.-The attempt on the part of the Russian authorities in Finland to enforce the recent ukase the Czar, which purposes to thoroughly "Russianize" the province, is meeting with determined opposition. The czar demands that all pupils in the schools of Finland shall receive their instruction in the principal branches of education in the Russian language. Teachers and parents are in open revolt against this innovation, as they fear that their mother tongue will be eliminated from the schools entirely. The other objectionable feature is the law compelling service in the Russian army, in addition to the two years' servince in the Finnish regiments.

\$50,000,000 WORTH OF GERMAN CONSOLS.

Berlin, Feb. 4.-The 200,000,000 marks (\$50,000,000) of imperial and Prussian 3 per cent consols recently purchased by the Brussels Bank will be offered for subscription by the public on Feb. 9. The consols were purchased from the German and Prussian Governments at 911/8, and will be issued at 92.

ANTI-VACCINATION CONGRESS. London, Feb. 4.-Gen. Phelps, president of the Anti-Vaccination League,

has given notice that an international anti-vaccination congress will be held in Berlin in June. In the meantime, the German league is actively petitioning the reichstag for the abolition of compulsory vaccination. GREAT FIRE. Vienna, Feb. 4.-News has been re-

ceived here of a great fire at Nagy Bodragh, Hungary, in which 200 houses were destroyed and fourteen persons burned to death.

LET HADES LOOSE. London, Feb. 4.-The Outlook says: 'To leave the Philippines derelict now would be to let heil loose upon the world. America herself made Mr. Mc-Kinley president, and must herself bear the consequences of his acts and the heavy but ennobling responsibility for good government in the lands over which she has hoisted the Stars and Stripes."

NO GENERAL AMNESTY. Rome, Feb. 4.-The Chamber of De-

puties rejected, by a vote of 244 to 65 a resolution providing for a general amnesty, which was introduced and advocated by the Socialists. The chamber afterwards passed a vote of confidence in the government. "BIRDS OF GOD."

London, Feb. 4.-Watts is painting a picture to be exhibited in London, showing the cruelty of pillaging birds' plumage for millinery. It will represent an altar with heaps of feathers, over which bends on angel of compassion. with one of Dante's lines, "Birds of

Important Change in Time, Feb. 5-London to New York. Via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley. Train leaving London at 3:43 a.m., arrives New York 7:55 p.m.; Philadelphia, doctors could not help him. 7:18 p.m. Leaves London, 4:40 p.m.; Finally he tried Dodd's K arrives New York, 9 a.m.; Philadelphia, 8:56 a.m. The only line from London to sound and well in every way. New York without change of cars. Through Pullman Palace Sleeper and

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tinent and to remain in London to lead Caused by the Increasing Load of Taxes.

That the agitation against the "mass Interesting Oromwellian Celebrations To Be Held in London During

April

tion of taxes is becoming serious, and the increasing amount levied on everything is one reason for the unrest and discontent there. France supports a fifth part of the entire military expenses of Europe, though she is only the tenth part of Europe. She staggers

under the weight of \$200,000,000 ANNUALLY in the interest of her debt. Between that and the army she must pay \$400,-000,000 before she can apply a cent to the vital interests of the state. The French colonial enterprises are immensely costly, being in outlandish and inaccessible regions, as productive of rebellion as they are unproductive of revenue. The civil service is overloaded with functionaries, and government contracts are frequently but arrangements for corruption. A company which supply the army ran the price of its shares up from 128 to 164 in a few months. The navy is claimed to be unduly costly, and through mismanagement ships are so long in building that they are often obsolete when launched. The country districts form the only pol-

for internal reforms. CROMWELL'S BIRTHDAY. London, Feb. 4.-Some interesting celebrations are promised in April on the 300th anniversary of the birth of Oliver Cromwell. Among the proposals are that a Cromwellian exhibition should be held in London, that there be a great demonstration in connection with it on April 25, the exact anniversary Cromwell's birth, that local celebrations be held throughout the kingdom, and that a book be issued as an April memorial to Cromwell's services to Protestantism.

itical group which consistently agitates

CLYDE-BUILT STEAMERS FOR UNCLE SAM.

London, Feb. 4.-The International Navigation Company, controlled by the American Line, has placed orders with the Clydebank Shipbuilding Company, of Glasgow, for two steamers of 10,000 tons burden each. It is stated that the Clyde firm underbid American builders.

ONTARIO'S FISHERIES

The Regulations as to the Use of Nets -Close Seasons.

Toronto Globe: The Globe has been asked to publish the regulations in regard to the use of nets, for the information of the fishermen on the rivers and lakes of Ontario. The decision as to what implements shall be used in the fisheries still remains in the hands of the Dominion Government, but the power to issue licenses rests with the Ontario Government under the change recently made. The Ontario department of fisheries issues licenses for five kinds of fishing-pound nets, gill nets, hoop nets, seines and set lines. The hoop nets are used for coarse fishing, and the capture of fish not protected by the close season; pound and gill nets are principally used for catching trout, whitefish, herring and pickerel. Gill nets are set out in deep water, and pound nets run out from the shore Seine or sweep nets are chiefly used in the River Thames, Lake St. Clair and the St. Clair and Detroit Rivers. Set lines are attached to floats and contain a number of baited hooks. They are used most frequently around Pelee Island in the capture of sturgeon and other fish that take bait. The close season for bass and maskinonge is from April 15 to May 15; pickerel from April 15 to May 15; speckled trout from Sept. 15 to May 1; salmon and whitefish from Nov. 1 to Nov. 30.

HIS NARROW ESCAPE

How Dodd's Kidney Pills Saved Mr. C S. Griggs.

Hamilton, Jan. 30.-A startling story is told by Mr. C. S. Griggs, carpenter, living at 151 Queen street south. putable citizens vouch for the strict truth of every detail. Mr. Griggs endured the most agoniz-

ing pains for eight years. He was a victim of Bright's disease, and the best Finally he tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. Three boxes cured him. Today he is It is wonderful how many Hamilton

people have been cured of Bright's lis-Vestibule Coaches. Secure your tickets ease by Dodd's Kidney Pills. They A single case.

MAN OF 438 POUNDS DIES. Spring Greve, Minn., Feb. 4 .- John Spring Greve, Minn., Feb. 4.—John Johnson died Thursday night of obe-sity. He weighed at his death 438 pounds. Five years ago he weighed only 200 pounds. His increase in flesh is attributed to his enormous appetite and use of intoxicating beverages. He was 42 years old.

TWO-CENT POSTAGE.

Montreal, Que., Feb. 4.—The post-office authorities in Montreal state that since the inauguration of the twocent postage rate to the United Kingdom, at the beginning of the year, the postal matter passing through this center has enormously increased in volume. No figures can yet be given to show what relation the increased business bears to the total quantity of London, Feb. 4.-In France the ques- matter handled, but it is beyond question that the number of letters handled is altogether beyond pre-The increase is not confined to Montreal, but extends through the whole of the extensive districts of Ontario and Quebec, of which Montreal is the collecting and distributing

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WON AT LAST

She grumbled excessively when she found that the doctor had sent in a nurse. "Such unnecessary expense!"

She declared. Vere was very ill and feverish, and the nurse would not allow her aunt to see her, and Lady Martry could never quite understand how vere was wounded, and to this day is not clear about it.

When Vere returned to consciousness the found her position anything but a pleasant one. She was made to understand very distinctly that her ill-sir Harry rose a little reluctantly;

she found her position anything but a pleasant one. She was made to un-derstand very distinctly that her illness was a great nuisance, and that the was a burden and an encumbrance. Those early days of convalescence were very dreadful to the sufferer. Vere never looked back to them without a shudder. If it had not been that every morning a tiny but exquisite bunch of flowers was brought to her, Vere felt she could hardly have lived through the long weary days. The flowers filled her with sweet thoughts.

And then suddenly there was a great change in the conduct of those about her. Vere was conscious of increased consideration on the part of aunt and cousins at which she wondered greatly. Nothing was too good for her, and they fussed about her till Vere

She soon learned the explanation. An accident had occurred in Scotland, and the Earl of Martry had been

drowned. Vernon Chetwynd was now Earl of Martry. He had been wired for, and was coming back at once, and she, Vere, instead of being an interloper, was the daughter of the house-her father's house, too-and Lady Vere Chet-

There was a large fortune to come to the new earl, but the widow and daughters were left badly off. It depended entirely on Vernon Chetwynd as to what their future would be, and hence their devotion to his daughter, Lady

Vere was a little disgusted at her relatives' behavior, and her convalescence dragged on slowly.

Her father arrived and took over all the business arrangements, but Vere, in her room upstairs, was shut away from all the news through all those long, tedious weeks.

You must make haste and get well, Vere," Lady Dora said one day. "Your father is beginning to talk about your wedding." "My wedding!" faltered Vere.

"Yes. Sir Harry has been most attentive. He comes every day to inquire.' 'Sir Harry!"

"Oh, has no one told you? Yes, he has succeeded to the title and property while you have been lying here.'

"And what do you think, Vere? That ridiculous fellow, Kerry, comes every day to inquire, too. Your father is awfully annoyed about it. He says he ought to know better. Such impudence! And—may I tell her the rest, nurse? Old Aunt Hetty is dead, and has left you her fortune. There, now! Never call yourself an unlucky girl again. And, tell me-when will you see Sir

But Vere only smiled faintly and the

nurse sent the girl away.
"My dear," her father said later on,
"I've been talking to young North. We thin you might be married in six weeks so. It will be just as well. It will stop the talk about young Kerry. you know. By the bye, that fellow will persist in coming here whenever Harry | ill."

"Nurse," Vere said, when her father had gone; "I feel quite well enough to go down now, and next time Sir Harry North calls I should like to see him.' "Yes, my lady," said the nurse smiling. "I will see that you do."

CHAPTER XV.

It was a day or two later, when the nurse appeared smiling, and informer Vere that Sir Harry North had called

"And there's no one at home, Lady Vere, so you can have a nice chat," said the good woman, with ready sympathy for lovers who had been separated so long.
"Thank you," said Vere, rising, "Do

I-do I look nice, nurse?" "Lovely, my lady."

And, indeed, she spoke the truth. Vere wore a beautiful rose-colored loose gown, trimmed with lace, and the nice color set off the girl's delicate loveliness most becomingly.

Lady Vere went slowly downstairs, and turned the handle of the library door, where she had been told she would find Harry. He sprang up as she entered and

came towards her. 'Vere! My darling! How ill you have been!" he exclaimed.

"Oh, I am better now," she said, quietly. "I have-" and then the door was opened and the butler announced

"Mr. Kerry."
With well-bred composure Ernest closed the door, and, folding his arms, looked at Vere. He was deadly pale, but his mouth was stern and firm, and he gazed wistfully at Vere.

I beg your pardon for intruding, "Lady Vere," he said in a low tone; "but Sir Harry knows that I have reasons for following him. I told him I should not allow him to see you." Vere raised her eyebrows.

"Allow him! Then he is not a free man, Mr. Kerry?" "Sir Harry and I have made a little compact," he returned steadily. "He

"Will you sit down, please, and let us talk?" said Vere quietly, and then, as they complied, "I suppose you are still

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threatening Sir Harry on my account, Mr. Kerry? You see, I have not forgot-ten what I heard that night," she said. composedly.
"You heard!" said both men together.

Sir Harry rose a little reluctantly but Vere walked towards the door, and he followed.

"I'm going to get that paper from him," she whispered. "I shall make him burn it."

"Thanks, darling, thanks," whispered Harry, feverishly. "Ah, you don't know what a time I've had," and then he stopped, wishing he had not said so much.

It did not sound like innocence. Vere apparently noticed nothing.
"Go into the drawing-room," she

said aloud, cheerfully. "And, oh, Harry, thank you so much for the flowers you sent me which I was ill!"

"Ah, oh, yes," he stammered awkwardly, hoping Vere did not notice his confusion, and he escaped from the room, while Ernest Kerry, who had

chosen those flowers so carefully, felt his heart die within him. "Mr. Kerry," she said gently, "you'll tell me if anyone else knows this miserable secret?"

"Lady Vere, is it fair to me to ask it? You saw him attempt my life. What hold have I on him if I tell you that no one else knows the truth?" "I am sorry," she said. "I hoped to be

able to persuade you to put that wretched paper in the fire." "You ask a great deal," he said, cold-

"I know that," she rejoined; "and I have thought about it a great deal before making my request. I want you to let him go free—to another country. You will be all the happier for so doing; you wouldn't like to have a hand in bringing him to justice now, would you?"

"Then you don't think him innocent?" he asked sharply, struck by her words. "How can I, after what I overheard? His words just now confirmed my doubts. Of course, I don't believe for one moment that he hid the deed deliberately, but I do think he has yielded to a sudden temptation and did it, either by accident or in a sudden fit of passion. I think he would start afresh in a new country. Won't you be generous and free him, Mr. Kerry?"

"It isn't a question of generous try" he

"It isn't a question of generosity," he returned in agitation. "I don't care, personally, whether he goes or stays; it is his hold on you that concerns me. I tell you frankly, I'll fight till the last hope to keep you from marrying that

"But it frightens me to think of you holding him like this," murmured Vere, her lovely face pallid with emotion. "Suppose he were to try and kill you again?"

"How she loves him!" thought Ernest, and he could not keep the pain out of his voice, as he replied: "I don't think he will do that, and I

fancy he would refuse to go abroad if I destroyed the evidence I hold." "Oh, he could not be so ungrateful, I'm'sure. But I see you are determined, Mr. Kerry, so I will change the subers, and thank you for the lovely flow-

ers you sent me every day while I was comes, follows him to the door, and always asks if he's seen you. Absurd, Harry North for them," he returned,

"I wasn't sure who sent them, so I thanked him first to see," she said. "I am glad you liked them," he said

(To be Continued.)

THIS SETTLES IT.

Mr. Charles Dean, on Dodd's Kidney Pills.

He Was Asked if Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Him of Kidney Disease, and Declared They Did After His Doctor and Other Medicines Had Failed.

London, Feb. 3.—The publication a few days ago in the press of this and other cities of the statement that Mr. Charles Dean, of the City Hotel had been cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills, of a disease that every other remedy he had used, failed to even relieve, created wide-spread comment and discus-

The majorily of the citizens agreed that the case was not a remarkable one for Dodd's Kidney Pills, which, they said, cure every case or Kidney Disease for which they are used.

Some few persons, however, doubt-ed the accuracy of the report. To settle the question, once for all, we interviewed Mr. Dean and asked him if the press reports were true. "Certainly, they are true," said he, "The only fault they have is that they

are not strong enough." "I used to suffer so much that I had to lie down to get relief. My doctor said my kidneys were affected. He gave me medicine, but it didn't help

"One day I met Mr. M. L. Buffy, architect, who was cured of Kidney Disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills. He advised me to try them, and I did so. When I had taken four doses I was relieved. One box made me a new man. I have taken three boxes, and

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BUTTER MAKERS

First Annual Convention of the Association of Western Ontario.

Names of Prize-Winners-Intertn g Addresses.

Listowel, Ont., Feb. 4.—The first annual convention of the Cheese and Butter Makers' Association of Western Ontario was held here Wednesday in the McDonald Music Hall, at which there were about 400 delegates present, who represented nearly every factory in Western Ontario. This association was formed last year in response to a general desire expressed at the dairymen's convention held at London in January, 1898, to have an association composed entirely of those who are engaged in the manufacture of cheese and butter.

The convention was opened by President Miller, who read an excellent address, dealing largely with the ob-jects and advantages of the association, which are purely for mutual improvement in the science of cheese and butter making.

W. A. Bothwell, of Hickson, read a paper on the care of milk, which brought forth an interesting discussion, the concensus of opinion being that absolute cleanliness must prevail throughout every detail in the manufacture of butter or cheesee. Prof. Dean, of the Ontario Agricul-

tural College, delivered on excellent address on the general conduct of the cheese and butter business. An exhibit of butter and cheese was

held, and liberal prizes offered, the winners of which were as follows: September cheese, white — First, Mary Morrison, Newry; second, C. Goodhand, Milverton; third, Thomas

Grieve, Wyandotte. September cheese, colored — First, N. Cosh, Brantford; second, I. S. Isard, Paisley; third, W. B. Thompson, Brook-

Fifty-six pound package, winter creamery butter — First, J. R. Lalng, Avonbank; second, Jas. Bristow, Se-bringville; third, T. B. Marshall, Tiv-

Ten one-pound prints, winter creamery butter—First, T. B. Marshall, Tiverton; second, Thomas Malcolm, Kinlough; third, Geo. A. Boyes, Mapleton. The prizes in each class were \$25, \$15 and \$10. A number of special prizes were also awarded.

The evening session was called for 7:30, and the Music Hall was filled to overflowing, the citizens of the town evincing a marked interest in the proceedings. An address of welcome was delivered by Mayor J. A. Hacking, and an engrossed address to the visiting delegates from the citizens' commit-tee was read by Mr. H. B. Morphy. The meeting was addressed by T. J. Dillon, Charlottetown, P. E. I.; S. G. Publo, dairy instructor, Kingston; and Prof. Dean. The speakers urged the importance of manufacturers producing only the very best quality of cheese and butter, and the necessity of absolute cleanliness and care in the various processes of manufacture.

THURSDAY'S SESSION.

The convention of the Cheese and Butter Makers' Association of Western Ontario closed on Thursday afternoon, and it was conceded by men who have for years been attending such meetings that a more instructive session of dairymen was never held. Those attendance came to gather all the information they were able, and the addresses delivered were all of the most practical character, and were by men of long experience in the departments of industry they treated. The afternoon session was hastened, so that the members might be able to get away on the outgoing trains.

The association displayed its appreciation of the splendid and untiring work of its president, Mr. T. B. Millar, now of London, by again electing him as its chief officer. The other officers elected were: Vice-president, G. H. Barr, Sebringville; directors, George Goodband, Milverton; John Brodie, Mapleton; E. Agur, Ripley; T. E. Nimmo. Pine River: James Morrison, Stratford; T. D. Barry, Ingersoll; W. W. Brown, Attercliffe Station; inspectors, T. B. Millar, London: James Morrison, Stratford; dairy superintendent, W. W. Harris, Brussels; secretary-treasurer, W. W. Brown, Attercliffe Station.

Mr. E. Agur, of Brownsville, read the first paper, which was on "Economy of Mr. Agus said that as factories in this day could not be operated without steam boilers it was a matter of necessity that these, when under constant work, should be carefully looked

Mr. G. C. blow, instructor of the dairy school, Kingston, gave a splendid practical address on cheese-making. He took his audience right through the process of making a fine cheese, and explained his own methods of procedure. It had been said, he began, that the limit of cheese-making had been very nearly reached. This was a matter of great importance of cheese-makers, for it meant, if true, that they must make their cheese so fine that when the consumer tastes it he will want more. Despite the splendid reputation which our cheese had obtained on the English market, there was plenty of bad quality manufactured. The chief faults were bad flavor and acid-cut cheese, which was weak in body, and with a bitter flavor, the result of the condition of the milk and curing.

Montague, of Dunnville, Cured of Ulcerated Itching Pilas.

Mr. Robert Montague, of Dunnville, Ont., writes: "Was troubled with Itching Piles for five years, and was badly ulcerated, they were very painful, so much so that I could not sleep. I tried almost every medicine known, when I was recommended to use Dr. Chase's Ointment. I purchased a box and from the first application got re-lief. Have used two boxes and am now completely cured."

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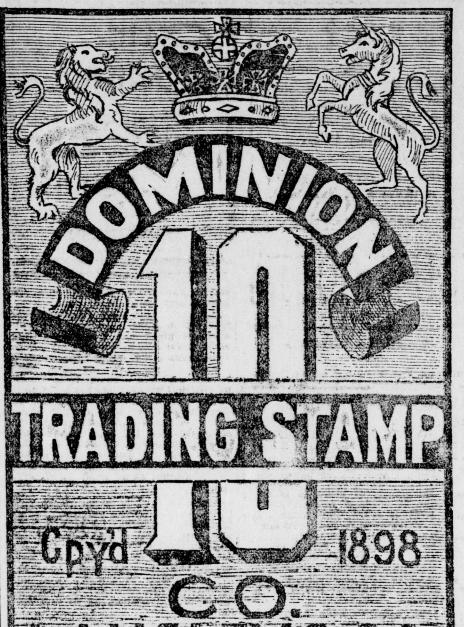
have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a cureone box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's

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SATISFACTORY CONDITIONS

Good Trade Prospects in the Dominion -What the Commercial Agencies Say.

New York, Feb. 4.—Bradstreet's weekly review of trade says: Satisfacory trade conditions are reported in Canada. Toronto reports the best January business for three years past, the usual renewals smaller than the average, and cash or short credit sales larger than ever before. An increased business is noted in lumber, and a project for exporting wood pulp to the United Kingdom is under consideration. Montreal reports trade steady, and pounds last year, 50,111,300 pounds in ahead of last year. Travelers are send- 1897, and 26,942,800 pounds in 1892. The ing good orders, and country trade is in iron industry is advancing prices of good spirits, owing to recent cold wea-ther, enabling it to dispose of surplus | Failures for the week have been winter goods. Failures are fewer than for many years past, and the outlook is for spring business ahead of last year. Victoria retail trade has been re tarded by inclement weather. In the Maritime Provinces business is dull. lumber exports are small, but logging is active. Failures for the week num-

ber 36, as compared with 32 last week, and 42 in this week a year ago. Dun & Co. say: The general tone of Canadian dispatches indicates fairly good prospects, but with not much gain as yet. The fish trade is good at St. John, with prices steadily advancing, and stocks now very small. Lumber shipments are merely nominal. Spring orders are coming in fairly for drygoods and groceries. Business at Halifax is in fair condition generally, with satisfactory orders for spring delivery. At Quebec business is fair in all lines, with collections fairly up to the mark, and at Montreal, although a lack of snow in some surrounding districts is somewhat detrimental, business is active compared with recent years, and in a good many lines healthy with increasing firmness. Indications point to payments well met on the 4th, which is a heavy day in drygoods, and call money is plentiful at 4 to 41/2 per cent. Toronto reports wholesale trade active, with sales far ahead of any previous year, and payments satisfactory. Wholesale business at Winnipeg remains quiet in all lines, with collections only fair, though prospects are good for an active business with northern ports during the coming season.

OVER THE LINE.

Dun & Co.'s review says: There is an epidemic of consolidations. Never be-fore have so many organizations of that sort been in operation or in progress. time to come. The advance in wheat While ignorant prejudice condemns all, checked export trade, but an improvesort been in operation or in progress. though many are beneficial, it seems probable that the business is at present being much overdone.

The feature of the week has been the decline of 5 cents in wheat, with only half a cent in corn and only a sixteenth in cotton. The government estimate of the wheat crop-675,000,000 bushelshas more influence than any other from

great efforts to get at the truth, and is therefore considered about the lowest estimate admissible. With ordinary consumption and present exports of 150,000,000 bushels from the crop of 1898, flour included, also, there will be less than 100,000,000 bushels for replenishment of stocks for farmers holding wheat for export in the next five months, and the exports of 4,942,436 bushels, flour included, from Atlantic ports, against 3,094,517 bushels last year, and 1,495,604 bushels from Pacific ports, against 776,940 bushels last year, besides 309,855 bushels from Duluth, and Portland, Maine, shows a stress of foreign demand, which may well excuse

some recovery in prices. A very strong market for cotton goods has prevailed, and prevents raw cotton from declining. Sales of woof have been fairly large—30,752,400 pounds for the year thus far, against 36,782,470 Failures for the week have been 224 in the United States, against 331 last year; and 25 in Canada, against 39 last

Bradstreet's report: A quieting down of speculative interests is noticeable in a number of markets this week, without, however, bringing to light any important impairment or the underlying strength of the general business situation. The important price recessions this reaction might be mentioned the government estimate of last year's crop, placing it at 676,000,000 bushels—far in excess of earlier estimates by the same authority, and exceeding sinking feeling, dizziness, etc.

all but the most sanguine of trade estimates, which had generally fixed upon when I got a box of Milburn 650,000,00 as the probable maximum. It be based on a yield one year ago of only 530,000,000 bushels, whereas the 1897 crop of 590,000,000 bushels. Inasmuch as the gain in acreage this year is reported by the government at not far from 5,000,000 acres, it will be seen that the indicated increase in the yield is quite a conservative one. The increase in the acreage devoted to winter wheat was also a bearish feature,

and advices from the crop so far certainly do not favor the bulls, although some capital has been made out of the very recent cold weather. Investiga-tions in the central west would seem to indicate that little damage that is perceptible has been done, but it is probably worth remembering that the real proportions of the injury would not in any estimate become known for some ment in this direction is reported at the

lower range of values. A sympathetic quieting down of interest in cotton is to be noted. The feature of the iron trade this week is the announcement of the selling of practically the entire output of the Lake Superior iron ore mines for the coming year, and the iron markets on the whole are quiet. The strength of cause it is recognized as the result of the lumber market is a feature, and the

scarcity of hard woods is still complained of. Demand for white pine is reported to be heavy at western points.

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long time with my heart and nerves, and had a very severe attack of La Grippe, which left me much worse in of the week are those noted in wheat every way. At times the palpitation of and other cereals except oats. Imme- my heart was so bad that I feared diately instrumental in bringing about death. My heart seemed to go right up into my throat, and caused a feeling of suffocation most painful to endure. Then at other times there was a great fluttering of the heart, followed by a

I was feeling extremely miserable when I got a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills from Mr. T. G. Ryley's is worth remembering, however, that Drug Store, and commenced taking this government estimate is supposed to them. From the first few doses I improved rapidly, and am now much better than I have been for a long time. movement of the crop and the best My appetite is good and I am wondertrade estimates incline to a total for fully better in every way. I can recommend these pills very highly, as I feel that no other remedy could have performed such a marvelous change in so short a time, and it gives me pleasure to let others know that there is a remedy which will cure them. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c a box or 3 boxes for \$1 25, at all

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METEOROLOGICAL.

Toronto, Feb. 3.-8 p.m.-The Northwest anti-cyclone is moving slowly southward, and is decreasing in energy, whilst the low area from the Southwest States is now near the south shores of Lake Erie, and is moving rapidly northeastward. It continues decidedly cold over the Northwest, and mostly cold from the lakes to the Atlantic. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 4-20; Edmonton, 26 below-22 below; Battleford, 40 below-20 below; Qu'Appelle, 34 below-22 below; Winnipeg, 38 below-16 below; Port Arthur, 16 below-2; Parry Sound, 10-22; Toronto, 15-23; Ottawa, 2 below-14; Montreal, 2-

12; Quebec, 8-8; Halifax, 8-14. Local temperatures.—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory here on Friday, Feb. 3, were: Highest, 24.5 above; lowest, 5 de-

grees above. Sun rises today at 7:30; sets, 5:33. Moon rises at 2:07 a.m.; sets 11:22 a.m.

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-Mr. E. W. Scatcherd, barrister and solicitor, recently of this city, is in Lucan. -Mr. A. D. Armstrong, of Brigden,

is taking a course in the military school here. -Mrs. Duncan Carmichael, of West Lorne, is in this city attending her

mother, who is ill. -Mrs. George Hoskin, of Light street, Woodstock, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. John McClary, here.

-Chief Engineer Hobson, of the G. T. R., inspected the new York street railway bridge yesterday. -Mr. Ed Barnes, medical student,

who is seriously ill with pneumonia, is reported to be improving. -Mr. Wilfrid Blakie, tenor, will assist

morrow evening. -Mr. J. P. Hunt, artist, city, has sold

the choir of the Colborne Street Metho-

-Alfred Pinnell, of Talbot street, who was crushed beneath a log at Beck's yard on Wednesday, is doing as well as can be expected. He is still

in the city hospital. -Prof. Phelp, the newly-appointed organist of the Askin Street Methodist Church, met the choir at last night's regular practice, and will officiate to-morrow for the first time.

-Rev. Dr. Saunders will continue the series of special sermons to young people tomorrow evening in Dundas Center Methodist Church, his subject being "A King's Daughter."

-Miss Morrison, of Winnipeg, who

forth before returning to the west. -Mr. Charles Cole, janius of the Horton Street Baptist Church, died at the residence of Mrs. Henderson, Horton street, Wednesday night, of heart disease. He was well known in this city, where he has resided all his life.

-Mr. Elgin Schoff, barrister, of Toronto, has been summoned to Clandeboye village, where his mother is dangerously ill and not expected to recover. Mrs. Schoff, who is in her 77th year, is one of the oldest residents of Middlesex county.

-The annual reunion of the members of the London Lodge of Perfection, 14 degrees, A. and A. S. Rite, is slated for Friday afternoon and evening next in their rooms, Masonic Temple, when a class of from fifteen to twenty brethren is expected from the city and Western

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-An east-bound freight train on the G. T. R. blocked the road for four hours last night near the Cove bridge. One of the trucks on a cattle car jumped the rails, but the train was stopped before much damage was done. The accident occurred between train times, and had no serious effect upon traffic.

-The "at home" and reception to Grand Master Malone, at the Opera House, on the evening of the 17th, is well under way, and the committee are exerting themselves to make the occasion one of the most pleasant of the many functions which have ever been held under Masonic auspices in this city.

-Much interest is being aroused in musical circles by the anouncement of the concert in the Grand Opera House REDUCTION OF RATES. on Monday, Feb. 13, to be given by Mlle. Antoinette Trebelli, the great soprano, assisted by Harold Jarvis and George Fox. The plan will open for subscribers only at the Grand Opera House on Wednesday next, at 9 o'clock, instead of on Monday, as at first announced.

-The funeral of the late Mrs. Herbert Tatham, of the Wharncliffe road, took place to Woodland Cemetery yesterday afternoon. The pall-bearers were deceased's two sons, Robert H. were deceased's two sons, Robert H. and Charles; her brothers, William Evans, of Saginaw, and Fred L. Evans, of this city. Mr. Harry Gorman, of the Sarnia Observer, brotherin-law of deceased, was a mourner on the occasion. Ven. Dean Innes officiated.

-It is reported that the rules which have been agreed upon by the Grand Trunk and the Telegraphers' Union have already been put into operation in this city. D. L. Shaw, the operator stationed at London East, was relieved of his position about two months ago for failure to deliver a message. Mr. Shaw has pressed his claim for reinstatements, and, it is stated, has succeeded.

-During the past week several hundred school children have enjoyed themselves at the Princess Ice Palace. On Tuesday last, Miss Buckle's class, from Princess avenue school, went down en masse. Principal Bryant's class went down Thursday, and Miss Spittal's and Miss Simpson's classes yesterday. These juvenile skating parties are becoming more and more popular.

-A vestry meeting of the Trivitt Memorial Church congregation, Exeter, was held in the school hall there recently, for the purpose of considering the choice of a rector for the parish. Several names were mentioned, and, after considerable discussion, it was decided to extend an invitation the Rev. J. W. Ten Eyck of this city, on approbation of a large representation of the parishioners. The matter of choice will

be considered later. -Fergus News-Record: Many friends will be sorry to learn that Councilor D. M. Broadfoot, of Nichol, who is attending the military school in London, is dangerously ill with pneumonia, and has been removed to the general hospital in that city. Mr. Broadfoot was dangerously ill last year, and much anxiety is felt for him at the present time by his friends here. His comrades. Capt. Moir and others, are in London, also at the school, and no doubt everything was done for him even before his friends here heard of his illness. It is hoped that he will

have a speedy recovery. -A very enjoyable time was spent at the Roadside Rink, York street, east of Maitland, Friday night, where a fancy dress carnival was held, under the auspices of the Terrace. The prize was won by P. Blackwell, as Chicago Slim. The others in costume were: H. Macready, as Sweet Marie; E. Martin, as Bar-room Tough; S. and E. Jacques, as McSorley's Twins; L. Scott. Black Beauty: E. and H. Blackwell, farmers; C. Adair, Tommy Atkins; W. Coke, policeman; R. McRedy, McGinty; T. Sigeons, the Chimney Sweep; E. Skues, Judge J. Lawrse's bookkeeper.

-Daniel Linden, who had both feet frozen so badly while on a spree, that they had to be amputated, is still in the City Hospital. He will have to remain there some weeks yet. It is alleged that the unfortunate man sto'e some \$500 and a silver waten from Mr. John McLaughlin, brickmaker, Adelaide street north, but it is not thought that he will be placed on trial. His arrest was not made for weeks after the robbery, and when locked up it was found that his feet had been

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frozen. He was immediately removed to the hospital, when it was decided that amputation was. necessary. SUCCESSFUL CANADIAN INVENT-ORS.

The following list of patents recently granted to inventors residing in Canada is reported for The London Advertiser, by P. J. Edmunds, international patent solicitor: United States patents -E. Kelley, Wallaceburg, Ont., guard Dodd. fenders for vehicle wheels; E. Piper, Ald. Toronto, cupola tail-lamp; C. Dawson, Lachine, Que., belt shipper; E. T. Free-man, Halifax, N. S., nailing machine; J. Lundy, Willsonville, disc attachment for drills; H. Martin, Montreal, fire hose support; F. Merril, et al., Montreal, dry air freezer; H. Beach, Grand Forks, protective head screen; E. and W. Bronson, Ottawa, match machine; Lydia McClatchey, Leamington, making flour from pumpkins, etc.

A reduction of the rates of flour and grain to Newfoundland is announced in a circular issued by the Grand Trunk, which will come into effect at once. The new tariff will affect all points in Ontario and Quebec west of Montreal, including points on the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway. The freight will be routed by way of North Sydney, and the steamer Bruce, which makes connection with the Newfoundland railway at Pointe aux Basques. According to the tariff the reduction is 2½ cents per 100 pounds over the former tariff. The old rate from Toronto was 301/2 cents, while it is now 281/2 cents. The railway has also put on a new rate on beans from points west of London and St. Thomas, of 32 cents per 100 pounds in carloads, minimum weight, 30,000 pounds.

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The Hospital Building Committee Looking Ahead.

An Effort to Find Out Where They Are At.

An Offer to Supply Electric Power and Lighting-Some Tenders To Be Called.

The hospital building committee met last night and took their bearings with regard to the ultimate cost of the building. The members present were Ald. Jolly (chairman), Wilkey, Parnell, McPhillips, the mayor, Architect Mc-Bride, Clerk of Works Dodd and Secretary Bell.

Mr. McBride, in accordance with Ald. Parnell's motion, submitted an estimate of the cost to complete the building. It was as follows:

Electric engines and generators .. \$3,150 Foundations for same Electric bells for private pavilion

Mantels 1,860 Dumb waiters 325

Ventilators Painting contagious ward 535 Extra on foundation of private patients' pavilion (bad soil) 125 Sundries 489

A number of these items were suggested by Dr. Balfour, Mr. McBride Ald. Parnell asked about the fixtures

for lights, and Mr. McBride said they would be \$600 or \$700. He looked upon them as part of the furnishings. The total amount of contracts already let is over \$87,000, adding the above brings it up to \$96,000. The balance now on hand is \$334.

"It will cost \$100,000," said Ald. Par-"And that is \$20,000 less than the wiseacres said," remarked the mayor. "But there are the furnishings to be considered," replied Ald. Parnell.

It was decided to recommend the

council to call for tenders for electric The appearance of the hard stone finish in the contagious pavilion, and the recommendation to paint it were considered in a spirit of great levity. Messrs. Moore & Henry returned the check for \$50 offered them as payment

in full for their \$400 account. 'We are \$50 ahead," said the mayor. He moved no action be taken. Car-The chairman reported that the floor ing he and Ald. Wilkey tested had shrank 1-16 of an inch. It is being re-

dried by Contractor Purdom. Mr. Dodd, clerk of the works at the new building, reported that he had been repeatedly overruled by the architect, Mr. McBride, and asked the committee to define his authority. A lengthy discussion followed, in the course of which Mr. McBride said that

in matters of opinion it was for him to decide regarding the work. On motion of the mayor a committee, consisting of the chairman, Ald.

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Parnell and Wilkey, were appointed to investigate. On motion of Ald. Parnell reports of all material changes from specification, with or without the cognizance of the committee, will be furnished the sub-

committee by Mr. McBride and Mr. Ald. Jolly asked why the doors in the contagious pavilion were to be painted instead of finished in oil. The of view they would make a great mis-

take to have oil finish. The London Mutual and other insurance companies wrote that they had not been fairly treated in matter of insurance on the new build-The present amount of \$44,000 will be

sufficient until the new pavilion is built, Mr. McBride said. On motion of Ald. Parnell the ap-Mr. C. B. Hunt, of the London Electric Light Company, submitted an es-

and power for the new hospital. The company's offer was to supp power and the light for \$150 per month, including a continuous service of 22 hours out of the 24, it being necessary to shut down the service for two debate on the subject of colonial exhours—from 4 to 6 o'clock in the morn-pansion—Imperialism—will occur. All ing, each day. The power service includes five motors-two in the laun- a cordial welcome. dry, two for elevators and one for ven-

The mayor said it had cost nearly \$200 last month for coal for the present institution, and it was important to know whether it would be necessary to keep steam up in the boilers during the summer.

On motion of Ald. Parnell the matter was laid over. All information possible bearing on

VETERANS OF '66

Suggestion to Invite Lord Minto Referred to the Fair Board-Business of the Finance Committee.

The finance committee of the city council held a brief session last night. The members present were Ald. Rumbail (chairman), Plant and O'Meara, the mayor, and Secretary Pope.

Mr. T. H. Purdom was present in support of a petition for the exemption from taxation of the Harding Hall Girls' School, Limited. Under the act, the proprietor was entitled to exemption. Mr. Purdom said, on the ground that the school was an incorporated seminary of learning. Referred to the

city solicitor. An account for \$12 for the board of two men at the Bernard House during the street railway strike was passed for payment. The men were brought from Montreal by the street railway company, but refused to work when they found out a strike was on, and were kent at the city's expense until money came to them from Montreal. Mrs. Pattullo, on behalf of the W. C.

T. U., asked remission of taxes, amounting to \$14, on the union's building at the corner of Wellington and Victoria streets. Referred to the inspector. Capt. D. C. Macdonald's communication pointing out the desirability of inviting Lord Minto to distribute medals to the veterans of 1866, was discussed. Ald. O'Meara said it would cost sev-

eral hundred dollars to have the governor-general here for that purpose. But as the Western Fair board would no doubt invite him to come to London, he moved to refer the letter to the board. Carried. Fireman Robertson's account for

medical examination on applying for a position on the department was filed. A petition from Mrs. A. Bloomer, of 896 Dufferin avenue, for remission of taxes, was referred to the inspector. The 1898 taxes of Mrs. Hoskins, 88 Maitland street, were remitted. The usual batch of accounts was

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OVER THE TEACUPS

Not for the doctrine, out the music there-Pope.

The Musical and Literary Society of the Western University gave a very pleasant concert on Tuesday evening, mayor said that from a sanitary point the chief feature of the programme being an entertaining lecture on "Student Life in Germany," by Prof. James, M.A., Ph.D. The professor was able to intersperse his lecture with interesting personal reminiscences, and the audience thoroughly enjoyed his picture of university life in Germany. Especially were his remarks on the subject of the Berlin police appreciated. Accord-ing to the lecturer, Mark Twain once plications were left on the table until observed that he was certain that if the architect deemed it advisable to an earthquake should happen in Berlin, the police would immediately take charge of it, and everything pass off smoothly. During the evening the timate of the total cost for lighting students enlivened things by various original compositions; but, in spite of the curiosity which these inspired, the poet as yet, remains unknown. The society have an interesting programme arranged for Friday, the 10th, when a who desire to attend may be sure of

> My own reminiscences of Germany are naturally vague, considering that I only spent two weeks in Berlin; but the day of my arrival was of sufficient importance to go down into history. It was the anniversary of the Battle of Sedan, and what is more, was the last occasion on which the anniversary was celebrated as a day of national rejoicing. There are few who know this, few who know that the much abused Emperor William had the good taste to discontinue a custom which stirred up afresh each year the enmity between the nations. But right royally did Berlin-in fact all Germanycelebrate it that year, with illuminations and decorations and processions, and now the Battle of Sedan is fading from the present, and only appears to us on the pages of history or (as I saw it once) in a cyclorama.

Miss Isabelle Parke is the guest of Mrs. Barker, of Toronto, for a few

days. Mr. Thomas Dyment, M.P., was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Baker, of Queen's avenue, this week

Mrs. Ginge was the hostess of a very pleasant whist party on Wednesday. evening. Among those present was Miss Christie, of Hamilton, who is at present the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles Leonard, of Queen's avenue.

The bachelors of Hamilton are ar-

ranging a large ball, which is to be given at the Waldorf Hotel, and promises to be very successful. No doubt many will be going from London.

Mr. Willie Richardson was in town for over Sunday.

On Wednesday afternoon two "teas" were in progress in South London, and I am sure the "invited" appreciated the fact that the hospitable homes were so near together, for this dreadfully cold weather that all of us have been so cranky about makes us dislike long walks or even long distances in the cars. Mrs. Cameron, of "The Beeches," Grand avenue, assisted by the Misses Cameron, was the hostess of one "tea." The other was in honor of Miss Vickers (of Toronto), at present the guest of the second hostess, Miss Clara McKen-

zie, of Wortley road. Owing to a mistake in the date, the Auditorium was hardly well filled on Wednesday afternoon, when the Women's Morning Music Club held their fortnightly concert. Among those who assisted was Miss Miriam Hellmuth, who, for her age, is a most remarkable pianist. The club will give another concert next week.

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