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LONDON, ONTARIO, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 1903.

PRICE ONE CENT.

GAMEY TO BE PROSECUTED
SHOULD HE VENTURE BACK

Is Statement Made by Counsel for Defense.

MATTERS APPROACH A CRISIS

He Will Have to Answer a Charge of Perjury or One of Falsifying Evidence.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Ont., April 22.—Gamey continues to be the reigning sensation. His attempts to explain his conduct have not cleared the situation. The fact is that Gamey, fearing he had laid himself open to a criminal charge on account of the bank deposit slip, left the country to watch developments, and get out of the immediate reach of the law. He is now under legal advice as to whether it will be safe for him to return to Canada. If he does a charge will be laid against him. Mr. Johnston, counsel for the defense, made this statement today. He says that Gamey must choose either to answer the charge of perjury or of falsifying evidence. A crisis will be reached tomorrow, when it will be known whether Gamey intends to return and face the music.

WILL MEET ACCUSATION

Gamey Leaves for Toronto—Sends Message to E. F. B. Johnston.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, April 22.—Gamey left Buffalo for Toronto at 1 p.m. Just before leaving he sent this message to Mr. Johnston, the chief counsel for the defense: "I understand that the Globe credits you with saying that you would instruct the crown officers to prosecute me on four criminal charges. I can only say that I will do my best to clear myself. I will go direct to the Walker House."

HOW GAMEY WAS LOCATED

Text of the interview at the Hotel in Buffalo.

Toronto, April 21.—"Long distance, give me the Mansion House, Buffalo." "The Mansion House, Buffalo," answered the call with the usual slight delay. "Is that the Mansion House, Buffalo?" "It is." "Is Mr. R. R. Gamey, of Toronto or Manitoulin, there, and will he speak to the press?" "Wait a minute and I'll see."

MR. GAMEY AT THE PHONE.

A long minute and several more glided by, and then a voice: "Hello." "Is Mr. Gamey there?" "It's Mr. Gamey speaking."

There was no mistaking the voice, even over the long distance. It was the voice that had been so often raised in answers to questions last week, and now the answers came readily enough over the telephone.

MAY COME BACK.

"And are you coming back?" was the next question. "I'll be back whenever they want me," was the answer. "And you're not gone for good?" was the next question.

THE \$900 DEPOSIT.

"That \$900 deposit is my own private business," Mr. Gamey went on. "The money was my private funds deposited to my own private account, and has nothing to do with this case at all."

WONDERFUL SEEDING WEATHER

IN THE WESTERN WHEAT BELT

Fifty Per Cent of the Next Years' Crop Is Now in the Ground.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Winnipeg, Man., April 22.—Throughout the whole of the agricultural area of Manitoba farmers are busy with their seeding, and never before in the history of the Province have the weather conditions been more favorable.

Barque 119 Days Out.

San Francisco, April 22.—The French bark Du Couedic, row out 119 days from San Francisco for Sydney, has about been given up as lost. Rinsurance on her is quoted at 85 per cent. The vessel has not been heard from since she sailed.

Burlington Bridge Burned.

Winona, Minn., April 22.—The bridge of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy road over the Black River at Trempealeau, Wis., 250 feet long, has been destroyed by fire, causing a loss of about \$100,000, and suspending all traffic on the Burlington south of here. Passenger trains are being transferred by other lines around the break in the Burlington. The fire is supposed to have originated from sparks dropped by an engine.

tively contradicting some of Mr. Crossin's evidence.

"Did you deposit that sum on that day?"

"I do not deny it."

"Would you mind telling me the particulars of the matter?"

"Well, you see that was a part of the money I had agreed to put into the concern when the concern was turned into a joint stock company."

"We had talked about it long before, and on Sept. 11 we went down to Mr. R. C. Leves and formally agreed to turn it into a joint stock concern."

"Did you deposit the money yourself?"

"No; it was Mr. Crossin."

"Mr. Crossin says it was you."

"I can't help it; he is mistaken."

"Did he make out the deposit slip?"

"No; I think I made it out myself at the piano factory."

"Would you deny that it was in hundred dollar bills?"

"No; there might have been such bills in the amount deposited. I had been gathering it for some time, and naturally would get it in as large bills as possible."

Mr. Gamey made an important announcement in answer to the next question, declaring that he does not intend to see his party left in the lurch.

"Mr. Gamey, there are rumors in Toronto that you are not going to support the Conservative party, and that you have gone back on your party friends. Is there any truth in that statement?"

"There is absolutely no truth in saying I have gone back on my party."

"Or that you intend to leave the prosecution in the lurch as regards the investigation?"

"There is no reason whatever for saying so."

"You will see the matter through to the end?"

"The Conservative party will get the full benefit of all that I know or can do in this investigation."

"Have you any relatives there or are they merely friends?"

"You may say that I have relatives here."

"And your business in Buffalo, if I may be permitted to ask. Could you tell me what it was?"

"Well, it was private business and I do not think it can serve the public or that I should tell what it was for publication."

"Well, when will you go back to Toronto?"

"Any time that I am needed I will go back."

"Will you be in court on Thursday?"

"I may be, but I am not sure, I do not know for sure."

Mr. Gamey was next told of the stories circulated in Toronto that he would be arrested on his return to that place.

"Are you at all frightened by all these?"

"I am not, I have done nothing but what I can justify when the proper times come."

"Mr. Johnston is alleged to have said that he would place the matter in the crown authorities' hands. Do you not fear such action?"

"It makes not the slightest difference to me if he did, was the reply."

"And the deposit slip?" was the next question.

"They say that the teller's initials were forged to the deposit slip, and that you are away on that account."

"I have done nothing wrong in regard to the deposit slip or anything else," was Mr. Gamey's answer. "I'm not going to keep out of the way on account of anything I've done, and I'm not keeping out of the way at all."

MRS. GAMEY AT COLLINGWOOD.

Collingwood, April 22.—The news of the disappearance of Mr. R. R. Gamey caused a sensation in town today. On the arrival of the noon train a newspaper man met Mrs. Gamey, the wife of the missing man, as she was boarding the Northern Navigation Company's steamer City of Collingwood, on her way to her home on Manitoulin Island. Mrs. Gamey stated that as far as she knew there was no reason for alarm over her husband's absence. She said that she did not know where he was, but she since recalled that he had said he had to go to Toronto, where he had business with some gentlemen. She had thought he was in the city yesterday, but learned last night from a reporter that he was not. He knew she was going to leave for home last night, and she expected to see him before leaving, but did not. "However," she said, "I expect he will be back in the city tonight, and will be on hand at the opening of the case on Thursday." Mrs. Gamey was accompanied by her brother-in-law. Her son was not with her.

Brass Foundry Burned.

Boston, April 22.—The brass and iron foundry of the Whittier Machine Company, manufacturers of elevators of all kinds, in South Boston, has been practically ruined by fire. Loss about \$50,000.



"Never Touched Us."

SULTAN'S TROOPS
IN MACEDONIA
GERMAN GENERAL
ELECTIONS DUE

Many More Battalions Than Reichstag Discusses Secret Balloting.

THOSE TURKISH ATROCITIES WANT PURITY IN ELECTIONS

Largely a Fabrication by Rebel Bands Who Endeavor to Enlist World's Sympathy.

Salonica, via London, April 22.—This is an anti-Bulgarian town. If I were influenced by the spirit of the place I would represent the Turk as a dog and the Bulgarian as a devil. Since I have crossed and recrossed the Balkans and explored Macedonia with a dragoman, I am in a position to know what is probable, if not what is true. When one leaves the Levant he strikes out nearly all he hears, and supplies an alternative for everything. There are four dates ranging from today to the end of April mentioned for a general uprising. My belief is that there will not be a general revolt of Bulgarians. My earliest cue, obtained at Vienna, was correct, namely, that the Albanians, if anybody, would make trouble this spring.

TURKS ARE CREDULOUS.

It is remarkable that the Turks lend a credulous ear to the cry "wolf." Rumors are received that the Monastir district is boiling over with revolt and excitement, and a few regiments are sent up as reinforcements. A cry for help comes from Rodio, and troops are dispatched and suddenly all these battalions are withdrawn and sent to Metrovitz.

VIEWS OF TURKISH OFFICERS.

Turkish officers here tell me that they could wipe out the Macedonian bands in 72 hours if they were allowed carte blanche. They say they would go through their villages with fire and sword, and the Macedonians would then know how to choose between the massacre of an entire Bulgarian village, and while the bulk of it goes for the purchase of arms, much of it does not.

THOUSANDS OF TROOPS.

Meanwhile, the Sultan's troops swarm into Macedonia. There are more than enough, ten times over, to police the country. They are not here for that purpose, however, but because the Sultan's ministers are suspicious of the officials.

SOME UNWORTHY LEADERS.

The Macedonians are yearning for the emancipation of the country, but the right men are not raising the cry of liberty. It is an honest and earnest Christian race, but some of the leaders at the head of the movement are adventurers, fortune-hunters and traitors, unworthy to lead a great and noble cause. Some of these leaders are from the principality of Bulgaria, where they could not become pre-eminent in public affairs. The committees are extorting money from the villages, and while the bulk of it goes for the purchase of arms, much of it does not.

EXAGGERATED REPORTS.

The reports of Bulgarian atrocities are grossly exaggerated as are also the accounts of Turkish atrocities. The partisans of each side strive to outdo their rivals in making bloodcurdling accusations, and enlarging the tales of horror. The Bashi-Bazouks were charged in the Grebanitz affair with the massacre of an entire Bulgarian village, but not over 50 persons were slaughtered, and no more than one-quarter of the village was destroyed. There would have been a general massacre by the Bashi-Bazouks if the officers of the Turkish regulars had not held them in check, and enforced obedience of the Sultan's orders.

Dreyfus Heard From.

Paris, April 22.—Dreyfus has sent a letter to War Minister Andre, demanding an inquiry in regard to the document in which it is alleged, Emperor William in a marginal note declared Dreyfus had supplied documents to Germany.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Wednesday, April 22.

Sun rises, 5:25 a.m. Moon rises, 2:28 a.m.

Sun sets, 7:08 p.m. Moon sets, 2:08 p.m.

Tomorrow: Fair and Warmer.

Toronto, April 21—8 p.m.

The weather has been fine and warm in the Territories and Manitoba, generally fair and cool from the lakes to the Atlantic, with a few snow flurries in the north.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 48-56; Calgary, 30-38; Qu'Appelle, 38-46; Winnipeg, 24-36; Port Arthur, 28-36; Parry Sound, 28-44; Toronto, 32-40; Ottawa, 30-38; Montreal, 30-46; Quebec, 28-36; Halifax, 34-52.

Wednesday, April 22—8 a.m.

FORECASTS.

Today—Moderate to fresh northerly to northwesterly winds; fair and cool.

Thursday—Moderate winds; fair and a little warmer.

Temperatures.

Stations. 8 a.m. Min. Weather.

Calgary, 28 36 Fair

Winnipeg, 24 36 Fair

Parry Sound, 28 36 Cloudy

Toronto, 32 40 Cloudy

Ottawa, 30 38 Cloudy

Montreal, 30 46 Cloudy

Quebec, 28 36 Clear

Father Point, 38 50 Fair

MEXICAN DISASTER

Ten Laborers Were Killed by Tunnel Cave-In.

Mexico City, April 22.—Ten workmen engaged in making a tunnel on the Mexican Central's extension at Tuxpam in the State of Jalisco, have lost their lives in a cave-in caused by several earthquakes shocks coming in rapid succession. The first shock caused the falling of interior working and when the gang of workmen went to clear away the debris the efforts made by a second cave-in, which resulted from fresh shocks.

CHARCOT CHANGES PLANS

French Explorer Will Proceed to the Antarctic.

Paris, April 22.—Dr. Jean Charcot, on the advice and suggestion of the committee of patronage of his polar expedition, has decided to change the objective of his efforts. Instead of exploring the Arctic region he intends to proceed to the Antarctic for the purpose of exploring that continent. This change in the plans will delay the departure of the expedition by a few weeks only. Dr. Charcot will first direct to Terra del Fuego, and thence to Alexander I. Land, whence he will endeavor to penetrate as far as possible into the south polar continent. The party and crew already have signed new papers for the expedition.

THE KING AND THE POPE

The Vatican Is Distressed at His Not Calling.

Rome, April 22.—Considerable distress is felt at the Vatican, as, notwithstanding the efforts made by prominent British Catholics, King Edward has until now refused to include a visit to the Pope in his sojourn in Rome. King Edward seems to think it would be a discourtesy towards the King of Italy to go to the Vatican when he is his guest. The Vatican says it is a discourtesy on the part of King Edward to ignore the Pope who has let no occasion pass to show the English royal house his appreciation. Some believe that King Edward will change his mind at the last moment, and will visit Pope Leo to prevent a ferment, especially in Ireland.

UNIVERSITY ON WHEELS

It Consists of Baggage Cars and Passenger Coaches.

Chicago, April 22.—A university in transit reached Chicago today over the Rock Island road, was transferred to the Northwestern tracks and proceeded to Glen Ellyn for permanent location. Four baggage cars and two passenger coaches brought Ruskin University, its equipment, together with its president, a professor, and 60 students, from Trenton, Mo., to its new suburban residence.

A summer hotel at Glen Ellyn has been remodeled for university purposes. The school to be located there will be the center of the Ruskin University system of co-operative associations and socialistic institutions established by Walter Croswell, Prof. George McArthur Miller and Prof. W. A. Rickenbreit were the members of the faculty who accompanied the students.

A DAY'S FATALITIES

New York City Furnishes a Very Lengthy List.

New York, April 21.—Two women were killed and one was badly injured by falling or jumping from windows in this city yesterday. There was a number of other fatalities.

One woman was hanging out clothes in the air shaft at the fourth floor of her home in One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, when she fell to the bottom of the shaft and was killed.

Mary Laing committed suicide by jumping from a window in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street. She was dying from consumption.

Frema Hirschowitz fell from a fire escape of her home in Allen street and was injured internally.

Dennis Kaler was struck by a Third Avenue electric car, and caught underneath it. Though both legs were crushed and his skull fractured, he directed rescuers during 45 minutes in their efforts to release him.

Frederick Rushman, aged 36, was run over and killed by a Third Avenue electric car.

The body of an unknown man, about 45, was found in the Hudson River. James Coffey was found in Mott street, with a bullet wound, caused by a former friend. He may recover.

NEW STOCK EXCHANGE

Dedication of the Handsome Building of the New York Exchange.

New York, April 22.—Members of the New York Stock Exchange abandoned business today for the dedication of their handsome new building. The ceremonies were arranged to begin at 11 o'clock with prayer, followed by speeches from Mayor Low and President Keppeler of the exchange. The board room was a bower of flowers, while along the side seats were arranged for the invited guests, including men of finance known the world over. The building which looks small beside the neighboring skyscrapers, presents a striking appearance with its massive and beautifully carved stone pillars and decorations. The interior has been arranged for the comfort, in every possible way, of the members. An impenetrable vault has been built for the safety of securities; the heating, cooling and ventilating arrangements are perfect. The board and member rooms are large and beautifully decorated. The new building fronts on Broad street, and extends through to New. The main board room is 14x108 feet. The ceiling is 74½ feet high. The luncheon club and offices of exchange officials are on the floors above. The members saw these for the first time today.

Will Send Both Boats.

Southampton, April 22.—Sir Thomas Lipton has decided to send both the Shamrock III, and the Shamrock II to America. This will permit the latter being used as a trial horse off Sandy Hook, and the challenger will be able to make up the time lost on the other side by her recent dismantling.

Shamrock Surveyed.

Southampton, April 22.—The Shamrock III, was surveyed in drydock today, in the presence of Sir Thomas Lipton and William Fife. It was found that the cup challenger has sustained no damage below the water line.

Morello Discharged.

New York, April 22.—Guiseppe Morello, who was supposed to have been one of the most important of the prisoners held in connection with the murder of Benedetto Madonia, the victim of the barrel murder, was discharged in the Tombs Court today, when the case against the Italian came up for a hearing.

Motion for Morello's discharge was made by the assistant district attorney.

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONIES AT
LIEUT-GOVERNOR'S FUNERAL

From Mr. Chamberlain.

Ottawa, April 22.—The following cable message was received last night by His Excellency from Mr. Chamberlain: "London, April 20.—I request that you will express to your ministers the great regret with which I have heard of the great loss which Canada has sustained by the death of Sir Oliver Mowat, who for so many years occupied so distinguished and honorable position in Canadian public life. Convey expression of my sympathy for his family." (Signed) "CHAMBERLAIN."

BIG CORN SHIPMENTS

The Grand Trunk Hauling It to the Seaboard.

Montreal, April 22.—Following the announcement made to the Grand Trunk shareholders by President Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson that after the end of April the company would be able to show much better results, J. W. Loud, the general traffic manager, stated yesterday what he considered would contribute most to the increase in the company's business. "The most notable increase," stated Mr. Loud, "will undoubtedly be in the shipments of corn from Chicago to the New England States for consumption. Last year, owing to the failure of the crops in the corn crop in Kansas, the Grand Trunk did not handle any corn at all. At the present time we have already started shipments, and will continue to increase them for some time to come. It is undoubtedly this business that will make a difference in the traffic returns. From Midland and the other upper ports, if we do as large a business as last year, we will be doing all we expect to. While we are adding to our facilities at Midland and other points, these will hardly be completed in time to allow us to benefit by them during the present year."

GERMANY AND THE SURTAX

The Kaiser's Ministers Are Getting Anxious.

Berlin, April 22.—The German Government, before corresponding with Great Britain regarding the surtax imposed by Canada on German goods, or suggesting to the Bundesrath that the retaliatory measures provided for in the new tariff bill should be applied, intends to inquire afresh through the Minister of the Interior as to what the precise trade exchanges between Germany and Canada are, and how far German exports would be affected were the other British colonies to similarly discriminate against Germany.

FEUD OVER A HOG

It Results in Poisoning and Assassination.

New Orleans, April 22.—Josh Wynn and Oscar Mallon have been arrested for shooting W. J. Gibbs near Girard, La., on Thursday. The Wynn-Gibbs feud has already resulted in several deaths. It grew out of a family row. Gibbs was arrested by Wynn on the charge of stealing hogs, but was acquitted. A few days afterward Wynn was taken sick after eating pork and four of the family died. This was charged to Gibbs, who was accused of poisoning the hogs with something which, while not killing the hogs, made them poisonous as human food.

The charge could not be proved, but the Wynns, believing it, lay in wait for Gibbs on Thursday night and fired on him from ambush, mortally wounding him. The two principals in the attack were arrested, but Gibbs' friends bearing another attack on the camp around the house of the dying man armed for battle.

BRITISH COMMONS REASSEMBLES;

A CRUCIAL TEST FOR GOVERNMENT

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Many Distinguished Persons Honor Dead Statesman.

PROMINENT LONDONERS THERE

The Cortege Was the Most Impressive Ever Witnessed in the Queen City.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Ont., April 22.—Government House was again thrown open to the public this morning, and thousands viewed the remains of Sir Oliver Mowat. The scarlet uniforms of the guard of honor, ranged beside the casket, shined vividly against the dark draperies of the funeral chamber, the atmosphere of which was heavy with the perfume of countless floral tributes.

The spectacle was most impressive. Sir Oliver was dressed in his Windsor uniform. His face looked wasted, but the expression, as in life, was calm and benignant. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and son of his minister, Messrs. Fielding, Paterson, Sutherland, Mulock and Fitzpatrick, arrived this morning. Twenty members of the House of Commons, including Mr. Tarte, and a number of Senators also paid their homage to the dead. Representatives from Liberal Associations in all parts of the Province walked in the funeral procession this morning. The London delegates being Messrs. George C. Gibbons, K. C., George M. Reid, Walter Bartlett, Thomas S. Hobbs, George W. Allen, Stuart Hume Cronyn and Talbot Macbeth. The cortege was the most imposing ever witnessed in the Queen City, and brought together an unparalleled number of leaders of every walk in life.

[G. N. W. Dispatch.]

Toronto, Ont., April 22.—The funeral of the late Lieutenant-Governor was indeed a fitting testimony to the universality of the respect and veneration with which the man who had for so long controlled the political destinies of this province has always been regarded by its people. From one end of the province and from the other have come political and municipal representatives to pay the last honors to the dead, while the sister Province of Quebec was represented by the Lieutenant-Governor himself, the provinces sending flowers, messages of sympathy and appointing local representatives. Major Maude was present for His Excellency the Governor-General, Lord Dundonald, the Duke of Devonshire, in his official capacity. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir William Mulock were among the honorary pallbearers. Others of the Dominion cabinet were present. Among the members of the House of Commons were W. S. Calvert, Robert Balfour, Dr. Johnstone, Arch Campbell, Col. Thompson, M. K. Cowan, Thomas Murray, J. Robertson, Dr. F. Clarke, William Ross, W. Macpherson, A. Bureau, O. Talbot, J. I. Hawke, D. J. Leblanc, George A. Clare, James Halliday. Among others Bishop Hamilton of Ottawa; Sheriff Leger, of Kent, N. B., and thousands of representatives of Liberal associations throughout the province.

The chief mourners were Sheriff Mowat, Arthur Mowat, A. M. Mowat, Master George Mowat, C. R. W. Biggar, J. L. Biggar, F. C. Biggar, Thomas Langton, Mr. J. MacLennan, James P. Mowat, McGill, H. M. Mowat, G. L. Mowat, J. McDonald, Mowat, G. L. B. Fraser, Norman Fraser, J. Mowat, Dr. Duff, and Rev. Drummond, J. H. Ewart, Joseph J. Steel, James Henderson, Ernest Henderson, S. Ewart, Frank Ewart, E. R. Greig, R. J. McLennan, Neil McLennan, A. F. McLennan.

The Government House was crowded long before the hour set for the short service. Principal Canon of Knox College—a lifelong friend of Sir Oliver—delivered the appreciative address; Rev. Dr. Black, of St. Andrew's, read the Scripture; Rev. Dr. MacLaren, of Knox College, whose daughter married Arthur Mowat, and Rev. A. Gaudier, of Sir Oliver's church, St. James' Square, had charge of the service. The pallbearers were the Catholic Society, of which Sir Oliver was patron, then bore the coffin to the hearse. They were: Wm. Banks, president; Daniel Rose, vice-president; Daniel Rose, secretary; president; Donald Inrig, treasurer; D. A. Rose, jun., and Gilbert C. Sutherland.

The procession then moved off as already announced, the marshal on horseback [Continued on Page 3.]

KAY'S

"CANADA'S GREATEST
CARPET HOUSE."

KAY'S

New Carpets

REMARKABLE SPRING
SHOWING.

IT IS KEEPING very strictly within the facts to say that the stock of Carpets, Rugs and other Floor Coverings that we are showing for the present season's trade has never been equaled before in our long business history of practically half a century. We never bought in such quantities, never have shown so many beautiful and exclusive designs, and never have so many special purchases come the way of our buyers.

When we put the statement in this plain, matter of fact, but strictly correct way—then, it means that no parallel to such an exhibit has ever before been made in Canada, for it is known that this store carries a stock of Floor Coverings that has always surpassed anything shown in the trade in this country.

It is hardly necessary that we should emphasize any particular line, for everything has been well bought; and, yet, special attention may be directed to the item of 30,000 yards of Axminster and Brussels that appears first on our list. This is an unusual purchase in size and undoubtedly unusual in price. You never saw Brussels or Axminster Carpets, value for value, that can touch these.

Shoppers who have already visited the store are simply amazed at the quantity of Oriental Rugs that we are showing—a purchase of over 1,000 Rugs, comprising the best of Eastern Rugs, and all at very astonishing prices.

Some of the particulars of Carpets and Rugs follow. These goods are found on the First Floor as you enter the store:

Extra Special in Car-
pets.

30,000 yards Axminsters and Brussels, bought under exceptional circumstances, including designs for drawing-room, dining-room, library and halls, borders and 5-8, 3-4 and 4-4 stair carpets to match. Price: Best Brussels\$0 90 Best Axminsters 1 10

Other Special Values

Special Best and Second Quality Tapestry, at 75c, 60c and 50c
Special Best Velvets, in solid reds, blue and green Indian, floral and geometrical designs, regular \$1.25, for\$1 00
Special Best English Wool, one quality for \$1.00 and75c
Heavy Durrie in Vert, olive, brown, indigo and crimson, 36 inches wide\$1 00

Specials in Rugs.

Over 1,000 Oriental Rugs, comprising hand-made Mirzapore, sizes 3 feet by 6 feet\$5 50 Up to 15x12\$52 50
Hand-made Heavy Ouchaks, sizes 7x5x6\$18 50 Up to 15x11-10\$80 00
Hundreds of very fine and quaint antique strips and small pieces, in perfect condition, about half regular price, \$22.50 down to\$5 50

Parquet Wood Floors

This department is constantly growing, owing to the thorough good workmanship that we do. We will furnish estimates for the laying, filling and polishing, complete.

Indian Dhurries and Moodj Mats.

These in nice, bright colors, suitable for floor and sofa coverings, in sizes 3x6, 4x7, 6x9, 7x10, 8x12, at per square yard\$1 25

Special Victorian Ax-
minsters.

New goods, in rose pink ground and new green ground, with Chintz coloring, suitable for drawing-room, blue and red Indian, with 4-4 stair carpet to match, suitable for hall, dining-room and library, regular price \$3.25 for\$2 25

Kashmir Rugs.

These goods are imported direct from Shiraz, and are of the finest texture, equal to the best Persian. Colors fast. Prices so moderate that any householder can indulge in this luxury, as they wear a lifetime. Colors and patterns in rich shades for drawing-room, rich Indian and Persian for dining-room and library.

Rugs and Squares.

Wood Fiber Rugs, something new for summer use, cool and clean—
2.6x5\$0 75
3 x6 1 25
6 x9 3 75
9 x12 6 00
Art Wool Squares in two-tone effects, sizes 2½x3, 3x4, 3½x4, 3½x5.

Japanese Cotton Rugs, in blue and white, green and white, and pink and white, per square yard\$1 50
Japanese Jute Rugs, from 1.6x3 up to 10x18, per square yard75c

Japanese and Chinese Matting.

New Miranil, beautiful inlaid effects; Navaroi, plain two-tone effects; New Empire, in diamond on plain ground and tiled stripes, also heavy plain white China and patent Japanese, prices per piece of 40 yards, \$16.00 to\$8 75

Parquet Squares.

These in Axminster, Wilton and Brussels. Over 150 patterns to select from. Fine Victorian Axminster Squares, to fit any sized room, made to order in six weeks' time. Stock sizes in one piece:
9 x10.6\$30 00
9 x12 35 00
10.6x13.6 45 00 (And upwards.)

Wilton and interwoven border:
9x10.6\$23 00
9x12 25 00
Best Five Frame Brussels, special price, a limited number:
9x10.6, regular \$21.00 for\$16 25
9x12, regular \$24.00 for\$18 50
11x12, regular \$30.00 for\$23 50

Hand-tufted Donegal Rugs, made in any size and color, at per square yard, \$9.50 and \$6.50
We have these in stock, 9x12, at\$85 00

Linoleums, Cork Carpets, Oilcloths and Cocoa Mattings.

We show a variety with quantities in stock sufficient to supply the largest order prices and—
Cork Carpets, 6 feet wide, in brown, terra cotta and green, with 9 inch Mosaic border, price per square yard, \$1.50 and85c
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A SPRING SHOW AT BRUCEFIELD

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A Fair at Wallaceburg on
April 23.

BRUCE.
Ex-Mayor Henry, of Kincardine, has received eight gold medals, valued at \$35 each, to be presented to brave saviors of life on Huron's shore.
The Southampton council has passed a motion recommending the county council to make a grant of \$1,000 to the county hospital at Walkerton.
Mr. August Wankel, Port Elgin, delivered twelve head of export cattle to John Coulter the other day, a very fine bunch. Their weight averaged 1,400 pounds. We understand the price paid was 5 cents a pound.

ELGIN.
Mr. Gardner, representative of the Bell Telephone Company, has completed arrangements whereby Springfield will be connected by telephone with Lyons and Ayr.
Mr. Angus McLarty, of Southwold, has sold his team of Wilbrino colts, 10 and 20 months old, for \$400.

The annual report of the auditors of Crinan cheese factory showed that last year 36,500 pounds of cheese was manufactured from 39,370 pounds of milk, and that the money received for the same amounted to \$2,300. The average price per pound of cheese, 19.35 cents. The coming season promises to be a prosperous one for those engaged in dairying.

On Wednesday afternoon, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bradley was married to Mr. L. Roy Harvey, druggist, of Rodney, Ont. Mr. Bradley, an old and highly respected citizen of Rodney, died on Thursday. He was located in Kintyre on the farm for a number of years, but later he retired in the village.

At Mr. Peter McGregor's, of Rodney, on Wednesday evening, was married Miss Lyons, of Tyrconnel, was married to Miss Kate Palmer, of Bagby.
A very pretty home wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gilbert, when Miss Oriana Smith of Yarmouth Heights became the bride of Byron Charlton, of the Township of Malahide. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Graham of St. Michael's Church. Miss Dora Charlton, sister of the groom, assisted the bride, while Mr. Emerson Small attended Mr. Charlton.

ESSEX.
The local assessor says Leamington has a population of 2,628. The total assessment is \$74,446.
A number of cases in Leamington are under quarantine on account of suspected cases of smallpox, the parties under suspicion having come from Wheatley, while Charles Pratt, of Walkerville, was on his way to his wedding in Windsor, on Wednesday night, one of the hosts in drawing the carriage dropped dead. Members of his family were with him, and the small party were compelled to wait for a half an hour for a fresh horse to be supplied.
Mrs. Dorothy Kent passed away on Friday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Marshall, Second and Assumption streets, Windsor. The deceased was 60 years of age and had lived in Walkerville for many years.

HURON.

Mr. Thomas Darwin, of Seaford, who is now in his 80th year, is able to read all the evidence of the Gamey investigation, as it is reported each day. He does not miss a line of it, and he will have the case as intelligently as most men of 50.

The annual spring show of stallions and bulls, under the auspices of the South Huron Agricultural Society, is advertised to be held at Brucefield on Friday, April 23. Contrary to the usual custom, no judging by the society will take place, and no prize will be given for stallions, but all animals shown will be awarded \$3 in their respective classes.

In the bull classes, four in number, the prizes will run from \$1 to \$3; and in Ayr-shires, Herefords, Friesians and Jerseys, from \$2 to \$2, according to quality, as adjudged by those appointed for the purpose.

The wedding took place in Walkerton on Wednesday morning of Daniel Ross, an employe of the Huron Electric Light and Power Co., of Walkerton, formerly of Woodstock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Ross, pastor of the Methodist Church, at the home of the bride's aunt there. Mr. and Mrs. Ross spent their honeymoon at London. They will make their home in Woodstock.

KENT.

Mr. William Brien last week refused an offer of \$2,000 for his 100-acre farm, near Ridgeway.
The second annual spring fair of the Chatham, Wallaceburg and Wallaceburg Agricultural Society will be held on the society's grounds, Wallaceburg, on Thursday, April 23.

The Chatham Oil Company have started to drill for oil on the farm of Mr. Leslie English, near Chatham.
Mr. William Pardo, Raleigh, brought in to Blenheim a herd of nine cattle for shipment. The total weight of the nine animals was 12,900 pounds. Two of the cattle alone weighed over 2,000 pounds.

Blenheim Tribune. Mr. Arch. Laird lost sixteen hogs with hog cholera during the past week. On Monday the remainder of the herd—about twenty in number—were killed. It was thought that the cholera was entirely stamped out in this district.

The collector of Raleigh, Martin Drew, has succeeded this year in collecting all taxes of Raleigh, but about \$300. Of this \$300, over \$200 is available, and will be paid in to the county treasurer the last of May, leaving the small balance of something less than \$100 uncollectable. This is a record for a township as large as Raleigh.

Mr. Edward Quennell, of Wallaceburg, spent Easter visiting his mother, Mrs. Tewesley at Cooksville, Ont., near Toronto. Mr. Quennell's mother is in the 100th year of her age. Her husband died one year ago, and was in the 94th year of his age.

LAMBTON.
Mr. Thomas Garvey, of the Bank of Toronto, at Sarnia, has been notified of his promotion to a position in the bank's branch at Creemore, Ont.

W. J. McAlpine, secretary of the East Lambton Farmers' Institute, has completed arrangements for their big excursion to be run to Guelph on June 16. Mr. McAlpine states that the institute have also arranged to run a train over the M. C. R. from Courthouse through to St. Thomas and over the C. P. R. to Guelph the same day, in addition to the regular trains on the G. T. R.

MIDDLESEX.
The Strathroy Canning Company have contracted for over 200 acres of peas and beans, already this season.
The home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Willson, Wardsville, was recently the scene of a pretty wedding. The bride, Miss Aitchison, of Wardsville, was bridesmaid; Miss Annie Aitchison, of Toronto, sister of the groom, acted as maid of honor, and Rev. J. W. Jewell, of the Methodist Church, Wardsville, was the officiating clergyman. About 70 guests, many of whom were from London, St. Thomas, Windsor and Port Stanley, sat down to the dainty wedding breakfast.

OXFORD.
The horse and cattle fair held at Tilsonburg, at the Imperial Hotel, proved to be very successful, and the stock brought good prices all round.
At Woodstock, Dr. A. H. Montgomery, of Brantford, was married to Miss Edith Lella Peers, of Woodstock. Both bride

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WATERLOO.

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Rev. C. Cook has resigned the charge of the Scottish and Burford Baptist Churches, and accepted a call to the Wesleyan Church. He will succeed Rev. Mr. Whyte, who has gone to Toronto to reside.

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An Experiment That May Revolutionize Steel Industry.

St. Paul, Minn., April 22.—An experiment that may revolutionize the iron and steel industry of the country has just been successfully made at the plant of the Valley Iron works, in this city. Titanium iron ore, of which there are billions of tons in Northern Minnesota, was smelted in an ordinary cupola and turned out pig iron, which polished up like steel, and which, according to those interested in the experiment, is better than the finest Bessemer steel.

While the hard and soft iron ore mines of St. Louis county have been turning out millions of tons annually for years, further north there are gigantic beds of iron, which, because of the presence of titanium, making it refrac-

tory, have received but little attention, although the existence is generally known. It has been commonly believed that sooner or later it would be necessary to use this, because of the rapid dwindling of the supply of hard ore necessary to bring the soft ores up to Bessemer grade, and before that time a process would be discovered by which this apparently valueless ore could be used.

Frank Johnson, of St. Paul, who claims to have discovered such a process, conducted the demonstration.

ASSORTED TROUBLES

Barr's Colonists Fight High Prices and Prairie Fires.

Saskatoon, N. W. T., April 22.—Rev. Dr. Barr arrived unexpectedly on Saturday. There was no one to meet him and no cheering. He passed

through the camp without a welcome. Trouble arose Sunday over the plan of distribution of 18 cars of goods. Dr. Barr addressed a mass meeting, and wanted permission to sign a blanket release to the railway company, so that the baggage could be distributed more quickly, but though the refusal meant a week's delay the colonists refused to consent. Some are short of money, and are selling their firearms to tide them over.

When the trek will commence is problematical.

Dr. Barr, in a speech on Sunday afternoon threatened that the Mounted Police would fire to kill if the colonists made a raid on the baggage train. He said that Canadians would not steal baggage, but some of his party would, and had robbed him en route on the steamer.

A prairie fire threatened the camp last night, but a trail stopped its progress.

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the two physicians, Dr. J. A. Temple and Dr. A. Primrose, the Catholic pall-bearers, and the honorary bearers; the hearse, the chief mourners, Commander Law, Capt. Elms, A. D. C., as the staff of the late Lieutenant-Governor; Major Maude, representing the Governor-General; Lieut. Gov. Jetté, of Quebec, and the representatives of other provinces; the archbishops, bishops and heads of churches and other members of the Dominion.

Cabinet, including Hon. James Sutherland.

The last of the procession was made up by citizens in carriages and citizens on foot.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

"Carmen" Given Good Presentation at the Grand.

"Carmen" pleased the patrons of

Grand Opera House last night. Those who attended, however, were not many in comparison with the work of the production. As grand opera it was not perhaps as good as one would expect, but it certainly was fully up to expectations, considering the prices. With the Gordon-Shay Company is not so

the Golden-Bunny Company is not at all in the chorus, the principals are able to sustain the production. As gipsy, Carmen, Miss Shay was lightful, giving the role the abandon that goes with the character. Her singing was also pleasing, and won more than one encore. Possibly the most enthusiastically received of any of the numbers was the toreador song.

Achilles Alberti. Signor Alberti has a magnificent voice, and it was a pleasure to hear him after some of the coloratura opera voices that have been focusing all winter in the calcium. Helene Frenschky's singing was delightfully surprising, while a number of the others all had excellent voices. Altogether the concert was given by principals and chorists.

KING'S HEALTH IS GOOD

United States Reports to Congress Are Incorrect.

London, April 22.—An investigation of reports circulated in the United States by a news agency that a result of the alarming state of Edward's health he had been ordered to take some dangerous rest at Naples.

to take four days rest at Naples before going to Rome, and that entertainment at Rome had been cur shows them to be unfounded. King left Malta in good health and there has been no change in his position or curtailment of the Rome programme. It is announced that King will arrive at Naples April 22 and proceed to Rome April 23.

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London, Wednesday, April 22.

The Mysterious Mr. Gamey.

Mr. Gamey's latest antics are scarcely less sensational than his performance in the Legislature. At a crucial moment of the investigation, without notifying his counsel, he leaves Toronto, and brings the wheels of justice to a standstill for the time being. Even his wife denied any knowledge of his whereabouts; but yesterday the newspapers found him in Buffalo, lodged in an obscure hotel. He had been there since Sunday and professed surprise that his absence had caused such a flutter. He made no explanation of his informal exit, but declared he would return to face the music.

Two facts, elicited in the witness box, accuse him. The first is the mutilation of the Crossin Piano Company's cash book. The page recording the transactions of the firm on Sept. 10 and 11, 1902, was found to be missing on Saturday by Mr. Crossin. Crossin swears he did not remove it. The only other person who had access to the book was Mr. Gamey, who is president of the company. Gamey was in the office on Saturday morning and was there alone some of the time. His evidence on this point is required. Suspicion points to him as the one who cut out the page. What would be his motives for such an act? On Sept. 11 he deposited in the Traders Bank the \$1,500 alleged to have been received from Mr. Stratton. On the same day he deposited in the Ontario Bank \$900 to the credit of the piano company. He had at least \$2,400 that day. The missing page was important, as showing the source of his wealth or part of it.

But more damaging than the mutilated cash book was the bogus deposit slip. On Saturday, April 18 last, Mr. Gamey went to the Ontario Bank and asked for the original deposit slip for the \$900, banked on Sept. 11. His pretext was that he wanted to show it to Mr. Crossin—for what reason Crossin doesn't know. Having secured the slip, Gamey made a copy of it, representing the deposit to have been made in ten and twenty dollar bills, instead of one hundred dollar bills. This copy, in which he forged the initials of the bank clerk, he returned to the bank. The receiving teller detected the fraud and demanded the original slip. Gamey claimed to have lost it. He made a pretense of searching his pockets in the bank and then retraced his steps from the bank to the piano factory, accompanied by Mr. Crossin and a bank messenger, all three looking for the slip on the streets. This is the testimony of Mr. Crossin, who is Gamey's business partner and confidant. If Mr. Gamey removed the missing leaf from the cash book, he is guilty of a criminal offense—mutilating evidence. That he returned the Ontario Bank a bogus slip, forging a bank clerk's initials, is already proved. For this Mr. Gamey is also liable to a criminal charge. Is his absence explained by these circumstances? Did he fear he might have a charge of role—from prosecutor to prosecuted? Did he flee the country because he felt he had incriminated himself? Everyone is asking these questions and looking to Gamey for the answer.

The apologists for Gamey, especially the politicians and newspapers that have been extolling him as a hero, find themselves in an uncomfortable position. The London Free Press made obeisance to him as "the rising sun." In our neighbor's estimation this "strong personality, emerging from the northern woods" overshadowed all the public men of the day. The present situation must have a deep pathos for the Free Press, and in charity we draw a veil over it. Mr. Whitney and the majority of his followers in the House are stupefied beyond measure. They took Gamey into their bosom; they lauded him as a miracle of virtue, and forgetful of their dignity and their judicial position as members of the Legislature, they accepted, or pretended to accept, his story as gospel truth, and condemned the Government without a trial. They are now obliged to own that Mr. Gamey isn't a person of very nice scruples or a very creditable ally. They staked everything on the word of a man of this character and threw all considerations of justice and public honor to the winds by pronouncing judgment before the inquiry.

It is satisfactory to know that the investigation will continue, with or without Gamey. The Commissioners very properly take the view that it is not a private prosecution, concerning only Mr. Gamey and the members of the Government, but a matter in which public interests are vitally involved. If the prosecutor, Gamey, drops out, the public will virtually take his place. Every good citizen wishes to see this case probed to the bottom, so that guilt, wherever it resides, may be punished. The welfare of the body politic demands it. The learned judges have all along interpreted their instructions in a broad spirit, and by inviting Mr.

Gamey's counsel to pursue the inquiry

have furnished fresh proof that they realize their responsibility to the public, and will not be bound by red tape.

Sir Oliver Mowat's Work.

The remains of Sir Oliver Mowat were borne to the grave today with an amplitude of public honors, bestowed only upon the greatest servants of the nation. All parties and all creeds have vied in paying homage to his memory, and there is one note common to all their tributes—reverence for the man himself. It is a magnificent testimony to the power of character. If Oliver Mowat, the great statesman, were forgotten, Oliver Mowat, the Christian statesman, would be remembered. His career was a rebuke to the popular cynicism which smiles at the suggestion that practical politics may go hand-in-hand with practical piety. He owed his unbroken success in public life to the fact that he was a moral as well as a political force. In the present outpouring of public praise, there is a reverence which could not be inspired by greatness without goodness.

In their eloquent eulogiums, the Premier of Canada and the Premier of Ontario agreed in their judgment as to what was the salient result of his administration and the lodestar of his public policy. He was a champion of the federal principle, and his great work was in permanently fixing the main boundaries between the Dominion and Provincial jurisdictions—a work necessary to round off Confederation. The length and breadth of a constitution are measured by interpretation. The British North America Act is the basis of Confederation, and those who framed it were satisfied in their own minds that they had laid down clearly the lines of demarcation between Dominion and Provincial authority. It is no reproach to their statesmanship that conflicts did arise. No human prescience or ingenuity could have prevented them. The defects could only be revealed in the actual working of the constitution and collisions between the central and the provincial governments were necessary to the enduring and harmonious adjustment of their relations. This inevitably brought Sir John Macdonald and Sir Oliver Mowat into antagonism. Sir John Macdonald, before Confederation, made no secret of his preference for a legislative union. He would have had one strong central government, and in lieu of the provincial parliaments a number of enlarged county councils with considerable authority in local matters. George Brown fought for the federal idea, holding that a durable union of the Canadian provinces, so diverse in many respects, was possible only by giving each province control over distinctively provincial affairs. The federal principle was forced on Sir John Macdonald by his great opponent, but Sir John's prejudice for a highly centralized government never left him, and he persistently interpreted the B. N. A. Act in that spirit. Mowat, as a federalist, leaned in the other direction, and resisted the encroachments of the Dominion on the spheres of provincial rights, as he understood them. Hence those historic constitutional battles, before the judicial committee of the Privy Council, in which the Premier of Ontario was invariably the victor. It became the office of interpretation to make the B. N. A. Act, the written constitution of the Dominion, a working instrument, perfected and completed, enabling the general and provincial parliaments to fulfill their proper functions in the scheme of government, without clashing. This was the supreme achievement of Sir Oliver Mowat as a statesman.

It looks as if Mr. Gamey made more than one bad slip.

The "strong personality" from the northern woods had better take to the tall timbers again.

Sir Richard Cartwright was mentioned for the Lieutenant-Governorship, but his splendid contribution to the budget debate is not the speech of a man who should think of retiring.

Col. Denison, police magistrate of Toronto, indignantly rebukes the few politicians who urged that Sir Oliver Mowat be removed from office shortly before his death. There is little doubt that Mr. Maclean's unkind remarks pained Sir Oliver deeply. The wonder is that Mr. Borden, who is usually above that sort of thing, seconded the attack. They should be thoroughly ashamed of their conduct.

The new Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, W. Mortimer Clark, K. C., is known outside of Toronto chiefly as a leading figure in the activities of the Presbyterian Church. In Toronto he is highly esteemed as a public-spirited citizen, but he has never been a politician, and he admits that he has never given a cent to a party fund. The appointment came to him as a surprise, and must have been made solely on the ground of personal merit. Mr. Clark is a man of wealth and culture, and his wife and daughters are described as charming hostesses, well qualified to preside over the hospitality of Government House. This is an important consideration, as the duties of the station are largely social. Political experience can hardly be called essential to the gubernatorial office. On no occasion has a Lieutenant-Governor of this Province acted contrary to the advice of his ministers, and it is improbable that friction will ever arise.

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(Washington Star.)

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[Chicago Tribune.]

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[Pittsburg Dispatch.]

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Follow all the rules you know, Spout philosophy—Swear that old you'll never grow!—That from care you're free! Then will Fate, a rascal, kick, Kick you out of school; Punctuating every kick With "Take your time! Keep cool!"

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[New York World.]

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[Cleveland Plaindealer.]

"It is said that Josh Billings was the most successful of American lecturers."

"Josh Billings! Well, just think of that! Why, there was a man who did not go to school long enough to learn how to spell and couldn't write his name correctly on a hotel register. Well, well!"

The Coarse Coat.

[New York World.]

The bell-shaped sack coat, now in its second or third season, is the most ladylike garment yet devised for gentlemen by the tailor who has helped to make woman look like man and is now making man look like woman.

Impatience.

[Washington Star.]

We pray for sun or rain, and fret, And disapprove the weather's state, Although we know full well we'll get The kind we want if we'll but wait.

The Sleepy Bee.

[Washington Star.]

The "busy bee" is somehow made The hero of the wondering throng; I'd like to know what would be said If he should sleep all winter long.

Eskimo Philosophy.

[Chicago Tribune.]

You cannot eat your candle and burn it, too.

A whale in the pantry is worth two in the sea.

Many an honest heart beats beneath a sealskin jacket.

It is a long polar expedition that has no turning.

It takes a good man to stand in a slippery place.

Never look a gift walrus in the teeth.

Where there is so much grease there must be some blubber.

Do not eat your candle at both ends.

Evolutionary or Revolutionary?

[Philadelphia Press.]

The corporate interests and corporation leaders, suddenly halted in illegal designs and projects by the Northern Securities decisions, have every possible reason for trying to make the public believe that the decision is revolutionary instead of evolutionary. Schemes are stopped. Vast projects are suddenly rendered futile and fruitless. The market for "undigested securities" suddenly has an acute attack of indigestion.

The men engaged in the vast schemes of our day, financial, railroad, industrial, and international trade, find the one tool and instrument on which they have relied struck from their hands. They are irritated. For the most part their schemes were based on the public good. Where they make money the public makes more. The seeming prosperity of the day would have been impossible without their leadership. When the path on which they expected to go on to fresh triumphs is closed by a judicial decision they naturally find that a blunder has been made.

But this is no excuse for misleading the public about it or trying to create the impression that the control of property, the conduct of corporate affairs or the ability of the State to enterprizes is challenged. It is not.

Many Tons of the Weed Are Sent to America.

[London, April 18.—On a bright afternoon in the latter part of October, I crossed the smooth, yellow sands of a Cornish shore, and came upon a group of hardy men, women and children—men with careworn faces, seeking to secure a little extra money for procuring warm garments for their little ones at home; children with bright eyes, and cheeks all aglow with the excitement of the pools of clear, limpid water, picking a black seaweed, which, upon inquiry, I found to be laver. These folk were making the best of the short hours of the seemingly borrowed day, and a correspondent of the Pall Mall Gazette, the tide was "flowing," and the white-edged breakers seemed mounting in the rays of the autumn sun, appearing like a fairy island arising from the deeply dark blue waters of the immense "season" for picking is from September to March; it is so light that a large bag will only hold half a hundredweight.

A large quantity of laver is picked

CANADA'S LONDON OFFICE

The New Quarters Are Greatly Admired by Everybody.

London, April 22.—Many people are wondering why the new Canadian Pacific offices at Charing Cross are not being fitted with Canadian woods instead of dull English wood. The new emigration offices find a justification in the constant stream of window-gazers and inquirers. Mr. Preston estimates that there will be twenty times the number of inquirers than at the old office on Queen Victoria street. Hon. Clifford Sifton is the recipient of several letters from London Canadians complimenting him on his business acumen in removing the emigration headquarters from Westminster to the center of the metropolis.

TOUR OF THE LORDS

Lord Minto Sends Them a Heartly Welcome.

London, April 22.—Lord Minto writes to Lord Lynden: "The people of Canada will welcome the visit of the members of the House of Lords and Commons, as evidence of the great interest of the old country. In the progress of the Dominion I shall be delighted to render them every assistance in my power." In reference to a cable to today's Daily Mail from his Montreal correspondent, regretting that the visitors had not fixed their visit to Toronto and Ottawa during the exhibition, Lord Lynden is given as authority for saying that he will be delighted to revise his itinerary, if possible, and visit both. He cannot sible, and is anxious to meet Canadian wishes, which have been overlooked in mapping out the journey. Any suggestions should be sent to Lord Lynden at the House of Lords. With-out mentioning names, it is a fact that certain members of the royal family are particularly interested in the tour.

If we could see ourselves as others see us we wouldn't be so fond of looking in the mirror.

NEURALGIA.

THIS DISTRESSING COMPLAINT IS DUE TO IMPROVERISHED BLOOD.

When the blood becomes thin and watery, as a matter of course you become weak, vitality gets down low, and there is but little power in the system to ward off disease and pain.

Neuralgia hunts out a weak spot, and makes a home there, so secure that it is hard to drive it out. But by using the proper remedies it can be driven from the system, never to return. To obtain immediate relief, first apply to the painful parts a good quantity of Dr. Pierce's Neuralgia, and then bind for a few minutes with a hot flannel cloth.

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A Nightmare

Gives point to the fact that excessive or irregular eating disturbs the digestion.

Nightmare or night hag has its day time correspondence in the undue fullness after eating, with the belchings and sour or bitter rising so often experienced after too hasty or too hearty eating.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures dyspepsia and other diseases of the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition. When these diseases are cured, the whole body shares in the increased strength derived from food properly digested and perfectly assimilated.

"Your Golden Medical Discovery" and Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy have been of great benefit to me," writes (Prof.) Pleasant A. Oliver, of Viola, Fulton Co., Ark. "Before I used the above mentioned remedies my sleep was not sound; digestion bad; a continued feeling of misery. I now feel like a new man. Any one in need of medical treatment for nasal catarrh could do no better than to take treatment Dr. E. J. Pierce. I know his medicines are all right in this class of diseases."

Sometimes a dealer tempted by the little more profit paid on the sale of less meritorious medicines will offer the customer a substitute as being "just as good" as the "Discovery." It is better for him because it pays better, but it is not as good for you, if you want the medicine that has cured others, and which you believe will cure you.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Tablets cleanse the clogged system from accumulated impurities.

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"BEAUTIFUL" Is What Fashion Says.

Like Silk--Color White

---But Not Silk---

More Durable Than Silk, More Economic Than Silk

When you go to the expense of having a pretty garment made, and after a little wear it becomes soiled---with silk there is no remedy. With this new fabric, it comes back from the laundry perfect.

This new fabric---the result of science as developed by British workmen---can only be had at Kingsmill's.

Prices: 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c Per Yard

Always remember you get the latest without extortion at Kingsmill's.

Is It a Lace Season?

THE WORLD SAYS YES.

Everything known in the Lace trade, made in any part of the world, you can get at Kingsmill's. Today our stock is over Seventy-five thousand yards.

Prices from 1c to \$10.00 Per Yard

Every width, from one-eighth of an inch to forty-two inches wide.

All colors made, including the new tint, Paris Chartreuse Champaigne, can be had at

Kingsmill's

on the Cornish beaches and sent to agents in Wales.

Here it is prepared for export, being first placed in large pans of fresh water and boiled, or rather, stewed, with salt and pepper, for about ten hours. By this time it is of the consistency of jelly, and of a bright green color. This is then packed in dreds of tons and sent to America, where it is sold as a delicacy. Welsh folk also use laver as an edible, as do the people of Devon, but it is not used in Cornwall. When ready for use it is cut into small pieces, mixed with meal, and fried in fat; sometimes it is stewed with pieces of lean beef, and sometimes it is simply spread on bread as a jelly or as potted meat is used in Wales it is called "laver bread," and in Devon "black butter." The qualities supposed to belong to laver are its nourishing properties and its tonic effect, which makes it a stimulant to the appetite.

The price varies almost every season, but is rarely more than 10s. or less than 8s. a hundredweight. After the strike in Wales a couple of years ago the demand was great, and the price kept at 10s. steady throughout the season. Most pickers are engaged by agents from Wales, but sometimes a local man will become a sub-agent and he often makes a good thing of it. The pickers frequently make £20 each in a good season and two women have been known to collect two hundredweight in one morning.

GERMANY'S ACTION WAS INSOLENT

Mr. Charlton Approves of the
Government's Action.

CONDEMNNS TARTE'S TARIFF IDEA

Member for North Norfolk Favors
Reciprocity or Retaliation—New
Member Introduced.

Ottawa, April 21.—In the House of Commons today the Speaker reported that he had received the certificate of election of Mr. Wallace as member for Russell. Mr. Wallace was later introduced by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Fraser, and took his seat.

Hon. R. W. Scott will introduce a bill to regulate the sale and provide for the inspection of textile fabrics.

DEBATING THE BUDGET.

The debate on the budget was resumed by Mr. John Charlton. He said that for the prosperity of the country we had to thank Divine Providence. He approved the Government's course toward Germany. Germany's action toward Canada had been insolent, and Canada had risen herself in the eyes of the world by her resistance to it. He defended the Government's action against Mr. Tarte's attack for not revising the tariff this year. It was the part of prudence to refrain until it was seen what the reassembling of the joint high commission showed the United States to be prepared to do in regard to reciprocity. He believed it was hopeless to look for any return preference from Great Britain. The effect upon Britain's foreign trade would be disastrous if she attempted to meet our wishes. She would precipitate a tariff war against her by doing so. So he thought we had better let the preference drop. Discussing the prospects of reciprocity with the United States, Mr. Charlton said it would be unwise to act on the leader of the Opposition's suggestion to put up the tariff before negotiating with the United States. This would be regarded as a menace and would defeat the possibility of getting any concessions. At present he believed the prospects were favorable for securing larger concessions than many people anticipated. He had advocated reciprocity with the United States even since, in 1874, he had been elected by Hon. Alexander Mackenzie to defend the Brown draft reciprocity treaty against the attacks of the Opposition under Sir John Macdonald. But for the last year he had greatly resented the unfairness of American tariff legislation toward Canada. If we failed now to secure fair terms from the United States, he would be in favor of the most drastic measures against them. We must get fair play from other nations or meet them with their own weapons, but it is most desirable that the seeds of discord which have been sown in the past shall not produce their disastrous crop. In the interests of both Canada and the United States should live in amity and friendly intercourse. It was also desirable in the interests of the British Empire. We stood for duty and justice higher than the price of codfish. He believed that the time was ripe for securing a reciprocity treaty. The Americans had become disabused on their false idea of Canada. The campaign of education which had been going on for the past three years had been productive of good results. He dissented from Mr. Laurier's suggestion of an excuse for deferring a revision of the tariff. He said the new settlers going into the West are largely Americans. They will want to sell their wheat where they can get the best market. They will have no prejudices against dealing with the United States. The only way we can prevent their wheat going to the United States and forcing it into Canadian channels of transportation will be by imposing export duties on wheat. The United States have the game in their own hands. The United States will in all likelihood remove their duty on wheat before long, because they need our hard wheat. The wheat area of the United States for duty-paying is a larger population is increasing out of all proportion to its rural population. It will soon be a food-importing country. Mr. Charlton concluded by saying this winter would see a parting of the ways, and Providence would decide whether we should take the part of exclusion and animosity, or reciprocity and amity.

AT REASSEMBLING OF HOUSE

Address From the Throne Passed—
Government Bill for Constructing
Municipal Power Works.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

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During his whole career he always seemed to bear in mind the fact that the minority had their rights the same as the majority. There was about him a great strength of character under a mild exterior there was the force of a giant. He could ridicule without malice, argue without resentment, and all the while there was that conscious devotion to duty that never forsook him. The party had lost a great man in his death; the country had lost a great man. His strength was in his sincerity, and he was essentially true to his convictions and to his country, which he loved so well. It could truly be said of Sir Oliver Mowat that he was a Canadian patriot, and in the words of Tennyson:

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We know him now, all narrow jealousies
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most drastic measures against them.

With what sublime repression of himself,
He gave to this nation or to that,
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Of vain ambitions, nor a vantage
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For pleasure; but through all this tract
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THE OPPOSITION LEADER.

Mr. J. H. Whitney also spoke feelingly. The greatest grief he said, the more difficult it was to give a proper and fitting appreciation of him. Sir Oliver Mowat was a great fiery leader and a good man. He would be remembered above all things for his desire for the continuance and perpetuation of British institutions. He had rendered his country valuable services, and those services would never be forgotten by a grateful people. As a member of a political party, Mr. Whitney said, he was not in a position to offer a tribute to one who had been a great party leader. Mr. Whitney also added that he did not propose to allow Sir Oliver Mowat's political friends to be alone the mourners in this hour of the country's bereavement. The death of Sir Oliver Mowat was a great loss to the country, and he sincerely deplored his demise, and offered their deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

MUNICIPAL POWER WORKS.

Premier Ross introduced some legislation foreshadowed in the speech from the throne, in the shape of a bill entitled "An Act for the construction of municipal power works," and it will be given its second reading on Tuesday next.

It provides that the council of any of two or more corporations may appoint commissioners, not less than three or more than five, one to be a hydraulic engineer, one to be an electrical engineer, and a business man of good repute, having a practical knowledge of the construction and operation of power works, to ascertain and determine the feasibility of a scheme of constructing a power plant; the cost of the work, the probable supply and demand and other matters concerning the rate at which they may be able to furnish power to consumers, the amounts to be used, and the proportions in which the municipalities or corporations concerned shall contribute to the cost of the work. They may also employ whatever assistance they require at the expense of the corporations or municipalities of the province. The municipalities concerned abandon the idea after the commissioners have reported or go on with it, but in the latter case they must submit a bylaw to the ratepayers. They may also issue debentures on the authorization of the chief justice of Ontario. In case some of the municipalities retire from the undertaking those remaining are unable to proceed.

The board of commissioners is to be appointed by the chief justice of Ontario to conduct the operations of the board of commissioners, which are the ordinary powers necessary to their duties. If there is more electric power developed than is needed by the corporation or municipalities directly concerned they must offer it for sale to municipalities and individuals along the line at rates to be fixed by the chief justice of Ontario.

If any dispute arises as to rates the chief justice is to determine them. The usual penalty clauses are included in case of failure to conform with the regulations regarding the sale and rights. A trust company is to be appointed to keep the accounts of the work. The moneys are to be paid in and out by the trust company at the order of the commissioners. The commissioners are given power

NO KNIFE NECESSARY

Reuben Draper Proves by Experience That
Dodd's Kidney Pills Will Cure Gravel.

Bristol, P. Q., April 20.—Reuben Draper, of this place, is spreading broadcast the good news that the operating knife is no longer necessary to cure that once-dreaded disease, Gravel. Mr. Draper was taken ill with Gravel, and two doctors consulted failed to give him relief. He was advised to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. He did so and of the result he says:

"Just one week after starting to use Dodd's Kidney Pills, I passed a stone as large as a small bean, and four days after I passed one about the size of a grain of barley. This gave me relief and I began to feel better and gain strength."

"That happened four years ago and I have had no return of the trouble since."

At Antwerp—Kronland, from New York.
At London—Minneapolis, from New York.

The suburbanite is discovering that not all plants are as luxurious as they are painted in the seed catalogues.

Clark's Lunch Tongue.

No other cooked tongues in this are as juicy, as tender, as appetizing, as Clark's. Ask your grocer.

In Berlin a club of the "disengaged" has been formed by young men who, having broken with their sweethearts, regard marriage as fated to be a failure.

Moses lived exactly midway between the building of the pyramids, 5000 B. C. and our own day.

My Hair

Ayer's Hair Vigor makes the hair grow because it is a hair-food. It feeds the hair and the hair grows, that's all there is to it. It stops falling of the hair, too, and restores color to gray hair.

At All Drug Stores, J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

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Mr. J. H. Whitney also spoke feelingly. The greatest grief he said, the more difficult it was to give a proper and fitting appreciation of him. Sir Oliver Mowat was a great fiery leader and a good man. He would be remembered above all things for his desire for the continuance and perpetuation of British institutions. He had rendered his country valuable services, and those services would never be forgotten by a grateful people. As a member of a political party, Mr. Whitney said, he was not in a position to offer a tribute to one who had been a great party leader. Mr. Whitney also added that he did not propose to allow Sir Oliver Mowat's political friends to be alone the mourners in this hour of the country's bereavement. The death of Sir Oliver Mowat was a great loss to the country, and he sincerely deplored his demise, and offered their deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

MUNICIPAL POWER WORKS.

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a bill, which he will press during the
session, to endeavor to put graduates
of colonial medical colleges on the
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versities in the army, the navy and
the colonial service. Sir Gilbert Parker's
marriage with a deceased wife's
sister bill is supported for May 1. He
counts on the support of all the Can-
adian members on this, and his forth-
coming motion dealing with Canadian
meat for the army. Dr. Macnamara,
who was born in Quebec, and is the
greatest of the Irish in the Commons,
leads the attack on the Government
bill abolishing the London School
Board.

WANT LYNCH RELEASED.
C. R. Devlin, H. P., took a conspicu-
ous part at the National convention in
Dublin. He moved a resolution, as-
serting that the release of Arthur
Lynch, convicted of treason, would
commend itself to all classes of the
people, and that it was the duty of
feeling among Irishmen, irrespective
of creed or party. The resolution was
carried unanimously. The Government
is certain to release Lynch shortly.

SCOLDING CANADIANS.
A. G. Grady, the well-known writer
on Anglo-American history, replies in
the Morning Post to that journal's
criticism of Canada's attitude in im-
perial defense. He says: "As a private
individual, fairly intimate with Canada
and Canadians, I would urge that scold-
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on this matter, will do a thousand
times more harm than good, before
any scheme of imperial representation
has come within the domain of practi-
cal politics."

A LOSS TO CANADA.
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published in the English papers, no
editorial reference has been made to
the death of Ontario's Lieutenant-
Governor, but all agree that in the re-
moval of Sir Oliver Mowat Canada
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BETWEEN TWO FIRES.

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Author of "Lady Mary of the Dark
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"The Bar Stomach," etc.
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"He came a little later, having been
detained with friends, at the hotel till
midnight. One of these friends was
Miss Revelstoke. He had employed a
private detective named Dubois, but
had learnt nothing yet, and while he
was telling me this, Comte de Ribau-
mont was announced. I was obliged
to force Mr. Dubois to conceal him-
self in my boudoir, which he re-
luctantly did, and I can prove to you
by one of my servants, if you
do not care to take my word
alone, that he was not able
to escape until nearly half-past one.
He could not have called twice in the
Rue de la Tour, as the papers say that
the congrege believed, for he was in
my boudoir. How he found the address
of the man he suspected as the thief
I cannot tell you."

"We already know that. It was a
letter."
"Ah! (I made the exclamation as
innocently as if I did not remember all
I had heard from Count Ipanoff).
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house. It was to get my letters which
he hoped to find there. And you see
also why he has kept my name out of
the affair, refusing to compromise me
even to save himself great trouble, per-
haps danger. How could he ruin my
happiness when he knew that I had
lied to the Comte de Ribau-
mont, saying that I was alone?"

"I see. And I applaud his chivalry,"
said the Chief of Police.
"You are the man to understand it.
Now that I have humiliated myself,
will he be released? It is clear—is it
not?—that the murder must have been
done long before the time when he
could have reached the Rue de la Tour

after leaving my house at half-past
one."
"That is clear. There are still cer-
tain formalities to be gone through
before the accused man can be re-
leased; but, I may as well inform you,
dear mademoiselle, that not ten min-
utes before you came in I received
news of the arrest of two men—one
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when I heard his innocent remark I
gratefully assented.

The traitor Ipanoff had managed that
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he would have vowed, if anything in
the safe had been missing and Maxine
disgraced, that he had had nothing
to do with it. The fear of the terri-
ble man, who had so nearly check-
mated me, came over me again.

"But the necklace—" I breathed.

"You will be glad to have it again?"

A lovely girl will give it to you to-
morrow. She is to marry my old
friend Noel Brent, who is accused of
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last night, and her lover, too, they
found the necklace which Noel
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it was not a conventional proceeding
for her. No one knows but myself,
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he is not. I can prove to you, as I
have now, that he is a man who
loves, and has more than she de-
serves."

"I have listened to Ipanoff for the
last time," said Maxine. "That dog!
He had better not speak evil of you!"

"I hope he will see that it is useless."

I answered. "I am so tired of storms,
I want love and peace—and you."

"You shall have all—and for always,"
said Maxine.

As she clasped me the world outside
faded away. I forgot that I had been
all my life a woman who dared. I
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BIG STAKES AT AQUEDUCT WON BY RIGHT AND TRUE

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General Sporting News.

THE TURF.

HUNDRED TO ONE SHOT WINS.

New York, N. Y., April 22.—Right and True, with McCafferty up, won the Peconic stakes at Aqueduct today. This race is a 7-furlong sprint for 3-year-olds, and only four faced the starter, with Nevermore, an odds-on favorite, at 2 to 1. Right and True and Nevermore raced almost head and head the entire distance. In a driving finish, Right and True won by a head, with the favorite second. The Lady Rhodesia, in the second race, broke the track record for 44 furlongs, doing the distance in 54 4-5 seconds. Para 11, quoted at 100 to 1 in the betting, won the first race in a gallop by three lengths. In this race Pageant, who finished third, was dis-qualified for crowding in the stretch. It is said the jockey Henry Graham, Para 11's owner, backed by Buffalo sporting men, made a \$30,000 killing on the race.

First race, 6 furlongs, selling—Para 11, 100 to 1; 2 to 1 and 3 to 1; 1: Ivernia, 100 (Redfern), 20 to 1 and 8 to 1; 2: Merry Maker, 108 (Hicks), 15 to 1 and 5 to 1; 3: Time, 1:14 3-5.

Second race, 44 furlongs—The Lady Rhodesia, 103 (O'Neill), 3 to 1 and 6 to 5; 1: Hamburg Belle, 102 (Redfern), 5 to 1 and 2 to 1; 2: Fickle, 102 (Gannon), 7 to 2 and 4 to 1; 3: Time, 54 4-5.

Third race, 7 furlongs—Right and True, 101 (McCafferty), 15 to 1 and 2 to 1; 1: Nevermore, 106 (Hicks), 2 to 1 and 2 to 1; 2: Embarrassment, 111 (Wilkinson), 3 to 1 and 2 to 1; 3: Time, 1:22 1-2.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs—Para 11, 100 to 1; 2 to 1; 1: Ivernia, 100 (Redfern), 20 to 1 and 8 to 1; 2: Merry Maker, 108 (Hicks), 15 to 1 and 5 to 1; 3: Time, 1:14 3-5.

Fifth race, 44 furlongs, selling—Curtis, 102 (O'Neill), 4 to 1 and 2 to 1; 1: Miss Nancy, 104 (Gannon), 4 to 1 and even; 2: Miss McKenna, 30 (Fuller), 20 to 1 and 6 to 1; 3: Time, 54 4-5.

Sixth race, 7 furlongs—Confusion, 103 (O'Neill), 8 to 5 and 4 to 1; 1: Lapor, 113 (Gannon), 10 to 1 and 2 to 1; 2: 106 (Michaels), 25 to 1 and 10 to 1; 3: Time, 1:22 1-2.

Second race, 44 furlongs—Don O'Hugh,

5 to 1; 1: Getchel, 11 to 1; 2: Amberita, 13 to 1; 3: Time, 57 1-2.

Third race, 1 mile, selling—Sarilla, 8 to 1; 1: Prima 11, 10 to 1; 2: Socapa, 25 to 1; 3: Time, 1:21 1-2.

Fourth race, 1 mile and 20 yards, selling—Sambo, 2 to 1; 1: Scottie, 7 to 1; 2: Action, 3 to 1; 3: Time, 1:24 1-2.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs, selling—Centle, 14 to 5; 1: Orleans, 4 to 2; 2: Brookler, 10 to 1; 3: Time, 1:17 1-2.

Sixth race, 1 1/2 miles, hurdles—Helen Paxton, 2 to 1; 1: Miss Gannon, 8 to 5; 2: Itacatiara, 4 to 3; 3: Time, 1:22.

ONLY ONE FAVORITE WON.
Chicago, April 22.—But one favorite won at Lakeside today, the other five events going to long shots and second choices. Weather clear; track good. Summaries:

First race, 5 1/2 furlongs, selling—1: 1: Must, 6 to 1; 2: J. W. O'Neill, 1 to 1; 3: Time, 58 1-2.

Second race, 6 furlongs—Soothsayer, 7 to 2; 1: James J. Corbett, 10 to 1; 2: John J. Gannon, 6 to 5; 3: Time, 1:15 1-2.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Layton, 10 to 1; 1: Cornwall, 5 to 1; 2: Deskin, 15 to 1; 3: Time, 1:16.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Dan McKenna, 2 to 1; 1: Will Sherry, 30 to 1; 2: Chicago Girl, 10 to 1; 3: Time, 1:34.

Fifth race, 1 1/2 miles—Miss Callam, 6 to 1; 1: Lady Free Knight, 5 to 2; 2: Pecos, 10 to 1; 3: Time, 1:51.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Old Mike, 10 to 1; 1: The Bobby, 7 to 5; 2: Limelight, 4 to 1; 3: Time, 1:49 1-2.

San Francisco, April 22.—Long shots and close finishes ruled at Oakland today. Summary:

First race, Futurity course, selling—Alta G. 1, The Odora 2, L. Phillips 3. Time, 1:17.

Second race, 4 furlongs—Toltec 1, Strife 2, Quaker Girl 3. Time, 1:10.

Third race, 1 mile, selling—Yellow Stone 1, Mills 2, Albert Enright 3. Time, 1:14 1-2.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs—Royal Rogue 1, The Major 2, Annie Max 3. Time, 1:14 1-2.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs, selling—Lou Clevedon 1, Dollie Welthoff 2, Nugget 3. Time, 1:22.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 70 yards, selling—Ada N. 1, Arizona 2, Mexicana 3. Time, 1:49 1-2.

McGovern, and Abe Attell, of San Francisco, will take place at Fort Erie on Decoration Day. The men will battle for 50 per cent of the gate receipts, the club guaranteeing a purse of \$4,000.

BOSTON MAN BEATEN.
Detroit, April 20.—Billy Spracklin, of Windsor, beat Sharkey, of Boston, at Detroit on Saturday night in a ten-round bout that went the distance. Sharkey made a good showing, but Spracklin out-pointed him.

FINISH WELL UP OR NOT AT ALL

McClary Team Begins Practice
for the Season—New Blood
in This Year.

The McClary team has already begun practice for the season, and it promises that when the schedule is played out it will be found at the top of the ladder or on a rung not very far down. In the Manufacturers' League last year the nine did not have much difficulty in winning the race, even though the other teams possessed considerable strength, and as good things are predicted for the present season. There will be a number of changes in the team, but the management are of the opinion that they will not weaken the club, as players equally as good as those withdrawn are secured or are about to be signed. Phillips, pitcher; Peacock, second base, and E. De La Hooke, first base, are the old-timers, Jimmy Deane, who has also served his connection with the nine. All were good men last year, but their places will be filled with others just as good, or better. Manager Herrick says. The latter, with his right-hand man, Jim Pirie, a member of the old-time Londoners, are not disheartened over the departure of the quartet named. "We are not prepared to say who we will have on the team until next week," said Mr. Herrick yesterday, "but this time we will have the McClary nine will be strong and not satisfied with doing small things in the City League. It will finish well up or not at all."

The Royal Geographical Society has recently acquired the boat's compass used by Dr. Livingstone on his first journey down the Zambesi Valley in 1858.

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At a concert given in St. Patrick's Hall, Ottawa, on Saturday night, for the benefit of the Victoria Order of Nurses, and which was very successful, assistance was given by Mrs. Beck, of this city. The Citizen says: "Mrs. Adam Beck, who is a guest at Government House, very kindly gave her assistance to the programme by contributing three English songs. Her voice possesses very tender and sympathetic qualities and her pleasing manner and appearance added greatly to her charm."

GREEN'S IN JAIL

It's Up to Him to Explain an Alleged Bicycle Theft.

Detectives Nickle and Rider landed Alexander Green last night and this morning that gentleman was charged in the police court with the theft of a bicycle.

The bicycle was stolen about a month ago from Roy Quinn, who works for the G. N. W. Telegraph Company. The police were notified and they succeeded in locating the stolen property. It is said that they traced the theft to Green, who is a colored man hailing from Woodstock. The latter, however, kept out of the way, and it was not until yesterday that he showed himself about the city. The detectives met him on King street last night.

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CANADA'S LITERARY TASTE AND DRUMMOND'S POEMS

Dr. Tamblin Treats of These Two Subjects in Paper Read Before Historical Society.

The programme for the meeting of the London and Middlesex Historical Society last night was out of the usual order, but it was none the less interesting. Instead of a paper on the early history of this section or some interesting review of the life of a pioneer of the county, the members heard a paper on "Dr. Wm. Drummond," the Canadian poet, by Dr. Tamblin, of the Western University. Dr. Tamblin is a great admirer of Dr. Drummond, and his familiarity with the poet's work was evident by the manner in which he handled his paper. The president of the society, Mr. James Egan, was in the chair, and not making a return of the winter which was experienced early in the evening, the attendance was up to the average.

"Touching upon Canadian literature, at the outset of his address, Dr. Tamblin said there were quite a number of reasons why it has not come close to the life of the people. Perhaps one reason was the very young country and the fact that the people were engaging themselves actively in other lines—in building up business and opening up the country and spreading their roots in the land. Another reason for the rather poor literary taste of the masses in general in Canada was the effort on the part of some to imitate the American style, in which they do not get the best ideas for American art and literature were marked by extravagance and insincerity. So when Canadians looked to American magazines and literature it would not be expected that their literature would be as well developed as that of the old country. The people could not expect to excel in literature until their whole life was lifted out of the narrow rut into which it had drifted. There was a certain narrowness that sometimes led to hypocrisy and insincerity in the literature of the new country. It was full of affectations and insincerities could not produce good literature.

Dr. Tamblin pointed out that in the last twenty years a great enthusiasm had been shown for the outdoor life and the open air, and this was being reflected in the works of Seaton, Drummond, Roberts, Carman and others. It was a plan worth trying. Taking into account their power to cure, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the most economical medicine, without exception. These pills have cured hundreds of cases of rheumatism; partial paralysis, St. Vitus dance, indigestion, kidney trouble, anaemia and other serious diseases of the blood. They have restored helpless invalids to full use of limbs that had long been useless. That is the best guarantee that these pills will not disappoint when used for simpler ailments. Taking one pill after each meal (as required) will cure a fifty-cent box of pills gives nearly two weeks' treatment. For chronic diseases, when the larger dose is required, the cost of treatment does not usually exceed fifty cents a week. If you are sick or ailing, it is not worth your while to give so effective a medicine as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial. What the pills do for other people they can do for you. Every dose makes the new, rich, red blood that brings robust health and strength. They are the best tonic medicine to take at this time of the year when the blood is sluggish and impoverished.

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MISSIONARY LAND HAS AN ENCOURAGING START

Curios and Addresses Are Unusually Interesting.

The Exhibition Promises To Be Highly Successful.

A very successful and encouraging start was made yesterday with the Missionary Loan Exhibition, which is being held in the Masonic temple, for the purpose of raising funds for the work of the missionaries in the various countries.

Curios and addresses were selected and they formed the basis of a short address.

The formal opening of the exhibition was made by His Lordship the Bishop of Huron. He made an excellent address on the magnitude of the work, urging a deeper interest in it.

After the double quartet, Messrs. Sam Friendship, solo, "I Am Weary of My Heart Away for You," Mr. George Wright, end song, "That Certain Truth," Mr. Charles Martin, solo, "Bonnie Barque," Mr. Albert Schussler, end song, "Dat's de Way to Spell Chicken," Mr. Jack Robinson, solo, "Down in the Deep Let Me Sleep When I Die," Mr. Arthur Garthwaite, end song, "Daffo Down Dilly," Mr. George Henry, solo, "My Black Tulip," Mr. Lorne Truitt, end song, "Ain't It the Truth," Mr. Charles Martin, solo, "Eva," Mr. Phil Barter, end song, "I Wants a Man Like Romeo," Mr. Bert Wilkinson, closing chorus, "Ann," the company, overture, "Clan-na-the."

Part II.—Blackface monologue, Mr. Arthur Holman; "Our German Friend Hans," Mr. Albert Schussler, musical sketch, "The Bill Poster's Troubles," Messrs. Jack, Clarence and Arthur Robinson; "The Colored Swells," Messrs. Holman and Garthwaite, introducing "Fun on the Old Plantation," introducing Messrs. Bert Wilkinson, Sam Lee, Frank Martin, Ted Douglas, Charles Taylor, J. Mitchell, J. Hyman, supported by the double quartet, Messrs. Holman, Clarke, Martin, Grant, Sharpe, Nankivell, Smith, Francis; "The Sun-burned Maids," in their original costume, George Henry and Jack Robinson; "The Princess Chic," with Vera Michol, in the prima donna role, and the excellent company of associate singers, is winning throughout the west the same ungrudging triumph which everywhere characterized its presentation in the east. The plan opens tomorrow.

THE PRINCESS CHIC.

Music lovers are anticipating with impatience the presentation by the Kink La Shelle Comic Opera Company of "The Princess Chic," at the Grand, matinee and evening, Saturday next.

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A GAMBLER'S DAUGHTER TO-NIGHT.

The plot of "A Gambler's Daughter," the newest sensational melodrama, which appears at the Grand tonight, is unusual and startling to a degree. The maker of the plot, being unable to elaborate and write the play, turned his title and plot over to Mr. Owen Davis, who wrote the present fascinating play.

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are removed without pain in 24 hours by Putnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor. Insertion and Gave heed to a tubercular humphrey and Jack Robinson, there is always danger in delay; get a bottle of Bickie's Anti-Consumptive Syrup and cure yourself. It is a medicine unsurpassed for all throat and lung troubles. It is compounded from several herbs, each one of which stands at the head of the list as exerting a wonderful influence in curing consumption and all lung diseases.

THE ADDRESSES TONIGHT.

The features of tonight's programme will, no doubt, be the address by Right Rev. Bishop of Ontario and the lantern lecture on the work in Uganda, by Mr. Kristen Borup. The chairman tonight will be Rev. George B. Sage. Two court talks will also be given and music will be contributed under the direction of Miss K. Moore.

The programme as mapped out for tomorrow is also a good one. Both in the afternoon and in the evening addresses will be given by persons competent to make them interesting. At the same time abundant opportunity will be given visitors for looking about and seeing the many beautiful and rare articles that have been loaned for the occasion. This afternoon and tonight there will doubtless be large crowds, and the exhibition and if the affair ends as well as is promised from the first day's operations, the result will be gratifying to all who have an interest in the work, and especially to those who have labored so hard to make the exhibition all that it has been promised for it.

THE PROGRAMME.

The numerous curios attracted the great attention yesterday, but equally as interesting were the talks from the respective courts. Both in these the evening session was brightened by a lantern lecture, and much interest has been aroused already by the efforts of the exhibition committee.

A short prayer meeting was the opening thing on the programme. It was conducted by Ven. Archdeacon Davis at about half past 2 o'clock. Then at 2 o'clock the first court lecture was given, three of these being given during the afternoon. The one on Japan was by Rev. J. C. Robinson, of Magoya, Japan, the one on the Northwest missions by Rev. T. Marsh, of Hay River, and the one on Mo-

ATTEND THE FUNERAL

A Delegation of Londoners Go to Toronto.

The delegation of Londoners that left here last night to attend Sir Oliver Mowat's funeral consisted of President George C. Gibbons, of the Liberal Association, of this city; Mr. George M. Reid, president of the Western Ontario Liberal Association; Mr. Thos. S. Hobbs, ex-M.P.P.; Mr. Talbot Macbeth, K. C.; Major Hume Cronyn, Mr. Walter Bartlett and Mr. Alex. Stuart, K. C.

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The minstrel show given last night by the St. John's Athletic Club proved that the amateur talent of London is away above the average. The large club house on Oxford street was packed to the doors with a delighted audience.

The stage-setting was very pretty, the costumes of the performers displaying the colors of the club—red, white and blue.

The programme was a great success, the songs and jokes being almost entirely original. The end men and ballad singers carried out their part in a capable manner, and many encores were responded to. Mr. J. H. Mitchell acted as interloper. The bones were Messrs. Sam Friendship, Charles Taylor, J. T. Robinson, the tambos, H. B. Wilkinson, Charles Martin and George A. Henry. The club orchestra was composed of the following: Messrs. D. Murray, piano; P. J. F. Rooke, clarinet; Charles Reed, cornet; Clarence Robinson; trombone; Arthur Robinson; flute; M. O'Rourke