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TOPICS OF TO-DAY.

The finest work in silver "since Benvenuto Cellini" is said to be a new centerpiece for the Queen's table upon which Mr. Alfred Gilbert, A.R.A., has been working for two years past, and which is now nearly completed. About 2,000 ounces of silver have been used.

Mr. Walpole, chief Parliamentary reporter of Hansard's staff, recently undertook to write out in long hand three columns of the small type of the Times in as many hours. As each column contained an average of 2,200 words, it was believed to be an impossible feat, but it was accomplished in two hours and three-quarters.

A mustache trainer has appeared. It is an elastic, curved strip of thin metal, at either end of which is secured an adjustable plate, faced on the inner side with soft cloth, in order that the machine may comfortably clasp the ends of the mustache. The latter is carefully arranged at night or during periods of seclusion and the trainer fixed upon it.

There was a group of well-known pugilists in the Strangers' Gallery of the House of Commons a few nights ago to hear a debate upon a bill affecting their calling, and they were so offended when one speaker intimated that it was unnecessary to pass a law to keep these men from hurting each other, because they always took care to arrange that between themselves before they began to fight, that they all got up and marched out in a body.

A newspaper and governmental campaign against dress suits is in progress in Japan. Of late years the orthodox evening dress of the men of the Caucasian world had gained great popularity in the high society of the Japanese empire, and it had become customary to write on all invitation cards the word "Enbizukuenakuyo," that is, "wear your dress suit." Some of the old-fashioned Japanese, who were in the swim long before the customs of Caucasian society penetrated to the interior, began a short time ago to object to this sort of thing. The Choya, a Japanese periodical, took up their cause. It argued at considerable length that the Japanese figure was too dumpy and the Japanese legs too short to look well under swallowtails. These arguments seem to have had great weight with the Government, for it has decided to recall the order requiring all persons present at the opening of the Parliament next summer to wear dress suits.

It is reported in the Frankfurter Zeitung that in repairing the house of Goethe a bundle, including seventeen love letters written by the author of "Faust," has been found in a hole in the wall. They were all in the handwriting of the poet, dated in 1774, and addressed: "An die Jungfer Klarchen Laubenthaler in der Goldfedergasse." Tied up with these letters were five manuscript poems in Goethe's handwriting, four of which appear in the edition of his collected works, though the fifth, called "Liebesgluck," has never been printed, "probably," says the Frankfurter Zeitung, "on account of its very free contents." There were also a miniature of Goethe as he was at about 20 years old, 29 letters signed by Klarchen, addressed "Dr. Goethe, the younger," and a miniature presenting a beautiful young girl, as well as two locks of hair, one dark blonde and the light blonde, which are supposed to have been Goethe's and Klarchen's. Klarchen is thought to be the girl whom Goethe was in love with before he knew Lili Schonemann. The girl, as he said, he "carried in his heart like a flower of spring." Klarchen is also supposed to be the original of the character of the same name in Goethe's "Egmont."

Fencing Out the Chinese.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 16.—The Government has canceled the order permitting the transfer of Chinamen to Panama steamers in this port. This will prevent the Celestials from entering the United States on the Southern border.

Misrule in Guatemala.

CITY OF MEXICO, April 16.—Advices from the frontier of Gautemala show a sad state of affairs in Guatemala under the misrule of the tyrant Barillas, who is impoverishing the country and obliging those not in accord with his ideas to emigrate.

A Dentist's Establishment Wrecked.

NEW YORK, April 16.—The laboratory of Dr. F. W. White, dentist, at 218 Sixth avenue, was wrecked last night by the explosion of a steam vulcanizer used in the manufacture of false teeth. Dr. White and his assistant, Dr. Kenney, were slightly injured.

Serious Assault Case.

CHESLEY, Ont., April 16.—Joseph Schohn, hotel-keeper, of this village, and his son, a young man about 25 years of age, were tried here yesterday before a bench of magistrates on a charge of assault, and committed to stand their trial at the next assizes. On Monday of last week James McFariane, a shoemaker from Paisley, got into a dispute with young Schohn about his hotel bill. Words led to blows, and the father, coming to young Schohn's assistance, McFarlane was roughly handled and ejected from the house. He went to a blacksmith shop near by, where, for some time, he lay moaning and writhing in agony. He started for his home in Paisley, but had to return to Chesley, where he died on Thursday night. A coroner's inquest was held, the jury bringing in a verdict of acquittal. There was a general disapproval of the verdict, and proceedings were at once instituted. Bail has been accepted, $2,000 for the old man and $500 for his son.

Violation of the Wrecking Laws.

PORT COLBORNE, Ont., April 16.—The propeller F. L. Vance, coming down the lake Monday forenoon in a thick fog, went ashore on the Canadian side just above Windmill Point, where she is reported on rock bottom and from six to nine inches out forward. She has corn from Chicago. The crew at first began to throw the cargo overboard, but Capt. Finney set out in a fishing boat for Buffalo, where he obtained tugs, a couple of canal boats for lighters, a gang of men to shovel and proceeded back to his boat. Canadian tug-owners here notified Collector of Customs Brookfield, at Fort Erie, that they were informed that an American barge was ashore on Windmill Point and that American tugs from Buffalo were at work endeavoring to effect her release. They asked the collector to stop the American tugs or seize them, and notified him that they were sending tugs with proper outfit to release the barge. The steam barge was released at 5 o'clock yesterday morning.

CHANCELLOR CAPRIVI

Has Every Confidence in the Empire's Future.

Emin Pasha Seeks to Correct Statements Made Concerning Him by Stanley.

Lord Hartington's Probable Opponent.

LONDON, April 16.—It is stated that Sir G. O. Trevellyan will contest Lord Hartington's seat in next general election.

India Wants Home Rule.

BOMBAY, April 16.—The Indian National Congress has adopted resolutions demanding home rule for India, and hailing Gladstone as the champion of the cause.

"If."

LONDON, April 16.—The Berlin correspondent of the Times says: If Chancellor Von Caprivi succeeds in retaining the good impression he has produced upon all parties, he will be one of the most popular Ministers that ever addressed the Chamber. His speech was received with frequent cheers and he finished amid a prolonged salvo of applause.

A Great Fraud.

LONDON, April 16.—A sensation has been caused in Bradford by the arrest of Francis Stubbs, who was at the head of the dyeing department of the Lester Company (limited) silk works said to be the largest in the world. It is alleged he has committed frauds amounting to thousands of pounds. Other arrests are expected.

A Bismarck Monument Proposed.

BERLIN, April 16.—Emperor William, in a letter to the committee on the proposed Bismarck monument, expresses his deep pleasure and sympathy, and says he believes all classes will cordially co-operate in the movement. He desires himself to promote the project, and will be happy to become a patron, as requested by the committee.

"Big Foot" Kicks Against Uncle Sam.

PIERRE, S. D., April 16.—A runner who arrived here yesterday from Cheyenne, 70 miles west of here on the reservation, announced that a bad chief—Big Foot—with 40 others refused either to take up land or vacate for settlers. The agent requested him to do one or the other, and Big Foot commenced to make trouble. Two companies of infantry and three of cavalry were dispatched to the scene. They surrounded the red men, and are awaiting orders as to their disposition. Big Foot refuses to capitulate, and serious trouble is apprehended.

Emin Pasha Explains.

BERLIN, April 16.—The National Zeitung publishes a communication which came indirectly from Emin Pasha, in which he seeks to rectify the statements recently made concerning him by Mr. Stanley. It was that when Emin left the equatorial province with Stanley he was accompanied by a few soldiers only, but this was because the period of twenty days which was fixed by Stanley as the time for leaving the province was too briet to allow the men to be re-enlisted. The communication further says that Dufite remained in the hands of the Egyptians when Emin left. Stanley brought Emin only twenty boxes of ammunition, when Emin at that time had in his possession 120 boxes.

Caprivi Criticised.

BERLIN, April 16.—All the newspapers publish comments on the speech made by Chancellor Von Caprivi at the opening of the Prussian Diet. The Vossische Zeitung says: Despite the Chancellor's protest that the beginning of a new era is not to be expected, the elimination of party strife from the inheritance upon which he has entered appears to be the beginning of a new era. No party will oppose the Government on matters of principle.

The Deutsche Tageblatt says: Caprivi's unshakeable confidence in a hopeful future for Prussia and the empire proves he is a worthy successor to the statesman whose last thought was of Kaiser and Reischs.

The Berliner Tageblatt and the Boersen Courier say the speech contains the essential points of the Government's programme and it gives the key to the cause of Prince Bismarck's resignation.

In the Prussian Diet.

BERLIN, April 16.—In his speech in the Prussian Diet yesterday Chancellor Von Caprivi, after his reference to the Emperor's intention to steer the old course, said: The first result of the personal change with reference to the Government itself would be certain Ministerial departments would gain a large scope and increased prominence. (Renewed cheering.) The Chancellor spoke in clear resonant tones and with no trace of eagerness or nervousness.

Herr Richter, after referring to the unexpectedness of the recent changes, said that as the Cabinet remained Conservative the attitude of his party would not be changed. His party could not vary its policy on any question merely because Gen. Von Caprivi had became President of the Council. He pointed out the necessity of rendering the heads of imperial departments independent, so as to lighten the duties of the Chancellor. As long as the Government policy remained as of old the existing difficulties would not diminish, but would rather increase. The retention of the corn duties was incompatible with the proposed protection of labor, and the opposition to the progress of social democracy would prove ineffectual.

Ministerial statements regarding the policy of the Government are expected during the discussion of the budget.

A Speech from the New Chancellor.

BERLIN, April 16.—The Prussian Diet was opened yesterday by Chancellor Von Caprivi. In his speech he said: "It is not my intention to state the Government's programme, but having hitherto held aloof from political life I now wish to speak a few words in order to approach you personally." (Cheers.) The Chancellor then referred to the important position which had been held by Prince Bismarck, and expressed the hope that in the future the empire would continue secure. The edifice of the state, he said, was cemented firmly enough to resist wind and weather. Moreover, the noble personality of the young monarch had already manifested itself at home and abroad. He affirmed his undying belief in the future of Prussia and of the German Empire resting on Prussia's shoulders. Both, for a long time to come, would be a historical necessity. Both could anticipate the future full of hope. The Emperor had said that his course would remain the same. The inauguration of a new era was therefore not to be expected, although a more harmonious solidarity would be manifest among members of the Diet. In conclusion the Chancellor said he would allow the widest scope to practical criticism, and would adopt what was good wherever found. He would co-operate with all parties having at heart the interest of Prussia, and aiming to foster the monarchy feeling in Prussia and national feeling throughout the empire. (Cheers.) The speech was received with general approval by the chamber. Herr Von Heine, of the Right Center, went to the Ministerial bench and shook hands with the Chancellor. Herr Rickert, a Freissinniger leader, expressed satisfaction with the general tenor of the speech, and said he trusted the Government would concede a reform in taxation. His party, he declared, would continue to defend the constitutional state system. Herr Seidlitz, of the Free Conservative party, and Herr Richter, the German Liberal leader, expressed confidence in the Ministerial declarations. Dr. Windthorst declared that the Centerists insisted upon the re-establishment of the relations between Church and State which existed before the Kulturkamp. He complained of maladministration in the public worship department, and demanded adherence to a protectionist policy in economic matters.

Old World Wirelets.

President Carnot has started on his tour.

Rev. Alex. Mackay, the well-known African missionary, has died of fever.

THE THIRD PARTY.

An Equal Rights Rally at Ottawa—Mr. Charlton Defends the Mowat Government.

OTTAWA, April 16.—At the Equal Rights rally last evening there was a good attendance, but there were comfortable seats for all. Principal Caven's speech was clear and forcible, but remarkable mainly for its dignity and for its broad and conciliatory tone. He met with comparatively little sympathy from his audience, however, as he spoke to the good qualities of the French-Canadians and of the rights of Roman Catholics under the Constitution.

The mover of the only resolution put to the meeting was Rev. Mr. Crothers. The resolution showed clearly the fine hand of the wirepullers, who are exploiting the Equal Rights movement here for the benefit of the Tory party, and to the injury foremost and especially of the Mowat Government. The resolution was declared carried without the votes being formally taken.

A eulogistic address was then presented to Messrs. McCarthy, Charlton and O'Brien, each receiving a copy. Mr. McCarthy and Col. O'Brien replied briefly and made no particular points.

Mr. Charlton, however, took occasion to answer the criticisms of the Mowat Government, showing by indisputable facts how Mr. Mowat had safeguarded the interest of all classes while administering the separate school law which was put on the statute book by the votes of Conservatives, including Sir John Macdonald and Mr. Carling, and in spite of his (Mr. Mowat's) strong opposition. Mr. Charlton's speech seemed to be a decided variation from the expected programme. It was announced during the meeting that a convention will be held at which a candidate will be chosen to contest Ottawa at the coming election to fill the place in the House of Commons made vacant by the death of Mr. Perley.

CURRENT CONDENSATIONS.

CANADIAN.

General Middleton expects that at least 15,000 volunteers will be under canvas this summer.

Mr. D. Gardner & Co., drygoods merchants, Ottawa, have assigned with liabilities of $80,000. The creditors are Scotch firms.

Ontario Assignments: Cornwall—Thos. J. Henry, drygoods. Gananoque—Sydney Adams, tailor. St. Catharines—Michael McGuire, groceries.

William Young, aged 40, died in Toronto on Monday night. Bruises were discovered on his head, and his brother Robert, with whom the deceased was not on the best of terms, was arrested on suspicion.

A colonist excursion with 200 passengers for Manitoba and the Northwest Territories left last evening. It was composed of seventeen cars of stock. The excursion went by the Grand Trunk Railway to North Bay and thence by the Canadian Pacific Railway.

AMERICAN.

In the New York Legislature a bill is under consideration to provide for an expenditure of $10,000,000 upon the roads of the State.

John K. Owens, cashier and bookkeeper for the hardware firm of Gibbs & Co., San Francisco, has disappeared, and it is stated, there has been found a shortage in his accounts of over $10,000.

Killed His Father.

RUSSELLVILLE, Ky., April 16.—Grant Price, aged 18, killed his father, an aged negro, near here Monday. The old man's head was nearly severed from his body, and he was cut in a dozen places. Grant escaped.

Mrs. Bloomer's Golden Wedding.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Iowa, April 16.—One of the most brilliant affairs ever witnessed in this city was the celebration of the 50th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. De C. Bloomer, which took place last evening. Mrs. Bloomer has been for many years the earnest champion of women's rights. She was a member of the first Women's Rights Convention ever held and was also the originator of the Bloomer costume whose fame has become world-wide.

Doctors Can Dispense Liquor ad Libitum.

DES MOINES, Iowa, April 16.—The Legisiature, which has adjourned, passed a law that will make whisky freer in Iowa than it has been under prohibition. It confers upon physicians the right to dispense liquor and places them in no restraint whatever. They do not require a permit like druggists, nor is there any supervision of their manner of prescribing in the sales they make. There are about 5,000 doctors in the State and the demand for diplomas is likely to increase to an unprecedented extent, as the field for the exercise of dispensary talent thus opened out is a broad one.

The Louisiana Flood.

NEW ORLEANS, La., April 16. — The water is steadily rising over the tracks of the Illinois Central road, between Frenier and Ponchatula, and is in some places seven inches above the tracks. From the present outlook seventeen miles of track will be under water in a few days. In this case there will be no traffic out of New Orleans over the Illinois Central Railroad for some time to come. Major Robinson, who, under orders of the Secretary of War, visited the country around the Nita crevasse, reports that a very large portion of the country is inundated and the river is still rising. About 1,000 blacks and whites are out of work.

TO BE HANGED.

Conclusion of the Marmora Murder Trial.

Peter Davis Found Guilty and Sentenced to Death—Mrs. Emory Acquitted.

BELLEVILLE, April 16.—The trial of Peter Davis for the murder of Wm. Emory in the township of Marmora on Sept. 19 last, and of Mary Emory, wife of the murdered man, as an accessory, was concluded at the assizes before Chief Justice Armour yesterday. The following is a brief history of the crime as outlined by Mr. Riddell, the Crown counsel:

On Sept. 19 last William Emory, husband of the female prisoner, went to cut hay on a beaver meadow in Marmora township, near the boundary of the county and three miles from his place of residence. Not returning home, search was made and his body was found. Examination showed that he had been shot through the body. A rifle was found six feet from the body, with the muzzle stuck in the ground, but in such a position as to prove beyond a doubt that it was a case of homicide and not suicide. Inquiry showed that improper relations had existed between the prisoner Davis and Mrs. Emory; that on several occasions Davis was heard to make threats against the deceased, and that he was not able to account for his whereabouts at the time when the murder must have been committed. The female prisoner was indicted as an accessory both before and after the fact.

Some 45 witnesses were examined on behalf of the Crown. The Crown brought forward several witnesses who deposed to threats made at various times by the prisoner Davis against the deceased, and endeavored to show that there was bad blood between the deceased and Davis, owing to the intimacy of the latter with Mrs. Emory. Some of the threats alleged to have been made by the male prisoner were that he would have Emory's heart's blood, that he would shoot him like a dog. Evidence was given to show that at an early hour of the morning next after the murder the prisoner was seen at Gilmour, a station of the Ontario Central, within a few miles of the scene of the murder; that he was then all covered with mud and travel-stained, as though he had been traveling all through the night. He was also shown by different witnesses to have passed points between the scene of the tragedy and Gilmour. Several letters were read from the female to the male prisoner to show the intimacy existing between the two accused. The female prisoner made a compromising statement, but it appeared in cross-examination of the constables to whom the statement was made that he had given her to understand that her brother was to be arrested for the murder, and that then she made the statement so as to protect him.

Mary Jane McGarvey, a sister of the female prisoner, testified that Davis said to her there was but one woman in the world that he wanted, and that was Mrs. Emory, and that he would have her within a year in spite of her husband, whose blood he would shed like a dog's if there was occasion to do so. She also said that she had seen Davis and her sister acting like lovers, infatuated with each other.

Two brothers of the woman testified as to the conduct of the prisoners and the threats by Davis. One of the brothers had carried letters between Davis and Mrs. Emory before the murder, and afterwards she said she thought Davis had shot her husband.

William Bonter, a local constable, who arrested Davis, testified that the female prisoner said to him that if Davis was hanged her heart would be broken, and that she would as lief be hanged herself. At the inquest she gave Bonter the following letter:

Mr. Bonter—I want you to let me have a chance to talk to Peter for a few minutes, for God's sake if you won't for mine. Oh! Mr. Bonter, I hope you won't forget me so soon. I cannot stand it much longer. Oh! do let me see him for a little while, and I will be so much obliged to you. Oh! my heart is broke; I beg of you to let me see him for God's sake.

(Signed) MARY.

She said she was willing to die in Davis' place. On Jan. 15 she voluntarily stated to Bonter that she told Davis that her husband was abusing her on his account, and said he would shoot him if he ever caught him around. Davis said if he ever saw Emory in the woods with his gun he would shoot him if he could, and then he would in time make her his wife. She said: "Peter, don't for your own sake, for I am afraid you will be found out." He said he did not think so, and, if so, would be content to suffer for it.

After addresses by counsel and his Lordship's charge, the jury retired at 1:50 p.m., and after 35 minutes' deliberation returned a verdict of guilty against Davis. As to Mrs. Emory, they believed she had knowledge before the fact, and were sent back as to her guilt. They acquitted her, and Davis was sentenced to be hanged on June 20.

Chatham Assizes.

CHATHAM, April 15.—Spence vs. Stover, the ejectment suit commenced last evening, was concluded this morning. His Lordship dismissed the action without costs, holding that defendant had made out a title by length of possession. Morris vs. Martin, an interpleader issue, occupied the attention of the court all afternoon, and was not concluded when the court rose. The grand jury to-day ignored several bills for larceny and minor offenses.

Steamers Arrived.

April 15.	Reported at.	From.
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Buenos Ayrean	Halifax	Glasgow
Anchoria	Moville	New York
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Hassia	New York	Hamburg
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CANADA'S CAPITAL.

The Law of Conspiracy and the Trades Unionists.

Debate on the Apple Duty—The Prospects of Prorogation.

OTTAWA, Tuesday, April 15.

Early in the sitting of the House of Commons to-day Sir Richard Cartwright was told by Sir John Macdonald that the Banking Bill would come up for discussion as soon as the tariff was disposed of, and wanted the opinion of Sir Richard as to when that would be.

Sir Richard, while not guaranteeing anything, intimated that if the tariff were taken up early the discussion could be finished before the close of the present sitting.

The afternoon was spent in committee on Sir John Thompson's bill to amend the criminal law. The proposed bill contains an important amendment to the law respecting threats and conspiracy. The effect of the bill, as proposed was to exempt from the law of conspiracy members of a trade organization who unite to perform any act, unless that act is itself punishable by law. The Minister claimed that such a change in the law would be unjust, and he proposed practically to re-enact the existing law by leaving open to punishment for conspiracy only those members of trades combinations who refuse to work with or for any employer or workman unless the act is punishable by statute law. This is an important limitation, because the retaining of the term "law" would brand as conspiracies all combinations for any act prohibited either by statute or by common law.

On this clause Mr. Blake addressed to the House a terse, but complete and interesting, argument on the law of conspiracy generally and upon the character of the Canadian law upon the subject especially. He showed that the law passed in 1876, while he was Minister of Justice, was much more favorable to trades unionists than that of to-day, because the class of acts a combination to carry out which would be a conspiracy was limited and clearly set forth. The change was made in the last revision, and in the bill as it stood the proposal was to place trades unionists still further at a disadvantage. He showed by illustration and by quotation from the highest authority how broad a net the unrestricted law of conspiracy was, and argued the necessity of reverting to the law of 1876.

Sir John Thompson replied that he had been convinced by the representatives of trades unionists that in proposing the amendment of the bill which he had proposed he was giving to the trades unions exactly what they asked.

Mr. Laurier reminded the Minister of the intricate nature of this law, and pointed out the necessity of assisting the trades unionists if they could justly do so even by an amendment of the law for which they had not asked.

Mr. Mitchell announced that on the third reading he would divide the House on the clause relating to offenses by employers against female employes. He opposed the clause because of the facility it gave for blackmail on the part of any designing women who might be employed in factories or other large establishments and have a spite against the employers or foreman.

In the evening the tariff resolutions were again taken up in committee. When the item "apples, 40 cents a barrel," was reached, Mr. Armstrong objected to this duty as likely to cause retaliation, and thus to lose to Canadian growers the important markets of the United States. The advantages to be gained by shutting out American fruit he showed to be unimportant compared with the loss to be suffered by retaliation.

Several other members spoke in the same strain, including Mr. Somerville, who made a vigorous speech. Mr. Bowell pointed to the exports to England as indicating that in that country a market could be found for Canadian apples. He contended that the proposal by the United States to place a duty of 25 cents a bushel on apples was made before this tariff bill was proposed, and that its proposal or its passing had nothing to do with the Canadian tariff bill.

Sir Richard Cartwright ridiculed Mr. Boweil for the ignorance of the American system shown in the assumption that anything like so much weight should be attached to a report of a tariff schedule by a committee of one House and a series of tariff resolutions proposed by the Government in this House. The McKinley Bill was subject to all sorts of changes, and would doubtless be greatly amended, but if it did pass it would be at least to some extent due to the folly of this Government in bringing in the tariff bill they had proposed.

Mr. Colby argued that the great production of the farms of the United States had made such a competition as naturally caused depression; that everybody saw something must be done for the farmer, and that the McKinley Bill, as promising relief, was favored by the people of the United States.

Sir Richard Cartwright denied that the McKinley Bill was popular in the United States until the tariff proposals of this Government had raised a prejudice against Canada which was willing to use a tariff measure as a means of retaliation.

Dr. Ferguson, of Welland, held that Canada ought to make her own tariff regardless of other nations' like or dislike, and that the people who wanted free trade with the United States were animated by a desire to drive Canada into the dust where Uncle Sam can crush her.

Mr. Gillmor made a ringing speech in favor of free trade, ridiculing the Restrictionists and their policy.

The item passed.

One the item for blackberries, gooseberries, raspberries and strawberries, 3 cents per pound, Mr. Bowell explained that the weight of the small packages in which the berries were contained would be dutiable, and not the crates. After some discussion, the item passed, and the House adjourned at 1:45 a.m.

NOTES.

Mr. Taylor, the chief Ministerial whip, to-night expressed to a number of people the opinion that the session would not close until about the 24th of May. This would indicate that the Government has some more measures so far unannounced, but still to be brought down.

Mr. Foster was absent from the House to-day owing to sickness, and Mr. Colby took his place on the tariff discussion.

The Committee on Privileges and Elections will meet again to-morrow to further consider the Rykert matter.

The Middleton Investigation Committee will meet on Thursday

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THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, April 15—11 p.m.—High pressure continues over the lake district and is increasing in Eastern Canada. Fine, mild weather is general throughout the country. Maximum temperatures: Calgary, 48°; Qu'Appelle, 50°; Winnipeg, 58°; Port Arthur, 40°; Toronto, 47°; Kingston, 50°; Montreal, 48°; Quebec, 40; Halifax, 44°.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES YESTERDAY.

For 24 hours ending 8 p.m.—(Observations taken at 3 a.m., and 8 p.m.: Highest, 49°; lowest, 33°; mean (daily), 42°.

PROBABILITIES.

For the next 24 hours for the Lakes: Moderate winds; continued fine, mild weather.

TWO-ROWED BARLEY.

The Distribution of English Barley to Farmers Still in Progress.

MONTREAL, April 16.—The distribution of the two-rowed barley, imported by the Dominion Government to enable farmers to get into the use of seed of the best sort, adapted for exportation to the English market, is still progressing. Over 2,500 bushels have been sent out during the past two days. Farmers who have already ordered or obtained one bag each may procure additional quantities by applying immediately to Prof. Wm. Saunders, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa. The price is $4 per bag of 112 pounds.

The money should be enclosed with an order naming the nearest railway station to which point the freight charges will be prepaid.

WORK AND WAGES.

INDICATIONS OF A GENERAL STRIKE AMONG MINERS.

CHICAGO, Ill., April 16.—A morning paper says the indications are that on May 1 most of the soft coal miners of the Illinois, Indiana and Pennsylvania will strike, and that after that date the supply of soft coal will be limited. In view of this fact many railroads are putting in large supplies of soft coal.

A strike has been inaugurated in the large collieries of Count Wilezek in Austria. The strikers forced a number of men employed in other mines to join them. The authorities deem the situation menacing, and have called out the military.

TEN PER CENT. REDUCTION.

NEW YORK, April 16.—A statement was current in express circles yesterday that the United States Express Company had decided to reduce the pay of its employes 10 per cent. on May 1. President Thos. C. Platt was questioned by a reporter as to the truth of the rumor. Mr. Platt said, with vehemence, "I don't think it is anybody's business what we intend to do with our employes. I will not reply to any such question as you have asked." The interview here ended.

POSITION OF THE TORONTO STRIKERS.

TORONTO, April 16.—Thirty thousand dollars is estimated as the aggregate weekly wage of the 1,500 men now on strike in Toronto. City tradesmen and the community generally are in no small degree made the sufferers by a quarrel in which they have but little concern. Both masters and men still declare that they are determined to fight to the last ditch, and both express themselves equally confident as to who will finally come out triumphant. The masters declare that not one of their number has acceded to the men's terms. The men—and this refers to the stonemasons, bricklayers and laborers—state unreservedly that five, six and seven permits are issued daily to employers who have agreed to the advance of wages asked.

The Secretary of the Builders' Laborers' Union says that there are a few non-unionists working in the city, but he says their work is of inferior quality. It requires some skill, he says, to dig a drain and erect a derrick, and that is just what these youths from the country do not possess.

The ranks of the stonemasons on strike seem to to be gradually thinning. About 60 answered the roll call at the Caledonia Hall yesterday. A considerable number have, it is claimed, resumed work at increased wages.

The Bricklayer's Union met at Richmond Hall yesterday and issued five more permits to employers who undertook to find work for a dozen men. A letter was received yesterday to the effect that the strikers would be supported by the International Union; married men will receive $7 and single men $5 a week.

Rheumatism.

Rheumatism, sciatica, lumbago, etc., can be cured by taking Kern's Rheumatic Cure. Price $1 at all druggists'.

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Sanitary Woolen System
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Undershirts, Drawers, Combination Suits and Socks.
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SUNDAY SERVICES.

A MAGIC LANTERN ENTERTAINMENT and tea for the inmates will be given at the Aged Women's Home, 335 King street, on Friday evening, at 7 o'clock. Members and friends of the association cordially invited to attend. Silver collection. 3u xv

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES—THE MEMBERS of St. George's Society will meet at rooms, on Sunday, April 20, at 2:15 p.m., for the purpose of attending divine service at St. George's Church. The Sons of England cordially invited to participate. HENRY GIBBENS, President; H. C. SMITH, Secretary. 3c xvt

AMUSEMENTS AND LECTURES.

THE MINISTERING CHILDREN'S League of the Memorial Church will hold a sale of work Thursday afternoon and evening, the 17th inst. Italian Band and refreshments; admittance, 10c. 2n

DON'T FORGET THE CONCERT IN THE Talbot Street Baptist Church to-night; good programme. Single tickets, 20c.; double, 35c. b

FUN FOR ALL—TWO CENTS PER WORD each insertion insures a good paying house for your next entertainment.

MEETINGS.

THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE London South Companions of the Forest has been postponed from Friday, 18th, till Wednesday, the 23rd inst. GEO. MANSBRIDGE, Chief Companion. b

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE IRISH Benevolent Society will be held at the Board of Trade rooms, Thursday, the 17th inst., at 8 p.m. Election of officers and other important business. Full attendance is requested. T. H. SMALLMAN, President; N. P. GRAYDON, Secretary. 3u

KING SOLOMON LODGE, NO. 378, A. F. & A. M., G. R. C., London West, meets to-night (Wednesday). Degrees. Visiting brethren welcome. b

MEMBERS OF FOREST CITY BICYCLE Club will meet at the guns, Victoria Park, Wednesday, 16th inst., at 7:15 p.m. sharp. All wheelmen invited. R. M. BURNS, Secretary. 2c

CITIZENS WILL REMEMBER THAT advertisements under this heading cost but one cent a word for each insertion.

DOMESTICS WANTED.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A GOOD general servant. Apply to Mrs. GATES, 242 Hyman street. 3c

DINING-ROOM GIRL WANTED AT ONCE—Revere House. JOHN B. JENNINGS. 2c

GOOD COOK WANTED—REFERENCES required. Apply Mrs. J. C. MEREDITH, 565 Talbot street. 2u

WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT, small family. Apply to Mrs. CHARLES H. IVEY, 256 Central avenue, opposite the park. 1c

SERVANT GIRL WANTED—APPLY AT 151 Dundas street. 99tf

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT—References required. Apply to Mrs. PURDOM, 429 King street. 96tf

GIRLS, GIRLS, GIRLS—I HAVE NOW ON hand some choice situations for good girls in private families and hotels; good wages; 5 cooks wanted immediately; also a man and wife for the country, at W. W. OSBORNE'S Intelligence Office, 56 Dundas street.

MALE HELP WANTED.

AGENTS—"IN DARKEST AFRICA"—The Presbyterian News Company has appointed Messrs. Finchamp and Lewis as its only representatives in the counties of Middlesex, Elgin, Kent and Essex. Applications for agency address to Box 99, London. 3n xt

WANTED—A GOOD STEADY MAN—Apply HUESTON'S Livery. 2c

WANTED—2 RELIABLE ENERGETIC agents, salary from start, or commissions for local man. L. P. THURSTON & Co., Empire Nurseries, Rochester, N. Y. 1bu

WANTED—A MAN OR WOMAN TO take charge of a grocery store in London South; must be well recommended and competent. Apply at the Cider and Vinegar Cellars, corner York and Ridout streets. 1tf

WANTED—ENERGETIC MEN OF GOOD standing and ability to act as general agents for the Equitable Life Assurance Society in several districts in Western Ontario. Apply WM. HARTY, general manager, No. 24 Toronto street, Toronto. 100-k

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FIVE COMPETENT DRESSMAKERS wanted. Apply Miss WOODWARD, 229 Kent street, first door east of Talbot. 2u

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3u J. W. JONES, Auctioneer.

TENDERS

WILL BE RECEIVED at the architect's office, Masonic Temple, until 6 p.m. Thursday, April 17th, for New Front and Alterations to Premises late Albion Restaurant for Thos. Taylor, Esq.

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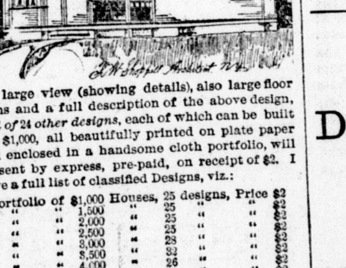

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"	3,000	28	$2
"	3,500	32	$2
"	4,000	26	$2
"	5,000	25	$2
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"	7,500	20	$2
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UMBRIA	Saturday, May 10, 10 a.m.
SERVIA	Saturday, May 17, 2 p.m.
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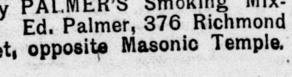

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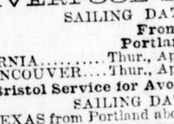
1889  1890

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The complimentary banquet tendered by the citizens of London to Mr. L. K. Cameron, manager of the ADVERTISER, at the Tecumseh House last evening, on the occasion of his departure for Toronto to accept the position of Queen's Printer under the Ontario Government, was attended by upwards of 130 gentlemen, whose main object was to do honor to the guest of the evening. Mayor Taylor acted as chairman, and after grace had been said by United States Consul Leonard the company sat down to the evening's repast. The list of subscribers to the banquet contained, among others, the following names:

Dr. Pingel, Dr. Cl. T. Campbell, C. A. Bowman, E. N. Hunt, J. D. McIlwain, T. H. Purdom, Jas. Wilkins, W. A. Young, Joseph Smith, Thos. Beattie, J. J. McIntosh, E. Beltz, W. Ashbury, J. Kennedy, Atwell Fleming, J. D. Clarke, Thos. Coffey, T. C. Hewitt, Samuel Monroe, Geo. Anderson, Geo. M. Reid, A. E. Cleghorn, A. Neighborn, Geo. D. Cameron, C. H. Hunter, J. C. Dodd, J. B. McKillop, A. Screaton, W. Bartlett, J. Purdom, Alf. Robinson, T. G. Davey, T. S. Hobbs, W. J. Craig, John Ferguson, Geo. Laing, Geo. H. Merritt, Frank Adams, J. W. Little, A. E. Pavey, L. W. Burke, Ald. Garratt, J. B. Paul, Dr. Gardiner, C. F. Colwell, C. W. Davis, Geo. C. Davis, Dr. W. J. Mitchell, W. C. Noble, Thomas Trebilcock, J. Westbrook, James Cowan, George Taylor (Mayor), A. M. Smith, J. H. Flock, R. Southam, Dr. H. Z. Leonard, John Fairgrieve, E. H. Flock, W. Ward, P. J. Watt, David Sare, C. H. Elliott, Pigot & Bryan, Hugh McKay, G. A. Somerville, T. Gillean, W. Davis, W. T. Strong, J. A. Roe, W. H. Bartram, J. B. Vining, E. R. Cameron, T. K. Grigg, Jas. Falconbridge, A. S. Murray, Fred. Henry, J. W. Jones, Dr. Beemer, Dr. Belton, Dr. Balfour, Wm. Elliott, Thos. Taylor, L. McDonald, T. Pethick, Thos. Watson, M. McConnell, W. D. Ross, Thos. Connors, A. Gillean, Jas. Gillean, Geo. C. Gibbons, J. W. Macguire, H. C. Allison, Cameron Brown, E. Clissold, Jesse Symonds, C. H. Fewings, N. P. Graydon, R. W. Graham, F. Love, W. D. Mills, S. Stevely, J. S. Ashplant, Geo. F. Burns, W. S. Barkwell, J. H. Wilson, Jas. Martin, Jas. Dunn, W. J. Thompson, Chief Williams, Fred. Spittal, J. B. Laidlaw, R. K. Cowan, M. H. Rowland.

THE SUPPER.

The repast placed before the company was a credit to Manager Davis and his staff. To particularize the delicacies would be a task, but some idea of their variety may be obtained from the following menu:

Consomme Royal Printanier.
Fried Black Bass, Sauce Tartar,
Boston Chips.
Chicken Mayonnaise. Lettuce.
Supreme of Fowl, a la Toulouse.
Timbale de Noilles, a la Cardinal.
Ribs of Beef, Yorkshire Pudding.
Spring Lamb, Mint Sauce.
Spinach, Boiled Potatoes, French Peas.
Boiled English Plum Pudding,
Lemon Meringue Pie,
Assorted Cakes,
Sherry Wine Jelly, Rhum Jelly, Vanilla Ice Cream,
Crackers and Cheese, French Coffee.

LETTERS OF REGRET.

The following sent letters regretting their inability to be present which were read by Mr. George C. Davis, who acted as secretary owing to the absence of Mr. George M. Reid through the death of a relative. C. W. Taylor, Toronto Globe; Wm. Stone, Toronto; L. H. Kribs, Toronto Empire; A. S. Wigmore, Toronto; R. L. Patterson, Toronto; W. C. Callaway, Toronto; Ed. Farrer, Mail, Toronto; George E. Challes, Toronto; H. F. Gardiner, Hamilton Times; T. C. Irving, Bradstreet's, Toronto; J. H. Morley, C. and N. W. R., Toronto; E. F. Clark, mayor of Toronto; John Cameron, Toronto Globe; W. R. Meredith, Q.C., M.P.P. Each epistle contained some reference to personal and pleasant associations which the writers had had with Mr. Cameron and wished him godspeed.

THE TOAST LIST.

"The Queen"—The company sang the National Anthem.

"The Houses of Parliament," coupled with the names of Messrs. James Cowan and E. R. Cameron.

They both made good speeches, Mr. Cowan's being full of kindly sentiment. Mr. Cameron thought that either Mr. Thomas Purdom or Mayor Taylor should have been called on to reply, as it was generally accepted that they were gentlemen who had intentions of entering the political arena. He humorously referred to the amalgamation question and the worry it was occasioning. He and Mr. Lud Cameron belonged to the same clan, and he was glad to say so. Some people mistook one for the other because each resembled crushed strawberries. He closed by extending many good wishes to Mr. Cameron in his new field.

Mr. Thomas Purdom was called on, and referred to the successes which had attended the management of the ADVERTISER by Messrs. John, William and Lud Cameron. The last-named had often been referred to as the "best Cameron of them all." Long might the ADVERTISER continue to do as well as it had done in the past, and he hoped that it would ever continue under the management of the Camerons. Referring to public affairs, he said that this country (with all due respect to U. S. Consul Leonard's presence) was equal, acre for acre, to any place on the continent of America. Ontario was possessed of many fine features, and undoubtedly had a great future. He knew of nothing which could induce him to believe that Canada had not a better condition all round than the United States. He believed both Houses of Parliament held the interests of the country to be dear to them. Toronto had made big progress lately, but London's steady advancement was such as would ensure its success. The ADVERTISER was itself a sample of how this city had progressed. If all would do their duty as the guest of the evening had done his, Ontario's prosperity was assured.

Mr. J. W. McIntosh sang "I Fear No Foe," and in response to an encore gave "The Skippers of St. Ives."

"Our Guest"—Mr. L. K. Cameron.

In rising to propose this toast, after a few preliminary remarks, Mayor Taylor said: "When the friends and acquaintances of Mr. Cameron became aware of his intention to remove from this city to Toronto, they did not wish to allow the departure unnoticed of one that stands so high in the estimation of so many of our citizens. It was decided to express the friendship and kind feeling that has existed by tendering him a complimentary banquet, as a mark of respect and esteem. A number of us have known Mr. Cameron as a school fellow, as a companion, a friend and a good citizen for many years, and I am confident that when I look around this board and see so many of Mr. Cameron's friends present this evening to honor his departure, that he will receive best wishes for his future welfare, comfort and happiness from every one present. While the city of London loses a good man the city of Toronto will gain one."

The toast was received with "He's a Jolly Good Fellow," three cheers and a tiger.

THE PRESENTATION.

Mr. George C. Davis then stepped forward and read the following address:

To L. K. Cameron, Esq.:

Dear Sir,—It is with deep regret we learn that your further advancement in the battle of life necessitates your removal from our city to that of Toronto, and we now desire to testify in a small way to your many excellent qualities. By your faithful perseverance, industry and efficiency you have risen in your profession step by step till you became president and manager of one of the largest newspapers in Western Ontario, with which, indeed, in one position and another you have been identified for the greater portion of yous life. As a citizen, by your many acts of kindness, your unwavering labors and profound interest taken in behalf of the welfare and prosperity of Canada's Forest City, you have ingratiated yourself into the lasting affection and friendship of the people of this your native city. Your social qualities were ever highly spoken of, and have left reflected behind them in the hearts and minds of all who had the good fortune to become acquainted with you a lasting impression of your sterling worth. What is London's loss is Toronto's gain, and we would now, on the eve of your departure to assume the Government position of Queen's Printer in that city, ask you to accept the accompanying silver tea service as a parting token of our respect and esteem, trusting that Mrs. Cameron, yourself and family will long be spared this life, and that this present will always tend to remind you of the many friends you leave behind in the city of London.

Mr. E. N. Hunt uncovered, amid loud plaudits of the company, a magnificent silver tea service.

THE RESPONSE.

Mr. Cameron, on rising to respond, was received with hearty cheers. He said:

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,—I mean no pun when I say that I thank you from the bottom of my heart for the very hearty manner in which you have drunk the toast proposed in such flattering terms by the worthy chairman of the evening. I cannot but feel, gentlemen, that he has allowed his friendship for me to lead him into what I must regard as extravagant praise of myself, but I can say this, and say it with sincerity and truth, that in no word of eulogy which he has passed upon me has he said one word which it would not give me the greatest of pleasure to apply individually and collectively to every gentleman around the board. No one who has passed the greater part of his life in what is practically my native city could leave it without a pang—a pang that is increased by the reception this evening. I cannot say as Juliet said to her Romeo—

"Parting is such sweet sorrow.
I fain would say good-bye till the morrow."

I do not find the parting sweet, although this evening will do much to sweeten it. Nor do I intend to say 'good-bye.'" In my new position I do not expect to be entirely separated from all my former and present friends. Toronto is not far off. You all may find occasion to visit it, and although I cannot expect many of you to visit it particularly to see me, I sincerely trust that none of you will visit it without seeing me. Moreover, I expect to see our lovely Forest City often again before I die, and the reception given me this evening convinces me that when I do I shall not be considered a "stranger within its gates." But it is not alone for the reception given me this evening that I have to return thanks. My career in London has been a succession of kindnesses received at the hands of my fellow-citizens. Although I have always been connected with a political party and taken more or less active part in all the contests, the faces around the board this evening would convince, if anything were required to convince me, that I have never so conducted myself as to make personal enemies of those who might be found ranged on the opposite side. I cannot thank you too heartily for the reception and magnificent presents given me this evening, and can only say in conclusion that while I fully appreciate all the kind things you have said of me, if you could read my innermost feelings now I could be quite content if you would follow Othello's plea and speak of me as I am, when I am quite sure you would find all your kind words fully reciprocated.

THE TOAST LIST CONTINUED.

Mr. C. W. Davis then sang "Love's Pruding," and gave "The Song That Reached My Heart" in response to an encore.

"Finance and Commerce," coupled with the names of G. A. Somerville, of the Huron and Erie; Chas. F. Colwell and J. W. Jones.

Mr. Somerville made a neat speech, and congratulated the city of Toronto on securing so genial and worthy a citizen. As a commercial city London's influence on Western Ontario was well known, some $16,000,000 being loaned by local companies to farmers and others. He thanked the company for their kind reception and indulged in a few words of praise of Mr. Cameron.

Mr. Colwell had very peculiar feelings in bidding good-bye to Mr. Cameron. In the early stages of the speaker's career he had become a devil (laughter)—a printer's devil—in the ADVERTISER. He was a younger one than he was now, but ever since that early period in his life he had spent much pleasant intercourse with Mr. Cameron. He referred to the poor water which the guest of the evening would have to drink in Toronto, and advised him to use it sparingly. The Government had showed their good judgment in securing such an able man for the position to which he had been appointed. Not alone those who were present, but hundreds of others, would be glad to hear of the prosperity of Her Majesty's Printer in Toronto.

Mr. J. W. Jones also spoke in answer to the toast. London's loss was great, but he felt sure that Mr. Cameron or anybody else would only leave the good city when they profited by the change. Such improvement in Mr. Cameron's position should be a source of congratulation.

Mr. J. M. Williams was called on for a song, and gave "Anchored" in fine voice, receiving a hearty encore.

"The Press" was coupled with the names of Messrs. J. D. Clarke, Francis Love and Dr. Campbell.

Mr. Clarke said he believed it could be fairly said that the newspapers of the city, however much they differed in regard to political policies, were united in their efforts to advance the interests of the Forest City. As to the guest of the evening, he had been acquainted with Mr. Cameron for many years, and had no need to ask with the poet:

Now, in the name of all the gods at once,
Upon what meat doth this our Caesar feed
That he is grown so great?

Mr. Cameron's popularity, as evidenced by the presence of this cosmopolitan gathering of well-wishers, lay in the fact that he had learned the art of cultivating the social side as well as the business side of his nature. He (Mr. Clarke) regretted as much as any one the departure of the guest of the evening, for his associations with him had ever been of the most pleasing character; but inasmuch as his relations with Mr. John Cameron, who was soon to return to the ADVERTISER, had always been the most cordial, he could truthfully say, "Speed the departing, welcome the coming."

Dr. Campbell did not know what part of the "press" he was expected to reply to. He, however, must add his words regarding Mr. Cameron to those already spoken. He believed that if all appointments of the Ontario Government were as good as the one made in this instance none could ever find cause for complaint. He had known the time when he could lift Mr. Cameron with one hand.

Voice—Try it now, Doctor. (Laughter.)

Dr. Campbell—I could not move him now with two. I have ever known him as a man entitled to respect.

Mr. Francis Love said the exact connection between himself as a member of the legal profession and the press was obscure, but he had heard of lawyers who were good writers, for instance, Hon. Wm. McDougall, Sir Walter Scott and Edward Bellamy, author of "Looking Backward." The theory advanced in the latter was that all this world's goods were to be equally divided, and the speaker thought, so far as he was concerned, such a state could not come too quickly. (Laughter). Mr. Cameron was a first-class newspaper man, and his career had been a credit to himself and his city. Mr. Cameron had been referred to by a previous speaker as a "crushed strawberry." He was no such thing—he was a perfect plum. (Applause).

Mr. Fred Saunders sang "Fare You Well," and being encored gave another lively air, the company joining in the chorus.

"The Ladies."—Messrs. N. P. Graydon, L. W. Burke, and G. McDonald.

Messrs. Graydon and Burke gave good addresses, and the latter recited an amusing anecdote.

Mr. Geo. C. Davis was equally happy in his references to the fair sex. He said he was delighted to participate in such a gathering. They were divided in religion and in political connections, but they could all appreciate merit in a citizen of Mr. Cameron's stamp. He was ever ready to honor the ladies, not only because he admired them on general principles, but because in every election he had contested they had unanimously voted for him.

Mr. Wm. McDonald gave a humorous recitation, which was received with rapturous applause.

Capt. Ashplant, who was in excellent voice, sang "The Blue Alsacian Mountains."

VOLUNTEER TOASTS.

Dr. Leonard, United States consul, made an able response to "The President of the United States." He congratulated Mr. Cameron on the testimony to his moral worth which he had heard that night.

Mr. Geo. Belton sang "The Courthouse in the Sky," as only he knows how.

"The Legal Profession" was coupled with the names of Mr. W. H. Bartram, Mr. E. W. Flock, and Mr. J. H. Flock.

Mr. John McDonald gave one of his old-time clog dances.

Mr. Charles Bazan sang "Sailing," and was warmly applauded.

"The Medical Profession" brought Drs. Balfour, Mitchell and Belton to their feet. Each had a kind word to say of the guest of the evening.

Messrs. George Belton and Fred Saunders sang a jubilee song; Mr. C. W. Davis sang "Good-bye, Summer"; Mr. J. W. Mackintosh sang, "St. Patrick's Birthday." All were encored.

Mr. Love proposed "The Educational Interests," coupled with the name of Mr. R. M. Graham, head master of the Simcoe street school. He said we have the best educational system in the world. He defended the teachers as a body, from the allegation that they were inefficient.

Ex-Ald. Connors gave a violin solo.

"The Host" followed, and Mr. C. W. Davis made a suitable reply, and the jolly gathering separated shortly after "the wee short oor ayont the twal" had struck, but not before singing Auld Lang Syne and the National Anthem.

Mr. Kingsley Evans played the accompaniments in his own excellent style throughout the entire evening.

THE COMMITTEE.

The Committee who managed the affair was composed of Messrs. G. C. Gibbons, Q.C., G. C. Davis, James Cowan, T. H. Purdom, Francis Love, E. N. Hunt, A. E. Pavey, T. G. Davey, J. W. Little, Dr. C. W. Belton, J. H. Wilson, V.S., Dr. W. J. Mitchell, John Marshall, J. H. Flock, Q.C., J. B. Cook, W. D. Ross, C. W. Davis, Wm. Elliot, Ed. Cleghorn, T. S. Hobbs, John Fairgrieve, J. S. Dewar, M. H. Rowland, J. W. Jones, J. B. Vining, W. H. Bartram, Geo. F. Burns, E. Meredith, Q.C., R. Southam, J. B. Laidlaw.

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"You are not speaking now of honorable men," he said coldly.

"Am I not? Why, every man who goes to see a girl tries to make her love him. Did you ever read Adam Bede? Then you will remember where he says to Arthur Donnithorne, 'You have kissed her and meant nothing by it.' That is just it. You all mean nothing by it."

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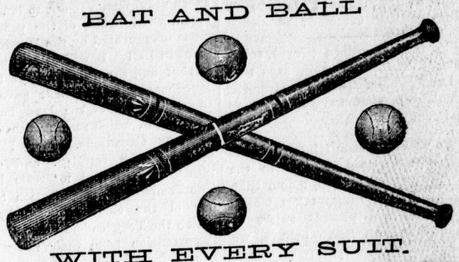

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THE question at Ottawa now is not "Where did you get that hat?" but "How did Dewdney get that carriage?"

THE Ridgetown Standard (Tory), referring to the M. P. for Bothwell, says that "by friend and foe Mr. Mills is regarded as one of Canada's ablest men and a credit to himself and country."

IN THE ten years between 1879 and 1889 the Canadian people paid in taxes to the Dominion Government no less a sum than $262,812,578. If paying high taxes makes a people rich, as our present rulers at Ottawa labor hard to make believe, we should all be rolling in wealth by this time.

RICHMOND (Que.) Times: A citizen of Richmond purchased three tubs of good butter at 11 cents per pound from a Montreal commission merchant on Monday. The market is glutted with good butter and prices are 100 per cent. less than those promised by the politicians who were to create a "home market" as an offset to the protection so freely given to a favored few manufacturers.

GODERICH SIGNAL: In the recent tariff discussion at Ottawa Mr. Porter, M. P. for West Huron, expressed the opinion that mortgages were not bad things, for a mortgage on a farm showed that the man who gave it owned the farm. Perhaps that is the way that Mr. Porter proves ownership in his farm, but most men would rather own the farm without the questionable proof to ownership which a mortgage gives. Mr. Porter might just as well endeavor to prove that the death grip (mortgage) was an excellent thing for a sick man to get because it demonstrated that life had existed.

WHEN Tory M. P.s fall out then people begin to reach the truth. It came out in the recent debate on Northwest scandals that both Minister Dewdney and Mr. Davin, M.P., travel on free passes, yet collect mileage of 10 cents a mile from the public exchequer. It would not be a bad idea to ask General Laurie how much he saved out of the $600 he drew as mileage between his alleged home in England and Ottawa. This M. P. business seems to be a money-making concern when one knows how to work the ropes. But what about the independence of the men who work them?

PROFESSOR BLOOMFIELD, of Johns Hopkins University, in an article discussing the question of the number of races, shows that, whatever be the number, color is accounted the most distinctive characteristic of race. He attributes the color of the negro to the deficiency of oxygen in the warm air he has breathed. This causes a weaker respiration, and a deposit of carbon is made under the skin. It is interesting to learn that antipathies of race which have exisited for centuries are based merely upon an excess of carbon. Just how this knowledge is to be applied in order to exchange existing social conditions is something which the scientific experts, with all their shrewdness and acumen, have been unable to find out.

THE discredited and disgruntled Rykert does not have a very high opinion of Sir Richard Cartwright, who, as a public duty, brought the scandalous conduct of the member for Lincoln before Parliament. Rykert refers to the member for South Oxford as that "contemptible creature, Cartwright." It is refreshing to find the man refer to Sir Richard in this fashion. When one of Rykert's kind is hit pretty hard he generally finds refuge in name-calling. Of course one never expects a convicted person to feel very cordial regard for the prosecuting officer, yet Rykert should know enough to take all blame to himself. If he had never done anything wrong—if his self-convicting letters had never been written—he would not be in the humiliating position he finds himself to-day. The fact remains that he has refused to squarely meet the indictment formed solely by his own correspondence. But one construction is open to skulking of that kind, and Rykert knows it. If he had any shame, he would not occupy a seat in Parliament a day longer.

TWO KINDS.

It is all nonsense to say that each immigrant who lands on our shores is worth $1,000 to the country. If the new comer is willing to go on our wild lands and cultivate them, then he is worth a good deal, and is welcome, but if he is a man only used to town employment, or to factory work, and determined not to go farming, in the present state of the labor market, it is a shameful thing to encourage him. There are enough of city workmen in the country now—enough and to spare, as was shown in Hamilton and elsewhere this winter, when foundrymen shut down for three months. It is an altogether unwarrantable assumption to say that workingmen are opposed to immigration of any kind, as the Tory organs tell us, and the sleek office-holder Tupper insinuates in his last annual report. We have studied the attitude of the workingmen, and can assert without fear of contradiction that they do not object to well-directed efforts to bring old world farmers to Canada. They would be big fools if they did, for they must know that all such settlers would incidentally be consumers of the products of our workshops. What the workingmen object to is the squandering of money in paying assisted passages to the pauper children of the large old world cities, the encouraging in any degree of mechanics and ordinary laborers while the labor market here continues so dull, and the squandering of so much public money in sustaining men who do little or nothing for the fat salaries which they are paid. A case in point is that of Mr. Metcalfe, the Tory M.P.P. for Kingston, who was paid a big salary for aiding in the settlement of immigrants in the Northwest, though it has been proved that during the busiest months of the year he was attending to his private affairs in Kingston. The wage-earners know that this is not legitimate immigration expenses, and they would stand in their own light if they did not oppose the Government continuing them.

SEQUEL TO A CRAZE.

The dreadful trouble in which the land speculation mania is apt to land its victims is shown by one of the products of the craze inaugurated by the Dominion Government in 1881. It will be remembered that in that and the following year Sir John Macdonald's Government gave its aid to the promotion of the land boom in the Northwest, which resulted so disastrously to many Canadians, retarded the settlement of the country, and did serious injury to industrial interests in Ontario. The Temperance Colonization Society was one of the chief agencies by means of which the Tory leaders succeeded in diverting attention from their misdeeds to the gamble for gain, and that they succeeded remarkably well for a time is shown by the return just laid on the table of the House of Commons. It is one of the largest ever brought down, weighing nearly half a hundred weight, and embracing 1,365 foolscap pages of correspondence. Though the society was started as a temperance colony, it appears from the correspondence that the Government gave no guarantee that the sale of intoxicating liquors would be prevented in the colony, yet strange to say the Ottawa authorities must have known very well that this stipulation was relied on by the promoters, for it was placed in the charter under which they obtained their land.

Some millions of acres were thus set apart for the society, not in single block, as many of those who bought the scrip had anticipated, but the even-numbered sections were retained by the Government—for free grant purposes. Up to this time the speculators had it all their own way, for we learn from a report by one of the managers of the colony that the following lands had been subscribed for:

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150,000 acres at $3	450,000
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It was also reported that 2,870 parties were willing to settle in the colony, and accordingly an application was made to have the grant increased to 5,000,000 acres. Meanwhile, the original holders of scrip had been selling it at a fabulous premium. All kinds of speculators had been drawn into the lottery, and even ministers of the Gospel were found casting their lot with their neighbors of less noted piety. The colony was a temperance one, it was argued; the Government had indorsed its establishment; what wrong was there in taking a hand? were the questions asked and answered with alacrity.

The gamble went on, the scrip changed hands frequently; the day when the lands would be in demand by real settlers, it was prophesied by Tupper and others, would speedily arrive, and so, under the belief that by keeping Sir John Macdonald in power the success of their speculations would be assured, it was not a very hard task to obtain for the Tory party enough votes to retain control of the Government. But the day of awakening soon came, as these tell-tale returns very significantly set forth. The scrip that was sold with so great ease when the boom was at its height soon became unmarketable. New settlers would not pay $1, $2, $3 or $4 an acre for lands controlled by the speculators when equally good land could be obtained side by side for squatting on; and the bursting of the boom made it impossible for holders of scrip to unload on other gudgeons. Meanwhile, the managers of the colony continued to pay themselves salaries and to spend money freely in trying to promote settlement. It proved mighty slow work, as the Colonization Society returns show. Many speculative societies went out of the business, but the temperance colony managers had sold the scrip, and they continued to draw on its holders until finally the matter was thrown into court, and the Government was appealed to with the object of securing its aid to get the unfortunate speculators out of a hole. This was in March, 1886. The petitioners alleged that their money had been obtained from them by false pretenses. The society managers, it was asserted, had received $300,000 from scripholders and $100,000 from shareholders, and had only paid $84,000 to the Government. The balance had been expended unjustly on commissions. An appeal was made to the Government to terminate its arrangement with the society, and thus relieve the petitioners from their heavy obligations. Following this petition a circular was issued to scripholders by the society, telling them that they must pay up, select their lands and perform their settlement duties. The society added:

It must not be expected that the society officers should spend months and years in coaxing defaulters to carry out their obligations, but these should not feel aggrieved at being sued without further notice. It might be remarked that the most troublesome defaulters are those who obtained scrip from the company by misrepresentation and deceit, without having any intention, as since appears, to settle on the lands or perform any obligations.

Many farmers and others, who had been induced to buy script on various pretexts, wrote to the department that they had been ruined by their obligations, or were about to be landed in dire straits. In April, 1887, the society modified its terms with the scripholders. It allowed a bonus to those who disposed of the scrip to actual settlers, while where a person was too poor to continue his payments it canceled the engagement, thus relieving him of all loss except as regards the amounts he had already paid in. Following this came an agreement by the Government with the colonization companies, under which the latter received the lands at $2 an acre up to the amount of money they had paid in. The company is consequently on a basis different to that it occupied while all the trouble was in progress. There can, however, be no doubt that many a scripholder has had reason to regret the day he was induced to indulge in the speculation. Nor has the country been in any degree benefited by any of the wild-cat speculations set on foot by the Macdonald Government in 1881. Indeed, there is plenty of evidence besides these actions to show how heavily the speculative craze pressed upon those who were inveigled into it. People are wiser now; but some Canadians have yet a good deal to learn. It cannot be too well understood that all wealth is the product of industry, and that if one man amasses money without labor it must be at the expense of his fellows. That is how the Government-promoted speculative era turned out in 1881-3. That is how all similar enterprises must come out. It was an evil day for Canada when her rulers became sponsors for schemes having for their object the enabling of one section of the people to profit at the expense of their neighbors.

GENIUS takes queer notions into its head sometimes. Here is William H. Malloch, the author of "Is Life Worth Living?" "A Romance of the Nineteenth Century," "The New Paul and New Virginia," "Every Man His Own Poet," and other books, who has thrown aside his pen and opened a fashionable intelligence office in London, which he calls a court bureau. It is designed to cater to the social requirements of the opulent classes, and will furnish anything from a family tree to an escort for the opera. It is a funny occupation for a man of Mr. Malloch's supposed attainments, but he naively remarks that it pays better than book-making!

SALT LAKE CITY seems not to languish for want of polygamy. The Salt Lake Evening Times reports "there was never a city in the Union that has changed, as has Salt Lake, from a sleepy overgrown village to a metropolitan city in so short a time. Where but a few years ago the common one-story adobes or the dingy frame dwellings were the only structures that greeted the eye, to-day large business blocks, elegantly constructed, are seen. The dirt paths along the street are supplanted by wide walks, and the patient horse, which, a decade ago, with difficulty hauled a little dingy omnibus from place to place now contentedly munches oats while the electric motor dashes across the city with its loads of humanity."

A REMARKABLE migration of mice is reported from Southern Russia. These vermin appear in such uncounted millions that they leave the districts they have passed through a real wilderness. The crops are devoured, the granaries devastated, wheat-stacks destroyed, poultry and sheep—yea, many hundreds of dogs—are eaten alive by these little pests, grown formidable by their fabulous numbers. As is always the case with such migrations of little animals, chiefly rodents like the lemming, rat or mouse, so there is in the present migration nothing to stop their progress—neither forest, nor river, nor lake—until, by incessant losses, their numbers are reduced and their swarms disappear, leaving only solitary individuals. But the regions laid waste are left on the brink of starvation.

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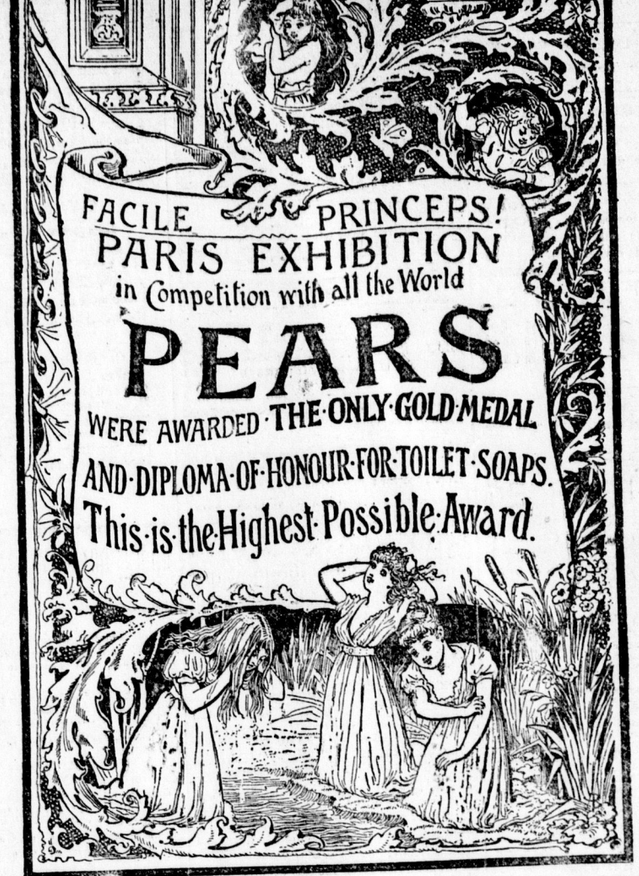

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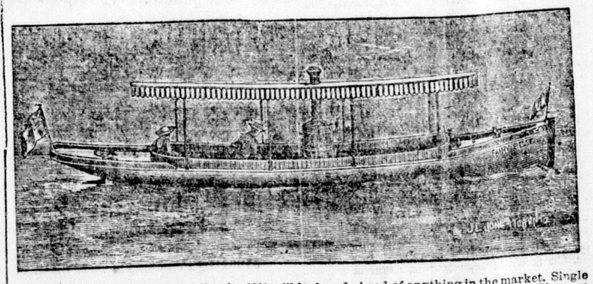
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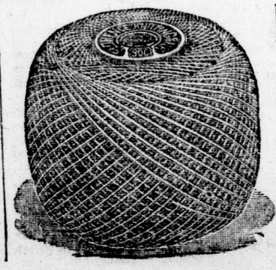
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Northeastern—Orillias, of Orillia.
Central—Excelsiors, of Brampton.
Niagara—Niagaras, of Niagara Falls.
Southern—Dufferins, of Ingersoll.
Western—Stratfords, of Stratford.
Northwestern—Lornes, of Mount Forest.
Southwestern—Kents, of Blenheim.
Gerry—Listowels, of Listowel.
Eastern—Checkers, of Beaverton.
Central-Southern—Lisgars, of Tilsonburg.
Saugeen—Owen Sounds, of Owen Sound.

The following clubs were recommended by the Nomination Committee as eligible for admission to the association:

Hepworth—Hepworth.
Victoria—St. Thomas.
St. Catharines—St. Catharines.
Port Elgin—Port Elgin.
Beaver—Ingersoll.
Capital—Toronto.
Brants (second)—Paris.
Stars—Bright.

The receipts for the year were $204, and the association owes Treasurer O'Loughlin $146, in addition to two years' salary. It was proposed to assess on each club any expense to which the association is put on account of individual clubs.

Applications for reinstatement were received from John R. Clewes and J. J. McCarthy. After a brief discussion it was decided that as these men had been expelled for professionalism and had produced no new evidence on their behalf, the association could not reverse its decision.

The Empire Club, of Paisley, asked the association to form a district composed of Paisley, Chesley, Port Elgin and Walkerton. The communication was referred to the council.

The Reinstatement Committee reported that the following players had been reinstated: James McConaghy, J. Cronan, P. Swill, W. Edmondson, W. Hewitt, W. S. Hewitt, Alex. Burns, George Whitelaw, George Cheyne, Wm. Patterson, Louis Campbell, E. Robbins, George Peakes, Thomas Maynes, F. Suckling, W. Perry, J. Gourlay, T. H. Henry, W. Kearns, R. Anderson and H. James. The report was adopted without opposition.

Rule 6, section 8, was amended to give the referee power to reverse as well as to set aside a decision of the umpire. The proposal to provide for a guarantee bond to be forfeited in case of default by any club was withdrawn, and the proposal to give power to the referee to deduct a goal from a club whose players commit three fouls in any match was rejected by an overwhelming vote, the feeling of the association being that the referee's powers are already large enough. No championship match will in future be scheduled for district clubs later than the 1st of September, and the district champions will play for the Provincial championship on the second Wednesday in September.

The rule prohibiting first-class clubs from playing exhibition games during the championship season in cities and towns where any first-class club has its headquarters was struck out. Ex-presidents of the association are in future entitled to vote and hold office in the association, provided they are members of any club in good standing in the C. L. A. A new section was added to article 6 of the constitution, providing that when any member is expelled as a professional the secretary shall notify the secretary of the Amateur Athletic Association of Canada, and supply him with a resume of the evidence.

Members' certificates will in future be issued at the following rates per club: For 25 members or fewer, $1; for over 25 and under 50, $2, and for over 50 members, $3. The council reported that no change be made in the Saugeen or central districts, as requested by Paisley and Orangeville. There is a considerable sum on the treasurer's books representing arrearages from various clubs, and certificates will not be issued to these clubs until the arrearages are wiped out.

A proposal to allow the Capitals, of Toronto, to enter the senior series without going through the usual gate, which is the winning of the intermediate championship, was approved of without a division. The Niagaras made a similar request to enter the senior series, which was granted. The senior series of the C. L. A. will this year, therefore, include the Capitals, Niagaras, Niagara Falls, Athletics, St. Catharines, Brants (Paris), and the Brantford club.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President E. W. Nesbitt.
Honorary President, Mr. Good.
First Vice-President, James Vance, Dufferins, of Ingersoll.
Second Vice-President, A. H. Baird, Brants, Paris.
Secretary-Treasurer, Henry O'Loughlin, St. Catharines.
Council—M. Mitchell, Milton; W. McCutcheon, Shelburne; Geo. Thompson, Orillia; C. E. Kendall, Athletics, Toronto; J. A. McFadden, Stratford; W. Maguire, Tilsonburg; J. A. Mackay Woodstock; J. J. Hunter, Brantford; J. J. Pamfield, Niagara Falls; F. E. Arkell, Blenheim.

The next annual meeting will be held at Toronto.

The new council appointed the president, first vice-president and secretary a committee to arrange the districts. The clubs are requested to notify Secretary O'Loughlin, of St. Catharines, of their wishes in regard to the arrangement.

BASEBALL.

PETE'S DIPLOMACY.

The fact that Pete Wood has signed with Toronto, when it was thought he was fixed for London, has caused some surprise in local baseball circles. Manager Fessenden had arranged the deal with Pete for $1,000 salary to play third with an extra $150 if he pitched, and about two weeks ago forwarded a contract, and also sent $150 advance money. Pete held the contract until yesterday, and then having secured the position of first base on the Toronto team, he returned it to Fessenden unsigned. His excuse was that the $150 if he pitched was not inserted. His real reason appears to be that he wanted to play first base and only intended to sign if he failed to secure the Toronto job. A player who receives the advance money can be blacklisted, but the London directors will probably not take that trouble. It has generally been accepted as a fact that Pete's arm has been out a little lately, and he claims that he would rather play for London. Of course on third a man requires to have good throwing powers, while on first his work in that line would be considerably less. However, it is now settled that Pete Wood will cover first bag for Toronto. Manager Fessenden had a good man on a string for third a couple of weeks ago, but gave up the deal when he advanced the money to Wood. Negotiations have again been opened up and a few days will in all probability see this, the only vacancy in the Tecumsehs, filled.

BOB PETTIT'S PLACE.

The Board of Arbitration has decided that Bob Pettit must play with the Toronto club of the International League. This robs the New Haven club of a captain, as Pettit had signed with that club for the present season. Pettit joined the Torontos the latter part of last season, but for some reason did not sign a contract. At the end of the season his release was sold to Milwaukee, and a contract was presented to him by the Toronto club for his signature. He declined, claiming that having failed to sign a contract the season before he was eligible to go wherever he pleased. Manager Burnham then signed him to play second base for the New Havens, and last week he was appointed captain. The New Haven people are disgusted at the decision and claim to have been robbed of the player.

FLYS.

The father of Capt. Donnelly, of the Detroit, died at New Haven, Conn., yesterday.

To-morrow (Thursday) a nine captained by Phil Powers will have a scratch game with the London club at Tecumseh Park.

The match with the Toronto 'Varsity club on Saturday, with good weather, should attract a big crowd. The University nine is a good one.

At Toledo yesterday Detroit was defeated by 7 to 5. The papers of the latter city claim that they were shabbily treated. A young umpire was put in who is said to have favored Toledo. Shiebeck and Werden each made three errors for Toledo, while Higgins and Banning made an equal number each for Detroit.

Stratford baseball people have formed a club with the following officers: Honorary president, Joseph Dufton; president, J. J. Hagarty; vice-president, F. E. Goodwin. It was decided not to go into the Western League, but the idea of forming a city league was looked upon favorably.

THE OAR.

A London, Eng., dispatch says: Oarsman Psotta, who is the sole American entered for the diamond sculls at the Henley Regatta, will not have an easy chance of capturing the prize. Guy Nickalls, who is already training for the event, is determined to give the American a sharp race. Nickalls' conduct in the Oxford-Cambridge race was very fine, and shows that he retains last year's form. Gardner, a Cambridge man, is also entered, but critics say that the result lies, as last year, between Psotta and Nickalls.

THE RING.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 16.—Charles Fitzgerald, of St. Louis, and Charles Welch, of Buffalo, light weights, who were matched to fight fifteen rounds, Queensberry rules, for a purse of $500, met at Leider Kranz Hall last night. Welch forced the fighting and won the match by knocking Fitzgerald out in the eleventh round.

The San Francisco Chronicle says: In Corbett, Sullivan will find a man fully as agile and clever as Charlie Mitchell. Corbett will not stand till he is knocked down by one of the big fellow's rushes, but will be all over the ring in a round and boxing on the retreat, and as the contest will be considered one of skill and not endurance, he should, with a competent and honest referee, stand an excellent chance of being adjudged the winner. Of course, there is the possibility that Sullivan may put him out with one of his famous punches, but it is only a possibility and too remote to be likely to happen in four rounds, with Sullivan in very poor fix for any kind of a fight.

CURLING.

CALEDONIAN CURLERS IN CONCLAVE.

TORONTO, April 16.—The annual meeting of the Ontario branch of the Royal Caledonian Curling Club was held at the Walker House yesterday afternoon. It was voted that the Ontario branch cordially approves the action of the Executive Committee in accepting the invitation of the Canadian branch to establish an annual match between the two associations and desires to express the hope that at a not distant date steps will be taken to have a general meeting of all branches of the parent club in the Dominion. This resolution, with regard to the Governor-General's medal, was passed:

That the action of the Executive Committee in regard to the competition at Ottawa for stone-playing associations for the Governor-General's prize be approved, and that we, while unable to accept some of the positions taken by the Canadian branch in its decision in the case, thoroughly acquiesce in its ruling that the match recently played at Ottawa cannot be considered a match for the Governor-General's prize.

Dr. Boucher submitted this motion: That section 3, chapter 4, of the bylaws be altered to read "15 cents" instead of "10 cents," as the rate per member; and that the clause reading, "No club shall be called upon to pay more than $10 for members' fees," be struck out. The resolution was lost, a two-thirds vote being necessary, the vote being, yea, 18; nay, 14.

A motion was passed requesting that all certified clubs be granted excursion rates by the railways for all matches. The following committee was appointed to perfect arrangements for the reception of the Grand National Curling Club of America, which holds its annual meeting in Toronto in July: Messrs. Harvey, Badenach, Rennie, Flavelle, Wright, Russell, Bruce and Dr. Boucher. The President presented Mr. J. F. H. Gunn, the skip of the Champion Walkerton Rink, with the championship banner for the Walkerton club, and with a gold badge for himself. Mr. Gunn made a graceful reply, after which the meeting adjourned.

CRICKET.

Toronto will send a team to London and Chatham in August.

It is expected that active practice will be begun on the Toronto ground late next week.

There will be no Toronto Cricket Club colts this season, as all of the old standbys are "aged."—[Globe.

At a meeting of those interested in the formation of a cricket club at the Queen's Hotel, Strathroy, on Monday evening, it was unanimously decided to reorganize a club, and the following officers were elected: President, Wm. Dewar; vice-president, Rev. A. McKeon; second vice-president, Cyrus Bixel; secretary and treasurer, R. F. Richardson; captain, W. A. Armstrong; finance committee, Messrs. J. F. Taylor, H. Armstrong, J. H. McIntosh and George Richardson; managing committee, Messrs. L. H. Dampier, H. E. Maitland, W. Bishop, W. A. Armstrong, Dr. A. S. Thompson.

The following are the officers of the Windsor Cricket Club for this year: Honorary president, Hiram Walker; president, John Davis; vice-presidents, Alex. Cameron, Sol White, F. E. Marcon; secretary, A. Wigle; treasurer, H. O. Fleming; committee on grounds and materials, J. C. Stewart, H. Rohns and F. Marcon, jun.

THE WHEEL.

Several members of the F. C. B. C. had a very pleasant run to St. Johns last evening under command of Capt. Lawrason. The club will meet at the guns in Victoria Park this evening at 7:15 p.m. sharp, and make a short run to the kennels and back.

NEWS IN A LINE.

The Eiffel Tower opened again on March 30, and by night 10,000 persons had gone to the top.

How music spreads among the masses can be imagined from the estimate that in Sheffield there are about 600 artisans who play the violin.

Prince Bismarck's pension, which has been represented as being very large, really amounts to only 18,000 marks, or less than $4,500.

Among the many plans of which Emperor William is in favor is said to be the reinstatement of the Duke of Cumberland as King of Hanover.

All lovers of "The Bohemian Girl" and all Irishmen can contribute to a fund being raised for the penniless son of the Irish composer, Michael Balfe. Address Dr. Barratt, 39 Angel Road, Briston.

Paris cab fares will no longer be a franc and a half for all distances, but the distance is to be accurately measured by an apparatus in the cab, and the charge is to be 75 cents for the first kilometre and 25 cents per kilometre for any further distance.

Northern Sparks.

[From the ADVERTISER'S Correspondent.]

AILSA CRAIG, April 15.—The Exeter Checker Club suffered defeat in the Town Hall here last night at the hands of the local club, the score being 62 to 36 in favor of Ailsa Craig. The match consisted of a series of ten games, eleven players a side. The following is the score:

Ailsa Craig.	Won.	Exeter.	Won.	Dr'n
J. Morgan	5	A. Walters	1	4
Geo. Morton	4	J. Hyndman	5	1
C. Walker	6	J. Walters	4	0
G. Hutchinson	8	R. Terry	1	1
W. McKay	6	F. W. Collins	3	1
J. Alexander	6	C. Prouty	4	0
D. S. Cameron	7	T. Oke	3	0
S. B. Smith	5	W. Levett	5	0
Robt. Parker	5	W. G. Bissett	3	2
Jos. Rosser	5	W. H. Mills	4	1
R. Lorimer	5	R. S. Lang	3	2
Total	62	Totals	36	12

A return match will be played in Exeter shortly.

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BULLS AND BEARS.

British Grain Trade.

LONDON, April 14.—The Mark Lane Express, in its weekly review of the British grain trade, says: There has been a slight recovery in English wheats. The sales of English wheats during the past week were 52,023 quarters at 29s 9d against 43,933 quarters at 29s 11d during the corresponding week last year. Foreign wheats are firm. Russian and American red winter have advanced 3d. American corn is recovering from the recent extreme depression and prices have risen 3d. At to-day's market English wheats were in fair request at 6d advance on good dry grain. Foreign wheats were held for 6d advance, partly owing to the rise in the American markets. Flour was firm at a recovery of 6d. Oats were 3d dearer. Corn was strong. Although 530,000 quarters are on the passage holders are combining to put up prices.

London Money Market.

LONDON, April 16—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 98 3-16 for money; 98 5-16 for account; U. S. 4s, 125; U. S. 4½s, 106; Erie, 25¾; Erie seconds, 103¾; Canadian Pacific, 76; New York Central, 110⅝; Illinois Central, 118¼; bank rate, 3½ per cent.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, April 16—1 p.m.—Stocks dull and steady; American Express, 116; Canadian Pacific, 73⅜; Canada Southern, 54⅜; Delaware and Hudson, 152½; Delaware and Lackawanna, 137½; Lake Shore, 107⅜; Michigan Central, —; Northern Pacific, —, preferred, 73¾; New York Central, —; St. Paul, 68¾, preferred, —; St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, —; Union Pacific, 63½; Western Union, 84½.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, April 16.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	226½	226
Montreal, ex-div	224	222½
Ontario	125	123
Molsons	162	158
Toronto	215	211
Merchants	143¾	141½
Commerce	126¾	126½
Commerce, ex-div	124	123¾
Imperial	157½	156½
Dominion	226½	226
Dominion, ex-div	82	81½
N. W. L.	74½	—
C. P. R.	128	127
Lon. & Can. L. & A. C.	130	126

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SALES—Commerce, 12 at 126½; Imperial, 6 at 157; Dominion, ex-div., 30 and 20 at 226½; N. W. L., 6, 3 and 7 at 82; Lon. & Can. L. & A. C., 10 and 100 at 127½.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

LONDON, Wednesday, April 16.

The deliveries during the past week have been fair, prices advancing, with an active demand.

Wheat sold more freely at 90c per standard bushel to millers and $1 45 to $1 50 to dealers.

Oats in good demand at 92c for feeding and 95c to $1 for seed oats.

Peas, 95c for feeding and $1 to $1 25 for seed peas.

Corn, 99c to $1.

Barley, 75c to 90c.

Rye or buckwheat, none offering.

Butter and eggs in good supply, prices lower.

Hay sold from $7 50 to $8 50 per ton.

Quotations as follows:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, per standard bush	$0 90	@	$0 90
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 50	@	1 67
Wheat, Dehl, per 100 lbs	0 00	@	0 00
Wheat, Democrat, per 100 lbs	1 45	@	1 50
Wheat, Clawson, per 100 lbs	1 45	@	1 50
Wheat, red, per 100 lb	1 47	@	1 63
Buckwheat	1 00	@	1 03
Oats	92	@	93
Corn	90	@	1 03
Peas	90	@	1 00
Beans, per bush	1 00	@	1 15
Barley, per 100 lbs	75	@	90
Rye, per 100 lbs	80	@	85
Chickens, per pair	50	@	70
Ducks, per pair	60	@	80
Turkeys, each	75	@	1 50
Onions, per bush	50	@	1 00
PROVISIONS.			
Eggs, retail	10	@	10
Eggs, basket	8	@	8
Eggs, store lots	16	@	17
Butter, pound rolls	13	@	15
Butter, crock or large rolls	8	@	10
Butter, tub or firkin	10½	@	11
Cheese	11	@	12
Lard	20	@	25
Turnips, per bush	20	@	25
Carrots, per bush	75	@	80
Potatoes, per bag	75	@	1 50
Apples, per bag	5 50	@	6 00
Dressed hogs, per cwt	5	@	7
Beef, per cwt	8	@	10
Mutton, per lb	7	@	15
Lamb, per lb	6	@	8
HAY, ETC.			
Hay, per ton	7 00	@	8 50
Clover seed, per bush	3 50	@	3 75
Timothy seed, per bush	1 60	@	1 75
Flaxseed, per bush	0 00	@	0 00
Bran	14 00	@	15 00
Shorts	15 00	@	17 00
SKINS AND HIDES.			
Hides, No. 1, per lb	4	@	4
Hides, No. 2, per lb	3	@	5
Hides, No. 3, per lb	2	@	0
Wool, per lb	18	@	22
Calfskins, green, per lb	4	@	3
Calfskins, dry, per lb	0	@	0
Lambskins, each	55	@	60
Sheepskins, each	00	@	00
Pelts	55	@	55
Tallow, rendered, per lb	5	@	5
Tallow, rough, per lb	3	@	3

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Toronto Market.

TORONTO, April 16.

WHEAT—Fall, No. 2, $0 00 to $0 00; fall, No. 3, $0 00 to $0 00; spring, No. 1, $0 00 to $0 00; spring, No. 2, 92c to 93c; red winter, No. 2, 95c to 96c; No. 1 hard Manitoba, $1 15½ to $1 15½; No. 2, $1 13 to $1 13; No. 3, 00c to 00c.

BARLEY—No. 1, 00c to 00c; No. 2, 49c to 50c; No. 3 extra, 46c to 47c; No. 3, 43c to 44c.

PEAS—No. 2, 58c to 60c.

OATS—No. 2, 33½c to 35c.

FLOUR—Extra, $3 75 to $3 80; straight roller, $4 00 to $4 05; strong bakers, $0 00 to $0 00. Market steady. Sales—Extra flour at $3 75; No. 2 spring wheat outside at 89c to 90c; No. 1 hard Manitoba on spot at $1 15½; No. 2 hard Manitoba at $1 13; oats outside at 33c.

Montreal Market.

MONTREAL, April 16.

FLOUR—Receipts, 600 bbls.; sales, 000 bbls. Market quiet but firm, and prices unchanged. Quotations are as follows: Patents, winter, $5 10 to $5 40; spring, $5 10 to $5 40; straight roller, $4 40 to $4 60; extra, $4 20 to $4 30; superfine, $3 10 to $3 90; strong bakers', $4 50 to $5 00; Ontario bags, $1 30 to $2 30; city bags, $5 05 to $5 15 for strong bakers'.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 hard Manitoba, $1 15 to $1 16; No. 2 hard Manitoba, 90c; corn, 49c to 49c; peas, 67c to 67c; oats, 34c to 36c; barley, 40c to 50c; rye, 45c to 50c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $4 00 to $4 25; cornmeal, $2 25 to $2 30.

PROVISIONS—Pork, 15c to 15c per lb; lard, 8½c to 9¼c; bacon, 11c to 11½c; hams, 11c to 12c; cheese, 9½c to 11c; butter, creamery, 18c to 22c; townships, 10c to 19c; Morrisburg, 16c to 18c; Western, 10c to 14c; eggs, quiet, 11c to 12c.

English Markets.

Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LONDON, April 16.

Floating cargoes—Wheat and corn none.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat rather easier, corn steady.

Mark Lane—Wheat quiet, corn firm, flour quiet.

French country markets firm.

Weather in England wet.

Liverpool—Spot wheat downward tendency, corn not much inquiry; American red winter, 7s—unchanged; India, 7s 4d—1d dearer; corn, 3s 7d—1d cheaper.

LIVERPOOL, April 16.

The quotations for the past three market days are as follows:

	April 14.		April 15.		April 16.	
	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.
Spring	7 3	0 0	7 3	0 0	7 3	0 0
Red winter	6 11½	0 0	7 0	0 0	7 0	0 0
No. 1 Cal	7 1	0 0	7 1½	0 0	7 1	0 0
Corn	3 7	0 0	3 7	0 0	3 7	0 0
Peas, per c	5 6	0 0	5 6	0 0	5 6	0 0
Pork	56 9	0 0	56 0	0 0	56 0	0 0
Lard	33 3	00 0	33 3	0 0	33 0	0 0
Bacon, s. c	30 0	00 0	30 6	0 0	30 6	00 0
Bacon, l. c	30 0	00 0	30 6	0 0	30 6	00 0
Tallow	24 6	00 0	24 3	00 0	24 3	00 0
Cheese, wh	54 0	00 0	54 0	00 0	54 0	00 0
Cheese, col	54 0	00 0	54 0	00 0	54 0	00 0

Wheat quiet, demand has fallen off, holders offer moderately; corn quiet, demand fallen off.

American Markets.

OSWEGO, April 15.

WHEAT—Market is firm. White State at 95c.

CORN—Market steady. No. 2 western at 42c.

BARLEY—Market quiet; No. 2 Canada held at 57c. No. 2 extra Canada at 62c.

CHICAGO, April 15.

LEADING FUTURES CLOSED:

WHEAT—April, 86c; May, 87c; June, 87¼c; July, 85¼c.

CORN—April, 31⅞c; May, 32⅝c; July, 33⅜c.

OATS—May, 23⅝c; June, 23¼c; July, 23¾.

PORK—May, $13; June, $13 12½; July, $13 25.

LARD—May, $6 42½; June, $6 45; July, $6 50.

SHORT RIBS—May, $5 55; June, $5 60; July, $5 65.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

No. 2 spring wheat and No. 2 red, 86c to 86½c; No. 2 corn, 31½c; No. 2 oats, 23½c; mess pork, $13; lard, $6 40; short rib sides, $5 50 to $6; dry salted shoulders, $4 86 to $4 90; short clear sides, $5 75 to $5 80.

Receipts—			
Flour, bbls	00,000	Wheat, bu	22,000
Corn, bu	195,000	Oats, bu	139,000
Rye, bu	30,000	Barley, bu	57,000
Shipments—			
Flour, bbls	00,000	Wheat, bu	140,000
Corn, bu	286,000	Oats, bu	193,000
Rye, bu	40,000	Barley, bu	15,000

NEW YORK, April 15.

FLOUR—Unsettled; dull; closing weak and nominal.

WHEAT—Receipts, 1,800 bu; exports, 68,916 bu; sales, 11,240,000 bu futures; 87,000 bu spot; spot dull; heavy; lower; No. 2 red, 92c to 93½c, elevator; No. 1 northern, $1 01½ to $1 01½; No. 1 hard, $1 02 to $1 02½; options less active; ⅛c to 2c, down; heavy realizing; No. 2 red, April, 92½c; May, 92½c; June, 91½c; July, 90½c; Aug. and Sept., 89½c; Dec., 91½c.

BARLEY—Strong; Canada, 60c to 70c.

MALT—Steady; Canada, 75c to 87½c.

CORN—Receipts, 13,650 bu; exports, 44,381 bu; sales, 1,880,000 bu futures, 426,000 bu spot; spot active; ¼c to ⅜c down; closing heavy; ungraded mixed, 39c to 42½c; options fairly active; ⅜c to 1c down; heavy; April, May and June, 39½c; July, 40½c.

OATS—Receipts, 98,000 bu; sales, 335,000 bu futures; 126,000 bu spot; spot less active; weaker; options quiet; weaker; April, 30½c; May, 29½c; June, 29c; spot No. 2, 30½c to 31½c; mixed western, 29c to 33c; white do, 33c to 37½c.

COFFEE—Dull; lower; fair, 20¼c.

SUGAR—Firm; active demand; standard "A," 6c; cut-loaf and crushed, 7c; powdered, 6¾c; granulated, 6¼c.

CHICAGO, April 16—11 a.m.

WHEAT—May, 88½c; July, 86½c.

CORN—May, 32½c to 32⅝c; July, 33½c.

OATS—May, 23½c; July, 23½c.

PORK—May, $13 75; July, $13 70.

LARD—May, $6 40; July, $6 50.

SHORT RIBS—May, $5 55; July, $5 60.

MILWAUKEE, April 16.

WHEAT—Quiet; 80c cash, April and May.

DETROIT, April 16.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, 87¼c cash; No. 2 red, 87¼c bid cash, 87¼c April, 87¼c May, 85½c July, 84¼c Aug.

TOLEDO, April 16.

WHEAT—Quiet; 87¼c cash, 87¼c May, 85½c asked July, 84¼c asked Aug.

CORN—Dull; 34c cash; 33½c May, 34½c July.

OATS—Dull; 25c cash, 25c May.

The Oil Market.

PETROLEA.

April 16.—Oil opened and closed at $1 06½.

The Birchall Case Via Detroit.

DETROIT, April 16.—A dispatch from Brantford, Ont., says: An interesting discovery that may still further complicate the Birchall murder case has just been made here. On the Commercial Hotel register was the name of F. C. Benwell, which is supposed to have been placed there by Birchall's victim. It is now learned that it was written by another young Englishman, who left for this country a few weeks before the Princeton tragedy, and who curiously enough bore exactly the same patronymic as Birchall's friend. As Birchall has all along averred that the supposed murdered Benwell is still alive, it is likely an attempt will be made to identify the murdered man as the one who registered at the hotel here.

LONDON AND PRECINCTS.

Rev. Dr. Mockridge, of Windsor, N. S., formerly rector of Christ Church Cathedral, Hamilton, has accepted a call as assistant rector of Holy Trinity Church, Toronto, one of the oldest free-pew churches in the country. Dr. Mockridge is well known to many Londoners.

Mr. P. J. C. McDonnell, of the Montreal Bank, who goes to London this week, was the recipient of another pleasant presentation last evening. This time the patrons of the bank here were the doners, and the gift was an elegant traveling outfit in the shape of a handsome leather trunk, portmanteau, etc.—[Peterboro Review.

At the London Gun Club Traps.

A match was shot yesterday on the London Gun Club grounds between Messrs. Tee Kay and Redpath on the one side and Messrs. Evans and Lyman on the other. The side controlled by the gentleman with the celestial name won by five birds. The match was at 50 birds for the cost. Redpath did some fine shooting, getting 17 straight out of a possible 18 birds. Messrs. Tee Kay and Lyman were not in form, as the score shows. Following are the results:

Tee Kay	16	Evans	30
Redpath	38	Lyman	19
Total	54	Total	49

LONDON SOUTH.

Miss Oronhyatekha, of Desoronto, formerly of this city, is visiting Mrs. J. R. Minhinnick.

Mr. Ballantyne, M.P.P., was here yesterday, the guest of his son, the respected pastor of the Presbyterian Church.

The regular meeting of the Companions of the Forest, which was to have been held on Friday evening, the 18th, has been postponed until Wednesday evening, the 23rd inst. A full attendance is required on that date, as business of importance will be brought forward.

LONDON WEST.

Last evening between 40 and 50 of the members of Hammond Lodge, No. 7, I. O. G. T., assembled at the home of Mrs. Hugh McPherson, Wharncliffe avenue, London West, to spend a social time together. After amusing themselves in games, etc., tea, coffee and cakes were done ample justice to. Then Mr. V. Connelly occupied the chair and the following took part in the musical and literary programme: Miss Vroman, Mr. J. Davidson, Miss Sterling, Mr. Tynan, Miss Connelly, Mr. Ware, Miss Mitchell, Mr. Elliott, Miss Laidlaw and Miss Ethel McPherson. The company dispersed at an "early" hour.

DIED IN JAIL.

George Wright, a Prisoner, Dies from Consumption—Verdict of the Coroner's Inquest.

An inquest was held this morning in the jail on the body of George Wright (colored), aged 75, who was committed a short time ago as a vagrant. When first sent to jail he was in such a feeble condition that milk was the only sustenance he could take. He was arrested by P. C. Campbell, and it appeared that he had been shipped from Detroit. He could hardly walk when Campbell took him in charge, and after his committal steps were taken to have him returned to Detroit. He, however, succumbed this morning from simply wasting away. Coroner Flock held an inquest, as prescribed by law, the following being the jury:

Wm. Element (foreman), M. Horn, James McCormick, Charles Gibson, Henry Boyce, George Riddell, R. B. Walker, J. Fowler, Archie Black, Allen Swanwick, Thomas Livermore, Thomas Parkinson, Nicholas Dolese, James S. Elson, William Tripp, J. Gauld.

Police Constables Campbell and Wallace gave evidences as to the arrest, and the feeble state of the prisoner, and after the formal evidence of the jail officials, and the medical statement of Dr. Smith, the jury returned a verdict to the effect that deceased died a natural death from locomotor ataxia and consumption.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Another Page of the Rykert Scandal History.

[Special to the ADVERTISER.]

OTTAWA, Wednesday, April 16.

The Rykert Committee met this morning, intending to close the case and adopt a report, but Dalton McCarthy was present with Mr. Laidlaw, his co-solicitor for Shortreed & Laidlaw in the Cypress Hill timber limit matter, and wished to be heard. Mr. McCarthy wanted to explain his telegram read at the last meeting of the committee charging fraud in the transaction. After some discussion this was allowed. Mr. McCarthy complained that the license finally issued by the department to his clients, Messrs. Shortreed & Laidlaw, was not in accordance with the specifications originally drawn up and agreed to by Messrs. Rykert, Lindsay Russell (Surveyor-General) and himself. The applications of Adams and Shortreed & Laidlaw overlapped to some extent, and the understanding was that the latter firm were to have the precedence in all respects. On the license issued the boundary of this latter limit was even south instead of north, thus taking in the prairie rather than than the timber. It was on hearing of this that McCarthy telegraphed to the department that a fraud had been committed and asked for a delay. Mr. Russell did not grant this delay, but without warning McCarthy, hastily issued the license to Adams.

Rykert cross-examined McCarthy, but elicited nothing. A letter was read, however, in which Mr. Laidlaw advises haste in getting the licenses into their hands, as the elections were coming on and "the Grits were howling like demons."

Mr. Laidlaw, solicitor for the firm of Shortreed & Laidlaw, was next examined, and gave an account of the negotiations between this firm and Rykert and Adams. He showed by diagram that the department had really granted to Rykert and Adams a limit that lay wholly within territory that should have been granted to Shortreed & Laidlaw. He flatly denied the charge made by Rykert to the effect that he (Laidlaw) was trying to levy blackmail. He had come to Ottawa to try and find out about the matter, but was shown politely from the waiting-room to the waiting room without learning anything.

Under the Charlton Act.

BELLEVILLE, April 16.—At the assizes yesterday in Queen vs. Blondin, the prisoner pleaded guilty under the Charlton Act of seducing a girl of previously chaste character. The prisoner was a schoolteacher and the girl one of his pupils. It is supposed that he has debauched more than this girl, and in passing sentence his Lordship regretted that he was unable to award a more severe punishment than that of 23 months in the Central Prison.

NOMINATIONS

In North Middlesex South Bruce and Center Simcoe.

AILSA CRAIG, April 16.—The Conservative Convention for the North Riding of Middlesex was held here yesterday, there being a number of delegates present from Lucan, Parkhill and other portions of the riding. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: John Fox, of Lucan, president, re-elected; W. H. Hutchinson, Parkhill, vice-president; J. W. Orme, Lucan, secretary; B. Stanley, Lucan, treasurer. The candidate chosen to contest the riding was H. P. Macklin, of London. The meeting was addressed by Mr. Macklin, Mr. Creighton, of Toronto, and others.

Mr. Henry Macklin asks for one week in which to make up his mind.

SOUTH BRUCE.

WALKERTON, April 16.—A convention of the Conservatives of South Bruce was held here yesterday in Rothwell's Hall. The following were nominated: A. Shaw, of Walkerton; Messrs. Tolton and Eckford, of Brant; Mr. Dickison, of Carrick, and Dr. Tennant, of Lucknow. The gentlemen nominated consulted among themselves, and they agreed that the nomination should go to Dr. Tennant. For years back the gentlemen selected have been from this locality, and their uninterrupted series of disastrous defeats have doubtless forced a change in the programme, and a gentleman from Lucknow is the lucky or unlucky one. It is felt here that probably the primary reason for selecting the Doctor is the hope that from his contiguity to Kinloss, a heavy Reform township, he may be able to make inroads into the Reform majority in that township. It is safe to say that the Reformers of South Bruce will give a good account of themselves when the time for action arrives. Organizer Birmingham was present.

CENTER SIMCOE.

BARRIE, April 16.—The convention held at Elmvale yesterday to select a candidate for the Center Riding of Simcoe, in the interest of the Liberal party, was an unqualified success in every particular. There were about 200 persons present. No nominations were made, but the delegates marked their ballots for whomever they chose. It took ten ballots before there was a choice, when Mr Robert Paton, ex-warden of the county of Simcoe, and for many years reeve of the township of Sunnidale, received 69 votes, (the required number being 67), John Sissons, reeve of Vespra, receiving the next highest vote. The business of the meeting was conducted with harmony and good feeling. The nomination of Mr. Paton was made unanimous upon motion of Mr. Sissons, seconded by Mr. Sneath. Amidst great enthusiasm Mr. Patton accepted the nomination in a few appropriate words. Speeches were made by Mr. O. J. Phelps, Mr. Hewson and W. T. R. Preston. A resolution was also unanimously passed expressing confidence in Mr. Mowat. The convention was brought to a close by cheers for the Queen, Mr. Mowat and Robert Paton, the newly-chosen candidate, who, by the way, is a farmer and one of the most popular men in the county. With him the Liberals feel confident of success at the approaching election.

CENTER BRUCE.

PINKERTON, April 16.—The Conservatives of Center Bruce met at Pinkerton. No candidate for the party was nominated and no resolution was passed. Another attempt is to be made at Glammis on Wednesday of next week. The speeches made indicated that the Conservatives feel that they cannot even hope to carry the riding with a Tory candidate and are at their wits' end to know what is best to do for Mr. Meredith.

NORTH ESSEX.

WINDSOR, April 16.—A meeting of the supporters of Mr. Gaspard Pacaud, M.P.P., was held yesterday afternoon in Laing's Hall. Mr. D. Couts was asked to take the chair, and Mr. F. A. Mailloux acted as secretary. Speeches were made by Messrs. G. Pacaud, M.P.P., Mayor White and others. Mr. Pacaud said that his only desire was to see the Local Government supported from this riding, and as long as such was the case, even if he was beaten by another Liberal, he would be as proud as when he carried the standard of the Liberal party in the riding. It had been intimated to him that a petition had been drawn up asking him to run for the constituency.

ST. THOMAS REFORMERS.

ST. THOMAS, April 16.—A meeting of the Reformers of St. Thomas was held in the East End Monday night to form an organization for carrying on the work of the campaign. There was a very large attendance for an initial meeting, and a spirit of unanimity and of determination to leave no stone unturned to secure the return of Mr. McCrimmon was exhibited that augered well for the result of the fight. The following gentlemen were elected officers: President, Dr. T. Duncombe; vice-presidents, D. Ferguson, Geo. Oill, A. Grant; secretary, Fred. Wickett; treasurer, M. S. Carl. Before the meeting adjourned, short, pithy speeches were delivered by Messrs. Gleun, Ferguson, Oill, Grant, Munro, Hess, Moore, Regan, McIntyre, Brierley, Griffin and Finney.

WITH THE BLADES OPEN.

A Young Girl Swallows a Penknife.

OTTAWA, April 16.—Miss Alice Elliott, aged 13, while suffering from dementia, swallowed a small penknife with the blades open. Her physician is watching the case with great anxiety. She is still alive, but her condition is serious.

A Break in Wheat at Chicago.

CHICAGO, April 16.—There was another break in wheat this morning, July and May opening almost 2 cents lower than last night's close. July advanced ¼ cent to 85 cents shortly after the opening, and then became stationary for a time. May for a short time after the opening was dull, with very little doing. The only apparent reason for the break was that there were more sellers than buyers in the pit and that the market was easing down. At 9:50 May was quoted at 86⅞ cents and July at 85 cents.

Lincoln's Birthday.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 16.—The 25th anniversary of the death of Abraham Lincoln was most appropriately celebrated in this, his old home, under the auspices of the Lincoln Memorial League yesterday. The city was liberally decorated with flags and somber battlements of mourning. There was a large procession of G. A. R., civic and military organizations, turners, and the city fire department to the national Lincoln monument, where the memorial exercises were held. The monument and sarcophagus were profusely decorated and there were elegant floral designs from the States of Wisconsin, Minnesota and Michigan. President Harrison and other prominent men sent letters of regret of their inability to be present.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

—John Line, a resident of Comber, was sentenced to the Central Prison by Magistrate Bartlet, of Windsor, for six months for breaking into Welsh's warehouse in Comber.

—A Mitchell correspondent writes: The annual vestry meeting of the English Church, Mitchell, was held on Monday evening last. There was a large attendance. The rector received the unanimous and hearty support of the vestry in all his work. Messrs. W. G. Murphy and J. Jones were appointed church wardens and Messrs. F. Awty and A. Dent were elected delegates to the Diocesan Synod.

BASEBALL.

Pitcher Hodson has been released by Hamilton.

The admission to the game on Saturday will be 25 cents.

The Hamilton club has decided not to sell Shortstop Sales.

Third Baseman Hickey has arrived in Toronto, as has also Billy Serad.

In the game at Baltimore yesterday Donovan, of last season's London team, was the only Boston player to hit safe after the fourth inning, making a three-bagger, but failed to score.

In the game played by the Hams against the Brooklyn American Association team on Monday Latouche pitched for the first six innings, and the Brooklyns did not make a safe hit. Hodson finished the game. Miller played short and accepted six chances without an error. He batted hard, making three singles. Eddie Sales played an errorless game, accepting nine chances. It is likely that he will be a fixture at second.—[Hamilton Spectator.

A DOVE IN CHURCH.

A Singular Scene at an Ordination in Syracuse.

SYRACUSE, April 16.—The Syracuse Convention of the Wesleyan Methodist denomination held its session near Chittengo Station last week, and at the close of the morning service four young men were ordained elders. After the laying on of hands, according to the usual custom, prayer was offered, during which a beautiful white dove flew in at the door which had been left open for ventilation, and alighted on the open Bible on the pulpit. From there it flew to and rested upon the heads, in turn, of two of the young men who were being ordained, then upon the head of the eldest member of the Conference who was present and then back to the Bible. In a few moments it arose and rested upon the head of the Rev. A. W. Hall, financial agent of the denomination, and while the president, the Rev. E. W. Bruce, of Rome, was extending the right hand of fellowship to those who were ordained and expressing to them words of welcome and encouragement, it lighted upon his head and remained there until he had nearly concluded the ceremony, when it flew back to the Bible. It was not at all frightened, and all of its movements were voluntary. It is a tame dove which had been raised in the neighborhood, but had never been in the church before, and came at that time of his own accord.

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No more her pulses come and go;
Her eyes are shut to life and light;
Fold the light vesture, snow on snow,
And lay her where the violets blow.

But not beneath a graven stone,
To plead for tears with alien eyes;
A slender cross of wood alone
Shall say that there a maiden lies
In peace beneath the peaceful skies.

And gray old trees in hughest limb
Shall wheel their creaking shadows round
To make the scorching sunlight dim
That drinks the greenness from the ground
And drop their dead leaves on the mound.

When o'er their boughs the squirrels run,
And through their leaves the robins call,
And, ripening in the autumn sun,
The acorns and the chestnuts fall,
Doubt not that she heed them all.

For her the morning shall sing
Its matins from the inches high,
And every minstrel of spring
That thrills beneath April sky
Shall greet her with earliest cry.

When, turning round the dial track,
Eastward the leng ng shadows pass,
Her little mourners, in black,
The crickets, sliding through the grass,
Shall pipe for her ming mass.

At last the rootlets trees
Shall find the prise re she lies,
And bear the buried they seize
In leaves and blos o the skies—
So may the soul th rns it rise.

If any, born of kindl od,
Should ask, "Wh den lies below?"
Say only this: "A t bud,
That tried to bloss the snow,
Lies withered whe violets blow."

COLONEL Q[UA]RITCH, V.C.

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"I don't think," ...ered Mr. Quest, ignoring the latter p... his question, "that with your prospect... would not find it difficult to get £30... or twice £30,000. I know several who... uld consider it an honor to lend th... oney to a Cossey, if only for the sake ... introduction—that is, of course, prov... the security was of a legal nature."

"Let me see the ...ter," said Edward.

Mr. Quest hand... him the document conveying the comm... of Cossey & Son, and he read it through ...vice.

"The old man ...ens business," he said, as he returned it; "...at letter was written by him, and when he has made up his mind it is useless to try and stir him. Did you say you were going to see the Squire today?"

"No, I did not say so, but as a matter of fact I am. His man George, who, by the way is a shrewd fellow for one of these bumpkins, came with a letter asking me to go up to the castle, so I shall get around there to lunch. It is about this fresh loan that the old gentleman wishes to negotiate. Of course I shall be obliged to tell him that instead of giving a fresh loan we must serve a notice on him."

"Don't do that just yet," said Edward, with decision. "Write to the house and say that their instructions shall be attended to. There is no hurry about the notice, though I don't see how I am to help in the matter. Indeed there is no call upon me."

"Very well, Mr Cossey. And now, by the way, are you going to the castle this afternoon?"

"Yes, I believe so. Why?"

"Well, I want to get up there to luncheon and I am in a fix. Bell wants the trap to go there this afternoon. Can you lend me your dog cart to drive up, and then perhaps you would not mind if she gave you a lift this afternoon."

"Very well," answered Edward, "that is if it suits Mrs. Quest. Perhaps she may object to carting me about the country."

"I have not observed any such reluctance on her part," said the lawyer dryly, "but we can easily settle the question. I must go home to get some plans before I attend the vestry meeting about that pinnacle. Will you step across with me and we can ask her?"

"Oh, yes," he answered, "I have nothing particular to do."

And accordingly, as soon as Mr. Quest had made some arrangements and given particular directions to his clerks as to his whereabouts for the day, they set out together for the lawyer's private house.

CHAPTER VIII.

MR. QUEST'S WIFE.

Mr. Quest lived in one of those ugly but comfortably built houses of old red brick, which abound almost in every country town, and which gives us the clearest possible idea of the want of taste and love of material comfort that characterized the gross age in which they were built. This house looked out on to the market place, and had a charming old walled garden at the back, famous for nectarines, which together with the lawn tennis court, was, as Mrs. Quest would say, almost enough to console her for living in a town. The front door, however, was only separated by a little flight of steps from the pavement, upon which the house abutted.

Entering into a large cool looking hall, Mr. Quest paused, and asked a servant who was passing where her mistress was.

"In the drawing-room, sir," said the girl; and followed by Edward Cossey, he made his way down a long paneled passage until he reached a door on the left, which he opened quickly, and passed through into a charming, modern looking room, handsomly and even luxuriantly furnished, and lighted by French windows opening on to the walled garded.

A little woman dressed in some black material was standing at one of these windows, her arms crossed behind her back, and absently gazing out of it. At the sound of the opening door she turned swiftly, her whole delicate and lovely face lighting up like a flower in a ray of sunshine, the lips slightly parted, and a deep happy light shinning in her voilet eyes. Then, all in an instant, it was instructive to observe how instantaneously her glance fell upon her husband, for the lady was Mrs. Quest, and her entire expression changed to one of cold aversion, the light fading out of her face as it does from a November sky, and leaving it cold and hard.

Mr. Quest, who was a man who saw everything, saw this also, and smiled bitterly.

"Don't be alarmed, Belle," he said, in a low voice; "I have brought Mr. Cossey with me."

She flushed up to the eyes, a great wave of color, and her breast heaved; but before she could answer, Edward Cossey, who had stopped behind to wipe some mud off his shoes, entered the room, and politely offered his hand to Mrs. Quest, who took it coldly enough.

"You are an early visitor, Mr. Cossey," she said.

"Yes," said her husband, "but the fault is mine. I have brought Mr. Cossey over to ask you if you can give him a lift up to the castle this afternoon. I have to go up there to lunch, and have borrowed his dog cart."

"Oh, yes, with pleasure," she answered. But why can't the dog cart come back for Mr. Cossey?"

"Well, you see," put in Edward, "there is a little difficulty; my groom is sick. But there is really no reason why you should be bothered. I have no doubt that a man can be found to bring it back."

"Oh, no," she said, with a shrug, "it will be all right; only you had better lunch here, that's all, because I want to start early and go to an old woman's at the other end of Honham about some fuchsia cuttings."

"I shall be very happy," he said.

"Very well, then, that as settled," said Mr. Quest, "and now I must get to my place and be off to that vestry meeting. I'm late as it is. With your permission Mr. Cossey, I will order the dog cart as I pass your rooms."

"Certainly," said Edward, and in another moment the lawyer was gone.

Mrs. Quest watched the door close, and then sat down in a low arm chair, and resting her head upon the back, looked up with a steady, inquiring gaze full on Edward Cossey's face.

And he, too, looked at her, and thought what a beautiful woman she was, in her own way. She was very small, rounded in her figure almost to stoutness, and possessed the tiniest and most beautiful hands and feet. But the greatest charm lay in her face, which was almost infantile in its shape, and delicate as a moss rose. She was exquisitely fair in coloring—indeed, the darkest things about her were her voilet eyes, which in some lights looked almost black in contrast with her white forehead and waving auburn hair.

Presently she spoke.

"Has my husband gone?" said she.

"I suppose so. Why do you ask?"

"Because, from what I know of his habits, I should think it very likely that he is listening behind the door," and she laughed faintly.

"You seem to have a good opinion of him."

"I have exactly the opinion of him that he deserves," she said bitterly; "and my opinion of him is that he is one of the wickedest men in England."

"If he is behind the door he will enjoy that," said Edward Cossey. "Well, if he is all this, why did you marry him?"

"Why did I marry him?" she answered, with passion. "Because I was forced into it, bullied into it, starved into it. What would you do if you were a defenceless, motherless girl of 18, with a drunken father who beat you—yes, beat you with a stick—apologized in the most gentleman-like way next morning, and then went and got drunk again? And what would you do if that father were in the hand of a man like my husband, body and soul in his hands, and if between them the pressure was brought to bear and brought to bear until at last—There, what is the good of going on; you can guess the rest."

"Well, and what did he marry you for—your pretty face?"

"I don't know; he said so; it may have had something to do with it. I think it was my £10,000, for once I had a whole £10,000 of my own. My poor mother left it to me and it was tied up so that my father could not touch it. Well, of course, when I married my husband would not have any settlements, and so he took it, every farthing."

"And what did he do with it?"

"Spent it upon some other woman in London—most of it. I found him out; he gave her thousands of pounds at once."

"Well, I should not have thought that of him," said he, with a laugh.

She paused a moment and covered her face with her hand, and then went on: "If you only knew, Edward; if you had the faintest idea of what my life was until a year and a half ago, when I first saw you, you would pity me and understand why I am bad, and passionate, and jealous, and everything that I ought not to be. I never had any happiness as a girl; how could I in such a home as ours? And then almost before I was a woman I was handed over to that man. Oh, how I hated him, and what I endured!"

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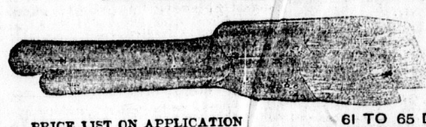

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Levi Crouse, of Westminster, was fined $2 and costs this morning by Squire Jarvis, for spearing fish at Springbank.

The roads are now in excellent shape and bicyclists are happy. A run of the Forest City club will take place to-night from the park.

Miss Joe Armour, of Erie street, who has been visiting friends in London and Strathroy, has returned home.—[Port Huron Times.

"Reader."—The statement that the Pall Mall street car line opened on Monday was not made by this journal, but, as you say, was incorrect.

Messrs. Crossley and Hunter closed their series of meetings in Brantford last night. Upwards of 800 persons professed conversion during the meetings.

Messrs. John T. Carr, Duncan Patterson and Daniel Black have sold the Iona station cheese factory to Mr. A. P. McCollam & Bros., of Belmont, for $700.

Edward Wasell, who is in jail under a certificate of insanity, is in a precarious condition. Yesterday he had a paralytic stroke and he is not expected to live.

Gloomy silence pervaded the Police Court room this morning. The docket was unsullied with a single entry, and not even the habitual drunk put in an appearance.

"One Who Knows."—The case you refer to was settled by Squire Jarvis fining the parties referred to. When your proof of innocence is produced the ADVERTISER will give it due publicity.

John Wright represented the London Curler's Club and W. B McMurrich the Forest City Club at the annual meeting of the Ontario branch of the Royal Caledonian Club at Toronto yesterday.

E. McGowan, of London West, was brought before Squire Peters this morning on a charge of trespassing in the barn of John Peters and lighting a fire on the farm. He was remanded for eight days.

To-night another musical re-union will be held in the halls of the Young Liberal Club, Oddfellows' Hall. All Liberals, whether members of the club or not, are welcome. Members should bring their friends with them.

Mr. C. Greville Harston, of Toronto, Canadian agent of the Condor system of treatment of sewage, is in the city at present engaged in explaining the working of the test now being made on the King street sewer.

The Westminster Township Spring Show will be held at Lambeth on April 22. It has been decided by the directors to be a free show open to all comers this year instead of being confined to the township as formerly.

Joe Hess, the ex-pugilistic temperance propagandist, is having large audiences in his week's campaign in Peterboro, the libel suit by the proprietor of the "Palace" restaurant in that place proving a good advertisement.

At the Grand Opera House to-morrow evening a crowded house is expected on the occasion of the opening performance of the Hyers' Colored Comedy Company. For a first-class entertainment, productive of side-splitting laughter, it is unexcelled. The company has fifteen colored artists and will be here until Saturday evening.

The street car company has found it necessary to take up the rails on Pall Mall street between Richmond and Waterloo streets and relay them. The rails had been laid last year, but the work was found to be unsatisfactory, the ties having become separated from the stringers. A large gang of men are at work on the job to-day.

Yesterday noon the C. P. R. train from the east brought several of the magnates of the road into the city including President Van Horne. The party left on a special shortly afterwards in charge of Conductor Harshaw and Engineer Rutledge, making the run to Chatham—a distance of 64 miles—in 140 minutes, and the remaining 48 miles to Windsor in 58 minutes. The engine was No. 187 and has all the latest mechanical improvements.

London West Assessment.

The London West Council met last evening, all members being present, with Reeve Lacey in the chair. The fixing of the assessment rate occupied the greater part of the evening. It was finally set at 20 mills. Messrs. John Wattam and James Campbell were appointed assessors for the ensuing year and Mr. John Lord collector.

Commencement of Extravagance.

"It is here; it is here!" exclaimed a rather over-strained-pocket-looking young man, as he met a policeman on Dundas street to-day.

"What's here?" asked the burly officer, as thoughts varied and startling ran through his mind.

The young man led him gently to a confectionery store and there pointed out the cause of his agitation. It was a sign in the window reading "Ice Cream."

Farm Pupils.

On Friday and Saturday last three detachments of farm pupils from England came to the Grigg House, in this city, and were met by Rev. Dr. Armstrong, of Moore, who for a good many years has been identified with an association in England which works in the interests of emigration. All the pupils of this last party were sent to their respective homes immediately. As it appears that the prospects of a large immigration of this desirable class of settlers are very good this year the farmers would do well to make application to Dr. Armstrong before the busy season sets in.

Ruinous Dust.

"Say," said a prominent Dundas street merchant, as he stood gazing at the goods hanging in front of his store to-day, "when are the street watering carts supposed to start on their summer journeys?"

"Give it up."

"Well, I've always thought we were charged for water from April 1 and that the contracts dated from that day; surely I must be mistaken. That dust is ruinous to those goods of mine. Write up an item, mister, and ask that the carts be brought out.

Miss Agnes Knox at Amherstburg.

Those who were present at the benefit concert at the Lake View House on Tuesday night enjoyed a rare treat. Miss Knox is a young lady of unusual elocutionary ability, and her hearers were delighted with the rendition of her selections, both humorous and pathetic. The singing of Mrs. Chas. Joslyn (nee Miss Fannie Hart, formerly of London), was of a very high order. A clear contralto voice of good compass, together with cultivated execution, makes Mrs. Joslyn a singer of no small merit. Miss Knox's selections, "Lasca," "Sandy McGlashan's Courtship," "Spartacus to Gladiators," "How Ruby Played" and "This Canada of Ours," were well received, and she had to respond to several encores. The spacious dining rooms of the Lake View House were filled with a most enthusiastic audience, and Mrs. Gillean is to be congratulated on the success of her efforts in giving the people of Amherstburg this delightful musical and literary treat. The proceeds of the concert, after deducting expenses, amounted to $22, which was given to the Rev. G. W. Wye for the poor of the church.—[Amherstburg Echo.

Foresters' Military Concert.

A military concert and entertainment was given last night in the City Hall by Court Robin Hood, No. 59, C. O. F. The band of "D" Company, R. I. S. C., contributed greatly to the success of the evening, the descriptive piece, "The Forge in the Forest" being admirable. Dr. Flock's readings were well received, and the solos given all met due appreciation. Mr. A. F. Wicks, who sang "First in the Field," has hardly sufficient dramatic power for the song, but he was well applauded. His duet with Mrs. Bloye was encored. Following is the programme:

Opening overture.....
Piano selections.....Prof. E. Green
Reading—A Perfect Cure for Fits.....Dr. Flock
An Idyl—Forge in the Forest. (Michaelis)
.....
Duet—Cat and Dog.....
.....Mrs. Bloye and Mr. A. F. Wicks
Scottish Dances.....
Master Willie and Miss Aggie Templeton accompanied by Miss Templeton
Waltz—Pleasures of Life, (Lewis).....
Song—First in the Field.....Mr. A. F. Wicks
Selection—Grand Concert Pot-Pouri, (Travers).....
Reading—Experience of the Coroner.....Dr. Flock
Fancy dance—Sailors' Hornpipe.....Master Willie Templeton
Solo—Come In.....Mrs. Bloye
Piano Medley.....Prof. E. Green
Obligato—Cassandra Baritone, (Petree).....
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"A Puritan Tea."

"A Puritan tea" was the title of the entertainment at Wesley Hall last night under the Auspices of the Women's Missionary Society of Queen's Avenue Methodist Church. Judging by the sumptuous and solid nature of the repast, the simple Puritans must have lived exceedingly comfortably. About 400 were present and sat down to the tables in detachments, where they showed great appreciation of the feast provided. After the hungry had been fed, a musical programme was given under the able direction of Mr. Fetherstone. Mrs. Keltie's song, with guitar accompaniment, was a very acceptable feature, while Messrs. Skinner, Jones and C. T. Glass all sang in good style. The evening was voted a very enjoyable one, and the ladies providing it must be congratulated. Sheriff Glass presided. Following is the programme:

Piano solo.....Miss Boomer
Song—The Angel Came.....Miss Griffith
Song (elected).....Mr. Jones
Quartet—The Sea Hath Its Pearls.....
.....Mrs. Keltie, Miss Griffith, Messrs. Fetherston and Skinner
Piano solo (selected).....Miss McCormick
Song—Jack's Wedding Morning.....
.....Mr. Skinner
Song—Rock Me to Sleep, Mother (with guitar accompaniment).....Mrs. Keltie
Quartet—The Scout.....The Male Quartet
Song—Madaline.....Mr. Glass
Duet—I Heard a Voice.....
.....Mrs. Keltie and Mr. Skinner

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VOICES OF THE PEOPLE.

READERS OF THE ADVERTISER.—Let us hear from you on all questions affecting the public. Make your communications brief and send your name as a guarantee of good faith.

A School Question.

To the Editor of the ADVERTISER:

Can a teacher keep a child over 5 out of school because they have no certificate for vaccination? Is the Simcoe street school not a free school for children of the city to attend; and have the School Board of this city any ambition in the least to have the man they have for a principal over it? An answer will greatly oblige a citizen.

R. SMITH.

[The teacher is only doing his duty in requiring a certificate of vaccination. The school you refer to is a free school for the children of all public school supporters. Apply to the Board for further information. —EDITOR ADVERTISER.]

Mr. Attwood to Mr. Laws.

To the Editor of the ADVERTISER:

I have read Mr. J. B. Laws' criticism on my supplemented verdict on the St. Johns tragedy—subject, the death of Mr. Sifton. Friend Laws may be a temperance man, but I fear he overrates his own prestige when he says that he may have been the very first to start the prohibition movement in Lambton. I know little about that county, but will venture to say that the backbone of the temperance body in good old Lambton is composed of men of rather a more uncompromising stamp. Judging from the ring of his article (that is to say, what little ring there is in it), Brother Laws is a temperance man of the Church of England Tory stamp, who are well enough in their way, but they usually are full twenty years behind the times. If the Crooks Act is as much a temperance act as the Scott Act, why did all hotelkeepers, friends of the traffic, and weekkneed temperance men, vote for it, which they practically did when they voted to repeal the Scott Act? If the hotel-keeper breaks the Crooks Act, or any other temperance act, he is not alone to blame, as friends Laws asserts. I submit that the man who presents himself at the bar, and asks for liquor unlawfully (unless he is a detective) is a partner to the crime. Yes, Mr. Editor, crime is the word we should use in connection with the unlawful selling and drinking of liquor. No, friend Laws, call no man a villain nor a liar. There is nothing smart in doing so, as some appear to think. Any person can do that. At best, I regard it a low act to call any person vile names. But if you see a person doing wrong, your duty is to call his attention to it and warn him with no uncertain sound of his responsibility, the same as I have those parties who I regard as partners in guilt in the St. Johns tragedy. True, "the soul that sinneth it shall die." Would that only those who in in the liquor traffic alone died, but how many drunkards have been the direct cause of the death of their poor innocent wives and families; death not only for time, but to all eternity. He, the drunkard, was responsible, so also is the man who sold or gave him the liquor, together with all who by their vote or influence allowed the liquor to be sold. Contrary to Mr. Laws' quotation I read in the second commandment, "Iniquities of the fathers shall be visited upon the children," etc., and we have no difficulty in finding practical illustrations in the slimy track of the liquor traffic. Yes, friend Laws, I say it in all kindness, "Those who are not with us are against us;" if you have not sustained by your vote and influence all measures that are brought out in your county for the suppression of the liquor traffic, then you are just so much responsible for every drunkard in Lambton, and for not doing the good you might have done. As to moral courage so I admire it when properly directed, but not that of the buffalo who stood on the track with lowering head and tail erect in defiance of the swiftly advancing locomotive. Whilst we admire his courage we must condemn his discretion.

Yours truly, A. C. ATTWOOD, Vanneck.

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