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LONDON, CANADA, SATURDAY, MARCH 17, 1900.

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What Is Going On In The Leading Churches Of The City.

ADELAIDE STREET BAPTIST Church—The pastor, Rev. Thomas S. Johnson, will preach at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m.

ASKIN STREET METHODIST Church-Rev. J. W. Holmes, pastor. will preach morning and evening.
Subject, 11 a.m., "The Gift of the
Power"; 7 p.m., "The Fullness of the
Spirit." Strangers and visitors wel-

CENTENNIAL METH ( DIST CHURCH Rev. W. J. Ford. pistor. Morning, "Sacrifices and Faith." Evening, Mr. A. Elson will conduct service.

RESBYTERIAN CHALMERS Church, corner Waterloo and Grey streets—Rev. Walter Moffat, pastor. 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Bible Class and Sabbath School, 3 p.m. Visitors wel-

CHRISTIAN CHURCH, CORNER OF Dundas and Elizabeth streets-Rev. C. Sinclair, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

COLBORNE STREET METHODIST Church-Rev. George Jackson, pastor Morning service by the pastor. Subject, "Lessons of the War." Evening service conducted by Rev. John Morrison, Good music. All welcome.

DEDICATION SERVICES, SUNDAY-New St. James' Presbyterian Church, corner Oxford and Wellington streets.

11 a.m., Rev. J. A. Macdonald, M.A.,
Toronto, editor of The Westminster.

7 p.m., Rev. W. J. Clark, First Presbyterian Church. A cordial invita-tion is extended to attend these ser-

DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST Church-Rev. Dr. Saunders, pastor. Special evangelistic services. Evan-Special evangelistic services. Evangelist McHardy, of Toronto, will preach morning and evening. Morning—Chorus, "How Lovely Are the Messengers" (Mendelssohn); solo, "The Penitent" (Van de Water). Evening—Anthem, "Victory" (Neidlinger); solo and chorus, "I Was Wandering and Weary" (Barnby).

EMPRESS AVENUE METHODIST Church-Rev. A. G. Harris, pastor. 10 a.m., classes. Morning, Mr. Coily-Evening, memorial service, Rev. J. E. Lanceley.

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH-REV J. V. Smith, D.D., pastor, will preach at both services. Morning subject, "The Silent Years in the Saviour's Life." Evening subject, "Lessons From the Weakness of a Glant." Morning—Anthem, "Thus Said the Lord God" (Pattison): solo and chorus, "The Good Shepherd" (Barri). Evening—Anthem, "Fear Not, O Lord" (Berridge); solo and chorus, "How Beautiful Upon the Mountains" (Pattison); chorus, "Our Refuge," unaccompanied (Koschat).

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-Rev. W. J. Clark, pastor. Public worship at 11 a.m., the pastor; 7 p.m., Rev. John Wilkie, M.A., of Indore, India. Sabbath School and Society for Bible Study at 3 p.m.

HAMILTON ROAD METHODIST Church-Rev. J. G. Fallis, pastor. The pastor will preach at 11 a.m. Rev. J. J. Sinclair at 7 o'clock. KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. Thomas Wilson, pastor, will preach at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH -South London-Rev. J. G. Stuart, B.A., Subjects-Morning, Covenant at Sinai." Evening, "The Divine Suitor."

Strangers welcome.

MEMORIAL CHURCH - Rev. C. C. Owen, B.A., rector. Divine service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The rector will preach at both services. Holy Com-

munion after evening service. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN Church-Rev. Robert Johnston, D.D.,

pastor. Rev. Principal Wilkie, of Indore College, India, will preach at 11 a.m.; 7 p.m., the pastor will preach; subject, "Orthodox, but Dying"; 3 p.m., Sabbath School and pastor's class. Wednesday, 8 p.m., prayer meeting.

ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL-MORN. ING—"Venite" (Monk), "Benedicite" (Best), "Benedictus" (Langdon). (Langdon). Preacher, Rev. E. N. Erglish, M.A. Evening — "Magnificat" (Bunnett),
"Nunc Dimittis" (Bunnett); anthem, 'Will He Fail Us?" Preacher, the Dean. Holy Communion at 8:30 a.m.

TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH -Rev. A. T. Sowerby, Ph.D., LL.D., pastor. 11 a.m., "Our Nickname"; 7 p.m., a practical sermon for young men. All young men should hear Dr. Sowerby on this subject. Baptism during evening service. Seats

THE EVANGELICAL LUTHERANS hold church service at 10:30 o'clock next Sunday morning in

WELLINGTON STREET METHO-DIST CHURCH-Rev. J. Edge. pas-tor. Morning, Rev. A. G. Harris; evening, Rev. George Jackson. Morning—Anthem. "Agnus Dei" (Mass in B flat, Farmer); solo, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" (Rock-well), Miss Noble. Evening—Anthem, 'The Sun Shall Be No More" (Woodward); quartet, "The Twilight Fall" (Emerson); solo, "Trust On" (Behrend), Miss Fowler.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSO-CIATION—Sunday, 4:15. Address by Rev. Dr. Johnston. All men welcome.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED FLEMING-In this city, at midni ht Friday,

March 16, 1960, John Fleming, aged 67 years, late of the G. T. R. Funeral will leave his late residence, 2:30 Burweil street, to Woodland Cemetery, on Monday, March 19th, at 3 o'clock; services at the residence at 2:30. Please omit flowers.

CARTER-In this city, on March 15, 1900, Robert Carter, aged 78 years.

Funeral from his late residence, 904 William street, on Saturday, at 3 o'clock; services at 2:30. Friends and acquaintauces kindly accept this intimation.

BUSH-At his mother's residence, 417 West Cedar street, Kalamazoo, Mich., on Thursday, March 15, 1900, Harry Lewis Bush, only son of the late W. L. Bush, and grandson of the late Henry Phair.

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I tell you I am in sympathy with any one who has pains or aches similar to what I had, and shall always take much pleasure in recommending Doan's Kidney Pills.

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But the War Office Does Not Confirm Them.

Boers Evacuate a Strong Position at Burghersdorp -Springfontein Occupied by the British-Methuen's Report of the Magersfontein Fight.

London, March 17.—It is persistently telterated that Mafeking has been releved, but the war office has no information confirming the rumor. BOERS BACK OUT.

Burghersdorp, March 17.-Commandant Oliver evacuated his position on a hall in front of the British during the night. Several Boers of his force surrendered. Mr. Dewett, a member of the Cape parliament, and his brother have been arrested.

HANDS. Bethulie, March 16.-Gen. Gatacres' scouts have occupied Springfontein. The country is clear of the enemy. The main column is following the scouts. Ladysmith, Friday, March 16.-Lord Dundonald's cavalry patrois reconnoitered the Free State border of Basutoland to De Beers Pass, where a slight skirmish occurred, in which

The Boers were also encountered in strength at Van Reenens Pass and

two British were wounded.

Kaffirs arriving here report that the Boers are manifesting a very vindica-tive spirit under defeat, and that many kraals hitherto respected have

German ambulances attached to the Boer forces were found near Modder Spruit abandoned by the Boers. The physicians in charge were unable to move and were brought into camp, where the wounded were cared for. their transports were subsequently supplied and the ambulances were sent to the Boer lines.

#### Methuen's Report.

OF MAGERSFONTEIN BATTLES. London, March 17 .- The London Gazette publishes Gen. Lord Methuen's report of the actions at Magersfontein, Dec. 10 and Dec. 11, dated from the Modder River, Feb. 15. After explaining the difficulties of any attempt to

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rits of cough remedies and cold cures, it demand for Dr. Chase's Syrup of inseed and Turpentine is larger this ason than ever before. The sales are Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and

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d making inquiries as to the best are always disappointing. The Doan he was recommended to try Doan's Kidney Pill Co., Toronto, Proprietors.

outflank 16,000 Boers, and arguing that a blow dealt at the Boer center at Ma-Reiterated Reports That
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gersfontein would be more effective, he says his orders were to relieve kimberley, and, therefore, the day the last reinforcements arrived he decided to attack Magersfontein kopje. The general describes the artillery bombardment of his position, and how the Highland Brigade was led to the point of assault after the late Major-General Wauchope had previously explained all he intended to do, and the particular part each battalion was expected to gersfonitein would be more effective, he part each battalion was expected to play. Lord Methuen then remarks: "Two rifles accidentally went off, and the flashes from a lantern gave the en-emy timely notice of the march" The report then proceeds to show Gen. Wau-chope deployed his men too late, and suddenly the Boers poured in a heavy fire. Col. Hughes-Halett immediately ordered the Seaforths to charge, and the other commanders followed suit. At this moment someone gave the word rushed back through the ranks of the Seafonths. Col. Hughes-Halett ordered the latter to lie down and not retire, and after a while the colonel again tried to reach the trenches, 400 yards off, but the officers and half the men fell before the heavy fire which opened immediately after the men moved. Ten minutes later the Seaforths tried a rush with the same result. Col. Hughes-Halett then decided to await

> After describing sending the Gordons and Grards to support the Highland Brigade, Lord Methuen continues: "At 1 in the afternoon the Seaforths were exposed to a heavy cross-fire, the order to retire was given, and the greater part of the casualties then occurred. This was an unfortunate retirement for He received instruc main in his position until dusk, and the enemy was then quitting the trenches me in the evening of Dec. 10 that he quite understood his orders, and made no further remark. He died at the head of his brigade, where his name will always remain honored and respected. His high military reputa-tion and attainments disarm all criticism. Every soldier in my division deplores his loss. He was a fine soldier and true comrade. The attack failed. The Highlanders were ready enough to rally, but the paucity of officers and non-commissioned officers made it difficult. I attach no blame to this splendid brigade." The report then prodid brigade." The report then proceeds to pay a high tribute to the conduct of all the troops, under conditions as hard as can be imagined, and mentions specially a number of officers and men for distinguished acts of courage, already recorded in the newspaper dispatches.

THE STORMBERG DISASTER. London, March 16-7:42 p.m.-Lord Roberts, in transmitting Gen. Gatacre's report of the Stormberg defeat, gives

his opinion thus: "The failure was mainly due to re-liance on inaccurate information regarding the ground to be traversed to the position held by the Boers, to the employment of too small a force, and to the men being tired out by a long night march before they came in con-tact with the enemy. When it became evident, shortly after midnight, that the guides were leading the column in the wrong direction, I consider Gat-acre should have halted and endeavored to find a proper road, or should have fallen back on Molteno rather than have risked the safety of the entire force by following a route which brought the troops into difficult ground commanded on both sides by Boers." "EX-PRESIDENT" STEYN BUSY. London, March 17.-President Steyn since his arrival at Kroonstadt is issuing counter proclamations and striving to rally his troops to the defense of the republic, but unless all signs fail his forces are rapidly disappearing from the field. The old order of government has lost its political center with the surrender of the capital, but a new order of administration has been created under the British flag. Apparently Lord Roberts' main work during the next fortnight will be one of pacification and elaboration of order. He has paymasters who will buy supplies for his army of 50,000 men, and he has also his disciplinarians, who will en-force respect for private property. With gold to pay out and soldiers under rigorous discipline Lord Roberts is likely to prove a successful politician

#### DOMINION

#### PARLIAMENT

The Debate on the Preferential Tariff Continued.

Ottawa. March 16 .- In the house today the debate on Dr. Russell's resolution indorsing the government's preferential tariff policy was continued. Dr. Montague made a lengthy speech, condemning the policy, and Messrs. Campbell and Rodgers supported the resolu-

Dr. Russell quoted figures to show that under this tariff there had been a much greater increase in the trade between Canada and Great Britain than between Canada and the United States. Following is the full text of the reso-

lution:
"That this house regards the principle of a British preference in the Canadian customs tariff as one which in its application has already resulted, and

will in an increasing measure continue to result, in material benefit to the mother country and Canada, and which has already alded in welding together the ties which now bind them, and desires to express its amphatic approval of such British preference having been granted by the Parliament of Canada."

The house adjourned shortly arer it The house adjourned shortly arter 11

### The Late John Fleming

Another of our esteemed and wellknown citizens, John Fleming, passed peacefully away last night at his family residence, 230 Burwell street, in the 67th year of his age. He was a native of Weardale, county Durham, England, and during all the years of his sojourn in Canada he always cherished the warmest feelings for the land of his birth, often recalling the pleasant memories of his early life in the beautiful valley of the Wear. Like most of the men of the northern counties of England, he possessed a robust and vigorous physique, and in early life was fond of athletic sports, especially cricket, in which he excelled. He left his native land in 1854, and settled in this city in 1856, where for 40 years he was employed in the old G. W. R., afterwards the G. T. R. shops of this city. After this long and faithful service, owing to impaired health, he was obliged to retire about three years ago, was the daughter of the late George Watson, of Ling Riggs, Weardale. They were married in St. Johns Chapel, Weardale, just before leaving for this country. He leaves one son, Atwell Fleming, vice-president of the Hunter, Rose Company, Toronto, and two daughters, Mrs. James Jeffries and Mrs. A. Talbot, of this city. Mr. Fleming was always of a bright and cheerful disposition, and had lots of warm personal friends in the city. He took a deep interest in the affairs of the Canadam Order of Foresters, of Weardale, county Durham, England, and cheerful disposition, and had lots of warm personal friends in the city. He took a deep interest in the affairs of the Canadan Order of Foresters, having filled every position of trust that his brethren in Court Robin Hood could give him, and for many years had been the treasurer. In politics he was a Liberal Conservative. He was a faithful member of the Methodist Church, and adorned his profession by a truly consistent life. His remains will be interred in Woodland Cemetery on Monday next. The land Cemetery on Monday next. The Rev. Dr. J. V. Smith, who comes from Alston, the neighboring dale, and a life-long friend of the family, was with him in his last hours.

#### FIVE DEAD

One Fatally and One Seriously Injured -Results of Starting a Fire With Gasoline.

Columbus, Ohio, March 17 .- Four dead, two fatally and one seriously injured resulted from an attempt to start a fire with gasoline here last night. George White used the fluid at James Weaver's residence, and an explosion followed, the building was set on fire, and the inmates were covered with the burning fluid. The dead are: Philip Weaver, Roy Weaver, Loray Weaver, Tully Weaver and George White. Fatally burned, Alice Weaver. Seriously burned, James Weaver,

#### The Cold Dip.

New Orleans, March 16 .- The weather in this city and throughout Loui-slana continues cold. Snow fell and ice formed generally last night, not only in North Louisiana but in the southern section as well.

Muncle, Ind., March 16.—In eight

hours tonight the temperature throughout the Indiana natural gas belt has fallen from 30 to 5 degrees above zero. The customery gas short-age by these sudden changes is caus-ing much suffering tonight. Houston, Texas, March 16.—Reports from different sections of the state

show much damage to the fruit crop from the frost which followed the snow of yesterday. As a rule, correspondents state the snow will benefit all of the field crops, and especially

Columbus, Ohio, March 17.-All records for March were broken for cold here last night, and this morning, the thermometer touching zero. Weather bureau records cover

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#### IN MEMORIAM

Movement to do Honor to the Memory of the Late Pte. Donegan.

A citizen writes: "It struck me this morning that it would be a fitting thing to pay some tribute to the only Londoner who had been killed in battle during the present campaign in South Africa, Pte. Donegan, who was to all intents and purposes a resident of London, where his father (since de-ceased) and the family reside, and St. Patrick's Day is perhaps a fitting one to inaugurate a movement to do hon-or to his memory. I therefore suggested the matter to a few friends, and the list below is the beginning of what, I trust, will prove to be a fund sufficient to serve the purpose

It is proposed, with the consent of his lordship the bishop, to place a memorial window in St. Peter's Cathe-dral with a tablet below, in memory of Pte. Donegan. The subscription list has been left at the office of the city breasurer, and I trust that the citizens gererally who sympathize with the object will call and subscribe towards the fund. It will take about \$250 to \$500 to put in a suitable window and tablet. Subscribers: George Robinson, \$25; J. W. Little, \$25; T. H. Smallman, \$25; John Labatt, \$25; George C. Glibbons, \$25; Thos. McCormick, \$10; V. Cronyn, \$5; G. A. Somerville, \$5; Dr. J. S. Niven, \$5.

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#### St. Patrick's Celebration

New York, March 17.-The green flag of Ireland divided honors with the national and state colors on all muni-cipal buildings in New York today, while many business buildings and private houses also flew the ensign of the harp. Overhead the day was all all that could be desired for the cele-bration, the sun shining brightly, and its warm rays tempering a brisk and chill breeze. Under foot, however, was a sea of muddy slush, through which the St. Patrick's Day procession tramped bravely. Headed by the 69th Regiment, with the 1st Regiment of Irish Volunteer Infantry, the parade moved over miles of streets covered with slush and water. The parade was under the auspices of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, and was participated in by all of the Irish societies. There were several other celebrations in honor of the day, and tonight nearly all of the Irish societies and military organizations will give balls, dinners or other entertainments. The line of march of the parade ended at Sulzer's Park, where all the Irish societies of the city united in a picnic.

St. Patrick's Day was celebrated in Jersey City by two parades. The First Baptist Church in Dover, Pa., has converted a building hereto-fore used for church social affairs in-to a shirt factory, where church mem-bers are given preference in employ-ment. Five per cent of the wages is to revert to church work in the town,

Lyttle, in Bannock, Mont., yesterday, and was himself shot dead by the girl's

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## SPORTING NEWS

Annual Meeting of the London hand, in a 25-round bout at 124 pounds. Notes.

GOLP.

The annual meeting of the London Golf Club was held this week, and was attended by a large and enthusiastic number of its members. The officers of the club for 1900 were elected and a number of new members enrolled. A resolution was passed that the "greens" on the links be put into thorough order early in the season, and that the links be improved generally. Those desirous of becoming members are requested to communicate with the secretary of the club. FISTIC.

The twenty-round contest, which is to take place at the London Opera House on Friday, March 23, is attracting widespread attention from the sporting public at large, as well as those in London. The contest will be one of the cleverest shows that has ever been given before a London audience. Both the contestants are sure of getting the decision, and write that they are in the finest condition imag-inable for an athlete to get himself The men will make the efforts of their lives to gain the word from the referee. There are a good many friends of each of the contestants here, and the opinion on the result is very much divided. Both of the contestants will bring with them a large delegation of admirers from their respective cities. Smith's hand has fully recovered, and is again as strong as it ever was, as was shown in his con-test with (Leon) in Toronto on the 28th of February. He is working hard every day, so as to be within the weight limit, which will be 115 pounds, while on the other hand, Snyder has to work himself up to weigh that. He is doing most of his work at 112 pounds. Woods and Lane, the two Toronto boys who will go in the 10round preliminary, are sure to please the people who attend the "go," as by far the cleverest team that has been put on here on any of the preliminaries this season. They go in the middle-weight class. will have been asking to see the heavy class of men, and for this rea-

# DAVID HARUM

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son these two men have been secured. No one should miss this "go," which will be easily the best of the season. New York, March 16.—At the Broad-

A. C. tonight Dave Sullivan, of on, defeated Kid Broad, of Cleve-Golf Club-Woods and Lane Four months ago these two feather-weights met at the same club house, Coming-The Latest Baseball and on that occasion, while Sullivan got an awful drubbing, he managed to last the limit of 25 rounds. But Broad got the decision. Tonight Sullivan re-deemed himself. In the 24th round, odds of 20 to 1 were laid on Sullivan's win-ning. In the 25th and last round Broad started in to regain his lost laurels, but his efforts were unavailing, for Sullivan was all over him, and while the Irishman did not knock the westerner out, he had him practically helpless when the bell ended the bout. Referee White had no other alternative than to decide on Sullivan as the

winner. Stratford Beacon: Good-sized posters are out announcing an entertainment in the city hall Monday night of a somewhat unusual character, unusual at least in this city. The chief feature of the proposed event is to be a ten-round bout between "Tommy Lemon, ex-champion middle-weight, of London," and A. Jeffreys, of this city. This will be the grand finale of the show, other features being songs by Verner J. Cavers and A. Jeffreys, se-lections by Roberts' orchestra, a "grand cake-walk, in which the cake is a \$5 gold piece," and a short mill between "local boys."

New York, March 17.—Gus Ruhlin today issued a challenge to all the crack big fellows, including Champion James J. Jeffries, and posting \$2,500 with the World as evidence of good faith. He names Sharkey first, then extends the offer to McCoy, Fitz-simmons and Jeffries in the order named.

HOCKEY.

A game of hockey was played in Parkhill last night between the Parkhill and Forest City Business College teams. The home seven won by 10 goals to 2.

Seaforth, March 16 .- Two rinks of the Stratford and Seaforth curling clabs played a friendly game here this afternoon, Seaforth winning by 22 shots. The score:

Seaforth. John Weir, C. E. Nasmyth, skip.....19 J. A. Wilson, skip.......11 D. M. Ferguson,

skip.....29 Total.....48 Total......26

Sarnia, March 16.-Yesterday four rinks of Petrolians came to town and were turned down by 22 shots. The Petrolia. Sarnia. R. Jackson. R. Mackenzie,

skip.....11 skip......20 Dr. Westell, W. F. Fraser, skip......13 J. C. Waddell. J. Hamilton, skip......13 skip......12 C. Dempsey, J. McGibbon, skip..... 7 skip......18

Total.....41 Total......63 BASEBALL.

The Galt baseball club has organ-ized for the season of 1900, with a Their enthusiasm is bound to grow, everything indicating a prosperous and successful year. The secretary will correspond with Berlin, Waterloo, Hes-

strong prospective team and an efficient staff of officers. The enthusiasts met at the Baker House last night.

The Eagle Quad Stay Is the biggest improvement in bicycle construction since the advent of the pneumatic

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peler, Preston and Guelph, with the object of forming an amateur league.
Charley Campau was presented with a fine bat before the Sunday game at New Orleans, and he hammered out three safe ones with it The Count plays in Rochester this year.

The probability at present is that the International League organization meeting will be held one week from today.

George Black is stirring up baseball enthusiasm in Brantford, and a meeting of business men will be held early next week to discuss the advisability of entering a team in the proposed International League. TURF

Ogdensburg, N. Y., March 16.—Sidney Pointer, the oldest colt by Star Pointer, the world's fastest pacer, has just been sold by W. H. Moffat, of Kempville, to McLaren, of Ottawa, for \$6,500.

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS.

At Tanforan, San Francisco—Sakato, Momentum, Limerick, La Goleta, Daisy F. and Dr. Membula. At New Orleans—Dissolute, Scottish Grit, Bright Night, Strangest, Ben Chance and Grayless.

## WEARIN' O'

Millions of Britishers Sport the Shamrock Today.

New York, March 17. - The London correspondent of the Herald says there are ample eloquent indications that the Queen's message about soldiers wearing the shamrock has been interpreted in a way which her majesty can scarcely have expected, for St. Patrick's Day is going to be celebrated there as a grand national festivity. Long ago it was announced that the Irish na-tional flag would wave above the Mansion House, but this also, had, like the Queen's message, results which scarcely could have been expected, for it gave the idea all over the country to sport the green flag.

The result was that yesterday people were wandering about clamoring for Irish flags with which to decorate their houses, and were intensely disappointed to hear that all such flags had been sold. Each train brought in crates of shamrock from Ireland, and millions of British subjects wear the shamrook in honor of the gallant Irish soldiers at the front, while the harp on the green ground waves alongside the Union Jack and the national standard

NOTES.

The mayor of Hamilton has pro-claimed this afternoon a half holiday in honor of Ireland's patron saint and the Irish heroes who fought on the battlefields of South Africa.

The mayor of Quebec has proclaimed St. Patrick's Day a public holiday, and the Quebec provincial government will hoist a magnificent green flag over the parliament buildings. .
The Toronto board of control unani-

mously passed a resolution that in view of the conspicuous bravery of the Irish troops in South Africa, the Irish flag be displayed on the city hall of To-ronto today.

#### **OUR FISHERIES**

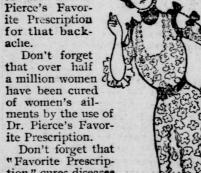
Statistics From the Annual Parliamentary Report.

Ottawa, March 17 .- There was ase of over \$3,000,000 in the value of the Canadian catch of fish in 1898 as compared with the previous year, according to the report of the fisheries department, presented in the house by Sir Louis Davies. The total value of the catch was \$19,667,126. Eighty thousand men were employed in the fisheries during the season, their boats, nets, etc., being valued at \$9,860,000. Besides these 1,150 schooners, manned by 8,657 sailors, were employed. The lobster industry gave employment to 16,548 persons, and has invested in canneries, etc., \$1,334,120. The Nova Scotia catch was in value nearly double that of any other prov-

nce, being returned at \$7,226,000. Ontario fisheries yielded \$1,433,632. In protecting and regulating the fisheries of Canada the Dominion Government employs a staff of 80 men, including the crews of the fishery protection flect. During the year 80 United States vessels took out modus vivendi licenses at a cost of \$8,266. And as showing the value to those fishermen of the privilege of resort to Canadian harbors, no fewer than 1,228 entries of United States vessels are recorded during the season.

Notwithstanding the outery raised in the United States about the lessening of the seal herds of Behring Sea by pelagic sealing, the small fleet of 26 Canadian vessels took last year (1899) 34,454 sealskins—an average catch only twice surpassed in the history of the industry. As to the pracof branding seals resorted to by the American authorities in the hope

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which afflict women.

"I wrote for advice February 4, 1896," writes Mrs. Lena Haistead, of Claremore, Cherokee Nat., Ind. Ty. "I was racking with pain from the back of my head down to my heels. Had hemorrhage for weeks at a time, and was unable to sit for ten minutes at a time. You answered my letter, advised me to use your valuable medicines, viz.: Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and 'Pleasant Pellets,' also gave advice about injections, baths and diet. To my surprise, in four months from the time I began your treatment I was a well woman and have not had the backache since, and now I put in sixteen hours a day hard work."

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of destroying the pelagic sealing in-dustry of the Canadians, the effect cannot be very great, unless the branded seals die, as out of the total catch of nearly 35,000 only 16 branded seals were found.

### STRONG PROTEST

Conservative Reproof for the Montreal Star-A Dishonest Racial Campaign.

Montreal, March 17.—The latest pro-test against the racial campaign of Sir Charles Tupper and the Star is from the Journal. This is the new morning French Conservative paper, which Sir Charles himself was instrumental in founding, and it is made up and printed in the Star office, but the campaign against everything French has gone so far that the Journal's editors feel compelled to lay these considerations aside. The Journal points out that the Star used one language against Laval's flag for its city edition, and other language to the effect that the French flag was given the place of honor in the edition intended for Ontario, and adds: "It seems that this change for the worse, was made purposely for Ontario. We waited for last night's Star to give us a few words of apology or explana-tion, but we got nothing of the kind. The duty now rests upon us to stigmatize as it deserves this cowardice, un-worthy of a respectable sheet. Let pre-judice be openly aroused against us, good and well; we have the means of defending ourselves. But to change tactics according to places is too much. It is adding cowardice to hypocrisy. It is not British. In the first place, the Star uttered a lie when it accused the students of substituting the French flag for the British flag. But suppos-ing that the tricolor for once was placed at the head of the procession, or side by side with the Union Jack, was it worth while for all that to resort to the dishonest trick which we point out? What is the Star driving at with these overdone reports of an incident which it is better for all of us to forget? The Star often praises the patriotic spirit of Sir Charles Tupper and Mr. Foster, and that praise is deserved, but public interest would be better served did our contemporary endeavor to broaden his own mind to that extent which he so unreservedly admires in others."

#### Labor Matters.

Clevelanders will pay ore shovelers a uniform rate of 14 cents per ton for this season. Nearly 7,000 men are benefited by the 3-cent increase.

As a result from the conference now being heid in Cleveland, Ohio, between representatives of the Lake Carriers' Association and a committee of the

grain shovelers' unions, it seems pos-sible there will be no repetition of the big strike on the docks at Buffalo last summer. The contract system so strongly objected to by the shovelers has been abolished. Thomas W. Kennedy, formerly dock manager for the Philadelphia and Reading Company at Buffalo, has, with the approval of both sides, been appointed superintendent. He will have charge of the handling

of all grain. Grand Rapids (Mich.) capitalists, who this week bought the Consolidated Street Railway, announce that they will spend \$200,000 this season in improvements and will make it one of the model lines of the country. Their plans include a profit-sharing arrangement with employes, as is done by the Grand Rapids Gas Company.

#### CREDITON.

Crediton, March 17 .- We have splandid sleighing, and lots of wood and brick are on the move. Alfred Bedford has bought a lot and intends building a house on it in the spring. He has the brick on the spot. There will be quite a boom in building here this spring.
Mr. and Mrs. B. Ward, of St.

Thomas, were the guests of their niece, Mrs. (Dr.) Rivers, this week. The funeral of the late Martha Hill

on Saturday was largely attended, as was also the funeral of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wind on Tuesday. The bereaved have the sympathy of the community.

The Ladies' Aid in connection with

the M. E. Church has reorganized, with officers as follows: President, Mrs. (Rev.) Hussar; vice-president, Mrs. Mantle; secretary, Mrs. Rivers; treasurer, Mrs. Bearer. With the hearty support of the ladies of the church the society is bound to succeed. Mr. Thomas Yearley, one of the old-

est and most respected citizens of Stephen township, is reported very il. A quiet wedding took place at the residence of George Bedford, Crediton, on Wednesday evening, when his sister, Mrs. Stevens, was united with John Willis, from near Exeter. Rev. Mr. Hussar tied the knot, in the presence

of intimate friends. Messrs. Fritz & Wenzel have disposed of their driver to William Hedden for a handsome figure.

Wm. Lewis, V.S., attended the L. O. L. convention at Bracebridge. The choir of the M. E. Church were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Mantle on Wednesday evening. They had a good time. Rev. J. R. Litt and wife were pleasantly surprised by their good people coming to spend the evening and presenting them with a handsome name quilt, which had been made by the

Ladies' Aid of the Evangelical Church.

THE ORANGE ORDER. Bracebridge, March 17.—What is generally conceded to be the most harmonious and fruitful session of the Orange Grand Lodge of Western On-tario concluded here Thursday night.

The last day of the session witnessed re-election of the majority of the old officers of the grand lodge, and voting money to the two war funds, and the adoption of a resolution expressing the loyalty of the order. Stratford is the next convention town. Grand lodge officers elected: R. W.

grand master, D. M. Jermyn, Wiarton; R. W. deputy grand master, John Mc-Millan, Toronto; R. W. junior deputy grand master, James H. Scott, Kincardine: R. W. grand chaplain, Rev. H. D. Dickson, Toronto; R. W. grand treasurer, E. F. Clarke, M.P., Toronto; R. W. grand secretary, William Lee, Toronto; R. W. grand lecturer, R. H. Watson, Toronto; R. W. grand director of ceremonies, Samuel Caswell, Palmerston; grand auditors, John Hewitt. Toronto; W. J. Thompson,

Officers of the Grand Black Chapter of Ontario West: Marshall Thompson, Windsor, grand master; T. W. Robinson, Streetsville, deputy grand master; William Dunlop, Toronto, associate grand master; Rev. Wm. Walsh, grand chaplain; Fred R. Parnell, St. Catharines, grand registrar; Edward Medcalf, Toronto, grand treasurer.

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#### The Turn of the Tide.

If we were to judge from the symposium in the March number of the North American, Review, we would infer that the Boers had been routed on the journalistic as well as the military field. Here we have seven articles on the war, and every one of them decidedly favorable to Britain. As three of them are written by Americans in high position, it is, as Carlyle would say, "significant of much." It is to a German article translated for the Living Age that we have to look for the anti-British presentation of the case. The German begins thus: "The Boers, by their own sweat and plood, in severe conflict with the willerness and its inhabitants, have won A home, and it is a matter of course that the sympathies of the whole civilsed world should be with them in their defense of it against English creed. The probably undeniable fact of a government which greatly needs betterment can in no wise prevent this." It winds up with this statement: "It is not envy and jealousy, S especially in Germany, which evokes this feeling-the victors in three wars and the successful competitors in commerce and manufactures, can witness any good fortune of other nations without jealousy-but the conviction that laurels too easily won would prewent English imperialists from appreciating actual circumstances, and might therefore cause farther conflicts which Germany would be unable to witness as quietly as the battle in South Africa."

We quote this now, as it is always well to let the candid critic have a hearing, but we are glad that in an influential review which circulates in the neighboring republic, a different tone prevails. The Marquis of Lorne, of course, champions the British cause. His article is a contention that the Boers stand in the way of civilization. The same argument can be found in more effective forms, but the fact that he is the Queen's son-in-law and a former Governor-General of Canada, gives weight to his utterances before an American audience.

Mr. Sydney Brooks, an English journalist, attempts to sum up the attitude of the people of the United States to the South African war, and show how far it has affected Anglo-American relations. He has special qualifications for this task, as he has studied the South African question and lived both in England and the United States. This article needs to be read, but the nearest to a summary that we can make of it is in the author's own words. Speaking of those who stigmatized the war as "a war of conquest," he says: "But even among these I do not detect any desire for the triumph of Boer arms. I have met very few Americans who believed in Mr. Chamberlain's concurrent theory that the war was 'inevitable.' I have met a great many who have denounced it as a crime, and more still who have anathematized it as a blunder; but I have failed to come across any who would not agree to the proposition that it was better for the world at large that England should succeed. The sentiments of Americans may be pro-Boer, but their reason is pro-British." One has only to imagine the tornado of investive that would have whirled over the country had the Boer war broken out five years ago, to gauge how far America has traveled from the point of view which made the Venezuelan outburst

In the same journal we have an article by a British officer on the responsibility of Cecil Rhodes, in which two charge are brought against the South African millionaire. First, that he misled the Government and people of Britain by declaring that there would be no war, when the Boers were all the time preparing for war; and second, that he interfered with disastrous results in the general conduct of the war. This is a kind of thing that we cannot discuss, as the facts are not fully before us. We simply call attention to the fact that the field is still held by those who wield the pen in the interests of Britain, while those who championed the Boer cause have vanished, probably because, in journalism, | as in war, they put all their men into the field at once. Britons are evidently not overawed by foreign clamor, and are prepared, while admitting errors in detail, to maintain the broad justice of their cause.

#### FAITH HEALING

Comes Under the Ban of the Methodist Church in Kansas-A Preacher Expelled.

Wichita, Kansas, March 16. - The committee on church conduct of the ence has taken decided action against taith healing, and upon recommendaion of Bishop Vincent, expelled a Methodist minister from their ranks. Rev. D. Osborne was pastor of the First Methodist Church at Pearyville, Kan., Last full he went to Chicago and studed faith healing. He received a dip-oma and took up faith healing as a pusiness in connection with preaching.

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12 dozen, large size, slightly damaged, regular 5c to 8c, Friday, 2 for 5c 36 dozen medium size, regular 30c a 

Children's Taped Waists 7% dozen only Children's Taped Waists, buttons for suspenders; were 25c. To clear at ...... 17c

#### Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose.

Double heels and toes, spliced 

#### Tapestry Carpets.

Moving and altering our Carpe partment makes it twice the size.

Means dust and dirt. The following special prices during our anniversary sale: Tapestry Carpets, special ..... 29c yard Tapestry Carpets, special ..... 39c yard Tapestry Carpets, special ..... 44c yard

Tapestry Carpets, special ..... 58c yard ALL REDUCED.

#### Shoe Department.

Three special assorted lots, Women's and Misses' Button and Laced Boots, not all sizes of each lines, but assortment of sizes in the lot. Special Lot No. 1-75 pairs Women's and Misses' Button Boots and Women's Laced Boots, fine Dongola, patert toe cap, medium pointed toes, hand-turn and sewed. flexible soles; sizes from 11 in misses' to No. 7 in Women's. Our regular price was \$150, \$175 and \$1 85. Anniversary sale price.... 980 Special Lot No. 2—38 pairs Women's Fine Dongola Kid, Sewed, Flexible and Turn Soles, medium pointed toes, patent tips; regular \$2, \$2 25 and \$2 60. Anniversary sale price......\$1 50

Special Lot No. 3—30 pairs Men's Buff Whole-Foxed Laced Boots and Dongola Laced Boots, sewed soles; regular price \$1 95 and \$2. Anniversary sale price ..........\$1 19

## Staple Department.

Plain Pink and Blue Flannelette; regular price 10c and 12c a yard, anniversary sale price 7c

Art Denims and Muslins; regular price 10c and 121/2c a yard, anniversary sale price ......

Cretonnes and Sateens, 10c, 121/2c, and up to 25c a yard, anniversary sale price, per yard ..... 80

Best Standard Shirtings; reguprice 121/2c a yard; sale

Ten-cent Shirtings for ..... 8c Cottonade Moleskin; regular price, 15c, for ...... 121/2c

Twenty-five-cent Cottonade for 19c Best Feather Ticking; regular 22c and 25c a yard. Anniversary sale price ............ 15c

Gray Flannels; regular 121/20 a yard, for ..... 80 our pieces Fancy Shirting Flannel; regular price 25c and 30c a yard. Anniversary sale

In the Linens.

price ...... 15e

Sixty-inch Half-Bleached Table Linen, good value for 32c. Sale

price ...... 22c Sixty-inch Best Unbleached Pure Linen Damask; regular 50c for ...... 35c Seventy-two-inch Half-Bleached Table Damask; regular 55c,

Sixty-six-inch Bleached Satin Finish Pure Linen Damask, worth 90c a yard, selling at 75c Sixty-eight-inch Fine Heavy Satin Finish Bleached Damask, all pure linen; worth 95c Seventy-two-inch Extra Fine bleached, pure flax; worth \$1 25

a yard, for ..... 98c

Damask Lunch Cloths, one row of drawn work and fringed; regular 50c, for ..... 25c

Linen Huck Towels, large size, and fast borders; worth 35c a pair, for ...... 25c Hemstitched Huck Towels;

worth 35c each, for ..... 25c Ends of White Cotton, from 5 

One thousand six hundred and seventy yards fine even thread, factory or unbleached cotton, 36 inches wide; regular price, 5c. Anniversary sale price ..... 4%0 One bale Extra Fine Gray Cot-

Two thousand six hundred yards Crum's best English Prints. 32 inches wide, light, dark and medium patterns, navy, blue, etc., 12½c, for, yard ...... 8c

Seven hundred and sixty yards Simpson's Sateens, black grounds, with white figure and plaids, 32 inches wide; regular 12½c. Anniversary sale price, yard ...... 80

one thousand six hundred yards, Light Prints and Percales, light blues, grays, 32 and 36 inches wide; regular 10c and 121/2c. Anniversary sale 

Forty - inch Apron Muslins, drawn edges, fancy patterns; regular 15c. Anniversary sale

Check Muslins and Satin Stripes; regular 8c, 10c and 12½c a yard. Anniversary price, to clear, yard .....

Wrapperettes at 7½c. Worth 121/2c and 15c a yard; good designs and colors for ...... 71/20

#### Silks!

Three hundred yards Blouse Silk in stripes and checks, prices 35c and 50c. Anniversary sale price ...... 25c

Four hundred and fifty yards Blouse Silk in taffetta checks and stripes, and Foulard stripes, prices 50c, 69c and 75c. Anniversary sale price ...... 35c

Five hundred yards Blouse Silk, in taffetta stripes and checks, also Foulard stripes, prices 75c and 85c. Anniversary sale price ..... 50c

Black Peau de Soie, plain, reversible, guaranteed dress silk. Prices for anniversary sale as follows: Special 85c Peau de Sole for 75c Special \$1 Peau de Sole for 85c Special \$1 25 Peau de Sole for \$1 10

Special Black Surah Silk-Anni-

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#### Super Lace Curtains.

Three and one-half yards long, at per pair ......\$350, \$450 to \$1800 LACE CURTAINS. 2½ and 3 yards long, per pair .. yards long, special .....\$1 50 31/2 yards long, special ..........\$1

#### 3½ yards long, special ......\$2 00

White Quilts. Slightly Soiled Marseilles Quilts-\$2 50 for \$2; \$3 50 for \$2 90; \$2 for \$1 50; \$1 50 for \$1 15. 47 only extra large size Crochet
Quilts, ready for use; regular
\$1 25; anniversary cale price .... 75c

#### Ribbons, 25c to 35c, for 15c Yard.

60 ends Fancy Ribbons, all warranted shades, 5 inches wide, pure silk stock, were 25c to 35c per yard. Anniversary sale price per yard ...... 15c

Ribbons, 10c to 18c, for 5c 37 ends Plain Satin, Heavy Gres Grain and Fancy Silk Ribbons; shades of blue, ecru, brown, pink, coral. Anniversary sale price per yard ..... &

#### Men's Furnishings. Men's White Dress Shirts, heavy

cotton, 4-ply linen bosoms, all sizes, 14 to 17½; regular 65c and 75c. Anniversary sale price..... i0c Men's Cambric Shirts, detached cuffs, neat blue and white stripes

and neat checks, Easter styles. Special value .....\$1 00 Men's All-Wool Underwear, medium weight, Scotch finish, ribbed skirt. Just the kind for spring wear; regular price, 75c. The lot of 70

odd garments to clear at, each ... 17e Fine 4-ply Linen Collars, three shapes, 3 for 25c Men's Fine Ringwood Gloves; regular 250 and 35c. for, per pair..... 19c

# for 10c Yard.

o pieces Fine White and Ecru Lace, 4 to 8 inches wide, choice patterns; were 121/2c, 18c and 25c per yard. Anniversary sale price 

Cambric Blouses, 35c 197 Fine Cardinal Cambric Blouses, in sprigs, dots and stripes; war-ranted fast colors; sizes 32, 34, 36, 

#### White and Cream Laces Ladies' Black Cotton Hose 10c Pair.

40 dozen Ladies' Fast Black Cotton Hose, seamless feet, spliced ankles, regular 14, for sizes 81/2, 9, Cotton Hose, double heels and feet, spliced ankles, sizes 81/2, 9, 

#### Corsets, 75c, for 48c Pair. 20 dozen Steel Filled Gray Sateen

Corsets, lace trimmed, double side steels, 5-clasp steels; regular 75c. Anniversary sale price per pair ..... 48

#### " To Do Ill Gosts More

Than to Do Well."

This "wise saw" might properly read, "It costs more to BE ill than to BE well." The source of all health is rich, strong blood. It is to the body what the mighty streams are to the earth. If the blood is pure. the body thrives; if the blood is weak or impoverished, then every pulse-beat carries weakness instead of strength.

Why make the cost of living more than it need be? Pully your blood and give your constitution a chance to do its level best. The only perfect blood purifier and vigor-maker in existence is the world-famed Hood's Sarsaparilla. It brings good, perfect health. It never disappoints.

Erysipelas Sores-"After scarlet fever a running sore was left on a rose. Took Hood's Sarsaparilla and it eared me. My brother was also relieved by tof erysipelas in his face." ELLA COURSER, Burden, N. B. Bowel Trouble — "My mother, Mrs. John Ried, suffered with bowel trouble for four years and tried different doctors, but obtained no relief until she began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. Three bottles of this medicine entirely cured her." Lizzie Rzid, Tracy Station, N. B.

A cood Medicine — "We have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla in our family as a spring medicine and used Eood's Pills for billousness and found both medicines very effective. For impure blood we know Hood's Sarsaparilia is a good medicine." R. S. Pelton, publisher Bee, Atwood, Ont.

Loss of Appetite — "I was in poor health, troubled with dizziness, tired feeling and loss of appetite. I was completely run down. I took Hood's Sarsaparilla and after awhile I felt much better. Hood's Sarsaparilla built me up." Lizzie A. Russell, Old Chelsea, near Ottawa. Que.

Dyspepsia—"For twelve years I was dyspeptic and broken in health, had terrible pains in my back and was unable to work. When I had taken three bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla I recovered my health. I always recommend it." J. B. MANOR, 362 8th Street, Oswego, N. Y. Hood's Sarsaparilla

Never Disappoints

## THE MARKETS

Local Market.

London, Saturday, March 17. Marketing was found to be an exceedingly disagreeable occupation this morning, and the attendance was small. A few farmers, who stood by their wagons scattered over the square, were apparently more eager to keep warm than to make sales. Both were difficult tasks. Supplier in ail lines were small. No drop has oc-curred in the price of butter, and the present coldw eather is not propitious for an increased production and resultant decrease in price.

A. M. HAMILTON N'S REPORT Wheat, white, per ....65c to 66c Oats. per bu ......301/2c to 321/2c Corn, per bu ......43c to 43c Barley, per bu .......381/2c to 381/2c Rye, per bu ......56c to 56c Buckwheat, per bu ......48c to 571/2c Beans, per bu .....\$1 to \$1 35

The grain market was small and late today. Wheat soid at \$1.08 to. \$1.10, the latter for all good lots; demand good. Oats sold at 90c to 92c; supply light and demand good. Barley sold at 92c for one load. No other kind of grain offered. Live and dressed hogs were steady, \$5.25 being the price for former, and \$6.75 to \$7 for dressed. Hay was steady, at \$8 to \$9; supply fair; demand good. Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs. 1 08 @ 10 Wheat, sed, fall, per 100 lbs. 1 08 @ 10

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THE STEELE-BRIGGS SEED CO. and WM RENNIES **NEW SUGAR BEETS** 

-ARE FOR SALE AT-M. HAMILTON & SON'S. St. Thomas Market.

St. Thomas, March 13.—Wheat, per bu, 67c; oats, new, per bu, 30c to 32c; peas, per bu, 50c to 60c; barley, per bu. 35c to 40c; rye, per bu, 60c; corn, per bu, 45c; timothy seed, \$1 50 to \$1 75; clover seed, per bu, \$6 70.

The Oil Market.

PITTSBURG. Pa., March 17.—Oil opened at \$1 68; closed at \$1 68.

OIL OITY, March 16.—Credit balances, \$1 68; certificates, no bids or offers.

English Markets. Ruling prices for the past four market days— The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest

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July	6	834	5	83/8	5	85/2	5	83/4
CORN-		074		678		0/8	ľ	-/4
New	3	111/2	3	1116	3	115%	3	11%
Old		111/4		11%		1176		1136
Jan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Feb	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
March		0	0	0	0	0	0	0
May	3	1074	3	10%	3	111/2	3	1034
July	3	10%	3	10%	3	1034	3	1036
Flour	17	6	17	6	17	6	17	614
Peas	5	71/2	5	7%	1 5	730	5	71/2
Pork	56		56		56		56	8
Lard		6	33	0	33	0	33	0
Tallow		0	29	0	29	0	29	0
Bacon, light	37	6	37	6	137	6	37	6
Cheese, white			60		60	6	60	6
Cheese, colored		6	68	0	63	0	63	0

Cottonseed oil-Easy; Hull refined, May

Steady, 21s.
Turpentine spirits—Strong, 41s 6d.
Rosin—Common, firm, 5s.
Linseed oil—24s 6d.
Petroleum—Refined, 7¼d.

Dairy Markets. MONTREAL, March 16.—Cheese, 12c to 13c. Butter—Townships, 31c to 32c; western, 25c to 26c.

CHICAGO, March 16:—Butter easy; creameries, 19c to 24c; dairies, 16c to 22c. Cheese firm, at 12c to 13c. NEW YORK, March 16.-Butter firm; western creamery, 20c to 25c; do factory, 17c to 20c; imitation creamery, 18½c to 22½c; state dairy, 19c to 24c; do creamery, 20c to 25c. Cheese firm; fancy, large, white, 13c; fancy, large, colored, 13c to 13½c; fancy, small, white, 13c to 13½c; fancy, small, colored, 13½c; to 13½c; fancy, small,

### BUTTER. EGGS.

colored, 131/4c to 131/4c.

We will pay highest cash prices for any quantity of choice buster and eggs. Wrise us when you have any to offer.

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American Markets.

CHICAGO, March 16.—The cold wave sent wheat prices up today al-lost as fast as the mercury went down, May closing at an advance of %c. Reports of damage to the unpro-tected wheat was the main factor in the general covering movement. Corn was weak at times, but closed at a shade advance. Oats also closed a shade higher, Provisions were strong all day, closing from 5c to 17½c higher. Total primary receipts were 614,000 bushels. Atlantic port clearances
of wheat and flour amounted to 87,000 bushels. Chicago receipts were
39 cars. Estimated receipts Saturday -Wheat, 30 cars; corn, 340 cars; pats, 230 cars; hogs, 19,000 head.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat, March, 65%c; May, 67%c; July, 67%c to 68c. Oorn—March, 35%c; May, 37%c; July, 37%c to 68c. Oorn—March, 35%c; May, 37%c; July, 37%c to 24c; July, 28%c to 28%c. Oass—May, 23%c to 24c; July, 28%c to 22%c. Mess Pork—May, \$1115; July, \$1110. Lard—May, \$607%; July, \$610 Short ribs—May, \$677%; July, \$510. Cash, quotations—Flour, steady. No. 3 spring wheat, 62c to 66c; No. 2 red wheat, 69c to 69%c. No. 2 corn, 36%c; No. 2 yellow corn, 36%c to 36%c, No. 2 white, 26c to 27%c; No. 3 white, 25%c to 26%c. No. 2 red. No. 2 white, 26c to 27%c; No. 3 white, 25%c to 26%c. No. 2 red. No. 1 flaxseed, Northwest and Southwest, \$162 Prime timothy seed, \$242%. Mess pork, \$1050 to \$1115. Lard, \$590 to \$592%. Short rib sides, \$590 to \$620. Hry saited shoulders, 6%c to 6%c. Short clear sides, \$630 to \$640. Sugar, cut loaf, \$595; granulated, \$599. Clover, contract, \$30 to \$840. Eggs, firm, fresh, 15c. RECKIPTS—Flour, 68,000 barrels; wheat, 34,000 bushels; corn, 341,000 bushels; barley, 60,000 bushels; rye, 1,000 bushels; barley, 60,000 bushels; SHIPMENTS—Flour, 67,000 barrels; wheat The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat

SHIPMEN'TS-Flour, 67,000 barrels; wheat, 15,000 bushels; corn, 218,000 bushels; oats, 168,000 bushels; rye, 2,000 bushels; bariey, 27,000 bushels

Live Stock Markets.

NEW YORK, March 16.-Beeves-Receipts, 2,080; generally steady; common steers weak; one car of stags unsold; steers, \$4 80 to \$5 40; oxen and stags, \$4 to \$4 75; extra fat oxen, \$4 35; bulls, \$3 to \$4 65; cows, \$2 to \$3 50. Cables slow. Exports today, none; tomorrow, 409 cattle and 2,000 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 267; slow and weak; veals, \$4 to \$7; little calves, \$3 to \$3 25; barnyard stock nominal. Sheep and lambs Receipts, 277; lambs—Receipts, 3,717; sheep weak; lambs slow and lower, 20c to 30c lower than Wednesday; several cars unsold; sheep, \$4 25 to \$6; choice, \$6 25; lambs, \$6 75 to \$7 \$5; one car, \$7 90; culls, \$5. Hogs—Receipts, 2,372; none for sale; nominally steady.

CHICAGO, March 16.—Cattle—Re-ceipts, 2,500; receipts largest of year today; market steady; native good to prime steers, \$4 75 to \$5 30; poor to medium, \$4 to \$4 60; selected feeders strong, \$4 20 to \$4 80; mixed stockers, \$3 40 to \$3 90; cows steady, \$3 to \$4 25; hetfers, \$3 12 to \$4 50; canners, \$2 40 to \$2 95; bulls, \$3 to \$4 25. Calves—\$4 50 to \$7 10. Texans—Receipts, 400. Fed Texas steers firm; active, at \$3 85 to \$3 90. Texas bulls strong at \$3 85 to \$3 90. Texas buils strong at \$3 20 to \$3 77 Hogs—Receipts today, 19,000; tome w, 16,000; left over, 2,000; average fully 5c higher; tops, \$5 12½; highest hog market since July, 1895; mixed and butchers, \$4 85 to \$5 12½; good to choice heavy, \$5 to \$5 12½; rough heavy, \$4 85 to \$-95; light, \$4 80 to \$4 95; bulk of sales, \$5 to \$5 06. Sheep—Receipts, 5,009; sheep and lambs steady; good to choice wethers, \$5 75 to \$6; fair to choice mixed, \$5 to \$5 50; western sheep, \$5 50 mixed, \$5 to \$5 50; western sheep, \$5 50 to \$5 90; yearlings, \$5 80 to \$6 50; western lambs, \$6 to \$7 25.

TORONTO, Ont., March 16.-The run the western cattle market today as moderate, about 600 cattle, 1,300 ogs, and 400 sheep and lambs; most the stock was sold. Export cattle—in weak, at \$4 50 to \$4 80 per cwt, eavy stock, and \$4 25 to \$4 40 for weights; a load or two of choice cattle sold as high as \$5 per

cwt. Export bulls—Rether weak demand, at \$4 to \$4 25 for heavy bulls, and \$3 50 to \$3 90 for lighter stock; the run was light. Butchers' cattle—Trade brisker, and prices on whole more satisfactory; choice cattle sold at \$4 to \$4 25 per cwt, and an odd bullock as high as \$4 50; good cattle sold at \$3 50 to \$3 90 per cwt; medium to mixed lots at \$3 to \$3 50, and common cows at \$2 50 to \$3 per cwt. Feeders—Very few offered to moderate demand; prices unchanged. Stockers—Light offerings sold to a good demand at steady prices. Milch cows—About 10 milchers and springers sold to a rather dull demand, at \$80 to \$50 a head. Feeding bulls steady, at \$2 95 to \$3 25 per cwt. Stock bulls—Light bulls sold at \$2 to \$2 50 per cwt. Butchers' cattle steady, at \$3 to \$3 50 per cwt. Sheep—Export ewes sold \$50 weaker, at \$3 50 to \$4 per cwt, and butchers' sheep at \$3 to \$4 a head. Lambs weaker at \$4 50 to \$5 50 per cwt, and \$5 50 to \$6 per cwt. for picked ewes and wethers. Hogs unchanged, at \$5 50 per cwt for selections of 160 to 200 lbs, natural weight, and \$4 87½ per cwt for thick and light fats.

EAST BUFFALO. March 16.—Cattle and light fats.

EAST BUFFALO, March 16.—Cattle unchanged. Calves were in good supply, moderate demand, and lower: ply, moderate demand, and lower; choice to extra were quotable at \$6 25, to \$6 50; good to choice, \$6 to \$6 25. Sheep and lambs—Offerings liberal, demand fair for choice offerings, but prices ruled lower; lambs, choice to extra were quotable at \$7 25 to \$7 50; good to choice, \$7 to \$7 25; common to fair, \$6 to \$6 75. Sheep—Yearlings, \$6 25 to \$6 50; mixed, \$5 50 to \$6; wethers, \$6 to \$6 25; ewes, \$5 to \$5 50, Hogs in good position, being 5c to 10c higher; heavy, \$5 20 to \$5 25; good weight er; heavy, \$5 20 to \$5 25; good weight Yorkers, \$5 15 to \$5 20; light, \$5 05 to \$5 10; pigs, \$4 80 to \$5; roughs, \$4 50 to \$4 75; stags, \$3 50 to \$4; the close

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, March 16.-Here American cattle show no improvement, and are slow at 10%c to 11%c per lb, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at

The Apple Trade.

Toronto, March 16.—Mr. Eben James received the following cablegram from 42-1 Messrs. Woodall & Co., Liverpool, to-day: Six thousand six hundred barrels sold. Market very active. Firsts, 18c to 27s, chiefly 19s to 22s; seconds, 13s to 20s, chiefly 16s to 18s. Yola landed in poor condition and sold chiefly at from 14s to 17c.

### Wearing of the Green. 45-11

. (Version for Today.) My own, my native island, where'er I chance to roam

Thy lovely hills shall ever be my own beloved home,

And brighter days must surely come

than those that we have seen, When Erin's sons may boldly sing The Wearing of the Green.
-Ballad of 1798.

O Paddy, dear, and have you heard the news so bilthe and gay? That brighter morn has come, me boy, 'is this St. Patrick's Day; Sure, prin's sons this blessed day and

every fair coleen

Are singing happily as larks The
Wearing of the Green.

Sing out the dear ould song, me lad, as loud as you can bawl, There's no one to forbid you, or in-terfere at all;

And better, show your colors, tob—
there's orders from the Queen
Throughout her wide dominions for
the Wearing of the Green!

"My gallant Irish soldiers, God bless them all!" says she "They've proved once more as true as steel to Empire and to me;

God Bless Irish Roberts!" says her Majesty the Queen,
"The my will that on St. Patrick's
Day that all may wear the Green. every Inniskilling and Dublin

Fusilier.

And all my Irish troops," she says,
"the little shamrock wear;
And on Hibernia's Seventeenth let the Irish flag be seen, And our Imperial London be Wearing of the Green!"

So that is why, where'er you look this mornin', Paddy, dear,
You see the lovely shamrock and note the unconscious tear; 'Tis the tender, blessed mother-touch of woman and of Queen

That has given deeper meaning to the Wearing of the Green. Hate, proof 'gainst hardness, vanishes before love's potent spell—
Pray God all kings and statesmen
would learn the lesson well;
And mark how this St. Patrick's Day all bitterness and spleen

Have, like mean reptiles, fled before
the Wearing of the Green.

—J. W. Bengough, in Toronto Globe.

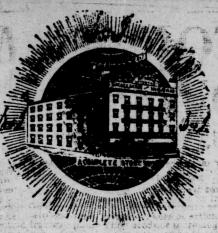
### St. Patrick's Concert.

A large audience was greatly delighted with the splendid programme presented at St. Patrick's concert in the Auditorium last evening. There was but one disappointment, and it was keenly felt. Rev. Father Tiernan had been announced to give an address, dealing with his recent European tour, but at the last moment, illness prevented his leaving Mount Carmel. When the chairman, Mr. M. P. McDonagh, president of the Catho-lic Club, read a letter of regret from the beloved priest, the sympathy of the entire audience was plainly evidenced. Mr. McDonagh, in his introductory remarks, referred at length to the valor and bravery of the Dublin

Seventy-seven is Dr. Humphreys' Pamous Specific for La Grippe. and the Prevention of Pneumonia

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continued up to an entire cure. For sale by all druggists, or sent on receipt of price, 25c and \$1.00. Humphreys' Homeopathic Medicine Co., cor. William and John streets, N. Y. THE WEATHER TODAY-Fair and cold, with snow flurries,



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you want a medium short Corset, for full figure, ask for Sappho E, in white at \$2 25, in black at .........\$3 50 Both these are made with gussets in bust and over hips, whalebone filling, 4 hook clasps, side steels, Venus back, and trimmed with flossing, lace and ribbon.

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BLACK SERGE -One of the most suitable dresses for this season's wear. The following are highly recommended as serviceable and good value:

#### New Black Moreen for Underskirts at 35c, 45c, 50c, and 55c.

nch Medium Twill	48-inch Heavy	850 750 850
inch Fine Twill	45-inch English Coating Serge	\$1 25

#### Fine Colored Dress Goods===Newest.

At 45c-Will be offered a bargain in Homespun, plain or herringbone effect. At 50c-Will be offered a very nice line of Fancy Goods, in two tones, six colorings. A bargain. At 50c-Will be offered a splended line of Serge Mixture, in three shades of gray and three of brown. At 55c-Will be offered a splendid line of Homespun, herringbone effect. At 60c-Will be offered a 52-inch Homespun, four shades of gray and three of brown.

At 50c-Will be offered a splendid Serge, in cream, cardinal and navy blue. At 55c and 65c-Will be offered a special line of Navy Homespun Serge, very fashionable, make stylish skirts. Ginghams and Zephyrs-In all leading colors, rich checks and stripes, small and large,

......18e, 20c and 25c Some of last season's patterns, checks and stripes, plain and raised knot, were 30c, 25c

DRAPERY

Something very special in Art Sateen, delicate colorings, beautifully finished. per yard ..... 18c and 25c Pongee Silks, in artistic shadings-old blue, nasturtium, violet, green and old Also specials in Swiss and Brussels Net, for sash curtains, per yard from .. 25c to 75c

# MALLMAN & INGRAM.

149, 151 and 153 Dundas Street.

Fusiliers in recent battles in South Africa, and the audience applauded with great fervor. Some humorous readings and clever sketches by Miss Ellen Meriam Kurzenknabe, of Boston Wood given in a highly artistic ton, were given in a highly artistic manner, and won hearty applause. Miss B. Fuller, of Detroit, a charming contralto soloist, whose rich, well-trained voice was heard to advantage in popular Irish songs, was also a great favorite, and had to respond to hearty recalls. Other soloists were Mrs. J. Smith McDougall, Mrs. Robert Muir Burns and Miss Lenehan, Mr. Wm. Skinner, Mr. Newton Large, Mr. Joseph Leech and Mr. Tiernan, and each was warmly applauded. In recognition of Mrs. McDougall's success a bouquet of white roses was handed to her over the feetlights. to her over the footlights. Mrs. John W. Pocock was a faultless accom-panist. The Auditorium was prettily decorated with the green flag of Erin in prominent view.

#### Ella Wheeler Wilcox Is Good Authority.

The following letter from Ella Wheeler Wilcox, one of the brightest and most widely read of American upon the recent callers. The police were writers, is well worth reading and remembering: "To the Sanitarium Health Food Company:
"Gentlemen,—It has long been my

conviction that light eaters make long livers. The regular prevalent idea of a good appetite which consumes bloody meats and greasy foods of all kinds, three times a day, is filling hospitals and sanitariums with dyspeptics, diabetics and victims of Bright's disease. For the first time in my life I cheerfully give my name as reference for the excellent and beneficial effects of your Health Foods. I thoroughly be-lieve in them. Could many who are complaining of their ailments be in-

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Mrs. J. Wethom, of Mount Forest, Ont., says: "For a number of years I have been a sufferer from asthma, and during that time I have consulted many doctors on my case and have cheerful optimists.

duced to use your foods, I believe it would turn an army of grumblers into

Mr. J. E. Wall, one of the witnesses in the Ville Marie Bank case at Mon-treal, stated to the court that James Baxter had threatened to shoot him.

As a result Baxter's ball was cancelled. Mrs. Wins low's Soothing Syrup.

Has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their CHILD REN WHILE TEETHING, with PERFECT SUCESS. It SOOTHES the CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS. ALLAYS all PAIN: CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for PIARRHEA. Sold by Druggists in every parts of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Win low's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind Twenty-five cents a bottle. Settlers are beginning to flock into Manitoba in large numbers. Five col-

onist trains arrived yesterday at Win-Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has done it will do again.

The Canadian national patriotic fund now amounts to nearly \$183,000. Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheris.

#### FOR THE SAKE OF APPEARANCES

Absence of Principle and Love of Show Lead a Mother and Daughter to the Police Court. A mother and daughter were charged

at the police court this morning with shop-lifting. On Thursday night a party was to be given at the family residence for the purpose of bringing out the young lady, and it was evidently thought advisable to acquire some dainty bric-a-brac to decorate the family sideboard and add eclat to the To this ambition no exception could have been taken, had it not been for the questionable means adopted to carry it out. Mother and daughter visited a Dundas street crockery and glassware establishment at noon on Thursday, armed with a large market-basket, and while the mother engaged the attention of a lady clerk at the rear of the store, the daughter remained at the front, and deftly transferred several articles to the capacious recesses of the basket. After their departure the articles were missed, and suspicion fell kle and Egelton visited the house, and found evidences of the previous night's festivities. The mother vehemently protested against the search, and swore that there were no stolen goods there, but the detectives proceeded with the search, and found a vase on the mantel and a fancy plate in a drawer. The mother then confessed that a fancy clock encased in glass would be found embedded in the snow near the house. In the police court this morning both parties confessed their guilt, but as neither the owner nor Crown Attorney McKillop wished to press for a conviction, the magistrate allowed the pris-oners to go on suspended sentence, af-ter giving them a warning lecture.

Terrible Suffering From Asthma.

many doctors on my case, and have used many of the so-called cures for Asthma, but never got relief. At times I have been so bad that I found it necessary to have all the doors and necessary to have all the doors and windows open to get my breath. I had given up in despair of ever being cured till I heard of your preparation—Catarrhozone. I have used it and am now perfectly cured—thanks to your wonderful medicine. I recommend it as a positively sure cure for Asthma." Catarrho-zone is a guaranteed cure for Catarrh. Asthma and Bronchitis. for Catarrh, Asthma and Bronchitis.
| Sold by all druggists. Trial outfit sent for 10c in stamps by N. C. POLSON & CO., Kingston, Ont., Proprietors. At a meeting of the West Northumberland Conservative Association on Friday, Mr. George Guillet, Cobourg, was nominated for the commons.

The great lung healer is found in The great lang 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, bronchitis, etc.

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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Section 4 of the Assessment Act. 1893, that the list of lands for sale in the municipality of the city of London for taxes has been prepared, and copies thereof may be had in my office, and that the advertisement embracing such list is being published in the Ontario Gazette on the Saturdays of Dec. 30, 1899, and of Jan. 6, 13 and 29, 1906, and that in default of payment of the taxes as shown in the said list, on or before the date fixed for the sale, the lands set cut in the said list will be sold for taxes at such date.

Datel at the city of London, Ontario, this 29th day of December. A. D., 1899. JOHN POPE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Wm. Spence, James Campbell and James Palmer have presented a petition to the Court of Appeal for Ontario, under the Ontario Controverted Elections Act, against the return of Capt. Thomas E. Robson, Esq., as member of the Provincial Legislative Assembly for the district of East Riding of the County of Middlesex.

Dated at Arva, the 15th day of March, 1966.

Dated at Arva, the 15th day of March, 1906,
R. W. JACKSON,
b Returning Officer.

Rev. T. C. Street Macklem, of St Simon's Church, Toronto, has been offered the position of provost of Trinity

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Toronto Stock Market.

TOR	ONTO, March	16.
		Orf.
Montreal		255
Ontario		127
Toronto		236
Merchants	162	158
Commerce	14734	147
Imperial	214	209
Dominion	967.74	2.6%
Standard	200	19814
Hamilton	18746	185
British America	119	117
Western Assurance	1591/	1584
Consumera Gas	213	211
Montroal Gas	199	191
Dominion Telegraph.	133	129
Northwest Land Commant	nref 534	521/2
Uanada Pacific Ry. Stock	951/2	953%
Commercial Cable Compan	• 169	1653%
Commercial Coupon Bonds		/-
Com. Registered Bonds		
Bell Telephone Company	•••••	180
Richelieu and Ontario	109	10834
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Toronto Street Railway	1013/	100%
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Northern Pacific 53	531/4	531/4	531/4	
Ont. & Western. 23	23	231/3		2318
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Pennsylvania 135	135		135	135
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Reading 56%	5634	57	5634	57
St Paul 12334	12354	1233/	12354	1233/4
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Bubber	29	291/2	29	29
Steel and Wire 563/2	5633	57	56%	57
Pobacco 10533	105%	106	1051/4	106
Continental 281/8	291/2	293/40	291/2	291/2

Toronto Froduce Market. Foronto, March 11.—wheat 5c for red and white west; goose wheat, 69c west; spring wheat, 65/20 Manitoba wheat is firmer, at 81c to 811/2c for No. 1 hard, grinding in transit at Sarnia; 70c to 701/2c affoat at Fort William, May, and 80c to 801/2c at North Bay. Flour—Steady; straight roller in barrels are quoted at \$2.85, middle freights; Manitoba flour is steady and unchanged, at \$3 90 to \$4 for patents, and \$3.60 for strong bak-ers in car lots here. Millfeed-Nominal at \$16 to \$18 for shorts, and \$15 for bran west. Barley—Firmer; No. 2. 42½c west. Buckwheat—Steady, at 50c Barley-Firmer: No. 2. east and 49c west. Rye-Steady, at 501/2c west. Corn-Steady, at 37c for Canada yellow west; American is quoted at 44½c for old No. 3 yellow, and 431/2c for new No. 3 yellow at To ronto. Oats-Steady, at 261/2c, and white at 27c west. Peas-Steadier, at west. Butter-Not plentiful; firm; dairy pound rolls quoted at 25c to 26c, and large rolls at 24c to 25c; creamery steady, at 24c to 25c for tubs and 26c to 27c for prints. Eggs-Receipts smaller; new-laid, 13½c to 14½c. Dressed hoges—Firmer; few offering: local dealers still quote \$6.50 to \$6.75

per cwt for mixed weights on the track here. American Markets. CHICAGO, March 17. — Opening — Wheat, May, 67½c to 67½c: July, 68½c to 68¾c; Sept., 68½c. Corn, May, 37½c to 3.¾c; July, 35c; Sept., 28½c. Oats, July, 22¾c: May, 23¾c to 24c. Pork, May, \$11 20 to \$11 25; July, \$11 15. Lard, May, \$6 10 to \$6 12½; July, \$6 17 to \$6 20. Ribs, May, \$6 12; July, \$6 12.

Chicago Exchange. CHICAGO, March 16.
Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago

Board of Trade				Butler,
broker, Tecumse	Open	High.		Close.
Wheat-May		675%	671/4	6733
July				
Corn-May		371/4		375%
July		381/8	37 3/8 23 7/8	38
July		23	221/2	23
Pork-May11		11 35	11 20	11 30
July 11	27	11 15		11 15
Lard-May 6		6 15	6 10	
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The Manitoba Legislature will meet

on March .29.

#### CATARRH CURED ABSOLUTELY.

The Most Acute and Disagreeable Forms of This Loathsome and Dangerous Disease Disappear When Japanese Catarrh Cure Is Used.

It Cures by Healing Every Diseased Portion of the Mucous Membrane-

The Only Absolute Cure. Mr. John Baird, 393 King street west, Toronto, writes: "I have every reason to feel grateful for the benefits derived from Japanese Catarrh Cure. I have very badly troubled with catarrh since having la grippe in 1895. The dropping in my throat and pain across my eyes was almost constant, and my breath at times became very offensive. I used only a few boxes of Japanese Catarrh Cure, and it has completely removed every symptom of catarrh, and from my experience so far, I have every reason to believe the cure will be permanent. It certainly does all claimed for it, which I cannot say a many other remedies tried." Japanese Catarrh Cure is the only permanent cure for catarrh yet discovered. Price 60 cents, by Anderson & Nelles, druggists. A free sample will be sent to any sufferer from catarrh. Address the Griffiths and Macpherson Company, Limited, 121 Church street, Torouto,

B A Soft. Smooth Hand ...

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are removed.

Chapped hands, face and lips are not known where this new preparation is used.

Price 25 Cents. W. T. Strong & Co.,

184 DUNDAS STREET.

#### Latest Probabilities.

Toronto, March 17 .- Probabilities for the lower lake regions for the next 24 hours: Strong winds; fair and cold. Sunday-Strong southwesterly winds; light local snowfalls and a little more moderate temperature.

-Mr. W. J. Reid has given \$10 to the Donegan memorial fund. -Miss McCormick, of Grand avenue, leaves on Monday for Ontario, California, where she will remain for some time.

-Bailiff English yesterday took John McDonald, George Smith and George Brown to the Central prison to serve terms for stealing.

-Mrs. Pollock, who has been in London for some weeks, owing to the

death of her sister, left today for her home in Beaumont, Texas. -There will be a St. Patrick's skating concert and fairyland illuminations at the Westminster rink tonight. A full orchestra will play all the favorite

Irish airs. -Queen Victoria Lodge, No. 2, L. O. B. A., had their regular monthly meeting in the I. O. F. hall, Mrs. Perkin, W. M., in the chair. During the evening there were three initiations.

-Bishop Dowling of Hamilton will be at St. Peter's Cathedral tomorrow, will lecture under the auspices when there will also be musical ves-

-The First Methodist Sunday school children had a grand treat last night. After supper in the dining hall a fine magic lantern exhibition was given in the Sunday school. About 600 were present.

-The remains of the late Mr. Harry L. Bush arrived here this morning from Kalamazoo, Mich., on the M. C. R., and were conveyed to Mount Pleasant cemetery for interment. Rev. Dr. Sowerby officiated at the funeral ser-

-The quarterly official board of the pressing their appreciation of the serwices rendered by the pastor, Rev. J. W. Robinson, during the past three years, and extended an invitation to him to return for a fourth year. -Thomas R. Parker, treasurer Red

Cross Society, begs to acknowledge the following further sums Grace Church, Ilderton (Church of England), \$9 50; voluntary subscription British Lion Lodge, Sons of England,

-Evangelist McHardy had a large audience last night at Dundas Center Church. The excellent choir was in force, and the service very impressive. The indications are favorable for a great revival. He will continue another week. The services on Sunday will continue all day, with a children's mass meeting in the afternoon.

-Mr. A. A. Heard, who has been the western passenger agent of the Lehigh Valley Railroad at Buffalo, has been transferred to New York as assistant general passenger agent, while G. R. Chesbrough has been appointed westpassenger agent at Buffalo, vice Mr. Heard, promoted. A. W. Nonne-macher has been appointed general baggage agent in addition to his present duties as district passenger agent, vice W. H. Gummere, resigned, on account of ill-health.

-The plan for the grand concert to be given by the Trebelli Concert Company at the Auditorium on Tuesday evening next is now open at the Y. M. C. A. In addition to solos by the re-anowned prima donna, Mile. Antoinette Trebelli, Miss Evelyn de Latre Street. the talented young violinist (daughter of Mr. Justice Street); Miss Janes, the accomplished pianist, and Mr. W. J. Carnahan, Canada's greatest baritone. will render selections. The concert promises to be a most artistic and en-

-Toronto Globe: Mr. L. T. Miller, of the London Normal School, writes: "Inclosed find a check for \$38, as a voluntary contribution by the staff and students of the Western Normal School to the patriotic fund. This tangible token is but a slight way of expressing our high appreciation of and admiration for the certain efforts with which the loyal sons of Canada have upheld her honor, given her a worldwide prestige, and at the same time integrating this loved Dominion with the glorious empire now battling for justice and freedom."

A FIERCE STORM. A strong west wind, snow flurnies, and a temperature of 3 below zero combined to make one of the storms of the season last night. It began to snow early in the evening, and the wind increased in violence as midnight drew near, until a veritable blizzard prevailed. The railway com-pany's sweeper had to be kept running all night to keep the tracks clear.

TWO MORE SUCCESSFUL CASES. In Friday's Advertiser Mrs. Campbell, of 596 King street, advertised for a muff and a purse, which were lost, They were returned this morning by

Mr. J. E. Boomer. An advertisement was also inserted requesting the return of a silver crescent-shaped brooch to 232 Central avenue, and it was returned to that ad-dress last evening shortly after the paper had been issued. A gentleman called and informed us that it was due to the advertisement in The Advertise that the brooch was returned. The Advertiser has made a reputation for recovering at least two articles a day.

HIGH COURT. The weekly sittings of the high court took place before Chief Justice Meredith today, when two cases were disposed of. Morley vs. Tapp-Motion for payment of moneys paid into court. Order issued that money may be paid

out, except portion belonging to in-fant, which must remain in court till infant attains her majority. Bayly for motion; Betts for official guardian; no one appeared for purchaser. Taylor vs. Davis-Motion to postpone trial of ac-tion set down for hearing at the assizes next week. Trial postponed till next non-jury sittings, May 14. McPhillips for plaintiff, for motion; T. G. Mere-dith for defendant Davis; Judd for defendant Fisher; Betts for defendant

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EFFECTS OF THE STORM. The train service on the G. T. R.

was slightly disorganized today by the storm. The train from the Falls was two hours late. The Chicago train was four hours late. It was blocked at Battle Creek, Mich., but it was not known whether this was on account of the storm or not. There were rumors of a freight train smashup at that place. The M. C. R. train from Michigan was late, and had to be helped to the city by the Port Stanley train.

## ERIN'S DAY

St. Patrick's Day Celebrated Enthusiastically.

A Mark of Appreciation of the Valor and Gallantry of the Irish Forces Fighting for the Empire.

She's a rich and rare land: she's a fresh and fair land; She's a dear and rare land. This native land of mine.

She's not a dull or cold land; No! she's a warm and bold land-Oh! she's a true and old land— This native land of mine. -Old ballad.

In whatever part of the world they may be, the Irish always remember with fondest love the old Emerald Isle, so famous for its own beauty, for the beauty of its daughters, for the gallantry, the warm-heartedness, and the wit of its sons; and on March 17, the anniversary day of the death of St. Patrick, the apostle and patriot saint of Ireland, the war flame of this love flows brighter, and its presence becomes more apparent. This year it is a day of unusual interest. In every part of the British Empire the green fiag of Ireland is flying, and the people of various nationalities who form the empire take delight in wearing the shamrock in honor of the race that has furnished such brave defenders of the Oversia colors before her the Queen's colors. Never before has there been such a recognition of St. of the Altar Society on Monday night, Patrick's Day as is being made today, On this occasion, English, Scotch and colonials take an equal delight in said To Be Incapable of Curing One of showing their appreciation of the services of the Irish soldiers in the preservation of the empire. In all the many wars in which they have engaged never have Irish soldiers displayed greater heroism or added greater glory to a name already glorious, than they have in the war now raging. The honor that is being done to the day is really being done to the men of Ireland, who already have died, and to those who are just as willing to die in order that there be given justice and liberty to all sub-

jects of the Queen.
In London the "wearing of the green" had a shamrock in his button-hole Flags were raised on all the public buildings, and none floated more proudly than did the beautiful green banner of Erin over the city hall. Through out the city also, on many private residences and stores the green flag was flying in the breeze, along with many Union Jacks.

AT ST. PETER'S. At 10 o'clock this morning mass was conducted in St. Peter's Cathedral by Rev. Father Aylward. The congregation was very large. The music supplied by the choir was of an especially appropriate character. The offerings will be devoted to the Mount Hope Orphanage. It was noticeable that despite the severity of the weather there was a large number of very old people present.

[Special to The Advertiser per C.P.R.] Ottawa, March 17 .- The Irish flag floats over the city hall today. There was no other public demonstration of any kind in honor of St. Patrick's Day, but the shamrock was very generally worn. A concert will be held in the evening. The day was fittingly observed throughout Canada and the old coun-

The bells of Windsor Castle rang today in honor of St. Patrick's Day. The Grenadiers' Band played Irish airs on Castle Hill, and all the flags of royal boroughs were displayed.

#### HOCKEY.

Teams representing the Dickison, Nicholson & Co. and the J. C. Green & Co. played a game of hockey at the Westminster rink last night. The former won by a score of 2 to 1. The line-

up:		
Dickison, N. & C	Jo. J.	C. Green & Co.
Munnoch	Goal	Tuck
Keenleyside C	over Point.	Glover
Heaman	Point	Boyd
Sutherland)		Southam
Sutherland,) McEvoy Moore	D	Spittal
Moore	Dorwards -	
Gosling		
Referce-Mr. Ha	rold Souths	m. Goal judges,
L. Parker, P. McL		

A hotly-contested game of hockey was played at the Jubilee Rink on Friday night, between teams representing A. Screaton & Co and the R. Greene Manufacturing Company, resulting in a victory for the Screaton Company's team by the score of 7 to 4. When half-time was called the score stood 3 to 3. The winners, however, pulled together, and scored 4 goals in the last half. The teams lined up

as follows: A. Screaton & Co. R. Greene Co. .....H. Wilson .....W. Wilson Cover Point..... .Goal

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Conquest of the Orange Free State Progressing Steadily -How Steyn Escaped.

London, March 17 .- The peaceful conquest of the Orange Free State progresses so evenly that it is now believed there will be little or no fighting until Lord Roberts reaches the Vaal River. How soon he intends to start out with this objective is not hinted at. The pacification of the Free Staters seems now engaging all his atten-

In the meanwhile the fate of Mafeking remains unknown.

The revolt of the Cape Dutch in the northeast seems to have had its back broken, and it is likely Gen. Kitchener will soon resume his place beside his

The lull that lets the British troops in Natal and the Free State recuperate brings no rest to the engineers and the transport service. Girouard, the young Canadian officer who rules supreme over the railroads, is now putting his system to the most severe test in an endeavor to pour supplies from Cape

Town into Bioemfontein.

Commandant Oliver, after leaving Burghersdorp, went to Reuxville, where he is now reported to be with only a small force. Dr. Leyds, the diplomatic agent of the Transvaal, has disappeared from

PRESIDENT STEYN'S ESCAPE. London, March 17-6 a.m.-[Special to the Toronto Globe.]-It appears from a telegram dispatched by the Post correspondent with Lord Roberts' army that Steyn owed his escape from Bloemfontein to a subterfuge. The burghers were anxious that he should surrender to the British, so as to avoid being made a prisoner. He announced his intention of first visiting the outposts. Instead of doing this, however, he jumped into a carriage which was waiting from him outside the town, and, driving away rapidly, soon made

his escape good. According to a Globe special Dr. Leyds is believed to have come to London, but nothing is known there about his arrival. Vanzyl, Friday, March 16 .- The railroad has been reopened from Bloem-

fontein to Norval's Pont. Gen. Pole-Carew and the Grenadiers have just arrived at Norval's Pont.

WEAKNESS OF HOSPITALS

the Most Deadly Diseases of the Age.

Montreal, March 12.-Mr. Wm. Brownley tells an alarming story of utter failure of the hospitals to cure him of Bright's Disease. He was treated in the best hospitals both in Canada and the United States. They gave him up as incurable. Medical science had failed; the hospitals were powerless to help him. Nevertheless Mr. Brownley is cured. Dodd's Kid-ney pills cured him, and he is a well

Says Mr. Brownley himself: "I have been subject to Bright's Disease of the Kidneys for many years. I have been in all the best hospitals in Canada and the United States. I could get no relief. I have just finished eleven doses of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and am completely cured. I am a locomotive engineer, and well-known, so many can vouch for this statement."

#### 'Varsity Literary Society

A regular meeting of the Western University Literary Society was held last evening. The attendance was the largest and most enthusiastic of the season. The programme was as fol-Instrumental, Miss Burgess, Impromptu debate, Resolved that Departmental Stores Should be Prohibit-ed by Law, affirmative, Messrs. Hardy and Hicks, negative, Appleyard and Wright; song, Mr. Smith. During the interval which followed, Mr. Matthews delivered a few interesting remarks on sociology. The judges, Rev. Principal English and Messrs. Perrin and Glasebrook, then announced their decision in favor of the negative. Then followed a debate, the subject, Resolved that a Wife is a Greater Benefit to a Non-Professional Man Than a Library." The speakers were, affirmative, Messrs. Bice and Carlisle; negative, Misses Groves and Brock. Pending the judges' decision on this debate, a vocal solo was contributed by Miss Phoenix. The violin obligato was a pleasing feature of this number. The president then called upon Dr. Tupper, critic for the evening, whose criticism was pithy and accurate. The attention of the audience was directed to the fact that on Friday, March 30, the society will give a concert, when the students will present W. D. Howells' "Mouse Trap." The decision of the judges on the last debate was that non-professional men should choose books rather than wives. The meeting then closed by singing "God Save the Queen."

#### **ORGANIZING**

Cigarmakers Takes Means to Extend Their Union's Influence.

A representative meeting of union cigarmakers was held in Stratford this week to devise ways and means to extend the influence of the Cigarmakers' International Union in Canada through the better advertising of the union label and by promoting legislation in the interest of the craft. The meeting proved highly successful, resulting in organization for the purpose mentioned, with the following executive: Wm. V. Todd, Toronto; L. Beggy, St. Catharines; A. Rariepy, Montreal. The next place of meeting will be Berlin.

may be closed down as the result of trouble with the employes. All but 18 of the 200 hands struck for higher wages, which the manager says the business will not warrant.
The American Tobacco Company, New York, discharged its entire list of 500 employes, men and women, yesterday, from the cigar factory, at Fifty-second street and the East River, and will move its plant to its factories in Richmond, Va., Baltimore, Cincinnati and Lancaster, Pa. Manager Gordon said that the shutting down was on account of the expenses. "La-bor is too expensive here," he said, "and we can get it cheaper in the other

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ICE-BOUND PASSENGERS. St. Joseph, Mich., March 17 .- The smoke of the ice-bound steamer Louisville was today occasionally sighted where she had lain ice-bound, five miles out of the Chicago course, the past 24 hours. She has 22 passengers

Is on sale everywhere. It has stood the

THE NEXT NEW SENATOR. [Special to Advertiser per C. P. R.] Ottawa, March 17.—The name of John Valentine Ellis, M. P., St. John city, has been mentioned in connection with the vacant senatorship in New Brunswick, which occurred through the death of Mr. Lewin. There is no doubt if Mr. Ellis will accept the position he can have it.

SNOW SHUTS OUT 6,000 WORK-MEN.

Shamokin, Pa.; March 16 .- Snow began falling here yesterday, and the storm ceased at 4 a.m. today. The ground was covered to a depth of seventeen inches, and the place was snowbound. Over 6,000 men and boys residing between here and Mount Carmel, and employed at the various colleries, are idle, owing to the block-ade. The storm was especially seade. vere in the coal regions, the snowfall being the heaviest of the season. Evart, Mich., March 16,-Last night was the coldest of the winter, the ther-mometer registering 18 degrees below

A company has applied to the Ontario Legislature for incorporation to build an elevated railway in Toronto. John Evans, the 12-year-old son of M. P. Evans, of the bureau of identification, Chicago, shot and killed himself today (Saturday) while playing with his father's pistol.

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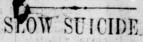
### SAD ACCIDENT AT ST. THOMAS

▲ Wabash Yardsman Crushed to Death -Other Casualties.

St. Thomas, Ont., March 17. - John A. Haywood, yardman, was instantly killed in the Wabash yards in this city yesterday afternoon. He slipped while making up the east accommodation train, and, falling across the rails, was crushed to death. Deceased was for years, until the past few months, G. T. R. constable at the Grand Trunk depot here. He was 25 years of age and leaves a wife and two children. city yesterday afternoon. He slipped

Columbus, O., March 17.-A gasoline explosion last night at the residence of James Weaver resulted in one death, five fatally injured, and one seriously injured. The dead: Philip Weaver, son of James Weaver. Fatally injured: Joseph White, Roy Weaver, son; Adice Weaver, wife, and Loray and Tully Weaver, daughters of James Weaver. James Weaver was seriously burned, but may recover los burned, but may recover. Jos. White used gasoline in starting a fire, when the can of liquid exploded, when the can and wrapping the wrecking the room and wrapping the

tims in flames. Moston, Mass., March 17 -Jonathan L. Nrye and his wife, Mary erry Frye, a respectable Roxbury coup , died last a respectable Roxbury coup , died last night within an hour of each other. They were found dead, side by side, in bed at their home, No. 70 Savin sileet. Death was due to natural causes, although there is a belief that the couple had not received proper care in their last



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127 RECRUITS AT TORONTO. Toronto, March 17.—The Toronto Company of the Halifax Regiment is now practically complete. Including the sixteen buglers to be sworn in on Sunday, 127 men have been secured here.

ARRIVAL OF SHIPWRECKED

CREW. Kingston, Jamaica, March 17.—The Atlas Line steamer Andes, from New York, via Haytien ports, brought here yesterday ten of the crew of the British bark Douglas, of St. John, N. B., Capt. Crosby, which was totally wrecked at Aux Cayes some days ago while on a voyage from South Africa to Cuba, to load sugar for the United States. The captain remained by the vessel four days, after which he abandoned her.

A physician is not always at hand. Guard yourself against sudden coughs and colds by keeping a bottle of Pain-Killer in the house. Avoid substitutes, there is but one Pain-Killer, Perry Davis', 25c and 50c.

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[Special Cable Letter.] London, March 17 .- Everyone hears expressions of satisfaction that while the answer to the American offer of mediation was clothed in words of perfect courtesy, the language of Lord Salisbury in declining President Mc-Kinley's proffer was so extremely definite as to kill all possibility of a repetition of the offers from any source, unless those proposing them are desirous of being recognized as openly antagonistic to this country. Emphasis is laid on the fact that Great Britain had declared at the outset her unwillingness to consent to any outside interference, and, therefore, as the right of intervention is conditional on the willingness of both parties to the quarrel to accept the good offices of a mediating power, such interference was in this case outside the bounds of diplomatic possibilities, and gave Lord Salisbury full justification for his "retort

TRELAND AND THE SHAMROCK. Outside the high international politics, Ireland and the shamrock largely monopolize the attention of London. The internecine strife in the Nationalstic ranks engendered by Dublin corporation's address to the Queen, and the bitterness felt in loyalist circles in Ire-and at the outward exhibitions of disrespect of her majesty, keep the officials guessing as to what is likely to occur at the Irish capital next month. In the meantime St. Patrick's Day is being observed throughout the United Kingdom as never before. The supply of shamrock is quite insufficient to

THE QUEEN'S NEW YACHT. The new yacht built for the Queen in the government dockyards at a cost of about \$2,500,000 will probably never be used by her majesty. Her instability, so palpably demonstrated at the time of her undocking, has caused the Queen to take a strong dislike to the vessel, and the alterations necessary so materially reduced her comfort and convenience that it is believed they will render the vessel unsuitable for the purpose originally intended. The probability is that the yacht will ultimately be renamed "Enchantress," and converted into a dispatch vessel for the use of the admiralty.

THE AUTHOR OF "ANNIE LAURIE."

A quaint, venerable lady, who might, to all appearances, have just stepped out of a Goldsmith comedy or a Gainsborough picture, died this week In the person of Lady John Scott Spottiswoode, the composer of "Annie Laurie," and other familiar melodies. She was 91 years of age, aunt of the Duke of Buirleugh, and closely related to the late Gen. Wauchope. She had a very strong character, and was a great upholder of old manners and When traveling she rode in a carriage, and always had postillions, She was a liberal benefactor of the poor, and maintained a meal mill as a relic of old times, and she preferred thatches on roofs and peat for fires. She was an indefatigable collector of VOLUNTEERS AND THE BICYCLE.

Of the \$2,000,000 which the government proposes to spend in developing the volunteers, \$250,000 will be spent at the rate of \$10 per man to encourage each regiment to form a company of bicyclists. Lord Lans-downe, the secretary of war, and Mr. George Wyndham, the parliamentary secretary for the war office, boin ride the wheel, and they know from personal experience what can be done with the machine on the fore both. with the machine on the fine English roads. Of course, they do not expect the soldiers to use the wheels on the South African plains or in the country, but they average that in assembling for home down sembling for home defense and in concentrating at any point on the coast battalions of bicyclists could transport themselves and their arms, am-munition and emergency rations with less fatigue and with as much speed as though on horseback. A volunteer, trained to the use of the bicycle, they say, would have at hand for instant use the means of reaching, by a direct road, a point of mobilization possibly twenty to 50 miles distant. With a bicycle ft would be as though a charger stood ready saddled at the volunteer's door. volunteer's door.

THEATRICAL GOSSIP. Great interest is being centered in Mr. Charles Wyndham's production of "Cyrano de Bergerac," which he gave at the Theater Royal, Dublin, Monday, at a state performance, at which the viceroy and the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, and all the best known people in Irish society were present. The general opinion expressed was that Mr. Wyndham put his powers to too severe a test, after the efforts of Coquelin, and that his Cyrano did not

up to expectations. e theaters and music halls are ing a golden harvest from Lord erts' success, and are enjoying berity long unknown to them. At Gaiety Theater it is impossible to a stall for three weeks, while at 's, the Lyric, and at Her Majesty's all the stalls are booked far ahead. Signs of cheerfulness are also very evident at the leading restaurants, which

George Butterworth, an inmate of the Huron House of Refuge, has fallen their to a legacy of several thousand dollars in England.

A convention of British Columbia Liberals, for the purpose of reorgan-izing and deciding what position the party is to take in the coming generil elections, is to meet in Vancouver in April 5.

Wm. Hirons, an employe of the vindsor, Ont., Ferry Company, heard stenday from his brother James, at tte, Mont., for the first time in neteen years.

Miss Ellen Terry, who had been coned to her rooms at the Queen's Hotel, ronto, for almost two weeks, has gone to New York to rejoin Sir Henry Irving's company. She has almost en-tirely recovered from her indisposition. Fire caused by the explosion of a gasoline stove broke out on Friday at Tilsonburg in the two-story frame building owned by W. S. Thompson and occupied by Frank Ullman, con-fectioner. Loss on contents about ;200. Damage to building slight. The Greatest Hog **Fattener** In the World

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#### CABLEGRAMS.

Venezuelan Arbitration Has So Far Cost Britain \$328,125.

Secretary Long has cabled instructions to Admiral Watson at Cavite, to send a United States warship to Taku, China, at the mouth of the Tcho River, to look after American missionary interests that are threatened.

As an outcome of the recent riotous demonstration again the British consulate at Bordeaux, when the windows of the consulate and the consul's resiwere shattered by stones, the three ringleaders of the mob-two stu-dents and a clerk-were sentenced to short terms of imprisonment and fines and to pay costs of the prosecution. President Ingelisias of Costa Rica has issued a proclamation suspending the constitution of the republic, and declaring himself dictator until after the threatened invasion on the Mora shall occur or be abandoned. The constitution has now been suspended for two weeks. Costa Rica and Nicarague are quiet.

A mass meeting, summoned last evening to denounce the act of the Dublin corporation in voting an address to the Queen, was almost a fizzle.

There was no disorder.

It is again reported—but discredited in Berlin-that Germany will soon acquire a coaling station at El Kreit, on the Persian Gulf, and also additional territory in China.

The Shanghai correspondent of the London Times says: Concurrently with the representations of the American association to Washington against the anti-foreign policy of the empress dowager, the China association has suggested to the British minister that a remonstrance against the action of the Chinese Government would be consistent with British policy.

At a meeting in the Mansion House, Dublin, the lord mayor presiding, a committee was appointed to fittingly receive the Queen, and \$7,000 was sub-scribed for decorations.

In the House of Commons the parliamentary secretary for the foreign office, Mr. Broderick, said the British expenses in the case of the Venezuela arbitration from 1895 to date had been \$328.125. He added that there was no suggestion that British Guiana should defray any part of the expense. CABLE NOTES.

There is anxiety in Turkish official circles because of the Russian government's refusal to modify its de-

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mands regarding railway concessions in Asia Minor

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the London Times says: Fresh alarm is spreading abroad from South Russia with regard to further suspicious mili-The Russian troops tary movements. are being concentrated at Odessa.

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per month.
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### THE COLD DIP

Proves Fatal to a Couple of Fruit Tree Agents-Freezing Weather in the Sunny South.

Newark, N. J., March 17.—James Saunders and Ezra Cummings, Chicago fruit tree agents, froze to death in yesterday's heavy storm near Liberty Corners. Extremely heavy snowfalls are reported in the District of Co-lumbia, Wisconsin, New York, Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama. Atlanta, Ga., March 17.—Freezing temperature was reported yesterday as far south as a line running east and west through the center of the cotton belt. Killing frost is reported at Fort Smith, Ark., near Mobile, and at Macon. Fruit men say the trees can-not stand a continuation of cold. The recent warm weather had considerably

advanced the trees. New York, March 17.—A dispatch from Utica says: Reports received from the hunting and fishing pre-serves in Northern New York state that the recent storm has caused many deaths in the game life in that section. Snow is said to be seven feet on the level, and is causing the deer much difficulty in securing food. From Lewis county it is reported that deer have been found completely exhaust-ed, that many have died, and many more will perish in the cold for lack of food. Hunters say the numbers now endangered will surpass even

those of last winter. Chicago, March 17.—The temperature this morning beat all records for this late in March since 1888. At 2 o'clock this morning the thermometer registered one below zero. The cold wave which originated in the Northwest, had its center in this district. Chi-cago, Milwaukee and Green Bay were the only places where the tempera-ture reached zero.

SIGNS OF A LET-UP. According to the predictions of the weather bureau there is no warm wave in sight, but the temperature will moderate today.

Fred Stone, of Perth, was found guilty of assault with intent to do bodily harm to Edward Copeland, since deceased, and was sentenced to one year in the central prison.

Albert Stratton, the Windsor carpenter, who cut his throat with a razor, was buried on Friday. He had been a hard drinker for a long time, and this is believed to be responsible to some extent for him killing himself.

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-Mr. H. A. Sabine is again confined to his home.

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-The name of William Henderson, London, appears in the list of civilians who enlisted in Toronto for service with the Halifax Battalion.

-A missionary mass meeting was held in the Baptist Church, Fullarton, last night, which was addressed by Mrs. (Rev.) T. S. Johnson, of this city. -A memorial service in connection with the death of Rev. J. E. Lancel y be held in the Empress Avenue Methodist Church on Sabbath evening

-Miss Martha Hill, formerly of this city, died in Centralia recently after a short illness. During her residence here she was an active member of the Colborne Street, Church.

-The following members of the Windsor militia will take a two months' course in Wolseley Barracks, begining April 2: Ptes, Andrews, Kerr and Campbell; Buglers Ridley and Cross; Sergt. Schmidt and Corp. McKee.

-Mr. George Taylor, of 211 Dundas street, president of the London Veterans' Association, has two Fenian raid medals in his possession which the owners have not claimed. They belong to Sergt. E. Brennan and Pte. R. Hil-son, of the 7th Battalion.

-Dedication services in connection with the opening of the new St. James' Presbyterian Church will be continued out solicitation on your part, but from next Sunday. Rev. J. A. Macdonald, a sense of duty. Very truly yours," M.A., Toronto, editor of Westminster. Frank J. Devilbiss, office of the Naval will conduct services at 11 a.m., and Officer of Customs, Beltimore, Md.

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Rev. W. J. Clark, of First Presby-terian Church, at 7 p.m. -President Kruger says in substance that "We will lick the life out of them," but considerately adds: "God help us."

—Miss Ethel Barry, youngest daughter of Mrs. E. M. Barry, 506 Adelaide street, who has been ill for some months with internal trouble, has been unconscious since Wednesday.

The general stock of N. McKenzie & Co., of Wyoming, valued at \$4,750, was sold by Mr. J. W. Jones, yesterday, for 65 cents on the dollar. Snively and Sauvey, of Wallaceburg, were the purchasers. Mr. Jones also sold the tailoring stock of Wm. Slater, Richmond street north, to Henry Macklin, for 29 cents on the dollar.

gradually dispersing, but the temperature continues low. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 26-62; Kamloops, 30-54; Calgary, 22-44; Prince Albert, 12 below-18; Qu'Appelle, 16 below-6; Port Arthur, 4 below-12; Parry Sound, 8 below-20; Toronto, 2-22; Ottawa, 4-20; Montreal, 4-20; Quebec, 4-30; Halifax, 32-42. COUNCIL OF WOMEN

> The sixth annual meeting of the London branch of the National Council of Women took place yesterday afternoon and evening in the lecture room of the Y. M. C. A. There was a good attendance. In the afternoon the reports of the affiliated societies were received, and all indicated satisfactory prog-ress. In the evening a number of complimentary, congratulatory and patriotic resolutions and several votes thanks were passed. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Boomer, presidence; Mrs. H. B. Gahan, first Mrs. Geo. Robinson, second vice; Mrs. F. W. Merchant, third vice; Mrs. Rumball, fourth vice; Mrs. E. N. English, corresponding secretary; Mrs. R. M. Graham, assistant secretary, Mrs. Yarker, recording secretary; Miss McKenzie, treasurer.

MERRY PARTY MET MISFORTUNE Two 'busloads of young people, composed mostly of members of the Ramblers and Manhattan Clubs, and their lady friends, went to St. Johns last night attended a dance. They intended to return about 2 a.m., but the weather by that time had become so rough that the drivers would not start for the city. The party made the best of the situation, and about 6 a.m. started for home. They arrived about 8 o'clock, having taken two hours to travel five miles. For a large portion of the way the men had to walk beside the 'busses and lift them through the drifts. Once, when one of the 'busses upset, a young man was completely buried in the snow, and another of the party inadvertently stepped on his face. Altogether, the party had an experience that they will not soon forget.

AN "AT HOME" AT ST. ANDREW'S. About 400 people assembled in the lecture room of St. Andrew's Church last night, the occasion being the tendering of a reception to the newlyacquired members of the congregation, and particularly to those who are in attendance at the Normal and Med-ical Schools. The affair was in charge of the pastor's class, the King's Messengers' Mission Band and the Y. P. S. C. E. The lecture room was attractively decorated with flags and bunting. Rev. Dr. Johnston welcomed the students to the church, and responses were made on their behalf by Principal Merchant and Vice-Principal Dearness. The following programme was rendered followed by the serving of refreshments: Gramaphone selection, Mandolin selection, Tambling Brothers and Clark; recitaselection, Mandolin selection, tion, Miss Boon; solo, Miss Walker; recitation, Miss Colquhoun; solo, Mr. McIntosh; instrumental solo, Miss Irene Love; Bible class quartet. Messrs. Webster, Tambling, Telfer and

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Chairman Jolly, Ald. Dreaney, Winder, Stephenson, Barned, Cooper, Mayor Rumball and Secretary Pope were present at a regular meeting of the finance committee, held last night. Mr. R. A. Bayly, chairman of the board of education, and Mr. John Macpherson, chairman of No. 1 committee of the board were present, and asked for the issue of \$30,000 in debentures for the erection of new schools and the repair of old ones. For Victoria school \$11,600 was needed to erect a six-room addition; to make Park street school a six-room school \$9,200 was asked. To build a two-room school in place of Ouego's a vocation. school in place of Queen's avenue kindergarten would cost \$4,200; and for a two-room school in West London they would require \$5,000, a total

of \$30,000. The deputation presented a statement of their side of the case, and stated plainly that if the debentures were not issued they would find it absolutely necessary to place a very large sum in their estimates wherewith to make repairs, and if this were done, the council, according to law, could

not refuse to grant it.

Mayor Rumball said that the school board was elected by the people as were the aldermen. It was none of the council's business how the board managed their affairs, but he desired to point out to the deputation that this was a very expensive year in which to build. He asked if it would not be possible to get along with two of the schools asked for.

The deputation would not say.
On motion of Ald. Cooper, debentures will be granted for Victoria school and Park street school, that is for \$20,800.

The following grants were made to the various charities: Charities Organization, \$200; Children's Aid Society, \$500; Protestant Orphans' Home, \$350; Mount Hope Orphanage, \$200; W. C. T. U., \$200; Salvation Army Home, \$75; Convalescent Home, \$100.

In relation to the firemen's petition for an increase in salaries, Ald. Cooper moved that it be granted, and the recommendation of No. 3 committee adopted.
Ald. Winder moved in amendment, that salaries remain as they are. The

amendment carried, Ald. Dreaney be-

ing the only supporter of the original City hall salaries were next conoffice were again placed at \$700. Assistant Engineer Ironside's salary was placed at \$800, an increase of \$20; Assistant Engineer Kirkpatrick's salary was increased \$50. Secretary of Com-mittee Bell was given an increase of making his salary \$800. Clerk Jolly was given an increase of \$82, bringing his salary up to \$400 yearly, and Clerk Tambling's salary was placed at \$358, an increase of \$100. Miss McNeil will be typewriter for the city hall at a yearly salary of \$300, an increase of \$50. Weigh Scales Clerk an increase of \$50. Weigh Scales Clerk Dean's salary was increased to \$520 a year, and the assessors' at \$500 a year.

All others remain as before.
A grant of \$35 to the Seventh Band. \$20 to the Musical Society Band, and \$15 to the Salvation Army Band was made for their services at the Ladysmith celebration.

Action in relation to fistic exhibitions was deferred. Several minor matters were dealt

#### Amusements.

TONIGHT'S COMEDY. You should seek the bright side of life, in "The Real Widow Brown," at the opera house tonight. It has a carefully-planned and well-sustained plot, of absurd situations, delightfully amusing and thoroughly enjoyabla. The piece serves as the vehicle for the introduction of the newest songs, pleasing dances and first-class specialties, and contains everything to please the

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MONDAY'S ATTRACTION. "Through the Breakers," from its title down, smacks of the sea, and is the new melodrama to be played at the opera house Monday evening. It is said to be all that its name implies, a play in which strong scenic effects and thrilling climaxes are to be found. and in which the sea and its hardy followers take prominent part. The story of the play is said to be somewhat out of the ordinary, being a strong drawing of character and plot, yet in every way consistent with the many exciting and almost tragical scenes, lit here and there by an unusual amount of good comedy.

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"THREE LITTLE LAMBS." Only a victim of misanthropy in its worst form could have witnessed the performance of "Three Little Lambs" at the London Opera House last night without heartily enjoying it, and manifesting his enjoyment. From start to finish there is not a dull line in the play. There is no semblance of a plot, one does not look for plots in a musical comedy, and it is not missed. The piece is merely the medium of expression for bright jokes and catchy music. The company is well-balanced, and well-trained, and the costuming all

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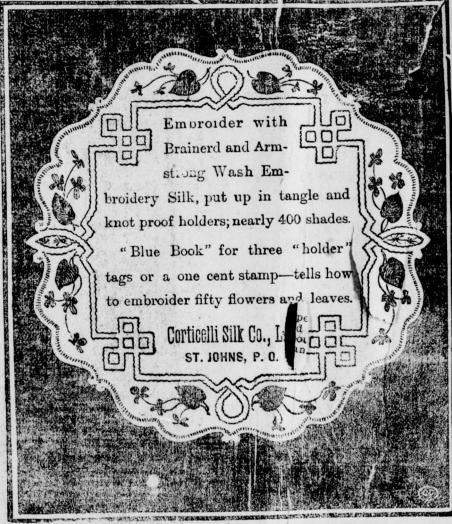
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Miss Daisy Colvin, of Lobo, the organist of Ivan Presbyterian Church was on Wednesday evening presented with an elegant gold watch by the congregation as a mark of their appreciation of her very valuable services. The address accompanying the present was read by Miss Anna B Cameron, and was signed on behalf of

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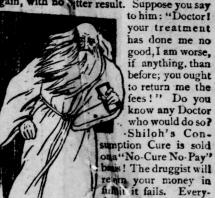
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CANADIAN MANAUDALITURERS AND SOCIATION BALLET

On Thursday, the 29th inst. a hanquet will be held in Toronto, at the Temple Cafe, under the auspices of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association All manufacturers in Canada are cordially invited to attend. The inten-tion is to use this means of bringing together men interested in the different manufacturing branches of Canada in order that they may better understand their position, and take such steps as are necessary to keep Canada



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#### THE PATRIOTIC VIEWS

The Biograph's New Series of War Scenes at the Auditorium Next Week.

Speaking of the biograph war views for the patriotic fund, the Hamilton Times says: "The military pictures were very much appreciated, and the enterprise of the Blograph Company was shown in the views just taken of military operations in South Africa, including scenes around Ladysmith and a ride through Gen. Buller's camp at Frere; Canada's Mounted Rifles maneuvering under Major Williams at Halifax, just before their departure for South Africa; the second contingent embarking at Halifax on board the Pomeranian, and the Toronto squad's farewell parade at Stanley Barracks, Toronto, called forth great applause. When 'Bobs' appeared on the scene, 'the observed of all observers,' the cheering was deafening, and when pictures appeared in which Gen. Buller and Cecil Rhodes were central figures, the audience again let its enthusiasm loose. The other pictures shown were principally of a military character, and in keeping with the patriotic nature of the enter-

"Miss Beverley Robinson, Canada's most prominent singer, delighted the audience with the solo, 'The Soldier Boys of England.' For an encore she sang "Robin Adair." Mr. Owen Smily introduced the pictures in his inimintroduced the pictures in his inimitable manner, and gave a couple of recitations. Tennyson's 'Revenge,' and a monologue of his own, 'Britisher and Boer.' The latter was cleveriff rendered, and most amusing. As an encore, he told how Bill Atkins won the battle of Waterloo.

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Hopkins-An Idler in Old France. Latimer-My Scrapbook of the French Revolution. Burnett-In Connection with the De Willoughby Claim.

Daniels—The Bronze Buidha.

Lever—Gerald Fitzgerald.

Snaith-Willow the King. Tayler-Wanted, a Hero. Thorburn-Transgression Brereton-With Shield and Assegal. Tale of the Zulu war.

Home-The Fellow Who Won. School Kingston-Our Soldiers.

deeds of the British army during the reign of Queen Victoria to 1838.

#### Important Announcement

The committee in charge of the citizens' entertainment in London Opera House, Thursday evening, March 22, for benefit of boys in B Company, beg to announce to the public that the curtain will rise promptly at 8 o'clock, on that evening. They therefore respectfully request and urge the patrons of this entertainment to be in their seats when the curtain rises, sharp at 8

o'clock. The gentlemen in charge are determined that the programme shall not be drawn out too long, thereby keeping the audience in the hall till nearly midnight. The programme is a select one, and just long enough, and in order to avoid a tiresome length, the committee make the above change in time of commencing on this occasion. Citizens are requested to secure their tickets early. The plan for reserve seats will open on Tuesday morning, 20th inst., at the opera house box office, where seats may be reserved without extra

charge.
In addition to list of ladies and gentlemen published yesterday, Mr. Large and Mr. Albert Brown have kindly con-

sented to take part. Remember the date - Thursday, March 22-and remember our brave March 22—and remember our brave boys at the front, and secure your tickets at the following places; N. I. Mc-permid, 272 Dundas street; Heinizman & Co., 238 Dundas street; T. R. Parker, 161 Dundas street; Spittal, Sablne & Co., 152 Dundas street; Graham Bros., 157 Dundas street; I. Wildern, South London; Jos. H. Booth, Richmond G. London; Jos. H. Booth, Richmond G. London; Jos. H. Booth, Richmond G. London; R. L. London, West, London; Jos. H. Booth, Richmond G. London; R. L. London; West, London; Jos. H. Booth, Richmond G. London; R. L. London; Jos. H. Booth, Richmond G. London; R. L. London; Jos. H. Booth, Richmond G. London; R. L. London; Jos. H. Booth, Richmond G. London; R. L. London; Jos. H. Booth, Richmond G. London; R. L. London; Jos. H. Booth, R. L. London; Jos. H. Booth, Richmond G. London; R. L. London; Jos. H. Booth, Richmond G. London; R. L. L. London; R. L. L

#### THE ONTARIO LEGISLATURE

the Benefit of Canadian Soldiers.

Toronto, March 16.—In the legislature this afternoon, Hon. J. M. Gibson introduced two measures-one to preserve to members of the Canadian contingents in South Africa their right to the franchise in Ontario; the other to authorize municipal grants for their Hon. George Ross introduced a bill to

amend the succession duties act.

Mr. Hill brought in a bill to make companies liable in the person of ineir presidents and secretaries just as private persons, and liable to punishment

for misrepresentation of their goods.

Mr. Dryden, replying to Mr. Barr.
intimated that the tuberculin was only aiding in discovering tuberculosis in cattle. There was a good deal more talk of human beings contracting the disease from milk and meat of infected animals than was warranted. The government had distributed tuberculin freely among the farmers, and were encouraging them to lessen their herds, owing to the danger of the

Attorney-General Gibson opposed-Mr. Eilber's bill to amend the insurance act, changing the term of contract for mutual fire insurance companies from four to five years. It was, he said, against the policy of the government's insurance administration. The inspecor was more inclined to reduce it to three years. An extension of the term of contract would enlarge considerably the liability of the insured and com plicate the book-keeping. In well-advanced companies it might not be amiss to allow a five-year term, but there were companies in which it would be a distinct danger. It was moreover to the interest of insurer and insured that there should be a revision of the contract every three years. If there were companies collecting fees for renewal it was without statutory authority, and he was inclined to directly prohibit it. He asked that the bill be

withdrawn. Mr. Eilber said he had not intended that this should be made a party question; but in view of the attorney-general's statement, which was not satisfactory, he would insist on the house dividing upon the question. There were a number of mutual companies which were desirous of having the term extended.

About two-thirds of the members were not in the house, and the bill was allowed to stand. The house then adjourned.

The minister of agriculture today

gave notice of a resolution authoriz-ing the granting of ald to encourage the establishment in the province of the beet sugar industry in the follow-ing ways: First, providing samples of seed for the production of beets suitable for such industry; secondly, affording suitable instructions to farmers where it is proposed to locate such industry as to the best methods of Froebel-Education by Development. Preparing and cultivating the soil in order to produce the highest quality Second part of the pedagogics of the of beets; and, third, analyzing the beets so grown in order to obtain accurate knowledge of their suitability

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Quebec, P. Q., March 16.—There are certainly diseases that sap the brain and dry up the springs of life, besides undermining the strength.

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pains in my loins, and a terrible thirst. "I tried a dozen remedies before I heard of Dodd's Kidney Pills. They all failed to relieve me.

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toms above? If you have you have Diabetes, and nothing on earth but Dodd's Kidney Pills can cure you.

#### From Near-By Places.

On Wednesday, March 14. e very pretty wedding took place at Oakley Farm, the residence of Mr. W. Leach. South Delaware, when his sister, Sophia, was united in marriage to Mr. Archibald Thompson. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Thomas H. Brown, rector of Delaware, in the presence of the immediate friends of the families. The bride was becoming-ly attired in a dark gray traveling costume and was given away by brother. After a splendid wedding breakfast was pataken of, the happy souple left for the east amid showers of rice and every one's good wishes. The presents were both numerous and

The I. O. F. of Birn gave an oyster supper and concert in the hall on were harshly treated by the Boers."

March 7. There was a large attendance, and a supper and programme class of disorders than those which after the breathing organs. Nullify Lang, of Granton occupied the chair, and the following numbers were introduced: Instrumental music, by Hud-son string band, of Bryanston; Flood when applied externally, as well as Bros., of Elginfield, and Mr. Charles swelled neck and crick in the back, Goulding, of Ilderton, the celebrated and, as an inward specific, possesses

Whose home is Dunrea, Man., have all used Burdock Blood Bitters for various ailments.



IT SAVED THE LIFE OF EDNA MAY, THE LARGER GIRL

bolls,

The above drawing of the Vosper children is made from a photo sent us. I took her to two doctors, and they recently, and is a very excellent and did not seem to know what ailed her. striking reproduction.

These three little one, whose home Dunrea, Man., have at one time and another had administered to them Burdock's Blood Bitters for the various diseases of childhood with spiendid results.

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will follow. But we wish to draw especial at-tention to the remarkable cure Burdock Blood Bitters effected in the case of Edna May Vosper. The mother of these children is dead, so their elder sister, Miss Lilly Vosper, who has charge of them, gives the account of Edna May's case as follows:

"Edna May is the larger girl of the two in the picture, and was eight years old on the 21st of June last. "About a year ago she took very sick as a result of over study and a very long walk to and from school, and I scarcely knew what to do as lars, and refuse any cheap substitute.

son, of Ilderton; recitations, by Miss

May Morgan, of Birr; Ira Lambourne and W. Harrison, of London. Rev. Archdeacon Davis, of London, gave a very interesting address on "Loyalty to Our Queen and Country, and the Advantages of Independent Forestry."

C. Cozens, of Birr, and others. Part

of the proceeds were given in aid of

GLANWORTH.

Glanworth, March 17.-Miss Clara Coughlin, daughter of Mr. John T.

Coughlin, ex-reeve of Westminster,

was a cashier in a Toronto establish-

ment for some time, but finding her

health failing from close application,

returned to her paternal home, where

of Westminster, and Julia Coughlin, at the paternal home. The funeral

took place Wednesday, to St. Thomas,

services being conducted by Father Bayard and Father Quinlan, Bismarck.

The floral tributes were beautiful. The

pallbearers were Messrs. Daniel Cough-

lin, James Craig of London, A. Cough-

lin, of Centralia, William Johnston, E. Brady and John O'Brien.

of Miss Edith Coughlin.

A meeting of patrons of the cheese and butter factory will be held on Thursday, March 22, at 2 p.m.

The thrilling adventures of the Rev.

John Patton, in Africa, illustrated by

lime-light views, by the Rev. Thomas

Wilson, of East London, proved a very

interesting affair. The Rev. R. Mc-lntyre, of Tempo, ably occupied the

relict of the late Donald Ferguson, has

changed for the worse.

a railroad through.

Rev. Mr. Irwin.

success.

to come.

The condition of Mrs. Ferguson,

Miss Bella Trigger, who is suffering

from typhoid fever, in Sarnia hospital,

has slightly improved.

Mr. John Thomas, an octogenarian

ARKONA.

Arkona, March 16 .- The railroad com-

mittee are working hard, and are find-

villages and townships are ready to poll their vote for a bonus to help put

The tea meeting at Jura was a grand

Mr. W. J. Moore, of Jura, and Miss

Lena Mustard, of Arkona, were united in wedlock on Wednesday afternoon by

A party was given by Miss Kells on Wednesday night to her young friends, who enjoyed themselves very much,

and returned home at a reasonable

Mr. and Mrs. Zavitz, of Poplar Hill, are visiting at Mr. A. E. Cutler's at

A letter from Sydney to a Londoner

says: "They are war mad in Australia. More than half the white gold miners

in the Transvaal were Australians, and

Oil-a pulmonic of acknowledged effl-

ing that nearly all the people of

of Yarmouth, is seriously ill.

Miss Dromgold, of Chicago, is a guest

after an illness of ten months she passed over to the silent majority. She leaves two sisters, Miss Maud Cough-

Addresses were also given by Rev.

the Red Cross fund.

she was getting weaker day by day. I then tried all sorts of remedies, but they failed to do her any good. It was suggested that she should take Burdock Blood Bitters, and I got a bottle for her.

"That bottle seemed to improve her considerably, so I got her another and another till she had taken in all four bottles, and was completely cured.
"I verily believe B. B. B. saved the life of my dear sister, as before taking it she was gradually but surely growing worse, and everything she took seemed of no avail to help her. "I know of three other cases here where B. B. B. has saved life and re-

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A Strong British Force Has Crossed the Orange River-Railway Between Bloemfontein and Cape Town Restored -Effect of Roberts' Proclamation-Hundreds of Burghers Laying Down Their Arms.

m .- With the railway communication to the Cape intact, Lord Roberts will, In a very few days, be in a position to begin the advance on Pretoria. Mafeking is now the only point for anxiety, and as it is known that a The efficiency of the relieving column is heightened by the fact that it is partly composed of regulars.

THE SURRENDER.

The latest advices respecting the surrender of Bloemfontein show that the approach of the British caused a stampede. Thirteen trains, each composed of 40 cars, and all crammed with Boers, hurried northward just before the line was cut. Mr. Steyn would have been compelled to surrender, but he pretended he was going to visit one of the outposts, and at midnight took a carriage, which was waiting for him outside the town, and thus escaped. The Boers got the bulk of their wagons and military

THE BOER FORCE.

Spencer Wilkinson, in the Morning Post, says: 'The difficulty' now is to imagine a satisfactory plan of operations for the Boer commander-in-chief. At an outside estimate his available force can hardly be 40,000 men. The Boer positions will always be turned before a frontal attack is made. To ewait the attack will be to risk capture. The only plan to avoid it will be a hasty retreat." Then proceeding various possibilities of the Boers, Mr. Wilkinson arrives at the following conclusion: "The best that the Boers can hope for is to gain time. There is no chance of their being able to restore the equilibrium to turn the balance in their own favor. By gaining time they may hope for some foreign intervention or complication. Great Britain must therefore push the war with the utmost vigor, and must not spare any efforts to keep the navy and the home defenses forces in the utmost efficiency, ready for any

ENTRENCHING.

The Daily Mail has the following dispatch from Lorenzo Marquez, dated Friday, March 16: "Entrenching is proceeding on the Vaal River at Van-

'Late arrivals from Pretoria say that the Boers themselves now admit that their cause is hopeless. Gen. Lucas Meyer refuses to fight again, and has returned to his farm. Gen. Schalkburger has also returned, and the burghers are going home by hun-

THE PRISONERS.

The Cape Town correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says: "The Boer prisoners, I learn, will be detained indefinitely on board the transports, and the Free Staters will, perhaps, spared the trip to St. Helena." Gen. Hector Macdonald's wound has nearly healed. He accompanied the brigade to Bloemfontein.

#### Crossed the Orange.

London, March 16.-Lord Roberts has ent the following dispatch to the war-

"Bloemfontein, Friday, March 16 .-Gen. Clements crossed the Orange River yesterday.

Repairs to the railway bridge at Norval's Pont have commenced, and it will shortly be ready for traffic. "Gen. Pole-Carew telegraphs his arrival at Springfontein, so that Bloemfontein now is practically in rail connection with Cape Town.

"My proclamation is already having an excellent effect. Several hundred burghers have expressed their intention to surrender their arms and re-

turn to their occupations.
"The resident commissioner of Basutoland reports that 800 Boers lately arrived from Bloemfontein, and that a further contingent from Aliwal North was only waiting to know the terms of my proclamation to surren-der. They had refused to attend a council at Kronstadt, to which President Steyn had summoned them.' COMPLETE COLLAPSE.

Bloemfontein, March 16 .- It is safe to say that the Boers have completely collapsed in the Free State south o his point. The British cavalry patrols

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London, Saturday, March 17-4:20 a. | going as far as the Modder River, have found no sign of the enemy. The bridge is untouched. Altogether 400 Boers have come in here to surrender. Gen. Prettyman's proclamation stipulates that the arms must be delivered

by noon on Sunday, March 18.

Bloemfontein, Tuesday, March 13.—
The Free Staters south of here are reported to be rapidly returning to their farms. Gen. Grobelaar is attempting to escape to the north. He has a large command and a big convoy of supplies The majority of the townspeople anticipate that the Free Staters will offer no resistance.

ON THE RUN. Bethulie, Orange Free State, Thursday, March 15.—Gen. Gatacre, on arriving here, found that the Boers had fled. The town was nearly deserted, the Dutch having trekked on hearing of the occupation of Bloemfontein. It is believed that the Boers retired in the direction of De Wets Dorp. The tele-graph is open to Springfontein. It is understood here that President Kruger, two days ago, annexed the Orange Free State to the South African Republic.

FOUR CANADIANS LAID UP London, March 16.-The war office London, March 16.—The war office has been informed from Cape Town that Lieut. C. S. Wilkie. C Company, Toronto, first Canadian contingent; Pte. C. E. Finch, 7th Fusiliers, B Company, London; Pte. F. B. Irwin, 8th Royal Rifles, E Company, Montreal, and Pte. W. H. Grant, 48th Highlanders, C Company, Toronto, are still seriously ill in hospital.

The Canadians wounded in the engagement at Dreifontein on the 10th was Pte. R. Hayes, of E Company, Montreal. Pte. O. Matheson, 21st Field Battery, Canadian Artillery, who was with F Company, or Quebec Company, is seri-

ously ill at Cape Town. A PROCLAMATION.

London, March 17 .- In the lobbies of parliament last evening it was rumored that Lord Roberts is about to issue a proclamation, announcing that the former system of government in the Orange Free State is abolished, and promising Free Staters who immediately surrender due consideration.

The Daily Mail publishes an interview this morning with Mr. Cecil Rhodes, in the course of which he complains of the home authorities. Rhodes declared that there had been only 30,000 Boers in the field altogether and that the foreign mercenaries were only about 15,000. The numbers of the Boers, he said, had been exaggerated, in order to explain the British re-

NO INTERVENTION

It is understood that all the continental powers, with one exception, uncomprisingly refused to intervene. The exception was Russia, whose reply was couched in less firm language, although, like the others, she declined to interfere. It is said that the pope was also appealed to, but that he declined to do anything be-yond writing a letter to the Queen, appealing to her to stop the further effusion of blood. Dr. Leyds' efforts with King Leopold were quite futile. COLONIAL SCOUTS.

The colonial scouts are working to the northward of Bloemfontein. The nearest Boer scouts are reported thir-

A DUTCH LAMENT. Cape Town, March 16 .- Onsland comments bitterly on the deportation of Cronje to St. Helena. It says the im-perial government could have conceived nothing more calculated to hurt the feelings of the Dutch.

THE MAINE. Durban, Thursday, March 15 .- The American ladies' hospital ship Maine will leave on Saturday. She will remain in the Mediterranean a short period for the benefit of the patients on

SIMPLY ABSURD

London, March 16.-The report published in the United States that the British warship Thetis was chasing the German steamer Kaiser off Delagoad Bay, the Kaiser having the Boer commanders on board, was published in the Daily Mail, of this city, tolay, together with a denial of the state-ment. The officials of the foreign office say the idea of the officers of a British warship attempting to remove foreigners from a German vessel is "utterly impossible and absurd."

BUGLE NOTES The Berlin papers discuss the proeedings in the British parliament with eference to the desecration of the English Church in Dresden by Boer sympathizers, expressing their regret, and attributing the act to street rowdies, but denying Great Britain's right

At New York on Friday, J. Plerpont Morgan announced the closing of the British war loan. The amount of ap-plications received here was about

The Lisbon correspondent of the Standard say a military force of 70 officers and 712 men will sail for Lorenzo Marquez on Tuesday next. This will include a battery of artillery and

Nervous Debility

may be caused by over-work, worry, mental strain, or excesses of almost any nature. Very frequently it is one of the distressing after effects of la grippe. But whatever the cause a debilitated, nervous system means that the nerves lack nutrition. Feed the tired and jaded nerves and life will renew its joys for you.

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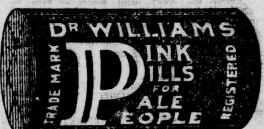
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WEAK AND NERVOUS.

Mr. Austin Fancy is a well known blacksmith living at Baker Settlement, a hamlet about ten miles from Bridgewater, N. S. Mr. Fancy is well known in the locality in which he lives. He is another of the legion whose restoration to health adds to the popularity of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Mr. Fancy related his story of illness and renewed health to a reporter of the Enterprise as follows:—"During the last winter, owing I suppose to overwork and impure blood, I became very much reduced in flesh, and had severe pains in the muscles all over my body. I felt tired and nervous all the time, had no appetite and often felt so low spirited that I wished myself in another world. Some of the time, necessity compelled me to undertake a little work in my blacksmith shop, but I was not fit for it, and after doing the job, would have to lie down; indeed I often felt like fainting. I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and after using a couple of boxes, I felt a decided relief. The pains began to abate, and I felt again as though life was not all dreariness. By the time I had used six boxes I was as well as ever, and able to do a hard day's work at the forge without fatigue, and those who know anything about a blacksmith's work will knew what this means. Those who are not well will make no mistake in looking for health through the medium of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.



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premier, is face to face with that most awkward factor, this November, the presidential election."

#### **GREAT SEND-OFF**

the Contingent From Halifax-Messages From the Queen and Lord Strathcona.

Halifax, N. S., March 17 .- Strath-

cona's Horse embarked at four o'clock yesterday afternoon on the troop ship Monterey, which shortly afterwards hauled out into stream and anchored She sailed at eight o'clock this morn-Great enthusiasm attended the departure of the troops. The line of procession was intensely packed. All stores and places of business were closed. The local legislature held no session. The members of both houses, together with the city council and officers, headed the procession in coaches. One hundred men, with band, from the 66th Princess Louise Fusiliers, headed the troopers. Then came Lieut.-Col. Irvin, mounted. The band of Leinster Regiment was in the middle of the procession, and 100 men from the 63rd Rifles, with band, all wearing shamrocks, brought up the rear. Then followed several thousand citizens and men of the Leinster Regiment.

The detachment of 100 men to take the places of those who fell in the first contingent received great attention.

They are a fine looking lot, and were heartily cheered. Dr. Borden, Aulay Morrison, M. P., and other visiting members of parliament drove in the procession. Lieut.-Col. Steele received an ovation all along the line. Over six thousand people came in from outside the city. The city was gaily decorated from one end to the other. The men all got on board in good order, and at 4:30 the vessel hauled out in

stream and anchored. At the pier the escort lined the head and sides of the wharf, and the banks to five nights it will cure any kind of played the National Anthem. As the ples. Sold by C. McCallum & Co. t ship moved out the escorts gave three chee and the troopers cheerly responded. This was kept up till the anchor was dropped. Previous to parading the men were addressed by Cen. Lord William Seymour, Dr. Borden and Lieut.-Col. Daly. Col. Steele replied. MESSAGES FROM THE QUEEN AND

LORD STRATHCONA. The minister of militia read the following cablegrams:
"To Borden, minister of militia, Half-

worthy comrades of her Canadian soldiers who are now so gallantly fighting for the empire's cause. The Queen wishes them all success and safe return to their homes in the Do-

"In my reply I stated that both officers and men consider it a privilege to have the honor of serving their sovereign and the empire, and may be relied upon to de their duty as Canadians and as loyal British subjects, and to justify the confidence in them to which her majesty has been graciously pleased to give expression. Please express to Col. Steele, officers and men, great disappointment at not being able to witness their departure. I look forward with keen pleasure to the oppor-tunity of personally wishing them Godspeed and safe return. Am quite sure they will acquit themselves bravely and gallantly in any service intrusted to them, and that they will do credit to themselves and to our beloved reversion (Signard).

beloved sovereign. (Signed)
"STRATHCONA." The full complement of troopers sailin the Monterey. The officers are: Lieut.-Col. S. B. Steele, N. W. M. P.; second in command, Major B. Belcher, Reserve of officers-Capts. D. N. Howard, N. W. M. P.; G. W. Cameron, major, 5th Battalion; F. L. Cartwright, N. W. M. P.; quartermaster, Lieut. W. Parker; transport officer, Lieut. I. R. Snider; medical officer, Lieut. C. B. Keenan; veterinary officer, Lieut. G. T. Stevenson.

A FIERY SKIN.

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Extremes frequently beget limita-According to the Zurich Post there are as many as 60,000 Germans in Mi-

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc. A man knows lots of other men who dislike him, but what he doesn't know is why.

Why will you allow a cough a squadron of cavalry.

The Outlook (London), commenting on Lord Salisbury's reply to the Unitdeed States' offer of mediation, says:

"Like M. Deleasse, President McKinder of McKinder of

#### SPARKS FROM THE WIRES &

Canadian Pacific Railway earnings for 1899 netted \$12,230,160 49.

Lady John Scott Sporteswoode, who wrote "Annie Laurie," is dead. At Chicago, the Armour packing interests are to be incorporated. Capitalization, \$20,000,000.

Because of the illness of Mr. Justice Osler, the court of appeal judgments at Osgoode Hall have been postponed

The proposed threshing machine combine, which was to have been capitalized at \$75,000,000, has been aban-Will Craddock killed Thomas Sharp

in the jury room of the court house in Andalusia, Ala., in a row over a game of cards. Capt. B. F. Crosby, of the schooner Joseph Luther, was burned to death at Baltimore, on board the schooner

Lennen, whose captain he was visit-Rabbi Samuel Lavine dropped dead in the Jewish Synagogue at Tremont, N. J., Thursday, while celebrating the Feast of Esther. He was 86 years of age, and leaves sixteen children.

T. O. Davis, M. P., Saskatchewan, while returning in a sleigh from a dinner at the premier's residence, Ottawa, on Wednesday evening, was upset, and had a small bone in one of his shoulders broken.

Newfoundland's new government made up as follows: Premier and colonial secretary, Robert Bond; minister of justice, Mr. John Cowan; ministers without portfolio, Messrs. Morris and Furlong. The cabinet is now com-

Hon. John Dryden states that the government has definitely decided not to grant a bonus for the manufacture of beet root sugar. Aid, however, will be given to test the suitability of beets grown in Ontario for the manufacture

Mr. Clarke Wallace, M. P., was rather badly hurt Friday morning, when on his way to the station at Brace-bridge, at the close of the Orange Grand Lodge meeting. He slipped on the icy road and fell, cutting the back of his head.

AVERTING TROUBLE. Maid (breathlessly)-Oh, miss, both the gents you is engaged to has called, and they're in the parlor, and somehow or other they've found it out, and, oh, miss, I'm afraid there'll be trouble.

Miss Flirtle—Horrors! Oh, dear!
What shall 'I do?

Maid (after reflection)-I'll fix it. I'll

run and tell 'em you're crying your eyes out 'cause your father has lost all his money.

COLD DOES NOT CAUSE COLDS. According to its natural meaning, it would seem that a cold was an affection produced by exposure to low temperatures, to cold weather. Noth-ing could very well be further from the truth than this. Colds are not nearly so common in extremely cold countries as in the temperate zones. They are not nearly so frequent high up amid the Alps as in the cities at the foot of the mountains. Nansen, of the mountains. Nansen, ic explorer, spent over two the Arctic years amid the Arctic snows, with the temperature so low most of the time that the mercury was frozen in his thermometer, yet he and his men never suffered from a cold. They had been back in civilization scarcely a week before some of his companions were laid up with the grip.-Chicago Chronicle.

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pleasure and profit abounds in that home wherein a tender mother dwells, and from whom may be derived the its contents may be thoroughly chillwisest maxims and rules of happy life! ed before serving. In such a home ought to be found the dutiful daughter and the tender and affectionate son. In that home may be acquired the beauties and knowledge of the world, without the danger of being infected by the bad example abroad.

WOMEN'S PART. For men to hear the battle shout, Which nerves the heart and fires the

For women, weary days of doubt, ne anguish For men to give that right be we The drope which from live's c

The mother gives an only some the wife, the master of her leart. men, the glory and renown,

The bero's death, the martyr's bier; For women, grief without a crown, Life 'reft of all that makes life dear.

SUMMER GOWNS. Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, the New York society woman, about whom so much is written, has many lawn and light weight gowns of cambric, batiste, mult and challte each summer. This

at least six of her dresses will be sheer goods with flowers embroidered upon the surface. The embroidery is to done by hand, but is the pretty regular machine embroidery, which produces the flowers in a natural n ner. The style of making these dr will be with ribbon trimmings. row ribbons will stripe the waists baby ribbons will outline figures

MOLDING FRUIT JELLY. When making a mold of fruit j the pieces of fruit should be dipper a little melted gelatine and pres lightly against the side of the mold fore the jelly is poured in. The sease able fruits, bananas, sliced oranges of into sections, white grapes cut halves, may be arranged in the mo pouring liquid jelly, orange, lemon wine between each layer and pushir the fruit down with a silver fork as the felly commences to harden. Keep reserve jelly from hardening by settin

What an inexhaustible source of in a dish of warm water on the back of the range. As each layer "sets" put in more fruit, and then more jelly. When the mold is full set on ice that

If you're getting a new spring gown, The fashionable gown to get Is the gown which everyone's going

But no one is wearing yet. RANDOM SHOTS. The trouble a person has to bear

alone is the hardest. It isn't a woman who has wrapped herself up in an unsightly, shapeless bunch of fur and cloth that in the

house can be until the boy of the family goes to school. No child ever born could do enough

to repay a mother for all she does Why is it, that the person who can't aing will sing, while the one who can sing won't sing.

Better sun and shadow Than a twilight gray; Better teans and laughter Than a smile alway. Fairer dawn and evening Then unchanging noon;

Sweeter silence sometimes

Than the sweetest tune.

HOW TO CATCH COLD. The various ways in which a cold may be brought on are thus described the total number of men permanently by Dr. J. H. Kellogs: "A little knife- under arms is 4,250,000. If universal by Dr. J. H. Kellogs: "A little knife-blade of air blowing in through a cracle in a window, upon some part of the body, will chill that part, and the blood vessels of that region will become con-world could cover the equator right tracted, affecting, somewhere in the in-terior of the body, an area in reflex relation with this portion of the surface of the body. For tistance, the blood vessels of the skin on the top of the shoulders and chest are associated with the blood vessels of the lungs, so that whatever happens to the blood vessels avenues, chambers, domes, abysses, grottoes, lakes, rivers and cataracts.

sels of the lungs. When the influence of the cold is continued, this contraction is followed by congestion. When one puts his hands into cold water for a few minutes, they are first pale, and then red. This is reaction. The longer the application and the more intense the degree of cold, the greater will be the contraction and the congestion. So if the back of the neck is exposed for a long time to the influence of cold, one is likely to take cold in the lungs, and cuffer from congestion of the lungs. suffer from congestion of the lungs. If the cold is long continued it may cause not only a congestion, but an inflamma-tion of the nose or the lungs. So, if the bottoms of the feet become chilled or wet, a weakness of the bladder may re-sult if there has ever been a trouble there; or a weakness of the stomach, if there has been a catarrh of that orgain."-Good Health.

"WELL DONE." As a gentleman was having his luncheon in the coffee room of a small hotel, he was much annoyed by anvisitor, who, during the whole of his meal, stood with his back to the fire, warming himself and watching him partaking of his repast. At length, unable to endure it any long-er, he rang the bell and said: "Waiter,

kindly turn that gentleman round. I think he is done that side." The hint was taken.-Wilwaukee Wisconsin. JAPAN'S LIGHTNING BURGLAR. An extraordinary criminal, known as Sakamoto Keljiro, and famed in Ja-pan as the "lightning burglar," is now awaiting the decree of the court of cassation to which his case was carried upon his condemnation by the lower courts. He was convicted some time ago and sentenced to death, the

indictment comprising 31 different counts, all of which had been proved against him. Some had involved mur-der as well as robbery, and all had involved violence. After the court of appeal had confirmed the judgment against him, and while his court was still before the court of cassation Sakamoto appears to have decided that death was inevitable, and he confessed. In addition to the 31 crimes charged up to him, he confessed to 10 others, including two murders. Eighteen robberies accomplished by means of cutting and wounding, and twenty others achieved by intimidation with deadly weapons. The "lightning burglar," who gained his name from the rapidity with which he conducted his operations in Saitama and Chiba, prefectures, thus goes to doom with a

A GIGANTIC TUNNEL.

total of 71 crimes.

A French engineer, Jean Berlier, has worked out in detail the plans for a railroad tunnel under the Straits of Gibraltar. He would have it run from a point in Spain near Gibraltar to Tangier in Morocco, the total length, including approaches, being 25 miles, of which 20 miles would lie under the sea. The estimated cost is

LEAP YEAR IN THE TWENTIETH CENTURY.

The twentieth century will have the greatest number of leap years possible for a century—namely, 24. The year 1904 will be the first one, then every fourth year after that to and includ-ing the year 2000, February will three times have five Sundays: in 1920, 1948

KIPLING AS A BOY.

Here is a story from an American girl in London about Kipling:
"I met an army officer's sister who had been in India, and they were 'I was brought up with him,' said the army woman.

"'You knew him, then as a child?" I asked. "Oh, yes; Ruddy was the most horrid little wretch of a boy imagin-

"'And you played with him?' I asked, thinking, in my little American that would be something to be proud of Played with him? Never. of us played with him. He was sulky, sensitive, brutal-oh, a little wretch, I assure you. But don't repeat it.

'And so I haven't."-Los Angeles MILLIONS UNDER ARMS.

A French statistician states that around the earth.

WONDERS OF MAMMOTH CAVE. The famous Mammoth Cave is situated in Edmonson county, near Green Rihappens also to the blood vessels of the lungs. If there is a contraction of the blood vessels of the back of the blood vessels of the back of the blood vessels of the nose and throat, and if there is a contraction of the blood vessels of the top of the shoulders and the shoulders are avenues one and a half and even two miles in length, some of which are incrusted with beautiful formations.

The wound inflicted by a Mauser bullet, the missile mostly used by Boers, is quite circular and much smaller than the end of a lead pencil. When a man is hit by one of these bullets he feels no pain or shock; but a stupid sensation, and a strange singing in the ears are felt, which render the majority of seldiers unconscious."



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The latter must be postmarked not later than March 31st. Ten days after the close of competition will be allowed for latters to reach us from dictage.

allowed for letters to reach us from distant points. If more than one correct solution is received we will divide the \$20.00 equally among four late comers if that many are received. If not, then among three or less, but the \$20.00 will not be divided into more than four parts. The Competition remains open only until 31st March next. Bear in mind all these gifts will be surely made, for if no correct answers are received they will be awarded to those who are most nearly correct. Every one competing must abide by the decision of the proprietors of The Journal, for it will be final. The

will be given in next issue of The Journal after close of the competition.

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and present a most dazzling appearance. There is a natural tunnel about three-quarters of a mile long, 100 feet wide, covered with a ceiling of smooth rock, 45 feet high. Echo River is some three-fourths of a mile in length, 200 feet in width at some points, and from 10 to 30 feet in depth, and runs beneath arched ceiling of smooth rock about 15 feet high: while the Styx, another river, is 450 feet long, from 15 to 40 wide, and from 30 to 40 feet deep, and is spanned by a natural bridge Lake Lethe has about the same length and width as the River Styx, varies in

depth from 3 to 40 feet, Hes beneath a ceiling some 90 feet above its surface and sometimes nises to a height of 60 feet. There is also a Dead Sea. entrance to the cave is reached by passing down a wild, rocky through a dense forest. To visit the portions of this wonderful cave already To visit the traversed requires, it is said, 150 to 200

miles of travel.

FUEL SCARCE IN NATAL. The scarcity of wood in Natal has been severely felt by the British troops. Almost all of the firewood that does not come from the boxes in which the canteen goods are packed, forms a part of the commissariat stores, and is issued in small quanti-ties to the troops. One pound of wood to a man a day is the specified quantity. The remark of a sergeant is apropos. He said: "They give me three little sticks for my regiment and expect me to cook three meals with

PUTS THEM TO SLEEP. The wound inflicted by a Mauser bul-

# The Poets.

O, Ering Us Home at Last. O bring us home at last,

Thou who didst guide us when our morn was bright. Darkness is falling fast: Gather thy children home before the

night.

O bring us home at last. The evening mists steal o'er us damp and chill, While autumn's morning blast

Sweeps in sad music over vale and O bring us home at last,

Have we much farther through the night to go? Have we not almost passed The wilderness? Thou wilt not leave us so.

O bring us home at last, Our Father! bid our weary wanderings cease; Uplift the veil o'ercast

Between our spirits and the nome of peace.

#### A Shadow.

I said unto myself, if I were dead, What would befall these children? What would be their fate, who now are looking up to me For help and furtherance? Their lives, I said, Would be a volume wherein I have

But the first chapter, and no longer To read the rest of their dear his-

so full of beauty and so full of Be comforted, the world is very old, And generations pass as they have passed, troop of shadows moving with

the sun; Thousands of times have the old tales been told; The world belongs to those who come the last.
They will find hope and strength as we have done.

#### The Country Doctor.

-Henry W. Longfellow.

The most obstinate, obdurate, acute In his big fur coat and with mittens big as hams. his string of bells a-jingling, through the country side he slams,

There are lots of calls to make, and he's always on the tear. A-looming in his cutter like an amiable bear. And it's hi-i-i, there! Johnny, don't ye

care, ugh 'tis aching something awful Tough and is 'most too much to bear.

Just-be-gay! As soon as it is day. That pain will go a-flyin', for the doctor's on the way.

There are real, true saints; there are angels all around, there isn't one that's welcomer than he, I'll be bound. When he bustles in the bedroom and he dumps his buff'ler coat, sticks a glass thermometer a-down the suff'rin throat.

And it's chirk, cheer up! Mother, bring a cup! You're goin' to like this bully when you take a sup. There-there-why,, there's a twinkle in your eye; You'll be out ag'in tomorrow, bub; gid-dap, gid-dap, good-bye!

-Lewiston (Me.) Journal.

Yellow journal proprietor:-Do you know the truth when you see it? Reporter (proudly)—No, sir! "Then how are you going to avoid it?"-Life.

#### Light and Shade.

'Kiss and make up' is good advice To soothe an irritation, But on the stage the "making up' Precedes the osculation.

"If you will get my new suit done by Saturday," said a customer to a tailor, "I'll be forever indebted to vou. "If that's your game," replied the tailor, "the clothes will not be done at all."—Indianapolis Journal.

Clerk of the Court-Gentlemen the jury, have you agreed upon a ver Foreman-We have.

Clerk-What say you: Do you fine the prisoner at the bar guilty or not guilty? Foreman-We do.

Clerk-You do? Do what? Foreman—We find the prisoner at the bar guilty or not guilty. Clerk-But, gentlemen, you must

explain. Foreman-Certainly; you see, six of us find him guilty, and six of us find him not guilty, and we've agreed—to let it stand at that-Tit-Bits.

Johnny (entering parlor)—Oh, it's you, is it? Why I though— Mr. Softleigh-You thought what, Johnny? Johnny-I thought it was one of them fellers from South Africa. Mr. Softleigh-What think that, my little man? Johnny-Why, sis said that she was going to try and get rid of a Boer tonight

Old Boer winter is on the run And trekking fast to his northern There was genial warmth from yes-And today 'twill be warmer still

And Mr. Softleigh trekked soon af-

ter'-Baltimore American.



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"It was an assure mistake, of course, but it nort ner. Why should she not

suit Lord Serwyn-way should they

make sure that Miss Leigh was his

mad she not been a child, sensitive

possible there are tears in your eyes-

never dream of going into her most

gracious majesty's presence with red eyelids; such a thing never happened

The tragedy of her voice brought

"If there are tears in my eyes," she

said spiritedly, "they must be of utter weariness. I never dreamed of such

ing her who can possibly help it.'

to Lord Vivian than herself?

But those few words lingered in Lady

was as nothing to her. Why did those strangers think Beatrice more suitable

stood in the midst of that crowd like

a white filly, with the sun shining up-

on it, forgetting her own share alto-

clear voice of the duchess, "it is our

She was suddenly aroused from her

train of thought, and felt confused and embarrassed. All her old fears re-

turned; the train, the entrance into the royal presence, the kissing of the royal hand—how should she possibly

get through it?

"Beatrice," she whispered to Miss
Leigh, who was smiling maliciously at
her evident confusion; "Beatrice, do
you think I shall make any mistake?"

It must have been a hard heart that

could resist that lovely, pleading face.

Beatrice Leigh was hard-colder than

a stone. A mistake that would have covered Lady Selwyn with ridicule

"Most probably you will," she re-plied carelessly. "Strangers to this

The best remark one could make on

that it was not a success. In after

years her face burned to remember .it;

and the worst of it was, she knew that

awkward," said the duchess, when they

stood together waiting for the carriage.

"You seemed to lose your senses alto-gether. Do you know you hardly re-plied when her Majesty made that

kind remark to you."
"I was frightened," said the young girl. "I tried to remember all that I had been told, but it died out of my

"Leaving you plante la," interrupted

"I am not afraid," said Lady Vio-

'Ah, yes, ma chere," interrupted the

duchess again; "but women of the world know no such fear."

lips-a wish that she had never under-

taken to be that which she dreaded

most of all-a woman of the world.

it before. He made no remark.

An almost passionate cry rose to her

She saw by her husband's face that

"It is my own fault," said Lady Vi-

lante to herself, as she walked alone through the long, dimly-lighted con-

servatory. "I knew that my world and his were different; that I could

never be all his wife ought to be, and

It was the evening of the day of

the Drawing-room. Miss Leigh had gone to a grand ball-Mrs. Selwyn and

Lord Vivian to a dinner. She should have accompanied them, but prayed

to be excused; the excitement of the

morning had given her a headache, she

wanted to be alone. So she wandered

up and down amongst the fragrant

blossoms, longing for sympathy and

for human companionship: longing, above all, for the touch of her little

child's hand, and the sound of his

voice. She felt unutterably lonely and

sorrowful. She felt an apprehension, a foreboding for the future, that she

could not account for. One by one, all the arguments she had used to Lord Vivian to dissuade him from wishing to marry her returned to her

Were all her fears coming true-

tainly Lady Violante was one of them. She had tried her best, and yet, up to

ing her married life was a failure. She

[To be Continued.]

The Living Age announces a four

part story called "Misunderstandings."

translated from the French of Madame

Blanc, to begin in the number for

March 3. The "misunderstandings" re-

ferred to arise from the free and unconventional conduct of an American girl in Paris, and the story is, in ef-fect, a new "Dalsy Miller" from the

Parisian point of view. Sir Walter Be-sant comes to the defense of Mr. Kip-

he knew she had failed. It was darker

and more stern than she had ever seen

"They would see I was fright-

would have delighted her.

kind of thing often do."

mind."

lante.

ened.

her grace.

Beatrice Leigh.

my own fault."

with double force.

"How will it all end?"

'Now, Lady Selwyn," said the sharp,

smiles to the trembling lips.

"I did not think," she said naively to Lord Vivian, "that there were so many fine ladies in England. How beautiful they are! Oh, Vivian, when you lived amongst such as these, why did you come to Oakside to seek me?" There is not one amongst them to

the compared to you," he said, looking at the fair young face. "I am so proud of my wife. I know she will do credit to my choice. He said the words partly to reassure

her, for he saw the rose-leaf color coming and going. They stood at last In one of the ante-rooms, and there her grace of Roxminster was waiting for an introduction to them. Miss Leigh had known the duchess for some time. To Lady Selwyn she was a complete stranger. There had been one or two appointments made for an introduction, but her grace's engagements had prevented the keeping of them.

Remember, that Lady Violante had lived all her sweet, simple life at Oak-side, and that she know no more of da haute noblesse that she did of Greek. At Selwyn Castle their neighbors and guests had been people of simple habits. When she, Lady Violante Selwyn, stood face to face with the Duchess of Roxminster it was with difficulty she repressed the cry of asconishment that rose to her lips.

And old woman of sixty dressed like blushing girl of eighteen-excessively decollete; a diamond necklace round a thin, withered neck; a diamond bracelet round a shrunken arm; false hair, wreathed with jewels and plumes; false teeth gleaming white through the thin lips; painted cheeks and penciled eyebrows. Lady Violante involuntarily wondered what was false and what

An old woman of sixty, who had been beauty in her youth, and who could not endure to lay dawn her scepterwho laughed, flirted, talked and tried to blush, as though sixteen summers, and no more, had gone over her head. She was dressed with the utmost magnificence; and looked with something like envy at the fresh, delicate face of Lady Selwyn. Her grace was always envious of new beauties. The younger they were the less she liked them. To they were the less she liked them. To Beatrice Leigh's superb beauty she was accustomed, therefore indifferent, the spirituelle, graceful loveliness of Lady spirituelle, graceful loveliness of Lady the royal presence confused, embarrass-

She responded most graciously to the Introduction.

'You are younger than I expected." she said to Lady Violante. When I was younger, I took the lead amongst the blonde beauties—a place you will occupy now, I suppose. There are few blonde belies nowadays."

"It is a place I should not care to Selwyn, that you would have been so occupy," said Lady Violante, with a

"Ah, indeed," said her grace; ple habits, and all that kind of thing. I suppose; sorry I cannot sympathize with you. I like what is called 'life.'"

She shrugged the bare, lean shoulders, and looked at Miss Leigh for approval. Then they passed on with the crowd and Lady Violante's heart beat fast. On all sides they heard murmured remarks of admiration. A face like hers -bright, fresh and fair as a May morn-

ing, pure and sweet as an angel's-is Once she heard rather more than was Intended for her.

"I am told," said a lady whose name she did not know, "that Lady Selwyn As here today; that the Duchess of Roxminster is to present her."
"There she stands," repli replied her

friend, "by the pillar there, next to the duchess." What! The one with the light hair,

who looks so tired already?" "No," was the reply; "that magnifi-cent woman with the dark hair; the

one with the rubies and diamonds is

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Afrikander—A white man born in South Africa of European stock.

Berg-A mountain. ESTABLISHED 1780. Bethulie (Bethooly)-Town in the

Orange Free State. Biltong - Beer provender. Dried meat. Boer-A peasant \* Burgher-Males over 16 years old

CONCOMMENCE OF THE PROPERTY OF ossessing the franchise her at the opera once-before they were Commandant-Commander. Commando-A body of Boers. Commandeer-To mobilize; to rewas the reply; and the speakers passed on, little thinking every word had been audible to Lady Selwyn.

A WAR DICTIONARY

Dam—An artificial lake.

Disselboom—Pole of an ox wagon.

Donga—A water hole or deep ditch. Dopper—The Puritanical-Lutheren

Dorp-A village. Drift-A ford. Etshowe (Etsh-owy)-Camp in Zu-

and loving, she would have laughed; as it was, the tears nifed her eyes. luland. Residence of commissioner. Field Cornet-Magistrate with cer-"Lady Selwyn," said the duchess, what are you doing to your face? Is it Fontein-A spring. Gaberones (Gab-ber-cons)-very real tears? Good heavens, what can you be thinking of? Surery you can important native town, 90 miles north

of Mafeking. Geldenhuis (Geld-den-hise)-Formerly member of the volksraad for Johannesburg. Griqualand West (Greek-a-land)-

District of Kimberley diamond mines. Kantoor (Kantore)—Rocky mining valley near Barberton, in Transvaal. Klip-A stone. Kloof-A ravine.

a crowd and such a struggle as this."
"Probably not," said her grace complacently. "There has never been a
sovereign so much loved as our queen. Komati Poort (Ko-marty-poort)-Border town, Transvaal and Portuguese territory. Kopje—A hillock, Kraal—A cattle pound or collection No one misses the opportunity of see-

of native huts. Krantz-A cleft between the hills. Violante's mind. All the gay pageant Laager—A Boer camp.
Méalies—Indian corn; staple food of natives, and much grown and used by the Boers for bread, etc. She did not hear the murmurs of admiration that greeted her. She

Nek-The saddle connecting two

hills. Oorlog-War. Palapswe (Pal-larp-sway) — Very large native town in Bechuanaland, Chief Khama's headquarters. Pan-A sheet of water.

Pont-A ferry. Poort-A pass between or over the Ramathiabama (Ray-math-layharmer)-Near Mafeking; British

Rooinek-Literally red neck, Boer term for English soldiers. Schuin's Toogte (skeins-hoog-tay)— Hill in Natal; just over the Transvaal border. Battle in war of 1881.

Sluit-A dry ditch. Spruit-A small stream. Taal-Boer low-Dutch language Trek—Traveling by ox wagon. Uitlander—A non-burgher of the

Veldt—The South African prairie. Veldt Cornet—See field cornet. Vereeniging (Fur-eeny-ging)—First station on the Transvaal side of the Vaal River. Custom house.

Vierkleur—The four-cornered Boer flag, red, white blue and green. Viel-A small lake. Voorloomer-The old generation of Boers who took part in the great trek

the subject of her presentation was, Zarp-A Boer policeman. Zoutspansberg (Zoot-pans-berg)-Very large northern district of Trans-Highly mineralized.—London her failure was related to Lord Vivian with maticious detail.

#### 000000000000000 Boys and Girls. 0000000000000000

The Last Romance of Christmas [By T. Dwight Hunt.]

After being humbled in the public manner which formed the closing scene of this miserable affair with the speckled pullet, it was only natural tnat Christmas sought seclusion. He spent many days wandering alone in the fields, devoting himself solely to the gratification of his amazing appe-He refused absolutely to associate again with creatures so ill-bred and stupid as chickens, and took to roosting in the branches of a big cottonweed rather than to sleep in his former safer place, the chickenhouse. Indeed, he followed this course to such an extreme that he actually went almost wished that he would have done so; but oftener than ever he wishthirsty all day several times, watching his opportunity to steal down to the spring alone; while on no less than ed that Violante could be more like four occasions it was known that he had stalked scornfully out of the hayyard, merely on the entrance of some half-grown chicks-and that, before he had swallowed his seven-hundredth wheat kernel. At any rate, this is what the cook said, and no one ques-I should not have married him; it is tioned him: for who, in fact, would dare question the cook's word way out

on a Colorado ranch? Now, as everybody knows, unless one is a born hermit this kind of life is sure to result in a reaction. Christmas was certainly never destined to become a hermit. Not even many thousand-kernel or grashopper dinners could fully make up for the loss of fellowship. Besides, hermits nowadays are either such ugly people, or so stupid that they are ashamed to associate with their fellows. Christmas (in his own opinion) was far from besince his back feathers had grown out enough to again flash bronze in sun, his appearance had become fairly respectable. That is, of course, if he always took care to stand sidewise before an observer; otherwise, one saw only those two wretched tail feath-

would Lord Vivian tire of her? She felt hopeless of ever changing. There are not many people in the world who think too little of themselves, but cer-So it chanced early one morning, after ten days of this life, that as he was crossing the corral a sudden temptation assalled him. It was an old weakness-part of the life he supposed he had turned his back upon this time, she could not help thinkforever. For just above him, upon the dove-cot roof, sat the prettiest had so often seen her husband anxious for her; she looked round on the fralittle dove that ever graced the ranch, so young, and pure white. Now grant flowers, and asked herself, with

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of the Hooligan?" which the Living Age for Feb. 17 reprints from the Con-Christmas, with all his late resolu-tions, was only—turkey. Furthermore, this gentle creature was not a chicken, and he could see that she was observ-ing him closely—not with a look of idle curiosity, but innocent admira-tion. He stole a quiet glance around.

There was no one else about. The cook had only just started the fire, and the despised chickens were still shut up. Forth, then, he puffed his feathers, drew back his head, spread the remanants of his tail, and with imposing strides struck the ground with his wings.

The effect was immediate, gratify-

ing. The little dove opened wide her pretty eyes, and followed his every move with unconcealed delight.
Round and round the cot in stately
circles Christmas strode, nor stopped
until he saw the ecok coming in to
let the chickens out. Then with a
final grand salute, he swept out into the fields, triumphant, and fired with

Early the next morning he repeated the performance. And the next-and the next; always shrewdly making his last flourish before the chickenhouse door was opened. On almost every occasion his vanity was gratified by finding the little white dove waiting, apparently, for his appearance. While day by day he could not be mistaken in the signs—she seemed to take a livelier interest in him. And when one morning she actually breathed a soft little coo, he felt happly enough almost to forgive the speckled pullet. Certain it is, he blessed the night he took to roosting in the cot-tonwood-though, alas, what that step would cost him, he little dream-

It takes some people from three months to a year to get over a disappointment; while others pass a lifetime, and never do. With Christmas, ten days were enough. Of course, he did not acknowledge to himself at first just what this new-born feeling towards the white dove meant. He could not, in view of his late humiliation. Nevertheless, there was no mistaking the symptoms. Nor did those signs go unnoticed by others for whom they were not intended. For in a well-inhabited dove-cote, it was impossible that there could be only one witness to these sunrise saluta-tions. A certain big red pigeon had observed it all. He was young and very handsome. Furthermore, he lov-ed the little white dove. He had not told her so, 'tis true-for those who love longest are often slowest to profess it. But he had watched her jealously from her dovelet days; he had guided her to the best pickings in the stubble-fields; and it was he who had fluttered daringly in front of "Aguinaldo," when that black and wicked cat was once on the point of springing on the little dove before she

could fly well-an act which had diverted Aguinaldo's attention just long enough to save her life. It was the pigeon, then that had watched Christmas' doings from the start. At first they had only amused him. But as soon as he became aware that all those attentions were being paid solely to the little white dove, and that she seemed inclined to en-courage them, he grew serious. And on the morning when she actually gave vent to her feelings in a coo, he telt that some action must be taken without delay. He was standing on the dove-cot roof at the time, and the

white dove was sitting below on the door-perch. He called softly to hersofter than he ever had before, and his coos were always gentle. But she did not answer. He called again, with his whole heart in his tone and look. Still she sat with her eyes fixed on Christmas. Then he dropped to the perch beside her. "Let us fly to the fields," he cooed; "I love you!" But for answer she only tossed her pretty head, then coyly flew upon the roof. At which Christmas, whose little eyes had noted all, gobbled in hoarse de-

light; and ignoring the fact that the chickens were already out, redoubled It was too cruel, too undeserved: and spurning further humiliation at the hands of a rival so rude, the red

pigeon circled up and away, casting one quick look of reproach at his love in his flight.

Now the heart of the little white

dove was in reality warm and true. But never before had so much attention been shown her. It had quite turned her young head for the ment. That look, however, which the red pigeon gave her in passing, went home. In a flash all his gallant deeds swept before her-and those last words of his! She watched him a moment in his swift, graceful flight; then looked down again at Christmas—just in time, indeed to see him peck a poor little chick which chanced to his path. How could she ever have given him a second's notice! those coarse. red wattles! and the two tattered tail feathers!

When Christmas looked up she was gone. In his exultation he had not even observed which way she had flown, so did not know that she had followed straight in the path of the red pigeon. But not in the least baffled by her sudden disappearance, he strode grandly away into the stack-yard, to celebrate his supposed triumph in feasting. Indeed, so high were his spirits, that after finishing a breakfast of twelve hundred kernels of wheat, he at once started in on another; and instead of stalking acornfully out on the approach of a chicken, attacked one and all so fiercely that soon not even the roosters dared venture near. There he remained until late afternoon, gorging and strutting by turns; and have continued so till dark, had not the drops from certain low black clouds, which had been creeping steadily down from the north, begun to fall. He lingered then until the first warning patter had broken into a fitful downpour; taking no heed how all the chickens and other creatures

had sought quick shelter. The truth is, Christmas was stuffed so full that he could scarcely walk, much less notice things clearly. Other wise he would never have loitered so long with such an ominous gloom settling around. At last he staggered away towards his tree, which stood some distance up the gulch above the corral. Three times he fell heavily to the ground before he succeeded gaining one of the lower limbs. Then without attempting to reach his usual place, he setttled stupidly where he had chanced to light-a branch extending well out over the little creek

flowing below.

Soon a vivid flash lit up every bush and cranny throughout the ravine; a crash of thunder followed. Then another flash, and another thunder peal. And it rained as it only can rain sometimes in Colorado. In fifteen minutes Christmas was wet to the skin. In the same length of time the creek had swollen from a tiny streamlet into a little river, which foamed and boiled along in its nar-

row bed. The cold somewhat aroused Christmas. He craned his neck about, and blinked his eyes. Where was he? What had happened? Ah, yes—the wheat, and the little dove, and—there was a sudden, blinding flash, a crash loud as a hundred cannon all together, a burning shock, and Christmas fell from his perch like a stone. The surgly down the gulch, through the wires

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All day long the pigeons soar, wheel and tumble in mid-air; or sit in cooing groups upon the dove-cot roof. red father of a pair of downy dove-But happiest among them is the big While next, perhaps, is a little pure-white dove, mother of that pair. And this is the song she some-times coos—if, perchance, her brave red mate be not too near:

Hush-a-bye, my dovies, Papa soon will come!
There was once a turkey gobbler,
both great and grand; Who could strut about and eat, as no

other in the land. But Cupid's fiery dart, it pierced his lordly heart—
Alas, he fell in love with just a little And-hark!-you must not ask me now-for

Hush-a-bye, my dovies, Papa soon will come! -The Interior.

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