

228 230, 232 DUNDAS STREET. WHISKARD'S LONDON'S RECOGNIZED CHEAPEST STORE.

FACTS COMMAND CONSIDERATION.

Our advertisements are accepted literally, because they are written literally. They're the photographer's sensitive plate—picturing what is before them as it is.

A Special Sale of Embroideries. 15,000 Yards New Goods.

How beautiful these new goods look. You will look with surprise when you see how cheap they are sold. We will put on sale 15,000 yards of Choice embroidery, exquisite workmanship and fine quality, DIRECT FROM THE LOOMS OF ST. GALL.

Table Talk.

The biggest shell doesn't always hold the biggest kernel. It doesn't take a page of advertising to tell of these specials in DAMASK TABLE COVERS and DAMASK CURTAINS and ART MUSLIN and ART DRAPERIES, ART DENIMS, LACE CURTAINS.

Silk and Satin Sections.

We were never better prepared to maintain our supremacy in silks than we are today. The pace set by our silk department would indicate that we are going to have a selling record far in advance of any yet attempted.

Between Saying and Doing

There's a vast difference. Merely quoting a low price signifies nothing. It's the value that makes the bargain. We have a few of our good lines of Ladies' Felt Hats at 25c each.

Eacrett's Bazar.

WOODEN BOWLS.

Large size Wooden Bowls, 17 inch and 19 inch, while they last for 10c and 15c. There are only a few of these.

BUTCHER KNIVES.

A snap at 10c each. These goods were never made for the money.

TEASPOONS.

For Saturday and Monday we will sell a beautiful Plated Teaspoon for 14c per half dozen.

BREAD KNIVES.

For Saturday and Monday only we will sell a beautiful Bread Knife for 10c. The regular price of these goods is 25c.

SCISSORS.

We have a ridiculously low snap in Shears, and will sell a pair of 6-inch Scissors for 5c. This is only good for Saturday and Monday.

TOILET PAPER.

For Saturday and Monday only we will sell a large package for 4c.

CIRCULAR COMBS.

Children's Black Circular Combs for 3c each. The regular price of these goods is 5c—it's a snap. This is good only for two days.

RUBBER HAIRPINS.

—One dozen for 5c. The regular price is double the money.

DO NOT FAIL TO AVAIL YOURSELF OF SOME OF THE ABOVE BARGAINS.

Eacrett's 7c Bazar. 200 Dundas Street. PHONE 903.

The Iron Highways Ontario for the Ontarians.

Fast Run With a Trainload of Cattle. The Ontario Government's Past and Future Programme.

Great Increase in the Volume of Freight Business. Nickel Mine Owners Must Manufacture in the Province.

New G. T. R. Line to Manitoba, Enabling It to Compete With the C. P. R. Crown's Next Pass Line Likely to be Completed to the Loyal Mines in May.

The C. P. R. has raised the blockade on its western line route, and trains are now running by that route to Ottawa and Toronto.

The Intercolonial Railway, it is now positively announced, will be extended to Montreal on March 1. A new freight tariff has been issued. There will be no increase of rates.

The Grand Trunk made a fast run with 25 cars of cattle from Sarnia to Toronto recently, covering the distance (174 miles) in 12 hours.

The volume of freight being received by the Grand Trunk and Canadian amounts received during the same period of last year. The C. P. R. authorities state they are handling much more freight both from and to bond, than is usually their share.

The G. T. R. depot at St. Thomas is undergoing changes which are decided in the nature of improvements. All the offices are being put in thorough order, new floors being laid in some, and all being painted and kalsomined.

A joint meeting of the Wabash and Grand Trunk officials was held in Detroit on Thursday to complete arrangements for the running of through trains between Detroit and Buffalo, over the Trunk.

The G. T. R. management announce that the fact that all necessary arrangements have been made for the Wabash operation of the line between Detroit and Buffalo, via St. Thomas, which will hereafter be known as the southern division of the line.

OLD CIRCUS MAN DEAD. Middleton, Conn., Feb. 25.—Asa B. Stowe, the pioneer circus proprietor, died here yesterday of heart disease, aged 72.

ANTI-CIGARETTE BILL PASSED. Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 25.—The house has passed the anti-cigarette bill. The bill is sweeping in its penalties, and absolutely prohibits the sale, manufacture or use of cigarettes or cigarette material, or to even have these things in the possession of any person.

GRAVE ROBBERS AT WORK. Cape Vincent, N. Y., Feb. 25.—Wednesday night the grave of Terry Sonnell, an old resident of this village, who was buried on Tuesday, was visited by grave robbers. The man, however, was interrupted just as they were taking the body to their rig, and drove off, leaving the corpse beside the road.

CRIPPLE FATALLY CRUSHED. Calgahda, Ont., Feb. 25.—A young man, respectfully dressed and slightly crippled in the left leg, causing him to use a crutch, attempted to board a train at this place on Tuesday afternoon. He missed his hold and fell under the car, the wheels badly mangled his right leg so that he died from the shock and loss of blood. His name is given as Richardson, and it is thought his parents reside on Grasset street, Toronto.

Free Trial To Any Honest Man

The Foremost Medical Company in the World in the Cure of Weak Men Makes This Offer.

HEALTH AND ENERGY ASSURED. HAPPY MARRIAGE, GOOD TEMPER, LONG LIFE.

In all the world today—in all the history of the world—no doctor nor institution has treated and restored so many men as has the famous ERIC MEDICAL CO. of Buffalo, N. Y.

So much deception has been practiced in advertising that this and all other companies for the first time makes this startling offer:

They give full and complete treatment, and restore to every man, all the vigor, health, strength and energy of his youth.

Not a dollar need be advanced—not a penny paid—until the man is restored to his normal health and vigor.

The Eric Medical Company's appliances and remedies have been talked about and written about all over the world, till every man has heard of them.

They restore or create strength, vigor, healthy tone and energy, and give the man the power to do his duty and enjoy his life.

Failure is impossible and age is no barrier. This "Free Willing" offer is limited to the company to a short time, and application must be made at once.

No C. O. D. scheme, no bogus philanthropy, no deception, no exposure—a clean business proposition by a company of high financial and professional standing.

Write to ERIC MEDICAL COMPANY, BUFFALO, N. Y., and refer to seeing the account of their offer in this paper.

A Woman's Wish

For dishes that can be thrown away after every meal, to avoid the tiresome task of dish-washing, cannot be granted. Would she have the next best thing? Let her wash the dishes—so easily it's almost a pleasure—with



It cuts the grease, and a good rinsing will leave the dishes delightfully clean. THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY, Montreal, Chicago, St. Louis, New York, Boston.

HAS 206 DESCENDANTS

Capt. Silas Chard is Dead at Winfield Ont. Winfield, Ont., Feb. 25.—Captain Silas Chard is dead, aged 98. He leaves 8 children, 54 grand-children, 139 great-grandchildren and 6 great-great-grandchildren.

Legal Cards.

CHIBSON, MURKIN & HARRISON—BARRISTERS, 25 Dundas Street, London. Office, corner Richmond and Carling streets. GEORGE G. GIBBONS, Q.C., P. MURKIN, FRED L. HARRISON, H. A. BRATTLE—BARRISTERS, ETC., 24 Dundas Street, London. Private funds to loan on real estate at 6 per cent.

Dental Cards.

R. SILK, DENTIST—1854 DUNDAS STREET, Phone 1243. Residence 31 Talbot Street, Phone 1241. Night calls promptly responded to.

Pawnbrokers.

PAWNBROKER—LEADS MONEY ON diamonds, watches, jewelry, etc. Just received 4000 pieces of jewelry. Special rates for cash of clothing. Jos. Fox, 200 King Street, opposite fire hall.

Massage Treatment.

MISS SHUFF—GRADUATE OF DR. S. S. LORAN'S Hospital for Nervous Diseases, Philadelphia, Pa. Massage and Swedish movements. 407 King Street, London, Ont. Phone 502.

Hotel Cards.

O'NEIL HOUSE—CORNER TALBOT AND YORK STREETS, new and convenient; stables; Wm. Collins, proprietor.

Marriage Licenses.

LICENSAS ISSUED BY THOS. GILLMAN, 407 King Street, London, Ont.

Livery Stables.

THOMAS TREIBLCOCK—STAR LIVERY—433 Richmond Street, Best hacks, cabs, etc. Livery a specialty. Attention to orders. Phone 428. Open night all day.

Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGES AT 5 PER CENT. ON SECOND MORTGAGES AT 6 PER CENT. AT LOWEST RATES. W. FRANCIS' loan office, 99 Dundas Street.

\$100,000 TO LEND ON MORTGAGES.

W. FRANCIS' loan office, 99 Dundas Street. Branches: St. Louis, St. Paul, Chicago, Buffalo, N. Y., and refer to seeing the account of their offer in this paper.

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Jewelers.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO REPAIRING—J. T. WESTLAND, Engraver and Manufacturer of Jewels, 340 Richmond Street (up stairs), London, Ont.

Musical Instruction.

W. H. HEWLETT, ORGANIST—DUNOON, Organ and Theory, 36 Dundas Street, London, Ont.

Medical Cards.

DR. BUCKLE—QUEEN'S AVENUE, LONDON, Ont., special attention to all diseases peculiar to women. Hours 1 to 2.

Architects.

ALFRED BOILEY, ARCHITECT—115-117 Dundas Street, London, Ont.

Business Cards.

D. BOND & CO., PRACTICAL BUILDERS—Kits carpenters and joiners. To shop and repairing promptly attended to. Shop 157 Fullarton Street.

Veterinary Surgeons.

J. B. TENNANT—VETERINARY SURGEON—Office, 25 Dundas Street, opposite Market House; residence, corner King and Wellington, Telephone.

London Advertiser. (ESTABLISHED 1863.)

FOUNDER AND MANAGER, John Cameron. London, Friday, Feb. 23, 1898.

"I have always tried to stand for the people."—Hon. A. S. Hardy, Premier of Ontario. "I stand for London first."—Col. F. B. Leys, Government Candidate for London.

Ontario Elections. Polling.....Tuesday, March 1

The People's Candidates.

Table listing candidates for various Ontario constituencies including Middlesex, North York, and others.

Mr. Marter as a Prophet.

Mr. Marter predicted at a Toronto meeting on Wednesday night that the Conservatives would carry 27 seats.—London Free Press.

The Dominion Senate.

There are two vacancies in the Dominion Senate at the present time, one for Ontario and one for Prince Edward Island.

The Story Teller at Large.

A peculiar encounter at the nomination meeting in South Ontario shows how desperate the Opposition managers have become.

Remember This, Young Men.

"There are not a few young men in this city who on March 1 will cast their first ballot. I have a word to say on that."

About School Books.

In 1875 there were 53 text-books used in the public schools and 80 in the high schools.

SHIFTED THE TOPIC.

The Sunday school teacher she reached a point in the lesson where she was dwelling upon the future reward of those who behaved properly here.

POPE LEO AT HOME.

An American woman's audience with the venerable pontiff. The strong interest which attaches itself to Pope Leo and to the Vatican.

HELLO! DYSPYPTICS!

Read the Good News for Yourself and Your Wives. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets Will Make You Well.

IT WAS EASY.

Kind Old Gentleman—Why have you had trouble with this poor little boy? Johnny Eastside (haughtily)—No trouble at all, mister; I done him up with one hand.

The Engledeu Deal.

A Former London Boy Testifies to the Benefits From the Lease.

Even Conservatives in Algoma Say It is an Excellent Thing for the Country. The following letter from a former Londoner, now engaged in business in Algoma, will be read with much interest at the present time:

"Rat Portage, Feb. 19, 1898. 'It affords one considerable amusement to read some of the Whittier arguments and see the political blunders with which he tries to gain favor in his almost useless struggle."

INADQUATE IDENTIFICATION.

[Washington Post.] A woman who is newly come to town went into one of the banks one day last week to have a check cashed.

BARB WIRE! BARB WIRE!

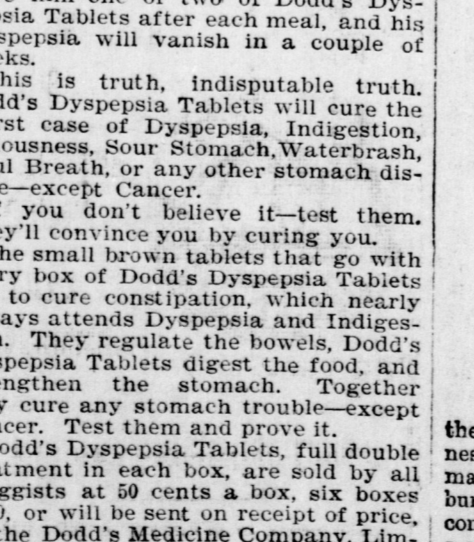
Just arrived, 100 tons of Barb Wire, Annealed Wire and Galvanized Wire. Wholesale and Retail.

City Bindery...

BOCK & FYSH, Formerly of E. H. Korde's Bindery, now open for all kinds of work. 436; RICHMOND STREET

Children's Nerves.

Liabie to be Deranged by Close Confinement and Over Study. The continual grind of our schools in hard on child growth, shatters the nervous system and undermines the health.



Headaches, twitches, feelings of tiredness, sleeplessness and restlessness begin to manifest themselves give the children Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills.

CASTORIA

for Infants and Children. The Fac-simile Signature of Charles H. Fletcher Appears on Every Wrapper.

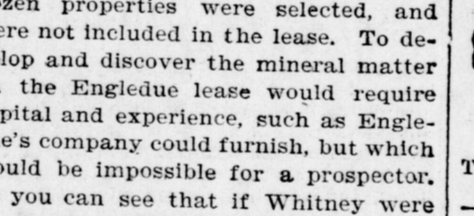
If you Know what you Want

it is your own fault if you don't get it.

In days gone by dealers were able to sell people just what they pleased, but the public of to-day are inclined to find out for themselves the best article in every line and they insist upon getting it.

Granby Rubbers

AND OVERSHOES are known throughout the whole country to be the best in fit, finish, quality and durability.



FREE TO BALD HEADS. We will mail on application, free information how to grow hair upon a bald head.

STORMER BICYCLES

At Less Than Factory Prices. SNAPS FOR CASH BUYERS..

1897 High Grade Stormers with Dunlop tires.....\$35.00. At these prices as long as the stock lasts.

1898 High Grade Stormers with Dunlop tires.....\$45.00.

London Hardware Company

Brass and Iron... BEDSTEADS. TILES, GRATES, HEARTH AND MANTELS. . . .

GAS RANGES, HEATERS, FIRES

Rice Lewis & Son, LIMITED,

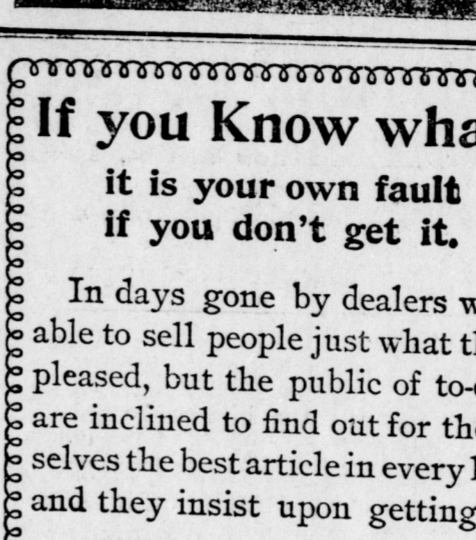
Cor. King and Victoria Sts., Toronto. KLONDIKE. START FROM VANCOUVER BECAUSE...

WESTERN SCHOOL OF ART

Spencer Block, Dundas Street. Students can join at any time. EVENING CLASSES—Monday, Wednesday and Friday, from 7 to 9 p.m.

We Never Lose

a paper bag customer. Our list is increasing with wonderful rapidity.



Hundreds of grocers who gave us trial orders are now regular buyers. Why if you used our bags.

The E. B. Eddy Co Limited.

Hood's Pills

Best to take after dinner... prevent distress, aid digestion, cure constipation.

Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Commercial.

Local Market.

(Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.) London, Friday, Feb. 25.

Wheat, white fall, per bu. 37 1/2 to 39 1/2... Wheat, red fall, per bu. 37 1/2 to 39 1/2.

The Oil Market.

PETROLIA, Feb. 25.—Oil opened and closed at 41 1/2.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—No. 2, Feb. 25, 1902, 1.00 1/2.

RULING PRICES FOR THE PAST FOUR DAYS.

Table with columns for commodity names (Wheat, Corn, etc.) and prices for the past four days (Feb. 21-24).

Geo. McBean & Co.

Dealers in Farm, Milling and Dairy Products. Consignments and correspondence solicited.

Dairy Markets.

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—Butter firm; creamery, 13c to 13 1/2c; dairy, 11c to 12c.

Live Stock Market.

MONTREAL, Feb. 24.—About 350 head of butchers' cattle, 10 calves and 40 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the east end abattoir today.

W. Barton Get Health and Strength from Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Sarnia, Feb. 21.—The case of Mr. T. Johnston of Ontario, who is well known in London, is a striking example of the power of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

FAGGED OUT.—None but those who have become fagged out know what a strength has gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers.

THE SWISS UNIVERSITIES HAVE ABOUT 600 FEMALE STUDENTS THIS WINTER.

When the hair begins to fall out or turn gray, the scalp needs doctoring. Know no better specific than Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Preparation.

Discoveries of the Divers.

Who Are Working in Mud Up to Their Armpits.

Investigating the Cause of the Disaster in Havana Harbor.

MIDDLESEX.

Sudden Death of a Well-Known Glencoe.

Johnny Knott, of Newcastle, will go to the London hospital to have a tumor removed from his lip.

PITIFUL SIGHTS.

The work of clearing out the bodies there are pitiful and almost beyond description.

NO PRELIMINARY FIRE.

The board has not yet directed the examination of the hull plates.

THE BLOW CAME FROM UNDER.

New York, Feb. 25.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Havana says: There is no longer any doubt that the explosion which wrecked the Maine came from underneath the vessel.

TERRIFIC EARTHQUAKES.

Caused Great Destruction in the West Indies.

Kingston, Jamaica, Feb. 25.—A succession of terrific earthquakes have caused great destruction on the island of Montserrat.

2,600 PEOPLE IN ONE WEEK.

Left Pacific Coast Points for the Klondike.

Montreal, Que., Feb. 25.—According to figures given out by the passenger department of the C. P. R., two thousand and six hundred people left Pacific coast points for the Klondike, from Feb. 12 to 18.

A SARNIA WONDER.

Stole \$15,000.

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ARCHBISHOP CLEARY.

Career of the Deceased Prelate.

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Whitewear

Excellent addition to the whitewear stock.

These goods were never made for the money, but for the cheapest whitewear in London our name stands.

Bayley's

Victory at Hand

So Say Correspondents From All Over.

Significant Telegrams That Bear Out the View That the Government Will Be Sustained by a Handsome Majority.

Among the speakers at the great Liberal mass meeting in Hamilton to-morrow night will be the eminent lawyer, B. B. Osler, Q.C., and Hon. Mr. Harcourt, provincial treasurer.

"Lincoln, now Conservative, will go to the Liberals on Tuesday next," says a dispatch from St. Catharines.

Muskoka, now Conservative, will be carried by the candidate who has Liberal support on Tuesday next.

A Sarnia dispatch says: "Today's Mail and Empire claims that the odds of a Liberal victory are offered on Messrs. Pardee and Pettipiece and Empire as a prospect is even worse than Mr. Marter's."

Mr. Charles Beck, of Penetanguishene, a prominent lumberman, was in Toronto yesterday. Mr. Beck asserts that East Simcoe is sure to go Liberal.

The news comes from West Peterboro P.P.A. leader, is campaigning against the Liberal candidate. The sectarian cry is loudly used by the opposition wherever it can be worked against the Hardy-Ross Government.

STOLE \$15,000.

Burglars Deplete the Strong Box of a Montreal House.

Montreal, Feb. 25.—Early Wednesday morning three burglars entered the Belfast drygoods warehouse of Haycock & Dudgeon, 2401 St. Catharine street, ransacked the premises, blew open the large safe, took whatever contents were of value, set fire to the roof of the building, and escaped over the snow-covered roofs of back premises. One or two of the men were evidently badly cut, as a trail of blood shows the path which they took to at least temporary safety. The estimated loss is from \$10,000 to \$15,000.

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TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Lavative Brooms. Cures Colds, Alls, Alls, Alls.

ORDERED CLOTHING AT COST.

Scotch Tweeds: Our regular \$18 Suits now \$14. Our regular \$22 Suits now \$17.

Our regular \$20 Suits now \$15. Our regular \$23 Suits now \$18.

Our regular \$21 Suits now \$16. Our regular \$24 Suits now \$20.

Best trimmings and best workmanship; perfect satisfaction guaranteed. Will open any hour to measure or fit, at convenience of customer.

Remember, Dress Suits are a specialty with us. See our West Window. It speaks for itself.

A. Screaton & Co.

East Middlesex in Line.

Rousing Rallies in the Interests of Dr. McWilliam.

Meetings at Hyde Park, Littlewood and Dorchester Addressed by the Liberal Candidate and Others.

Hyde Park, Feb. 23.—A rousing meeting of the electors of the east riding of Middlesex was held here last night in the interests of the Liberal candidate, Dr. McWilliam. The chair was occupied by Mr. James O'Brien, Mr. R. G. Fisher, barrister, London, who was the first speaker, and one who would be a credit to any county as representative.

Dr. McWilliam was then introduced, and was greeted with hearty applause. He said he came before them as a supporter of the Hardy Government, and he decided, he would carry out the trust reposed in him, and he would do his best to see that the system was acknowledged to be the best in the world.

Dr. McWilliam illustrated the financial position of the province, and charged that there was no surplus, he said it was trampled up to make something to talk about, and concluded his excellent address by stating that he would be returned by a good majority.

Short addresses were also delivered by Mr. Edgewood and Mr. McInnes, and the meeting closed with cheers for the Hardy Government and the candidate.

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D & A Corsets

are made in great variety, of the finest materials, and are made to order.

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F. H. BUTLER, STOCK BROKER.

Stocks, Grains, Provisions and Cottons. ... and 10 to 100 in the Temple, London.

MONTEAL STOCK MARKET.

Table listing Montreal stock market prices for various securities like Canadian Pacific, Dominion Bank, etc.

LITTLE GIANT SEEDERS (GEARED).

The best seeders made. We sell right; call. ... A. M. HAMILTON & SON, 475 Bait St., Opp. Market, London, P.O. 662.

COMMERCIAL.

Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, Feb. 25.—Wheat.—The offerings are large, the demand is slow, and the market is easier at 90c for red winter wheat.

Montreal Produce Market.

Montreal, Feb. 25.—Grain.—Wheat, 95c; spring wheat, 95c; spring wheat, 95c; winter wheat, 95c.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—Opening.—Wheat, 95c; corn, 35c; soybeans, 18c; cotton, 15c.

English Markets.

Wheat—Spot, No. 1 cash, 85s; No. 2, 84s; No. 3, 83s; No. 4, 82s.

Chicago Exchange.

Table showing Chicago exchange rates for various commodities like wheat, corn, etc.

LATEST WEATHER FORECAST.

Toronto, Feb. 25.—10 a.m.—Probabilities for the next 24 hours: Generally fair and somewhat colder today and Saturday.

Around the City.

—Mr. F. B. Reddome's condition continues unchanged. ... —Miss Hattie Rockhill, of Toronto, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Macaulay.

WOOL SOAP.

W. T. STONG & CO., Dispensing Chemists, 134 Dundas Street, London.

THE CHEESEMAKERS.

New Rules Governing the Sale of Butter and Cheese Recommended at Woodstock. ... Woodstock, Feb. 25.—When the Ontario Butter and Cheese Makers' Association resumed its sessions yesterday.

AT DEATH'S DOOR.

A Prominent Dominion Official Not Expected to Live. ... C. P. R. Special Telegram to The Ottawa, Feb. 25.

MARINE MATTERS.

No News of the Overdue Champagne-Steamer Arrivals. ... New York, Feb. 25.—At 9 o'clock this morning the overdue French line steamer 'Le Champagne' from Havre.

IAN MACLAUREN'S NEW BOOK.

It is gratifying to note that Dr. John Watson (Ian MacLaren), in a recent public address, has candidly confessed that he has professed from some of the criticisms passed on his book.

THE WOMAN'S ART CLUB.

Receives a Handsome Gift From a Well-Known Artist.—Interesting Regular Meeting. ... The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Art Club was held yesterday afternoon at the club rooms.

Normal School.

The New Government Institution for London. ... Plans Now on View in Aid. Hunt's Store Window.

Normal School.

Through the enterprise of Mr. Thos. S. Hobbs, the raising of M. P. P. for London, the front elevation plan of the new Normal School to be at once erected and maintained in this city.

DESCRIPTION OF THE STRUCTURE.

The building, as shown in the front elevation plan now on view, will be three stories in height, with a frontage of 150 feet, and a depth of 125 feet.

LOSS PROBABLY \$2,000,000.

Tremendous Tobacco Plant in Flames.—Several Persons Injured. ... Louisville, Ky., Feb. 25.—The big four-story plant of the National Tobacco Company at Twenty-fourth and Main streets caught fire this morning about 8 o'clock.

RODNEY.

Rodney, Feb. 25.—Wm. McMillan died on Wednesday of last week, in his 21st year. His late home is about four miles north of here, and he was well known in this town.

DORCHESTER STATION.

Dorchester Station, Feb. 25.—A choice musical and literary entertainment under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor of the Methodist Church took place last evening at the attractive residence of Mr. Wm. Capstick.

THE ONLY GENUINE HUNYADI WATER.

Hunyadi Janos. BEST AND SAFEST NATURAL APERIENT WATER. Prescribed and approved by all the medical authorities for CONSTIPATION, DYSPEPSIA, TORPIDITY OF THE LIVER, HEMORRHOIDS, as well as for all kinds of ailments resulting from indigestion in diet.

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India Tea Co.

468 Richmond Street. TRY OUR 30c TEA.

The Last Contest.

PROPHETS ABROAD. Queer Things Predicted in the European Almanac for 1888. [London Mail]

CITY HALL NOTES.

The aldermen are busy selecting titles for the streets which are to be named. They find it a difficult task.

THE FIGURES IN THE HOBBS-ESSERY ELECTION.

Table showing election results for Hobbs and Essery in various wards.

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When the Conservative Nominee was Beaten by 803. ... Ward 1, Hobbs 607, Essery 431.

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Majority for Hobbs, 803. ... The result of the request for bids for the present city hall seems to be one of failure.

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The machine slipped a cog or two last night at the sewerage works. ... The Children's Aid Society have a baby boy 11 months old, and another boy of 3 years, for adoption.

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A Woman's Love.

My old governess looked scared, and I felt sick and dizzy. Yet it was strange to me even then my sympathy went to the saddened throne, not to my father and his friends.

"That's sense," said a clear, strong voice near to us: "I've not heard of the maddest throne, not to my father and his friends."

"Oh!" I cried, amid the din, "why don't you listen? Why don't you let him speak? Perhaps he could explain."

"No, no," he answered, "they are quite safe. All these men in the front these are really respectable people, added with gentle courtesy, ladies ought not to be here, although it is perfectly safe for them."

"Let us go," exclaimed Abby. "I never thought it would be any thing like this!"

"Follow close to me," he said. "It will be easier to get out than to come in."

Yet how we were extricated from the crowd, both in the hall and down the staircase, I hardly know; but after a struggle of some minutes we found ourselves once more on the busy platform of the Cannon Street Station.

"Are you both losers?" he asked, gently. "I've lost every penny!" wailed Abby, clasping her poor hands together.

roof, inserted in the space which had once divided two large warehouses. The walls were grimed with smoke; but the part of the woodwork was clean and fresh.

The shop was very narrow, and a flap-door in the counter, which had access to the dwelling at the back, besides the packets of stationery and a nest of drawers containing the palette and a bundle of walking-sticks, there were a few cheap and shabby details; but in after days I became familiar with them, and the little kitchen behind the shop.

David Palmer, whom I can call Lazarus no longer, lifted up the flap in the dwelling-place. There was a twilight wail, rising far above the din of the intruding building, stood at four feet from the window, effectually shutting out the sunshine and the breeze of that sweet day of spring.

It seemed like a dream to me. There was a profound hush and tranquillity about this strange, overwhelming with its surging, turbulent, overwhelming old man, with his quick but noiseless movements and his beneficent face.

He went away through the shop, and returned in a few minutes with a few Osbourne biscuits on a plate. The meal was poured out into cups of thick white earthenware, and we took it all in most in silence.

"After all," said the old man, "the loss of money is the least loss man can sustain. Whose gold is double, his daily bread given to us."

"But, oh!" cried Abby, "it was all the living that I had!"

"You owe it to me," said Lazarus, looking at her with a smile of deep human tenderness, and at this moment a profound pang for us.

"Oh! but I know who you are now," replied David Palmer, courteously. "You were governess to Mr. Lincoln's little girl. Your face was not quite unfamiliar to me."

"And this is my dear pupil," said Lazarus, looking at her with a smile of deep human tenderness, and at this moment a profound pang for us.

CHAPTER III. Even in the city there are very quiet streets, where the traffic only lasts for a few hours a day.

confronted them. And I sympathized with them. "It was my fault," said Abby. "Phebe was at the station and went in with me."

"No!" I interrupted, "I was in the academy and overheard you and another gentleman speak of my father and this meeting."

"Oh!" I exclaimed, "I know my cousin was sent out of the country." "But my boy was sentenced to two years' imprisonment," he said.

"No, he would have taken my boy," he said, "but I told Felix that as he had broken both the law of God and the law of his country, he must pay the penalty."

"Remember him," said Abby, "don't you, Phebe?"

At a mass meeting of workmen in Toronto the other night, Mr. Robt. Glocking, of the Trades and Labor Council, mentioned a paper and an address by Dr. James Spence.

"The old man started, and a flush of color passed across his ivory-like face. He had been a witness of your father's disgrace."

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Mr. Farnelle Says There is a Good Field There for Canadians.

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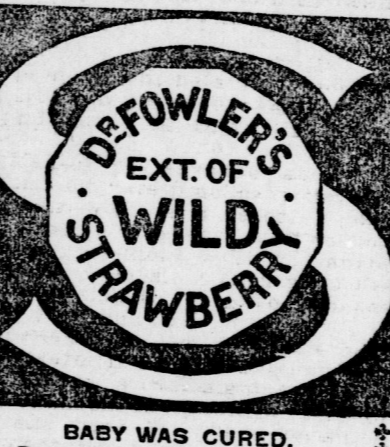
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Soup Tureens. One Dollar Tureens for 60c; 55c Covered Vegetable Dish, 45c; 50c Salad Bowl, 10c; 40c Long Salad Bowl, 20c.
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