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The French Ministry Beaten on the Miners' Eight-Hour Bill.

Isaac Pitman, the Phonographic Author and Publisher, Knighted.

An Englishman Robbed of \$20,000 Worth of Diamonds in Paris.

A Consignment of Canadian Cattle Successfully Pass Inspection-Labby and the Lancet "Cut Up" the Manchester Canal-Edmund Yates' Body to be Cremated.

Edmund Yates' Body To Be Burned. LONDON, May 22. - Edmund Yates' body will be cremated at Woking Cemetery on May 24.

The Y. M. C. A. President Knighted. LONDON, May 22.-The Queen has kighted Mr. George Williams, president of the Young Men's Christian Association.

Death of Margaret Lacey. LIVERPOOL, May 22.-Mrs. Margaret Lacey, the promoter of child emigration to Canada, died in this city to-day in her 43rd year. She had been ailing for six

months. India's Credit Is Good. LONDON, May 22.-A new Indian 3 per cent loan of £6,000,000 at 98 was announced on the Stock Exchange to-day. This afternoon the securities were quoted

at 2 per cent premium. Lost \$20,000 Worth of Diamonds.

PARIS, May 22.-A bag containing \$20,-000 worth of diamonds was stolen from an Englishman who arrived here to-day on the express from Calias. The Englishman was asleep when the bag was opened and the pleads that the statement in the articles diamonds stolen. His name is not given.

Baron Rothschild in Luck. Paris, May 22. - While Baron Alphonse De Rothschild was driving to the Bourse to-day one of the wheels of his carriage gave way and the horses bolted. The baron managed to escape from the vehicle without being hurt.

Mr. Mundella's Successor. LONDON, May 22.-Prof. James Bryce who resigned a few days ago. Baron Tweedmouth succeeds Prof. Bryce as

Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster. Troubles in the Transvaal. Government against the action of the Boer authorities in impressing them for service in the proposed operations against the northern chiefs. The settlers are holding

indignation meetings and may refuse to Writer and Fighter.

LONDON, May 22.-Capt. Alfred T. Mahan, commander of the United States drew. cruiser Chicago was entertained at a banquet given in his honor last evening by the English publishers of his works, Sampson, Low & Marston Company. A large number of guests were present. Capt. Mahan said he was engaged in the preparation of a third section of naval history, reaching to 1815, and covering the busy life of Lord Nelson.

Russia's Relations to Servia. ST. PETERSBURG, May 22.-The Foreign Office has informed M. Persiani, the Russian Minister at Belgrade, that Russia will Public Works, privately advised the railin no way interfere in the present state of

affairs in Servia. The Russian press characterizes ex-King

Manchester's Malodorous Waterway. LONDON, May 22.-Truth, in an article indorsing the Lancet's views on the Manchester Ship Canal, makes an unmeasured | to trades unions. onslaught on the work. The canal, it says, is little better than an open sewer. The water is in a filthy condition, receiving as it does the sewage of the city and a number of towns, thus endangering the lives of thousands of employes in its vicinity. Owing to the filthy state of the canal the Queen's voyage from Ilam to Manchester

has had to be abandoned. Canadian Cattle Are All Right.

LONDON. May 22 .- The first shipment of Canadian cattle to the British Isles has arrived and passed the special Government inspector. There were 370 head in this shipment and not one animal is reported to have been regarded as suspicious. The rageous treatment of Thivrier," the Combeasts in this herd, which are of useful but munist deputy who was arrested and not the best quality, brought from 42 to 5 suspended for shouting "Vive la Commune" pence per pound. It is now thought that if the 6,430 Canadian cattle affoat pass the same examination it should enable Hon. Herbert Gardner, president of the Board of Agriculture, to remove the obnoxious embargo. The Lancet, in this week's issue, gives medical support to Canada's case. "Sir" Isaac Pitman.

LONDON, May 22.-The Queen has knighted Isaac Pitman, the inventor of the Pitman system of phonetic shorthand. Isaac Pitman was born in Trowbridge, Wilts, England, Jan. 4, 1813. He was obliged to leave school at the age of 12 years, and entered the counting house of a clothing manufacturer. After a six years' service as a clerk he received six months' training in the Normal College of the British and Foreign School Society, and in 1831 was appointed master of the British school at Barton-en-Bumber. He established the British school at Wotton-Under-Edge in 1836. His first treatise on shorthand "stenographic sound hand" appeared in 1837, and he thus became the originator of the spelling reform to which and the propagation of his system of phonetic shorthand he devoted his entire attention since 1843, when the Phonetic Society was established. His system of shorthand was renamed in 1840, and was entitled "Phonography, or Writing by Sound," and his budget day. peared in 1846. Mr. Pitman's Phonetic Institute at Bath is really a phonetic woman of few words.

printing office and a publishing house for the dispatch of phonetic books to all parts

Rosebery and Asquith as Close Friends.

London, May 22 .- Mr. Asquith has in terrupted his honeymoon to make a speech at Bideford. It is remarked that he referred to Mr. Gladstone as still "his illustrious leader." None of them, he said, could regard him in any other light. Then he added: "The distinguished statesman who had succeeded him would endeavor to the best of his ability to carry on the great traditions Mr. Gladstone had left them." Then he predicted the ultimate triumph of Liberal principles, and drove off with Mrs. Asquith to Clovelly Court as the guest of the ruling councilor of the Bideford Prim-

rose League. It is not to be inferred that between Lord Rosebery and Mr. Asquith there is any disagreement or friction. They are

close friends, political and personal. Interesting Libel Suit.

LONDON, May 22 .- Mr. Henry Seymour Foster, M.P., managing director and trustee of the Industrial Investment Corporation of London and the Colonial Finance Corporation, also deputy chairman of the Ontario Breweries Company, brought suit in the High Court of Justice to day for £5,000 damages against the Westminster Gazette for libel. The Westn inster Gazette alleged that the shareholders in the corporations mentioned had appointed a committee to inquire into the affairs of the trustees of the corporations, as they considered that the commission paid to Mr. Foster upon alleged profits ought to be im-mediately refunded. The article also said that the commission has stated that £50, 000, being the par value of the 6 per cent Ontario debentures and included in the balance sheet of the trustees of the company was underwritten by the London and Colonial Company on May 29, 1891, while the public subscriptions of the trustees of the company opened on June 2, 1891. Mr. Foster has also begun suits against the Statist, Chronicle, Financial Times and other papers for libel on grounds similar to those taken against the Westminster Gazette. The latter paper, in its answer, were true, and therefore justifiable.

Defeat of the French Ministry.

PARIS, May 22.—There was great excitement in the Chamber of Deputies when Deputy Guesde introduced the Miners' Eight-Hour Bill and demanded a vote of urgency upon it. This demand was followed by a flood of Socialist arguments, some in violent language, denouncing the bourgeoise employers' treatment of miners as slaves, human cattle, etc. These harhas been appointed president of the Board angues were interrupted by the members of of Irade in succession to A. J. Mundella, the Center, but the Socialists continued to shout retorts to the points made by the Centerists. Anyone not used to the ways of the French Chamber might have expected a hand-to-hand encounter, but this did not occur. President Dupuy showered calls London, May 22.—English settlers in the for order upon the Chamber right and left, Transvaal are appealing to the British and finally succeeded in obtaining quiet. It did not last long, however, for M. Guesde soon began a hot altercation with the chair. Ungency for the bill was demanded, and by a vote of 401 to 94 it was reterred to the ordinary labor commission. Premier Casimir Perier demanded the order of the day, pure and simple, and the demand was rejected by a vote of 265 to 225. All of the Ministers thereupon with-

The cause of the crisis, though seemingly trifling, really related to the general policy of Premier Casimir Perier and also to the Premier's aspirations to the Presidency. The workingmen's syndicates, under the law of 1884, had become a powerful and terrorizing machine under Socialist control. The Government had determined to repress the system, and, therefore, by continuing M. Dupuy's policy of closing the labor exchange had endeavored to prevent the railwaymens congress. In pursuance of this policy M. Jonnart, Minister of way companies not to grant leave of absence to the men in their employ, at the same time promising that the Government Milan in the severest terms, declaring that | would not afford to the employes facilities his intrigues are likely to compromise the to attend the congress. M. Jonnart, durgeneral peace of Europe, and demanding his ing the debate, admitted that he had immediate withdrawal from the kingdom refused to grant leaves of absence to delewhich he solemnly promised not to regates, but urged in defense of his action that he could not allow servants of the state to form a syndicate against the mass of taxpayers of the nation. For other reasons also he did not believe, he said, that servants of the state ought to belong

Several moderates replied to M. Jonnart with intense warmth, scathingly rebuking him for the sentiments he had uttered.

After the departure of the Ministers from the Chamber, M. de Ramel's order of the day, recognizing the right of employes of the state to join workingmen's syndicates, was carried by 251 to 223, and the

Chamber adjourned until Monday. As the Ministers left the Chamber th Radicals acted like a lot of schoolboys, clapping their hands and jumping up and down, shouting and indulging in all sorts of antics indicative of delight. The Socialist deputies acclaimed their victory with shouts of "This is our revenge for the out.

in the Chamber a few months ago. M. De Ramel's final words from the rostrum were: "The Government must not take democratic attitudes at banquets, and then, when they come to act, refuse workingmen the right to join syndicates."

This evening the Ministers proceeded in a body to the Palais d'Elysee and formaliv tendered their resignations to President Carnot. As they left the Chamber the Socialists shouted: "Long live the Social Republic !" and "Long live the Commune !" After receiving the resignations of the Ministers M. Carnot tried to persuade M. Casimir Perier to reconsider his decision.

THE SPECIFIC OUTRAGE.

(Montreal Star, repentant N. P. Organ.) The appearance of a specific duty is equivalent to an official intimation to the consumers of the country that it is none of their business how much they are taxed. The only thing they can be certain of is that the poorer they are, the higher taxation they will pay on their purchases. But Mr. Foster appears to have lost sight of the consuming classes altogether. It would pay the Government politically-if they have not gone out of politics-to take a recess and hold some more popular tariff in

There is no such master of speech as a Canada.

The Largest Cargo of Sugar That Ever Reached Montreal.

A Woman Killed by a C. P. R. Train in Quebec City-Three Young Men Drowned.

Thirty-five men have been laid off from the Grand Trunk shops at Belleville. The funeral of the late Venerable Archdeacon McMurray took place on Tuesday at Niagara Falls, Ont., and was very largely attended.

The steamer Dunbeth has arrived at Montreal from Iloilo with 99,000 bags of sugar—the largest quantity ever shipped to the above-named port.

The proposed banquet to the Governor-General on his forthcoming visit to Belle. ville has been abandoned, his Excellency intimating that such was his wish. David Dow, of Hamilton, who fell 30

feet from the second story to the basement of a house on Hess street on Saturday, died Tuesday morning from his injuries. J. O. Adams, reeve of Drayton, owing to illness, resigned the position, and on Monday John Whyte, the eldest merchant in

the town, was given the position by accla-The congregation of the James Street Baptist Church, Toronto, has decided to recall Rev. R. G. Boville, who resigned to take a trip to the Holy Land. The voting stood 289 for the recall of the pastor and 63

against. George Hagan, the 5-year-old son of Jas. Hagan, of the Inland Revenue Department, Ottawa, was run over by a train on the Canada Atlantic Railway in Ottawa on Tuesday and died from his injuries a few hours afterwards.

A woman named Dupont was accidentally killed on the C. P. R. track on Prince Edward street, Quebec, Tuesday morning. Being deaf, she did not hear the Montreal express coming in and the driver could not stop the engine in time to save her life.

A special from Ste. Armande, Quebec, says: Three young men, named George Spaulding, Chester Fleming and William Symms, went out boating on Mississquoi Bay on Sunday last, and have not been seen since, though the boat and sail and oars have been found. They were doubtless drowned.

WORK AND WAGES.

Carpenters and Mill Hands Ordered to Strike-Nearly 5,800 Affected.

CINCINNATI, May 22 .- All the carpenters and mill hands in Cincinnati, Covington and Newport have been ordered on a strike by a mass meeting, attended by over 1,000 men. Only 40 votes opposed the strike. It is ordered because the boss carpenters have refused to agree to pay \$2 50 for eight hours or \$3 for nine hours, with an hour less on Saturdays. Nearly 5,000 men are

LASALLE, Ill., May 23 .- A riot occurred at the mines of the Union Coal Company ust across the river this afternoon, in which eight or ten non-union men were seriously injured. Mine Superintendent Hetherington and Edward Cummings were beaten into insensibility. The strikers decided to prevent men engaged in "cleaning out" the mines from remaining at work. A mob marched to the mines armed with clubs and stones, and, calling out the men, set upon and beat them brutally. Sherift Taylor dispersed the mob.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 22 .- The coal operators of the Clearfield and Associated Pennsylvania districts, after a thorough discussion of the situation, have adopted pay their employes an advance over the scale of wages now in force, and pledging themselves to act as a unit on this basis; return to work.

BUYING UP SENATORS.

Investigation of the Washington Congressional Scandal.

WASHINGTON, May 22.-The committee to investigate the charges of bribery in the Senate has begun their work with closed doors. Senator Hunton was at the meetcommittee room. Mr. Buttz made a written

application to be present. Both Senator Hunton and his son stated approached the younger Hunton. The

the story heretofore given to the press. menths ago with the proposition to vote that riding, as he has done in the west. against the tariff bill and receive pay for to him that if \$14,000 was not enough he could have almost any sum he would name, as high as \$75,000.

C. W. Buttz failed to appear before the bribery committee when wanted this morn-

At Hartford, Conn., yesterday, Tommy Rvan, champion welter weight of the world, knocked out Jack Folvey, of Providence, in the third round.

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The Biggest Nominating Convention That East Kent Has Had.

Robert Ferguson the Unanimous Choice of the Meeting.

Speeches by Hon. R, Harcourt and Others-The Situation in Hastings.

Porter's Opera House at 2:30 p.m. to-day. Hundreds upon hundreds of delegates were present, filled to the brim with enthusiasm and overflowing with dertermination to win the coming fight if such it should prove President Dr. James Samson, now of

presidents of the different divisions of the riding. Mr. W. D. Balfour, of South Essex, was also present and occupied a seat

on the platform. After John Lee, of Orford, had been elected president and Dr. McCully, of Harwich, vice, with the veteran James Grant, of Ridgetown, secretary, the business of the convention, viz., that of nominating the next member for East Kent, was proceeded with. Only one name was seriously mentioned, that of Robt. Ferguson, who has so ably represented the county for the past eight years. He was county for the past eight years. He was nominated by John Lee, Orford, and seconded in an elequent speech by Dr. John

and asking all in favor to rise to their feet, the whole vast audience were instantly up as though only one man were present. A more enthusiastic, unanimous nomination was never tendered any man, and well might Robt. Ferguson be (as he said he was might Robt. Ferguson be (as he said he was in his excellent address of one hour) proud GENTLEMAN

Dr. Samson, the retiring president, spoke elequently and touchingly in his tarewell address, and W. D. Balfour made a few very brief remarks, after which the usual resolutions of confidence were put and carried with a hurrah.

To-night, though the weather is very inclement, the Porter Opera House is again crowded to the doors with ladies and gentlemen listening to addresses from Hon. R. Harcourt, R. Ferguson and C. Darling, the Patron candidate, who spoke very

presented Mr. Harcourt with an address of welcome. Robert Ferguson's election is assure d.

EAST AND WEST HASTINGS. (Associated Press Dispatches.) The Reformers of East Hastings met in

didate for the Commons, but decided not to make any nomination at present. W. H. Biggar, M.P.P., has announced himself an independent candidate for West

USED AS A CATSPAW.

The nomination of a Patron candidate for West Lambton, as announced in the Observer of last week took the county by surprise. Not only were those outside the resolutions stating that it is impossible to order taken unawares, but we hear of members of the order who were not even informed that a convention had been called, and were therefore astonished beyond and giving their old men until May 28 to measure to learn from the Observer that a convention had been held and a candidate nominated.

The credit of springing this surprise upon the Patrons and the public is due we believe to Mr. Fergus Kennedy, of Plympton, who has shown as great zeal in pushing the Patrons of the west riding into the turmoil and expense of a hopeless contest, as he has displayed apathy in the east riding, where he belongs, and where he might naturally ing as a witness. C. W. Buttz, with his be expected to show to an admiring world attorney, was without the doors of the how powerful the order is in his own neighborhood. But it is said that Mr. Kennedy has not an eye single to the interests of Patrons only. He is a P. P. A. as well as that C. W. Buttz was the man who had a Patron. How much of him is P. P. A. and how much Patron we cannot presume narrative did not differ materially from to say, but his solicitude for the success of the P. P. A. candidate in East Lambton Senator Kyle was before the committee has been sufficient to keep him from using for more than an hour. He stated that he his authority as a grand officer to force the was first approached by Buttz about three order into entering the political field in

In selecting West Lambton as a field for his vote, the amount offered being \$14,000. testing Patron sentiment Mr. Kennedy has Senator Kyle said he was confident that shown poor judgment, as far as the result Buttz represented other parties, and that of this contest is concerned. He may have the proposition, if it had been accepted, some ulterior object in endeavoring to exwould have been made good. Senator cite political feeling among the Patrons Kyle also stated that Buttz had intimated | here, which he expects to redound to his personal benefit in the future-for he is said to have political aspirations of his own; and it may be that he is using Mr. Wood as the monkey did the cat, when he wanted to pull the chestnuts out of the fire for his own use. Time will tell how far these surmises are true .- [Sarnia Observer.

NOTES. withdrawn in favor of W. J. Hill, reeve of

Orangeville on Saturday for the purpose of completing and perfecting their organization. Another meeting will be held at Mono Mills on June 15 to select a candidate for the House of Commons for Cardwell.

THE REASON WHY.

The Ontario general election has been announced to take place on June 19 and 26. The general belief in Ontario appears to be that Mr. Mowat's Government will be sustained. At one time during the winter this seemed to be very doubtful, but as men have reasoned on the matter the conviction has come that Ontario's Government under Mr. Mowat has not only been a good one, but that Ontario, from Confederation to the present time, has been better governed than any other part of Canada.

Rousing Rally in the Evening, With

(Special to the ADVERTISER.) RIDGETOWN, Ont., May 22.-The most largely attended Liberal nominating convention ever held in East Kent convened in

Windsor, occupied the chair, and seated around him on the platform were the

Stalker, of Ridgetown. On the chairman putting the question

of the honor done him.

briefly.

The different addresses were listened to very attentively, and the best of order pre-

Mayor Porter, on behalf of the council,

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In West York Dr. Gilmour (Lib.) has York township.

A McCarthyite convention was held at

(Winnipeg Free Press.)

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MEETINGS.

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O. C. F.—DOMINION LODGE, NO. 48, meets this (Wednesday) evening at 8 ock. Visitors welcome. W. Angus, N. G.;

LEWIS CLARK, recording secretary. ASONIC - A REGULAR CONVOCA-TION St. John's, R. A. Chapter, this evening (Wednesday, 23rd), at 7:30. General business, etc. Be on time. ALEX. CURRIE, Z.; JOHN SIDDONS, S. E. JOHN SIDDONS, S. E.

ONDON SKATING RINK COMPANY-The twelfth general annual meeting of shareholders of this company will be held at the rink, on Queen's avenue, on Friday, May 25, 1894, at 7 p.m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and other business relating to the management of the company. ALFRED D. HOLMAN, Secretary.

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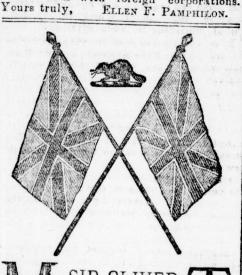
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Wm. McCabe, Esq., Managing Director, North American Life, Toronto: Dear Sir,-I am this day in receipt of your check, numbered 262, on the Union Bank of Canada, for \$2,000, being the full amount of policy No. 3,085, on the life of the late Wm. A. Pamphilon. It was only yesterday afternoon that the claim papers were handed into your office, and in less than 24 hours after the receipt by you the check for the full amount of the claim was received. Although Mr. Pamphilon was insured in other companies and societies, thus far I have not heard from any of them in respect to the claims made upon them. This exceedingly prompt action on the part of your company is highly appreciated and is another illustration of the advantage of Canadians dealing with home companies rather than with foreign corporations.



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Thursday, May 24. By special request the London Amateur Opera Company will give one more perform-

La Grande Duchesse Under the stage direction of MR. A. D. HOL-MAN. Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c. Plan opens Tuesday,

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ANNUAL MEETING.

DURSUANT to the Act of Incorporation notice is hereby given that the 24th annual meeting of the

Ontario Mulual Life Assurance COMPANY Will be held in the Town Hall, Waterloo, Ont., on THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1894, At 1 of the clock p.m.

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April 20, 1894. THE UNITED FIRE INSURANCE CO. MANCHESTER, - ENGLAND.

PROGRESSIVE COMPANY WITH AN EXCELLEN

RECORD.

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that on which their appearance is desired Dyspepsia causes Dizziness, Headache, Constipation, Variable Appetite, Rising and Souring of Food, Palpitation of the Heart, Distress after Eating. Burdock Blood Bitters are guaranteed to cure Dyspepsia, if faithfully used according to directions.

Sirs .- I had such a severe cough that my throat felt as if scraped with a rasp. On taking Norway Pine Syrup I found the first dose gave relief, and the second bottle completely cured me.

MISS A. A. DOWNEY, Manotic, Ont.

He Knows the Trades and Labor Council Does Not Support Mr. Meredith.

To the Editor of the ADVERTISER: I see by last night's issue that I am charged with pledging the support of the labor party to Mr. Meredith. That is a statement which is false, no matter by whom it be made, and that it was not, or is it my intention at present, or will it ever be, to meddle with the voting privileges of anybody. Now, sir, the assertion is made | BASEBALL.

that I went there as the president of the Trades and Labor Council. This statement I emphatically deny, as I was not there in any other capacity than a citizen of London and a free and independent elector. I am placed in a false position in accordance with the Free Press reports of the proceedings of the meeting in question, the Free Press haveg reported that I was there as the president of the Trades and Labor Council, which is not true, as I have already stated. I will also refer the readers of this to Mr. Meredith's vote of thanks to the chairman and closing remarks which will plainly show that I was not locked upon as the president of the Trades CRICKET. Council:

"THANKS TO THE CHAIRMAN. "Mr. Meredith, in moving a vote of thanks to the chairman of the meeting, returned his sincere thanks to the audience for the vote of confidence reposed in him that evening.

"The motion was carried by a standing rote, and, with cheers for the Queen, for Meredith and the Liberal-Conservative

party, the meeting broke up." And I may further state that the secretary of the council had better go a little slow and let the council have a meeting to decide on what steps shall be taken, as it is not for him alone to decide what shall be done, and that I fully intend to be present at next meeting. And I hope all further trouble will be avoided until then, and that I will not be responsible for what is said in connection with this matter after this goes to press, nor will I recognize any more communications through the press. Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for the space in your R. H. HESSEL.

VICTORY FOR TARIFF REFORM!

A Republican Springs a Test Vote-The Senate Votes It Down. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 23. — Mr. Teller (Republican of Colorado) has just moved as a test vote that the Tariff Bill be laid on the table. The Senate refused to do

This decisive vote indicates the final

passage of the bill as it stands. TREMBLING IN THE BALANCE!

The Fate of the British Government-An Appeal to Irish Members to Rally. LONDON, May 23 .- Mr. Justin McCarthy, leader of the Irish National party in Parliament, has issued a five-line whip to his followers warning them that division on the budget clauses in the House of Commons to-morrow may decide the existence of the Government, and it is therefore abso- betting was 12 to 1 on Ladas, 17 to 1 lutely necessary for every member to be against Florian, and 25 to 1 against Glare.

Two Opinions. The Toronto Star humorously says: "'Mowat's Death Knell' was sounded by Mr. Meredith at London last night, but so far as can be learned at present all those

who heard the speech have survived." The Hamilton Herald sizes up the address of the city solicitor of Toronto, as follows: 'The Opposition platform is not a very tremendous affair, but to do Mr. Meredith justice he made the most of the rather scanty materials at his hand."

Robbed the Shoe Shop. Mr. W. H. May, of Hill street, is a shoemaker by trade, and keeps a repair shop at the corner of Waterloo and Grey streets. It is a frame structure, with but one window and two doors in it. When Mr. May went home last night barred the front door and window, while the rear entrance was fastened with a heavy padlock and chain. Mr. May returned earlier this morning than usual and when he went to open the back door, the padlock fell to the ground. It was found that some thief had gained an entrance by prying off the staple holding the lock. Two pairs of hand-made inhabitants in case of need. shoes, valued at about \$12, were stolen.

Detective Rider has the case in hand. A Dodge Repeated. "I observe with interest the repudiation by the Trades and Labor Council secretaries of Mr. Hessel's action in posing at to-day. "When I was president of the Trades and Labor Council, an attempt | that our first President's other name was was made to make the council a tail to the Conservative kite by repeating that I had appeared on the platform in nowned remedy for all blood disorders, support of that party. The fact was, I was liver complaints and consumption, (or lung not on the platform and did not in any way indorse the Conservative candidate. The other name and no rival, because it's the take prompt action to prevent a similar in curative effect that it can be guaranteed

false impression going abroad on this occa.

Where to Go on the Holiday. Amusements of all kinds will be provided for the citizens of London to-morrow, and so many are there that it will be difficult for some to decide which to "take in. The new lessees of the Port Stanley Railway have been making extensive preparations to provide for the wants of the excursionists, and all that is now needed is

given, and arrangements have been made with the steamer Lakeside to make regular trips on the lake. The Independent Band, of St. Thomas, will be on board and will furnish first-class music. The Alerts will play two games with the Detroit Athletic Club on Tecumseh Park. The morning game will start at 10:30 and the afternoon game at 3. Both teams are

fine weather. A good train service will be

very strong, and lovers of baseball should be on hand. Two performances of that fine opera "La Grande Duchesse" will be given by the London Amateur Operatic Association at the Grand. Those who saw it before can testify to the excellence of the company, the cleverness of the principals and the thoroughness of the costuming and stage

Then there are the bicycle races at Queen's Park, in which flyers from Buffalo, Toronto, Detroit and other places will take part. It is not exaggerating to say they will be the best races ever run in London if the track is good. The Chosen Friends' excursion to Detroit

will doubtless be as will patronized as in former years. The steamer Thames will commence the trips to Springbank. It will be in command of Argo Foster, who is popular with the citizens of London.

cursions on its electric branch. Thought is the backbone of language.

179 DUNDAS STREET. IN THE SPORTING WORLD.

THE WHEEL.

The programme of the London Bicycle Club races will be published in to-morrow's A DVERTISER.

DETROIT VS. LONDON. The following are the teams that will face each other to-morrow morning at Kensington Park:

ALERTS. POSITIONS. DETROIT A. C.
Webber ... Catcher ... Codd
Sheere ... Pitcher ... C. Guthard
Burton ... First base ... Ducharme
Sippi ... Second base ... Gurney
Player ... Third base ... Miller
Farnworth ... Shortstop ... Rathbun
Ball ... Left field ... Calihan
Hynd ... Center field ... Merker
Hiscott ... Right field ... Gallagher
For the afternoon game Hiscott and For the afternoon game Hiscott and Quinn will be the Allerts' battery; Palmiter and Codd for the D. A. C.

The Stratford junior cricket team have accepted the challenge from the London Asylum junior cricket team, and will play a game on the Asylum grounds on May 24. THE TURF.

OPINIONS OF THE LONDON MARE. Toronto Empire: "With the gradual departure of the heavy mud more probable predictions can be made for the Queen's Plate, and the Empire still considers that the black and yellow of the Seagram stable will be in the lead at the finish. Lou Daly is a fine, big, strong mare, showing good bone and lots of muscle. Standing in her box after her work on the high road yesterday morning she showed strength and condition in every line. Under Mike Gorman's care she has received a capital preparation, and he deserves great credit for her condition, and those horsemen who have not seen her since last summer will be surprised at the transformation of the somewhat rank and green filly of last year. If the Queen's Plate had been run on Tuesday Lou Daly would probably have won chieflyfrom being able to stand up better than a younger horse. As it is now, while she is a formidable competitor, it is deabtful if she has the turn of extreme speed recessary, and it is probable that on a porteerly dry track she would only show at the most seven or eight seconds better than her work on Sunday through the mud. In this case she will probably not win the Guineas, although she will be well up. Any reports to the effect that the mare has shown work for the distance better than 2:201 are erroneous. A well-known trainer is said to have sold

cents after seeing Lou Daly work in the mud yesterday. The purchaser seems to think more of it, as he is asking \$18 for it. LUCKY ROSEBERY. LONDON, May 23 .- At Newmarket to-day the Newmarket stakes was won by Lord Rosebery's Ladas, Baird's St. Florian second, and Cooper's Glare third. The

a ticket calling for \$20 on Joe Miller for 15

POLITICAL POINTS. SIR OLIVER IN WOODSTOCK. WOODSTOCK, May 23 .- Sir Oliver Mowat has accepted an invitation to come to Woodstock to-morrow to help the Amateur Athletic Association of that place to entertain the Forty-eighth Regiment. The Attorney-General will deliver a brief address of welcome. It is expected that the visit of the Highland regiment will attract an enormous crowd from all the Scotch districts of Oxford, and Sir Oliver will meet many of his constituents, but, of course, it would not be in place to introduce politics on such an occasion. Sir Oliver will reserve his political shot for the

great Liberal rally at London on Monday next, when the campaign will be opened.

Have Left in Terror. Rome, May 23.—The volcano on the Island of Stromboli is showing great activity. The eruption is increasing in violence and there are frequent earthquakes. The people living on the island have left their houses in terror. The Government has sent two vessels to the island to relieve the

General Washington's Other Name. A large company of persons was startled recently by the inquiry for General Washington's other name. A wag asked the question but in a manner that betrayed no Mr. Meredith's meeting," said Mr. Alex. humorous intent. It was evident that the Marshall, ex-president of the Trades and | company had never heard the father of his Labor Council, to an ADVERTISER reporter | country had ever assumed an alias. The wag was compelled to tell his fellow guests "George." Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the name of the world rescrofula) in its early stages. It has no secretaries of the council have done well to only medicine for these maladies so certain to cure or money returned.

> Photography - Frank Cooper's studio open all day to-morrow (24th). Sunshine not necessary. A 'bus will leave Brown's, 191 Dundas street (Marshall's old stand) every hour,

> commencing at 10 a.m. on the 24th, for

Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Fare, 15 cents.

Dental Notice-To meet the wishes of his many friends, Dr. Nelles will be in attendance at the old office every forenoon until further notice. About two months ago I was nearly wild with headaches. I started taking

Burdock Blood Bitters, took two bottles

and my headaches have now altogether dis-

appeared. I think it is a grand medicine. Eva Finn, Massey Station, Ont. Nothing impure or injurious contaminates the popular antidote to pain, throat and lung remedy and general corrective, Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. It may be used without the slightest apprehension of any other than salutary consequences. Coughs, rheumatism, earache, bruise; cuts and

sores succumb to its action. Why will you allow a cough to lacerate your throat or lungs and run the risk of filling a consumptive's grave, when by the timely use of Bickle's Anti-Consumptive syrup the pain can be allayed and the danger avoided? This Syrup is pleasant to the taste, and unsurpassed for relieving, healing nd curing all afections of the throat and ungs, coughs, colds, bronchitis'

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

AT THE door of a church in Manchester there was wont to stand an old soldier who The London Street Railway will run exbore upon his breast these talismanic characters: "Battles, 6; wounds, 4; children, 5 -total, 15."

(ESTABLISHED 1867.)

JUST IN-New Line of Silk Poppies, worth 75c spray, Whiskard's price

These are worth seeing, ladies; they will soon be gone.

JUST IN-Special Import-Real

We are showing a splendid line of Wide Everlasting Edgings, regular price, 5c, Whiskard's price,

c Yard

A full supply now in of our Celebrated Three-Yard Lace Curtains, taped edge, only

See our Hermsdorf dye in Black Cotton Seamless German Hose, worth 25c, only

Money saved is money gained, and you do that at Whiskard's all the

Wreath of 12 Roses, only

One line of Egyptian Cotton Half-Sleeve Ladies' Vests, Laced Fronts,

20c and 25c Each Just received one line of Fancy Wool Dusters, only

10c Each See our splendid lines of Soft-Fin-

8c, 10c, 12½c Yard.

BEAUTIFUL PATTERNS.

JUST RECEIVED-One case of Fine Colored Silk Laces, in all the best shades, worth 15c, Whiskard's

5c Yard.

232 DUNDAS STREET.

SHORT TALKS ON ADVERTISING.

(By Charles Austin Bates.) A great many merchants cut down their advertising in the summer. Some even stop it altogether.

In everyday life, when a thing is hard to do, it only calls forth greater effort. If the laborer can't move the stone he gets a crowbar and a block of wood. He makes a lever -and the stone moves. If the crowbar isn't long enough he gets something longer. He doesn't give up, because the stone has got to be moved.

Same way in business. Trade is a stone. The funny thing is that the lighter trade gets the harder it is to move. It can be moved, though. You may have to lengthen the lever. Certainly you ought not to shorten it. The hear business lever is ad. vertising-newspaper advertising is the longest lever and the quickest to move

Dull times are the times to put forth the greatest effort and the most money. People don't usually ask for what they have already. Advertising is merely asking for trade. When the stoor is full every day cut down your space. Don't expect that you will get a big trade in dull times, but keep count and you'll find that the advertising was profitable. Profitable right at the time and enormously profitable after a while. The very fact that only a few merchants are wise enough to advertise in dull seasons, makes it all the more profitable for those who do. You are there when others are not. It gives you greater prominence. It will make your advertising in busy times much more effective.

Common sense has a great deal to do with advertising. Think about it from a common sense standpoint. It may take some "nerve" to pay out money for newspaper space when the business isn't paying expenses, but it will pay.

More than half the business houses in the country would be ahead if they could shut up for three months in the summer. But they don't do it. Why? Simply because they can't afford to. People would forget them.

Same way with advertising. Think about it.

A Solace for Affliction. - Wrong conditions entail suffering. If we knew and obeyed every law of nature, the doctor might go a begging, and drugs might be pitched out of the window. The small ills of life, in their cumulative feffect, produce more real suffering than the great afflictions which give a wrench and are then done with. For the ills of sick and nervous headache, neuralgia and biliousness Stark's Powders were specially prepared. They cure these, however obstinate. They cure them speedily. They have never failed. They will not fail in your case. Try them; 25 cents a box.

California and Mexico. The Wabash Railway has now on sale winter tourist tickets at the lowest rates ever made to Old Mexico and California. These rates are available for the winter

fair at San Francisco. The banner route is the great trunk line that passes through six States of the Union, and has the most superb and magnificent trains in America. Full particulars may be had from any railroad agent, or J. A. RICHARDSON, Canadian passenger agent, northeast corner King and Yonge street, Toronto. 16tf xt 55tf

Another consignment of \$1 oak finished rockers just arrived, also great bargains in sideboards, at TRAFFORD's Popular Furni- tery and their pastor, and felt that what he ture House, 95 and 97 King street. Phone | did would be right.

LONDON PRESBYTERY.

The Call to Rev. James Ballantyne Considered,

and the Matter of London East Church Extension-A Special Lecting.

The London Presbytery met at 1 p.m. yesterday in the lecture room of Park Avenue Church, Moderator Rev. W. J. Clark in the chair. Six commissioners from Ottawa appeared on behalf of the call to Rev. Jas. Ballantyne. Rev. W. T. Herridge, B.D., moderator of session for Knox Church, Ottawa, during its vacancy, was first heard. The eloquent gentleman expressed his pleasure in visiting the scene of part of his boyhood days, but assured the Presbytery that the large delegation from the capital Torchon Lace, Hand-Made, very wide, had no connection with the present political campaign. "The wise men from the east," he said, "have come to take one of your wise men from the west to the east." This is significant that Knox Church had selected Rev. Mr. Ballantyne so long after hearing him preach. The call is practically unanimous, for though there is a minority who have adhered to a previous choice, yet this is not a misfortune. It is quite necessary in our parliamentary city to have an opposition. Moreover we can assure you that the minority will probably gracefully acceed to the wishes of the majority. Knox Church is a large and important congregation. It is located in a central part of the

city, and must ever be influential. We deem Mr. Ballantyne to be of the true Apostolic succession, and we call him with all confidence to this wide and constantly widening field of labor. There is no city in the Dominion that stands in greater need of good preachers who will plainly declare the whole doctrine of God. Sound, thoughtful, influential, progressive men are needed -that is why we call Mr. Ballantyne, and trust he will see his way clear to accept the warm welcome that awaits him at Ottawa." Rev. Dr. Wardrope, late of Chalmers' Church, Guelph, and who was once pastor of Knox Church for twelve years, was the next commissioner heard. He agreed with all that Rev. Mr. Herridge had said and then pleaded on behalf of his old charge. Not because no difficulties would lie in his path, but because he felt that the choice of the congregation was the right person to undertake the work. Mr. Wardrope said: 'We sympathize with the London South congregation. We admire the spirit of their recent action regarding their pastor, nor do we wish to do anything but that

that all will work together for the advance of the kingdom." Mr. Hay was next heard, who referred to the historic character of Knox Church, Ottawa, in which the venerable Dr. Wardrope had played so great a part, and recounted the steps that led Knox Church to throw in their lot with the Free Church. It has some staunch men in it, and is the parent of other churches in Ottawa. We have given 27 ministers to the Presbyterian Church of Canada, one of whom is Rev. Dr. W. McLaren, professor of systematic theology in Knox College. Now we want

which is divinely purposed. Yet we trust

Mr. Ballantyne to be the successor of Dr. Wardrobe, Dr. McLaren and Dr. Farries. Mr. Cunningham was commissioned by the congregation of Knox Church, and he read from Scripture Moses' call to Ahab, "Come with us and we will do thee good," and then added: "I cannot do better than Whiskard's land then added: urge Mr. Ballantyne in the words of Moses.
Ottawa is a commercial city, and it is the political capital of the Dominion, and I say the political life centers in our city. For that reason we need strong men in our pulpits. It is the center of justice, public works, customs, inland fisheries, militia and defense. All these and other departments are concentrated there. Therefore we require strong men and true. Whoever said that the press ever told the whole truth? The platform does not do it -we want the pulpit to do it." Then he

closed with an eloquent appeal. Mr. Mutchmore was next heard. He was pleased to meet so many old friends in London, and to stand in the old room in which he so long had taught. "The salary we offer Mr. Ballantyne," said the speaker, "is the second largest salary paid to any minister in Ottawa. Distinction must be made between ministers of the church and Ministers of the Crown. The latter get larger salaries, but the final account is not yet, and when all is settled the church ministers may have the largestreward. Knox Church enters on its jubilee year now, and we desire to celebrate it by taking a new pastor home with us. Ottawa is rapidly growing. We have about 60,000 popula-tion. We have seven Presbyterian tion. churches in Ottawa, and Knox Church is the center church, only it is without angel or minister, and we come to fill the blank.' Mr. Porter, the third commissioner from the congregation, telegraphed his inability

Knox Church (South London) delegates were then heard anent the call to their

Dr. Ferguson read the resolutions recently passed by the congregation in this connection, and then explained that while the congregation protested against the severance of the pastoral tie, yet they would not tie their pastor's hands. "We testify," said he, "to Mr. Ballantyne's faithful labors and the hearty appreciation of his people. Whatever his action may be, they will follow him with their benediction.

Mr. Thompson then pressed the claims of London for retaining Mr. Ballantyne. Said he: "We sympathize with Knox Church, Ottawa, in their long vacancy, but we regret that in all the Dominion they could not get a pastor without pouncing Swiss and 40,000 Jews. down on our church to take our pastor from us. The commissioners from the capital have eloquently pictured the corrupt condition of their city, but they cannot expect one minister to reach all the men who need regeneration. If Mr. Ballantyne should go east, however, we do expect soon to hear of a revival. Mr. Ballantyne's present church is largely of his own making. We had \$14,000 of a debt, but now we have only \$8,000. Our revenue last year was over \$4,000. We have a strong Ladies' Aid and a strong missionary society. Our work is prospering and we do not want to lose our pastor.' Mr. John Marshall next spoke. He said: "We love Mr. Ballantyne as a pastor, and we love him as a man. If he leaves us we will be very much discouraged. Knox Church, Ottawa, has given 27 ministers to the church, yet they do not call one of these, but come to take our pastor away from us. We will never be able to get another minister who will suit us so well as Mr. Ballantyne. We desire to acquiesce in the action of the Presbytery, but if we

could offer him \$2,500 salary we would make a big fight to keep him. Mr. McPherson expressed the warm affection of Knox Church, South London, for the pastor, and regretted that a larger field should attempt to take away their

minister. Mr. Alexander thought that Knox Church, London, had reached a crisis in its history, and hoped that to-day's doings would not interfere with its prospects. They left all in the hands of the Presby-Mr. Morris was the last representative of

Mr. Ballantyne's congregation who pleaded for the retention of their pastor, and an earnest plea he made.

Rev. W. T. Herridge, on behalf of the Ottawa commission, briefly replied. In vain he had listened for any sufficient reason for not translating Mr. Ballantyne. Of course the London church appreciated Mr. Ballantyne, but that was the very reason why they wanted him. There are, he said, circumstances in which it would be unkind to call away the pastor of a church, but there is nothing peculiar in this case that forbids the Ottawa church from pleading for the man of their choice.

Rev. J. A. Murray asked why it was that out of a membership of 407 only 220 had signed the call. An answer was given -"There is no manse."

Mr. Ballantyne was then heard in his own behalf. He said that never before had he so felt the need of divine guidance. So much had been said on both sides that he desired to leave the decision largely with the Presbytery. The invitation to preach in Ottawa had come without any action on his part. His present charge would not suffer from a vacancy. He was their first pastor. For nine years he had been their pastor. He did not want to leave them, but he felt that the larger field was a call, and also that it would give his family some advantages. He would not go to Ottawa if he thought the opposition there could not be overcome. He asked the advice of the Presbytery, since his own mind was not clear as to his duty.

Rev. J. A. Murray, after an affecting speech, in which he prophesied that Mr. Ballantyne will yet be called to fill a professor's chair, moved that the Presbytery grant the translation, dissolve the connection between Mr. Ballantyne and the congregation of Knox Church, London South, to take effect on the second Sabbath of June, and instruct Mr. Ballantyne to wait the orders of the Presbytery of Ot-

This was seconded by Rev. Mr. Sutherland, of Fingal.

Rev. Messrs. Currie, Talling, McIntyre, Little and Sawers, and Elders Cheesbrough and Stevely spoke in high commendation, after which Mr. Ballantyne expressed his decision that he ought to accept the call from the capital.

The motion was carried unanimously. Mr. Currie moved the sympathy of the Presbytery with the congregation in South London. Carried.

Rev. J. A. Murray was appointed to preach the church vacant on the second Sabbath of June and act as interim moderator of the session.

Rev. Mr. Milloy, with Rev. J. A. Murray as alternate, was appointed to take Mr. Ballantyne's commission to the General Assembly.

The London East Church applied for leave to increase their mortgage from \$950 to \$4,000 for the purpose of enlarging their church building. Mr. Cheesbrough showed that the congregation had already subscribed \$1,633 towards this work. On motion of Mr. Andrew Thompson the request was granted.

The Presbytery closed with prayer. BRIGHT'S DISEASE AGAIN.

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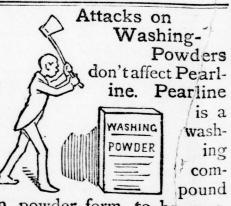
OTTAWA, May 22 .- The annual meeting of the Royal Society of Canada began today in the Normal School. Among those present were President Dr. G. M. Dawson, C.M.G.; Vice-President Abbe Lemoine; Prof. O. C. Marsh, of New Haven, Conn.; Dr. L. W. Bailey, New Brunswick University, St. John, N. B.; G. F. Matthews, St. John, N. B.; H. H. MacKay, superintendent of education, Nova Scotia; Lieut .-Gov. Schultz, of Manitoba; Sir William Dawson, Louis Frechette, Profs. Mills, of Montreal, and Abbe Casgrain, Quelec. The assembly hall was filled with spectators.

The society presented an address to Lord Aberdeen, who was made an honorary vicepresident of the society. His Excellency made a speech in reply, in which he dwelt on the value of the work done by such a

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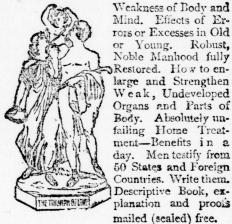
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THE QUEEN. To-morrow, Queen Victoria celebrates

the 75th anniversary of her birth at her Highland home in Scotland, among the loved Prince Consort, she spent so many of the happy days of her early life. Probably more than in any other portion of the world. Her Majesty's birthday is observed with zest in Canada. This arises from the fact that the anniversary comes at a most appropriate time-midway between Good Friday and Dominion Day and just as the beauties of a Canadian summer are fresh to the eye of the holiday-maker. But it also comes from a profound respect which the rder-loving, progressive people have for their Sovereign as a woman, as a mother, as a strictly constitutional ruler. Queen Victoria has been a model ruler, and monarchical institutions have been distinctly buttressed by her admirable behavior during a long and eventful reign. Her career has been in such marked contrast with that of more than one sovereign of Great Britain, and with some of her contemporary crowned heads, that it is not difficult to discover the well-spring of her popularity, of the respect entertained for her, not only by those owning her sway at home and abroad, but by many millions of the English-speaking race who were cut off from the parent country by the blundering of a stupid predecessor. Her Majesty has had a long and prosperous reign, albeit she has enjoyed no immunity from that domestic bereavement and sorrow that comes to all, both great and humble, and no subject worthy of the name will wish her any other fate than a long continuance of a reign that has been more eventful, more prosperous, more progressive, more beneficial to the human race than that of any of her illustrous predecessors, not even excluding the days of good Queen Bess.

On the 20th of June next, Queen Victoria will have reigned 57 years. Only one sovereign of Great Britain has exceeded this term. George III. began to reign in 1760, and his successor ascended the throne in 1820, but during a portion of the intervening 60 years the unfortunate King could scarcely be said to have reigned. Henry III. was King of England from 1216 to 1272-fiftysix years. When he began his reign he was in ill-health and only a boy of sixteen. He had a chequered career. The country met with many reverses by the war on the continent. Several fine French provinces were wrested from English control, and in the succeeding civil war the King was made a captive. More hurtful to British interests were the great events in the reign of George III. He aided in the loss of the American colonies. Great Britain was dragged into costly and exhaustive wars with neighbors, and the public debt of the country, which had doubled during the reign of George II., when it was about as large as that of Canada now is, was increased from \$510,-070,090 when George III. ascended the throne to the fabulous and oppressive sum of \$4,174,504,800 in 1820, when George IV.

became king. The contrast between the long rules of the past with those of her Majesty is thus most marked. How different it might have been if Queen Victoria had been less of a constitutional ruler and more of an autocratic head of the nation. While other thrones have toppled she has been guided by the wisdom of the great minds who have been her advisers-by Melbourne, by Robert Peel, by Derby, by Aberdeen, by Paimerston, by Russell, by Disraeli, by fail to be in some degree a gainer. The Gladstone (the unexcelled), and now by the worst of it is that the relief will be predemocratic Rosebery. She has witnessed the quiet evolution of the electorate from a comparatively narrow franchise to what is rirtually the reign of the common people. Mr. Cleveland's presidential term is ended, She has witnessed the advance of the be undone by a Republican Congress. democracy, and she has done so with. Commercial union, which would have swept out apprehension, for she knows that the practical British people respect free trade, and at the same time multiplied

intrigues, which cost more than one of her predecessors their heads, the Queen and her family have identified themselves with the life of the nation, and have aided in the promotion of the social and industrial welgood sense, and have in no small degree contributed to the stability of her Majesty's throne. And just in proportion as the royal family continue to recognize the necessity for steadily pursuing this line of conduct, and in responding to the highest aspirations of the English-speaking race, of which the British Isles are the center, will the stability of the monarchy be promoted or impaired.

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Mr. Goldwin Smith's connection as honorary president of the Continental Union Association with the unionist movement having attracted attention and called forth comment both in Canada and in England, an ADVERTISER representative in Toronto interviewed him as to his present position and that of the association in regard to this question. His reply is as

"The movement in favor of continental union was as spontaneous and as natural as any popular movement could be. It was caused by the impoverishment resulting As an Englishman, looking, before all from the loss of the American market consequent on the passing of the McKinley Act. Farm property had greatly fallen, and was still falling in value. The flower of our population was going over in great numbers to the United States, and there were thousands of houses vacant in Toronto, partly, no doubt, as a result of the collapse of the boom in real estate, but partly also from commercial depression. In these circumstances it was natural, and, unless blind allegiance is the duty of our people it was right, that they should challenge policy and call for a free discussion of external relascenes of rugged beauty where, with her be- tions. I have the best authority for believing that the feeling, though unorganized, was strong throughout the border counties and in the Province of Quebec. No one who knows Canada needs to be told that unionist sentiments are often entertained without being avowed in public, and are even sometimes masked in public by conventional homage to British

> "The notion that the movement was got up by me is utterly baseless. When it commenced I was away at a health resort in her European trade. But there is a narthe South, and it had come to a head before row limit to an old man's personal pros-Assuredly I had no hand in bringing on the economical crisis by which it was produced, for I was the president of the Commercial Union Association, the object of which was to obtain for Canada free access to the American market without prejudice to the political question. I wrote against the McKinley Act, and when the Government at Washington, irritated by the conduct of the Government at Ottawa, was shutting the door against reciprocity, I did everything in my power to get the door left ajar. Nor will anyone hold me responible for the unfriendly feeling between the United States and Canada which shows itself, among other manifestations, in tariff war. Strong as my belief is in the advantages and the ultimate certainty of union, I have never desired to see its coming hastened by any sort of pressure, or brought about in any but a free and honorable way, with the full consent of our mother country. That the advocacy of continental union under these conditions, whether it may be deemed politic or not, is not deemed treasonable in England, recent intercourse with Englishmen and with English statesmen enables me confidently to assert. Personal object, I could have none. No possible benefit of any kind could accrue to me from any political change. I knew that in countenancing the movement I should have a social gauntlet to run in Toronto, though I could scarcely anticipate the behavior of some who flatter themselves that they are the counterparts of English gentlemen and the models for our manners. I was in fact brought to the front at last largely by my allow men, young men especially, who might have been influenced by my writings combines, which weighed so heavy on the to go under fire while I remained safe in my

> "The object of the Continental Union Association was not, as its enemies said, to hand over Canada to the United States, but | showed plainly enough that he went into to obtain by constitutional means the leave | the Ottawa business only for the sake of of the British Government for the submission of the question to the Canadian people, attacked the Mowat Government, for he and to furnish the people with such in- said they were just as bad. He wanted all formation as was necessary to prepare them | salaries cut down, but would of course have for the vote. Its main work has been by the circulation of literature, to make the (\$1,000 a year), as it now is. At the close facts, especially the commercial facts, more generally known through the country, and family, and until he got his present office especially to the farming population. Nor do I think that it can be accused of having sent abroad anything that was unconstitu- the election, the two parties were found tional, inflammatory, needlessly offensive. or not likely to conduce to the calm and practical consideration of this momentous

> "Since the formation of the Continental Union Society, however, the immediate tion was evidently more than he expected, situation has, in two respects, been greatly changed, and eyes which at that time were turned towards continental union have since been turned, for the time at least, in

another direction. "In the first place, the party opposed to the McKinley Act and to protection has come into power in the United States and taken in hand the revision of the tariff. What the outcome will be we scarcely yet know. Probably it will be a reduction of duties, including some which affect Canada, though far from a tariff carious. Next year may, and according to present electoral indications probably will, see the protectionist party returning to power, and what is now done may, when away the customs line, given both couna good wife, a good mother, a and strengthened commercial connections, fact is evident enough that he has not the sympathizing headcenter of a great would have had in it the promise of per-slightest expectation of being elected. He

people. Instead of engaging in political | manence. But there is no trusting to the permanence of the present legislation, and the Canadian farmer can scarcely sow his land or raise cattle in the confident expectation of being able to export his grain or stock. For the present, however, the effect of tariff revision, or the prospect fare of the people. In this they have shown of it, has been the same as that of the reciprocity treaty of 1854, which stayed the strong movement, then on foot, in favor the time to have ceased, while some of those who had emigrated have returned.

"In the second place there has been a financial crisis of the most disastrous kind in the United States, aggravated and protracted by the conflict in Congress about the tariff. It seems probable that this crisis is the penalty of unsound management and speculation; that of the apparent loss much is practically liquidation; that the vital sources of national prosperity remain unimpaired; and that before long the action of the recuperative forces will be seen. But in the meantime the evil effects are felt through all departments of industry and trade. Added to the financial crisis is the coal strike, scattering commercial havoc far beyond its own pale. It was to be expected that this spectacle, while it lasted, should cause Canadians to recoil from closer relation with the country which is its scene.

"There could be no use in the unseasonable discussion of a great question, or in pressing on the public mind a subject from which, at the moment, it is averse. The only effect would be fruitless irritation, which every sensible and right-minded man would wish to avoid. The Continental Union Association, therefore, has acted wisely in suspending any operation more aggressive than the quiet circulation of literature among those who express a wish for information, and of whom the number has been large.

"It is my firm belief, a belief in which 25 years of familiarity with this question in all its aspects have confirmed me, that the reunion of the English-speaking race on this continent is the dictate of nature, and that without it the resources of Canada cannot be developed, nor can her people enjoy their destined measure of prosperity and the fair earnings of their labor. things, to the interest and honor of my native land, I am convinced that Great Britain, instead of being the loser, will be greatly the gainer by exchanging a barren and dangerous liability for the assured friendship of all her offspring on this side of the Atlantic and the friendly voice of Canada in the councils of this continent. In this I have had the concurrence of Englishmen, not only unquestionably patriotic, but high in the service of the state. It is my belief elso that nature will in the end prevail, though her triumph may be long delayed by special interests, such as that which an official class has in a separate government. that of protected manufacturers, or that of aspirants to Imperial honors, as well as by the general sentiment which has been created by a century of separation, and a series of disputes, territorial or commercial. just as the union of Scotland and England was delayed long after its benefits had been demonstrated by Bacon; while on the other hand the consummation may any day be brought about by a sudden stroke of destiny, such as a great maritime war in Europe, which would cut off Canada from pects, though not to his hopes or aspirations for the good of his community and his kind, and when next the question of Continental Union comes practically before the Canadian people the cause will have passed into other hands than mine."

Some Forcible Questions Put to Candidate Welch.

He Will Vote Against Sir Oliver Mowat.

Attempt to Play the Roome Election Dodge Again.

APPIN, May 22.-The election racket is here, and last night we listened to the latest nominee of the Patrons explaining his views in the school house of school section No. 4, Ekfrid. There was a good attendance of those wishing to hear what he had to say, and certainly he did not give them much for their trouble in coming. He be-gan with the farmers, and said if they were united they could control all legislation for their own benefit. He then slid off on the Dominion's enormous expense of the Senate loyalty to liberty of opinion, which there and House of Commons at Ottawa, the was a disposition to impugn, and which, Governor-General's salary, superannuations, I trust as a public writer and a citizen, I etc., which, of course, if elected, he was goshall never tail to uphold. Nor would it | ing to reduce. Then the tariff came in for have been very chivalrous on my part to review, and he was going to have that reduced to a revenue basis and so destroy all farmers, who were the bone and sinew of the country. But the after part of his little speech, which evidently he had been committing to memory for some time, the assumption that he was fair when he his own salary, as secretary of the Patrons Mr. Welch, who is of a Conservative always worked with the Conservatives, was asked the question, "Suppose, after relatively to stand as they now do, and on the meeting of Parliament a vote of want of confidence in the Government was moved, how would you vote? Would you support the Government?" Such a quesbut he said he would support any government that would give the required legislation. This was not satisfactory, and he was pressed for a more explicit answer. He then said he, as a Patron, would support any government that would give legislation satisfactory to the organization. This would not do, and he was then asked what he would do if a vote of want of confidence was moved before any legislation was introduced? To this he gave the same evasive reply, showing clearly that he would not support the Mowat Government if elected. He was then asked if he belonged to the P. P. A. organization. This was evidently another unexpected snag. In answer to this he refused to say, though pressed hard, whether he

was or was not a member. He was then

asked simply to say that he was not a

member, and this he absolutely refused to

say, on the plea that the P. P. A. is a "re-

ligious order." The meeting was there-

fore left to infer, and no one listening to

his squirming could infer anything clse,

is merely used as a decoy duck for the Conservative party, and every Liberal vote given to him on the 26th of June, whether the voter be a Patron or P. P. A., is a vote given to the Conservatives. The Conservatives present last night seemed to understand the game thoroughly, and supported Mr. Welch heartily. It will be recollected that a short time ago John A Leitch, the Conservative nominee, was of continental union. The exodus from in Strathroy, where Mr. Welch has Canada to the United States appears for his office, and we may imagine that John did not come away without calling on Lyman. Put this with John's denunciation of the Patrons when he was west, and the conclusion is irresistible that there is a "combine." The plan is doubtless that worked at the last election in this riding. If John A. Leitch can drive the Liberal Patron to vote for Welch, the whole Conservative brigade regardless of any obligation, will go for Leitch. Let every Liberal poll his vote for Ross, and place no confidence in the men who have so frequently deceived them,

THAT ROYAL FARCE REPORT.

Rumor in Toronto That it is Being Pur-

posely Kept Back at Ottawa. TORONTO, May 23 .- A very prominent prohibitionist informs your correspondent that there is grave reason to believe that the report of the Royal Commission on the Liquor Traffic will not be presented to Parliament in time for its consideration this session. Despite Sir John Thompson's pledge some time ago for an early issue of at least a preliminary report, none such is forthcoming. At first this was attributed to the absence of Mr. E. F. Clarke, at the Ontario Legislature, but that has been prorogued for some time. The evidence collected with such deliberation, it was remarked, has all been in for months. The opinion is gaining ground here that the report will not see the light this session, unless vigorous action is taken to demand it by some member on the floor of the House.

The Gas Was Turned On! Toronto, May 22. - Jennie Hamilton, e lomestic, employed for a few days past at 38 Metcalfe street, by John Murray, was found dead in bed this morning by her employer. The gas was turned on and the girl had been asphyxiated.

NOT EVEN A STRAW.

(Sarnia Observer.) The London Free Press has fallen into an amusing error in classifying Mr. J. M. Courtright, of Inwood, as a Liberal who admired Mr. Meredith so much that he refused the nomination of the East Lamb. ton Liberals. The Conservatives of Lambton feel humiliated over the ignorance displayed by the leading party organ in Western Ontario, as to the prominent men of its own party in this country, and the Liberals are laughing at its frantic efforts to find something to say to bolster up Mr. Meredith's waning influence in London. The Free Press has probably learned by this that Mr. Courtright was the Conservative nominee-apparent for East Lambton, until the P. P. A. wing of the party stepped in and threw him overboard for an outsider of their own stripe.

UNTRUTHS ABOUT LICENSES. (Port Hope Guide.)

The Toronto World publishes a cartoon this morning, labeled "Moral Suasion," and says: "The Government, through license commissioners, are now holding back licenses in Hamilton, Stratford, Peterboro and Durham, and wherever they consider themselves weak. It is a well-considered plan of intimidation directed against wavering liquor men.'

We are not in a position to say aught about Hamilton, Stratford or Peterboro, but if the charges against the license officials are as untrue there as they are here in Durham, we can say that there is not a tittle of evidence to show that any intimidation is practiced. Here, on the contrary, one of the commissioners is a life-long Conservative. It so happens that three hotels were refused a renewal of their licenses, two of those were Liberals, and one application from Port Hope was dismissed, the applicant being a life-long Liberal. The licenses were all granted on or prior to April 28. The World had better try another tack.

The Downward Path.

Senior partner-Keep a close watch on De Ledger's accounts this summer. Junior partner-Eh? Is he playing the races? Senior partner-Worse! He has moved to the suburbs and is going to raise his own

The worst of cannibals is a monster who feeds on a good wife's heart.

When a man turns hog he more than makes up in bristles what he lacks in hams. A blackmailing sheet is the only place in which to advertise for lost reputation. Wit tickles with a sting.

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For about ten or twelve years I have been thoubled with scrofula. My head was always sore, my face was dry and scaly, and burned like fire most of the time. My body had big red spots on it, and I did not know what to do. I went to four different doctors and they helped me at first. In the fall I got worse again; then I tried other remedies, but they did me no good. I was ashamed to go into public. I was a sight to look at. Every one would say, "What is the matter, why don't you take something?" Even at my daily labor I had to wear a sort of cap to keep the dirt

thing?" Even at my daily labor I had to wear a sort of cap to keep the dirt from getting into the sores. After I would wash, I would be covered with big red pimples all over my neck and face. Some two or three people advised me to try the CUTICURA REMEDIES. I did try them, and am glad I have done Glad to say I am a well man, and in the best health since. I cannot praise the CUTICURA EMEDIES too highly. I enclose my portrait.

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Choose from a full stock. Don't put it off. Come early.

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First, of course. We have some dainty little Socks, in pink, pale blue, white or black, at 12 1/2 c a pair. Baby looks so cute in them, and the colors will not stain.

For the Children

We have 3/4 Cotton Hose, in black, white, pink and pale blue-all fast colors,

12½c, 14c and 15c a pair.

For the Girls

We have Black Cotton, spliced knees' heels and toes, Hermsdorf dye, at 9c' 10c, 12½c, 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c, 30c and

Tan, Cardinal and White, stainless dye, spliced heel and toe, at 121/2c, 15c, 18c, 20c and 25c a pair.

Cashmere, spliced heel and toe, at 18c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 40c and 50c a pair.

For the Boys

Black Ribbed Cot ton Hose, spliced knees, heels and toes, Hermsdorf dye, at 12½c, 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c, 3 oc, 35c. Ribbed Cashmere spliced knees, heels and toes, 18c, 20c, 25c, 3oc, 35c, 45c, 50c a pair.

For Men

We have strong Black Cotton Hose (Hermsdorf dye), spliced, at 121/2c, 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c and 40c. Lisle Thread, in

colors, at 30c. Also a special line of Black Silk Hose

black and fancy

(Hermsdorf dye), spliced, great value at 50c a pair. Balbriggan, spliced heel and toe, at

12½c, 18c and 25c. Natural Wool, reinforced heels and toes, at 25c and 35c.

For Women

We have something special and extra value. Black Cotton Hose, 40 gauge. Hermsdorf dye, spliced heel and toe, at 121/2c a pair. See these, sure.

Combed Maco Cotton, spliced, Hermsdorf dye, at 15c, 18c and 19c pair. Silky Fibre Egyptian Cotton Hose,

spliced sole, heel and toe, Hermsdorf black, at 25c and 38c. Cardinal, Tan and White Hose, stain-

less dye, spliced, at 19c and 25c a pair. Balbriggan, reinforced heel and toe, at 121/2c, 15c, 18c and 25c pair.

Super Lisle, extra 4-thread, spliced, at 40c, 60c and 75c pair.

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Ladies' Opera Hose, in pink and black, at 35c a pair.

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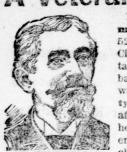
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A Veteran's Story



Mr. Joseph Hemmerich, an old soldier, 529 E. 146th St., N. Y. City, writes us voluntarily. In 1862, at the battle of Fair Oaks, he was stricken with typhoid fever, and after a long struggle in hospitals, lasting several years, was discharged as incurable

with Consumption. Doctors said both lungs were affected and he could not live long, but a comrade urged him to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. Before he had finished one bottle his cough began to get loose, the cheking sensation left, and night sweats grew less and less. He is now in good health

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THE WEEEL

THE LONDON MEET. The bicycle races on the Queen's birth. day will be run in the following order: 1-1 mile, novice, first heat.

2-1 mile, novice, second heat. 3-1 mile, 2:50 class.
4-4 mile, open, flist heat.
5-1 mile, novice, final heat.
6-1 mile, city championship.

7-1 mile, open, second heat. 8-2 mile, handicap. 9-4 mile, open, final heat. 10-½ mile, 1:20 class. 11-2 mile, Huron district championship.

13-3 mile, team race. THE TWO MILE HANDICAP.

Scratch—L. Callahan, Buffalo; W. F. Lutz,
Buffalo; W. M. Carman, Toronto.

50 yards—W. G. Bender, Toronto; F. A. Forel,

Buffalo.
75 yards—T. J. Heazlett, Detroit; T. B. Mc-Carthy. Toronto; J. Schmidt, Buffalo.
100 yards—R. O. Blayney. Simcoe; A. Rogers,
Toronto; J. Crow, Toronto.
125 yards—J. Burnside, Toronto; S. Aikens, Hamilton. 150 yards-S. G. Wharan, Toronto; W. J.

Young, Toronto. 200 yards-W. M. McIntosh, Toronto; T. F.

200 yards—W. M. McIntosh, Toronto; T. F. Radway, London.
225 yards—A. McLeod, Sarnia; —. Lougheed, Sarnia; W. Devine, St. Thomas; C. White, London; C. Manville, London.
250 yards—E. Manning, Toronto; E. B. Phelps, Sarnia; W. S. Smith, Toronto; F. Morehead, London; C. J. Wade, London; C. Tambling, London; Tambling, London. 275 yards-P. Mushall, St. Thomas; J. J. Foote.

London; J. Tambling, London; J. Bennett, London. 300 yards—F. Dunbar, Stratford; A. Brown, London; A. J. Wright, London; F. Hide,

London.
300 yards—A. F. Little, London; W. W. Blackwell, London; R. Neil, Stratford. THE POSTPONED PARADE.

After holding of until the very last moment, the rain spoiled the intended bicycle parade and lantern display last night. But it takes more than rain to discourage the bicyclers of London, and, weather permitting, the parade will take place to-night with even more eclat than would have been evident last night. As it was there was more than one wheel prepared to turn out. No less than 45 entries were received from wheelmen with decorations, and everything pointed to a magnificent display. A brass band was on hand in a 'bus drawn by four beautiful white horses. The streets were crowded with a much disappointed crowd, and not until the rain began to pour did they abandon all hope. To-night will witness a parade unlike any yet seen in London.

The London wheelmen purpose making up for last night's disappointment by holding a great illuminated calithumpian procession to-morrow night in Queen's Park. where arrangements have been made to accommodate all riders who wish to decorate. All cyclists-club members or not-are in-

FOR SUNDAY WHEELMEN. London, May 21 .- A recent issue of an English paper is responsible for the state. ment that "Lord William Cecil, rector of Hatfield, and a son of Lord Salisbury, proposes to bring the church into direct rela-tions with the large army of Sunday wheelmen. Special seats are to be provided for their exclusive use, with ample equipment of devotional tomes, and arrangements will be made to place wheels under lock and key while the riders are at their devotions. Notices to this effect have been posted at all the inns."

INTERNATIONAL RACING IN FRANCE. Paris, May 21 .- The international bicycle race between Bordeau and Paris ended yesterday morning. The Frenchman, Lesna, was declared the winner. He had covered the distance in 25 hours 11 minutes. Lucas finished at 11:11, Samson at 12:50, Lumsden and Berthier came in next and the rest were strung out for miles. There were 87 starters. It was windy and wet and the roads were in a terrible condition. Frank Wallers' pneumatic tire gave out repeatedly, and he finally abandoned the race at 8:30 yesterday, when he was one hour behind Lesna.

SPOKES. Sarnia has a bicycle rider who promises great things. He is a novice, but shows great speed. On a track that was not fast he, Monday, won a five-mile race in 15:31,



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with lots of speed left in him, defeating a lot of old riders. Queen's Park track was in fine condition

vesterday before the rain. A few hours of sunshine will dry it up. THE TRIGGER.

Over 500 live birds have been secured and valuable prizes are offered for the Tecumseh Gun Club tournament in Chatham on May 24. The leading trap shots from Detroit, London and other sporting centers in this vicinity will be on hand. THE TURF.

AT GRAVESEND, N. Y. New York, May 22.—First race, 5 mile -Applause 1, Herkimer 2, Monotony 3. Time, 1:041.

Second race, mile and a furlong—Blitzen 1, Picknicker 2, Count 3. Time, 1:59. Third race, § mile—Tancred 1, St. Vincent 2, Chicot 3. Time, 1:043.

Fourth race, mile and a furlong-Nahma Jersey Belle 2, Baroness 3. Time, 2:03. Fifth race, a mile-Hoy 1, Madstone 2, Dominion 3. Time, 1:17. Sixth race, mile and sixteenth-Aurelian 3, Dobbins 2, Sir Knight 3. Time, 1:51.

DROPPED DEAD. The Pamlico (Baltimore, Md.,) Driving Club began its spring meeting Tuesday. The sensation of the day came in the third race, when Harry P., a black gelding by Pascarel, with a record of 2:264, fell dead. The horse sold favorite and finished third in the first heat. The animal had just been sold, and was valued at \$1,000.

AT WOODBINE PARK. TORONTO, May 22 .- The executive committee of the Ontario Jockey Club are determined to have the track in condition for racing on Thursday if at all possible. A large gang of men were set to work today filling up the holes on the track and otherwise repairing the damage done by the rain storm. The steeplechase course, however, is very wet and the going even on Thursday will be heavy. The track is being harrowed and by to-morrow, if the weather continues good, will begin to take on a race-like appearance again.

Mr. Strathy's jumper Mars ran away while being exercised and threw the jockey, a lad named Langmuir, over his head, fracturing his collar bone.

BASEBALL. NATIONAL LEAGUE SCORES-TUESDAY. At Boston-rell. Umpire-Stage. At Chicago-Batteries-Griffith and Kittredge; Ehret and

Mack. Umpire-Emslie. At St. Louis-At Brooklyn-Postponed; rain.

At Philadelphia-No game; rain. At Cleveland-No game; wet grounds. EASTERN LEAGUE SCORES-TUESDAY. At Buffalo-

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Batteries—Vickery and Leahy; Galvin and
Urquhart. Umpire—Hunt. At Erie-

At Binghamton-No game; rain. At Wilkesbarre-No game; wet grounds.

FLYS. A good game of ball was played Monday afternoon between the Holy Angel's school and the Rectory street school, which resulted in favor of the first named nine by a score of 20 to 10. Batteries-Healy and Vincent, Lee and Ross.

Poison in the Cheese.

BLACK RIVER, Mich., May 22.-The leadng grocer of this city cut and sold some new cheese, which proved to be infected with poison. Ten families are in convulsions and there is great excitement. All are in a critical condition.

Great Horse Sale. CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 22 .- At the opening of Tattersall's May sales this morning the mart was crowded with horsemen from all over the country. There were 239 horses in all, and the quality was superior. The first pick of the lot, Maud A, record 2:191, was sold for \$1.600: Marigold, \$450; Ina, 2:25\(\frac{3}{4}\), \$750; Midget Wilkes, with a half-mile trial of 1:09, \$700. The sale will last six days.

An Eveless Eden.

In Mongolia, close to the borders of Russian Siberia, is Maiwatchin, and it is the only city in the world peopled by men only. The Chinese women are not only forbidden to live in this territory, but even to pass the great wall of Kalkan and enter into Mongolia. All the Chinese of this border city are exclusively traders, and they accumulate money still their trading with Europe through Siberia has created sufficient fortune to enable them to return to their native cities and live there in ease with their families.

The New Hat for British Infantry.

The juvenile-looking and ugly "Glengarry" cap, or "Scotch cap," which for a quarter of a century has been worn with undress uniform by all British infantry soldiers, has just been abolished. The new cap is cance shaped, made of blue cloth, with folding side flaps, which are fastened up with heeks and eyes, and with two ency Bill to come from the Senate. A reregimental buttons in front. The flaps when let down cover the ears, and thus interesting subject, and the Government worn the cap forms a complete protection for the soldier's head in bad weather or when sleeping under canvas or in the open

Construction of "Quadrants."

There is a very great difference in bicycles, although to the uninitiated they all look pretty much the same, Nickel and enamel count for little these days, in fact it is, as a rule, the cheapest machines that are the most gaudy in appearance. The crucial test is material and construction, and in this regard nothing could possibly excel the "Quadrant" No. 22, R. R. In every detail it is perfection itself and that accounts for its remarkably free and easy running. A correspondent writes that he rode one of these machines 4,000 miles without the necessity of giving it any attention beyond oiling. The bearings were then taken apart and examined and found to be absolutely perfect; there was not even the usual impress made by the balls." We call particular attention to our patent crank, it is certainly one of the finest methods for obtaining a narrow tread that has ever been invented. It will appeal strongly to all cycling "cranks." There are numerous improvements on our '94 pattern "Quadrants," all of which will doubtless be copied by other makers even as they have copied our double plate crown, tubular forks and other features. but enough has been said to show that the Quadrant" Company are leaders and not ollowers in the art of cycle construction. CARROLL, McKENZIE & Co., 237 Dundas street, London, Ont., Canadian representa-

A drunkard can swallow more money than a whole family can earn.

At Amyot's Description of the Third Party's Mission.

Mr. Foster Announces That the Tariff is About Finished.

The House Will Adjourn To-Day Until Monday-The Tariff Dropped To Go Into Supply.

(Special to the ADVERTISER.) OTTAWA, Ont., May 22.—On the opening of the House Sir John Thompson moved that Government business have precedence to-morrow, and that when the House adjourned to-morrow it should stand ad-

journed until Monday, May 28.

Mr. Laurier agreed to the motion, but
Mr. Mulock protested that important public bills were not receiving that consideration to which they were entitled. He instanced his bill to regulate ocean freight rates on cattle. Mr. Mulock earnesdy urged the gravity of the matter in view of the surplus stock held by the farmers and others of Canada, and asked as an alternative that the Government should give an assurance that they would take the matter up and deal with it this session.

Sir Hibbert Tupper gave some reasons why this cattle bill should not be hurried through. He had been promised information by a member of the deputation which waited on him as to rates from Montreal contrasted with the rates from Boston, but that information had not yet been furnished.

Sir John Thompson thought it was too early to give any assurances. He was not prepared to say that the Government would take the bill and treat it as a Government measure, but they would do all they could.

Mr. McCarthy remined the House that the early days of the session had been devoted to a discussion of the tariff. With regard to the cattle bill, they should be careful not to unduly interfere with the shipping interests of Montreal. Mr. Mc-Carthy alluded to the notorious fact that the discussion on the Weldon Bill had been protracted over two Wednesdays with the design, it was stated in the press, of obstructing his bill respecting the North-

The Minister of Public Works, who had himself taken a hand in obstructing the passage of the Weldon Bill, rose to a point of order. Mr. McCarthy, he complained, was charging members with obstructing

Mr. Speaker ruled that a charge of this kind would be out of order. Mr. McCarthy agreed with Mr. Speaker, and remarked that he had made no such charge. He had said that the press made

the charge. Mr. Amyot, to whose red eye Mr. Mc-Carthy's form acts as the proverbial rag to the buil, complained that Mr. McCarthy had referred to him as an obstructionist. As a matter of fact Mr. McCarthy had named no names, and Mr. Amyot was simply fitting the cap to his own head. He went on to twit Mr. McCarthy with only coming to Ottawa at times "to make in the history of Jewish immigration," and description of the mission of the third

Mr. McCarthy told Mr. Amyot that he had not referred to him. This ended the little impromptu discussion and the motion was carried.

Mr. Foster then moved the House into committee of supply.

This was the first motion of the session to go into supply, and Mr. Laurier ex-pressed surprise. The House would, perhaps, not have agreed to give the Government to-morrow except under the impression that the tariff was to be finally disposed of. Other members of the Opposition condemned the Government for allowing the tariff to stand over, hanging between heaven and earth. This led the Minister of Finance to say that the tariff was practically finished. There would be no more changes of any great moment. Sir Richard Cartwright said there was room for difference of opinion as to what

was of great moment. Mr. Foster said there was no danger of that. It was intended to reprint the tariff carefully before it was reported finally from committee, so as to see that every thing was right.

Sir Richard Cartwright reminded the speakers and newspaper writers who had declared that the tariff did not go through because of Opposition obstructions that the delay was really due to the immense number of changes, and to Mr. Foster's second thoughts and third thoughts being

different from his first.

Mr. Laurier asked if the new Government bills respecting the Elections Act. the Franchise Act and the Audit Act completed the Government programme for the session. He also wanted to know what ground there was for the statement in the press that the Government contemplated introducing a Redistribution Act for the Province of Quebec.

Sir John Thompson replied that there would be other measures-bills respecting the French treaty, respecting the Atlantic steamship service, respecting the joint stock companies, and there was the Insolvdistribution bill for Quebec was a very would like to deal with it if the session was long enough. This last remark was clearly a threat that if the Opposition made the session a long one they would be rewarded with a gerrymander in Quebec.

Mr. Laurier said quietly: "Very well; we understand." The House then went into committee of supply. The items for civil government were first discussed, and the Opposition took occasion to point out the heavy increases in the expenditures for civil government and dwelt on the extraordinary size of the Cabinet which exceeded, Sir Richard Cart-

wright said, that of any other Government on the face of the earth. On the item for the Department of Trade and Commerce, over which Mr. Bowell presides, Mr. Foster was unable to state what duties the department discharged except a supervision over steamship subsidies and "over trade generally." The committee rose at 11:35, and the

Breckinridge and the Seventh Commandment.

House adjourned.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 22. - The resolution bearing on the Breckinridge case was reported back to the Presbyterian General Assembly to-day by the committee on bills and overtures and passed without opposition. The resolution makes no direct reference to Col. Breckinridge, but is a pronounced declaration for purity in the lives of church members, and expresses condemnation of those who do violence to the Seventh Commandment.

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Pennsylvania's Rampant Rivers Resuming Their Course.

The Loss Not So Great as that Caused by Previous Floods.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 22.-Now that telegraphic communication has been practically restored to all points in the State, an estimate of the damage done by the flood of the past three days can be made. Although the rivers and streams were swollen to nearly as great heights as in the flood of 1889 the destruction wrought by the waters was not nearly so great as the inundation of five years ago.

Reports received to-night from all parts of the State, with the exception of Johnstown, show that the flood is going down. At Johnstown it rained heavily again today. Fresh torrents are pouring down from the mountain and again swelling the Conemaugh and threatening another over-

READING, Pa., May 22.—The Schuylkill River has ceased rising, and all danger of further damage is over. At Pottsville the rain has stopped falling. Only three colleries are working in

the Schuylkill region. It will take weeks to pump out the mines. TORONTO, May 22. - The Winchester street bridge is still in place this morning,

though in a very precarious condition. Eight piers under the steel bridge in Rosedale, connecting More Park with the city, were swept away by the loosening of the foundations, caused by the rushing of the water down the sides of the ravine. Binsearth bridge, a small wooden affair, is also washed away, blocking temporarily traffic in that section of the city.
WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., May 22.—This place

emerged from beneath the water to-day. Though many houses are flooded, but practically little property in the city itself is destroyed. The greatest loss was by the breaking away of a great log boom with its millions of feet of lumber. This and the consequent stoppage of the sawmills will raise the loss in this city and Lycoming county to about \$3,000,000.

A dozen deaths from drowning will cover the loss of life from the freshet. The railroads were badly washed out, but are rapidly recovering. MAUCH CHUNK, Pa., May 22 .- Every one of the fourteen collieries of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company located at Nesquehoning and Pansford is flooded.

The Soft Coal Famine.

DETROIT, Mich., May 22.—The question of fuel for steamers has reached a most acute stage in ihis vicinity. To-day there is no coal to be had at any of the wharves on the Detroit River, and the outlook for the near future is altogether discouraging. The only supply available now is what the Detroit Gas Light Company have stored at their works.

THE Independent refers to a letter in the London Times in which the Bishop of Jerusalem says that there has been a startling inpouring of Jews into Palestine lately. Within a few years about 10,000 have arrived, and the "arrival of a vaster host is imminent." The bishop believes that neglecting his parliamentary duties and the next seven years will be "very fateful Everybody laughed at this it may even affect the politics of the Syrian coast. Already there are railroads through out the region, and the land is sure to become populous,



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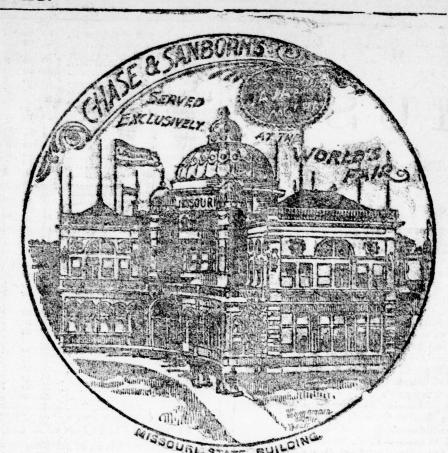
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London Money Market London Money Market.

London, May 23—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 1009-16
for money, 100\(\frac{1}{2}\) for account: Mexican, 17;

Mexican \(\frac{1}{2}\) Central, 55\(\frac{1}{2}\); \(\frac{1}{2}\) E. Paul, 50\(\frac{1}{2}\); \(\frac{1}{2}\); \(\frac{1

New York Stock Market. NEW YORK, May 23-1 p.m.-Stock market

firm.	
Atchison 93	C., B. & Q 781
Can. Southern 50%	Can. Pacific 65%
Del. & Hudson139	L. & N 454
Lake Shore 132	D. & L160
Nor. Pacific 33	Nor. Pacific, pref., 143
Northwestern1081	Mich. Central
Rhode Island, 672	N. Y. C 98½
St. Paul 59	St. Paul, pref
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	MONTREAL, May 23.

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Montreal Stock Market.	
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Duluth Railway, common 6	4
Duluth Railway, preferred 18	13
Grand Trunk Ry., firsts	_
Grand Trunk Ry., seconds	
Commercial Cable Company1401	139
Wabash	-
Wabash, preferred	
Montreal Telegraph Co1481	118
Rich. and Ont Navigation 76	72
Montreal Street Railway	141
Montreal Street Railway New 136	134
Montreal Gas Company169	168
Bell Telephone Company 149	147
Royal Electric	125
Bank of Montreal,223	219
Untario Bank,1123	100
Banque du Peupie126	_
Molsons Bank	-
Bank of Toronto	_
Banque Cartier	-
Merchants' Bank,162	159
Merchants Bank of Hanfax152	147
Union Bank	_
Bank of Commerce,	135
N. W. Land Company 572	
Montreal Cotton Company	121
Canada Colored Cotton Co 65	55
Dominion Cotton Company	108

SALES-Montreal Gas Company, 25 at 169;

Bank of Montreal, 4 at 220,	
Toronto Stock Market	
TORONTO, May	23.
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Montreal	2191
Ontario110	1084
Molsons	_
Toronto	
Merchants	1591
Commerce	1351
Imperial	178
Dominion	2811
Standard	164
Hamilton169	-
British America113	111
Western Assurance149	147
Canada Life	-
Confederation Life	_
Consumers' Gas	_
Dominion Telegraph	108
Northwest Land Company, pref 70	-
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Canada Pacific Railway Stock 66	65
Commercial Cable Company1401	139
Bell Telephone Company1483	148
Dominion Savings and Loan 85	82
Farmers' Loan and Savings 1184	-
Farmers L. and S., 20 per cent	150
Huron and Krie L. and S	160
Huron and Erie. 20 per cent	150
London and Canada L. and A 126}	125
London Loan	-
London and Ontario	113
Ontario Loan and Debenture135	131
SALES-Montreal, 10 at 110; Imperials,	50 at
81; Bell Telephone Co 20 at 148.	

COMMERCIAL.

Local Market. Reported by A.M Hamilton & Son. Wednesday, May 23.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

Grain receipts have been small on the London market this week, owing to the heavy lains. There has been no change in the price of any cereal but wheat, which took another trop, in sympathy with outside markets. Chicago, New York and Liverpool, all were much lower during the greater part of the week. Outside Canadian markets keep low, wheat being quoted from many points as low

closing price here was 90c to 98c, mostly 92c to 95c per cwt. Oats remained steady at \$1 05 to \$1 06, some days when the offerings were unusually light odd lots sold at \$1 07.

as 55c and in some cases 54c by the bushel; the

No barley, rye or buckwheat offered. Beans sold from 90c to \$1 per bushel; receipts

Peas were very scarce and in good demand ales from 90c to \$1 10 per cwt.

In the provision trade the only change ocan the provision trade the only change oc-turred in butter. For the first half of the week the supply was light and the price paid for pound rolls, and in fact all makes of choice quality were 1c to 2c per pound higher than the last half. The close was 15c to 16c for pounds in basket lots, 13c to 15c for large rolls and crocks.

Eggs came in freely and remained steady at to 10c by the basket.

This was the first week since winter that did not see an oversupply of meats. There was little or no change in price, but a much better business was done.

o change occurred in the price of hops.

Quite a quantity of wool has been marketed this week; there was a good demand. Good washed and clean wool sold at 15c to 16c per lb. Considerable poor quality of wool is being offered. A fact to be regretted, and mostly due to neglect and improper washing.

In vegetables we see little or no change, the

Potatoes range? from 7:c to 80c per bag.

Hay—Receip's were heavy all week despite he rain, and prices were lower, at \$7 to \$8 per on. Straw unchanger. Quototion:

Carron .				
GRAIN.			i	9
Wheat, white, fall, 100 lbs \$	90	to	98	-
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs	90	to	95	2
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	90	to	95	
Oats, per 100 lbs	1 05	to	1 06	
Peas, per 100 los	90	to	1 00	0
Corn, per 100 lbs	90	10	95	i
Barley, per 100 lbs	85	to	1 00	9
Rye, per 100 lbs	90	to	1 00	1
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	60	to	60	1 5
Beans, per bu	90	10	1 00	3
PROVISIONS				1
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Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz	9	to	10	
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Batter, single rolls, per lb	17	to	20	t
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Butter, per lb, tub or firkins	00	to	00
Lard, per Ib	11	to	. 12
HAY AND SEEDS			
Hay, per ton	7 00	to	8 50
Straw, per load	2 50	to	3 20
Clover seed, red, per bu	6 00	to	6 50
Clover seed, Alsike, per bu	6 00	to	6 75
Timothy seed, per bu	1 50	to	2 25
Hungarian seed, per bu	0 00	to	0 00
Millet seed, per bu	00	to	
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.			47
Beef. carcass. per lo	4	to	4.
Mutton, quarters, per 1b	6	to	1 6
Veal, quarters, per lb	4	to	
Lamb, quarters, per lb	7	to	1
Dressed hogs, 100 lb	6 50	to	6 00
Hides, No. 1, per lb	3	to	(
Hides, No 2 per lb	2	to	(
Hides. No. 3, per lb	1	to	1 (
Calfskins, green, per lb	4	to	. 1
Calfskins, dry, each	20	to	1 20
Sheepskins, each	40	to	68
Lambskins. each	10	to	15
Pelts each	00	to	U
Wool per lb	15	to	16
Tallow, rendered, per lb	51	ta	5
Tallow, rough, per lb	3	ta	:
Wood, hard	4 00	to	4 50
Wood sorv	2 50	to	2 50
VEGETABLES AND FR			
Apples, per bag	1 00	to	1 50
Cauliflowers, per dozen	1 00	to	1 50
Potatoes, per bag	70	to	90
Carrots, per bu	25	to	25
Turnips, per bu	20	to	20
Parsnips, per bu	50	to	50
Cabhaegs, per doz	25	to	1
Celery, per doz	25	to	53
Squashes, per doz	. 35	to	1 00
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Toronto Market.

FLOUR-Straight roller, \$2 65 to \$2 75; extra \$2 40 to \$2 50.

WHEAT—White, 57c to 58c: spring, No. 2. WHEAT—White, 57c to 58c; spring, No. 2. 59c to 60c; red winter, 57c to 58c; goose, 56c to 56ic; Manitoba hard. No. 1, 70c to 70c; Manitoba hard. No. 2, 69c to 69c.

PEAS—No. 2, 55c to 55c.

BARLEY—No. 1, 40c to 41c.

FEED—39c to 40c.

OATS—No. 2, 33ic to 33ic.

Market dull and unsettled. Sales—Red and white wheat outside at 57c, and spring

and white wheat outside at 57c, and spring outside at 60c; No. 1 Man. hard at 70c, Toronto freights; oats outside at 33½c to 34c, and on

track at 37c to 37tc. Montreal Produce Market. MONTREAL May 23. FLOUR-Receipts, 1,400 bbls; market quiet and unchanged. Patents, winter, \$3 40 to \$3 60; do. spring, \$3 40 to \$3 60; straight roller, \$2 90 to \$3 00; extra. \$2 60 to \$2 80; superfine, \$2 50 to \$2 60; strong bakers, \$3 40 to \$3 50;

Ontario bags. \$1 35 to \$1 40.

GRAIN—Wheat No. ? Manitoba card. 73c to 75c; corn. 52c to 54c; peas, 68c to 69c; oats, 38c to 39c; barley. 59c to 53c; rye, 51c to 53c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, \$2 00 to \$2 10; cornmeal, MEAL—Uniment, \$2 00 to \$2 10. Constitution \$120 to \$130.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, \$17 50 to \$18 00; lard 8c to 10c; bacon, 10c to 12c; hams, 93 to 11c, cheese, 10c to 11c; butter, townships. 16c to 18c; western. 14c to 16c; eggs, 10c to 11c.

English Markets. Beerbohm's report by cable.

Cargoes on passage-Wheat cheaper to sell corn quiet but steady.

Mark Lane—Wheat quieter; corn steady. flour slow; spot good; Danube corn, 17s 9d, was 17s 9d; prompt, 16s 6d, was 16s 3d; No. 2 R, W. prompt steamer, 22s 6d, was 22s 6d; present and following month, 20s 6d, was 20s 3d. Weather in England cold and wet,

Liverpool-Spot wheat cheaper to sell, corn steady with a fair demand; R. W., 48 42d-2d

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Wheat quiet, demand poor, holders offer moderately; corn steady, demand moderate, American Markets.

WHEAT-541c cash and May; 552c July 56½c Aug; 57½c Sept.
CORN—39c cash and May.
OATS—36c bid cash.

WHEAT—Closes: 53% c cash: 54% July.

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DETROIT, May 23.

WHEAT—Closes: No. 1 white 55% c asked cash; No. 2 red, 53% c cash; 55% July; 56% Aug.

The wheat market to-day was unsettled. Lower cables and contradisory reports as to damage by frost led to this condition. The close showed a loss of ac for the day. Corn closed easy. Oats were active, closing le abov yesterday. Provisions were weak. At th close July pork was 10c under yesterday. July lard 12c lower and July ribs 5c lower. Estimated receipts for to-morrow: Wheat, 56 cars; corn, 235 cars; oats, 163 cars; hogs, 24,000. Freight rates were steady. There was a fair demand for vessel room at 15c for wheat and the for corn to Buffelo; le for corn to Buffelo;

le for corn to Buffalo: le for corn to Port Huron and 2le for corn to Kingston. THE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED.
WHEAT-May, 55c; July, 56gc; Sept., 57kc; Dec., 60½c. CORN—May, 37c; July, 87½c; Sept., 38½c. OATS—May, 33½c; June, 33½c; July, 3

Sept., 26gc.
MESS PORK—May, \$1170; July. \$11774. Sept., \$11 874. LARD - May, \$6 921; July, \$6 75; Sept. \$6 80. SHORT RIBS - May, \$6 121; July and Sept., \$6 10. CASH QUOTATIONS:

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Flour unchanged; No. 2 spring wheat, 56gc; No. 3 do, 51c to 58c; No. 2 red, 55c; No. 2 corn, 371c; No. 2 costs, 33fc; No. 2 rye, 45c; No. 2 barley, 58c; mess pork, \$11 70 to \$11 72½; lard, \$6 92; to \$6 95; short ribs sides, \$6 17½ to \$6 20. dry salted shoulders, \$5.75 to \$6; short clear sides, \$6.62k to \$7.12k

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Receipts-			
Flour	13,000	Wheat	31.60
Corn		Cats	
Rye	4,060	Barley	
Shipmenu-			
Flour	3.000	Wheat	57.00
Corn	135,000	Oats	139.00
Rye	1,000	Barley	2.00
	Bu	FFALO, N. Y., Ma	AV 22.

WHEAT-Spring wheat-Dull and lower: spot No. 1 hard closed 65½c; No. 1 northern, 64c; early sales at 64¢c, to arrive; No. 1 hard, 10,000 bu sold at 64½c. Winter wheat—Fair trade; closed No. 2 red, 57½c, in store; track

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CORN—Closing quiet and easy; No. 2 yellow, 42½c to 42½c; No. 3 yellow, 42c; No. 2 corn, 42c; No. 3 corn, 41c on track; No. 2 yellow, in store, 42½c to 42½c; No. 3 yellow, 41½c to 42c; No. 2 corn, 40¼c; No. 3 corn, 39½c. Sales on track: 4 cars No. 2 yellow, 48c; 8 cars do, 42½c. Sales in store: 4.100 bu No. 2 corn, 40½c; 25,000 bu do, 40½c; 4.200 bu No. 3 corn. 59½c. 4.200 bu No. 3 corn. 594c. OATS—Quiet; 10 cars No. 2 white sold at 40c

to 40/c; closing 40c.

RYE-Lower; No. 2, 50c asked in store.

FLOUR-Weak.

MILLF #FD-Dull; 5 cars winter sold at \$14 50 to \$14 75. CANAL FREIGHTS-Dull; wheat 3c, corn

FLOUR—Receipts, 45,000 bbls; exports, 12,000 bbls; sales, 6,000 bbls; dult; winter wheat, low grades, \$190 to \$2 50; do fair to fancy, \$2 50 to \$2 15; do patents, \$3 10 to \$3 30; Minnesota clear, \$2 25 to \$2 75; do straight, \$3 25 to \$3 70; do patents, \$3 25 to \$4 10; low extras, \$1 90 to \$2 50; city mills, \$3 25 to \$3 70; do patents, \$3 20 to \$4 20; rye mixture, \$2 30 to \$2 60.

RYE FLOUR—Steady; \$2 70 to \$3 20. CORNMEAL—Steady; yellow western, \$2 65 to \$2 7c. RYE-Dull: western, 48c to 57c.

000 bu; sales, 3,065,000 bu futures; 16,009 bu spot; spots weak; No. 2 red, store and elevator, 57½c to 57½c; afloat, 57½c to 57½c; f, o. b., 58½c to 58½c; ungraded red, 55c to 58c; No. 1 northern, 66½c to 66½c; options weak; No. 2 red, May, 57¾c; July, 58¾c; Aug., 60c; Sept., 61½c: Dec., 64½c.

CORN_Receipts, 95,000 bu; exports, 17,000 Dec. 64fc.
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CORN—Receipts. 95,000 bu; exports. 17,000 bu; sales. 55,000 bu futures. 96,000 bu spot: spots weaker; No. 2. 43c elevator, 422c to 432c afloat; options steady; May, 422c; June, 412c; July, 432c; Aug., 433c.

OATS—Receipts, 42,060 bu; exports. none; sales. 50,000 bu futures, 85,000 bu spot; spots quiet; No. 2. 394c to 393c; No. 2 white. 434c; No. 2 Chicago, 404c; No. 3, 383c; No. 3 white, 424c; mixed western. 40c to 41c; white do and white State. 43c to 47c; options firmer; May, 394c; June, 383c; July, 384c.

BEEF—Steady: family, \$12 to \$14; extra mess. \$8 to \$8.50; cut meats, quiet: pickled beines, 6c to 65c; do shoulders, 53c; do hams, 13c to 104c; middles, nominal.

LARD—Lower; western steam, \$7.35.

PORK—Quiet; mess, \$13 to \$13.50; extra prime, \$12.50 to \$13.

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BUTTER—Steadier; State dairy, 12c to 164c; do creamery, 14c to 17c; Pennsylvania do, 14c to 17c; western dairy, 9c to 12c; do creamery, 13c to 17c; do factory, 9c; all Elgins. 17c.

CHEESE—Easy: State, large, 9c to 104c; do choice, 10c to 104c; State, small, \$2c to 104c; part skims, 34c to 9c; full skims, 2c to 3c.

EGGS—Steady; State and Pennsylvania, 124c; western fresh, 111c to 12c.

COFFEE—Options steady; sales, 23,000 bags, including May, \$15 35; June, \$15 15 to \$15 20; July, \$14 95 to \$15 10; Aug., \$14 55 to \$14 70; Sept. \$14 20 to \$14 30; spot dull, 16c.

SUGAR—Steady; standard "A." 4c to 4 13-16c; confectioners' "A." 33c to 4 1-16c; cut-loaf and crushed, 42c to 4 15-16c; powdered, 42c to 4 17-17c; granulated, 4c to 4 5-16c.

Live Stock Markets. EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.

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Outside of some held-over stock there was nothing offering, and the held-overs were of classes not wanted. Trade nearly nominal.

Sheep and Lambs—Twelve cars on sale; market steady to firm; good to best wethers, \$1 to \$4 40; fair to good mixed. \$3 25 to \$3 85; good to fancy lambs, \$4 40 to \$4 65; good to extra spring lambs, \$5 to \$7.

Hogs—Seven cars; active: 5c higher; mixed and heavy choice, \$5 05 to \$5 10; best Yorkers and pigs, \$5 to \$5 05; roughs, \$4 to \$4 50.

and pigs, \$5 to \$5 05; roughs, \$4 to \$4 50. MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, May 22.—There were about 400 head of butchers' cattle, 350 calves and 200 sheep and lambs offered at the East End abattoir yesterday. There were a good many butchers present, but trade in cattle was not brisk, though ent, but trade in cattle was not brisk, though the best beeves were held at slightly higher prices, but owing to the unusually large number of milkmen's strippers offered yesterday lower prices prevailed for ordinary stock. About a dozen superior large beeves were bought by shippers at \$4.30 per 100 lbs; a good butchers' cattle bringing in from 4c to 4½c per lb, and pretty good stock at about 34c do; milkmen's strippers were slow of sale and in the pretty good stock at about 3 ic do; milkmen's strippers were slow of sale, and brought from \$25 to \$40 each, or from 3c to 3 ic per lb. There was a brisk demand for good calves, but there were few of this kind to be had; common calves sell at from \$2 to \$3 each, and good ones up to \$8. Sheep sell at from \$c to 4c per lb, and lambs at from \$3 25 to \$4 50 each, very few bringing in over \$4. Fat hogs are hyder in price fed perkers bringing about are higher in price, fed porkers bringing about 5½c per lb. and hogs just come off the cars sold at 5%c to 54c per lb.

TORONTO. May 23.—The receipts were large ye-terday and the demand fairly active, but at no ma few loads of cattle remained unsold. Sales of ordinary to choice shippers were made Sales of ordinary to choice shippers were made at 3\(\frac{2}{3} \) to 4\(\frac{1}{3} \) per lb. Butchers' cattle sold fairly well, with transactions at 3\(\frac{1}{3} \) to 3\(\frac{1}{3} \) per lb for the best loads, at 3\(\tau \) to 3\(\frac{1}{3} \) cor fair to good, and at 2\(\frac{1}{3} \) c to 2\(\frac{1}{3} \) c for inferior. Calves sold at \$\(\frac{1}{3} \) 2 to \$\(\frac{1}{3} \) each, and milch cows at \$\(\frac{1}{3} \) 5 to \$\(\frac{1}{3} \) cach, with only 122 head received; shipping shaep, \$\(\frac{1}{3} \) 50 to \$\(\frac{1}{3} \), and butchers' \$\(\frac{1}{3} \) 50 to \$\(\frac{1}{3} \) 50 each; yearling lambs, 4c to 4\(\frac{1}{4} \) to per lb, and spring lambs at 3c to 4c each. Hogs are lower, best bacon lots selling at \$\(\frac{1}{3} \) to \$\(\frac{1}{3} \) 50 to \$\(\frac{1}

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO. Ill., May 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,500; market quiet; common to extra steers, \$3 40 to \$4 40; stockers and feeders. \$2 75 to \$3 85; cows and bulls, \$1 65 to \$3 50; calves, \$2

Hogs-Receipts, 13,000; market easier; heavy, Beerbohm's report by cable.

London, May 23.

Floating cargoes—Wheat cheaper to sell;

\$4 75 to \$4 85; common to choice mixed, \$4 65 \$4 85; choice assorted, \$4 80 to \$4 95; light, \$4 70 to \$4 80; pigs, \$4 25 to \$4 75. ferior to choice, \$2 to \$4 40; lambs, \$3 25 to \$5 75.

Dairy Markets.

INGERSOLL.
[Special to the Advertiser.]
INGERSOLL May 22.—Offerings to-day, 1,876
boxes, from 5th to 20th May make. No sales,
but 93c was freely bid, salesmen holding. was freely bid, salesmen holding for 10c. Good attendance.

MADOC. MADOC. May 22.—Fourteen factories boarded 879 boxes of cheese; 323 boxes sold at 9 9-16c; 2-9 boxes at 9\frac{3}{2}c; balance unsold.

PETERBORO.
PETERBORO, Ont., May 22.—The first regular meeting for this season of the Peterboro cheese board was held here to-day. Fair attendance of buyers. Eighteen hundred boxes offered; board was held here to-day. Fair attendance of buyers. Eighteen hundred boxes offered; bidding was slow, buyers anticipating weaker markets; 400 boxes sold at 9 1-16c; 500 at 94c. Before the board was opened each member bound himself not to sell off the board under a penalty of \$15 and dismissal from membership. BELLEVILLE.

BELLEVILLE, Ont., May 22.—At the cheese board to-day 1,965 boxes of white and 1,130 boxes of colored were boarded. Sales were: White. 115 boxes at 91c. 60 boxes at 91c. 210 boxes at 99-16c, 260 boxes at 911-16c; colored, 74 boxes at $9\frac{1}{2}$ c, 70 boxes at 99-16c.

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SOMETHING NEW EVERY DAY.

In the Scandal Line at Ottawa-Prison Wardens Suspended-Charges Against a Member. (Special to the ADVERTISER.)

OTTAWA, May 23 .- Warden McBride and Deputy Warden Fitzsimmons of the British Columbia penitentiary have been suspended and Judge Drake appointed to investigate their alleged irregularities.

The privilege and election committee

met this morning for organization to in-

vestigate the charges laid before the House by Mr. Bruneau, M.P., against Mr. Turcotte, representing Mont morency, whom it is alleged participated in a contract entered into between his late partner, Prevost, of Quebec, and the Militia Department, and in consequence of which he had violated the Independence of Parliament Act and forfeited his seat. The only action taken this morning was the election of Girourd, of Jacques Cartier, as chairman, and the passing of a resolution calling upon Col. Panet, deputy minister of militia, to appear before the committee on Tuesday next with all papers and correspondence that had passed between the contractors and the depart-

ment on the subject. Steamers Arrived.

VISIT OF THE PREMIER. Sir Oliver Mowat will open the campaign

in this city on Monday evening next, when he will address the electors in the Princess Rink, Queen's avenue. Sir Oliver will be accompanied by Hon. A. S. Hardy, Crown Lands Commissioner, and Hon. R. Harcourt, Provincial Treasurer, who will also speak. The citizens' candidate Mr. Thomas S. Hobbs, will address his constituents for the first time. When the news was received last night there was general rejoicing among Sir Oliver's friends. The Grand Old Man will have a reception such as no public man has had in London for many years.

LONDON AND ENVIRONS

"You say you were buried alive once?"
"That's what I said."
"You must have felt queer."
"Oh, no, I was used to it."
"Used to it?"

"Yes; I was salesman for a year in a store that never advertised." -Chief Detective Day, of the G. T. R. Hamilton, was in the city to-day.

-Mr. Samuel Stevely has left on a visit to friends in Kanastoga, N. Y. -Ontarid street has been opened up from Eliasstreet north to Central avenue. -The cheap fares on all the railways

were taken advantage of by a large number of citizens to-day. -An Ottawa dispatch says: "The militia camp this year will not be held till

after Dominion Day." -E. C. Walker, Engineer De Gurse and General Superintendent Woollatt, of the Lake Erie and Detroit River Road, were in the city yesterday.

-The military authorities here have sent Chatham a pest tent in which to quarter smallpox patients should the epidemic break out there. -Several more city merchants were at

the Police Court to-day because their awnings were not 7 feet 6 inches high. They promised to raise them right away. -The Chosen Friends' excursion to-

morrow to Detroit will take a large crowd. Many will gladly avail themselves of the chance to take in this three days' trip. -A report received from the Toronto Observatory at noon to-day says: "The

indications are for showery and unsettled weather, but there is just room for hope that to-morrow may be fair during the day.

of the Ontario Association of Stationary Engineers will be held in London, on Monday, May 28, for the purpose of receiving the yearly reports of the officers, and the election of four members of the board. -The following postoffices have been

opened in Ontario: Glenorchy, Halton; Holleyford, Addington: Latta. East Hastings; Narva, East Bruce; Portal, East Bruce; Pine Hurst, Kent; Ridley, West Elgin; Southcote, North Brant. -Building permits have been issued as follows: Francis Nugent, brick cottage on

Waterloo street, between Oxford and St. James; Mrs. Elliott, Dufferin avenue, double brick residence, on the north side of Central avenue, cost \$5,000, Moore & Henry, -Members of Forest Home Circle, Companions of the Forest, South London,

expeditiously disposed of their business last night at the regular meeting, and then entertained a number of their friends. A pleasant time was spent through the agency of games of various kinds. -St. Thomas Times: A message was

received yesterday from London stating that Andrew McKenzie, of Yarmouth, just outside the city limits, committed to the asylum a few weeks ago, had escaped. Just after P. C. Palmerston arose this morning he noticed McKenzie walking past and took him in charge. Officers from the asylum will take him back to-day.

-The "Olde Englyshe At Home" was with even more success than marked the previous production. The entertainment reflects great credit both to the performers, the members of the St. Matthew's choir, under whose auspices it was held. and to Messrs. Stratfold and Gardener. who labored hard to train the young ones. -At Osgoode Hall Tuesday, in the case

of Glass vs. Butler, Owens, for the defendant, moved to set aside the judgment entered by default at the sittings for the trial of actions at London, and for a new trial, in an action upon a mortgage. Flock (London) for the plaintiff, contra. Order made for a new trial upon payment of costs of action within ten days after taxation and upon payment of \$500 into court within the same time, otherwise motion dismissed with costs.

-The funeral of the late Mr. Edwin Barnes, of York street east, who died on Sunday after an illness of nearly two years, took place yesterday afternoon to Woodland Cemetery. It was attended by a large number of the Sons of England and friends of the family. The services were conducted by Rev. T. L. Fowler, pastor of the Christian Church. On Sunday evening next Mr. Fowler will preach the funeral sermon of the deceased. The center of the church will be reserved for members of the

-- The following list of patents, recently granted to Canadian inventors, is reported for the ADVERTISER by P. J. Edmunds, international patent solicitor, London, Ont.: Wm. H. Church, Fenelon Falls, churn; Wm. Maddin, Westville, N.S., mine door; Z. Lerou, Montreal, window; J. Dolphin, Magog, Que., sash holder; T. P. Brown, Belleville, window shade clip; George Milligan, Toronto, cigar (trade mark); James C. Johnston, Toronto, patent medicine (trade mark); G. Dickson, Brandon, Man., map of Brandon (copyright). United States patents have just been granted as follows: I. Frechette, Montreal, hand lasting tool.

-An esteemed Pottersburg correspondent writes: We beg the ADVERTISER to correct the statement that it was C. E. Caswell who extinguished the flames before much harm was done. Thursday morning at I o'clock the lightning struck the window and ignited the curtains in one of Mr. Ottosen's rooms in the Canadian Pack. ing Company's works. Mr. Ottosen and his wife had not gone to bed, nor the foreman and his wife either. These two men in company extinguished the flames, and at the same time Mrs. Ottosen awoke Mr. Caswell, who had not heard the thunder.

A new musical creation for the piano entitled "The Devil's Delight," has just been received, the product of the harmoni ous soul of C. B. Schaefer, the jocular editor of the Saginaw (Mich.) Globe. By mentioning that it is dedicated to the "imps of the press," the title will be more readily understood. The author is a journalist of long experience, having worked himself up from the position of

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tion, bright, sparkling and catchy, and contains the necessary elements to make it popular. Mr. Schaefer is a partner with Mr. Jas. H. Nichols, formerly of the AD-VERTISER news room.

-The adjourned annual meeting of the members of the Canadian Masonic Mutual Benefit Association was held in the Masonic Temple yesterday afternoon. The president, Col. Lewis, presided, and over 100 members were in attendance. The motion by Dr. Cowan, of Atwood, to wind up the association, occasioned a good deal of dis--The regular yearly meeting of the board | cussion, but an amendment to adopt the report of the special committee with a new scheme was carried by a very large maiority. The idea is to reduce the policies to \$1,000 each all round and offering certain concessions in regard to payment of premiums to the older members, the same to be repaid from the amount insured, with interest at death. The proposition appeared to meet with acceptance. The election of officers and directors resulted as follows: President, Col. Lewis; vice-president, Col. Dawson; directors, Mr. J. G. Blakeley, Toronto; Dr. Cowan, Atwood, and Dr. Clarke, St. Thomas; auditors, Messrs. Overell and Hannah.

-A large and enthusiastic meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held yesterday afternoon in Somerset Hall, 137 member present. Special prayer was offered for the general success of the coming Deminion convention. Three nominations were made and received. A communication was read from the public school board containing the request that the union should turnish retreshments, as last year, for the children's celebration in Queen's Park on July 2. This was accepted with thanks. The different committees on preparations for the convention were heard from, each reporting a prospect of completion of their work this week. An invitation was extended to all members of the union to be present at the reception to be given in St. Andrew's Church on Friday, June 1, from 6 to 8 p.m. The management committee feel that they eproduced in the East End Hall last night have good reason to look forward to a highly satisfactory convention. The union has most enthusiastically taken hold of the matter of preparation. The churches have been cordially granted for evening meetings, and some of the best musicians of the city have offered their services, so that music will be provided for every session. And then, too, some of the grandest women of the times, all along the line from British Columbia to Nova Scotia, are coming to take part in the convention as well as to address the evening meetings, thus insuring a time of pleasure and profit throughout. Notices of all meetings may

be found later in the daily papers. Marriage of Hon. S. H. Blake's Daughter.

TORONTO, May 23.—The daughter of Hon. S. H. Blake, Q.C., Miss Kate Blake, was married this morning at St. Peter's Church to Mr. J. H. Rhinelander, a wealthy member of one of the oldest families of New York, and a councilor-atlaw in that city. The ceremony was performed by Archdeacon Boddy, rector of St. Peter's. The church was crowded. Many relatives and friends of the groom from New York were present. The bride was given away by her father. The newlymarried couple will reside in New York, but will first pay a visit to the Southern States and subsequently to Holland.

August Kundt, dean of the philosophical faculty of the University of Berlin, is dead.

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Remarking that their appearance and dress were not those of vagrants, while the booths seemed to indicate little skill or experience in the builders, I bade my companions halt, and advanced alone.

"What is the meaning of this, my men?" I said, addressing the first group I reached, You seem to have come a Maying before Whence are you?" "From Chateauroux," the foremost answered sullenly. His dress, now I saw him

nearer, seemed to be that of a respectable "Why?" I replied. "Have you no homes ?" "Ay, we have homes," he answered with

"Then why, in God's name, are you here?" I retorted, marking the gloomy air and downcast faces of the group. "Have you been harried?'

"Ay, harried by the Plague!" he answered bitterly. "Do you mean to say you have not heard? In Chateauroux there is one man dead in three. Take my advice, sir-you are a brave company-turn, and go home again.

"Is it as bad as that?" I exclaimed. had forgotten the landlord's gossip, and the explanation struck me with the force of

"Ay, is it! Do you see the blue haze?" he continued, pointing me with a sudden gesture to the lower ground before us, over which a light pall of summery vapor hung atill and motionless. "Do you see it? Well, under that there is death! You may find food in Chateauroux, and stalls for your horses, and a man to take money; for there ore still men there. But cross the Indre, and you will see sights worse than a battlefield a week old! You will find no living soul in house or stable or church, but corpses plenty. The land is oursed ! cursed for heresy, some say! Half are dead and half are fied to the woods! And if you do not die of the plague you will starve."

"God forbid!" I muttered, thinking with a shudder of those before us. This led me to ask him if a party resembling ours in number, and including two women, had passed that way. He answered, Yes, after sunset the evening before; that their horses were stumbling with fatigue and the men swearing with pure weariness. He believed that they had not entered the town, but had made a rude encampment half a mile beyond it; and had again broken this up, and ridden southwards two or three hours before our arrival.

"Then we may overtake them to-day?" I "By your leave, sir," he answered, with grave meaning. "I think you are more likely to meet them."

preventing my men hearing what I had heard-lest the panic which possessed these townspeople should seize on them also being already in my mind. Nevertheless the thought came too late, for on turning my horse I found one of the foremost, a long, solemn-faced man, had already found his way to Maignan's stirrup; where he was dilating so eloquently upon the enemy folding bed. which awaited us southwards that the countenances of half the troopers were as long as his own, and I saw nothing for it but to interrupt his oration by a smart application of my switch to his shoulders. Having thus stopped him, and rated himback to his fellows, I gave the word to march. The men obeyed mechanically, we swung into a canter, and for the moment the danger was over.
But I knew that it would recur again

and again. Stealthily marking the faces round me and listening to the whispered talk which went on, I saw the terror spread from one to another. Voices which earlier in the day had been raised in song of Maignan's following, who had an oath and a blow for all comers, and to whom the deepest ford seemed to be child's play, rode with drooping heads and knitted brows; or scanned with ill-concealed anxiety the strange haze before us, through which the roofs of the town, and here and there a low hill or line of poplars, rose to plainer view. Maignan himself, the stoutest of the stout, look grave, and had lost his swaggering air. Only three persons preserved their sangfroid entire. Of these, M. d'Agen rode as it he feared nothing; while Fanchette, gaz-ing eagerly forward, saw, it was plain, only one object in the mist, and that was her

We found the gates of the town open, and this, which proved to be the herald of stranger sights, daunted the hearts of my men more than the most hostile reception. As we entered, our horses' hoofs, clattering loudly on the pavement, awoke a hundred echoes in the empty houses to right and this medicine, that are specially adapted left. The main street, flooded with sunfor the cure of Dyspepsia. A lady customer shine, which made its desolation seem a hundred times more fermidable, stretched away before us, bare and empty; or haunted only by a few slinking dogs, and prowling wretches, who fled, affrighted at the unaccustomed sounds, or stood and eyed us listlessly as we passed. A bell tolled; in the distance we heard the wailing of women. The silent ways, the black cross which marked every second door, the frightful faces which once or twice looked out from upper windows and blasted our sight, infected my men with terror so profound and so ungovernable that at last discipline was forgotten; and one shoving his horse before another in narrow places, there was a scuffle to be first. One, and then a second, began to trot. The trot grew into a shuffling canter. The gates of the inn lay open, nay seemed to invite us to enter; but no one turned or halted. Moved by a single impulse we pushed breathlessly on and on, until the open country was reached, and we who had the streets in silent awe, swept out and over the bridge as if the fiend

were at our heels.

That I shared in this flight causes me no shame even now, for my men were at the time ungovernable, as the best-trained troops are when seized by such panies; and, moreover; I could have done no good by remaining in the town, where the strength of the contagion was probably Pond's Extract to my father and said he greater and the inn larder likely as bare as the hillside. Few towns are without a hostelry outside the gates for the convenience of knights of the road or those who would avoid the dues, and Chateauroux proved no exception to this rule. A short half-mile from the walls we drew rein before a second encampment raised about a wayside house. It scarcely needed the sound of music mingled with brawling voices to inform us that the wilder spirits of the town had taken refuge here, and were seeking to drown in riot and depauchery, as I have seen happen in a besieged place, the remembrance of the enemy which stalked abroad in the sunshine. Our sudden appearance, while it put a stop to the mimicry of mirth, brought out a score of men and women in every stage of drunkenness and dishevelment, of whom ome, with hiccoughs and loose gestures, by a brandy smash on the nose.

cried to us to join them, while others swore horridly at being recalled to the present, which, with the future, they were endeavoring to forget.

I cursed them in return for a pack of craven wretches, and threathening to ride down those who obstructed us, ordered my men forward; halting eventually a quarter of a mile farther on, where a wood of groundling oaks which still wore last year's leaves afforded fair shelter. Afraid to leave my men myself, lest some should stray to the inn and others desert alto-gether, I requested M. d. Agen to return thither with Maignan and Simon, and bring us what forage and food we required. This hd did with perfect success, though not until after a scuffle, in which Maignan showed himself a match for a hundred. We watered the horses at a neighboring brook, and assigning two hours to rest M. d'Agen and I spent walking up and down in moody silence, each immersed in his own thoughts-we presently took the road again with renewed spirits.

Butla panic is not easily shaken off, nor is any fear so difficult to combat and defeat as the fear of the invisible. The terrors which food and drink had for a time thrust out presently returned with sevenfold force. Men looked uneasily in one another's faces, and from them to the haze which veiled all distant objects. They muttered of the heat, which was sudden, strange, and abnormal at that time of the And by-and-by they had other things to think of. We met a man who ran beside us and begged of us. crving out in a dreadful voice that his wife and four children lay unburied in the house. A little farther on, beside a well, the corpse of a woman with a child at her breast lay poisoning the water; she had crawled to it to appease her thirst, and died of the draught. Last of all, in a beech wood near Lotier we came upon a lady living in her coach, with one or two panic-stricken women for her only attendants. Her husband was in Paris, she told me; half her servants were dead, the rest had fled. Still she retained in a remarkable degree both courage and courtesy, and accepting with fortitude my reasons and excuses for perforce leaving her in such a plight, gave me a clear account of Bruhl and his party, who had passed her some hours before. The picture of this lady gazing after us with perfect good-breeding, as we rode away at speed, followed by the lamentations of her women, remains with me to this day; filling my mind at once with admiration and melancholv. For, as I learned later, she fell ill of the plague where we left her in the beech wood, and died in a night with both her servants (To be Continued.)

Of Hood's Sarsaparilla is due to the tremendous amount of brain work and constant care used Shrugging my shoulders, I thanked him shortly and left him; the full importance of fies the blood which, the source of health. cures dyspepsia, overcomes sick headaches and biliousness. It is just the medicine for you.

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> Good clothes are to respectability what the frame is to the picture. Some men seem to have been made out of

dust that had gravel in it. A Man Made Happy.-Gentlemen,-For five years I have been a great sufferer with Dyspepsia; the pain in the pit of my stomach was almost unbearable and life only seemed a drag to me. When I would if he had heard nothing, and Simon Fleix as go to sleep I would have horrible dreams, and my life became very miserable, as there was no rest either day or night. But with the use of only two bottles of Northron & Lyman's VEGETABLE DISCOVERY this unhappy state has all been changed and I am a well man. I can assure you, my case was a bad one, and I send you this that it may be the means of convincing others of the wonderful curative qualities possessed by for the cure of Dyspepsia. A lady customer of mine had the Dyspepsia very bad, she could scarcely eat anything, and was troubled with pains similar to those I suffered with; and she cured herself with two bottles of Northrop & Lyman's VEGE-TABLE DISCOVERY. I wish you success with

your medicine, as I am fully convinced that it will do all you claim for it. Signed, MELVILLE B. MARSE, Abercorn, P. Q. General Merchant. The early cucumber catches the squirm.

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TROY, N. Y., Feb. 26, 1892. Eight years ago I was sick with hemorrhage of the kidneys and could receive no permanent help, although I did receive help for a short time only from two doctors. A would try it if he was me. I did, and as a consequence I have had no hemorrhage in over seven years, and know I am perfectly cured of it. It has been helpful for other complaints also.

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A Stabbing Affair in Chatham-James Woodfork the Culprit-Liquor

the Cause. (Special to the ADVERTISER.)

CHATHAM, May 22 .- A sensational stabbing affray took place here at 3 o'clock this morning. All day yesterday the Great Eastern Circus Company were exhibiting in this town, and their tents were pitched on the common near the G. T. R. depot. Last evening a special exhibition was given, and a large crowd of city roughs were on the grounds. Towards morning a drunken crowd assembled and acted most boisterously until dispersed by the police, when they made for the railroad track, talking loudly. Here a drunken and refreshment a great part of which dispute arose between James Woodfork and James Fairbanks, both of whom were well under the influence of liquor. Blows were struck on both sides, and Woodfork, who was getting the worst of it, drew long knife and plunged it into the arm and side of his antagonist. He then decamped, throwing away his weapon, and has not been seen since. Fairbanks, by the aid of his companions, was conveyed to his home, where his physician dressed his wound, which, although an ugly one, was found not to be dangerous, apart from the loss of blood.

This morning Chief of Police Young secured a warrant for Woodfork, and Sergt. Skirving has been conducting a thorough search for the man. It is believed that he has fled to Detroit. The knife used by Woodfork was found at noon to-day by Mr. T. Brown. It is a long

bladed jacknife, stained with blood. James Woodfork is a colored barber who came to this town from London a little over a year ago. His unfortunate opponent, Fairbanks, is a white man, and has charge of the stables of Mr. Thos. Pierce.

ESSEX.

J. L. Sugden, tea peddler, Windsor, has been charged with criminal libel. Customs Agent Trowbridge and his partner, Stephenson, are the plaintiffs. The charge grows out of the recent visit of the officers there. Sugden published an advertising card with pictures of the two officers on the obverse side and an inscription in Latin meaning "beware the dog." When Sugden was served with the summons on Saturday afternoon he posted it up in his shop window.

Walkerville's assessment has increased \$250 since last assessment. The total assessment of the town is \$1,775,000, and of this amount \$800,000 is credited to whisky. The assessment is not so high this year as last. The real estate value has increased. The reduction is due to the whisky, which is liable to great fluctuations. The Windsor Salvation Army corps are thinking of constructing a \$6,000 barracks

in the city. The Grand Trunk pay car arrived in Windsor Monday afternoon, ten days late.

EURON. John McCutcheon, formerly a sessional clerk at the Provincial Parliament buildings, was found dead in bed in his room at T. Strong.

An exchange tells "how to make a fountain pen work satisfactorily." Anand Clinton.

PERTH. After a long and painful illness, borne ing. Mrs. Mayberry was born in Brantford in 1861. She was educated in Brantford Ladies' College, and was married to her late husband in 1880. Since their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Mayberry have lived in Toronto and Stratford. They have had four children, the youngest being 6 years of age
Edward Daly, aged 77, an employe of the G. T. R. car shops in Stratford, died suddenly Saturday. He had worked for the G. T. R., principally in Hamilton, since

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GRAND TRUNK-Southern Division CORRECTED Feb. 11, 1891.

MAIN LINE-Geing East. ARRIVE. | DEPART *Wabash Express (4) 4:15 a.m. 4:20 a.m Accommodation 8:05 a.m Atlantic Express (A) 12:10 p.m. 12:20 p.m Day Express. 10:50 a.m. 2:20 p.m. Wabash Express (A) (D) 4:20 p.m. 4:25 p.m. Mixed (C) 5:50 p.m. 6:50 p.m. Eric Limited (A). 11:20 p.m. 11:40 p.m.

MAIN LINE-Going West. ARRIVE. | DEPART

 tChicago Express (A)
 5:35 a.m.
 5:50 a.m.

 West End Mixed
 6:45 a.m.

 Wabash Express (A)
 11:35 a.m.
 11:40 a.m.

 1Erie Limited (A)
 12:16 p.m.
 2:15 p.m.

 Accommodation
 12:55 p.m.
 2:15 p.m.

 1Pacific Express (A)
 6:50 p.m.
 7:10 p.m.

 Mail 9:50 p.m. 7:80 p.m. 7:80 p.m.

Sarnia Branch.

ARRIVE. | DEPART Accommodation 9:30 s.m. Atlantic Express (B) 11:35 a.m. Accommodation 5:35 p.m.

Mixed 5:35 p.m.

Accommodation 8:15 p.m.

Eric Limited (B) 11:35 p.m. Sarnia Branch.

Chicago Express (B).

Accommodation
Lehigh Express (B).

Eric Limited (B).

Accommodation
Pacific Express (E). 7:00 p.m ***** London, Kuron and Bruce.

| ARRIVE. | DEPART Express 9:55 a.m. 8:15 a.m Mail 6:40 p.m 4:30 p.m

St. Marys and Stratford Branch. | Mixed-Mail | 11:15 a.m. | 7:30 a.m. | Express. | 2:05 p.m. | Express. | 5:40 p.m. | 2:46 p.m. | Express-Mixed | 9:15 r.m. | 5:55 p.m. Torento Branch.

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Hamilton—Afrive— a.m. | a.m. | a.m. | p.m. | p.m. | p.m. | p.m. | p.m. | 12:30 | B19:00 | 10:30 | B 2:30 | 3:55 | 6:25 | 8:15 * These trains for Montreal.
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Quebec | a.m. | 6:30 | Fortland, Me. | 8:25 | Boston | 8:00 | Boston 8:32 ... Halifax, N. S. 11:20 ... 8:35 Trains arrive from the east at 11:25 a.m., 8:00

Coing West. Detroit..... Kansas City..... p.m. a.m. 7:05 7:00 Trains arrive from the west at 4:10 8.m., 4:25

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p.m., 6:45 p.m.

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> Trains North, Stations. No 2 No 4 No 6

Blenheim.....dep 8:20 5:22 12:0 Fargo 8:32 5:32 12:1 A.M. P.M. P.M Fargo. 8:32 5:32 12:1 Chatham (C. P. R.). {arr 9:00 9:10 5:50 12:4 M. C. R. Junction 11:02 Courtright 11:05 8:00 Sarnia (G. T. R.) 11:40 8:35

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY LONDON TIME.

Canada Southern Division-Geing East, Leave Leave St London. Thomas. North Shore Limited (daily) 8:30 r.m. 3:30 a.m.

Canada Southern Division-Going West, North Shore Limited (daily) | 7:35 a.ra. Detroit Express (daily 7:35 a.m. Fast Western Express (daily). American express (daily except Monday). Mail and Accommodation 9:50 a.m. 10:40 a.m. 9;50 a.m. 1:45 p.m. Mail and Accommodation daily except Sunday)... 5:95 p.m. 3:10 p.m. Pacific Express (daily)... 2:25 p.m. 5:25 p.m. Boston, New York and Chicago special (daily)... 8:30 p.m. 4:10 a,m

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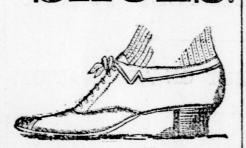
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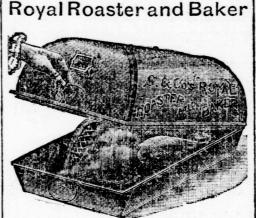
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TORONTO, May 22-11 p.m.—The pressure is highest in Manitoba and to the northward of the lake region; lowest over the Ohio Valley and lower lakes. The weather is generally unsettled in Ontario, and rain is falling at many points, but in other parts of the Dominion the weather is

Minimum and maximum temperatures-Edmonton, 44°-80°; Prince Albert, 40°-76°; Qu'Appelle, 38°-72°; Winnipeg, 36°-74°; Parry Sound 34°-64°; Teronto, 45°-56°; Montreal, 50°-62°; Quebec, 46°-76°;

Halifax, 42°-68°. TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES. TORONTO, May 23-1 a.m.-Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville) are: Partly fair and continued cool; local rains.

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World's Fair Art Portfolios

-Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Puddicombe and niece, Miss J. Hobbs, city, have left for the old country.

-John Perkins, son of Mr. James Perkins, butcher, left yesterday for the Northwest in search of health.

-Rev. W. W. Carson, the eloquent Detroit divine, is visiting his brother, Public School Inspector Carson. -Mrs. Commandant Booth and Major Complin will be the attraction in Salvation

Army circles on June 2, 3 and 4. -Mr. James Crawford, of Queen's evenue, ex-Humane Society officer, has been appointed a detective by the L. E.

and D. R. R. —Mr. Emery Hamilton, who has been in Florida during the winter, has returned to his home in this city in a much improved provements, and ranges from onestate of health.

-Fred Westlake (late with Frank Cooper, city) left yesterday for Charlottetown, P. E. I., where he has secured a desirable position.

-The quarterly board of the King Street Methodist Church have extended a unanimous invitation to their pastor, Rev. W. Rigsby, to remain another year. -Auctioneer J. W. Jones offered the

Manufacturing Company for sale yesterday afternoon, but no bids were received. -An Ottawa dispatch says that Judge Edward Elliott, assistant judge of the county of Middlesex, has been appointed revising barrister of London, Mr. J. H.

real estate and stock in trade of the Magee

Fraser, Q.C., having resigned. -Messrs. H. O'Hara & Co., stock and debenture brokers, 24 Toronto street, Toronto, have recently purchased \$48,000 worth of debentures of the township of Tiny, payable in 40 equal annual installments of principal and interest, bearing 41 per cent yearly, and payable in Toronto These debentures will be guaranteed by the county of Simcoe, making them county bonds. The assessment of Simcoe is \$19,-090,583 and the debt \$123,857.

-There is a possibility that the new Y. after all, not be located, as generally supthe Orient. According to telegraph ad-Queen's avenue and Wellington street. recently purchased by Mr. W. M. Spencer | killed. the Nitschke block—is spoken of as a probable site for both, the library to be havoc. Fleets of boats suddenly caught by ocated on the corner of Dundas and Wellington streets.

Asylum Atoms. Richard Flinn, head gardener at the London Asylum, and under whose care the irrigation farm at that place has produced such wonderful results, has returned from a visit to the asylums at Brockville, Mimico and Ogdensburg, N. Y.

Mr. Ernie Creighton, who was wounded with a chain in the hands of an unruly inmate, has returned from a furlough spent at Woodstock.

Wolseley Barracks News. Lieut.-Col. Smith, having returned from Toronto, resumes command of No. 1. Com-

Corp. Burns and Pte. Means are sick in the hospital. Corp. Magwood has re-enlisted for another three years in the R. C. R. I.

Pte. Cox, of Ilderton, and Pte. Foster, of the Seventh Battalion, have enlisted for three years.
Pte. Watson has just been promoted to lance corporal.

The London Amateur Opera Com-

The plan of seats for the two performances of "La Grande Duchesse" to-morrow is open. The family matinee, which begins at 2:30, is put on for the special benefit of the ladies and children. The productions will be even better than on May 8, as Mr. Holman is in good trim and the company has increased its efficiency by continued rehearsals. Mrs. Geo. Holman will be the musical directress as before, and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Holman will be the dramatic principals. As a local enterprise it should be encouraged.

Waterworks Affairs. Waterworks Commissioners Jones and Cowan, Secretary Ellwood, Engineer Moore and Inspectors Platt and Plastow were in attendance at last night's meeting of the board. Engineer Moore's report recom-mended that a service be laid to Mrs. Bartlett's property, 724 Maitland street; that an inch main be laid from the main on Edward street south to Duchess avenue and then west to Mr. H. Payne's residence, at a cost of \$60; that an inch main be laid on Cheapside street west, from William to the residence of Mrs. M. Bruce, at a similar cost, but that the petition of E. H. Cowan for a service on Wellington street, between Victoria and Regent, be not granted at present, as the cost would be \$130. Adopted. Engineer Findlay's semi-monthly report showed that a total of 38,133,908 gallons had been pumped. In three days the amount pumped was the same-2,659,880 gal-This was the lowest, while the highest was 2,861,984. The greatest amount in the reservoir at any time was 14 feet 10 inches, and the lowest 14 feet 1 inch, A Hamilton company wrote the board re supply of packing. Filed. An agent wants to place lightning rods on the new chimney and pumping house at Springbank for 35 cents per foot. Left to the engineer to report. The McCormick Manufacturing Company stated that they had been inconvenienced by their water service of late. and asked that an inch main be placed on Wellington street. The request will be granted and a meter will be put in.

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The Single Tax.

To the Editor of the ADVERTISER: A Mr. Henry B. Ashplant, of your city, accuses me in your paper of the 21st inst., of saying before the London West R. E. O. P. A. that New Zealand had adopted the "single tax." For his information I may state I never said anything of the kind. What I did say was that in New Zealand all improvements on land up to \$15,000 were exempt; all above were taxed. The deduction of mortgages and improvements to this amount rendered very many owners exempt from land tax. In addition to the ordinary land tax a graduated tax is levied, and for this all improvements are deducted, but an owner is not allowed to make any deduction for mortgages owing by him, and he has not to include in his return any mortgages owing to him. provements, and ranges from oneeighth penny to two pence per pound. Absentee landlords are taxed 20 per cent in addition. There is also an income tax, to which there are many exemptions. For instance, all incomes from mortgages and rents from land or produce of land derived by the owner or occupier are exempt. This graduated land tax on land values over \$25,000 was intended to compel the possessors of large estates or speculative holders to sub-divide and offer the land for settlement. This is having the desired effect, and many of the immense estates are being offered to the Government of

and offered at auction. I argued that there was very little difference between the New Zealand system of land tax and the single tax; and I predicted that it (single tax) would soon be adopted as the national system of that country. By making this explanation, you will oblige, truly yours. W. L. Brown London West, May 22, 1894.

New Zealand at their taxable value, while

others are being cut up in suitable farms

HAPPENINGS IN THE ORIENT.

Thirty-Four Civic Officials Killed Hundreds of Boatmen Drowned. VANCOUVER, B. C., May 22.-The M. C. A. and free library buildings will, steamer Empress of India has arrived from posed, on the Durand property, corner vices received at Yokohama on May 9, from Fuson, Korea, 3,000 Togakuto Many citizens think a free library should herents have created a disturbance in be on the main street, and the property Zenrade, and 34 local officials have been

a huge wave were swept into the Yangtse River in a sinking condition. Several hundred lives are reported to have been

The steamer Lahn, which sailed from New York for Europe Tuesday, carried \$1,300,000 in gold.

There is now some apprehension in naval circles for the safety of the United States steamer Marion which was badly damaged in a typhoon shortly after leaving Yokohama several months ago and compelled to put back for repairs. The Marion started again for San Francisco and was to call at Honolulu.

The anniversary meeting of the American Baptist Educational and Home Mission Society commenced Tuesday evening at Saratoga, N. Y., and will be continued until May 30. The topic of the evening discussion was "Sectarian Schools." D. E. Thompson, of Toronto, gave an address on "The Division of School Funds in Canada."

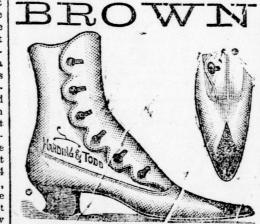
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