### Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN. DALY-At 536 Dufferin avenue, Jan. 31, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Daly, a son. PALADINO-At El Reno, Oklahoma, Feb. 7. the wife of Lui Paladino, of a son. To:on o papers please copy.

DIED. KIPP-In this city, on Monday, Feb. 7, 1898. Lottie, eldest daughter of W. C. and Margaret Kipp, aged 7 years and 11 months. Funeral will leave the family residence 490 Central avenue, on Wednesday, at 2:30 p.m.; services at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intima-

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Carling street, auctioneers. 48a ty\_ by J. W. Jones at his recording br J. W. Jones at his rooms, Dundas street, London, on Wednesday, the 16th day of February, at 2 p.m.

1. The stock of Robert Spittal, London, as

follows: Dress goods.... taple arygoods. Hosiery, gloves, corsets and under-Fancy goods and small wares. 1,218 90
Mantles, finings, velvets, etc. 1,168 21
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pleased with the way things are going. Senor Sagasta again comes out in El Liberal with the statement that

2. Also at the same time and p'ace, the stock of W. J. McComb, Trenton, as follows: Men's furnishings.....\$ 507 67
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Tweeds and worster rsteds..... Total ...

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at the auction rooms of John W. Jones,
Dundas street, city of London, on Wednesday, the 16th day of February, 1882, at
3 o'clock in the afternoon:
1. The stock in trade of boots, shoes and
findings of R. Kirkpatrick, London, as follows;
Boots, shoes, oto. Boots, shoes, etc......\$2,814 61 

Terms: One-fourth down at time of sale, balance in 2 and 4 months, approved indorsed paper, interest at 7 per cent.

Stock and stock list can be seen on the premises. No. 189 Lundas street.

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3. Also the northwest corner of Horton and Clarence streets, having a frontage on Horton street of 50 feet, and on Clarence of 103 feet, more or less.

Ship company, that large borrowings are needed immediately to continue the business. The total liabilities which are expected to rank amount to \$340,—

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## A FAKIR'S OUTFIT

Found in the Room of James McGregor -Arrested on the Charge of Stealing a Gold

Watch. Last night James Brown, went to sleep in Jerry McDonald's Hotel. When he awoke he naturally felt for his gold tained compensation for injury to her watch to see the time, and, to his great surprise, found the time-piece had been wrenched off the chain, the end of which had been put carefully back in his pocket. Brown notified the chief of police, and Detectives Nickle and Rider were detailed on the case. They visited the hotel this morning, when Detective Rider spied James Mc-Gregor, and placed him under arrest on the charge of having stolen the watch. McGregor's room was searched, and a quantity of the paraphernalia used by fakirs was found therein. These articles comprised several nutshells, a chuck board, dice and dicebox and two minature silver padlocks, only one of which will open. The rope had escaped a general conflagracustomer is to make a bet that either tion, and the European concert lecame one of these locks can or cannot be possible. To those who had expressed opened, and whichever way the bet is the fear that France was Russia's dupe, made, by slight of hand the fakir sub- he would reply that when one has stitutes one for the other. McGregor friends one must not display a conwas remanded to jail. The detectives stant distrust of them. The alliance say the prisoner has been committed at was a work of long duration. "There-Windsor and Chatham. The watch has not yet been found.

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Afraid to Conclude Terms sponded to the demand presented by the ambassador for the removal of the Turkish irregular cavalry from the viginity of the Dursday frontier in conor Russia.

And Hasn't the Money to Pay Japan's War Indemnity.

The Foreign Policy of France as Stated by Minister Hanotaux.

Opening of the British Parliament-The Queen's Speech.

Disastrous Earthquake in Anatolia-Prince Maximilian Makes Up His Mind to Marry.

DISASTROUS EARTHQUAKE. London, Feb. 8. - A dispatch from Constantinople says: Anatolia was visted by an earthquake yesterday, which, it is reported, caused widespread de-Vastation

THE CHINESE LOAN. St. Petersburg, Feb. 8.-According to trustworthy intelligence, China has finally abandoned the idea of raising a loan in London or elsewhere. A Pekin dispatch says: The Tsung Li Yamen has instructed the viceroy of Nanking to receive Prince Henry of Prussia, upon the latter's arrival at Shanghai.

SPAIN AND UNCLE SAM. A dispatch from Madrid says: The political air is full of electricity. The stock exchange, that best of barometers, marks strong and slumps. Gen. Woodford wears a dissatisfied and dethere is absolutely no cause for a war. ......\$9,140 07 El Dia prints impassioned articles against the false reports concerning a perfect understanding in the cabinet.
There is a certain attitude of rigidity 200 24 expressed in the official press 536 59 last 48 hours, which, if sustained, may course of time, send warships to Cuban waters, to Havana and other places, to sustain the authority of Gen. Blanco and prevent with certainty such out-

breaks as it has been asserted President McKinley fears. CANADIAN AFFAIRS. London, Feb. 8.-The statement that the Canadian government is cutting down the permanent militia force creates comment in London. It is pointed out that the moment is most unfortunate for economy in this particular direction. The Globe even talks of the resumption of imperial control of the Canadian force. A new weekly journal, the Outlook, severely rebukes the Globe. and says that to suggest such a thing is to misread all the lessons of the past and wantonly obstruct the natural evo-

business. The total liabilities which Relief Promised the West Indian 000, while the free assets are estimated at \$50,000. This state of affairs will probably result in a complete remodeling of the service on the highest standard of speed and efficiency. The Canadian Pacific has built up such a reputation in England with it main line and China and Japan service that it cannot allow the Australian line to

remain below par. FOREIGN POLICY OF FRANCE. Paris, Feb. 8.—In the French cham-ber of deputies, M. Francois Deloncle, deputy for Castellane, raised a debate on the government's foreign policy. M. Hanotaux, the foreign minister, pointed out the exclusive advantages France had recently secured in Southern China. interests or subjects in China, together with the punishment of the culprits, and these indemnities, during the last two years, had reached a total of 4,600,000 francs. French diplomacy, continued M. Hanotaux, was active, but he regretted the timidity, amounting to indifference, of the French traders. France was convinced that any cataclysm causing a disruption in China would have most terrible consequences, and the government's aim was to work hand in hand with the other powers for the peaceful development of the country. M. Meline, the premier, replying on the subject of the Franco-Russian alliance, said it was only because of the alliance that Eufore," he concluded, "France's friend-ship is not impatient; Russia's friendship is a profound and durable sentiment, and care should be taken not to shake its foundations." RUSSIA ANGERED BY THE SUL-

TAN. London, Feb. 8.-While public attenevents in China, the situation in the east of Europe is rapidly assuming ed, it is believed, by Germany, the sultan is displaying an independence of attitude and boldness of front toward the czar, which cannot fail to bring about war, and that, too, at an early date. The Russian ambassador at Constantinople has been treated with the most striking discourtesies. After presenting his credentials he asked the sultan for a private audience. This, according to the customary usage, should have been granted at once. The

cinity of the Russian frontier, in consequence of the frequent acts of brigandage of the undisciplined Bashi-Bazouks on Muscovite territory, by issuing a decree doubling their number along the frontier, and conferring decorations on their chiefs. Of course the czar has a very serious grievance against the sultan, as

over \$130,000,000 of the war indemnity of 1877 still remains owing by the subime porte to Russia, the sultan making no effort whatever to discharge this debt. The czar has now caused his ambassador to Constantinople to make a peremptory demand for the immediate payment of this amount, which is, of couse, out of the

of Prince George to the governorship

by two full army corps, and is again active in Bulgaria.

Can't Pay Japan and Afraid to Borrow

on the Terms Proposed. and, similarly, that she will be while an imperial dec of the an issue of treasury bonds at 5 per cent, to the amount of 100,000,000 taels that Germany, France and Russia sup- officials, gentry and merchants to asport the position taken by Spain, sist the issue in the remote possibility In the meantime you can take it as ment due next May. The method proposed increases the growing distrust in the government. Similar bonds, issued at the time of the war of 1859, factory and evasive nature of the imtext for remaining in military occupation of considerable territory, including the town of Kiao Chau, beyond tains that the murder of the German sailor was justifiable homicide, and due to the sailor's misconduct, but she is powerless to refuse Germany's ex-

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Sugar Producers,

And a Local Government Bill for Ireland's Benefit-Brief Reference to Foreign Relations.

of the fourteenth parliament of Queen "My Lords and Gentlemen: My re-

"The question of the autonomous

trustworthy, was received of the intention of the khalifa to advance against the Egyptian army in the Soudan, and I have therefore given directions that a contingent of British troops should be dispatched to Berber to the assistance of his Highness the Khedive.

"The report of the commission I appointed in December, 1896, to inquire into the conditions of certain of my West Indian colonies has conclusively established the existence of severe depression in those colonies, caused by the heavy fall in the price of sugar, which is mainly attributable to the reduction in the cost of production, and the great increase in its extent of recent years. But the fall has been arttion is being more or less monopolized inicially stimulated by the system of bounties to producers and manufacturers of beet root sugar, maintained in once more a serious aspect. Prompt- | many European states. There are signs of growing opinion in these states that this system is injurious to the general interests of their population, and communications are now in progress between my government and the government principally concerned, with a view to a conference on the subject, which I trust may result in the abolition of

from samples purchased in the open market, and find none present." Dr. chase's Catarrh Cure is a cure—not a drug. Price 25 cents, blower included.

Walting for more than a fortnight before he consented to vouchsafe his request, although he received several other foreign envoys in the meantime.

Not content with this the sultan re
Walting for more than a fortnight before he consented to vouchsafe his regaged in sugar cultivation to tide over the present crisis.

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Not content with this the sultan re
Indian Empire an organized outbreak

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That Emperor William is still supporting the sultan is demonstrated by the fact that he declines to indorse Russia's demand for the appointment

The fact that Russia anticipates trouble is shown by the czar's action in restoring to grace Prince Ferdinand, the good-will and friendship of Bulgaria being a matter of importance to Russia in the event of a conflict with Turkey, Bulgaria having a well-equipped army of nearly 200,000 men to place at Russia's disposal. Moreover, the czar has within the last three weeks increased his forces on the frontiers of Germany and Austria

## CHINA IN A HOLE.

From Either Eritain or Russia

London, Feb. 8.-The Pekin correspondent of the Times says: I have reasons to believe that China will be induced to decline the British proposals in consequence of Russia's opposition, to accept the Russian proposals owing to England's opposition. The country is helpless and unable to pay the big indemnity except by installments, but China nurses the hope that Japan will agree to an extension of time. Meanwere repudiated in 1862. The unsatisperial edict exacted by Germany in condemnation of the Shan Tung murders, affords Germany the desired prethe area leased. China still main-

# The Queen's Speech

Statements.

London, Feb. 8.-The fourth session

United commission at 2 o'clock this afternoon with the customary ceremonies. The Queen's speech was as follows: lations with the other powers continue a continuous stream of members of Sultan of Turkey and the King of due to the fact that there was not Greece have been brought to a conclu- room enough in the house to afford sion by the signature of a treaty of each a seat, hence the annual scramble

government of the Island of Crete has in committee room No. 15. Mr. Tim occupied the attention of the powers. The difficulty of arriving at a unanistained from attending the party mous agreement on some points has meetings previous to the last session unduly protracted the deliberations; of parliament were present. Mr. John long be surmounted. "Intelligence, which is apparently

"I have concluded a treaty of friendship and commerce with his Majesty the Emperor of Abyssinia.

the bounties.

"In the meantime, measures will be proposed to you for the relief of the sultan, however, kept the ambassador Indian colonies, for encouraging other immediate necessities of the West waiting for more than a fortnight be-fore he consented to vouchsafe his re-

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of fanaticism, which spread in the summer along the frontier, induced many of the tribes to break their engagements with my government, to attack the military posts in their vicinity, and even to invade the settled district of my territory. I was compelled to send expeditions against the offending tribes, for the punishment of the outrages and to insure peace in the future. A portion of the Afridi tribes have not yet accepted the terms offered them; but elsewhere the operations have been brought to a very successful close. The courage and endurance exhibited by my troops, British and native, have overcome almost insuperable difficulties in the country in which they were operating; but I have to deplore the loss of many valuable lives, both amongst my own troops and those whose services were voluntarily and loyally placed at my disposal by the native princes of my Indian Empire." The rest of the speech deals with the recrudescence of the plague, and says: "Although the mortality is less alarming than in 1897, it is still such as to cause anxiety, and no effort will be spared to mitigate it. Her majesty then rejoices at the fact that the famine is ended, except in a small tract of Madras, and says there is reason to anticipate a prosperous year, both for

agriculture and commerce, throughout "Gentlemen of the mons: The estimates which will be laid before you have been framed with the utmost desire for economy; but, in view of the enormous armaments now maintained by other nations, the duty of providing for the defense of the empire involves an expenditure beyond

former precedent." Dealing with the proposed legislation, the speech from the throne says measures will be introduced for the organization of a system of local government in Ireland, substantially similar to Great Britain's, to secure the increased strength and efficiency of the army among the present conditions of military service, to enable accused people to testify in their own defense, to facilitate the creation of municipalities in London, and to prevent recognized abuses in connection with church patronage.

There are nine other measures of minor importance. The Queen's speech concludes: "I heartily commend your momentous deliberations to the care and guidance of Almighty God." The speech is rather more remarkable for its omissions than its contents. No settlement has yet been arrived at respecting China which will admit of more than a bare mention. The same applies to the West African difficulty with France and the troublesome Cretan negotiations. The public

is anxious to learn more about the Soudan advance, but is not gratified to MEMBERS EARLY IN THEIR

PLACES. Previous to the reassembling of Parliament, the usual party of beef-eaters, accompanied by a number of officials and headed by Chief Inspector of Police Horsley, made the customary search for the imitators of Guy Fawkes. They ascertained that the vaults of the House of Parliament did not contain anything inimical to the Victoria, and the twenty-sixth of the was Mr. Robert Ascroft, Conservative, safety of the members. Kingdom, was opened by a M. P. for Oldham, who arrived at 5:30

a.m. The second member was Mr. Thomas Lough, Liberal, member for the west division of Islington, who enpeace, under which the territorial re- for places, which are secured by placlations between the two powers are ing a hat, with a visiting card, upon the chosen spot.

The Irish Parliamentary party met Dillon was re-elected chairman, and the whips and secretaries were also

The Mexican government is negotiating for a refunding of its national gold debt. The debt is about \$110,000,00 bears interest of 6 per cent in gold, and falls due on July 1 next.



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Jubiles Hockey Club Defeats the South London Team.

Skating in Switzerland for the World's Championship.

A Lively Bace Comes Off at St, Marys.

Hockey at Port Elgin-Baseball and

Turf Gossip.

HUCKEY JUBILEES 5, SOUTH LONDON 0. Another game of the city championship series was played in the Jubilee rink last night between the South London and Jubilee clubs. The game was a pretty exhibition of hockey, but was too one-sided to afford much interest to the spectators. For two halves of 20 minutes each the teams battled, the struggle being marked by some fine team work, especially by the Jubilees. The South London boys were, however, playing an uphill game, as they were handicapped in having only three of their own men.

When the referee's whistle was sounded for the puck-off, the Jubilees rushed the puck to their opponents' defense, and after some fast and furi-ous rushes succeeded in scoring their first goal in five minutes. Another quickly followed, in four minutes, and just before half-time the Jubilees again succeeded in putting the rubber through the South London defense, eaving the score at half-time 3 to 0. In the last half the teams were not so aggressive, and it was fifteen minates before either scored. At this point Stinson goaled, and Cook followed with a goal for the Jubilees, leaving the Jubilees the victors by a score of 5 to

0. The line-up was as follows: South London. Johns......Goal ......McLaren Martin.....Point .....Fysh Short and Symmonds as goal judges, and H. Blount as official time-keeper.

There were 200 people present. ON THE CENTRAL RINK. on the Central rink Saturday afternoon few thousand. between the Centrals and the Waterloos, resulting in favor of the Water-loos by a score of 2 to 0. This is the third game played between these two teams, the Waterloos winning two of them, shutting them out both games them, shutting them out both games. AT PORT ELGIN.

Port Elgin, Ont., Feb. 8.-The postponed hockey match—Port Elgin vs. Southampton—was played here Saturday evening, resulting in favor of the home team.

BASEBALL. VON DER AHE JAILED.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 8 .- The Pittsburg Dispatch this morning publishes a telegram from a staff correspondent, dated St. Louis. Mo., saying that Chris Von der Ahe, the baseball magnate, was taken into custody there last evening by a Pittsburg detective, on a judgment given by the courts in the suit brought by Mark E. Baldwin, the baseball pitcher. The kidnapping of Mr. Von der Ahe, for it is such, in the true meaning of the word, will no

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doubt create a big sensation. He was decoyed into the St. Nicholas Hotel, where he was hustled into a carriage, after being shown the bail piece carried by Detective Nicholas Bendel. The carriage was driven around aimlessly until it was time to board a train for the east. Then he was shoved into it, and it now on his way to Pittsburg, where he will have to make good the judgment of \$2,500 rendered against him in the Baldwin case or remain in jail.

WANTS TO BE MANAGER. Secretary Frank Nichol, of the St Thomas Baseball Association, has received a letter from Mr. J. F. Shirtse, applying for the position of manager of the proposed International League team in St. Thomas. Mr. Shirtse would also play second base, and his terms are moderate. Austin, Texas, has made him an offer, but he wants to come to Canada. For years he managed a team in the Southern League, and last year was manager and second baseman of the Lawrence, Mass., team in the New England League.

BAY CITY CLUB. Manager Lowney announces the following players signed for the Bay City club for 1898, for the International League: Jack McConnell, catcher; Frank Woolover, pitcher; Cnarles Robb, pit-cher; A. J. Royce, first base; Tim O'Connell, shortstop; H.B. Warner, third base; Will B. Householder, catcher and second base; Charles Pedrose, center field; W. A. McKevitt, right field; Sox-

alexis Hale, James Green and Nick FLYS. John T. Brush, of the Cincinnati club, who is in favor of blacklisting all ball players which use objectionable language on the field, and who believes that the players should cease kicking against the umpire, says that the rules as they are printed in the book, if enforced by the umpires, will put an end

to all troubles. Dan Brouthers is to succeed Tom Burns as manager of the Springfield, Mass., Eastern League club. Scrappy Joyce is the first league manager to claim the pennant for next season. He thinks the New York Glants will have a cake-walk. Willie McGill will be given another

trial by Comiskey, but the first time he blows the froth off a schooner he will be released. Frank Scheibeck has signed to play shortstop for Syracuse. Scheibeck and Al Buckenberger, the manager, are old

CURLING. Owing to the bad ice, the scheduled curling match between four rinks of the Forest City Club and the Granites of St. Thomas, which was to have been played here yesterday, was declared

A couple of rinks from the Detroit curling club played a friendly game with the Stratford club Friday night. the home curlers being victorious by 15 shots. Score: Stratford, 41; Detroit,

SKATING. EXCITING RACE AT ST. MARYS. At St. Marys Friday evening a crowd fiancee. of about 500 people witnessed an ex-citing skating race for a silver medal and the championship of Perth county. The distance was five miles, and three contestants entered. They were Geo. Dormer and Mr. Mowat, of St. Marys, and Wm. Hern, of Stratford. Mowat led in the first 25 laps, Dormer afterwards leading up to the 72nd lap, when he was passed by Hern, who finished in good form some three or four yards ahead of Dormer, with Mowat far in the rear.

WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP. Davos-Platz, Switzerland, Feb. 8 .--In the world's speed skating contests, held here, Seyler, of Munich, won the 500 meter race in 47 1-5 seconds. Oestlund's record was not beaten. Poestlund, of Trondhjem, Norway, won the 6,000 meter race in 8 minutes 52 1-5 seconds. Eden's record was not beaten. The fee was in good condition.

THE TURF. AXTELL'S SIRE SOLD FOR \$425. Lexington, N. Y., Feb. 8.-The midwinter sales of trotting horses began yesterday. Jay Bird, 20 years old, sire of Allerton (2:09%), was sold to W. R. Bacon, Paris, Ky., for \$2,600. William L., sire of Axtell (2:12), who brought over \$100,000 as a 3-year-old, sold to R. C. Estell, Lexington, for \$425. He is 17 years old. Prices averaged about

TINY WILLIAMS. Mr. Charles Boyle, trainer of the Seagram stables, has returned from Stinson......Cover....Matthewson Sippi.....Forwards....McLaren signed Tiny Williams, one of the Fred Beltz acted as referee, Messrs. a few races at Gravesend last year, and did exceedingly well.

TIPS. It is said that J. J. McCafferty got \$10,000 for Requital, but good horse-A good game of hockey was played men think that the figure is padded a \$25 for each winning and \$10 for each losing mount. Tod's contract with the Fleischmanns calls for a retainer of \$12,000 and the usual fees, so that his income is practically assured for at

SMOKESTACK SPARKS.

least another year.

Both the G. T. R. and C. P. R. companies refuse to say anything regarding the result of Saturday's negotiations re the rate war, but it is generally believed that an understanding has been reached. Engineer A. H. MacLeod, of the

Canadian Pacific Railway, who is superintending the construction of the Crow's Nest Pass Railway, is in Toronto. He says that 5,000 men are at work on the road, which will be finished this year. The first 105 miles are graded, and the grade is 1 per cent, which is the lowest of any mourtain railway in the world. The scenery through which the road passes is beautiful, resembling a vast park, with no underbrush. Three tunnels, the longest of which is 800 feet, are in course of construction.

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There are five comets scheduled for 1898.

18 Years Town Constable. Mr. B. Knisley, Hagersville, Ont., holds the record of having been town constable for 18 years. Mr. Knisley says: "I was cured of kidney and bladder weakness by three boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills. I often had to rise five or six times in the night on rise five or six times in the night on account of bladder weakness. The pills entirely did away with this annoying symptom. I highly recommend them for all kidney or bladder troubles."



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Within an hour from the time of quitting his cell, Allison was in his grave. The St. Clair River was completely blocked with ice, and the Port Huron and Sarnia ferry line forced to practically suspend business on Sunday, for the first time this winter.

A circular issued by Statistician Hyde, of the United States agricultural department, shows that the total cotton crop of 1896-97 amounted in commercial bales to 8,532,705. Gov. Thomas J. Osborne, of Topeka, Kansas, died at Meadville, Pa., on Friday, from hemorrhage of the stomach.

ville in April, and was visiting his Joshua Robinson, of Craigvale 65 years of age, whose horse fell on him on Saturday, has died from his injuries. Mr. Robinson had lived on the tenth line of Innisfil for 40 years and was highly respected.

The beginning of another week-the fourth of the New Bedford, Mass., cotton mill operatives' strike-showed nothing but the same apparent determination on both sides to stick to their respective position until one or the other yields.

Five years ago the little daughter of Mrs. Turton, of Moose Mountain, Man., disappeared, and could not be traced. Recently Rev. Mr. Sproule, of Pierre, N. D., found a white child in possession of a wandering tribe of Indians. The girl's photograph was taken, and the mother and neighbors at once recognized the likeness of the waif. The girl, who is now 9 years of age, is on her way to Winnipeg.

"Mike" McDonald, a retired millionaire, once the king of Chicago samblers, is at the head of a party of Chicagoans which have purchased Fighting Island, eight miles from Detroit, on the Canadian side, for the purpose of establishing there a sort of Monte Carlo. It is returning Klondikers. a gigantic scheme, with a capitalization of \$2,000,000 behind it. The property sold for between \$150,000 and \$200,000. scheme is to construct at once a race track on the island. Already there is a hotel there with about 100 rooms; a casino building and boat houses, icehouses, vineyard, and a splendid system of waterworks.

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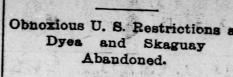
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# Klondike Echoes.



Venturesome Prospectors Quit Dawson for Other Fields.

and U. S. Officials-Tragedy at Skaguay-Notes From the Gold Region.

[C. P. R. Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Feb. 8.-United States customs regulations for goods entering at United States ports for the Yukon have been received here. They show the obnoxious system at Dyea and Skaguay against which Canadians have been complaining have been abandon-ed. New regulations provide that British goods can be transhiped under customs supervision at St. Michael. Goods can be transhiped on the river if necessary.

At Wrangel goods can be transhiped

Regulations for Dyea and Skaguay provide that British goods can be transhiped over the passes by certificate. When goods arrive at either of these ports the owner or person in charge is supplied with a certificate upon his depositing a price equal to the duty, which will secure to him a refund of duty on goods reaching Canadian territory. If goods are carried by transportation companies they can be shipped over the passes in bond.

A BOUNDARY DISPUTE. on the portage between Lindermann and Lake Bennett, on territory claimed by the United States, with the evident tion is, in effect, to move the boundary line four miles into United States territory, making another complication in the international dispute. The atchamber of commerce was called to the matter by a letter from Arthur C. Van Dorn, who writes from Dyea under date of Jan. 21, substantially as fol-

"McLeod and Sullivan, who occupy the land between the lakes, claim it in entirety under grant from the Canadian government. The distance is about three-fourths of a mile, and on the east side are four officers of the Canadian customs service. The Americans claim that the boundary line crosses Lake Bennett four miles north of this point, commonly spoken of as the Head of the Lake, or the Portage, He was to have been married in Mead- and I write particulars for advice, whether you think it advisable to resist the payment of duty here. As the business men at the Portage will be Americans, with scarcely an exception, we are exceedingly desirous of being declared on American soil."

> A TRAGEDY. Victoria, B. C., Feb. 8.-In the Klondike saloon at Skaguay, Ed. Fay, the bartender, was mixed up in a robbery, in which Henry McGrath was the victim. McGrath left the saloon and got J. M. Rowan, the United States deputy marshal, to go back with him to obtain satisfaction. Fay shot them both when they entered—McGrath first and then Rowan. Both men died shortly afterwards. Fay was given up to a citizens' committee. To the marshal's wife a child was born two hours before her husband was killed.

teen prisoners had to be released. Some were recaptured.

Major Walsh does not expect to leave Big Salmon for Dawson until April. He paid \$2 a pound for provisions from men going down. His reinforce-

QUITTING DAWSON. Juneau, Alaska, Feb. 1 (by steamer City of Seattle, Victoria, B. C., Feb. 5). -A stampede from Dawson is imminent. The news was brought out by party of about a dozen men who reached Skaguay on Jan. 28, several of whom had reached there by a small steamer the evening of the same day. Among them were George McKenna, of Douglas Island, who has been in the Yukon for two years. He also states that a number of very rich new strikes have been made. Four men in the party left Dawson as late as Dec. 26.

ity. Eighty cents a pan was found in this district a few inches below the surface, with bed rock many feet below. There was a stampede to the Ian River district as soon as the discovery became known. It is now generally conceded that the winter's clean-up will not be more than

syndicate for the building of a steamer to be used on the Yukon River. She will be a stern-wheeler, 45 feet long, 19 feet beam, and will draw only 15 inches of water. Some of the South African miners have reached Dyea. They originally came from Australia. The cold is felt

They were not able to stand the cold. In fact "husky" dogs and hairy Newfoundlands are the only ones worth a snap for Klondiking. The owner of the Dutch dogs took them out for an airing on a cold day, and when they returned, their ears, nose and other exposed parts were frozen. They tell about the man who took the big flock of turkeys from Seattle to Dyea, drove them over the White Pass to Lake Bennett, and hoped to have them in Dawson for Christmas. But the cold snap froze up the route, and made the walking too bad for turkeys. It menaced their bare feet and legs, for shelter was hard to get. So the owner clad their feet and legs in moc. They tell about the man who took the

Obnoxious U. S. Restrictions at

Boundary Dispute Between Canadian

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 8.—Canadian customs officers have been stationed intention of collecting duty. This actention of the trustees of the Seattle

The chamber of commerce advises Van Dorn to resist payment.

A fire occurred at Juneau court house recently, and the jail was burn-

ed. All records were lost, and fourments were met at Lake Bennett by

A party of 24 men left Dawson on Dec. 19 for St. Mary's River. They in-

As much of the gold in the Yukon doubtless came down from the Klondike, and its unequaled rich tributaries -Bonanza, Eldorado, Hunker and other creeks-it is argued that so, also, the gold in the Stewart River bars may come from the same situation. Two new creeks have been discover ed. One is in the Klondike district. Here the ground shows forty cents to the pan, with seven feet of pay dirt to work. The richest creek is in the In-dian River district in the same vicin-

\$10,000,000. The Coquitlan passed 20 steamers bound for Skaguay. It is reported that Skaguay is already overcrowded and that work is scarce. NOTES. The Polson iron works, Toronto, has secured the contract from an English

very much by these fellows, but they are undeterred, and their number is being added to every day. The Dutch dogs that passed through Montreal are at Dyea in hard luck.

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Owner clad their feet and legs in moccasins and leggings, and afterwards drove them back to Dyea. At last active and f. B. Clarke, 415 Richmond and Dundas.

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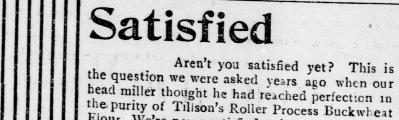
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Seattle, Wash., Feb. 7.-E. Hazard Wells, Klondike correspondent of the Scripps-McCrae papers, reached here on a flying trip from the Yukon. Wells walked something over 600 miles through the Yukon snow, accompanied by Charles Lake, John Bigelow and Charles Christiansen. The

On Lake Labarge, while traveling at night, Wells and Lake accidentally got separated from Bigelow and Christiansen and the dog team, and, finally exhausted, went ashore to a forest in the storm, the temperature being 20 degrees below zero. They had no axe or blankets, but kept from freezing by breaking dry sticks from trees and maintaining a fire until morning. They found Bigelow and Christiansen and the dog team that afternoon. Wells had a pretty rough time getting out. Detroit, Mich., Feb. 7.-Dr. Jas. Mc-Donald, formerly a well known physician in Detroit, but recently engaged in the practice of his procession in Kincardine, Ont., will leave at once for the Klondike. He will go alone, and will take with him a good-sized stock of drugs and medicines, and do both a drug business and a professional business among the gold diggers. He

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[C. P. R. Special to The Advertiser.] authorities that the proposed expedition Canadian government will escort the expedition over Canadian territory with an escort of 50 men from the mounted police. The United States officials can

the crowds increased in number all the crowds increased in number an and as there was no other place to the morning. The arrival of M. Henri which he could be taken, it was deemfort shouted: "It would seem that with four of you at five francs apiece, the Dreyfus syndicate will not be ruined." lay in the ambulance, being finally taken into the station, where he now hement shouts of "Conspuez Zola)" ("Spit upon Zola"). An individual who shouted "Vive Zola," was promptly hustled and suppressed M. Dologowy. announced that the court would be from San Jose, Costa Rica, announces While the jury was being selected, M. Friday. Zola entered the dock. He was pale,

and a few cries of "Vive Zola" were promptly suppressed. David Christie Murray, the novelist and playwright, had a column interwith Emile Zola, which is published today in the Daily News. Zola, it appears, was anything but hopeful of the outcome of his trial, and said: of the outcome of his trial, and said. conduct. An inquest was neid, and a week know everything concerning the verdict of death from natural causes Dreyfus case; but it is impossible to describe the pressure to impose silence upon men who are able and ready to reveal the truth. Our documentary evidence is not even looked at, and our witnesses have refused to testify have been ordered to be silent. There onds apart. is no room for doubt. There is no question or possibility of a question. The that excellent medicine sold as Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It soothes

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### Dodd's Kidney Pills Win Yet Another Championship.

Dresden, Feb. 7.—The report of the wonderful case of J. M. McDonald, of Windsor, has reached Dresden and causes universal and interested com-

The power of Dodd's Kidney Pills has for some time past been unanimously admitted, in this town, for we have had absolutely convincing proof of it. Mr. W. G. Cragg, a prominent merchant, and ex-reeve of Dresden, was for eight years a sufferer from Inflammatory Rheumatism, aggravated by Gout. Our most skillful doctors failed Sons & Co., Montreal, wholesale agents, to relieve him, and not till he began Avoid substitutes. using Dodd's Kidney Pills did he find a cure. Six boxes cured him completely.

# NO ARMED FOREIGNERS. SMALLPOX AT WINDSOR.

All the Symptoms. Ottawa, Feb. 7.—The Dominion gov- Saturday night a stranger, giving his ernment has advised the Washington name as George Irvine, and his home as St. John, N. B., applied to the police to be sent to Dawson City by the United States for the relief of citizens and without money. He was placed in United States for the relief of citizens of the United States, cannot be accompanied by an armed body. The city physician summoned. After a Cursory examination it was a contracted by the city physician summoned. cursory examination it was announced that the man was seriously ill, and Irvine was ordered to the Hotel Dieu. remain in charge of the expedition. It is just probable that the expedition may be abandoned altogether.

Authorities notined the police department that Irvine had all the symptoms of smallpox, and must be removed from there at once, as they had no Early yesterday morning the hospital Paris, Feb. 7.—At Zola's trial today, bulance took Irvine from the hospital,

and as there was no other place to Rochefort was the signal for shouts of ed best to return him to the police sta-"Vive Rochefort," and counter-cries of tion. The police, however, had become alarmed, and, fearing infection, rection of the hostile cries, M. Roche-they refused to permit Irvine to enter

REVOLUTION IN COSTA RICA. hustled and suppressed. M. Delegorgu ceived at the state department today that a revolution was inaugurated there

DIED IN HAMILTON JAIL. Hamilton, Feb. 7.-William Mercer, an old man, was found dead in jail early Saturday morning. The old man had been in feeble health for some time. He was an inmate of the house of refuge, but was sent away from

The New York Elevated Railway has 1,117 passenger cars, 335 engines, 5,520 oyes, and runs trains only 50 sec-

denial; but the authorities refuse to and diminishes the sensibility of the allow us to produce our evidence, and membranes of the throat and air pasthen hold up the feebleness of our cause sages, and is a sovereign remedy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness, pain, or soreness of the chest, bronchitis, etc. It has cured many when supposed to be far advanced in consumption. It rains on an average of 208 days in the year in Ireland, about 150 in England, at Kezan about 90 days, and in Siberia only 60 days.

Piles! Piles! Itching Piles. Symptoms: Moisture, intense itching and stinging, mostly at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue, tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. Swayne's Ointment stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. All druggists, or by mail, 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia. Lyman

Why will you allow a cough to the risk of filling a consumptive's Morms cause feverishness, moaning raves' Worm Exterminator is pleasit, sure and effectual. If your arust has none in stock, get him to pro-

# Brilliant Balmorals.

Fourth Annual Carnival the Success of the Season.

Over One Thousand Skaters in Gaily Colored Costumes Form a Beautiful Kaleidoscopio Scene.

The fourth annual carnival of the Balmoral Club was held last night, and proved the greatest success in the history of the organization. The rink contained about 1,200 people, most of whom were in costume. The usual batch of ludicrous looking negroes and clowns were in evidence, but taken as a whole the display was one of the best ever made in the city, and the scene was a picturesque one. The task of judging was allotted to Sergt. Frank Davis, Messrs. H. Stein and Hodgins, who awarded the prizes as follows: Best dressed lady-Miss Maud Per-

kins; second, Miss Durdin. Special prize, best dressed Highland Lassie-Miss Tibbs. Best dressed gentleman-First, Heintzman; second, Jas. Davis.

Special comic dress—Ed. Pinnell.

The following is a partial list of those in costume: Jim Taylor, Lord Darnley; Frank Henry, January Moon; Aif. Thompson, Laird o' Cockpen; Walt.
Bradford, Duke of Argyle; J. Austin,
Butcher; Col. Deeley, Miskeley; Wan.
Allen, Prince Charlie; Sandy Drennin,
Robert Bruce: Robert Allen Townsh Robert Bruce; Robert Allen, Tavish McTavish; David Walsh. Callum Moore; Frank Gruber, Bobbie Burns; Wm. Peters, Walter Scott; Blanche Black, Summer Girl; Lillie Allenby, American Cook; May Pearson, Little Red Riding Hood; Maud Denny, Gipsy Queen; Miss Quinn, July Girl; Miss Mills, Mary Queen of Scots; Miss Mines, Klondike Girl; Miss Perkins, Nurse; Nellie Short, Nurse; Annie Howe, Summer; Miss Johnson, Flirt; Miss J. Boyce, Miss Hayseed; P.Graydon, Flower Girl; Miss M. Thompson, Parlor Maid; Maud Chester, Fairy Queen; Laura Fisher, Girl from Paris; Miss Nash, Merry Cup; Jennie White and Minnie Gray, Two-Faced Girls; Allie McLeod, August Girl; Maud Perkins, Prairie Queen; Pearl Chapman, Queen of the Fifteen Cities; Annie Rockett, Parlor Maid; Edith Danniels, English Teasant Girl; Miss G. Jenkins, Red Riding Hood; Miss O'Dea, Star of Bonnie Scotland; Miss Tibbs, Gordon Highlander; Miss Mamie Gray, Two Faces; J. W. O'Rourke, Clown; C. J. Merritt, Colored Lady; F.C. Cope, Sailor; J. Merryfield, Chinaman; W. Levines, Bootblack; H. Stapleton, Spanish; J. L. Nevins, Swell; Clif. Mc-Leod, Coon; E. Call, Coon; J. A. Black, Non-Com. Officer of the Horse Artil-

lery; Harry Williams, Weary Waggles; Sam Black, Bicycle Rider; M. C. Charlton, Any Old Thing; J. D. Thompson, Swell, Dan Murphy, London West, J. ell; Dan. Murphy, London West; J. Heintzman, Sultan; Bert. Tripp. Nigger Gent; J. Partridge, Beer Bottle; J. Johnson, Mister Klondike; J. Brazier, Colored Swell; D. Vincent, Jesse James; S. Ham, M. McDougall, F. Hornsby, D. Powell and H. Fewclothes, Rusty Five; George Wilson, Clothes, Rusty Five; George Wilson, 13th Century; W. Armstrong, Clown; A. Neville, Captain; W. B. Bownster, Colored Swell; J. Percy, Tramp; T. Fox, Coon; Geo. Fox, Cowboy; Brooks, General; Chas. Brooks, English Major; E. C. Efner, Tramp; G. Dignan, Klondike Stockholder; T. Johnson, Turk; W. Caswell, Nigger Bum; Bert Rutledge, Colored Lady; A. Woolatt, Summer Coon; Wm. Smith,
Dragoon; Wm. Dalton, Indian; Wm.
Wedmore, Beck's Jockey; B. Barr,
Colored Gent; W. Quinn, Clown; M.
Phalen, Rube; M. McKeough, Colored

Gent; B. Quinn, Farmer; E. Johnson, Bum; J. Lacey, Sailor; J. Hennessey, Dude: D. Hennessey, Make Up; J. Hobbs, Bicycle Rider; B. Woods, Sport; W. Rumball, Soldier; J. Owrey, Fat Coon; J. Allen, Soldier; J. Clark, Cow-Coon; J. Allen, Soldier; J. Clark, Cowboy; R. Errington, Irishman; H. Long, French; J. Reid, Tobogganist; W. L. Hewitt, Coon; J. Buckingham, Cowboy; J. Hasiett, Clown; W. B. Burns, Klondikan, Los McCue, Irishman; R. Wooddiker; Joe McCue, Irishman; B. Woodward, Old Man Green; F. W. Hueston and J. Allison, Actors; D. Hodgins, And J. Allison, Actors; D. Hodgins, Policeman; A. Bright, Highlander; J. Pendergast: Clown; F. A. Wright, Rob Roy; W. Neville, Indian; J. Watson and J. Taylor, Turkish Gents; E. Humphreys, Clown; A. Neville, Topsy. mphreys, Clown; A. Neville, Topsy; Miss M. Coles, Miss L. Morgan, M. Garside, May Queens; J. Reedey, Willie from South street; Little Ina Riddell, Highland Lassie; Frankie Tucker, Highland Laddie; J. McNeil, Little Boy Blue; May Irvine, Belle of New

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haste to the nearest chemist for a bottle of Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure. While he is gone, get to bed. You will know you are going to be ill because you will have hot flashes and chills—that is, be hot and cold at the same time; you will have backache, and bone-ache, and headache and perhaps sore throat, and feel wretched all over. Have a hot footbath prepared at once, with

minutes you'll be in a good sweat and Shiloh will have arrived. Now commence with this by the time you have taken three-quarters of the bottle, your cold will have disappeared. If Shiloh, faithfully used, does not do what it promises, you're an exception to the majority, and shall have your money refunded. Sold in United States and Canada, 25c., 50c. and \$1 a bottle; in England, 1s. 2d., 2s. 3d. and 4s. 6d.

Durdin, Klondike Brownie; E. and H. Parry, Twin Dudes; Susie Howie, Glpsy Girl; Miss Tibbs, Highland Lassie; Miss Hosie, Miss Boyd, Summer Girls; C. J. Merritt, Colored Lady; Geo. Nightingale, Bub; Clif. McLeod, Nigger; Art. Bright, Prince Charlie; Miss Morgan, Kentucky Girl; Miss Coles, Girl of the Regiment; Miss Minnie

club and their friends adjourned up town, where lunch was partaken of. A good time was indulged in, and songs were given by Sandy Drennan, Dave Walsh, Robert Allen, Corp. Cockburn, Joseph Watson and others. The committee in charge of the car-

# A Sensible Mayor.

### The Example Set by His Worship of Owen Sound.

sensible citizen. In a town such as Owen Sound, having so much dependent upon government favor, it would gether different things, and ought in no way to be connected. No one would think of denying to any citizen his right of voting according to his convictions, but we think the mayor is correct in his stand that the head of the municipality should abstain from active participation in the campaign,

# A LONG COUNT.

### ASmall Army of Experts Go Over Uncle Sam's \$797,000,000 of Cash-Shortage of \$859 Discovered.

Washington, Feb. 8.-A recount of the treasury cash disclosed a shortage of \$859. The recount was made necessary by the appointment in June last of Ellis H. Roberts as United States treasurer in place of D. N. Morgan, was begun on July 1, and since that time about \$797,000,000 in cash has been

A colored man named Martin, employed as a laborer, was one day discovered in the coal and wood basement under suspicious circumstances, and a search resulted in the finding of a number of silver dollars which presumably he had abstracted from some of the bags. Martin made a confession admitting that he had taken \$28, for which he had substituted lead. court imposed a fine of \$50, and Martin

was released. This admission cast suspicion upon the entire contents of the vault, and a count by handling each individual piece was ordered. On Sept. 10 28 expert counters, and a force of laborers and verifyers, under the direction of G. C. Bance, assistant cashier, began the work of counting the contents of this vault. The time employed, therefore, was nearly five months, the counters working eight hours each day. The shortage of \$859 will be made good by Mr. Morgan, the retiring treasurer. It is probable, however, as done in similar cases, that Congress will make an appropriation in Mr. Morgan's favor covering the amount.

home, at 45 Poulette street, dead, by the police yesterday. There was a deep gash in her forehead and a bruise on her cheek. Her husband, Frank Young, said that the wounds were caused by the woman falling on the stove in a drunken row, in which he and Wm. Irwin, a lodger participated. Irwin and he tell different stories, and they are both held by the police as material

\$5,000 FOR HER TWO SONS. Toronto, Feb. 8.-The suit of Mrs. J. Holden against the Gutta Percha Company ended Saturday. Mrs. Holden sued of her two sons, Percy and George, who Holden, and \$2,000 for his brother's

# Good Plain English

so we are going to tell you in plain English what to do when you have taken a bad cold. The first thing is to send a messenger post

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grand medicine according to directions, and S. C. Wells & Co., Le Roy, N. Y. GENTLEMEN:—
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to Death.

Gray, Two-Faced. The Musical Society Band and Sandy McNee's Highland Band discoursed sweet music during the evening. The rink was very gaily decorated.

After the carnival the members of the

nival was: Chairman, J. Bland Barnes; Robert Allen, William Neville, Ed. Humphreys, W. Bradford.

Owen Sound, Feb. 8.—A reporter saw Mayor Thomson, of this place, and asked him what part he would take with regard to the Ontario elections. The mayor was very quick and emphatic in his answer to the inquiry. He stated that although in the past he had taken an active part in the Conservative interest, so long as he occupied the position of mayor of Owen Sound he would abstain from actively connecting himself with any political organization, although he would still use his right as a citizen to exercise his franchise according to his convictions. Commenting on this decision of the mayor, the Advertiser, of this town, says: "This stand of the mayor's will be indorsed by every impartial and be folly to perhaps antagonize the party in power by active opposition.

Then again, municipal and provincial and Dominion politics are two alto-

### and that his action will meet with the approval of the citizens generally."

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TRAGEDY IN TORONTO.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 8. — Hannah
Young, 45 years old, was found in her
home, at 45 Poulette street, dead, by the

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Marriage Licenses.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED AT pany ended Saturday. Mrs. Holden sued | Wh. Johnston's shoe store. 198 Dundas street. for the sum of \$5,000 each for the death | No witnesses required. Residence, 194 Dundas. died as the result of injuries received ARMAGE LICENSES ISSUED AT at the company's works Rosidence 289 Dufferin avenue. and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your drugals that none in stock, get him to protect the first of the throat and lungs, coughs, colds, with the company of high financial and profession at the company's plant to the danger that the company's pleasant to the part of the company's deception, no exposure—a clean business proposition by a company of high financial and profession at the company's works. It is march at once.

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# Fatal Fire.

Mother and Two Children Burned

Destruction of a Magnificent Cathedral in Georgia.

Drummondville, Que., Feb. 8.-Edmond Dupuis, on returning from church to his home, five miles from the village and children, but only succeeded in rescuing one child. Mr. Dupuis and the other two children perished almost before his eyes. The third child, who was rescued, is not expected to live, being badly burned. The origin of the

fire is a mystery.
Savannah, Ga., Feb. 8.—Damage to the extent of \$125,000 was caused by a fire that started in a hay warehouse on sheet, corner Colborne. Hours II to ? fire that started in a hay warehouse on and after?. the wharf at the foot of Jefferson street Sunday night. While the fire brigade was fighting the fire, flames burst

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000, and was insured for \$60,000.

### Tells how she was cured of Hoart and Nerve Troubles.

The onerous duties that fall to the lot of a nurse, the worry, care, loss of sleep, irregularity of meals soon tell on the nervous system and undermine the health. Mrs. H. L. Menzies, a professional nurse living at the Corner of Wellington and King Streets, Brantford, Ont., states her



ease as follows: "For the past three years I have suffered from weakness, shortness of breath and palpitation of the heart. The least excitement would make my heart flutter, and at night I even found it difficult to sleep. After I got Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills I experienced great relief, and on continuing their use the improvement has been marked until now all the old symptoms are gone and I am completely

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### The Outlook.

gave him confidence in the result of the every year from \$25,000 to \$30,000. But policy which it is to follow in opposition. It needs a thorough cleaning out. he observed the civil servants of the the city. As a consequence of the es-Province were not taking nearly so tablishment of the normal school here, active a part in the contest as formerly; London will become more and more the second, that the people were being an educational center. All the embryo wakened up on the education question; teachers of the West will come here it is to hope to be ever restored to the and the third, that the electors were for their training, instead of having to beginning to get the tacts respecting go to Toronto or Ottawa as in the the surplus into their minds.

cess at the polls of the Liberal Govern- should do, if they had the power to ment of Ontario has never depended on prevent the construction of the school the civil servants, but on the intelligent here. Then heads of families, living in the part of one section of the party to use of their franchise by the free and outside communities, will move into independent electors. It is a fact, too | London from time to time, in order that that in past elections for the Province they may obtain the advantages aris- a revised copy of "Facts for Irish a vast force of Dominion civil servants ing from life in a thoroughly-equipped were let loose by the Conservative educational center. All the new Government at Ottawa. That experi- comers will buy their supplies here, ence will not be repeated in this cam- and that means added importance to paign, a Liberal Administration being London from a mercantile point of in power in Canada, and to that extent the prospects for the Ontario Govern- as teachers in this city have been comment are much improved; for on this pelled to go to Toronto or Ottawa occasion many Dominion officials who Normal Schools to complete their edu- P. P. A. in the West. acted as the most ardent partisans in cation. When the new school is con-

the contest of 1894 are discreetly quiet. With regard to the education question, it cannot be denied that no out of town, but will be able to pass country in the world has a better educational record than Ontario. This was proved beyond a doubt by the awards and encomiums showered upon our system of education and the management of our schools at the World's Fair, Chicago. The British commissioner at that exhibition put our edumore Ontario educational matters are discussed the brighter will the record of the Administration be shown to be. As to the surplus, it is childish for Mr. Whitney to argue, as he does, that It no longer exists. If the Province did not have a surplus, and economically managed natural resources, the people Advertiser has done nothing of the would today be directly assessed in or-kind. It recognizes that Mr. Adam

ment in aid of education, of hospitals. of local administration of justice, of agriculture, of free libraries, of benevolent institutions, might be provided. Through the interest derived from our invested surplus and our carefully husbanded Provincial resources, the Government of Ontario is also able to maintain, without any assistance from the municipalities, as in other provinces, states and countries, such institutions as the asylums for the insane, the deaf and dumb, the blind, and the reformation of criminals. When even such a strong

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South Middlesex.

ion) will be held in the Town Hall, rents of Sir Charles Tupper. The rup-Delaware, on Friday, Feb. 18. Mr. ture was emphasized by the scene McGugan, M.P., and others will be which took place in Parliament on present and deliver addresses.

Advantages of Erecting the New

Normal School in London. We have already proved that Conservative leaders in the Legislature took strong grounds in the recent session against the establishment of the new normal school in this city. All the leading Conservative journals have -also, within the last few weeks, maintained that the school ought not to be erected. There is good reason for the belief, indeed, that a studied opposition to the erection of the school here has been entered on, in order, if possible, to bring the Minister of Education and his colleagues into disfavor in rival cities and towns, which have been contending that the new Government building should be set up and conducted in the midst of them and not in this educational center.

Under the circumstances, one would think that every Londoner would unite in combatting these Opposition antagonists of the interests of this fair city. We regret to say that foolish and untruthful arguments regarding the new institution are not confined to outsiders. They are retailed by Opposition politicians in London, with the object of misleading the electorate, and minimizing the importance of the establishment of the normal school here. It is not denied that when the building of the school is proceeded with, as is the intention of the Government, immediately after the frost is out of the ground this spring-money for the brickwork having already been votedmany city workmen will find employment. The structure and its furnishishings will cost from \$100,000 to \$150,-000, and this money will all be spent

But it is represented by opponents of the Government, in their attempt to injure the candidate supporting the administration, that after the school is completed, the city taxpayers will have to pay the expense of running it. This is untrue. The taxpayers of London will no more have to pay the expense of conducting the new normal school than they have to pay the expenses of the asylum for the insane. The normal school will be an entirely don. It will have a staff of from 25 to 30 teachers and officers. In pay-In an address at Toronto last night, ment of their salaries and in the ex- ing the lines which led them to defeat the Opposition leader said three things pense of management, the Ontario Government will expend in the city leaders. It needs an explicit definition of the this is only one of the advantages to past, and as opponents of the Govern-Let us tell Mr. Whitney that the suc- ment are quite contented that they view. Hitherto those seeking to qualify structed these young men and women will not be put to the expense of going their examinations here.

Whether from the point of view of educational prestige or of financial advantage to the people of London, the new normal school will be of decided advantage to this city, and as such ought to be gladly welcomed by everyone. The Government has done a good

Col. Leys' motto is "London First."

Our contemporary, the London Free Press, very unfairly charges that The Advertiser has sneered at Mr. Adam Beck, Opposition candidate in London, der that the large sum now annually Beck has a legal right to own fast horses, and to send them to the race tracks, or anywhere else. That is the business of Mr. Beck, with which we have no desire to interfere. The simulated indignation of our city contemporary is therefore absurd.

A Remarkable Spectacle. According to Mr. Whitney, the Opposition were never more united than now, and they are going to do things most wonderful when they meet Premier Hardy and his friends in the Conservative journal as the Montreal country. One of the most convincing Star points to the management of the proofs of the falsity of the premises affairs of this Province as a model for from which the Opposition leader the dister Province of Quebec to copy reasons is found in the extraordithe difficulty of seriously assailing the nary condition of affairs that exists record of the Ministers is made evi- in his party at the present time. We have Sir Charles Tupper denouncing Premier Laurier for accepting the decoration of the Legion of Honor from the French Government, in token of his efforts to promote the welfare of the two races on this continent. Sir Charles no doubt knew that Sir Adolphe Chapleau, the Quebec Conservative leader, received a similar decoration in 1882, while a member of the Macdonald Government. It is now assolely that he might hit at Sir Adolphe, as he is now engaged in a feud with him. Coming to Ontario, we find the Conservatives divided into two camps, The annual meeting of the South | those marshaled by Mr. Clarke Waleral Association (Domin- lace and Mr. McLean, and the adhe-Friday night, when Sir Charles Tup- BABY HUMORS Itching and scaly, instantly re-

per, resenting the attack made on him for praising the Government all-Canadian Yukon route, and its policy of promoting the scheme, denounced Mr. McLean, M.P., editor of the Toronto World, as a slanderer. The fol-

lowing is a fair specimen of the conciliatory language used by the Opposition leader:

"I refer to the World newspaper, of Toronto, and I characterize that as the most cowardly attempt to slander the character of a public man I have ever met since I have been in public life. If the Toronto World had the courage or manliness, instead of dealing with malicious and lying innuendoes, to make a statement for which it could be held responsible, I could forgive them, because I would suppose that, believing they had good ground for the statement they made, they felt warranted in the public interest in making it. I say that no personal attack can be made on the character of a member of this House worse than to charge him with being conjointly concerned in any contract given by the

As a retorter, Mr. McLean was equally frank in dealing with the eccentricities of his nominal leader. He

"Mr. Speaker, I think I owe it to myself and the newspaper with which I am connected that I should make some reference to the statements made here tonight by the honorable leader of the Opposition. That honorable gentleman has referred to sianderous statements. I can only say this, that we have had on the floor of this House tonight, in connection with the Governor-General, something that is slanderous, something that is discreditable to the honorable gentleman who vilified the Governor-General as he did tonight. This is not the first occasion on which that honorable gentleman has been criticised by newspapers. If I can gather anything from his speech tonight, he is saying something against the World, and in favor of a newspaper which dubbed him 'a political cracksman.'

In view of the internecine quarreling now in progress in the Conservative ranks, one is not astonished to find the following frank avowal credited to one of the old guard, who is disgusted with

the prospects: "I don't say whether it would or would not be a good thing for the party if Sir Charles Tupper were deposed, but I know one thing well enough, and that is that the Conservative party seems to need another sound trouncing to put it on its legs again, to restore to it some of its old-time The disaster of '96 should have been sufficient to have opened its eyes to its necessities, but the leaders are still at their old tricks, still followtwo years ago. The party needs new leaders. It needs a new organization. and I don't see how this can be done without some such big popular moveconvention in 1893. But, however it is confidence of the people.'

Nor is the outlook for the Opposition in the Ontario elections one whit more reassuring, whistle ever so loudly and desperately as Mr. Whitney may be cleave to the theory that it is time to Electors" in every section of the Province where such a course would be effective in stirring up sectarian opposition to the present Government. But while that is the view of a portion of the Opposition, we find Mr. Marter, one of the Conservative leaders, dispatched to this city to reorganize the

It is all very interesting and instruc-

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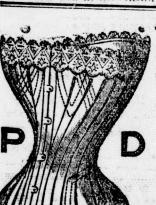
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# Commercial,

Local market.
[Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.]
London, Tuesday, Jan. 8.
Wheat, white fall, per bu 84c to 861/2c
Wheat, red fall, per bu84c to 861/20
Wheat, spring, per bu84c to 861/2c
Oats, per bu29c to 301/2c
Peas, per bu
Corn, per bu34c to 36c
Barley, per bu331/2c to 331/2c
Rye, per bu33½c to 36½c
Buckwheat, per bu36c to 38½c
Beans, per bu

Wheat opened and closed at \$1 40 to \$1 43 for the best; most sales at \$1 40 to \$1 43. Oats were active, at 88c, with odd lots at 90c. One lot of poor Can-adian corn brought 75c. Buckwheat sold at 80c. Beans quiet; 50c to 55c for picked. Butter steady, at 17c to 18c

pounds; receipts fair. Eggs quiet; 16c to 18c for new-laid; demand steady; offerings heavier. Turkeys, 9c to 10c per Ib.

Meats steady and unchanged. Dressed hogs slow, at \$6 to \$6 50. Potatoes quiet, at 75c to 85c a bag. Turnips, 25c to 35c a bag. Onions, \$1 Hay slow, at \$5 50 to \$7; receipts good. Quotations:

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Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs	1 49	10	1 43
Wheat spring, per 100 lbs	1 40	10	1 43
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Corn. per 100 lbs	60	to	70
Barley, per 100 lbs	70	to	70
Rye, per 100 lts	60	to	65
Heans, per bu	30	to	60
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	75	to	80
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Cheese, per lb., wholesale	7	to	10
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Eggs, single dozen	20	to	20
Eggs, fresh basket, per doz	16	to	18
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Dutter, per lb., tubs or firking	14	to	White Cold
Lard, per lb	7	to	
Chickens, per pair,	40		
Ducks, per pair	60	to	1
Turkeys, per lb		to	7
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Sows, per 100 lbs... Chickens, per pair. HAY AND SEED. Hay, per ton..... Etraw. per 10ad ... elery, per doz, bunches..... Carrots. per bushel..... Paranips, bu.....

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The Oil Market. PETROLIA, Feb. 8. -Oli opened and closed

St. Thomas Market. St. Thomas, Feb. 7.-Wheat, per bu, 85c to 86c; oats, per bu, 23c to 24c; peas, per bu, 45c to 50c; barley, per peas, per bu, 45c to 50c; barie bu, 40c; corn, per bu, 35c to 40c.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—No. 2 Feb., 98c; May, 94fc; July, 84fc. Corn—No. 2 Feb., 27fc; May, 19fc; July, 85fc. Corn—No. 2 Feb., 27fc; May, 19fc; July, 23fc. Mess pork—May, 2 May, 24fc; July, 23fc. Mess pork—May, \$10 40; July, \$10 47j. Lard—May, \$5 22f. July, \$5 20. Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 91c to 93c; No. 3 white, 93c to 91c; No. 2 red, 98c to 98fc; No. 2 corn. 27fc; No. 2 yellow, 27fc; No. 2 oats, 24fc to 34fc; No. 2 barley, f. o. b., 28fc to 29c; No. 2 rye, 47fc; No. 2 barley, f. o. b., 28fc to 29c; No. 2 rye, 47fc; No. 2 barley, f. o. b., 28fc to 29c; No. 2 rye, 47fc; No. 2 barley, f. o. b., 28fc to 32c; No. 1 flax seed. \$1 25f; prime timothy seed, \$2 80 to \$2 82f; mess pork, \$10 30 to \$10 35; lard, \$4 92fc to \$4 95; short rib sides, \$4 90 to \$5 25; salted shoulders, 4fc to 5c; short clear sides, \$5 25 to \$4 95; short rib sides, \$4 90 to \$5 25; salted shoulders, 4fc to 5c; short clear sides, \$5 25 to \$4 95; short rib sides, \$4 90 to \$5 25; salted shoulders, 4fc to 5c; short clear sides, \$5 25 to \$4 95; short rib sides, \$4 90 to \$5 25; salted shoulders, 4fc to 5c; short clear sides, \$5 25 to \$4 95; short rib sides, \$4 90 to \$5 25; salted shoulders, 4fc to 5c; short clear sides, \$5 25 to \$4 95; short rib sides, \$4 90 to \$5 25; salted shoulders, 4fc to 5c; short clear sides, \$5 25 to \$4 95; short rib sides, \$5 25 to \$4 95; short ri American Markets.

to \$5 35: sugar, unchanged; eggs, steady; Receipts -Shipments-Flour ..... 6 000 Wheat ..... 34,000

English Markets. RULING PRICES FOR THE PAST FOUR The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest

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Pork - Prime mess, fine western, 47s 6d.

Hasen - Cumberland out, firm, 30s; iong elear
heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, 29s 6d; short clear backs, 16
to 18 lbs, 28s 6d; long clear light, 36 to 36 lbs, 29s;
short rib, firm, 29s 6d; clear bellies, firm, 32s 6d,
Hams - Steady, short cut, 36s.
Lard - firm; Yenne western - 46s. Lard-firm; Frame western, 26s.
Butter-finest United States 84s; good 60z.
Oheese-American finest white and colores.

Tallow-Fine, American, city, 19s. Turpentine-Spirits, 248 6d. Rosin, common—4s 14d. Petroleum—Refined, 52d. Linseed oil—15s 2d.

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P. O. BOX 807 - - MONTREAL THE VISIBLE.

New York, Feb. 7.—The statement of the visible supply of grain in store and afloat, Saturday, Feb. 5, as compiled by the New York Produce Exchange, is as follows: Wheat, 36,022,000 bu; decreased 580,000. Corn—39,505,000 bu; decreased 1,076,000. Oats-14,766,000 bu; decreased 346,000. Rye-3,596,000; decreased 244,000. Barley-2,673,000; decreased 355,000.

Dairy Markets. MONTREAL, Feb. 7.—Cheese, 8c to 9c. Butter—Townships, 16c to 18c;

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.-Butter firm; western creamery, 14½c to 20c; do, factory, 11c to 14c; Elgins, 20c; imitation creamery, 13c to 17c; state dairy, 13c to 18c; do, creamery, 14c to 19c. Cheese dull; large white, Sept., 8½c; small do, 9c to 9½c; large colored, Sept., 8½c; small do, 9c to 9½c; large, Oct. 8c to 8½c; small Oct. 8½c; to 8½c; small oct. 8½c; to 8½c; small oct. 8½c; to 8½c Oct., 8c to 8¼c; small, Oct., 8½c to 8½c; light skims, 6c to 6½c; part skims, 4c to 5½c; full skims, 2c to 3c. CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Butter—Market firm; creamery, 13c to 19½c; dairies, 11c to 17c. Cheese quiet, at 8c to 8½c.

Live Stock Markets MONTREAL, Feb. 7.—There were about 475 head of butchers' cattle, 15 calves and 20 sheep and lambs offered for sale today; the butchers were out in large numbers, and trade was good, with prices about the same as on last Thursday; prime beeves sold at from 41/4c to nearly 41/4c per lb; pretty good stock at from 31/4c to 4c, and the common dry cows at from 21/4c to 31/4c. Young calves sold at from \$2 50 to \$6; an extra calf was bought by Mr. Leveque for \$11; he also bought five good lambs at 5c per lb. Sheep sold at 3½c per lb. Fat hogs are rather dull of sale, and prices are lower, from 51/4c to 5%c per lb.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.-Beeves-Receipts, 2,745 head; 36 cars on sale; slow; steers, oxen and bulls steady; dry cows easier; native steers, \$4 40 to \$5 25. kets, 1, 167 head; 997 on sale; slow; Veals, ½c lower; other calves, ¼c off; his peroration and the sequel to it. per lb. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, per lb. Hogs-Receipts, two days, 11,-912 head; firm, at \$4 20 to \$4 45.

EAST BUFFALO, Feb. 7.—Cattle— Receipts, 125 cars, including 12 cars of to 15c higher; prime to extra steers, \$5 10 to \$5 25; good to choice shipping steers, \$4.70 to \$4.90; fat steers, \$4.50 to \$4 60; green steers, \$3 75 to \$4 35; light steers, \$4 25 to \$4 40; choice fat heifers, \$4 35 to \$4 60; mixed butchers' stock, \$3 65 to \$4 10; good fat cows, \$3 50 to \$2 85. Hogs-Receipts, 105 cars; good demand, and prices steady to shade higher; good to choice Yorkers, \$4 20; light Yorkers, \$4 20; mixed packers' grades, \$4 20 to \$4 22; heavy hogs, \$4 25; roughs, \$3 50 to \$3 70; stags, \$2 75 to \$3 15; pigs, \$3 25 to \$4. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 85 cars; fairly good demand for both kinds at steady prices; native lambs, choice to extra, \$5 75 to \$5 85; fair to good, \$5 40 to \$5 70; culls, \$4 75 to \$5 25; yearlings, common to choice, \$4 85 to \$5 20; sheep, choice to selected wethers, \$4 75 to \$4 90; mixed sheep, \$4 40 to \$4 70; culls, \$3 to \$3 90.

How to Cure All Skin Disease Simply apply Swayne's Ointment. No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, while and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. ASK your druggist for Swayne's Ointnient. Lyman, Sons & Co., Montreal,

wholesale agents. Avoid substitutes. A pen carrying a small electric lamp to prevent shadows when writing has been patented in Germany.

A DINNER PILL.-Many persons suffer excruciating agony after partaking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a

and was given up by physicians. neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I 

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late. Places of registration open in every ward, as stated elsewhere, till 9 o'clock tonight, and

# Parliament.

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A Four Hours' Speech by Hon. Geo E. Foster.

Sir Richard Cartwright's Apt Reply -The Junior Tupper Also Attacks the Governor-General. Ottawa, Feb. 8.-Shortly after the house opened yesterday, Mr. Davin ask-

ed for information regarding the destitute condition of the Galicians at Mr. Sifton said the immigration commissioner at Winnipeg was investigat-

Mr. Sifton informed Mr. Foster that the question of American soldiers without arms being permitted to pass through Canadian territory had been the subject of communication between the two governments.

Charles Tupper at long-winded oratory in the afternoon. Mr. Foster spoke for nearly four hours on the address, and ran the whole gamut of Dominion issues, some of which are so threadbare as to be almost devoid of interest. His reference to the Yukon Railway contract was so brief and general as to give but a faint idea of his views upon this now burning question, but in the absence of the papers he may be pardoned if he but alluded to the matter and qualified his utterances by the statement that the information to be brought down might cause him to change his views. On the face of it, he condemned the scheme, but he reserved the right to revise his opinion. He was silent as to the authorship of the letter in the Citizen signed "Onlooker," which rumor imputes to his pen, and which strongly condemned the project which Sir Charles Tupper approves. Sir Richard Cartwright followed Mr. Foster in a speech which, though encompassed in narrow limits as to the time its delivery occupied, met the issues raised most effectively. He banteringly referred to the family dissensions in the Conservative party, as easier; native steers, \$4 40 to \$5 25. Calves—Receipts, two days, two mar-leafs 1 167 head: 997 on sale; slow:

veals, \$5 to \$8 50; grassers, \$3 50 to \$4; Then he thought Mr. Foster rather city dressed veals, slow, at 11c to 12½c gave himself away in the matter of gave himself away in the matter of the authorship of the "Onlooker" artwo days, two markets, 10,421 head; 393 ticles in the Citizen. There was a rumor sheep steady; lambs mor that Mr. Foster was conspiring to don, and bound him down to support the lambs, \$5 50 to \$6 20; dressed mutton, 7c but he would warn the honorable gento 8c per lb; dressed lamb, 71/2c to 91/2c tleman that it would prove a "barren victory." Moreover, he could say of Sir Charles that "Tho' old, he's a tartar, and not inclined to be a martyr." Continuing, Sir Richard pointed out Canadian stock; fairly good demand that the new tariff only came into effect for all desirable kinds, and prices 10c at the end of the tenth month of the fiscal year 1897, so it was unfair to say, as Mr. Foster had done, that it had reduced the year's imports from Great Britain. Sir Richard, in conclusion, pointed out that the government had already been able to reduce expenditure on the

postoffice, hoped to be able to make the Intercolonial Railway pay; would reduce the interest on the public debt; endeavor to increase the population, and in these ways hoped to be able to reduce the burdens of the people. Sir Hibbert Tupper discussed the Yukon question and criticised what he termed the "grave constitutional mistakes" of the governor-general. He said he would like to ask if, when Lord Aberdeen discussed at Toronto the subject of preferential trade, he was speaking the voice of the government, and he wanted to know where the governor-general stood in regard to his

A ruling of some importance was given by Mr. Speaker Edgar. The premier had stated that Lord Aberdeen had spoken at the National Club in Toronto on the question of preferential trade, not as the governor-general, but in his private capacity. It was held that the public acts of the governorgeneral might be discussed in the house where there were ministers to answer for him. As to his private acts and speeches, the speaker said that the greatest possible respect should be shown to his position, and his name should be brought in as little as pos-

NOTES. A dispatch from Quebec says that it is rumored that a cable has just been received there that the Messrs. Petersen have succeeded in their negotiations, assuring the success of the fast Atlantic steamships. A Conservative caucus is called for

In the senate yesterday, the new Liberal senator, Mr. Fiset, was introduced by Messrs. Scott and Mills. Mr. King, of New Brunswick, moved the address, Mr. Dandurand seconded, and on motion of Sir M. Bowell, the debate was adjourned.

### LOBO LOOTERS

Raid Ben Harrison's Farm and Carry Away Poultry and Two Guns.

Benjamin Harrison, of lot 12, con. 2, Lobo, reported to the county police officials this morning that his place was visited by thieves on Friday night last talk of nothing else. If it had taken just before the snow fell. The robbers made quite a haul, taking two ducks, about 20 chickens, a lantern and two terposition of Providence. It is the guns from a shed in the rear of the ouse. One of the guns was an old Zulu rifle, and a relic of the American war. The other was an old Indian shotgun. The police are of the opinion that the chickens and ducks provided Sunday dinners for a few people, as it i altogether likely the fowls were killed and plucked on the same night, and cold on the London market Saturday.

Does Your Food Do You Good? If you have dyspepsia your food cannot do all the good it should. B. B. B. cures dyspepsia and regulates stomach, so that every grain of nutri-ment is extracted from the food. Solid facts count. Miss Mary Rose Belli-veau, Church Point, N. S., says: "Burdock Blood Bitters made a complete bills. cure in my case after I had suffered worse, for two years from dyspepsia. I be-lieve it cannot fail to cure."

In a duel near Sexton, Kossuth county, Iowa, between Albert Rahm and Dres Wheat-Spot arm; No. 1 Cal., 7s 11d to 8st pany's ad., 6th page, tomorrow. What company's ad., 6th page, tomorrow.

# The General Elections

Another Strong Liberal Candidate in Toronto.

Dr. McLeay, of Watford, Comes Out on His Own Account for East Lambton.

WAS IT TIME FOR A CHANGE? The other day a well-known dairy-man was asked by a prominent Lib-

"Well, John, you are around a great deal; how are politics this time?" "Sir, my opinion is that the Tory candidate is going to win in our riding for once.

"Yes; what is the reason for that?"
"Well, sir, you see, it seems that it is time for a change." "That's so, John; I am of your opinion. You have served my household with supplies for nearly twenty years. I have always been satisfied with you. Your milk and cream have been firstclass, but, don't you know, I think it is time for a change. I don't see why I should buy from you for a lifetime. I mean to follow your lead and make a change."

John gave a ghastly smile, and said: "By thunder, sir, that was straight from the shoulder. It never struck me that way. I thought politics were different from business. You have given me something to think over, and I am obliged to you.-[Toronto Globe. FAIR PLAY FOR ALL.

The Toronto Globe recently congratulated the province on the fact that the Mr. Foster attempted to beat Sir elections would be fair and would be held with fresh and accurate lists. On this the Winnipeg Free Press remarks: "The Globe does not claim too much in the foregoing; nothing is overstated.
The people have every confidence that
there will be an absolutely honest election. No tricks have been attempted in connection with the voters' lists; leaders of the opposition have known All of the period of the elections as certainly and definitely as the leaders of All the government, until it came to the naming of the very day. No advantage, therefore, has been taken or sought to be taken through that most unfair device of an election suddenly sprung upon a party unprepared for it. There are honest lists; the Conservatives have had the same opportunity to organize as the Liberals; there is nothing to complain of, and if they do not win it will be because a majority are honestly opposed to their principles, not because they have been tricked or defrauded or in any manner treated unfairly." The Free Press says that this is as it should be. British fair play ought always to be the first consideration.

THE SITUATION IN LAMBTON. Watford, Feb. 8.-The Conservative managers at their meeting in London, got Mr. Willoughby to withdraw, and resolved to have the full force of the Conservative organization in East Lambton thrown to Mr. McCallum, the independent P. P. A. candidate. Mr. Conservatives in the new legislature. Today, however, Dr. McLeay, of this place, a prominent Conservative, comes out as a candidate on his own account, and thus there are likely to be three candidates in this riding. WEST TORONTO.

The second of the Toronto constituencies to come into line is the west riding, which at a harmonious and enthusiastic convention last night, placed in the field Dr. James Spence, a prominent West End Liberal, who has long been an active worker in the cause of reform. There were not wanting competitors for the honor of endeavoring to redeem the constituency, but Dr. Spence secured it on the first ballot.

NOTES OF THE CAMPAIGN. Tonight the South Toronto Liberal convention comes off. The Conservative leader addressed a meeting in Toronto last evening, as did also his lieutenants, Col. Matheson and Mr. O. A. Howland, and the four city Conservative candidates. The Pavilion was comfortably filled by the followers of Mr. Whitney. Premier Hardy will speak next week t Clinton on Monday; Exeter, Tuesday; Mount Forest, Wednesday, and Orillia, Thursday. South Waterloo Conservatives have nominated Mr. W. A. Kirbs, of Hes-

Charles Marcil, the well-known Montreal journalist, will address meetings in Essex and Kent this week on be half of the Hardy Administration. Mr. Marcil will be remembered as the brilliant young French-Canadian who came so near defeating ex-Premier Flynn in the Quebec provincial elec-

Mr. Alex. Lumsden, a prominent lumberman of the Ottawa Valley, has consented to allow his name to go before the Liberal convention for one of the Ottawa seats tomorrow night. He is an exceedingly strong candidate.

the Miraculous Recovery of Driver George Dougherty.

He Lay in Bed for a Year—Bright's Disease and Dropsy Were Killing Him-Doctors Said He Must Die-But Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Him.

Ridgetown, Feb. 7.—The most amazing case that has ever startled the residents of this town occurred recently, place in our grandfathers' time, it would have been attributed to the direct insaving of a life, that the most skillful doctors admitted they could not save; of a man who was nearer to his death than if he had been tossing among the seething waters of the whirlpool at Niagara.

George Dougherty, a driver for the American Express Company here, lay dying. He had Bright's Disease and Dropsy. He had lain in bed for twelve months. Three local doctors attended him. They could give him no relief. Outside physicians were called in. Their skill failed. Many remedies were used, but in vain. Words cannot paint the sufferings of the patient. Everyone said he must die. He wished for death to end his

spent for medicines and in doctors' bills. But the disease grew worse and One day M. H. Dougherty, father of the sick man, heard of the cures effected by Dodd's Kidney Pills in

agony. Hundreds of dollars were



WEATHER PROBS: Fair and mild.

Our Sale of Silks has been a decided success, so much so that have sold out a number of lines. We have added other lines to take their places on the Bargain Tables-lines that at first we couldn't see our way clear to sell at the price. But they'll go with the rest now.

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Cream Bengaline, former price 371c, sale price .... .. 25c Cream Brocades, former price, 50c and 60c, sale price. 39c White Brocades, former price 50c, sale price......390 Cream Crepe de Chene, former price 60c, sale price . 390 Black Embossed Grenadines, former price 50c, sale

price......25c Black Surah, former price 50c, sale price......39c Black Peau de Soie, former price \$1, sale price ..... 890

Small Checks, in green and black, cerise and green, former price 400, sale price. 290 Small Taffetta Checks, in green and white, turquoise and white, cardinal and white, royal purple and white, former price 65c, sale price...... 49c

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open-mouthed at him as he passes. Is there any wonder? Dodd's Kidney Pills have cured thousands of cases of Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Dropsy, Diseases of Women, Lumbago, Rheumatism, and all other forms of Kidney Disease. All druggists sell them at 50 cents a box; six boxes, \$250, or they will be sent on receipt of price by The Dodds Medicine Company (Limited), Toronto, Ont.

### MIDDLESEX.

Glencoe Liberals have secured committee rooms in the Howard building.
Miss Emma Cooper, of Melbourne, has arrived home after a prolonged stay in Syracuse, N. Y. Married, at Melbourne, on Jan. 26, at Cheese and Butter Company to manufacture butter in their factory during the coming season instead of cheese.

The machinery will be moved from Mildmay, a supply of ice secured, and all necessary preparations made before the season opens. Cream wagons will run through Curloss, Carrick, Howick and Turnberry. The sale of the old brick church on con. 5, Westminster, on Friday, was well attended, and the proceeds amounted to \$170. The contract of taking down the walls was let to

Messrs. Fred Traver and Wallace A. Dumaw for \$18 50. The brick will be used in the new parsonage to be built in Belmont in their near future.

LAMBETH. Lambeth, Feb. 8.-Mr. Thomas Brown has returned from British Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thornicroft drove yesterday to Wanstead to visit their Miss Edith Ryckman spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Sadler.
Miss Stella Mann, York street, and Miss Hattie Bryant, Bruce street, spent Sunday at their old homes. Mr. Gordon, of the city, called on Master J. Lewis Eyer Sunday evening. The funeral of Mr. Thomas Jackson, which took place Sunday afternoon, was largely attended by friends from London, St. Thomas and this neighborhood.

Mr. Norman Bogue is furthering his education by taking music lessons from Mrs. Quance.
Mr. and Mrs. Hicks will return today from Watford, where they have been visiting Mr. Hicks' brother. Mr. Cy Dresser is doing woodwork for Mr. S. T. Piper. The annual meeting of the Westminster Fire Insurance Company, held yesterday, was well attended, when Mr. R. S. Nichol was re-elected director and Mr. Daniel McPherson was elected in place of Mr. R. G. Rose.

GETS A NEW TRIAL.

Hammond, Found Guilty of Murder ing His Wife at Bracebridge, Given a New Trial.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, Feb. 8.-In the high court today, the young man Hammond, found guilty of murdering his wife at Bracebridge, was given a new trial. Chancellor Boyd and Mr. Justice Robertson agreed to this. Mr. Justice Meredith dissented.

FAGGED OUT .- None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure — one box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's Pills.

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L VANCOUVER is the best outfitting point on the coast, goods being considerably cheaper than in the United States.

2. VANCOUVER is the nearest port of departure to the Yukon district.

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4. All northbound steamers call at VAN.

COUVER.

5. Direct steamers to Yukon.

Ask your grocer for endsor Herman Necker, both men or eshot, Necker through the abdrogen and Rahm in the region of the book. Both are in a precarious condition. They quarreled over a woman.

Dresden. He bought a box. George began using them. To the amazement of all he began to mend. Box after box was used till he had taken nineteen. Now he is doing his work as if he had never been ill. People stare

### SPECIAL NOTICES.

Skates Hollow \_round. For 10c at Perry David's repair shop, 569 Richmond street.

The Klondike Exploration Company "Have no promoters' shares. Every person pays the same price-25 cents. Will have a Dominion charter, and is the best profit-sharing plan for investors and men joining our party, without exception. Write or call for prospectus. John A. Moody, broker, London, Ont.

Feather and down cusnions, 50 cents each. Large stock of goose feather the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert McLean, Mattie, to Dr. Woods, Michigan.

The parameters of the bride's parents, ers, bedroom suites. Stoves bought and sold at the Feather Bed and Mattress Cleaning Factory. James The Polymond Street. F. Hunt & Sons, 593 Richmond street

north. Telephone 997. A storm and screen door, \$2 25. One door does for both a screen and storm door; by merely removing a few screws the panels come out, and you have a screen door; put in the panels and you have a storm door. Made of ash and nicely oiled. BOWMAN & CO., coal dealers. Clarence and Bathurst streets.

Did you ever try Trafford's when in need of any ordered work or repairing of furniture? He has professional workmen, and guarantees the best and cheapest work. Try 95 and 97 King street.

The Wabash Railroad

If you are contemplating a trip to the Klondike or any point in Alaska, please consider the merits of the great Wabash Railway. The short and true route via Detroit and Chicago, to all the gold fields of the far north. The Wabash with the superb and magnificent train service is now acknowledged to be the most perfect railway system in America. Ail trains run solid from Buffalo to Chicago, passing through St. Catharines, Hamilton, Woodstock, London and Chatham. Detailed information will be furnished by any railroad agent, or J. A. RICHARDSON, Canadian Passenger Agent.

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That Affliction-Catarrh.

Endured by so many, can be surely cured by Trask's Magnetic Ointment. No one should suffer from that loathsome disease—stop it at once by using this certain remedy. 25c a bottle at any druggist's.

Tennyson is said to have received \$60,000 a year from the Macmillans during the last years of his life. TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets, Al. druggists refund the money if it fails to cure

Fewer French ships pass through the Suez Canal than German, Italian or

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W. GODFREY. President, Board of Trade, Vancouver, B. C.

Montreal Stock Market.

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Ontario Loan and Debenture. SALES—1 p.m.—Imperial, 50, 10, 9 at 1993, 6 at 194; West. Assurance, 50 at 1667; Huron & Erie, 5 at 167. 11:30 a.m.—12 at 1262; Mentreal Gas. 25. 25 at 1973; 25, 25, 25, 25, 25 at 89, 25, 25 at 883; Cable Com., 25, 26 at 1873.

### COMMERCIAL

Toronto Produce Market, Toronto, Feb. 8.-Wheat-The offermgs are larger, there is a moderate demand only, and prices are steady; white sold west at 84½c, and red winter as quoted at 85c to 85%c; Manitoba wheat is easy, at \$106 for No. 1 hard at North Bay; No. 2 hard sold, grinding in transit, and No. 1 hard is quoted at \$1 02. Flour—The market is quiet and easy; cars of straight roller at \$410 west. Millfeed—In good demand and firm, at \$11 50 to \$12 for shorts, and \$10 to \$11 for bran west. Barley—In fair demand and steady, at 38c for No. 2, 33c for No. 3 extra, and 29c to 30c for feed outside. Buckwheat and rye un-changed. Corn-Steady, at 29c to 30c for Canada yellow west. Oats-Firm, at 28c for white, 27c for mixed west, nd 271/2c for white. Peas-Steady, at 53c and 54c north and west. Baled hay and street unchanged. Butter-Firm; supply steady; large rolls, 14½c to 15½c. Eggs-Rather easier on large receipts of new-laid, which are quoted at 17c to 20c; late-gathered, 16c, and lim-

English Markets. Wheat — Spot, firm; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 10id; spot No. 1 red northern spring, is 11d. Oorn-Spot quiet and unchanged; American

Corn—Spot quiet and unchanged; American mixed, new, quiet, 3s 5d; do old, quiet, 3s 41d; futures steady; Feb., 3s 3kd; March, 3s 2kd. Flour—St. Louis fancy winter firm, 9s 9d. Beef—Firm, extra India mess, 66s 3d; prime mess, firm, 56s 8d.

Pork — Firm; Prime mess, fine western ulders-Bouare 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 265 6d. Shoulders—Square 12 to 14 lbs, urin, 105 to Lard—Prime western, easy, 25s 9d.
Butter—Finest American, 22s; good, 60s.

Butter-Filest American, 328; good, 608.

Rosin-Common, steady, 48 14d.

Chesse-American finest white, steady, 41s; olored, steady, 41s.

Tallow-Prime city, firm, 19s. Cottonseed oit—Liverpool refined, duff; 16s.
Turpentine spirits—Firm, 24s 3d.
Hops—At London (Pacific coast), firm as

Chicago Exchange. Foliowing are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler Broker, Masonio Temple, 'Phone 1.278. CHICAGO, Feb. 8.

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DETROIT, Feb. 8.—Wheat. No. 1 white, of shipping to Europe. The cost in Honduras is 2½ cents a pound, and only the cost of shipment by water is to be added. The projectors of the MILWAUKEE, Feb. 8.—Wheat, cash, 95c;

NEW YORK, Feb. 8-Noon.-Flour-Receipts. 16,155 bbls; sales, 2,800 pkgs; state quiet and steady; city mills, patints, \$5 60 to \$5, 90. Rye flour steady Wheat-Receipts, 51,800 bu; sales, 890,000 au; options quiet, but firm on steady man Whirled Around a Shaft 480 Times a Minute eb., \$1 00% to \$1 01%; March, \$1 00% \$1 01%: May, 95%c to 96 5-16c; July, to 88 13-16c. Rye irregular; No. 2 stern, 55c. f. o. b., afloat, New York rn-Receipts, 14,625 bu; sales, 30,000 options firm on a continued good head striking the floor and a brick ter receipts; May, 341/sc. Oats-Re-

8,322 pkgs; steady; state and Pennsylvania, 17c; western, 15c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 35c; refined firm. Tallow dull. Hops quiet, but firm. Lead steady; bullion price, \$3 45; exchange price, \$3 621/2 to \$3 671/2.

Live Stock Market CHICAGO, Feb. 3.-Hogs-Receipts, CHICAGO, Feb. 8.—Hogs—Receipts, 35,000; left over, 4,000; rather slow; 5c to 7½c lower; light, \$3 70 to \$3 90; mixed, \$3 75 to \$3 95; heavy, \$3 70 to \$3 95; rough, \$3 70 to \$3 80. Cattle—Receipts, 3,500; steady; beeves, \$3 85 to \$5 30; cows and heifers, \$2 10 to \$4 40; Texas steers, \$3 50 to \$4 25; stockers and feeders, \$3 36 to \$4 40. Sheep—Refeeders, \$3 36 to \$4 40. Sheep-Receipts, 10,000; steady at yesterday's de-

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Dashed Over the Embankment.

Fatal Accident on the Interco. lonial Railway.

Engineer Crushed to Death-Fireman Badly Injured-Narrow Escape of the Passengers.

[G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser.] Moncton, N. B., Feb. 8.-The Quebec express, bound east, due at Halifax at noon, was wrecked at 2:30 this morning near Beresford Siding, a quarter of a mile this side of Petit Roche. William Bastin, driver, of Campbellton, was killed. James Haines, fireman, of Moncton, seriously injured; is not expected to live. Five passenger cars were wrecked,

but no passengers, so far as learned, were injured. As the train passed Beresford Siding, a quarter of a mile this side of Petit Roche, a broken rail derailed the locohigh embankment. The locomotive dashed over the slope, turning completely over. The unfortunate driver was beneath, and was instantly crush-Haines was also thrown out, and af-

terwards found severely injured and crushed about the legs and lower part of the body. He will probably recover. Bastin leaves a widow and young The locomotive, it is believed, broke away from the five cars. The latter did not go over the embankment, but jumped the rails and ran along the roadbed for some distance. This alone accounts for the fortunate escape of

CURLING.

Detroit curlers defeated the Windsor players in an interesting game at Windsor curling rink Monday night. Four rinks were played. Score: Windsor 31, Detroit 68.

Steamship Arrivals.

Lake Ontario, at Liverpool, from Hali-Turanian, at Liverpool, from New Pork — Firm; Prime mess, fine western 47s 6d; do. medium, western, 45s.

Rams—Short cut 14 to 16 lbs. steady, 35s 6d.

Baeon—Cumberland cut. firm, 25 to 20 lbs.
Sle; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs. firm, 30s 6d; long clear middles, leavy 40 to 45 lbs. firm, 28s 6d; short clear middles, heavy 45 to 50 lbs.
3d; short clear middles, heavy 45 to 50 lbs.
3d; short clear bellies, 12 to 14 lbs. firm, 25s 6d; short clear bellies, 12 to 14 lbs. firm, 25s 6d.

Prussian, at Glasgow, from Portland.
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4msterdam, at Rotterdam, from New York. Mannheim, at Hamburg, from New Amsterdam, at Rotterdam, from New Sylvania, at Boston, from Liverpool. Mississippi, at New York, from Lon-

Normannia, at New York, from Naples. GOOD SCOOP.

Valuable Concession to a United States

Syndicate. New York, Feb. 8.-The Herald prints this morning the following: One of the largest concessions ever obtained by Americans from a foreign government has fallen into the hands of a syndicate of New York capitalists, who have completed the organization of a company to control the exportation and importation of cattle and live stock of all descriptions from and to the Republic of Honduras. The concession resulted in the formation a few days ago of the Honduras-American Cattle, Aricultural and Coloniza-

tion Company. The company is to be capitalized at \$5,000,000. The exclusive right to establish and operate slaughter houses, refrigerators, canning factories, packing houses and American Markets.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 8.—Spring wheat—
No. 1 hard, \$194; No. 1 northern. \$163;
Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 97c; No. 1 white,
Low, 324c; No. 2 yellow, 324c; No. 3 yellow, 324c; No. 3 corn, 32c
Low, 324c; No. 2 corn. 324c; No. 3 corn, 32c
Low asked. Oats, No. 2 white. 29c; No. 3 white.

To this must be added the cost of railway transportation to the east and of shipping to Europe. The cost in ation on the company's business, prop- city the benefit of his experience. company expect to capture the entire Cuban trade at once, after which they will try to gain the German trade and that of the United States.

HIS BODY STRIPPED.

Times a Minute. Buffalo, Feb. 8.-William Michael, a workman, was caught by a shaft re-volving 180 times a minute in the Pitts agricultural works, and whiried around at lightning speed for an instant, his

wall alternately. ter receipts; May, 5136. Cats—Repts, 36,000 bu; options dull, but and thrown across the room, and his hady was stripped of every portion of ack, white state, 31c to 34½c; body was stripped of every particle of have had to be twice the size to complete and unchanged. Cheese—Receipts, 1,678 pkgs; of them are serious and bruises, none left and unchanged Figure 1. inchanged. Eggs-Receipts. in a few days

LAST NIGHT TO REGISTER.

If you do not register tonight before 9 o'clock you may be without a vote at the general elections, March 1.

The booths remain open in the wards until 9 o'clock tonight, but no longer. Be on time! 

LATEST WEATHER FORECAST. Toronto, Feb. 8-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours: Fair and m ....

LOCAL MENTION. ATTRACTIONS TONIGHT. West London Meth. Church-Concert. Wesley Hall-Musicale. Knox Church, South London-Lecture. Somerset Hall-Reception.

Around the City 

-The men at Wolseley Barracks have decided to hold a dance Feb. 22. -Tonight, at 9 oclock, registration of voters closes. Are you on the list? -At 1 o'clock this afternoon 2,569 voters had registered in the six wards. -Mr. Frank Cooper is able to be in his studio again, after a severe attack of influenza.

-Mrs. Harvey, of this city, will sing at an I. O. F. concert to be held at Aylmer on Thursday evening this week. -Two dogs were killed by the cars yesterday—one at the corner of Stanley street and the Wharncliffe, and the other on Rectory street. -Tonight gives the last opportunity for registration. Every elector should

-Quartermaster-Sergt. Galloway and Pte. Taylor, of Wolseley Barracks, left for Toronto this morning to attend the otherwise. funeral of the late Corp. Dean, of Stanley Barracks. -Robert Hueston took the city hos-

-The Liberal headquarters in the premises formerly used as Priddis Bres.' store are not yet in shape. In the meantime the officials will be found in the Oddfellows' block. -Mrs. J. R. Warner, Rat Portage,

Findlater, Dundas street east. Redmond, of this city, were united in marriage by Rev. Father Tiernan at St. Peter's Cathedral on Feb. 1. The many friends of the newly-wedded couple wish them much joy. -Don't wait to be sent for. Look

is your last chance. Get to your ward polling place before 9 o'clock, or you thaw comes, he says the streets be--Among the guests at the Tecumseh are Engineer Willis Chipman, Toronto; Mr. Andrew Pattullo, Woodstock; Mr. John Pullen, general freight agent, G. T. R., Hamilton; C. P. De Witt,

Grand Rapids, and Dr. Stalker, Ridge--R. Oke, of this city, has returned from the New York poultry show, like this and another to enforce it. It is one thing to have a regulation which was held in Madison Square is not generally known that a bylaw Garden during the past week, where he exists today requiring the occupants was very successful, having won 54 of all stores and houses to keep their

-On Monday evening next a reception will be given the Balmoral Club at Wolseley Barracks by the non-commissioned officers and their friends. A concert will be given in the early part of the evening, to be followed by dancing. The committee in charge of the affair comprises Sergt. Cooper, Corp. Cockburn, Sergt. Dunlevy and Corp. Watson.

1222222222 If you didn't register conay, be sure to register conight. This is the last night.

-The funeral of the late Robert Ferguson took place from his late residence in Lobo yesterday afternoon, and house. Rev. Messrs. Moyer and Mortimer officiated at the house and grave. -Ald. Hunt writes to a friend here from Atlanta, Ga., under date of Feb. 3, in a humorous strain. He says Atlanta is a fine city, but it has one dawback-it has no market, not even a bazar. They intend building one, however, and Ald. Hunt hopes to give them some pointers before he leaves. He says he is getting the garbage system down fine, and hopes to give the -Thirteen cases came up at the sitting of the first division court this morning, two of which were against John Lovell, the absent butcher, of Maitland street. The first was a claim put in by Samuel Dart for \$50, borrowmoney. Out of eight persons against whom garnishees were issued only about \$26 was realized. Charles Coughtrey entered a claim for \$86 for wages and judgment was given for the full amount.

-Wm. Clendenning, Komoka, was before Judge Edward Elliott this morn-He was declared insane and remanded to jail to await removal to the asylum. Two or three times during the night he became exceedingly vio- Hall today. It is understood that the lent, and attempted suicide. He dashmutter is being amicably arranged in ed himself headforemost against the wall, and persisted in rolling off the wall, and persisted in rolling off the bed onto the hard floor. He finally be-came so unmanageable that the har-ness had to be placed on him and he ed down.

—The congregation of the Kilworth Methodist Church held their annual tea-meeting last night. The church was tastefully decorated but would be size to acid.

ample justice had been done the bounteous spread of good things, which the ladies of the church had laid out in the lecture room, a first-class gramme was rendered in the main part of the church. Short addresses were delivered by Rev. Mr. Quance, of Lambeth, Rev. Mr. Reach and Rev. Mr. Mortimer. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Moyer, occupied the chair, and the following talent took part in the programme: Misses McEvoy, McKillop and Langridge, and fessrs. Brown, Dennis and Williams. The Kilworth male quartet, composed of Messrs. Langford, Link, Forsythe and Rev. Mr. Magee, also sang some choice se-

is undoubtedly true. There was somethe scene was so tumultuous that he dithing slipshod in the methods that per- rected the municipal guards to force one sense it is not to be regretted. The move some of the people from the sewerage committee will now have a overcrowded halis. chance of retrieving its good name by confirming the appointment of Messrs. Baker and Buskard as sewer inspectqualify himself to vote. It is his duty of experience should oversee the conors. It is highly important that men testify. Thereupon M. Laborie, counstruction of the remaining portions of the system. The majority of the committee made a bad move when they did

The impression is strong that Ald. pital nurses for a drive this afternoon. spring. His motion last might, urging The party visited the residence of Miss ways and means to provide bicycle Tye's father, where they were enter- paths on the city streets, suggests the is good. There are perhaps more bicycles than horses on the streets of Lon-Ont., who has been visiting relatives in Toronto for the past month, is now on a visit to her mother. Mrs. Jas. D.

for bicycles, so that other vehicular traffic has a clear course in the center of the road. The wheelmen of Lonsin and thief. They have always the right to defend themselves; but I am

to have the present snowplow system gentlemen of the jury, the position abolished, and each householder com- am in. I wish to have my witnesses pelled to clean the snow off his own heard; but I am prevented." pelled to clean the snow off his own learn, but I am prevented.

Sidewalk. The council did not approve the change. The engineer says that marked: "But do you not know the after your own vote. Don't wait to be asked. Walk up yourself tonight. It where the snowplow system prevails. He is your last change. Get to your ward thinks it your inadequate. When a law?" to which Zola replied: "No, I don't know, and I don't want to know." The scene caused great excitement London is the only city in Canada law?" to which Zola replied: "No, I come canals and walking is unbear-If his proposal were adopted this able. would be remedied, he contends. Where householders refused or neglected to remove snow, the city would order its own men to do the work and charge the cost against the property.

first, 28 second and 16 third premiums sidewalks clean on the following also silver cup, value \$100, for best ex- streets: Dundas street, Ridout to hibit, 4 silver medals and other special Wellington; Richmond street, G. T. R. to Maple street; King street, Clarence to Ridout; Talbot street, York to Carling; Clarence street, Dundas to York. This bylaw was never carried out

> tation against the bread bylaw and the attacks on the city bakers by the Free Press, in order to get a personal fling at ex-Ald. Parnell, to find the council almost unanimously indorsing it. The substitution of a label for a stamp does not in the least affect the principle of the bylaw, but may render it more workable.

He was summoned by the city council to consult on sewerage business.

was largely attended. The pall-bearers at the following places in West Lon-don: Corner Mill and Gunn streets; township; Robert Boston, governor of corner Saunby street and the Wharnthe county jail; James Tuckey, James cliffe road; corner Oxford and William; Jaynes, Thomas Aldrey and E. Stone- on Oxford street, near Mr. T. Glover's house; corner Ann street and the Wharncliffe; corner Clarke and Wharn-cliffe; corner Mount Pleasant and Oak; Blackfriars and Center streets. The alteration in this list. \*\* \*\* \*\*

Inspector Sanders went to Strathroy yesterday and took a 2-year-old under the wing of the Children's Aid Society.

Joseph L. Holmes has taken out a permit to erect a 2½-story dwelling on Egerton street, near Florence.

AMICABLY ARRANGED. Tie London Horticultural and Agricultural Difficulty Settled-Court

Proceedings Stopped. The legal proceedings in reference to the London Horticultural and Agricultu al Society were dropped at Osgoode ness had to be placed on him, and he been exactly defined, but they will be mutually agreeable. This was thought

\*\* \*\* \*\* thought. Whatever the motive, the idea thought of M. Zola's good faith, and don in cycling season, and the wheel-jor Paty Du Clam, in 1894, of her husmen are entitled to some consideration. band's arrest. In many cities, paths are laid out at The judge declined to put the the sides of thoroughfares, especially question.

.. .. .. It is rather amusing, after the agi-

\*\* \*\* \*\* There are now 64 inmates in the Aged People's Home, and it is practically filled. In the men's ward there is room for only one more. The Home for Incurables is also filled, and other charitable institutions have no room to spare. The council may find a new charitable home more imperative than a new city hall.

Willis Chipman, C.E., is in the city.

corner Beach and the Wharncliffe; corner Dundas and Center streets; corner Leslie and Center streets; corner council will probably make a material

Surprise Meat Cutters, each

Royal Canadian Clothes Wringer, each -

Standard Tub Washing Machine, each

COWAN'S CASH HARDWARE Dundas St

Zola on Trial.

Exciting Scenes in the Seine Assize Court.

People Punch and Kick Their Way Into the Hall of Justice-Ladies Join in the Rush.

Paris, Feb. 2.-When the trial of M. Emile Zola and M. Perreux, manager of the Auore, was resumed in the as-CITY HALL NOTES. size court of the Seine today, scenes similar to those of yesterday morning similar to those of yesterday morning were witnessed. There was a terrific The mayor's ruling last night cancels struggle to enter, people lighting their way with blows and kicks towards struggle to enter, people fighting their all the business done by the sewerage the court room. The entrance of M. Cooper of his chairmanship. The mayor Zola was the signal for an outburst, during which the few cries of "Vive Zola!" were drowned by shouts of "A held that the sewerage committee had Bas Zola!" The crowd pushed and never been appointed by the council hustled and ladies climbed upon the and therefore did not legally exist. This the crushing. When the judge entered the crushing. mitted such a state of anairs; but in the crowds from the doors and to re-The presiding Judge, M. Delagorgue,

read a letter from Major Count Esterhazy, in which the latter refused to sel for M. Zola, insisted that Esterhazy should be brought to court by

The court decided that Gen. Mercier. the former minister of war, and Major Paty Du Clam should be resummoned. The court also decided that the other witnesses allegedly ill should be visited by a doctor, and that if able to appear they should be resummoned. Madame Dreyfus was the first witness.

whether she could say under what circumstances she was informed by Ma-

don would gladly co-operate to secure right to defend themselves; but I am deprived of this. I am mocked and in-The city engineer applied last night press drags me in the mud. You see, The scene caused great excitement among the public, and M. Laborie in-

tervened and demanded that the questions be put to the witness. The judge answered: "I will enter your protest if you desire; but I cannot put questions which are foreign to the indictment, in order to arrive at a revision of the Dreyfus case, which has already been determined." M. Laborle exclaimed: "In the presence of the obstruction placed in our way, I have the honor to ask the president what means we should employ. "That does not concern me," answered the judge, amid laughter. M. Laborie then proposed to submit a list of questions, leaving the court to indicate which of them might be put,

and the session was suspended in order to allow them to be drawn up. During the interval the noise in court was deafening. Madame Dreyfus, who retired to the witness room, was seized with a violent fit of hysterics. WESTMINISTER MUTUAL.

Annual Meeting of This Company-A Successful Year-Large Attendance. The Westminster Mutual Fire Insur-

ance Company held their annual meeting yesterday at Lambeth. It is estimated that over three hundred members of the company were present, completely filling the new union hall. Promptly at half-past one o'clock the president of the company, Mr. A. M. Hunt, called the meeting to order, with Mr. John Thornicroft acting as secretary. Mr. Hunt spoke for some time on the work of the company, for the past year, and its success, and concluded by reading the report of the directors, which showed the company to be in a very prosperous condition, having a surplus in the treasury of \$15,815 93. and having property throughout the township insured to the amount of \$1,-384,530. The losses during the past year amounted to only \$800. The report, on motion, was adopted. A short less Koal sold here. ferent matters in connection with the company. The president then thanked the board of directors and the members of the company for the kindness shown him during his term, and retired from the chair. On motion, Mr. A. Baty was elected chairman, and the election of directors proceeded with. Mr. R. S. Nichol, of

Hubrey, was re-elected by acclamation; Mr. D. McPherson, of Glanworth was then elected in place of Mr. R. G. Rose; Messrs. H. Poole and D. Lawson were elected auditors. During the afternoon a motion was During the afternoon a motion was passed unanimously authorizing the directors to purchase a gold-headed cane for Mr. Henry Anderson, as a token of respect from the company for his services, he having been secretary of the company for 40 years. vices, he having been secretary of the

company for 40 years. After a vote of thanks had been given to the chairman, Mr. Baty, and the retiring president, Mr. Hunt, the meeting dispersed. The directors will hold their first meeting next Saturday to elect their officers and prepare for their work for the coming year.

CARIBOO LANDSLIDE.

The River Near Quesnelle Blocked-Three Miners Killed.

Vancouver, Feb. 8.-News has just reached Vancouver that a heavy landslide occurred five miles below the town of Quesnelle on Wednesday, and mass of cuts and bruises, none mare serious, and he will be out that turned out. Two 'bus loads went ew days.

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MATRIMONY EPIDEMIC.

Milwaukee Being Robbed of Her Pretty

Schoolma'ams. Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 8.—The public schools of this city have lost many of the best teachers during the past few months. The matrimonial fever seems to have struck the force. The resignations of those who intend to be mar-ried have been numerous and frequent. Last week there were twelve.
Superintendent Siefert thinks the conditions are due to an improvement in times. Many of the old-time teachers say that the exodus is due to the

new school law, which keeps teachers in constant fear of losing their jobs. Patrick McCann, a farmer, residing a few miles south of Lindsay, was sandbagged and robbed of \$30 on one of the back streets of Toronto. The Lang Tanning Company will

shortly begin the erection of a tannery in Berlin, which will be the largest in Canada. Three hundred hands will be

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# y..... Honore's Fate.

seat with that "crowd of fashionable guests," which the papers delighted to dresses—as well as better things—and the "charm—be the "charm—be the coughly become in her kindly be the coughly become in her kindly be the coughly be the phalanx of young manhood. They employed the whole village in bearing flowers to and fro for the decorations of the church, and park, and village street; and yet they never fancied they had done enough to make this wedding day a festival.

And at Statton rectory, both Mr. and Mrs. Romer laughed heartily over values the little estate for its memories Mrs. Romer and some the day herore to stay with them, and from carly morning the village had been filled to him to feel that he need not live only in London all the year round; aven though his new employment is ter. In spite of the five hundred walk-ing sticks which had always rankled in Sir Philip's breast, he threw the park open all afternoon to these men who cheered so heartily when Honore passed among them in her youth and beauty, and these women who so warmly prayed, "God bless him," when Royden led her through the crowd.

Earnestly Gabriel Myddelton echoed the prayer, as he and Alice walked from the church slowly, step by step, in the long line of guests, while the joyous notes of the organ came surging through the porch and followed them. "Ay, and God bless them both!" murmured the rector as the bells clashed out across the autumn landscape, and there came into his mind a few words of one of those poets whose verses but feebly linked about the memory of his college days:

"Naught but love can enswer love, And render biss secure."

No, it certainly had not been a quiet wedding, and Pierce was not the only and the scarlet-clad postlions, but still he had an ever-ready word or glance settled down upon the Towers. Alone at for the two women who sat together in the seat behind him; one of these being Marie Verrien, proud to feel that she was as much Honore's maid as was the pleasant girl who lavished constant care and kindness upon her, and never allowed her to realize the fact that her employment was merely an agreeable sinecure. This sojourn abroad— ly that his words seem only a part of which was to restore to Royden his old that long, happy thought. strength-was also to give the finishing touch to the benefit which Marie where I will try—" had derived from that life of ease and Where I will try happiness which she had spent in Honore's home.

CHAPTER XLV.

They are the Westleigh bells which are now having it all their own way their tale to the wind and waves, which in their turn laugh over it among the rocks and leaves.

Two months have passed since, from the town of Statton church, rang out the tidings of their marriage, and Royden and Honore are on their way home to receive this greeting. It breaks upon them brightly and musically as they drive into sight of the high towers above the sea, but Honore turns and hides her face upon her husband's shoulder then, because she sees that treacherous bay where he was found four months ago, and carried home as

The watchers see the carriage now and a signal-gun is fired out across the sea. Then, even more merrily still, the bells peal out; and presently a band, which Royden himself organized long ago, among the "mill-hands," marches to meet them. Now rises the cheering of hundreds of voices, and in a few minutes the horses are gone; and, to the music of the cornets and the voices and the bells-all harmonized by loyalty and summer gladness—their own people wheel the carriage to the

The upturned faces greet them in a mass, when they turn and pause in the arched doorway. Royden thanks them for their cordial greeting; and while they answer each sentence with a deafening cheer, they notice, how the very mention of his wife brings a wondrous light into his eyes, beyond that per-I could guess in whose hands would lie And over friends have gathered

within the Towers to welcome Royden and Honore; friends whom we shall look upon today for the last time.

# WE HAVE IT....

-That so much talked about,

# Ralston's Health Club Breakfast Food = =

which has the indorsation of its president as a perfect food, beits preside minutes to cook. We keep it, and if you have not tried it, please

There are Sir Philip and Lady Som-There are Sir Philip and Lady Somerson, cordial as of old. There is Mrs. Romer, bent, as of old, on making a favorite of Honore; and Mr. Romer recalling with a smile of self-congratulation, how, from the first, he had acknowledged Royden Keith worthy of a hearty and profound respect. There is hearty and profound respect. There is Sir Edward Graham, beaming as if he had never looked on anguish such

this in the village since he came to live here 50 years ago. There is his young curate, in whose wake comes a grave he gives (the payment for which doubles the young curate's salary), but has been with him ever in his walks and in his work. The boy's face flushes and Clearly Responsible for Royden, laying a gentle hand upon his shoulder, tells Honore, "This is Mar-

There are Phoebe and Miss Henderson, come together from the Kensing-ton Mansion, where Phoebe is preparing for her wedding in a state of happi-They filled their beautiful country Hervey makes ready that London house simple and prosaic way. There i Hervey, reading a new translation of his old code of etiquette; the tones which used to be so slow and faultless

when Mrs. Trent saw it best to leave strong again, because no secret presses

place to place upon tht continent; unforgiving (as those often are to whom the wrong is due); and Lawrence Haughton's sister is on her way to join Haughton's sister is on her way to join him in Melbourne. At his first invitation—honestly, though curtly, given—notification that the city council had appointed polling booths for the provincial election. The sheriff, who

last, Honore lingers at the window in her dressing-room; the curtains drawn back, and the October moonlight fall- Manager Carr, of the street railway ing softly upon her, as she stands there, company, wrote that the company had still and lovely, in her simple dress. "Sweet, do you feel that this is really

Royden had come up to her so quiet-"And fail," he interrupts, kissing her tenderly, as she nestles within his arms;

moonlit sea, but they are filled with a with the summer echoes, and telling she herself, help feeling the difference her love has made in his life, always so full of generous deeds and noble purposes, but now so full of happiness

us," she whispers presently. "It filled love you; and I know how it is, Roy. Walk in front of his own premises. of us do not think of-you have won a ove which only such a life as yours win, my husband, and which never can be otherwise than warm and true." "Honore," he says, lifting her face, that he may read his happiness within ed down. her eyes, "do you know that Gabrieland not Gabriel alone—has been speaking to me in just such words of you? that the city clerk be instructed to My darling, are you satisfied with all communicate with the various bicycle

in your own share of the work?"

the task of scattering It?" "Or would lift that shadow of crime from the old name."

we not feel tonight, mine own dear wife, that at last there rests a blessing only upon old Myddleton's money; and that day by day, through all our grateful lives the blessing may grow and brighten?"

her arms and clasps them softly round "Oh, Royden, who, in all the world,

[THE END.]

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Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has one once it will do again.

Every man who wants to save doctor's bills should send 31 one-cent stamps, the cost of customs and mailing only, to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for a copy of Sense Medical Adviser," in paper covers; or 50 stamps for cloth-bound copy.

as that which he had witnessed in this spot just three months ago. There is Dr. Franklin, uncharacteristically There is the old vicar of Westleigh, confidentially asserting that there has never been such a scene as little lad who, for months now, has not only eagerly devoured the lessons that

garet Territ's child," and Honore stoops and kisses him.

stirred and broken now, as he thanks Honore for that gift of Deergrove which she bought for him and Phoebe

even though his new employment is easy and pleasant to him. There is Gabriel Myddleton, inexpressibly happy as a well-employed country squire; proud to hear the congratulations which are given him on the manner he is carrying out—in earnest zeal—the work Honore began at Abbotsmoor;

loved and respected.
So those belonging to the old life are all here, save four. Mrs. Trent and Theodora are moving restlessly from

home?"

"you have made me happy for all time. You need never try again." She does not turn her eyes from the

"What a welcome they have given

working of your plans and projects?" the clubs and the unattached riders "And will you let me help you here, "Royden, as if I could think anything good which you have not thought of

"Do you remember that first day we spent at Abbotsmoor, Honore, when it was deserted, and the shadow of a great crime lay upon it? Do you remember how we talked of that old superstition of a curse hanging over the

"The task is not finished, is it? It will only finish with our lives. But can

She laughs a happy laugh, and lifts has greater cause to try to make others happy than I, who am so happy and

Here's a Little Nut to Grack. Just a grain of corn! The principle out any pain whatever. It never fails either. Try it.

sponse in the Matter of Polling Booths.

Clearly Responsible for Selecting Them.

The Much Abused Bread Bylaw Almost Unanimously

To Be Drafted.

Streets for Bicyclists. The Engineer Wants Every Householder to Shovel His Own Snow-

The Proposal Turned Down-The Bell Telephone Company Strongly

The city council held a prolonged session last night and discussed some work Honore began at Abbotsmoor; and using wisely and kindly the half about which a great howl was raised of old Myddleton's money, which was prior to the municipal elections, was of old Myddleton's money, which was prior to the municipal elections, was all his cousin could succeed in winning one of these. The result was that all on her now, and her husband's name is proved of the present bylaw, and reard. jected the hasty attempt to revert to the old one. All the members were present except Ald. Hunt, who will probably be back from his southern trip before the next meeting. THOSE POLLING BOOTHS.

grown to middle age; sold the house-hold goods which for years she had wrote under date of Feb. 3, said he guarded so jealously, and sailed to a had not been notified of his appointnew, strange world for the sake of ment as returning officer. At the same wedding, and Pierce was not the only one who smiled at the notion, when the excitement was at its ebb, and the traveling carriage rolled down the average of Samerson Park followed by and evil—she had all her life clung faithfully. Hard and cold she had been faithfully. Hard and cold she had been the ontario election law had been rethe excitement was at its ebb, and the traveling carriage rolled down the avenue of Somerson Park followed by countless and curious missiles. Pierce and curious missiles. Pierce and curious missiles. Pierce and curious missiles are pure vain of gold. pealed, and the statute new clearly threw the responsibility of the selection of polling booths upon the return-

The latter was filed for reference. A NEW STREET CAR SCHEDULE. tried to make a satisfactory street car service, but had failed to satisfy the engineer and council. He asked the council to appoint a small committee to act with the engineer and himself (Mr. Carr) in drafting a schedule for

This was referred to No. 1 committee to act. Ald. Wilkey had a motion to the effect that the company be required to give a 41/2 minute service on Dundas street both ways, and in the event of their refusal that the city solicitor be instructed to take the necessary steps to rescind the agreement between the company and the city. In view of Mr. Carr's letter, Ald. Wilkey allowed his

motion to stand as a notice of motion. WANTS SNOW PLOWS. ABOL-ISHED.

The city engineer recommended that my heart with deepest gratitude to ished, and that each householder be see how you have made your people made to clean the snow from the side-In daily life and hourly intercourse Ald. O'Meara opposed the request. With others—I mean, in little things as The snow plow system, he said, was all right. If the engineer's request all right. If the engineer's request were adopted, mechanics and others would be occupied in doing nothing but cleaning snow, and the police court would be filled every day. The engineer's proposition was turn-

TRACKS FOR BICYCLISTS. you hear of Abbotsmoor, and the clubs to secure the concerted action of towards the raising of a fund for the

> The Escape. When a man has a chance to escape from prison he doesn't stop to argue about doesn it; he breaks out as as ever he can. He knows that every moment's delay may lessen his chances of escape; but when a man is sick he too often postpones his perhaps I' he too often postpones his opportunity of getting well and says: "O, perhaps I'll be better next week" or The weeks and months go n and every day his chance

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two-pound and four-pound loaves. The expense in securing the equipments for making the one and a half pound loaf, bread in the country. Anybody could Mr. West said he knew of no city Criticised—Mrs. Beckett Relieved of the present bylaw was not enforced.

Her Husband's Sewer Contract—A Aid. McCallum asked when the inspector had made an inspection.

on the one and a half pound loaf, and that the two-pound loaf be the stand-

Ald. Taylor attacked the present bylaw and the bakers, some of whom he said, were making \$10 a day by selling light-weight bread.

Ald. Cooper said that Ald. Taylor had found out all of a sudden that the inspector was not doing his duty. The bylaw was all right as it was. All the inspector had to see was that a 11/2 pound loaf weighed 1½ pounds, and that the 2 pound loaf weighed 2 pounds, and not 1% pounds, as many loaves did.

It would be a great injustice to the bakers to have to throw away their pans and other materials. He seconded Ald. McCallum's mot Ald. McPhillips said that the bylaw

was workable if the inspector carried it out. It would be very hard on the bakers to change the whole course of their trade and make them provide new pans and different classes of flour. He moved that the inspector be heard at the next meeting. Phillips' motion.

was a copy of the bylaw existing in Toronto. He never heard that it caused any trouble in Toronto, and unless he found out that actual fraud existed he would vote for the present bylaw.

Ald. Stevely said that it would be unfair to repeal the bylaw when the bakers had provided utensils and the millers made arrangements to turn out a special quality of flour for the 11/2 pound loaf. There was no consumer who wanted a 2 pound loaf who could not get it. There were also people who preferred a finer quality, and would take less quantity. Ald. Stevely thought the bylaw should continue as it was. Ald. Carrothers wanted to know who ordered the inspector not to inspect the

was used, the difficulty would vanish. an inspection, and he would like the inspector asked as to who gave such

plain matters at the next meeting was

Yeas-Ald. McPhillips, Belton, Carro-

thers, O'Meara, Winnett, Stevely, Graham, Cooper, Nutkins, Dreaney, Gerry, McCallum, Greenlees. Nays-Ald. Taylor and Wilkey.

adopted. The council approved the idea of changing the names of certain streets which were duplicated. The board will submit new names. tenders of L. Boss and J. W. Vincent for supplying stone for crushing at \$2 50 per cord were adopted.

The finance committee's report was installation of metallic circuits. had secured information of the tele London were higher than them all against this monopoly.

The mayor created a flurry by announcing that the sewerage committee as a committee did not exist, as it had never been appointed by the council.

Sheriff Cameron's Re- | construction of cinder or other advisable paths on such streets as may be approved by No. 2 committee and the parties interested; and that in the event of satisfactory arrangements the services of the city engineer's departservices of the city engineer's depart-ment be placed at their disposal. THAT BREAD BYLAW.

Ald. Taylor presented the report of No. 3 committee, the first clause of which recommended the repeal of the present bread bylaw and the substitu-tion of the old one. Ald. Taylor moved the adoption of the clause. Messrs. Bridle and West, representing the city bakers, asked for a hear-

ing, which was granted.

Mr. Bridle said the present bylaw was very satisfactory to the bakers and customers alike, as it allowed the bakers to make pound and a half, bakers of London had gone to great and if the bylaw was repealed it would mean a heavy loss to them and be of no benefit to the community. London had the reputation of making the best Proposal to Make Paths on City get the two-pound loaf if he wanted it. where bakers could not make what sized bread they liked. The London bylaw was the same as was in force in every city of the Dominion. Bakers were as honest as any other people, and yet they were imposed on and worried more than any other class. It

> Ald. Taylor said the inspector had been stopped, and had made no in-spection for two years Ald. McCallum said that a baker just entering business told him he had gone to the inspector and applied for a stamp, but the inspector told him he had no stamps, and that they were not used. Was that carrying out the by-law? He moved that a label be put

Ald. Greenlees seconded Ald. Mc-hillips' motion. The present bylaw

bread. Otherwise he was satisfied with Ald. Graham said the inspector had been unjustly abused. He had looked at some of the bread, and could not see how the inspector could make an inspection. The stamp was hardly ever perceptible, and that was the cause of the whole trouble. He thought that if a label plainly stamped 1½ pounds Ald. McCallum said that as chairman of No. 3 committee in the past two years, he knew of no orders preventing

Ald. O'Meara said that the inspector should disregard such orders, no matter who gave them, and if he did not, he was not doing his duty. Ald. Taylor said a baker told him that when the inspector intended going out he (the baker) was always notified in advance. The motion to have the inspector ex-

Ald. McCallum's motion to label all bread under 2 pounds (this being the same as the present bylaw, excepting that a label instead of a stamp is recommended) was adopted on this di-

THE BOARD OF WORKS. The board of works' report was

THE TELEPHONE COMPANY CRITICISED.

apopted without opposition. The last clause reported progress on the Bell Telephone Company's franchise, which soon expires. Ald. Stevely called attention to the fact that the Bell Telephone Company were now petitioning parliament to have their rates increased in cities of the Dominion, on the plea that they could not continue business at the present rates, owing to the view of this, he thought it would be well for London to take action at once. Ald. McPhillips said he agreed with Ald. Stevely, and it should be seen to that telephone rates were not increased in the city. It was an outrage, the way the people of London were treated by the Bell Telephone Company. They phone charges in different cities, and with one or two exceptions the rates of For the size of the city London paid more for telephones than any other place in the Dominion. It was high time our interests should be protected On motion the member for London at Ottawa will be asked to watch the progress of the company's petition and report to the council.

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All its business was illegal, except such as had been reported to the council by No. 2 committee. No. 2 committee.

Ald. Dreaney—What about the appointment of those sewer inspectors?

The Mayor—It was illegal if not re-

ported to the council. To remedy this, later on a motion naming No. 2 committee as the sewerage committee, with power to add to their numbers, was adopted. The sewerage committee will hereafter report to the council. THE SOUTH STREET SEWER.

The council spent one hour and a half in discussing the recommendation that Mrs. Beckett and Mr. Wade be relieved of the South street sewer contract. There were amendments innumerable, and as nearly every member spoke to nearly every amendment and as nearly every amendment conflicted with nearly every other amendment the council became almost hopelessly entangled. Mr. M. D. Fraser and Mr. Frank

Love appeared on behalf of Mrs. Beckett (who was present) and urged that on the ground of mercy, sympathy and justice she be relieved of the contract entered into by her late husband; otherwise she would lose all The mayor, Ald. Taylor, McPhillips Cooper, O'Meara, Douglass, Stevely and others favored relieving Mrs. Beckett of the contract.

Ald. Wilkey referred to what he called "the poor widow cry," and said that the contract should be carried Ald. Carrothers said the cost to the city, if they canceled the contract might be \$2,500. He moved that Mrs. Beckett and Mr. Wade be given until September to complete their contract, and

that they be paid their percentage as it fell due. Ald. Greenlees said he had great sympathy with Mrs. Beckett; but it would be in her interest and the city's interest to push the work forward, and when it was done the council would know exactly how much to reimburse Mrs. Beckett for any loss she might

Ald. Carrothers' motion was defeated, whereupon he moved that the percentage of the contract figure be kept back 403 RICHMOND STREET plans and specifications. "That's not right, Bob," said Ald Cooper, suspiciously. Ald. Carrothers-Why not?

Ald. Cooper hinted it was practically the same thing as was voted down. Ald. Carrothers-No such thing. Ald. Cooper-Oh, get out! Ald. Carrothers (nettled)-I always knew you knew nothing, and now 1 know you know less. (Laughter.) Finally, the original motion, to take the contract off the hands of the contractors, was adopted; with the proviso that the sewer be carried beyond possibilities are wonderful. the L. and P. S. R. tracks, to the engineer's satisfaction, and that the per-

centages be retained in accordance with the specifications. Ald. Cooper asked if the engineer had power to make the street railway company clean the streets. The Mayor-Yes.

In reply to Ald. Winnett, Ald. Douglass said the engineer had written to the street railway company to clear the streets of surplus snow. If the company did not comply within 24 hours the engineer could put men at work and charge the cost to the company. The company, however, had put the men at work. MOTIONS AND NOTICES.

By Ald. McCallum-That Mr. Bell be present at the next meeting of the council, and say whether anyone ordered him not to inspect bread during 1897. Carried. Ald. Taylor gave notice that he would move that the city advertise that it would give \$2 50 per cord for

hard stone, delivered at the stone crusher. Ald. Jolly gave the following notices of motion: That tenders be called for repairing the watering carts; that fire alarm boxes be erected in West London; that electric lights be placed on Oxford, Blackfriars and Kensington bridges; that an electric light be placed on the corner of Talbot and St.

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Wharncliffe. THE HOSPITAL BYLAW. The hospital bylaw was read a third time and passed.

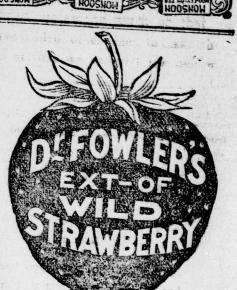
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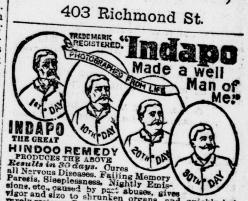
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Toronto, Feb. 7-11 p.m.-Pressure continues high over the eastern portion of the continent, and the low area which covered British Columbia last night is centered in Alberta. The weather has remained fine over the greater portion of Canada. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Esquimalt, 42-42; Kamloops, 38-40; Calgary. 4-44; Qu'Appelle, 4 below-36; Winnipeg, 10 below-32; Port Arthur, 10-18; Parry Sound, 18-36; Toronto, 16-38; Ottawa, 2-26; Montreal, 6-16; Quebec, 2-20; Hall-

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@+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0 -The registration booths will close at 9 o'clock tonight. -Miss Gower, of London, is visiting Goderich; J. C. Reid, Bothwell. Mrs. George Hall, Stratford. You cannot register after tonight at oclock. Is your name on? -Mrs. Shipley, of London, is visiting

Mrs. D. A. Magee and o er relatives in Norwich. -The Bishop of Huron will hold confirmation in Trinity Church, Blenheim, the first Sunday in March. -Rev. Thos. Wilson will give his popular lecture on "Tramps" at Knox Church, South London, tonight.

-Mrs. Heath, of this city, is visiting at the residence of Mr. J. J. Cuthbert-son, Gratiot avenue, Port Huron. -Mr. R. A. Hoath, of Thames View, Hyde Park, has returned from visiting friends in Owen Sound, Hoath Head and Inglis Falls.

-Mr. Harry Middleton, of Morris-burg, formerly of the Molsons Bank, Aylmer, has been transferred to the London branch. -Mr. Archie McLellan has returned

is trade. We want your good-will by selling you the best eigars in the market. This is easily secured, as our brands are to tion in the Military College. GOLDNER'S, 2061/2 Dundas St. to London on Saturday to attend the P. P. A. conference, returned to To-

ronto by the late Saturday train. -Messrs. C. B. Hunt, London, and J. H. Still, Ald. Wallis and Engineer Bell, of St. Thomas, were busily engaged yesterday afternoon in locating the turnouts for the new electric railway at St. Thomas.

-Rev. C. S. G. Boone, pastor of the Maitland Street Baptist Church, and Rev. James Coutts, of Ailsa Craig, are expected to assist in the nightly special services being held this week in the Adelaide Street Church. -Mr. John Brown, of Hensall, who has been conducting a thriving photo-graph business there, has sold out, and in a few days will leave for the west, where he will seek for gold.

Brown has many friends in this section, who will wish him prosperity. -Representatives of the eight Masonic lodges of the city met in the library of the temple last night for the purpose of arranging for the reception of Grand Master Gibson and Deputy Grand Master Malone on the occasion of their proposed visit to London early in March. Some 35 brethren were in attendance. R. W. Bro. John Simpson was chosen chairman; W. Bro. Walter H. Morgan, secretary, and W. Bro. Thos. R. Parker, treasurer of the general committee. Sub-committees on printing, refreshment, entertainment, decoration and reception were named and chairmen elected for each. So soon as the grand master definitely settles a suitable date, the committee will be again called together, and arrangements for the Ma-"At Home" determined upon. From the enthusiasm manifested by

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the brethren, it is safe to say the con-

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Wheelmen Meet.

Annual Session of No. 1 District of the C. W. A.

Chief Consul for the Coming Year, Hugh B. Lamont, of Chatham-Review of the Year-New Board of Management.

The annual meeting of No. 1 district of the Canadian Wheelmen's Association was held last night, with Mr. H. L. Rothwell, of Walkerville, chief con- Opposed to Selling the Church sul, in the chair. Mr. Wm. R. Waugh was elected secretary, and the annual report of the chief consul was read and adopted. It stated that the mem- The Step Characterized as "Stupid" by bership register showed a decrease of about 550, the loss being mainly in the Chatham club of 420 and Sarnia 130. Apart from this, the eastern clubs, particularly London and Petrolia, show a loss, while the western clubs show a decided gain.

The Dominion championship meet in Chatham was the largest ever held in the country.

About roads and touring the chief consul stated that this branch of the work was one that should ever be in the minds of the members, and strongly urged them to let no opportunity pass for the advancement of the good

roads movement. Mr. Rothwell retired from the chief consulship, and recommended as his Successor Mr. Hugh B. Lamont. Carried unanimously. Other officers were elected as follows:

TELEPHONE NUMBERS:

Consulate—B. Corey, Petrolia; G. W. Youell, Aylmer; Dr. J. D. Balfour, London; H. L. Rothwell, Walkerville, and W. H. Abbott, London. District Council-Harry Kerr, Walkerville; F. J. Cairns, Chatham; Le Roy Wigle, Windsor; H. L. Drouillard, Am-

Wigie, Windsor; H. L. Drouillard, Amherstburg; W. J. Perkin, Ridgetown; R. H. McConnell, St. Thomas; G. A. Ferguson, St. Thomas; W. MacVicar, Goderich; F. Rosser, Ailsa Craig; W. Climie, Listowel; H. C. McBride, F. C. Screaton, C. W. Ellis and F. Harris, London; J. MacRobie, and A. C. Darling, Petrolia; F. F. Jackson, Clinton; P. L. Walton, Goderich; D. McKenzie P. L. Walton, Goderich; D. McKenzie, Sarnia; Dr. W. J. Fear, Aylmer; G. S. Heyward, Chatham; D. McGillicuddy, Membership Committee-F. J. Cairns, Chatham; G. W. Youell, Aylmer; O. B. Leslie, London.

Roads and Touring Committee—W. R. Waugh, London; H. O. Kerr, Walkerville; G. S. Samis, Sarnia. Rights and Privileges Committee-U. A. Buchner, London; Hugh B. Lamont, Chatham; Geo. A. Ferguson, St. Thomas.

It was decided to hold the next district meeting on the first Monday in February, 1899. The meeting decided to support the candidature of Dr. Balfour for the presidency of the C. W. A. The thanks of the district were tendered the retiring chief consul for his able and courteous fulfillment of the office.

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Inquest on the Circumstances Surrounding Ethel Ford's Death
-Verdict of the Jury. The adjourned inquest into the cir-

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Mrs. Barrows' own children.

The jury only considered the matter a short time, and returned the following verdict:
"That Ethel Ford came to her death from poisoning by arsenic, given by mistake for santonine; whether the strychnine was dispensed at the drug store by mistake for santonine or thoughtlessly placed on the wall pocket by a member of the household from by a member of the household, from which it was taken and given to the deceased for santonine, we are unable from the evidence to determine. We are of opinion that fatal poisons are too easily procured under the pharmacy act, and that the law should throw more stringent safeguards over the sale of poisons, and their safe-keeping in the household."

Property at Present.

Rev. J. G. Stuart-Managers Resign.

Members and adherents of St. James' Presbyterian Church to the number of about 60, met last night to discuss the advisability of selling the church property or proceeding to call a minister. The congregation decided on the latter course and also to retain the old building, in the face of vigorou tests from the managers. A thorough canvass will be made in order to ascertain if the financial condition of the church will permit of a minister being called. If sufficient money is not forthcoming, then the congregation will be confronted with the same ques-

tion of selling the property and going up north. The discussion of the matter was started by Mr. Neil McNeil, chairman of the board of managers, who said the church officials concluded that it was better to sell the property and build a church up north if a fair offer was received. The present burdens were more than the congregation could stand. He asked the congregation to empower the managers and trustees to sell the church after receiving per

mission from the presbytery. Mr. Hugh Wyatt seconded. Messrs. James Campbell and J. Peaden moved to authorize the managers to sell the manse and the property fronting on Kent street, retaining the church, if a better price could be obtained for part than for the whole property. He pointed out that the taxes on St. James' were more than on St. Andrew's. It took \$50 per month to pay interest and taxes. The money was not in sight to continue with. Messrs. Thos. McCurdy, Alex. Anderson and Chas. Webster opposed the selling of the property and going up north. It would, they thought, be

jumping out of the frying pan into the Mrs. Hugh Omond thought the people should stick to the church because it was their church. Mr. McNeil thought it very well to take such a roseate view of everything, but for nine years, as chairman of the board, he had been doing his best to keep the ship affoat. It was an impossibility to do so on the present ncome. To sell the property was the best possible thing, provided they could get \$14,000 for it. Those who opposed the step knew very little about the church finances. There was not money enough to buy a ton of coal. He

had to meet \$150 in the morning, and didn't know that there was 50 cents Mr. T. A. Rowat said for 25 years he had been intimately acquainted with the financial position of the church, and it was going from bad to worse. Mr. Campbell asked where the congregation would have been if it had not been for Mr. Kent's \$1,000, and

asked if they expected to pick up \$1,000 every year. The vote was a small one on Mr. Campbell's amendment, and the motion of Mr. McNeil to sell the property was defeated-27 to 15. Mr. Neil McNeil-Well, when the government is defeated the cabinet resigns. This is virtually a vote of want be observed at all. There is much of confidence in the managers, and I certainly shall not work on the man-aging board. I cannot work for the best interests of the church with such a majority against me. Let some of those who are so anxious to keep the be difficult to give any adequate conproperty step in and take charge of the finances, and fill the places of the manfinances, and fill the places of the man-agers. I am glad they voted my mo-vear's eve, streams of humanity pour a responsibility I have felt for some a responsibility I have felt for some ance, armed with ear-splitting tin years. Now I can sit in the back seat trumpets and shricking horns, and the and be a crank with the rest.

board of managers, also resigned his ed to be among the crowd and unlimcharacterized the step as a stupid one, on the part of the congregation. They had also been stupid when they did whistles in imitation of back-door not east in their lot with the Congre- roosters, the bells in ships and shops gationalists. He urged the managers and locomotives broke forth in dis-

bad job Mr. Thomas McCurdy, sen., and Alex. Anderson will canvass the congregation and report in two weeks.

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Pandemonium on New Year's Eve - A Red Hot Christmas Season.

"Sydney, N. S., Jan. 1, 1898. "The Christmas and New Year season in Australia is a striking experience for one accustomed to the crisp Canadian air. Not only is there no snow but it is red hot, the thermometer dancing about the century point in a gleeful manner. For three days of the week it reached 110 degrees in the shade in Melbourne and Adelaide, and between 80 and 90 degrees in Sydney. In the latter city the heat is humid, while in the other two it is dry; so that it is simply a choice between stewing here or roasting there. The preparations for observing Christmas are unique. The windows of the stores present the same attractive appearance as at home, all sorts of wares being displayed to the best advantage. Wagon loads of saplings are carted into town, and these are tied upright to the posts before the stores, giving the impression from a distance of avenues of growing trees. The streets | the pulpit vacant. are almost impassable, with eager pur-chasers, and the crowded stores do not betray any evidence of the hard times. The thousands of meals furnished on Christmas morning, however, by the benevolent societies, bear witness to very widespread poverty and distress. Services are held in the churches of all denominations, and one frequently hears the remark that if it were not for the churches Christmas would not truth in this comment, for undoubtedly people do not throw themselves into the observance of the season with the same whole-heartedness found in Canada and the United States. It would tion down, because it relieves me of into the city by every sort of convey-Mr. W. T. Brown, secretary of the disturbing toy inventor. There appearthousand and one devices of the peaceited license for everyone to do as he Rev. J. G. Stuart, interim moderator pleased. As the big bell in the post-characterized the step as a stupid one, berless boats in the harbor blew their not to resign, but make the best of a cordant clamor; rockets roared into the stillness of the night above, and pandemonium reigned all round. A burly-looking individual in a fawn tweed suit, whose face bore the impress of the hour, evidently awake to the vagaries of the moment, was heard to remark: "They say that in hades class of disorders than those which all is miserable and noisy and devilish, but if there is anything worse there than we have here tonight, then I

public conscotchman tempers his New Year's effusion with whisky, according to time-honored custom, he does not wake the dead with loud and idiotic noises.

Index payment is by Bancock test. So far it has taken but slightly over 20 pounds of milk for one pound butter—a result that is equaled by very few factories in this part of the country.

and generally disturbing the peace, as the Australian hoodlum does. It would seem that such objectionable horseplay, attended as it is with damage to life, limb and property, should be Mr. Will Sallmon Describes suppressed with a strong hand. There is really no good and sufficient reason why civilized people should copy Chin-ese methods and treat the New Year as if it were some demon to be appeased with crackers and guns. "It is gratifying to be able to add that while the worldly portion of the community were thus engaged, many churches were filled with worshipers prayerfully waiting for the New Year, which bids fair to be a momentous

one in the annals of the world." -Register tonight if you have not done so already. Tomorrow will be too late. The registration

\*\*\*\*\* WESTERN ONTARIO.

ends at 9 o'clock tonight.

\*\*\*\*\* Rev. J.H. Brown arrived at Alvinston on Saturday, and takes charge of the congregation there at once. James Brush has sold his farm on con. 14, Bosanquet, to Mr. W. Stutt, of the township of Brooke, for \$5,000. Rev. Mr. Knapp, of Amherstburg, filled the pulpit of the Tilbury Presby-terian Church Sunday, and declared

John Dalton, of Glandford, is the Mr. James Dick, Seaforth, refused \$35 for a pair of his Liverpool game chickens recently. Mr. Robert Winters, Huron's cattle king, has taken from Mr. George Stewart six of the finest heifers ever

brought to Seaforth. The Lucknow public library received from the Ontario Government last year, \$122; Holyrood library, \$67 70, and Dungannen library, \$97 15. proud possessor of a cow which gave birth to twin calves on Thursday.

When an hour old the twins weighed 142 pounds. They appear to be thriv-The Duffy-McCallum Company have purchased a lot on Front street, Alvin-ston, owned by Scandrett Bros., London, and will make preparations to

build at once. Rev. Scott Baker died at his home, Mount Salem, on Saturday last. He had been ill for a long time, and death was not unexpected. Funeral

took place Monday morning. Howard Liberals met in the Arlington at Ridgetown on Saturday for organization purposes. The meeting was enthusiastic, and went about its work in a business-like way. Short speeches were made by several gentlemen. Chairman James Brown presided, and predicted a sweeping victory for Mr. Ferguson, provided his friends took the precaution to get the voters out.

At the annual meeting of the Straffordville Cheese and Butter Company, the secretary, J. G. Pauling, gave the meeting some interesting facts. Amount of cheese manufactured, almost 105 tons; average price, \$8 80 per cwt. shall be a bit doubtful about taking The manufacture of butter was comodgings.'

"Just why Australians take to this menced on Nov. 20, 1897, and the results are highly satisfactory. The Nophenomenal rowdyism is a problem, vember and December make was sold as swelled neck and crick in the back, and, as an inward specific, possesses and, as an inward specific, possesses land, Ireland or Scotland. If the The payment is by Babcock test. So