
APOLOGIZED.

SLAVERY IN ZANZIBAR

Abolished by the Sultan-Women Not

Included.

Zanzibar, April 7.-The Sultan of

Zanzibar has issued a decree abolish-

ing slavery. It provides that existing

rights over concubines shall remain

ernment will pay compensation for all

SOUTH AFRICA.

Major Willoughby's Statement About

Dr. Jim's Raid.

London, April 7 .- At the sitting o

produced a number of letters written

sations which he had had with Dr

any further information on the sub-

The chairman warned Major Wil-

loughby that the testimony he was giv-

ing was in direct conflict with that

given by Dr. Jameson, but he repeated-

loughby that both he and Dr. Jame-

Very Favorable.

Grand Trunk Railway Company's

Annual Report.

Intercolonial Ex asion-Double Track-

ing the Victoria Bridge-The

Question of Rates.

road managers intended to maintain

rates under all circumstances. Arrangements had been virtually con-

cluded for the Intercolonial Railway, owned by the Dominion Government,

to run its trains into Montreal over a part of the G. T. R. system, and that

to provide for the increased traffic the Victoria tubular bridge at Montreal

would be double-tracked on terms saving the Grand Trunk from any ad-

dition to its capital abligations. In con-clusion, the chairman expressed the

Trunk Railway were favorable.

belief that the prospects of the Grand

VERY FAVORABLE SHOWING.

ment and the Grand Trunk respecting | etc., etc.

Toronto alone.

ould

on would be recalled for the purpose

ly declined to make any explanation.

The chairman informed Major

of reconciling their statements.

will be regarded as wives.

before, unless freedom is claimed

a concubine on account of cruelty. But in general terms the concubine

gret at the occurrence.

(Cairneross & Lawrence.)

Recommended by dentists as

the ideal tooth wash. It is clean-

sing and preserving, and imparts

an agreeable and refreshing taste

FOR SALE ONLY BY

Chemists, Etc.,

to the mouth. Price 25c.

Born, Married, Died.

DIED.

HARRIS-In this city, on April 6, Henry, beloved husband of Mrs. Harris, 489 Pic Funeral Thursday. Private.

Amusements and Lectures Advertisements under this heading,

two cents per word, or ten cents per PALACEDANCING ACADEMY-SPECIAL one month closing term for masters and misses opens Saturday, April 3, at 3 o'clock. Special rates, This term includes the chilen's closing reception May 1. DAYTON &

QUEEN'S JUBILEE CHORUS WILL meet at City Hall on Thursday evening at 7:30. R, POCOCKE, conductor.

THE VERY BEST SAILING ?
THE OCEAN-REPRESENTED BY FRANK B. CLARKE, steamship agent, Richmond street next door to Advertiser Office

VOICE CULTURE— EVA N. ROBLYN. Studio, 340 Dundas street. Concert engagements accepted. PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY Mr. R. B. Millard, at his residence, 345 Princess avenue. Special attention given to the waitz, two-step, court waitz, two-step Jersey and the cycle. Satisfaction guaranteed. Lessons any hour.

Meetings.

One cent per word each insertion. No ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY—QUARTERLY meeting on Thursday, St. meeting on Thursday, 8th. All members are earnestly requested to attended. Don't forget our annual banquot, April 23. B, J. NASH, president; P. CADWALLADER, secretary.

A NCIENT ORDER FORESTERS-MEM-BERS of Court Forest City and members of sister courts are requested to meet in Court Forest City's hall, East London, on Thursday, 8th inst., at 2 p.m., sharp, to attend the funeral of our late Bro. William Westhead. By order. THOMAS CLIFT, Chief Ranger; WALTER RICH-POREST CITY CAMP NO. 1 CANADIAN

THOS. HOGG, Con. Com.; CHARLES DOE, ONDON COUNCIL, NO. 233. ROYAL Arcanum, will meet this (Wednesday) evening, at 8 o'clock, in Duffield Block. b T. GEORGE'S 42, A., F. AND A. M., G. R. C., meets tonight (Wednesday) 7th inst., at 7:30 o'clock sharp. Visitors welcome. Henry Hayman, W. M.; A. Ellis, P. M.,

Domestics Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. EXPERIENCED GENERAL SERVANT. No washing. Apply Mrs. Pope, 88 Ridout street, south. 87tf WANTED-HOUSEMAID TO ASSIST IN care of children. Apply 136 Kent

WYER'S AGENCY-HEADQUARTERS for reliable help-Girls, good situations for reliable help—Girls, good situations thout washing; lots of places to fill at once maskeepers for country. £91 Richmond eet. Phone 1121.

COOKS DINING-ROOM. HOUSEMAIDS and second girls for hotels, private houses and summer resorts, generals chambermaids, housekeepers and nurse girls (to go home at nights). At places and highest wages paid at The Osborne, the only reliable, 56 Dundas.

Male Help Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. WANTED - AN IDEA - WHO CAN think of some simple thing to patent?

Protect your ideas: they may bring you wealth. Write John Weddersurn & Co., patent attorneys, Washington, D.C., for their \$1,800 prize offer and new list of 1,000 inven-

Female Help Wanted. GOOD SMART WAIST HAND WANTED Apply at once to Miss SHANAHAN, 12 87u

Agents Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-hal cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. A GENTS NOT MAKING SIO PER WEEK and not asking \$50 (no idlers wanted), write for particulars. J. L. Nichols & Co., 23 dichmond west, Toronto. 58tf-d&w WANTED - EXPERIENCED CAN VASSER to call on private families, or lady or gentleman well acquainted in the city, on salary. Apply 258 Dundas street.

Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words YOUNG MARRIED COUPLE DESIRE three furnished rooms in private family for light housekeeping. Address Box II. Ad-

WANTED TO RENT - COTTAGE OR small house with be th room, Mas. D. 184 Dundas street. WANTED - GENTS' SECOND - HAND P. Sainsbury, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to. F YOUR BICYCLE NEEDS CLEANING

Business Chances.

First insertion le per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less tean ten words. OR SALE OR TO LET-BRICK STORE FOR SALE-PLANING MILL PROPERTY of London. Address J. K., box 399, London.

Miscellaneous.

REE - TO ALL FARMERS - CATA LOGUE and Sport Potato: best for market and table use. By mail for 6 cents. A. McInnis, 383 Talbot street. xv 33h ZEEP YOUR HAIR ON - TO ALL tyoung men that are losing their hair, stop it at once by using Cook's Sure Hair Restorer; it is the only Sure Hair Restorer known; it will bring a nice crop of new hair on the shining bald head. Prepared only by Job Cook, 58 Wellington street, corner Hill and Wellington streets. MISS HARWOOD, MODISTE-REMOVED to 354 Dundas street. Latest New York

Houses, Etc., To Let.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. TO LET - BRICK RESIDENCE - 389 LET - BRICK RECEIVED AND CONVENIENCES OF LOW. Apply next door. SAMUEL R 87u xv residence, in good order, 211 Wortley road; convenient to electric car, Apply L. H. INGRAM, Smallman & Ingram.

ANT street: \$5 each. Key 168 Mill. 860 10 LET-296 PRINCESS AVENUE-NINE rooms; all modern conveniences. Inquire rincess avenue. 83tf 300 Princess avenue. RENTS COTTAGE NO. 639
Queen's avenue. Large yard and fine shade trees. Near street cars. Apply at 521 Dundas street.

Articles For Sale. First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. I'WO JERSEY HEIFER CALVES FOR sale. Apply Box 99, Exeter, Ont. 87c NORWAY SPRUCE-SURPLUS STOCK of very fine and extra large trees at half e. R. Stephens, South London. Tele-ne 1,135. OR SALE-MACHINERY, WOOD AND

SHEET RUBBER AND RUBBER HOSE, hose nozzels and reels and lawn hydrant. hose nozzels and reels and lawn hydrant, MITH BROS., 265 Dundas street. ADY'S BICYCLE FOR SALE IN GOOD repair; Alert make. Apply 430 Ridout

lutions, or as high as 90 revolutions, and tubular exhaust feed water heater. The engine can be seen at H. Porter & Co.'s storage warehouse, Carling street, London, Ont.

A FEW GOOD RANGES, TWO ORGANS the Ark, Market Square. FEW SECOND-HAND STOVES-MUST be sold. At Keen's, Masonic Temple, DIANOS, PIANOS-NEW AND SECOND HAND, also a beautiful assortment of music and musical merchandise, and two good organs cheap. Anderson's Book Store, Nord-neimer's Piano Agency, 183 Dundas street.

FINISHING. DYMENT-BAKER LUMBER CO Corner Wellington and Bathurst Sts. London.

DOORS.

Real Estate.

First insertion ic per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. TOR SALE-

IF YOU WANT A NICE HOME WITH A few acres of choice land, good buildings and close to electric cars, with all advantages of the city, without high taxes, call at my office.

Must be disposed of.

J. F. SANGSTER,

PLUMMER PROPERTY-CORNER RID-OUT and Fullarton streets; must be sold. Apply to Patterson & Jolly, on the formises PRICK RESIDENCE ON BECHER

b street, city, containing 15 rooms, two lots.
Will be sold cheap. Apply Mrs. CHARLES
HUTCHINSON, on premises, or Jas. B. McKil-CHADWICK & SON - REAL ESTATE Agents. Homes. Investments. Speculation. Call Room 2 Albion Building.

Lost and Found.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. OST-LADY'S OPEN-FACED SILVER watch, fob chain, on Lorne. Adelaic cess or William street. Reward at the

Livery Stables.

FINHOMAS TREBILCOCK -STAR LIVERY -533 Richmond street. Best hacks spes, etc. Light livery a specialty. Carefu ention to orders. Phone 423. Open nigh ILLEY'S LIVERY-NO. 619 DUNDAS A street, East London, Ont. Telephone

Massage Treatment.

Weir Mitchell's Hospital for Nervous Diseases, Philadelphia. Massage and Swedish movements. 497 King street, London, Ont.

Insurance.

PANY of Toronto; capital \$2,000,000.
Caledonia Insurance Company of Scotland; London and Lancashire Assurance Company London, England, Canada Accident Assurance Company of JOHN STEPHENSON, Agent,

THE DOMINION SAVINGS AND THE TENNANT-VETERINARY SUR GEON-Uffice, King street, opposite Investment Society

Have removed to new offices on the

Belief that the Eastern Situation
Has Improved

Has Improved

an address to the Queen praying that the forces of the Crown shall not be employed against the Kingdom of Greece or the Island of Crete, in ac-

During the Past Twenty-Four Hours.

The Greek Independence Day Passed

Off Quietly.

Plans of the Admirals for Blockading Grecian Perts Completed.

London, April 7 .- Although there have been no important changes in the attitude of Greece or Turkey, or the powers generally, the impression prevails throughout Europe that the situation has distinctly improved during action has distinctly improved during the past 24 hours. The Greek Independence Day, which it was feared the ation has distinctly improved during pendence Day, which it was feared the hostilities on the frontiers of Thessaly, A QUANTITY OF SUPERIOR SIBER. Which would have precipitated a war with Turkey, passing almost uneventfully. The populace at Athens and The populace at Athens and other points in Greece, according to dispatches received here, indulged in warlike demonstrations, but that has FOR SALE-REFRIGERATOR-SHOW-CASE, scales, tea caddles, spice tins. 61 Cartwright street, this city. 83n

Warring deministrations, but that has become a daily commonplace. It is now generally believed, even in St. Petersburg, that Greece is by no TOR SALE-ONE 30 HORSEPOWER automatic "Brown' engine, built by Goldie, McCulloch & Co., Gait. Cylinder 10 inches, stroke 24 inches; can be run at 60 revolutions, or as high as 90 revolutious; also one

There is no longer any doubt that There is no longer any doubt that France is supporting Lord Salisbury, the British Minister, in favor of a milder policy, and Russia therefore is PICYCLES, BICYCLE REPAIRING, best work at moderate prices. D. Mc-Kenzie & Co., 388 Richmond street, up stairs. yet whether the powers will not comunable to insist upon severe measures pel the withdrawal of the Turkish troops from Crete in order to conciliate Greek public opinion, but some such move seems more possible now than at any earlier stage of the crisis. The situation on the frontier, of course, continues critical, but it is felt that by yesterday's escape from an out-

IN ATHENS-A SENSATION. In Athens Independence Day was elebrated with the greatest enthusi-Business was suspended in order that all might participate in the demonstration of patriotism. The "Te Deum" at the cathedral was attended by King George and Queen Olga, the ninisters of state and the foreign din omats. The services were very im- the Parliamentary South African compressive. While the royal procession mittee, an official from the War Office was en route to the cathedral the the wildly enthusiastic rowds frightened the horses attached by Major Sir John Willoughby, the to the carriages of Crown Princess contents of which that witness refus-Sophia, who had returned from Larissa, whither she proceeded with the crown prince when he went to assume Labouchere at the sitting of the comcommand of the Greek troops in Thessaly. The horses bolted and the carread was dated from Holloway jail, aly. The horses bolted and the car-flage was overturned. The incident created the most intense excitement, created the most intense excitement, where Willoughby was serving a term of ten months' imprisonment. The writer said that he had taken part in would be killed. A hundred persons rushed forward and righted the carriage, when, much to the relief of everybody, it was found that the princess had escaped unhurt.

Princess Sophia is a sister of Emperor William, and it has been asserted and denied that her changing from the evangelical faith of her family to the Greek faith of her husband ch to do with the hostile attitude of Emperor William towards Greece.
A great mass meeting was held here in the afternoon, at which a resolution was adopted protesting against the action of the powers in their efforts to crush the rightful aspirations of the Hellenic peoples, and indorsing the Government for the firm stand it had taken and maintained in defense

of the Greek rights. The meeting appointed a deputation to convey the resolution to the King. THE PROPOSED BLOCKADE. Rome, April 7.-It is semi-officially nounced that the admirals of oreign fleets in Cretan waters have completed the plans for the blockade of Greece, and have forwarded them to

heir respective Governments for ap-roval. France has decided to send dditional forces to Crete. London, April 7.—An official denial was made of the statement from Conntinople that the British at Athens had been instructed to make pacific overtures to Greece with the riew of enabling that country to extricate itself from the present dilemma.

Cable News.

Oom Paul Makes Amends for His Grandson's Ill Manners.

British Steamer Wrecked and Three Men Drowned.

STEAMER LOST London, April 7 .- The British steamer Grantor (Capt. Burnside), from Penarth, has been wrecked off Bona

ista, Portugal, and three of the ship's company drowned. IN THE BRITISH COMMONS. London, April 7 .- In the House of Commons, Right Hon. A. J. Balfour said that the Government refused to devote a day to debate a motion for

Veterinary Surgeons.

AUCTION SALE __OF___

REAL ESTATE ISS HARWOOD, MODISTE-REMOVED to 334 Dundas street. Latest New York Table 60.

Noving — When Moving and in Mine Cooper has been in Storage, Carling street. Phone 1,162.

DRUNKENNESS CURED IN NINE DAYS — Recipe for \$2. Address James Rainbert 1,000, Ont Money (Masonic Temple.)

No. 644 LORNE AVENUE, EAST LONDON, on Monday, A pril 12, at 2 o'clock on the premises. Mr. Neil Cooper has been in Structed by Mrs. McNaughton to sell cottage with brick foundation, double parlors, dining room, four bedrooms, kitchen, pantry, good cellar, city and soft water, lot 35 feet frontage, depth 150 feet, near corner of Adelaide street. Terms easy, Neil Cooper, Auctioneer.

the announcement of the bridge agree-ment was given a statement regarding the extension of the Intercoionial Railway to Montreal. The Grand Trunk, said Sir Charles, had agreed with the Ottawa authorities that the Government extend the Intercolonial to St. Hyacinthe. The Grand Trunk would grant the Government road cordance with notice given by Sir Wm. Harcourt, leader of the Opposihe believed would enable the bridge to be double-tracked and practically tion. The ground upon which he based his refusal was the fact that the e-constructed without a cent's cost proposed motion was altogether too ambiguous. Mr. Balfour added that if to the company. the Opposition would pr.t a direct mo-tion of want of confidence in the Gov-

long and loud. ernment he would fix a day for its When it had subsided, Sir Charles MUST MAKE REPARATION.

London, April 7.—Acting upon in
Dominion and Quebec Governments with the exception of a few minutes would each contribute 15 per cent to the actual cost of renewing the structions received from Washington, United States Consul Burke, at Tangier, Morocco, has sent an energetic

the Victoria bridge, which crosses the St. Lawrence at Montreal. The new plans were only given in outline, Sir

Chas. Rivers-Wilson stating he would withhold the details until the an-

demand to the Sherifian court for amreparation for the threat of a Moorish soldier to shoot Vice-Consul Supreme stleton at Laraich. It is believed here the United States will demand a heavy indemnity as the result of this rate pool, and, therefore, illegal. In at a time when he was not possessed London, April 7.-Answering a question on the subject in the House of Commons. Secretary Curzon said that the British agent at Pretoria had reported that the Transvaal police insults, for which Lieut. Eliff, the grandson of President Kruger, had been suspended, were of such a nature that they could not be repeated.
Mr. Curzon added that President Kruger had personally expressed his re-

> Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson spoke most highly of General Manager Hays' action in promoting large economies without injuring the efficiency of the Grand Trunk system.

The Warning

Sent by the Powers to the Greek and Turkish Governments.

Russia Said to Have Made a Sep-

Both Sides Continu g Their Preparations.

arate Proposal,

London, April 7.-An Athens dispatch says: The Cabinet Ministers assembled yesterday evening, and were en- ship of Markham or any other of the gaged until a late hour in discussing the identical notes which each of the representatives of the powers handed yesterday to M. Skouzes, the Greek Minister for Foreign Affairs. These the Jameson movement in pursuance of orders from the administrator of notes are as follows: "The undersigned, in accordance with instructions from his Government, announces to M. the raid was undertaken with the Skouzes, Minister for Foreign Affairs knowledge and assent of the imperial for the Greek Government, that in case term, whereas under this agreement of an armed conflict on the Greco- with Col. Engledue the syndicate would Major Willoughby was called to the stand, and Sir William Harcourt Turkish frontier, all responsibility will questioned him as to his reasons for rest with the aggressors. He is also that the arrangement was a novel one, pelieving the raid had the sanction of instructed to say that whatever reimperial authority. He said that his sults may arise from such a conflict, pelief was based upon private converthe powers are firmly resolved to maintain the general peace, and have Jameson. The witness refused to give lecided not to allow the aggressor in ing their resources had been very

any event to reap the slightest benefit from his action."

It is rumored here that Russia has, tention of certain Conservatives, Mr. in addition, made a separate proposal Gibson gave approximate statements to the effect that if Greece will con- of the mineral areas. Roughly speaksent to withdraw her troops from the ing, they consisted in the districts of Island of Crete Russia will agree to Nipissing, Algoma, Thunder Bay, and obtain from Turkey the withdrawal of Rainy River of 35,000,000 acres, Of this the Turkish troops from Crete as soon about 2,500,000 acres had been explored, as the Greek evacuation is completed, so that it could scarcely be said that and that Russia will further promise that Prince George of Greece shall be acres of the remaining 32,500,000 acres sent, as a Greek prince, to organize the Cretan gendarmerie. Greece, actions of the prospector to any great cording to report, promptly rejected these proposals. There was intense excitement yesterday at Larnaca Island these proposals. There was intense excitement yesterday at Larnaca, Island of Cyprus, where the Greek Independance Day was duly calebrated and interance Day was duly celebrated and a conflict between the processionists and

the Mussulmans was with difficulty Both sides are continuing their war preparations, erecting earth works and other defenses and ground works and in the opinion that no better way could other defenses and strengthening their position in the passes leading into each

other's territory.

It is believed that some decided change in the political situation must take place before ang, as the Turkish Government has plainly intimated to the representatives of the powers that the existing conditions cannot be al-London, April 7 .- The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada took place yesterday. Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson, lowed to prevail much longer. the chairman, presided. He referred day of delay now benefits Greece to the disastrous effect of bicycles, of which country was not so well pre-pared as Turkey for war, and the German officers on the staff of Edhem which, he said, 10,000 were in use in Pasha, the Turkish Regarding the road's receipts, Sir chief, are not blind to this fact. How-Charles congratulated the shareholdever, the powers interested in preservers on the economies effected without ing peace are still working steadily in that direction, and all kinds of pres-sure is being brought to bear upon a diminution of efficiency. He also said he expected the new Niagara bridge would be opened in June. both Turkey and Greece in order to prevent a clash of arms on the fron-Referring to the anti-trust decision of the United States Supreme Court, tier. Meantime the work of sending war material, ammunition and stores Sir Charles said he believed the railto the front has been actively pushed

> first made. Rome, April 7.—It is seml-officially denied that Admiral Canevaro has resigned or that he has been recalled from command of the international squadron in Cretan waters.
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> London, April 7.—The Constantinople correspondent of the Times today says that as a result of the Turkish Cabinet council a circular has been dispatched to the powers pointing out that the conditions caused by the attitude of

Greece and the interminable prolonga-

night and day since the threat was

tion of the Cretan crisis are unendur-The report was adopted, and the retiring board was re-elected. Why will you allow a cough to lacerate your throat or lungs and run the Another dispatch says: In moving risk of filling a consumptive's grave, when, by the timely use of Bickle's the adoption of the very favorable rethe president touched upon the Anti-Consumptive Syrup the pain can be allayed, and the danger avoided? This syrup is pleasant to the taste, chief topics of importance in connection with the great railway system. A most interesting announcement was and unsurpassed for relieving, healing, and curing all affections of the throat that touching upon the new arrange-ment between the Canadian Governand lungs, coughs, colds, bronchitis,

The Legislature.

nouncement had been made in the Canadian Parliament. Connected with Lively Debate on the Engledue Matter.

> Hon. Mr. Gibson's Plain Statement of the Case.

running powers into Montreal over The Government Sustained by a Ma jority of 30 Votes.

Legislative Chamber, Toronto, April o the company.

The announcement of these favor- 7.—The debate upon the motion, offer- Cairficross & Lawrence, ble terms was greeted with applause, ed by the Commissioner of Crown

Lands, indorsing the agreement with proceeded, stating that in addition to the Engledue Syndicate, occupied the 216 Dundas Street, London Branch-Corner Richmond and Piccadilly. Mr. Gibson, Commissioner of Crown mation was to the contrary, but he Taking up the question of rail- Lands, moved the adoption of a re- accepted the statement of the commissioner unreservedly. He went on to sident dwelt upon the American and made a speech justifying the Gov-Court's decision, whereby it ernment's action in the premises. He was held that the Trans-Missouri felt it necessary to do so, because the

by excluding prospectors from

views with men whose names

household words in the mining regions

of Western Ontario. These const tuted warm indorsations of the Gov

that proposed, and the introduction of

capital was the paramount desideratun

ment's course in the matter. It would

not be long before their policy would be amply justified, for he firmly be-

lieved it would at once attract attention and capital to the country. With

the advent of capital would come pop-

had not prejudged the case, but had

information, he would not that day be found opposing the policy, but would hold up both his hands for the ratification of this agreement.

Mr. Whitney declared in opening his

ted that the printed correspondence wed that the department was

J. K. Kerr appeared on the scene

Mr. Gibson, he said, had stated that no other individual or company could

get the privilege that it was proposed

to give to this company.

Mr. Gibson denied that he had said

Mr. Whitney replied, that at all

events it was the fact, as he knew of

a Canadian company which had applied for the same favors and had

Mr. Gibson-Will you tell me what

Mr. Whitney-I will read their ap-

plication. He then read a document.

application has been received, and is now under the consideration of the

department. The application has not

Mr. Gibson-I may say that such an

criticism that every day that had elapsed since he had first spoken of

waited till he had the whole

ion he had then formed.

company that is?

without giving names.

sioner unreservedly. He went on to speak of Mr. Gibson excluding the land covered by water in his state ment of the area granted to the company. Now, they knew that land covered by water was sometimes very pany. rate pool, and, therefore, illegal. In at a time when he was not possessed this connection he referred to the pending appeal to the Supreme Court and launched out in condemnation of at Washington, in which the Joint the arrangement which the House of its members the Grand Trunk, is was that an effort was being made to respondent. Sir Charles was hopeful that this tribunal would not decide against the association; but even if a novel one, and of course the Govthat deplorable thing dld happen, and erroment had no intention of making valuable, and he instanced the efforts certain individuals to take from Mr. Caldwell, the pioneer miner of New Ontario, the water lots near the Sultana Mine. He gave the House to understand that Mr. Caldwell had been very badly treated by Mr. Gib-Mr. Gibson asked if Mr. Caldwell had that deplorable thing did happen, and ernment had no intention of making given Mr. Whitney to understand that he was dissatisfied with his treatment the protective organization designed it a precedent. They had a special to prevent incriminate rate cutting object in view, and had adopted a spewere declared to be a "pool," he becale way of accomplishing that object. lieved that the railway presidents, In the past the greater part of the realizing that "honesty is the best discoveries in New Ontario were what policy," would desire the amendment might be called canoe discoveries. Of the law and would have influence. They were made along the numerous Mr. Whitney acknowledged that h had never conversed with Mr. Caldwe and therefore could report no states ment of his own, but he had been tole of the law, and would have influence enough to induce Congress to amend the measure. In this way could joint action be resumed by the members of the Traffic Association.

In the cancel cancel discoveries.

They were made along the numerous waterways, while further back from the shores of the streams and lakes the ground was untouched. It was desirable that a more systematic exthat he was dissatisfied. "If I am talking foolishly," said Mr. Whitney, "gen-tlemen on the Government side can deal with my statements when I have "You are talking foolishly," was Mr. Speaking further, and dealing with amination of the territory or of a porthe rehabilitation of the Grand Trunk, tion of it be made, and this closer inamination of the territory or of a por-Gibson's sotto voce remark.

Mr. Whitney read a batch of cuttings from newspapers condemnatory of what was called the "deal," and a to obtain under the terms of this arrangement. They hoped there would be a thorough search of the ground

letter from a correspondent, whose name he did not give, which selected, followed up by development that would be of enormous advantage to the mineral region. Mr. Gibson to the mineral region. Mr. Gibson went on to say that in speaking of the matter previously in the House he had over-stated the area. He had since been advised by the director of surveys that block "A," north of Rainy Lake, consisted of 31,000 acres, and block "B," on Shoal Lake, of 15,090 acres. A great deal had been made in the Opposition press by the phrase, "100 square miles," and there was some reason to believe that in the imaginareason to believe that in the imagina-nons of unthinking people this had Mr. Pattullo replied in a capital grown to mean a hundred miles speech, frequently earning the applause square. The fact was that if the of his fellow-members. He moved an whole of the land were put in a square amendment to the amendment embracit would not be much, if any, more ing the salient features of the case pre-than seven miles on one side, and be-sented by Mr. Gibson. tween six and seven on the other. An dea wholly different from this would Dr. Preston followed for the Opposition, and was succeeded by Mr. Haybe gathered by merely looking at the neadlines of the Conservative press. Mr. McPherson (Patron) supported the Government.
Mr. Beatty, of Leeds, was followed Mr. Gibson illustrated the extent of grant by saying that the town by Mr. St. John townships of York was considerably

The Attorney-General, Dr. Willough-by and Mr. Howland also spoke, and on division at 1:15 o'clock the amend-ment to the amendment was carried by a vote of 56 to 26—30 majority. arger than the two grants combined They must also remember that the agreement with the syndicate was twice as favorable to the province as the ordinary grants made to pros pectors and others under the provis NOTES. By a vote of 23 to 17, the municipal ions of the mining law of the pro-vince. Under that law each holder committee refused to reconsider the clause of the Toronto city bill which of an allotment had to perform cerwould put the municipal elections on tain development amounting in value to \$4 per acre for the seven years' The following bills were given third readings: spend \$3 per acre in three years.

Mr. Gibson remarked he had said

Respecting the marriage settlement Robert George Dickson and Mary atherine Dickson—Mr. St. John. To incorporate the Fort Frances and but it was only novel as regarded this country, He went on to show that Pacific Railway Company-Mr. Farwherever new and unexplored mineral territories existed this plan of disclos-Respecting cheese and butter manufacturing associations-Mr. Taylor.

> A Point to Remember If you wish to purify your blood you should take a medicine which cures blood diseases. The record of cures Hood's Sarsaparilla proves that this is the best medicine for the blood ever produced. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures the most stubborn cases. is the medicine for you to take if your blood is impure,

HOOD'S PILLS are the best afterer pill: assist digestion, cure head.

ache. 25 cents.

Having conducted for a number of years in this city business on the Cash and Credit system, we have resolved as a result of our experience in giving credit, that the cash system of doing business is the only satisfactory way, both to ourselves and patrons, and we take this means of notifying our customers, and the public generally, that in future we intend to conduct our business on a

CASH BASIS.

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Lady Golfers.

Many New Members Join the London Club.

Pennsylvania Railway Will Carry Bicycles Free - Talk of Another Fitz-Corbett Fight-Other Sporting News.

GOLF. THE LONDON LADIES' CLUB. At the annual meeting of the Lon-on Ladies' Golf Club, held at the don Ladies' Golf Club, held at the club house, Wolseley commons, last week, much enthusiasm was displayed, and many new members proposed for election. The season will open formally on Thursday afternoon, when several foursomes will be played, and the ladies will be glad to welcome the friends of the game to tea in their cosy uttle club house.

AQUATIC.

THE BRITANNIA. London, April 7.—The report circulated that Mr. James Gordon Bennett, proprietor of the New York Herald, had purchased the Prince of Wales' racing cutter Britannia is entirely without foundation.

BASEBALL FLYS.

Patton, of Hamilton, has applied for a position on the Canadian League npiring staff.

Manager Arthur Irwin completed a deal in Philadelphia by which he expects to strengthen the Toronto club. He has secured McHale, the heavy-hitting outfielder of last year's Milwaukee club, in exchange for Joe

Senator Wilcox's bill, providing that professional clubs playing baseball or Sunday shall be fined \$50 for each of Assembly by a vote of 53 to 44.
Roberts, who caught for the Guelph Maple Leafs last year, has signed with Rochester club of the Eastern

secured from Peoria by New York, is being heralded as a wonder.
With Nichols, Klobedanz and Stivetts taking turns in the box, the Bos-tons were defeated by the Savannah

Eddie Talcott, ex-secretary of the New York club, wants to bet \$5,000 to \$10,000 that the Giants will finish 1-2-3. Beer is sold on six of the twelve baseball grounds in the league. The prohibition cities are Boston, Philadelphia, Washington, Pittsburg, Cleveland

fled in the cases of Hutchison, who could not leave St. Louis for Minneapolis, and Dolan, who wanted to leave Bostons, but could not get his release .- [Kansas City Times.

WHEEL.

BICYCLES FREE. Philadelphia, April 7.—Chief Consul completed final arrangements with the Pennsylvania Railroad whereby that company agrees to carry bicycles free

THE RED BIRDS. The Goold Bicycle Company have issued a handsome catalogue for the season of 1897. It is beautifully illustrated in colors, and shows the various they cost \$10, and for Canadian \$7.50. Lady Aberdeen, of leading citizens of Brantford, and of noted riders who trustees. have achieved distinction on Red Birds. also adorn the pages. The Red Bird is a Canadian Bicycle that ranks am-

CRICKET. LISTOWEL CLUB. At the annual meeting of the Lis-towel Cricket Club, the following officers were elected: Honorary president, Stuart; vice-president, W. H. Climie; secretary-treasurer, G. Lilliax, jun.; chaplain, Rev. H. W. Jeans.

THE TURF. AT WOODBINE.

Toronto, April 7.-J. E. Seagram's in town from Waterloo, and will go into training at the Woodbine under Charles E. Boyle. A string of ten horses belonging to D. Higgins also came in yesterday, and will train at the Woodbine.

A \$10,000 STAKE. San Francisco, Cal., April 7. — The Burns handicap, value \$10,000, at a mile and a quarter, will be decided next

Saturday at the Oakland track. ATHLETICS.

FITZ AND JIM. New York, April 7 .- Rumors of ansimmons are quite current. From a that Fitzsimmons will shortly re consider his "retirement," and will agree to meet Corbett in a battle, to be ld in this State, under the existing provisions of the Horton boxing law It is also reported that both pugilists with the aid of their backers, will manceipts and receiving th "privileges" such as the kinetoscope.

CREEDON VS. McCOY. San Francisco, April 7 .- The Olympic C., of this city, the largest legitimate athletic club west of Chicago, is in communication by wire with Dan Creedon and "Kid" McCoy (now in London) with a view of making a match between these two men. The fight, it is arranged, will be brought off in San Francisco, and will be for twenty roulds, with a purse of \$5,000 and \$500 training expenses for each man.

Among the many thousand

recent remarkable cures are: George Magee, George Cassen, Gilford, Ont. Berlin, Ont.

Fred Kasints, Henry Cundy, Palmerston, Ont. F.X. Groulx, S. D. Ross.

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Close Finish.

Exciting Race for the Lorne Avenue School Janitorship.

Sheriff Cameron Offers Prizes to be Competed for by High School Students.

Public and High School Teachers Will Interest Pupils in the New Hos-

the close of the meeting Trustee Johnston gave notice of motion to reconsider the choice at the next meeting, claiming that the selection had been unfairly made. In additional selection is the selection of the same position were laid on the table. unfairly made. In addition to the sixteen names of candidates, for the position selected by the committee from the 41 applicants received by the Trustee Logan, Miss Althouse

be voted upon separately, and the one peal that rule. receiving the least number of votes would drop out of the race, when the ever, that this was not necessary. remainder would be voted upon again. that if two or more receiving the same number were at the bottom of the list they should drop out, but when the chairman made that ruling in the eighth round, four candidates having overruled on a vote of 5 to 8. When all had dropped out but W. English and C. A. Stapleton, the vote was a tie. The chairman had voted as a member, and thus could not give a casting vote. Another vote was taken, resulting in 10 to 9 in favor of Mr. English. During voting there was a sensation among the auditors in the hall, who were principally the would-be janitors.

After the appointment of Mr. Engand some of the trustees left the called attention to the fact that as present, one must have voted for both

candidates when the last vote was ta ken, and moved that the selection be Trustee Logan-That would be unjust. It would be unfair to the members who have left. Chairman Greenlees-Had my attenhave been done, but having allowed some of the members to leave I think it would be the height of unfairness

Macpherson withdrew his objection. PRIZES OFFERED. gest number of students on the roll at the Collegiate Institute during March, being 698; average attendance, 622; increase over March, 1896, 35. He recommended that the models and charts for the roll over two or three times. styles of Red Birds, with accompany-ing specifications. Photos of Lord and Merchant read a letter from Sherif Cameron, which greatly pleased the ount of revenue he received as memb in prizes, for the best English compo

> tion on the achievements of the Vic-The option was gold and silver me dals, or cash prizes, as follows: \$10 for the best and \$5 for the second best essay by a senior leaving student, and \$6 for the best, and \$4 for the second best essay by a junior eaving student. Mr. Cameron stated that the chairman of the Board of Education had consented to become one of the examiners. Others will have to be selected. The competition will take

> place at midsummer. Grateful acceptance of the generous offer was moved by Trustee Murphy.
> "If we had more high-minded citizens like Sheriff Cameron, they would be a source of inspiration to pupils attending our schools," said Trustee Murphy. No. 1 committee will decide upon one of the two methods suggested by the donor.

INSPECTOR CARSON'S REPORT. Inspector Carson recommended that ed to the substitute staff, which was He also asked that a transition other fight between Corbett and Fitz- school, whose duties would commence on April 26 and end June 30. Miss L. Gahan has been teaching there gratuitously for the past three months, and on motion of Trustee Bayly she was appointed to the position of transition teacher.

> COMMITTEES. The report of No. 1 committee met with some objection. The clause re commending that Miss L. Cooper take Miss Boake's place at the Victoria kin-Kenzie be paid \$100 per annum as supervisor of the city kindergartens, the increase to date from Jan. 1, 1897, was Macpherson said Miss McKenzie had started the work of supervisor in addition to her regular work as a teachens, and now there were twelve or thirteen kindergartns in the city. he natural increase of salary for th time she had been working for the board, she would now be getting her present salary, \$500, as a teacher. ew of the extra work, she should get the additional pay. Trustee Teas-dall and Inspector Carson offered similar arguments, and the clause passed. No action will be taken with regard

to the home work question

COMMUNICATIONS. Miss Powell was granted leave of abence for three months owing to ill ess. She went back to work too soon r her recent illness, and is in need

The Froebel Society were granted ssion to hold a meeting in the ortley road kindergarten school next the trustees to attend accepted Dr. J. S. Niven, of the civic jubile mmittee, wrote, asking the board to llow the teachers to interest the rustee Bayly thought it would be very good thing to have the children adjustment of chain, the only wheel in iterested in this way. They might ction will be taken as requested. Mrs. English, of the National Counterest the children in the Victorian Order of Nurses This she said would a beauty, and is equipped with the

dergarten school teacher was received be cheerfully given.

from Miss Pope. Referred to No. com-

A meeting of the trustees' department of the Educational Association of Ontario will be held in Toronto on April 20, 21 and 22, and among other things considered will be the recent addition to the departmental regula-tions, which provide that the maximum amount for models for drawing in collegiate institutes shall be \$100. The Whitby Board of Education asked that London send delegates to the meeting, or pass a resolution regarding

his rule. No action.

A letter from the Governor-General's A letter from the Governor-General's medal was offered for the application made to his Excellency by Drew N. Jarvis, of Maitland street, for the Governor-General's medal, won in 1895, and stated that the medal was offered for the secretary wrote about w. English was chosen for the position of janitor of the Lorne avenue school at the meeting of the Board of Education last night, but just before the close of the meeting. The meeting of the Board of the close of the meeting of the school. Referred to No. 2 committee, along with a large batch of accounts. on the table.

NOTICES OF MOTION.

According to a notice of motion by board, the name of C. Teale was added on motion of Trustee Burdick.

granted \$350 per annum, instead of \$325—the usual first year salary.

Mr. Macpherson said a departure Before the voting commenced it was from the rules was not advisable, and anderstood that each applicant would stated that a section in the bylaws \$2,300.

The voted upon separately, and the one stated that a section in the bylaws \$2,300.

Ex-Chairman Campbell said, how-A set of highly colored charts for use in teaching anatomy, physiology and so on. It was also tacitly agreed and hygiene adorned the rear wall of the council chamber during the meeting, and just before adjournment the agent set forth their value to the board. He was referred to No. 1 committee.

> the matter dropped.
> There were present: Trustees Greenlees (chairman), Stephenson, Macpherson, Gillean, Murphy, Strong, Bridle, Evans, McCormick, Wilkins, Martyn, Evans, McCormick, Wilkins, Martyn, Burdick, Johnston, Bayly, Logan, Dr.

THOS. SARGENT'S ESCAPE.

Merchant and Inspector Carson.

English, Dr. Campbell and Dr. Wil-

Run Into by a Trolley-His Horse Killed and Rig Smashed.

east, was struck by an eastbound trol- sor, on Friday and Saturday. lev car this morning about 9 o'clock, tion been called to this before it might Glebe streets. He had driven out of a of the Windsor schools. lane near the street car barns, and lane near the street car barns noticed a car going west. The cars usreconsider the matter now. Trustee ually pass each other near there, and Mr. Sargent, being near-sighted, did not see the eastbound car, but drove directly in front of it. There was not

WESTERN DAIRY SCHOOL.

The Strathrov Institution to Be Kept Open During Summer Months.

An important meeting of the West-

ern Dairy School was held at Strathroy on Saturday last. There was a large and representative audience of farmers, and Prof. Mills, of the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, and ing was called to discuss the advisability of keeping the school open during the summer months. A largely-signed petition had been circulated, asking that the school be kept open, and the advantages accruing from this were explained. It had been represented that the running of the school in the summer months would interfere with the cheese-making enterprise in private hands, but the sentiment of the meeting was that the class of farmers to whom the dairy school would be an advantage were not patrons of cheese factories, through lack of proper facilities. This it was thought would be a valuable adjunct in th This makes the total number raising of young stock, because in some sections-the grain-growing sec eacher be appointed for Talbot street tion especially—education in the best ing has been neglected. It was also ture of butter was carried on. It was determined by the meeting that the interests of the farmers reprunning of the school in summer fo butter production. The school will undertake the separation of cream from the milk, its manufacture, and its sale for 3 cents per pound, the milk pro purposes. By this means the fa is saved the labor of butter may while at the same time he sa skim milk for his young stock cheaper than in the ordinary This project will not conflict with th cheese factories, because raisers young stock are not generally patrons of cheese factories. The products of the Western Dairy School took the very highest prices in the competitions throughout the province last winter. Mr. James Bogue, of Adelaide, has been chosen as salesman for the

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Special points are genuine eccentric the world which has this special adaise a fund for a children's ward. justment; the hollow axles, containing a wick, which will hold sufficient oil Mrs. English, of the National Coun-il of Women, wanted the teachers to for 1,500 miles.

The Wolff-American ladies' wheel is order of Nurses. This, she said, would not conflict with the local celebration.

Trustees Strong and Bridle favored dealing with this request as in the former case, but on motion of Trustee Stephenson it was referred to No. I committee.

An application for a position as kinders and application for a position as kinders and position as kinders and position as kinders and position for a position as kinders and position and position and position and position and position and position are position as kinders and position and position and position and position and position are position and position and position and position and position and position are position and position and position and position and position are position and position and position and position are position and position and position are position and position and position are position and position and position and position and position are position and position and position are position and position and position and position are position and position are position and position are position and position are position and position and position are position and position and position are position and position are position and position are position and position are position and position and position are position and position are position and position

Western Ontario.

Two Ladies Narrowly Escape Death at Woodstock.

Death of the Local Master in Chancery at Brantford.

Leamington will have bicycle race There are now 29 inmates at the Lambton county House of Refuge. George Park, a Raleigh farmer, wa robbed of \$300 while drunk in Chatham The West Lambton Teachers' Insti-

will meet at Sarnia on Thursday and Friday, April 15 and 16. The remains of the late Mrs. E. Wilon, of Summer's Corners, were interred in the Centerville cemetery. Rev. W. E. Scott, incumbent of the Church of the Advent, Ridgetown, has resigned, his resignation to take effect

Treasurer Bunnell has filed his monthly statement of Brantford's fin-ances at the clerk's office. The indebtedness on current account is \$12,539 36. Mr. George Robertson, of Eramosa, has purchased a farm from Mr. Keleher, Arthur, on the line running up from Heffernan's Hotel, 100 acres, for

All Brantford was shocked Saturday afternoon to hear of the death of Capt. W. D. Jones, LL.B., local master in Chancery, which occurred suddenly from heart failure.

Mr. Preston, of the Brantford Expositor, contemplates appealing the libel case brought against him by Mr. Henry, and in which defendant was ordered to pay \$500 and costs. Donald Morrison, a former well-known resident of Corunna, was in

a number of years. Mr. Wm. Fyfe, Paisley block, Guelph, lost a valuable horse last week. He was taking it out of the stable to show lost a valuable horse last week. He a buyer, when the animal jumped up and struck its head on the heading of the door and killed itself.

The deputation appointed by the Woodstock town council to wait on the Dominion Government, and press things he saw in Basutoland—among odstock's claim for public buildings will likely go to Ottawa this week. Mayor Mackay and Reeve McNichol will compose the civic delegation. The Windsor and Walkerville teach-

Mr. Thos. Sargent, of Dundas street ers held their fourth annual convention in the East Central school, Windamage locking mallets with Inspector Girardot addressed the con- ly detrimental to discipline. on Dundas street, between Lyle and vention shortly, praising the efficiency

at Ottawa, presented by Hiram Walk- I had at last reached the one land er & Sons, Walkerville, has received a where governing was easy and the fine Lee-Enfield rifie. Inserted in the butt is an appropriate silver plate man could walk from one end of it to bearing the inscription: "Individual prize in Walker match, won by J. H. Simpson, Tenth Royal Grenadiers. Score, 98 points out of possible 105." In the other with no care for her perperbase, and where the whole black population lived in harmony with their chiefs, their neighbors, and

Cyrus Hotrum, the G. T. R. conductor who was hurt at Woodstock about two months ago, by being struck with promonths ago, by being struck with pro-jecting lumber while he was hanging out from the platform of his car, died out from the platform of his car, died Saturday evening. He was delirious for a single newspaper; not a single demaseveral days before he died and had to be strapped to his bed. He leaves a widow and three little sons to make progress difficult, if not danger a widow and three little sons to mourn his death. He was 40 years old.

The death commend Thesday morning fields all seemed in a laughing mood, The death occurred Tuesday morning of Robert Kennedy, St. Thomas, in the had been very bad because of the le 73rd year of his age. The deceased cust plague; the people along the way was among the first settlers of Elgin all appeared cheerful in their salutacounty. About twenty years ago he moved to St. Thomas. He was a consistent member of the First Methodist church. Posides a wife one son. Geo. Church. Besides a wife, one son, Geo. Kennedy, and one daughter, Mrs. (Rev.)

Mrs. Thompson, a widow about 50 the Cape Colony or the Transvaal." years of age, and her daughter, who live on the fourth concession of East an emphatic tribute from an American Zorra, came near losing their lives in a observer as to the excellence of the runaway accident on Henry street, work of peacemaker which Britain is Mrs. Thompson and her daughter were The Basutos may not have been alto driving down the street, when a team horses belonging to Mr. Ryder, of Oxford Center, broke loose from the dashed upon them from the year. Both horses reared and jumped right into the buggy in which the couple were seated. The buggy was crushed like an eggshell. Mrs. Thompson was rensuffered from shock only.

The British in Africa

a valuable thing where the manufac- An American Tribute to John Bull's Beneficial Rule.

> The Power of the White Queen's Name -British Rule Rough and Ready, but Humane.

Mr. Poultney Bigelow, continuing his interesting series of papers on "White Man's Africa," in Harper's for March. describes his visit to Basutoland. He entered Basutoland from the Orange Free State. He was strongly prejudic the British, but what he saw when he made his way to the house of the British resident, staggered him not a

"At last, in the midst of most complete savagery, was an English home, presided over by an accomplished and amiable English lady, whose husband held imperial rule over a quarter of a million naked negroes, not one o whom, probably, could explain by what means Mr. Lagden exercised his extraordinary authority. There was not a single redcoat to shield them against insurrection; there was not single white policeman to guard their door. The Lagden family in Basuto-land is separated from all the world almost as completely as though on a rock in the ocean. If a single chief refused to obey the order of this British resident, there is not a visible force 425 Richmond street, have just reat his command by which he could bring that chief to his knees. "But fortunately there are invisible forces which even the negro can understand. Every chief in the Besuto country, and through him every black warrior-I might almost say every Cape-is brought up in the faith that like a goddess of the ancients, can be invoked for the protection of the black.



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Sarnia Saturday, having taken up his abode in Corunna again after a residence at Plum Creek, Manitoba, for that of the black man towards his fellow-blacks. Even today the black an prefers English rule to that of ernment has more jealously guarded the rights of black natives, cause England is credited with greater powers of enforcing her wishes than any other Government

Mr. Bigelow describes the various others a polo match, in which the black mounted police took a hand side by side with their white officers. Mr.

"I little thought that in Africa itself negro privates. In Germany such an were 46 present, out of a possible 52. occurrence would be regarded as high-

"As I rode about with Mr. Lagden, and heard him recite some of his ex-The negroes whom I met in the The deceased had been very bad because of the lo cust plague; the people along the way Prof. Sleightholm, principal of the dairy school, were present. The meet-left an estate worth \$25,000.

Reinledy, and one daughter, Mrs. (Rev.)
a matter of form; in fact, I rather suspect that the half-dozen or so inmates of that jail belonged eith on Saturday afternoon. carrying on in all parts of the world gether rightly handled in the past, at present they constitute, according to Mr. Bigelow, an invaluable reserve of fighting valor, on which England

can draw almost at will: 'I am convinced that, in the event of serious war in South Africa, England would find from amongst the Basutos an army of black volunteer long as they were led by white officers who understand their business. And what I say of the Basutos is equally true of the Zulus, and will, under roper conditions, soon be equally tru oughout South and Central The drill of the Basuto Mounted Police ared with the drill which an Euro pean soldier would consider necessary out for South Africa it was quite suf Indeed, the Basuto, before he enters the ranks, is a better fighting man than the average European sol-dier after three years of drilling; for recruit, he is already an accom-

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people do not know the secret of Nehemiah's heart, but they are going as a sort of body-guard.

Now the horses come to a dead halt at the tumbled masonry where he cannot pass. Now he shies off at the charred timbers. Now he comes along where the water under the mounlight flashes from the mouth of the brazen dragon after which the gate was named. Heavy-hearted Nehemiah! Riding in and out, now by his old home desolated, now by the defaced temple, now amid the scars of the city that had member of the church. It makes no limpression on my mind at all. I simply want to know whether he was converted in the old-fashioned way, or whether he was converted in the old-fashioned way of whether he was converted in the old-fashioned way of whether he was converted in the old-fashioned way of whether he was converted in the old-fashioned way in the was converted in the old-fashioned way of whether he was converted in the old-fashioned way in the was converted in the was converted in the old-fashioned way in the was c could not be done. Some people were infuriated, and offered physical violence, saying the thing should not be done. But the workmen went right on, standing on the wall, trowel in one hand, sword in the other, until the work was glariously completed. At that is what makes right. It is all well with the bairns. Or, if you have sinned, if you have sinned grievously—sinned until you have been cast out by the church, sinned until you have been cast out by society—do not give up. The old sexton was right. It is all well with the bairns. Or, if you have sinned grievously—sinned until you have been cast out by society—do not give up. Perhaps were the same of the complete when the part of the complete was a sinner. It comes to a woman of fairest cheek, who has never repented, by society—do not give up. The old sexton was right. It is all well with the bairns. Or, if you have sinned grievously—sinned until you have been cast out by society—do not give up. Perhaps were the complete when the part of the complete was a maked to the complete when the complete was a maked to the complete when the complete was a maked to the complete when the complete was a minute work and the complete was a minute was a maked to the complete when the complete was a minute was a maked to the complete was a minute was a maked to the complete was a minute was a maked to the complete was a maked to the complete was a maked to the complete was a minute was a maked to the complete was a minute was a maked to the complete was a maked to th very time in Greece Xenophon was and says, "You're a sinner." It comes writing a history, and Plato was mak- to a man priding himself on his indeing philosophy, and Demosthenes was pendence, and says, "You're bound rattling his rhetorical thunder. But hand and foot by the devil." It comes

useless exposure of your life. No. Nehemiah will not stop. He at last tells us the whole story. He lets us know he was an exile in a far distant land, he was an exile in a far distant land.

and he was a servant, a cup-bearer in the palace of Artaxerxes Longimanus, and one day, while he was handing the cup of wine to the king the king said to him: "What is the matter with you? You are not sick. I know you must have some great trouble. What is the matter with you?"

Then he told the king how that beloved Jerusalem was broken down:

Again. My subject gives me a specimen of busy and triumphant sadness. Jerusalem was broken down;

sonry of the city wall. Besides, 1 want to rebuild the massory of the city wall. Besides, 1 want passports so that I shall not be hindered in my journey. And, besides that," as you will find in the context, "I want an order on the man who keeps your forest for just so much tim-sickness. Yet Nehemiah did not give keeps your forest for just so much timber as I may need for the rebuilding of the city." "How long shall you be gone?" said the king. The time of absence is arranged. In hot haste this seeming adventurer comes to Jerusalem, and in my text we find him on horseback in the midnight riding around the ruins. It is through the spectacles of this scene that we discover the ardent attachment of Nehemiah for sacred Jerusalem, which in all ages has been the type of the church of God, our Jerusalem, which we love just as much as Nehemiah sickness. Yet Nehemiah did not give up. Then you see him going among these dismantled towers, and by these dismantled towers, and by the torn up grave of his father, you would suppose that he would have been disheartened, and that he would have dismounted from his horse and gone to his room and said: "Woe is me! My father's grave is torn up. The temple is dishonored. The walls are broken down. I have no money with which to rebuild. I wish I had never been born. I wish I were dead." Not so says Nehemiah. Although he had a we love just as much as Nehemiah loved his Jerusalem. The fact is that you love the church of God so much that there is no spot on earth so sacred, unless it be your own fireside.

Says Nehemiah. Although he had a grief so intense that it excited the commentary of his king, yet that penniless, expatriated Nehemiah rouses himself up to rebuild the city. He gets The church has been to you so much comfort and illumination that there is passports. He hastens away to Jerunothing that makes you so irate as to have it talked against. If there have through the ruins. He overcomes the times when you have been car-

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stood listening if you could hear the voice of the dead organ, the psalm of the expired Sabbaths. What Jerusalem was to Nehemiah, the church of God is to you. Skeptics and infidels may scoff at the church as an is the church as a voice of the dead organ, the psalm of the expired Sabbaths. What Jerusalem was to Nehemiah, the church of God is to you. Skeptics and infidels may scoff at the church as an obsolete affair, as a relic of the dark is triumphant sadness. At 3 o'clock is triumphant sadness. At 3 o'clock ages, as a convention of goody goody people, but all the impression they have ever made on your mind against the church of God is absolutely nothing. You would make more against the church of God is absolutely nothing. ing. You would make more sacrifices for it today than any other institution, and if it were needful you would die in its defense. You can take the words of the kingly poet, as he said, "If I forget thee, O Jerusalem, let my right hand forget her cunning."

How do I know that that was going on for sixteen years? I know it in this way: That was the first home in Philadelphia where I was called to comfort a great sorrow. They had a Again, my text impresses me with the fact that before reconstruction Washington, April 7 .- Dr. Talmage's there must be an exploration of ruins.

text was Nehemiah, ii., 15: "Then went I up in the night by the brook and viewed one wall and turned back, and entered by the gate of the valley, and so returned."

there must be an exploration of ruins. Why was not Nehemiah asleep under the covers? Why was not his horse stabled in the midnight? Let the police of the city arrest this midnight rider, out on some mischief. No. Nehemiah is going to rebuild the city, and he is making the preliminary explanation of ruins. A dead city is more suggestive than and he is making the preliminary exploration. In this gate, out that gate, a living city—past Rome than present east, west, north, south. All through Rome—ruins rather than newly frescoed cathedral. But the best time to before the work of reconstruction can begin. The reason that so many peobegin. The reason that so many people in this day, apparently converted, do not stay converted is because they did not first explore the ruins of their own heart. They have not found out that "the heart is deceifful above all study shafted oriel and rosetted stone and mullion, but mey throw their strongest witcher, or moonlight. Some converted is begin. The reason that so many people in this day, apparently converted, do not stay converted is because they did not first explore the ruins of their own heart. They have not found out that "the heart is deceifful above all things, and desperately wicked." They had an idea that they were almost and mullion, but mey throw their strongest witchery moonlight. Some of you remember what the enchanter of Scotland said in the "Lay of the Thora was a superstructure of scotland said in the "Lay of the Thora was a superstructure of superstructure otland said in the "Lay of the There was a superstructure of religion built on a substratum of unrepented sins. The trouble with a good deal of

modern theology is that instead of building on the right foundation, it builds on the debris of an unregener-My text presents you Jerusalem in ruins. The tower down. The gates down. The walls down. Everything conviction, they have seen the ghastlidown. Nehemiah on horseback by ness of the ruins. They have such a moonlight looking upon the ruins. poor foundation for their religion that While he rides there are some friends the first northeast storm of temptaon foot going with him, for they do not want the many horses to disturb the suspicions of the people. These people do not know the secret of Ne-

moonlight ride of praying, courageous, homesick, close-mouthed Nehemiah.

My subject first impresses all of them together did not do so to our entire race and says, "You're a much for the world as this midnight, ruin, a ghastly ruin, an illimitable homesick, close-mouthed Nehemiah.

My subject first impresses me with the idea, what an intense thing is church affection. Seize the bridle of that horse and stop Nehemiah. Why are you risking your life here in the night? Your horse will stumble over these ruins and fall on you. Stop this useless exposure of your-life No. No.

men of busy and triumphant sadness. how that his father's tomb had been If there was any man in the world how that his father's tomb had been desecrated; how that the temple had been dishonored and defaced; how that the walls were scattered and broken. "Well," says King Artaxerxes, "what do you want?" "Well," said the cupbearer Nehemiah, "I want to go home. I want to fix up the grave of my father. I want to restore the beauty of the temple. I want to rebuild the masonry of the city wall. Besides. I most ferocious opposition. He arouses ried into captivity by sickness, you the piety and patriotism of the people

longed for the church, our holy Jeru- and in less than two months-namely valem, and the first day you came out | 52 days-Jerusalem was rebuilt. That's you came to the house of the Lord. What I call busy and triumphant sad-When the temple was in ruins, like ness. When the temple was in runs, made Nehemiah, you walked around and looked at it, and in the moonlight you is with you when you have trouble to do just the opposite to the behavior do just the opposite to the behavior of Nehemiah, and that is to give it up. You say, "I have lost my child, and can never smile again." You say, "I have lost my property, and I can never repair my fortunes." You say, "I have fallen into sin, and I can never start again for a new life." If Satan can make you form that resolution and make you keep it, he has ruined you. Frouble is not sent to crush you, but o arouse you, to animate you, to propel you. The blacksmith does not thrust the iron into the forge and then blow away with the bellows and then bring the hot iron out on the anvil and beat with stroke after stroke to ruin the iron, but to prepare it for a better use. Oh, that the Lord God of Nehemiah would arouse up all brokenhearted people to rebuild! Whipped, betrayed, shipwrecked, imprisoned, Paul went right on. I knew a mother who buried her babe on Friday, and

dren of the street. Those destitute children received religious instruction, concluding with cakes and sandwiches How do I know that that was going comfort a great sorrow. They had a splendid boy, and he had been drowned at Long Branch. The father and mother almost idolized the boy, and the sob and shriek of that father and mother as they hung over that coffin resound in my ears today. There seemed to be no use of praying, for when I knelt down to pray the outery in the reson drawing. sorrow. They did not forget their trouble. If you should go any afternoon into Laurel Hill you would find a monument with the word "Walter" inscribed upon it and a wreath of flowers around the name. I think there was not an hour in twenty years, winter or summer, when there was not a wreath of fresh flowers around Wal-

ter's name. But the Christian mother who sent those flowers there, having no child left, Sabbath afternoons mothered ten to twenty of the lost ones of the street. That is beautiful. That is what I call busy and triumphant sadness. Here is a man who has lost his property. He does not go to hard drinking. not destroy his own life. He comes and says: "Harness me for Christian work. My money's gone. I have no treasure on earth. I want treasures in heaven. I have a voice and a heart to serve God." You say that that man has failed. He has not failed-he has

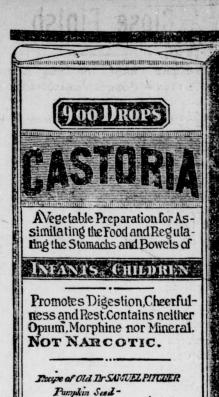
Oh, I wish I could persuade all the people who have any kind of trouble never to give up! I wish they would look at the midnight rider of the text,

by society—do not give up. Perhaps there may be in this house one that could truthfully utter the lamentation

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Do not give up. One like unto the Son of God comes to you today, saying: "Go and sin no more," while he cries out to your assailants: "Let him that is without sin cast the first stone at her." Oh, there is no reason why anyone in this house by reason of any trouble or sin should give up Are you a foreigner and in a strange land? Nehemiah was an exile. Are Are you homesick? Nehemiah was Are you broken-hearted Nehemiah was broken-hearted. just see him in the text, riding along the sacrileged grave of his father and by the dragon well, and through the fish gate, and by the king's pool, ir and out, in and out, the moonlight falling on the broken masonry, which throws a long shadow, at which the horse shies, and at the same time that moonlight kindling up the features of this man till you see not only the mark of sad reminiscences, but the courage and hope, the enthusiasm of a man who knows that Jerusalem will be rebuilded. I pick you up today, out of your sins and out of your sorrow, and I put you against the warm heart of Christ. "The eternal God is thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms.





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seems to have a monopoly in the manufacture of budget surpluses, which protectionist governments do not en-

Press Gallery, Ottawa, April 7, 1897. Mr. Foster's Assiduous Acidity.

causes bitterness and enmity among had given a voter a drink of whisky. them. There are some white men who The candidate claimed that this was a

these subventions has alarmed and per- Mr. Beattie confessed to a most susreduce the bounty have always excited sioners, who declare that the industry it does not, then, they say, the Suwould collapse if the legislative props preme Court will bowl Mr. Beattie out were removed. Despite the augmented Government grants, the margin of proury has become so excessive that the kind. Up till 1891 section 93 of the taxpayers, who do not share the boun- Election Act was as follows: verting it into confectionery, jams, tellies, etc., and are enabled to outstrip all competitors in these lines by reason of the German subsidy, which gives them their raw material so

The Nova Scotia provincial elections take place on April 20. Distance may was made in these terms: lend enchantment, but from this dis-

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> elections on April 27. This is rough on the Opposition.

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free trade countries, but Great Britain

[Special Editorial Correspondence of The Advertiser.]

Court and obtained a full record of the unanimous judgment in the West these days. He is breaking his own Prince election case, which was given some time ago. This decision is understood to have an important bearing on the London election case, to be decided on June 7 next. Mr. Hackett, the Conservative candidate in West Prince, was unseated because an agent trivial offense, but the trial judges decided that the evidence as a whole showed that the election had not been carefully conducted, and Mr. Hackett was unseated. He appealed, claiming that he was entitled to hold the seat. as the charge proved was trivial. The Supreme Court, however, upheld the lower court, and a new election takes place on the 27th inst. The Liberal means, let this branch of agriculture candidate will undoubtedly be elected.

In view of the fact that in the London election case two corrupt practices were proved at the time of trial; that a large number of charges are under consideration by the judges; and that turning officer, accused of wrongdoing, lawyers here generally believe that the trial court must unseat. If in short order. It would have saved much trouble and expense if these facts had been recognized by Mr. Beattle and his advisers in the first

I have repeatedly been asked to quote the law governing cases of this

"If it is found by the report of any trial of election petitions that any corany candidate at an election or by his agent, whether with or without the actual knowledge and consent of such candidate, the election of such candidate, if he has been elected, shall be

Under this law, the petition against Mr. C. S. Hyman was tried, and one trivial case being proved, the election was upset. Legislators found that the law pressed unduly severe upon candidates and constituencies, and a change

"When upon the trial of an election petition the court decides that a can-didate at such election was guilty by

his agent or agents of any offense that would render his election void, and the court further finds
"(a) That no corrupt practice was itted at such election by the candidate personally, and that the ofentioned were committed consanction or connivance of such candi-

"(b) That such candidate took all reasonable means for preventing the ommission of corrupt practices at such election; and

"(d) That in all other respects so far as disclosed by the evidence the election was free from any corrupt prac-tice on the part of such candidate and of his agents; then the election of such candidate shall not by reason of the offenses mentioned be void nor shall

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Careful students of the evidence giv-

joice over the prosperous condition of en at the London trial can judge of the critical position in which Mr. Beattie be taken as not over 60. Mr. Wood's The discussion in the House on the proposal to disallow the charter granted by the British Columbia Legislature

of the Kootenay region. But, as Mr. Morrison, the member for New Westthe value of the coal beds that lie tons, the empire owns 10,508,443 tons. Of alongside the proposed rallway there can be no doubt. Nor can it be denied that the terms granted by the British Columbia Legislature, in grants of land and minerals, are liberal. This charter, however, was hawked around capitalthat it has been taken up. As the proposed line afforded a short cut to the Rossland mines, the C. P. R. obtained control of the charter and has given notice that it will build the new line. There are those who say that the the charter, despite the fact that such interference would be an attack on provincial rights, and they argue that it is the duty of the Dominion authorities to build the line. So far Government-controlled lines in Canada have been a loss to the country, and very many electors would oppose further responsibilities of a like nature.

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But the disallowance of the provinit might cause no end of trouble in British Columbia, would not prevent the C. P. R. from controlling the line. The original charter of the railway was made so liberal, so all-embracing. that control of its extensions were ernment. The C. P. R. Company, let t be remembered, has a perpetual franchise to build branch lines to any part part of Canada without asking or reed that the company shall have the right from time to time to lay out, construct, equip, maintain and work branch lines of railway from any point or points along their main line of railway to any point or points within the territory of the Dominion. All that the company has to do is to deposit a plan with the Department of Railways, which has been done in the case of the proposed Crow's Nest branch. It is further enacted in clause 14, that the Dominion shall furnish, gratis, all land required for such lines. for roadbed, stations, yards, buildings and other appurtenances, "in so far as Ferguson was here the such lands are vested in the Govern-

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When the charter was under discus sion on Dec. 14, 1880, the Liberals attacked this provision as altogether too sweeping in its application. But Sir Charles Tupper, who had charge of the measure, vetoed the objection. "Is the House aware," he asked, "that in the United States all the power given this syndicate, which comes forward to take the place of the Government, and or every company building a railroad? All that such persons require to do is to organize a company under the genlaw, organize themselves, and go and build a railway wherever they like." In the same debate, Sir Charles Tupper made this further explanation: "We propose to year, along with Mr. T. H. Macphergive them the right of way for branch lines free, and shall be only too glad to do so if they run branches from one end of the country to the other."

It is thus impossible for any Government to interfere with the construction of branch lines by the C. P. R. in the Crows' Nest pass or any other part of the Dominion. The original company ask for privileges not guaranteed by their charter, it is open for the Government to see to it that I believe, to be the policy of the Administration, and it is a proper line of

MR. A. T. WOOD, M. P.

Sketch of the Able Representative of of the Ambitious City

the past that so few of the centers of population sent to Parliament really representative men. Ontario cities have especially been transgressors in this regard, but in the present House of Commons a decided improvement has taken place. Hamilton, for example, has two of her brightest business men as supporters of Premier Laurier. Mr. A. T. Wood, Hamilton's senior

member, entered Parliament in the memorable session which first saw Wilfrid Laurier, the brilliant young French-Canadian statesman at Ottawa. Mr. Wood listened to Mr. Laurier's master- able to work every day and feel like ly address in seconding the reply to a new man. Your pills alone cured the speech from the throne, and join- me at a cost of 25 cents." ed with others in prophesying a great every fall and spring," says Miss Hatfuture for the youthful statesman. It it Delaney, of 174 Crawford street, has come. Mr. Wood has been out of Toronto. "I used many cough medi-Parliament for eighteen years. While cines, but none cured me until at a cutside of the legislative hells he has outside of the legislative halls he has been engaged by commercial and industrial enterprise in building up Can-ada, Mr. Laurier has remained in public life, struggling to have put in force chase's Ointment he is completely fair and progressive methods of ad-"(e) That the offenses mentioned ministration. Now Mr. Wood is sent in gold instead of the price you charge, fair and progressive methods of ad- cured. were of a trivial, unimportant and lim-ited character; and back to Parliament to support his old-ited character; and back to Parliament to support his old-ited character; and back to Parliament to support his old-ited character; and back to Parliament to support his old-ited character; and back to Parliament to support his old-time associate as Paires Minister of

> safer counselor. Mr. Wood has had a noteworthy ca-

magh, Ireland, and was born in that town on Aug. 26, 1826. He is thus in his 71st year, but is so robust and well preserved that he could readily Trew, who had served his Majesty in the cavalry, under Lord Gosford, and er Canada. Capt. Trew was proprietor of large linen bleach-greens at Derrycughan, and it was among these scenes of Dr. John Hall, the famous Presby-

terian divine, were elders in the same Irish Presbyterian church. The Wood removes blackheads, pimples, blotches and all skin eruptions. It soothes and heals outs soons goods and hands settled in Toronto. There Mr. Wood's and relieves the pain at once. mother died, and his father subsequent- lips, chapped hands, scurvy eczema ly returned to Ireland, where he lived salt rheum and tetter are promptly till a green old age. Having a turn for cured. till a green old age. Having a turn for A separate cure for each disease. business, Mr. Wood joined the hard- At all druggists. Mostly 25 cents a ware establishment of the late J. S. vial. Ryan in Toronto. The following year, and 13 Albert street. Toronto, ans-Mr. Ryan established a branch in Hamilton, and Mr. Wood was selected any disease. to manage it. Hamilton had just been incorporated as a city, and was giving promise of future eminence as a commercial center. In 1849, Mr. Wood resolved to go into business for himself, time, a very high tariff has been esand the modest hardware establish- tablished by the United States against ment then organized was the founda- Canadian and British products. Thereestablishment of today. Wholesale as duty of Canadian legislators is to encarefully promoted, and for 48 years every legitimate means. The mother the business has been successfully car- land, he points out, takes all the pro ried on. For thirty years, Mr. Wood duce of Canada that we can send her had as his partner Mr. Matthew Leg- without imposing a cent of tax on it. gatt. During a portion of that time, cial charter for the building of a line Mr. Wm. Vallance and Mr. Wm. A. through the Crow's Nest Pass, while Wood were resident partners, while ried. His first wife was Miss Free-Mr. George D. Wood, another son, has man, daughter of the late Wm. Free for seventeen years conducted a large establishment in Winnipeg in conjunction with the Hamilton enterprise. On Mr. Leggatt's retirement, Mr. George Vallance joined the firm. The business is the most extensive of its kind carried on in Canada. The firm has pushed business in every of older Canada, and has bringing

trade to Ontario from every one of the newer provinces and territories. It has a resident manager in Victoria, B. C., who is charged with the duty of pushing business in the Pacific Province, and as its rich mineral resources are opened up the transactions of the firm will no doubt be largely increased. One of the secrets of the success of Mr. Wood as a business man has been the care with which he has selected his stock, and supervised the transactions of the house. For about 35 years he has been in the habit of crossing the Atlantic once a year for the purpose of purchasing goods in Great

Britain and on the continent. He has traveled over a wide portion of the of information and for recreation. Mr. Wood is thus not only an expert in his own line of business, but by his keen faculties of observation as a traveler he has made himself one of the best informed members of the House. Mr. Wood was first returned to Parliament in 1874, along with Mr. AE. Irving, Q.C. They sat for Hamilton till 1878, when, as a result of the worldwide depression which reacted most relieve it of responsibility in regard to unfavorably in Canada, they, with Mackenzie, were defeated, Mr. Wood could have had a Liberal nomination for Hamilton at the general elections in 1891, but as he was in Great Britain en route to the east, at the time o dissolution, he declined. He was in for the city of his choice, and though he was absent during the campaign,

> he was elected. Having the strongest of faith i minion, Mr. Wood has freely invested his talents and his wealth in promotvelopment of the country. He early took an interest in the construction railways as arteries of trade. The aid which he gave in securing the construction of the Wellington, Grey and Bruce, and Hamilton and Northwestern Railways, in no small degree contributed to the successful completion of those enterprises. Mr. Wood is also largely interested in cotton and iron manufacturing industries, and he was one of the originators of the iron & smelting industry in Hamilton. Mr. Wood holds that the tariff of

Canada should be so arranged in the

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"My husband was troubled with the

time associate as Prime Minister of Cure for 25 cents at Mr. Boyle's drug store here," says Henry R. Nicholls, of 176 Rectory street, London, Ont. "I am thankful to say it cured me."

be taken as not over 60. Mr. Wood's mother was a daughter of a well-known Irish gentleman, by name Capt. **CURES**

Munyon's Blood Cures will positively of industrial activity that the future cure the worst form of scrofula, ery-M. P. was reared. It is a coincidence that Mr. Wood's father, and the father syphilitic affections, mercurial taints, blotches, liver spots, tetter and all im purities of the blood.

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would develop trade along the lines of least resistance. At the presen tion of the great wholesale and retail fore Mr. Wood contends that the first well as retail trade was taken up and courage trade with Great Britain by Socially, Mr. Wood leads a quiet domestic life. He has been twice marman, of Saltfleet. To them were bor one daughter and two sons. His se been enjoying the hospitalities of Ottawa, is a daughter of the late Geo H. White, of Toronto, By this union there are three daughters.

Mr. Escomb, the new Premier of Natal, is a London Jew, who started as in this, he turned his attention to law, in which he made a great suc-



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Local Market.

(Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.) WEEKLY REVIEW.

London, Wednesday, April 7. Wheat (fall, red) per bu.....72c to 72c Wheat (fall, white), per bu....73c to 74c Wheat (spring), per bu......72c to 75c Oats, per bu................18% c to 201/2c

The only good markets for the week just closing were Thursday and Sat-urday. At both these sessions the at-tendance was very large. The balance of the week the opposite was the case. Among the changes we note are a weaker feeling in wheat and lower prices, good red selling at \$1 20 per 100 ibs, a decline of 3c. Very little white offered, and the price paid for it was \$1 23-a decline of 2c. Some few sales of spring wheat have been made at \$1 20 and \$1 25 per cwt. There is a good demand for spring wheat for sowing.
Oats came in more freely again, but the prices were well maintained. The

Corn was quite scarce, and an active demand, forced prices up about 5c to 10c per 100 lbs. The close was 58c for

according to the quality, good pounds selling at 12c to 15c wholesale. Chickens were scarce at 50c to 70c

Very few turkeys or ducks came in.

Meats were steady; bef brought 3½c
to 5c, with an exceptional fine hindquarter occasionally going at 5½c. Lamb was quiet at 8c to 9c, and veal active and steady at 3c to 5c. Dressed hogs were not so plentiful as a week ago. They fluctuated considerably between \$6 and \$6 50, and closed steady at \$6 35 for the top.
Hides, skins and tallow were quite firm and in good demand at about the same values as a week ago.

No business doing in wool. Hay quiet at \$7 to \$7 50; as a rule a little more was sometimes paid for small loads of very green. Maple syrup plentiful and sold slow

Potatoes were lower at 25c to 35c.

GRAIN.		
Wheat white fall, per 1001bs.	120 to	1 23
Wheat red, fall, per 100 lbs	1 20 10	1 20
Wheat, spring per 100 bg	1 20 to	1 25
Oats. per 100 lbs	45 to	60
Peas per 100 ibs		70
Corn per 100 ibs	55 80	60
Barley, per 100 ibs	50 to	70
Rye. per 100 los		60
Beans, bu	25 to	40
Buckwheat. per 100 lbs	50 to	70
Honey	12 to	12
Cheese, per lb	10% to	104
Eggs single dozen	10 to	10 ,
Eggs fresh, basket, per doz	8 to	9
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz	7 to	8 1
butter single rolls per ib	15 to	17
Butter, per ! lb rolls, baske	ts. 12 to	15
Butter per 1b. large rolls	or	
crocks	10 to	14
Butter, per lb. tubs or firkins.	10 to	13
Larg. per 10	6 to	7
Chickens, per pair	50 to	70
Ducks, per pair	75 to	80
Turkeys, per lb	10 to	12
MEAT. HIDES, E	TO	
Beef, quarters, per lb	34 to	5
Mutton guarters, per lb	5 to	6
Veal, quarters, per ib	3 to	5
Lamb, q arter	8 to	9
Dressed nogs, 100 lo	6 00 to	6 35
Lave hogs	4 00 tc	4 50
Hides, No. 1 per lb	6½ to	64
Hides, No. 2, per lb	5t to	54
Hides, No. 3, per lb	41 to	4
Calfskins, green	64 to	64
Calfskins, arv. each	4 to	6
Sheepskins, each	75 to	1 10
Lambskins, each		70
Wool, per Ib.	18 to	18
Tallow, rendered, per 1b	3 to	3
Tallow, rough, per lb	11 to	. 2
HAY AND SEE	D	
Hay, per ton	7 00 to	8 00
Straw. per load		2 50

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English Markets.

London. April 7. Cargoes off coast—Wheat quiet: corn quiet Cargoes on passage - Wheat, rather easier;

American Produce Markets. Chicago, April 7.—Opening—Wheat, May, 68je; July, 67je; Sept., 66ic. Corn, May, 24je; July, 25ke; Sept., 25je. Oats, May, 17c; July, 18c. Pork, May, 82 2; July, \$8 30. Lard, May, \$1 07; July, \$4 15; Sept., \$4 25. Ribs. May, \$4 474; July, \$1 50.

Live Stock Markets. EAST BUFFALO.

Sheep and lambs—I car on sale; il through:
steady and nominally unchanged.
His hand or dimmed his sight, let him at once, and before some organic steady and nominally unchanged.
Hogs—Is cars on sale; il through:
They are much better than the see some compulsory system of unitary system, but I should very much like to sumption.

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"I am no advocate for the introduction here of the continental military system, but I should very much like to sumption.

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supply fairly liberal, including a fair showing of Canadians; good feeders steady; light stock steers, generally stronger.
Seeep and lambs—Very little demand for the limited number on sale; prices about steady.
Hogs—Market continues dull and slow at unchanged prices, with limited receipts.

NEW YORK.

New York. April 6.—Beeves—Receipts, 947
head; no trading; feeling steady.
Calves—Receipts, 306 head; steady; very
little trading.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 565 head: very
dull at barely former prices; good clipped
lambs, \$5 25.
Hogs—Receipts, 3,402 head; steady, at \$4 25
to \$4 50 for state hogs.
Cables from British markets quote American
steers at 11c to 12c, per 1b, dressed weight;
American refrigerated beef. 9ic to 10c per 1b;
American sheep, 9c to 10c, dressed weight.

TORONTO.

The Dominion Opposition Begin
Their Tactics,

Their Tactics,

And Mr. Laurier Promptly Adjourns the House.

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Toronto, April 6.—Fair business done at the cattle market, but some of the poor quality butchers' cattle were unsold. Offering, 1,650 hogs, 109 sheep and lambs, and 55 calves. There was considerable buying of cattle for Montreal and Ottawa. Export cattle in better demand. Prices 4c to 4½c per 1b mostly, two or three carloads of good ones reaching 4½c per 1b. One carload, 1,200 lbs average, sold for \$4 60 per cwt. The demand is expected to be a little better for a few days. Butchers' cattle—Good choice cattle sold readily enough, but some of the poorer quality stuff was hard to get rid of. Quite a few common cattle were left over. Butchers' ordinary stuff ruled 2½c to 3c per 1b, but there was a fair demand for Easter cattle, some of these selling pretty to 3c per lb, but there was a fair demand for Easter cattle, some of these selling pretty high. One carload for Montreal, 1,150 lbs average, about the fattest lot on the market, was taken at 4½c per lb. Other Eastern cattle sold at 4½c per lb. For some to go to Ottawa, 3½ oper lb and a little higher was paid. Prices often paid were 3½c and 3½c per lb. Poor cattle are not wanted. Bulls—Quiet, e.cept for choice exporters. Stock bulls, thin ones, are dull. Prices paid all round from 2½c to 3½c per lb. Stockers—Buying for Buffalo was slow, but evidently quite a few were taken for there. Prices ranged all the way from 2½c to 3c per lb. Feeders—A few head were taken by distillery men to fill vacancies in the byres. distillery men to fill vacancies in the byres. Some of these, which were nearly fat, sold for

the to the per lb. As low as 32c was paid for

Petrolea

Considering Plans for the New School.

Cyclists Must Stop Riding on the Sidewalks.

Advertiser Agents-R. C. Johnston, Lowery Bros., Roy Newton. ruling figures were 50c to 60c, with the bulk of sales at 53c to 60c.

Peas were not very freely offered; the usual price paid for them was 70c. No very poor quality offering.

Corn was quite scarce, and an active.

Petrolea, April 6.—The public school building committee held a short meeting last night to take into consideration the plans submitted in regard to the new school house at the East End. Plans were received from J. Erb, Port Huren: H. C. McPride, London C. Plans were received from J. Erb, Port Huron; H. C. McBride, London; Gordon Mr. LaRiviere said that he was not

on the sidewalks. It is very likely the council will take action and stop this

growing complaint. Don't forget the old folks' concert in Don't forget the old folks' concert in Victoria Hall on April 1. This will be the concert of the season. The proceeds are in aid of the church, and everybody should go.

LaRiviere with obstruction, but he charge Mr. LaRiviere with obstruction, but he charged him with deliberately attempt-

everybody should go.

The annual meeting of the Petrolea Baseball Club was held in Oil Ex-change Hall last night, and was largely attended. The following officers were elected: Honorary president, J. L. Englehart; honorary vice-president, Mr. C. O. Fairbank; president, C. Endress; vice-president, G. McDonald; nanaging committee, W. R. Noble, Lowery, S. Pollard; treasurer, W Cooper; secretary, S. D. Swift. Mr. Thomas Phelan, of C. S. Hym. n

The last assay of the Petrolea Beaver mine, at Rossland, shows up good,

Mr. Moylan, of Garson & Co., has purchased a wheel from Mr. A. Scars-

Mr. R. Morris, who has been very ill, is somewhat better.

Mr. Frank Smith returned home from Windsor yesterday.
Mr. Stivett's millinery opening was a grand success. Music was furnished by the Y. M. C. A. Orchestra in the

Mr. Bioss P. Corey was in St. Thomas yesterday.

A fire whistle will be placed at the electric light station.

Mr. David McKenzie, who has been eriously ill, is recovering.

Mr. Joseph Barrett, who intended

leaving for the old country on Apri 21, is seriously ill.

A CARADUC PIONEER DEAD. Aged 90 - Demise of Mrs. Elizabeth

McKellar.

Special to The Advertiser, via C. P. R.

Line. Ottawa, Ont., April 7 .- Mr. Malcoln McGugan, member for South Middleex, leaves this evening to attend the the late Duncan McKellar. Deceased and was over 90 years of age.

The many friends of Mrs. Jud Early, The many friends of Mrs. Jud Early, not wish to be niggardly, but if at the moment every work were to be taken up it would mean an addition spreading rapidly.

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Obstruction!

Was Not Printed in French.

Ludicrous Position of Tupper and Others-A Bill to Prevent Usury -An Immense Deputation.

Ottawa, April 7 .- The first step toward obstruction of the franchise bill took place in the House yesterday. On the technical objection that the bill had not been printed in French the Opposition succeeded in preventing the second reading of the measure for the amendment of the superannuation act. The leader of the Opposition had the satisfaction of forcing the Premier to move the adjournment of the House within fifteen minutes after it went into session. The whole question was debated on the motion to adjourn, and the Premier made it very plain that he and not Sir Charles Tupper is leading the House. He refused to be swerved from his course by the suggestion that the alien labor bill of Mr. Taylor be the alien labor bill of Mr. Taylor be taken up, pointing out, as did Mr. Davies also, that there were a number of alien labor bills before the House, and that Mr. Taylor's could not be properly. There is a good demond for them at from \$4 to \$5 each.

Calves—Steady; choics veals are in demand at from \$6 to \$7 each; ordinary calves sell at from \$3 to \$5 per head.

Milch cows and springers—More active and firmer. Some very good cows offered; one, not a good one, sold for \$26, one sold lor \$28, one for \$30, one for \$30, one for \$35, and one for \$35. As high as \$40 will be paid for choice early springers.

The alien labor bill of Mr. Taylor be taken up, pointing out, as did Mr. Davies also, that there were a number of alien labor bills before the House, and that Mr. Taylor's could not be properly taken up before Mr. Cowan's, which had not been printed in French. It was Government day, and the Government had on the order paper for \$38, one for \$30, one for \$35, and one for \$30, one for \$35, and paid for choice early springers.

When the order for the second readng of the superannuation bill was called, Mr. LaRiviere (Provencher) took the point that the bill, not being printed in French, could not be pro-ceeded with. It is only necessary for the progress of any measure. Mr. Laurier at once conceded the technical correctness of Mr. LaRiviere's objection, but he pointed out that if he persisted it would be impossible for the technical correctness of Mr. LaRiviere's objection, but he pointed out that if he persisted it would be impossible for the technical correctness of Mr. LaRiviere's objection, but he pointed out that if he persisted it would be impossible for the technical correctness of Mr. LaRiviere's objection, but he pointed out that if he persisted it would be impossible for the technical correctness of Mr. LaRiviere's objection, but he pointed out that if he persisted it would be impossible for the technical correctness of Mr. LaRiviere's objection, but he pointed out that if he persisted it would be impossible for the technical correctness of Mr. LaRiviere's objection, but he pointed out that if he persisted it would be impossible for the technical correctness of Mr. LaRiviere's objection, but he pointed out that if he persisted it would be impossible for the technical correctness of Mr. LaRiviere's objection, but he pointed out that if he persisted it would be impossible for the technical correctness of Mr. LaRiviere's objection, but he pointed out that if he persisted it would be impossible for the technical correctness of Mr. LaRiviere's objection, but he pointed out that if he persisted it would be impossible for the technical correctness of the technical correctness which Parliament on the second week was ready to proceed with business. It is probable that within the course of a But is it not war that has widened the few hours, perhaps within a few min-utes, these very bills will be printed in the earth? & Helliman, of Toronto, and others. objecting as a member of the Opposi-The Toronto firm's plans seemed to tion, but as a member of the House

Sir Charles Tupper denied that a merely technical objection had been interposed, and demanded to know Mr. Laurier's reasons for moving the adjusted, and hold them exclusively for interposed.

spoken the House adjourned.

TOO GREAT SOLICITUDE. The ludicrous spectacle of Sir Charles flag and commerce. Tupper and his party shouting for the printing of bills in French, while the leading French-Canadians in the House asked that the point be not Mr. Thomas Phelan, of C. S. Hym. n House asked that the point be not & Co., was in our city yesterday on his urged, was almost too much for the and work is being pushed forward in about 40 on the Government benches.

TO PREVENT USURY. The only matter of interest during the session, apart from this little shadow of coming obstruction was the introduction of a bill by Mr. Quinn, of Montreal, to provide that not more than 6 per cent of interest should be collectable on notes for payment of which action was taken for payment of which action was taken to the courte. He told how not very specific the courter which action was taken to the courter. The told how not very specific the courter which action was taken to the courter which action was taken to the courter which destroyed the Roman Empire. History tells us also that upon many occasions when nations had begun to decline and to deteriorate in fiber, war has often acted as a sharp corrective of sloth and luxury and that want of national spirit which is the outward sign of internal decay.

GOOD FOR MORALITY. in the courts. He told how not very long ago a Montreal man who had

A BIG DEPUTATION. The capital was invaded yesterday and in the regular trains from all parts of the large district through which the Trent Valley waterway is intended to be constructed. Their object was to meet the Minister of Rail
"When the warlike instincts of a ways and other members of the Minis-try and urge the continuation and of the work. The Government had been bombarded as to the supreme imneral of a life-long friend, Mrs.Eliza-th McKeller, of Caradoc, widow of St. Lawrence canals had been laid before them and the Ottawa canal and

many others. The Government would give due weight and proper considera-Mr. Laurier said the Government did A DINNER PILL—Many persons suf-

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Lord Wolseley Argues that It is Good in Many Ways.

Civilization Often Gets a Lift from the Powder Cart.

Bays the Military Spirit Has'a Wholesome Influence-Good for the Soldier, for Morality and for Civilization.

[By Lord Wolseley.]

The United Service Magazine for March opens with a very interesting report of the lecture which Lord Woleley, the commander-in-chief of the British army, delivered to the British Institution on "War and Preparations for War." Lord Walseley's text, alough he does not quote it, is H. Bigelow's familiar verse, in which, after condemning war in the abstract as horrid, he maintains that notwithstanding civilization is often indebted for a lift to the powder-cart.

GOOD FOR THE SOLDIER.

Lord Wolseley's way of phrasing it is as follows:
"I should be very sorry if anything I may say here this evening could be twisted into a seeming approval of war. But yet I cannot forget that 'as out of the strong comes forth sweetness,' so war with all its evils calls out and puts to the proof some of the highest and best qualities of man. Fearlessness, daring, endurance, contempt of death, self-sacrifice, readiness to die for country or some other sacred cause-all these are virtues which have often saved nations when

at their last gasp.
"May I venture to remind you of the many manly and noble virtues required by the soldier to fit him for his great share in this defense of the nation? He must learn to endure hun-ger, thirst, heat and cold; to undergo hardships and privations uncomplain-ingly, and to die when necessary for the safety or honor of his country.
"The training involved in all this ceeded with. It is only necessary for one member of the House to object to antidote against that luxury and effiminacy which destroys nations, as well as individuals. This national

possible for the House to go on, and cause of civilization.

that would end the practical business "May I advise you to study our little of the day. There never was a session wars of the last half-century, and to since Confederation in which business note for yourselves the effect they has been expedited as it has been this have had upon civilization? We are There never was a session in prone to remember them only for hav-

circle of civilization in all regions of

GOOD FOR CIVILIZATION. "Wherever we hoist our flag, there fess, with complete success-to estab lish those immutable principles of even-handed justice, and of an improv-The Toronto firm's plans seemed to poor quality, and 60c for good.

Beans were steady at 25c to 40c—mostly 30c to 35c.

Buckwheat and Rye were scarce and steady.

Eggs were very plantiful and lower, selling at 8c wholesale, and 9c retail.

Demand steady.

Butter—Sales ranged from 10c to 17c, according to the quality, good wayneds.

The Toronto firm's plans seemed to be the favorite. The different plans standing within his right.

The Speaker stated that if the member for Provencher persisted in his point the House could not go on.

At the council meeting last evening a communication was read from the chief of police in regard to several complaints he has received from citius the house.

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Butter—Sales ranged from 10c to 17c, according to the quality, which are the best evided nor ality, which are the best evided and improved civilization. As a member of the House, standing within his right.

The Toronto firm's plans seemed to the favorite. The different plans will be submitted at the regular board meeting in his point the House could not go on.

At the council meeting last evening a nation, we can point with pride to territories once barbarous but now horticultural grounds in the village of Springfield on Thursday, April 22. All animals for exhibition to be on the complaints he has received from citius the House.

Sir Charles Tupper denied that a standing within his right.

When the favorite and of an improved civilization. As a method of an improved and improved in the best evidence of an improved civilization. As a mation, we can point with pride to territories once barbarous but now civilized, in every quarter of the globe where we have, or used to have, garrisons. We honestly try to act as if we were rather the trustees of civilization than the occupiers of soil active for point with the member of the House.

At the council meeting to morrow (Wednesday) evening the favorite for point with th

ing to prevent the Government from fluence of missionary work, of our proceeding with the business they had laws, and of our civilization. in hand. The distinction was hardly apparent to the House. When Mr. Davin, Mr. Casey and Mr. Taylor had but I contend we can assert with equal to the contend we can assert with the "It is commonly and wisely said that truth that Christianity and civilization, with all their attendant blessings, press forward very closely with both

GOOD FOR HUMANITY. "Yet, without doubt, many wars further the best interests of humanity urged, was almost too much for the gravity of the members. There are not ten French-speaking members on the Opposition side, while there are about 40 on the Government benches. with the rude and barbarous hordes which destroyed the Roman Empire.

GOOD FOR MORALITY. "As I read history, I find that lying, loaned \$150 secured a judgment for cheating, sensuality in its worst forms, \$5,000 interest on the loan, the rate being enormous. The intention of the bill is to prevent the courts from beed people, overtook nations, as at Coning used for squeezing such rates of interest out of debtors.

ed people, overtook harman spirit and fighting qualities declined. A sound, healthy, military spirit gives strength to a people. It is the guarthe greatest deputation of recent dian of the honor and interests of a ars. They came in special trains nation, the safeguard of its freedom were heard by the neighbors, who came were heard by the neighbors, who came

people decline, when the drill sergeant

Lord Wolseley points out with much enthusiasm the physical and moral advantages resulting from the two years' continuous military service brother near Glencoe, who had the which is exacted from continental misfortune to break his leg while youth, and he claims that even our wrestling at school, has again resumed little army, small as it is, renders an inestimable service in' raising the physique of the general population and in Delaware this week.

The second shoot of the Gun Club

"Last year, and it was a fair average year, the numbers enlisted for the regular forces, the militia, the yeomanry and the volunteers, amounted to over 120,000 men. Now I maintain that take part on account of having a lame civilization in the United Kingdom is pro tanto the gainer, for every one of those recruits when discharged will be a better man, a better citizen, than he was the day he first put on her Majes ty's uniform. How many thousands Dr. Isaiah R. Sexton, of Sparta, Kene county, Mich., is one of the 33 United States survivors of the war of 1812.

The great lung healer to 1812. fore, claim for our national army the position of being a great agency con-

stantly at work amongst us?"

Lord Wolseley's practical conclusion is not that universal military service should be introduced into this country, but that gymnasiums should be established in every school house:

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AILSA CRAIG

Wedding Bells-Liberal Sunday School Collection-The Flax Mill Rushing.

Ailsa Craig, April 6 .- Invitations are out for the marriage of a young London lady to an East Williams farmer on Wednesday afternoon. The Presbyterian Sunday school don-ated \$27 towards the deficit of the foreign mission.

flax mill day and night. The Parkhill gang is in charge at night. The farmers have commenced seeding in this vicinity.
Mr. Will Smith, of East Williams, is

home from the London Commercial Mr. Beni, Godkin, of Bay City, Mich. was in the village this week on business. He returned home today.

BURWELL ROAD.

Serious Accident to Mr. J. Tull-Sneak Thieves at Work-The Gun Club

Shoot. Burwell Road, April 6 .- Mr. S. Haggarty, who has been engaged cutting wood in this vicinity with the buzzsaw, has had the misfortune to break two saws in a wee A serious accident happened on the farm of Mr. J. Tull. It appears that

Charles Miller, while chopping in the woods, lodged a tree, and went up to cut it down, when the tree sprang back, catching his foot in the crotch to relieve him. After some difficulty in getting him down he fainted away, and was very much exhausted. Dr. Morris, of Delaware, was immediately summoned, and found that no bones try and urge the continuation and completion of the work. In the morning they thronged the House of Combandary and laid their claims before Hon.

and the solution's estimation by the before he will be to be to be will be will be to be will be to be will be to be will be to be will be will be to be will be to be will be to be will be to be will be will be to be will be to be will be will be to be will be to be will be to be will be to be will be will be to be will be were broken, but his foot was badly BEST PUBLIC TRAINING COLLEGE fruit, amounting to about \$15. is strong suspicion as to the parties, but no arrests have yet been

her duties.
Mrs. D. C. Brodie is visiting friends

back, for they knew he would have topped the score. Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your drug-gist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

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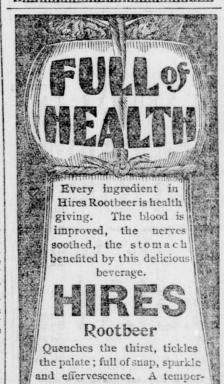
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SALES—Com. Cable, 46 at 165, 100 at 165½; Mont. St. Ry., 24 at 234; Mont. St. Ry., 54 at 1185½; Mont. Gas Co, 25 at 185, 25 at 185½, 730 tt 185½; Toronto Ry., 4 at 74, 350 at 74½; Bank of Montreal, 7 at 230. New York Stock Market.

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COMMERCIAL

Toronto Grain Market, Toronto, Ont., April 7 .- Wheat-The offerings today were fair, but the deowing to a drop of mand was slow, owing to a drop of 2%c in price of May wheat in the west Monday's closing prices; wheat was quoted north and west today at 70c to 71c, and white at 71c to 72c; a car of spring wheat sold east for seed at 80c; Manitoba wheat is dull and easier; No. 1 hard is quoted at 80c, Midland, and No. 2 hard at 78c. Flour is weaker in sympathy with the decline in the price of wheat. An exporter said today that he could not afford in the present state of the market to pay over \$3 40 for cars of straight roller, middle freights. It is quoted at \$3 55 to \$3 60 west. Manitoba flour is in fair demand, and steady.

Millfeed is steady at \$9 for shorts west and \$8 50 for bran. Barley—The home maltsters are buy-ing some, but there is no demand for ort. Prices are steady at 30c to 31c for No. 1 outside, 32c to 33c for No. 1 extra, 26c to 27c for No. 2, 23c to 24c for No. 3 extra, and 201/2c to 21c for

Buckwheat is quiet; cars sold on the Midland today at 27c.

Rye is steady at 32c to 33c outside. Corn is lower on larger deliveries, and ellow was quoted west today at 24c

Oats are in fair demand and steady years old today (Wednesday). with holders asking 19c for white west

and buyers quoting 181/2c. Peas are steady; cars sold north and west today at 381/2c. eds are in good demand for the home trade now, and prices are steady to \$5 50 for red clover, \$4 to \$5 25 for alsike, and \$1 50 to \$2 for timothy out of store here to the trade.

Baled hay steady at \$8 to \$10 for Baled straw unchanged at \$5 to \$5 50 for cars here.

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The Oil Market. PETROLEA
Petrolea, April 7.—Oil opened and closed at American Produce Market.

DETROIT.

Detroit. April 7. - Wheat-No. 1 white. cash. 840; No. 2 red cash. 85c; July 86c; Sept. 72c. Toledo. April 7.-Wheat - Cash, 8740; July

Ac; Sept., 72%. Corn—July, 244c: Sept., 254c. Oats—July, 18c; Sept., 184c. MILWAUKEE Milwaukee, April 7. - Wheat. cash. 69c;

NEW YORK New York. April 7.
Flour-Receipts, 22 928 bbis: sales 1,800 packges: state and western weak and lower to

-Dull; sales 150 bbls; superfine 82 25 to \$2 55; fapey, \$2 55 to \$2 55.

Wheat—Receipts. 17.575 bu: sales. 5,565,000 bu: options No. 2 red opened weak and after a temporary spurt sold off sharply under liquidation of the sales of the

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Liverpool: May, 73\(c to 74\(c \); July, 73\(c to 73\(c \); Sept., 71\(c to 71\(c \); No. 2 western, 3\(c c \), i. f. Buf-

Corn-Receipts. 24,375 bu: sales, 50,000 bu; Corn-Receipts. 24,375 bu: sales, 50,000 bu: options No. 2 weak and lower with wheat: May, 20% to 29 17-16c: Sept., 32½c.
Oats-Receipts, 73,200 bu; options, No. 2 were dull and easier.
Butter-Receipts. 5,898 packages; quiet: state dairy. 14c to 19c: state creamery, 15c to 20c; western creamery, 15c to 20c: mutation creamery, 17c to 19c. Elgins, 20c: factory, 8c to 15c. Cheese — Receipts. 2,511 packages; quiet; state large, 9c to 12½c; state small, 9c to 12½c; state large, 9c to 12½c; state small, 9c to 12½c; part skims, 5c to 8c; full skims 2½c to 3c. Eggs — Receipts. 14 899 packages; steady; state and Pennsylvania, 9%c to 10c; western, 9%c to 92c; southern, 9c.

99c to 94c; southern. 9c.
Sugar—Raw steady; refined quiet.
Petroleum—Quiet.
Coffee—Dull.
Hops—Quiet: state common to choice. 1895
crop. 24c to 6c; 1896 crop. 5c to 104c; Pacific
coast. 1895 crop, 3c to 6c; 1896 crop. 7c to 12c.
Lead—Steady; bullion price, \$3 30; exchange
price, \$3 35 to \$3 40.

Buffalo. N. Y.. April 7. Spring wheat—No. 1 hard. 79c to 80c; No. 1 northern, 76c to 864c. Winter wheat—Dull; No. 1 red, 74c to 76c; No. 1 white, 75c. No. 1 white, 75c, Corn-Unsettled: No. 2 yellow, 28c; No. 3 rellow, 27gc; 2 corn, 274c; No. 3 corn, 27fc. 1 Oats-Steady; No. 2 white, 22gc; No. 3 white, in store, 22gc; No. 3 white, 22c.

English Market. Wheat-Spot No. 2 red western winter, no stocks; No. 1 red northern spring, easy, 6s 23d. Corn - Spot, American mixed new, dull, 2s 64d; American mixed, old, steady, 2s 10d; futures steady; April, 2s 63c; May, 2s 7d; June, 2s 83d.

futures steady; April, 2s 6½c; May, 2s 7d; June, 2s 8½d.
Flour—Dull; St. Louis fancy winter. 8s 3d.
Beef—Extra India mess, firm; 56s 5d; prime mess, firm, 47s 6d.
Pork—Prime mess, fine western, firm, 50s, do, medium western, firm, 45s.
Hams—Short cut. 14 to 16 lbs., dull, 42s 6d.
Bacon—Cumberland cut., 28 to 30 lbs., dull, 28s 6d; short ribs. 20 to 24 lbs, dull, 27s; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs. 26s; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs., dull, 25s; short clear middles, heavy, 45 to 50 lbs., dull, 24s 6d; clear beilies, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 27s 6d.
Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 25s.
Lard—Prime western, dull; 21s 6d.
Cheese—Steady; American finest white and heese—Steady; American finest white and ored, 57s 6d.

Tallow—Prime: city, firm, 18s 5d. Cottonseed oil — Liverpool refined, firm, Turpentine spirits—Firm; 208 9d. Rosin—Common, firm, 4s 10id. Linseed oil-15s. Hops-At London (Pacific Coast), dull, 65s to

Chicago Exchange. Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago oard of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, CHICAGO, April 7.

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**alls, 663c. Lard-May Puts. 613c; calls. 663c.

Live Stock Markets. CHICAGO. Chicago, April 7 .- Hogs-Receipts. 23,000; left over, 3,000; market active and steady; light, \$3 85 to \$4 02½; mixed, \$3 85 to \$4 05; heavy, \$3 65 to \$4 05; rough, \$3 65 to \$3 75. Cattle-Receipts, 13,500; market quiet. but generally steady; beeves, \$3 80 to \$5 35; cows and heifers, \$2 to \$4 30; Texas steers, \$3 25 to \$4 50; stockers and feeders, \$3 40 to \$4 45.

steady to strong. STRONG'S

p-Receipts, 13,000; market

25c Per Pound

184 DUNDAS STREET.

Telegraphic Brevities.

King Christian of Denmark is

the northern shores of Lake Winnipeg. A special Grand Trunk train brought in 135 Bernado boys Tuesday morning. Thirty-five of the number went on to Hamilton.

Toronto's city treasurer has just issued his annual statement of receipts and expenditures for 1897. The total is over \$7,000,000. The United States House of Repre-

sentatives have adopted the resolution appropriating \$200,000 for the relief of the flood sufferers. The Doherty Process Company, of ton, has sold the patent for man-

ufacturing iron in Europe to an English company for £100,000. The Archbishop of Canterbury will personally deliver into the hands of Mr. Bayard, on the latter's return to the log of the Mayflower. which has been presented to the Unit-

Edwin Freer, the 10-months-old child of Richard Freer, of Chicago, had both its eyes burned out Tuesday night by a 2½-year-old brother named Russell. it in the stove until it was red hot. poked it into the infant's eyes. The babe will probably die.

Steamship Arrivals. Clasgow Portland New York Antwerp

"I have eight children, every one in good health, not one of whom but has taken Scott's Emulsion, in which my wife has boundless confidence."

Around the City

-Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Smith, of Strathroy, were in the city today. -Mr. Sanders has gone to Strathroy on some business for the Children's

-Just twelve years ago today the Seventh Fusiliers left for the Northwest rebellion.

-Mr. Charles Graham, of Graham ************* Bros., has been confined to the house since Sunday through illness. -Daniel Ross and Daniel Hedley, the two prisoners who were convicted of arson last summer, and adjudged in-

> Asvlum. R. S. Rockett, of London West, was the purchaser.

sane, were yesterday removed to the

King, assistant agent, "Eight Bells" company; F. W. Shipman, representing the Webling Sisters, of Toronto, and Charles E. Dowe, representing the Thomas Keene company, are among the registrations at the Grigg House. -Secretary J. A. Nelles, of the Board of Trade, has received letters from Sir Richard Cartwright and the president of the Council, acknowledging the receipt of the board's resolutions in favor of an export duty on pulp wood, and a grant towards the Port Stanley

harbor. -The Woman's Art Club has been privileged to exhibit the celebrated was held at the City Hall last night. Daughter," painted by Gabriel Max, City Clerk Kingston, Ald. Carrothers, the public view on Saturday afternoon, man, Dr. Niven, Dr. Wilson, Dean Infor one week, in the Free Library nes, Rev. E. N. English, W. H. Barbuilding.

man's Morning Music Club today was prefaced by an address by Mrs. and means committee, presented a re-Frances J. Moore. The programme was port giving an outline furnished by Miss Morphy, Miss Holmes, Mrs. Paull, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. lists are to be circulated, several of Lilley, Mrs. Harvey, Mrs. Chadwick, the Misses Walker, L. English and Hiscott, Mr. Henry Saunders, Miss Quita Moore, and Mrs. Gerrans (Oxford, England).

-Last night there was a report current that Mr. Tim Hanafin, a former enthusiasm. Londoner, at present living in Windsor, had died yesterday. It was not sor, had died yesterday. It was not Ald. Gerry. The report stated that artrue, however. Mr. Hanafin, who is rangements were being made for a the proprietor of the British-American splendid programme of sports and a societies' parade on the afternoon of Hotel at Windsor, is very well known throughout Western Ontario. He has been ailing for a few days past, but the military authorities would arrange this morning was improving in health.

Considerable sensation was caused by the erroneous report yesterday among the erron his numerous friends in this city.

first appearance at a Board of Education meeting last night since his return from England where he carrothers and F. Plant, was appointabout ten weeks on a trip for his tion in the report.

health. He had not been in England

Dean Innes suggested to the con health. He had not been in England the better country to live in," he said. "The ideas many of the English counthe matter. "are very amusing. They believe it to be a country of perpetual ice and

-A largely attended meeting of the good homes for a number of these hove The treasurer's report the second warmly reboys. The treasurer's report showed the receipts, \$346 79; disbursements, \$57 90; balance on hand, \$288 89. The bequest of \$300 from the estate of the late J. M. Denton was received and placed in the endowment fund. The following donations for March are most gratefully acknowledged: Sandwiches. ples, a friend in Hyde Park; two barrels of apples, Mr. Thomas Reid; three jars of fruit, flour and breakfast food,

Mrs. A. Parfitt. -Plans for a pretty and picturesque of the Duke of York Hotel, died sudsummer cottage to be erected on denly in his room at noon today. menced as soon as possible. Plans for Upon his return week. The building will be a frame structure, 24x50, and the lower floor will contain dining-room and dancing hall and toilet-room. On the second floor eleven sleeping apartments will be placed, with roomy stairs, hall and diner motor to hold hops in the club house twice a week during the summer, on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Mr. Robinson is going to change the name of the property from Bishop's Hill to Liberty Hill.

DARING ATTEMPT AT ROBBERY. On Monday night two men attempted to effect an entrance into Mr. Shea's residence and store, at the corner of Waterloo and Oxford streets Miss Shea was alone in the house at the time A lady living near by heard someone place a ladder against the building, and on going to the window she saw The children were playing together. one man on the ladder, making his way Russell procured a poker, and holding to an upstairs window. The men evidently thought there was nobody in the house, for as soon as the alarm was given they scampered away.

MR. LANCELEY'S TRANSFER. In a letter to the Hamilton Times, Rev. I. Tovell, pastor of the First Methodist Church there, denies that the transfer of Rev. E. B. Lanceley, of London, to Hamilton has been finally blocked. He says: "Arrangements may

"philosophical" way. At least so I am led to believe from the statements I hear made by those concerned."

MOORE ACQUITTED. Hincks Moore, of Newbury, was tried before Judge William Elliot this morning on the charge of stealing wood from the Episcopal Church at Newbury on the night of March 25. The witnesses for the crown were Charles Tucker, Silas Connolly, Duncan Mc-Rae, John Herring, Chas. King and Robert John Regis. Notwithstanding this array of witnesses the case against the prisoner fell through. Judge Elliot said he was unable to find any evidence that Moore had stolen the wood, or had even been a party to receiving the wood, which evi-dently had been stolen, but by whom it was not clear. The circumstances were suspicious, but the evidence not sufficiently strong to war-rant him in finding the prisoner Moore Asylum.

—Yesterday the property of W. H.

Dell, baker, London West, was sold at auction for \$790 by J. W. Jones. Mr.

B. S. Bockett of London West was a policy of the prisoner Moore, the guilty. Addressing young Moore, the judge said there was a feeling about Newbury that his conduct ill became a young man. He continued: "If I can have any influence over you, I waited on Finance Minister Fielding." hope and trust you will keep up such a character as will commend you to -M. J. Byrne, agent, and James your neighbors." He was then discharged.

A Good Start.

Tuscan Lodge, A., F. and A. M., Subscribe \$1,000 to the Hospital Fund

Good Progress Reported by the Jubilee Committee-An Aldermanic Dispute Which Will Swell the Funds.

A meeting of the jubilee committee picture of "The Raising of Jairus' Present: Chairman Ald. Winnett, and owned by Senator Drummond, of Bennet, Douglas, Gerry and Rumball, Montreal. The exhibit will be open to Messrs. P. W. D. Broderick, John Bowtram, E. T. Essery, Frank Plant, Rev. B. B. Johnson, Mrs. Boomer, Mrs. English, Mrs. Tilley and others. Mr. Broderick, chairman of the ways proposed to reach all classes of the them being already in the office of the city clerk. Subscriptions, small or large, would be gladly received. The report of the committee was approved.

Dr. Wilson stated that Tuscan Lodge, A., F. and A. M., had already subscribed \$1,000 towards the hospital fund. The statement was received with A report from the attractions and railway committee was presented by the celebration. A telegram was read from Mr. C. S. Hyman, showing that Wm. A.

turn from England, where he spent ed, in accordance with a recommendafor fourteen years before, and enjoyed tee the procuring of a jubilee medal. He had received samples from a celethe visit exceedingly, but was very brated English firm which were of a glad to get back to Canada. "This is very appropriate design. Messrs. Essery and Bartram were appointed a committee to confer with the dean in

try people have of Canada," he said, P. W. D. Broderick, of the Molsons Bank, was unanimously chosen treasurer of the committee.

After the meeting had adjourned a snow, and full of wild animals and meeting of the sub-committee on fin-indians." ing money, in order to release and pay for the music for the oratorio, which Protestant Orphans' Home board was was in the customs house, came up held on Monday. There are 37 children Gity Council guaranteeing the amount at present in the home-26 boys and 11 whereupon Ald. Douglass accused him whereupon Ald. Douglass accused him City Council guaranteeing the amount girls. The trustees would like to find of throwing cold water on the whole in the matter as Ald. Douglass, and challenged the latter to subscribe \$250 \$500 as the result of the dispute.

DROPPED DEAD

St. George's Society; three bags of ap- J. Michael O'Mara, of the Duke of York Hotel, Suddenly Expires - Heart Trouble the Cause.

Michael O'Mara, one of the managers

Bishop's Hill, Port Stanley, by J. A. He was around all morning, appar-Robinson, have been prepared by J. Z. ently in good health. Shortly after 12 Long & Son. The contract will be let o'clock he went to Hind's grocery on Saturday, and work will be com-store, a couple of coors away, and or-dered some supplies for the house. the new club house to be erected by Shortly afterwards Mr. Boyle, a part-Hard coal has been discovered on Mr. Robinson will be completed this ner of Mr. O'Mara's, head a noise upstairs as of something falling. went up and found O'Mara lying on his face on the floor. He had evidently been ill and had lain down on his bed, when he became faint and fell to the floor. There was a bump on his fore-head where he had struck. Dr. Garbe placed, with roomy stairs, hall and diner was called in, but before he arcorridor. It is the purpose of the prodeath was probably fatty degeneration of the heart. Coroner Flock was immediately notified, but an inquest may not be considered necessary.

Mrs. O'Mara, wife of deceased, has

been ill in St. Joseph's Hospital for over four weeks, and the shock will be a severe one to her.

A SNOWSLIDE

Killed Three Men in British Columbia -Another Missing.

Vancouver, B. C., April 7 .- A telegram received here states that a snow slide occurred recently at the Corinth mine, in the Slocan, killing three mer and carrying away the head of aerial tramway recently erected. John R. Brown, one of the proprietors of a hotel at Harrison Hot hotel at Harrison Hot Springs, is thought to have perished in a slide while out prospecting

STOLE \$2,000. men robbed the postoffice, store and railway ticket office at Rockaway, six miles from this town. Wm. Garrick is is charge of all these offices, which are

Capital Notes.

Kincardine People Want Their

Contingencies Asked For-Efforts to Oppose the New Election Bill.

Ottawa, April 7.-Mayor J. Macpherson, E. Miller, Reeve A. Campbell, J. P.s., accompanied by Councilor W. Shannon, and Hugh Clark, of the Review, had an interview with Hon. Mr. Tarte, Minister of Public Works, on

the new tariff act providing that in the event of any country imposing a duty of more than \$1 per 1,000 feet on Canada sawn wood, the export of saw logs, white pine and pulp wood to such country be absolutely prohibited. About 30 persons from Barrie, Orillia and Penetanguishene participated. Tomorrow the ministers will proceed with the new election bill. Opposition

have the measure passed in time to be used for certain bye-elections that are likely to come off next fall. I learn today that a special parliamentary committee will be appointed to take action and consider the best means to develop the great mining region of the Yukon. It is understood that James Lister, M. P. for West The British Yukon Chartered Company, a big concern, which proposes seeking the administration of that far

north mining region, will in a few days lay its scheme fully before the Government promoter, C. H. Wilkinson, of London, N. S., who has come here from Washington, where he put through a charter there, necessitated by the fact that a portion of the land subject to be controlled is in United States territory.

There is much interest here in the

outcome of the Champlain election to-day, and a good deal of betting has taken place. Both parties are equally confident, though the constituency has always been Conservative since Confederation, and the Conservative majority last June was nearly 400. Sir John Carling took his seat in the Senate this afternoon.

Fourteen ministers and senators and their wives met Mgr. Merry del Val 434 for Sears. This ward gave Mcat dinner at the residence of the Pre-Kinley a majority of 6,000 last fall. The mier last night. It was purely a social third, fourth and twelfth wards, always Point;

A DISTINGUISHED VISITOR

Mr. George Monroe, a Noted Bank Official. Here-Going to China.

Mr. Monroe is en route to Hong Kong, China, where he will act as local manager of the Bank of China for a year, in the absence of the regular manager, who has received a year's vacation. Mr. Monroe has a long record of distinguished service, having been for fifteen years connected with the Oriental Bank at Madras, India He has a C. P. R. around-the-world ticket, and will continue his westward journey on Friday.

Arrangements for the Bicyclists' Excursion to Toronto to Attend the Annual Meeting of the C. W. A.

A meeting or bicyclists was held last evening at the rooms of the London Biannual C. W. A. meeting will be held, and the arrangements gave great satisfaction. On the day preceding the holiday a special train will leave the C. P. R. depot at 2:45 p.m. for Toin Toronto, will decorate their headquarters at the Rossin House, and welcome to all delegates to the annual neeting who may make a visit. In big smoking concert. A very fast run will be made from rying out these arrangements. The rate \$2, good to go on the excursion on Thursday or any train on Friday, and

return on any train on Saturday. It is expected that several hundred Londoners, including several of the city fathers and prominent business men, will go.

Everybody interested in securing the is open to the public, and the opportu-nity of visting Toronto so cheaply will doubtless be taken advantage of by a large number. The reception commit-tee appointed last night consists of the following representatives of the London Bicycle Club: Dr. George C. Davis, C. W. Davis, Ald. S. Stevely, H. C. Mc-Bride, Dr. Balfour, D. Mills, A. White. patrick, E. Parker and P. Millman, of the London Wheelmen; G. Ellis, W. Payne and J. Reid, of the Forest City Club; H. Boyd, T. O'Brien, J. Smith, of the Conservative Club; W. Abbott, The delegation will be accompanied

DOCTORS WHO AGREE. blocked. He says: "Arrangements may yet be made by which his transfer into this conference will be allowed, and while this is the fact the members of the official board of the First Church, for a reasonable length of time, will look for his coming in a loyal and state of the says: "Arrangements may blocked. He says: "Arrangements may yet be made by which his transfer into this conference will be allowed, and this daught the men forced an entrance to his house, overpowered Garrick and his daughter, and bound them to their beds. The burglars and the bride is a graduate of Bishops' conference will be allowed, and the forced an entrance to his house, overpowered Garrick and his daughter, and bound them to their beds. The burglars and the bride is a graduate of Bishops' made a complete cure.

Montreal, Quebec, April 7.—Dr. Frank England and Dr. Grace Ritchie were married here yesterday. The groom is a widower with three young children, oil. I can truthfully say that it has made a complete cure.

MISS MARTHA M. RECTOR, last three years.

Central Economy, N. S.

Railways Will Receive the Mileage

Allowance of Members.

[Special to The Advertiser via C. P. R.

Line.]

Toronto, April 7.-The railway pass

question has been settled. In 1896 two

Cabinet Ministers went to Montreal to

arrange with the railways for some

means of transit other than the usual

passes, which gave so much offense

to the Patrons. Their mission was

This year a special committee was

unofficially appointed to look into the matter. The result is that an arrange-

ment has been reached. Mr. W. A Charlton, M.P.P., is the medium

through which it was effected, and the

Liberals have him to thank for getting

a vexed question out of their way while the Patrons may also rejoice

that the railways receive the mileage

allowance of the members in exchange

for passes, so they need feel under ne

Great Victory

For the Democrats in the City

of Chicago.

Their Candidate Elected by a Large

Plurality.

Chicago, April 7.-The mayoralty el-

ection yesterday resulted in a decisive victory for the Democratic party, its

candidate, Carter Harrison, having more votes than all the other candi-

the west town and north town, and

though the Republicans have a fighting

Of the 34 aldermen, the returns point

to the election of 26 Democrats, 4 Republicans, and 4 Independents. Three

of these Independents are Democrats, who went in upon the ticket by peti-

ner Republican wards, carrying the 34th

Republican strongholds, were also carried by Harrison.

THE LORD'S DAY.

Large Delegation Interview the On-

tario Cabinet Regarding Its

Observance.

score of ladies, who displayed great interest in the proceedings. Bishop

Sullivan, Bishop Baldwin and Bishop

Sweatman were prominent among the

London and the west spoke through

the Bishop of Huron, who said they had come to speak, not upon any

political subject, but upon the subject

learest to their hearts—the sanctity of

were united upon it. There was a secular spirit that was gathering

weight and might to abolish the Lord's

would mean not only the destruction

of this Government, but of all gov-

erment. He would ask them not to

be swayed by the opinions of men, who wanted to break down the au-

thority of a day that was of God him-self. Let them start on the side of

truth, of revelation, and of God. All roads led to Toronto, and all the coun-

were to be changed, they should con

RISING RIVERS.

dred- of People Homeless.

Fargo, N. D., April 7 .- The flood situ-

ation is appalling. While the Red

River rose only three inches last night,

the Big Coulee west of the city took a

second spurt and went up fourteen inches, flooding the entire west side

of the town and driving hundreds of

La Crosse, Wis., April 7.—The condition of the river is very threatening.

along Front street are flooded, and th

water is still rising rapidly. The tracks of the Chicago, Milwaukee and

St. Paul Railway Company are under

Earache Cured.

people from their homes.

Basements of the wholesale

If the Sabbath were abolished it

Among those present were a

midnight the available figures

dates combined.

tario.

deputation.

Parties Interested. Harbor Improved.

Prohibitive Export Duty in Certain

[Special to The Advertiser via C. P. R. Line.

waited on Finance Minister Fielding this afternoon and presented a peti-tion asking that a clause be put in

leaders threaten more obstruction. It is apparent that they do not desire to

Mr. George Monroe, manager of the London (England) branch of the National Bank of China, is in the city Gunn and J. R. Minhinnick visiting his parents and his brother, -School Trustee Martyn made his were added to the committee. The re- Mr. Samuel Monroe, of John Marshall

LARGE CROWD WILL GO.

evening at the rooms of the London Bi-cycle Club, and all the local clubs were Toronto lifted up her higher represented in goodly numbers. President H. C. McBride laid before the meeting a programme for the eventsion for legislation in 1895 to keep the meeting a programme for the excursion radial railways from running on Sunto Toronto on Good Friday, when the day.

The other speakers were Rev. W. J. Clark (London), J. K. Macdonald, J. A. Peterson, George White, Rev. J. Young (Hamilton), R. White (Hamilton), G. W. Macdonald (Kingston), the Bishop of Toronto, Rev. Dr. Laughry, Rev. Dr. Caven and Rev. Dr. Potts. ronto. The excursionists, on arriving The main object was to prevent the running of street cars on Sunday. make provision for extending a hearty the speakers upon the way in which they had stated their case. He had not realized the import of the alliance's the evening they will participate in the wishes until he heard the speeches. The question of whether the Toronto street railway's right to run on Sun to Toronto to admit of car-to Toronto to admit of car-day were to be extended was worthy of careful consideration. As to the general act concerning the Sabbath any change would require careful study. They should not go further than the English law, or perhaps the Scotch law. It was very doubtful whether they could stop the Dominion railways, and he did not know that the alliance desired that (Replies of "No, no.") If the present act were changed, it would mean a good deal, The Attorney-General read a letter, suggesting that if the Lord's Day Act

meet for London should join the wheel-men, and make the trip. The excursion sult other interests instead-newspapers and owners of steam and other power plants. He thanked the delegates for their attendance a speeches, and the party withdrew. Daluge in Dakota and Wisconsin-Hun-Pendergast and E. Ramsay, of the

by a band, and purpose wearing Turkish Fez caps as a distinguishing fea-

POLITICAL NOTES.

The Liberals of Brome county, Que., have nominated Mr. Duffy, advocate, Sweetsburg, as their candidate in the ensuing contest for the Legislature.
The Liberals of the county of Richmond, Que., have selected as their can-Tiffin, Ohio, April 7.—Four masked didate for the coming provincial elections C. A. Miller, of Windsor Mills.

Montreal, Quebec, April 7.-Dr. Frank

***** The Pass Question The Custom of Care-Settled Satisfactorily to the Giving at Easter

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Annual Meeting of Shareholders-matension to Nelson, B. C., Authorized.

[Special to The Advertiser via G. N. W. Line.] Montreal, April 7.-The annual meeting of the Canadian Pacific shareholders took place today, Sir William Van Horne in the chair. The attendance

was small, and the proceedings were brief and formai.

The report already published was unanimously adopted, as were some resolutions, including one to authorize the directors to make arrangements for the construction of a branch line to Nelson, B. C., to connect the mair line with the Columbia and Kootenay

HONORED BY THE QUEEN.

The Captain of the Britannia Receives

Railway.

a Victorian Medal. Nice, April 7 .- Queen Victoria visited gave Sears, Republican, 60,000; Harri- the Prince of Wales' racing cutter Bri-Democrat, 148,000: Harlan, Inde-lent, 72,000; Hesing, Inde-tent, 72,000; Hesing, Inde-the Victorian order upon Capt. Carter. pendent, 18,000. The Democrats made a clean sweep of all the town officers in the yacht's commander. The Prince of possibly in the south town also, alono board the Britannia, and present-though the Republicans have a fighting ed Mr. and Mrs. Ogden Coelet and chance to get an assessor in that part | Capt. Paget to the Queen.

ABE LINCOLN MOUNTED.

A Grotesque Figure-His Touching Re ception by the Colored Troops.

In his "Campaigning with Grant." by 5,019 against 4,281 for Harlan and 3,-in the March Century, Gen. Horace 434 for Sears. This ward gave Mc-Porter gives the following description

of Lincoln's visit to the front at City

Mr. Lincoln wore a very high black silk hat and black trousers and frockcoat. Like most men who had been brought up in the west, he had good command of a horse, but it must be acknowledged that in appearance he was not a very dashing rider. On this occasion, by the time he had reached the troops he was completely covered with dust, and the black color of his clothes had changed to Confederate gray. As he had no straps, his treu-Toronto, April 7.—A very large deputation waited upon the Ontario Cabiankles, and gave him the appearance net yesterday, representing the Lord's of a country farmer riding into town wearing his Sunday clothes. A citizen on horseback is always an odd sight Alliance of the Province of On- | wearing his Sunday clothes. in the midst of a uniformed army, and the picture presented by the President bordered upon the grotesque. ever, the troops were so lost in admiration of the man that the humorous aspect did not seem to strike them. The soldiers rapidly passed the word along the line that "Uncle Abe" had joined them, and cheers broke forth from all the commands, and enthusiastic shouts and even words of familian the Sabbath. It was not even a de-nominational subject, for all creeds greeting met him on all sides. After a while Gen. Grant said: "Mr. President, let us ride on and see the colored troops, who behaved so hand-

somely in Smith's attack on the works in front of Petersburg last week." The camp of the colored troops of the Eighteenth Corps was soon reached, and a scene now occurred which defies description. They beheld for the first time the liberator of their race the man who by a stoke of his pen had struck the shackles from the limbs of their fellow-bondsmen and proclaimed liberty to the enslaved. Always impressionable, the enthusiasm of the blacks now knew no limits. They cheered, laughed, cried, sang hymns of praise, and shouted in their negro dialect: "God bless Mass Linkum!" "De Lord save Fader Abraham!" "De day ob jubilee am come, shuah." They crowded about him and fondled his horse; some of them kissed his hands, while others ran off crying in triumph to their comrades that had touched his clothes. President rode wth bared head; tears had started to his eyes, and his voice was so broken by emotion that he could scarcely articulate the words of thanks and congratulation which he tried to speak to the humble and devoted men through whose ranks he rode. The scene was affecting in the

extreme, and no one could have witnessed it unmoved. THE AGRICULTURAL MARKS BILL London, April 7 .- John K. D. Wingfield-Digby, Conservative member for the northern division of Dorsetshire, moved the second reading of the Agriof Commons. This is a drastic measure intended to prevent the fraudulent sale of foreign meat and cheese as British

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advance. When within a few steps of her, Elizabeth stopped and looked at her from head to foot. There was something in this cold, coatemptuous, deliberate inspection so cruelly different from the timid, inquiring scrutiny to which the other sister had subjected her, that Geraldine, alarmed and wounded, shrank back and hesitated, not knowing what to say. However, as the other maintained her cold silence, the girl began, in a low and faltering voice:

tering voice:
"I have dared, Miss Otway—"

"Dared! Yes, that is the right word. You have dared a great deal, Miss

But the girl, knowing herself to be

nnocent of intentional wrong, raised

her brown eyes to meet the cold blue nes very steadily, and, recovering her

elf-possession to hear and answer whatever accusation might be coming

she said, in a firmer tone:
"You cannot know, Miss Otway, that r Charles sent for me."
"Indeed! Whom did he send?"

'Who was also good enough to bring

"And is he going to drive you back?"
"I—I don't know."

"Oh, then the duty of seeing you safely restored to your friends is intrusted to us? Or is it your intention

honor us permanently with your

Elizabeth, Elizabeth!" expostulated

Eleanor, moved out of her tacit sub

"I don't understand you," said Ger-

revelation was thus coarsely made heard it in perfectly calm silence, with-

out a start or a sound. It was too

new, too sudden, too entirely unex-pected for her to be able at once to

feel any sensation about it; she mere-y understood it, and waited for more.

been brought up, thanks to the gen-erosity with which Sir Charles starv-

ed and pinched his own relatives for

our sake, in a manner far above your

station, you would have had the de-

cency to respect the feeling which prompted your benefactor to forbid

who sent for me this evening. It is he I have come to see, and I have no

wish to obtrude either upon you or Miss Eleanor Otway. If you will be kind enough to let him know I am here, you will see I have told you the

She turned with a first restless move-

cold looks and cruel words her self-

command would be in danger.
But Elizabeth had other bolts in

store, and she meant to use them all.
"Unfortunately, it is impossible for

me to fulfill your wishes," said she, with hard irony. "A physician from London is with him, and he cannot be disturbed."

"Then I will come back to see him

presently," returned Geraldine, speak-

ing rather more quickly than before "I will take care that you and Miss

Eleanor Otway shall not again be dis-

run the risk of incurring another dis-appointment, Miss Lindley. In the

Charles, is in now, the excitement of

seeing any one but the members of his own family might have dangerous

results for him, and I regret to inform you that I therefore feel compelled to

withhold my permission from your do ing him the honor of a visit."

"But he wishes to see me," expostu-lated Geraldine, still very quietly, though her voice was not quite steady.

"Very likely. But his wishes, now

that he is ill, must be controlled for his good by the common sense of

those nearest and dearest to him."
"But there is no one nearer or dearer to him than I am!" burst our Ger-

aldine, not loudly, but with the fire of

passionate earnestness in her voice. "You yourself have confessed that.

For, if the story that I never heard be-

ing his farms and cutting down his

of his estate from which we, his sis

derive what scanty income we should

have. But these details cannot inter-

est you. So long as your own place in

me." She was hurrying her words, lest the passion of remorseful grati-

tude which was surging up in her heart should overflow and render her

incapable of thought or action.
"Thanks to him, I have been well edu-

cated and am able to work. If he were to do anything more for me, now

"You are very good. But I cannot

To be Continued.

thorities have given their consent.

People buy Hood's Sarsaparilla year

to take you back."

matter of no importance to you.

ber, have affected chiefly that part

then surely the little outcast

critical state that my brother,

"I am afraid I must beg you not to

ment, glancing with anxious eyes to-ward the bell. She was not only im-

'My guardian-Sir Charles-has never forbidden me this house, madam," said Geraldine, quietly; "and it was he

"I should have thought that, having

Elizabeth continued:

ou, I suppose?"
"Yes, he drove me here."

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"Who is it?" asked a thin, querulous

mission by this coarse cruelty and by the stony expression of her sister's face, which told that she had worse blows still to deal before long. voice.
The sound was human, at least; and, The rigid gray figure merely silenced the feeble protest by an imperative detecting in the sharp, nervous tone the reassuring fact that the witch was afraid of her, Geraldine recovered her self-possession and said gently: aldine, in a low voice.
"I will try to speak more clearly. "I am afraid I have disturbed you. I am very sorry. My name is Geral-dine Lindley."

Since you are so abnormally innocent it devolves upon me to tell us tha The decrepit old lady gave a gasp of horror. She had come close to the girl by this time, and she now put her little thin, claw-like hand upon your presence in this house is an in-sult to us, Sir Charles' sisters, who for years have been silent sufferers from the unreasonable fancy he took Geraldine's arm and looked up into the fair young face with a nerv vouring scrutiny, in which. nineteen years ago to the abandoned child of a beggar-woman."

Eleanor sat crouched on the sofa, there was no conscious un shuddering. But the girl to whom this

The girl felt this, and smiles as she bent her head toward the urgly, anxious, withered features, which had already lost their terrors. "It is a good face!" said the old lady at last, betraying ingenuously some

She had never seen the baby-waif from the day she left the hall till this the day of her return; and her imag-ination had followed her sister's representations so dutifully that she had unconsciously expected to see greed and avarice and every selfish vice stamped on the features of this hungry vampire who was living on the very life-blood of the Otways. And to find that the vampire bore the like-ness of a beautiful girl of good and gentle manners gave Miss Eleanor a shock, whether of pain or of pleasure

she hardly knew. "Oh, Miss Otway, do let me see Sir Charles! I am so fond of him—you don't know how fond of him! Do, please, let me see him!"

"My dear, it is of no use to ask me you must ask my sister Elizabeth. And I am afraid it will be of no use to ask her, either. She—er—she—oh, dear, I wish she would come. She sees to everything; I am an invalid. But I think, if I were you, my dear, I would not ask her. And yet, I don't know," she added doubtfully, looking up again into the face which was gaining upon her heart more and more, and won-dering for one brief moment whether the sight of this ray of youth and lovelines might not soften Elizabeth But her common sense returned in an instant; and she said, plucking at the girl's sleeve with disconcerting nervousness and dropping her voice to a croaking half whisper: "My dear, who told you to come? It is a pity you have come—it is, indeed! It is not that I wish to be unkind to you,

dear—in other circumstances I am are I should have liked you very much; but you see it is rather awk-ward for everybody, isn't it? And Elizabeth, my sister, is very-very just, and she has a way of saying what she thinks in a very straightfor-ward manner, which perhaps might er-disconcert you a little, my dear."
"Oh, no, straightforwardness would not disconcert me; I would rather deal with straightforward people! But is

Oh, no, not formidable at all, my dear, but very, but very-very unde-monstrative, except-except when she is annoyed-at least, not annoyed, but —I'm afraid I am giving a wrong im-pression of her, and perhaps—" "Perhaps I shall like her very much,

Miss Elizabeth Otway so very formic-

after all," said Geraldine, encouraged by her interview with the witch. 'Perhaps!" echoed Eleanor, faintly, for it seemed very unlikely that the doomed intruder would succeed in doing what nobody had ever done yet. Geraldine was more puzzled than ever, on finding what a very harmless bogey the first of the witches really was, as to her guardian's reason for keeping the very existence of his sisters concealed from her. The dread of some terrible secret to be disclosed her in this dreary house on this anxious night began to grow upon her again, and, when the creaking of the door at last announced the approach of the all-important Miss Elizabeth, the girl turned with a deep sigh of re-

ief toward her.
But the very first sight of the stiffly upright figure, majestic, though not tall, in an old gray silk gown that hung in soft folds about her, and on the hard face and cold eyes, struck Geraldine with superstitious, indefinable terror, for she recognized the face

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which had once frightened her in her childhood, and she knew now that she had been in Waringham Hall before. As the rigid figure approached, she bowed, but for a moment dared not advance. When within a few steps of her. Elizabeth stopped and looked at

Ere out of the sickened East we crept, This land we have cloven in twain by hate, in the days of old was one.

Twas one from the walls of eternal ice to the hills of eternal heat, From the fog-wrapt Banks to that bourn remote where the waves and the Rockies meet, and the plains of the norland pine. Right down to the shore of the sultry Gulf and the vale of the southern vine; And the bird and the wind all season long knew naught of our old-world cry Of, "Yonder the home of a stranger folk" and "Yonder an alien sky"; For over it bent the one blue dome,
and journeyed the one good sun,
And the riotous lakes joined laughing hands,

and the world of the west was one. But we, with our old-world legends, and the taint of our old-world ills, We came with the curse in our heart-core, We came with the curse in our heart-core, and cleaving the plains and hills, We laid the Line of our homeland there, as the Line of our hatred and love; Then kneeled to our God, and unto him taught the infinite good thereof, And prayed, since north of the Line were brothers, and south of the Line were foes, That His blight should ever fall where the wind of the Alien blows.

So ye, who dwelt in the Southland, spoke up to the self-same note:

"My heart shall I harden against ye,
my hand shall I hold at your throat,
And your Home—shall I hate to the finish,
and mine—shall I love to the end; And since you are south of the Border,
I claim you as kindred and friend, I claim you as kindred and frie But for ye who have gone to the Outlands, and over the mystical Line, My hate shall endure till the end of my days, or unto the end of thine; And though we have spoken the selfsame tongue, and eaten the selfsame bread, The line of our hatred and love ordains that I loathe ye, living or dead.

God knows in our old world legends lurked many an old world blot-Old gods that were best forgotten, and days that we scarce would name, And many a deed we sorrowed for, and many a thing of shame. We had mourned them of old too long, and we, to remember Went forth from the homes of our fathers, and old in our sorrows, came To the uttermost ends of the earth, that the old-time wrongs we wrought, And the curse of our foolish hatred,

And have we so well forgotten, and made us our peace with God, That again we should write in our blood what brought us of old abroad? And the things it were sorrow to utter, be spoken with laughter again? God's sunlight is gold on our highlands, your lowlands are sweet with his rain. Where your hillsides grow heavy with harvests, our norlands are golden with grain; And as though we were suckled of she-woives, with neither a dug nor a bone, We each of us snarl at the other in hate, who are given so much of our own. And housed by the selfsame seas as we are, and roofed by the one blue dome, Like children we babble of hatred—and lo! we sleep in the selfsame home; Where prisoned by ancient passions, we vaunt of our freedom in vain And e'en in our boasting, bruise our limbs on the old ironical chain.

make war, as it was of old, And the life of the one be hatred, and the heart of the one be cold. Let them if they will, be wolves, and their house from the wolf withhold, be conquered themselves by the sword. my brothers, who loitered and ate so long at the selfsame board, Shall hound the curse of our ancient hate from our re-united home, And eat of each other's harvest again,
and reap of each other's loam;
And the life we live be a larger life, From the lonely dunes of the polar snows and the plains of the norland pine Right down to the shore of the sultry Gulf, and the vale of the southern vine. So we of the North, to ye of the South, stretch over an open hand, And ye-ye have had your sorrows,

and ye will understand!

Let them who are far from our doorway

Tax on Gigarettes

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The Curfew Bell to Ring on the Other Side of the River.

who had no claim upon him must be very, very dear to him for him to have made for her sake the sacrifices More Trouble in Sight for the Village Fathers-Cost of the Breakwater you speak of."
"You need not distress yourself about to Date-Minor Matters. that, Miss Lindley. The sacrifices Sir Charles made on your account, by sell-

At the regular meeting of the London West Council, last night, some important matters were brought up. It is not often that women grace the village's unpretentious council chamber with their presence, but they did so last night, and the measures they Geraldine caught an inspiration from advocated were passed unhesitatingly. Rev. Mr. Sage, Mrs. Boomer (president "If that is what is troubling you, you need not be afraid of me," said of the National Council of Women). she, quickly. "Sir Charles has indeed, as you say, done more than enough for and Mrs. Gahan, appeared before the council with a petition requesting that a tax be imposed on all vendors of cigarettes. Rev. Mr. Sage read the petition, which set forth that the measure was the outcome of the movement of the National Council of Wo-men, decided upon March 17. As it had been decided to transfer the sale of cigarettes from the city proper to that I know all I owe him"—her voice was shaking more and more—"it would not cause me happiness, but the deepest pain. Let me tell him that!" she London West, they had taken this means to balk the movement. Mr. Sage explained that many more names might have been added to the petition, but they wished to get it through as soon as possible. The following names appeared on the petition: G. B. Sage, B. Clements, W. T. Brown, J. Rogers, impose on your generosity so far. It seems inhospitable to suggest it; but think your friends at Copsley, as Wm. Wilson, W. H. Liddicoatt, John Platt, Thos. Glover, H. Bernard, Sam-Sir Charles, would be much distressed if you were to delay your return any longer. It is getting late for a young lady to be out without an escort. It will order the carriage Platt, Thos. Glover, H. Bernard, Samuel Gibson, Chas. Paul, Robt. Kennedy, Chas. P. Heal, R. S. Rockett, C. C. Jolly, J. D. Saunby, A. Currie

and Wm. Gibson. Mrs. Boomer addressed the council and read the original petition, as presented to the city council. She said they would hardly believe the heartafter year because it does them good. breaking incidents which were occa-It will do you good to take it now. sioned by the deadly cigarette. Out-Dr. Nansen has asked permission to side places, she said. would watch name the Siberian Peninsula discovered by him after King Oscar of Swe-den. The King and the Russian au-was understood at the recent Ottawa horities have given their consent. meeting that any steps taken by Lon-When the blood is kept pure and the don authorities would be followed in

He did not feel disposed to see London West made a dumping ground.

Councilor Duff moved that the prayof the petition be granted, that \$50 be the amount of the license fee, and that the clerk be instructed to prepare Mrs. Boomer thanked the council and departed with her escort.

THE CURFEW BELL. Reeve Saunby said he had another matter, equally as important, along the same line, and read a letter from Mrs. S. G. E. McKee, superintendent of the Curfew Bell department of the W. C. T. U., drawing attention to the act respecting the same, passed by the Local Legislature, and requesting that steps be taken to inaugurate the movement in the village. He had received ances, and they all rejoice at her rement in the village. He had received a copy of the bylaw, from Barrie, storation to health. To a reporter who where the system was in vogue, and called upon her she gave the following seemed to work well, giving general particulars concerning her illness and satisfaction. He read the bylaw, an

"That after the hour of 9 o'clock, in 1, and after the hour of 8 o'clock in the evening between Nov. 1 and May 1, in each year, it shall not be lawful for children of either sex under the age or apparent age of 14 years, to be on any street of the said town, unless under the control of a parent or guardian, or other adult person, or in the execution of an errand or of other unavoidable cause.'

The bell is rung at the hour named, and if a child is found on the streets afterward the parents are warned in writing. If neglect is persisted in the parents are brought before the magistrate and fined \$1 for the first, \$2 for the second, and \$5 for the third of-

Councilor Ferguson thought this would necessitate getting a new bell and the employing of another con-

Deputy Reeve Collins said the school bell would do. Reeve Saunby wanted to see some action taken in the matter. It dis-gusted him frequently to see so many young children on the streets in bad company, at late hours. If parents would not take action it was time the municipalities did. If more of these measures were in force, a man could go to church on Sunday and not lose his horse and rig. Wm. Bailey was out \$20 in this respect, and could get The matter was left in the hands

of the reeve, deputy reeve, and Councilor Ferguson.

A letter was read from Meredith. tram's property in London West for sale. It stated that the lot in ques-tion was certainly sold to Mr. Bar-

MORE TROUBLE. Councilor Hamilton drew attention to the fact that the breakwater on Ash street had been damaged. The pipe

\$392 24 per year, as follows:

Mr. Duff said he had opposed the notion to advertise the lands, but last year the deputy reeve would have it that way and the council was out

just that much more. An order was passed for the amount.

Chief Roe, of the city fire depart-

ment, acknowledged the receipt of \$35

a gift from the village council for ser-vices at the late fire.

A communication from John Blea-vins, Toronto, asking that the council

appoint a delegate to a convention to be held in Toronto to consider amend-

ments to the act respecting exemp-

ANOTHER WRIT THREATENED

Another communication was received from Mr. P. McPhillips, regarding H. W. Healy's property on the Wharn-

cliffe highway. Healy, it is claimed, has an opportunity to sell the lands,

but the intending purchaser declines to close the bargain while the claim

for the overdue taxes for 1892 and 1894 is pending. He claimed that some of the officials had been satisfied that the

claim against the property for taxes had been paid, and that the account should be removed from the treasurer's

books. If this was not done he threat-ened to issue a writ of mandamus

Reeve Saunby said he had been advised by the solicitors upon the course

to pursue, and on motion the communi

COST OF THE BREAKWATER. Councilor Duff laid on the table a statement showing the cost of the

breakwater and its repairs as closely

as he could ascertain. During the

vears 1885-6 no ledger account was

know just what was spent on it. The breakwater was begun in 1885 and fin-ished in 1888, the total cost of con-

struction being \$12,258 88. Since 18

the cost of repairs had been \$3,137 92 a total of \$15,396 80, or an average of

tions, was filed.

against the council.

cation was filed.

leading from Mr. Carrol's house, said, had evidently burst, and breakwater had been dug into and left in a weak condition in order to repair Reeve Saunby-Down in Mississippi they would shoot a man for that.

Mr. Hamilton—If we had high water the breakwater might break and the village would be flooded again. The council unanimously resolved to summon the guilty party.

Constable Ward was instructed to keep the boys off the corners and see that no more sidewalk was torn up

The treasurer's report showed receipts for the month to have been \$1,467 65, and expenditures \$1,110 81, leaving a balance of \$356 48, less \$49 43 due to sinking fund. This, with the

Shattered Nerves.

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on this continent today is nervous prostration. How frequently we hear this term, and yet how few appear to realize its full deadly import. Nervous prostration is to be found among people of all walks in life, and among children as well as adults. Among young people it is often the result of our high pressure system of education. Among those of more mature years it may be due to the cares of business, or to overwork, or worries in the home. But whatever the cause the inevitable result is a breaking down both mentally and physically unless prompi measures are taken to stay the ravages of the disease and restore the shattered nerve forces to their normal condition. One such sufferer who has regained health gives her experience for the benefit of those less fortunate. Miss Edith Draper, who resides with her parents at Belhaven, Ont., is a young lady who is very popcure. "You know," said the young lady, "how ill I was last winter when my friends feared that I was going into a decline. In the early part of the winter both father and mother were attacked with la grippe, and I had to look after them as well as attend to the household work. The more than I could stand, and the re sult was I fell ill. The doctor who was called in said my trouble was nervous prostration and that it would take con siderable time for me to recover. Un der his care I was after a short while able to leave my room and go abou the house, but my nerves did not seen to regain their strength. My limb would twitch as though I had St. Vitus' dance, I was subject to headaches, had a very poor appetite, and was so weak that I could scarcely go about. I had been advised to try Pink Pills, and one day spoke to the doctor about them, and he said he believed they would do me good. I got three boxes, and by the time I had used them I felt they were nelping me, and I got a further supply. By the time I had taken six boxes I was feeling stronger and better than I had for years. All the twitching in my limbs years. All the twitching in my had disappeared, and my nerves ed as strong as they ever had been. I still took the pills for a little while longer to make certain that the cure was complete, and since the day I dis-continued them I have not felt the slightest return of the trouble. I feel that my present excellent health is due to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I am glad to be able to recommend them to any one whose nerves are in a shat-

Williams' Pink Pills are a tonic A letter was read from Meredith, Cameron, Judd & Dromgole, stating that the sheriff had been to \$12 or \$13 expense in advertising Mr. Bar-13 expense in advertising Mr. Bar-14 expense in advertising Mr. Bar-15 expense in advertising Mr. Bar-16 expense in advertising Mr. Bar-17 expense in advertising Mr. Bar-18 expense in advertising Mr. Bar-18 expense in advertising Mr. Bar-18 expense in advertising Mr. Bar-19 e When the blood is kept pure and the system thoroughly invigorated by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, sudden changes of temperature and extremes of heat and cold, so characteristic of certain climates, are rarely attended with injurious results. Take it now.

don authorities would be followed in definition of followed in other municipalities. Even Old London, she said, would take its example from the Forest City.

Reeve Saunby said that London was certainly sold to Mr. Bartion w

Councilor Ferguson. "Nothing," said the reeve. Mr. Ferguson—That's queer; that we live in a municipality where a man won't pay taxes and can do just as he

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PROBABILITIES. Toronto, April 7.—1 a..m—Probabili-ties for 24 hours for lower lakes region: Moderate winds, mostly northerly; generally fair and a little cooler.

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DINNER-Tomato soup. Boneless © birds. Mashed potatoes. Succo- ing at the cross."
tash. Watermelon pickles. Lem-

-Rev. W. M.

on pie. Tea.

Cut these recipes out and paste them

Velvet Mush-Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter in a porcelain kettle; cook in this two coffeecupfuls of wheat flour until it slips the spoon and the kettle; have five cups of milk ready boiled and add to the flour, one cupful at a time. Let boil between each cup-ful. Add one teaspoonful of salt; stir thoroughly and serve.

German Coffee Cake-Set a sponge with one pint lukewarm water, a twocent cake of yeast, a half-teaspoonful of salt and half a pound of flour. Let rise by the stove for two hours, then stir in half cup melted butter, one cup of raisins, one-quarter of a cup of finely-cut citron, one cup of sugar, three eggs. Knead in enough flour to make a stiff dough—about one pound then part the dough in three even pieces, roll them out separately, long and thin, then braid together and form round in the pan. Let rise again and bake a good half-hour. Frost. Suffi-

cient for two meals. Jellied Whitefish-Two pounds whitefish boiled in one and three-quarters quarts of water seasoned with two tea spoonfuls of salt, one gill vinegar, four bay leaves, one tablespoonful of whole pepper and cloves. When tender take the fish out, strain the soup and re-turn to the fire, with the white of an egg to clear it; remove from fire; add the juice of a lemon and two ounces of gelatine, first dissolved in water. Then strain again, and when cool, but not cold, pour over the fish. Turn on a platter when served and garnish with

parsley. Enough for two meals. Cookies of 1812-One pint of sugar, one teacup of butter, four eggs, two tablespoons of sweet milk, one-half teaspoonful of soda, one teaspoon of cream of tartar, one-half nutmeg, one teaspoonful of vanilla, one pint of flour. Roll the sugar (granulated) until quite fine; add the butter and cream them. Stir in the milk gradually, and beat the eggs separately, and then put together and beat again. Add to the mixture butter, sugar and milk, and lastly the flour and soda, which has been dissolved in a little warm water. After these have been well mixed add the nutmeg and van-illa. Beat all well together, and add enough flour to handle well in rolling and cutting out. Bake in a moderate oven a delicate brown These keep

Ginger Ale-One and three-quarters pounds sugar, one and one-half ounces quarts boiling water, 2-cents yeast. Put sugar and spices in a stone jar, stand 24 hours in a cool place covered.

Then put yeast in, dissolve in lukewarm water, and let stand again 24 hours, then fill in bottles, cork well,

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Boneless Birds—For this use round steak sliced thin. Cut in pieces about three to four inches wide and five to six inches long. Sprinkle salt and pepsix inches long. Sprinkle salt and pepsix inches long. per on one side; put in a narrow piec of bacon, two inches long and one half an inch wide, a piece of carrot the same size; now roll the meat like a thick sausage, get the shape of a bird without head or feet as much as you can, and wind around with string. then rub with allspice, salt and pepper and roll in flour. Brown well in but ter in which you have grated an onion then add stock or boiling water unti covered, cook slowly for two hours, then take out the birds, strain gravy and thicken with one teaspoonful of flour made smooth in a little water add a pinch of salt. Should the stock or water steam away while cooking more must be added—but always boil-ing hot.

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-Dr. Barkwell, of Chicago, is visiting his brother, W. S. Bryers Bark-

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-Staff-Captain Turner, of the Salvation Army here, is in Guelph, where he will conduct a three hours' "meet-

-Rev. W. M. Walker, of South London, will exchange pulpits with ecocococococococococococo Rev. W. J. McKay, of the Stratford Baptist Church, on Sunday next. -A. R. Smith, manager of Ferguson's store, New Hamburg, will leave

this week for London, where he has

accepted a good situation .- Stratford Herald. -The London Hunt and Country Club has donated a sweepstake for the best saddle and harness horse at the Detroit Horse Show on April 21, 22, 23 and 24. A number of London horses will be shown.

-Mr. W. A. Bleuthner has been engaged as organist of the First Congregational Church, at a salary of \$200 a year. He is also to be given the free use of the church for two concerts each year.

-District Passenger Agent Dickson of the G. T. R. has made arrangements for six excursions from Toronto, the Northwest and Stratford, Prince Edward county, the Midland division. Niagara Falls and Barrie, to Guelph Model Farm in June next.

-Ernest A. Pierce, of 736 Queen's avenue, a carpenter in the employ of Tambling & Jones, while at work today removing the glass in front of Gatecliffe's butcher shop, received a severe cut on one of his hands, about four inches long, caused by the glass breaking and falling on it. Mr. Pierce went at once to a doctor's office, where several stitches were put in his hand. He was then sent home.

-The Philharmonic Club, of Detroit, assisted by Miss Maude Fowler and Miss Edith Hartson, gave a first-class concert at the Auditorium last night before an audience not large but appreciative. The club is composed of Mr. Yunck, first violin; Herman Breuckner, second violin; Frank Resche, viola, and H. Heberlein, violoncello. Concerted pieces by Haydn and Beethoven were given with splendid effect, and in the solo numbers Mr. Heberlein and Mr. Yunck showed entire mastery of their instruments. Misses Hartson and Fowler sang a duet, "The Starry Heaven," and each a solo in excellent voice. Mr. J. W.

Fetherston arranged the concert. -Digby Bell and his wife, supported by a competent company, were greeted by a large audience last night at the Grand. Mr. and Mrs. Bell were last seen here in a comic opera, "Jupiter," but, like many other operatic stars, have forsaken that line for straight comedy, a less expensive vehicle. "The Midnight Bell," in which they appeared last night, is one of Charles Hoyt's sparkling productions, fashioned somewhat after the "Old Homestead," and affords some enchanting glympses of idyllic rural life. The play abounds in quaint humor and is wholesome and bright. Mr. Bell is the chief fun maker and is entirely

successful. The other roles are in good -The Public Library board met last night. Mr. Egan presided and Messrs. C. E. Keene, T. Macbeth, E. Weld, R. H. Dignan and R. Reid and Librarian Blackwell were also present. Donations were received of 25 volumes of

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Swedenborg's works, per J. C. Gunn; a number of Governmental reports, and two volumes of the Fruit Growers' Association and Entomological Society fiction, 1,832; miscellaneous, 1,216; magazines, 1,138; total, 8.150. Average circulation of magazines per day, 471/2. Receipts for March: Sale of cards, \$16 45; fines, \$16 41; book last, \$1 50; book damaged, 60 cents; incidentals, book damaged, 60 cents; incidentals, norant thief stole from the freight car; \$3 68; total, \$38 84. Average fines per the educated thief stole the whole day, 60% cents. New cards issued for March, 146; cards issued to date, 4,389. The reading room ventilation will be considered by the finance committee. The board will meet on the first Wednesday of each month hereafter.

WATER COMMISSIONERS. Little. The communication from C. E. A. Carr, of the street railway, asking for certain privileges at Springbank, which had been laid over from last meeting for the engineer's report, was submitted, together with the engineer's report. The matter was again laid over to allow the commissioners to look over the ground. Inspector Plastow reported on the water supply for Little. The communication from C. E.

POLICE COURT.

was arrested last night as a drunk. To the police magistrate this morning Jones said he anticipated coming to London to live. He said his wife and child were in Woodstock, and that he was up here looking for a store, where he might start some business. Magistrate Parke said he doubted whether any of the money would have been left if Jones had not been arrested. He enlarged the case for a week, allowing Jones to go. In the meantime the money will be put in safe keeping, and will not be returned to Jones until he is strictly sober. John Ryder, a laborer, from Toronto, made his debut in a police court. After a word of explansions of the word of explansions of the word of ation he was allowed to go. W. Cath-cart, up for riding a bicycle on the sidewalk, was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

MISSION TO LEPERS. The April meeting of the Mission to Lepers was held in Somerset Hall on Monday afternoon, Mrs. Robertson occupying the chair. The opening devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. Robert Johnston, of St. Andrew's, who gave an inspiring and helpful talk on the Scripture command, "What-soever thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might." Miss Nellie Morris read a letter from Tokio, giving an neouraging report of the Japan mission and urging the necessity of new buildings at that station. Miss Anderson gave a graphic account of the work done at the Delira Dun Asylum, under the care of Mr. Jackson, a European leper. A letter from Mr. Balley, acknowledging the receipt of \$50, was ead by Miss Morris. Miss Campbell, of Winnipeg, was present, and rendered the solo "Come Unto Me" very effectively. Miss Campbell has a full, rich contralto voice, which was appreciated by the members of the

YORK STREET MISSION

To Have a New Home and Take Its Place Among the Regular Churches.

The Rev. George Boyd started a mission on York street nearly six years ago, which, although it has had its ups and downs, is soon to be classed as one of London's city churches. The people of the First Methodist Church have had its interest at heart, and have in times past supported it when in financial stress; they are now about to present it with a new home Arrangements are being made to pur chase two lots opposite Daly's coal and wood yard, and on these the new ouilding is soon to be erected. Those who have subscribed largely to

building fund are Messrs. Thomas McCormick, Thomas G. Whiskard, John H. Chapman, George Robinson and Thomas L. Belcher. The latter has been appointed to look after the build-

ing arrangements Last night an Epworth League was formed, with the following officers: Honorary president, Thomas L. Bel-cher; president, James Pearce; first vice-president, Heaman Bloomgarden; second vice-president, Bert Williams; treasurer, Jennie Grimson; secretary, Maggie Corbelet. It is impossible to conceive the good work that has been done by the mission in this part of the city. Peo-

ple who would not go to a church at all readily attend the mission, and thus the sheep are brought into the If the hair is falling out and turning gray, the glands of the skin need stimulating and color-food, and the best remedy and stimulant is Hall's Hair Renewer.

The Calendar lilustrated.

Rev. W. F. Crafts Lectures on Social Problems.

be Utilized for the Improvement

Of the great social reformers of today few have a wider reputation than Rev. Wilbur F. Crafts, who lectured on his favorite theme, "The Big Four and Forty More," at the Dundas Street Methodist Church last night, under the auspices of the City Plebiscite Asso-BARKWELL'S DRUG STORE ciation.

In opening his address Mr. Crafts said that all true reforms are but branches of the one great reform, the Christianizing of society. To all kinds of reform movements intemperance was a hindrance, because it was logical that the W. C. T. U., while taking cognizance of other matters, should de vote their chief attention to remedying that great evil.

At different periods, he continued, the sweep of reform had manifested itself in different ways. The charac-teristic feature of the present effort was the educational method of the plebiscite. An effort was being made largely through the agency of the W.C. T. U. and Christian Endeavor societies, to systematize the efforts for re reports from J. L. Goodburne. They form by means of the "topic a month" were gratefully acknowledged. The scheme. Under this method the enerlibrarian's report of circulation for gies of the reformers were each month four weeks, ending March 27, was as follows: Adult fiction, 3,964; juvenile combined effort. The lecturer proceed. concentrated upon a particular objec ed to elaborate the scheme thus sug gested by a review of the work of the

year. January, he said, was the month for moral education. The necessity for thorough moral instruction increased with growth in knowledge. The ig-

railway.
February was to be devoted to municipal government. A higher ideal in municipal administration should be held forth. Toronto was probably the best of the large cities, yet even there there was great room for improvement In March questions of emigration and immigration are to be considered. The water commissioners met yeserday afternoon, those present being the condemned as an iniquitous meas-Chairman Cowan, Commissioner Judd, Secretary Ellwood, Superintendent Moore, Inspector Plastow and Mayor exclude the illiterate dregs of the population of Southern Europe.

tow reported on the water supply for the Hiscox building. The report was ferred to the engineer. The enginging that during the week the pumps had been running full time, the amount pumped being 17,854,280 gallons.

Charts were produced to show that the rule laid down in the genesis of a day of rest in every seven was a sound one on purely scientific grounds. On a Sabbath morning the whole fourth commandment could be read complete in a drop of blood with the aid of a microscope.

The month of May was to be signal-

The month of May was to be signal-ized by a study of labor problems. POLICE COURT.

Adam Jones, a carpenter from Woodstock, with a good roll of bills, was arrested last night as a drunk want of buying power and that in want of buying power, and reacted prejudicially on the whole in-

> to receive special attention. In this connection the severity of the Canadian laws against divorce could not be too much commended. National reform was to be considered in July. The arbitration treaty of Jan. 11 was a hopeful sign, was the beginning of the end of inter-

national war. made against the gambling habit. dilated at length upon the determined effort which was being made by the Attorney-General to stamp out the in his action in the matter of the Windsor races and the "art unions." demned criminals. temperance—the lecturer used a num

habit, even in the so-called mild drinks -wines and beer. Finally, as befitted the happy Christmas season, the month of December was to be given up to works of charity. The most perfect embodiment of charity was found in the settlement students, who denied thmselves many reature comforts to go and live among the poor and bring the advantages o culture to bear in raising the ideals of the masses. Great as was the need of good civil law, more essential still was the practice of a generous spirit of the brotherhood of man.

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dustrial world. In June the family organization was

August, the month when crime and vice were most prevalent, was to be devoted to the upholding of virtue.

In September a crusade was to be speaking under this head Mr. Crafts practice in this province, as evidenced Octiber was to be Prison Reform month. An attempt would be made to improve as well as punish con-In illustration of the November work ber of charts showing the prejudicial nfluence and folly of the drinking

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was again robbed. It appears that several persons were in the hotel on Sunday evening, and nothing out of the way was noticed. Mr. Deary retired. leaving one of the rear windows open, and through this entrance was made to the house. On Monday morning Mr. Deary reported the case to the police, saying he had been robbed of four boxes of 50 cigars each, a gold brace-let with a gold padlock attached, a \$5 gold piece, a gold locket, a gold stud his wife had used it for a throat troucontaining a small diamond, and a revolver. No clue was left behind by which the robber could be identified. which the robber could be identified. Detective Ward went to a house in London West and stated that if the goods were not returned before 6 in the evening arrests would be made. At 4 o'clock a parcel was delivered at the London West police station by London West police station by a city messenger boy containing the stolen articles, minus the cigars. They were returned to their owner immediately, and now Mr. Deary is reluctant to take proceedings in the matter, FORD'S, 95 and 97 King street, city.

FELL FIFTY FEET.

London West Man Falls Down Lichfield Street Steps. John Johnston, of John street, London West, met with a painful accident

last night, taking a very unexpected drop. Mr. Johnston was on his way home from the city about 10:30. He went along Lichfield street and then down the 50 feet of stairs, but when a few steps from the top, his boot caught in a hole and he fell head over heels to the bottom. The young man was picked up and carried home by Arthur Brown and John Padfield, who helped dress his wounds. Fortunately, no bones were broken, but the young man is very badly bruised and has an ugly gash over one eye. His escape from more serious injury was marvel-

IJFE SAVED .- Mr. James Bryson