

Hands Off!

England Will Not Interfere With
the Eastern Peace Treaty.

Ex-Speaker Peel Voted an Annuity
of \$20,000.

Death of the Conservative Member
for West Dorset.

Flood in Russia—Four Hundred Houses
Wrecked and Many Persons Drowned
—Reported Retirement of the Duke of
Cambridge Denied.

THE QUEEN'S MOVEMENTS.
NICE, April 23.—Queen Victoria
started for Darmstadt at 10:30 o'clock
this morning.

DEATH OF AN M. P.
LONDON, April 23.—Mr. Henry Rich-
ard Farquharson, Conservative mem-
ber of the House of Commons for West
Dorset, is dead. He was 55 years of age.

KAIZER AND CZAR CONFER.
A dispatch from Berlin says: It is
stated the change of policy on the part
of the German Government in regard
to Japan is due to an exchange of
views between Emperor William and
the Czar.

THE TRIBESMEN DID IT.
SIMLA, April 23.—Gen. Sir Robert
Low commanding the British expedi-
tion against Umra Khan, telegraphs
that it was not Col. Kelly who relieved
the garrison at Chitral, but the Khan of
Dhir at the head of 2,000 tribesmen.

DEARER FLOUR.
LONDON, April 23.—A meeting of the
Corn Millers' Association was held at
Leeds today, at which it was decided
to increase the price of the mills by
two shillings a sack in consequence of
the advance in the price of American
grain.

OPPOSED TO THE TREATY.
BERLIN, April 23.—The Koelnische
Zeitung says that the French, German
and Russian Ministers in Tokio have
addressed identical notes to the Japa-
nese Government protesting in a friend-
ly but energetic manner against the
terms of peace.

DISASTROUS FLOOD.
ST. PETERSBURG, April 23.—The
Dnieper River has overflowed the dis-
tricts of Kieff and Tchernigoff. Four
hundred houses have been destroyed,
many persons have been drowned and
an enormous amount of property has
been damaged.

FIGHTING IN MADAGASCAR.
PARIS, April 23.—Dispatches from
Madagascar say that on April 3 the
Hova camp at Miadana was captured
by the French. The native loss was 100
killed and many more wounded. No
Frenchmen were killed and only three
were wounded.

THE GRAND TRUNK.
LONDON, April 23.—The Times will
say tomorrow: "The committee of
the Grand Trunk shareholders in Eng-
land has received the adhesion of the
owners of £13,000,000 worth and 5,000
proxies towards securing a majority
for the selection of Sir Charles Rivers
Wilson. They are now virtually as-
sured that their hopes will be realized."

A NICE ANNUITY.
LONDON, April 23.—Replying to a
question by Sir Thomas Esmond, Sir
Edward Grey said the imprisonment of
ex-Queen Luitpoldine of Bavaria was
not a matter in which the Government
could interfere.

Sir William Harcourt moved that an
annuity of \$20,000 be paid to ex-Speaker
Peel.

James Keir-Hardie moved an amend-
ment fixing the amount at \$5,000, which,
he said, was enough. Nobody seconded
Mr. Hardie's amendment, and Mr. Har-
court's motion was carried.

THE DUKE KNOWS HOW TO
HOLD ON.

LONDON, April 23.—In the House of
Commons today the Government was
questioned concerning the terms of the
treaty between Japan and China. Sir
Edward Grey said that the terms of the
treaty had not yet been communicated
to the Government, and therefore they
were unable to make any statement in
regard to it.

Mr. H. Campbell-Bannerman said he
was called upon to deny the truth of
existing rumors that the Duke of Cam-
bridge was about to retire from his
position as commander-in-chief of the
army.

EX-SPEAKER PEEL'S DAUGHTER
WEDS.

LONDON, April 24.—Miss Julia Peel,
daughter of ex-Speaker Peel, was mar-
ried at 2 o'clock this afternoon in St.
Margaret's Church, Westminster, to
James Rochefort Maguire, member of
Parliament for the west division of
Clare. The ceremony was performed
by the Right Rev. William Alexander,
D.D., Protestant Bishop of Derry, Ire-
land. The church was filled with a
brilliant company, including most of
the leading politicians of all parties.
The wedding gifts were numerous and
costly. Bright sunshine prevailed.

STILL ON STRIKE.

PARIS, April 23.—The strike of om-
nibus men continues with little or no
change in the situation. Very few ve-
hicles are running, and each of these
is accompanied by three gendarmes. The
strikers are very quiet and seem con-
fident of winning. The strike greatly
inconveniences the public, the annoy-
ance having been greatly augmented
by the strike of the employees of the
North Paris Omnibus Company last
evening on grounds similar to those
taken by the first strikers—higher
wages and shorter hours. The North
Paris Company declare that their fi-
nancial condition will not permit them
to increase their rates of compensa-
tion.

The majority of the tramway men
have joined the strikers. This evening
there were several encounters between
the police and the strikers.

JAPAN'S MODEST AMBITION.

PARIS, April 23.—The Journal des
Debats publishes a report of an inter-
view with Sone Arasuke, Japanese min-
ister to France, upon the results of the
Chino-Japanese war. The minister de-
clared that European trade would be
unable to withstand the competition of
Japan. This, however, he said, was

purely a pecuniary question, and could
be modified in accordance with the
adoption by European countries of a
bi-metallic standard or the retention
of the existing standard. Japan, he said,
does not project any conquests. Her
ambition is to advance in the path
of progress and develop the trade and
industries of the country she has re-
cently acquired. The fears of Spain that
Japan will encroach upon the Philip-
pines, the minister said, are
groundless. Japan is perfectly satis-
fied with the possession of Formosa.

OSCAR WILDE.
LONDON, April 23.—The prosecuting
witnesses in the Wilde-Taylor cases are
being lodged with a number of police-
men in Croyden street to prevent them
from being mobbed.

The Exchange Telegraph Company
says that Wilde will probably plead
guilty to one offense.

UNDER A CLOUD.

LONDON, April 23.—Rev. Jonathan
Bell, a Primitive Methodist clergyman,
living at Primrose Villa, Blackheath,
Rowley, in Staffordshire. This address
resembles strikingly the one given by
the clergyman accused in Detroit, of
being Miss Hall's betrayer, which was
Primrose Villa, Station road, Black-
heath, via Dudley. Bell has been in the
ministry twenty years. He was in
Michigan at the time when, according
to the Detroit police, Emily Hall's be-
trayer arranged for her reception at
the lying-in hospital. His voice failed
last summer owing to an affection of
the throat and he applied to the trust-
ees for a three months' vacation,
which was granted. No rumor has
reached his flock that the Detroit police
are inquiring after an Englishman of
his name to clear the mystery of Em-
ily Hall's betrayal and death.

HANDS OFF.

LONDON, April 23.—The Daily News
will say tomorrow: We understand
that the Government will not join any
combination of European powers to in-
terfere with the results of the Japanese
victories. While the Ministers are will-
ing and anxious to avert war, they do
not regard the British interests as af-
fected by the terms of peace.

A dispatch from Yokohama says the
Japanese have denied officially that the
treaty of peace will place the Chinese
customs under Japanese control. The
treaty contains the optional condition
that Japan will give up Wei Hai Wei
upon the payment of the second in-
stallment of the war indemnity, pro-
vided China pledges her customs to the
payment of the balance; but this
condition possibly will not be ob-
served.

A dispatch to the Central News from
Shanghai says Pekin advises state that
some modifications in the Chinese-Japa-
nese treaty of peace have been before
Judge Mulr. As this is the first case
of the counterfeiting of American post-
age stamps that has ever occurred, that
Government seems determined to spare
no effort in making it the last. The
evidence against the prisoner was very
strong. Judge Mulr will render his de-
cision in two days.

A LIBERAL VICTORY.

LONDON, April 24.—The Parliamentary
election in the mid-division of Norfolk
yesterday resulted in the return of
Mr. Gordon (Liberal) by a vote of 4,112
to 3,994 for Mr. Wilson (Conservative).

TO BE TRIED ON FRIDAY.

LONDON, April 24.—Counsel for Oscar
Wilde made application in the Old
Bailey court this morning for a post-
ponement of his client's trial. Tay-
lor's counsel, however, was desirous
of proceeding, and the prosecuting
counsel argued in opposition to the
postponement, saying Wilde had had
ample opportunity to prepare for trial.
The court refused to grant a postpone-
ment, and fixed Friday as the day for
trial. The sale of Oscar Wilde's ef-
fects by auction upon the order of the
sheriff is regarded as indicating that
his pecuniary means are exhausted.

GETTING CRITICAL.

Britain Gives Nicaragua Three Days to
Pay Up.

Failing that, British Warships Will
Blockade Her Ports and Troops
Will Land.

New York, April 24.—The Herald's
special from Nicaragua says: Com-
mander Stokes, of H. M. S. Royal Ar-
thur, which is at Corinto with the Sat-
urn and Wild Swan, arrived here last
evening, and at the end of a conference
which only lasted ten minutes handed
the Nicaragua Minister of Foreign Af-
fairs the British ultimatum. The ul-
timatum gives the Government of Nic-
aragua three days in which to settle the
claims made by Great Britain, failing
which settlement England will block-
ade the port of Corinto, and also land
troops and occupy the city.

A meeting of prominent Nicaraguans
is being held now to decide upon a plan
of action. The general opinion is that
Nicaragua will arrange to pay the in-
demnities demanded by Great Britain.
Everything is quiet in the capital. Men
anxious to serve in case of opposition
to England's demands are offering
themselves in large numbers.

BRITAIN'S ACTIVITY.

New York, April 24.—The Herald's
special from Panama says: News have
been received from Venezuela that
Great Britain has been encroaching
still further on the disputed territory.
A revolutionary expedition is reported
as being fitted out in Curacao to invade
Venezuela.

STILL ANOTHER.

Charlotte, N. C., April 24.—Cashier J.
Holland, of the Merchants' and Farm-
ers' National Bank of Charlotte, is a
defaulter to the amount of \$60,000 or
more.

CATASTROPHE AT A COCKFIGHT.

NEW YORK, April 23.—A special
from Leon, Mexico, says six men were
killed and several wounded at the vil-
lage of Huatla, west of here, yesterday
by the collapse of an amphitheater sur-
rounding a cockpit.

SAD FATALITY.

PAISLEY, Ont., April 23.—This af-
ternoon a train No. 5 from the south
was nearing Paisley, Engineer Prime
noticed a dog just ahead on the track,
and when very close the dog sprang
from the track, only to reveal the fact
that a child named Cormack, about 3
years of age, had been behind it. The
engine struck the child on the head,
causing instant death. No blame can
be attached to the driver.

Steamers Arrived.

April 23. At From

La Comandante. Havre. New York

scandia. London. New York

Late Canadian News.

A Father Drowned in Trying to Save His
Son—Child Fatally Scalded.

Lake Superior navigation will be
opened this year by the steamer Dia-
mond, which will leave Lake Linden
for the lower lakes.

William Keating, assistant to the late
Philip J. Slater, has received the ap-
pointment of city passenger agent of
the G. T. R. in Toronto.

Misses Josephine and Philomena Del-
orme, young Hamilton girls, rescued
from drowning some boys who had
fallen from a boat into the bay.

At Yarmouth, N. S., the 2-year-old
son of Clarence Dunn, was scalded to
death by upsetting a pail of hot water
upon himself. The child lingered 24
hours in distressing agony.

The Majestic, the magnificent new
flagship of the Great Northern Transit
Company, was launched on Tuesday
by the Collingwood Dry Dock and Ship-
building Company at Collingwood with
appropriate ceremonies.

John Foster, a Toronto milkman, was
found dead in his milk cart Tuesday
at the corner of King and Simcoe
streets. Deceased leaves a family of
young girls, his wife having died three
years ago.

On Monday evening, at West Pub-
nico, N. S., James Amiro was drowned
while endeavoring to rescue his son,
who had fallen overboard from a boat.
The accident happened a short distance
from the shore. The boy was saved,
and Mr. Amiro's body was found short-
ly afterwards. He leaves a wife and
several children.

David Provost, liquor dealer, 143
Broad street, Ottawa, notified the police
Tuesday that he had been done out
of \$10,000 by a confidence man. The
latter, trusted Provost with a box said
to contain \$10,000, and in return for their
confidence he drew \$605 out of the post-
office savings bank to accommodate his
newly-found friend. The box really
contained nothing but scraps of paper.

A telegram from Calgary says: A
melancholy drowning accident hap-
pened in Bow River last night. Mrs. John-
son, of Winnipeg, sister of Mr. Taylor,
manager of the Hudson Bay store here,
was walking with a lady friend on the
ice, and when coming to an open place
which had been cut out for the pier of
a bridge, she walked into eleven feet of
water. The strong current at once took
her under the pier.

The taking of evidence at Hamilton
in the extradition case against Mrs.
M. Mack—rather, Tensie McMillan—
the United States postage counterfeiter,
was continued this morning before
Judge Mulr. As this is the first case
of the counterfeiting of American post-
age stamps that has ever occurred, that
Government seems determined to spare
no effort in making it the last. The
evidence against the prisoner was very
strong. Judge Mulr will render his de-
cision in two days.

SUCCESSFUL SWINDLE

Carried Out by an Orange Dealer of
Palermo.

NEW YORK, April 23.—Receivers
of oranges and lemons have been made
more alert by the report at this port
of goods that suggest the gold brick
swindle.

When frost ruined the Florida crop
dealers turned to Sicily as a source
of supply. The Sicilians had lost their
hold on this market by the growth of
the Florida trade, and the probability
that the call on that quarter for fruit
early in the season would not be re-
peated seems to have impressed Ferdin-
and Perrell, of Palermo, with the idea
that he might as well make a clean
sweep at once. It is the first case
of receivers to place credits in foreign
banks in the fruit-importing season,
and to let shippers draw on those cred-
its or the invoices. Shippers usually
get \$1 a box out of 4,000 boxes, any balance
being payable after delivery.

E. L. Goodsell, of 103 Park Place,
placed abroad a credit of \$2,000. The
bank paid Perrell \$700 on papers show-
ing the shipment of 700 boxes of or-
anges and lemons. When the goods ar-
rived they were found to consist of a
single layer of inferior oranges or lemons
in each box, the remaining space
being filled with stones and sulphur.
Freight, duty, insurance and commis-
sion amounted to \$170 per box. This
fruit was not worth the freight, and
Mr. Goodsell abandoned it to the Gov-
ernment. About 4,000 boxes of this kind
of stuff have been brought to a re-
ceiver in the city of late. The Italian
chamber has taken up the grievances
of the victims, and has asked the Ital-
ian Government to take action to pun-
ish the swindlers, even if it may not
recover the money lost.

THE DETROIT TRAGEDY.

Emma Hall's Parents Located in England
Had Not Heard From Her.

LONDON, April 24.—The family of Em-
ma Hall, who is supposed to have
died in a lying-in hospital in Det-
roit, Mich., two months ago, are re-
siding at Halesowen, seven miles south-
west of Birmingham, where the father
is employed in a chemical factory. Mr.
and Mrs. Hall express the greatest
anxiety in regard to their daughter,
her parents not having heard directly from
America. Emma, as she was called
by the family, left home immediately
after Christmas to visit some friends
in Leeds. Three weeks ago she wrote
travel with a lady, and since that time
she has not been heard from. Her
friends in Leeds wrote that she had
left there, but did not know her where-
abouts.

Emma was the only daughter. She
was 22 years of age, and of medium
height. She had light hair, and was
rather pretty. Her manner was re-
served and reputation good. The police
of Birmingham district had not up to
last evening received any communica-
tions from America in regard to Miss
Hall.

MRS. PARNELL DYING.

BORNTOWN, N. J., April 23.—
Late tonight Mrs. Parnell's physicians
reported that it was probable that she
would die before morning.

Servants Are Easily
Secured

By a want ad. in
THE ADVERTISER.

15 words three times 30c

Cheap and sure results. See next page.

IN A QUANDARY.

Art School Directors May Have To
Move the School

When the Mechanics' Institute Changes
Hands—Short of Funds—The Teacher
Will Receive the Fees Hereafter.

The directors of the Western Govern-
ment School of Art are in a quandary.
First, they do not know exactly where
the school will be in a month or so
when the Mechanics' Institute build-
ing passes into other hands, and sec-
ondly, they hardly know where to raise
funds. A meeting of the directors was
called for yesterday. As the notices
read, it was held "for the purpose of
considering the financial position of the
school, also the question of continuing
the school for another year, and other
business."

In response to the summons the fol-
lowing attended: President, C. F. Leon-
ard, Mrs. T. Macbeth, Mr. Wm. Bow-
man, Mr. James Cowan, Mr. Fred Hen-
ry and Mr. J. H. Griffith, secretary-
treasurer.

It was pointed out that in event of
the purchase of the property the direc-
tors might be given three months' no-
tice to move the school. The possibility
of getting a room in the new Free Li-
brary building was discussed, and the
total cost of the school, the president
was appointed to look into the mat-
ter and report at a meeting to be
held shortly.

The financial standing was next con-
sidered. "We need \$200 to close up this
year's business," said the president.

"What are we going to do for next
year?" asked Mr. Henry.

"I don't know, I am sure," answered
Mr. Leonard; "we will have to go back
to the old system, I guess; i. e., Mr.
Griffith to take the fees from the pupils
as his salary."

"That will be satisfactory to me,"
said Mr. Griffith. "Of course, the board
will carry out the present agreement
until the end of the current year."

This was thought to be the best plan,
and the directors adjourned to meet on
May 7, when they will know who they
will have to deal with about rent, as
the institute will be sold on May 3.

WHERE IT GOES TO.

Statement Showing Just How the
Taxpayers' Money Is Spent,

And How Little It Can Really be
Called Controllable.

To the average ratepayer who thinks
that the council has all the say concern-
ing the amount of tax rate the follow-
ing figures will be of more than passing
interest. They show just how the tax-
payers' money is expended, and, fur-
ther than that, just how little the alder-
men have to vote on in striking
the rate. It will be seen that prac-
tically speaking, only \$43,941, or less
than three mills on the assessment, is
absolutely controllable. And when
there are necessary appliances, etc., to
be purchased, that have been stored off
by previous councils, it makes the mar-
gin even smaller.

MEMORANDA RE RATES OF 1895-20 940

MILLS ON THE DOLLAR.

Debt charges, \$119,253 72, (wards 1 to

5,840 mills and No. 6

26-40 mills), \$122,652 65

Schools, pub., \$65,573 29

Schools, R. C., 4,715 00

\$70,588 29 (47-10 mills) 71,337 70

L. C. Institute, 21,949 00 (15-10 mills) 22,773 50

Total receipts outside of general rates,

\$96,237 35 which is equal to about

6 mills net; rate for purposes other

than above, 61-10 mills net—making

(approximately) 12-10 mills

Actual General Rates, \$188,706 00

At 10 mills, \$188,706 00

Receipts, \$188,946 23

Total, \$188,946 23

Administration—

Administration of justice, \$7,100 00

Police, 27,932 00

Electricity, 530 00

Insurance, 700 00

Police Society, 500 00

Hospital, 7,500 00

Board of Health, 2,000 00

Free Library, 2,500 00

\$48,672 00

Controllable—

Law, \$13 00

Printing, 200 00

Refunds, 200 00

Incidentals, 3,000 38

Salaries, 16,000 00

Requests, 100 00

Debt service ex-

cess, 100 00

\$26,709 38

Streets and

Cleaning, \$31,400 00

City Hall and

town hall, 1,750 00

City Hall (spe-

cial), 3,000 00

Exhibition

buildings, 1,700 00

Parks, 2,700 00

Brigades, 1,000 00

Sewer and cul-

verts, 2,900 00

Registries, 574 00

Camp and

pounds, 150 00

Road roller, 5,200 00

Concessions, 500 00

\$48,874 00

Markets, \$975 00

Street watering, 5,250 00

Street lighting, 23,500 00

Fire depart-

ment, 15,120 00

Fire truck, 3,500 00

Fire hall, 1,000 00

Relief, 6,000 00

\$55,820 00

\$131,433 38 \$180,125 38

ment, 8,875 00 8,875 00

The above statement shows that the

total controllable expenditure (deduct-

ing \$48,872 which is uncontrollable as

far as the city council is concerned) is

\$140,254, or a little over nine mills. If

the receipts from various sources be

credited against this item, it will be re-

duced to \$43,941

People's Popular Columns.

Advertiser Ads Pay the Best.

A TRIAL WILL CONVINCE YOU.

If you want to hire, sell or rent anything, try a small ad. Rates under every heading. Office open evenings until 9 o'clock. Ads after that hour should be handed into Editorial Department (side entrance) for early morning edition.

Amusements and Lectures

(Advertisements under this heading one cent a word each insertion.)

MEMORIAL CHURCH MINISTERS
Children's League hold their annual sale at the schoolroom, at 5:30, with bright programme by children at 7:30. Admission 10c. All invited.

CHARMING MUSICAL CANTATA—"OLD Woman Who Lived in a Shoe." Repeated by special arrangement, Friday, April 26, 8:15. Institute Hall, 5 p.m. sharp. Child on 10 cents.

MISS EVELYN DELATRE (violinist)—London Choral Society's concert.

MRS. MACLELLAN (CONTRALTO), Mr. Fred Jenkins, of Cleveland (tenor), Mr. W. C. Furness (bass), London Choral Society's concert.

LONDON CHORAL SOCIETY SING SIX stirring operatic choruses, concert, City Hall, Tuesday, April 23, tickets 50 cents. Seats reserved Williams' music rooms on and after Thursday, 18th.

MR. FRED JENKINS, AMERICA'S leading oratorio tenor, will sing three numbers at Choral concert, April 23, 8:15.

THE SULPHUR BATHS, FOOT OF DUNDAS street, will be open Saturday, April 27, under the general supervision of the undersigned, with hot and cold water. The general public are assured of receiving the best attention. There is no better mineral water for bathing in Canada. Telephone No. 707. J. MILNE, Prop.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY, The recognized leading school of Western Ontario. Special half-term for children commences Saturday afternoon, April 6, at 3 o'clock. This term includes the children's closing reception, May 11. Other classes as follows: Beginner's class, Monday evenings; ladies, Tuesday evenings, at 8 o'clock; ladies and children Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Advance notice, ladies and gentlemen, Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. Private tuition any hour not occupied with classes. DAYTON & COMPANY, members of N. Y. M. of D. Academy, 418 Richmond street, residence, 21 Oxford street.

Religious Services.

(Advertisements under this heading one cent a word each insertion.)

TODAY, AT 2 P.M.—BIBLE READING in Somerset Hall by Mrs. Barney. At 8 o'clock meeting in St. Andrew's Church. Be sure and hear her.

Meetings.

(Advertisements under this heading one cent a word each insertion.)

MUSICAL SOCIETY BAND PRACTICE at Opera House, Thursday, 25th, 8 p.m. All members requested to attend. C. R. TUBSON, Secretary.

BOARD OF TRADE—THE ANNUAL general meeting of the London Board of Trade will be held in their rooms on Friday, April 25, at 8 p.m. Annual statement, election of officers and other important business. Visitors cordially invited. R. H. JOHNSTON, N. G. THOS. D. HASTINGS, P. G. Secretary.

MASONIC—REGULAR CONVOCATION St. John's R. A. Chapter, this evening (Wednesday) at 7:30 (not 8:30). General business and Mark degree. H. STRATFORD, Z. JOHN SIDDONS, S. E.

LONDON COUNCIL, NO. 23, ROYAL Arcade, will meet this (Wednesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock, in Duffield Block.

Domestic Help Wanted.

(One time, 15c.; three times, 30c., for 15 words.)

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant, to whom liberal wages will be paid. Apply at 270 Central avenue, city.

FIRST-CLASS COOK WANTED BEFORE May 1; no washing; references required. Apply 245 Dufferin avenue.

WANTED—GIRL TO DO GENERAL housework in family of three. Apply to Mrs. SIMA, 74 Waterloo street.

WANTED AT ONCE—KITCHEN GIRL who also can do laundry. Apply to Mr. HARRY WATSON, Proprietor, King street.

HOUSEMAID WANTED—APPLY CITY hospital.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED NURSE girl; references required. Apply 429 King street.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant; no washing. Apply 136 Kent street.

GIRLS, COME TO THE CITY IF YOU want situations as cooks, dining-room, housemaids, chambermaids in hotels, restaurants and general servants wanted and furnished on short notice. Dwyer's Intelligence Office, 391 Richmond street. Phone 1121.

NOTICE TO THE GIRLS—IF YOU WISH a situation in private home or hotel, call at OSBORN'S Intelligence Office, 56 Dundas street.

Male Help Wanted.

(One time, 15c.; three times, 30c., for 15 words.)

STRONG, ACTIVE BOY WANTED—Chapman's Book Bindery.

WRITERS WANTED TO DO COPYING at home. Law College, Lima, Ohio. Mention Advertiser.

AGENTS WANTED—\$50 PER WEEK—Apply to GEO. MARSHALL & CO., Tea Importers, 288 Dundas Street.

Female Help Wanted.

(One time, 15c.; three times, 30c., for 15 words.)

WANTED AT ONCE—FIRST-CLASS vest maker. Apply SLATER BROS., 389 Richmond street.

Agents Wanted.

(One time, 15c.; three times, 30c., for 15 words.)

WANTED—AGENTS TO SOLICIT business for the Home Life Association of Canada. Good remuneration. Apply L. W. BUNKE, superintendent, 380 Spencer Block.

Situations Wanted.

(One time, 15c.; three times, 30c., for 15 words.)

SITUATION WANTED—BY A YOUNG man accustomed to drygoods. Good references can be given. Address H. D. M., this office.

Business Chances.

(Advertisements under this heading one cent a word each insertion.)

TO LET—GOOD NEW HOTEL BARBER shop and furniture to let cheap. Barber located in town. Barber must be well experienced (white). Apply at once to A. A. BEAUPRE, Courtwright, Ont.

FOR SALE—STOCK OF GROCERIES—Situations in good locality; good opening for cash business. Box 93, this office.

Houses, Etc., To Let.

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TO LET—HOUSE—136 KENT STREET—Ten rooms; modern conveniences. Apply GEORGE C. GUNN, barrister.

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OVER 102 YEARS OLD.

FREDERICKTON, N. B., April 23.—Capt. Barker died today, aged 102 years and 6 months.

SEVEN MEN BURNED TO DEATH. AMHERST, Wis., April 23.—Word has just been received here that seven men in the town of Wildross, Waushara county, have been burned to death. Their bodies were found in the flames. The men had been carrying Sunday with a number of kegs of beer. Their names are unknown.

A SPECIAL PRISON CAR.

FORT SMITH, Ark., April 23.—This afternoon Bill Cook began his journey to Albany, N. Y., where he will serve five years in the penitentiary. The special prison car in which he travels is lined with sheet iron and the windows are heavily barred. In the special coach are nineteen other prisoners destined for the penitentiary at Albany.

THE FEELING IN NEWFOUNDLAND.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., April 23.—The steamer Grand Lake which sailed from here today took 300 immigrants to the United States. The feeling against confederation is growing. The Government delegates are reported to be apprehensive of defeat if the question should be submitted to the people. The Legislature will meet on Thursday, when the terms will be submitted. The general belief is that the question will be settled without reference to the electorate.

"Her Face Was Her Fortune."

This has been truly said of many women. Yet no face can long retain its beauty unless health is behind it. Woman is subject to so many distressing complaints that health and beauty often prematurely impaired or lost. Fortunately it is that she has at hand so valuable a friend as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Multitudes of women throughout the land can personally testify that it affords the only positive cure for the dire legion of "female weaknesses." Suffer and fade away no longer, when this remedy will bring you sure relief. It is the great restorer of health, and therefore the best possible restorer of beauty. All druggists.

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A MUSICAL FEAST.

Splendid Success of the London Choral Society's Concert.

Clever and Classical Performance Enjoyed by a Large and Critical Assemblage.

The London Choral Society last evening gave the best concert that has been given in the city for a long time, and the City Hall was crowded. Conductor Roselle Pococke has evidently been making good use of his time, and deserves to be richly congratulated and rewarded. Speaking first of the society's work, it was good, and opened with the pretty choral song "Lohengrin," which they sang very nicely; but if we may choose, the stirring sea song of the vikings went splendidly, and called forth a rousing encore. Next for choice came the beautiful "Vaie of Rest" of Mendelssohn; but all was good, both in intonation, precision and light and shade. Mr. Fred Jenkins, who has been heard here before when he resided in Hamilton previous to removing to Cleveland several years ago, appeared, and made a great impression. His first number was Stephen Adams' "Star of Bethlehem," which he sang with great expression, and, being recalled, gave "My Sweetheart When a Boy." But it was in the great aria from Handel's oratorio, "Samson," "Why Does the God of Israel Sleep," that Mr. Jenkins displayed his great powers as an oratorio singer, his fine voice and great declamatory power gave such a rendition of this masterpiece as has not been heard in London for a long time, and the difficult runs were executed with a clearness that won admiration. Being recalled he responded with the pathetic air from the same oratorio, "Total Eclipse," and again displayed his great ability in another style. The sensation we use the word advisedly—was Miss Evelyn DeLatre Street, daughter of Judge Street, late of this city, whose playing amazed every one. The young lady has a great future—her purity of tone and technique developed more and more as she proceeded, and one did not know which to admire most, the way she overcame the difficulties of the opening movement of Ernst's glorious composition or the pure breadth of tone of the second. In response to a most pronounced recall, she played a charming little number, "L'Abelle," by Schumann. At her later reappearance she played most exquisitely a polonaise by Wieniawski—and in being recalled gave in a chaste manner a beautiful piano-simo berceuse, by Simon. London will be anxious to hear its charming and talented citizen again at an early date. Mrs. Macklecan was in particularly fine voice, and more than pleased her many London admirers. She gave us "Lucy Gray," by Blumenthal, and secondly, "The Carnival," by Molloy, and was enthusiastically recalled both times. In answer to the first she sang a very pretty, plaintive little song, which was greatly admired. Mr. Furness appeared twice, and displayed his old-time good voice and vigorous style in "The Tilt Death," by Mr. Fred L. Evans presided at the piano, and the mention of that gentleman's name means that considerably more than satisfaction was given—in fact, perfection. Mr. Pococke and the committee of the society are to be highly congratulated on their great artistic success, and also on the crowded house. It is to be hoped that they may be encouraged to further good work and meet with equal success.

Following is the programme: Bridal chorus—Faithful and True (Lohengrin).....Wagner London Choral Society. Solo—Star of Bethlehem.....Adams Mr. Fred Jenkins. Violin solo—Fantasia "Rock".....Sitt Miss Evelyn DeLatre Street. Song—Lucy Gray.....Blumenthal Mrs. W. C. Furness. Song—(a) The Tilt Death.....Scott Gatty (b) The Monk.....Eugene Cowies Mr. W. C. Furness. Chorus—The Song of the Vikings.....Fanning London Choral Society. Violin solo—Hungarian Airs.....Ernst Miss Evelyn DeLatre Street. Aria—Why Does the God of Israel Sleep? (Samson).....Handel Mr. Fred Jenkins. Song—The Carnival.....Molloy Mrs. Frank Macklecan. Chorus—(a) O Rose so Sweet.....Hermes (b) Vaie of Rest.....Mendelssohn London Choral Society. Song—(a) Three Fishers.....Hullish Mr. W. C. Furness. (b) Simon, the Cellarer.....Hullish Mr. W. C. Furness. Violin solo—Polonaise Op. 4.....Wieniawski Miss Evelyn DeLatre Street. Duet—Dews of the Summer Night.....Dudley Buck Mrs. Frank Macklecan. Chorus—(a) The Nightingale.....Mendelssohn (b) The Merry World is Free.....Pinsuti London Choral Society.

SMOKE AND FLAME.

Terribly Disastrous Fire in a New Brunswick Village.

ST. JOHN'S, N. B., April 23.—The worst fire ever seen in this vicinity occurred at Victoria Corner at noon. The fire caught in a barn by a spark from a flue. A fierce wind was raging and the flames in a minute were beyond control. A number of buildings were burned, and the flames spread through the wood for two miles. Panic reigned as the fire was sweeping everything before it. Loss on buildings will amount to about \$10,000.

AURORA, Ont., April 23.—Fire broke out in W. X. Andrew's store last evening about 6:30, caused by some light wires. Fortunately, the fire was discovered before making scarcely any headway, and only slight damage was done.

GEORGETOWN JUNCTION, Ont., April 23.—About midnight last the fine new residence of C. H. Murray, sixth line of Esquimaux, was totally destroyed by fire. The family barely escaped with their lives. Loss, \$3,000; no insurance.

DISORGANIZED MILITIAMEN.

WINDSOR, Ont., April 23.—A few members of No. 4 company, Twenty-first Battalion Essex Fusiliers, met at Walkerville tonight to consider the question of changing their company's headquarters from Amherstburg to Walkerville. The company have become practically disorganized, and it was decided to meet tomorrow evening to decide on a new body of men will have to be enlisted, and nothing but the name will remain of the Amherstburg company except a few men who hold together with D. J. Siskel as their captain. It is hoped that a city battalion will be formed. Windsor has already two companies, and with one at Walkerville and one at Sandwich it can be done. This would save the men going to camp.

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The most happy man is he who knows how to bring into relation the end and the beginning of his life.

With a population of hardly two and a half millions, Greece has a debt of \$164,000,000, or about \$75 per capita.

WORK AND WAGES.

Baltimore's Baseball Club To Be Boycotted.

New York Tailors on Strike—Thousands of Operators Involved.

BALTIMORE, Md., April 23.—The Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners have decided to wage war upon the Baltimore Baseball Club, and from now until the trouble is settled all union men affiliated with the Federation of Labor are requested by the carpenters to taboo the champions. The trouble grew out of the construction of the new grand stand. The contractor employed some non-union carpenters, although paying union wages. It was decided last night to push the boycott in every city where the Baltimore team appears.

NEW YORK, April 23.—Two thousand tailors on the East Side went on strike today. The strike was declared by the Tailors' Progressive Union. Some thousand women, girls and boys, whose work depends on the tailors, have also been thrown out of employment. The strike is conducted in an orderly manner. The tailors on strike are those who produce the highest grade work on ready made clothing. Up to the present time they have received \$1 for making a coat. A good workman, it is said, can do this work in six hours. The tailors, after the strike of last September, signed an agreement consenting to work for that price, the agreement to last till May. The employers now want to extend this agreement for another year, but the tailors want an increase of 10 per cent on sack coats and 15 per cent on overcoats, and a letter requesting this change was sent by them to the contractors a week ago. The employers, however, declined to pay the extra 10 of 15 per cent.

NEWCASTLE, Pa., April 23.—One thousand workmen struck today, and every furnace in Newcastle is idle tonight. The men asked that the old wages of 1892 be restored.

A FATHER'S STORY.

Tells How Two Daughters Regained Health and Strength.

One Was Declared by Physicians To Be in Consumption, and Her Early Death Feared—The Other Also Showed Symptoms of Going Into a Decline—Both Again Enjoy Perfect Health.

(From the Prescott Journal.)

On a beautiful farm in the township of Oxford, seven miles from Kemptonville, resides Mr. George Pettipiece and family. A correspondent of the Journal met Mr. Pettipiece in a drug store inquiring for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. He made the remark to the proprietor that he had such faith in them that he never allowed his house to be without them. This led our correspondent to ask why he praised them so highly, when Mr. Pettipiece told the following wonderful story: He said that his daughter, Miss Margaret, aged 20 years, owed her life to Pink Pills. About two years ago she was taken ill with a severe cold, which terminated in a dry, hacking cough, and from that time she began to decline. She gradually grew weaker and weaker until she had to take to her bed. She was under medical care, but did not in the least improve, and we made up our minds that consumption had fastened upon her, and that her life was but a question of a few months at the most. We read much in the papers concerning Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and thought that perhaps they might benefit her, as all else seemed to fail. After taking the pills for a while a change for the better was noticeable, much to our joy and satisfaction. This encouraged her to continue to take the Pink Pills for several months. By the end of this time she was fully restored, and there is not now a healthier girl in the township. About the time she began taking the Pink Pills her eldest sister also began to grow pale and sickly, and showing the same signs of decline. She also used the Pink Pills with the same beneficial results. "I believe," said Mr. Pettipiece, "that but for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills one or both would be in the grave, and you can therefore understand why I am so enthusiastic about this medicine, and why I always keep Pink Pills in the house. You can print this if you wish, and you can say, too, that it but faintly conveys the feeling of gratitude I have for what this medicine has done for me and mine."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are for sale by all druggists, or may be had by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont., for 50 cents per box, or six boxes for \$2.50.

COUNTED IN.

Now McGreevy is Declared Elected in Quebec West.

QUEBEC, April 23.—Hon. Mr. McGreevy is declared elected by Judge Andrews on a recount of ballots in the Quebec West election by 7 majority. Judge Andrews, on revising the ballots which had been rejected by the deputy returning officer, granted Mr. McGreevy 14 and Mr. Dobell 1, thus turning Mr. Dobell's majority of 7 into a minority of the same figure.

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CURIOSITIES OF THE CUSTOMS.

(Compiled by Our Special Representative at Ottawa.)

That the coal duty imposed by the

present Dominion Government is a

sectional tax, bearing especially heavy

upon Ontario consumers, is proved by

the official returns of taxation for last

year. Let us give a statement of the

total quantities imported and the tax

collected:

	Tons.	Value.	Tax.
Coal, bitumi-			
nous.....	1,359,509	\$315,094	\$15,708 03
Coal coke, to			
March 28.....	36,462	151,241	18,231 58
Coal dust, n.			
e. s.	117,573	49,510	9,902 28

Of the total tax of \$340,000 odd dol-

lars, Ontario pays almost \$300,000, as

will be seen from the statement of the

tax paid by the Province on these ar-

ticles given below:

Tax on coal.....	\$773,317 00
Tax on coke.....	15,573 58
Tax on dust.....	8,829 53

We observe that the Grand Trunk

directors hope that before another

year is past the tax on coal, which

takes from the railway a very large

sum annually, and handicaps it in

competing for traffic with United

States lines, which pay no coal tax,

will be abolished, or materially re-

duced. From all we can learn, there

will be no change in this tax till we

get a new Government. As it is likely

to be provided by the electors before

1895 expires, the G. T. R. railway men

may not be far astray in their pro-

gnostications.

The sewing machine industry of

Canada is steadily declining. Once

many thousands of sewing machines

were manufactured in Canada and ex-

ported to all parts of the world; but

that was away back in the sixties and

seventies. Last year only 755 sewing

machines, valued at \$17,504, were ex-

ported, against 902, valued at \$21,537,

sent out in 1893.

"Ice" is now put in the tables of the

Dominion trade returns as a "manu-

factured" article when it is exported.

We suppose "John Frost" is given

credit for being the manufacturer!

The total amount of customs taxes

collected in the last year was \$485,-

698 77. London pays more money in

Dominion customs taxes than any other

city in Ontario, except Toronto and

Hamilton.

Last year Canada bought 45,408 sheep

from the United States, valued at \$81,-

400, and sold to the United States 55,-

725 sheep, valued at \$156,017. British

Columbia imported nearly all the sheep

brought into Canada; Ontario and

Quebec sold nearly all the sheep sent

to the United States. Both exchanges

paid the respective parties to them.

Last year bicycles and tricycles to the

value of \$333,473 were imported into

Canada. A tax of \$100,040 41 was col-

lected on them.

China and Japan are beginning to

send us eggs, just as Australia and New

Zealand look to Canada as a new mar-

ket for their mutton and butter under

the subsidy system zealously promoted

by Sir Mackenzie Bowell.

Last year Canadian consumers im-

ported \$20,375 worth of coal oil from

the United States and paid on it a tax

of \$66,163 71, or considerably over 100

per cent. Of this oil, \$128,886 worth was

imported by Ontario, and the consumers

paid \$167,771 57 duty on it. It is

rather significant that on illuminating

oils of a fancy character costing more

than 30 cents a gallon, the tax collected

is less than one-fourth the duty col-

lected on the common brand in common

use. On \$96,693 worth of lubricating

oils, composed wholly or in part of pe-

troleum, a tax of \$37,333 44 was col-

lected.

Last year \$33,394 worth of goods were

imported for the use of the Governor-

General. They were brought in free of

taxation. Who would not be a govern-

or-general?

An odd import last year was that of

unleavened bread for the use of the Jew-

ish population. Of this article \$2,137

worth was brought in.

Last year Canada found a market in

Great Britain for,

Phosphates,	Horses,
Codfish, dry salted,	Cattle,
Mackerel, canned,	Swine,
Herring, pickled,	Sheep,
Herring, smoked,	Poultry,
Butter,	Butter,
Salmon, canned,	Cheese,
Salmon, fresh,	Eggs,
Salmon, canned,	Furs,
Salmon, pickled,	Seeds, clover and
Fish oil,	grass,
Furs or skins of Ma-	hair,
rine animals,	Honey,
Ashe,	Lard,
Timber,	

House and Lobby

Mr. McCarthy Talks—A Tiff With Oulmet—
Prohibition Question to Come Up—The Sus-
picious Hudson Bay Railway Deal—Fun in
the Forum.

(Specially Telegraphed by Our Own Representative.)

OTTAWA, April 23.—Renewed inter-
est was given to the debate on the ad-
dress today when it was known that
D'Alton McCarthy would speak. He
was preceded by Mr. McMullen (Wel-
lington), that sturdy advocate of econ-
omy in public affairs, who has earned
the ill-will of the boodling fraternity
throughout the Dominion. Mr. McMul-
len asserted that the country has had
fifteen years of political profligacy, and
that the scandalous disregard of the
public interests and incidental taxa-
tion have largely caused the hard times
and the incidental deficit. He warned
the Finance Minister that he must not
ask the House to vote large sums of
money to more than questionable en-
terprises like the Tay Canal, the Cara-
quette Railway, or the \$2,000 lately
given each year to Sir C. H. Tupper
to buy wines for old world nabobs.
Large sums might be saved to the tax-
payers if the Government really would
go to work in earnest, but if it did not
it might expect the strongest of oppo-
sition. He condemned the Government
for promoting the importation of farm
products, and stirred up Mr. Foster
by stating that an enormous sum had
been spent on a prohibition commission
which was appointed to shelve the ques-
tion and let Mr. Foster out of his for-
mer pledges to deal with it. Mr. Fos-
ter rode the prohibition horse till he
got a fat office, said Mr. McMullen;
since then he has never once saddled
the animal; instead of that, he has been
a party to the French treaty, the spe-
cial object of which is to provide for
the importation of cheap wines into
Canada. Mr. McMullen pointed out
that the interest on the public debt is
now upwards of \$3,000,000, and said
the Ministry was a Cabinet of infants
unable to properly manage Canadian
affairs in the present crisis.

Mr. McCarthy, who spoke from his
seat on the Conservative side, com-
plained of the flagrant disregard of
public interest evidenced by the late
calling of Parliament for business.
Never in twenty years, except in years
when elections had been held, had the
House been called at so late a date.
Without regard to policy, his wholly
unjustifiable and unwarranted conduct
should be condemned. Taking up the
Manitoba school dispute, Mr. McCarthy
remarked on the differences in the ex-
planation of the meaning of the remedial
order sent to Manitoba that had been
given in the House and out of it. In
Haldimand it was said to be simply
a mandate from the Privy Council
passed on at Manitoba. In Haldimand,
in the House, speaking for the Gov-
ernment, said all that was proposed
was to har- over the case to Manitoba.
Mr. Laurier had said it was simply
an invitation to Manitoba to deal with
the question. Mr. Foster had said it
was simply a statement of the law and
a request that Manitoba deal with it.
Sir C. H. Tupper had denied that the
order was dictatorial. Mr. McCarthy, on
his part, asserted that the Privy Coun-
cil judgment was not a decree, but an
opinion, upon which Parliament was
not bound to act. The remedial or-
der issued by the Ottawa Government
was a decision. The Government had
voluntarily assumed judicial functions,
but issued its decree, compelling Mani-
toba to set up separate schools, not
conducted efficiently as we have seen
in Ontario, but as in existence prior
to 1890, or to altogether reject the order.
No half-way measure is possible to
them. This would be a calamity to
Manitoba, if agreed to, as under the
old system the schools were most in-
efficient. A large number of the in-
habitants were growing up in igno-
rance, and there was no proper man-
agement of them. That is the system
that Manitoba is ordered to re-estab-
lish, and which the Ottawa Government
has pledged itself to re-establish if
Manitoba does not. Mr. McCarthy de-
fended the Government. He said that
right, as a citizen, to go to Haldimand
and state the facts as they exist. Mr.
Sifton was a Minister of another pro-
vince; so was Mr. Pelletier, who took
part in the Vercheres election.

"Mr. Sifton," interrupted Mr. Foster,
"had to give a decision."
"He did not pose as a judge," re-
torted Mr. McCarthy, "and when he
reached a conclusion he had a right to
state it anywhere. If Mr. Sifton did
wrong, what shall be said of Mr. Oul-
met, who, while posing as a judge, and
before he had given his decision, went
to St. Hyacinthe and declared that if
his fellow-Ministers did not come to
his view of the case he would resign?"
Mr. Oulmet, very uneasy now, said
Mr. McCarthy should give his exact
words.
Mr. McCarthy said he had not the
report with him, but he had given the
report.
"What did you say?" queried Mr.
Choquette, amid applause, but Mr. Oul-
met sat like a sphinx.
"Mr. Foster says Mr. Sifton was
guilty of an outrage. In view of the
facts he should withdraw that word,"
said Mr. McCarthy. But Mr. Foster
followed Mr. Oulmet's example. It was
a hot five minutes and the members
enjoyed it.

Mr. Costigan followed, declaring that
the Manitoba school issue was one of
Protestant vs. Catholic schools, and
asserting that it was purely a matter
of observing or breaking the constitu-
tion. He hoped Manitoba would deal
with the matter in a fitting spirit. He
denied that the Catholics raised this
question, and maintained that at Con-

federation separate schools were in-
sisted upon by Protestant representa-
tives, and chiefly for the benefit of the
Quebec minority. He charged those
opposed to his views with being dema-
gogues and stirrers of strife. Where-
upon Mr. Bain (Westworth) remarked,
"That's rough on Clarke Wallace."

After the hilarity over this remark
ceased Mr. Costigan concluded: "It is
the duty of every one to try to solve
this question in a broad, tolerant spirit,
whether we be Roman Catholics, Pres-
byterians or Protestants."
This break caused much laughter on
both sides. The address was then
agreed to. It is the intention to take
up the estimates on Thursday. The
House adjourned shortly before 6 p.m.
to enable the members to celebrate St.
George's Day.

The secret deal with the Hudson Bay
Railway speculators will be investi-
gated, apparently much against the
will of the Ministers, today. On the
motion for adjournment, Mr. Laurier
asked for particulars of the order-in-
Council giving new terms to the specu-
lators. Mr. Foster whispered to Mr.
Haggart, Minister of Railways, and
said he could hardly say just then.
"Has money been paid?" asked Mr.
Laurier. Mr. Foster replied "No," and
promised an early explanation of the
order. "That will not do," said Hon.
David Mills. "The House is entitled
to more than an explanation. It is its
right to see the order-in-Council." The
end is not yet.

Mr. McLean (York) today explained
his bill affecting railway employees. The
measure provides that every railway
company must by 1900 provide every
train with automatic brakes, and that
each car shall be provided with cou-
plers which will not necessitate brake-
men going between the cars. Engineers
will also be required to serve five years
as firemen and conductors five years
as brakemen.

Dr. Montague was introduced to the
House today, on his re-election in
Haldimand, by Mr. Patterson and Dr.
Roome. The new Minister took his
seat amid the applause of his friends.

Mr. Patterson seems no longer to
defend himself as member for West
Huron. He has been in the lobbies for
some days, but he only remained in
the House a few minutes, and it is said
he will soon go on a long visit to the
United States, and afterwards become
Lieut.-Governor of Manitoba. Thus
West Huron is practically disfranchised
until a general election takes place.

The attempt of the Administration to
curtail the cattle space on ocean
steamers was again brought up by Mr.
Laurier. He was ably backed by Mr.
Featherston. Mr. Costigan protested
that the Liberal leader was over-sol-
licitous. Since last night the Govern-
ment had given in to the views of the
cattle shippers. Mr. Mulock strongly
condemned the Government for de-
serving to make an arbitrary change
on the representation of the steamboat
men, causing the cattle men much
trouble and expense to secure a re-
versal of a regulation agreed to as
fair some years ago.

When Mr. Costigan made a passing
reference to Mr. Bourassa, the Liberal
member for St. John, Que., today, there
was loud applause on the Liberal side.
Mr. Bourassa is the father of the
House, having represented the same
constituency in the Parliament of Can-
ada for 41 years.

The Liberal leader and other mem-
bers were white roses in honor of St.
George's Day today.

Harold Jarvis and Miss Dunlop (Ham-
ilton) were the chief performers at the
concert tonight.

Among the new arrivals today are:
Mr. McGregor (North Essex) and Mr.
Fisher (West Lambton). They bring
news of Liberal prospects in the west.

Mr. Moncrieff, member for East
Lambton, arrived today.

Fred Glackmeyer, sergeant-at-arms
of the Ontario Legislature, was in the
House of Commons today for the first
time in 27 years.

Ottawa's Young Liberal Club have
asked Sir Richard Cartwright to ad-
dress them on an early day.

On Thursday next Mr. Flint (Yar-
mouth, N. S.) will move that in the
opinion of this House the sale and
manufacture of intoxicating liquors in
Canada, except for sacramental, manu-
facturing and medicinal purposes,
should be prohibited by law.

This afternoon Lieut.-Col. Scott,
Mayor Toimle and Ald. Moffat, of Kin-
caridine, had an interview with Mr.
Oulmet, Minister of Public Works, re-
garding the harbor of that place. An
election approach.

A "SAWBONES" MAY BE A SOVER-
EIGN.

READING, Pa., April 23.—The son of
a former president of Reading and Phila-
delphia is claimant to the disputed
throne of Lippe-Deimold, in Germany.
The claimant is William, the surviving
son of Dr. Adolphe Lippe, who was the
first homeopathic physician in Read-
ing, Pa., 45 years ago. William Lippe
is now fighting his claim to the title
of Count of Lippe-Deimold, which
should be succeeded, would place him di-
rectly in the line of succession to the
throne of Lippe-Deimold. Dr. Lippe's
father was the Count of Westerfeldt.

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BASEBALL.

NATIONAL LEAGUE—MONDAY'S GAMES.

At New York—	R. H. E.
Brooklyn.....	10 17 5
New York.....	10 17 5
Batteries—Kennedy and Daley; German and Schriver. Umpires—Meekin and Mulvey.	
At Baltimore—	
Baltimore.....	16 17 6
Philadelphia.....	16 18 4
Batteries—Vehring, Smith, Clements and Buckley; Esper, Gleason and Robinson. Umpires—Murray and Campbell.	
At Washington—	
Washington.....	4 5 2
Batteries—Mann and McGuire; Wilson and Warner. Umpire—Keefe.	
At Cincinnati—	
Cincinnati.....	6 10 5
Pittsburgh.....	3 6 3
Batteries—Hawley and Sugden; Parrott and Merritt. Umpire—Egan.	
At Louisville—	
Louisville.....	18 23 7
Chicago.....	14 15 7
Batteries—Luby and Cole; Griffith and Kirtland. Umpire—McDonald.	
At St. Louis—	
St. Louis.....	11 15 5
Batteries—Cuppy and Zimmer; Ehret and Peitz. Umpire—Betts.	

CLOSE GAME.
LANCASTER, Pa., April 23.—The Lancaster State League team and the Syracuse team of the Eastern League played a close game here this afternoon. Lancaster..... 4 7 1
Syracuse..... 3 8 4

TORONTO AT NEWARK.
NEWARK, N. J., April 23.—Hard hitting by both teams and sharp fielding by local players were the features of the game of baseball between the Toronto and the Newark in this city today. When the visitors went in for their half of the sixth inning, with the score 17 to 9 against them, it looked as though they were hopelessly beaten, but by hard batting they scored seven runs, and followed this up in the ninth inning with four more, thereby tying their opponents, who had in the meantime made three runs. The game was called on account of the darkness.

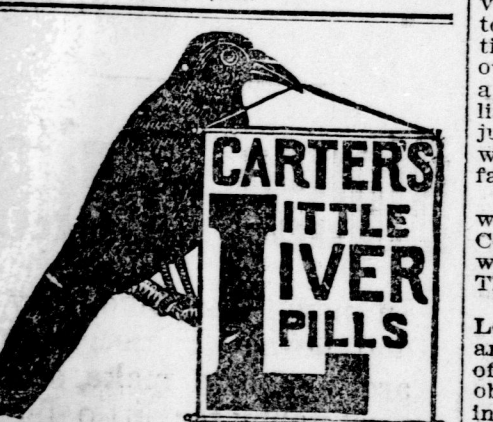
SCORES.
Newark..... 20 22 1
Toronto..... 20 26 8
Batteries—Battin, Mills and Bradley; Gray, Southard, Snow and Bradley. Umpire—McCue.

THE WHEEL.
IN CLASS "A."
The racing board of the Canadian Wheelmen's Association has decided that the following London cyclists belong to class "A" this year: W. Brock, W. Carson, B. W. Glover, F. H. Hyde, A. E. Little, F. Moorehead, F. McCormick, W. E. Sherbrooke, F. Sweeney, C. Tambling, C. Mannville, J. F. White, C. H. White, Mr. F. F. Radway is given a class "B" standing.

SPOKES.
The Toronto Board of Trade Bicycle Club has increased its order of machines from the Brantford firm from 20 to 45.
Some say, "Buy bicycles at a coal office." Others say "To buy at other places, where all kinds of merchandise are sold"; but if you will consult your own interest you will buy them where you can buy the Blson. It is the favorite with all who have seen it.

TURF.
LONDON, April 23.—The other starters were Sir J. Thurstur's Paddy, 6 years; Mr. J. Durward's Medici, 5 years; Mr. J. G. Menzies's Lady Merry, 3 years; Mr. Gottschalk's Cyrena, 5 years; Lord Dunraven's Ha-Ha, 5 years; and Mr. T. Jennings' (jun.) Sacristy, 4 years. The leaders won their places easily. Cornbury was three lengths in advance and Barbary a bad third. Time, 4:12 3-5.

THE OAR.
COLLEGIANS "SHELL OUT."
ITHACA, N. Y., April 23.—At noon today the senior class of Cornell voted as a class memorial to give a shell to the Cornell crew for the Henley regatta, at a cost of \$600.



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THE TWENTY-EIGHTH.

St. George's Anniversary Celebrated by a Banquet.

Good Speeches—The Toast List—English, Scotch and Irish Mingled Together.

The 28th anniversary of St. George's Society was celebrated last night as many a previous anniversary has been—with a big banquet and a good time. The jubilee was held in the Tecumseh House, and lasted until after midnight, when about 150 stalwart sons of St. George, St. Andrew and St. Patrick parted after spending a most delightful evening together. The gathering numbered fully 150, and while there was a large majority of the sons of St. George, yet St. Patrick and St. Andrew were well represented. The speeches were of the usual patriotic nature and very good. The band of the Seventy Fusiliers was present, and throughout the evening rendered excellent music. The president, Mr. G. N. Sayers, sat at the head of the table. On his right sat Mr. R. K. Cowan, president of St. Andrew's Society; Mr. J. L. Fitzgerald, first vice-president, Irish Benevolent Society; Mr. W. H. Jacks, United States consul. On his left were Dean Innes, Mr. J. B. Cox, secretary St. George's; Justice Rose, Mr. W. H. Bartum, Mr. Major Beattie, Lieut.-Col. Lindsay, Ald. Wm. Skinner, Ald. Ed. Weld, Mr. B. J. Nash, Mr. R. M. C. Footitt, Ald. Pritchard. Others around the tables were Mr. Charles Webb (90 years of age), Chief of Police Williams, Messrs. Dan B. Dewar, Jerry McDonald, John Pocock, W. A. Lipsey, John R. Minnick, Wm. Hayman, Thomas LeSelleur, Oliver B. Leslie (secretary of St. Andrew's Society), Bert Scream, Fred Temple, Wm. Billings, H. C. Simpson, Joseph Graham, P. H. Bartlett, Wm. Skinner, Harry T. Smith, W. L. Gill (second vice-president of St. George's), Galpin, A. A. Booker, S. H. Craig, Wm. Howie, John Sussex (first vice-president of St. George's), John Callard, Capt. Williams and L. H. Harding (district deputy of the Sons of England).

When the supper was over, President Sayers called upon the secretary to read greetings from Kingston, Toronto, Guelph, Hamilton and Ottawa, and St. Louis. At non-attendance from Mr. T. S. Hobbs, M.P.P., W. C. Fitzgerald, secretary of the Irish Benevolent, M. Daly, president Irish Benevolent, R. W. Barker, Toronto, and Sir John Carling.

President Sayers, in opening the toast list, called upon the gathering to drink the health of "The Queen." It was done accompanied by the National Anthem and three hearty cheers and a tiger.

"The Prince and Princess of Wales and Royal Family" was next drank, and "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" was sung. Capt. Williams, of her Majesty's customs, sang "God Save the Prince of Wales," and was loudly applauded. The toast of "The President of the United States" was not sooner announced than the band struck up with "Yankee Doodle," and intermingled with the cheers following were heard cries of "Annexation," which created States consul, replied, and in part said: "The President of the United States is what I think a true, loyal American citizen. He is the friend of all Governments, the lover of liberty, and the champion of free speech. I know that he is trying to administer the affairs of the Government in what he believes to be the best interests of the people. I am satisfied that at the end of the term everyone will vote him a good president. I believe he is doing everything he can, not only for his own people, but for the world at large. (Cheers.)

"The next toast," said Mr. Sayers, "is what we consider the most important. It is 'The Day We Celebrate.' We have to respond to it Mr. W. Webb, who has passed his 90th birthday." (Cheers.)

Mr. Wm. Skinner sang "Tommy Atkins," and gave an encore "The Soldier and the Soldier."

Mr. Webb responded very briefly, and, though 90 years of age, showed great activity. He referred to conditions of years back, when he had seen England in her struggles for freedom and her subjects in poverty. That day, however, was past, and England, with her love of liberty, had gained the expressed pleasure of being able to again attend another of St. George's banquets in health and strength. Dean Innes also made a happy reply and was loudly applauded.

First Vice-President, John Sussex then took charge of the list, and while denying the ability to make an appropriate speech, called upon the gathering to do honor to "Canada." It was done by the band playing "Home, Sweet Home."

Mr. E. T. Essery spoke of the greatness of Canada, both in area and natural resources. Canada's subjects were the best that ever saw. Canada was peopled by the English, Irish, Scotch and Welsh, and only the portions of them—the most adventurous and plucky. Her statesmen, too, were the greatest, which was practically admitted when they had passed over from the old land for one to fill a vacancy in the British House of Parliament. (Cheers.)

Canada also had a judiciary which could hold its own with that of any other country on the face of the earth.

Mr. Army, Navy and Volunteers" was coupled with the names of Lieut.-Col. Lindsay. The toast was received with "Red, White and Blue" and "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows."

Lieut.-Col. Lindsay highly praised London for its large number of soldiers and sons of soldiers, and in speaking of the conquests of England said their object was not to kill, but to do good in the way of civilization.

Major Beattie was greeted with "He's a Daisy" and "Look at His Whiskers." He spoke of the bravery of England's armies in the present and in the past, and vouched that in the future they would be just as good.

Mr. H. C. Simpson favored with a much appreciated song. "The Sister Societies" was coupled with the names of Messrs. P. K. Cowan and J. L. Fitzgerald. Mr. Cowan said the annual banquets tended to make one society more thoroughly understand the work carried on by other nationalities. The banquets, it seemed, were a sort of mutual admiration party. Mr. Cowan was a thorough Canadian—(applause)—and he took more pride in Canada than in any other country. Referring to the peculiarities of the Scotch, he said one was their ability to hold their own.

A voice—in any deal. (Laughter.) Another—Yes, in every deal. (Continued laughter.)

half of the Irish Benevolent and Sons of England respectively. Mr. Justice Rose delivered a very able address in connection with "Our Guests," and was tendered vociferous applause. Second Vice-President Gill then took charge of the list, and in turn rendered honor to "The Mayor and Corporation," "The Ladies" and "The Press." Ald. Pritchard, Ald. Skinner and Ald. Weld replied for the first.

Live News in a Line.

The body of one of the crew of the ill-fated steamer Chicago was found three miles south of Buffalo, Mich., Tuesday morning.

The Bank of Montreal delivered \$200,000 in gold at the United States treasury in New York Tuesday on account of Government bond purchase.

The Lexow Bi-Partisan New York City Police Bill has passed the New York Assembly by a vote of 96 to 213, and the bill now goes to the governor.

Isaac Pitman, the founder of the system of phonography bearing his name, died on Saturday at his home in Bath, England, aged 82, of general debility, due to old age.

Indications point to a big corner in May wheat at St. Louis. May wheat in St. Louis has been 3 cents below May wheat in Chicago, but on Tuesday it closed 2 1-2 cents above Chicago.

Sam. Frasier, who betrayed his companions who had entered into a conspiracy to hold up the Cincinnati Southern train at Greenwood, Tenn., and which resulted in the death of Tora and Jere Moore, has become a raving maniac.

The New York Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin in its weekly review of the drygoods market says: The general tone of the market has shown further improvement, notably in regular prints and in coarse cottons. The week closed with considerable business in motion and indications that prices are likely to be still higher in the near future.

Word has reached New York that when the steamer Orinoco reached Bermuda on April 18 the chief engineer, William Sottau, was arrested for causing the death of Fireman William Seeger, aged 34, of Hoboken, N. J., on the previous voyage. While the fireman was lying in his berth too ill to move Chief Engineer Sottau is said to have ordered him to go back to work. When Seeger protested the engineer grabbed him by the throat, choking him nearly to death, and kicked him several times in the abdomen. When the steamer was only four hours from Bermuda the body was buried at sea.

ANOTHER "NOBLEMAN" GONE WR. TG.

Sholto Douglas, Son of the Marquis of Queensberry, in th. Lockup.

NEW YORK, April 23.—A special from Bakersfield, Cal., says: Sholto Douglas, a son of the Marquis of Queensberry, was arrested here today charged with insanity. He procured a regular print and in coarse cottons. The week closed with considerable business in motion and indications that prices are likely to be still higher in the near future.

GRATIFYING RESULTS.

British Columbians Show Evidences of a Highly Progressive Spirit.

VANCOUVER, April 24.—Among the many instances of the progressive spirit which animates the people of this Province may be mentioned the eagerness with which they seize upon any novelty which has been proved to be of advantage to the community. Among the many new discoveries which have been adopted may be mentioned the new Remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills, which has received a thorough trial at the hands of British Columbians, and is used to an extraordinary extent. A large number of the residents of Vancouver and Victoria have used the remedy in cases of diseases of the kidneys, and with very gratifying results.

THREE CHILDREN CREMATED.

QUINCY, Ill., April 23.—Joe Robinson, who lives near this place, attended church last night with his wife, leaving three children at home. During the absence the wife was burned and the children were cremated. One was a girl about 15 years old, and the others were aged 10 and 5 years.

LORD AND LADY ABERDEEN.

TORONTO, April 23.—Lord and Lady Aberdeen are guests at the Government House, where Lady Aberdeen lunched today. Lady Aberdeen gave a private luncheon at the Queen's Hotel at 2 p.m. and the afternoon was spent in visiting the Royal Canadian Academy. Tonight his Excellency was the guest of St. George's Society at their annual dinner.

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RASPBERRY, VANILLA, ORANGE, LEMON,
STRAWBERRY, RATAFIA, ETC.Marriage Licenses issued at above
address.**LOCAL BREVITIES.**The MORNING ADVERTISER will be found
to have all the Parliamentary news from
Ottawa up to date, and also the happenings
of the entire globe for the previous 24 hours.
Get it tomorrow morning. Two cents will
buy it.—Miss Evelyn De laire Street is the
guest of Mr. Geo. C. Gibbons, Q.C.—Mr. Fred Jenkins is the guest of
Mr. P. J. Watt during his stay in the
city.—The spring sittings of the Chancery
Court will open at the court house on
Tuesday next. Mr. Justice Street will
preside.—Winfield Harrison was the de-
fendant in the dog stealing case, and
Frank Hackett the plaintiff, not vice-
versa, as printed.—Gregory and Edward and
William Borland, three London West
youths, were yesterday found guilty by
Squire Lacey of fishing at Saumoy's dock
on Sunday. They were allowed to go
on suspended sentence.—The Memorial Church Ministering
Children's League held their annual
program of friends of the Convoles-
cent Home should not forget this sale,
as the young people have contributed
\$10 yearly ever since the institution was
founded and furnished a room in the
home.—A fire hit last today by intending
tenants in a vacant house—24 South
street—and water was being heated to
scrub the floor with, the roof caught
fire from a defective chimney and dam-
aged to the extent of \$150 resulted.
The place was owned by a man
named Welsh.—The success of the Choral Society
concert last night reflected great credit
on the committee of management,
which includes Mr. Kirk (president),
Mr. Murray (secretary), Mrs. Ellis,
Miss Smallman, Mrs. McGee, Mrs.
W. E. Saunders, Dr. Ziegler and Mrs. P.
J. Watt. These ladies and gentlemen
were backed up by the energy and
ability of Mr. Roselle Pococke.—The death is announced at his home
in Delaware township of Mr. Joseph U-
prover, a prominent farmer of that
neighborhood, after a short illness of
about a week's duration. Mr. U-
prover was a member of the Methodist
Church and a staunch Liberal. He
leaves a wife and seven children—five
boys and two girls—all living at home.—The Grand Trunk Railway has in-
ken a step which will prove of great
benefit to the farmers in the district
east of this city. Heretofore the first
accommodation did not arrive from the
east until 12:30, which is really too late
for an hour for coming to town except
Sunday and Monday, stopping at Dorches-
ter, and arriving in London at 9 o'clock.
It is well patronized.—Thomas Russell, the 18-year-old,
this morning admitted having placed
a tie on the Port of Stanley track near
Westminster station on Thursday even-
ing last, and after the matter had been
investigated, Mr. Love appeared in Russell's
behalf, and claimed that no evil was
intended; that the youth had merely
been misled into the country, and being
footless and hungry wanted to get a
ride home. Judge William Elliot re-
manded Russell until Saturday.—At a very largely attended meet-
ing of the members of the Adelaide
Baptist Church, held last night
for the purpose of considering the
resignation of the pastor, Rev. D. M.
Mihell, Deacon Robertson, who had
been chairman and after the matter had
been thoroughly discussed, it was decided
by an overwhelming majority to ask
Mr. Mihell to reconsider his decision.
The pastor's answer is expected to be
known after the weekly prayer
meeting tomorrow night.—A Portage la Prairie, Man., dispatch
of the 18th contains the following refer-
ence to a former Londoner: "The wed-
ding of Mr. Charles Beard Halpin and
Miss Katie McKellar was quietly cele-
brated this morning. The wedding took
place at the residence of the bride's
parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wright.
The bride is a daughter of
the late Captain Hector McKellar, of
the Rice line of steamers, Detroit. Mr.
Halpin is the third son of the late Right
Rev. Prof. Halpin, of Trinity College,
London, Ont. He is a nephew of
the late soldier, writer and poet, Brig-
ade-General Halpin ('Miles O'Reilly'),
of New York, who served with distin-
guish throughout the American civil war,
and was one of the proprietors of the
Manitoba Liberal. He started news-
papers in Revelstoke, Banff, Calgary,
etc., in the earlier days of his experi-
ence, a few years ago, and is widely
known throughout the whole West."

GOOD FRIENDS NOW.

Edward McKellar, a young farmer from
lot 5, con. 4, of Delaware, did not hedge a
little bit when charged at the Police Court
this morning with using abusive and pro-
fane language toward John McKewon on
April 6. McKewon lives on lot 1, con. 1,
of Delaware, and the offense occurred on the
bitterly in the case of Rev. Mr. Vert, of
Delaware village, and McKellar had been
misinformed as to statements made there
by him (McKewon). The police magistrate

SUMMER SUITINGS

IS NOW COMPLETE, AND INCLUDES THE VERY LATEST
STYLES AT REASONABLE PRICES.**SLATER BROS., Tailors, 390 Richmond St.**acted as peace-maker and urged an apology.
McLellan expressed regret at his conduct
and apologized. "Settled between the par-
ties" was inscribed on the blotter and
McKewon and McLellan left the room good
friends.**ST. ALBAN'S BRIGADE.**The East End Hall was filled to over-
flowing last night by the many friends
of the young lads composing St. Al-
ban's Company, No. 100, Church Lads'
Brigade, in connection with All Saints'
Chapel. The proceedings of the concert
were in aid of the mission room build-
ing, and a very creditable sum was
realized. Ex-Ald. F. J. Fitzgerald
made a capable chairman, and in open-
ing the Armistice, he called on Rev.
J. J. Armstrong, of All Saints', who
spoke briefly, dwelling on the objects
of the brigade in a pleasing and in-
structive manner. The following pro-
gramme was then rendered: Mr. Muckleston
Song, "The Armistice," Mr. Muckleston
Physical drill, "The Armistice," Mr. Muckleston
Church Lads' Brigade, No. 100, Church Lads'
Brigade, "The Armistice," Mr. Muckleston
Solo, "The Armistice," Mr. Muckleston
Comic song, "The Armistice," Mr. Muckleston
Comic recitation, "The Armistice," Mr. Muckleston
Tableaux, "The Armistice," Mr. Muckleston
Sketch, "The Armistice," Mr. Muckleston
Fancy drill, "The Armistice," Mr. Muckleston
Song, "The Armistice," Mr. Muckleston
Irish jig, "The Armistice," Mr. Muckleston
Farce, "The Armistice," Mr. Muckleston
God Save the Queen.**LONDON MAN KILLED.**James Mansell's Body Found Near
Windsor.Was Going to Detroit to Work, and Was
Thought to Be Beating His Way.Word was received in the city this
afternoon of the death of a London
young man on the Grand Trunk near
Windsor early on Wednesday morn-
ing. The unfortunate was James
Mansell, whose mother lives at 331 Hill
street. Mansell was about 21 years of
age, and was a retainer by occupation.
He formerly worked at McCleary's, but
secured work in Detroit a year or so
ago. He was laid off during the winter
months, and had been home waiting for better
times. Yesterday he got a letter from
his former employer at Detroit telling
him to come on again, and last night
he left home for that place. It is
thought that he was riding on a freight
and that he fell off and was killed.
At any rate, his body was found at
daylight this morning at Facedale,
miles east of Windsor. A Windsor
corner took charge of the remains,
and an inquest is being held this after-
noon.Deceased was a son of Anthony Man-
selli, who is serving seven years at
Kingston on a charge of manslaughter.
He had a difficulty with a man named
Platt at Labatt's brewery, where the
two worked, and Platt was thrown
off a down a flight of stairs and was
killed.The mother of the dead boy was near-
ly frantic shortly after receiving the
news of his death. She was in a
very nervous condition and a bevy of
neighbors were trying to comfort her
as much as possible. There are sev-
eral other children. The body is ex-
pected home tonight.**MRS. BARNEY'S MEETINGS**Attended With Much Success—Regular
Meeting of the W. C. T. U.The following was handed in by the
secretary of the W. C. T. U.:
On account of Mrs. Barney's Bible
readings, which are being held in
Somerset Hall every afternoon, this
week at 3 p.m., the regular meeting
of the W. C. T. U. was opened at 2:30
o'clock on Tuesday afternoon. There
was a good attendance. Two new
members were received. A few items
of business that would not permit of
delay were attended to and the meet-
ing closed.No one can listen to Mrs. Barney's
words without receiving a spiritual
uplift and a strong desire to live a bet-
ter life.Her subject on Tuesday was "Wo-
man's Work," Psalm lxxviii, 11, the new
version of which reads thus: "The
Lord loveth the words. The woman
that publish the tidings are a great
help."Mrs. Barney gave many touching in-
cidents in her own work, and also gave
a brief sketch of the temperance work
of Lady Somerset. This included the
efforts of the wonderful results of her
efforts. A question as to what the
"white ribbon" means brought the fol-
lowing reply: It should mean purity
of soul, purity of thought, and en-
tirely devoted to the service of God,
not to temperance work merely, but
to Christ and his service. 3. Help
to everyone who needs our help,
high or low, rich or poor. 4. Loyalty
to Christ, to our great, grand organi-
zation in its work, local, Provincial,
Dominion, and to each other.When Mrs. Barney's meetings in this
city are closed many will have reason
to thank God for the privilege they
have had in listening to her words,
and for the spiritual help and encour-
agement they have received; and those
who fail to hear her will have missed
a grand opportunity that may never
again be theirs.**RADWAY WILL RIDE**In the Martin Road Race at Buffalo—
London Tennis Players.**THE WHEEL.**Radway, of this city, will ride in the 25-
mile Martin road race at Buffalo this year.
A Buffalo dispatch says that entries are
now coming in rapidly, and from present
indications 200 men will face the race
on Monday. The prize list is widely
known, and 12 trophies are now
listed. The entries already received include
a number of Canadian road racers.**LAWN TENNIS.**

LONDON PLAYERS ORGANIZE.

The annual meeting of the London
Lawn Tennis Club was held last even-
ing. The following officers were elect-
ed: President, H. W. Marshall; secre-
tary, H. W. Marshall; treasurer, H.
R. Lyon, R. O. Shaw-Wood, J. W. Ham-
ilton, J. Kerrigan, Robert Lind and
Fred Beltz.**THE SAN FRANCISCO SENSATION.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 23.

The examination of DuPont on the
charge of murdering Miss Williams
continued today, and damaging
evidence against the prisoner was ad-
duced. The inquest on the body of
Blanche Lamont was postponed until
next Monday.

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Students attend the Con-
servatory of Music at
present.

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Spring Shoes—Pocock Bros.

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Meeting—Dominion Lodge, I. O. O. F.

Children's League Sale—Memorial Church.

Meeting—St. John's Lodge.

Meeting—London Council, Royal Arcanum.

Johnston's Spring Footwear.

Sealers' Excursion—Thos. R. Parker.

Stocks' Bicycles.

For Montreal—Grand Trunk Railway.

Spring Millinery—Miss Skimin.

Notice, Creditors—Macbeth & McPherson.

Tenders Wanted—C. J. Beal.

Black Goods—Wayle.

Dr. J. N. Wood—1814 Dundas street.

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Meeting—Board of Trade.

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Barber's Outfit for Sale—27 Blackfriars St.

Dog Lost—278 Ridout street.

Paper Hangers Wanted—R. Lewis.

COMMERCE AND FINANCE.**London Money Market.**

LONDON, April 24, 12:30 p.m.—Consols, 105 1/16

for money, 105 1/16; for account, Mexican, 20

Can. Southern, 105 1/16; Can. Pacific, 105 1/16

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"She's very quiet," said Lady Mary. "I don't see much to like in her, Val. I wonder what Alan Moncrieff married her for. Her pretty face, I suppose. I thought he had more sense."

"No man has any sense where a pretty face is concerned," said Lady Val, decisively. "But I think there's more than that in Mrs. Moncrieff. She must have some character, I fancy."

She did not say why she thought so; but she was thinking of that autumn day when she and John Hannington had been riding side by side towards Dunkeld, and when "the little Dundee girl" had given John Hannington the cut direct. She laughed to herself, but she set her teeth as though something hurt her even while she laughed, at the thought of John Hannington's face.

CHAPTER XVIII.

Winter came down upon the land and laid its iron grip upon the bounding streams upon the trees and flowers and mossy ground; it enveloped the hills in a winding sheet of snow, and hung a veil of hoar-frost over the casements of every house. In weather of this kind, the old and sickly were sure to suffer. Miss Jacky was neither very weak nor very aged, and yet she succumbed to the severity of the cold. A bad attack of bronchitis reduced her strength very seriously, and a heart affection, of which she had been silently conscious for many years put an end to her life just when she seemed to be recovering. In January she was carried to her last long rest, and then Stella felt herself more than ever lonely and alone.

She had failed apparently, to win Molly's trust and affection. The girl had been cold and unresponsive ever since Stella became her father's wife. It seemed as if she owed her stepmother a grudge which she could not forget or forgive, and although she was not outwardly rebellious—for she had lost some of her childish waywardness—she was neither companionable nor agreeable. Bertie was far more affectionate to his stepmother than was Molly; but Stella saw little of him, for Ralph Kingcot kept such watch and ward over the lad, that he was not often to be found save "under surveillance." The scheme for sending him to England at the New Year had to be deferred for he caught so severe a cold during the Christmas week that it was impossible for him to leave home, and Mr. Moncrieff decided that he must wait for warmer weather before any change in his manner of life was made. This fact, and Miss Reaburn's death, caused him not to press Stella to go with him to London, as he had at first intended to do; he hardly liked to take her away from home, and thought that it might be as well to defer her visit to the metropolis until Molly was old enough to go and be presented at the same time. He himself spent a few days in town, but soon returned to Torremuir, where there was a magnet, the influence of which was stronger than he knew.

It seemed to Stella that she saw very little of her husband. She had had dreams of guardianship and guidance which came to naught. She could not blame Alan, or think that he actually neglected her; he was always ready to do what she required of him, to pay calls, to drive or ride with her, to escort her with scrupulous care to balls and dinner-parties; but he did not seem to seek her society, or, if he sought it, Ralph Kingcot was always by, to offer attendance and thrust himself into their company. It seemed to her that Ralph hinted continually that Alan would be dull with her alone; that he needed a man's companionship, and that a woman could not interest him. Time after time he diverted Alan's attentions from her, or—as she had occasionally found out—misrepresented her wishes, and prevented her husband from accompanying her when she went out. Yet it was impossible for Stella to protest, to explain; if ever she tried to do so, Alan immediately suspected some attack upon Ralph Kingcot, proceeding from feminine spite and jealousy, and silenced her at once. She could only feel a vague consciousness of disappointment in her married life; she knew not why. She shielded to herself that as long as Ralph Kingcot remained in the house she could never be happy; but there seemed no prospect of Ralph's departure. Even when Bertie went away it was arranged that he should remain—to act as Mr. Moncrieff's secretary and look after the estate. His look of satisfaction whenever he had managed to allure Alan from her side used to make Stella sick at heart.

The spring came on apace, and with one of the earliest fine days Lady Valencía Gilderoy made her appearance at Torremuir. She had not visited it of late, and, in spite of Stella's want of friendly feeling for her at first sight, Lady Val's calls had been very much missed by Mrs. Moncrieff. Lady Val was so bright, so full of energy, so amusing, that Stella had been attracted half against her will. And she was unfeignedly glad, therefore, to see her visitor.

"Why, how white you look!" cried Lady Val, as she came in, rosy with exercise, her dark eyes sparkling, her riding-habit neatly tucked up in one hand. "You've been sitting indoors too much, Mrs. Moncrieff. I wouldn't allow that if I were your husband."

"Alan is away," said Stella, with a faint

smile. "And Molly and Bertie are out together somewhere. I had a headache, I believe, and wanted to be lazy."

Lady Val nodded significantly. "A headache! I've no doubt of it. I should think Molly keeps your heads full. She's a troublesome monkey. I know her of old."

The color came at once to Stella's cheek. "She is a very dear girl," the stepmother responded, warmly.

"She is a pretty one, Mrs. Moncrieff. And she looks as old as you do yourself—especially since she has taken to long dresses and elaborate coils of hair. A girl of that sort attracts admirers very soon."

Again there was that significance in Lady Valencía's voice. Mrs. Moncrieff drew herself up with a slight, unconscious air of dignity.

"I daresay," she answered, with some stiffness of manner. "And then with a relaxing smile, 'Poor Molly is hardly to blame for that, Lady Valencía.'"

"My dear creature, did I say that she was to blame?" cried Lady Val. "Do excuse me, Mrs. Moncrieff. I don't wish to be rude or to take liberties; but you see I have known Molly all her life, and I can't help feeling interested in her. I know you will hate me if I say what I came intending to say; and yet I don't know what else to do. You wouldn't rather that I went straight to Mr. Moncrieff, would you?"

Stella looked at her in dismay. "Do you mean that there is anything to be told—anything wrong?" she asked.

"It may not be wrong; it may be all right," said Lady Val. "All I can tell is, that people will soon begin to gossip, if they have not begun already. To tell the plain question—is Molly engaged to be married?"

"Molly! she is only a child. Certainly not."

"A child! Well, she's a very big child, Mrs. Moncrieff. She is seventeen, isn't she? Not much younger than yourself, you know, after all. And if she isn't engaged, it is time that somebody looked after her, for I don't think she's able to look after herself."

"You mean," said Stella, changing color sensitively, "that I am not looking after her?"

"I don't mean anything of the kind. Everybody knows that you are a model stepmother. But—do you know Tom-garrow?"

"The little half-deserted village up the hill! Yes, I go there sometimes to see old Mrs. Cameron. What about it?"

"And you send Molly up sometimes to see Mrs. Cameron, don't you?" said Lady Val, with a shrewd look. "Well, I wouldn't send her there again—alone—if I were you. That's all. I felt it my duty to give you that hint, although, as I said, I know you'll hate me for doing so."

"You must tell me more than this! I must know what you mean," cried Stella, suddenly turning very white. "It is not fair to give me a mere hint of this sort and say no more."

"Yes, it is," Lady Val answered, not unkindly. "There is, perhaps, a reason why I should say anything at all. I am sorry to make you uncomfortable, Mrs. Moncrieff, but I only want to put you on your guard with Miss Molly. Both these children want well looking after, I assure you—as, no doubt, you have found. I would not have come if I had not felt sure that the truth would be reaching your ears before long in some more disagreeable form. It is better that it should come from me."

"The truth! What truth? Oh, Lady Valencía, do speak plainly."

"I don't want to say too much," said Lady Val, rising and gathering up her skirts again, as if she wanted to get away as quickly as possible. "But I do want to say something. If pretty Molly has got a lover, there is no reason why it should be anything for you to alarm yourself about. Only in my opinion, it would be better that he should meet her at proper times and in proper places, instead of waiting behind broken walls or in plantations, and wandering about with her over the moor. Tom-garrow—that's the meeting place, Mrs. Moncrieff, and in telling you that, I am almost inclined to believe that I am doing a mean action."

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WESTERN ONTARIO.

Propheesied His Death—A Charlton Act
Offense—Latest Western News.

Woodstock police are after barbers who shave customers on Sunday. Alex. Lindsay, a prominent grocer of St. Thomas, died Tuesday, aged 55. He was well-to-do.

McRossie & Co., boots and shoes, of Woodstock, have assigned to C. H. Grene, of Toronto, who is the chief creditor. The chief liabilities amount to \$11,262 24, while the assets are about \$5,000.

Rumors having been circulated that the wife of J. A. Henderson, the prisoner under sentence for murder in St. Thomas jail, had been poisoned, three doctors have testified that she died of a cancerous disease.

The Canadian General Electric Company, of Toronto and Peterborough, has been awarded the contract for the motors and all electrical apparatus for the Hespeler extension of the Galt, Preston and Hespeler Electric Railway.

Alex. Reaume was re-elected deputy reeve of Sandwich East Monday by a majority of 106 over Clement Janisse. Reaume was elected in January, and was unseated because a number of persons voted whose names were not on the voters' list.

The death is announced at Winnipeg of J. H. Hacking, a newspaper man of that city. He was formerly a member of the firm of Hacking Bros., who at one time published the Listowel Banner. He was a brother of ex-Warden J. W. Hacking and Cy. Hacking, of Listowel.

Before Judge Bell at Chatham Monday a Thameville boy named John Salisbury, aged 16, was held for trial on the charge of committing an offense under the Charlton Act, his victim being a 6-year-old girl, daughter of a neighbor. The prisoner admits the act.

Prominent A. O. U. W. members deny the published statement that the order offered to give Mrs. Hartley \$1,000 as a compromise in her suit for \$2,000, the amount of the policy carried by her husband, Caleb Hartley, in the order. They did, however, offer her the amount of the policy, that the A. O. U. W. would incur in fighting the case.

Negotiations are now pending for a settlement of both the A. O. U. W. and the Home Circle claims.

Death on Sunday came to the relief of Mrs. W. M. Hacking, of Raleigh, Kent county, an old pioneer, who was known and held in high esteem throughout the entire county. Mr. Irwin was one of the representative farmers of the township, and was also a prominent member of the county council. Politically he was a Conservative; in religion, an adherent of the Anglican Church.

Thomas Gallacher, a well-known farmer, corner of the 7th concession and the Prince Albert road, in Chatham township, died at his home Monday at the age of 50 years. He had been ailing with erysipelas for about a week. He was attended by a Chatham physician. When the latter called upon him Sunday the patient informed him that he would be dead within 24 hours. The truth would be reaching your ears before long in some more disagreeable form. It is better that it should come from me.

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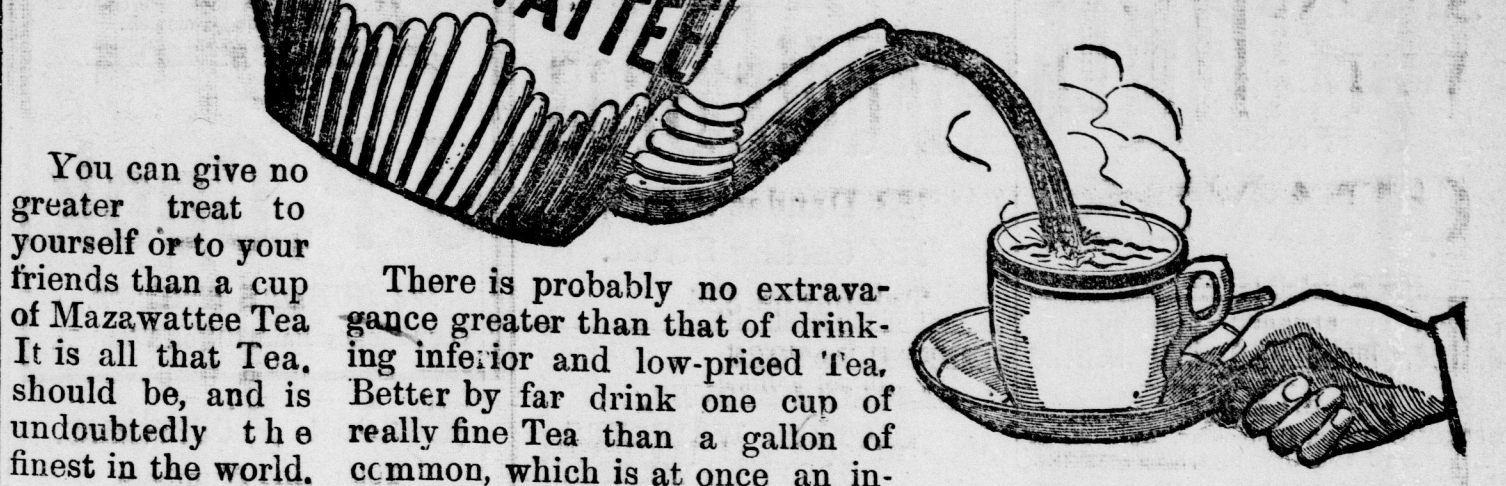
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The Chinamen come from Vancouver to Montreal, hence they are shipped in batches of six to Quebec, where they are dressed up as women. In this disguise they are forwarded to St. John, N. B., where they are kept in hiding for a day or two. Ventilated coffins are now provided, and into them the "corpses" are shipped to Vancuboro, Me., where they are claimed by another of the gang, who arranges for their distribution through the United States.

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AMERICA VS. EUROPE.

NEW YORK, April 23.—A special from Caracas, Venezuela (World) says: Steps have already been taken to bring about an alliance of all the Latin-American countries against European aggression. A number of governments. It is said, have approved the plan, and a general congress may be called in July to consider the matter.

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Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 38—62; u'Appelle, 42—68; Winnipeg, 42—70; Parry Sound, 34—44; Toronto, 39—52; Montreal, 36—42; Quebec, 39—42; Halifax, 36—46.

TORONTO, April 24.—1 a.m.—Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lake region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville) are: Fresh to strong southerly to westerly winds; generally fair; higher temperature; showers in some localities at night.

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—Mr. John Lackie, sen., London West, is dangerously ill.

—J. R. Logan, of Thornedale, has purchased a residence on Oxford street (No. 452) for a handsome sum.

—The annual entertainment of the First Presbyterian Sunday school, which was given before a large audience in the Mechanics' Institute Friday evening last, will be repeated on Friday night in the same place. The entertainment was a grand success, and will bear more than one repetition. The proceeds will go to the South Waterloo Street Sunday School.

—There was a lively little gathering Monday at the home of Mr. T. McGill, South London, when the members of Mrs. McGill's Sunday school class in Knox Church surprised and presented her, as a mark of their love and esteem, with a large-sized picture of themselves taken in a group and neatly framed. Mrs. McGill was delighted with their thoughtful gift, and a few merry hours passed quickly by.

—Mr. John William Fletcher, jun., a promising young musician of this city, leaves on Monday next for the Rocky Mountains of Wyoming to join his brother Charles, hoping to benefit his health, which has been a great drawback to him. He was recently the recipient of a handsome Bible from the Kensington Methodist Church as a token of appreciation for his services as organist and choir master.

—Mr. Wolferstan Thomas having retired from the firm of Hellmuth, Levy & Thomas, has received the appointment as manager for Western Ontario of the Star Life Assurance Company of London, Eng. He will make London his headquarters, having offices at No. 8 Carling block, in this city. Mr. Thomas will represent one of the strongest of English companies, and will no doubt succeed in keeping the Star to the forefront. The "Advertiser" wishes him every success in his new venture.

—Mr. F. Lee Miles, business manager for Ida Van Cortlandt, is in the city arranging for the appearance of that popular actress all next week. Her repertoire will be a varied one, as follows: Monday, "The New Magdalen"; Tuesday, "The Two Orphans"; Wednesday matinee, "The Blacksmith's Daughter"; Wednesday evening, "East Lynne"; Thursday, "Queens"; Friday, "Crust of Society"; Saturday matinee, "Daughter of the Regiment"; Saturday night, "Michael Strogoff."

—The ladies having the matter in charge report that the consignments to the two missions in the Arctic regions are now on their way. Just before leaving further gifts arrived: From Mrs. Smallman, valuable lot of groceries, etc.; Mrs. W. Macdonald, Delaware, dried apples; Mrs. Tilly, blanketed coat; Mrs. Trevelyan, 25 cents; New St. Paul's (Woodstock) W. A., \$10; Mrs. Dampier, \$1; a friend, \$1. The case to the Upper Yukon weighed 300 pounds. Heartiest thanks to the donors gratefully offered. No word of their safe arrival can reach this section for many months.

—At Osgoode Hall Tuesday: Fletcher vs. Fletcher—Judgment on appeals, heard at London by the plaintiff, and by the infant defendants, and by the defendant Malcolm Fletcher, and on motion by plaintiff for confirmation, distribution and costs. Appeal of defendant, Malcolm Fletcher, allowed with costs. Appeals of plaintiff and infant defendants dismissed. No costs of the action of this appeal to any of the parties, costs of the first appeal to be paid by the plaintiff. The plaintiff to pay the costs of the infant defendants. The allowance by the master of \$150 commission to administrator is confirmed; but, as there is no fund out of which to pay it, no order is made in respect of it.

SOWING THE SEED.

Seeding is going forward very rapidly throughout the country now. The season is rather late, but the weather is excellent for the work, and the bulk of the seed will likely be sown before the middle of last week.

THE ALDERMANIC SHAKE-UP.

The judgment in Ald. O'Meara's case unseats Ald. Powell. Justice Meredith decided that if O'Meara's resignation was held to be binding, leaving only three candidates at the time of election, Mr. Powell should have been elected by acclamation, and the fact of his being a school trustee would not influence his election in that event. On the other hand, if the withdrawal of O'Meara's resignation was lawful, there remained four candidates in the field and a poll was necessary. In this case Ald. Powell's position as High School trustee would debar him from running. As Ald. O'Meara was sustained, therefore Ald. Powell loses his seat.

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