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REV. WM. PATTERSON WEPT. Toronto, May 30 .- Sobbing as if his heart would break, and with tears rolling down his face, Rev. Wm. Patterson, for fourteen years pastor of Cooke's Presbyterian Church, left the special meeting of the presbytery in Knox school house yesterday afternoon after announcing his intention to accept the call to Bethany Church, Philadel-phia. His true, passionate Irish nature revealed itself and he completely broke down at the thought of leaving his flock, among whom he had labored so long and faithfully. He wept bitterly, and there was hardly a dry eye among the large number of those present. The ladies, their eyes welled with tears, wept in sympathy, and the men show-ed their feelings in their stern set faces. It was a touching incident.

# Bivouacked at Johannesburg

Gen. Lord Roberts May Reach Pretoria on Friday.

London Jubilant Over the News-Evidence Received That the Mines Are Intact-French's Cavalry Away Beyond Johannesburg—The Strathconas Gone to Join Buller-Transvaal Government Preparing Peace Proposals-Scenes Attending the Annexation of the Former "Free State."

London, May 29-10 p.m.-The follow- was received in London with noisy ing dispatch has been received from

"Germiston, May 29-6:30 p.m.-We arrived here this afternoon without being seriously opposed. No casualties, so far as I am aware, in the main column, and not many, I trust, in the cavalry and infantry. The enemy did not expect us until tomorrow, and had not, therefore, carried off their rolling stock. We have possession of the junction connecting Johannesburg with Natal, Pretoria and Klerksdorp by railroad. Johannesburg is reported quiet, and no mines. I understand, have been injured. I shall amon the commandant in the mor. ...g, and as I expect there is no opposition, I propose to enter the town with all the troops at

noon." London, Wednesday, Mr y 30-3:30 a. m.-Lord Roberts bivouacked last night in the suburbs of Johannesburg. Lord Roberts' dispatch is regarded as announcing the virtual occupation of Johannesburg, and apparently again the Boers have effected a retreat, as there is no mention of any prisoners or captures, except rolling stock. Germiston, where Lord Robents writes his dispatch, is a suburb to the southeast of Johannesburg Railway Junction, and Gen. Roberts mentions it in his message to war office probably because Elandsfontein station is further east-

Additional evidence that the mines are intact comes in a message received by a mining company here yesterday from its Johannesburg represen-

tative, dated May 28, via Delagoa Bay, saying "All right." LORD ROBERTS' CAVALRY. have flown on beyong Johannesburg. A portion is understood to be at Zuurfontein, seven miles north of Johannesburg, and within 20 miles of Pretoria. Lord Roberts, although with a broken bridge at Vereeniging and a wrecked railway behind him has somehow managed to get forward sufficient supplies for his large force. As he has been able to do so much, it is considered

OUTSIDE OF PRETORIA ON FRI-

possible that he will be

DAY. The rapidity of his advance is thought an extraordinary achievement, even by grudging continental critics. The Boers, who were expected to fight along the line of hills known as Klip Riversberg, abandoned the eastern end of the range near Lord Roberts' advance Mne, but they stood their ground on the extreme right near Van Wycksrust, where they met Gen. French's turning movement. The fight continued all day, and the result is as yet mere conjecture. Probably the Boer rear guard succeeded in keeping Gen. French off, and is now in the hills

northwest of Johannesburg. PEACE PROPOSALS.

The Standard has the following advices from Pretoria, under Monday's date: "The Transvaal Government has opened, or is about to open, peace negotiations. It has cabled a final inquiry to its agents abroad, asking whether any hope exists of aid."

Without doubt the presence of Lord Roberts, with 40,000 men at Johannesburg, will hasten the Transvaal's decision. Dispatches from Lorenzo Marquez yesterday described President Kruger as "wavering, but demanding a guarantee that he shall not be exiled to St. Helena." The fighting burghers still continue to desert, total collapse of the Boer military organization is not far off. Bennett Burleigh, wiring from Lord Roberts' headquarters at Vereeniging on Sunday, says: "I doubt if President Kruger can muster 15,000 men, as many of the burghers have gone to their homes." The stauncher Boers are The stauncher Boers are sending their families, with wagons and stores to the Zoutpansberg district. Whether Pretoria will be de-fended is uncertain, although a Pretoria message, dated Sunday, pictures the work of defending the capital as going on with "feverish activity."
Pretoria is situated in a wilderness of kopjes and ranges, and is provided with defenses that require at least 20,000 men to man them properly. There may still be one hard nut for the British to crack.

LATEST FROM PRETORIA. The last message out of Pretoria is the following, dated May 28, and censored by the Boer Government: "Krause, acting as special commandant at Johannesburg, has issued a circular to the officials concerned, warning them of the necessity of controlthe foreign element in the town. and directing them to resist all attempts to destroy property or life, meeting force by force."

LONDON JUBILATES. The news that Lord Roberts was to untangle their fishing ling practically master of Johannesburg swept away and drowned.

enthusiasm. A procession of students marched through the West End, cheering and singing. The announcement at the various places of amusement was followed by singing of the Na-tional Anthem and cheers for "Bobs." While the townspeople at Fleetwood were cheering the announcement that Lord Roberts had occupied Johannesburg, the German crew of the Henri-etta, an English vessel that was sold to a German firm, cheered President Kruger. Several conflicts occurred between the Germans and the English, and the chief officer of the Henrietta was mobbed. Ultimately the police force was doubled.

#### British Prisoners.

BOER REPORT.

Pretoria, May 29.—Owing to rumors of an intended mutiny among the British prisoners confined at Waterval. special precautions were taken to prevent a rising. The day passed quietly, however. Friends of the prisoners presented each of them with ten shillings through the manager of the Natal Bank. The men used most of the money in celebrating the Queen's birthday. The anniversary of her Majesty's birth, for the first time in many years, was not officially recog-nized here. The Volksstem published an appreciative personal article on the venerable British ruler. It said it still hoped that Queen Victoria will crown her distinguished model life by exercising the royal veto to stop the unheard-of sorrows into which both nations engaged in the conflict have

been plunged. Among the 50 patients in one of the hospitals eight are British officers. They are all doing well. Naval Lieut. Fullord and Lieuts. Pelham, Creighton, Martin, Crane, Chapman, Briggs and Medge are most convalescent, after virulent attacks of typhoid fever.

THE STRATHCONAS.

London, May 30. — It is announced officially that one hundred troopers of Strathcona's Horse have arrived at Durban on the transport Mohawk, and proceeding to Pietermaritzburg. The rest of the Horse will follow in the troopship Maplemore. It is supposed that the troops are going up to help Buller in his advance upon the Transvaal, through Laing's Nek. Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal has been very much disappointed on the announcement of the delay in sending the recruits for the Strathcona Horse from Cape Town to the front. He has communicated with Lord and unexpected move.

Lansdowne, secretary of war, in re-gard to the cause.

Ottawa, May 30.—Hon. Dr. Borden, minister of militia, in the course of his inspection here, said mobility was one of the requisites of infantry. This had been shown by the war in South Africa. He proposed to provide the infantry of Canada with horses and driven back evidently refers to the to turn all corps of foot militia into prolonged fighting of Gen. French west-

#### mounted infantry VERY COOL.

Mafeking, May 28.-This is how Mafeking took the relief. Faintly from the northwest about 1:30 p.m., May 16, we heard the sound of artillery. Col. Baden-Powell went up the lookout. Women and children were on the housetops and and most of the men were manning the

works. Major Mackenzie tumbled downstairs at 3 with a pigeon in his hand. In a few seconds the dispatch was on the table and the code books were Major Hanbury-Tracey cried out: "They left Masibili this morning and are com-

Ing in."
The fight must have lasted three hours, when through our glasses the Boers could be seen stretching out in retreat.

At sunset the garrison seized the Standard and Diggers' fort and shelled the Boers as they passed. Darkness was drawing on when Ma-jor Karri-Davis, with eight horsemen, entered the market square. The town took the relief quietly. A trooper stop-ped a passer-by and said: "Hi! We are

the relief column."
"Oh, indeed," said the citizen. "We heard you were outside," and the citizen proceeded on his errand. "Well, I'm —," said the trooper, but he takes it pretty coolly." The party dismounted at the staff office, where a crowd gathered and

forts cheered. When the relieving column marched in at 4 a.m. there was plenty of whisky. BUGLE BLASTS The three Boer envoys have left

cheered for the first time in several months. Then the troops in the outer

Washington for a trip north. They will go first to New York and thence to Boston.
The Netherlands Railway Company has notified the authorities at Lorenzo Marquez that they must de-cline to accept goods for delivery at Johannesburg. Johannesburg telegrams are still accepted, subject to

stoppage at Pretoria. Two Winnipeg boys, John Black and Ben Gilbertson, jumped into the river to untangle their fishing lines and were

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# Utrecht

In the Southeastern Section of the Transvaal,

Occupied by British Troops Under Gen. Hildyard-Boers Getting Out of Natal.

London, May 30 .- The following dispatch has been received at the war office from Gen. Buller: Newcastle, May 30 .- The enemy having formed a laager east of the town at Dornberg, pressed my right rear annoyingly. On May 27 I directed a force under Hild. yard, by Woolsdrift and Utrecht, and another under Lyttleton, by Schangadrift, on Dornberg. These movements have caused the enemy at Dornberg

to retire north. Hildyard is at Utrecht, and the town has surrendered. Clery is bombarding Laing's Nek. The enemy are much disheartened, and were they not in such very strong positions I doubt if they

would show fight. The railway was opened to New

castle on May 28. FOR PRO-BOER READERS. Pretoria, Tuesday, May 29.-A dispatch sent from Johannesburg last night describes the town as intensely excited throughout the day on reports that the British were approaching; but says the excitement subsided in the evening, owing to rumors that the British had been driven back. There are large numbers of burghers at Johannesburg, but remarkably good

## order prevails there.

The Situation. London, May 30 .- The serious part of the campaign, from the military point of view, is now regarded as over. Any prolonged defense of Pretoria is considered highly improbable, and many military men anticipate that General French will capture the Transvaal capital within a day or two by a sudden

Public interest largely centers in President Kruger, his capture or escape. The occupation of Pretoria would be largely robbed of its value in the estimation of the British if "Oom Paul" were still at large and able to keep alive the dying embers of war. The report that the British were driven back evidently refers to the

wards of Johannesburg, but apparently

the British were not seriously checked

as Lord Roberts does not mention it

in his dispatch 24 hours later. SNYMAN WOUNDED. A dispatch from Mafeking, dated Friday, May 25, reports that Gen. Snyman, the Boer commander, has left his force and arrived at his farm with a

shrapnel bullet in his foot. The Boer laager at Rooigraad, it is added, has retired further into Transvaal and Mafeking is rapidly resuming its normal state.

Major-Gen. Baden-Powell, on the Queen's birthday, gave a dinner to the officers of the relief column. During the course of a speech proposing Queen's health, the defender of Mafe-king remarked that he was so elevated by the recent occurrences that he felt he could "drink the health of Paul Kruger himself, coupled with that of Cecil Rhodes," adding: "President Kruger has been the cause of the present great outburst of imperial feeling, and Rhodes was the red rag to the bull which drew him on."

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The annual convocation for confer-Ming degrees in arts, presenting divinity diplomas and scholarships was held in the Western University yesterday Afternoon. Many friends of the pupils In both departments were present and evidenced their interest in this institution, in which, year by year, more gratifying results are being accomplished. The reports of the work this year were replete with words of satisfaction in the attainment of the uniwersity's present position and hope for the future time. His Lordship the Bishop of Huron, who has ever been keenly interested in the university's welfare, presided over the gathering. He conferred the degrees and presented the diplomas and prizes. In an address that he made subsequently, he urged earnestly that the people of London should endow this institution largely with their good-will, if they could make no pecuniary endowment.
With him upon the platform were
Rev. Provost Watkins, Rev. Prof.
Burgess, Rev. John Downey, of Watford; Ven. Aarchdeacon Davis, Prof. James, Prof. Harrison, Rev. J. H. Moorhouse, Rev. Canon Richardson, Rev. G. B. Sage, Rev. E. N. English, Robert Fox, Rev. Dr. Johnston, Dr. English and Dr. Moorhouse, dean of the faculty of the medical department.

In the report of the divinity faculty, which was read by Provost Watkins, he said that during his ten years' tenure of office there had never been a year in which there had been evidence of more zeal in the studies and more earnestness of spirit, more union and concord within the college walls. Tending to this end had been the kind assistance given by his Lordship the Bishop of Huron, Canon Richardson, Rev. G. B. Sage and Principal Eng-Continuing, he said that the advice of his lordship to the young men to take both the arts and divinity courses was being followed by a large percentage of the pupils. Thus Messrs. E. Appleyard and T. B. Howard had received diplomas in both departments. Those for divinity alone were received by Messrs. W. H. Hartley and I. M. Webb. In commenting on a slight deficiency in the supplementaries on religious knowledge. urged the wisdom of having Bible study early in the day in public schools. He spoke also of the large amount of outside work done by the idents, 190 services having been takby them since October last. Con-

h by them since October and duding, he said that the outlook for the future was very bright, and the entries for the next term gave promise of a full college next October. Mr. W. H. Hartley was then pre-sented with his divinity diploma. He on also the Wilson elocu-

tion, in competition with Mr. Apple-yard, and he divided the second Hensall prize with Mr. Howard, the judges having decided that no first prize should be given. After prizes were awarded to Messrs. Hartley and Henry In reporting upon the arts faculty,

was high, and would continue to be The work was exactly the same as at the Provincial University. During the past term there had been 52 pupils in attendance. Those who secured the degree of bachelor of arts were Miss Susan A. Blackburn, Miss Jessie Murdock, Mr. Appleyard and Mr. Howard, besides Mr. Percy A. Gahan, of Wheatley, who received the degree in absentia.

Particular mention was made to the excellent work of Miss Roberta Fox.

and also that of Miss McDonald, Miss English, class III., S. English; Greek, class I., S. English; Latin, class II., Madiaeval history, class would be sustained by the removal of III., S. English. Dr. Tupper, professor of English, who had been appointed to a position at A. Carlisle, Miss Graves, Miss Win-Brynmawr, the largest women's col-lege in the United States. The resig-nation of Chancellor Sir Wm. Meredith, of Toronto University, from the vice-chancellorship was also reported with regret.

The valedictory, which was replete with beautiful thoughts, beautifully expressed, was read by Miss Black-burn, one of the graduates, and upon its conclusion she and her companion Psychology—Class I., English; class graduates were presented to his lord- II., Miss Campbell, Miss Graves. bishop, who conferred upon them the degree of B. A., and also in absentia upon Mr. Percy A. Gahan, of Wheatley, Ont. Rev. Francis Doherty, of Tyrone, Ireland, was granted the degree of Master of Arts, and that of

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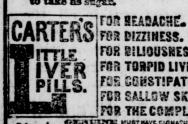
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Doctor of Divinity was granted to Rev. Canon Hurst, of London, England. The gold medal for the best first year papers on matnematics, which is presented by Rev. Dr. Johnston, was won by Miss Roberta Fox, and was presented by Mrs. Johnston to Mr. Robert Fox, the young lady's father, as she was un-

Dr. Moorhouse, dean of the medical faculty, and Ven. Archdeacon Davis, made short addresses, and in the latter's the gratitude of the senate was expressed to the Bisnop of Huron for his presence. This proposal was seconded by Rev. John Downey, of Wat-

ford. His lordship replied by addressing a few words, principally to the students, but he hoped they would find a response in all. Those who were now students stood upon a peculiar vantage ground At the close of 1900 weary years, they may have been years of trial and bloodshed and of wrong, there may have been deeds that we would rather cover and transactions that oblivion should hide from our eyes, but notwithstanding that, there were lessons we could learn, there were truths which they as students could gather to make them stronger men and women to push through the battle of the future. The senate of the university had said that their principle of teaching was founded upon those blessed and eternal truths that have created that church for which Jesus Christ was content to die. As the war in South Africa was nearing a conclusion, it was apparent that it was not merely courage that had strength-ened men in battle, but it was the deeper Christianity that knew no turn-The leaders were men who were not ashamed to confess Christ. Lord Roberts had sent to England for a particular prayer to distribute among his men; and in beleaguered Ladysmith, Sir George White himself had led his men in daily prayer. Since 1851, the year in which it was considered that universal peace had come, the tramp of warring men had shaken the round globe to teach the truth that science, with all her power and civilization, with all her refinement, could not down the dark passions of the human heart. It was only the blessed Christ who could walk upon the troubled seas and say, "Peace," and there would be a great calm. They believed in Jesus Christ, the sole indicator of humanity, and, continued his lordship: "In the halls of, this university, let him be honored or let them fall for evermore."

The corvocation was concluded with the singing of "God Save the Queen" and the bestowal of the benediction.

## The Successful Ones.

Following are the results of the re-cent examinations in the art department of the Western University: FOURTH YEAR.

English-Class 1., Miss S. B. Blackburn; class II., E. Appleyard, T. B. Howard; class III., Miss Murdoch. Greek-Class I., Appleyard, Howard. Latin-Class II., Appleyard, Howard; class III., Miss Murdoch, Miss

Blackburn. French-Class II., Miss Blackburn; class III., Miss Murdoch. German—Class II., Appleyard, Miss Blackburn; class III., Howard, Miss

Murdoch. Canadian Constitutional History -Miss Blackburn, Miss Murdoch. Church History—Miss Blackburn,

Miss Murdoch. Ethics-Class II., Miss Murdoch, Miss Blackburn. Economics-Miss Murdoch, Miss Blackburn.

Apologetics-Class I., Howard; class Appleyard. Astronomy-Class I., Appleyard, Howard; class II., Miss Murdoch, Miss

Blackburn. THIRD YEAR. 1. Honors in English and Modern

Languages, English, French, German, Italian—Class III., Miss Macdonald. 2. General Course, English—Class II., H. A. Wright; Greek, class I., H. A. Provost Watkins emphasized the fact that the standard of examinations Hebrew, class I., H. A. Wright; that the standard of examinations church history, class I., H. A. Wright; apologetics, class I., H. A. Wright. (Paper of extra-mural candidates not yet examined.)

SECOND YEAR. 1. Honors in English and Modern Languages-English, class II., Miss Campbell; French, class I., Miss Camp-

bell; German, class II., Miss Camp-bell; Italian, class III., Miss Camp-

S. English; Mediaeval history, class 3. General Course-English, class II.

nett, A. Bice; Greek, class I., Car-lisle; class III., Bice; Latin, class I., Miss Campbell, Carlisle; class II., Bice; class II., Miss Winnett; French, class II., S. English; class III., Miss Winnett, Miss Graves: history (mediaeval), Miss Graves, Miss Campbell; history (ecclesiastical), Carlisle, Bice; geology, class I., Miss Graves, Carlisle; class II., Bice.

Fiblical Literature-Class I., Carlisle; class III., Bice.

FIRST YEAR. English Literature—Class I., Miss Fox, Miss Brock; class III., C. W. Saunders; G. E. Chapman (J. E. Gunn, W. J. Jackson). English Composition-Class I., Miss Fox, Sanders; class II., Miss Brock, Gunn; class III., Colgrove, Jackson, C. O. E. Smith, Miss English. Greek Authors-Class II., Jackson;

class III., Sanders. Greek Composition—Class I., Sanders, Jackson; class III., Colgrove.
Latin Authors—Class I., Miss Fox;
class III., Sanders, Jackson, Gunn,

Fox; class III., Sanders, Gunn, Jack-French authors-Class I., Miss Fox; French Composition—Class I., Miss Fox; French Composition—Class I., Miss Fox; class II., Miss English, Miss Brock; class III., Smith. German Authors—Class I.. Jackson

(Miss Fox, Sanders); class III., Miss English. German Composition - Class I., Miss

Ancient History—Class I., Miss Fox; class III., Gunn, Jackson, Sanders, Algebra—Class I., Miss Fox; class III., Sanders, Jackson, Miss English, Euclid-Class I., Miss Fox, Sanders;

class II., Jackson, Miss English, Gunn. Colgrove. Trigonometry - Class I., Miss Fox; class III. (Jackson, Sanders), Gunn,

Colgrove. Physics-Class I., Miss Fox; class II., Sanders, Jackson, Gunn, Col-

'PINOS SURRENDER.

Washington, D. C., May 30.-The war department has received the following from Gen. MacArthur at Manila: Three officers and 56 men with rifles surrendered unconditionally at Cuyapo yesterday. Three officers and 46 men with 55 rifles surrendered unconditionally today at Tarlac. These spontaneous surrenders are very encouraging.

## **BRITAIN'S POLICY**

In Regard to the Future of the Transvaal.

Lord Salisbury Speaks on the Causes of the War.

And Says: "Not a Shred of the Former Independence of the Republic Shall Remain."

London, May 30. - Lord Salisbury, who was entertained at dinner last night by the City of London Conservative Association, made an important announcement regarding the government's South African policy. "The 'stop the war' party have used my name," said the premier, "in support The of their ideas by stating that I promised there should be no annexation of territory, no annexation of gold fields, I never gave the pledge. I never meant to give a pledge. (Loud cheers.) I stated a simple historical fact. We were accused of going to war for lust of gold and territory. It was one of those atrocious calumnies which, under the favoring indulgence of Dr. Leyds, spread itself over the press of Europe. Nothing could be more untrue.

BRITAIN'S OBJECT. "We went to war to abate op-pression of the Queen's subjects in the Transvaal, and because our re-monstrances were met by an insulting ultimatum, to which, if the Queen's government had submitted, her power, not only in South Africa, but over her colonies and dependencies, would have been at an end. We were forced into war by the action of our opponents. To say that because we repudiated the greed of territory we therefore bound ourselves never to annex any territory is a most

RIDICULOUS MISCONSTRUC-

TION. "I dwell on this point because this matter of annexation is about to become a burning question. We have made a tremendous sacrifice of blood and treasure in this conflict. There are misleading prophets, whose action bulks as large in the columns of the news-papers as the action of more influential and powerful people, who mislead the unlucky rulers of the Transvaal to continue resistance far beyond the time when all resistance has ceased to be even possibly successful. These men are perpetually pressing us to make some conditions, to offer some arranged stipulations that

shall leave a shred for independence to the two republics. STRONG SAFEGUARD FOR THE

FUTURE. "Our only certainty of preventing a recurrence of this fearful war is to insure that never again shall such vast accumulations of armaments occur, and that not a shred of the former independence of the republic shall remain. (Cheering.) We are not yet at the end of the war; but I shall venture to lay it down as a primary condition of any future settlement that precautions will be taken of such a charcter that such a war will never occur again."

"Of course what measures will be necessary it is impossible at this moment to determine, because that depends largely on the action and temper of those with whom we have to deal. I have already intimated that their resistance has gone beyond the limit to which resistance could wisely go. It is not for us to criticise their actions in what they are pleased to call self-defense; but they have acted so that every bitterness created by the war and every severance of classes and races have been stimulated by every measure they have taken; and so they go on.

PROTECT NATIVE RACES. "It will also be our duty to protect those native races who have been so sorely afflicted, and at the same time so to conduct their policy that, so far as possible, there shall be a reconcili-ation, and that everyone shall be a happy member of the British Empire. After the master of the rolls, Lord Alverstone, had proposed "The Imperial Forces," Lord Salisbury again rose, holding a paper in his hand, and "I find that Lord Roberts has

occupied Johannesburg." This announcement was followed by

# MR. R. A. STEDMAN,

Deputy - Warden Ontario Reformatory for Boys,

Was Cured of a Severe Case of Rheumatism by Dr. Arnold's English Toxin Pills. This Case Only One of Many

Penetanguishene, May 30.-Of the many government officials in Ontario, no one is better nor more favorably known than is Mr. R. A. Stedman, deputy warden of the Ontario Reformatory for Boys at Penetanguishene. Mr. Stedman has held his responsible post for many years, giving the utmost satisfaction to all concerned. He is known as an upright, faithful and conscientious official, and in private life is as highly respected as in public.

For a long time past Mr. Stedman has been a victim to that most pain-Latin Composition - Class I., Miss ful disease, Rheumatism, his arms, legs, back and shoulders being principally affected. Everybody who has suffered with rheumatism will know what Mr. Stedman has endured. Words cannot describe the torments he went through. His family physician did all he could for him, but gave him only temporary relief-cure seemed a thing beyond reach.

One day, however, Mr. Thomas Hardford, gardening instructor to the Fox, Jackson, Sanders; class III., Smith, W. C. Fawcett, Miss English.

Hardford, gardening instructor to the institution, advised him to try Dr. Arnold's English Toxin Pills. "You know how bad I was with the same complaint," said Mr. Hardford, "and they cured me. Now I know that if cure you. Try a box and see if I am not right."

Mr. Stedman did try Dr. Arnold's English Toxin Pills. As a consequence he is now sound and well in every nerve, muscle and limb, free from aches and pains, and able to attend to

his duties every day.

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a wild display of enthusiasm, the company cheering for "Bobs" and singing "God Save the Queen." Lord Salisbury, later in the evening, when proposing "The City of London Conservative Association," referred to the glorious news received, and said. "One thing we have learned from this war is that everything depends on the

general."

PRESS COMMENTS. London, May 30 .- Lord Salisbury's utterances at the banquet of the City of London Conservative Association last evening are the most emphatic enunciation of the government's at-titude toward the conquered states which has yet been put forth. His declarations are accepted by the news-papers as irrevocable, especially the declaration "Not a shred of independence shall remain." The Standard says: "Annexation is already more than half accomplished, and since Sunday the gazetteers and books of references on the subject have been obsolete." The Daily News calls the speech "the logic of the stricken field." The Times says: "There will be no commiseration for the extinction of the Transvaal, but there will be some sentimental regret over the obliteration of the Orange Free State.'

#### THE TRAIN PARTED

Fatal Accident at Merritton-G. T. R. Fireman Atkinson Killed-Several Cars Wrecked.

St. Catharines, Ont., May 30 .- G. W. Atkinson, of Toronto, a fireman on the G. T. R., was killed this morning at Merritton.

A train of 51 loaded coal cars was coming down the heavy grade between Thorold and Merritton, when the train parted. The first portion of the train was run on a siding, but the engine went past the switch-point on to the main track, so that when the rear portion of the train came along on the main track there was a collision. Several cars were wrecked, and the tender of the engine was badly smashed. The engineer escaped, by jumping, but Atkinson was caught just as he was about to leap.

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edy sold on its merits and is the pur est, safest and cheapest remedy sold for stomach troubles, and every trial makes one more friend for this celebrated preparation.

# PARLIAMENT

Ottawa, May 29.-This afternoon Sir Charles Tupper took advantage of an opportunity to deny the statement of the New York correspondent of the London Times, that he had made himself the mouthpiece of any discontent there might have been in Canada in reference to the policy of the government in connection with the Transvaal war. Incidentally Sir Charles referred to the Birmingham episode. Mr. Taylor moved an amendment to going into supply, condemning the government's policy in relation to the sale of binder twine. Mr. Fitzpatrick offered to allow the whole question relating to the management of the binder twine industry to go to the committee on public accounts. The amendment was voted down after midnight by 38 to 71.

Sir Charles Tupper moved the adjournment of the house in order to correct a statement by Mr. Smalley, the New York correspondent of the Times. Mr. Smalley cabled that he had been in Ottawa, and from his observations there testified to the prevailing devotion to the mother country. In denying the statement made by Mr. Smalley, Sir Charles said: there is one man in the house that has not been open to the censure of having done anything to prevent aid being sent by Canada to the Imperial Government that man is myself, and yet I am to be held up, after Mr. Smalley has visited the seat of gov-ernment and professes to have learned what is the sentiment, to be held up as the one man in this country who has prevented and obstructed and created difficulties in this matter. have given evidence not only of leading supporters of honorable gentlemen opposite, but I have given the evidence of one of the members of the government itself, that Mr. Smalley's statement has not been accurate, and that he has spent his time to very little purpose and got such information as is calculated to mislead that great organ of public opinion in England; and do not want anyone to assail me and my reputation and standing in this country in the manner in which he has done, and which is a perfect travesty of everything like accuracy and truth in this matter."

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that he was at a loss to see why Sir Charles had brought this matter up, unless it was to prevent public opinion from dwelling too strongly on certain dissensions said to prevail in the Conservative party at this moment. Sir Charles was troubled with newspaper criticism. Sir Charles was too old a politician and too long in public life to make it his duty to reply to newspaper criticism on the floor of the house. They were all exposed to newspaper criticism; for his part he believed life was too short for most off as to do this, whatever might be said of us in newspapers. He had the greatest respect for the press; they had not always spoken of him in very kind terms, but he could afford

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thoular criticism taken exception to, he could say nothing. "Perhaps," the pre-mier continued, "during Mr. Smalley's short stay in this country he read the speeches of my honorable friend delivered at Quebec and Montreal, where he warned the French-Canadians to look out, they would soon be called upon to contribute to Great Britain's wars to the tune of \$46,000,000 a year." (Laughter and cheers.) The house went into committee of

supply. The first item was \$2,000, which Mr. Paterson explained was for the purpose of making an improvement tine system of keeping statistics which would be of advantage to the commercial interests of this country. He added that an increase of \$20,000 would be asked for in the supplementaries for next year, and was proceeding to explain the nature of the change when the opposition became impatient and cried "carried."

Sir Hibbert Tupper announced that when the house was moved into com-mittee of supply he would mave a vote of censure on the government for failing to take action on the evidence of Louis Carboneau in the investigation

before Mr. Ogilvie.
Sir Wilfrid Laurier said he would fix a flate for Sir Hibbert's amendment, as it was the intention to take up governbe better to have the whole day for the di scussion.

to put up with that. As to the par- The house adjourned at 12:50 a.m.

LADY BARBER PASSED. Detroit, May 30 .- The first examination under the new law providing for the examination of barbers by a state board of registration was held at the Griswold House yesterday. About 50 out-of-town applicants for certificates were quizzed, and 26 certificates were issued. Among the bunch was one young woman, Miss Flaud Cleveland, of Addison. She gave her age as 19, and said she had been in the business five years. She was passed in her examination.

"The Strength of Twenty Men." When Shakespeare employed this

phrase he referred, of course, to healthy, able-bodied men. If he had lived in these days he would have known that men and women who are not healthy may become so by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine, by making the blood rich and pure and giving good appetite and perfect digestion, imparts vitality and strength to the system.

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# SPORTING NEWS

BASEBALL. EASTERN LEAGUE.

R. H. E. At Syracuse-Syracuse .....2 0 0 0 2 1 0 0 \*-5 10 Rochester ....001000200-3 6 3 Batteries-Altrock and Lattimer; Bowen and Smink. Umpire, Griffin.

At Hartford-Providence ...0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 9 2 Hartford ....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 1 Batteries-Braund, Leahy and Noblitz; Donovan and Steelman. Umpire,

At Springfield-Springfield....10100040\*-6 7 0 kid was generally out of the way, and Worcester ...000000000000 6 4 his lightning jabs had Ryan bleeding Batteries-Woods and Phelps; Klobedanz and Kittredge. Umpire, O'Lough-

At Montreal—
Montreal .....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0—2 5
Toronto .....0 2 0 0 3 0 2 0 \*—7 6 Batteries—Felix and Raub; Alloway and Bemis. Umpire, Hunt.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. At Indianapolis-Indianapolis 5, De-

At Chicago-Chicago 4, Kansas City At Buffalo-Buffalo 0, Cleveland 5. INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Port Huron-R. H. E. Port Huron...201021030-9 8 2 Hamilton ....000020000-2 2 5

At Saginaw-Saginaw ....1 0 0 0 3 0 2 0 2—8 11 6 London .....2 0 0 5 0 0 0 0 0—7 13 2 Batteries—Haney, Miller and Kleinow; Kostal and Pickard.

Rain at Grand Rapids. NATIONAL LEAGUE. No National League games were scheduled for yesterday. Two games will be played today (Memorial Day). FLYS.

Hanivan is playing good short for Syracuse, but he is not batting up to

McGraw is said to be drawing a salary of \$6,000 for the season from St. Louis, which is equivalent to \$1,200 a

Wagner, of Pittsburg, leads the big league in batting with an average of .495. Lajole is fourth with .425, and Deichanty eighth, with .400. Freeman is away down in the list, his figures being

Only two of the regular members of the Montreal club are batting over 300—Banon and Henry. The former's average is .386, and the latter's .300. ran. Johnson's figures are .294, Odwell's 292, ley's .214.

Unofficial figures show Brooklyn to be leading in stolen bases, with New York next. The fact that the Brooklyns are now down in sacrifice hits while the New Yorks are near the top, would seem to indicate that there is such a thing as too much sacrifice hit-

FISTIO

Chicago, May 29.-Kid McCoy was given a decision over Syracuse Tommy Ryan tonight at the end of the prettiest six-round fight ever seen here. But over the decision, and what Referee Malaachy Hogan claims was a misapprehension, a free-for-all fight resulted, and but for the presence of a larg : force of police, who hustled the men out of the ring and cleared the hall in a hurry, it is probable that the McCoy-Ryan fight would not have been the most interesting thing in the evening's programme. One clause of the agreement was that a draw should be declared were both men on their feet at the end of the 6th round. Referee Hogan said, after the contest, that he had no such understanding, and rendered such a decision as he thought just. As the bell rung at the end of the 6th round, Ryan, bleeding from the ear and nose from McCoy's flerce left jabs, but 'comparatively

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fresh, started toward his corner. "McCoy wins," shouted Hogan. In an instant the hall was a pandemonium. "What do you mean?" asked Ryan in amazement. Hogan said nothing, but climbed through the ropes. "You're a robber!" shouted Ryan. Hogan turned around, and just as he did so, Ryan swung his left to Hogan's face. Quick as a flash Hogan returned the compliment, with a blow on Tommy's nose. But before they could go fur-ther the police was between them. The Tattersall's management admitted after the fight that the draw agreement was correct, but said Hogan's decision would stand, so far as the fight was concerned. McCoy, in the opinion of a large majority, had the better of it. Ryan carried the fight to his man continually, but the elusive kid was generally out of the way, and

slightly early in the fight. TURF FAVORITES MAKE POOR SHOWING Toronto, May 29.-The racing at the Woodbine today had no special features except the fact that the favorites were singularly unfortunate, and contrived to lose a good deal of money for their backers. In the third race, that for the Ontario plate, Belcourt, the Dyment horse, which ran third in the Queen's plate, and finished apparently strong, was the favorite. Belcourt, however, finished a very poor last, and was the subject of much adverse comment. It is probable that Advance Guard, Carruthers & Shields' horse, which beat Seagram's Mr. Jersey in the Woodstock stakes yesterday, will meet in the course before Saturday in a match for a stake Batteries—Barret and Lohbeck; of \$1,500 a side. Mr. Seagram thinks Bradford and Conwell. Umpire, Smith.

At Saginaw—

At Saginaw carrying 125, and if preliminaries can be arranged the doubt will be settled in true sportsmanlike way. Following are

today's results: First race, Queen City purse, \$400, for 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs—Spring-wells, 100 (Irwin), 5 to 1, 1; Dangerous, Maid, 92 (Weber), 3 to 1, 2; Momentum, 110 (J. Martin), 10 to 1, 3. Time, 1:18. Allice Farley, Butter Scotch, Daryl, Joe Martin, Mongolian, Bromo also ran. Second race, Lorne purse, \$400, for maiden 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs-The Copper, 108 (A.Weber), 10 to 1, 1; Egyptian Prince, 111 (Landry), 20 to 1, 2; Tasker, 108 (Irwin), 10 to 1, 3. Time, 1:05%. Flatterer, Splash, Servant, Anthisis, Zamboanga, Terminus, Donna Seay and Babe Hewitt also ran.

Third race, Ontario purse, \$400, for horses owned, foaled and raised in Canada, that have never won a race, 11/8 miles—White Clover (Pemberton), White Clover and Play Fun coupled in betting, 2 to 1, 1; Euclaire, 91 (J. Martin), coupled with Pillardist, in betting, at 5 to 1, 2; Pillardist, 98 (Boyle), 3. Time, 2:04%. Belcourt and Curfew Bell also

Johnson's figures are .294, Odwell's 292, Fourth race, Rosedale purse, \$400, for Schiebeck's 260, Lezotte's 260, and Doo- 3-year-olds and upwards, 1 1-16 miles 5, 2; Highland Fluide, 12 to 1, 3. Time, 1:521/4. Free Advice also

Fifth race, May handicap, purse \$400, 6 furlongs—Prince Plausible, 105 (Landry, 8 to 5, 1; Rey Salazar, 104 (McQuade), 6 to 1, 2; Credential, 112 (Ballard), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:18. Glad Hand, Ida Fordham, Expelled, Mr. Clay also ran.

ran.
Sixth race, purse \$400, for 3-year-olds,
1 mile—Alfred Vargrave, 99 (J. Martin), 4½ to 1, 1; Maidstone, 99 (A. Weber), 4½ to 1, 2; Kitty Regent, 103 (Castro), 7 to 1, 3. Time, 1:46. Ean, Wine Press, Jack Carey also ran.

FAMOUS HORSE DEAD. The checkered career of little old Ryland T., 2:0734, successively a cow pony, a king of trotters and a cast-off road horse, was ended last week on the Dundee race track near Paterson. The bay gelding that once held the world's record for three consecutive heats fell down dead after trotting a slow mile. Dr. H. A. Machan, of Paterson, owned the once great horse, having bought him at auction for the paltry sum of \$220 less than one month ago. Ryland T. was 16 years old. He was foaled on the range near Idaho Falls, Idaho, and was got by Taylor's Ledger, Jun., a son of Ledger, by Robert Bonner, that old-time stage coach magnate, Ben Holliday, took to the far west from this state many years ago. Ryland's dam, May Ulverston, was by Ulverton, the thoroughbred son of Lexington, out of a Missouri saddle mare called Belle Ridge, whose breeding is unknown. Bod Stewart, of Kansas City, bought out Ryland T. about ten years ago, and STOTT & JURY, Bowmanville, the little horse was prominent in the Grand Circuit four or five years in

succession. A more unreliable trotter was never seen, and few faster ones ever set foot on a race track. A 3:00 trotter could shut him out when he was in bad behavior, and a 2:05 trotter was not sure to beat him when he took a notion to trot. No one could tell beforehand how he was going to cut up, and his backers never breathed easy until his nose was under the wire in the deciding heat. He won some great races for the Stewarts, Pat, Bob and John, but he probably cost those plungers much more than he ever earned. His greatest race was trotted at Cleveland, July 26, 1894. Alix that day won the fastest three-heat race ever trotted. But the ink

was hardly dry on his champion re-cord before the turbulent, moody little Ryland wiped it out in a manner that made every circuit plunger raise his hat. The time of his miles was 2:081/4, YESTERDAY'S WINNERS. At Gravesend, New York-Danforth, Merit, Bedeck, Hinduc, Scurry and

Bangon At Latonia, Cincinnati-Nettie Regent, Acushla, Covington, Ben Frost, Irvinmayor and Wilson. At St. Louis, Mo.—Russel R., Golden Harvest, May Dine, Pinochole, Siddar

and Theory.

NOTES OF SPORT. Pastime, a monthly journal of recreation, sport and amusement, published at Toronto, has made its appearance, and the first number is very creditable to the management of the enter-prise. The old Canadian Wheelman has publisher, will make every effort to make Pastime one of the leading sporting authorities in America, and everything will be written up in a bright and breezy style. Every kind of sport will be found in its pages, and readers will be kept in close touch with the doings

## The English Derby.

of the sporting world in general. Each

issue will be replete with numerous half-tone illustrations.

PRINCE OF WALES' DIAMOND JUBILEE THE WINNER.

London, May 30.-The Derby race was won by the Prince of Wales' Diamond Jubilee. Simondale was second and Mr. James R. Keene's Disguise II. was third.

From Provisions of the French Amnesty Bill.

cer Attacked by Ashantis - Incia Favored With Rain, But the Chole Rages Unabated.

Paris, May 30.-The senate reassembled yesterday, and M. Eugene Eurin Miss Clauser was severely injured. presented his report on the amnesty | They were attending a picnic. bill, the provisions of which prevent further criminal proceedings arising out of recriminations in the Dreyfus case, and he asked for a discussion of the measure next Friday, to which the senate agreed. The report says former Capt. Alfred Dreyfus is excluded from -Chopin, 112 (A. Weber), Chopin and the amnesty, owing to the serious Free Advice coupled in betting at 3 to double objection that amnesty, in ef-5, 1; John Halsey, 96 (Thompson), 8 to facing all trace of the condemnation 5, 2; Highland Prince, 104 (McQuade), and crime itself, would have as a consequence the reinstatement of Dreyfus in all his rights, while on the other hand it would deprive him of the right to seek a revision of his case. The bill, it is further pointed out, will have the effect of removing various suits from the criminal courts to civil jurisdiction, and the most complete light on the Dreyfus affair may thus be thrown, but without noise and without

RESIGNATION OF THE MINISTER OF WAR. Gen. the Marquis de Gallifet, minister of war, has resigned, giving illhealth as his reason. It is officially announced that his successor is Gen.

ATTACKED BY ASHANTIS. London, May 30.—The British colonial office has received advices from Col. Wilcocks, in command of the relief force which recently started for Kumassie, saying that a small force of Haussas from Prahsu, commanded by Lieut. Slater, had been attacked, and that Lieut. Slater and several of his men had been killed.

RAIN IN INDIA. The Viceroy of India telegraphs that good rains have fallen in Mysore, and that scattered showers have fallen else-where. The cholera has not abated in many parts of Bombay and Rajputana, and causes much mortality and impedes the relief work. There are now 5,730,000 persons in receipt of relief.

Mr. James Mackenzie McLean (Conservative), on the motion to adjourn for Whitsuntide, called attention in the House of Commons to the India famine. which, he said, the Indian government seemed unable to cope with. Lord George Hamilton, secretary of state for India, referred to the testimony of seemed unable to cope with. <del>\*</del> Indian missionaries at the recent Ecumenical Council in New York, in praise of the Indian government's work. He reminded the house that he had already announced that assistance would be given if necessary from the British exchequer. At the present, however, there was no lack of funds, and, in his opinion, an appeal to the British exchequer now would only dry up the springs of private charitable contributions. He said he hoped that in a few days the normal rainfall would begin, in which event the next few weeks would witness a steady diminution of the numbers now re-

quiring relief. NATIONALIST PROSPECTS. John Redmond, chairman of the United Irish parliamentary party, just previous to starting for Dublin, in order to arrange for the Irish National convention, which is to talte place on June 19, said to a representative of the Associated Press: "I anticipate an Associated Press: "I anticipate an early dissolution of parliament. This will militate against the Nationalists, owing to lack of time for thoroughly organizing, and their lack of funds is liable to lose them several seats." Mr. Redmond also said he hoped American aid would be forthcoming to assist the Nationalist candidates.

FOR THE FIRST TIME. St. Petersburg, May 30 .- For the first time on record the czar invited the members of the British embassy to dinner on the occasion of the Queen's Birthday last week. The innovation is regarded as of great political sig-

CABLE NOTES. The University of Cambridge will confer honorary degrees on June 12 on Mr. Joseph H. Choate, the United States ambassador; Prof. White, of Harvard, and Prof. S. P. Langley, the McLeod, Nolan & Co., London. astronomer, of Washington.

Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, in a speech at Budapesth, Monday, said: "The dreibund is today what it was twenty years ago-a peace alli-ance par excellence.

#### HAPPENINGS OF THE HOUR

The Uxbridge bylaw to raise \$4,000 for a new town hall was defeated. Prof. Howe, of Denver, Col., saw the long-missing planet, Eros, during the eolipse.

One of Toronto's big department stores is to manufacture boots and shoes and knitted goods. Stockmen demand higher duties on

German goods in retaliation for prohib-

itory rates on American meats. Four members of a Minnesota famlly named Wise were shot near Ankora by unknown assassins. Miss Eliza Wood, wife of Mr. A. F. Wood, ex M.P.P., died Monday night

at Madoc, after a long illness. No frauds have been found by investigators at Havana in the Cuban customs and treasury departments.

In the United States senate Tuesday the Teller Boer resolution was referred to the committee on foreign relations, 40 to 26.

The 2-year-old child of Wm. Gibson, been incorporated with Pastime, which will in future be the official organ of the C. W. A. Mr. H. Wright Phillips, afterward.

Over 3,000 passports to European travelers have been issued by the state department at Washington for the 28 days in May. The figures for April were 3,064. In every section of the South Atlan-

tic and Gulf States over which the totality of the eclipse extended, re-ports indicate that the securing of scientific data was entirely successful. At New York on Tuesday, Julius Schroter was sentenced to twelve years and six months in Sing Sing for passing forged bonds of the State of Virginia on the banking house of

Ladenburg. On an immigrant train, which passed through Winnipeg on Saturday from Selkirk, were 800 settlers, bound for Edmonton, Regina, Indian Head, and other places. There are still 1,000 more settlers at Selkirk waiting to be sent to their destination.

On Monday evening, after an illness extending over three months, James Minnes, one of the most successful business men in Kingston, passed away. He was the head of the largest wholesale drygoods house between Montreal and Toronto. Michael Lambers, an employe of the

Dominion Bridge Company, and engaged on the inter-provincial bridge at Ottawa, fell a distance of 70 feet from one of the piers to a scow. He died Force of Haussas Under a Eritish Offi- 80 years of age, and came from Perth. A pile of bridge timbers, on which Wesley Smith, aged 18, Jessie Skaggs, aged 16, and Mabel Clauser, aged 18, were standing, collapsed at Mackinaw Falls, 18 miles below Peoria, Ill., instantly killing Smith and Miss Skaggs

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#### Closing Scenes of the War.

Events in South Africa succeed each other with such mobility that to comment upon them is like commenting on the movements of a kaleidoscope. The occupation of Johannesburg by the British troops-and the formal proclamation of the annexation of the Orange Free State-leave one or two things only to be done to practically wind up the war. Pretoria will next be taken, and the Transvaal Republic will next become a part of the British Empire. There have been loud vaunts by the Boers as to their intentions of making a prolonged defense of Pretoria. We doubt it. The war is near its close. Not many years will elapse until the Canadian Confederation and the Australian Confederation will be followed by a Confederation of South African Provinces.

#### An Independent Testimony.

The able New York telegraphic correspondent of the London Times, recently on a visit to the Dominion, wired his paper as follows, under date of May 13:

"I have been in Ottawa since Monday. While there I met many Canadians entitled by position to speak for Canada. So impressive is their language and their attitude toward the crown and the mother country that, needless as it is, I should like to testify to the prevailing spirit. The loyal devotion which the Canadian troops in South Africa are proving by their valiant and skilled soldiership, the Canadian people at home express in no uncertain tones. If there be Boer sympathizers among the French-Canadians, as is alleged, I met none, though I met many eminent French Catholics. Sir Charles Tupper, whom I did not see, is accused of making himself the mouthpiece of whatever discontent exists, but Sir Charles Tupper is regarded as a politician with next year's election in view, and playing, therefore,

one-half of the conference believed in of dealing with these subjects-one way, to say, you may do this specific thing, you may not do that. The other theory is that it is better to appeal strongly to right general principles, throwing responsibility for specific decision and actions on the individual. The latter is adopted at the next quadrennial ga-

#### Mr. Asquith on Canada.

Mr. Asquith, M. P., one of the ablest

lems was being brought out under our notice at the present moment, and as it was somewhat of a test case he did not apologize for referring to it a litthe in detail. He alluded to the bill for constituting a commonwealth for Austraila. That bill, sent to us by our fellow-citizens and fellow-subjects in Australia, represented the final outcome of a controversy which had lasted more than 20 years. We had in this proposal such an example as certainly not more than once (he referred to the case of Canada) had been presented to us in our history of maintaining and stimulating that which was, after all, stimulating that which was, the secret of our imperial strength the combination of the sentiment of local patriotism with the sentiment of imperial unity. (Cheers.) Look at Canada now, fighting in the forefront of our battles. The secret by which the change had been brought about had been not suppression, not coercion, not what used to be called strong govern-ment; it had been by the recognition upon the freest and the amplest scale of the right of Canada as a whole and of its separate constituent parts to govern themselves after their own fashion, by their own citizens, on their own soil, in accordance with their own view of their own interests. (Cheers.) That was the way in which empires that were worth the name had been built There were two lamentable exceptions in what happened rather more The historic cause could be summed up in the same way. In Ireland the people had never been allowed, in matters of purely domestic concern, to fol-

low the bent of their own natural genius. That was the root and source of this scandal, and black spot upon our imperialism. The moral was surely this, that the means to make the empire strong and great was to make local autonomy in all matters legislative and administrative as large and as free as was consistent with imperial unity. He claimed that to be a Liberal principle, and to the extent, and only to the extent, to which it had been applied in the government of an empire was that empire really strong and united." (Cheers.)

#### The Rift Within the Lute.

The Toronto Mail and Empire calls W. F. Maclean, M.P., of the Toronto goes for him in very lively editorial style in yesterday's issue. After a satirical sketch of Mr. Maclean's career, the Mail and Empire winds up as follows: "Mr. Maclean is, of course, at But he ought to do it as an open enemy and not as a pretended friend. It is absurd to tolerate a system of assassination in detail. If Conservatives permit this thinly disguised enemy to knife them one by one, and to provide apparently from within their ranks slanderous and mendacious pabulum for the use of their opponents, they will contribute to their own discomfiture, which will be a distinct loss to the country."

Only a few days ago the World dealt out equally hot stuff to the Mail and Empire. Then each newspaper has a group of sympathizers and opposers among Conservative M.P.'s. So far as we can judge, the Dominion Opposition are as hopelessly divided today as they were on the famous occasion of the mutiny against Sir Mackenzie Bowell as leader of the Government.

#### The Sanctity of the Ballot.

We must have, at an early date, immediately, a tribunal composed of the best judges of the land, so as to have the fullest, the most complete, the most searching inquiry into all that we know, into all that has come to the attention of the House, of the press, and of the courts, and into what also has not yet come to the attention of the public, to ferret out that system, expose it, and to eradicate it forever from this land of ours. I said last year, and I have no reason to repent my words, that the sanctity of the ballot must be maintained at all hazards, World, "the man with the knife," and and that the will of the people is to be expressed by the ballot as the people have it in their own minds. I do not want, for one, to succeed by any other method than this. If the time comes when this Government has not the supliberty to fight the Conservative party. port of the electorate given by reason of what is in the heart and mind of the electorate, I do not want to remain in the Government of this country. We have not changed our view that we should have the sanctity of the ballot preserved, as I said last year, at all costs and at all hazards.-Sir Wilfrid

> Lord Salisbury's declaration, that "everything depends on the general," has its application to politics. Sir Wilfrid Laurier is the Lord Roberts of Dominion politics. Sir Charles Tupper has not much more chance at Ottawa than Paul Kruger has in the Trans-

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# Ontario's Premier

Delivers an Eloquent Address Before the Canadian Club of New York-Canada's Growth and Greatness-Her Loyalty to Britain-The Question of Closer Relationship-Manila and Mafeking.

adian Club of New York at Sherry's, nations, in which Great Britain has on the evening of May 24, was one of on the evening of May 24, was one of sometimes to the local political gallery the most enthusiastic and successful with local objects in view. Quebec, that has ever been given by that orwhere, if anywhere, dissent might be ganization. There were over 200 guests expected, is thought to be as faithful present, and the celebration and as ever to Liberalism and to Sir Wilfrid good cheer continued until long into the Laurier, her own leader, who is also morning. In all the speeches the war leader in that policy which has brought and the part taken by the Canadian Canada closer to England and England troops were mentioned most often, and ism into which, sentimentally at least, closer to Canada. It is not thought each time were greeted with prolonged the colonies are admitted, lead to that the prime minister's hold on the cheering. The Americans present were closer relations with the mother countries that the prime minister's hold on the cheering. The Americans present were closer relations with the mother countries and commencially? The people of the Dominion has been impressed with the feeling displayed at litically and commercial every mention of the Open's range litically, Canada possesses pro shaken. Most judicious observers appear to believe that he will retain his power, and believe that it is for the The address of Presset with the reening displayed at every mention of the Queen's name. "Bobs" and Baden-Powell came next in point of popularity and cheering after the Queen and the Canadian troops. interest of Canada and of the empire generally that he should do so. That Thos. H. Martindale, president of the the imperial interests intructed to the society (formerly of London, Ont.), pregovernor-general were never safer than now I found to be the general conviction."

society (formerly of London, Ont.), presided. At the guests' table were: income sided. At the guests' table were: income sided. At the guests' table were: income no of the general conviction."

Hon. George W. Ross, premier of Ontario; Rev. Robert S. Maccartaur (a brother-in-law of Mr. David McKerpricher of this city). Rev. L. T. Chamber of this city). Rev. L. T. Chamber of this city. Advisory or Mandatory?

By a narrow majority the United States Methodist General Conference decided to leave the prohibitions against card-playing, dancing and theater-going where they were. The sharp liscussion was not as to whether nearly the conference believed in the solution of the conference believed in the solution of the conference believed in the David McKer-richer, of this city); Rev. L. T. Chamberlain, Messrs. Seth Low, Franklin Edison, Paul Dana, Hiram Steele, Robert H. Turle, of the St. George's Society and University Club; Howland Davis, of the New England Society; William Temple Emplished Society; William Temple Emplished Society, William Temple Emplished Society St. Andrew's Society; Dr. James, of St. Canadian representation would not David's Society; Dr. William M. exceed a dozen or more. What chance Polk, of the Southern Society; M. I. would we have in such a parliament these things as desirable amusements; but whether the church should advise or command with respect to them. There are, and always have been, two ways

Society of McGill University.

David's Society; Dr. James, of St. Canadian representation would not exceed a dozen or more. What chance would we have in such a parliament for the careful discussion of a matter that might be of primary importance to us by representatives from Australia or India who know pathians. Society of McGill University.

PREMIER ROSS' SPEECH.

After some references to the pleasure gave him to know that Canadians in honoring her majesty's birthday were paying one of the greatest possible tributes to their own land and to the flag under which they were born, Mr. Ross the view that nearly prevailed at the Canada in the last 30 years, both as rerapidly sketched the progress made by United States Methodist General Con-ference, and which probably will be adopted at the next quadrennial gapreferred to call a higher grade of na-tional education, which must ultimately broaden political issues and develop in the nation's public men the best qualities of statesmanship.

"Liberals were as keenly alive as waar or two. I refer to the warm feel- the empire. their opponents to the splendors and responsibilities of empire. On of the most important of its many-sided probcountry was always anxious she should be so, but because Canadians would not be anything else. Many British statesmen, notably Lord Palmerston, Lord Grey. John Bright and Lord Beaconsfield, regarded the Canadian colonies as a menace to the peace of the empire, and even Gladstone inti-mated that if we ever wanted to separate our connection with the empire we would be allowed to do so without any effort to restrain us.

It was not until some years after the confederation of the provinces in 1867 that the British Government took any real interest in Canadian affairs. Un-der Lord Dufferin's administration, the statesmen of Great Britain first began to realize the possibilities of their Canadian possessions, and year by year from that time the relations of Canada to the empire became more and more the object of imperial solicitude. To say that we reciprocate the interest of the mother country in our welfare is to express mildly the feelings of Canadians. So when at the Queen's jubilee three years ago the declaration was openly made by the press and statesmen of Great Britain that the colonies were then and thence forward to be regarded as an integral part of the empire. Canada was thrilled from end to end with a new national spirit. What if we were only five millions of people, if our domain than a hundred years ago to the adjacent British colony, now the United our prairies still unsettled? What if States of America, and in the case we had neither the traditions nor the of Ireland. It would be affectation to historical perspective of the old land? Ignore that the one spot over the whole Nevertheless her literature, her millwas still covered with vast forests and empire in which in the present war there tary genius, her name and her powers had been real genuine sympathy for were ours because of the new conditary genius, her name and her powers the enemies of the Queen was Ireland. tions under which we were placed. And

The fourth annual dinner of the Can- | tators of that imperial drama of the years, we became actors with her, and today are playing in South Africa the part of imperialism, humbly and un-ostentatiously, I trust, but with a full knowledge and appreciation of its effect upon the future of the empire. CLOSER RELATIONS.

Under these conditions the question naturally arises, shall this imperialtry, politically and commercially? Poall the privileges of self-government. Although, theoretically, our legislation is subject to the veto of the crown, that veto has no terrors for us, and has not been exercised, except on very rare instances, and when exercised left no political sting and produced no public inconvenience. We have, therefore, no object in seeking any closer political alliance with the mother coun-

tralia or India, who knew nothing of our local conditions or whose interests might in some respects be adverse to ours? Moreover, I would hesitate, as a Canadian, to authorize a dozen men, no matter what their standing might be, to speak for the whole people of Canada. As matters now stand, every question of any moment affecting us is considered by a senate of 81 members and a house of commons of 213 members, with an ultimate appeal to the electorate of the whole Dominion, and, even broad-based as that opinion is, we sometimes think that legislation is not always too well considered. "In the multitude of counsel there is wisdom" is an old saying. It certainof rising Liberal statesmen in Great
Britain, in a recent address, made the following interesting remarks:

"Liberals were as keenly alive as hold a seat in the British House of last Commons in a political federation of ANOTHER DISADVANTAGE.

There would be another disadvantage. In any appeal that we now make to the imperial government with regard to any question of supreme importance the voice of the whole people is heard. With a small representation at Westminster the appeal would be immeasurably weakened and consequently far less effective. There would also be the danger that our represen-

tatives, who would necessarily spend six months abroad each year in attendance at the imperial capital, would lose that sympathetic touch with the public opinion of the country they re-presented which is essential to the usefulness of a representative of the THE BURDEN OF DEFENSE.

But it might be asked, should we not, inasmuch as we share in the protection of the empire, also share in the burdens of its defense? I say certainly, If it were necessary. In one sense, however, we are daily contributing to the security of the empire by filling up Canadian territory with a foreign population, which will in due time be-come assimilated and consequently British. Every dollar we add to the wealth of Canada is so much capital invested for the protection of the empire when it is wanted. Every man enrolled in our militia and every boy trained in our military schools are con-tributions to the defense of the empire. But to pay an annual tax to be spent by the war office at London, as some have suggested, is a mode of contributing to the defense of the empire which no thoughtful person would advise or recommend. A rule as old as Magna Charta is, that those who pay their money must determine how it should be spent. To contribute for the de-fense of the empire without a voice in the government of the empire would be incompatible with the usages of colonial as well as imperial govern-

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ments. You Americans taught us in 1776 that taxation without representation was impracticable and unjust. Do not understand me as saying that we should not defend the empire or fight her battles. The three contingents which we sent to South Africa and for whose maintenance we are prepared to pay, show the loyalty and devotion of Canadians to the empire. That mode of centributing for its defense is justifiable, and the spirit in which it was made is to Great Britain more valuable than millions of money wrested from the taxpayers. And should Britain want as many more, or ten times as many more men as we

have sent, I have no doubt they would be placed cheerfully at her disposal. OUR COMMERCIAL RELATIONS. There is still the other question of the commercial relations between the colonies and the mother country which have grown out of that imperial spirit which I am now discussing. You are doubtless aware that three years ago it was provided that all goods from Great Britain should be admitted through our customs at a rate 25 per cent below similar goods from other countries. This year a further reduction was made, and now a pre-ference of 33½ per cent is allowed to British goods. This action of the Canadian parliament was very favorably received in Great Britain. Of course we get the benefit ourselves in the way of cheaper goods, although the treas-ury is the loser to the extent of about a couple of millions of dollars. Now it is eagerly asked, shall we stop here? There are two propositions under consideration: (1) Should the empire and

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and establish free trade among them-

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Local Market.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT. London, Wednesday, May 30. white, per bu ......63c to 66c Wheat, red, per bu ...... 63c to 660 Wheat, red, per bu .........65c to 660 Oats, per bu ......33c to 34c Peas, per bu ......60c to 77c Corn, per bu ......43c to 43c Barley, per bu ......381/20 to 381/20 

WEEKLY REVIEW. There has been little or no change in the grain situation during this week. Receipts were quite small, but compare favorably with the same week one year

Oats and wheat were the principal kinds offered.

Odd lots of peas, corn and beans came in. The value of every line was much same as quoted last week, about the only exception being oats, and in them the only change was more frequent sales at the lower prices.

Dressed hogs and live hogs were both considerably higher, \$6 being paid for the latter and \$7 50 for the former. The prospects are for still higher values for next week, and it is ex-pected \$6 25 will be reached by Mon-

day.

Hay—Deliveries were not heavy, but prices kept very weak, good loads selling some day at \$7 to \$8 per ton; \$7 to \$9 was the range for the week. A dealer reports prices of tallow as 31/2c for rough and 51/2c to 6c for rend-

#### PLANTS.

Cabbage, Celery, Spanish Onion, To-mato. It's time to set them out. Get supplied at HAMILTON'S. 373 Talbot Ft., near King.

The Oil Market. PITTSBURG, Pa., May 29.—Oil opened a \$1 3i; closed at \$1 31.
OIL CITY, May 29.—Oil—Oredit balances. \$1 31; certificates, no bids.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, May 29.-Damage claims from France and sympathy with corn sustained wheat today in the face of rain in the Northwest, July closing 1/2c to %c over yesterday. July corn closed %c to %c up, and July oats a shade improved. Provisions closed steady and practically unchanged. Estimated receipts tomorrow-Wheat, 40 cars; corn, 325 cars; oats, 200 cars; hogs, 30,-

One head.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat. No. 2 May. 66c; July, 67c to 67%c. Corn—No. 2 May. 37c; July. 37½c to 38c; Sept., 37%c. Oats—No. 2 May. 21%c; July. 21½c; Sept., 25%c. Mess Pork—July. \$1127%, per bbl. Lard—July. \$6 82½; Sept., \$6 82½. Short ribs—July. \$6 82½; Sept., \$6 82½. Short ribs—July. \$6 52½; Sept., \$6 52½. Cash quotations—Flour, steady. No. 3 spring wheat. 62c to 65%c; No. 2 red wheat. 70c. No. 2 corn. 37½c to 65%c; No. 2 red wheat. 70c. No. 2 corn. 37½c to 37½c. No. 2 oats. 21½c to 22½c; No. 2 white. 24½c to 24½c; No. 3 white. 24c to 24½c. No. 2 rye. 55c. Good feeding barley, 36½c; fair to choice malting, \$6 to 41½c. No. 1 flaxseed. \$1 30: No. 1 Northwest, \$1 80. Prime timothy seed. \$2 40 to \$2 42½c. Moss pork, per bbl., \$10 15 to \$11 25. Lard, per 100 lbs., \$6 70 to \$6 82½. Short rib sides loose, \$6 35 to \$6 65. Dry saited shoulders, boxed. 6½c to 6½c. Short clear sides, boxed. \$6 90 to \$7. Sugar, cut loaf. \$5 08; granulated. \$5 52; confectioners' A. \$5 48; off A. \$5 33. Cloverseed, contract grade. \$7 50. Eggs, steady, fresh, 11½c.

RECEIPTS-Flour, 13,000 barrels; wheat, 35,000 bushels; corn. 314,000 bushels; oats. 540. 600 bushels; rye. 8,000 bushels; barley, 31,000 SHIPMENTS-Flour, 5,000 barrels: wheat,

75,000 bushels; corn, 323,000 bushels; oats, 232,-000 bushels: barley, 1,000 bushels. (Note.-There will be no session of

the board of trade tomorrow-Memorial

AVAILABLE SUPPLY. New York, May 29.—Special cable and telegraphic dispatches to Brad-streets indicate the following changes in available supplies: Wheat-United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decrease, 2,374,000 bushels; afloat for and in Europe, decrease, 700,000 bushels; total supplies, decrease, 3,074,-Corn-United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decrease, 3,074,000. Oats-United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase, 553,000.

Live Stock Markets. EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., May 29.— Cattle unchanged; the calf trade was steady on yesterday's basis, \$6.25 to Sheep and lambs practically unchanged from yesterday; lambs, choice to extra, \$6 25 to \$6 50; good to choice, \$6 to \$6 25; sheep, mixed, \$4 50 to \$4 75; wethers, \$4 75 to \$5. Hogs-Fairly steady at the decline from yesterday, or easy with yesterday's close; heavy, \$5 40 to \$5 45; mixed, \$5 35 to \$5 40; Yorkers, \$5 30 to \$5 35; pigs, \$5 25; roughs, \$4 60 to \$4 75; stags,

\$3 50 to \$3 75; well cleaned up, and the close steady. CHICAGO, May 29.-Caftle-Receipts, 2,500; steers steady to shade lower; good to prime steers, \$5 to \$5 70; poor to medium, \$4 40 to \$4 90; selected feeders, \$4 40 to \$5 10; mixed stockers, \$3 75 to \$4 25; cows, \$3 05 to \$4 50; heifers, \$3 25 to \$5 10; canners, \$2 40 bulls, \$2 90 to \$4 30; calves, \$5 25. Hogs-Mixed and butchers, \$5 to \$5 25; good to choice heavy, \$5 15 to \$5 25; rough heavy, \$5 to \$5 10; light, \$4 95 to \$5 25; bulk of sales, \$5 15 to \$5 20. Sheep-Good to choice weth-\$5 to \$5 50; fair to choice mixed. ers. \$5 to \$5 50; Tan to sheep, \$4 85 to \$4 40 to \$4 85; western sheep, \$4 85 to

\$5 40; yearlings, \$5 50 to \$6; native lambs, \$5 to \$7 35; western lambs, \$6 to \$7 35; spring lambs, \$5 50 to \$7 60. NEW YORK, May 29.-Beeves-Receipts, 268; all for slaughterers; no sales; feeling steady. Cables un-changed; shipments, 440 cattle and 4,460 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, into the comp 73; mainly late arrivals, and held for Vegetable Pills.

Wednesday's market; feeling steady. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,836; 5½ cars on sale; sheep slow; tending downward; yearlings and lambs steady; 1½ cars unsold; sheep, \$4 to \$5; culls, \$3; common yearlings, \$5 25 to \$5 50; good to prime lambs, \$7 75 to \$8 25. Hogs—Receipts, 2,277; one deck on sale; market steady; fair Pennsylvania hogs sold at \$5 55.

TORONTO, May 29.—Run large, 93 loads—1,500 cattle, 1,150 hogs, 204 sheep and lambs and 75 calves; quality of cattle on the whole not extra good, out several loads of exceptionally good cattle were sold. Export cattle—Demand good; offerings large, and all stock sold out at \$4 80 to \$5 10 per cwt for choice, and \$4 to \$4 75 per cwt for light; a few extra choice cattle sold higher than average market prices. Butchers' cattle—Good trade, at \$4.25 to \$450 per cwt for choice, latter price asked for picked lots; \$3 80 to \$4 10 per cwt for good cattle; medium, \$3 50 to \$3 75, and common cattle at \$3 to \$3 40 per cwt. Export bulls-Good demand. at \$4 to \$450 per cwt for heavy stock, and \$375 to \$4 per cwt for lighter stock. Stockers—Offerings rather light: demand weak at lower prices of \$3 25 to \$3 60 per cwt. Milch cows—Sales from \$30 to \$50 per head. Feeders—Short-keep steers of 1,100 to 1,200 lbs in moderate demand at \$3 25 to \$4 50 cwt, and steers of 900 to 1,075 lbs, at \$3 90 to \$4 10 per cwt. Butchers' bulls—Good demand, at \$3 to \$3 50 per Sheep-Light offerings met good cwt. demand at unchanged prices. Lambs—Trade good, at \$4 50 to \$5 25 per cwt for yearlings, and \$2 50 to \$4 50 for spring lambs. Hogs—Firm; all lines have been advanced 25c per cwt, to \$6.62½ for selections of 160 to 200 lbs. natural weight; \$6 for fats and \$5.75

per cwt for lights. OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, May 29.-Here and at Liverpool, United States cattle are unchanged at from 12c to 13c per 1b, dressed weight. Refrigerator beef is 10%c per Sheep are steady.

The Dairy Markets.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Butter steady; western creamery, 16c to 201/2c; do, factory, 14c to 16c; imitation creamery, 15c to 18c; state dairy, 16c to 19c; do, creamery, 16½c to 20½c. Cheese weak; fancy large white, 9¼c; fancy large colored, 94c; fancy small white, 84c to 84c; fancy small colored, 84c

CHICAGO, May 29.—On the produce exchange the butter market was steady; creamery, 15c to 191/2c; dairies, 131/2c to 17c. Cheese steady, at 81/2c to

INGERSOLL, Ont., May 29.-Cheese market here today was very dull, as all but a few days of May cheese has been sold; a few factories boarded small quantities, but no bids were made; attendance very good.

CAMPBELLFORD, Ont., May 29.— The cheese board met here today; 1,270 boxes, all white, were offered; sales were 400 at 97-16c; 550 at 9%c, and 80 at 9%c; the balance being un-

Rearrangement of Fields of Labor. Thamesford's Call to Rev. A. W. McIntosh Sustained.

At yesterday afternoon's session of the London Presbytery, consideration of committee's report re the rear-rangement of fields in the north and southwest portion of the presbytery was resumed. The congregations interested are North Ekfrid, Appin, wich, Cowal, Lynn, Fingal and Port Stanley. Very strong addresses were made by the various delegates present, and a lengthy discussion followed.

It was moved that the final settlement should be left over till the July meeting of presbytery, and in the meantime that the committee be in-structed to obtain information as to the possibility of uniting Lawrence and Iona stations with Cowal. This

It was then moved that the congre gations of Fingal and Lynn be asked to consider the proposal of separating Lynn from Fingal and uniting it with Cowal; Lynn to contribute annually \$200 into the treasury of Fingal for at least three years.

Alternative action would be to open a preaching station at Lawrence Sta-tion in connection with Chalmers Church, Cowal. This, too, was presented for the consideration of the congregations of Fingal and Lynn, and a report expected from them at the July

meeting of presbytery. Messrs. Drummond, R. Stewart and Currie were appointed to bring the the congregations, and also to see what Cowal can do further.

It was then decided to leave the settlement of the balance of the committee's report until the July meet-

Rev. A. B. Winchester was invited to sit and correspond.

tinued illness.

Dr. Johnston presented a call from the congregation of Thamesford to Rev. A. W. McIntosh. The call was signed by 218 members and 80 adherents. Stipend promised, \$1,000, with week's holidays. It was agreed that the call be sustained, and forwarded to Mr. McIntosh, and in case of acceptance that Dr. Johnston prescribe trals for ordination, these to be heard at the regular July meeting. Messrs. Sutherland, Young, Gordon, Patterson and McPherson were present from Thamesford in support of the call. On motion a resolution of sympathy was expressed with the clerk of presbytery, Mr. D. C. Johnson, in his con-

A BROKEN-LEGGED PATIENT. Hamilton, May 30.—The man with the broken leg, who was found in front of ex-Ald. Wright's two weeks ago, about 2 o'clock in the morning, and who has since been charged with burglarizing the residence of John Mc-Coy, Victoria avenue, and Mr. R. Price, East avenue, has been identified as John Clark, alias "Shang" Clark, one of the most notorious bank robbers and highwaymen on the continent. A photograph received from the Bertillon Identification Headquarters. Chicago, settled the question yesterday.

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of poisonous substitutes. for and get Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor at druggists. The great Calumet and Hecla mine in Michigan is on fire again. One

miner, Will McRae, is dead, and five

others, one of whom is expected to die, have been taken out. 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 cureone box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dande-lion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's

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Special prices on all ready-to-wear Hats and Bonnets. See our leader, pretty and stylishly trimmed, at \$150.

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Our Waists have a distinctive newness about the styles; new sleeve, new cuffs, new back, perfect fitting, and made in exclusive and stylish materials. See our new White and Colored Muslin Waists.

# Bayley's

Britain Will Take Strong Measures in China.

Her Bluejackets Land at Taku-Mysterious Arrest in Russia,

London, May 30 .- The Times, commenting upon the situation in Pekin, says: "We must follow the excellent example set us by the Americans, and must lose no time in telling the Tsung Li Yamen that unless they re-establish security for the life and property of our fellow-subjects in China without delay, we shall take strong measures on our part." The Times expresses the opinion that Great Britain will have to intervene vigorously for the defense of the elementary rights of British subjects.

BRITISH BLUEJACKETS AT TAKU Shanghai, May 30 .- The British warships Orlando and Algerine are landing 100 men at Taku, where the French, Russian and Japanese guards have alapparently without arms, except those they have obtained from the soldiers, many of whom are openly joining the

MYSTERIOUS ARRESTS IN RUSSIA London, May 30 .- The Standard publishes the following: Kieff, Russia, dated Tuesday.—Seventy-six arrests have been made in Odessa at the instance of the secret police; 18 in Kieff and 29 in Warsaw. There is much mystery involved, but the arrests appear to be connected with the same charges of sedition which, two months ago, led to 200 arrests in St. Petersburg and to 100 in Warsaw.

RIDICULOUS NONSENSE.

The officials of the British war office deny in unqualified terms the statement cabled to a New York newspaper that the war office here had asked Lord Roberts if he believed he could land REV. DR. RAND 100,000 of his troops in England before Oct. 1, the paper intimating that this was a step towards preparing for "any eventualities arising from the crisis in France." According to the British war office, the New York story is "ridiculous nonsense." France."

Paris, May 30.—The news of the change in the cabinet became known at too late an hour last evening to allow the morning papers to comment upon it. The Anti-Semite and Nationalist papers indulge in violent lan-guage. The Libre Parole accuses Gen. Andre of being the "only general in the French army who has publicly manifested sympathy with Dreyfus." The Echo de Paris recognized Gen. Andre's high qualities, but regrets that he consents to associate himself with

the "evil work" of the ministry.
The Gaulois predicts that before,
three months are over, Andre will "show himself a true French general by abandoning those who now applaud him as they did Chanoine and Galli-

How to Get Rich.

We refer to the richness of the If you are pale and thin you are poor in strength and nerve power. Scott's Emulsion drives away thinness and pallor, and brings rich blood and nerve power. No man can fall into contempt but

those who deserve it.-Johnson. If your complaint is want of appetite, try half a wine glass of ANGOS-TURA BITTERS half an hour before dinner. Beware of counterfeits. Ask

for the genuine article, manufactured by Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons. There is no canning industry among the Chinese. All of their sauces and compotes are preserved in earthenware jars, or in old wine and beer bottles.

What a Tale It Tells. If that mirror of yours shows a diced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin, it's liver trouble; but Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the liver, purify the blood, give clear skin, rosy cheeks, rich complexion. Only 25c. For sale by W. T. Strong & Co. Only The Chicago Board of Trade direc-

open branch houses in their own name, with salaried managers. The great lung healer is found in that excellent medicine sold as Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It soothes and diminishes the sensibility of the membranes of the throat and air passages, and is a sovereign remedy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness, pain or soreness of the chest, bronchit-

tors have decided that members can

## IS TOURING THE WORLD

Albert Kimmons Prince, a Modern Minstrel, in the City-America's Greatest Mandolinist and Whistler.

Albert Kimmons Prince, America's greatest mandolinist and whistler arrived in the city today on his way to the Paris Exposition. Before leaving for France he will visit all the large cities of the Dominion, being in London for several days. He will arrive in Paris in time for the whistling contests in October. Prince's whistling is marvelous for its sweetness of tone, and his clever imitation of birds and other adaptations are very entertaining. His work with the mandolin is equally as skillful. He plays this instrument in many different positions, and is a thorough master of his art. Popular or classical selections are all altke to him, and are executed in a finished manner. His genial personality and ready wit makes him popular at once.

Prince is a native of Kansas City, Missouri, and started from there on his tour in August, 1897. Since that time he has visited over 500 cities and towns in the United States, and is just ready disembarked. The "Boxers" are now starting to tour Canada. He has visited Windsor and Chatham, and will proceed from here to Toronto. One of Prince's proud boasts is that he never took a music lesson in his life. and yet can play any of the masterpieces. He won his title of champion whistler and mandolinist of the world at the Trans-Mississippi Exposition, at Omaha, Neb., and carries a medal as a token thereof. After leaving Paris this talented musician will tour Europe. He is confident of capturing the world's championship at the ex-

The members of the Arlington Pleasure Club will be entertained by Prince and his accompanist, Frank Vogh, of Chicago, who is one of America's foremost musicians.

# DROPS DEAD.

Ex-Chancellor of McMaster Dies Suddenly in Parliament Buildings at Fredericton, N.B.

Fredericton, N. B., May 29 .- Dr. Theo H. Rand, of McMaster University, Toronto, dropped dead in the parliament buildings this afternoon, while taking part in the university centennial celebration. He was seized with a fainting spell and died four minutes later without uttering a word.

Deceased was well known through-

out Canada, and during his stay as lecturer in McMaster University had made many friends, both with the students and with those with whom he came in contact. He was born in Nova Scotia, and was 65 years of age. In 1883 he was appointed a pro-fessor in Acadia College and remained in that position until 1885, when he became chairman of apologetics and didactics in McMaster University. Some years ago he was principal of Baptist College in Woodstock. Ont., but later returned to McMaster. He was chancellor of the latter institution, but resigned this position in 1895, owing to poor health. Of late years he was professor of education and English history. Prof. Rand was a member of the senate of New Brunswick, and in 1870-71 was president of the Maritime Province Baptist Association. He received the degree of D. C. L. from Acadia College. Deceased had written several volumes of poems, and was the author of several books. Prof. Rand resided at 17 Madison avenue with his wife.

#### Militia Orders.

Ottawa, May 30.-A militia order issued last night states that in order to stimulate and increase the interest in rifle shooting, the Hon. the Minister of Militia and Defense has been pleas ed to authorize the free issue of 303 Lee-Enfield ammunition to the different provincial rifle associations for their annual matches this year.

A board of officers will assemble during the annual training of No. 1 division at London, on a date to be arranged by the divisional commander, to examine officers in equitation, in accordance with the general order 118 of 1898. President, Major E. T. H.

# Double Tradiug Stamps ALL THIS WEEK.

#### Art Silks and Satins

For draperies and hangings, with silk fringes to match. Silk finished DENIMS for curtains, with chenille and wool fringes to

## **Cushion Cords**

Just received in all the new shades, t 15c and 2oc. Also Cotton Loops, at 10c, 123/26 Cotton Fringes, at 5c, 8c, 1oc.

#### Art Muslins and Silkelines

These goods were not finished in time for our early spring import, so we are making a special sale price. 121/2c and 15c.

These are only a few of the SNAPS for stamp collectors, all this week

# Friday and Saturday.

...June I and 2...

To start things humming for June you will notice these are prices not to be had every day:

## Black Crepons.

10 pieces Black Crepon, beautiful patterns. Our regular price for these goods has been \$1 per yard. On Friday and Saturday you get your pick at, per yard...... 65c

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Homespuns.

kind that we have been selling for \$1 per yard. On Friday and Saturday, per yard...... 65c

# Foulard Silks.

8 pieces only Blue Foulards, the kind that we have been selling at 50c per yard. For this sale per yard...... 25c

#### Organdies and Dimities. A beautiful range, worth from 20c to 30c per

yard, for, per yard......121/2c

Black Lace Skirts. 5 dozen only, while they last, each.....\$1 50

# GRAY & PARKER,

150 DUNDAS STREET.

A course of instruction of medical officers will be held at Toronto from the 4th to the 11th proximo, inclusive. Sungeon-Major Nattrass, A.M.S., principal medical officer, will conduct the course, and will be assisted by Hospital Sergeant Lemon, R. C. R. district officer commanding will make the necessary arrangements. Similar courses will be held during the divisional and brigade camps, 1900, by the principal medical officer of the camp. These courses will be obligatory for medical officers in camp. Medical off-ficers not belonging to the camp may be attached for the course

days) if qualified. His Excellency the Governor-General in council will be asked to approve the following rates of field allowances for non-commissioned officers and men of the permanent corps for annual training, 1900: Warrent officers, 50 cents per diem; staff-sergeants, 35 cents per diem; sergeants, 25 cents per diem; rank and fire, 10 cents per diem.

#### CONVENTION CLOSED

Black Knights of Ireland Elect Officers and Conclude Their Labor.

At this morning's session of the convention of the Black Knights of Ireland, the business transacted was largely of a routine character. A number of reports on matters referred to committees were received and consid-

The election of officers was held and resulted as follows: Grand Master-J. H. Scott, Kincar-Deputy Grand Master-J. C. Gass, Shubenacadia, N. S. Assistant Deputy Grand Master-Marshall Thompson, Windsor.

Grand Chaplain-Rev. Wm. Walsh, Brampton. Assistant Grand Chaplains-Revs. Alex. Sanson, Toronto; John McLaren, Ditawa; Chas. Dudiet Montreal.

Grand Registrar-J. S. Williams, Toonto. Deputy Grand Registrar-William Nicholson, Hamilton. Grand Treasurer—W. H. Wilson, To-

Deputy Grand Treasurer-John Mc-Millan, Toronto. Grand Lecturer-James Fulton, To-

Howard, commanding A Squadron, R. C. D.; member, an officer of the 1st Hussars, not below the rank of captain. The proceedings of the board will be forwarded to headquarters, Ottawa.

Ontario, T. H. Loney, St. Thomas; Eastern Ontario, A. W. Gray, Lyndhurst; Quebec, John Cox, Montreal; New Brunswick, Douglas McArthur; St. John; Nova Scotia, Capt. C. Church, Chester; Manitoba, Winnington, Philosophysics of the control of the nelly, Winnipeg; Prince Edward Island, R. K. Brace, Charlottetown; Newfoundland, Henry Marshall, St.

Johns. Grand Censors-Wm. Chenery, To-ronto; J. A. Hutton, Hamilton. Grand Standard Bearers-James Wilson, Petrolia; Thomas Gilday, Mon-

bury; Joseph Abell, Kincardine. Grand Marshal-James Kelly, St. John, N. B. Grand Committee—Wm. Weir, Windsor; Wm. Galbraith, Montreal; S. Bryant, Sault Ste. Marie; J. McDonald, London; Wm. White, Mitchell; U.

Pursuivants-John Scarlet, Head-

Hamilton, Toronto.

Grand Auditors—Wm. Lee, Toronto;
Thomas Gilmore, Toronto.

A resolution was passed thanking the Sir Knights of East Middlesex and London for the generous manner in which the delegates had been entertained, and for the banquet which had been tendered them. The convention closed with the singing of the Na-tional Anthem. A session was held at 7:30 last night, at which only routine business was transacted and private matters discussed.

ITS FAME SPREADING.

A New Remedy in General Use in Manitoba and the Northwest.

Winnipeg, May 28 .- The effects of the regular waves of sickness which sweep over this portion of the Dominion in the spring are noticeable in the increasing amount of the druggists' sales. There has been quite a run on the kidney remedy now so well known under the name of Dodd's Kidney Pills. The recovery from Bright's Disease of Mr. Anthur Coley, of Somerset, through their use, an account of which appeared in the papers, gave a considerable impetus to the sale, and the remedy has become indispensable in many Manitoba households, its fame having penetrated into the remotest parts of the province and Northwest Territories.

The National Sabath Alliance, in New York, is endeavoring to prevent the delivery on Sunday of ice cream

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MONTREAL

Montreal Stock Market.

	MONTREAL, May 30.	
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\$1,000.00 A WEEK Sales of Rob Roy shares are averaging over \$1,000.00 per week now. If this keeps up the special issue will soon be gone. Stock is selling on its merits and is one of the biggest and best investments going at 15 cents per share.

Toronto Produce Market.

A. E. WELCH, 207 Dundas St., LONDON, ONT.

Toronto, May 30 .- Wheat-Dull and steady, holders asking 65c west; goose, 67c to 68c west; spring, 65c east; Manitoba, 77c, Toronto and west; 78c, grinding in transit, and 73c at Goderich and Midland. Flour-Cars of Ontario patents or straight roller are quoted by the small mills west at \$2.75 to \$2.80; Manitoba, \$3.75 to \$3.90 for patents, and \$3.50 to \$3.65 for strong bakers in car lots at Toronto. Millfeed-Steady, at \$14 50 to \$15 for shorts and \$13 for bran west. Barley-Demand small; easier, at 39c west. Buckwheat-Dull, at 50c west. Rye-Steady, at 50c west. Corn-The market was steady, at 381/2c for Canada yellow west; No. 3 new American is quoted at 45c at Toronto. Oats—Steady; mixed, 251/2c to 26c; white, 26c on the C. P. R., and 26½c on the G. T. R. west. Peas—Steady, at 57½ west. Butter— Demand for choice; pails and tubs quoted at 14c to 15c; common, 11c to 13c; creamery steady, at 17c to 18c for tubs and boxes, and 19c to 20c for prints. Eggs-Steady, at 12c to 121/2c.

English Markets. Liverpeol, May 30.—Closing.
Wheat—Spot, dull; No. 1 Cal., 6s 1d to 6s 1%d;
No. 1 northern spring, 5s 9%d; futures, quiet;
July, 5s 8%d; Sept., 5s 8%d.
Corn—Spot, quiet; American mixed, new, 3s
11%d; futures, quiet; May, nominal; July, 3s 9%d;
Sept., 3s 1d.

Sept., 3s 1d.
Peas—Canadian, 5s 3d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, dull, 7s 2d.
Heps—At London (Pacific coast), steady, £215s

Beef-Extra India mess, easy, 77s 6d; prime

Beef—Extra India mess, easy, 77s 6d; prime mess, dull, 70s.

Pork—Easy; prime mess, fine western, 66s 3d.
Lard—Dull: prime western, in tierces, 35s; American refined, in palls, 36s 9d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 47s 6d.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, easy, 42s 6d; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs, dull, 42s; long clear middles, light, 30 to 36 lbs, dull, 41s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, dull, 41s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, dull, 37s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 40s 6d.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, dull, 37s.
Butter—Finest American, nominal; good, 76s.
Cheese—Easy, American finest white and selored, 51s 6d.

Cottonseed off - Hull refined, June-Aug., dull, 22s.
Tallow—Dull; prime city, 26s 6d; Australian in London, 27s.

London, 27s.
Turpentine spirits—Steady, 44s 6d.
Rosin—Common, steady, 5s.
Petroleum—Refined, 7s.
Linseed oil—36s.

American Markets. RISE IN SUGAR.

New York, May 29.-All grades of refined sugar were advanced 10 cents per hundred pounds today.

Live Stock Market. CHICAGO, May 30 .- Cattle-Receipts, 1,100; 5c to 10c lower; good to prime steers, \$4 90 to \$5 60; poor to medium, \$4 35 to \$4 80; stockers and feeders, \$3 75 to \$5 10; cows, \$3 to \$4 30; heifers, \$3 10 to \$4 90; canners, \$2 25 to \$2 85; bulls, \$2 75 to \$4 25; calves, \$5 to \$7 25; Texas fed steers, \$4 to \$510; Texas bulls, \$320 to \$375. Hogs—Receipts today, 37,000; tomorrow, 26,000; left over, 8,598; tops, \$5 15; mixed and butchers \$4 90 to \$5 15; good to choice heavy, \$5 05 to \$5 15; rough heavy, \$4 90 to \$5; light, \$4 85 to \$5 15; bulk of sales, \$5 05 -

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#### Latest Probabilities.

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Toronto, May 30-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region: Today and on Thursday, moderate to fresh southerly, shifting to westerly winds; mostly fair and warm, but some local showers and thunder-

-Mrs. Nicholson and daughter. Miss Etheyl, are spending the summer with Mrs. W. A. Libby, Detroit.

London township, who has served 30 days for being drunk and disorderly, will be released from jail today. -The mayor having called the adjourned meeting of the Red Cross Society for Friday at 4 p.m., at the city hall, the ladies interested in the work

are asked to meet at 3:30 for a short conference. -The June sessions of the County Council opens on Monday next. In addition to perfecting the financial arrangements for the year, the settling of several important appointments will engage the attention of the coun-

-Next Sunday Rev. Dr. Johnston will commence a series of lectures to the frame cottage and lot at 765 Welmen in the Auditorium. They are callington street north. All these propered are founded months life of Love 177 are founded upon the life of Joseph. The lectures will be illustrated with splen-

did stereopticon views. -Word has been received in the city that Arthur G. Templar, youngest son of Fred Templar, of 188 William street, is lying at the point of death at Los Angeles, Cal. Mr. Templar is well known in this city, having been for many years employed as a barber in the Tecumseh House barber shop.

Hennessey, of the Royal Canadian Reon it. Another article was a Boer curbbit: that was found on a field after a battle. All these, together with some articles sent by Pte. Hessel to friends in South London, were sent in a bag made by roughly sewing together one end of a leg of his khaki-colored duck

trousers. AT VICTORIA PARK.

By kind permission of Lieut.-Col. Smith and officers of the regiment the Seventh Band will give a free concert in Victoria Park on Thursday even-

CHANGED CONNECTIONS

The Michigan Central Railway Company has officially notified the management of the Niagara, St. Catharines and Toronto Railway, that the interchange of passenger and freight traffic near Niagara Falls between the two lines will be terminated on June 1. The Niagara company has made arrangements with the Wabash.

POLICE COURT. At the police court this morning, Anthony Tillman brought several reputable witnesses, who testified that Tilman was not riding his wheel fast on the occasion when he was timed by P. C. McDonald, but what the stopwatch said went, and Mr. Tilman paid

\$1. Pardee Bucke contributed \$2 for wheeling on a footpath in Victoria Park, and for walking on the grass in the park John McNorton, John Donohue, Joseph Brazier and Samuel Bullard were assessed \$1 each. John Hooper was fined \$1 for having his horse at large, and Alf. Prodgers was given \$3 or ten days for being drunk. He took the ten days.

BARTON-BOYD. At the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. G. N. Weekes, barrister, city, on Monday, the 28th of May, Mr. Charles Frederick Barton, of Montreal, and Miss Ada M. Boyd, daughter of the late Rev. J. H. Boyd, of Toronto, were united in marriage by the Rev. Dr. Saunders, of this city. The bride looked very pretty in a gown of foulard silk, trimmed with point lace, and carried a bouquet of roses. The bridesmaid was Miss Win-nifred Atkinson, of London, and Mr. T. H. Barton, of Toronto, assisted the groom. After the dejeuner Mr. and Mrs. Barton left by the 4:40 train for the east, and will take up their residence in Montreal.

A BIKER'S SUIT. At the trial court, in Osgoode Hall, before Mr. Justice Street, action was taken re the case of Jones vs. township of Westminster.-Judgment in action tried at London, brought to recover damages for injuries sustained by plaintiff, who, while riding a bicycle upon a highway in the township, was thrown off his wheel and injured, owing, as is alleged, to the road being out of repair. It appeared in evidence that two or three weeks before the accident the pathmaster of the defendents had constructed a tile drain across the road, and in completing it left a small ridge a few inches high, as he usually did in such cases, in order, as he said to provide for the inevitable packing caused by travel and rain, otherwise a cavity would be formed in the road more dangerous than a slight ridge. Held, upon the whole evidence, that the plaintiff had falled to make out that the road in question had not been kept by defendants in a reasonable state of

Market Has Fully Recovered From the Recent Depression-Transactions Lively-Sales Repor ted.

Local real estate dealers are unanimous in the opinion that the trade in real estate in this city has completely recovered from the recent depression. At present transactions are particularly lively, and their only trouble is in procuring the number of suitable homes that are being sought after. They say that properties in East London especially are being purchased freely. This Federals fought well and the British is particularly noticeable in the neigh- troops seemed tired our. When dark borhood of the Hamilton road. Prop- the Federals were forced to retire in erties valued between \$1,200 and \$1,800 the direction of Van Wyck's Rust on are most generally desired. Recently account of the overwhelming force of the British. lowing sales that are important in that rand yesterday and were in contact they show the present tendency: A cottage and lot, 247 Oxford street, was sold to Mr. George Gould, for \$1,100; a frame cottage and lot, with 50 feet frontage, at 377 Grosvenor street, was heavily bombarded all day long, but kept their positions. The British logs is sold to Mr. John Ferguson for \$600; kept their positions. The British loss is Mr. George O'Farrell purchased a two-reported to be considerable. The Britstory frame house on the southwest corner of Princess avenue and Adelaide | marching on Laing's Nek." street, for \$875; and the property on the southwest corner of Queen's avenue and English street was bought by Mr. W. W. Hesson for \$1,400.

The Western Real Estate Exchange reports similar activity in its operations, which recently have been most largely in country properties. The manager, Mr. James Burrows, is of the same opinion as Mr. Campbell, that the trade now in real estate is noticeably Mail street, is visiting her brother, Mr. active. They have recently negotians I. P. McConnell, of No. 1 Karl Place, the following sales: Mr. Charles Avery has purchased the 50-acre farm on con. 5, London township, from Mr. Wm. T. Heptigrove; Mr. E. Barton's 100-acre farm on con. 2, Westminster, which is recognized as one of the best in the township, was sold to Mr. W. E. Moore, of South Dorchester; Mr. Erastus Miller's well known 180-acre farm at Park-hill, has been purchased by Mr. Heptigrove, who, with his family, is now living there. Sales were also made of Mr. Ed Marshall's farm of 146 acres in the township of Hay, and the 100-acre farm on con. 27, of the township of Euphemia, belonging to Mr. Neil Mc-Lean. Mr. C. Griffith has purchased 30 acres on the Hamilton road from Mrs. Mary Brooks, and is now using it for market gardening. Mr. A. Lane has bought from Mr. John A. Fawcett

### City Hall Notes.

A number of citizens who have recently had occasion to study the country in the neighborhood of Springbank, think that for a comparatively small outlay the city could be placed in such -Mr. S. J. Hennessey, of South Lon- a position that it need never, even in don, has received a number of interest- the dryest weather, lack an adequate ing souvenirs from his son, Pte. J. L. water supply. Although they were giment, South Africa. The latter is in not experts in the matter, they say the signal corps there, and he sent a that there is evidence of a larger supnumber of flags used for signaling pur-poses. They are of various colors. There is also a Mauser bullet-belt of heavy leather that belonged to a Boer who Byron and the Cove bridge. They had written his name, J. W. Snart, up- have noticed that \$1,000 has been put in the water commissioners' estimates, and believe that part of this money could not be better utilized than in studying this district.

> City Clerk Kingston has received a letter from the solicitors of the Real Estate Owners' Association, which intimates that if the council persists in making a grant of \$100 to help the Metal Polishers' Union to entertain delegates to the coming convention, the association will bring suit against the city. Such a policy does not commend itself to the citizens at large.

The parents of a girl, 12 years of age, recently brought her to Inspector Sanders, with the request that she be detained in the shelter for six days, the time allowed by law before the courts decide as to further detention. The girl, who was tall and bright, had passed the Collegiate Institute en-trance examination, but she would not submit to parental rule. She is now "in" for six days.

At present there are in the Children's Aid Society's charge for adoption, four Protestant boys, aged 7, 3, 2 years and months respectively; and three girls, aged 3, 5 and 9 years respectively. They have also three Catholic boys, who are 10, 6 and 4 years old. The society took over yesterday the two children whose mother recently died at the hospital. One is a bright baby girl, about five weeks old and the other is a 7-year-old girl. Both may now be

#### Four Wards It Is.

We understand the order-in-council, giving government confirmation to the reduction of the number of London's wards to four, has been duly passed. So far, so good.

BASEBALL.

The Memorial A. C. baseball team easily defeated Leonard's nine on Carling's Heights, Monday night, by a score of 8 to 1. The features of the game were Watts' home run and J. Wadd's coaching. Batteries-M. A. C., Watts and Griffin; E. L. & C., Wadd and Hutton.

DUFFERINS VS. UNION JACKS. played in Yeo's field Tuesday afternoon rioters. The damage done is estimated between the Dufferins and the Union at half a million taels. Jacks, resulting in favor of the latter. Score: R. H. E. Dufferins

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"I tried many remedies to cure piles," writes W. R. Smith, of Latham, Ill "but found no relief till I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve. I have not been troubled with piles since." Grandest Grandest pile cure on earth, and the best salve in the world. 25c per box, guaranteed by W. T. Strong & Co.

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Boer Reports Say British Are Marching on the Famous Pass.

Enemy Admit Being "Forced to Re tire" in a Fight at Van Wyck's Rust.

FROM BOER SOURCES.

Pretoria, May 29.-Tuesday.-An official war bulletin, just issued, is as follows: "On Sunday a fight occurred close to Van Wyck's Rust, in Gatsrand. The

"The British attacked Witwatersish are near Utrecht, and they are also

CANADIANS SERIOUSLY ILL. [Special to Advertiser per C. P. R.] Ottawa, May 30.-Lord Minto has received the following cable from Lord Milner:

"Cape Town, May 29.—Regret to report the dangerous illness of Pte. H. Hiam, at Naauwpoort, and Pte. C. C. Thompson, at Wynberg, both of the Royal Canadian Regiment. (Signed)

Pte. Thompson is of the 5th C. A. Victoria, B. C., and Pte. Hiam is of A Squadron, Montreal.

#### THE ORANGE RIVER COLONY

Scenes Attendant on Annexing and Renaming the Free State.

Bloemfontein, Monday, May 28. -Amid salutes and cheers and the sing-ing of "God Save the Queen," the military governor, Major-General George Pretyman, at noon, formally proclaimed the annexation of the Free State, under the designation of the Orange River Colony. The ceremony was imposing, and the scene in the market square inspiring. An immense concourse had gathered, and the town was gay with bunting. The balconies and windows surrounding the square were crowded with ladies, among them Lady Roberts and the Misses Roberts, the Countess of Airlie, and Ladies Henry Bentinck and

Settrington. The troops were drawn up under the command of Gen. Knox and entertained the speciators. The governor, accom-panied by Gen. Kelly-Kenny, and their staffs, escorted by the Welsh Yeomanry, was greeted with a general salute. after which, amid an impressive silence, and in a clear voice, heard in every part of the square, Gen. Pretyman read Lord Roberts' proclamation annexing the Orange Free State, as conquered by her majesty's forces, to Queen's dominions, and proclaiming that the state shall henceforth be known as the Orange River Colony. Lusty cheers greeted the concluding words of the proclamation, and these were renewed with ever-increasing volume as Lord Achison unfurled the royal standard and the bands struck 'God Save the Queen," all present join-

ng in singing the national hymn. The ceremony concluded with cheers for the Queen, Lord Roberts and the army, and a salute of 21 guns.

NO QUARREL WITH THE PEOPLE. Newcastle, May 30.—The following proclamation has been issued by the general in command: "The troops of the Queen are now passing through the Transvaal. Her majesty does not war upon individuals, but, on the contrary, he is anxious to spare them, so far as possible, the horrors of war. The quar-rel which England has is with the government, and not the people, of the fere with persons living near the line be given them. Any of their property which it may be necessary to take will be paid for. But, on the other hand, at the last big fire twelve years ago. those thus allowed to remain near the line of march must respect and maintain neutrality. The residents of any locality will be held responsible, in both their persons and property, for any damage done to the railway or telegraph, or for violence done to any memper of the British forces in the vicinity of their homes.'

#### **BLOODTHIRSTY!**

Three Christian Families Butchered by Boxers-Warehouses, Workshops Railway Stock Destroyed.

Pekin, May 29.-Tuesday.-From all is constantly arriving of fresh atrocities committed by the "Boxers." Three Christian families were massacred at Shan Lai Yan, 60 miles from Pekin, on Friday, May 25. Only two escaped.

A reporter of the Associated Press visited Fang Tai this morning, and found the place occupied by a battalion of troops. The whole railroad station, workshops and locomotive sheds were gutted, and much rolling stock was destroyed, including the imperial palace car. Large Chinese warehouses, full of valuable merchandise, An interesting game of baseball was burned after having been looted by the

The neighboring villagers seem to have joined in the attack, showing that the movement is not confined to the "Boxers." Eight roters who were captured will be dispatched. The whole country is seething with excitement, and it is hard to foretell

TO REPRESENT THE GOVERN-MENT.

[Special to The Advertiser per C.P.R.] Ottawa, May 30.—It is very probable that A. B. Aylesworth, Q.C., Toronto, will be appointed by the government to represent them in cases that may arise before the commission which is to be appointed this week to investigate election corruption.

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## LITTLE GIRL SHOT

Serious Developments in the St. Louis Strike.

St. Louis, May 30. - A crowd jeered a non-union motorman and conductor. who drew their revolvens and fired 25 shots into the crowd. Wm. Brenneman, a block away, was shot in the knee and will lose his leg. Dolly Mitchell, a little girl living near by was hit in the wrist. The motorman

and conductor were arrested THE CALUMET MINE FIRE. Houghton, Mich., May 30 .- The Calunet and Hecla mine is still on fire. Will McCrae is dead and five other miners have been taken to the hospital. All shafts of the Calumet branch being sealed, also most of the Transvaal. Provided they remain neu- Northern Hecla shafts. Smoke and tral, no attempt will be made to inter- gas are coming through cracks in the gas are coming through cracks in the earth overlay as far west as Red of march. Every possible protection will Jacket. It will probably be necessary to build big lime kilns and generate gas to smother the flames, as was done

MEMORIAL DAY. New York, May 30 .- With almost perfect weather conditions Memoria Day was generally observed in this city. Thousands of flags fluttered from the tops of buildings and the various statues throughout the city were dressed in bunting. The parade this year was unusually large.

Memorial Day was observed in Manila as a general holiday. Military ceremonies were held at the various stations, and salutes were fired from the forts at Santiago and Manila, and the graves of United States soldiers were decorated.

Eyes and Nose Ran Water.-C. G. Archer, of Brewer, Maine, says: "I parts of the surrounding country, news have had Catarrh for several years. Water would run from my eyes and nose for days at a time. About four months ago I was induced to try Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder, and since using the wonderful remedy I have not had an attack. I would not be without it." It relieves in ten minutes." 50 cents; sold by C. McCallum & Co.

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By the light of another match he hastily consulted his watch. "It is late, indeed—very near two o'clock," he said, with something like dismay. "Miss Jarvis, I wish you had

stayed in the west wing all night; it might have been better.' She did not understand in her innoence the anxiety that quivered in his panly voice as he continued: must take you home somehow;

ut it must be by some secluded route. -it might be gassiped over if anyone "I can go alone; my foot does not pain me so much now," she said eagerly; but when she tried to stand alone found that she could not drag her bruised foot after the other without the

careful support of his strong arm.

So they set forth together, and Vixen heroically suppressed every sign of pain, doing her best to keep up. With all that, he was obliged several times to out his arm around the slight waist and lift her bodily over rough places at the crossings. His heart thrilled with manly pity for her suffering so bravely endured, and with resentment against the heartless Lettie.

And while Vixen toiled her slow,

painful way homeward under convoy of Prince Charming, the prisoner whom she had helped to release made her hasty way to the station to await the coming of the first train, by which she

meant to fly from Cedarhurst.

Hidden in the shrubbery, she had seen and witnessed all that passed, and hopeless of an opportunity of bidding farewell to her brave little friend she had gone her way, vowing to herself that the old gardener's noble daughter should be well rewarded for her kind-

Vixen's thoughts flew to her now and hen with a silent prayer that all would well with her, while she bitterly laented the untoward meeting with Tracy Tempest that had resulted in her accident, and in her failure to bid farewell to the escaping ghost of the west wing.

"It was most unfortunate for me, Mr. Tempest, that you chose such a late hour for smoking your cigar," she said to him a little demurely, and he answered lightly:

"It was late, but we had an impromptu dance this evening. Some young ladies from the next county came to visit my mother this morning, and agreed to stay until tomorrow. We danced until a lake hour, and I came out after we broke up to smoke a solitary cigar in my favorite west walk."
Even in her pain a pang of envy
thrilled her at thought of the young ladies with whom he had danced. They were beautiful creatures, of course, in silk and diamonds. Was he in love with any of them, she wondered, and then checked hereelf with a sharp sensation of pain. What was it to her, the humble daughter of the old gardener, whom this splendid young god loved and wedded?

They were at the gate of the cottage now, and in the darkness she could see the trelllised vine over the archway, with the great white moonflowers lighting up the night, and shedding perfume on the sweet, mystic night air. As he led her in and carefully helped her up the porch steps, the brazen town clock clanged the hour of three in sonorous tones.

The door is never locked. There are no thieves in Sunnyside," said Vixen. "Good-night, Mr. Tempest, I thank you very, very much for helping me to get home in safety."

#### CHAPTER XIII.

Her hand turned the door-handle as she spoke. She pushed it wide open, then started back with a cry of surprise, as a bright light flashed into her eyes from the little parlor which she had expected to find wrapped in dark-

Instead it was lighted by a swinging lamp, and a dozen familiar faces looked curiously at her and her handsome companion, who, startled like herself, stood motionless, gazing in at the scene.
"Father, here is the runaway at last," said Lettie's deep, malicious voice out of the group of people, and the bent aged form of the white-halired old gardener emerged from a large chair, where it had been crouching forlornly, and shambled to the door, his worn features working with wrath. He put out his hand and pushed

Vixen sternly back from the door into the porch again. wretched, shameless creature go with thim who has led you into evil.

How dared you venture back under the

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#### shelter of my honest roof after what has passed tonight," he demanded,

accuracily. Clinging to the perch lintel she lifted her lovely, pain-drawn face in plead-

"Fatner, dear father, I do not understand you," she panted. "I mave done no wrong. Ask Lettie there. She will tell you it was all ner fault. She tocked me in the haunted wing up at Cedarhurst and ran away. I was so frightened when she tailed to return that I tried to escape through a dow, fell and hurt my foot, and Mr. Tempest kindly brought me home."

Lettie came out of the group of women toward her. She had been crying, but her great black eyes flashed con-

Vixen Jarvis, how dare you tell such shameless talsehoods?" she exclaimed; 'you lest me at Cedarhurst and told me you were going to spend the night with Dolly Brown. And now you dare come back here after it has been proved that you did not go near Dolly nor any of our friends, and try to hide your guilt behind a wicked falsehood! How dare you asperse me, you shameless creature!

Other eyes than Lettie's could flash her bold face. He stepped into the doorway and put his white hand on old Jarvis' arm.

"Listen to me, Jarvis," he said, hoarsely, "this girl here is trying to deceive you for some wicked purpose of her own. Little Vixen has told the simple truth I do not doubt. She must have been locked into the west wing as she says, for to-night as I was walking out to smoke a cigar she fell from the window at my very feet. This is the simple truth, and you have known me as boy and man, Jarvis, and should not suspect me of such evil to your young daughter as Miss Lettie here falsely implies."

The ringing voice came to an end, and Lettie Jarvis flashed him a glance of coarse defiance. She had laid her plans well, and old Jarvis' mind was full of venom she had infused. He an-

swered, in his quivering old voice:
"I hate to believe evil of my old master's son, but it's proved too plainly to doubt it. Go, Tracy Tempest—go with your shameless light o'love! She shall never darken my honest doors again!'

From Vixen's pale lips, as she crouched shivering on the threshold, a passionate, pleading cry: "Josepha-bring Josepha!

believe me against the world!" Old Jarvis' angry face changed from stern anger to bitter grief and remembrance in an instant, and he muttered, heart-brokeniy: "Josepha's dead!"

Even wicked Lettie felt a thrill at the anguish of that incredulous wail from Vixen. One of the neighboring women came out and stood over Vixen's crouching form, and said, with cold

kindness:
"Yes, Vixen, it's true that your sister's dead. She dropped dead after supper, with that heart disease she's had ever since she was a girl. They sent to Brown's for you, and you weren't there, and to every other place we could think of without finding you. But, seeing as how Miss Josepha loved you as the apple of her eye, I say it's well she died before this dark hour of your shame came to her knowledge." With that barbed speech of venom the woman stepped back into the little room, and left the old gardener on the threshold, gazing at Tracy Tempest with angry eyes, as he stood with uncovered head beside Vixen's crouching

"Go now, both of you!" old Jarvis stormed hoarsely. "Thank God, you're no child of mine, wicked girl, nor ever will be again—neither child of mine nor sister of Lettie's, thank the good God." The door stammed rudely in their faces, shutting both out into the darkness of the night, lighted only by the fragrant moon flowers climbing over the porch

[To be Continued.]

#### SHOT DEAD.

Winnipeg, May 30.—Wm. Ross, farmer, aged 55, living seven miles southwest of Shoal Lake, was found shot dead about twenty yards from his house at 5 o'clock, and his death wound is supposed to have been self-inflicted. He was a widower, and leaves six daughters. Ross came here three years ago from Ontario.

THE PHOENIX PARK MEN. New York, May 30.-The rehearing of the case of James Fitzharris and ferential than they were at any period since the establishment of the repubvicts, who were excluded by the board lic, and should any disruption of this of special inquiry of the Barge office cordiality occur in the future, ours last Saturday on their arrival from would be the greatest loss, as it always Ireland, was held yesterday. Their has been heretofore. counsel maintained that the men were We are now, in a innocent of participation in the Phoenix Park murder, but his motion for and the new spirit in which we are re-the admission of the men was denied. garded by the imperial authorities Counsel then gave notice that he would appeal against the decision of the board to the secretary of the treasury, and the two men were taken back to Ellis Island to remain till a decision is means a good deal.

When a man begins to add to his hours of labor, and subtract from his hours of rest, he is putting an extra strain on brain and body. In such cases many men make the serious mistake of using stimulating liquors, or alcoholic medicines. These can only injure. The spur forces on the horse, but does not strengthen him. Stimulants are only spurs. The need of the body is strength. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is invaluable to overworked men and women. It strengthens the stomach, increases the blood supply, nourishes the nerves, and gives vital

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#### ONTARIO'S PREMIER.

(Continued from page 4.)

selves with protection against the world, as you have free trade in the United States between the states of the Union, with a heavy duty against ail foreign nations? I need not discuss the difficulties of such a comprehensive reconstruction of colonial tariffs as this would involve. We are not prepared for it in Canada, though many of us claim to be free traders of the old school. Our manufacturing induszollverein, therefore, would not suit us, although I believe it would probably suit some of the Australian colonies. Then would it suit Great Britain? That is very doubtful. Nations, like indi-viduals, speedily organize themselves for defense as well as attack. A combination between Great Britain and her colonies for commercial purposes against the world would very likely contempt and scorn, and Tracy Tem- against the world would very likely pest's did so now as he fixed them on lead to other commercial complications which might prove disastrous to British trade.

So long as Britain sells to every nation in the world, she could hardly af-ford to antagonize her customers for the sake of the trade of her colonies which is not more than one-fourth of her whole trade. If such a compact is ever formed (and I am bound to say as a British subject it commends itself strongly to my judgment), much has yet to be done in adjusting the present conditions of trade and in the education of the colonies and in the principles of political economy which such a change would involve.

THE ALTERNATIVE OF A ZOLL-VEREIN.

(2) But if a zollverein is impossible, inasmuch as Canada gives Britain a preference in the Canadian market, why should Britain not give Canada a preference against the world in the British market? That proposition seems quite reasonable, and for all practical purposes would be equally advantageous to us as a zollverein. If the Canadian seller in the British market had a preference of 10 per cent, or even 5 per cent, over the American or even 5 per cent, over the American seller, the effect upon Canadian trade would simply be incalculable. Apply it to the millions of bushels of wheat which England buys, with which to feed her subjects, and let the Canadian agriculturist on the prairie feel that he has an advantage over the American agriculturist, then you would speedily see our prairies filled with a teeming population and the wheat trade of America change its course. same would apply to the products of our forests and our mines.

NO REASONABLE EXPECTATION

OF IT. 'At present, however, there is no reasonable expectation that such preference will be granted to us. The laboring classes in Great Britain would protest, because it would probably increase the price of bread and other foodstuffs; the manufacturers would protest, because it would increase the price of the raw material of their industries; commercial men would protest, because, as already stated, the trade with the colonies is but one-fourth of their trade with the rest of the world; public men would protest because of the irritation likely to arise with other countries. It is therefore plain that no such preference can be granted by Great Britain just now, nor until she is able to sat-isfy her own people that any direct loss arising from such a perference was made up by the greater strength of the imperial compact, or the greater security in obtaining food supplies from her colonies. I know of nothing Britain could do that would be more helpful to us in building up Canada, and I know of nothing that would do more to strengthen the relations between us and the mother country. RELATIONS WITH THE UNITED

STATES. But, lastly, our closer relations with the empire have especially increased our interest in the comity of the empire towards other countries, particularly in her relations with the people of the United States of America. Every true Canadian, as well as every true American, must rejoice that these relations are now more cordial and de

We are now, in a certain sense, admitted to the councils of the empire, garded by the imperial authorities may be taken as a guarantee that in all matters of difference between Britain and the United States, Canada will be consulted. That to my mind

It goes without saying that Britain never properly understood the colonial temperament. Had she done so there would have been no American revolution. It took her many years to understand the Canadian temperament. think she understands it tolerably well now. I may say, however, without presumption, that I think Canadians understand the temperament of the people of this continent even better than it is understood in Great Britain and to that extent I believe our larger interest in the peace of the empire, on this continent at least, strengthens the hope that never so long as time endures shall the armies of Great Britain and the United States confront each other in battle array, or their navies plow the intervening ocean for purposes of mutual destruction.

MANILA AND MAFEKING. We are closing the nineteenth century in a most significant conflict between the forces of civilization and of barbarism. You are endeavoring to establish a higher grade of citizenship in your Spanish possessions. Britain is similarly employed in South Africa. Should the nineteenth century close with a victory in both cases, as I trust it may, the new century, now so near, will open its portals to many thousands of the human race to whom liberty was heretofore a mere phantasy of the imagination. To set men free, to proclaim liberty to the captive, whether at Manila or Mafeking, whether it be liberty of franchise or liberty of action, is the greatest mission any nation can undertake. And as Britain and the United States represent that mission in its highest and most altruistic form, we may hope with a confidence not easily shaken that neither of these nations will imperil the honor of humanity or the progress of the world, by ever fling-ing in the breeze in defiance of each other, these two flags, which tonight were lovingly intertwined by hands of a common kindred in honor of the greatest monarch of modern times, and in recognition of the unity of two nations to whom a Divine Providence has committed the destinies of nearly half of this great universe in which we live.

To be content with what we possess to the greatest and most secure of

injured by a fire-cracker last week. miles from St. Thomas, was painfully injured on Sunday. He heated a piece of fence wire red hot, intending to push it through a board. While he was handling the wire some person push-ed his arm and the wire entered the

Jos. Long, a farmer of Union, one of the most respected residents of this tries would not stand competition with district, fell dead while doing chores the industries of Great Britain if all in his barn Tuesday. He was a native custom duties were abolished. To be protected against competition with the United States would not be enough. A Sabbath school at Union. He leaves a widow and daughter.

G. Grenock Stott, one of the inmates of the House of Refuge has fallen heir to a fortune of \$4,000 or \$5,000 from his father's estate in Edinburgh, Scotland. Mr. Stott has been in this country for 37 years and worked for West Zorra farmers. He is 65 years of age and well educated.

Frank J. Martin, a well-known born in Newcastle, Ont., where spent most of his life. He was a bail-iff of one of the division courts of the to Windsor about eight years ago.

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Charles, the 9-year-old son of Fred Crowley, Stratford, had his eye badly Harry Nigh, a farmer, living two ball of his eye.

sporting man, died Sunday morning at Windsor, after several years' illness. He was 66 years old. Mr. Martin was county for several years. He went The death occurred at Omaha, Neb.,

on Sunday, of Adam Cochrane, age 71. About 30 years ago he engaged in the out Ontario. He leaves a widow and seven children, viz.: William, St. Thomas; Haggart, Omaha; Robert, Winnipeg; John, Edmonton; Rhode, St. Joseph, Mo.; Mrs. Albert Hutchinson, and Mrs. J. Broderick, Sarnia.

in life insurance came before Chan-cellor Boyd at Osgoode Hall yesterday. Alex. Cromar, superintendent of agencies of the Royal Victoria Life Insurance Company, residing here, died six weeks ago. He left an insurance of \$82,000 on his life, of which the Rev. Father Brophy, of Holloway, Hastings county, was the beneficiary. According to Father Brophy, Cromar had been his adviser in financial affairs, and had induced him to invest in annuities which brought some \$4,000 a year income. This income, Cromar thought, would be well placed in paying insurance policies, and as Father Brophy is too old to secure insurance Cromar agreed to the insurance of his own life for \$82,000 in eleven companies, the policies being made out in Father Brophy's favor, as he paid the premlums. Cromar was only 39 when he died, after five years' premiums had been paid, or \$20,000 in all. Mrs. Cromar now claims that Father Brophy really only loaned the money to her husband, and that she is entitled to the \$82,000, less the \$20,000 advanced to pay the premiums. The hearing was adjourned for two weeks.

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#### METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Ont., May 29, 8 p.m.—The pressure continues decidedly high over the eastern portion of the continent, and it is fairly low in the Western States and in Manitoba. Showers and thunderstorms have been general from thunderstorms have been general from British Columbia to Manitoba; elsewhere the weather has been fair. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 44-58; Kamloops, 40-62; Calgary, 36-58; Qu'Appelle, 50-60; Winnipeg, 52-80; Port Arthur, 50-64; Parry Sound, 54-78; Toronto, 49-66; Ottawa, 46-74; Quebec, 38-76; Halifax, 36-68. 

Local temperature—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Tuesday, May 29, were 70 and 55.5 degrees.

Today (Wednesday) the sun rose at 4:40 a.m., and sets at 7:50 p.m. The moon rose at 6:27 a.m., and sets at 9:54 p.m.

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-Several hundred persons took in the band concert at Springbank last night.

-Mrs. McIntosh, of this city, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Stevenson, Stone road, Galt. 

The hospital building committee met last night and passed a number -Mr. A. J. Martin, of this city, is the guest of Mrs. Martin, Sydenham

street, Brantford. —Master Algie, of Goderich, son of Conductor Algie, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. James, of Askin street.

-Mrs. C. H. Tatham and little daughter, Madeline, of Woodstock, are visiting relatives in this city.

-The London Association football team will play a game with Watford here tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. -Mercer Denholm, son of the proprietor of the Blenheim News, was here yesterday, on his way to Europe. -Mr. John McMillan was removed to his home yesterday from Cargill. He is now able to recognize his family and friends.

-Mr. John Durkin, of Hill street, leaves on June 1 for Dundas, where he has secured the position of switchman on the Grand Trunk.

-Mrs. C. H. Robins, of this city, who has been with her daughter. Mrs. J. W. Dair, at Port Huron, for some days, has returned home.

-The many friends of Miss Ada Odell, of 400 King street, will be sorry to hear of her severe illness at her home, con. 5, Westminster.

-This is Memorial Day in the United States, when the graves of soldiers and sailors who fell in the "war for the union" are decorated by kindly hands -Miss Margie Adams, city, closed the season's engagement with Brown's Comedy Company at Bellevue, Ohio, on Saturday, and returned home for the summer months.

-D. G. W. Palmer, Port Huron, would like to have the Foresters of London and district hold their annual meeting in Port Huron during the summer. He was here recently with this object in view.

-Mr. J. R. Shuttleworth's brick warehouse, at the southeast corner of Colborne and York streets, was offered at auction yesterday afternoon by Mr. J. W. Jones. The highest bid was \$3,000 and the property was withdrawn.

-At a meeting of the legislative committee, held last night, the request of the Builders' Exchange that their representatives be appointed to the free library and other public boards was filed, as the committee had no power in the matter.

-Mrs. Eliza Walker, wife of Mr. John Walker, No. 910 William street, died yesterday after having suffered for only one week with pneumonia. Mrs. Walker, who was in her 54th year, had lived in this city for many years. A husband and two children survive. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon.

-In a reference to the brandy chocolate cases appearing before Magistrate Love, a Toronto paper says: "The goods complained of are manufactured in Toronto, and the local confectioners claim that they do not contain liquor or other intoxicating ingredients. The brandy flavor is obtained from an extract of cognac, which is made from a vegetable substance."

-Court Byron, I. O. F., gave an entertainment and ice cream festival to the members and their friends at the Craig street hall on Monday evening. Ven. Archdeacon Davis presided, and during the evening gave an address eulogizing the order. Miss Archer rendered a song, as did also Master Williamson, and the balance of the programme was given by the London Musical Trio, Messrs. Charles Williamson and Thomas and Will Corbin.

-Last night, at a meeting of the London Old Boys' reception committee, held in the city hall, it was decided to give the delegates to the annual meeting of the association, to be held here next Saturday, a reception worthy of the occasion. To this end

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power was left in the hands of Messrs. MacRobert, Jones and Gillean. Ex-Ald. McPhillips presided, and others present were: Mayor Rumball, Ald. Jolly and Brener, R. R. Bland, E. J. MacRobert, S. H. Craig, J. W. Jones, Frank Cooper, Thomas Gillean, J. R. Minhinnick, jun., B. C. McCann, ex-Ald. R. A. Carrothers, James Bell (secretary) and others.

-The anniversary concert of the Colborn Street Methodist Epworth League was held on Monday evening last, and there was a good attendance. The programme was first-class in every respect. Those who took part in the proceedings were Messrs. Hewlett, Wolcott, Dr. Ziegler, Large, Misses Wheaton, Hance, Colquhoun, Pickard, and the choir, under the efficient leadership of Mr. Gilmour, Rev. George Jackson and Mr. Merkley gave suitable ad-

—The literary and musical entertain-ment given at the Bethany Union Mission, Pall Mall street, last night, was largely attended, and was in every way a splendid success. The building was crowded to the doors. Among those who took part were Miss Yates, Miss Hunt, Miss Hooper, Miss Mulvey, Messrs. Yates, Garner and Radwell. Miss Higby was the accompanist of the evening. The mission is now in a very prosperous condition and a move is on foot to erect a new building in the near

-Last night the closing banquet of the Y. M. C .- A. Bible class, which in future will be an annual affair, was held in the Association building. Mr. T. B. Howard presided, and nearly 30 members were present. At the conclusion of the supper the following toast list was carried out: "The Empire." Frank Holman and Ed. Parker; "Our Men in Khaki." Ed. Hannah; "Our Association," F. H. Heath, George Kendrick and A. S. Woodburne; "Our Class," G. C. Bedggood, Scott Suthclass," G. C. Bedggood, Scott Stufferland, Secretary Sayer; "Our Hasbeens," R. J. Watson; "Our President," T. B. Howard; "Our Story-Tellers," H. Donnan, W. G. Young; "Reminiscences," Frank Dunn, H. Whittaker, C. White; "Prospective," J. B. Spencer, Secretary Sayer and W.

G. Young. AN OLD RESIDENT DEAD.

Many citizens of London will regret to hear of the recent death in England of John Morman, who was for over 50 years a resident of this county. Coming to Canada over half a century ago, he settled in West Nissouri, afterward removing to London. He resided in the eastern part of the city until about five years ago, when he left for England to reside with his nephew at Woolliton, Somerset, where he purchased an estate, and where his death occurred. Mr. Morman died intestate, and the bulk of his estate, whch includes mortgages upon county property and store property on Dundas street, will devolve upon a brother in Grand Rapids, Mich., and nephews and nieces in England.

A PECULIAR CASE.

W. G. Ireland, manager of a moving picture machine which showed some Boer war pictures in London on April 28, was arrested in Orillia last week, and lodged in Barrie jail on a charge of infringing a patent and forging a trade mark by calling his machine the biograph. The charge was laid by Stewart Houston, a Toronto lawyer. Hous-ton has the Canadian agency for the hart, W. Galbraith, John Hogg, Hugh real biograph, of which only 67 have Hamilton, Marshall Thompson. been built. One of these machines was exhibited in London the week beginning March 19, accompanied by Owen A. Smily as lecturer and entertainer, and Augusta Beverley Robinson (Mrs. Stewart Houston), as soloist. The case was brought up in Barrie police court and was adjourned for a week to allow Ireland to bring some witnesses from London.

PORT STANLEY NEWS.

The steamer Urania will make its first trip to Cleveland tomorrow, leaving Port Stanley at 11 p.m.

Mr. M. F. Hauson and family are occupying their cottage at Eric Rest.

The schooner M. L. Breck (Capt. Daniel Sutherland) left for Sandusky light to load coal for Algoma Mills.

Mrs. (Capt.) Fred R. Dale returned

from Detroit on Friday last.
Mr. Wm. Morley and Mr. Clare, of
New York, spent Sunday at Mrs. A. Mr. Joseph Stephens, brother of Mr.

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The Delegates Present-Last Year One of the Most Successful in the History of the Organization-Banquet

in the Evening. At 2:30 yesterday afternoon, the annual convention of the Supreme Grand Chapter of the Royal Black Knights of British North America was called to order at the city hall here. Nearly 100 delegates were present from all over Canada, some of the most prominent being: Sir Knight Lieut.-Col. Scott, of Kincardine, the supreme grand master; Sir Knight Marshall Thompson, of Windsor, deputy supreme grand master; Sir Knight J. S. Williams, of Toronto, supreme grand registrar; Sir Knight, W. H. Wilson, of Toronto, supreme grand treasurer; Sir Knight Wm. Lee, past supreme grand master; Past Supreme Grand Master Major A. J. Armstrong, St. Johns, Nfld.; Hon. Dr. McFadden, M.P.P., Manitoba, and others. Other delegates in attendance were ers. Other delegates in attendance were Rev. W. Walsh, grand chaplain, of Brampton; J. C. Gass, D. G. M.; W. H. Wilson, grand treasurer, Toronto; Jas. Kelly, grand marshal, St. John, N. B.; J. Fuston, grand secretary, Toronto; W. M. Lockhart, Alliston, W. J. Parkhill P. G. M. Mid-W. J. Parkhill, P. G. M., Midton; W. J. Parkhill, P. G. M., Midland; Wm. Connolly, D. G. L., Winnipeg; N. R. Hand, Aylmer; J. McDonald, D. J. Patterson, London; W. Scarlett, Thomas O. Johnston, St. Thomas; John Scarlett, Leadbury; T. E. Pierce, Wallaceburg; John A. Sissons, Chatham; J. M. Wallace, Lindsay; W. J. Hewlit, Owen Sound; Robert Heath, Owen Sound; W. J. Thompson, Mitchell; Wm. Simpson, Thamesville; W. J. Douglass, Collingwood; Jas. Kane, Thos. H. Loney, St. Thomas; Dr. McArthur, St. John, N. wood; Jas. Kane, Thos. H. Loney, St. Thomas; Dr. McArthur, St. John, N. B.; John Hogg, Collingwood; Thos. Boyce, Ottawa; Robt. Quinn, Streets-ville; Thos. Gidley, Montreal; John Cox, Montreal; Wm. Weir, Windsor; Wm. Galbraith, Montreal; James A. Hutton, Hamilton; William White, Mitchell; W. Cherry, W. Bain, Hugh Hamilton, Geo. Gilmore, Toronto; J. W. Wilson, Petrolia; S. Bryant, Sault Hamilton, Geo. Gilmore, Toronto: J. W. Wilson, Petrolia; S. Bryant, Sault Ste. Marie; W. B. Walker, London; W. O. Webster, Sunderland. The following committees were appointed: Credentials-Sir Knights Wm.

Lee, J. Kelly, J. A. Hutton, W. J. Parkhill, W. A. Johnston. To strike standing

The reports of the grand master and the grand registrar were received and were found to be most gratifying. Substantial progress had been made, the past year being a record-breaker, and the outlook for the future is most promising. Warrants for new preceptories have been issued as follows: Jasper, Palgrave, Ont.; Kemptville, Ont.; Derry, Ladner, B. C.; Lily of the Valley, Bay Roberts, Nfid.; Royal City, New West-minster, B. C.; Ark of Safety, Aylmer,

The grand treasurer's report showed cash balance of \$534. The schooner Maple Leaf (Capt. W. I.P.G.M. Sir J. A. Armstrong, was Berry), arrived from Port Burwell presented with a P. M.'s jewel.

> At the Fraser House last night a banquet was tendered by the Grand Black Chapter of Middlesex and Elgin to the visiting delegates to the convention of the Royal Black Knights of Ireland. A number of prominent Londoners were also present. Mayor Rumball represented the city. Sir Knight, T. H. Loney, C. G. M., of St. Thomas, presided, Supreme Grand Master Scott being seated upon his right and Supreme Grand Chaplain Walsh upon his left. The toast list and responses were as follows: "The Queen," National Anthem; "The Most Worshipful Grand Black Chapter of British America." Grand Master Scott, Sir Knighton, Parkhill and Grand Chaplain Walsh; "The Grand Lodge of British America," Major Armstrong, Sir Knight R. H. Holland, Sir Knight Wm. Galbraith and Sir Knight Con-

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cutionary recital of Mrs. Agnes Knox- the motorman, and ran home appar-Black enjoyed to the full the excellent ently none the worse for her advenprogramme. This talented lady is too well and favorably known in this city to require extended comment on her artistic methods. Those who heard her for the first time were completely charmed, while those more familiar with her capabilities discovered new beauties in her art. Mrs. Black was ably assisted by Mr. Hewlett in plano solos and by the McDonald Male Quartet. The programme was: "Marching On," "Old Kentucky Home"; quartet; "On Work" (Carlyle), "The Other Side of the Moon," "The Solitary Reaper' of the Moon, "The Solitary Reaper (Wordsworth), Mrs. Agnes Knox-Black; "Annie Laurie," quartet; "The White Man's Burden," "L'Envoi" (from "The Seven Seas"), "The Story of Uriah," and "The Recessional" (Kipplications, from ling), Mrs. Black; selections from "Margaret Ogilvie," and "A Window in Thrums" (J. M. Barrie); "Cuddle Doon" (Anderson), Mrs. Black; piano solos, (Anderson), Mrs. Black; plano solos, "Columbine Minuet" (Delahay), and "Annie Laurie," Mr. Hewlett; "Ode to a Nightingale" (Keats); "A Charming Womon" (J. K. Jerome); "King Arthur and Queen Guinivere" (Tenyson), "A Private of the Buffs" (Frances Hastings Doyle), Mrs. Black; "Massa's in the Cold, Cold Ground," quartet.

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SAVED BY THE FENDER Toronto, May 29.-Sunday afternoon little Alma Neal, daughter of Mr. John A. Neal, 86 Logan avenue, had a marvelous escape. The child was crossing Queen at Logan avenue, and did not notice approaching street cars from both directions. She escaped the westbound car and was picked up by the fender of the east-bound car. She was Auditorium last night to hear the elo- taken from her perilous position by ture.

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