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New York, 'April 11.-Jas. P. Withe- patent. He constructed many large row has began suit in the United furnaces all over the country. He States Circuit Court against the Car- claims that a patent secured by one negie Steel Company for damages | Jones and used by Carnegie is an inamounting to between \$40,000,000 and fringment of his patent and was so \$50,000,000 for an alleged infringment | declared by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals. Thomas B. Reed Mr. Witherow was a builder of blast has been engaged by the Carnegie

HAS GEN, DEWET GONE CRAZY? POSTPONED

Botha Reopens Peace Negotiations Independent of His Famous Colleague,

Whose Intellect Is Said to Have Weakened, and Whose Influence Is Waning---Baden-Powell Has Stopped Recruiting.

Cape Town, April 10.-Gen. Botha | sible, undertakes to negotiate in behas reopened negotiations with the

As explained here this action was determined, in part by Gen. Botha's discovery, at a recent meeting, that Gen. Dewet's intellect had weakened, and that his influence with his followtinuance of the campaign in view of

It is understood here that although Gen. Dewet, at his recent interview with Gen. Botha, refused to surrender, Gen. Botha regarding him as irrespon-

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FOR SALE—SIR WILLIAM MERE-DITH'S residence, 90 Albert street. L. Meredith, 74 Dundas street. 29n IN THE MATTER OF THE GUAR-DIANSHIP of the infant children of George Badge, late of the Township of Caradoc, in the County of Middlesex, farmer, deceased: Notice is hereby given that after twenty days from the first publication hereof in The Daily Advertiser, Adelaide Victoria Adams, of the said Township of Caradoc, widow, will apply to the Surrogate Court of the County of Middlesex, to be appointed guardian of Annie Badge and Frederick J. Badge, infant children of the abovenamed George Badge, deceased. Dated this ninth day of April. A. D. 1901. MACBETH & MACPHERSON, of 57 Dundas street, London, solicitors for the said A. V. Adams. SALE-SIR WILLIAM MERE-

TO CONTRACTORS Tenders for the whole of the works or the several branches thereof will be received at the office of the architect of the Board of Education up till 5 p.m. on Friday, April 19, 1901, for the erection and completion of a Public School Building on Park street, East London.

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half of the entire Boer forces.

The British authorities here consider that if Gen. Botha surrenders Dewet's following can be easily taken. THE REPORT REITERATED. London, April 11 .- "It is semi-offici-

ally asserted here," says the Cape Town correspondent of the Daily Tele-graph, "that Gen. Botha has had another interview with Lord Kitchener, \$200 WILL BUY A NEW WILLIAMS ers was diminishing, and that a con- in which he informed him that he had seen Gen. Dewet, who still refused to entertain the idea of surrender on any terms. Gen. Botha, however, Dewet as no longer responsible for his actions, and seeks a modus vivendi on behalf of all the burgher forces.

GENERALLY BELIEVED. The report that Gen. Botha has renewed the negotiations with Lord Kitchener is not yet officially confirmed, but it is generally credited and received with satisfaction, except by the ultra-jingoes, who fear that the of the action to the next assizes.

government will renew the terms re-Reports of Gen. Dewet's mental condition have been very conflicting for some time. His recent inactivity indicates that there is some truth in the rumors which allege that long-continued hardships, under the harassing British pursuit, have unhinged his

On the other hand, a correspondent of the Times quite recently acknowl-edged the "wonderful foresight and fertility of resources" which characterized Gen. Dewet's retreat from Cape Colony. As during the previous abortive negotiations, the British press again loudly insists upon "unconditional surrender," but with the budgetary necessities staring the country in the face, if negotiations are reopened, the Boers, as the Daily Chronicle remarks, editorially, may reckon on fair treatment at the hands of the Brit-

BOERS KEPT HUSTLING. The government reports that Scheepers' commando has divided. The larger portion, under Scheepers, is clinging to the mountains on the Aberdeen-Murraysburg road. It is an extremely difficult country to operate in.

British have kept the invaders moving, CAPTURED A CAMP. Major Multins, of Scobell's column, has captured a Boer camp near Roodepoort. Commandant Fouchee has been kept moving in the Murraysburg and Richmond districts. Fouchee is apparently awaiting instructions

Scheepers. He invariably declines engagements. SWAM THE ORANGE.

Part of the invading commandoes who have been driven north attempted to swim the Orange River, but failed. They finally crossed at Ondefontein with the aid of one boat. They were attacked on the north bank and scattered, fleeing north of the railway. They have been attacked in desultory fashion more than once, but without

The latter's sub-commandoes have gone west from Dreif towards the

fifty Boers, part of the commando which attacked a train last week, sudappeared at Ingogo Sunday. The owner of the hotel and store awoke and found seventy armed Boers in his room. They looted and set fire to the premises. Later they raided a neighboring house, the owner of which guarded his wife's bedroom with a revolver. A bullet passed through the door and wounded him in the shoulder. After the looting the Boers rapidly decamped. The fire at the hotel was extinguished, but the store and a canteen were destroyed.

DENIED AGAIN. New York, N. Y., April 11.—Charles D. Pierce, official representative in D. Pierce, official representative in New York of the Boers, gives positive denial of the statement cabled from Europe that President Kruger will for the United States on May Wrs. Richardson, as the results might.

31. "There is absolutely nothing in the story," he said. "Mr. President Kruger may come here in the fall, but not sooner. He is taking the rest which he need so badly."

BADEN POWELL'S POLICE. Bloemfontein, April 11.—Gen. Baden-Powell has cabled, stopping recruiting for the constabulary, fearing 11,000 might be exceeded. These all have to be trained, clothed, mounted, equipped, and transported independently of the army, and their organization naturally and thei rally requires time. There are, how-ever several troops in the Transvaal and Orange River Colony fully equipped, trained, and even furnished with carrier pigeons. Most of these troops were attacked by the Boers on first taking up their districts, but in no single instance have they failed to render a good account of themselves and to quiet their districts.

GOLD WATCHES PRESENTED TO GUELPH VOLUNTEERS. Guelph, April 1.—The presentation to our South African soldiers took place in the city hall Tuesday night, both halls being packed to the doors. Each man received a gold watch suitably engraved. The following are the names: Lieut. McCrae, Corp. Walker, Bomb. Denyes, Trooper Taylor, Gunners Abbs, Barber, Cormack, Cartlidge, Howe, Thomas, Lett, Miller, Stephenson, Donald, Bardgett, Partridge, Philip.

TILL FALL

Sifton Trial Cannot Go On Until September.

Chief Justice Says There Is No Alternative Under the Circumstances.

Medical Evidence Establishes the Fact That Mrs. Richardson is Too III

to Attend Court-Canon Richardson Acted Only in His Wife's Interests.

The Sifton murder trial came this morning to a sudden termination, so far as the present assizes are concerned. Investigation by the crown authorities showed that Mrs. (Canon) Richardson was not in a condition of health to appear as a witness, and as under the statute there is no provision for admitting as evidence the testimony given by her in the preliminary examination, Chief Justice Meredith held that in justice to the rights of the accused there was no course open to him but to postpone the trial

Court opened sharp at 10 o'clock, with the usual crowd of curious spectators filling the courtroom. Gerald Sifton was brought in and took his place in the dock, his wife seating herself as near to him as possible. Crown Counsel Riddell arose and informed the court that he had, on be half of the crown, made inquiry into the circumstances of the absence of Mrs. Mary Richardson, wife of Rev. Canon Richardson, who was a witness at the preliminary examination. Mr Riddell said he was satisfied that the witness could not be produced in court, owing to the condition of her health, which also was such as to render it

impossible to take her evidence commission. DR. MOORHOUSE'S STATEMENT. Mr. Riddell read Dr. W. H. Moorhouse's statement as to Mrs. Richardson's health, which is to the effect that she is not so dangerously ill that she will not recover, and that she is able to travel, but owing to her extreme nervous condition, induced by the injury to her head, it would be improper and dangerous to examine her or have her appear as a witness. She will probably be sufficiently recov-

ered by September next to give evi-CANON RICHARDSON'S STATE-

MENT. Mr. Riddell also read a statement signed by Canon Richardson setting forth the position taken by him with reference to his wife's appearance, which was to the following effect: Canon Richardson does not object to Mrs. Richardson being called as a witness. He does object to that being done at the present time, on the advice of his physician, that such would be dangerous to his wife's health. He undertakes to expedite the crown's work in having Mrs. Richardson give evidence if this case be postponed, and will produce her as a witness at any time his physician advises that she may safely be examined as a witness. He will also pro-Commandant Kritzinger has sent his duce Mrs. Richardson at an adjournworn-out men and horses to join Van ed trial without subpoena upon receiving notice so to do, unless his physician advises that it would dangerous, and in that case he will Middleburg district, where they are probably awaiting a general concentration of the forces operating in that tice of the advice of the physician. He had no intention or desire to ob-BOER "TACTICS." struct or delay the course of justice, and in all that he did he was acting for his wife's health only.

Under the statute, said Mr. Riddell, there was no authority for using in a criminal trial the evidence of a witness in a preliminary examination, when the witness was unable to appear at the trial. The crown, said Mr. Riddell, was unable to see how Mrs. Richardson's attendance was material to the defense, as her evidence was covered by that of half a dozen other witnesses. If counsel for the defense insisted on pressing his motion for a postponement, Mr. Riddell said he could only urge upon the court the propriety of proceeding with the trial of the case, owing to the heavy expense entailed upon the crown by a

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216 Dundas Street. e serious to the defense. He was anxious to have the case go on, but under the circumstances he must press his the circumstances he must press his motion for a postponement.

Chief Justice Meredith said that the expense to the country of the postponement could not be allowed to weigh against the rights of the accused. It was the plain duty of the court, on the submission by counsel, of an affidavit, that the absent witness was necessary and material to the trial of the action, to postpone the trial iil the next assizes.

till the next assizes. NO EVIDENCE AGAINST CANON

RICHARDSON. The Sifton case disposed of, there remained the true bill of indictment found by the grand jury yesterday against Canon Richardson, charged with conspiracy to defeat the ends of justice. A jury was empaneled, and the indictment read over. Mr. Riddeff stated to the court that no evidence would be offered against Canon Richardson, as the crown was satisfied that his intention was not to obstruct the course of justice, but merely to safeguard his wife's health. The matter

would therefore not be pressed.

The chief justice then addressed the jury briefly, pointing out that such accourse as that pursued by Canon Richardson was likely to get people into trouble. The law provides severe punishment for attempts to defeat the course of justice by inducing witnesses to avoid the service of subpoenas, by inducing them to go away, and by concealing information as to their whereabouts. Such practices will not be permitted, and severe punishment will some day fall on such offenders. There

being no evidence offered against the accused, he was acquitted. SOME JURORS DISCHARGED. All the petit jurymen who were on the second panel were discharged from further attendance at the assizes, and

were paid off. Their pay list totaled TERRIBLE SLAUGHTER BY BOXERS!

Some 40.000 Native Christians

Put to Death.

Fearful Fate of 183 Protestant Missionaries, Including 75 Women, in China-American Bible Society's Annual Report.

New York, April 11.-The annual report of the American Bible Society relative to the situation in China contains the following statements from its agent in China, Rev. John R. Hykes,

There was a deep and cunningly laid plot, under imperial sanction, to extirpate Christianity, expel all foreigners and destroy all foreign interests. No one divined the full extent of the iniquity which was deliberately

contemplated.

"In all 183 Protestant missionaries, including 60 men, 75 women and 48 children, have been massacred, mainly in the northern provinces. "The Boxer uprising was undoubtedly against foreigners, as such; and the crusade was directed against everything foreign-Christianity, of course, included. Hsu Ching Cheng and Yuen Chang, two ministers of the foreign office, would not transmit the awful edict which reiterated the order to 'painfully extirpate all foreigners,' but changed it so as to read 'protect all foreigners,' and then sent it flying over the wires to the remotest pr

vinces. They were sentenced to be cut in two. "In the Province of Chihli and Shansi every school, hospital, chapel and dwelling was looted and burned by the Boxers and imperial troops, the only exception being the property in the foreign settlement at Tien Tsin. So complete was the demolition of property by these mad fanatics that not a vestige was left to mark the site; even the foundations were dug up and carried away. The native Christlans have been the worst sufferers. Those who escaped the general slaughter in the northern provinces lost absolutely everything, and many of them are perishing from cold and starvation.

THOUSANDS OF BIBLES DE-STROYED. "The Scriptures destroyed will ag-

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ON STOCKS AND BONDS. LOWEST RATES.

London Loan Company

Doctors agree on two points: That grippe and consumption kill more people than all other diseases. That SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE cures more colds, coughs, grippe and all manner of lung troubles than all other remedies. It soothes the inflamed tissues, heals the sore lungs, loosens the cough and restores health and vigor. 25c. per bottle.

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street. The ceremony was performed

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of 1845, Kipling's autograph, a pair of old-time baby shoes of old Canadian

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the ladies kindly assisting are ear-

Severe Loss for Parry Sound People-A

\$50,000 Plant in Ashes.

ensive repairs having recently

hroughout the entire season.
The loss is estimated at \$50,000.

Buffalo, N. Y., April 10.

made.
The destruction of this property is a very serious loss to the town, as it was expected that 250 hands would have been employed in the day and night operations

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THE CONGER

AROUND THE CITY.

From Yesterday's Last Edition.

-J. E. Caldwell, principal of the Duart public school, is in the city. -Ald. Winnett was acting mayor today, as Mayor Rumball was away from the city. -Mr. Robert Ironside is absent

from the city engineer's office on account of illness. -Chas S. Hyman, M.P., returned to

cellent preparations. The firm of Walter Baker & Co. has been estab-Ottawa last night, after spending lished over a century, and they have the largest sale of cocoa and chocolate Easter in the city. -Examinations at the Western Medof any firm making such preparations.
An attractive booklet containing some

ical College were begun yesterday, and will continue till April 25. -Vice-President Dearness, of the Normal School, has gone to Toronto to attend the annual meeting of the

Ontario Educational Association. -Miss Kurzenknabe, the well-known elocutionist of this city, will give a recital in Alvinston on Thursday evening, and in Glencoe on Friday, April

-Attendance at the Children's Aid Society concert at the Opera House tomorrow night will entail considerable pleasure, and will assist one of the city's worthiest charities.

-Antoine Nestman has purchased the Essex hotel block, Windsor, from London Trust and Loan Company, the purchase price being \$5,000. The new proprietor has been a tenant of

the building for eight years. -Among the ladies present at the sixth annual School of Methods, held in Toronto yesterday, were Mrs. May R. Thornley, of London, the vice-president of the Ontario W. C. T. U., and Mrs. Gordon Wright, of London.

-Mrs. Mary H. Hunt, of Boston Mass., superintendent of scientific temperance instruction in the World's and American W. C. T. U., will be tendered a reception in Somerset Hall on Friday evening. The mayor will preside, and all friends of education

are invited to attend. -Miss Estella Griffin, of Wingham, pupil of Miss Eva N. Roblyn, sang in Matthew's Church, this city, on Easter Sabbath, both morning and evening. Her solos, "The Resurrection by Rodney, and Grainer's "Hosanna," were finely interpreted and thoroughly enjoyed by all who

-At the Ontario Library Association convention in Toronte, Mr. R. J. Blackwell, of this city, was elected second vice-president. A paper read by E. A. Hardey, B.A., of Lindsay, suggested the training of librarians in Toronto, London, Hamilton or Ottawa public libraries, and suggested that a brarian's certificate be required before the maximum librarian's salary

be granted. -Many prominent citizens attended the funeral of the late Mr. Thomas Dixon this afternoon. The remains were conveyed to Woodland Cemetery for interment, and services were conducted at the home and the graveside by Rev. W. H. A. Claris, pastor of the Southern Congregational Church. The tie, John Campbell, J. H. Belton and

DAWSON-WHITE.

Dr. Louis H. Dawson and Miss Susie May White, both of London, were wedded at noon yesterday at the reA NEW PHASE OF SIFTON CASE

Detense Will Indict Canon Richardson Before the Grand Jury.

It is Charged That He Has Attempted to Obstruct Justice by Sending Mrs. Richardson Away-Application Granted.

The second afternoon session of the spring assizes opened at 1:30 yesterday afternoon, with the courtroom filled with spectators and a disappointed crowd around the entrance. Those who were attracted to the courtroom by curiosity in the Sifton trial were probably distributed by the sifton trial were probably the sift of the ably doomed to disappointment, for it is probable that the opening of the case will be deferred till tomorrow morning, if not for a longer period. Mr. Riddell announced that Crown Attorney Magee had seen both Rev. Canon Richardson and Dr. J. S. Niven, the femily abvasion in reference to the family physician, in reference to the whereabouts of Mrs. Richardson, whom the defense claims to be a necessary and material witness. The doctor said that on his advice Mrs. Rich ardson had gone away for her health, and he was unaware of her present whereabouts. Canon Richardson also said that he did not know exactly where his wife was, as she was traveling from place to place. Mr. Riddell urged upon the court that in view of the expense which would result from a postponement of the trial, all efforts should be made to procure the wit-

The judge replied that he could not force the trial if the defense were not ready to go on because of the absence

ence of immediate relatives and friends. Mr. E. A. White, brother of the bride, was best man, and Miss Mabel TO INDICT CANON RICHARDSON. Mr. Riddell then applied for leave, Dawson, sister of the groom, assisted the bride. Dr. and Mrs. Dawson will the bride. Dr. and Mrs. Dawson will reside in Princess avenue.

DELICIOUS BREAKFAST COCOA.

Messrs. Walter Baker & Co. are at Mrs. Ridden then applied for leave, under the code, to prefer a bill of indictment against Rev. Canon Richardson and Dr. J. S. Niven, for conspiring to defeat the ends of justice.

He wished to lay the bill before the grand involved to the profession of the profes

present serving free at Messrs. Small- grand jury at once. The grand jury, at 1:30 brought in man & Ingram's, samples of their a true bill against Isaac Kersey, an cocoa and chocolate, and many have Edy's Mills merchant, charged with obtaining goods under false pretenses from T. B. Escott & Co., of London, by making a false statement of his financial condition. True bills were also returned against David and William Ferguson and Joseph Wrinkle, of Metcaife township, charged with An attractive booklet containing some choice receipts is also distributed at the same time to anyone desiring to partake of a sample of the cocoa and chocolate.

Of Metcaire township, charged with the theft of sawlogs from the Cameron-Dunn Manufacturing Company of Strathroy. A bench warrant was issued for the apprehension of the cocoa and chocolate. Wrinkle, who was allowed out on bail

THE RUMMAGE SALE OPENING by Squire Noble at Strathroy. William and David Ferguson were arraigned and pleaded not guilty. Their trial was then adjourned to the next assizes, and they were released

ladies are doing everything in their on bail of \$1,000 each. Detective John Murray has arrived, and is prepared to assist in the conit no doubt will be. Among the curios duct of the crown case in the Sifton

promised are a year's issue of Punch trial. THE APPLICATION GRANTED. The application of the crown officer to prefer an indictment against Can-

on Richardson was granted. nestly desired to be at the store, 110 Dundas street, Thursday morning. Goods will be received all day Thursday.

These Gaudy Insects To Be Supplied in WIFE ABSENT. London as an Attraction

The parks committee of the London county council is considering an interesting proposal, namely, the introduction of butterflies into the inclosures under its jurisdiction. The Parry Sound, Ont., April 10.-The sawsuggestion, which it seems probable mill of the Conger Lumber Company was will be carried out, was made by Mr. completely destroyed by fire this morn-C. J. Longman, of Paternoster Row. His plan of action seems quite work-The boiler house, built of brick, attached to the mill, was saved, as were the able, and he has wisely chosen three tramways and other property close to butterflies, to begin with, whose requirements are not very great, which are very prolific and which are among The mill had been expected to start perations in a few days for the season's per at the season's per the most handsome of our more com-

mon species. The insects in question are the "red admiral," with its velvety black wings, bordered with black and white; the "peacock," with its famous "eyes," and the pretty little "tortoiseshell." The food plant upon which the caterpillars live is the same in all cases, being the stinging nettle. Those familiar with the insect life of country lanes know well the clusters of hairy, black-looking larvae, All that will be required at first will be plantations of nettles, inclosed for protection sake, upon which a host of eggs or young grubs will be placed. The caterpillars are of the he legislature, has been underwritten, hairy kind, unpalatable to many birds, and there is now no doubt, if there ever but it would be wise if were adopted to prevent the ubiquitous sparrow from acquiring a taste for them, as he has done for many of the

plants cultivated in the parks.

It may be objected to that many of the butterflies will make use of their wings and betake themselves to the country. Possibly a number will, but it will be easy in all probability to raise them in great quantities. When they from time to time emerge from

their chrysalides they are bound to fly about the parks for some time and take advantage of any honey-producing flowers that they may meet upon their way out.—London Daily Mail.

THE BOERS LAUGHING

At the Idea of Being Starved Into a Surrender.

Haven't Had to Dig Up Their Buried Biscuits—The Victoria Cross Bravely Won.

Dewetsdorp, April 10.-The Boers in this district laugh at the idea of their being starved into surrendering, and say that they have not yet found it necessary to dig up buried food, biscuits, and tinned meats. They assert that, no matter how much Dewet may use the sjambok, they will never enter Cape Colony again, having had a terrible experience there.

BOERS BLEW UP A TRAIN. Balmoral, April 10.-The Boers succeeded yesterday in blowing up another train on the Delagoa line, between Balmoral and Wilge River, and with more disastrous effects than The engine, four trucks, and a bogie carriage were overturned or derailed, and the line was blocked for 30 hours. We had no casualties. It is satisfactory to know that more mounted troops are to be sent to guard this line, on which the accidents have been frequent of late.

DEWET WITH STEYN. Cape Town, April 10.-Gen. Dewet is reported to be west of Heilbron, with Mr. Steyn, Commandant-General Louis Botha, who has been with Gen. Dewet, has returned to the Transvaal.

NO LENIENCY FOR REBELS. London, April 10.-Sir Alfred Milner has decided that the time has gone by for treating Cape rebels with leniency. They will no longer be tried under the special commission act passed by the Colonial Legislature year, but will be indicted under the common law and will be subject, therefore to all the penalties prescribed for the crime of treason, including capital punishment. This official an nouncement is an indication that the situation in Cape Colony is not so satisfactory as the military authori-

ties would like it to be. BRAVERY OF LIEUT. H. E. M. DOUGLAS.

London, April 10.-The Gazette states that a Victora Cross has been 11. 1899, during the action at Magersfontein, Lieut. Douglas showed great gallantry and devotion under a very severe fire in advancing in the open and attending to Captain Gordon, Gordon Highlanders, who was wounded, and also attending to Major Robinson ful fire. Many similar acts of devotion BUTTERFLIES FOR PARKS and gallantry were performed by Lieut. Douglas on the same day.

Married Man, Attracted by Pickpocket's Wife, Runs Away With Her.

David Hardey, jun., a married man, who resided with his wife and two children on Charlotte street, East London, until a few days ago, was arrested and brought here from Windsor by Detective Rider Tuesday night. Hardey's family were visiting in Toronto last week, and in their absence he attended a cheap dance at John Coursey's house on Hill street. There he met and became enamored of Kitty Doyle, who came here and married Park Ludlum, the Detroit pickpocket. Kitty's malefic charm was so exercised upon Hardey that he decided to accompany her to Detroit. He sold much of his household furniture, removed the remainder to the G. T. R. freight shed, and together they went tea buns; East Middlesex Conservaacross the line Saturday night. Then Mrs. Hardey came home and discov-ered what her faithless spouse had and Hardey appeared in court yesterday Mrs. George Robinson, three dozen hot

morning. in explicit terms what he thought of his conduct, but as there appeared to be a likelihood of reform, he allowed and jelly; Mrs. De la Hooke, preserves him out for a week on bail, hoping etc. that in that time he will have repaired the mischief done, as much as possible. Arthur German, a young man employed at the Mount Hope Refuge, is alleged to have assaulted an old inmate, and his case was adjourned un-

Robert Seaton, an aged and homeless man, was discharged.

WOODSTOCK CHOOSES BRICK. Woodstock, Ont., April 10.-The city council last night decided unanimously in favor of brick pavement for Dundas street, after a controversy that has extended over a year. The famous blocks will be torn up.

GEN. BOOTH'S BIRTHDAY. London, April 10.—Gen. Booth, of the Salvation Army, today is celebrating his 72nd birthday by attending a series of meetings and receiving the congratulations of the "force." Telegrams from all parts of the world are coming in. The general is in good

STEAMER SUNK AT HER DOCK. New York, April 10.—Fire was discovered in hatchway No. 7 in the second hold of the transport Rawlins early today. The Rawlings was at the government pier, Brooklyn, and was to have sailed for Cuba this afternoon. She sank in the mud at her pier. The damage to the transport is estimated at \$30,000 and to the cargo at \$80,000. The fire was under centrol after about two hours' work by the firemen, but the Rawlins listed to port from the immense quantity of water pumped through the portholes by the fireboats. She finally settled at her pier. Her carge, largely feed for army horses, will prove a total loss. The damage to the boat was not heavy.

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A GASOLINE VICTIM!

conferred on Lieut. H. E. M. Douglas, Royal Army Medical Corps. On Dec. Sad Death of Miss Maggie Brown of Simcoe, Ont.

Simcoe, Ont., April 10. - Maggie Brown, the eldest daughter of Frank A. Brown, just before retiring last night, and other wounded men under a fear- put her gloves on in order to clean them with gasoline. While she was thus engaged, her younger sister, who occupied the same room, noticed that the lamp was in a blaze, and called Maggie's attention to the fact. The latter, without waiting to take off ed to blow out the lamp, when her gloves and night apparel caught fire. A moment later the girl rushe downstairs, a mass of mother attempted to put out the fire and in doing so had her hands badly burned. Miss Brown died eight hours after the dreadful accident occurred

For Convalescent Home.

Home gratefully acknowledge the following donations for February and March: Mrs. Labatt, beef, sausages flour and potatoes; Mrs. Richards, six jars of preserves and pickles; Mrs. Kidner, butter, turnips and stationery; Mr. Adam Beck, load of wood; Mrs John Puddicombe, clothing; Mrs. Richard Browne, \$2; Mrs. Niven, beef, delf, etc.; Mrs. M., bag of potatoes and but-ter; Mrs. Boomer, flour; Mrs. W. T. Strong, medical appliance; Miss Gray don, literature; St. Andrew's Church tives, "At Home," sandwiches and cake; Mrs. Labatt, bedstead, carpet what her faithless spouse had and "delicious," etc.; Cronyn Hall, She informed the police and ham; Mrs. Macbeth, preserves, etc.; norning.

Police Magistrate Love told Hardey

Mrs. Boomer, two dozen hot cross buns; Mrs. Flock, sen., three dozer hot cross buns; Mrs. Bullen, preserves

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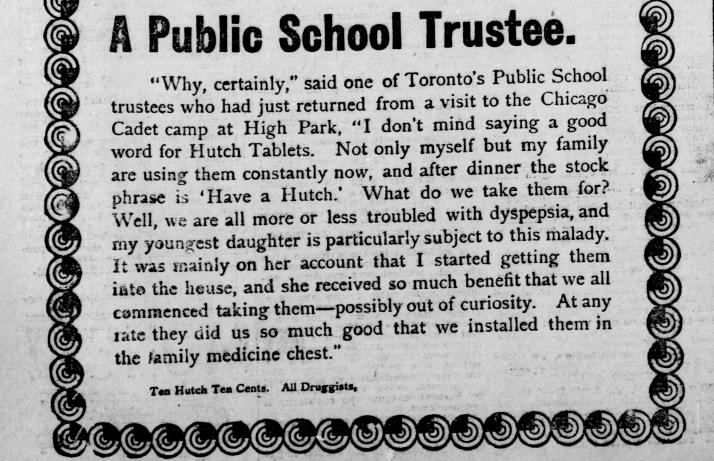
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RESULTS OF THE BENCHERS' ELECTION.

Toronto, April 11.-The counting of

Two London Lawyers Among the Candidates Who Were Elected.

ballot papers in the Benchers election was concluded yesterday. Out of 1,600 barristers entitled to vote at the election 1,245 voted. Mr. Aylesworth, of Toronto, heads the list, receiving the largest number of votes ever cast for a member of the society. The following are the names voted upon and the number of votes received by all who got over 100. The first 30 became benchers of the Law Society of Upper Canada for a term of five years:

A. D. Aylesworth, Toronto, 1,009;
Strathy, Barrie, 924; W. Douglas,
Chatham, 863; J. Hoskin, Toronto, 834; C. Robinson, Toronto, 833; D. B. Mc-Lennan, Cornwall, 824; A. H. Clarke, Windsor, 823; G. C. Gibbons, London, 823; G. F. Shepley, Toronto, 813; F. H. Crysler, Ottawa, 776; C. H. Ritchie, Toronto, 776; J. Idington, Stratford, Martin, Hamilton, 739; G. H. Watson, not been taken into custody. Toronto, 735; R. Bayly, London, 726; W. D. Hogg, Ottawa, 723; J. V. Teetzel, Hamilton, 718; R. M. Britton, Kingston, 714; W. Parwick, Toronto, 696; A. Bruce, Hamilton, 681; D. Guthrie, Guelph, 680; W. Kerr, Cobourg, 678; W. R. Riddell, Toronto, 661; W. R. White, Pembroke, 615; J. J. Foy, Toronto, 606; Z. A. Lash, Toronto, 594; W. D. McPherson, Toronto, 573; S. G. McKay, Woodstock, 556; G. Lynchtaunton, Hamilton, 534; A. J. Wilkes, Prantford, 531; D. E. Thompson, rantford, 515; J. Bicknell, Toronto. 102: Farewell, Whitby, 497; Edward, Peterboro, 450; Bell, Belleville, 441; Garrow, Goderich, 431; Masten, ronto, 387; McFadden, Brampton, 387; Arnoldi, Toronto, 366; Edmison, Peter-boro, 359; O'Leary, Lindsay, 335; Toronto, 303; Johnston, Toronto, 257; Steers, Lindsay, 209; Snow, Toronto,

DRAWS Hon. Edward Blake has ceased to be a member of the firm of Blake, Lash

206; Latchford, Ottawa, 164; Wilson,

Chatham, 110. The new benchers are Messrs. Glenn, White, Foy, McPher-

son, McKay and Lynch-Staunton. The

election is held every five years and

HON. EDWARD BLAKE WITH-

there are no nominations received.

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& Cassels, with which he has be connected for over 40 years. For a number of years, owing to Mr. Blake's residence in London, England, his connection with the firm has been but nominal. Mr. Blake will continue by himself to practice before the privy council and elsewhere as he has done since he took up his residence in England. He can be communicated with either at his London address, 20 Kensington, Gate, London, W., or through Blake Lash & Cassels, who will act as his Toronto agents.

MARGARET L. SHEPHERD

High Priest of the Defunct P. P. A. Again in Trouble-Charged With Creating and Selling Obscene Literature.

New York. April 11.-A warrant was issued by Judge Brenner for the ar-Mrs. Margaret L. Shepherd, formerly a nun, who has been lecturing in Brooklyn. Mrs. Shepherd charged with the creation and sale of obscene literature. Several policemen and detectives were looking for her 766; J. M. Glenn, St. Thomas, 745; E. last night, but at a late hour she had

Mrs. Shepherd was billed to deliver two public lectures Sunday, one in the afternoon and the other in the evening, at Avon Hall, Bedford avenue, near Hancock street. The first, which was entitled "Do the confession to the priest and parochial school education make good American citizens?" The place was filled, and the audience ap-

plauded her at frequent intervals. The second lecture was not deliver-A crowd much bigger than that of the afternoon paid its way into the building and proceeded to wait pati-The lecture was scheduled to begin at 8 o'clock. About 9 o'clock Mrs. Shepherd's manager, George Marron, appeared. Mr. Marron explained as soothingly as possible that Mrs. Shepherd would positively not be able Keefer, Port Arthur, 314; J. B. Clarke, to appear owing to a very severe and sudden attack of illness, but that all money would be refunded at the door, and that he hoped to see them in attendance Tuesday afternoon and evening, when Mrs. Shepherd would again lecture at Avon Hall.

Mr. Marron, her manager, 'appeared in the Adams street police court, across the bridge, to explain why the zealous lady did not answer to the complaint of circulating obscene lit-

Marron said Mrs. Shepherd was tarrying at a convenient distance until she could secure a bondsman. The complainant is Anthony Comstock, who was appealed to by Francis X. Hennessey, counsel for the International Truth Society.

MISHAP TO THE BRITANNIA. Halifax, N. S., April 10.-The Anchor Liner Britannia, with a full general cargo and six first-class passengers, arrived in port yesterday afternoon disabled. The steamer left New York on April 2 for Mediterranean ports. On April 4, when 250 miles out, the high piston rod broke and cracked the cylinder head. After 52 hours' work by the engineers the steamer started for breathe-in the vapor of it, that's all; it goes all through your bronchial tubes, curing asthma, croup, coughs, catarrh, wheeping-cough.

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What Men and Women Are Doing and Saying in Various Parts of the Garden of Canada.

erection of a \$5,500 school at Sarnia.

A canoeing party will be formed for the purpose of voyaging the Grand from Galt to Brantford. The plant of the Amherstburg Electric

Light Company, owned by ex-Mayor Mc-Evoy, was destroyed by fire. Victor and Louis Robidoux, of Amherstburg, left Windsor on Tuesday for Atlin, B. C., to engage in gold mining.

Chicago capitalists will erect a tin can and metal factory at Point Edward, which will employ 200 or 200 hands. The spring stallion show in Woodstock

on Tuesday, under the auspices of the local fair board, was a success in every The Oak Grove Cheese and Butter

Mrs. Loughead, wife, of Mr. Loughead, of Sarnia, died at the family residence, Wellington street, at 12:39

o'clock Friday morning. A bylaw to provide for taking over the waterworks of the town of Iroquois was submitted to the electors, and was carried by a vote of 135 to 20.

The marriage of Miss F. Davis, of the 15th line of East Zorra, to Mr. Harry Benfield, manager of the English farm, on the 13th line, took place yesterday.

The marriage took place on Tuesday at Thamesville of Miss Lily Harmer, formerly stenographer for Cleary & Suthand Fred Lindley, of Cedar Springs.

John Gott, of Amherstburg, has received the position lately occupied by the for the Noxon Company over the district

Rodney last week. This is the third accident of which he has been the victim. Charles Durand, barrister, of Hamilton, entered yesterday upon his 91st year, enjoying vigor of life and intellect. He was born at Hamilton, April 9, 1811. He is a brother of one of Sarnia's pioneers.

Woodstock Express: A farmer in town today stated that he never remembered at present. It has wintered perfectly, and looks now as green as in the fall.

The town of Galt is fighting the gas company of that place. The company gave the council until April to make a new contract. The contract has not been made, and the company threatens to put the lights out.

Mr. Isaac Abbott and sons, of Mosa, have purchased from Isaac Rathburn, reeve of Glencoe, the south half of lot 3, third concession of Mosa; price, \$5,000. The buildings are good, and there are also two splendid rock wells on the property. L. A. Burkholder, lot 8, con. 6, Barton. Wentworth county, recently purchased a 2-year-old heifer from J. D. Armes, which calved this morning. Her udder measures from front to rear 18 inches,

from side to side 11 inches. This young cow's sire was a registered Jersey. James H. Crockard, of Sarnia township. has purchased from Arthur Johnston, of Greenwood, near Toronto, one of the best breeders and largest importers of thor oughbred Durham stock, the 20-months old Durham bull, Kentucky Boy, counted the best in the country of his age.

The Shenango, No. 1, made her first appearance at Port Stanley this spring at noon on Sunday. She called on her way from Toledo, where she has been laid up for the past three months, to Conneaut, for empty cars. She took on against George S. Bliss, charged with a full load, and left in a stiff nor'-wester. Mr. I. G. Bogart, of Borwick, is the medalist in medicine at Queen's University, and has been appointed house surgeon at the Kingston goneral hospital. ordered mind.

Mr. Bogart was formerly principal of the Highgate public school, and his many friends will learn with much pleasure

Sarnia Observer: McGibbon & Son vs Charlton was tried at the assizes here yesterday. This was an action for breach contract in the delivery of 200,000 feet of white pine lumber and 250,000 feet of Norway pine at the opening of navigation in 1900. The plaintiffs were awarded \$1,000 damages, the judge reserving his ecision on a point of law

The trial of Wm. McCaulay and Wm. Kipp, of Princeton, on a charge of stealflour from Vickert's warehouse in that town, was concluded at Woodstock on Saturday afternoon before Judge Finkle. Kipp was let off on suspended sentence, on condition that he furnish security for \$400 to appear again when to two years in central prison at hard labor. summoned, and McCaulay was sentenced

Mr. H. A. Clemens and Mr. H. T. Whaley, the traveler for the H. A. Clemens Company, have just returned from a trip up north through Muskoka. While in the timber country they negotiated for the purchase of over 1,000, 700 feet of dry white pine, as well as several hundred thousand feet of hemlock, which will be shipped to the various yards here as well as to different points in Western Ontario and the United States.

St. Thomas Times: An interesting event is announced to take place shortly. It will be in the nature of a foot race be tween Ald. William Trott and City Treasurer S. O. Perry. The loser will donate two barrels of flour to the ladies of the Thomas Williams Home. Ald. George Ponsford has been engaged as a referee. City Clerk Doherty will be timekeeper. It will be a 100 yards dash, and Engineer Bell will measure off the distance. Jacob Lousch will fire the pistol to announce when the race is to be-

About 8:30 yesterday morning Nelson Parker's barns. Sparta road, near Sparta, were discovered to be on fire. Mr. Parker and his son were away from ome, being in Southwold sawing wood, making it necessary for Mrs. Parker and her daughter to feed the stock and do others chores, which they had done before dark, and consequently did not have occasion to use a lantern, which made the discovery of the fire a greater surprise. Mrs. Parker ran and opened the doors, and was severely burned about the Company, of New Hamburg. Wilmot face and hands by the fire belching township, has been incorporated, with a through the openings. The barns contained a quantity of fodder, 200 bushels of oats, 100 or more bushels of unhusked corn and two calves, one of the latter being a thoroughbred Jersey, all of which is a total loss. The insurance is said to

he about \$300 The Michigan Central is shortly to establish closer connections with the Canada Southern road. For the past eighteen years this road has been operated by the Michigan Central as a part of its own system. Its rights, however, were secured under a lease that has nearly expired, and it has been determined by the controlling interests of both corporations that a union shall be formed between them which shall be permanent and in-The Canada Southern is to be merged into the Michigan Central. Under the present arrangement Canada Southern stockholders get 40 per cent of late Daniel McCoig, as general agent the net earnings over fixed charges. This arrangement will hold good till 1903. When it expires it is proposed that the Philip Ashton had the misfortune to Michigan Central take a perpetual lease have three ribs and his collar-bone of the Canada Southern and guarantee broken as the result of a runaway in its stockholders 3 per cent of their hold-Such an arrangement, it is said, should have the effect of enhancing the value of the securities of both roads.

The Essex Assizes.

Windsor, April 11.-The grand jury seeing the fall wheat looking better than of the assize court found no true bill against Thomas E. Kilroy, charged by R. F. Sutherland, M.P., with criminal libel. At the last election campaign a circular, purporting to be the scroll and declaration of principles of the P. P. A. Society, and alleging that Mr. Sutherland, the Liberal candidate, had signed such a declaration, was issued. Kilroy was accused of distributing the circulars. Mr. Sutherland denounces the jury's finding as absurd, and says he may ask to have the case reinstated. A number of alleged ex-members of the P. P. A. Society in this section had been supoenaed to

give evidence in this case.

The jury cases on the civil docket were so disposed of that the only one remaining to be heard at the present court is Parent vs. Scott, an action

Detroit River Railway, and the Essex Basket and Veneer Company vs. Gardiner were put over to the non-jury sittings in June.

The grand jury brought in true bills embezzlement, and James Allan, for alleged kidnapping.

IN CONFERENCE.

Toronto, April 10. — At the opening general meeting of the Ontario General Educational Association last night, Mrs. Ada Hughes, the president, made a vigorous address on the need for improved methods of education.

Mr. John Millar, the deputy minister of education, speaking unofficially, outlined a policy of educational reform. This included (1) a better mode of distribution of the control of the c tributing the legislative grant than by average attendance; (2) some system of official recognition of the higher standing of certain teachers, and the equalization of taxation in rural schools, so that weak ones might be benefited. He favored direct taxation for educational purposes, so raised as to give the children of the province equality of opportunity so far as practicable. The consolidation of rural school sections to secure graded schools in rural districts, the establishment of school libraries, and the lessening of home work were also planks in his platform. He favored the reconstruction of the high school system and the reduction or abolition of fees, the children of the poor could attend. At present in most cases they were

schools. MODERN LANGUAGE SECTION. elected the following officers: President, A. W. Burt; vice-president, Miss Balmer; secretary-treasurer, J. Squair;

At the meeting of the trustees' department, Mr. George Y. Chown, B.A., in the chair, Rev. W. A. Cook, B. A. read a paper on "The Whole Bible Should Be a Text-Book in Our Pubwhich was a strenuous advocacy of the proposition conveyed in the title.

Mr. Cook followed this up with a motion, which Mr. Robert McQueen, of seconded, that a committee appointed to bring the subject to the attention of the minister of education, to report at the next session of the

An animated discussion followed, in which a large number of members participated, Mr. J. G. Elliott, of Kingston, seconded by Mr. Leitch, of Brantford, moved an amendment, that Rev. Mr. Cook's address and proposed resolution be published the minutes, and that the members be urged to consider it, and decide upon the action to be taken at the 1902 meeting. This amendment prevailed.

ROYAL TEMPLARS VS. ECONOMIST Toronto, April 11. The chief witness yesterday in the Royal Templars' suit against the Economist for libel was Mr. Featherston, manager of the Roy al Templars' Insurance Fund, Hamilton, who was asked if the order would be able to pay more than 91/2 mills on the dollar, if they were to close up to-Fatherston replied. Mr. "We'll never fail. Every old line company would fail if it had to pay its insurance at once."

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HIS STATUS.

EMPHATIC PROOF

to determine the ownership of some timber in South Essex. James Miermicki agreed to take \$400 in settlement for injuries he received at the Walkerville Bridge Works. Henry Desjardines, who had his knee injured while a passenger on a Grand Trunk Railway train, withdrew the action in consideration of which he will receive \$350 from the railway. McLaughlin vs. the Lake Erie and

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Public Libraries in the United States.

Now, when the question of public libraries is being discussed in connection with Mr. Carnegie and his gifts, it may be well to note the wonderful developments that have taken place in this department of civic life. The Library Association met in Toronto the other day and discussed matters of this kind as regards Ontario. In the International Monthly, Mr. Herbert Putnam, Washington, quotes from the speech of the president of the American Library Association on the progress during the last ten years. This includes "state library commissioners; interstate, state and district associations; library training schools; traveling and branch libraries; traveling pictures; library advertising; children's rooms; rooms for the blind; access to shelves; co-operation with teachers; co-operative cataloguing; inter-library loans and exchanges." All these forms of activity, we are told, have been initiated since 1890, and to this he adds "the general erection of superb library buildings; phenomenal gifts from philanthropists of library buildings and endowments; and compulsory library legislation."

In the United States the Public Library received legislative sanction only fifty years ago, and has followed in the wake of the common school. Mr. Putnam says: "Twenty-four million dollars in gifts to libraries within the past ten years! An impressive total, indeed! How far such gifts have will be done without delay. been diverted from religious enterprises or other educational institutions, is not capable of being estimated. The volume of gifts to missions and to colleges does not seem to have has been disproportionately large in that is of special interest to the peoit is now following the new industrial activity in the south, particularly in of the old-time library, says Mr. Putnam, was accumulation; the motto of the present is use. The former was content to respond to the demand; the latter seeks also to create it. The constituency of the former was in consequence only the student-scholar, who knew the value of books, and had positive need of their service; the constituency of the latter has no admitted limit within the legal area.

The libraries now begin with the children, remembering that the reading habit must be acquired early. They are administered in a democratic spirit, removing all needless restrictions, and manifesting confidence in prove a good business in which to the honesty and good sense of the enter. people. All this calls for skill and method on the part of the librarian; in fact, the management of a large library is not now a leisurely business, a dignified sinecure, but is a department where special training and experience are most useful. On the whole, we may hope that all this activity will have a large educational influence and tend to raise the level of intellectual life.

Good Human Material.

The more elderly Doukhobors cannot in reason be expected to take in new ideas as rapidly as the young The youth are the hope of every country, and all accounts agree that the Doukhobor boys and girls are good human material. Testimony to this is borne in the report of a lady who conducted a school in the Doukhobor settlement at Yorkton last summer: "All were very attentive and eager to learn," she writes. "Some of the children came regularly from the village Utshenje, five long miles, in all weathers. They all came early, too, so I opened school at 8:30 daily, and when closing time came at 4, I often thought I was the only tired one." And again: "Most of them are surprisingly apt at simple arithmetic work. The older children had become perfect in the multiplication tables up to 'six times' before the closing of the school. I think it will be found that these children will excel in mathematics when opportunity permits." The needle and embroidery work done by the girls in her school she describes as "simply wonderful," and concludes with a striking tribute to the manliness and independence of the Doukhobor character: "When these poor villagers found that the school was entirely non-official, and my work wholly voluntary, a committee of men offered me remuneration, which being declined, they expressed their gratitude, and told me, through their spokesman, that they 'thanked me all

The new King's name is being worked in with various enterprises. It used to be Victoria Bridge, Hotel Victoria, Victoria University, and so on. The new palace hotel at Torento is to be Hotel Edward.

the day and all the night."

Fishing in the Thames.

There has been considerable discussion recently with regard to the prothe fish in the Thames, and Cashmere dam upon the fish above the

It is asserted that the Cashmere dam is so constructed that the fish cannot possibly get up; that the only and proper portion of the river, and the portion that the fish would be most likely to remain and increase in, is gravel bottom; but that on account of the dam, that portion of the river is almost useless for fishing purposes. It is also said that tons of the fish are sent annually from Cashmere dam to Buffalo, and while it may be of an advantage to one or two, it is in reality destroying all the fish in the river, and preventing all living above the dam from being able to get the quantity of fish that rightly belongs to them. It is asserted that in time there will be no fish at all, and that, properly protected, the best of black bass would flourish. At first sight it would appear to be a matter over which there need be no contention; that both sides in the controversy would do right; and when it is considered that the river is rendered almost useless for fishing purposes by reason of the dam, and that if the dam did not exist the river would always be well supplied, the matter becomes of importance, and the owners of the dam should so alter it as not to prevent the fish from coming up.

We trust, in view of the injustice plainly existing with reference to Cashmere dam, that if the dam is not removed, it will be at least so arranged that fish will not be prevented who, by the way, has a brother in from coming up the river, and so the adjoining county of Elgin. The that all parties can receive what justly belongs to them in this matter. The farmers all along the river, and all ter followed his example. Clergymen those fond of fishing, are much interested in having the dam so fixed that it will not interfere with the free passage of the fish from below the dam to the parts of the river above it. It is very desirable that good fish should be maintained in the river, and we hope there will be no need in the future to refer to this matter, but that whatever is necessary to be done to give all parties concerned their rights

Sugar for the World.

The United States Treasury Bureau of Statistics has just issued a report on the sugar production of the world east, middle west, and west; but ple of Ontario in the present time, beet sugar industry is occupying their attention as it has pever done before. from cane, the total production of 1900 being 5,950,000 tons of beet sugar and only 2,850,000 tons of cane sugar. How the growth of sugar has increased is shown in this striking manner:

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Tolstoi On the Toilers.

Count Leo Tolstoi is probably the one Russian who is best and most widely known outside the borders of the great empire to which he belongs. We know there is a "Czar of All the Russias," but the head of that vast country is to most a name and nothing more, but Tolstoi is a living soul, who has laid bare his heart and made known to the world the real life of Russia. The North American Review for April gives an article from the pen of this great genius, which is a sad prose poem picturing the terrible oppressive contrasts of social life, which he declares to exist everywhere, but which are certainly to be found in an extreme form in Russia.

Tolstoi has the insight of the poet and something of the magnificent audacity, the uncalculating courage of the true prophet. We have spoken in another article of his conceptions of and his message; we now simply call attention to the vividness of his social pictures, and as we read them There was a wild scramble at the time we can well understand that the de- of the Queen's death to get out the spotic rulers in church and state first special edition announcing that suitable to the maritime nations of the scarcely know what to make of a man event. Everything was in readiness, who sees so clearly and speaks so even to the stereotype plates from boldly. Whatever his faults and ex- which such editions were to be printed. travagances may be, the church, that One New York daily has now eighty decides that the proper place for this plates stereotyped, to announce the great preacher is outside the pall, con- death of the Pope, whenever it ocdemns itself as lacking in breadth and curs, with details of his life. The pro-

selfish woman, whose only claim to of a cable message announcing the dehomage, is her ill-gotten wealth:

of the latest style drives up with a pair of fine horses. Everything she wears is new and most costly. A porter hastens to unfasten the cover of her sleigh, and respectfully holds her elbow while she alights. She walks along the arcade as if it were her kingdom, enters a snop, and buys \$5,000 worth of stuff for her drawing-room; orders it to be sent home as soon as possible, and drives away. This woman is unkind, stupid, and not even pretty. Never in her life has she done anything for others. Then why do the porters and the coachmen and shopkeepers cringe before her so ob-sequiously? Why has the produce of the labor of thousands of workmen become her property? Because she has money and the porters and the coachmen and the shopmen and factory workmen need money to feed their of all up-to-date less of politics.

obtain this money is to work as por-ters, coachmen, shopmen and factory workmen. Why has this woman got the money? She has got it because men, deprived of their land, and unac-customed to any labor except the ma-chine-weaving of stuffs, work at her husband's factory; and her husband giving the workmen only what is in-dispensable to their subsistence, takes for himself all the profits of the factory, some hundreds of thousands of roubles; and as he has no use for his thousands, he willingly gives them over to spend on whatever she may de

This is a specimen picture, and there are others like unto it, only more between Delaware and Ingersoll, being vivid. It may be said that to scatter likely to breed discontent, and raise the spirit of revolution. That may be so, but it is the existence of the thing that is the real danger. Extremes of wealth and poverty, knowledge and ignorance, are bad for society, and we ought to be thankful that they do not exist here in the same aggravated form. It is certainly a dangerous thing when great wealth is got by grinding the face of the poor, and when those who amass wealth are coarse and selfish, having no sense of social responsi-

Speak Now, Neighbor!

There is a little quiet waiting to see whether the Free Press will make the amende to its readers, by mentioning that it totally misled them in asserting that the lots for the London Armory had been neither bought nor registered. Speak now, neighbor!

Bishops on the Wheel.

Three of the Anglican Bishops in Great Britain are now devoted wheel-Ingram, the new Bishop of London, Bishop of Ripon was the first to adopt the wheel, and the Bishop of Colchesof almost every denomination wheel on this continent and find riding a healthful pastime as well as a great aid to pastoral visitation. It may not have appeared to be exactly dignified at the start, but it is wonderful how we get over objections by use and wont. In the early days of railwaying, territorial magnates refused to forsake their slow-going carriages, because it was not dignified or exclusive enough to take a seat in a railway train! It seems all so very funny now.

The Drink Bill of the States.

The drink bill of the United States for the last financial year has been made up. It shows that our neighbors are imbibers of liquid refreshments on a very large scale, as the following statement of value of the beverages consumed will show: coholic drinks\$1,059,563,787

Coffee	125,798,530
Tea	37,312,608
Cocoa	
m-4-1 1000	\$1,228,674,925
Total, 1898	1,177,661,366
mbin in an average of \$16.1	7 for every

This is an average of \$16 17 for every man, woman and child of the 76,804,-799 inhabitants of the United States. Of the total amount spent, 86 per cent was for alcoholic liquors, of which 50 per cent was for beer. More coffee was consumed than of any other beverage, the total number of gallons being 1,257,985,296. Beer takes second place, with a consumption of 1,221,500,-160 gallons.

If spring is somewhat backward here this year, it may be a consolation to know that it is the same in the old world. In England, according to the latest telegrams, cold, winds, rain, and a black and flowerless countryside have been the Easter holidaymakers' portion. Thirty-six years ago, in 1865, according to an old resident, the winter and spring very much resembled that which we have experienced this year.

In the recent school board elections in Cleveland, only 706 women polled their votes. A year ago nearly 6,000 voted. In thus neglecting to exercise their franchise, the women of Cleveland give comfort to those persons who are ever ready to assert that a woman is apt to be moved by fits and starts, and not to value the privilege of voting when conferred on her. Of course she has a good many male imitators, but that ought to be no excuse.

New York papers, like others, are, of course, always anxious for "scoops." cess of stereotyping the special plates Here is one picture, that of a coarse, takes place daily, so that in the event mise of his holiness, the fresh plates "A lady in a velvet mantle and a hat can be put on the press, and the pa-

Good Fish Story.

[Grand Rapids Press.] The farmer members who allege that piscatorial culture brings pleasure to only a few seem to forget that every man is capable of at least one good fish

A Good Word for the Premier.

[Own Sound Advertiser.] Ever since the Hon. G. W. Ross became premier of this province, his aggressive and progressive policy of developing the natural resources of the province has challenged the admiration of all up-to-date business men, regard-

E RUNIANS-GRAY CO.

To fittingly wind up the Easter Holidays we shall make Friday a record day. Reductions startling mark every item in our list today.

Carpet Department.

11 only, Tapestry Rugs, size 21/4 x3 yards, assorted designs, well covered, regular price \$8 50, bargain

wool filling, cotton warp, regular price 55c, bargain day, per yard..39c regular price \$2 50, bargain day only\$2 only, Art Union Squares, size 3x4,

Embroideries

slightly soiled, regular price \$6 00,

bargain day

40 pieces Swiss and Cambric Embroidery, 3 to 6 inches wide, regular price 12½c, 15c and 17c yard, special Friday, per yard10c

Ribbons

Narrow Velvet Ribbon, in brown, Nile, yellow and blue, on sale Friday only, per yard 10

Hankerchiefs

10 dozen only, Ladies' Mourning Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, % hem, regular price 15c each, special Friday only3 for 25c

Ruchings

hiffon Ruching, light shades, suitable for dress trimming, regular price 10c yard, Friday only, per

Furnishings Department

Men's, Boys' and Youths' Caps, navy serge and fancy tweed, some with leather peaks, were 20c and 25c, Friday, for 2 for Colored Shirts, fast color, launderbosoms, some with cuffs attached, some with cuffs separate, regular value \$1 00, sizes 16, 161/2, 17 and 171/2 only, Friday, for Men's Odd Pants, left out of suits, coat and vest have been sold, fancy checks, finest tweed, price runs from \$1 90 to \$2 50, on sale

Boys' 3-piece Suits, all pure woot, neat check pattern, all sizes, 28 to 33, regular price \$3 75 to \$4 50, Friday for \$2 45 | regular price 50c, Friday, each.. 30c

that he will be succeeded by Baron Al-RUSSIAN erstone, lord chief justice of Ireland. FORCE IN

Now Numbers 180,000 Men and Still Increasing.

Morgan May Consolidate British and American Sentiment for an Inter-Oceanic Canal.

Clash Between Monks and Mob Near Oporto-Nearly 400 Russian Students Liberated From Prison.

INTEROCEANIC CANAL. London, April 11.-The Pall Mall Gazette, discussing a suggestion that Pierpont Morgan's visit to Europe concerns not only the steel trust, but the Panama Canal project, considers it probable that the strong feeling of British shipowners in favor of the Panama route has had some influence with Morgan, and says: "Morgan now has the chance of bringing the great moneyed people and ship owners of Britain and the United States together on this question of inter-oceanic canal. His presence in this country may consolidate the ideas on this question and bring about a working arrangement RUSSIA EYES HERAT.

St. Petersburg, April 11.-There are now about 180,000 troops in the military province of Turkestan, and yet no sign of suspending the small drafts continuously being dispatched across the Caspian from the Caucasus. This extraordinary massing of troops

in Central Asia gives rise to much curious speculation. Even in military circles the generally accepted opinion is that Russia contemplates, in the event of certain eventualities in the Far East, the demonstrative diversion of a sudden march upon Herat. BULGE IN SUGAR. London, April 11.-With the approach

of the budget statement the excitement in the sugar market is reaching fever heat. The wharves at Hamburg are choked with sugar waiting to be shipped to England, and there is such a run on vessels that even colliers are being pressed into service. Sugar imports for the month of March were 257,499 tons, as against 131,262 tons in March of last year. If it should turn out that no tax is to be levied on sugar there would doubtless be a great slump in prices, probably a number of speculators would fail.

We offer on Friday the greatest snap in Silks ever given by this or any other establishment in London.

400 yards Fancy Taffeta and Fancy Blouse Silks, in pink, helio, blue, green, sky, cerise, cardinal and yellow; were 50c, 65c, 75c and 90c; special Friday, per yard,

35c.

275 yards .Fancy Taffeta and Blouse Silks, in violet, green, helio, cerise, blue, pink, sky and gray; were 75c and \$1, special Friday, per vard.

50C. *****************

200 yards Fancy Foulard Silks, in royal, cardinal, pink, blue, navy, black, also white grounds, with colored sprays and figures; were 75c; special Friday, per yard,

50c.

120 yards Fancy Duchess and Taffeta Silks, in green, Tuscan, cardinal, sky, pink, reseda, nile and violet; were \$1 25 and \$1 50; special Friday, per yard,

60C.

Shoe Bargains

Youths' Lace Box Calf, also black oilgrain lace boots, sizes 11 to 13, regular price \$1 25 and \$1 50, Fri-sizes, this season's shapes, regular price \$1 50 and \$1 75, Frionly\$1 22

Gloves

48 pairs Ladies' Lisle Thread Gloves, all sizes, in shades of tan and brown, suitable for early spring and bicycle wear, regular price 25c, Friday, per pair.. 15c

Hosiery

120 pairs Ladies' Black Cashmere Hosiery, spliced feet, worth regu-larly 25c, Friday, per pair 15c 29 pairs Children's Black Cashmere mere Hosiery, in sizes 5½, 6, 6½, 7 and 7½, regular price 15c to 22c,

Friday, per pair 15c

Ladies' Vests

96 only Ladies' Fleece-Lined Vests, suitable for spring wear, worth regularly 25c, Friday, each . 36 only Ladies' Vests, Fleece-Lined,

Smallwares

36 only Patent Leather Belts, steel 40 only Suede Belts, dog collar effect, in tan, gray and chocolate, were made to sell for 35c, special

bargain 0 Belt Buckles, in gold, silver and black, worth from 15c to 25c, special, each 5c Special line of Soft Taffeta Silk Belts, hemstitched and corded, in cream, white, and black, at each. 50c

Mantles and Costumes

Ladies' Tailor-Made Costumes, in black, Oxford gray and blue bray, jacket double-breasted, mercer-ized lined, skirt 7-gored flare, spe-Ladies' Skirts in dark garnet and

gray homespun, regular price \$2 95, Friday only\$1 95 only Ladies' Black Cloth Capes. with red pipings, regular price \$3 50, Friday\$2 50 only Capes, in green, blue and black, handsomely braided, regular price \$5 and \$5 50, Friday.

Umbrellas

children's School Umbrellas, strong frame, durable cover, regular price 50c, special Friday 35c

Staple Department

18 yards Persian Lawn, fine sheer texture, regular price 18c, Friday, per yard140 160 yards. Persian Lawn, fine texture, regular price 15c, Friday, per yard11e 178 yards, India Linen, regular price

80 yards Circular Pillow Cotton, 44-inch, regular price 1712c, Fri-92 yards Circular Pillow Cotton, 44inch, heavy quality, regular price

20c, Friday, per yard 288 yards Art Muslins, assorted colors, neat patterns, regular price

8c. Friday, per yard 62 yards Bleached Table Damask, 72 inches wide, heavy quality, worth regularly 90c, our close price is 75c, Friday, per yard570 98 yards Unbleached Cotton Sheeting, 8-4 wide, regular price 15c,

120 yards Unbleached Cotton Sheeting, 8-4 wide, regular price 19c, Friday, per yard 116 yards Twilled and Plain Bleached Sheeting, 8-4 wide,

regular price 25c, Friday, per

Crockery Department

97-piece Illuminated Dinner Sets, with gilt edges, your choice of four colors, good value at \$15 00, for, per set\$10 83 only, 97-piece Dinner Sets, with gilt edges, in three colors, regular

20 only, Printed Toilet Sets, in assorted colors, for, per set\$1 64 25 per cent off all our Japanese China

Grocery Department

201/2 pounds of Redpath's Granulated Sugar for\$1 60 221/2 pounds of Redpath's Bright Yellow Sugar for\$1 00 11 pounds of Choice Roller Oatmeal, 3 pounds of Rice and 2 pounds of Tapioca for25e pounds of Rice Cakes and 2 pounds of Ginger Snaps for250 31/2 pounds of Clean, Handpicked Beans for n 40c Imperial Blend Black or Mixed Tea for

AT FROGMORE. The London World says King Edward will make Frogmore his weekend residence during May, June and July. This place is an ideal residence TURKESTAN during the hot weather. The grounds are heavily wooded, and an aviary built by the Prince Concert adjoins a large, pleasant room, with an immense bay window, looking out on the STUDENTS LIBERATED. A dispatch to the London Daily Mail from St. Petersburg says that Gen. Van Novesky, the new minister of public instruction, has lost no time in initiating clemency for the young peo-

ple imprisoned for their connection with the recent disturbances. He has already liberated 200 male and 183 female students. BRIGANDAGE. Shanghai, April 11.-Brigands have destroyed three towns in Thibet. They

also captured and tortured, according to French advices, a French priest named Mussot. The viceroy of the Province of Sze Chuen, at the request of the French consul, has sent a force to rescue Mussot.

MOB STONE THE MONASTERY. Madrid, April 11 .- A hostile demonstration has taken place at the monstery of Paramos, near Oporto, Portugal. The monks replied with gunshots, whereupon the mob stoned the building. A number of persons were wounded.

THREW DOWN THE MINISTER. Paris, April 11.-The Patrie publishes a dispatch from St. Petersburg which says the Chinese minister there, Yang Yu, gravely insulted Count Lamsdorff, the Russian minister of foreign affairs, during the discussion of the Manchuri an question, whereupon the count ordered his lackeys to put the Chinese minister out, and Yang Yu was thrown down stairs and fatally injured in the

LOUBET'S TOUR.

head.

Ville Franche, April 10.-President Loubet this morning paid his promised visit to the Russian squadron. He decorated Admiral Birileff and two of officers with the Cross of the Legion of Honor. Admiral Birileff and staff, contrary to usage, landed and conducted M. Loubet aboard the The whole squadron was dressed and manned. President Loubet subsequently embarked on the St. Louis, and sailed for Toulon. The Russian bands played the "Marsellaise," and their crews cheered, and both French and Russian warships saluted. The Russian fleet will remain here for

week. Toulon, April 10 .- The land batteries and the Italian and Spanish ships joined in the general salute to President Loubet as the St. Louis entered the port, passing the Italian ships, whose sides were manned by their cheering crews, while the bands played the "Marsellaise."

The president landed at 2 o'clock and drove in a landau through the streets lined with troops to the Place

d'Armes, where he bestowed decorations on a number of military men.
Thence M. Loubet repaired to the prefecture. Great crowds came here and The Daily Mail says it understands that the Earl of Halsbury is about to resign the post of lord chancellor, and loss of of loss of lord chancellor, and loss of loss of lord chancellor, and loss of loss of

The Whitham Shoe Co.,

It is a genuine "National Quality." on the sole guarantees you a

shapely, well made boot, Goodyear welted, made from very latest American lasts with stitching and finish of best character. We have "foot knowledge" which enables us to make snug fitting, fashionable shoes that everyone can afford to wear. First class dealers sell National Quality Shoes. Men's styles \$3.00 to \$5.00.

Montreal. Makers.

"Straight Front."

Low bust, long waist, cut away hips - that is fashion's latest corset decree.

The "N.C. TAILOR-KUT" corset with the straight front is a genuine straight front corset.

It gives a graceful curve to the back and hips; it supports,

but does not press the abdomen. See that it is branded: in every line. Two qualities, \$1.00, \$1.25.

TAILOR-KUT

National Corset Mfg. Co., Quebec and Toronto.

duke handed M. Loubet the collar of London. This consists of a small rethe Order of the Annunciata. Presi- | idence, but includes nearly an acre of dent Loubet next received the officers land. It is said the American Governof the Spanish battleship Pelayo, and officers of the Japanese and Russian warships were afterwards introduced. Immense crowds assembled around the maritime prefecture and wildly cheered the representative of each nation. President Loubet later returned the Duke of Genoa's visit. President Loubet has sent numerous decorations of the Legion of Honor to the Italian officers and officers of the Spanish battleship Pelayo.

CABLE NOTES.

Owing to the illness of M. Waldeckcompliments were exchanged.

Owing to the illness of M. Waldeck-Leygues, minister of public instruc-tion and worship, has been appointed

to the ministry of the interior ad interim. The United States Government is

ment desires the property for an ambassadorial residence.

Owing to the illness of M. Waldeck-Rousseau, the French premier and man or woman behind the counter in a store "salespearson." The new word has already appeared in advertisements.

Are you nervous or sleepless? Have you faint and dizzy spells? Are you short of breath?

Is your system run down? If so, use Milburn's Heart and Nerve

Easy to Take Easy to Operate

Because purely verstable-yet thorough, prompt, healthful, satisfactory-

Mond's Pills WILL MAKE THEM TOE THE MARK.

Street-Watering Contractors To Be Brought

Only one of the street watering contractors is doing his work acceptably, Engineer Graydon said at No. 3 committee last night, so he sought and obtained power to bring them to a right idea of what is expected of them. In future inspectors will not jog the contractors' memories when they forget to send their men out; but every time the route is not watered once before ten o'clock in the morning and twice again before six o'clock in the evening, \$5 will be scratched from the delinquent's account. Another fiver will be knocked off for every failure to carry out the specifications exactly.

As a member of the committee said, there was no use monkeying with these chaps, and if they choose to do the wrong thing, they must be made to suffer. Prompt action might save fur-

Messrs. Clampitt and Jeffery appeared in support of a petition to have Bathurst street watered between Col-borne and Burwell. Though it was reported as insufficiently signed, the committee decided to allow it, and another asking that Burwell street between the Grand Trunk and Horton street, provided that both are sufficiently signed. As William street, between Pall Mall and Central avenue, is in the street watering area, the committee had no power to deal with Catharine Shea's letition against watering along it.

The protest against a garbage sys-em, and the appointment of plumbing inspectors, made by the R. E. O. P. A.,

iaid over. Figineer Graydon suggested that the committee inspect and consider the advisability of changing the location of the following electric lights: Cheapside and Maitland, Regent and Water-loo, William and Victoria, Blackfriars and Albion, and two at Richmond and Victory for the City as Far as the Minister

Tenders for necessary repairs to the market house will be called for imme-

The meeting was attended by Ala. Stevely (chairman), Ald. Garratt and Gerry, Secretary Bell, Chief Roe, Inspector Bell and Engineer Graydon.

This Day in London Thirty-Three Years Ago.

[From The Advertiser Files of April 11, 1868.]

The Right Rev. Dr. Benj. Cronyn, Lord Bishop of Huron, was married on March 16, at Dublin, to Miss Collins, daughter of Dr. Collins, of Ely Place, Dublin. The ceremony was performed by the Very Rev. the Dean St. Patrick's.

The Middlesex assizes are in progress, Chief Justice Richards presid-

was caught, and the latter's husband identified the petticoat, shawl and dress which Jones wore as part of the outfit he purchased for his wife, and swore positively that he paid \$1 25 a yard for the dress at Beattle's. Jones was sent for trial in the recorder's court.

St. George's Society is preparing for a big celebration on St. George's Day,

REMARKABLE SUCCESS

Of a New Catarrh Cure.

A large and constantly increasing majority of the American people are catarrh sufferers. This is not entirely the result of our changeable climate, but because modern investigation has clearly proven that many diseases, known by other nuames, are really catarrh. Formerly the name catarrh was applied almost exclusively to the common nasal catarrh, but the throat, stomach, liver, bladder, kidneys and intestines are subject to catarrhal diseases, as well as the nasal passages. In fact, wherever there is mucous membrane there is a feeding ground

The usual remedies, inhalers, sprays douches or powders, have been practically failures, as far as anything more than temporary relief was concerned because they simply dry up the mucous secretions, without having the remot-est effect upon the blood and liver, which are the real sources of catarrha

diseases. never come from local applications, but letter: from an internal remedy, acting on the blood and expelling the catarrhal poison from the system.

A new internal preparation which has been on the market only a short relief. I was very discouraged. time, has met with remarkable success as a genuine, radical cure for

It may be found in any drug store, sold under the name of Stuart's Ca-tarrh Tablets, large, pleasant-tasting they relieved me, and now I am com-

lozenges, composed principally of anti-septic ingredient, Eucalyptol, Guaiacol, Sanguinaria, Hydrastin and similar ca-Dr. Ainslee, in speaking of the new eatarrh cure, says: "I have tried the new catarrh remedy, Stuart's Catarrh

Tablets, upon 30 or 40 patients, with remarkably satisfactory results. clear the head and throat more effectually and lastingly than any douche or inhaler that I have ever seen, and aithough they are what is called a patent medicine and sold by druggists, as I know them to be free from cocaine and opiates, and that even a little child may use them with entire safety." The lets can doubt an doubt of the conditions of the condit may use them with entire safety."

Any sufferer with nasal catarrh. threat or bronchial trouble, catarrh of made by the friends of Dodd's Dyspepthe stomach, liver or bladder, will find | sia Tablets is the distinguishing feature Stuart's Catarrh Tablets remarkably of their testimonials. effective, pleasant, and convenient, and your druggist will tell you they are absolutely free from any injurious

The United States leads all other nations in the matter of fruit growing. Strawberries were valued at \$80,000,000 last year, and grapes at \$100,000,000. THE NEVER-FAILING MEDICINE, Holloway's Corn Cure, removes all kinds of corns, warts, etc.; even the most difficult to remove cannot withstand this

nderful remedy. Every time an argument gains you a bew friend it loses you two old ones.

WOMEN'S MUSIC CLUB

The Organization Has Been an Artistic and a Financial Success.

The large attendance at the annual meeting of the Woman's Music Club, held on Wednesday afternoon, in Cronyn Hall, amply evinced the lively interest of the members and their friends in the work of this very prosperous organization. The gratifying reports read by the president, treasurer and secretary testified to the artistic and financial success of the club during the season of 1900-01, which will be pleasantly concluded on Tuesday evening next by a concert and informal reception, to which the members and their friends

are cordially invited.

The election of officers resulted in the unanimous re-election of Miss Graydon as honorary president, and Mrs. R. Muir Burns as president. The other officers for the ensuing year are: First vice-president, Miss Raymond; second vice-president, Miss Katherine Moore; third vice-president, Mrs. Charles Hunt; treasurer, Mrs. Lilley; assistant treasurer, Miss Bertha Hodge; secre-tary, Miss N. Green; assistant secre-tary, Miss Bessie Moore.

At the conclusion of the business meeting the following pregramme was artistically rendered:

Miss Hannah Cameron.

Miss Regan. Song—"Dreams"
Miss Bessie Moore.

OTTAWA VS. C. P. R.

of Railways is Concerned.

Ottawa, Ont., April 10.—The minister of railways and canals today refused the application of the Canadian Pacific Railway to expropriate a right-ofway over the city of Ottawa's aqueduct, telling the company first to make an arrangement with the city.

MATRIMONIAL TANGLE

Prescott, Mich., Has One Which Is Hard to

Prescott, Mich., April 11.—Mrs. George P. Brown, of Reno, aged 69 years, who had been married three times before and its the mother of fourteen children, nine daughters and five marriage here yesterday by Justice Henry Zeran, for her fourth matrimonial ven-ture, to James C. Smith, of Churchill, 22 ture, to James C. Smith, of Churchin, 25 years old, a son of one of her sons-in-law, years old, a son of one o aged 20, her daughter marriage. The result of this union was three daughters, and now people are trying to solve the problem of the relation ship existing between the parties connected with the latest matrimonial tangle.

DRANK CARBOLIC ACID. St. Stephen, N.B., April 11.-Wm. Doyle St. Stephen, N.B., April II.—Wm. Doyle, a young man, of Calais, went to a saloon, asked for a glass of water, and retired to a side room. He returned immediately and fell screaming to the floor, dying in a few seconds. He swallowed an ounce of carbolic acid. He had been drinking, and tried suicide earlier in the day.

MYSTERIOUS ROBBERY AT SEA. New York, April 10 .- The robbery at ea of the specie room of the North German Lloyd liner Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse seems a mysterious crime. Apparently there has been complete failure to locate either the missing gold bullion or the men who took it. Two bars of gold aggregating in value \$22,750, shipped by the National City Bank of New York, were stolen from cask No. 4 of the specie room somewhere between this port and Cher-

PLEASE TELL THE PEOPLE

Mr. Coderre Wants Everyone to Know His Story-He Had a Very Bad Case of Dyspepsia, and Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets Cured Him, After Every. thing Else Had Failed-His Testi. monial Letter.

Everybody in St. Jacques, Que. knows Ademard Coderre. He has that the radical cure of catarrh could given for publication the following I certify that for over two years I suffered with Dyspepsia and Inflam-

mation of the Stomach. I have taken several medicines, but have secured no "One day, I read an account of the cure of a similar case by the use of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, so I determined to try again. I bought two boxes of them. From the very first,

"I desire to make my case known to the public, so that all who suffer from that malady may find the only remedy that will cure it. Please tell all the people that Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets

It is not often that any remedy receives such very high and unqualified commendation as Mr. Coderre gives to Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. There can be nothing plainer than his straightforward statement of the facts of his case and its cure.

No one in St. Jacques doubts Mr. Co-The earnestness of the statements

Almost everyone refers to the fact that they have tried other treatments without success, and all manifest a desire to impress upon other sufferers the fact that Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are not as other medicines are, but will instantly relieve and permanently cur-

all stomach trouble.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets is an honest remedy, incorsed by honest people.

They are no experiment, but a tried and proven remedy. Thousands have used them, and everyone tells the constitution of the constitution of the constitution of the constitution of the constitution and everyone tells the constitution. used them, and everyone tells the same thankful story of restoration to health. Better hot delay longer. Try them.

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES

For the Current Year Amount to \$3,729,716, Including \$941,276 Revote.

Ottawa, April 9.—Supplementary estimates for the current fiscal year amounting to \$3,729,716, of which \$941,-276 was a revote, were submitted to the house today. The main estimates for 1900-01 amounted to \$56,611,085, and Mr. Fielding in his budget speech estimated that the total expenditure on consolidated fund and capital account during the current year would be a trifle over \$57,000,000. The main estimates for the next fiscal year approximate \$50,398,823. This is several millions below that of the current year, but further supplementaries for next year still remain to be tabled, which will increase the amount to be voted for 1901-02. The following are the chief items of interest in the sup-

plementaries tabled today: Fees and expenses in connection with the preparation of lists of manhood suffrage voters in On-tario

Glasgow Exhibition ...
Further amount required for militia ... 412,759

Allowance for expenses of Hon.
William Mulock as the representative of Canada on the occasion of the opening of the Australian
Parliament

An item of \$18,000 is to make good expenditure by governor-general's warrant in Paris, while \$12,000 is to meet the extension of the postoffice sorting room, elevator tower, hoist, etc., at the Union station, Toronto. Labor and materials in connection with funeral displays on public buildings throughout Canada on the occasion of her majesty's death cost \$25,-

The harbor improvements in Ontario include \$15,000 for Port Burwell. The rest is to meet small disbursements at Hawkstail, Port Elgin and North Bay. An item of \$4,600 is for the illumination of the parliament building, Ottawa, on the return of the Canadian soldiers from South Africa.

Releases Women of All Ages From Ailments Peculiar to Their Sex.

A truly wonderful work is done by Paine's Celery Compound for young and middle-aged women as well as for Paine's Celery Compound in the past has brought vitality and new life to pale, weak, nervous, despondent and discouraged women. The great medi-cine has the same blessed power today upon woman's weak and peculiar it is woman's friend and health protector in the home, always

sure and unfailing.

In spring time when the ailing and suffering use Paine's Celery Com-pound, the nerves and blood quickly feel the magic power of the great medicine, and new, fresh vitality is mparted, irregularities and functional disorders are corrected, digestion is perfected, sweet sleep and rest are as sured, the face glows with health and the eyes sparkle. Mrs. W. Wiggles-worth, Liverpool, N.S., says:

"For fifteen years I suffered from nervous diseases and other serious troubles. A lady friend recommended me to use Paine's Celery Compound and I have since received great bene-Paine's Celery Compound has done what no other medicine could do for me. I can sleep well now, and my appetite is splendid. I advise all who are sufferers from nervousness and other diseases to use it. Seven bottles restored my health wonderfully.

KILLED BY A COLT!

Sad Fate of a Dutton Man's Sixteen-Year-Old Son.

Thomas. Ont., April 10.- Last vening the 16-year-old son of William Sloan, Dunwich township, near Duton, was leading a colt to water with halter tie fastened around his wrist. The colt took fright, and in dashing around, swung the young man with such terrific force that he struck against a wagon, almost overturning t, and was instantly killed, his wrist being smashed to a jelly. The parents, who were in Dutton, were heartstricken with grief on hearing the news at Wallacetown on their way

Township Councils.

McGILLIVRAY.

Council met in the town hall, McGilli-vray, April 1. Present, R. Hutchinson, reeve; M. Miller, A. H. Hodgins, D. Dorvray, April 1. Present, R. Hutchinson, reeve; M. Miller, A. H. Hodgins, D. Dornan and T. Prest, councilors.

Moved by M. Miller and A. H. Hodgins, that R. Hutchinson call a meeting under the ditches and watercourses act to settle the grievance on Center road, opposite Harrison's lot. Carried. Moved by R, Hutchinson and D. Dornan, that the board appoint an arbitrator, in compliance with petition presented at last council meeting, for the formation of a union school section in the northwest corner of the township. Lost. Moved by M. Miller and A. H. Hodgins, that current accounts be paid. Carried.

Council adjourned, to meet in the town hall on the first Monday in May, at 10 o'clock a.m., when gravel contracts will be let and pathmasters appointed. Wm. Fraser, clerk.

THE GAINSBOROUGH HAT. London, April 10.-Mme. Louise and other fashionable milliners are quoted as expressing the opinion that, in consequence of the recovery of the Duchess of Devonshire portrait, the Gainsborough hat will again become the rage for women's headgear.

Sore Throat There never was good for a Sore anything else so Throat as Griffiths' Menthol Liniment.

Just rigle the throat with a little of this winderful liniment, and rub the outside, you will be surprised how quickly the soreness and swelling will all disappear. All druggists sell it. GRIFFITHS' MENTHOL LINIMENT, for sale by Anderson & Nelles.

"Always the Best of Everything for the Least Money."

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We have no old goods to work off at any price. If you want the latest, try us.

New French Flannels.

With silk figure, in white, light blue, navy, red, mauve and old rose-New Cashmeres, all wool, in the shades of red, blue and old rose, only They are very pretty.

New Lustres, in reds, blues and black and creams, at 38c, 50c and 75c

New Serges, all wools, in navies and blacks, at 25c, 35c, 45c, 5oc, 75c and \$1 per yard. Ladies' Cloths, Venetians and Satin Cloths, in all the leading colors, at

75c, 90c, \$1 and \$1 50. Homespuns, 54 inches wide, all wool, only 69c per yard, in five shades of gray, also in browns and black, only 69c per yard. You have heard people speak about the great values we show in Silks. Silks, in Fancies, at 25c, 35c, 39c, 50c and 75c per yard. They cannot

Taffetas, in colors and black, at 50c, 65c, 75c, 85c and \$1 per yard. Fancy Broche Silks at 75c, 90c and \$1 per yard. The latest.

Wash Goods Department

This department is full of richness, both as regards patterns and Foulards, Satins and Lawns, at 25c and 35c per yard-lots of them to

French Muslins, in sprigs and stripes, 25c and 35c per yard. Black Muslins and Dimities at 121/2c, 15c, 20c and 25c per yard. American Corded Goods, Batistes and Muslims, at 5c, 81/2c and 10c

American Muslins, rich designs, at 20c and 25c per yard. Prints, Canadian, English and American, at 81/2c, 10c, 121/2c per yard. Warranted tast colors.

Our Staple Dept. Is a Great Spot for Bargains.

White Cotton, yard wide, soft finish, worth 121/2c per yard, for 10c per

Table Linen, 2 yards wide, only 40c per yard. This line will please you. Table Linen also at 25c per yard. This cloth has made lots of friends. Another special in Bleached, 2 yards wide, at 75c per yard. Ask to

Our Shirtings are right-"the old value"-not a line made to sell at 121/2c per yard, but the kind you used to get. We still sell them at 121/2c

8-4 Sheeting, in twilled and plain, still selling at 15c per yard, and until per yard. it is all sold. We don't know that we can get such value again.

TO THE MEN:

Do you want any furnishings? If so, come to us; we sell them, and sel them right.

White Dress Shirts at 50c, 75c and \$1 each. Unlaundered Shirts-We have the best 50c Shirt in the market. Underwear-Balbriggan-You will want them for the hot weather. We have them at 37 1/2c, 40c and 50c each. Natural Wool at 75c each. Soft Front Regatta Shirts at 50c, 75c and \$1 each.

Ladies' Waists.

Chicago goods, very stylish, at \$1, \$1 50 and \$2 each.

A fine range of DRESS SKIRTS just received. See our Stylish Millinery—the prettiest hats areours.

FOR NEW AND UP-TO-DATE GOODS COME TO

150 Dundas Street, London. Phone 1182. STRYCHNINE IN THE BEER

Whisperings of the Wires.

Morgan's steel trust has formally ratified the selection of C. M. Schwab for president.

Mrs. M. A. Ratcliffe has been arrested in Denver, Col., for voting at the wrong precinct. After a protracted debate the New York Assembly killed the Everett so-

called anti-scalpers bill. Okefenckee swamp, Florida, 354,000 and the Canadian Pacinc are meeting here again today with a view of arrivators, has been bought by Charles Hebard & Sons, of Michigan, for \$175,- ing at some settlement before the mathematical settlement before the mathematica

The contract for the construction of the new Hotel Edward, Toronto, was let to Illsley and Horn, general tractors. The price is about \$800,000. "Altadore," the former residence of Mr. T. S. Cottle, Woodstock, has bethe property of Hon. Jas. Sutherland, who will take possession on

John W. Gates, I. L. Elwood and John Lambert say they will add to their present works in Colorado twenty tin plate mills, two rod mills and two blast furnaces.

The little son of Dr. W. White, Hamilton, who was so badly burned. on Friday evening, by coming in contact with a lighted gas jet while alone in the room, died from his injuries Sunday.

Woodstock College has reopened after the long vacation, enforced by the scarlet fever epidemic which broke out a month ago. The building was thoroughly disinfected after the pupils left for their homes.

The Dominion Government will grant \$5,000 for the monument to be erected the army and navy veterans in by the army and navy veterans in Victoria Square, Portland street, Toronto, in honor of imperial soldiers who

died while serving in Canada. A very interesting marriage place in Queen Street Methodist Church, Kingston, on Tuesday, when Elizabeth Holton Britton, daughter of B. M. Britton, K.C., M.P., became the wife of Mr. Charles Moss, Toronto, son

of Mr. Justice Moss. Peter Wheeler, the church thief, arrested in Toronto, is wanted in Hamilton. It is suspected he stole A. D. Braithwaite's gold watch, W. F. Robinson's overcoat from Christ Church Cathedral, and a quantity of jewelry

from Dr. Husband's residence. A case of smallpox is reported in the Gatineau district near Ironsides. It is stated that before Aguinaldo is berated he will be required to obtain the surrender of Gen. Tino, the insurgent leader.

George Golding, a Dane, who was sentenced on Tuesday at Brandon, Man., to four years' imprisonment for burglary, broke jail last night and got It is understood that a majority of

the directors of the Russell Theater Company, Ottawa, are in favor of rebuilding the playhouse on its original Three of the five gangs of carpenters employed at the Pan-American grounds at Buffalo struck yesterday. They number about 200. The strike is the outcome of the trouble between mill

workers and planing mill owners that has now lasted ten days. APPLE TABLETS GIVE INSTANT RELIEF.—They're handy to carry—take one after eating—or whenever you feel stomach distress coming on sufferers have proved it the only remedy known that will give instant relief and permanent cure-no long tedious treatments with questionable results—best for all sorts of stomach troubles. 35 cents. For sale by C. McCallum & Co.-96.

Before. After. Wood's Phosphodine,

The Great English Remedy.
Sold and recommended by all druggists in Canada. Only reliable medicine discovered. Six packages guaranteed to cure all forms of Sexual Weakness, all effects of abuse or excess, Mental Worry. Excessive use of Tobacco, Opium of Stimulants. Mailed on receipt of price, one package \$1. six. \$5. One will please, six will cure. Pamphlets free to any address.

The Wood Company, Windsor, One.

CAPITAL NOTES

Crow's Nest Coal Company and C. P. R. People in Conference-Press Men Interview the Postmaster-General

Ottawa, Ont., April 10.-Representatives of Crow's Nest Coal Company and the Canadian Pacific are meeting ter comes up again tomorrow at the railway committee.

Senator Cox, Elias Rogers and E. F. Malone arrived this morning from Toronto. At noon today they said that nothing had been arrived at that could be given to the public. Mr.Blair has been looking over the matter from public standpoint, and will likely have something to say as to that to-Representatives of the Canadian

Press Association are here today seeing Acting Postmaster-General Sutherland in respect to the working of the zone system, which is said not to be very satisfactory at present. They will also have an interview with the minister of customs and the finance minister in respect to the duty on paper and printing material.

Lobo School Exams.

The following is the result of the examination held at Haster in school section No. 8, Lobo, the names being in order of merit:

Senior Fourth-John Caverhill 792, Lilie McGugan 671, Nora McArthur 646, Oliver McGugan 612, Gordon Edwards 607, Willie Campbell 601, Millie McArthur 588, Alvin Caughlin 567 Junior Fourth-Elsie Caverhill 694, Roscoe Graham 538, Clair McArthur

Senior Third-Jennie Caverhill 533. Walter Campbell 510, Fred McIntyre 468, Eddie Edwards 460, Willie Cameron 455. Dugald McGugan 449. Courtland McIntyre 439. Belle McArthur 365, Arthur Caughlin 290, Edna McIntyre

Junior Third-Dan Wilson 462, Orville Graham 421. Senior Second—Olive McArthur 359 Harry McIntyre 356, Roy Edington 264, Junior Second—Annie McIntyre 414, Olive McIntyre 380.

Amusements.

"WEST'S MINSTREL JUBILEE."

William H. West will bring his magnificent organization of minstrel cel-ebrities to this city on Saturday for matinee and evening performance. West has always been exceedingly prolific in ideas and much of the great evolution in minstrelsy during the past dozen years can be attributed to his liberal expenditures and original ideas. He was the first to introduce the white-face first part and to present high-class musical features by some of the highest salaried vocalists on the American stage. His minstrels this year are pronounced far and above in merit all previous attempts in this line of entertainment, from the first part to the sensational finish everything denotes a refined taste. A rush is expected for the sale of seats, which opens at the box office tomorrow morning.

Corns! Corns! Corns! Discovered at last—a remedy that is sure, safe and painless. Putnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor never fails. less Corn and Wart Extractor never fails, never causes pain, nor even the slightest discomfort. Buy Putnam's Corn Extractor, and beware of the many cheap, dangerous and flesh-eating substitutes in

THE COUGHING and wheezing of persons troubled with bronchitis or the sons troubled with bronchitis or asthma is excessively harrassing themselves and annoying to others. Wood's Phosphodine is sold in London by C. McCallum & Co. and Anderson & Nelles, Cruggists.

astnma is excessively harrassing to themselves and annoying to others. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil obviates all this entirely, safely and speedily, and is a benign remedy for lameness, sores, inbenign remedy for lameness, sores, injuries, piles, kidney and spinal troubles.

SPRING SNOW!

Storm in Progress in the Adirondack Region -Two or Three Feet of It in the Woods.

Plattsburg, N. Y., April 10.-The snow

storm which started yesterday still continues today throughout the Adir-

ondacks. There is a depth of two or three feet of snow left in the woods. THE KAISER'S DECREE

English to Replace French in German High Schools.

Washington, April 10.-Emperor William has decreed that the English language shall take the place of French in the high schools of the German Empire, according to a commun ication received today from Consul-General Guenther, at the state department from Frankfort. The French language hereafter will be an optional

Questions Answered.

ENDOWMENT POLICY. - Your question was written on both sides of the paper, which is contrary to rule. It appears that you either misunderstood the agent or that he misrepresente your rights. That he did so is incon sistent with the fact that you gave a note for \$24 90 to pay the first premi um. You have had to pay the note. If the policy does not suit, all you can do is to let it lapse, by not paying another annual premium. You a what you paid, and upon the stated in your letter you have no legal right to recover either from the agen or the company the amount of the note, and must therefore put up wit the loss, if you so consider it. You will be insured for \$1,000 until the next

annual premium is payable.

NO PLEASURE POSSIBLE Could Entertain No Company-Ill All the Time-A Sad Case With a

Happy Ending.

Napanee, Ont., April 8 .- "I have been troubled for over six years with Kidney Disease. The pain was so great I could not endure it. I could not entertain any company. One night I was feeling particularly miserable. I chanced just then to hear of Dodd's Kidney Pills. I decided to try them.

I did so, and am completely restored to good health." This unsolicited statement is from Mrs. John C. Huffman, of this town, a well-known lady. It was made in May, 1896. Mrs. Huffman said, "Before using Dodd's Kidney Pills, my urine was something terrible,

and at times very disagreeable to Today she says: "Yes, I was entirely cured in '96. I have not since been troubled. Every woman should

know of this medicine. THE COOK CHARGES. The Cook investigation committee of the senate meets tomorrow to fix a date for hearing further evidence and ar-

gament of counsel.

WATCHING THE RHINE. Berlin, April 10.-The River Rhine has risen considerably above the normal stage. It is announced that at Cologne vesterday the river rose to 18 feet and that on the Swiss border villages are flooded and the people

have fled from their homes. THE REEVE HOLDS HIS SEAT. Toronto, April 10.-Mr. Winchester, master in chambers, this morning gave judgment, dismissing the action brought by Courtney Carr against John Cuthbert, reeve of West Oxford township, to have the latter unseated for alleged bribery by himself and

shows the presence of strychnine. The man died within 20 minutes. Several persons are thought to be implicated, and arrests will follow.

Toledo, April 10.-Analysis of beer

drunk by Frank Kinney, of Findlay,

COSTLY CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH. New York, April 10.-The Second Church of Christ, Scientist, was opened for its first service on Sunday. It has had its home in various halls since it started, ten years ago, and now it

enters into an impressive edifice in French renaissance style, which has cost probably nearly \$100,000. NILES BANK SHORTAGE, \$160,000. Niles, Mich., April 10.-An official who stands high in Washington and whom the people hereabouts trust absolutely, makes a statement concern-ing the shortage of the First National Bank, which is accepted as final. He says he has learned from the comptroller that the shortage is \$160,000. In

this latter event the depositors will receive very nearly all their deposits. The world is like a piece of music full of sharps and flats. The royal road to wealth is paved

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For Infants and Children. The fact is in it is en simile signature Cat Hillichurk wraypon Children Cry for CASTORIA. Children Cry for

CASTORIA. Children Cry for CASTORIA

If you ever contracted any blood disease pison has been eradicated from the sysem. At times you see alarming symp toms, but live in hopes no serious results will follow. Have you any of the following symptoms? Sore Throat, Ulcerson the Tongue or in the Mouth, Hair Falling Out, Aching Pains, Itchiness of the Skin, Sores or Blotches on the Body, Eyes Red and Smart, Dyspeptic Stomach, Sexual stage. Don't trust to luck. Don't ruin your system with the old fogy treatment mercury and potash-which only supresses the symptoms for a time, only treak out again, when happy in domesti life. Don't let quacks experiment on you Our New Method Treatment is guaran teed to cure you. Our guarantees are backed by bank bonds, that the disease will never return. Thousands of patients have been already cured by our New Method Treatment for over twenty worst cases solicited. We treat and cure worst cases solicited. Sexual Weakness, Gleet, Blood Poison, Stricture, Varicoccle kidney and Bladder Diseases, and all diseases peculiar to men and women.

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THE MARKETS.

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broken Yesterday's
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J. M. YOUNG STOCK BROKER

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New York and Chicago stocks bought and sold. KING STREET, MASONIO TEM PLE PHONE 707.

THE LOCAL MA	RKET.
THE LOCKE & SO	N'S REPORT
A. M. HAMILTON & SO. London, Thursd	tay April 11.
Wheat, white, per bu	65c to 66c
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Oats, per bu	
Corn, per bu	440 to 45
Barley, per bu	42c to 44
Barley, per bu	\$1 15 to \$1 4
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For Housekeepers.

PROVISIONS. Cheese, per lb Eggs, single dozen.... Butter, lb, large rolls or Butter, pound rolls, retail... Butter, creamery Lard, per lb WHOLESALE DEALERS PRICES. Eggs, store lots, dozen.... Butter, lb rolls, baskets... Butter, crock Butter, store lots Butter, creamery, per lb. POULTRY.

Turkeys, per lb ... Geese, per lb Ducks, per pair Chickens, per pair Hens, per pair VEGETABLES. Potatoes, per bag...
Turnips, new per bag.
Cabbage, per doz...
Lettuce, per dozen.
Beets, per bag...
Ontons, per bag... Carrota Savore and Sage, per doz. Parsley, per doz. Artichokes, per bag.

Vegetable oysters, FRUIT. Apples, per bag..... MEAT, HIDES, ETC. Beef, per lb . Reef, carcass
Mitton, quarters, per lb...
Lamb, quarters Calfskins, green washed, per lb.... Hides, No. 1, per lb. Hides, No. 2, per lb. Hides, No. 3, per lb. Wool, washed, per lb..... Wool, unwashed, per lb... Tallow, rendered, per lb...

GRASS PEAS (Bug Proof). NEW ZEALAND OATS, LAWN GRASS SEED. ROOT SEEDS. HAMILTON'S, Near King St.

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET. Toronto. April 10.—Wheat—Dull and lower; red and white, \$5c, middle freights, and \$6 \(\foathermoot



Tenderloin Bouillon

quoted at 43c, middle freights, and 44c to 44½c on a 13½c freight to New York; No. 3 extra is quoted at 42c, middle freights. Buckwheat—Nominal, at 52c, middle freights. Rye—Nominal, at 49c, middle freights. Corn—Steady; Canada yellow is quoted at 43c west; and mixed at 4½c west; No. 3 American yellow is held at 4½c to 48½c at Toronto. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 20c to 29½c, middle freights. Peas—Steady, at 63c north and west; 63½c to 64c, middle freights. Butter—Receipts of choice dairy large; pound rolls fair, steady; best, 15c to 16c; creamery easier, but prices are now quoted lower; solid brings unchanged prices and prints at 26c to 22c. Eggs—Supply fair; demand is less; market was rather easier, at 12c. Dressed hogs—Firm, at 38 to 38 50 on farmers' wagons here.

Toronto, April 10.—Baled hay—The de-Toronto, April 10.—Baled hay—The demand is good and prices are quoted at \$9.75 to \$11, the latter price for No. 1 grade. Baled straw—Cars on the track here are quoted at \$5.50 to \$6. There is a fair demand.

TORGNTO HAY MARKET. ST. THOMAS MARKET. St. Thomas, April 10.—Wheat, per bu, 65c; oats, 39c; peas, 50c to 55c; barley, 40c; corn, 50c; flaxseed, per cwt, \$4; timothy seed, per bu, \$2.75 to \$3; clover seed, per bu, \$8 to \$2.25; peas, seed, per bu, 75c to 80c; peas, bugless, per bu, \$1.10.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

The following table shows the quotations per cental for American products at Liverpool, as well as for the three previous market days. In each case highest prices are given: April April April April 2. 3. 4. 9.

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Liverpool, April 10—Closing.
Wheat—Spot quiet; No. 2 red western winter, 5s 11\(^4\)d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 10d; No. 1 California, 6s 2\(^4\)d.
Corn—Spot, American mixed, new, quiet, 3s 11\(^4\)d; American mixed, old, steady, 4s 1d; futures steady; May, 3s 11\(^4\)d; July, 3s 10\(^4\)d; Sept., 3s 11\(^4\)d.
Peas—Canadian, 5s 6\(^4\)d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter steady, 8s 6d.

Hops—At London, (Pacific Coast), steady, 44 to 44 17s.
Beef—Easy; extra India mess, 61s 3d.
Book, Prime mass, western steady western steady, Lard—American refined, in pails, firm, 43s 9d; prime western, in tierces, steady, 42s 9d.

Hams—Short cut firm. 45s 3d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut. 26 to 36 lbs, firm, 47s 3d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, firm, 47s 3d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, firm, 44s 4d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, firm, 43s 3d; long clear middles, hsavy, 35 to 40 lbs, strong, 42s 3d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, firm, 40s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 47s 3d.

Shoulders—Square, 11 to 13 lbs, firm, 36s 6d. 36s 6d.

Butter-Finest United States dull, 90s; good United States quiet, 67s 6d.

Cheese-American thest white dull, 48s; American finest colored quiet 47s 6d.

Tallow-Quiet; prime city 24s 6d; Australlan (in London), 26s 3d.

Cottonseed oil-Huil refined, spot steady, 26s 2d.

78 3d.

Turpentine spirits—Quiet, 26s 9d.

Rosin—Common steady, 4s 6d.

Petroleum—Refined quiet, 7%d.

Linseed oil—Strong, 27s 6d. SUGAR.

London, April 10.—Beet sugar, April, 9s. AMERICAN MARKETS.

CHICAGO, April 10.—While the grain markets were fairly steady to day, trade markets were fairly steady to day, trade generally was tame in the absence of new factors. May wheat closed 1/3c to 1/3c higher, May corn 1/4c lower, May oats 1/3c to 1/4c down, and provisions 21/2c to 5c to 71/2c higher. Seaboard clearances in wheat and flour were equal to 200,000 bu, while primary receipts were 498,000 bu, compared with 425,000 bu a year ago. Local receipts were 37 oars, none of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 175 cars, against 421 last week and 315 a year ago. Exporters reported 25 loads taken. Estimeted receipts of

tract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 175 cars, against 421 last week and 315 a year ago. Exporters reported 25 loads taken. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 40 cars; corn, 145 cars; oats, 155 cars; hogs, 25,000 head.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—May, 70½c to 70½c; July, 70½c to 70½c; Corn—April, 43½c; May, 43½c to 43¾c; July, 43½c. Oats—May, 24¾c; July, 24¾c. Mess pork—May, \$14 37½; July, \$14 47½. Lard—May, \$8 20; July, \$8 10; Sept., \$8 10. Short ribs—May, \$8 15; July, \$7 95; Sept., \$7 10.

Cash quotations: Flour easy. No. 3 spring wheat, 67c to 71c; No. 2 red, 69½c to 72c. No. 2 corn, 43¾c to 43¾c; No. 2 rye, 52c to 54c. Good feeding barley, 46c; fair to choice malting, 45c to 56c. No. 1 flax-seed, \$1 55; No. 1 northwestern, \$1 56. Prime timothy seed, \$4 10. Mess pork, \$14 30 to \$14 35. Lard, \$8 27½ to \$8 30. Short ribs sides, loose, \$8 05 to \$8 25. Dry salted shoulders, 6¾c to 6¾c. Short clear sides, \$8 25 to \$8 37½. Clover, \$10 75. Eggs firm; fresh, 12c.

Raceints—Flour, 44,000 bbls; wheat, 141, resh, 12c. Receipts—Flour, 44,000 bbls; wheat, 141,-Receipts—Flour, 44,000 bus, oats, 233,000 bu; 000 bu; corn, 252,000 bu; oats, 233,000 bu; rye, 19,000 bu; barley, 24,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 38,000 bbls; wheat,

Shipments—Flour. 38,000 bbls; wheat, 115,000 bu; corn, 93,000 bu; oats, 285,000 bu; rye, 6,000 bu; barley, 4,000 bu. NEW YORK, April 10.—Flour—Receipts, 16,406 bbls; sales, 2.750 pkgs; state and western market was inactive and barely steady. Rye flour—Dull; fair to good, \$2 80 to \$3 15; choice to fancy, \$3 20 to \$3 45. Wheat—Receipts, 76,000 bu; sales, 2,175,000 bu; option market was steady to firm all the morning on covering, due to the strength of cash property and small northwest receipts; May, 76c to 76%c; July, 75%c to 765-16c; Sept., 75%c to 75%c. July, 75%c to 765-16c; Sept., 75%c to 75%c. Rye quiet; state, 56c to 57c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 60%c, f.o.b., affoat. Corn—Receipts, 56,000 bu; sales, 115,000 bu; option market sold off sharply under realizing and continued fine weather west; May, 48%c; July, 47%c to 48c; Sept., 48%c to 48%c. Oats—Receipts, 81,000 bu; options quiet and easy with corn; track, white state and western, 31%c to 36c. Butter—Receipts, 4,666 pkgs; market very firm; state dairy, 15c to 21c; fresh creamery, 16c to 22c; factory, 11c to 14%c; imitation creamery, 14c to 18%c. Cheese Receipts, 1,167 pkgs; market steady; fancy large colored, 11%c; fancy small colored, 12%c to 12%c; fancy small white, 12c to NEW YORK, April 10.—Flour—Receipts, 6,406 bbls: sales, 2,750 pkgs; state and

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Dull. Hops—Queet.

BUFFALO, April 10.—Spring wheat—No.
1 northern. old, 82%c. Winter wheat—
Nominal; No. 2 red, 76c; No. 1 white, 75c.
Corn—No. 2 yellow, 45%c; No. 3 yellow,
45%c to 46c; No. 2 corn, 45%c; No. 3 corn,
45%c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 31%c;
No. 3 white, 30%c to 31c; No. 4 white, 30c,

DETROIT, April 10.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 74c; No. 2 red, cash and April, 74c; May, 74%c; July, 73%c. TOLEDO, April 10.—Wheat—Cash, 724c May, 727c; July, 73c. Corn—May, 44c Oats—May, 26c.

DETROIT BEAN MARKET. Detroit, April 11.—Beans are firm; April sold yesterday at an advance of 5c over the nominal price of Tuesday. Quotations: Cash, \$1.90; May, \$1.85; April, 400 bags at \$1.90.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE. CHICAGO, April 10.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, broker, offices Masonic Temple. Phone 512, Open. High Wheat—May... 70 70% 69% 70% Open. 70 701/4 Wheat-May ... LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, April 10.—Beeves—Receipts, 2,176; fair demand; firm to 10c higher; steers, \$450 to \$565; tops, \$590; fat oxen, \$450 to \$455; tops, \$590; fat oxen, \$450 to \$475; bulls, \$315 to \$440; cows, \$210 to \$4; no change in cables; shipments, 28 cattle, 12 sheep and 2,900 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 4,352; market rather slow and 25 lower; some sales, 50c off; veals, \$350 to \$600; choice do, \$675. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 8,510; market firm to 10c higher; sheep, \$4 to \$535; culls, \$3 to \$350; lambs, \$550 to \$640; culls, \$5; culpped lambs, \$525 to \$575; spring lambs, \$3 to \$5 per head. Hogs—Receipts, 4,275; market easier, at \$6 to \$635 for whole range.

CHICAGO. April 10.—Cattle—Receipts,

to \$6 35 for whole range.

CHICAGO. April 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000, including 300 Texans; good to prime steers, \$5 to \$6; poor to medium, \$3 90 to \$4 90; stockers and feeders, choice steady; others weak, \$2 75 to \$4 85; cows, \$2 80 to \$4 50; heifers, \$2 80 to \$4 80; canners, \$2 to \$2 75; bulls steady, \$2 70 to \$4 50; calves slow, \$4 25 to \$5 75; Texas fed steers, \$4 25 to \$5 25; Texas grass steers, \$3 50 to \$4; Texas bulls, \$2 75 to \$3 90. Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; mixed and butchers, \$5 75 to \$6 05; good to choice heavy, \$5 85 to \$6 10; rough heavy, \$5 70 to \$5 80; light, \$5 65 to \$5 97½; bulk of sales at \$5 85 to \$6. Sheep—Receipts, 16,000; good to choice wethers (export sales up to \$5 25), \$4 85 to \$5; fair to choice mixed, \$4 60 to \$4 90; western sheep (export sales up to \$5 25), \$4 85 to \$5; yearlings, \$4 90 to \$5 10; native lambs, clipped, up to \$5 25 to \$5 40. EAST BUFFALO, April 10.—Cattle western lambs, clipped, up to \$5 25 to \$5 40, EAST BUFFALO. April 10.—Cattle—No change in the position of the market on the absence of any particular demand; calves steady; choice to extra, \$6 to \$6 25; good to choice, \$6 to \$6 25; fair to good, \$4 to \$6. Sheep and lambs—In good position, with 46 loads on sale; wool lambs were 10c higher; clipped lambs in light demand and fully 10c lower; wool lambs, choice to extra, \$6 to \$6 25; to \$5 55 to \$6; common to fair, \$5 25 to \$5 75; clipped lambs, choice to extra, \$5 25 to \$5 75; clipped lambs, choice to extra, \$5 25 to \$5 50; good to choice, \$6 to \$5 25. Hogs—In unsatisfactory position, with only 12 loads on sale, and prices 5c to 10c lower; heavy, \$6 20; mixed, \$6 20; Yorkers, \$6 10 to \$6 20; sales mostly at inside figures; pigs, \$5 25 to \$6; roughs, \$5 25 to \$50; stags, \$4 40 to \$4 70; closed dull, with no demand for pigs; pigs quotable at \$5 85 to \$6.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, April 10.—American cattle at London and Liverpool are steady and unchanged, at 11%c to 13%c per lb, dressed weight); sheep sell at 13c to 14c per lb, and lambs at 15c per lb; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9%c to 10c per lb.

THE OIL MARKETS. PITTSBURG, Pa., April 10.-Oil opened

OIL CITY, Pa., April 10.—Credit bal-inces, \$1 20; certificates, no bid. THE DAIRY MARKETS.

MONTREAL, April 10.—Cheese, 9c to 9c. Butter—Townships, 20c to 21c; west-

rn 13c to 15c CHICAGO, April 10.—Butter—Steady; creamery, 15c to 20½c; dairies, 11c to 18c. Cheese—Firm, 11c to 12¾c.

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NEW YORK, April 10.—Butter—Very firm and unchanged; fresh creamery, 16c to 22c; factory, ile to 14%c; imitation creamery, 14c to 18%c; state dairy, 15c to 21c. Cheese—Steady; fancy large colored, 11%c to 12%c; fancy large white, 11c to 11%c; fancy small colored, 12%c to 12%c; fancy small colored, 12%c to 12%c; fancy small white, 12c to 12%c.

WOOL MARKET. TORONTO, April 10.—The market for coarse fleece and pulled wools is dull in the absence of any demand for export; the absence of any demand for export; there is some inquiry for fine wool; the situation for merinos in Great Britain has improved recently, but it has so far had but little or no effect here. Fleece—No movement is reported here this week, and the markt is dull; local dealers quote prices nominally unchanged for 1900 clip at 13c to 14c, and 8c to 9c for unwashed. Pulled wools—The market is unchanged; prices are steady, at 16c to 17c for supers, and 19c to 20c for extras.

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LEGISLATURE.

Discusses and Passes the Sugar-

No Danger to Ontario From the Munitoba Railway Bill.

Provincial Interests Will Be Well Watched at Ottawa-Debate on the School System-Mr. Marter Votes With the Government.

Toronto, April 11.-Danger to Ontario's interests as a result of Manitoba's railway bargains was prophesied by Mr. Carscallen in a speech in the legislature last evening. Manitoba, he said, might exercise her powers with regard to rates on the Rainy River Railway in her own interests and against Ontario.

The premier replied that the government were alert, and would have their solicitor at Ottawa during the passage of the bill to guard Ontario's

On an amendment of Mr. Whitney attacking the school system, Hon. Mr. Harcourt criticized a speech by President Loudon on the subject, and added that the university's financial em-barrassment would be less marked to-day had the professors mingled more

TOLL ROAD BILL. The premier's "Toll Roads Expropriation Act, 1901," was amended by striking out the provision for submission to the ratepayers of the bylaw to provide for the issue of debentures for purchasing toll roads. The clause provided that after 21 years the value of the road shal! not exceed the actual expenditure thereon was also struck out, and the bill was reported as amended, read a third time and passed. On the motion for the third reading of Hon. Mr. Dryden's bill for the encouragement of the beet sugar indus-

try, Mr. Boyd (North Grey) moved the following amendment:

"That the following words be added:
That this house, while approving the
general rovisions of the bill, regrets that it contains no provision securing directly to the farmers raising beet a reasonable bonus or bounty for each ton of beets raised and sold by them. The government, Mr. Boyd said, had

not gone far enough in reference to the beet sugar industry. Mr. Dryden thought the amendment introduced a vicious principle. They might as well put a bonus on every pound of bacon. He apprehended the farmers would say no to such a pro-position. The difficulty was not in the production of beet roots, but in find-ing the market. To do this it was necessary to erect factories. To increase the price to be paid farmers from \$4 to \$5 would tend to prevent capitalists from investing their money. Mr. Whitney said if the principle of the bill was right, it would be right to foster the horse industry as they proposed to do the sugar beet

MR. MARTER DISSENTS. Mr. Marter (North Tol appeared to him that the bonus asked for in the amendment was quite uncalled for. He could understand that a new industry of this kind just being launched required a bonus. If a company builds a plant it will want beets. There will be competition in this as in everything else, and competition would regulate the industry. All we wanted was to get a start, and to say the farmers should get a bonus was going too far. (Ministerial ap-

FARMER'S INTERESTS PRO-TECTED.

Hon. Mr. Harcourt said that no one had given the matter more consideration than himself during the past eighteen months. He agreed with Mr. Marter that if the bill resulted in the establishment of only one factory it would be carrying out the object de-Continuing, he pointed out that in Saxony, the home of beet-root sugar, the first experiments, lasting over a period of about twelve years, had resulted in bitter disappointment and failure. It was the hope of the government that the present measure would guard against a like experience

in Ontario. The amendment was defeated by a vote of 46 to 34, Mr. Marter voting

with the government. THE ST. JOE RAILWAY. In committee the Thunder Bay, Nepigon and St. Joe Railway bill was amended so as to make it clear that the lands granted to the railway shall be in the District of Algoma, and the company must also place 150 settlers, instead of 100, as originally provided, on the lands for every year of ten years following the passing of the act.

THE LIFE OF PARLIAMENT. The premier's bill to extend the life of parliament so as to allow of the next session of the house running its full term passed its second reading on Mr. Whitney said the measure was not acceptable to the opposition, but would be discussed at a later

MANITOULIN RAILWAY BILL. The bill respecting aid to the Mani-toulin and North Shore Railway was taken up in committee and reported without amendment.

The premier defended the bonus, claiming the advantages to the province would be great. The settlers would be truly settlers and tillers of the soil; and the smelter was to be a public institution, used by smaller min-

ACCOUNTS WITH THE DOMINION. The premier's bill respecting the arbitration of accounts with the Domin-ion and Hon. Mr. Gibson's bill respecting the incorporation of towns in unorganized districts, was given its final reading.

THE EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM. On the premier's motion to go into the skin a soft, smooth and white appearance. All irritations satisfaction in the public mind over the working and results of the educational system. The amendment also suggested that the sphere of the public school be widened; that an advisory council be appointed to assist the minister of education, composed of representatives of all the teaching bodies of the province; that the price of school books be reduced.

Here Mr. Harcourt made a strong

of school books be reduced.

Hon. Mr. Harcourt made a strong defense of the school system, and claimed there was no evidence of public dissatisfaction. He thought it was to be regretted that some speeches made outside of the house by leaders in educational affairs were plainly

marked with the trail of political prejudice. That fact completely destroyed their value. The question of education should be dealt with entirely
apart from party politics. He did not
wish to be understood as inferring that
the leader of the opposition had tried
or desired to make undue party capital out of the question, but he did not
think that Mr. Whitney had considered the matter in a thorough way. In
no country in the world was there so
little dissatisfaction in regard to educational affairs as in the Province of

cational affairs as in the Province of Ontario. The statement frequently made that 95 per cent of the children never went beyond the public schools was incorrect; 27 per cent were receiving a secondary education.

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PRESIDENT LOUDON'S POSITION.

Prof. Loudon, his personal friend, some time ago made a speech on the public school system of the province. The professor had made his statements without reason, knowledge, or a clear insight into the system. The learned professor, he said, spoke as a man who stood aloof from the public school system of the province. In England the professors during their vacations visited the great cities and county towns, made themselves acquainted with the industrial conditions of the country, and lectured to audiences of workmen and farmers on subjects of interest. This was designated university extension work. He belived that the University of Toronto would today be in a far better condition financially if during the past twenty years its professors had mixed more with the people, gone more into the county towns, and brought more prominently before the public the reality of the great work the university was doing.

In conclusion, Mr. Harcourt said the government had seriously and honestly tried to give the best and cheapest text books for the pupils, and had succeeded fairly well. It was imperative, however, that the latest text books should be in use. A new geography, for instance, must soon be issued in England, or Canada, for the one reason, if for no other, that the map of a whole continent had been changed through the gallantry of British and Canadian troops. New histories of both England and Canada would soon be issued, and the children of Ontario would always be provided with the continent as always. PRESIDENT LOUDON'S POSITION.

tories of both England and Canada would soon be issued, and the children of Ontario would always be provided with the best. But the government, as always, would try to see that they got the cheapest consistent with quality.

The amendment was defeated on a straight party division the government majority being ten, and the motion carried on a similar majority. The balance of items in the main estimates were passed, as were also all but one of the items in the supplimentary estimates.

WILL CONCLUDE TONIGHT.

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Mr. Whitney asked if the premier could make any statement as to when he expected the house would get through.

The Premier—We hope to get through tomorrow night, if the opposition does not detain us too long.

Mr. Whitney said he would guarantee

Mr. Whitney said he would guarantee that the opposition would not delay adjournment. If, however, the law reform measure was to be discussed at the length its importance demanded, he was afraid that the session would be pro-

TERRIBLE SLAUGHTER

[Continued from page 1.] gregate not less than 100,000 volumes; and the actual loss to the society will not be less than \$8,000 or \$10,000 in

"We have to mourn the loss of many noble native workers. They were warned of the risk they were running, but not a man of the noble band of 18 flinched. Their reply was We go on colportage tour. God's will be done. Only four returned. The homes of the martyrs were looted and burned

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church. "While the total number of volumes of the Scriptures published is 37,700 less than the previous year, the num-ber of pages is slightly in excess. The number of pages printed in 1899 was 76,932,200; this year it was 77,646,700, or about three-quarters of a million more. This is the largest number of pages ever printed in one year by the China agency and will give some idea of the proportions to which the work had grown when, in common with all other forms of Christian work, it was suddenly interrupted by the events of the

The number of mandarin Bibles manufactured is worthy of special no-

There were received from the printers no less than 16,500 complete Bibles and 5,000 copies were in press on Dec 31. Ten years ago an edition of 2,000 copies was thought sufficient to meet the demand for several years. This fairly indicates the growth of the nathis period, for it tive church during is from native Christians that the demand for these Bibles comes."

BRITISH ARE SKEPTICAL. London, April 11.-Reports of an outbreak of fresh rebellion in China are attributed to Earl Li's disconsolate reflection that everything will go wrong since his advice has not been heeded. The more trustworthy dispatches indicate steady progress at Pekin in the direction of a settlement by which the court can speedily return to the capital. Count Von Waldersee is keeping the commanders of the allied forces together, and an

agreement on all essential points is already assured. Pekin, April 11.-A meeting of the ministers of the powers will be held today to consider reports of the generals upon articles 8 and 9 of the joint note, referring respectively to the destruction of the forts which might obstruct free communication between

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to vouchsafe any reply; but the crimson in her cheeks and the sparkle in her eyes plainly betrayed that it required considerable self-control to refrain from making a spirited report.

erable self-control to ing a spirited retort.

Madame was not unobservant of these indications of disapprobation on the part of her would-be companion, and chuckled audibly.

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[To be Continued.]

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nsured in the empire.

Her costume was simple and inexpen-Her costume was simple and inexpensive, but it was beautifully made and in perfect taste, and she looked a little lady from the crown of her sunny head to her pretty feet, so neatly incased in their nicely-fitting boots, which, be is whispered, were "real French!"

Shirley confessed to being extravagant in certain directions, for she always

in certain directions, for she always would have nice boots and gloves, even though she had to save the price of them by purchasing inexpensive material for

her dresses.

"An ordinary dress, nicely made and well cared for, will look genteel and lady-like for a long time; but a cheap pair of gloves or boots will soon become shabby, and spoil a whole costume," was the practical motto which governed her pur-

practical motto which governed her purchases.
When she arrived at Mr. Norwood's residence she was shown, as before, into the library, where, with some trepidation, she awaited the appearance of Madame Marton.
She was not kept long in suspense, for presently she heard a sharp, high-pitched voice in the hall exclaim:
"Stay where you are, Blanche; I'm not so old and feeble yet that I cannot go downstairs by myself. Humph!" the voice added, in a low tone, just outside the library door, "I wonder if that handsome minx would be so eager to run at my beck and call if an elephant should step upon my purse."

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The next moment the door was pushed open, when Shirley saw the queerest old lady she had ever beheld standing upon the threshold.

She was perhaps 60 years old, with a sallow, wrinkled face, keen, piercing eyes of jet black, a nose every bit as sharp as her voice, and a mouth which had acquired an habitual expression of scorn and discontent; while her hair, which had been cut short on her neck, was quite gray, and combed away from her forehead straight behind her ears.

gray, and combed away from her fore-head straight behind her ears. She was of medium height, but looked shorter than she really was, because of the peculiarity of her dress, which, though of rich and elegant black satin, was made in the simplest and straight-est manner, and reached only to her

was made in the simplest and straight—ankles.

There were delicate ruffs of expensive beneiumes lace at her throat and ists; a valuable diamond, in an old-shioned setting fastened her dress at e neck, while several costly stones leamed upon her beny hands.

She wore black silk stockings and low shoes, while a bag of black satin, out of which peeped the corner of an elegant lace handkerchief, hung suspended by a black ribbon from her left arm, and completed this remarkably unique costume.

She sniffed contemptuously, and her arp nose wrinkled scornfully as she ught sight of Shirley.

"Humph!" she bluntly exclaimed, "You hust be one of Blanche's high-toned friends. Where is the girl who wants to be my companion?"

She spoke very good English, but with a decidedly French accent, and Shirley's twinkled with amusement as she wondered what the haughtly belle upstairs would say if she could know she had been taken, for one of her "high-toned friends."

She arose, however, and politicly placed a chair for the old lady.

"I am Shirley Livingstone?" she sharply demanded.

"Ham sure I should never have thought of applying such a term to you." Shirley Livingstone?" and law serpent and harmless as a Serpent and woman with a slight twitching of her thin lips; "but to deve kind," remarked the wooman with a slight twitching of her thin lips; "but to look inside your heart I would like to look inside your heart and know exactly what you do think of any winkled, and gray—"All people become wrinkled and gray—"All people become wrinkled and gray—"All people become wrinkled and gray in the standard manual wrinkled, and gray—"All people become wrinkled and gray—"All

Madame Marton took the chair offered her, evidently somewhat prepossessed by the girl's ladylike bearing, and slowly looked her over from head to foot. "Oh!" she ejaculated grimly, "I took you for a lady."

ley's eyes, although she flushed slightly, ley's eyes, although she flushed slightly, for she was both amused and a trine indignant at the woman's greeting.

Why should she not be taken for a lady, she thought, if she looked and contollet being compared with the elegant ducted herself like one?

"I trust that I am a lady, madame," she quietly replied, "even though I hope

she quietly replied, "even though I hope Madame's sharp eyes softened, and the Madame's sharp eyes softened, and the glimmer of a smile hovered about her thin lips, showing that she could appreciate a quick retort.

"Well, I rever saw a waiting-maid decked out in that style before!" she exclaimed, while her eyes studied Shirley's pretty hat with considerable interest.

CANNOT BE BEAT.—Mr. D. Steinbach, Zurich, writes; "I have used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil in my family for a number of years, and I can safely say that it cannot be beat for the cure of croup, fresh cuts and sprains. My little boy has had attacks of croup several times, and one dose of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil was sufficient for a perfect cure. I take great pleasure in recommending it it.
"Is there anything objectionable about
y costume?" the young girl demurely

"Is there anything objects the my costume?" the young girl demurely inquired.

"It strikes me it's rather fine. Why, you are decked out like a Fifth avenue belle!" said madame, laconically.

A musical laugh rippled over Shirley's red lips at the thought of her inexpensive costumes of a fashionable young lady.

"Pardon me, madame," she said, quickly recovering herself. "But I really could not help it. My dress cost 50 cents a pot help it. My dress cost 50 cents a ly recovering herself. "But I really could not help it. My dress cost 50 cents a yard, and I made it myself; my hat also, at an expense of less than \$2. But I regret if there is anything about either that displeases you, while at the same time I cannot fail to be pleased with the compliment you have unwittingly paid me."

CHAPTER XI.

Madame Marton regarded the young girl sharply for a moment, as if she scarcely knew whether to feel irritated or diverted by her amusement and the information she had vouchsafed regarding her abilities as a dressmaker and milliner. But Shirley looked so innocent of any intention to be disagreeable, and so genuinely pleased with the tribute paid to her taste and skill, that the hardest heart must have melted hefore her.

"So you made that dress yourself, did you? Did you cut and fit it?" the woman demanded, as she eyed it critically. "Yes, madame; I did everything about it."

"Humph! that tailor-made suit that Blanche had made at Redfern's doesn't fit a bit better, and she gave \$150 for it," fit a bit better, and she gave \$150 for it," commented madame, while her sharp eyes noted every seam and fold of her dainty costume. "Your hat, too, looks as if it might have come from the hands of a French milliner. By the way." she added, suddenly changing the subject, "you speak French, I'm told." "Oui, madame." 'said Shirley, with an unexceptional accent, "and German also." "Humph! that tailor-made suit that

"And you are musical, besides having "And you are musical, besides having graduated at a normal art school?" said the woman, with an expressive shrug of her shoulders. "Truly, mademoiselle, must be a paragen."

Shirley flushed rosily, and for a moment, was tempted to resent the sarcastic inflection; but, controlling herself, she gravely remiled.

gravely replied:
"No, madame, I claim to be nothing of

"No, madame, I claim to be nothing of the kind. I am only an ordinary girl who has tried to make the most of her opportunities. My father died when I was very young, and I have known all my life that the time would come when I must take care of myself. Mother, with this end in view, gave me the best education she could afford, teaching me to use my needle and to make my own clothes. But, of course, the things I love best I do best," she concluded, with one of her rare, sweet smiles.

"And what do you love best?" Madame

"And what do you love best?" Madame "And what do you leve best?" Madame Marton inquired, while the expression of her sharp eyes softened considerably. "Music and study I am exceedingly fond of, and enjoy some kinds of sewing." Shirley replied, adding: "I have tried to be thorough in everything I have attempted; I do not like to shirk anything."

ame cried with some asperity. "I called if you would be as punctilious in the cut of your as you are in the cut of your

Ehrley was too indignant at this remark | Ont.

THE WORLD OF SPORTS.

Yale University Defeats New York National League Team.

Harry Vardon, Golf Champion, Defeated in England—Remarkable Feat of Boston Swordsman-London Quoiting Club.

BASEBALL.

At Philadelphia-Philadelphia 9 14 Rochester 5 10 2 Batteries — Orth, White, Duggleby

YALE DEFEATS NEW YORK. seventh. Sharp pitched good ball for Yale and was backed up in fine style.

George Cooper, who used to go through eccentric left arm movements at Tecumseh Park, is developing into a batter, according to reports from Paterson, N. J., where he is training with the Toronto team. In yesterday's game between the "Regulars" and the "Phenoms" he had two hits, two outs,

YOU'RE RIGHT, WOODSTOCK. Woodstock Express: Now that the Canadian Baseball League has been organized and Berlin is represented in it, it is up to this good town to put a strong team in the field and to support it well. It is a matter of congratulation that the town has a citizen who has taken the matter in hand, and he should receive liberal subscriptions. Nothing advertises a town more than a good band or good to Dr.

made his first appearance yesterday since his return from the United States. He met Jack White in a 36-hole match on the links at Seaford, for a prize of £25. White beat Vardon by 6-4 up

WONDERFUL SWORDSMAN. New York, April 11.-The preliminaries to the national fencing champion ships were held at the New York A. C. four men with the foils and the same

FISTIC.

McGOVERN GOES WEST. New York, April 10.-Terry McGov-New York, April 10.—Terry McGotern, the champion feather-weight of the world, accompanied by his mannager and trainers, has left this city for ager and trainers. San Francisco, where he is to engage in several fights. His first bout will be with Oscar Gardner, in a 20-round match before the Twentieth Century Club on April 30.

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and there is loss of sleep, depression of spirits, and spells of dizziness and proportionately fewer votes than Wis-consin, the chief brewery state of the weakness. The bowels are constipated and loose by turns, and griping pains are fre-

of the blood, by pimples, blotches and or your money back, 25 and 40 cents, at McCallum & Co.'s. liver spots. In sympathy with the liver the kidneys become clogged and inactive, the ensus it is recorded that the returns showed the village of Reutenbourg contained 444 inhabitants, 222 being of

of the heart and derangement of the menstrual functions are among the symptoms of liver complaint. You should not expect to find all

if any of them are present, it is time to take prompt action to relieve the system of these morbid poisons. The liver must have assistance. The process of restoration will be hastened if the kidneys are also invig-

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having to undergo the painful operation, which I so much dreaded."

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"Dear Sir,-Please accept my sincere thanks for yours of recent date. I have given your treatment a thorough

been secured, and indications are

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AT BENNINGS.

Washington, April 111-Yesterday's

Second race, 2-year-olds, 1/2-mile-

Rona 1, Frivol 2, Astery 3. Time, :50. Third race, handicap, steeplechase,

about 21/2 miles-Lady Dainty 1, Breach

Sixth race, handicap, 1 mile and 50

WARWICK HANDICAP.

yesterday the Warwick welter handi

cap of 200 sovereigns was won by Me

thelios, with Lester Right in the sad-

CURLING.

A VETERAN CURLER.

Mr. Roderick Malcolm Menzies,

Crosshill, Ont., is 87 years of age.

Despite his weight of years, his love

in 1871, when he skipped a rink in the

Royal Caledonian competition in Scotland. Late in January, this year, he drew a stane in a game at the Water-

loo rink. Mr. Menzies was a visitor at

ARKONA.

Lucas was digging a cellar last week a quantity of earth caved in on him. Mr. Lucas had one leg badly sprained, and will be laid up for a couple of

Mr. C. H. Barnes, who has been go-

ing to the School of Pedagogy in Hamilton, is spending his Easter holi-

days at home.

Mr. Art, Jackson, of London, will be

principal of Arkona public school after

s laid up with diphtheria.

Mrs. George Smith.

Easter in Stratford.

day in the Ark.

Thursday.

One of Mr. Douglas Smith's children

Mrs. Jas. Hay, of London, is spending Easter with her parents, Mr. and

Mrs. McLean, Port Huron, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hugh Ross.

Mrs. Alex. Thomas, sen., is spending

Mr. Herb. Baldwin and Mr. and Miss

Mr. J. G. Brown was in Forest last

The young people of Arkona spent

Mr. James George, who has been on the grand jury in Sarnia for the past

A RESOLUTION

League met at the parsonage on Wed-

nesday night to spend together one

more special evening with Mr. C. R.

Eastman, who purposes leaving for

other parts. As the evening's amuse-

ments were drawing to a close, and after luncheon had been served. Miss 1. Holbrook read the following ad-

"Dear Brother and Fellow-Worker,-

removing from amongst us. We look

back upon the years you have lived in our midst with pleasure and profit.

was questionable: in the various de-

The young people of the Epworth

special feature of the evening.

week, returned home Saturday.

Harvey, of Watford, spent Good Fri-

Arkona, April 10.-While Mr. Wes.

horoughly enjoyed.

weeks.

Easter.

London, April 11.—At the first day of the Warwick Club's spring meeting

3. Time, 1:47.

bright for a very successful year.

dential, mailed in plain, sealed envelope. The receipt is free for the asktest and the benefit has been extraor- ing and he wants every man to have it. not allow this opportunity to pass

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"Signed on behalf of the Epworth

After Mr. Eastman na deep feeling, the party sang "God be with you till we meet again," and then yards-First Whip 1, Alsike 2, Althea departed, feeling that they had sustained a great loss, but comforting themselves with the thought that it

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We do not publish the names of

PHILLIES STILL WIN. and Jacklitz; Moss, Mularkey; Bowen and Phelps. Umpire, McGrillis.

New York, April 11.-The Yale University baseball team played the New York National League team at the polo grounds yesterday afternoon and defeated the New Yorkers by a score of by Matthewson and Warner in the seventh Sharp nitched good hall for

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an assist and no errors.

sporting organization. GOLF. VARDON DEFEATED.

London, April 11. - Harry Vardon and 4 to play.

ATHLETICS.

Tuesday night. M. De Diaz, of the Boston Athletic Association, defeated number of competitors with the dueling swords, not suffering one defeat all the evening. The final bouts will take place on April 26.

QUOITING. At a well-attended and enthusiastic meeting of the Forest City Quoiting Club, last evening, the following officers were elected: President, P. Mulhall; vice-president, Wm. Wiley; secretary-treasurer, D. Wiley; official ref-Wm. Bell; grounds committee, Messrs. Wm. Baskerville (chairman). Brown, John Talbot, T. Boyle, R.

Good grounds on York street have

ment for the Liver. greater influence on the general health A torpid, sluggish liver leaves poison-

in the stomach. The tongue is coated, the head aches

The skin tells of the poisonous state highly colored, and there are pains in the back and under the left

Mr. C. Smith's familiar face was seen in Arkona on Good Friday. shoulder blade.
Shortness of breath and palpitation an enjoyable evening in Mr. Ross' bush on Good Friday, coffee being the these symptoms in any one case, but

orated and strengthened. Both these filtering systems are act-

spondent woman, has been cured of the It was with feelings of sincere regret that we learned of your intention of ing this wonderful remedy has been in your business life we have always proven in scores of thousands of cases found you genial and obliging; in so-clety, ever living above that which bidneys which could be reached by

without giving you a tangible token of our esteem for you. We take great pleasure, therefore, in presenting you with this Bible, at the same time praying that it may continue to be in praying that it may continue to be in the future, as it has been in the past, the future, as it has been in the past, 'a lamp unto your feet and a light unto your path.' Our most sincere desires accompany you as you leave desires accompany and eternal proswashington, April 11.—resterday's summaries are as follows:
First race 6½ furlongs—Invasion 1,
Lofter 2, Punctual 3. Time, 1:23. us for your earthly and eternal pros-

of Promise 2, Trillion 3. Time, 5:24.

Fourth race, selling, 5 furlongs —
Brisk 1, Sylvan Dell 2, Give and Take

A. Holbrook, president; Rose Spellane, secretary. "Arkona, April 3, 1901."

would be another's gain.

Any act is meritorious that is not a

What shall

Every day three times that question has to be faced. It is quite a prothe household to make a wise selection, particularly for the morning meal-many have come

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APRIL 9

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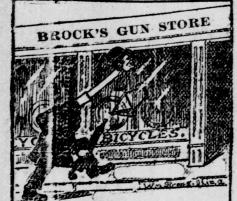
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Meteorological.

Toronto, Ont., April 10-8 p.m.-The weather is still somewhat unsettled in the Maritime Provinces. It has, however, cleared in Quebec, and elsewhere it has remained fine. The very mild conditions still continue from the Rockies to Manitoba, and higher temperature is indicated for Ontario and Quebec. Minimum and maximum tem-peratures: Victoria, 48-56; Kamloops, 42-64; Calgary, 26-64; Qu'Appelle, 38-50; Winnipeg, 32-62; Port Arthur, 26-44; Parry Sound, 30-52; Toronto, 34-54; Ottawa, 34-50; Montreal, 34-44; Quebec, 32-40; Halifax, 38-58. Local temperatures Wednesday: Highest, 55 above; lowest, 32 above.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

-Mr. Milton Hueston has been visiting his mother in St. Marys. -Mrs. Nash was recently the guest of Mrs. George Chapman at St. Marys. -Mr. and Miss Westman, of London, are visiting Mr. T. D. Stanley, at St.

-Mrs. R. J. Stutt, of London, spent Easter with Mrs. James Hales, Glen Banner.

-Mr. and Mrs. Clode, of London, were the guests of Priends in St. Marys

-Miss Ethel Brown, of London, spent her Easter holidays with friends in St. Marys.

-Mr. Jerrold Smith, of London, was a recent visitor at the home of J. L. Constable, St. Marys.

-St. George's Society will celebrate

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their anniversary on April 23 by a banquet at the City Hotel. -St. Thomas Times: Mr. J. Barnes and daughter, Miss Ruby, left today to visit friends in London.

-Jas. Haight, of Union, the other day captured 17 muskrats at the Union They were all in one covey. -Mrs. Ann Mininick, of West London, left Tuesday morning for Winnipeg, Man., to reside with her daugh-

-Rev. Canon Richardson, rector of St. John's, will preach at the annual missionary services on Sunday next at Christ Church, Glanworth, and at Trinity Church, Lambeth, at 11 a.m.

-Miss Kathleen Powell, organist, of St. Johns Church, who has been very ill with an attack of inflammation and

-At the meeting of the modern language section of the Ontario General Educational Association (in session in Toronto), Mr. S. J. Radcliffe, principal of the London Collegiate Institute, was elected a member of the council.

-Sarnia Observer: F. W. and Mrs. Kittermaster, Miss Kathleen Pardee and Robert Mackenzie left for New York this afternoon en route to Naples and will spend three months in tour-ing the continent of Europe, England and Scotland. They will be joined at New York by S. Martin, of Montreal, and E. C. Pardee, of Sydney, Cape Breton, N. S.

FENBERGS WILL RETURN. Manager Fenberg, of the Fenberg Stock Company, last night signed a contract with the management of the London Opera House to play the house for two weeks, opening on Sept. 2. The theater-goers of this city, with whom the Fenbergs have established themselves as prime favorites, will be glad to welcome them back next season.

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yesterday to crowded houses. "East Lynne," that ever-popular drama, delighted the matinee audience, and "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" was the offering for the evening. Mr. Lem Reeves again appeared in the trying dual role and repeated the success of his former appearance here in the play. The company left this morning for Chetham, where they will finish the week. They then return to the United States openthen return to the United States, open-ing at Findlay, Ohio.

Woodstock Express: A little fellow between 14 and 15 years of age, drifted into the local Y. M. C. A. rooms last night and related a short but pitiable tale to the secretary. He was very poorly dressed, and was very much in need of soap and water. He said he lived in London, but had got in with a commercial traveler during the day. The traveler induced him to take a short drive with him in the country. The short drive did not come to an The short drive did not come to an The short drive did not come to an end until Woodstock was reached, where, the boy says, the traveler left him. The little fellow was without a cent of money and had no place to go. He was provided with a ticket, with which he took the 8:50 G. T. R. train for his native city. MRS. TAYLOR'S DEATH.

The Auburn, N. Y., Bulletin contains the following account of the death of Mrs. F. C. Taylor, the wife of a former well-known Londoner: Mrs. F. C. Taylor, of New York, nee Nina May Flagg, daughter of N. A. Flagg, of 103 Orchard street, this city, died on Friday last of appendicitis, after an illness of only three days. Mrs. Taylor was well known both in Auburn and Oswego, where she formerly resided, and her untimely demise caused uni-versal grief. Funeral services were held at the First M. E. Church at Sandy Creek, Oswego county, on Sunday, at 2 p.m., Rev. Mr. Peck, pastor of the church, officiating. Floral expressions of sympathy from employes of McIntosh, Seymour & Co., of this city, were much appreciated by the relatives of the deceased.

MRS. WATERMAN'S CAREER. An excellent portrait of Mrs. Herman Waterman, formerly of London, appears in the current number of the Canadian Housekeeper, accompanied by the following sketch of her life: Mrs. Herman Waterman, one of the poard of women managers of the Pan-American Exposition, and a member of the committee on education of the wo-man's board, was born in Syracuse, but from early childhood lived in Buffalo until her marriage, when she came to London. She has been much interested for many years in educational and philanthropic work, and was one of the trustees of the orphans' home in London. Since her return to Buffalo the Sisterhood of Zion has been organized in that city, and she has serv ed as director, and for four years past as vice-president. She is connected with the Gemuthliche, a social club now in the 25th year of its existence. She fill with an attack of inflammation and congestion of the lungs, is recovering. Her many friends will be pleased to her around again soon.

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Campaign for Funds To Be Upened-Arrangements Already Under Way-Officers Elected.

Though the city council decided that it could not conscientiously grant \$1,000 for Old Boys' purposes, in view of the present financial stringency, the London Association, at its annual meeting last night, determined with one accord to have the annual reunion as before the only change to be a more complete and enjoyable success. All the expenses last year were met, said the members, and it could be done again Encountering and surmounting obstacles gave stimulus to the associa tion, which will send word to all the branches that the welcome the citizens of London will give them in 1901 wil

be as warm and hearty as ever. A letter from Secretary W. A. Small of the International Association, was read. The Chicago members seemed inclined to think that the council's action showed a lack of appreciation of the good points of the celebration. If this spirit, and that of the letters published over the name of John Wise actuated the citizens of London generally, they felt that they should not 'thrust their unwelcome presence o their native city," nor did they feel justified in asking the London commit-tee to bear all the expense. Still, they would be with them in any steps ta-

It was conceded by the members present that this was a wrong idea. The citizens generally do want the Old Boys back, and enjoy the event as the happiest of the year. The expenses will be borne as before, by voluntary subscriptions, and every one of the home guard intends to work more strenuously than ever to assure the success desired. This idea was em-bodied in a motion that was adopted with enthusiasm, and so the other associations will be informed.

The election of officers for the year

resulted as follows: Honorary President-Sir John Car-Honorary Vice-Presidents — C. S. Hyman, M. P., J. W. Little, Major Beattle, Col. Leys, M. P. P., and Mayor Rumball.

President-Police Magistrate Love. First Vice-President—B. C. McCann. Second Vice-President — E. W. M. Third Vice-President - Ex-Ald. Car-

Secretary-Treasurer-J. S. Bell. Executive Committee - R. W. Bennet, Alf. Talbot, R. R. Bland, J. L. Fitzgerald, J. R. Minhinnick, jun., John W. Jones, Thomas Gillean, E. J. MacRobert, D. W. Blackwell, Frank Cooper, Nicholas Wilson, S. H. Craig, ex-Ald. Douglass, ex-Ald. Brener, Ald. Jolly, Ald. Garratt, D. H. Cowan, Hugh McLean, William Ward, Dr. Fred Wood, Walter Bartlett, Dr. English, R. K. Cowan, Ald. Gerry, Ald. Stevely, Ald. Cooper, ex-Ald. Dreaney and ex-Ald. Graham.

A large general committee was chosen, with nearly all the old members and many new ones. Messrs. Love, E. J. MacRobert, W. Bartlett, B. C. McCann and E. W. M. Flock were appointed to make arrangements for a performance to be given by the King Street Opera Company, which volunteered its services, and Mr. W. Lancaster's offer of the use of his rink was also accepted with

thanks. A campaign for funds will be inaug urated immediately.
Police Magistrate Francis Love pre sided, and others present were Thos. Gillean Frank Cooper, E. J. Mac-Robert, E. W. M. Flock, Hugh Mc-Lean, Ald. Garratt, S. H. Craig, D. H. Cowan, Walter Bartlett, Ald. Stevely, Dr. English, A. Friendship, Ald. Gerry, George Loveless, Ald. Jolly, ex-Ald. Dreaney, B. C. McCann, A. Wilkins, D. W. Blackwell, ex-Ald. Carrothers, and R. K. Cowan.

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