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FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 1, 1895.

WHOLE NO. 10129.

The Welsh Bill Gets Through Its First Stage.

Modjeska Forbidden to Play in the Warsaw Theater.

Japs Evacuating Wel-Big Army Being Transferred to Talien Wan-Successful Experiments With a New French Gun.

ROSEBERY IMPROVED. LONDON, Feb. 28 .- Lord Rosebery's condition is much improved, despite the continuance of his insomnia.

EX-EMPRESS EUGENIE. PARIS, Feb. 28.-Ex-Empress Eugenie will start from England for Corsica on Saturday. She will sojourn for some time in Ajaccio. The Government is taking precautions to prevent

royalist demonstrations, which are likely to be attempted during her stay. WILL WELCOME THE GASCOGNE. HAVRE, Feb. 28.—The municipal council of Havre have resolved to board the steamer La Gascogne immediately upon her arrival in the harbor and congratulate Captain Baudelon and his staff of officers on having safely

GIOLITTI'S TRIAL. ROME, Feb. 28.-Ex-Premier Giolitti appeared before the examining magistrate today. He denied the competence of an ordinary judge to try him, and maintained that according to the con-stitution the Senate alone had the power. Giolitti refused to answer any

brought the ship into New York.

of the magistrate's questions. JAPS EVACUATING WEI HAI WEI. CHE FOO, Feb. 28.—The Japanese are evacuating the advanced positions about Wei Hai Wei, and they have abandoned Ning Hai. The greater part of the Japanese army which has been operating on the Shan Tung Peninsula has re-embarked on board transports bound for Talien Wan, north of Port Arthur, on the opposite side of the Gulf of Pe Chi Li.

MARRIED IN LONDON. LONDON, Feb. 28.-Mr. John Angus Saners MacMillan, of Manitoba, was married in St. George's Church, Hanover Square, this afternoon to Miss Priscilla Cattle, only child of Mr. James Cattle, of Pocklington, Yorkshire. The bride was married in a traveling gown of light grey corded silk, and her ornaments were pearls and diamonds. couple started for Brighton immediately after the ceremony en route for Mani-

COST OF BERING SEA ARBITRA-

TION. LONDON, Feb. 28.—In the House of Commons Sir Edward Grey, in reply to a question, stated that the total of Great Britain's expenses in connection with the arbitration of the Bering Sea eal fisheries amounted to \$183,305, and that this amount included Canada's share of the expenses. The account with Canada, Sir Edward further said, had not yet been adjusted.

PRESENTS TO THE QUEEN. LONDON, Feb. 28.-The Chinese Minister today will take to Windsor the presents sent to Queen Victoria by the ex-Empress of China in return for those sent by her Majesty on the oc-casion of the anniversary of the birth of the ex-Empress. The gifts consist nainly of beautiful colored satin scrolls bearing inscriptions in Chinese characters, worked by the hand of the eximpress, expressing good wishes for

MANCHESTER'S SHIP CANAL. MANCHESTER, Feb. 28.-The halfyearly meeting of the Corporation of Manchester Ship Canal was held today. The chairman stated that the canal had hitherto virtually failed to secure anything like a fair share of the cotton traffic, the canal having carried within the last six months only 13,600 tons. against 800,000 tons arriving at Liverpool. After the meeting the shares of

the canal fell heavily.

They should show the cotton producers of the world, the chairman said, that Manchester had a powerful association of buyers who were willing to buy in Manchester if the sellers would only send their cotton there. The great difficulty confronting them in the near future was the payment of interest on the loan capital.

A NEW GUN. PARIS, Feb. 28.-The War Department has completed experiments with a new gun which is guaranteed for 1,-000 rounds. After 3,000 rounds had been fired with the heaviest charges of smokeless powder the rifling was found in fair condition. The muzzle velocity of the projectile was 3,000 feet per

The gun is made of hard tempered steel. It has a choke bore of such construction that as the projectile moves forward in the barrel the bands of rifling become large and closed, so the copper forming the driving band is constantly set out. The discharge of gas between the projectile and the walls of the gun, and the consequent erosion of the gun are thus prevented. The gun has a bore of about six inches, and is between 22 and 23 feet long.

THE TROUBLE IN CUBA. MADRID, Feb. 28 .- The Government has decided upon a military occupation of tator of the proceedings in the closing hours of the session. He visits Washhe disturbed districts of Cuba. Orders have been issued to the Royal Navy and Transatlantic Compony to hasten prepara. practices of the Congress. He was intions to transport 6,300 troops from Spain and a battalion from Porto Rice to Cuba.

DISESTABLISHMENT IN WALES. LONDON, Feb. 28 .- In the House of Commous Sir Edward Gray, replying to questions in regard to the Armenian inquiry, said that the commission would ecupy two months more in finishing its

Sir William Harcourt moved that Govornment business take precedence on Tuesday's, which day has hitherto been devoted to private member's bills.

The Welsh Disestablishment Bill passed its first reading this evening without a The Irish Land Bill will be introduced

MODJESKA TABOOED. London, Feb. 28 .- The Daily News our-

respondent in Vienna says Mme. Helena Modjeska has been forbidden to fill her engagement; with the Warsaw Theater. He ascribes this prohibition to her lectures in Chicago, and remarks that under Gen. Gourko's regime she would have been ex-pelled or arrested. Count Schouvaloff, the new governor of Russian Poland, has issued an order permitting telegrams in the Polish language. He attends the so-cial events of the Polish elite, and notably has improved the tone of society in War-

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JAPAN WANTS SOLID COMPENSA. TION.

BERLIN, Feb. 28 .- Viscount Acki, Japanese Minister to Germany, said today in an interview with a reporter of the Lokalanzeiger: Without a cessation of territory China cannot reckon on the termination of the war. While it is fully understood that China must indemnify us for our war expenses in the war, I am aware that European powers may interfere to prevent a cessation of territory, but it is to be hoped that the Japanese Government will maintain its position that the conclusion of peace equally with the conflict concerns Japan and China alone. Foreseeing that the war would involve the risk of complications with the powers Japan did everything to avert hostilities, and tried to settle the Corean question peaceably. China made this impossible. Japan is willing at any moment to agree to terms which are in any way acceptable and

SENSATIONAL STORY!

A Yankee Vessel Disabled by British Warship.

The Alleged Occurrence Grows Out of the Bluefields (Nicaragua) Trouble.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—A special from Colon, Colombia, says: The Faith, a coasting sloop which arrived here yes-terday from Bocas Del Toro, brought the news of a fresh conflict at Bluefields, Nicaragua. The Faith met two British schooners, the Dauntless and the Brothers, at Bocas Del Toro.

The masters of the schooners reported that while they were at Bluefields, two weeks before, an American ship whose name they did not know, arrived. The British consul at Bluefields was informed that she had on board arms imported by Samuel Weil. The American ship left Bluefields for Cape Gracios Adios, north of Bluefields. The British man-of-war followed her

there and found her landing two boat-loads of arms. The British fired on her, carrying away her mast. PROBABLY A CANARD. LONDON, Feb. 28.—The Foreign Office has no information of reported fresh trouble at Bluefields or of the alleged disabling of an American ship by

a British man-of-war. A DENIAL.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 28.—K. Friedlander, an American in the general merchandise business at Bluefields, was a passenger on the steamer John Wilson, which arrived here yesterday from Bluefields. He says there is no truth in the story that a British warship fired

on an American vessel.

Burglars Ransack a Windsor Clothing Store-Death of a Toronto Pioneer.

The Hyams trial was resumed at the Toronto police court Thursday morn-

Mr. Charles Edward Hooper, the well-known Toronto druggist, died on Thursday, aged 63 years.

H. J. Geiger, the Hamilton hotelkeeper who committed suicide last week, was heavily involved financially.

Matthew Drew, 85 years old, one of the early pioneers of Toronto, where he had lived for nearly 67 years, is dead. W. J. Dewar's gents' furnishing store at Essex was broken into on Wednes-

day night and goods to the value of about \$200 were taken. No clue. At a Conservative convention in Fredericton, N. B., Dr. Weldon was renominated as candidate for the House

of Commons. The Liberals will oppose his election. A construction train on the T., H. and B. road from Brantford to Hamilton is

expected to run next week, and in a few weeks later a regular service will be in force between the two cities. In the Montreal police court Thursday morning John Collins and William Kelly were arraigned in connection with a charge of impersonating at the civil ser-

vice examinations held on Nov. 14. 1893. They were fined \$25 each or two months. Cattle market returns at Toronto show receipts of cattle during January and February of 13,643 head, as compared with 8,776 for a like period last year. Entries of sheep were 9,199 for January and February, 1895, and 6,436 in 1894; of hogs, 14,685 in 1895, and 14,253 in 1894.

FIRE MORE POTENT THAN FLOOD. JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Feb. 28.-St. stood the brunt of the terrible flood of May 19, 1889, was destroyed today by Louis Pfarr was fatally injured, and a man named Boltz badly injured by being caught under a falling wall while looking at the ruins. Loss \$50,-

SPEAKER MILLER IN WASH-INGTON.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.-Mr. Wm Miller, Speaker of the Senate of the Canadian Parliament, was on the floor of the House today an interested specington at this time for the express purpose of investigating the methods and troduced to various members by Representative Outhewaite, and apparently was greatly interested in the pro-

RETAIL FURNITURE DEALERS ORGANIZE.

HAMILTON, Feb. 28.—At the meeting of the furniture dealers held here yesterday the Canadian Retail Furniture Dealers' Association was organized, and a committee chosen to draft a constitution and bylaws. The officers are as follows: President, John Hoodless, Hamilton; first vice-president, W. Wishart, Toronto; second vice-president, W. Clegg, Peterboro; third vice-president, J. Kilgour, London; secretary-treasurer, W. R. Rogers, Toronto.

Consumption follows neglected colds. Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs, asthma, sore throat, bronchitis and lung

In the Ontario House of Assembly.

The Receipts for 1894 Exceeded Expectations by Over \$300,000,

While the Expenditures Were Less Than in 1893, Leaving a Surplus of Assets Amounting to \$5,269,840 64.

Special to the "Advertiser.")

PARLIAMENT HOUSE, TORONTO, Feb. 28. Nothing of startling interest occurred today. We saw the first of the budget debate. The same watchword of economy and care was sounded by Mr. Harcourt in his statement, which exhibited no very marked difference from last

Mr. Marter's reply was referred to by Mr. Haycock as being the same speech that he has read for three years. He was glad, the Patron leader unfeelingy added, to have the opportunity of

hearing it again. Mr. Haycock's own speech was a curious one for a leader of a party. It was very short for one thing—taking only some ten or fifteen minutes-and it was a carrying out of his policy of standing on the fence, allotting a little praise and a little blame to each party.

Mr. Matheson followed with a rather laboured effort on orthodor Concernative

labored effort on orthodox Conservative lines, and Mr. Conmee concluded with a speech which was mainly a defense of the Government's treatment of the northern districts.

Mr. O. A. Howland will be the next speaker when the debate comes up again on Tuesday.

Mr. Harcourt opened his speech by showing that the receipts for 1894 exceeded what was expected by \$306,290. He then plunged into an examination of the Provincial revenues. From the Crown lands came \$1,057,532, which was \$141,532 in excess of estimates and of this sum \$20,497 of estimates, and of this sum \$80,497 came from the item of woods and

forests. The item of liquor license reports shows a considerable diminution, and Mr. Harcourt explained that for the past four years there had been a steady fall. due to the great decrease in the number of licenses, 194 of the 808 muni-cipalities having no licenses in them. There have also been far fewer commitments for drunkenness.

The item of succession duties shows a great increase, the receipts having been \$150,754, and the estimated receipts only \$70,000. This sum goes to defray the expenditure on hospitals and charities, and in a few years Mr. Harcourt hoped to see all the expenses incurred for these met by this new source of revenue. He added statistics showing that the cities, and not the rural districts, bear the brunt of this.

Turning from the revenue to the expenditure, Mr. Harcourt stated that civil government cost a that civil government cost a little less than last year, and legislation a little more, as did education, agriculture, administration of justice, hospitals and charities and colonization roads, all these being in lines that lightened the burdens of the people, while the total expenditure was much

From this the Treasurer entered into a full discussion of the maintenance of public institutions, and adduced exhaustive statistics to show how exceedingly economical the Government has been in its administration as compared with Quebec and the Dominion Government. In this connection he pointed out how the gross expenditure has been steadily falling. In 1891 it was \$4,158,459; in 1892, \$4,068,257; in 1893, \$3,-

907,145, and in 1894, \$3,839,338. As to the prospects for the future, Mr. Harcourt said the estimated revenue is \$3,149,372; from Crown lands, \$825,000; from liquor licenses, \$28,000; and from succession duties, \$175,000. The expenditure for 1895 is estimated at \$3,401,905 43, which is \$13,757 66 less

than the estimate for last year.

Mr. Marter's speech was very much like his former efforts. He began with the familiar complaints that the Government has in twenty years doubled the expenses for civil government, increasing it from \$114,000 to \$240,000, and that too much was spent in surveys of the northern districts. From this latter point he developed an attack upon the Government's land policy, which he described as illiterate. He would like to see settlers get their land free after five years' occupation, and also be allowed to use all the timber, pine, or otherwise. Then he assailed the colonization roads expenditure, and touched his old theme of the maintenance of public institutions, holding that the Government should use the principle of advertising for tenders for supplies in all cases. Then he concluded by an attack on the Minister of Education's "fad of high schools," as he termed it, holding that the public schools were sacrificed to the high schools, and had actually deteriorated in the last twenty years. The Fifth Book should be made compulsory in the public schools, he said. Mr. Marter's final words were an attack on Mr. Dryden for his criticism

of him in his London speech Mr. Haycock spoke next, characterizing Mr. Harcourt's claims that the Government had been economical as special pleading, but giving no proof of this beyond saying that New York, whose salary bill Mr. Harcourt had compared to Ontario's, is three times as large as Ontario, so that the two do not contrast. in connection with the gradual increase of expenditure, he pointed out that in the last twenty years the cost of living and the price of labor had declined. The increase of the estimates relating to the Department of Agriculture, however, met with his approval and he turned upon Mr. Marter and complained that his speech was identical with that he had had the pleasure of reading for the past three years. He said, however, that public institutions should imitiate the Patrons and buy their supplies from the manufacturers He agreed that the fifth form should be taught in the public schools, and concluded his very brief speech by suggesting that personal affairs such as Mr. Dryden's difference with Mr. Marter should be left out of the House.

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Articles Lost and Found are returned to their owners by a 15-word ad in the Advertiser.

Mr. Matheson, of South Lanark, spoke in the usual strain of a Conserva-tive politician, accusng the Government of extravagance and of wasting the timber resources of the Govern-

Mr. Conmee followed with a vigorous defense of the Government's policy with regard to the northern districts, pointed out a comparison of the methods of dealing with the timber resources of the country followed by the Conservative and Liberal Govern-

Mr. O. A. Howland moved the adjournment of the debate, and so brought the first installment to a close. Tuesday will see the debate resumed, with Mr. Howland leading off. ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

The financial statement placed before the House this afternoon shows: Assets of the Province, \$5,294,9.6 97; liabilities, \$25,075 33; balance Previncial surplus, \$5,269,84C 64.

The details of assets are: Direct investments, \$484,223 78; capital held and debts due by the Dominion to Ontario, \$4.200,018 05; bank balances, \$610,674 14.
The habilities are: Balance due munisipalities re surplus distribution, \$1,291 30; land improvement fund, \$6,028 21; Quebec's share of collections by Ontario on account of common school lands in 1890, 1891, 1892, 1893 and 1894 amounts to \$17,

The receipts have been \$3,453,162 69. The expenditures have been \$3,374,

THE ESTIMATES. The estimates for the year show a total of \$3,401,905 43; composed of current expenditure, \$3,048,285 61; capital account, 328,636; other purposes, \$24,983 82. The details are:

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In this year's estimates no provision is made for the Central Farmers' Institute, which used to absorb a good deal of money.

IN LABOR'S FIELD.

New York Master Builders Refuse to Compremise-19,000 Men to be Called Out.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—At a meeting of walking delegates today it was decided that the master builders had no intention whatever of compromising or meeting the strikers half way. This being the case a resolution was adopted calling out tomorrow every man who is connected with the Building Trades Association. This means that more than 10.000 men will stop work.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.-The electrical contractors held a meeting this afternounced that they had no intention of arbitrating the strike. A considerable number of non-union men had already been engaged, they said, and work would be actively resumed by Monday at the latest. The strikers say that their reliance is not on the electrical workers alone, but on the allied building trades.

RUSSIAN petroleum exporters are considering measures for promoting the export of oil from Russia.

A FRYING pan with legs about six inches long is among the curios recovered at Herculaneum. It belonged to Docilla, who had scratched her name on

OVER 1000 yards of linen cloth have been unrolled from one mummy. The cloth in texture resembles the cheese cloth of the present somewhat. It is finer in quality. THE Periophthalmus, a native of the

Malayan mangrove swamps, is the only fish which breathes with its tail. If the tail be painted over with oil or varnish the fish dies of suffocation. A CEDAR tree, 407 feet in height and

70 feet in circumference at the base, was recently felled near Ocosta, Wash. The first limb sprang 60 feet from the base, and this limb was 7 feet in diameter.

THE Cobden Club silver medal has been awarded to Hirjibhoy Hormasi Wadin for having in the University of Bombay examination for the B. A. degree secured the highest number of marks in political economy.

A BELGIAN inventor has devised an immense lamp such as has probably never been seen before. It is six feet high and measures 7.10 feet in diameter. It is fed with lard oil, and the consumption is said to be very small.

A PARK is to be laid out around the Lincoln homestead, in Larue county, Kentucky, where Abraham Lincoln was born. An electric railway will convey visitors to the park from Hodgenville, two and a half miles distant.

AN INGENIOUS Scotchman has de vised a thread-spinning apparatus that is operated by two trained mice. In driving the little mill with their paws. the animals daily perform work equivaalent to traveling a distance of ten and a half miles. WHEN a prince of the Austrian royal

family dies his horse follows the funeral covered with a black cloth, and lame in one hoof. The lameness is produced by driving a nail through the horseshoe. This is the sign of the deepest possible mourning.

A QUEER will was lately filed in Duval county, Florida. John M. O'Brien was the testator, and he wrote his will with a pencil on a part of the wall beside his bed. It was a board five feet long by one wide. The instrument reads thus: "Mrs. Arnold, God bless her, shall

	Steamship Arrivals.		
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Dr. V. H. Lyon's Tooth Paste or Powder

Dundas and Carling Sts.

Carpets

We don't brag when we say we are the largest dealers in this section. Wherever the best carpets of the best makers can be found, there we buy. A stock is here that is ample for all requirements. No difficulty in choice, The finest Wiltons, the best Brussels, the most sightly Tapestry, the most reliable Wools, the cheapest Hemp, all are here for your selection. Whether for a cottage or a castle we can supply your wants. The larger the buyer, the better the seller. We buy more and sell more, and consequently sell cheaper. The season is approaching for these goods.

Dress Goods

Of all departments, the first to bow to dame fashion's vagaries is Dress Goods. Today we show the contents of three cases. The newest goods for spring wear. It is impossible to describe the overwhelming loveliness of these newest creations in cold type. You must see them.

Merchant **Tailoring**

The two ruling advantages to be had here are lowness of price and perfection of fit. Our stock of cloths as regards fashion and durability need only to be seen to be appreciated. Our cutter takes second place to none, Running this department in connection with some thirty others, we are able toreduce the specific charges to a minimum. You get the benefit.

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People's Page.

Consulted by Everybody. Popular and Effective. . . .

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Sunday Services.

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NNIVERSARY SERVICES ADELAIDE March 3, when Rev. H. C. Speller, late of Fiorida, will preach. Collection in aid of building fund.

Amusements and Lectures

(Advertisements under this heading 2c. per word. Not less than 15 words.)

MR. HENRY GEORGE. THE CELE-BRATED author of "Progress and Pov-prty," will deliver a lecture at the Grand Opera House, Tuesday evening, March 5. At the con-clusion of the lecture Mr. George will answer questions in connection with free trade and single tax. Admission 25c, reserved seats 59c. Plan open at the Opera House, Saturday morning, March 2. Tickets for sale at C. F. Colwell's music store, James I. Anderson's book store.

A TTEND SIMCOE STREET SCHOOL concert, City Hall, Friday, March 1, 8 p.m., aid of library. Good programme. Children's evening.

NAZELLE! GRAND ILLUMINATED matinee, Saturday, March. 2, 3 p.m. Beautiful programme. Prices, 15, 25 and 35 cents. By special request "The Whistler" and "Travelers All" (the quickest song ever written) will be given. will be given.

NAZELLE! GRAND OPERA HOUSE Monday, March 4. "Enoch Arden" and the "Oberammergau Passion Play," with its weird and beautiful scenes; also Mr. Percy Carroll will sing with Mr. Snazelle the fine duet. "The Moon Hath Raised Her Lamp Above," with scenic effects. Prices, 25, 35 and 50 cents.

CODFISH BALL AND PANCAKE SOCIAL —Somerset Hall, Friday evening. W. C. T. U. and all friends invited. Come and enjoy a social hour; good programme and these novel refreshments. Admission 15 cents. Proceeds

ESERVE YOUR SEATS FOR "TUS-CAN'S" Masonic concert this (Wednes-day) morning at 9 o'clock. A musical treat.

PICKETS FOR MASONIC CONCERT— Reserved seats, 50 and 35 cents: general admission, 25 cents. 27c

ISS LILLYWHITE, LONDON'S LEAD-ING soprano soloist, will sing at Masonic Concert, tonight. DON'T MISS TUSCAN LODGE MASONIC concert in Opera House, tonight. 16tf

HEAR W. CAVEN BARRON, PIANIST, Miss Ter-Williger, elocutionist, in M sonic concert in Opera House, tonight. 16tf R. E. W. DEVLIN, LONDON'S LEADING tenor, will sing at Masonic concert to-

11 TWO FLATS AND A SHARP" — A comedietta, at Masonic concert, tonight. Tickets 50c, 35c and 25c. ONT FAIL TO HEAR MR. DURWARD Lely, the great Scottish tenor, Wednesday evening, March 6. Popular prices, 25c., 50c. and 75c.

RACE AT WESTMINSTER RINK POST-PONED. Watch for date. 29tf R. AND MRS. DURWARD LELY—Grand Opera House, Wednesday, March Plan opens Monday, 4th, at 16 a.m. 26td NITED ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY AND

Clan Fraser concert; an evening of song and story; Mr. and Mrs. Durward Lely, March HEAR MISS ROBLIN (THE LEADING soprano) at the Christian Endeavor "At Home" in the King Street Presbyterian Church, Monday evening, March 4; Miss Hartson, Mr. Moxon and others will take part; refreshments. Collection taken at the door, no less than 10 cents.

RAND MASONIC CONCERT—SEASON'S event. Keep disengaged, Friday evening, 1st March.

than 10 cents.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY, THE recognized leading school of Western Ontario. Last term of the season commences week of Monday, March 4. Beginners classes: Gentlemen, Monday evenings; ladies, Tuesday evenings, at 8 o'clock. Ladies and children, Saturday afternoons at 3 o'clock. Advanced class, ladies and gentlemen, Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. All the latest dances taught in advanced class. Private tuition at any hour not occupied with classes. Dayton & McCormick, members of the N. A. M. of D. Academy, 476 Richmond street. Residence, 241 Oxford street.

Meetings.

(Advertisements under this heading one cent a word each insertion.)

M ASONIC'— REGULAR COMMUNICA-TION, St. John's Lodge, 2094, this even-ing. Friday, March 1, at 7:30. General business and degrees. John Graham, Master; J. Siddons, Secretary.

ONDON NATIONAL COUNCIL OF Women—A special and important meeting will be he d in the "Y" rooms on Saturday, March 2, at 3:30 o'clock. Presidents and delegates of federate societies are urgently requested to attend.

Religious Services.

(One time, 15c.; three times, 30c., for 15 words.)

SPECIAL SERVICES IN ST. JAMES' Church, South London. Daily Bible readings at 4 p.m. The Bishop will preach this riday evening. All welcome. 25i

PEVIVAL SERVICES — SOUTHERN
Congregational Church, Horton street,
near Maitland. Services conducted every
evening by Rev. A. W. Main, Congregationalist evangelist. Everybody invited. 26bu

Wanted.

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WANTED TO PURCHASE - FAMILY horse; good size and sound; also rig and harness; give full particulars. Address "J. M. H.," this office.

Lost and Found.

(Advertisements under this heading one cent a word each insertion.) OST-LADY'S GREEN PLUSH HAND bag; had pair slippers inside. Reward by returning to this office.

Male Help Wanted.

(One time, 15c.; three times, 30c., for

15 words.) CITY CANVASSERS WANTED—ON SAL-ARY Apply G. MARSHALL & Co., 258 Dundas street, city.

Real Estate for Sale.

(Advertisements under this heading one cent a word each insertion.) OR SALE-\$3,000 BRICK RESIDENCE ti 1 rooms; bot and cold water bath; gas, etc; 101 Hazelton avenue, Toronto; would exchange for house in London. Apply A. TAYLOR, 359 Central avenue, London.

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(One time, 15c.; three times, 30c., for 15 words.)

W ANTED-BOARD AND LODGING IN private family. Address Scribe, care of R W. ROLSTON, Burwell street. 29c

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Female Help Wanted.

TWO FIRST - CLASS MILLINERS wanted at SMALLMAN & INGRAM'S. 29u PANTMAKERS WANTED FOR READY-MADE work. SAINSBURY BROS., 98

EARN SHORTHAND, TYPEWRITING i and composition; bookkeeping, penman-ship and office practice at London Shorthand School, 256½ Dundas street.

Articles for Sale.

(Advertisements under this heading one cent a word each insertion.)

FOR SALE - TWO STORY FRAME grounds: house to be removed from lot. Tender on or before the 8th inst. to J. H. PHILLIPS, 504 Quebec street. TOR SALE-GOOD YOUNG DRIVING

horse; also buggy and harness. Can be seen 346 Piccadilly street. GGS, EGGS—7HIS IS THE TIME TO produce them abundantly by using Cottom's Poultry Food or Magic Egg Producer. For live stock of every description Cottam's food is undoubtedly the best on the market. For sale by J. S. Pearce & Co., seedsmen, etc., Dundas street. Aak for circular.

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Journal of this day. S. CHADWICK, 419
Dufferin apenue."

NOTICE—"IN WAYS THAT ARE DARK and tricks that are vain" the subscriber's not known as peculiar. My fellow-citizens are advised that they are quite safe as to any efforts on my part to represent Mr. G. W. Gaden, the alleged manager of the so-called London Auer Light Company, limited. Two months exerience with that gentleman was sufficient. sufficient. See my notice in issue of 27th inst S. CHADWICK, 419 Dufferin avenue

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A general meeting of the Liberals of the electoral district of the city of London will be held in the Liberal Club Rooms, Oddfellows' Hall, Monday evening, March 4, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating a candidate to contest the city in the Liberal

interests. "God Save the Queen."

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MOWAT, horse shoer and
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getting along swimmingly.

("Advertiser" Agent, D. McMaster.) Feb. 28.-Rev. D. M. Mihell, of the Adelaide Street Baptist Church, London, will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist Church here next Sunday, March 3. Rev. Mr. Speller will preach anniversary sermous in the Adelaide Street Church the

same Sunday. Mr. Harry Davis, of Wallaceburg, for merly of this town, was united in marriage to Miss Grace McDermid on Wednesday, Feb. 27, at 3 p.m., at the residence of her parents, Lochiel street. Rev. Mr. Farmer, of Wallaceburg, tied the knot. The large number of handsome presents showed the respect in which the young couple were held by all their acquaintances. They will

reside in Wallaceburg. Mr. C. Sanders celebrated his 70th birthday on Friday evening last by a family gathering. Mr. Sanders is still hale and and hearty, and we hope he may be spared to this communty many years yet.

A Conservative convention will be held here early in March to bring out a candidate for the Dominion House. The name of W. J. Hanna, barrister. Sarnia, has been mentioned as the probable choice. The steamer Mary started on her regular

trips between Port Huron and Marine City on Monday morning, Feb. 25. A meeting of the trustees of the hospital funds met Tuesday, Feb. 26, and unanimously agreed to go on with the erection of a hospital as soon as the town council deeded over the old high school building and grounds. This piece of property will

make an excellent place for the purpose in-The "Hard Times" carnival, which was o have taken place at St. Andrew's Rink on Wednesday night, 27th inst., for the benefit of the caretaker, Mr. Wm. Thomas, has been postponed on account of the very mild weather we are having just now. It will be held on Monday evening next,

March 5. D. McMaster, our popular assessor, is making his usual yearly rounds. Mrs. Robinson, wife of Mr. John Rob-Cups and Saucers. Plates. inson, died suddenly at her home on Emeric street, on Monday forencon, in her 59th year. The funeral took place to Lakeview Cemetery on Wednesday afternoon, and was very largely attended. She was a member of the Central Methodist Church | Egg Cups. Platters.

and was universally respected. Mrs. Murdcck, Cameron street, is disposing of all her household furniture by public auction, preparatory to leaving Sarnia.

The Sarnia Turf Club are making preparations for a two-days' meet here on the 24th and 25th of May Mr. James Weston, the painter, who got addy hurt by falling off a scaffold in the badly hurt by falling off a scaffold in the Congregational Church a couple of weeks

ago, is recovering and will be around again

shortly.

We wonder what our Board of Trade are doing in regard to bringing the Forty-Eighth Highlanders from Toronto to help celebarate the Queen's Birthday? A hockey match was played at St. Andrew's Rink on Tuesday evening, 26th,

between Petrolea and Chatham teams. I

was won by the former team by a score of

6 to 4 Mr. A. Hawley is going to erect a greenhouse on his lot, north side of Cromwell A convention of the constables of the county of Lambton met at the police court room, town hall, on Tuesday aftergoods washed by hand. O ders called for and returned promptly. Phone 490. Wood & took the chair, and John Windred, Sarnia's chief of police, was appointed secretary. The object of the meeting was to devise some better method of protecting the community from the committal of crime by the criminal classes and the remuneration | children miss it." of officers undertaking the arrest of

> gate to represent the county at the conon March 1. Mr. R. C. Palmer, high constable of Lambton, was on motion appointed to attend as a delegate. The members of Court Huron, No. 163. I. O. F., intend giving a grand ball and supper in the Oddfellows' Hall, Point Edward, on the night of Thursday, March 21.

criminals; also the appointment of a dele-

The G. T. R. elevator at Point Edward is being repaired and put into shape for next season's business. Louis Comer, an employe of Lawrence's planing mill, had the misfortune to have an auger bore halfway through his wrist on Monday morning. Dr. Johnston dressed

the wound, and the young man will soon he around again. Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Clark, Euphemis street, celebrated their golden wedding on the evening of Tuesday, Feb. 26. Quite a large number of relatives and invited guests were present, and offered the worthy couple their congratulations on the 50th anniversary of their wedding day. Lorne Hive, L. O. T. M., are giving a social at the residence of Mr. Wilkinson,

George street, on Tuesday evening next, March 5.

"ENOCH ARDEN."

(True Till Death.)-By Lord Tennyson. by Mr. Snazelle, at the Opera House on Monday night. Perhaps one of the most arrested last night on a charge, sworn out beautiful poems ever penned is the above. by E. K. Criley, proprietor of the As an example of human self-sacrifice it is Centropolis Hotel, of trying to evade unequaled. A synopsis: Enoch Arden, payment of a \$60 board bill. They "a rough sailor lad," married to Annie, the belle of the village, and after seven years of happy married life compelled to leave his home and go as boatswain on board a vessel eastward bound-wrecked on a raft (with two companions) on a desert islandspending ten years there alone (for his two mates had died). How a ship at last put in for water and took him ofl-how he had forgotten his own language, and how at last they landed him in that same seaside village where "Annie lived and loved him ten long years before," and where "his own dear babes were born." How he went into the country inn (bronzed, bearded and unknown), and heard the story of how his wife, after waiting many weary years, married Phillip, the miller's only son. How he staggers up the village-up his own old garden and sees his old cottage to let, but hears that Phillip and Annie and his and their family have moved-how he goes and peeps in at the window and sees "all the happiness of that hearth"-his resolve to remain unknownhow he works for three years at mending fishing nets and boats, seeing the happiness of Phillip and his wife every day, his

resolve: God help me not to tell her. Never let her know.

How at last he dies-confessing to the old inn keeper who he is, and sending his blessing to them all. This, with the scenic effects and music, including the songs: "My Sweetheart When a Boy," "When I Beheld the Anchor Weighed," "Hosanna in the Highest," "If I Might Look on Her Sweet Face Again," "A Father's Love," should prove enough to pack the Opera Hruse on Monday. Mr. Snazelle has already given London ataste of his worke, so they know, to a certain extent, what to expect.

On the same evening Mr. Snazelle gives 40 scenes from the "Oberammergan Passion Play." On Saturday afternoon he gives a miscel-

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munity should miss it, or above all, let his JOHN L. HAS A FRIEND.

vention to be held at the city of Hamilton | Some New Yorker Sends Him a \$250 Check-His Proposed Reform. JACKSONVILLE, March 1 .- Some friend in New York sent John L. Sullivan la check for \$250 yesterday. He gave John J. Howard \$50 of it to go and get his trunks out of the custody of the sheriff. but Viola Armstrong's lawyer wouldn't take anything short of \$120 and costs. Viola is one of his actresses who is suing

him for back wages. So John has kept his room all day again. He has no change of clothing. Ex-Mayor Howard is trying to come to terms with Col. K. D. Chandler on the latter's proposition to have Sullivan sign the pledge and take the temperance lecture platform. They are not likely to agree. Chandler wants the big end of the deal, and Sullivan thinks that his reputation and the sacrifice he would make in signing the

pledge ought to entitle him to 75 per cent. of the gross receipts.

McKEE RANKIN UNDER ARREST. Accused of Trying to Evade a Kansas

City Hotel Bill. KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 1 .- McKee Rankin, the actor, Barry Fuller, his lead-To be given with 25 tableaux from life, ing man, Miss P. O'Neill, leading lady, and P. T. Johnson, preperty man, were were at once taken before Justice Krueger and committed for trial under bonds of \$100 each. The requisite amount was later furnished by the manager of the theater at which the company is playing. and the quartet permitted to depart. Before supper the hotel people locked the members of the company out of their rooms, and they were compelled to seek

quarters elsewhere. PRINCESS COLONNA'S TROUBLES. A Bailiff Receives Orders to Seize Her

Horses and Carriages. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28.—Private advices from Paris say that new com-plications have entered into the quarrel between Prince and Princess Colonna, which bid fair to prevent any compromise. It will be recalled that to the prince was given by the French courts custody of the children, but the Princess, anticipating the decision, fled to America with her children, bringing them to Southern California and to Monterey. The French judge who gave the decision in the prince's favor greatly angered at the princess' action, and he imposed a fine of 300 francs a day for every day's delay in the restitution of the children.

The execution of this decree has caus-

ed complications and a new lawsuit. A

bailiff received orders to seize the

horses and carriages of the princess at

her Paris establishment. Their value etimated at 20,000 francs, which would

only pay for a trifle over two months' detention of the children. The princess

declares that the seizure is illegal, and her counsel have been instructed to bring suit to declare it invalid. Eminent Irishman Dead.

NEW YORK, March 1 .- Richard O'Gorman, the eminent Irish Nationalist, scholar and orator, died last night at his home in this city in the 75th year of his age. Two years ago he had a severe attack of grip. from which he never fully recovered. laneous selection of the best items from Judge O'Gorman was born in Dublin in his extensive repertoire, and the Melbeurne 1821, and was graduated from Trinity

230-232 Dundas St.

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"DIVORCE REFORM"

Discussed by the National Council of Women-Equality Between the Sexes Desirable.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 28.-The National Council of Women this morning discussed "Divorce Reform," The report on the subject dealt with the conditions of the divorce laws of the country and showed a remarkable variety and even incongruity. It recommended equality between the sexes in all divorce matters. That greater attention should be paid to the welfare of the children and that there should be an attempt to make the laws in the various States more or less uniform until the same could be done. Many delegates took part n the discussion.

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Grennis, president of the National League for the Promotion of Social Purity, favored the appointment of women on all tribunes dealing with mar-

Miss Susan B. Anthony told how she had helped a woman to get free 40 years ago, and since then she had helped other women to freedom. The law, she said, did not prevent people from marrying, then, therefore, should it not give them release? Miss Kate Field said in remedying divorce laws, we ought to begin at the other end and make marriages more diffi-

Rev. Ida C. Hultin, of Illinois, maintained that marriage should be subjected to some educational influences. Boys and girls ought, she said, to be educated for possible fatherhood and motherhood as well as for business and profession.

Rev. Anna Shaw advocated prevention of divorce through teaching young people more about bome and marriage. Too much weight was given in these days to the wordly goods of the parties, and the principal reference to the estimable young lady of New York who is to wed a titled foreigner was that she would ship her money out of this country to the old world. There was no thought that she would ship her sweet young self out of the country. Miss Shaw said she had no more respect for nine-tenths of the marriages than she had for marriage relations established by men and women outside of the marriage

Mrs. May Wright Sewall maintained that women's little cruelties to men were as great as those of men to women. Tyranny was practiced on men in the home. There was too much looking upon the man as the provider. When the man came to be regarded merely as a source of supply he was just as much degraded in his home as woman was in national affairs.

The social courtesies extended to the delegates of the Triennial Council, which have been almost continuous since the body began its sessions two weeks ago, culminated this afternoon in the reception given to the officers and members and the leading representatives of Washington society by Mr. and Mrs. John R. McLean to meet Miss Susan B. Anthony, was presented to several hundred callers, including members of the diplomatic corps, Senate and House of Representatives. The entertainment was one of the most elegant of the season, and noted for its achieve-

ments in a social way. At the evening session of the council speeches in favor of international arbitration were made by the Countess of Aber-deen and Mrs. Belva A. Lockwood.

ACCORDING to a report issued by the Board of Trade, 37 British steamtons, and 144 sailing vessels, with a tonnage of 18,142, were reported as lost in January. The total loss of life was tonnage of 18 total loss of life was tonn ships, with a gross tonnage of 18,509

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West Lambton's Stalwart Representative, J. F. Lister, Renominated.

The Northwest Promises to Do Well by Liberal Candidates - A Protest in Kingston-Trouble Ahead for the Government.

AMHERSTBURG LIBERAL RALLY. AMHERSTBURG, Feb. 28.—Sir Richard Cartwright addressed a large political meeting here last night. In spite of the fact that it rained most of the day, that the roads were muddy and the night dark and cloudy, the town hall here was filled. Mr. Mahlon K. Cowan, the Liberal candidate for South Essex, got a tremendously enthusiastic reception. He handled the fishery question of the Detroit River in an able manner. He said that in 1889 \$138,000 worth of fish was taken on the Canadian side of the Detroit River, while in 1893, according to the Government returns, only \$3,500 worth was taken. While on the American side of Lake Erie 1,500 fishermen are employed, on the Canadian side of Lake Erie only 200 fishermen are employed, and all American newspapers admit that 1894 was the most profitable year their fisher-men ever had, while owing to the restrictions, it was the most disastrous to the Canadians. He explained the question before his audience in such a way that carried his hearers and won him lots of

Sir Richard Cartwright was received with rousing cheers. Why, he asked, is the Government afraid to meet Parliament? Why are they afraid to give an account of their stewardship? Because in three months they have had a deficit of more than the Mackenzie Government had in any one year. If we wait a year we will see a deficit equal to all the deficits during the Mackenzie Administration. They deceived the country with reciprocity when they appealed to the electors last election. They wish to deceive them in the present Floor Oil Cloth, 72 inches state of affairs, and expect to escape acquainting the people how they propose to prove for a six million deficit, which shows the failure of the National Policy. If the elections should turn against the present Government, and a huge deficit is found in 1894, they would be the first to 122c, 15c PAIR blame the Liberal Government for the deficit of which their acts were the cause.

KINGSTON PETITION. A petition against the return of the Hon. Mr. Harty as member for Kingston in the Legislative Assembly for Ontario, elected at the recent bye-election, has been filed at Osgoode Hall. Mr. Harty's majority was

432. Thos. Moncreif, the petitioner, makes the usual charges of corrupt practices, and alleges moreover that students of Queen's College, not properly domiciled at Kingston, were allowed to cast ballots for Mr. Harty, and that ballot papers were given to voters bearing the name of Mr. Harty only, and not that of the other can-

THE LISTS TO BE READY MARCH 31. The Dominion Government has ordered he Queen's Printer to have the lists completed by March 31. The conclusion from this order also serves to confirm the prediction that voting will be fixed for a date early in April, probably between the 1st

IN THE NORTHWEST. Reports from Manitoba state that the Liberals are very confident of defeating Hon. T. M. Daly in Brandon. Their candidate is Charles Spiers, a well-to-do farmer of Griswold, who was until a few years ago a Conservative. He is a fluent speaker. A Patron candidate, Mr. Posthle waite, is also in the field.

In Macdonald, one of the new constituencies, the Liberals and Patrons have nominated the same man-Robt. Ferguson, a Carberry farmer. Mr. N. Boyd, M. P. for Marquette, will undcubtedly be the Conservative candidate.

THE PATRONS AND THE TEMPLARS. The Winnipeg council of the Royal Templars of Temperance has passed a resolution repudiating the recent action of the Grand Council in resolving to support the Patrons.

Je F. LISTER FOR WEST LAMBTON. SARNIA, Feb. 28.—The convention of the Liberal party of West Lambton was held here teday in the Boy's Brigade Hall, and was attended by deleg a from all parts of the riding. J. F. Lister, the present member, was unanimously elected as the Reform candidate. The attendance was very large, and the meeting was addressed by the candidate, Mr. Campbell, M.P., of Kent, and afterwards by Sir Richard Cartwright, who gave a speech of an hour and a half duration, dealing principally with the public debt, the deficit, the tariff, and economical matters in general. He was rapturously applauded on entering the hall and received a most interested and attentive hearing. The convention was the most largely attended in years.

TROUBLE FOR THE GOVERNMENT. TORONTO, Feb. 28 .- The Evening News (Conservative) says: The almost official announcement that the Government has decided to grant remedial legislation in the matter of the Manitoba schools has aroused indignation throughout Ontario. Steps are now being taken to give effect to this feeling in the most striking manner possible. The proposal is to hold a mass meeting in Massey Hall next week. Those who have the matter in charge are in earnest, and a demonstration that will eclipse even the Laurier meeting may be looked for.

Mr. George Haddow is the Liberal candidate for the Commons for Restigouche,

The Qictoria, B. C., Times says that the day is past when the farmer can be convinced that he is benefited by pro-

The workingmen of the city of Winnipeg have formed an independent labor party for the purpose of selecting suitable men from amongst themselves to the Do-minion House of Parliament, the Local

Legislature and the City Council.

Mr. Ferguson, the Liberal nominee for Macdonald, has decided, so the Winnipeg Free Press is informed, to remain in the field, and in spite of his present indisposition is preparing for a vigorous cam-

A deputation of Liberals from Gaspe have requested Mr. L. E. Morin, formerly president of the Chamber de Commerce, to

at its meeting Wednesday night adepted a long report favoring the pushing for legis-lation in favor of the eight-hour move-ment. The question of putting a candi-date in the field at the next Dominion elections was decided but nothing done.

CANADIAN PILLS ABROAD.

A Specific Which is Obtaining a Foothold in Fereign Countries. TORONTO, March 1. - Among the firement

of orders which weekly pour into the offices of the Dodd's Medicine Company (Limited), in this city are many from Anesta, Great
Britain, Germany and other countries.
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Pills in cases of Britain's change and concomitant allments have been brought to the attention of friends abroad by patients who were cured here, they in turn have called the attention of their acquaintances to the marvelous effects resultant from the use of the pills until now there is a steady and growing demand for the specific, and each foreign mail exhibits an increase i

NYE ON IMAGINATION.

HE TELLS OF A SPECIALLY FINE IN-STANCE IN WASHINGTON-

The Police and the Dead Dog-A Hidden Crime and the Consequences-How a Fresh Air Crank Enjoyed Sound Sleep in a Pullman Car.

Last summer a mysterious crime occurred in K street, northwest, Washington, D.C., which was never given to the public. On a sultry midsummer day a man might have been seen glancing furtively about in that neighborhood as if to see if any one might be observing him, while under his arm and partly concealed he carried



an inanimate, cold and pulseless body. The servant who saw him from the window of an upper story near by thought it looked like the body of a deceased dog. While she watched him from behind a closed shutter he dexterously concealed his burden beneath the shrubbery in the adjoining grounds and fled on swift pinions, so to speak, being soon lost to view.

In a couple of days the neighboring servants began to complain of the odor and as the owner of the grounds whereupon the body had been deposited was away temporarily it was suggested that the boys who played on the adjoining grounds every day should get over the hedge and secure the remains, so that they might be entombed.

The boys crept up towards the shrubbery with patient clothespins on their noses, but could not approach nearer than twenty-five feet, though they could see the still, calm features of the little pet through the green leaves of the current bushes. Evidently in life it had been a watch dog. and even in death it succeeded in keeping the boys away from the fruit. It was kind of touching to see the little dumb brute lie there so still in death, yet so eloquent withal that even his voiceless clay made people pay attention. The boys came back to report that the

dog seemed to crave that part of Washington mostly for himself, and that he was not only contented with his lot, but desired most of it for his own use.

By and by the neighbors got uneasy about their health. Washington gets pretty hot in summer, and even a moderate-sized dog under the genial rays of an August sun will attract more adverse criticism sometimes than the Administration. This one did.

So a lady on the corner, whose house and grounds are next door to where the dog seemed to be taking place, sent word to the Police Department, asking that a cart and a good offhand memorial orator be sent up to K street.

Meantime the owner returned to his residence, and the lady who lives next door went over to speak to him about how his animal was violating a city ordinance on those grounds. Before she could get at the subject, however, the owner's son came along from the garden with a lifesized china dog.

"There," said the father, "I thought I had concealed that china dog in the currant bushes, where it wouldn't be found any more, but he's gone and discovered

"Is that the dog that has been there in the bushes the past two weeks?"

"Well, the police will be here after it in s few minutes."

"Why?" "Well, we thought we could smell it a good deal lately, and people threatened to move away if the police didn't do something with it. Some of my friends said that the odor kept them awake nights. One family whose home is at Constable Hook, N.J., and who are used to the clover-scented air of Elizabeth and the

Standard oil works, moved away yesterday on account of it." And soon afterwards the police did come along to relieve the neighborhood of the poisonous and pestilential odor of a china dog. This is a true story told me by one of the victims. Imagination is a great thing. I have

lessness on a Pullman car at night, raise a window and sleep sweetly all night, for-getting that it was a double window. Thirty years ago I wrote a composition upon "The Powers of Imagination," and I then said: "The powers of imagination are certainly many and wonderful." Pungent

seen a fresh-air crank, after hours of rest-

and radical as this statement seemed to me at the time, I can say now truly, even present himself against L. Z. Joncas, editor of L'Evenement, and the present mem after the flight of years, that I see no reason for changing my mind.

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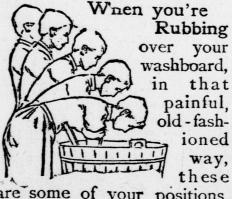
TORONTO, Feb. 28.-R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly statement of business in Canada says: The millinery openings and more spring-like weather have had a stimulating effect on millinery and similar lines at Toronto. The volume of business is said to be satisfactory, but profits are restricted on keen competition. The movement of staple drygoods is small. A large number of wholesale merchants seem to expect a general improvement in trade in the

Reports from the country are that the late heavy falls of snow is impeding traffic. Grain is coming out slowly, and prices in consequence are higher. Some large shipments of eggs to the States are reported within the week, and the prices have a firmer tone. The butter bounty has had but a slight influence on the market. Supplies have increased, and prices close weak.

The failures for the week are 38 as against 42 for the corresponding week of last year.

AN EXHIBITION of life in Africa will open shortly in London. It will include a complete Somali village, comprising 80 native hunters, with their huts and appliances; 25 African hunting horses, 25 racing dromedaries and specimens all the wild and tame animals of British East Africa.

CHRISTIANS at Trebizond, which enjoys the reputation of being the second commercial city in the Turkish Empire, has just experienced a narrow escape from masacre. The Turkish in-habitants, influenced by religious zeal, had arranged that the whole of the Ar-menians in the city should be butchered in one night in the style of the massacre of St. Bartholomew. The commander of the Turkish troops, however, heard of the contemplated murder and took prompt measures to avert the ter-



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God's in His heaven, All's right with the world. -Browning.

-If I wanted examples or precepts of art I would go to France; if I wanted philosophical counsels I would go to Germany; but for means of government, for all economic principles, I go to the land of sound government, and common sense, Old England. (Cheers.) It is from that land that I take my theories, and upon that platform-between friend and foe, speaking here tonight-upon that platform, exemplified as I have told you, the Liberal party of Canada will fight the next battle whenever the next battle may at Montreal.

-Another cold wave is on the way east. Take care of your pipes.

-Some of the defenders of the high tax policy are getting very ugly in temper. It is a good sign. Keep them on the defensive and on the run.

-The Ingersoll Tribune (Conservative) asserts that the candidature of Sir Richard Cartwright would be a howling farce.

So far we have discovered no citizen of London who does not look with suspicion upon the census returns. The names of the owners of the alleged 800 odd "factories" in London were promised over two years ago, but so far they have been withheld. It is scarcely necessary to ask, Why?

-Whatever may be said with regard to the position of Canadian literature, it is rather interesting to note that the chief places in the magazines of the United States are now given to Canadian writers of short poems. The four contributors who take first rank-they make a splendid quartet-are Roberts, Campbell, Bliss Carman and Lamp-

-A letter from Winnipeg says that Hugh John Macdonald, son of the late Conservative leader, will not agree to run for Winnipeg with the prospect of becoming Minister of the Interior. Mr. Macdonald has no liking for political life, and less liking for entering an Administration that must very soon give charges made in Parliament at all, and place to others. Hugh John has sized up the situation, and he will not join the leaky ship of state even in the capacity of First Mate,

THE CENSUS GERRYMANDERED ALSO.

It is now explained by an apologist for the men who have been in power at Ottawa in recent years that the reason that the census returns for London are defective, so far as omitting oil refineries and other industries existing here is concerned, lies in the fact that only four wards are included in the census headed "London." That is to say, the city is gerrymandered for census purposes as well as for electoral purposes.

Suppose a stranger takes up the census volume, No. 3, in which are the only details regarding the factories of the city, he naturally imagines that he is finding the whole facts with regard to London He will be misled, the importance of the city will be detracted from, for in reality he only finds returns for the four wards in the center of The wiseacres at Ottawa credit East and South Middlesex with the factories to be found in wards 5 and 6, and as these two wards have a population all told of over 10,000 people it can readily be seen how the importance of the city is dwarfed in consequence. We submit that even if the people of London are not permitted to vote together, as they do in the Provincial elections-if a third of them are drafted into the gerrymandered county constituencies in order to try to defeat the will of the people—that is no valid excuse for reducing the importance of this splendid industrial and commercial center by printing the statistics of four wards, defective though they may be, as the statistics of

The system of breaking up county and city boundaries in order to hive one political party or the other is all wrong, as the late Sir John Macdon- forth are true." ald at one time freely admitted. But it is no worse than the system of following the gerrymandered constituencies in making up the census returns. Every citizen who is for London first, we care not what his political views, must reprovided for in the third volume of the paper apologist says that Judge Elliot

PARD.

When Mr. E. E. Sheppard came to London to speak in favor of Mr. Essery, the Conservative leader, three months ago, our city contemporary could scarcely find words strong enough to point out his ability as a statesman and an orator. But when it is shown that even so strong a Conservative as Mr. Sheppard denounced the theft of Mr. Hyman's seat, the Free Press declares that Mr. E. E. Sheppard is not a Conservative at all!

circles these days than in a first-class south of Europe vendetta.

A SPECIMEN BRICK. J. D. Edgar, M.P., in a recent speech in the Dominion House of Commons,

"One of the first effects of the Nation-

al Policy on the cotton trade was to hold forth the promise of such exorbitant profits to those engaged in the business that there was a rush into it, people almost losing their heads in their anxiety to invest their capital in the business. The honest, solid money of the investors of Canada was put into the cotton trade to twice the extent required for legitimate business, so that our limited market induced competition which for a time inured to the benefit of the consumer, but ultimately inured to the ruin of the investor. In various parts of this Dominion there are people who lost 25, 50, 70, even 100 per cent of their investments for some years in the cotton business, under the system which the honorable member for Haldimand is defending here tonight. That was one of the first evils which the high protective tariff inflicted upon this industry. And, sir, what happened then? Naturally, what always happens in similar cases The stronger financial corporations held on, and they froze out or wrecked the smaller and weaker concerns, and a short time ago those remaining formed a combine, and that combine stands today in full force and operation, under the protecting aegis of that high tariff on cotton goods which the honorable member for Haldimand has so brilliantly pictured as a blessing and a benison upon this country. Why, sir, how can men in their senses possibly become. (Cheers.)—Hon. Wilfrid Laurier lieve that legitimate profits alone could have enabled the Dominion Cotton Company to increase its stock last September from \$1,500,000 to \$3,000,000 at one swoop? Of that increase of \$1,500,000, all except \$150,000 was pure, unmitigated limpid water-and sugar, I suppose and the remaining \$1,350,000 the original stockholders have put in their pockets out of the enormous profits that they have already made, and out of the anticipated profits under this tariff."

This Dominion cotton combine, which is backing the men now in power at Ottawa, recently declared a dividend of W. W. Buchanan, of Hamilton, against | 8 per cent, besides laying away a nestegg of many thousands of dollars. This is the company which, according to the last Dominion census returns, was paying its 180 hands in the Brantford mill an average of \$4 25 per week each. This is the company which, according to the Expositor, twice within a year decreased the wages of the employes because of hard times. And it is for results such as these that the high tax policy is maintained! The country needs a A Big Lumber Fire Near Ottawa - Loss

> THE CHARGES AND THE BURK-ING OF INQUIRY.

How is this for a denial of the charge made in the House of Commons, by responsible members of Parliament, that Judge Elliot acted as political editor of the London Free Press while the London Seat Steal question was before him? Says the Free Press, after a long

"The Free Press is responsible for its own editorials, and has never for one moment suggested or hinted that Judge Elliot penned one line in its columns relative to the appeal votes. The assertion by the "Advertiser" does not prove the fact or even suggest a suspicion of

It will be observed that our contemporary's denial is no denial of the no defense of the suppression of all inquiry into the iniquity. The charges made in Parliament recited the fact that the voters' list was purged of the bogus votes by Mr. James H. Fraser, revising officer; that the Court of Queen's Bench and the Court of Appeal decided that the bogus votes were properly struck off, and that Judge Elliot, contrary to British precedent, refused to respect the decision he professed to have waited for. Then the charges pro-

"The said William Elliot, during the said elections and while the said apwere pending before him, contributed editorially and also under an assumed name to the London Free Press newspaper article of a violent and partisan character bearing upon the said revision of the voters' lists and political questions of the day, and particularly upon the said election for the said electoral district and in the support of the candidature of the said Car-

ling and against the said Hyman.
"After the said election and before deciding said appeals, the said William Elliot, in strong and violent language, denounced the said Hyman and his supporters, and stated to several electors of the said city that the said Carling would certainly get the seat in the House of Commons for the said elector-

al district. "That the conduct of the said William Elliot in writing the said newspaper articles, pending the said appeals, and in making the said oral declarations, by over-ruling the judgment of the said Queen's Bench Division and the express decision of the said judges of the Court of Appeal, shows him to be a violent political partisan, incapable of giving an honest or unbiassed judgment on the

subject matter of such appeals. "In view of the foregoing facts, your petitioners submit that the said William Elliot was wholly unfit to exercise judicial functions in the matter of such appeals to him, and that he subordinated his position as a judge to his desires as an active and bitter partisan, and that his continuance in the position of a judge in the future, owing to his extreme partisanship, will tend to destroy public confidence in the administration of justice; and on this account your petitioners pray your honorable House to do justice in the matter

herein complained of. "Your petitioners are in a position to prove that the statements above set

Our contemporary says that these charges were not explicit enough, therefore they were burked. Could accusations be more explicit? Judge Elliot has put many a man on his trial under charges not half so plain. The newssent the belittlement of London as it is charges not half so plain. The newsnever had the charges handed to him. assist digestion, cure her

REPUDIATION OF MR. E. E. SHEP- | Whose blame was that? They were published in every reputable journal in the Province as part of the proceedings in Parliament. Judge Elliot saw them. But he and his friends objected to an investigation of the charges. He and they preferred to lie under them rather than have all the facts surrounding the Seat Steal revealed under oath, and their conduct was condemned by every independent Liberal and Conservative journal in the Province, as it had a right to be. What view can honest, in-There is more "knifing" in high tax dependent electors hold regarding the question? Assuredly that held by Chief Justice Hagarty, Chief Justice Armour, Mr. Justice Street, Mr. Justice Maclennan, Mr. Justice Falconbridge and Mr. Justice Burton, every one of whom, having no special interest in the London election, declared that Judge Elliot's law and Judge Elliot's justice were both wrong, and that it would be an "intolerable scandal" if the ends of justice were defeated by contentions such as were set up by him in favor of counting the votes struck off the list by Mr. Jas. H. Fraser, Conservative revising officer.

JANET CARLYLE HANNING. In writing from Comely Bank Farm, Halton county, Ontario, on behalf of Mrs. Janet Carlyle Hanning, Margaret L. Leslie says that Mrs. Hanning still has good health and greatly enjoys reading the Times being one of her first favorites. Quite a large number of admirers of Carlye's works have recently called on Mrs. Hanning, now the only living member of Carlyle's family. The philosopher was the eldest and Mrs.

Hanning the youngest.

toms at Vancouver.

ALL IN THE FAMILY. Sir Mackenzie Bowell may not have shown sufficient anxiety to "flee the wrath to come" to qualify himself for active membership in the Methodist Church, but he has evidently given his best consideration to that portion of Paul's epistle to Timothy which says: But if any provided not for his own, and especially for those of his own house, he hath denied the faith, and is worse than an infidel." The following is a list of the near relatives of the present Premier who have been appointed to office: John M. Bowell, son, collector of cus-

Charles J. Bowell, son, clerk, Toron-W. J. Bowell, brother, postmaster at Tweed.

James Reid, brother-in-law, assistant postmaster at Belleville. John G. Moore, brother-in-law, mail clerk. Manitoba.

lector at Whitby, Collector Carson being superannuated against his wishes a few months ago to make a place for Dr. Hickey, cousin, superintendent of

Williamsburg Canal, an office recently created. Thomas Hickey, cousin, customs de-

partment, Manitoba, now in the United States. Thomas Patterson, father-in-law of John M. Bowell, appraiser of customs, Ottawa.-Hamilton Times.

SEVEN ACRES BURNED.

\$100,000.

OTTAWA, Ont., March 1.-Ironsides, near Chelsea, up the Gatineau, was all aglow last night from an immense fire that swallowed up between five and six million feet of lumber in Messrs. Gilmour & Hughson's big yard. The fire started in the piles at the north side of the gully, quite close to the center of the village. It was noticed first by Mrs. Samuel Demeras. She notified her husband, and he ran to the office of the company. He smashed in the door and telephoned to the members of the firm in this city and at the quarters at Chel-He then ran back, and to his astonishment saw fresh footprints in the snow leading from the main road to the They were those of a person who had walked to the spot and ack again. The fire spread rapidly Nothing could be done to check it, there eing no fire protection. The flames eaped from pile to pile, and it soon became apparent that the conflagration was approaching in magnitude to the great fire which took place at Gilmour's yard at that place about 23 years ago, The lumber destroyed was piled along the shore of the Gatineau river from the gully northwards, and covered an area

of between six and seven acres. The estimated quantity destroyed is over five million feet, valued in the neighborhood of \$100,000. A considerable quantity belonged to the Oswego Lumber Company, some to McArthur & Co., of Quebec, and the balance to the offices of the yard. It is all partly insured.

ROSEBERY SLEEPLESS. LONDON, March 1.-Lord Rosebery passed another sleepless night, but otherwise his condition is much improved.

THE OLD, OLD STORY. LONDON, March 1 .- A dispatch to the Globe says: "A battle was fought near Ta Ping Shang on Feb. 24, in which the Chinese suffered defeat.

LONDON, March 1.—A Central News dispatch from Tokio dated Feb. 27 says: Field Mashal Oyama reports that on the morning of Feb. 24 the first division of the Japanese army about Kaihing defeated the enemy at Ta Hing Shan.

"In the afternoon of the same day a force of 13,000 of the enemy with twelve guns began an attack from Pumataz Tonchahotz and Faoyamaim. After a heavy cannonade we attacked their center at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and repulsed them, driving them toward Kingcow. Our loss was 20 killed and 250 wounded, including seven officers. The enemy lost 200 killed. The number of their wounded is unknown. The natives state that the Chinese came in full force, 20,000 strong, led by Gens. Sung Ma, Shang and Chang Sung."

GERMANY'S POOR NAVY. BERLIN, March 1 .- The debate on the Naval Bill was continued in the Reichstag today. Chancellor Von Hohenlohe declared that the proposed increase of the number of cruisers was necessary for the efficient protection of German transocean commerce. Other nations had surpassed Germany in the technical construction and armanent of their vessels. Many of Germany's ships which a few years ago were in good condition were now of no value. "We condition were now of no value. will not create a great navy," the Chancellor said, "but will merely preserve what we have. My dreams have been aimed at a great German navy crossing these ocean, but these dreams have vanished in view of the condition of the Reichstag and the state of our fin-

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Present Mr. Atwell Fleming With Handsome Masonic Ring on the Occasion of his Leaving the Establishment.

The employes of the "Advertiser" job printing department assembled in the composing room last evening, and then requested the presence of Mr. Atwell Fleming from the office. Mr. Fleming was very much surprised to see the gathering, and before he had quite made up his mind whether or not a strike was in progress Mr. Wm. W. Wright proceeded to read the following address, which explains itself:

"To Atwell Fleming, Esq., Superintendent "Advertiser" Job Department: "Dear Sir,—We, the employes of the above department, on this the eve of your retirement from amongst us, feel that we cannot allow you to depart without a slight expression of our esteem and affection for you, and thanking you for your unvarying kindness and sympathy which for the past nine teen years you have so cordially extended to us. We respectfully ask you to accept this ring merely as a symbol of our unity, not only in the past, but also in the future; for, though separated from us, we shall ever remember you as a fellow-worker, not ashamed of that noble profession, the 'Art Preservative of all Arts,' for the elevating of which you have always striven with such untiring zeal.

"Kindly tendering you best wishes for your future prosperity and success, and hoping that you and Mrs. Fleming may both be spared a long, peaceful and happy life, we remain." The address was signed by Mr. Lewis

Clark, Wm. W. Wright and their fellow-employes in the job department. When that portion of the address, "we respectfully ask you to accept this ring," was read. Mr. Lewis Clark step-ped forward and placed on Mr. Fleming's finger a beautiful Masonic ring. The square and compass were set with small diamonds, which, standing out in relief against the dark surface of the ring, had a very pretty effect.

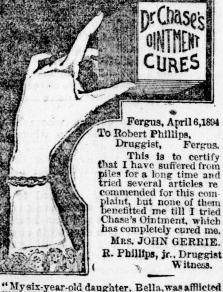
Mr. Fleming was very much moved as he proceeded to reply, saying that he had not realized until that moment how hard it would be to say good-bye. It was true, as their very kind words stated, that he had been in the position of superintendent of the department for nineteen years, and as a matter of fact he had always, as far as lay in his power, done his best as between the office and the men. (Hear, hear.) He had never tried to give either one or the other the advantage, and had endeavor-ed to do what he considered right. He J. R. Philp, brother-in-law, mail col- had to thank them cordially for their very kind expression of esteem, and he would cherish their beautiful gift as long as he lived; and after that he hoped to hand it over to one of his boys who would probably wear it after him, and he could tell him that that was what the boys of the "Advertiser" job department thought of his father. Again he thanked them.

On the under surface of the ring is the following inscription: "Atwell Fleming. From job hands, "Advertiser" office, London. Feb. 28, '95."

As the foregoing indicates, Mr. Fleming has received an attractive offer to engage in business in Toronto, and he has accordingly resigned the position which he has occupied with credit to himself and satisfaction to the "Advertiser" directorate, and the many thousands with whom he has come in contact during the nineteen years that he has held it. It is perhaps superfluous for us to say that Mr. Fleming takes his departure with the best wishes for his future success, not only of the department of which he has been the head, but of every department in the "Advertiser" establishment. While parting with him with regret, his many friends in business and fraternal society circles will be delighted to hear of his brilliant prospects, while satisfied that his character and ability will enable him to take full advantage of them.

POISON plays an important part in social relations in the Punjab, judging from a recent report which, for the year 1893, gives a total of 498 cases of homicide by poison and 238 cases of poisoning of cattle. Opium is the favorite means of suicide. When it is a question of killing some one else, arsenic and datura are the preferred agents. For cattle arsenic and the poisonous seeds of a native plant are employed.

Mr. Fleming went to Toronto today.



"Mysix-year-old daughter, Bella, was afflicted with eczema for 24 months, the principal seat of eruption being behind her ears. I tried almost every remedy I saw advertised, bought innumerable medicines and soaps, and took the child to medical specialists in skin diseases, but without result. Finally, a week ago, I purchased a box of Dr. Chase's Ointment, and the first application showed the curative effect of the Remedy. We have used only one-sixth of the box, but the change is very marked; the eruption has all disappeared, and I can confidently say my child is cured. (Signed) MAXWELL JOHNSTON 112 Anne St., Torento 6 112 Anne St., Toronto &

Sold by all dealers, or on receipt of price, 60c. Address, EDMANSON, BATES & CO., TORONTO.

LEADING HOTELS.



On account of increased patronage it has been found necessary to enlarge this popular hotel, which has been done by the

ADDITION OF 75 ROOMS. elegantly furnished (en suite), with baths. The latest exposed sanitary plumbing adopted throughout. The Rossin is the largest hotel in the Province, having accommodation for 500 guests, and is the only one in Toronto complete in all its appointments.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY

MARCH 1

We must make room for large importations of new goods to arrive in a few days. This Bargain Day will find our counters and tables loaded with desirable seasonable gooods, which will not be with us long at the prices marked. Read the following list. In addition you will find many bargains on sale not mentioned here.

CHAPMAN'S,

1st-8 pieces only Tweed Mixed Dress Goods, new goods, on Friday fo

2nd-5 pieces Whipcord Dress Goods, regular price 25c, for 15c.

3rd-6 pieces 42-inch Cashmere, regular price 25c, Bargain Day price 121/2c 4th-3 pieces Canvas Serge, worth 25c, today for 19c.

5th-20 pairs Lace Curtains, 31/2 yards long, great value for \$1 pair, on Bargain Day for 75c.

6th-5 pieces Broche Dress Goods, regular price 10c, for 5c.

7th—16 pieces All-wool Debiege, in grays, browns and two-toned effects, good value at 35c, for 25c. 8th-3 pieces Fancy Black Dress Goods, worth 75c, 85c and \$1 per yard,

your choice for 59c on Friday. 9th—One table of Gimps and Trimming, worth 10c, 15c, 20c and 25c per yard, your choice on Friday for 5c.

10th-1 piece Navy Blue Serge, regular price 45c, for 25c. 11th—One table of Assorted Dress Goods, worth 50c, 60c and 75c, your

choice at 25c per vard. 12th—White Honeycomb Quilts, very large size, with fringe, regular price

13th-7 pieces Shaker Flannel, wide width, in plain pink and gray, and stripes, worth 71/2c, for 5c.

14th-5 pairs only extra large White Blankets, union warp, unshrinkable, full 8 pounds in weight, worth \$3 25, for \$2 75.

15th-Silk Embroidered Table Covers, 2 yards square, all wool, worth \$1 75, for \$1 29. 16th—10 pieces Unbleached Cotton, 40 inches wide, worth 71/2c, for 6c.

17th—Heavy Twill Sheeting, 36 inches wide, worth 10c, for 81/2c. 18th-3 pieces Heavy Canton Flannel, worth 13c, for 10c.

19th-3 pieces All-wool Navy Serge, for boys' suits, worth 38c, for 30c. 20th-6 pieces fine Flannelette Shirting, in stripes and checks, worth 20c, on Friday for 14c.

21st-5 pieces Heavy Dark Tweed, for boys' suits, worth 65c, for 50c. 22nd-12 pairs Pure Wool Blankets, large size, 6 pounds in weight, worth \$3, for \$2 25.

23rd-Ladies' All-wool Cashmere Hose, worth 25c pair, on Friday for 20c. 24th-Boys' Heavy All-wool Hose, ribbed, worth 22c, for 16c.

25th-Boys' Heavy Ribbed All-wool Hose, worth 25c, for 19c.

26th-Children's Plain Wool Hose, worth 20c, for 15c.

27th—Ladies' Colored Kid Gloves, worth \$1 25, on Friday for 75c. 28th-Ladies' Black Cashmere Gloves, fleece-lined, worth 25c, for 19c.

29th-White Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth 18c, for 2 for 25c. 30th-Ladies' Heavy All-wool Ribbed Vests, worth 75c, for 63c. 31st-Ladies' Fine Scotch Lambswool Drawers, worth \$1 35, Friday for \$1.

32nd-Ladies' Corsets, large sizes, worth 75c and \$1, Friday for 50c. 33rd-Children's Embroidery Collars, worth 25c, for 16c each.

34th—Ladies' White Night Robes, worth 6oc, for 45c. 35th—Your choice of 38 Men's Ulsters, worth from \$8 to \$12, for \$6 50.

36th—Your choice of 59 Men's Overcoats, worth \$10, for \$5 50.

37th-Your choice of 31 Men's Overcoats, worth \$4 50, for \$1 95.

38th-Youths' Tweed Overcoats, worth \$4 50, for \$2 75.

39th-Men's Tweed Suits, worth \$11, Friday for \$7 95. 40th-Men's Tweed Suits, worth \$7 50, Friday for \$5.

41st-Young Men's Black Worsted Coats and Vests, worth \$10, for \$6.

42nd—Children's Tweed Suits, worth \$2 50, today for \$1 35.

43rd—Men's Tweed and Worsted Pants, worth \$4, for \$2 50.

44th-Men's Tweed Pants, worth \$2 50, for \$1 75.

45th-Men's Heavy Working Pants, worth \$2, for \$1 40. 46th-Men's Strong Serge Pants, worth \$1 50, for 98c.

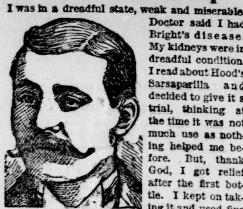
MARCH 1st, 1895, marks the commencement of our 17th business year. Nothwithstanding the depression of trade, and the scarcity of cash, our business has rapidly increased. No one, in or out of the trade, will dispute for a moment the fact that we control today the largest retail drygoods trade in London. This is due largely to the fact that the respectable purchasing public, in and out of the city, have confidence in us and our methods of conducting business. We thank you for your appreciation of our efforts and ask for a continuation of the liberal patronage bestowed upon us, which we shall strive more than ever to

On Friday

We shall commence our seventeenth business year in a way that should be appreciated by our many patrons. Inspection solicited.

126-128 DUNDAS STREET.

After the Grip



Doctor said I had Bright's disease My kidneys were in dreadful condition. I read about Hood's Sarsaparilla and decided to give it a trial, thinking at the time it was not much use as nothing helped me before. But, thank God, I got relief after the first bottle. I kept on taking it and used five

Mr. Joshua Smith a cured man; never felt better. I owe my life to Hood's Sarsaparilla. JOSHUA SMITH, 201 Market Street, Brantford, Ontario

Hood's same Cures Hood's Pills cure nausea and biliousness.

WON BY A LONDON BOY.

Chas. Griffiths Gets the Elgin, Middlesex and Oxford Skating Championship Cup-Other Sporting

Events.

SKATING.

GRIFFITHS' SUCCESS A AYLMER. Chas. Griffiths and Bert Thomas, the two fastest skaters of this city, went to Aylmer last night and competed in the skating tournament. The race for the three mile championship of Elgin, Middlesex and Oxford counties brought out Griffiths and Thomas, of London, and Ladd, of Aylmer. Thomas held the lead until the third last lap, when he had the misfortune to fall, giving Griffiths the lead, which he easily maintained to the finish. Thomas finished second and Ladd third. Time, 10:40. Griffiths' victory brings him a magnificent silver cup, on which is engraved:

Three-mile championship, Middlesex and Oxford, Aylmer, Ont., Feb. 28, 1892.

In the one mile open event Thomas had the lead, but an attempt to look behind proved disastrous to him, as he fell and lost his place and the race. Griffiths won, Thomas second, Ladd third. London new has two champion skaters-Thomas, the holder of the three-mile local championship, and Griffiths, his new honor. The race at the Westminster rink tonight between the two flyers will probably be very

THE TURF.

ROCHESTER HANGS UP \$20,000. ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 28.-The Rochester Driving Park Association will offer \$20,000 in special prizes for the meeting which is set down for Aug. 19 to 23. The old Flower City \$10,000 purse for trotters eligible in the 2:23 class will be revived, be divided into five purses. BASEBALL.

LEAGUE UMPIRES-BOB EMSLIE IS ONE. NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—The National League of Baseball Clubs resumed its session today. President Young announced the following list of umpires: McDonald, Keefe, Lynch, McQuaid, Emslie and Betts. One more will be appointed later. CURLING.

OTTAWA. Feb. 28.—In the final match for the Governor-General's curling prize played here today the two rinks of the Caledonians of Montreal defeated the Heathers of Montreal by 27 to 25.

IMPORTANT DISCOVERY.

A Quebec Blacksmith Succeeds in Tempering Aluminum.

QUEBEC, Feb. 28. - The successful tempering of aluminum, so as to give it the consistency of iron, is the triumph of F. Allard, the Levis blacksmith, whose rediscovery of the lost Egyptian art of hardening copper startled the mechanical world three or four years ago.

He has made and hardened a cannon 28 inches long by 5 inches in diameter, which has just been tested in the presence of Col. Spence, the American consul, and a number of others, with success. The metal of the gun outside the bore is only a quarter of an inch thick. A charge consisting of a pound of powder was fired out of this without any appreciable effect upon it. Allard has been asked to manufacture a cannon twelve feet long for direct shipment to Washington.

W. O. Fair Managers.

TORONTO, Feb. 28 .- The eighth annual Association of Fair Managers was opened today. C. R. Smith, Hamilton, presided. The following officers were elected: President, C. R. Smith, Hamilton; first vicepresident, E. Jackson, Newmarket; second vicespresident, J. Q. Murphy, Simcoe; secretary-treaserer, Alex. McFarlan, Otter-

Big Blaze in Montreal.

MONTREAL, Feb. 28 .- A disastrous fire broke out tonight in the premises of S. Harris & Co., furriers, corner of St. Peter and Lamoine streets. A valuable stock of furs was stored on the premises, and they were badly damaged. Total loss is estimated as about \$40,000; covered by insurance.

-The following list of patents, recently granted to inventors residing in Canada, is reported for the London ADVERTISER by P. J. Edmunds, international patent solicitor, London, Ont .: Canada patents, John White, London, Ont., file tooth wire; Geo. B. Moore, London, Ont., improvements in the process of refining petroleum (two patents). United States patents-J. H. Beamer, Brampton, Out., fruit cleaner: W. O. Gottwals, Ottawa, Ont., letter and bill file (patent sold); E. E. Horton, Toronto, Ont., tire; Chas. J. Stuart, Montreal, Que., projectile; S. Hyman, Montreal, Que., cigars (trade mark); A. E. White, Dutton, Ont., improved door knob.
British patents—A. E. White, Dutton,
Ont., improved door knob.

IF THE DOG WAGS

sign he won't bite you. You judge by appearance and profit by the experience of others. Plenty of men tell on Dundas street drop in at number 2021/2 and get a

HUGH LOVELESS

Death of Robert Hewson.

Important Developments at the Coroner's Inquest.

Hewson Told His Boarding-House Keeper That He Was Married,

And Had a Wife and Two Children in Detroit-On Saturday He Tried to Borrow 55 Cents, But Had a Roll of Bills on Monday-The Cane He Carried on Monday Night Missing-Inquiry Adjourned Till Tuesday.

THE INQUEST.

The adjourned inquest into the tragic and mysterious death of Robert Hewson on the C. P. R. tracks on Monday night was resumed before Coroner Flock at the police station last evening. At 7:30, the hour for starting, there was a large and interested crowd present. It gradually increased as the time went on, and the room was soon filled. A glance over the spectators would have impressed one with the idea that the whole staff of the Wolseley Barracks was in attendance, but the turnof the old soldiers merely went to prove that the redcoats were very eager to hear all the latest developments in the lamented death of their late comrade, "Corporal Bob."

The jurymen were all present except Mr. Dan Donaldson, but his absence was caused through illness. The disclosures in the evidence were at times startling, and will more firmly convince the suicide theorists that their belief is true. The statement of Mrs. Weston, the keeper of Hewson's boarding house, showed that the unfortunate young man had frequently admitted that he was married and the father of two children, but had secured a legal separation from his wife on certain grounds, which, however, were not made public. Then, again, it appears that Hewson took a walking cane with him when he paid what proved to be his last visit to his sweetheart, Miss Tulett. The stick has never since been accounted for, and this causes Hewson's friends to more firmly believe that he met with foul play. Neither the watch nor the money have yet been accounted for, so that there remain many things to be cleared up. The evidence of Engineer Boskill and Fireman Mowan of the en-gine, Sergt, Archie Pinel, of "D" Comand an additional amount of \$10,000 will pany, Mr. Henry Weston and others, was of importance.

"We will have to adjourn now until Tuesday night," said Coroner Flock at 10 o'clock. "Miss Tulett and her brother Fred are out of the city, attending Hew-son's funeral. The adjournment will give us an opportunity to hear from the Postmaster-General as to whether or not Hewson has a bank account in the

postoffice here." THE TESTIMONY.

Charles Johnston, night watchman on the C. P. R., was on duty Monday night, Feb. 25. The first intimation of Hewson's death he received from Fred Toll, Maurice McPhee and Pat Kinsella. They went to the scene of the tragedy and found Hewson lying across the rails. Toll had made the first discovery while riding on the pilot of the engine, which passed over the body. Hewson gave two or three gasps for breath after the witness reached him. "Did you notice any watch in Hewson's pocket?" asked Foreman Towe of the jury.

"I did not," replied Johnston. "But when I recognized Hewson I told Maurice McPhee to feel in his pocket, and if there was a chain it should have had on it a charm, on which was a Masonic emblem. I do not know whether McPhee

searched or not.' Johnston said he examined the tracks quite a distance west of where the body was found. There were blood clots in places and pieces of flesh.

DRAGGED BY THE PILOT. "What is your theory as to how the

body was carried so far down the track?" asked Mr. McKillop.
"I cannot say," replied Johnston, unless he was dragged or rolled by the pilot, which is only a few inches from the track." the track." Patrick Kinsella, night call man at

the C. P. R. roundhouse, corroborated Johnston's evidence in every detail. Kinsella was the first to reach Hewson, and immediately felt the pulse. didn't stay, though," added Kinsella; "the sight was too much for me. I went to look for a policeman, but couldn't find one."

The latter statement created a ripple of laughter. Maurice McPhee, night operator at the Adelaide street office of the company, examined the clothing after the body was supposed to be Hewson. A man was sent to Mr. Weston's boarding house, where it was stated that if the dead man had a Masonic emblem on

his watch guard IT WAS HEWSON. The vest had been torn open and three or four of the bottom buttons were off. "I examined both pockets," said witness. "Neither of them was torn or turned inside out, and no trace of watch or chain could be seen." Witness had not been out of his office prior to the supposed hour of the accident, and heard no unusual noise. Witness searched the track for 50 yards west of where the body was found, but no watch or chain were seen.
"I would judge," added McPhee, "that the body was struck about ten feetnot thirty-west of where we found it."

"Was there any money found?" asked "Not while I was there. A 5-cent piece was found the next morning.
Driver Wm. Boskill, of Toronto, was at the throttle of the ponderous engine that crushed Hewson's body. He noticed no jar of the engine when he came down the yard that night, nor on his return to the roundhouse. He saw no person on the track between Ade-

laide and William streets. The bell was rung continuously from the station back to the roundhouse.

Mr. McKillop—Did you examine your engine when notified of the accident? A .- Yes; I found a spot on the front His tail it's a pretty sure wheel of the tender on the right hand

you of our good cigars. We handle nothing but the best, made by the leading manumade by the leading ma

"Did you hear any shout or cry?" asked a juryman. A.—Not a noise, outside of the engine."

John Mowan, fireman on Boskill's engine, was certain that the engine did

HEWSON'S BOARDING HOUSE

KEEPER. There was a little stir when Mrs. Sarah Weston, with whom Hewson boarded at 594 Pall Mall street, was Connected With the Tragic called. Her residence was three doors west of Adelaide. Hewson had boarded there about a year. He quit work about the last of September, and had done no labor up to the time of his death, but he frequently mentioned that he had a

job in view.
"Did he have any money?" asked Mr. McKillop.

"Well," replied Mrs. Weston, hesitatingly, "I could not say for sure. He led me to believe when he came to my house first that he had about \$400 in the book.

the bank. He was always very economical.' "Did he always have money to pay his board?"

"Not always. He sometimes would let it run on, but then he would always pay up. He told me on Monday to make up his bill to the end of the month, and said that he would pay me up to March 1, when the money came to the March 1, when the money came to the bank. We would always take him at his word. Hewson was very anxious that the money should arrive before Thursday night, as I think he was going to join the Chosen Friends.'

'Was he in good spirits on Monday?" A.—Yes; he was in a very jolly mood. He had his three meals that day, and after tea he put on his coat and hat and said he was going to Miss Tulett's.

"Did Hewson ever tell you that
"HE HAD A WIFE?"
asked Mr. McKillop. A.—Yes, he did. Q.-Did he tell you that he was separated from her? A.—Yes, he did. He said he had a bill of separation.

Q.—What did he say about his children? A.—He said he had two—a little boy and a little girl.
Q.—Did he ever tell you where they were? A.—Yes; that she was in Detroit or Windsor. When he returned from Detroit about a month ago, Hewson was talking about the children, and he wanted me to adopt the little boy.
Q.-Did he speak more than once about them? A.—Yes, a number of

Q.-Did you think he was serious in his conversation? A .- Yes; he appeared to be. Q.—And you believed that he was telling the truth? A.—Indeed I did. you believed that he was

"Did he ever say anything as to the CAUSE OF HIS SEPARATION from his wife?" continued Mr. Mc-Killop. "Yes, he did," answered witness.

"All right; you need not tell what it was," rejoined the acting crown attorney. Coroner Flock—Did you judge from Hewson's remarks that he was the cause of the trouble between his wife and himself? A.—Well, I did not know

what to think.

Mr. McKillop asked witness whether Hewson always informed her when he was going over to see Miss Tulett. A.— No, not always. Mr. McKillop-You knew that he had been paying particular attention to Miss Tulett? A.—Yes. I told him, too,

that he should not do so, but he said

he had a bill of separation, and would show it to me some day. SAID HE HAD A DIVORCE.
Mr. McKillop—Did he ever call it a
ill of divorce? A.—Sometimes he

would. Q.—Did he ever tell you where his wife was of late? A.—He said she kept a confectionery store on Woodward avenue. Detroit. Mrs. Weston also stated that Hewson owned a watch and a ring, but she

had never seen the ring lately. The night of his death Hewson carried a cane with him. She was almost sure he did. The C. P. R. men who went to Hewson's body were questioned as to the cane, but none of them had found it. Mr. Henry Weston, husband of the previous witness, corroborated Mrs.

Weston's statements as to Hewson's

disposition. "He was an awful jolly fellow," said Weston, "always READY FOR A JOKE. I never heard him say anything about a wife and children in Detroit. My 'missus' used to tell me what Hewson had said to her in this regard. I always told her that he was fooling. There was no despondency about him. When I came home on Saturday last he said he had a promise of a good job, but he would not tell me where it was until he got it. I saw him take his cane with him the night he was killed. He said he was going over to the house-

he meant Miss Tulett's WANTED TO BORROW MONEY. Alex. Robertson, an East End storekeeper, stated that Hewson came into his store on Saturday morning last and wanted to borrow 55 cents, with which to purchase medicine. Hewson seemed in good spirits. He did not get the

Corp. Harry T. Millie, of Wolseley Barracks, testified to Hewson having gone to the school on Monday morning and asking the witness to come up and have a drink. Deceased showed a roll of bills, but the witness did not accept the offer. Hewson was in the best of spirits. On passing out of the lane he set his watch by the barracks clock. That was 1:16 p.m. Witness did not consider Hewson a spendthrift, al-

though he spent money freely.
Sergt. Archie Pinel, bartender in the sergeants' mess at the barracks, saw Hewson in the mess on Monday. Hewson "treated" several of the men to a drink; drew a dollar out of a pocketbook and put the loose change in his pocket. "What attracted my attention," said Pinel, "was his walking away a few steps to draw the money. Generally when he had money he liked to let people know it.

WHO WERE THEY
"I was along the track five minutes before the accident happened," continued Pinel. "I saw no person near the spot where Hewson was killed, but when I turned up Adelaide street I met two men. They were not of the tramp class, being respectably dressed. I thought they were railroad men, but did not follow their movements, as I had no reason to do so."

QUERIES ANSWERED.

Ripley.—In a joint stock cheese facto there are five directors. New ones are elected at the annual meeting each year, if required. Have they the power to hire a cheese-maker before the annual meeting for the incoming year?
Ans.—Yes, but unless the bylaws already confirmed by the stockholders empower them to do so. The hiring would not be binding on the new directors unless confirmed at the annual Woodgreen.-A mare strayed into my

premises on Dec. 1. I advertised her in a St. Thomas paper two months ago. As no one has claimed her. can I sell her any time, and if the ce is more than the expenses, where the township gets and 2 her the township gets and 2 than the expenses, whan ance? Has the price ted \$50 before the township gets any? Ans.—You cannot legally sell it; she may be sold by the poundkeeper. The may be sold by the poundkeeper. The surplus after payment and expenses must be paid to the owner, and if he is unknown, then to the treasurer for the use of the township. See section 18, Chap. 215, Revised Statutes of Ontario.

Gosfield South.-What is the right way to keep a chattel mortgage in good standing and effect without having a new mortgage each year, which is very expensive? Please give form. Ans.— File a statement of renewal each year. gine, was certain that the engine did not strike Hewson on its way into the city. It would be impossible, anyway, for the engine to have thrown the body from one track to the other. Mowan was busy ringing the bell on entering for fuel when the council has no gas of the council that the engine did not strike Hewson on its way into the See sec. 11 and 12 and form B, cap. 125, Revised Statutes of Ontario. 2. Can a village council grant to a manufacturing exemption from taxes or furnish gas for fuel when the council has no gas of the co

the city and returning to the round- its own, but will have to pay for it; or can the council give a bonus in any legal way? Ans.—The council cannot legally give any bonus in money or gas, but may by a two-thirds vote grant exemption from taxation except as to school rates for any period not longer than ten

> THE SEARCH FOR CHARLIE ROSS. Rascally New York Police Officer Pre-

vented Success Being Attained. So many years have passed since the child Charlie Ross was stolen from his home in Germantown that the crime is lost to the memory of many, but that has not deterred some people from still making the attempt to palm off a bogus youth upon the afflicted family as the lost son, says the Philadelphia Inquirer. The latest effort of this kind was made by a woman who represented her-self as the widow of one of the two burglars who were killed at Bay Ridge, L. I., while trying to rob the house of a judge of the courts. The woman brought with her a young man, who, a relative of the boy says, was flat-headed and beetle-browed, and could in no way have borne resemblance to what little Charlie would have been at manhood. She had the story of the disappearance pat enough-how the two chiliren, Charlie and Walter, were decoyed from the lawn of the house, at Washington lane and Chew street, by the two men in a wagon, Mosher and Douglass; how they were driven into the country, where Walter, the elder, was dropped, and how \$20,000 ransom had been offered for the recovery of the younger son Other facts she seemed familiar with, but her scheme had nothing else in it. Many believe the boy to be dead. There have been a hundred or more alleged Charlies, but in no instance has the father, who has traveled all over the country, had any hope after once seeing the alleged child or youth produced. The secret of his fate probably died with the Bay Ridge burglars, one of whom expired immediately after being shot, while the other lived only long enough to say that his companion had known where the child was, but he was still alive, but that he himself knew nothing of his location.

In narrating some of the facts the relatives of the Ross family also shed more light upon the efforts to find the boy, and made the important statement that once when success seemed assured they were frustrated by one of the police captains of New York, a man who was charged before the Lexow committee with having acquired wealth by the most corrupt means. It was there, he says, the kidnappers had arranged to deliver their prisoner upon the payment of the \$20,000. They had exacted the condition that Mr. Ross and those helping him should leave New. York on board of a special train, a locomotiv

and one car, bound for Albany. At one point along the road a colored lantern light was to be waved, and the money, at this signal, was to be dropped by the side of the track. Further up the line there was to be another light shown, and there the boy was to be delivered to them. According to the relative's story, the rescuing party took along with them an expert rifleman, with the object of maining the kidnapper, whoever he might be, and then effecting his capture. They made the trip as directed, but nothing came of it. No lights were shown and no other clew was obtained. The police captain in question, the relative says, gave the tip to the thieves that the sharpshooter would be on board the car. Walter Ross, the son who was dropped by the country side, was married about two months ago.

Live News in a Line.

Five deaths from smallpox are reported rom quarantine at St. Louis, Mo. William Henry Wellesley, second Earl Cowley, is dead. He was bern in 1834. President Cleveland has sent to the senace the name of Wm. L. Wilsen, of West Virginia, to be Postmaster-General. Morganfield, the Aquia Creek train robber, was found guilty on Thursday at Stafford, C. H., Va., and sentenced to the

penitentiary for eighteen years. One thousand pounds in gold from the Colonial Bank of London for the branch in Kingston, Jamaica, were stolen in transit. There were five bexes, each containing £1,000. When the hoxes reached the bank on; of them had been emptied of its contents.

Caused by a Cigarette.

Kingston, N. C., Feb. 28.-Fire this afternoon destroyed business property valued at, including the two main business blocks, fully \$225,000; insurance small. A cigarette stump is said to have caused

Vague Reports of a Disaster.

CITY OF MEXICO. Feb. 28.-A special rain on the Interocean Railway was derailed this afternoon. The first report is that 40 persons were injured and that half f them are dead or dying. Six surgeons have been dispatched to the scene.

The Vanderbilt Scandal. New York, Feb. 28.—Prominent friends of both parties say the divorce case of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt is well advanced, and that it is Mr. Vanderbilt's intention to let it go by default. The evidence it is said, has been taken by a referee behind closed doors. It is not considered likely that Mrs. Vanderbilt will resume

her maiden name of Smith. The Patron Executive.

Toronto, Feb. 28.—The executive board of the Grand Lodge of the Patrons of Industry, got down to business today in making their plans for the coming Dominion elections. The representative from Quebec, T. A. King, of Richmond, and Grand President Charles Braithwatite, of Manitoha, were present. The Ontario men's scheme was indorsed by their friends the cast and west. A sub-committee was appointed to prepare for the convention that opens in this city on March 11. Mr. King states that in the east the order has enrolled over 20,000 members in a little over a year.

MIDDLESEX.

Hyde Park Camp, No. 8, Woodmen of the World, held their second annual ball at Hyde Park on Wednesday night. It was a grand success in every way, over 100 couples being present. tea a presentation was made to the clerk of the camp, Mr. Geo. A. Rout-ledge, by the head clerk, of a goldheaded cane. Mr. Routledge replied in a few well-chosen remarks.

Pine-Malt is All the Talk Hereabout. "What shall I take to break up this bad cold?" Answer-Pine-Malt. it has gone down to my lungs and hangs on!" Then get a bottle of Pine-Mait and Hypophosphites instead. I advise this from personal and family experience. Pine-Malt acts like a charm, perience. Pine-Malt acts like a charm, allaying cough, curing hoarseness and other symptoms with surprising quickness. It is a great family medicine, safe and pleasant. My faith in Pine-Malt is unbounded. The new medicine is all the talk hereabout. J. G. CALDER, pastor, Brooke Baptist Church, Lambton, Ont., Jan. 30, 1895.

PROMISES.

Promises are softly spoken. Where self-interest calls, Full as quickly are they broken, When misfortune falls:

Take the fulsome promise purely
As a vane that plays—
Yet the promiser will surely

MASSAGE FOR BLACK EYES.

Keep it-if it pays.

Better Than Paint or Beefsteak for Oblit. erating Evidence of Pistic Encounters,

Those who make a business of obliterating evidence of fistic encounters in the shape of black eyes by painting the damaged optics no longer enjoy a monopoly of such business. This I was told by a pugilistic acquaintance whose experience en titles him to be regarded as an authority on the subject.

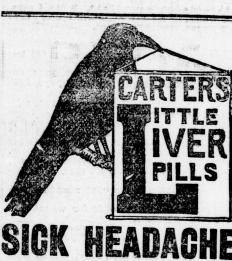
"Massage treatment of the region affected," he said, "will beat paint and raw beefsteak all hollow. But it should be applied immediately after the injury is received in order to prove thoroughly efficacious. It does not require an expert to do it. All that is necessary is to move the fingers rapidly and firmly over the bruised surface, and to keep it up until the last vestige of discoloration has disappeared. The explanation is easy. Where the blow has been received the blood becomes congested. It is the clots of blood showing through the transparent skin that produces the black effect. The pressure of the fingers gradually loosens the clotted blood, which passes off into the general current of circulation, and fresh and properly colored blood takes its place. However, as a rule, the professional "pug" does not bother himself about ao celerating the disappearance of a black eye. It is a sign which proclaims the fact that its proprietor has recently filled an engagement, and as such he is an object of envy to his less fortunate brethren. It is the man about town, whose overindulgence occasionally causes him to forget that discretion is the better part of valor, who is apt to profit most by the knowledge that massage, promptly applied, will remove the signs of mourning from an eye that has been in violent contact with some other fellow's fist, and thus obviate the necessity of inventing a story to account for it, which, however ingenious, will be sneered at by sceptical and incredulous acquaintances, some of whom may have "been there themselves."

Langtry's Great Stage Kiss. Mrs. Langtry is once more in this country, and the theater-going public will have an opportunity to ascertain if she has pat ented any new improvements on "the Langtry kiss," which double discounted

anything of the kind ever before attempted on the American stage. As Lady Clancarty her husband escapes from his pursuers through an open window into her room. She stands with her back to the audience clear down the stage near the footlights. Her husband looks at her for a moment and then rushes wildly inte her arms, somewhat after the manner of

pants. Her head falls upon her breast, inclining backward. Then an app genuine vermilion flush suffuses her face. Then the looks down at her and she looks up at him. Next comes a perceptible pressure around the waist that would do cre dit to a patent hay press. Then he abrupt ly places his lips to hers, and she grabe him round the head. There is a toft gurg ling sound like water escaping from a kitchen sink, the mouth being worn large and open.

Then they are, as it were, glued together. Then all is still. Women in the audience become nervous. Bald-headed men are paralyzed. Men about town have their watches out, timing them. One sec ond, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven-and then there is an explosion, as if the bung had been blown out of a beer barrel. It is all over. -Texas Siftings.



Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowstness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

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her arms, somewhat after the manner of "the tough girl" in Harrigan's "O'Reilly and the Four Hundred." They both swing around and expose their profiles to the audience.

Then they hold each other at arm's length. Then her bosom heaves and he pants. Her head falls upon her breast in

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GREAT REDUCTION IN SOAPS at MacWILLIE'S Sunlight Soap, 6c a cake, 3 for 18c, sold elsewhere 3 for 25c; same soap, same

Surprise Soap, 6c a cake, 4 for 24c, sold elsewhere at 7c a cake.

MacWillie's Cash Grocery, 284 Dundas Street.

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Berlitz system (the quickest way to learn to speak French) taught at the Con-servatory of Music, by the celebrated teacher, Mons. E. Masson, late of Paris, Classes begin immediately.

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Milliners Wanted-Smallman & Ingram. Services-St. James Church, South London. House to Let—Apply Deacon's Store. Residence for Sale—A. Taylor. Frame House for Sale—J. H. Phillips. Board Wanted-Scribe, at R. W. Rolston's Handbag Lost-This Office. Concert-Grand Opers House. Henry George-Grand Opera House. Parker's Dyeing and Cleaning Emperium Tuscan's Concert—Opera House. Eclipse Soap-John Taylor & Co. Boots and Shoes-J. P. Cook. Bayley's Building Sale.
Miss Lillywhite—Masonic Concert.

Postponed Race-Westminster Rink. New Footwear-Johnston's. W. Caven Barron-Masonic Concert. Hats-Graham Bros. Mr. E. W. Devlin-Masonic Concert.

Fine Tailoring-Jos. Dambra. Wodgewood China-Pigot & Bryan. Two Flats and a Sharp-Masonic Concert T) resagoods—Kingsmill's.

COMMERCE AND FINANCE

Latest Financial News by Mail and at \$1 26.4 Telegraph.

ndon Money Market. LONDON, March 1-12:30 pm-Consols, 104 3-16 LONDON, March 1—1230 pm—Consols, 102-104 for money, 194 7-16 for account; Mexican 164; Mexican Central, 584; Et. Paul, 554; Erie, 184; Krie, seconds, 674; Facific Central, 504; theading, 44; Cenadian Pacific, 444; New York Dentral, 984; Illinois Central, 864; Bank of England rate, 2 per cent; open market discount is to be.

New York Stock Market. NEW YORK, March 1.—Stocks firm.

Toronto Stock Market. TORONTO, March 1.
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Canada Life 1491 Huron and Erie, 26 per cent.....-

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London Loan..... Montreal Stock Market. MONTBEAL, March 1. C. P. R. 43½
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COMMERCIAL.

Local Market.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son London. March 1.
Only two leads of oats offered and sold at \$1 per cental. Hay scarce and sells from \$10 to \$11 per ton. Quotations:

Cloverseed, Alsike, per bu... 4 00 10
Timothy seed, per bu... 2 75 to
Hungarian seed, per bu... 80 to
Millet seed, per bu... 70 to
PROVISIONS
Rggs fresh, single doz. 22 to
Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz. 20 to Eggs, fresh, store lote, per doz_ Butter, per 1b. large rolls or Butter, per lb, tub or firkins.... 10 Pears..... Caulifiowers, per dozen..... arsnips, per bu.....umpkins, per doz..... Citrons, per doz.

Beets, per doz bunches.

Radishes, per doz bunches.

Cabbages, per doz. Celery, per doz.

Squashes, per doz.

Onions, per bu

MEAT. HIDES. ETC.

Beef. carcass. per ib.

Mutton, quarters, per ib. Veal quarters, per lb

Calfskins, green
Calfskins, dry, each
Sheepskins, each
Lambskins, each

DEALERS IN-All Kinds of Flour, Breakfast Cereals Millfeed and Seed.

373 TALBOT ST. - Phone 662. Toronto Market

TORONTO, March 1. Market quiet.
WHEAT—Car lots of red and white, G. T. R.
west, sold at 58c on C. P. R. and Northern;
some held at 60c, with 59c bid; goose on Midland offered at 58c and spring at 63c; Manitoba

land offered at 58c and spring at 53c; Manitoba No. 1 hard sold west at 79c, 1 car changing hands at that figure; some grinding in transit via Sarnia offered at 82½c. FLOUR—Straight roller, Toronto figures, quoted at \$2 60 to \$2 75; 1 car of 90 per cent patent sold, middle freights west, at \$2 80. PEAS—Car lots of No. 2 taken outside on G. T. R. at 56c and 57c. OATS—White west wanted at 32c, and 324c reported naid in one instance. A round lot of reported paid in one instance. A round lot of 20,000 bu offered west at 33c on Midland; 33c

bid, 35c asked for white.

BARLEY—No. 1 wanted outside at 50c to 51c, and feed at 41c to 42c; No. 2 quoted at 45c to 47c, according to weight. CORN—One car No. 2 yellow sold on track here at 51c.

Montreal Produce Market MONTREAL. March 1.

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FLOUR — Receipts, 130 bbls; market firm and unchanged: Patents, winter, \$3 40 to \$3 50; do. spring, \$3 80 to \$3 90; straight roller, \$2 90 to \$3; extra, \$2 60 to \$2 70; superfine, \$2 45; strong bakers, \$3 50 to \$3 75; Ontario bags, \$1 30 to \$1 40.

GRAIN—Wheat No. 2 Manitob hard, 73 to 30 to \$3 75; 75c; corn. 56c to 58c; peas, 67c to 68c; oats, 39c to 40c; barley, 57c to 69c; rye, 51c to 53c.

MEAL Catmeal, \$175 to \$1.85; cornmeal, \$1 35 to \$1:45. PROVISIONS—Mess pork. \$14 50 to \$15 50;

lard, 7c to 9c: bacon, 10c to 11c: hams, 9c to 10c: cheese, 9c to 10c; butter, 19wnships, 14c to 16c; Western, 12c to 14c; eggs, 13c to 20c. Petrolea Oil Market. PETROLEA, March 1.-Oil opened and closed

English Markets.

London, March 1. (Beerbohm's Report by Cable.) Wheat off coast steady; passage firm; Australian iron shipment, Nov., 22s 7½d; sale 1; English country markets firm; corn off coast,

English country markets firm; corn off coast, quiet, passage steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat steady, demand moderate; futures easy; red winter, 4s 7½d March; 4s 6½d April; 4s 8d May; 4s 8½d June; 4s 8½d July; stock in store, 1,255,000 centals; decrease for month, 600,000 centals; corn, spot, steady; moderate demand; American, 4s 1½d; futures quiet, 4s 1d March; 4s 1½d April; 4s 1½d May and June; 4s 2½d July; 4s 2½d Arg.

London—Store, corn, 751,000 centals, increase, 85,000 centals; flour. 15s; store, 96,000 sacks; decrease, 14,000 sacks; pass, 4s 11d.

Weather in England fair.

LIVERPOOL, March L

The quotations for the past three market days are as follows: Feb. 27. | Feb. 28. | March 1. 8. D. S. D. S. D. S. D. S. D.

Wheat steady, demand moderate; holders offer sparingly; corn steady; demand moderate. Receipts of wheat for the past three days, 139,000 centals, including 76,000 centals American; corn, 124.800 centals American. Weather-Fine.

Buffalo Barley Market. BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 28.—Barley—The market today was stiff. Maltsters were anxi-

ous to secure choice lots, but the firmness of sellers retarded trading. No. 1 Canada, 65c; No. 2, 63c; No. 3 extra, 60c to 61c; No. 2 Milwaukee, 61c; state, 60c to 63c. Sellers are asking le to 3c advance on these prices. American Markets.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 23, WHEAT—Spring wheat—Demand light: limits steady: sales: 5,000 bu No. 1 northern new, 634c; 8,000 bu No. 1 hard, in lots, 654c to 654c; closing, No. 1 hard, 65c; No. 1 northern new. 634c to 644c: do, old, 644c. Winter wheat—In fair demand; closing easy: No. 2 red, 573c; No. 1 white, 604o asked spot; sales: 9 cars No. 2 red, 573c to 58; 1 car No. 3 red, 573c spot; No. 1 white, 60 1-2c asked on track and in store.

CORN—Firm; good inquiry for spot; offerings light. Sales: 11 cars No. 2 yellow, 454c; 15 cars No. 3 yellow, 454c to 46c; 4 cars No. 2 corn, 454c to 454c; 2 cars No. 3 corn, 454c to 453c spot; 5 cars No. 3 yellow, 454c to 46c; 5 cars BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 28.

corn, 45%c to 45%c: 2 cars No. 3 corn, 45%c to 45%c spot; 5 cars No. 3 yellow, 45%c to 46c; 5 cars No. 3 corn, 45%c to arrive.

OATS—Steady; demand light. Sales, 4 cars, No. 2 white, 35%c; 1 car No. 3 white, 35%c; 3 cars No. 2 mixed, 32%c to 32%c, spot.

FLOUR—Firm; unchanged.

MILLFEED—Strong; good demand.

Receipts—Wheat, 2,000 bu; corn, 11,000 bu; oats, 24,000 bu.

Shipments—Flour, 11,000 bu; wheat. 27,000 bu; corn, 5,000 bu; barley, 33,000 bu; rye, 5,000 bu.

CHICAGO, Feb. 28. Wheat was weak today on account of large offerings, the close being to 3c below yesterday. Corn lost to for May and to for cash and oats to for May and to for cash, both following the course of wheat. Provisions were higher. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 16 cars, corn 360 cars, oats 150 cars, hogs 28,-

The rail situation to the east remained unchanged. Lake rates were easier, at 2c for wheat and 14c for corn to Buffalo.

THE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED:

WHEAT—Feb., 51½c; May, 53¾c; July, 58%c to

58\frac{3}{2}c.
CORN—Feb., 42\frac{1}{2}c to 42\frac{3}{2}c; May, 48\frac{3}{2}c to 48\frac{3}{2}c;
July. 44\frac{3}{2}c.
OATS—Feb.. 28\frac{3}{2}c; May, 29\frac{1}{2}c; June, 29c.
MESS PORK—May, \$10 25.
LARD—May, \\$647 1-2.
SHORT HIBS—May, \\$5 27 1-2.
CASH QUOTATIONS:

SHORT RIBS—May, \$5 27 1-2.

CASH QUOTATIONS:

Flour firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 53%c to 57%c;
No. 3 spring, 52c to 58c; No. 2 red, 57%c, No. 2 corn, 42%c; No. 2 oats, 28%c to 28%c; No. 2 rye, 57%c, nominal; No. 2 barley, 52%c to 53c; mess pork, \$10 10 to \$10 25; lard, \$6 35 to \$6 37%; short ribs sides, \$5 70 to \$5 75; dry salted shoulders. \$4 62% to \$4 75; short clear sides, \$5 40 to \$5 45.

to \$2 90.

RYE—Nominal: western, 50c to 57c.

BARLEY—Quiet; western, 62c to 65c; No. 2

refined dull; continent, \$7 05; compound, 51c to Mr. McLeay from the cast, and their PORK-Dull; mess, \$11 25 to \$12; extra prime nominal, BUTTER-Unchanged; State dairy, 12c to 20c; western dairy, 9c to 15c; do creamery, new, 15c to 22c; do old, 10c to 19c; do factory,

Sc to 14c: Eigins 22c.

CHEESE—Firm; State large, De to 114c; do fancy colored, 114c; do white, 104c to 11c; do smail, 91-2c to 12c; part skims, 3c to 84c; full skims, Ic to 2ic.

EGGS—Less firm: State and Pennsylvania,

PETROLEUM—Nominal; refined, \$6 30; do in bulk, \$3 75 to \$3 80.

POTATOES—Easy; Jersey, \$1 37 to \$1 87; New York, \$1 50 to \$2; Bermuda, \$3 to \$6 50; sweets, \$1 75 to \$2 50.

RICE—Firm; domestic, 41c to 6c.

MOLASSES—Firm; 28c to 38c.

COFFEE—Options steady; sales, 11,000 bazs, including March, \$14 90; May, \$14 55 to \$14 75; July, \$14 80; Aug., \$14 65; Sept., \$14 50 to \$14 66; Dec., \$14 55 to \$14 60; spot steady, 166c.

SUGAR—Firm; standard "A," 3 13-16c to 4c; confectioners "A." 3 11-16c to 32c; cutloaf, 4 7-16c to 45c; crushed, 4 7-16c to 4fc; powdered, 4 1-16c to 44c; granulated. 3 3-16c 45c.

MILWAUKEE, March 1. WHEAT-551ccash; 561cMay. WHEAT-55c cash and March, 55c May, 561c July. CORN-42 nominal cash; 401c May.

OATS-32c nominal cash. DETROIT, March 1. WHEAT-White, 57c bid cash and red, 55lc asked cash, 56c asked May, 55lc July. Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO.

EAST BUFFALO. N. Y.. Feb. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 24 cars through, 3 on sale. Market steady and firm. Good to extra shipping steers, \$425 to \$485; common to fair, \$3.75 to \$4; bulls, \$2.75 to \$3.60; good 800 to 900 Canadian feeding cattle, \$2.85 to \$3.25. Market closed steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 21 cars through 11 cars on sale; market opened steady. Yorkers, \$4.25 to \$4.30; pigs and light, \$4.20 to \$4.25; good mixed and medium, \$4.25 to \$4.35; choice heavy, \$4.35 to \$4.40; roughs, \$3.50 to \$3.70.

Sheepand Lambs—Receipts, 2 cars through, 23 on sale. Market steady for good to prime stock; slow for other kinds. Extra lambs, \$5.75 to \$5.95; fair to good, \$4.75 to \$5.50; light and common, \$3.25 to \$4.25; fat mixed sheep, \$3.50 to \$3.85; extra export wethers, 110 to 120 lbs, \$4.25 to \$4.85; cull sheep, \$1.50 to \$2.75. The market closed steady; bulk sold. Ohio fed half-fat Modocs sold to feeders at \$3.50.

NEW YORK. Feb. 23.—Beeves—Receipts. 269 head; no trading; feeling firm. City dressed native sides. 71c to 91c.
Calves—Receipts, 68 head. Market steady. Ordinary to fair state yeals, 5c to 7c; good to prime Jersey do, \$7 25 to \$7 50; city dressed yeals, 7c to 11c; country dressed, 6c to 9c; little

calves, 3 1-2c to 5c. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2.860 head. Good Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2,500 head. Good to choice stock firm; common to medium grades steady. Common to fair sheep, \$3 to \$4; ordinary to choice lambs, \$4 to \$6; culls, \$2 for sheep and \$3 50 for lambs; dressed mutton, 5c to 7c; dressed lambs, 7c to 9c.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,735 head; market steady at \$4 30 to \$4 65; country dressed, 5c to 7c.

CHICAGO. Ill., Feb. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 9,000 head; market strong and higher; common to extra steers, \$3 65 to \$6; stockers and feeders, \$2 60 to \$4 50; cows and bulls, \$1 50 to \$4 50; calves, \$2 50 to \$5 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 35,000 head; market steady; heavy, \$3 90 to \$4 20; common to choice mixed, \$3 75 to \$4 15; choice assorted, \$4 to \$4 10; light, \$3 70 to \$4; pigs, \$2 50 to \$3 85.

Sheep—Receipts, 7,000 head; market strong; inferior to choice, \$2 50 to \$4 50; lambs, \$3 25 to \$5 42. CHICAGO.

Chicago Exchange. Reported by C. E. Turner, broker, Molsons Bank Buildings, Phone 1078. March 1. -1 p.m. Open, High, Low.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

There was a sign upon a fence— That sign was "Paint," And every mortal that went by, Sinner and saint.

Put out a finger, touched the fence
And onward sped,
And as they wiped their finger tips— "It is," they said. -Sir Frank Smith is recovering.

-March certainly came in like a lamb. -Bob Emslie is again a National

League umpire. -The hockey match, London vs. Ayr, has been postponed until Wednesday

night. -Mr. J. H. Chapman has returned from a purchasing tour in the European markets. -Mr. F. McLean, formerly a con-

ductor on the Canadian Pacific Railway between London and Toronto, has bought the North American Hotel at Woodstock. -It is learned that Mrs. W. F. Lux-

ton, of Winnipeg, formerly of this city, and Mr. Henry Sharpe, of the Imperial Oil Company, are also claimants to a share of the Edwards estate. -It is understood that word has been

received from Rev. Mr. Gaetz, of Red Deer, formerly of this city, that he will accept the call extended to him by the Methodists of Brandon, Manitoba. -The following license inspectors

RYE—Nominal: western, 50c to 57c.
BARLEY—Quiet; western, 62c to 65c; No. 2
Milwauke, 63b to 66c.
BARLEY MALT—Nominal; Canada
country-made, 85c to 96c, espectors, 62c to 75c.
PEAS—Canada, nominal.
WHEAT—Receipts, none; exports, 41,000
bu; sales, 4,880,900 bu futures; 82,000 bu spot;
spots firm; No. 2 red, store and elevator, 57c;
afloat, 53b;c; store, 58b;c to 60c; unraded red,
bu; sales, 180, 200 bu futures; 82,000 bu spot;
weak; sales, No. 2 red, brore and elevator, 57c;
afloat, 53b;c; store, 58b;c to 60c; unraded red,
bu; sales, 390,000 bu futures; 9,000 bu spot;
weak; sales, No. 2 red, March, 57b;c; May, 58c;
OORN—Receipts, 43,000 bu; exports, 4,000
bu; sales, 390,000 bu futures; 9,000 bu spot;
spots steady; No. 2, 48c elevator; 49c to 56c;
afloat, 53c; No. 2 white, 56c;
OATS—Receipts, 43,000 bu; exports, 3,000 bu;
sales, 100,000 bu futures; 29,000 bu spot;
spots steady; No. 2, 33b;c; No. 2 white, 56c;
options weak; May, 33b;c; No. 2 white, 56c;
MIDDLINGS—50c to 95c.
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HAY—Steady; Tote to 75c.
HOPS—S.eady; State, 3c to 11c.
BEEF—Duli; family, \$9 75 to \$12; extramess, \$7 50 to 88 25.
CUT MEATS—firm; pickled bellies, 56c;
bickled shoulders, 46c to 4fc; pickled hams, 74c
to 85c; giddles, easy; short clear sides, \$5 5c;
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business relations are at an end. Mr. McLeay occupied a box during part of the performance last evening. In a speech before the curtain in his native town Wednesday night Mr. McLeay said that he and Mr. Barrett were on the best of terms, and that there was no foundation for the stories.—Hamilton Spectator.

-The Watford Guide-Advocate has oc to 31c; western fresh, 30c.

TALLOW—Strong; city. 41c bid, 41c asked;
country, 41c to 42c.

PETROLEUM—Nominal; refined, \$6 30; do in
Hay, of this city, son of Rev. R. Hay, an extended account of the wedding don, Watford, and Mr. Robert Vaughan Hay, of this city, son of Rev. R. Hay, Watford. The ceremony was performed in Trinity Church and was a very brilliant one. The bride looked exceedingly handsome in a magnificent white silk Irish poplin gown en train, trimmed with swan's down and crystal embroidery, veil and orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet of bridal roses. The wedding gifts were notable for their ele-gance and richness, and included a grand piano, a present from the bride's father. The young couple, it is announced will be at home at 127 Kent street, Landon, after March 18.

-Miss Marcella Brophy has returned from Tilbury Center, where she was visiting her sister.

-"A friend" has donated \$1 to the relief inspector for the purchase of bread tickets for the poor.

—A large number of trifling cases were disposed of by Judge Edward Elliott at a sitting of the First Division Court today. -The steamer La Gascogne has arrived at Havre, France, from New York. Mr. and Mrs. V. Cronyn, of this city, were on board.

-A meeting of cit zens interested in the observance of the Lord's Day will be held in Cronyn Hall on Monday next, March 4, at 4 p.m. Matters of importance will be considered.

-Moses Cox, who secured the contract for clearing away the ruins of the Dundas Street Center Methodist Church, has canceled his agreement on occount of the injuries he received to his hand. The church building committee has awarded the contract for the work to Messrs. Harding & Leathorn. Operations will begin tomorrow.

-Fred Scott, who was discharged by Judge William Elliot yesterday on condition that he left town, and who was rearrested immediately afterwards on a second charge of purloining pens, came up before Magistrate Parke this morning. The magistrate suspended sentence in this case on condition that Scott should act on Judge Elliot's advice and seek a change of climate. Fred Johnston, who was given four months by Judge Elliot on a charge of assaulting a widow, was rearraigned before the magistrate on a second charge of at- only one or two witnesses present. tempted assault on another woman. He was discharged to serve out his sentence on the first charge.

Thoughtful Kindness. W. L. Anderson, a singer from the Moody Institute, Chicago, who is visiting our city with Evangelist Appel, yesterday visited the General Hospital. In several of the wards he sang, much to the appreciation of the patients. If more musical talent were used in this benevolent way it would be gratifying to the poor sufferers who are shut out from the world and shut

in with pain. Street Railway Prospects. Matters are moving in street railway circles. Yesterday afternoon Messrs. Marks, Ashplant and Plant, representing organized labor in the city, held a conference with Mayor Little and Solicitor Ivey on the 60 hour clause in the proposed electric franchise. The matter was thoroughly discussed for an hour and a half and a compromise affected which will be forwarded to Mr. Everett, along with the other unsettled points, for his approval. It is expected that the franchise will be finally ratified and the bylaw passed on Monday night, or else at a special meeting

which will be held in the early part of the week. To-Night's Concert. Appended is the programme of the grand Masonic concert in the Opera House to-

PART I,
Rhapsodie Hongroise No. xi......Liszt
Mr. W. Caven Barron.
Creole Lover's SongDudley Buck
Mr. E. W. Devlin.

Berceuse Barron Nocturne—A Dream of Love Chopin
Mr. W. Caven Barron The Doom of Claudius and Cynthia......Thompson
Miss Ter-Williger.

Protestations Miss May Lillywhite.

'Cello obligato—To be plaved by Mr. H. S. Saunders.

Selected

PART II.

Commediette—Two Flats and a Sharp

Mrs. Major Keys (E flat)....Miss Ter-Williger

Major Keys (A flat)....Mr. E. Devlin

Mrs. Minor (B sharp)....Miss Libbie Pitcher Attacking the Liberal Aldermen.

The Conservatives, who are attacking the tree Liberal aldermen—John W. Jones, Edward Parnell and John Heaman-apparently regard the job they have undertaken as a species of white elephant, because when the cases came before Judge Wm. Elliot this morning the counsel for the aldermen were prepared to proceed with argument. The legal adviser of the Conservative party (who are attacking these Liberal gentlemen) said he was not ready to proceed.
Judge Elliot accordingly adjourned the hearing for two weeks. Mr. George Mac-Nab appeared for Ald. Jones, Mr. John Macpherson for Ald. Parnell, while Ald. Heaman appeared in person.

The New Methodist Departure.

Hereafter there will be a Methodist Young People's Association for each annual conference. The delegates attending the convention at Toronto this week met at the close of the convention and formed separate associations for their respective conference. The following officers were elected for the London Conference: President, Dr. Thornton, Dresden; first vice-president, Rev. G. F. Salton, Stratford; second vice, F. W. Daly, London; third vice, Dr. Shannon, Dutton; fourth vice, Miss Forman, Stratford; president of junior league, Miss Learoyd, Sarnia; secretary, Ivor Brock, Chatham; treasurer, Miss Gilpin, St. Marys; representative to General Epworth League Board, Rev. E. B. Lanceley. These officers will act for one year, and the association will embrace the London, Exeter, St. Thomas, Aylmer, Chatham, Windsor, Ridgetown, Strathroy, Sarnia, St. Marys, Stratford, Goderich, Wingham, Kincardine and Listowel districts.

A HEAVY FAILURE.

MONTREAL, Que., March 1.-W. E. Price, J. E. M. Whitney and J. L. Woods, doing business as the Hearl Manufacturing Company, Montreal and Toronto, have assigned on demand of W. T. Benson & Co. Liabilities, \$35,000. The principal creditors are: W. T. Benson & Co., \$3,042; Canadian Bank of Commerce, \$6,100; Henry Power, Toronto, \$3,250; Mrs. H. J. Whitney, \$2,500; Mrs. W. E. Price, \$6,250; Mrs. Price's marriage settlement, \$10,000.

Inspect H. Overmeyer's livery, forthe tragedian. It is said that owing quarrel Mr. Barrett has removed veyance for pleasure driving.



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AWFUL ACCIDENT.

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CITY OF MEXICO, March. 1 .- An excursion train coming into the city on the Inter Oceanic Railroad met with an accident yesterday afternoon. While rounding a curve on the side of a mountain five coaches jumped the track and went down the canyon. Forty-two people were killed and 30 or more seriously injured. The accident occurred about

40 kilometers from this city.
Wires have been down and it has been impossible so far to obtain any details of the awful disaster.

THE TORONTO MURDER TRIAL. Evidence Favorable to the Prisoners-

They Did Not Urge the Insurance. TORONTO, March 1.-The third day of the Hyams brothers trial opened this morning with the cross-examination of Dr. E. E. King, who was called to the scene of the fatality at the time of its occurrence. The prisoners were apparently much distressed and anxious for him to get there. The body was still When he arrived there was no evidence of a scuffle or anything which would lead him to suspect the truth of the prisoners' explanation. He sent for the coroner because that was his custom in all fatalities when there were

The agents of the Covenant Mutual and New York life insurance companies swore to the circumstances of the issuing of the policies of W. C. Wells, and both swore they solicited Wells and he had taken the policies without any assisting or urging from the prisoners or anyone else. This evidence from the crown witnesses caused something of a sensation in court, as it was confidently expected the crown would show that the insurance had been taken on the instigation largely, if not entirely, of the Hyams. There was no suspicion of this in the evidence, and at this stage it looks as if this part of the crown case will fall through.

AN EDITOR KILLED. PARIS, March 1.-M. Phecher, one of the editors of the Journals des Debats, was killed in a duel fought with swords this morning by M. Lechatelier, an officer of the marines.

A PRINCE FOUND DEAD. VIENNA, March 1.-Prince Metternich, son of the famous Austrian diplomat of that name, was found dead in bed this morning. The cause of his death was apoplexy. He was 66 years of age.

ICE ON THE CLYDE. GLASGOW, March 1.-Traffic on the Clyde is suspended owing to the vast quantities of moving ice. Eight river passenger steamers were torn from their moorings last night and one of

Six-Story House Fell. NEW YORK, March 1 .- The rear of the old six-story malt house, corner of Fortythird street and Tenth avenue, in course of demolition, fell suddenly this morning, burying in its ruins over a dozen work-

Hugh Cullen, an Italian and an unknown man were killed. Eight men were injured.

They Die Together. GOSHEN, Ind., March 1.—Enos Randall and his wife died almost simultaneously at La Grande last night. Randall's death was the result of a protracted illness, but his wife had been in perfect health. She was holding his hand when he died and ap-peared to have fainted immediately afterward, but on being removed to a couch it

was found she was dead.

Suing the Widow. FLEMINGTON, N. J., March 1.—Some time ago Farmer Thos. Miller, a widower, who lives near Glen Gardner, began paying attention to Mrs. Elizabeth Wagner, a widow, who keeps a millinery store in High Bridge. According to Mr. Miller's story, they became engaged to be mar-ried. He gave his fiancee enough money to buy a handsome wedding ring, but in the meantime she changed her matrimonial intentions and returned the money to her lover, telling him that she would not marry

Farmer Miller then began proceedings for breach of promise, placing the damages at \$10,000. Mr. Miller is about 60 years old. He owns several large farms near Glen Gardner. Mrs. Wagner is past the age of 50, but the years have not worn away her girlish looks.

Steamship Arrivals. March 1. At From Ems....... New York...... Bremen

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LONDON TIME, Canada Southern Division-Going East Leave St. (daily except Sunday).... 2:55 p.m. 3:45 p.m. Canada Southern Division—Going West, North Shore Limited (daily)

[Note.-No trains to or from London on John Paul, City Passenger Agent, 395 Richmond street.

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"No, no; I should be miserable!" And she sobbed and moaned, and talked of cruelty, hard usage, and wished she was dead and out of the way—the usual bitter outcries against fate of those who, having made their own fate what it is, have not the

Btrength to bear it.

Deeply grieved, and not a little wounded Roderick sat beside his sister, his wife not interfering—who could interfere?—till her mainly bear and then said. misery had a little subsided, and then said, quietly:

"Now we will speak no more to-night; but to-morrow I will consult a lawyer, and find out the right and wrong of the case, and your exact position with regard to your husband. Will that do?"
"No, no, "she said. "Don't be in such a

hurry. Wait till I make up my mind. It's luxury, and a certain pride to preserve apso difficult to make up one's mind always. Money isn't everything, as Silence says, but I never had her enthusiasm for poverty. And the drink-which to her is such a horror-why, we're used to it at Richerden. Alexander Thomson isn'tthe only drunkard in Scotland. If I could but put up with him

a little longer!" Both Roderick and his wife looked exceedingly surprised. They made no remark -they always had carefully avoided making any remarks to Bella about her husband. But when she was gone, and they stood alone together over the dying fire, they spoke of her with a pity deeper than either had ever yet expressed.

"Mark my words; she will go back to him yet. Do you think, my wife, she would be right or wrong?"
"Wrong!" was the answer, clear and

"Because she will do it neither for love nor duty, nor oven pity, but only for expediency. Think! the horror of a married life begun and continued for the sake of expediency!"

Silence looked up in her husband's faceher husband whom she was ready to live for, however hard a life, ready to die for him, and he knew it,
"You are right," he said. "And yet both
erred—both ought to suffer."

"But not more than they. And the sins of the parents shall be visited on the child." ren even unto the third and fourth genera-She spoke in a low, solemn voice "I told her once, and I shall tell her again, if she asks me, that she who makes a bad man the tather of her children is little better

than a murderess. 'Poor Bella! poor Bella!" said the brother mournfully; but he did not gainsay a single

Bell, however, did not seem at all to deserve or to desire the epithet 'poor.' She appeared at breakfast next morning in the best of spirits, nor did she fall into her usual half hour of despondency after the post went by. She watched the weather with a slight anxiety, but that was all. She even began to take an interest in Blackhall affirs, and especially in an invitation for New Year's eve at Symington, which her brother and sister were discussing to-

"Of course you will go and take me with you! I had no idea, Silence, that you had such grand friends. Do you see them very

'Not very often. It's a good way to walk and besides-"Walk? You don't mean to say your hus-

band lets you walk?" A sharp quiver of pain passed over Rod-erick's face. "I let her, as I am obliged to let her do many things which cut me to the heart, but we bear them. Bella, when you and I were children, we had no need to think of money; now we have—at least I have. If I hired a carriage and took my wife and you to Symington, it would cost me fifteen shillings, and my earnings are just two pounds a week. Now, you see?

Let'us say no more. They did not, for Bella afterward owned to being 'quite frightened' by her brother's manner: but several times that morning she fell into brown studies, as if something was secretly vexing her, and in the afternoon was suddenly missing for an hour, having gone herself—"for the good of her health." she said—to the village, and as, by mere chance they afterward discovered, to the

Had she, after refusing so often, at last written to her mother? They did not like to ask her, and she did not tell, but being not at all of a reticent nature, she soon be trayed that something was on her mind. For three days after that she was in a restless, slightly irritable condition, very difficult to please in trifles, and noticing more than ever, in that annoyingly condescending way she had, the weak points of the estab-

"And so cousin Silence left you the house just as it stands, my dear, as it must have been in papa's time, of course? Well, no wonder mamma did not care for it. Such poky rooms, such shabby old furniture. In your place I would have turned out every stick of it, and refurnished it from top to gist has none in stock, get him to probottom. But you can do this by and by, if cure it for you. you stay here."

"I have no wish to go."

"Probably not, a quiet soul like you; it suits you exactly. But my brother, you surely would not keep him shut up all his days at Blackhall, he who would be an ornament in any society. Do think better of it. Poke him up, make him push himself forward in the world and get rich; there's nothing like money, after all. If mamma saw him well off, so that he could come back to Richerden, and live in good Richerden style, such as we have all of us been well and iron have been found in Greece and Italy dating from at least the seventh century before Christ.

The great lung healer is found in the excellent medicine sold as Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It soothes and diminishes the sensibility of the membrane of the throat and air passages, and is a sovereign remedy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness, etc. It has cured many when supposed to be far advanced in consumption. den style, such as we have all of us been brought up to, she might forgive him; who

"Who knows?" repeated Silence, assent-

often carried. She did not mean it; it was simply that she coud not understand.
"Just think of what I say," continued
Mrs. Thomson, asshe gazed lazily out of the

window, down the winding glen, at the end of which curled upward in a fairy-like pillar the smoke of the mill. "I wonder you can endure the sight of it—that horrid place where Rody works all day-Rody that used to te such a gentleman.

"He is a gentleman," said the young wife, with a flash of the eye. "And I do not dislike—I like the mill. It has helped to make him what he is, and show him what he could do; and he does it, does it cheerfully for me. Bella, if I die—and I may die; who can tell? this spring"-with a sudden appeal to this woman, so unlike herself, but yet a woman-"if I die, remember we were per-fectly happy, my husband and I. We never have regretted anything, never shall regret anything, except perhaps that his mother-

always feel so for mothers. Her voice broke with emotion, but it was with emotion quite thrown away. Bella scarcely heard what her sister-in-law was saying. She sat listening as she had listened a good many times the last few days, to any sound outside.
"Hark! What is that? Carriage wheels?"

Possibly. We do have vistors sometimes even here," said Silence with a smile.

But Bella heeded her not. She ran to the window and watched, in a tremor of anxiety the arrival. A large, handsome carriage, with post-horses, postillion and two liveried footmen behind, coming slowly up to the

"It is! it is our carriage! Perhaps she has come herself, poor dear mamma! I did not tell you, my dear, but I wrote to her, and said, if she thought it best, I would come home. And I suppose she has sent for me to come. Look there! look there! No, it is not mamma-oh, God help me! it is my husband."

Horror, disgust, despair were written on every feature of her face, as she watched Mr. Alexander Thomson descend, leaning on his two footmen, and in a loud, imperious voice inquired "If Mrs. Thomson were here." How she shuddered, the miserable woman who had not had strength enough to free herself from her misery! But this was its last outcry. In another minute her worldly up-bringing, her love of ease and

"Yes, that is our carriage; isn't it a nice one? And he has brought it to fetch me. Well, he is not so bad, after all. I suppose he wants to get back in time for the New Year; the Thomsons always have a grand family gathering at the New Year. They are a highly respectable family, and in an exceedingly good position, I assure you, my dear,"added she, with a mixture of haughtiness and deprecation, as if she thought her sister would blame her. But Silence merely

"Shall I go and receive your husband, or will you?"
"You. No, perhaps I had better do it myself. Send him in here. I'll manage my

own affairs." And she did manage them-how was never accurately known. But half an hour after-ward Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Thomson were seen sitting together on the drawingroom sofa, as comfortable as if they had never been separated.

And most likely half the world wou'd say the wife was quite right in thus fulfilling to the letter her marriage vow, condoning everything, shutting her eyes to everything making believe that wrong was right, and going back in the most respectable manner to her husband's house, there to sustain the character of a blameless British matron. She did it "for the best," as many wo-men would argue, or "for the sake of her

(To be Continued.)

KIDNEY COMPLAINT.—Mr. Victor Auger, Ottawa, writes: "I take great pleasure in recommending to the general public Parmelee's Pills as a cure for Liver and Kidney complaint. I have doctored for the last three years with leading physicians, and have taken many medicines that were recommended to me without relief, but after taking eight of Parmelee's Pills I was quite relieved, and now I feel as free from the disease as before I was trou-

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Capt. Charles Gale, who now resides at Sombra, Lambton, at the age of 77, was born at old Fort Dearborn, Chicago's historic site, and spent several

years of his boyhood there. The new license commissioners for South Perth are Messrs. Joseph Mc-Intyre, of Blanshard; James Nagle, of St. Marys, and B. F. Kastner, of Se-

At a meeting of the creditors of Fred Doggett, marble dealer, St. Thomas, a statement was presented, showing liabilities of \$5,000, aroots, \$2,000. bilities of \$5,200; assets, \$3,200. An offer of 25 cents on the dollar was made to the creditors.

A. H. Clark and John C. Donnelly, representing the Standard Oil and Gas Company, left for Ottawa on Wednesday, bearing large petitions signed by people who do not want the Ontario Company to monopolize the gas fields

The United States Government has granted to Mrs. Kay, of Detroit, for-merly of Clinton, the back pension due on behalf of her late husband, who was a surgeon in the army, amounting to nearly \$3,000, and also gave her a monthly allowance.

W. Cudmore, of Kippen, one of the best known and most highly respected men in the county of Huron, who has been engaged in both the cattle and hay exporting, is likely to lose heavily -about \$4,000-by the failure of a man in London, with whom he has been dealing.

Mr. John Workman, a well-known and highly-respected resident of Woodstock, died on Wednesday night from an attack of inflammation. Mr. Workman was widely known as a successful contractor, being a member of the firm of Smith & Workman. A widow and three children are left.

Rev. Father Downey paid a visit to Chattelle in the Stratford jail on Wednesday. He found the prisoner quite resigned to his fate, whatever it may He is not building up any hopes for himself; but, on the contrary, looks forward to the worst, and is endeavoring to make his peace with his God.

It is reported that at the next meeting of the Windsor council they will be asked to bring in a bylaw reducing the number of licenses in the city, and also to raise the tax. Windsor has 30 places where liquor is sold, which includes hotels, saloons and retail shops. The law limits the number of licenses and the city is only entitled to grant two saloon licenses.

The annual meeting of the patrons of Fullarton cheese factory, Perth county, was held on Wednesday. The books of the factory showed the following result of the season's work: Total number of pounds of milk for season, 1,560,673; total number of pounds of cheese, 142,-930; average number of pounds of milk for pound of cheese, 10.19; average price per pound for season, 9.69 cents; total amount of money received for cheese, \$13,852 57; total amount paid to patrons, \$10,994 17.

Wm. Palmer, the Ingersoll counterfeiter, was brought up for trial Wednes-day before Judge Finkle and pleaded not guilty to the charge. A large number of witnesses were called for the prosecution, and their evidence went to show that the prisoner had endeavored to pass spurious dimes and 25-cent pieces at several of the stores in Ingersoll. The judge considered that a strong case had been made out against the isoner and found him guilty of both charges. Judgment was reserved.

In October next a ceremony never be-

fore witnessed in Chatham will be held

in St. Joseph's Church there, when the congregation of that church will celebrate its jubilee. The ceremonies will be inaugurated on Sunday, and continue until Tuesday night. On Sunday morning Archbishop Walsh, of Toronto, will deliver the opening sermon. In the afternoon Archbishop Elder, of Cincinnati, will preach. On Monday Bishop O'Connor, of London, will address the congregation, as will also Rev. Father William, to whose energy the building of the present church is largely due. The annual meeting of the Elgin Baptist Association was held at Aylmer on Tuesday afternoon, when able addresses were given and papers read by the Rev. Messrs. O. C. S. Wallace, of Toronto; G. Davis, of Sparta; J. Gray, New Sarum; J. Kimball, Aylmer; P. R. Carey, Port Burwell; J. Bracken, Shedden; and Messrs. J. L. Hess, St. Thomas; F. Cloes, Aylmer; J. H. Mc-Intrye, Dutton; and J. Fowler, Springfield. The village of Dutton was chosen as the place of holding the next annual meeting, and officers for the coming year were elected as follows: Presi dent, Mr. J. L. Hess, St. Thomas; vicepresident, Mr. David Lewis, New Sarum; secretary-treasurer, Miss Nettie Clark, Aylmer; corresponding sec-retary, Miss Minnie Pound, Bayham.

KOMOKA.

the R. T. of T., I would like to make a few suggestions on the plans that we have taken. We choose sides, and each side has a captain, and a member bringing in a new candidate gets so many marks, and anything he does for the good of the order, no matter what it is, he or she gets so many marks for it. The reduction of the membership fee for the past few months was taken advantage of, and the losing side has to pay two-thirds of the expenses of the oyster supper, which we expect will come off in March some time. Bro. Martison has been doing his level best in bringing in new members. He is

bound to be on the winning side, if it is possible at all. The Komoka Presbyterian choir visited Rev. Mr. and the Misses Haig, of Hyde Park, last Monday night, and

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Feb. 28.-The West Middlesex Teachers' Association convention held here on Thursday and Friday of last week was well attended and profitable to all. On Thursday evening an entertainment was held in the Lyceum which was well attended, Mr. O. Smiley, of Toronto, appearing in his recitations, and Madam D'Ama as a vocalist. Both were much appreciated.

On Friday last a very successful lodge of instruction was held in the Masonic rooms here at 3 and 8 p.m. by D.D.G.M. W. I. Ward. There were many visitors from outside lodges, and Past D.D.G.M. F. Goodier was presented with a hand-some P.D.D.G.M.'s apron, collar and

cuffs. The anniversary services of the Baptist Church were held on Sunday last, the congregations being very large throughout, especially in the evening. Rev. P. K. Dayfoot preached in the morning and evening, and at 3:45 p.m. gave an instructive lecture on the English Bible. A feature of the services was the excellent singing by the choir. On Monday evening there was a very large attendance at the tea meeting, when the lengthy programme was given in a satisfactory manner to all, and the tea fully sustained the previous reputation of the ladies of the Baptist Church.

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TODAY'S PROBABILITIES. TORONTO, March 1 .- 1a. m. - Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far as Belleville) are: Fresh to strong winds from southwest and northwest; mostly fair; few local showers; mild today, turning little colder tonight.

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CARSON, Nev., Feb. 28 .- The Senate resolution to submit the woman suffrage question to the vote of the people at the next election has passed the assembly by a majority of six.

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-The regular meeting of the London West Council will be held on Tuesday

-The Bishop of Huron will preach in St. Paul's Cathedral this afternoon and on each Friday during Lent.

-Rev. H. C. Speller, of Sarnia, formerly pastor of the Adelaide Street Baptist Church, is in the city.

—A good concert is promised for this evening in the City Hall. Proceeds go toward the Simcoe street school library

ly of London, received first prize for his Gordon setter, Guy, at the Detroit dog -Mr. J. Kilgour, of this city, was

-Mr. Charles Stone, of Toronto, former-

elected third vice-president of the Canadian Retail Furniture Dealers' Association organized on Wednesday. -Rev. J. W. Annis took an unexpected relapse yesterday afternoon, and his

physicians were hastily summoned. Toward evening, however, he rallied con--Auctioneer Jones yesterday sold the Aylmer, at 59 cents. The stock was

valued at \$1,958 43. -Mr. Philip Saxton, a resident of Port Stanley for 25 years, died Thursday morning, aged 70. He was a native of Scotland and a member of the Presbyterian Church. He leaves a widow and three of a family. -A 'bus load of merrymakers was seen

last night heading for the open country. Whether they managed to get through the drifts, which are now slush heaps, or were drowned on the passage, is at present not -The remains of Mrs. Charles Barrett. who accidentally took poison instead of

medicine at her home on the corner of Oxford and Colborne streets, were laid to rest in Mount Pleasant Cemetery yesterday Vice Presidents -Messrs. Wm. Court and George Duckett, of this city, have received from Pennsylvania a number of homing pigeons with

a flying record of 507 mills. These will be added to the large pigeon stock of these gentleman. -It appears that it has not been finally settled to build the new Queen's Avenue Church on the old site. There are rumors that the structure will be erected on Dr.

Eccles' corner, which would be a far more eligible location. -The delegates from Dundas Center Methodist Epworth League to the convention in Toronto have returned home, announcing the convention a great success. Rev. E. B. Lanceley inspected several churches in Toronto and Hamilton, and

gathered many ideas which will be of advantage in the construction of his new -"The Gaiety Girl" was produced at the Grand last night for the second time this season before a large audience, and scored another success. The company is one of the largest and best on the road, and the performance, both for humor and music, pied the balcony, and made themselves heard when Mr. Langley sang "Tommy Atkins" most admirably. Miss Dennis, the

is away ahead of the average comic opera. A big detachment from the barracks occuleading lady, was suffering from a bad cold, and her voice was painful to listen to, but the piece went smoothly over the beards nevertheless. For the Poor.

The ladies of the King Street Presby terian Church last night held a social in aid of the city's poor. The admission fee charged was not in the form of money, but every person who attended was exto give at least one pound of provisions. The donators were very liberal and as a result between 300 and 400 pounds of bread, meat, flour, potatoes, etc., will be distributed among London's deserving poor, of whom there are a great number. A good programme was introduced by Mr. Wm. Brown. It included a very pretty empire drill by sixteen young ladies from the St. James Presbyterian Church, under the instruction of Miss Wallace; autoharp selection, Messes. Mercer and Geise; recitations. Misses Frances Chalcreft and Irene Bell solos, Miss E. Carson, Miss Lee and Mr. Dobbin; reading, Miss Boon; and an address by Dr. Gardiner. Mr. and Mrs. Durward Lely.

In regard to the concert to be given in the Grand Opera House on Wednesday evening next by St. Andrew's Society and Clan Fraser, the following is from the Toronto Mail of recent date: The Lely concert in the Pavilion last night was a great success. The building was crowded, and the programme, except for one piece, consisted entirely of Scotch songs, in:erspersed with short sketches of the authors and circumstances or legends relating to the songs. In addition to being an excellent singer, Mr. Durward Lely is a good enter-

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tainer, and can tell a Scotch story with as much pawky humor as could that prince of Scotch story tellers, the late Rev. Dr. Norman McLeod. The opening piece was piano selection by Mrs. Durward Lely, which was heartily encored, and then Mr. Lely took the platform, and with song and sketch, and story, held the large audience in the best of humor for fully two hours, a feat which of itself is the best compliment to Mr. Lely's accomplishments as an exponent of Scottish song and story. Intended Improvements.

The meeting of the board of works held last evening was brief. The members present were Chairman Wm. Heaman, Ald. John Heaman, Nutkins and Callahan, Secretary Bell and Engineer Graydon. The engineer will see about petitions being signed from the merchants on Richmond and Dundas streets for a new pavement stock of Wm. E. Van Valzen, general mer- when the electric railway is laid. A comchant, Calton, Ont., to A. E. Adams, munication from the engineer in regard to certain overhanging signs was lai the next meeting. The engineer also presented another plan for the proposed changes in the City Hall, costing \$3,000. It was recommended to the council to call for tenders. The council will be asked to send out notices to Dundas and Richmond street residents that all sewer, water, gas and other connections required should be made before the new pavement is laid. After passing the paysheet the committee adjourned.

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12th-Ladies' Heavy Black Jerseys, on Saturday night 48c. 13th—Black Opossum Mufts, worth \$5, on Saturday night \$2 40. 14th—The "Elegant" Corset, worth \$1 25, on Saturday night 85c.

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