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LONDON, CANADA, FRIDAY, MAY 11, 1900.

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## Births, Marriages, Deaths Please

DIED GRIEVE—On Thursday morning, May 10, at the residence of her son-in-law, A. Sharp, 320 Central avenue, Margaret Beattie, relict of the late William Grieve, aged 85 years.

Funeral Saturday, at 1 p.m., to Pond Mills emetery. 54-u DRIVVILL—On Sunday, May 6, at the family residence, No. 16 Lakeview avenue, Cleveland, Miss Jennie Driffill, aged 36 years.

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#### Meetings.

ONDON COUNCIL, NO. 233, ROYAL Arcanum, will meet this (Friday) evening, at 8 o'clock, in Duffield block. DOARD OF TRADE—THE ANNUAL meeting of the London Board of Trade will be held Friday, 11th inst., at 8 o'clock p.m. Rlection of officers and committees and general business. A full attendance is desired. Jas. Mattinson, Pres.; J. A. Nelles, Sec. 54u

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#### **ETERSE TELEGRAMS**

The few cases of smallpox in the Montreal hospital are of a very mild type and no spread is feared.

The quarantine on the infectious and new wings of the Winnipeg general hospital has been lifted. Col. Denison, in a speech in London last night, advocated giving British colonies a voice in settling South African peace terms.

A telegram from Rockland, Ont., reported three deaths from diphtheria in three days. The deaths occurred at a village called Hammond.

Cicero H. Dorland, familiarly known as Dentist Dorland, died on Wednesday at the residence of E. Byron Hinman, Haldimand, aged 68 years. Brantford city council has decided

to submit to the ratepayers a bylaw voting \$25,000 for flood prevention on the Grand River, and a bylaw voting \$12,000 for hospital improvement. B. H. Joy, aged 35, formerly accountant in the Merchants' Bank in St. Thomas, died in the hospital at Carberry, Man., of appendicitis, on Sunday. De-ceased was manager of the Merchants'

Bank in Portage la Prairie. Justice Forbes, in the United States supreme court, sentenced Charles Ingersoil, the defaulting treasurer of Tompkins county, New York, to four years and six months' imprisonment at Auburn and to pay a fine to \$5,000.

#### THE 'PINO WAR

Manila, May 11.-The Filipinos have suffered a heavy loss at Tabako, near Legaspi, Luzon. Two hundred rifle-men and 800 bolomen were proceeding to attack the town, and Capts. Lester and Simons, with a company of the 47th Volunteer Regiment, advanced to meet them, and killed many.

PRESBYTERIANS UNITE AT LAST. Glasgow, May 11.-After four years' negotiations the United Presbyterian Synod of Scotland has unanimously resolved in favor of a union with the Free Church. The latter will pass a similar resolution during the present month, and the incorporating assembly will meet at Edinburgh in October.

STABBED BY A PRISONER. Toronto, May 11.—Geo. Thompson, a convict at the Central Prison, quarreled with George Badgely, a fellow-convict and Thompson stabbed Badgely viciously in the back and left arm. At the police court Thompson was sentenced to five years at Kingston peni-tentiary for the stabbing. The prison-er claimed the deed was done in selfdefense. THREE CHILDREN BURNED TO

DEATH. Dubois, Pa., May 11. - Forest fires yesterday caused the loss of three lives and the destruction of much property in this section of the state. Three children were burned to death at Ranton, where the fire swept the town like a whirlwind.

HORSES FOR SOUTH AFRICA. A horse sale was conducted on Wednesday at the Thompson House stables, when Mr. McCarty, of Thamesford, on behalf of the British Government, pur-chased 50 horses, for the use of the sol-diers in South Africa. The prices paid ranged from \$45 to \$85. They will be shipped south at once.

# British Have a Successful Day

Driven From Point to Point.

Gen. Roberts' Forces Eight Miles North of the Zand.

The Canadians Doing Effective Work-Graphic Description of the Crossing of the Zand-The Boers Scatter Before the Charge of British Troops—Gen. Roberts' Forces Expected To Be in Kroonstad by Monday-Botha and Dewet Said To Have Quarreled-Rank and File of the Enemy Dissatisfied With Their Leaders.

Roberts telegraphs to the war office from Riet Spruit, under date of May 10, evening, as follows: "We have had successful day, and have driven the enemy from point to point. French, with Porter's and Dickson's brigades of cavalry, and Hutton's mounted infantry, crossed the Zand at Vermenten's Kraal, and then worked round in a northeasterly direction to Maat-

OPPOSED CONTINUOUSLY

by the enemy. Pole-Carew's division and Gordon's cavalry brigade, aug-Horse Artillery, and by Henry's and demonstration, and threatened the river by a drift near the railway bridge. My quarters accompanied this force. With the infantry portion we

EIGHT MILES NORTH OF THE RIVER.

The cavalry and mounted infantry are at Ventersburg Road station, and Tucker's division is at Deelfonteinnord. Ian Hamilton's force and Broadwood's cavalry brigade were making for the crossroads near Ventersburg when I last heard from them. resistance, and Smith-Dorrien's brigade was engaged for some hours in protecting the rear and flank of his

CASUALTIES FEW. "The only casualties reported

present are: Killed, rank and file, 4. Wounded, 5. No returns yet re-ceived from the cavalry nor Hamil-ton's force."

CROSSING OF THE ZAND. The Daily Express, in its second edition today, publishes a dispatch, dat-ed Riet Spruit, May 10, morning, desscribing the crossing of the Zand River by the British. It says:

"The rear guard of the Boers, their guns, resisted the advance. The mounted infantry, two batteries and must follow the first battle in which pompoms cleared the way, and the the Boers make a determined stand third cavalry brigade acted as a screen before the main column. Gen French was on the left and Gen. Hamilton on the right. The Boers had destroyed all the bridges during their retreat. It is impossible to ascertain the Boer losses, but they are thought to be Those of the British, considheavy. ering the important advance made, are considered light."

A special dispatch from Riet Spruit, dated May 10, describing more fully yesterday's successful operation, says: previous days ascertained the Boers' position and strength. On Wednesday dictions are definitely made he will night the Cheshire Regiment crosse the river, entrenched themselves, and prepared to hold the passage for the regiments following them.

STIFF FIGHTING "At daybreak on Thursday, the main body crowded at two or three points. The mounted infantry were then in action, driving off the advance Boers, preparatory to a general forward movement. The Boer right first gave way, but Tucker and Hamilton had a tougher task on the left. The Boers had six guns, and served them well, working with great determination; but the British worked up closer and closer, their guns meantime firing incessant-

"The East Lancashire and Sussex Regiments, by 11 o'clock had worked well to the front. The order was given, and, like a flash, the two regiments SPRANG FORWARD SIMULTAN-EOUSLY,

and in a few moments had secured two commanding ridges. "The advance line was now within twelve hundred vards of the Boer main trench, and the latter were already losing heart from the demonstration on their flank, but they kept up a rapid, though wild fire

ROTITED! "At this moment the final charge was ordered, and away went the Lancashires and the Sussex Regiment again; but the Boers could not stand, and they fairly bolted, and the rout of the Boers along the whole line was then complete.'

ARTILLERY DUELS. Reitspruit, Thursday, May 10-Morning .- The Boers opposed the British

London, May 11-10:50 a.m.-Lord, advance, holding positions north of Zand Drift, back along the whole line, from Gen. Hamilton on the east and Gen. Hutton on the west. Chiefly artillery was engaged. The Sussex Regiment charged a kopje at the point of the bayonet, and the East Lancashiers captured another. The British loss is insignificant.

BOERS ALWAYS RETIRING. Gen. Hutton had a series of artillery duels, the Boers always retiring. Twenty Boers were taken prisoners. The advance still continues

The Boers are fighting half-heart-The Free Staters are sick

A Zand River dispatch says that when the Australians, with Gen. Hutton's Brigade, were in danger of being cut off, the mounted Canadians and New mented by J battery of the Royal shell fire, were ordered to make a Boer flank in order to allow the Aus-Rosse's mounted infantry, crossed the tralians to retire. The maneuver was successful.

BOERS DISSATISFIED. London, May 11.—The Standard publishes the following, dated May 9, from Welgelegen. The engagement on the Vet River caused the Boers to be dissatisfied with their leaders. I learn from Pretoria that the Boers intend to retire ultimately to Lydenburg, leaving the foreign mercenaries the task of defending Johannesburg and Pretoria. The foreign mercenaries are now advocating the sending out of guerilla parties from 300 to 400 strong, rather than a persistence in opera-tions on a large scale; but the Boers are not dashing enough for that kind Hamilton's column met with stubborn of work. Whatever happens at Kroonstad there is little doubt that the fromtier will be strongly contested.

A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Welgelegen, dated Wednesday, says: The burghers held a meeting recently without the consent of President Stevn, at which the advisability of submission on the part of the Free

State was discussed and approved.

THE FINAL AGONY. Spencer Wilkinson, reviewing the military situation says: The Boers are now approaching their final agony. Lord Roberts has 40,000 men beyond the Zand River. With Gen. Buller there are 30,000 and with Gen. Hunter 10,000. Against the pressure of these various columns the Boens can make no effective resistance. A collapse must follow the first battle in which and are welt beaten. The interesting question is whether the Transvaal. Government will then submit or will encourage the burghers to continue hopeless struggle to the point their general ruin. The latter alternative is by no means improbable."

London, Friday, May 11—4:05 a.m.—

Members of the House of Commons were freely betting in the lobbies last evening that Lord Roberts would be in Pretoria in two months. The ministerialists are building confident hopes 'Gen. Hamilton's scouts had on two upon the comprehensive plans he has communicated to the war office. ENTER KROONSTAD NEXT MON-

DAY, and it is believed that his advance is probably reconnoitering in the vicinity of Ventersburg, where the hilly country begins again. Beyond Kroonstad is an intricate and difficult country, and if the Boers should elect to fight, it is possible they could check the progress of the British until Lord numerous cavalry has had time to ride around their flank and threaten their rear. From 15,000 to 20,000 is the highest estimate of the Boers under the personal command of Gen. Botha, who is said to have 46 guns. Gen. Botha and Gen. Dewet are reported to have quarreled. Lord Roberts is pressing hard after this force with 55.000 men and 140 guns, and 20,000 more men are easily avail-

#### The Canadians

IN THE FIGHT AT HOUTNEK. Brandfort, May 11.-The forces under General Ian Hamilton, consisting of mounted infantry, and General Smith-Dorien's brigade, including the Royal Canadian Regiment of Infantry, at-tacked the enemy, which were located in force in the vicinity of Houtnek, near Thabanchu, on May 1. The ers occupied a strong position and the British attacked along the whole front of the Boer position, a distance of eleven miles. An exciting feature of the engagement was a determined attack made by the German Legion on the Gordon Highlanders. They were repulsed in true Highland style with

At dawn on Wednesday the attack was resumed with renewed vigor on loss sociososos

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the part of the British forces. mounted infantry turned the right flank of the enemy, while the cavalry were successful in their operations against the Boers' left flank. The Royal Canadian regiment was held in re-

As the infantry advanced, the en-emy, realizing that both their flanks had been turned, rushed to their horses, mounted, and fled in hot haste. They were promptly pursued, a portion of the cavalry being sent around the mountain to cut off their retreat. The British artillery was meanwhile hurried forward to the capitulated position, and the fast-re-treating Boers were subjected to

heavy shell fire. CANADIANS COMPLIMENTED.

The British loss was very small, the casualties among the Canadians amounting to practically nothing. Nevertheless they did splendid work, and were complimented by the com-

manding officer. On the following Thursday the whole command advanced in the direction of Winburg. Reinforcements for the enemy arrived from Brandfort as the engagement began, but the mounted infantry, under Col. Broadwood, got between the main body of the Boers and the reinforcements. This successful move on the part of the British cavalry caused the whole Boer

force to retire in haste. BRITISH WELCOMED BY THE

PEOPLE On Sunday the whole force marched to Winburg, which was entered without opposition on the part of the Boers. Gen. Hamilton summoned the town to surrender, in order to avoid bombardment. The landrost (mayor) consented, and when Gen. Botha, with 500 Boers marched into the place, and entered a strong protest against the decision of the mayor, the inhabitants refused to listen to him. The town then surrendered, and when the Brit-

ish troops marched in they were warm-ly welcomed by the residents. The column under Gen. Hamilton is eighteen miles east of Smaldee, Lord Roberts' headquarters at the present time, and fifteen miles north

#### of Winburg. The Second Contingent

MARCHED 500 MILES. De Aar, April 14, via London, May 9.-John A. Ewan, the Globe's special correspondent, says: Gen. Parsons' column of Canadian Mounted Rifles, and other colonials and imperial yeomanry, have just arrived back here. after a five weeks' march through the northwestern districts of Cape Colony, in the course of which they covered miles. Their work was one of pacification, and there was no fighting, the disaffected colonists submitting or fleeing as our men drew near. The health of the troops is good, in spite of the deluges to which they have been subjected and the reduced rations that prevailed during the greater portion of the trip. At this point we were joined by a portion of the mounted Canadians, who came out on the Milwaukee. The remainder of this section of the second contingent had gone on to Springfontein. squadron of the Canadian Mounted Rifles arrived here from Cape Town. Our men are jubilant at learning that the greater part of the Canadians will be brigaded into a colonial contingent, under so dashing and distinguished a general as Ian Hamilton, and will, un-

der his leadership, go forward to Pre-London, May 10 .- A dispatch from Karee Siding, near Bloemfontein, reports that Trooper Clarence Cowan, of one of the Canadian regiments, accidentally shot himself.

The name of Clarence Cowan does not appear in the official lists of the Royal Canadian Regiment of Infantry, the Mounted Riffes, the Canadian Battery or the Strathcona Horse.] A contingent of Canadians belonging to Strathcona's Horse were heartily cheered as they debarked today at

Liverpool. They will sail from London for South Africa tomorrow by the British transport Assaye.

NO STRAWBERRIES. Fishkill, N. Y., May 10.—There was a heavy frost in this section last night. Ice a quarter of an inch thick formed. The fruit crops are badly damaged. It feared that the strawberry crop, which promised to be a large one, is entirely destroyed.

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# ONE YEAR'S

Annual Gathering of the Western Ontario Bible Society.

Incourgaging Reports Laid Before the Meeting-Interesting Addresses by Two Noted English Ministers-Election of Officers.

Dean Innes, Rev. Dr. Saunders, Rev. Dr. Smith, Rev. Dr. Johnston, and others. After the singing of a hymn and devotional exercises led by Dr. Saunders and Dr. Johnston, a duet, "Jesus is Calling," was rendered by Miss Pickard and Mr. Newton Large. DIRECTORS' REPORT.

Rev. J. H. Orme, permanent secrethe directors, a very encouraging one indeed, from which the following extracts are made:

sentially inter-denominational in its character and operations, and is in-tended to assist all the churches; first, In their home work, by supplying the Word of God, without note or comof the English was one of the domin-ant principles of the race, and the ment, at cost price to all who may ant principles of the race, and the apply, and by frequently making speaker hoped that in Canada the grants to benevolent institutions, to poor families and to Sunday schools, and especially to assist the churches in their missionary work, as it has printed the Scriptures in all, or nearly all, the languages and dialects among whom they are laboring, and is still ready to print the hitherto unprinted language of any among whom they labor as soon as it is translated and put in form to be printed." It referred to the invention of a form of printing for the Cree language, and the trans-lation of the Bible that was the ultimate result. Referring to a needed revision of this translation, the report said: "A committee has been chosen with the Bishop of Rupert's Land as chairman, and the work has been allotted to revisors in the various Protestant denominations carrying on work among the Cree Indians." In the society's latest printed report we find twelve languages appearing on the list for the first time. It must, therefore, be admitted that the Bible Society has a just and strong claim on the hearty and liberal support of all the churches. It is with pleasure that we acknowledge the heartiness with which the churches, when applied to, furnish suitable accommoda-tion, free of charge, for holding the annual meetings." After acknowledg-ing the assistance given by the city ministers, the report continues: "Our auxiliary has had, on the whole, a fairly successful year. We are thankful to report an advance in free contributions from our branches, and also from city subscriptions, enabling us rent society by \$200. Last year we remitted \$1,000; this year we sent \$1,200. Western Ontario is now fairly well supplied with the Word."

Mr. Orme moved, and Dr. Johnston seconded the adoption of the report, and the motion was carried. TREASURER'S REPORT.

Mr. George A. Somerville presented the treasurer's report for the year ending March 1, 1900. It was as fol-Receipts-Balance brought forward from the previous year, \$255 67: free contributions for branches for the Western Ontario Bible Society, \$842 16; free contributions from branches for British and Foreign Bible Society, \$584; London city subscriptions, \$444 25; cash sales at depository, \$274 02; cash sales to branch societies, \$194 39; interest on bank account, \$8 54; total, \$2,603 03. Among the disbursements the remittances to the British and Foreign Bible Society for Scriptures, the free contributions from the branches and from London city contributions and reporters' fees amounted to \$1,200. After deducting the other expenses there was left a cash balance of \$370 92.

Mr. Somerville moved, and Mr. R. L. C. Dawson seconded the adoption of the report, the motion being car-

It was then moved by Very Rev. Dean Innes, seconded by Mr. A. Dean Innes, Thomson, and carried, that the following gentlemen be the board of directors and committee of the Western Ontario Bible Society for the ensuing

President-Right Rev. Maurice Baldwin, D.D. Vice-Presidents-Rev. J. V. Smith, D.D.; Very Rev. Dean Innes, D.D.; Rev. James Kennedy, Rev. Dr. John-ston, Ven. Archdeacon Davis, D.D., Messrs. Thomas McCormick, George Robinson, V. Cronyn, A. Thomson, G.

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D.D., M.D., Rev. J. H. Orme; Messrs. J. S. Small, D. B. Armstrong, B. Cronyn, R. Lewis, R. F. Hicks, T. Mc-Cormick, J. Labett, J. Dickie, W. H. Wortman, Hugh McColl, Thomas Kent, J. Follinsbee, and Mesdames A. C. McKinnon, B. Cronyn, M. E. Anging, Thomas Kent and J. Follinsbee.

REV. CANON EDMONDS. In introducing to the audience Rev. Canon Edmonds, of England, the chairman paid a glowing tribute to the part that England had played in furthering the cause of civilization, and most of all in having so actively prosecuted the work of sending to heathen lands the story of the Gospel.

On rising to speak, Canon Edmonds referred first to the warmth of the workers which he and his collection. welcome which he and his colleague, Mr. Thomas, had received in Canada. In going among the people he had The spacious auditorium of the First
Methodist Church was well filled last
might on the occasion of the annual
meeting of the Western Ontario Bible
Society. The chair was occupied by
the Bishop of Huron, and associated
with him on the platform were: Rev.
Canon Edmonds and Rev. James
Therefore The Reveland the principal

In going among the people he had
found them essentially English in
spirit, and perhaps more warm in devotion to the great empire than the
English themselves He then went
on to speak of the spirit which has
animated the British mation all
through its history. He went back to
the fifth century and described the
coming of the missionaries with the
Gospel story to King Ethelbert, of the with him on the platform were: Rev. Canon Edmonds and Rev. James Thomas, of England, the principal Speakers of the evening; Very Rev. Dean Innes, Rev. Dr. Saunders, Rev. Wisdom of trying to force upon his Christianity, but recognized the un-wisdom of trying to force upon his people the new doctrine. Gradually, however, the people followed the example of their ruler. He spoke of the history of the venerable Bede, who had left a record of those early times. The attraction which the new faith Christianity had for the English race was because of their recognition of the soul's craving for a higher life and the adaptability of the Christian faith for satisfying this need. "The British and Foreign Bible Society, with which we have the honor to be connected as an auxiliary, is essentially inter-denominational in its pean tongues to become a language of literature, a language in which the Gospel story was given to mankind. The love for the Bible in the hearts

> The reverend gentleman then spoke at some length of the manner in which the British and Foreign Bible Society met the needs of the heathen world. He took as an illustration India, a country with which he was more fa-miliar than with others. He told how the Scriptures had been translated in whole or in part into the 90 different languages which are spoken in that land. He spoke of the labors of the men, such as Carey and Martin, who had done such great service for God and the heathen races by translating the Scriptures into foreign tongues, and spoke of the blessedness of giving the one true God to the poor heathen, distracted by fears of a hundred imag-

He had not, he said, been long in Canada till he found that Canadian hearts were in the work. Let them be world. If the faith, the love, the zeal of Christ's people go with the messengers, then will the Bible Society

be strong in their strength. REV. JAMES THOMAS. Rev. James Thomas, of England, spoke first of the wonderful advancement the present century had witnessed. He had had this vividly brought to his mind by meeting in Brantford a gentleman who in his youth had journeyed from Liverpool to Canada. The voyage from Liverpool to Quebec occupied seven weeks, the journey from Quebec to Toronto twelve weeks, and from Toronto to Brantford three days. Of all the marvelous advancements of the century, in religion, in science, in art, in literature, none were more remarkable than the advance which had been made in the work carried on by the British and Foreign Bible Society. At the beginning of the century the society published only 35 translations of the Scrip-

to 368. Of this number over 100 are translations of the whole Bible, and another 100 of the entire New Testament, the balance being made up of partial translations of the Scriptures. Mr. Thomas then told of the society's work in China, the largest, most cultivated and most populous of all heathen countries. He spoke interestingly of the presentation to the Dowager Emof China, by the Christian women of that country of a magnificently gotten up copy of the New Testament, bound in solid silver. This had evidently fallen into the hands of the young emperor, for he had later sent for copies of the Old Testament and of scientific works, and he had later sent out edicts that had set many of the scholars of China studying the Bible and the science of the western

tures; today the number has swelled

The speaker told also of the difficulties of mission work in China, of the prejudices and superstitions that have to be overcome before any headway can be made in teaching the people He described the hission school and the missionary's method of preaching to the people. The Bible Society, he said, was an object worthy of the support of all, no matter of what described in the support of all, and the support of all the support of nomination, for the society stood ready to minister to all missionaries in China, no matter under whose auspices they are there. No matter what num-ber of books are asked for by the missions, the society's agents give them, and give them freely. In conclu-sion he entreated the Canadian people, whose hearts are glowing with enthusiasm, to do all in their power to

help on the good work. CLOSING EXERCISES. A hearty vote of thanks was passed to the trustees of the First Methodist Church for the use of the building, to the organist and choir for their services, to the officers and directors for the year just ended for their efficient discharge of their duties, and to the

After the taking up of the collection, during which Mr. J. Truman Wolcott rendered one of Schubert's songs as an offertory, the meeting closed with the doxology and the benediction.

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Flint, Mich., May 11.—The jury in the case of Rebecca Filkins against the City of Flint brought in a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$8,000. The case had occupied the attention of the circuit court during the past two weeks. It was tried once before, and the jury at that time failed to agree. The city will now appeal to the supreme court. Miss Wilkins claims that she is now paratyzed as a result of a fall upon a defective edewalk in this city on the evening of Nov. 9, 1838.

#### How to Grow Sugar Beets.

The following article was written for The Advertiser by Mr. H. C.

If sugar beets were grown the same as turnips or mangels it would be presumption on my part to attempt to instruct an intelligent and enterpris-ing farmer how to grow them. It is easy to grow beets, and large ones, too, but sugar beets require quality as well as quantity. Medium-sized ones are the best, say from one pound to two and one-half pounds, and in order to obtain that they require to be sown on the level and in rows not more than from eighteen to twenty inches awart. from eighteen to twenty inches apart, and in order to be sure of a good crop sow at the rate of from twelve to fifteen pounds of seed to the acre. Sugar beet seed such as is kept for sale in stores is only fit for feeding purposes and useless for producing sugar. I have a small quantity of the best imported German sugar beet seed that I will supply at cost. When the young plants have four leaves, thin out to about eight inches in the row as the portion of the beet grown above ground is worthless for sugar purposes. It is necessary the ground should be loosened up at least ten or twelve inches deep. The deeper the ground is loosened up the deeper the tap root will go down into the soil. If the soil is not stirred deep the tendency is for the beet to grow above ground, thereby decreasing its sugar qualities. If sown in small quantities dig the ground the usual depth, but loosen the soil as deep as you can get the spade down, as the tap root will not penetrate far into the hard ground that has never been stirred up, but a portion of the beet will grow above ground. Land that was well manured last year and in wheat or some hoe crop is the best. Do not plant in ground that has received a heavy dressing of fresh barnyard manure this spring. It would increase the size but decrease the quality of the beet.
A top dressing of unleached wood
ashes would be the best fertilizer that
could be used. The beet requires potash and phosphoric acid, such as is found in wood ashes, but a large supmore earnest than ever. He was anxious that the faith of Christ's church should be behind the message that was being sent throughout the sugar they contain and their coefficient of sugar in the beet. The nature of the beet depends on the percentage of sugar they contain and their coefficient of purity. It is not how many tons of beets, but how much sugar can be produced to the acre. The soil should be made as fine as could be desired for an ideal garden. The seed should not be covered more than one inch deep. From the 1st to the 15th of May is the best time to plant. Farmers have nothing to loose by gowing sugar beets, as one ton of sugar beets is said to be worth two tons of mangels or turnips for feeding stock. Try for the \$5 prize at the Western Fair for the best sugar beets

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#### CONTRADICTED

Tom Lewis Denies Having Anything to Do With Pritchett.

St. Thomas, May 11.-Few features characterized yesterday's sitting of the West Elgin election commission, but many odds and ends were cleaned up A very emphatic denial of J. G. Pritchett's statements, so far as he was concerned, was given in the witness-box by Mr. Tom Lewis, of London,

whose name was much used by the confessed ballot-slipper.

A good deal of evidence was given regarding the proceedings at No. 11, St. Thomas, where Martin Cahill was deputy returning officer, but on the evidence of the Conservative scrutineer it appeared that Cahill's personation of Montgomery to obtain the appointment was all that was wrong. Sheriff Brown was again subjected to a severe examination by Mr. Watson

regarding his appointments. When the commissioners took their For Huminating, seats Judge Barron pointed out that if the witness Pritchett's statements regarding the slipping of 18 ballots were true, and that the subsequent count of the ballots showed them to actually of the ballots showed them to actually correspond with the statement prepared by Pritchett, there was a discrepancy somewhere. He suggested that evidence should be brought out accounting for the ballot box from the time of its delivery to the sheriff until it reached Osgoode Hall,

Judge Moran suggested the advisability of calling Thomas Hastings and Mrs. Pritchett, of London, to testify



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egarding Pritchett's statements, and Marshall B. Johnson, of St. Thomas, whom Pritchett said he personated. Mr. Watson concurred, and said that all the commission's sources of information should be exhausted.

He Fooled the Surgeons. All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, Ohio, after suffering eighteen months from Rectal Fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world. Surest Pile Cure on earth. 25c a box. Sold by W. T. Strong & Co.

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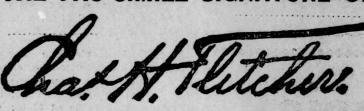
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London Ball Tossers Have an for two bases to right, scoring Reed and Jones, and Cope followed with a single, and the veteran Pete Lohman

Opening Game of the International League-Local Lacrosse Players at Practice-Latest Sporting News.

#### BASEBALL.

CHATHAM WAS EASY.

London was up against an easy proposition in the opening game of the International League series yesterday, has, however, not had a chance to warm up yet, and is looked upon as when they ran away from George Black's aggregation of ball tossers in a manner that simply took the wind Black's aggregation of ball tossers in this inning without a hit. Four men team started right in at the old gait, playing the kind of ball that makes champions. They fielded in good form, and batted Mr. Wilson all over the lot. About 600 enthusiasts, including a fair sprinkling of the fair sex, took in the game, despite the fact that the atmosphere was inclined to be cool. The game was scheduled for 3:30, but it was some ten minutes later, when big Bill Reid led the way out of the dressing-room, with the players of the respective teams following, carrying the pennant for 1900, landed by Lon-don. Mayor Rumball followed, and was tendered an ovation. He made a neat speech, congratulating London on being such a live sporting city. We had not only won the baseball penmant, but our hockey and curling teams had also carried off the prizes for London. He wished the team every success this year, and hoped at the end of the season they would still retain the pennant.

ball! was heard from the direction of Umpire Popkay, and the great and only game was about to The mayor started for the pitcher's box amidst the applause of the fans, and, laying his hat to one side, prepared to perform his deadly work. The "man with the bat" was decidedly nervous until the ball had passed safely over his head by about three feet. He would have needed a good-sized step-ladder to get after his

worship's "in-shoot." George Cooper, London's old reliable of last year, was the slab artist for the home team, and the way he slaughtered the Red Birds made the people in the stand think the visitors' bats were full of holes, and not overly small ones, at that. They simply couldn't do anything with his delivery, and two of the visitors were considerate enough to strike out four times a piece. Cooper had lots of speed and good control, and his work tickied the fans immensely. The visitors failed to tally in the first, leaving it in the hands of the home team to start the fun, and start they did; and when they wound up had five runs to their credit, and had Wilson, the Chatham slab artist, decidedly mixed up. was the easiest kind of pie for the locals, who landed on him in terrific fashion. Mohler smashed the sphere for a two-bagger to right; Hemphill died on an infield fly to third, and then followed the sensational hit of the

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game. Hart, the big new first baseman for London, rapped out a homer, the ball going over the right pasture and across the bike track. This made him solid with the fans, who roundly cheered him on crossing the plate. Reed, the next man up, was hit by the pitcher, and Jones followed with a pretty single. Radeliffe, London's new shortstop, followed with a hit for two bases to right, scoring Reed. got to first on a fielder's choice, Cope being nipped at second. Radcliffe scored on a bunt by Cooper, and the

agony ended. The visitors failed to score until the fourth inning; but the home team, by heavy hitting and clever work on the bases, scored in every inning but

two, as the score shows. In the eighth inning Freeland was substituted for Cooper, and did not make a very promising start. of the visitors' sails. The home went to first on balls, and Boyd was hit by Freeland, who also made a wild throw, allowing two men to cross In London's half of eighth, Manager Black caught the home team napping, when Freeland was substituted for Cooper and Pickard for Lohman—the rules state that these men must bat in place of the men who have quitted the game. Mohler, however, was the next man up, and landed a pretty one for three bases; but Manager Black raised a howl, and Mohler was retired.

The London team for 1900 will be near the top of the bunch in the pennant race. That's a pretty safe pre-diction. Manager Lohman has got a team that is in every way as strong, if not stronger, than last year's aggregation. The five pitchers on the string are all speedy men. Cooper pitched a phenomenal game, having eleven strike outs to his credit in seven innings. Hart, at first, took everything in sight, and batted like a flend. He adds much to the strength of the team. Radeliffe at short, is a very promising youngster. He is very handy with the willow. The outfield, Jones in left, Reed in center, and Hemphill in right, are a trio that would be hard to beat. They cover •a lot of ground, and are willing workers. Mohler, and Cope put up the fastest kind of ball. Catcher Lohman was a little off color in throwing to second, but the visitors did not take

many chances. Umpire Popkay gave general satis-None of his decisions were

questioned.	4.8					
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Hart. 1b	6	1	2	7	1	
Reid, c.f	2	3	1	1	0	
Jones, l.f	3	4	3	0	0	
Radcliffe, s.s	5	1	2	2	1	
Cope, 3h	5	0	3	0	0	
Loman, c	2	1	0	14	3	
Cooper, p	4	0	0	0	0	
Pickard, c	0	0	0	1	1	
Freeland, p	1	0	0	0	1	
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A.B. R. B.H. P.O. A. Neal, l.f..... O'Connell, s.s..... Handiboe, 3b..... Grimshaw, 1b..... Conklin, c.f....

81 7 5 28\* 12 \*Pickard out, not batting in order 

Two-base hits—Mohler, Radcliffe, Hart. Three-base hits—Jones. Home run—Hart. Stolen bases—Mohler, Jones 2, Radcliffe, Cope 2, Cooper, O'Connell. Bases on balls—By Wilson 6, by Cooper 5, by Freeland 6. Hit by pitcher—By Cooper 2 by Wilson 2 by pitcher—By Cooper 2, by Wilson 2, by Freeland 1. Wild pitch—Freeland. Struck out—By Cooper 11, by Freeland 1. Double play—Neal to Fullmer. Umpire, Mr. Popkay. Time, 2:10.

HAMILTON 12. PORT HURON 2. Hamilton, May 10.—Hamilton and Port Huron had cold weather for the opening of the International League season here today, and consequently only about 700 people were present. The Port Huron team, which has been got

#### Cigar for DAVID HARUM (

together in a few days, was far from being in shape, and neither of the pit-chers who were tried could last. As a result Hamilton had no difficulty in piling up runs without doing much hit-ting. The score: HAMILTON.

Two-base hits-Connors, Eltom. Sacrifice hits-Sheehan, Strowger, Crall, Connors, Lohbeick. Stolen bases—Shee-han 2, Strowger 2, Bruyette 3, Crall 2, Jennings 2, Plass 2, Doran 2, Brandmore 1. Innings pitched—By Hines 2, by Hopkins 7. Hits—Off Hines 2, dorant land the state of the stat Hopkins 7. Hits—Off Hines 2, off Hopkins 6. First on balls—By Bradford 4, Hines 2, Hopkins 5. Hit by pitched ball—By Bradford 1, by Hopkins 2. Struck out—By Bradford 7, by Hines 1, by Hopkins 1.2 Left on bases—Hamilton 5, Port Huron 1. Double plays— Sheehan to Bruyette to Doran. balls—Lohbeick 2. Wild pitches— Hines 1, Hopkins 1. Umpire, James McKeever. Time, 1:05.

WET GROUNDS. Wet grounds caused postponement of the Grand Rapids-Saginaw game at Grand Rapids.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. At Pittsburg— R.H.E. Pittsburg .. 0 0 0 2 2 1 0 0 \*- 5 11 3 Chicago .. .. 0 0 0 2 1 0 1 0 0- 4 9 1 Batteries — Tannehill and Zimmer; Taylor and Chance. Umpire—Swart-

AMERICAN LEAGUE. At Cleveland-Cleveland 12, Milwau-

At Indianapolis-Indianapolis 10, Chi-

At Detroit-Detroit 3, Kansas City 2. EASTERN LEAGUE. At Worcester— R. H. E. Montreal ....0 0 0 2 1 4 1 1 \*— 9 14 1 Worcester ...1 0 0 0 0 4 0 1 0— 6 9

Batteries - McFarlane and Moran; Magee and Kittridge. MONTREAL PLAYERS RELEASED. Worcester, Mass., May 10.— Manager Dooley, of Montreal, has released Clancy, pitcher, and Richter, utility infielder. The latter will go to Hartford. Cross, pitcher, of Indianapolis, has been sign-

ed by Montreal. NATIONAL LEAGUE. St. Louis Chicago Pittsburg New York Boston FLYS.

The Knox baseball club, of South London, is expected to open the season with the Ailsa Craig nine there on the 24th. Pitcher Hodson, released by Hart-ford, is trying to catch on with To-

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LOST ON A FOUL. New York, May 10.—Kid Broad, of Cleveland, met Oscar Gardner in a fistic contest before the Broadway A. C. tonight, and through foul tactics lost what promised to be a winning battle. After being cautioned frequently by Referee Charley White, Broad persisted in butting. To this the referee strenuously objected, and finally the referee's patience was exhausted in the 17th round as Broad continuously transgressed the recognized rules, and Referee White had no other option than

to disqualify him. GOLF. London, May 10.—In the fifth round today of the amateur golf championship tournament, which opened at Sandwich, Tuesday, Hilton, of the Royal Liverpool Golf Club, beat C. F. Whigham by 6 and 4; J. Graham, of the Royal Liverpool Golf Club, beat Lord Winchelsea, by 7 to 6; J. A. T. Bramston, of Oxford, beat C. E. Hamilton, by 2 and 1; and J. Robb, of the St. Andrew's Club, beat J. B. Pease, by 3 and 2. Both Whigham and Lord Winchelsea failed to maintain the good form they had previously shown. In the semi-final round Robb beat Bram-ston by 3 and 1 and Hilton beat Gra-ham by 7 and 5.

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#### London, Friday, May 11. A Dangerous Policy.

The Toronto Globe makes the statement that "about all that is left of the Tupper imperialism is a demand that Great Britain shall tax the peothe case, then Sir Charles Tupper formulates a demand that is not likely to be acceded to at present, or in any future that we are likely to see. The food of the people is the key to the economic situation in Britain, and it is not within the power of any party or statesman to make a radical change in that matter now. Sir Charles Tupper knows this as well as anybody. He knows very well that he could not negotiate any such treaty; but he simply put forth the view that we are illtreated by Britain, to appeal to certain interests or supposed interests in Canada. That kind of policy is dangerous. It creates hopes that cannot be realized, and does harm in many ways.

There is another aspect of the same policy which is equally dangerous; namely, that of appealing to two constituencies in two different ways. We believe that there are two things important for Canada—that we should be a living part of the great British Empire, and that we should be one country, having certain interests and aims common to all the citizens. Each Province has a large measure of freedom, and can regulate its own life; and in the sphere of Dominion politics statesmen should speak with one voice to all classes, advocating the measures which, broadly considered, are for the when the thing turns out more serious Britain receives our goods freely now, and the more we take from believe that Canada is able to compete in the British open market, and if we are not to give any favor to the mother country until she taxes her poor people for out benefit, we must go back to high protection all round. If other nations treated us as well as Britain we would be ready to make reductions to them. To imagine that we can increase trade with Britain and get no benefit is foolish; but to imagine Sir Charles Tupper, who so recently claimed a monopoly of imperialism, being cut to the heart because Britain is treating us unkindly, is a still greater absurdity. Policies got up for sectional reasons are not likely to win the favor of the country.

#### The Principles of Poor Law Relief.

According to Dr. Aschrolt, a German specialist, on the subject, the English poor law is based on three principles: "(1) The right to receive relief must be assumed. The public must know that every one, whatever the cause of destitution, is secure against starvation. (2) Poor law relief must be restricted to the minimum required for the support of life. It is necessary to exclude the possibility that the condition of the pauper shall be in any respect better than that of the independent poor. (3) It is essential to associate with the receipt of relief such drawbacks as will induce the poor, so far as lies in their power, to make provision for the future." These principles are good, but everything depends upon the way in which they are applied. Consistent with the spirit of the British constitution, guardians of the poor-a noble name, suggestive of high work-are given a large measure of freedom in the application of

It is no doubt true, as Lord Rothschild said, that "the stigma, if there is any, in the receipt of such relief, lies not in the fact of receiving, but in the causes that led the recipient to need it;" but as a matter of fact, many of the most deserving poor feel that there is a stigma in receiving relief try requires a protection of 300 per hearing "nauners" and struggle cent? If so, the sooner it is allowed hard to avoid being ranked in such a class. The great difficulty is to have an administration which is wise, firm and sympathetic, showing tenderness in some cases and severity in others. This the law, as law, can never do; the spirit must be imparted by largehearted men and women who administer the law. From what we know of England we think that no country has a better supply of able men and women who are interested in these social problems.

these principles.

We confine out attention to one point now, that of the aged poor. It has been pointed out that the Old Age Pension scheme is beset with difficulties. It is difficult to devise a satisfectory scheme and much more difficult to carry it out. The grievances of the aged poor found voice before &

commission, and are summarized briefly as follows: "The routine life in the workhouse, the monotony of the diet, the want of privacy, the want of liberty, unpleasant company, insufficient inspection, inadequate nursing, and above all, the harshness and dictatorial tone of the relieving officers." But efforts have been recently made with much success to lessen these. Then the case remains of aged poor who are in workhouses, but who would be better outside. The cottage homes committee says that these are few. ple's food for our benefit." If this is and the cases can be best dealt with by the co-operation of local philanthropists, and other agencies with the guardians.

At present the war is throwing an other political and social subjects into the shade, but these problems are ever with us, and one is glad to see so much earnest thought spent upon them. In Canada our difficulties may not be exactly the same, but we can learn much from the experience of other lands, and especially from the land of our ancestors, not as to laws merely, but as to the spirit in which such subjects should be handled.

#### Re Disestablishment.

The Duke of Newcastle, who is an uncompromising ritualist, in a recent address, was decidedly defiant towards those who wish to prevent the burning of incense, etc., within the Anglican Church buildings. He asserts, however, that he sees no remedy for the present division in the church on this subject except disestablishment. "In the days when every M. P. was at least nominally a churchman," says the duke, "the connection between church and state was possible; but now, when Parliament contains men of all religions, and of no religion, the connection is an anomaly." There is a good deal of truth in these strictures by the good of all. To have one policy for Duke of Newcastle. A worse fate Quebec, and another for Ontario, is might befall the Church of England both foolish and dangerous. At one than to be put on equality, as regards time it might serve for a season as a the state, with the other great churches political trick; but that day has gone in the Motherland. Here in Canada we by. There are a sufficient number of have an object lesson in this regard. intelligent men who read what is said For some time we had a state church in both tongues to make such a policy here, enjoying privileges denied to childish and ridiculous. The public is other churches. But Parliament in its not now so easily gulled. It is absurd wisdom, instructed by the people, saw for men to think that they can claim fit to put all churches on an equality, credit for forcing the Government to and never again will there be a state send troops to help Britain, and then, church in the Dominion. No one will say that it has been an injury to the than they expected, try to blame the churches which were formerly taken Government for doing the thing they under the wing of the state in Canada clamored for. The Government in that that they have been put upon their matter measured aright the feeling of own resources. Today they are prosthe people; and the people will stand perous and progressive, and we doubt by them. They are not going to allow if they would have been as prosperous real patriotism to be turned into a poi- and progressive if they had continued Stical stalking-horse. Liberals are not established. We know, too, that when "jingoes," but they believe that the the anomaly of a state-sustained right kind of imperialism is good for church in Ireland was done away with the whole country. Then as to our there was dire foreboding by some trade policy: That is in harmony with that the church would go to the wall, the British sentiment, and is good for But today its adherents assert that palmy days as an established church. her the more we shall sell to her. We So it might be if the Church of England were disestablished. We do not, however, look for a very early disestablishment of that church, either from the divisions over ritualism or anything else. They move slowiy in these matters in England.

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Then there is danger of killing the goose that lays the golden egg. When all Canadians are converted to the use of Canadian tobacco in place of imported, the revenue will drop from a 35 cents to a 5 cents basis, and the finance minister will whistle for a million dollars a year that he has been in the habit of getting without any trouble. Are we to understand that the Canadian tobacco-growing industo die, the better it will be for all concerned.

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### SALISBURY'S **ACRID SPEECH**

Took the Grace Out of the Queen's Visit to Ireland.

It Was Trenchant, but Ill-Timed-Lord Rosebery Urges Retorm and Reorganization-Dreibund Is Against Germany.

SALISBURY'S SPEECH MLL-TIMED. A dispatch to the New York Tribune from London says: Lord Salisbury took the grace out of the recent visit of the Queen to Ireland by the vehemence with which he warned Irishmen that recent events in South Africa proved that there could not be practical independence anywhere in the empire with opportunities for arraying hostile forces, against the Imperial Government. It was a trenchant, but acrid speech, and was not well timed. AGAINST GERMANY.

Berlin, May 11 .- The Hanover Courier confirms in an article, evidently inspired, the statement recently cabled that France not long ago, on being asked how she would act if an Anglo-German war broke out, replied: "We knew only one question," meaning Alsace-Lorraine. The article concluded as follows: "It was not a continental federation against England. but a dreibund against Germany that was in the air.'

REORGANIZATION URGED. London, May 11.-Addressing company at the banquet of the Glasgow University Club, given in London this evening, Lord Rosebery said: "We shall come out of the war with triumph for our arms and lustre for our national character; but we will lose the surest result of the struggle if we fail to utilize it to reform and rearrange our administration to meet the growing requirements of an enormously increasing empire." Lord Rosebery cited recent cases where the

ic negotiations that were properly within the province of the foreign of-fice, while the foreign office was burdened with the administration of vast colonial tracts. Such matters, he said, called for reorganization, and al-though the war office had performed a praiseworthy work in transporting an immense army, this was an unprecedented business, and it also would be better for reform.

HEIRLOOMS AT AUCTION. London, May 11.-The sale by auction of the Peel family heirlooms drew

a fashionable crowd yesterday, among them Sir Robert Peel mingled, gaily watching the heirlooms knocked down to curio dealers. Among the bidders were Lord Rosebery and the Rothschilds, but dealers predominated. The most valuable part of the collection will come under the hammer today. Yesterday's sale was chiefly statuary and furniture, and realized about £8,000. The chief item was Chantrey's bust of Walter Scott, which brought £2,250.

GAVE MONEY TO A DOG. London, May 11.—The Queen arrived in London yesterday. In will spend three days here. Her majesty appeared in excellent health. Prior to leaving Paddington station, by the Queen's request a railroad dog which collects money for widows and orphans was brought to the royal carriage, and her majesty contributed.

ERUPTION OF VESUVIUS TERMINATED. Portici, Italy, May 11.—Explosions within Mount Vesuvius are infrequent. The volcano is only emitting some cinders, and the eruption is considered terminated,

ANDREW CARNEGIE'S OPINION. London, May 11.-Andrew Carnegie was present at yesterday's session of the Iron and Steel Institute's annual meeting. He said in an interview: do not believe any serious reduction in prices will occur in the iron and steel market. The world's demand shows signs of increasing rather than deoreasing.

MORE TROUBLE IN SPAIN. Madrid, May 11:-The newspapers here today are discussing the existence of a ministerial crisis. In view of the situation the minister of the interior, Senor Dato, has abandoned the re-

colonial office had conducted diplomat- mainder of his tour of Catalonia, and his proposed visit to the Balearic Islands, and has returned here. attended a cabinet council, at which the queen-regent presided. The cabinet deliberated on the policy to be adopted in consideration of today's demonstration against the government's taxation schemes, which appears to be general throughout the country. The Madrid theaters announce that they will participate in the protest, and will close their doors. The meeting of the council is expected to bring out dissensions among the ministers, possibly leading to another reconstruction of

the cabinet. Paris, May 11.-A dispatch to the Temps from Madrid says the greatest perplexity prevails in the political world over the situation created by the events in Catalonia, the national union campagn, and the schism existing be-tween classes and the political parties, of the Carlists. and by the attitude republicans and socialists, who are always ready to take advantage of all circumstances-a situation which is assuming exceptional gravity. Marshal Martinez de Campos has summed up the situation in the following words: "The ministry must govern or resign." CABLE NOTES.

Plague has broken out in Alexandria, Bubonic plague is reported spreading

in China and Australia. Heavy gales on the German coast have cost the lives of many sailors. Revolutionists in Colombia are becoming so powerful as to menace the stability of the legitimist government. News has reached Berlin that the anti-foreign society known as the Big Knife, is spreading among the population of Shan Tung, and is favored by

the Chinese officials. The Quito has sailed from New York for Bombay with 200,000 bushels of corn for the famine districts. This, the largest cargo ever carried by any vessel on a similar errand, comes from all denominations in every part of United States. The Kansas India fam-ine relief committee is represented by 20,000 bushels, and the Mennonites' committee by 8,000 bushels. It is expected that the voyage will be made

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain What it has HANGED.

Camden, N. J., May 11.-Francisco Abbato was hanged in the Camden county jail yesterday for the murder of Generao De Feo. Abbato became infatuated with De Feo's wife, and one day last summer he killed him. He secured De Feo's savings, about \$100, and induced Mrs. De Feo to accompany him to New York. Abbato was convicted on the testimony of Mrs. De Feo.

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Local Market.
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Wheat, white, per bu63c to 66
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Oats, per bu33c to 34
Peas, per bu
Corn, per bu
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Rye, per bu
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The Oil Market. PITTSBURG, Pa., May 11.—Oil opened at \$142; closed at \$142.
Oil, CITY, May 10.—Oil—Credit balances, \$142; certificates, no bids.

American Markets CHICAGO, May 10.-Apprehension regarding the government crop report curtailed wheat in the wheat pit today, and the market ruled exceedingly dull with almost no range. July closed a fraction lower. After a weak op-ening corn turned strong on active buying, and July closed with a net gain of %c. Oats closed unchanged. Pro-visions ruled strong. Chicago received 19 cars. Minneapolis and Duluth got 279 car lots, compared with 190 the corresponding day a year ago. lantic port clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 295,000 bushels. Estimated receipts for tomorrow are not

posted.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat. May, 65½c; July, 67c. Corn—May, 31¾c; July, 38¾c to 39c; Sept., 39¼c. Oats—May, 22¾c; July, 23¾c. Mess Pork—May, 31 50; July, 21¾c. Mess Pork—May, \$1 50; July, \$11 65. Lard—May, \$6 85; July, \$8 87¼; Sept., \$6 92½. Short ribs—May, \$6 85; July, \$8 87¼; Sept., \$6 80. Cash quotetions—Flour, dull and lower. No. 2 spring wheat, 65½c to 66¼c; No. 3 spring wheat, 65½c to 66¼c; No. 2 red wheat, 72c. No. 2 corn, 39c; No. 2 yellow corn, 39¼c. No. 2 cats, 23½c to 24c; No. 2 white, 26½c to 27c; No. 3 white 25½c to 26½c. No. 2 rye, 53¼c. Good feeding barley, 26½c to 37c; fair to choice malting, 40c to 43c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 80; No. 1 Northwest, \$1 80. Prime timothy seed, \$2 50. Clover, contract grade, \$7. Mess pork, \$11 50 to \$11 55. Lard, \$6 85 to \$6 87½. Short rib sides, \$6 45 to \$6 70. Dry saited shoulders, 6½c to 6¾c, Short clean sides. \$7 05 to \$7 15. Sugar, unchanged; cut loaf, \$6; gramulated, \$5 ¼; confectioners' A, \$5 40. Eggs, steady, fresh, 10¾c to 11½c. RECEIPTS—Flour, 16,000 barrels; wheat, 11,0000 bushels; corn, 238,000 bushels; cats, 28. SHIPMENTS—Flour, 6,000 barrels; wheat, SHIPMENTS—Flour, 6,000 barrels; wheat, bushels.
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24,000 bushels; corn. 238,000 bushels; oats, 115,-000 bushels; barley, 11,000 bushels. Live Stock Market.

MONTREAL, May 10.—The receipts of cattle at the east end abattoir this morning were 350 head of cattle, 150 calves, 50 head and 25 lambs; the demand was good and prices well maintained. Cattle-Choice sold at from 4½c to 5c per lb; good sold at from 3%c to 41/4c per 1b; lower grades from 2c to 3c per lb; calves were sold from \$2 to \$6 each. Sheep brought from 4c to 41/2c per lb; lambs were sold from 41/2c to 5c per 1b. Hogs brought from 51/2c

NEW YORK, May 10.-Beeves-Re-708; all for slaughterers; nothing doing; nominally steady. Cables lower; refrigerator beef, 9% c per lb. Exports, 6 cattle and 40 sheep; more tomorrow. Calves—Receipts, 684; mar-\$6.75; choice do, \$7; mixed calves, \$4. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,750; 10½ cars on sale; market active; sheep and lambs steady; all sold; clipped sheep, \$4 to \$5 62½; wooled ewes, \$5 50; clipped lambs, \$6 to \$7 30; few wooled do, \$5 75; spring lambs, \$5 per head. Hogs 1,432; 20 on sale; market firm.

EAST BUFFIALO, N. Y., May 10 .-Cattle-There was no fresh offerings of cattle, but one load of stockers sold at yesterday's basis; Canadas, \$4 50; calves about steady; choice to extra. \$6 50 to \$6 75. Sheep and lambsdemand was active, and prices firm and higher; choice to extra, \$6 90 to \$7 05; good to choice, \$6 75 to \$6 90; choice mixed, \$4 90 to \$5 25; yearlings, \$5 60 to \$5 90; wethers, \$5 35 to \$5 50. Hogs-Light offerings and active de mand; 10c to 15c higher; heavy, \$5 50 to \$5 55; mixed, \$5 50 to \$5 55; heavy Yorkers, \$5 50 to \$5 55; likht Yorkers, \$5 45 to \$5 50; plgs, \$5 15 to \$5 25; roughs, \$4 90 to \$5; stags, \$3 90 to \$4 25. CHICAGO, May 10 .- Cattle-Receipts, Texans; steers 10,500, including 500 steady to strong; butchers' stock ac-tive; strong; best on sale today, one Herefords at \$5 75, and two cars Angus at \$5 70; natives, good to prime steers, \$4 90 to \$5 80. Hogs-Receipts, 22,000; left over, 2,500; strong to shade higher; tops, \$5 45; mixed and butchers. \$5 10 to \$5 40. Sheep—Receipts, 17,000; sheep and lambs strong for good qualities; others slow; top lambs, \$7 50; good to choice wethers.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, May 10.-Here and at Liverpool prices are weak and lower. are 14c per lb. Refrigerator beef is lower at 9%c per lb.

The Dairy Markets. CHICAGO, May 10.—Butter steady: creamerles, 14c to 191/2c; dairies, 13c to 161/2c. Cheese dull; creams, 9c to 111/2c. KINGSTON, Ont, May 10 .- At the

cheese board today 415 white and 304 colored were boarded; a few sales at 101/4c to 10%c, April make. BROCKVILLE, Ont., May 10.-Offerings on the cheese board here today were 1,176 colored and 516 white; 101/20 bid for colored, and 10 7-16c for white;

the only sales on board were 100 colored at 10%c.
MADOC, Ont., May 16.—At the cheese board today 552 cheese were

boarded. Watkin bought 160. Brenton 165. Ayer 167, and Hodgson 60, all at NEW YORK, May 10 .- Butter firmer: western creamery, 161/2c to 201/2c; western factory, 13c to 15c; imitation creamery, 14c to 17c; state dairy, 15c to 19c; state creamery, 161/2c to 201/2c.

Cheese steady; fancy, large, white, 10½c; fancy, large, colored, 10½c to 10¼c; fancy, small, white, 9¼c to 9½c; fancy, small, colored, 9½c to 9¾c. KINGSTON, Ont., May 10 .- At the 779 boxes were boarded; 445 were white and 344 colored; bidding opened 10c and closed at 10%c for white, and 104c for colored; only 60 boxes of colored and 38 boxes of white were ed a considerable quantity of ese was bought up. Buyers say y want only well-cured cheese; too ese is being sold, and exporters will not accept any more.

The Subject of Closing the Canadian Exhibition at the Paris Exposition Brought Up-Bills Dealt With.

Ottawa, May 10 .- This afternoon Mr. John Charlton brought to the attention of the house the subject of closing the Canadian exhibit at the Paris Exposition on Sunday, and the minister of agriculture stated in reply that efforts had been made by the government in that direction, but so far without success. Mr. Taylor complained that a Canadian had been deported from Ogdensburg, N. Y., and Sir Wil-frid Laurier, in reply, stated that the grievance complained of arose from an abuse rather than the enforcement of the alien labor law, and might form the subject of diplomatic representations to the United States Government. The remainder of the day was spent in dis-cussing various government bills.

The papers relating to the steamer J. Barr were, at the request of Sir Charles Tupper, ordered to be printed.

Mr. Fielding introduced a bill from the senate to amend the loan com-

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in moving that government business take precedence of general business on Mondays, said he did not anticipate any opposition to the motion at this stage of the session. On Monday last the order paper was cleared of private members' business with the exception of the prohibition resolution, for the consideration of which the government would give a

day.
The motion carried.

The motion carried.

Mr. Charlton, referring to a dispatch announcing that the Canadian exhibit at the Paris Exposition was to be opened on Sunday, notwithstanding the protest of the Canadian Government, and that the United States exhibit was the only one that was closed on Sunday, inquired as to the character of the protest entered by the authorities of the Dominiom to the imperial authorities against the Canadian exhibit being opened on Sunday. He also asked why opened on Sunday. He also asked why their protests were ineffectual, while those of the United States were apparently effectual; also whether the jurisdiction of the French authorities was the same in the case of the United States exhibit as in the case of the Canadian and imperial exhibits.

Mr. Fisher, in reply, said when the Paris Exposition was first proposed the Canadian Government took steps to find out whether it would be open on Sundays or not, and the first commissioner who went from Canada was instructed to obtain this information. The Canadian Government had, he explained, no power to act in connection plained, no power to act in connection with the exposition, but could only make its desires known through the British commissioners. An intimation was given that Canada desired that her exhibit should not be open to the public on Sunday, but the imperial commissioner reported that he found it impossible to secure that privilege. Another communication had been sent through Lord Strathcona, requesting that the desire of Canada be granted. that the desire of Canada be granted, but no definite reply had been received. Mr. Fisher said he had received a communication from Mr. Tarte stating that the British commission had decided that the British exhibit should be open on Sunday, and they could not undertake to make any distinction in the case of the Canadian exhibit. Fisher said he certainly had no information to show him that the United States exhibits were closed on Sunday, and the letter received yesterday, led him to believe that all exhibits would be open on Sundays. Mr. Fisher's bill respecting the in-

corporation of live stock associations was passed through committee. provides for the establishment of Dominion herd books, as the United States will not recognize provincial The bill introduced by Mr. Fisher to provide for the marking and in-

specting of packages of apples and fruits for export was taken up in committee and progress reported. The house adjourned at 12:45 a.m. IN THE SENATE.

Ottawa. May 10 .- In the senate today several bills from the commons were read a first time. The Kebald and Patterson divorce bills were read

The bill to extend the time for the construction of the Red Deer Valley Railway and Coal Company was discussed and sent to the railway com-

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men, sufferers from brain-fag, nervous dyspepsia and nervous headache, who have felt new energy and vigor return to their bodies while using this famous treatment

Ask the puny, sickly children who have been made healthy and robust by using this prince of restoratives.

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Our Dress Department is the attraction for this week. Ladies who are thinking about Dress Fabrics, will find clever suggestions here and at prices astonishingly low. Pretty skirt patterns and handsome checks for skirt and costume, together with Homespuns, in plains and checks, in new shades and styles, are very suggestive,

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5 pieces new Checks, in pretty shades, a beautiful fine texture; worth 75c, making very stylish skirts or costumes, now selling at 5 10 pieces Black and Navy Suiting. The celebrated Priestley's make. No other make wears so well; worth 65c, now selling at 50c.

8 pieces Homespun Vigoreau, makes skirt or costume with very smart effect. Can be had in various new shadings; worth 75c, now selling at 50c. 10 pieces Fine Checks, very stylish, pretty shades, of fawns, blues, greens and other combinations, just opened; worth 60c, now selling at 50c. 20 pieces of Fine Silk and Wool Combination Plaids, particularly smart for children's wear. We venture these cannot be duplicated at 50c in the

5 pieces of Fancy Blacks selected from our regular 75c material, rich in color and refined in design. See them now at 50c.

#### Making Skirts

The special skirt-making offer will be good through this sale. Street or bicycling skirts made in best styles for 50c when materials at 50c or over are

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#### Hosiery

Wonderful selling in our Hosiery department. Special for this week: Fine Seamless Hose, fast black, 2 for

#### E. M. Teachers.

At yesterday afternoon's session of the East Middlesex Teachers' Association, Mr. John Dearness gave an interesting address. "Prospective and Retrospective." He expressed his pleasure at finding himself in his old surroundings. His connection with the East Middlesex Teachers' Association pioneer work in the educational field. Under its stimulation the first public kindergarten west of Hamilton was established, viz., in school section No. Westminster, then called New Brighton. At one of its meetings it gave the first exhibition in this city of the use of the telephone. Mr. Bell was present, and holders of reserved seats in the association hall, listened to a short concert given in the ffecumseh House. After a brief review of the chief legislative changes favorable and otherwise, which have been made, he reviewed the differences in conditions "then and now." Among these were the increased attention now paid to young pupils, the more rational and less rote methods of teaching, particularly in view of the increased cost of entering and remaining in the profession, and referred to intangible, but none the less real rewards that await the faithful teacher.

At the morning session today, Mr. Dale gave an interesting address on "Continuation Classes in Public Schools," which was followed by an interesting discussion. Mr. Magee de-livered an excellent address on "Drawing," which was also followed by discussion. The convention closes

#### **Public Library** Additions.

The following additions have been made to the public library: Bruce-The Moral Order of the

World-In ancient and modern thought. Caird-The Fundamental Ideas

Christianity.
Temple-The House of Commons. Mapleson-Memoirs, 1848-1888, 2 vols. Schumann-Music and Musicians-Essays and criticisms, 2 vols., translated, etc., by Fanny, R. Ritter. Frost-Schubert-The great musician

eries. Benedict-Weber-The great musici-Willeby-Masters of English Music.

Prout—The Orchestra, 2 vols.—Vol. 1, technique of the instruments; vol. 2, orchestral combination. Hopkins and Rimbault—The Organ, Its History and Construction—Hand-book for the organist and the ama-

Van Dyke-Little Rivers-Essays in profitable idleness. Wharton—The Greater Inclination. Cicero—Letters—Translated by Eve-lyn S. Shuchkburgh, vols, 1, 2. Tolstoy-Resurrection.

Butler-Scotland's Ruined Abbeys. Morrow-Bohemian Paris of Today. Graham-The Social Life of Scotland in the Eighteenth Century, 2 vols. Fitchett-How England Saved Europe, 4 vols.—The story of the great war, 1793-1815. Taylor-The Cardinal Facts of Canadian History.

Aubrey—A Queen of Atalantis. Gras—The White Terror. Haggard—Jess. Sheehan-My New Curate. Walford-Sir Patrick, the Puddock. Warner-My Desire. Weyman-Sonhia

#### Stamship Arrivals.

Glasgow	St. John
Glasgow	Bostor
Montreal	Liverpoo
Stettin	New York
Liverpool	John
Antwerp	St. John
֡	Glasgow Glasgow Montreal Now York New York London Stettin Rotterdam Liverpoel Antwerp Cape Town

#### Militia Orders.

Among the militia orders issued yesterday are the following:

The Royal Canadian Regiment of Infantry, First Battalion—Majors R. L. Wadmore and T. D. E. Hemming are granted the brevet rank of lieutenant-Seventh Battalion Fusiliers-To be

lieutenant, Sesond Lieut, T. J. Murphy, vice E. Masuret, retired. Twenty-Second Battalion, the Oxford Rifies-To be second lieutenant provisionally, R. T. M. Scott, gentleman, to complete establishment. To be second lieutenant, supernumerary, R. B.

Ross. gentleman. Twenty-fifth Elgin Battalion of Infantry-Provisional Second Lieutenant H. J. Lindsay retires. To be captain, Second Lieut. M. Scott, vice A. F. Mc-Lachlin, promoted. To be second lieutenants provisionally, A. E. Ryde, N. C. E. Porter, gentlemen, to complete establishment. To be second lieutenants supernumerary, E. A. Mannell, J. A. Quick, R. B. Stewart, gentle-

Twenty-sixth Middlesex Battalion of Light Infantry-Capt. A. V. Becher, J. B. Milliken resign their commissions to enlist for special service in South Africa. Twenty-ninth Waterloo Battalion of Infantry-Capt. G. P. Ziegler, having

left limits, his name is removed from the list of officers of the active militia. To be captain, Second Lieut. G. E. Beyer, vice G. P. Ziegler, retired. Thirty-second Bruce Battalion of Infantry-To be lieutenant, Second Lieut. J. B. Boyer, vice A. J. Peterson, pro-

Thirty-third Huron Battalion of Infantry-Second Lieut. R. Vanstone. having failed to qualify, his name is removed from list of officers of the ac-

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tive militia. To be second lieutenant provisionally, J. C. Masson, gentle-man, vice R. Vanstone, retired; J. Galt, gentleman, vice S. E. Kent, retired. To be second lieutenant, supernumerary, H. K. Jordan, gentleman. To be second lieutenant provisionally, W. M. Sinclair, gentleman, vice DeF.

Grant, promoted. Reserve of officers-The undermentioned officers having reached the age limit, are retired and permitted to re-tain their rank on retirement: Lieut, adopted denouncing him for issuing an Col. G. T. Denison, Lieut.-Col. J. B. Cushing, Major W. Hoy, J. A. Hawley, Capt. F. J. Gosling.

A STRONG BACKING.

Commissioner of Wickham, N. B., Civil Courts Makesan Important

Statement Wickham, Queen's County, N. B., May 7.-Mr. G. L. Worden, commissioner of the civil courts here, is emphatic in his indorsation of the great medicine, Dodd's Kidney Pills. "Dodd's Kidney Pills," he says, "have been a wonder and surprise to myself. After over twenty years of suffering with my back and kidneys

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#### BASEBALL.

THE "BOERS." On account of the financial assistance and sympathy shown for the Boers by the Grand Rapids people, the Grand Rapids International League ball club has already been dubbed the "Boers." When the "Boers" and the English shall meet over in Canada there is liable to be some lively times. -Saginaw Courier-Herald.

FLYS. Catcher Curtis, of Wayne, has signed with Grand Rapids. Eddy will play in the outfield and manage the Saginaw team. Bert Eltom, of last season's Hamilton team, is with Port Huron,

Torontos have released Pitcher T. Victor Clarke. The Saginaw team have received their new Spalding uniforms. The blouses and trousers are gray and the caps are of the golf order.

Frank Noreum, of last year's Wood-

stock Canadian League team, has signed with Saginaw. The Lucan Greys opened the baseball season yesterday by defeating the Thedford team in an hour and fifteen minutes, by a score of 7 to 2.

#### Nature Has Provided

A remedy for every ache and pain, and science, through ceaseless activity and experiments constantly wresting the secrets of her domain. A new and wonderful discovery has recently been made by means of which tens of thousands will be freed from pain. Nerviline, or nerve pain cure, represents in very concentrated form the most potent pain relieving substitute known to medical science, and, strange to sav, it is composed of substances solely vegetable in origin. Polson's Nerviline is the most prompt, certain and pleasant pain remedy in the world. Sold in 10 and 25 cent bottles by all dealers in medicine.

A delegation from the Canadian Press Association is in Ottawa asking for removal of postage from newspapers and periodicals.

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The middle-of-the-road Populists the United States met in Cincinnati and nominated Wharton Baker, of Pennsylvania for president and Igna-tius Donnelly for vice-president. "Ho for a clean stomach!" Take LAXA-CARA Cathartic Tablets. Drug-

gists, 25 cents.

#### IN LABOR'S FIELD

Locomotiva Engineers Heard From Re Cigarmakers' Strike.

Milwaukee, Wis., May 11.—Judge Freedman, of the New York supreme court was censured by the Brotherhood of the Locomotive Engineers at injunction enjoining the cigarmakers' union from contributing financial aid to the recent cigarmakers' strike.

An appropriation of \$50,000 was made to a charitable fund to be distributed to indigent members of the order. Buffalo, May 11 .- Negotiations have been opened between the striking car repairers of the Lackawanna and the company, and are now tending toward the settlement of the strike on that

NOTES.

The Detroit Cartage Association wants strikers to come back as in-Members of the Detroit Brewers, Beer Drivers and Bottlers' Union are feeling good over the signing of the scale which they presented to their em-

ployers some time ago. They get an advance all along the line. A man was shot at St. Louis, Mo., in connection with the street railway men's strike. One story is that a police officer on the car fired the shot. Dan Donovan was arrested, charged with firing the fatal bullet. Donovan is employed in a minor capacity by the

railway company.

At strike headquarters, in St. Louis. it is stated that the strikers, under the direction of President Mahon, of the street car employes' national organization, are preparing a new plan of campaign, by drawing to their aid all the support possible from united labor in St. Louis. Mahon announces that the vital principle of the union is the point at issue.

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A wedding ring should fit the finger. If it is too large it is a sign of shallowness of purpose. If too tight it suggests that the union pinches somehow. A perfect fitting ring is symbolic of a perfect harmonious union.

#### He Is a Wonder.

All who see Mr. C. F. Collier, of Cherokee, Ia., as he is now, cheerful, erect, vigorous, without an ache, could hardly believe he is the same man who a short time ago, had to sit in a chair, propped up by cush-ions, suffering intensely from an aching back, in agony if he tried to stoop, all caused by chronic kidney trouble, that no medicine helped till he used Electric Bitters and was wholly cured by three bottles. Posit-ively cures Backache, Nervousness, Loss of Appetite, all Kidney troubles, only 50c at W. T. Strong & Co.'s drug

The Nova Scotia Southern Railway, now being built, will be 117 miles long; including New Germany to Shelburne, 77 miles; Indian Gardens to Liverpool, 20 miles; Sable River to Lockeport, 20 miles.

LIFE SAVED .- Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs, and was given up by physici-A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on the advice I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I certainly believe it saved my life. was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, and I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any

remedy to do me good." "Marching Through Pretoria" is song whose character is conveyed in the title. It has been "sung nightly at the Empire Theater, London, with great success by Mr. Scott Russell." car was considerably damaged and the passengers in the smoker shaken up.

-The board of management of the Children's Aid Society held a regular meeting yesterday afternoon in the city hall. A number of satisfactory reports, including a property of the city hall.

-Mr. R. Mitchell and his daughter,

who formerly resided in Hyde Park, and whose home is now in Tustin City,

Cal., are visiting the former's son-in-law, City Clerk Kingston. They will

probably remain here during the sum-mer. It is eleven years since Miss Mitchell was last in this city.

-The Cleveland Leader of May

briefly mentions the death in that city on Sunday of Miss Jennie Driffill, at the family residence, No. 16 Lakeview

avenue. Miss Driffill, who was the daughter of a Methodist minister, came

to London from Bradford with her mother and brother about fifteen years

ago. Favored with a large share of

natural talent, and a liberal education, she attained a high degree of proficien-

cy in whatever she undertook, while her senial disposition and her many excellent traits of character won for

her the respect and esteem of those with whom she came in contact. Miss

Driffill was connected with the Forest

City Business College for nearly three

years. Many of her pupils have attain-

ed high rank in their profession. Miss Driffili left London for Cleveland some

eight or nine years ago where the other

death and sympathize with the bereav-

came up before Squire French, of that

A PRESENTATION TO SERGT.

At the annual supper last night of

At the trial of the South Perth cor-

were dismissed. Graham and Irving

were fined \$200, the fine to be paid within a month, otherwise imprison-

ment for one month. In the case of

Irving the judges remitted half the

tion of the pastor, Rev. H. C. Speller,

on account of ill-health, and voted him

six months' leave of absence. Rev. H.

C. Speller's many friends in London

much regret the cause which makes

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Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Te sumseh House, for 'The Advertiser: Yesterday's Close, Open, High, Low. 2p.m

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A. E. WELCH, 207 Dundas St., LONDON, ONT. English Markets. Liverpool, May 11.-Closing. ot, dull; winter, firm; No. 1; Wheat — Spot, dull; winter, firm; No. 1; Cal., 6s 3d to 6s 34d; No 2 red western winter

Cal.. 6s 3d to 6s 34d; No 2 red western winter, 5s 114d; No. 1 red northern spring, steady, 5s 104d; No. 1 red northern Duluth, 5s 104d sutures, quiet; July, 5s 8d; Sept., 5s 74d.

Corn—Spot. American mixed, new, steady, 6s 14d; 4e, old nominal, 4s 34d; futures, quiet, May, 4s 14d; July, 8s 114d; Sept., 3s 114d.

Peas—Western, 5s 9d; Caradian, 5s 9d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 7s 3d; Minn., 7s 9d. linn., 7s 9d.

Beef—Prime mess, steady, 73s 9d; extra India

Beef-Prime mess, steady, 73s 9d; extra India mess, steady, 80s.

Pork-Firm; prime mess, fine western, steady 83s 6d; do, medium western, 42s 6d.

Lard-American refined, in pails, steady, 27s; prime western, in tierces, firm, 35s 9d.

Hams-Short cut. 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 46s 6d.

Bacon-Cumberland cut. 28 to 20 lbs, steady, 42s; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs, dull, 40s 6d; long clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs, dull, 40s 6d; long clear middles, layer, 35 to 40 lbs, dull, 40s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, steady, 36s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 39s.

Shoulders-Square, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 35s.

Butter-Finest American and good, nominal. Cheese-American finest whise, dull, 58s; colored, steady, 63s 6d; ordinary new, 56c.

Tallow-Prime city, dull, 27s 6d; Australian in London, steady, 27s 6d.

Hop2-At London (Pacific coast), steady, 22 5s to 43 15s.

seed oil - Hull refined, May-Aug.,

Gottonseed oil — Hull refined, May-Aug., steady, 24s.
Turpentine spirits—Firm, 45s.
Rosin—Common, steady, 5s.
Linseed eil—25s 5d.
Petroleum—Rofined, 7%d.
Receipts of wheat for the past three days were, 330,000 centals, including 159,000 American. Receipts of American corn during the past three days, 111,700 centals. Weather cloudy and very cold.

Toronto Produec Market. Toronto, May 11.-Wheat-Steady; red and white, 65c to 65½c west; goose, 70c, low freight, and 69c, high freights, west; spring, 65c to 65½c east; Mani-toba wheat, 79c, immediate shipment,



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for No. 1 hard at Toronto and west; 78½c, May, grinding in transit; 73½c to 74c at Goderich, and 73½c to 74c at Midland. Flour—Dull; cars of straight roller or Ontario patents are quoted at \$2.75 west; Manitoba flour is \$4 to \$4 10 for patents and \$3 70 for strong bakers in car lots here. Millfeed—Steady, at \$16 to \$16 50 for shorts, and including one from Mrs. Harvie, gov-ernment inspector, were submitted. The committee is still on the lookout for a new shelter. \$14 for bran west. Barley—Dull; No. 2 at 40c west. Buckwheat—Steady, 50c. Rye—Steady, at 52c west. Corn—Steady; 39c for Canada yellow west; American is steady at 47½c for new Rye-Steady, at 52c west. Corn-No. 3 yellow, Toronto. Oats—White, 27c on the C. P. R., and 27½c on the G. T. R. west. Peas—Steady; 60c west. Butter—Supply fair; steady, at 11c to 13c for large and pound dairy rolls, and 14c for choice prints; creamery holds steady at 18c to 20c for prints, and 17c to 18c for tubs. Eggs—Steady. at 12c to 12½c. Dressed hogs—Receipts today, 1,480; prices unchanged, but the tendency is to weaken; choice

American Markets. CHICAGO, May 11.—Opening—Wheat, July 66% e to 66% e; May, 65% o. Corn, July, 38% c to 39c; May, 37% c. Oats, July, 22% e to 22% c; May, 22% e. Pork, July, \$11 65 to \$11 67%. Latd, July, \$6 9c; Sept., \$6 90 to \$6 92%. Itibar July, \$6 60; Sept., \$6 57%.

bacon, 64c; heavy fat, 5%c; light fat,

NEW YORK, May 11.-Flour-Receipts, 10,663 bbls; sales, 3,800 pkgs; state and western quiet and easier, being a shade lower to sell. Rye flour dud; fair to good, \$2 90 to \$3 15; choice to fancy, \$3 20 to \$3 50. Wheat—Receipts, 237,735 bu; sales, 1,135,000 bu; option market opened steady on higher Paris cables, but weakened during the forenoon under fine crop news and the liberal Argentine shipments; May, 70%c liberal Argentine shipments; May, 70%c to 71c; July, 72%c to 72 7-16c; Sept., 73c. Rye quiet; state, 57c, ci.f., New York car lots; No. 2 western, 61c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 81,175 bu; sales, 15,000 bu; option market opened steady on English cables, but eased off later with wheat; July, 44%c to 44%c; Sept., 44%c to 44%. Oats—Receipts, 179,200 bu; ortions dull and easy: track white options dull and easy; track, white state, 28½c to 35c. Butter—Receipts, 3,043 pkgs; market firm; state dairy, 3,043 pkgs; market firm; state dairy, 15c to 19c; state creamery, 16½c to 18½c; factory, 13c to 15c; imitation do, 14c to 17c. Cheese—Receipts, 2,029 pkgs; market firm; fancy large white, 10½c. Eggs—Receipts, 12,547 pkgs; steady. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3 15-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 7-16c.Molasses sugar, 3%c: refined steady. Coffee quiet; No. 7, Rio, 7½c; nominal. Lead easy; exchange price, \$4 25 to \$4 30; bullion price, \$4. Wool dull. Hops quiet. BUFFALO, May 11 .- Spring wheat-No. 1 hard, 73¼c; No. 1 northern, 71¼c. With a well-filled purse. Sergt Judges Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 74c; No. 1 white and mixed, 73¼c. Corn—No. 1 yellow, 44¼c; No. 3 yellow, 44c; No. 2 corn, 43%c on track. Oats—No. 2 white, SOUTH PERTH BRIBERY CASES. 29c to 291/4c; No. 3 white, 28c to 281/4c on

DETROIT, May 11.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 73½c; No. 2 red, cash, 73c; May, 73c; July, 72½c.

TOLEDO, May 11.—Wheat—Cash, 73¼c; May, 73¾c; July, 72¾c. Corn — May, 39c; July, 39¾c. Oats—May, 24c. Chicago Exchange.

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Latest Probabilities.

Toronto, May 10-10 a.m.-Weather

probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours: Moderate

-The city pay roll amounted \$300 83

-Major Gregory, city, was in St. Tho-

-Miss Addie Mathers, of Moray, is

-Sheriff Brady, of Woodstock, was

-The ball game scheduled for this afternoon was called off on account of

-Mr. John W. Hobbs and Mr. F. S.

-The steamer Melbourne arrived at

Port Stanley yesterday morning from Montreal with freight. This is her first

-The Talbot Street Baptist Church

Bicycle Club took their weekly run to Lambeth last night. On their return

they assembled at the church and par-

-Dr. Carlyle, of this city, has had his war play, "For Canada and the Empire," produced in Goderich by am-

ateur talent of that town. The per-formance was a decided success.

-Mrs. R. S. Palmer and Mrs. Chas.

Adkins, of Detroit, Mich, and Mr. J.

Sherlock, of Ingersoll left today for their homes, after attending their brother, Mr. Owen Sherlock's funeral.

-St.Thomas Times: A slight accident occurred in the G. T. R. yards in Lon-

ADKINS, East London.

Marriage Licenses Isoned

took of light refreshments.

Hobbs, city, were registered in London, England, on April 28.

winds. A few local showers toda-

Saturday-Fair and warmer.

this week.

mas vesterday.

wet grounds.

visiting in London.

in the city yesterday.

tion, Inspector Thompson addressed the teachers for the first time since he received his present appointment. In the afternoon, Vice-Principal Dearness made an address upon the "Prospect and Retrospect," and Mr. G. W. Kennedy spoke interestingly of practical physiology and hygiene. MUSIC IN THE PARK.

A very large crowd attended the band concert in Victoria Park last night, given for the benefit of the Hull-Ottawa fire sufferers, and evidenced their sympathy for this object, as well as their appreciation of these concerts. Had the weather been warmer than it was the crowd would undoubtedly have been larger. The subscriptions which were received by prominent citizens stationed at the gates, amounted to \$150 04. The Seventh Battalion Band gave a particularly pleasing programme.

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL John A. Tiffany was taken yesterday from the county jail to Delaware vil- sible in a Kroonstad direction." lage, where he appeared before Squire Lacey, charged with fraud in forging names of residents to a petition for the granting of a hotel license in the village. Twenty-seven witnesses were examined for the prosecution, all of whom swore that the signatures purporting to be theirs were false. Tif-fany was committed for trial. This morning he appeared before Judge Ed-ward Elliott, and elected trial by him, and was remanded till Thursday next. POLICE COURT.

to fresh southeasterly to southwesterly At the police court this morning, Wm. Elliott, the private from Wolseley Barracks, who is accused of stealing a suit of clothes belonging to another private, was committed for trial. The evidence adduced showed that Elliott broke into the store-room, donned the clothes. and then loitered about till taken in

The charge of malicious damage to property laid by Mrs. Clayton against Joseph Lynch, was withdrawn, the case being amicably settled. Maurice Baldwin was found guilty of

allowing horses to run at large. The magistrate will impose a penalty on the 15th, when another charge against Baldwin will be dealt with.

Archibald Mains paid \$1 for driving horse on a footpath in Victoria Park, and G. B. Shelton was fined \$1 for im-moderate riding in the same park. Two

sidewalk wheelmen paid \$2 each.
P. C. Woolway's charge of using insulting language preferred against Arthur Howie, of East London, was adjourned till Wednesday.

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Of Roberts' Army 22 Miles From Kroonstad,

While the Main Body Is Only Eleven Miles Behind.

Presence of 10,000 Boers Near Thabanchu Is Confirmed-The Strathconas Have Sailed for South Airica.

London, May 11 .- So quickly has Lord Roberts advanced that his cavalry is only 22 miles from Kroonstad, while the main army is only 11 miles behind him. Hence, in about a day, the British will be within striking distance of the Orange Free State headquarters.

members of her family have also made their home. She had suffered a great The presence of 10,000 Boers in the deal from heart trouble, which probab-ly was the cause of her death. She was neighborhood of Thabanchu is conconnected with Adelaide Street Baptist firmed. They are holding a line 20 Church, and had a number of friends miles to the southeast of Thabanchu. A in this city, who sincerely regret her Boer patrol was sighted Thursday at Thabapatchoa, and a detachment of Brabant's Horse pursued the burgh-The five men alleged to have been ers who retired after some fighting. connected with the Glencoe outrage The Brabants then took up a position on a hill, which they are now holding. place today, and were committed for There were few casualties on the Brittrial at the fall assizes. McCallum was allowed out on bail, but Gillmore, Golding, Orr and Monk were remanded ish side. The Boer headquarters are at Eden. More fighting is expected.

10,000 BOERS AT THABANCHU. Maseru, Basutoland, Thursday, May 10.-The Free Staters are concentrating strongly in good positions on the Koranneberg Hills, lying eastward of the direct line from Thabanchu to the St. John's Bible Class and Athletic Club, Sergt. Judges, who has acted as Winburg. President Steyn was with and physical instructor for the them yesterday, but is believed to have gone northward after inspiring club for the past year, was presented with a well-filled purse. Sergt Judges the burghers with stories of approachleft this morning for Belleville, where ing Boer successes through the assistance of thousands of foreigners who, he said, were pouring into Dela-

goa Bay.

Gen. Rundle's division camped yesterday evening on the banks of ruption cases yesterday, the cases Little Leeuw River, between Tha-banchu and Ladybrand. against Perrin, Burns and G. Graham

TO SHOOT MILNER. London, May 11.-The South African Review asserts that a member of the Legislature of Cape Colony offered money to a man to shoot Sir Alfred Milner, the British high commissioner. Affidavits on the subject are said At a meeting held last night the to be in the hands of the attorney-genmembers of the Baptist Church in eral. The Review demands the arrest of the legislator. Sarnia declined to accept the resigna-

THE STRATHCONAS START. Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, the Canadian high commissioner, bade farewell today to the contingent of Canadians belonging to the Strathcona Horse, which landed yesterday at Liverpool, and which sailed for South Africa today on board the British At yesterday afternoon's session of transport Assaye. The high commisa speech to the troopers, during the course of which he ex-pressed the belief that they would emulate the example of the other Can-

adians at the front. A MISTAKE SOMEWHERE. [Special to The Advertiser per C.P.R.] Ottawa, May 11.—A cable was re-ceived today from South Africa stating that Trooper Clarence Cowan, of the Canadian Mounted Infantry, had accidentally shot himself. There is no such name on the roll, and it is apparent that he must have been taken on in South Africa.

#### On to Kroonstad.

Lord Roberts' Reitspruit dispatch of May 10, says: "The drifts are extremely difficult and much baggage has still to come up. We shall, however, march at daybreak, and push on as far as pos-

NOW AT VENTERSBURG. Cape Town, May 11.-Lord Roberts wires that he is at Ventersburg, and that he is continuously opposed, but that he is making progress.

BUGLE BLASTS. Capt. D. R. Ross, of Embro, has received two letters from Capt. John Ross, the last dated April 4, from Bloemfontein. He was just joining the regiment after leaving the hospital at Winburg. (sent to England. Corp. Smith had been

A high official of the German foreign office states that there was no truth in the report that the European powers had sent to President Kruger a warning against destroying the gold Mrs. Steyn, the wife of the president

of the Orange Free State, is ill at The British government has instruct ed its consul at Amsterdam to expend 500 guilders for Dutch books for of the Boer prisoners at St Helena.

25.5 UNCLE SAM'S CLAIMS ON TURKEY Constantinople, May 11.-The matter of the settlement of the United States indemnity claim is temporarily de-

TWO BOYS DROWNED. Winnipeg, May 11.-From Stanuack comes a report of a double drowning acident at Fannystell. Two young boys, sons of settlers, went out for a row in a skiff on Mallard Lake, and row in a skiff on Mallard Lal both were brought home dead.

BANK MANAGER SUICIDES. Edinburgh, Scotland, May 11.-H. H. Norie, manager of the Union Bank of Scotland, was found dead this morning at his residence. His head was half blown away by a gunshot. Apparently he committed suicide. He had been suffering from influenza.

BAPTIST FOREIGN MISSIONS. The Baptist Foreign Mission Board reld its semi-annual meeting on Tuesday. Among those present was Rev. Wm. Walker, of this city. Rev. A. G. Baker, a recent graduate of McMaster University, was accepted for appointment as missionary to Bolivia. Rev. A. Imrie, of Aurora, will leave for Bolivia in the fall, and will probably in the fail. The treasurer's statement showed receipts for the year ending April 30 amounting to \$35,728 66, and disbursements of \$34,520 22. This leaves a balance of \$1,262 44. The receipts exceeded those of the previous year

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by \$5,400. The treasurer reported receipts for the Indian famine fund of \$1,229. DYNAMITERS MAY CONFESS.

Toronto, May 11. — When the three alleged dynamiters, Walsh, Nolan and Dullman, charged with attempting to destroy a lock of the Welland Canal, come before Magistrate Logan, at Wellington, Monday, Walsh and Nolan will pread guilty. If they receive an assurance that they will not be called on to give evidence against Dullman. on to give evidence against Dullman they will plead guilty to the charge of illegally bringing explosives into Can-ada, the sentence for which is not less than seven years' hard labor. The detectives on the case say they are in possession of the whole history of the accused and of the plot from its first inception to the abortive attempt on the canal.

A Sure Cure for Consumption. There is no such thing. Scott's Emulsion comes the nearest to it, but even that will not cure advanced cases, but taken in time it will cure

this disease. Fuller's earth is a soft clay, and it has many uses. Half a century ago it was little mined in England, and was so valuable there that exportation of

it was prohibited. THERE is not a more dangerous class of disorders than those which affect the breathing organs. Nullify this danger with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil—a pulmonic of acknowledged efficacy. It cures soreness and lameness when applied externally, as well as swelled neck and crick in the back, and, as an inward specific, possesses

most substantial results. The Ottawa fire fund now amounts to \$816,000, and the patriotic fund to

FAGGED OUT .- None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a curebox of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills.

Steamship Arrivals. At Cape Town ..... Liverpoo May 11. Lake Ontario......Cape Ray......

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don this morning, the early morning train on the L. E. and D. R. R. collid-ing with a freight car which was left too close to the end of the switch. The in the clubs think there never could be be accompanied by a second mission-Fine Watch anything else quite so good. We like it also because it is so clean, penetrating. ary. The appointments of Miss Mary Selman and Dr. Gertrude Hewlet for quick relieving and pleasant to use." Griffiths' Menthol Liniment is sold ev-And Clock Repairing. work among the women and children of India was confirmed. They leave erywhere. 25 cents. None but practical workmen employed Prices reasonable. All work warranted.

DIED. BOSWELL—At Aylmer, on May 10, 1900, Johnston Babby Boswell, aged 78 years.
Funeral notice later,

"Thompson, your own groom, can-come with me," she replied; "you con-sider him an excellent driver—very cateful and steady."

"I dare not take you myself, with the chestnut ponies," he said. "I am a good driver, too; but I doubt whether driver, too; but I doubt whether I could hold them in. They are splendid ponies, but they require some good training yet. Never mind Redruth today; see Doctor Danvers instead."
"Will you drive me over," she asked; "there are several things I want particularly."

Lord Selwyn looked slightly annoyed

at her pertinacity.
"I could not leave Rupert today," he replied. You could not expect it, Beatrice. Tomorrow, if he is still better, I will take you anywhere you wish."
"Tomorrow is not today," she mur-

What would tomorrow be to her? She would have lost husband, home and title before sunrise tomorrow. The deed she intended doing must be done

"I never knew you so obstinate before, Beatrice," said her husband impatiently. "What can it matter
whether you go today or tomorrow?"
"You forget my pain," she replied;
one hour seems like ten to me."
"Nay" he said." I do not forget it

"Nay," he said, "I do not forget it. Let Doctor Danvers do something for "No" she replied; "I should like to go to Redruth."

Then, annoyed at her persistency, thinking it unkind of her to wish him to leave home while Rupert was in his present state, Lord Selwyn began to read the morning paper. He was not, however, too deeply engrossed to notice that his wife ate no breakfast. She drank some tea, but the recherche little dishes prepared for her went away untouched. In his generous heart he paydoned her the little partinacity. he pardoned her the little pertinacity of a few moments before, thinking she was ill and impatient. So presently he rose and went over

"Take my advice, Beatrice," he said; "go and lie down—you should not have risen—and I will send Doctor Danvers to you when he comes. I am so sorry you are in pain."

If he had known what her pain was! If he had but guessed, as he bent down again to kiss the flushed face, that only last night she had planned the death of his son! She looked up at him, and there was an expression in her great dark eyes that he did not understand till long afterwards.

You are sure you love me, Vivian, better than anyone else, better than you ever did or ever will love anyone

He could not say "yes" to that, for he had loved Violante better a thou-sand times, but he smiled and said: "You know I love you much, Beat-rice. Go and rest; you do not look like yourself. I shall tell your maid not to let you be disturbed. I am going to sit with Rupert; Mrs. Rivers must have some rest; she looks half-dead this

He saw her shiver at the name; but thought she was cold and ill. As he turned to leave the room she followed him, and clasped her hands around his

Kiss me and say Good-n Vivian," she cried, and as his lips touched her face, there came to them no warning that this was for her the

last time on earth. He went to his son's room, fully be lieving that she would obey him, and go to rest. No sooner had Lord Sel-

wyn gone than my lady rose from her 'I will go!" she cried. "I would go if

heaven itself oppposed me!" Did she remember those wicked words an hour afterwards, when the avenging hand of heaven feil heavily

went to her room and dressed herself. Her maid was there. I am going out," said Beatrice."Lord Selwyn wishes me to rest, but I think the fresh air will do me more good. You need not say I am going. I shall

not be away very long."
Her mind was fully made up to go not heaven itself, as she said, should prevent her. Her only fear was that ner husband should see her dressed, and prevent her going; then she could not get that which she wanted to pur-Without that the woman she hated would be living when the sun

She must go, no matter if rain fell like a deluge; no matter if it thundered and lightninged; no matter if the horses were so spirited that even her husband was afraid of them; no matter what happened. She must go! Her life, her honor, her fair name, her son's inheritance—everything she valued most

depended on it.

She went quietly round to the stables

where Thompson, his lordship's groom,

was busy at work.

"How is it," she asked, "that all the carriage horses are disabled? That should not be."

"It is very unfortunate, my lady," said the man. "I never remember such a thing happening before. His lordhip was very angry over it last night."
"Thompson," said my lady, in a quiet, determined tone, "I wish to drive over to Redruth this morning; and if I cannot have the horses, I

must have the chestnut ponies Lord Belwyn bought last week Why, my lady," said the man, wonderingly, "it is more than my place is

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worth. They are not safe. My master himself dare not drive them."
"Then I will," sne replied calmly. "Put them into my little carriage at

once and get ready to go with me. I am pressed for time."

The groom seemed inclined to rebel. Beatrice looked quite calmly at him. "You have just spoken of your place, Thompson," she said. "You will lose that and more besides if you disobey

More than once the man tried, on some excuse or other, to get away from the stables, hoping either to meet his master or to be able to send a message to him, but his lady stood watching each movement, hurrying him with

Looking at the pale, resolute face, Thompson knew she would keep her So the fiery chestnuts were put into

the pretty little carriage that three years ago Lord Selwyn had purchased for his wife—a pretty little low carriage, elegantly built, capable of holding four people, two in front, two at the

"Let me drive them, my lady," said the man; "I can hold them in better than you can." The ponies were pawing and pranc-ing, and rearing, evidently determined to resist bit, rein and whip to the

I believe the groom said a prayer as he took his seat; my lady sat white,

proud and quite immovable.
"Drive quickly," she said, and these were almost the last words ever heard

from her lips.

It was a desperate effort to drive them through the park, where all was quiet and still. The groom's gloves were frayed into great holes before he came to the lodge gates. The man who lived there came out to open the gates. But for my lady who sat there, so white so proud so defiant he would white, so proud, so defiant, he would have spoken he would have asked what mad trick was this to bring out untrained ponies so full of mettle. But as she was there, he merely touched his

hat and went in again.
"We shall hear news," he said to his wife. "That Thompson must be mad. He is driving my lady out with the chestnut ponies, and they have never been broken in yet."

Once upon the high road, the chest-

nuts seemed possessed with fury; they tore along, they reared, they kicked, until the perspiration streamed down the groom's face. In vain he tried to stop them, to bring them into something like order, to steady them—they were rampant. In vain he tried to speak to his lady, he could not turn to her, and his voice was drowned in the rushing noise of that mad gallop. On, faster and faster, until they seemed to fly past the trees and hedges. On, faster and faster, until the groom's hands bled with the fraying of the reins. They were rapidly drawing near to Shilton hill, the steepest and most terrible hill in that part of the country—a hill down which the most careful drivers went with grave faces and steady hands. The most reckless and the most daring of men paused when they came there, and knew it was time

she had forgotten that terrible hill when she insisted on the mettlesome ponies; when she defied heaven itself to prevent her from going, that she might accomplish her evil deed.

Nearer and nearer, with terrible speed, and the groom stood up, white to the very lips, pulling with the iron strength of despair; the more he pulled the higher the beautiful heads were tossed, the faster the gallop became. His thoughts went to the wife and little ones at home, whom he never expected to see again. She perceived the danger at last; she cried to him once, in a terrible voice, to stop; but he never heard her—her cries were in vain!
They were on the brow of the hill:

down in a mad gallop, faster and faster—down, in desperate, mad rage! Then the ponies fell, the carriage was overturned, and my lady lay buried beneath the wreck! The groom, who had fought, who had struggled so nobly to save her life, lay dead under the iron-shod feet

of the chestnut ponies! To be Continued.1

SUICIDE OF A PREACHER. Port Dalhousie, Ont., May 11.—Rev. Charles Phillimore, lately of Meaford, Ont., committed suicide here last night by taking carbolic acid. He was born in this village, and had just lately moved back to his father's residence. to take a rest, being in poor health.

No other cause can be assigned for
the deed. He leaves a wife, and an adopted daughter.

FOUND DEAD. Harrow, Ont., May 11.-Wm. Ferris, one of the oldest residents of this district, was found dead on the railroad a short distance east of here last evening. Deceased lived two miles from this place, and left home in apparently good health. Heart failure said to have been the cause of death.



#### Fatherless.

There's something about the little black dress that touches a man in a very tender spot. He pats the little one on the head, puts some pennies in her hand, swallows hard and then—starts out to make his own children fatherless. There is no doubt that many a man is taken from his family by neglect of simple precautions which would preserve his health. Disease generally begins nowadays in "stomach trouble" because the meals are hasty and the food not disease. meals are hasty and the food not di-gested. From that beginning come dis-orders of the blood, liver, kidneys, heart or nerves. The use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, for diseases of the organs of digestion and nutrition will avert the catastrophe of more seri-ous disease. It strengthens the stomach, purifies the blood, nourishes the nerves, and builds men up in both brain and

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#### JOHN McMILLAN BADLY INJURED

Thrown in a Runaway Accident at Cargell Yesterday-Suffering Form Concussion of the Brain - Is Still

Mr John McMillan, of the firm of Fraser & McMillan, hat and cap manufacturers, of Richmond street, was severely injured yesterday afternoon "Your ladyship will be kind enough to wait," said Thompson, "until I can change my dresss?"
"No," she replied, "that is no matter. If you wait to do that, I shall not in the rig at the time. The horses not in the rig at the time. The horses suddenly dashed forward, breaking lose the line by which they were tied. The trunks that were in the rig were thrown out and badly damaged. Mr. McMillan was hurled from the seat, and alighted upon his dead. When picked up he was unconscious. A telephone message was received here about o'clock yesterday afternoon to this effect. Mrs. McMillan and Dr. Roome went to Cargill last night. Today word was received that Mr. McMillan is suffering from concussion of the brain He was still unconscious.

#### **NON-JURY SITTINGS**

Ten Cases Set for Hearing Court Opens on Monday Next.

Following is the list of cases to be heard at the non-jury sittings, which open on Monday next before Mr. Justice Street:

Taylor et al. vs. Davis et al.-Action to set aside a will. Adjourned from spring assizes in March. Fuerst et al. vs. Hoepfner—Albert H. Fuerst and Wm. F. Fuerst, brokers, of New York, allege that the defendant, C. Hoepfner, formerly of Germany, but now of Hamilton, Ont., assigned to them certain rights in con-nection with the manufacture and sale of a patent which he obtained for the manufacture of zinc, and which agreement he has since violated. The plaintiffs ask for the enforcement of the agreement, for damages and for other relief. Blake, Lash & Cassels, Toronto. for plaintiffs; Teetzel, Harrison & Lewis, Hamilton, for defendant.

Collins et al. vs. Burwell et al.-Wm. Collins and his sister, Maggie Theresa Collins, of Strathroy, sue. George V. Burwell, as executor of the estate left by their father, and C. H. Lockwood and W. W. Lockwood, as executors of the estate of C. G. Anderson, to be awarded certain moneys and lands left in trust for the said plaintiffs. John Folinsbee, Strathroy, for plaintiffs; Stuart, Stuart, Ross & Bucke, for defendants.

Pope vs. Stewart et al.—Jessie Pope, sister of the late Charles Clark, who came to his death last year after re-ceiving a brutal beating by two roughs, sues James C. Stewart, nephew of de-ceased; R. G. Fisher, as an executor of the estate; Ann Clark, Bella Stewof the estate; Ann Clark, Bella Stewart, Betsy McBain, Bella Allen, Wm. Clark and Ada Stewart. The action is to set aside a deed and establish a will. J. M. Carthien, Listowel, for plaintiff; Meredith & Fisher, for defendants, James C. Stewart and Ada Stewart; Meredith, Judd, Dromgole & Elliot, for the defendants, Ann Clark, Balls, Stewart and Betsy, McBalls, Ed. Bella Stewart and Betsy McBain: Edmund Weld, for defendant, R. G. Fisher; James Magee, Q. C., for defendants,

Wm. Clark and Bertha Allan. London Steam Laundry Company vs. Mackey and Wallace-An action for assessment of damages for non-fulfillment of contract to purchase business. Jarvis & Vining, for plaintiff; E. T. Essery, for defendants.

ore vs. Moore-Rhoda Moore sues her husband, Robert Moore, of London, to recover alimony, he having, it is allegal, deserted her in 1897. Edmund Weld, for plaintiff; Love & Dignan, for

White vs. Kingsmill—Jane White sues T. F. Kingsmill for \$500 damages for injuries incurred while in defendant's employ. E. H. Johnston, for plaintiff; Magee, McKillop & Murphy, for de-

Jones vs. Township of Westminster-Charles Henry Jones, of London, sues the Corporation of Westminster for \$2.-000 damages, for injuries sustained by being thrown from a bicycle by of the state of disrepair, in which one of the township roads was left. R. H. Dignan, for plaintiff; Fraser & Moore,

for defendants. Goldstick vs. London Hat and Cap Company et al.—S. Goldstick sues the London Hat and Cap Company and its individual members for alleged wrong ful dismissal. Meredith. Judd. Drom-gole & Elliot, for plaintiff; Purdom & Purdom, for defendants.

#### ONTARIO CROPS

Generally the Condition of Grain Is Favorable-Pigs Suffer From Rheumatism.

Toronto, May 11 .- The Ontario agriculture department issued a crop bulletin yesterday morning. The temperature for the past six months was one degree higher than the average. Generally the fall wheat is reported favorable. Winter rye wheat, which is being grown more extensively than formerly, presents a promising appear-

As far as vegetation is concerned, the season is very backward. The spring was a fine one for seeding, but rain is wanted badly:

Fruit trees have come through the winter with hardly any loss. Reports of the condition of live stock are favorable. There appears to be a decrease in the number of pigs kept, due to the heavy demand. Pig seem to have been more subject to dis ease than any other stock, many suffering from crippling or rheumatism.

In Middlesex a plague affecting the lungs and causing sudden death made

its appearance.
Conditions as to the amount of hay and grain supplies available, after satisfying the home demand, are extremely variable. Oats are generally scarce A good deal of wheat still remains in hand in the western part of the province. Much of the grain now unmarketed will be fed to stock.

CROPS IN MICHIGAN. Detroit, May 11.-The Michigan crop report for May says that on the whole the condition of wheat is fully ten points lower than one month ago, and

that much of it will be plowed up on account of being winter killed. Fully 30 per cent of the crop is destroyed by the Hessian fly. A year ago the damage from the same source was 6 per cent. The average condition of the meadows in the state is 86. Information in regard to fruit is on the whole

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# Saturday and Monday .. Bargains ..

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Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, with pearl buttons, long sleeves, drawers reinforced, all sizes, excellent values, 25c. Men's Double-Thread Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, finished with pearl buttons, drawers reinforced, gusset and extension band, worth 60c, 45c. Men's Silkalene Shirts and Drawers, striped, finished in the best manner, satin binding, worth \$1, for 50c. A line of Men's Medium-Weight Shirts and Drawers, unshrinkable, in gray and tan, 50c. 500 dozen Men's Half Hose, seamless, all sizes, 15c.

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#### METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, May 10—8 p.m.—Very warm weather now exists throughout the western portion of the continent, a maximum temperature of 90° being recorded in many places. The weather has been generally fine in Canada, but still cool from the lakes to the Marisum cool from the lakes to the Maritime Provinces. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 50-60; Calgary, 42-72; Swift Current, 54-83; Qu'Appelle, 46-80; Winnipeg, 48-78; Port Arthur, 38-48; Parry Sound, 24-50; Toronto, 30-54; Ottawa, 28-44; Montreal, 28-40; Quebec, 24-42; Halifax,

Local temperatures.—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory here on Thursday, May 10, were: Highest, 60.5°; lowest, 28.5°. Today (Friday) the sun rose at 4:5°. a.m., and sets at 7:31. The moon rose at 4:52 p.m., and set at 3:09 a.m.

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-Mr. J. P. Woodley, of Norfolk, Va., -Rev. G. B. Sage is to preach in St. George's Church, Sarnia, on Sunday

-Ex-Ald. Bennet has furnished handsomely one of the large private rooms

at Victoria Hospital. -Col. Ellis, of the Lambton Battalot. If you are in need of one lion, has been appointed to act as brigcome and see them. We have

—Rev. J. G. Stuart, B.A., of South London, has returned from a trip to the Western and Southern States. -Mr. Forster Johnston and family, of Brigden, intend removing to this city shortly to reside permanently. -Wedding invitations in all the lat-

est designs at Advertiser Job Print-ing Department. Mail orders promptly attended to. -The remains of Miss Alice Tyndall, who died the other day in London township, have been taken to Chat-

ham for burial. -Mr. James Cooper, of No. 421 Oxford street, died at Victoria Hospital yesterday soon after his removal there

in the ambulance. -The message, "Recovery certain," has been received from Lieut. J. M. Ross, of B Company, R. C. R., by his parents in Embro.

-Mr. James Dickson and his family, The former will be head gardener for Mr. T. H. Smallman. -Arrangements are being made for a

gathering of the members of the Forest City curling club at the London House. medals will then be presented. -Dr. Kennedy, of this city, has pur-

chased the dental business of Dr. W. A. Piper, of Learnington, who will retain the practice of his Tilbury office. -The rite of confirmation will be administered to a large class in St. Thomas' Church, Walkerton by his Lordship the Bishop of Huron, on Wednesday, May 16.

The educational sermons at the Thorndale Methodist Church next Sunday will be preached by Rev. J. G. Fallis of the Hamilton Road Methodist Church, East London.

-The London Dairymen's Exchange will open for the season at the city hall tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Rules and regulations are to be adopted and officers elected.

-Mr. Thomas H. Rogers, head of the G. T. R. car department at Hamilton has been appointed to a similar position on the western division, with headquar-

ters at Battle Creek, Mich. -Mr. Charles Hathaway, who has been assistant postmaster at Forest for three years, has been promoted to the position of mail clerk on one of the trains running out of London.

-The office of the United States customs officer at the G. T. R. station will soon be moved to where the present parcel room is. It will be placed in a portion of the men's waiting room.

-Mr. James Ford, lately day switcher on the Grand Trunk at Glencoe, has been made car checker at Windsor. His place is taken by Mr. Burridge, and Mr. Reid becomes night switchman. -Victor B. Hall, who is in jail here

on charges of manslaughter and practicing medicine without a diploma, hails from Philadelphia, and is the originator of a new system of treat-

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ing the sick. He describes himself as -Mr. A. C. Gordon, grand master of the Sons of Scotland Society, who has been in the city for the past few days, has secured a number of new members, who were initiated into the local camp -The Flower of Dunblane-on Wednesday night.

—A large audience was present at a concert given last night in St. George's Church, West London, at which Rev. G. B. Sage presided. Among those who kindly assisted were Miss Fraser, Miss Baldwin, Mrs. Ellis, Messrs. Stockwell, Wm. Ellis, Fred Ellis and W. H. Hewlett

-The L. E. and D. R. R. will relay four miles of track between Blenheim of a fine dress shoe and Ridgetown with heavy steel rails immediately. No less than eight men of the steel gang on the L. E. and D. R. R. have been placed on the retired list through injuries to their feet or hands sustained while unloading rails. -Mr. Robert Gardner, of this city, leaves in two weeks for Murray Bay, Que., where he will be clerk of the

Manor Richelieu, one of the most fash-ionable hotels in Canada. It is owned by the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company. His removal from this city will be regretted by many friends among whom he was very popular. -While Mr. Harry Dennis, of West

London, was removing his household furniture to his new residence on Colborne street, his horse took fright, while ascending the hill at the courthouse, and, turning rapidly, dashed down the hill and across the bridge. Both Mr. Dennis and the driver were thrown out, the latter having one of his legs painfully injured. A quantity of furniture was broken.

-The Bishop of Huron presided at a farewell tendered to Mr. W. Barbrooke Saturday next, made an address upon the most interesting items of the day's the subject of the needs of the Chacos programme. Indians, among whom he has been working. Rev. E. W. Crawford also spoke briefly. He will join Mr. Grubb in siderably over \$700,000.

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England, and with other workers they will leave for their field of labor. -Brantford Expositor: Arrangements are being made with the officers com-manding the Dufferin Rifles and the Seventh Fusiliers to have the veterans of the Fentan raid presented with their medals at the military display in this city on May 24. The veterans will be drawn up in line during the military exercises on that afternoon. It is not yet decided what the details Grubb, in St. George's Church, South of the presentation shall be, but it is London, on Wednesday night. Mr. certain that the function, whatever Grubb, who leaves for England, on form it may take, will prove one of

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1	Men's Tan Boots	215	Trumks	3	80
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The debentures are issued subject to the restrictions imposed by acts of the Parliament of Canada and the Provincial Governments, which limit the amount to be borrowed upon debentures and deposits to an amount not to exceed in the aggregate three times the amount paid up upon its capital stock until the 1st day of July 1904, and after the said date not more than four times the amount paid up upon its capital stock; and it is further provided, also, that the amount held on deposit shall not at any time exceed the aggregate amount of its actual paid-up and unimpaired capital and of cash actually in hand or deposited in any chartered bank.

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debentures, bonds, stocks or other securities of any incorporated company shall not exceed one-fifth of the paid-up capital of any such company, nor one-fifth of the paid-up capital stock of the Canada Permanent and Western Canada Mortgage Corporation. As an additional security to bondholders and depositors, at the incorpora-

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