WHOLE NO. 16313.

Births, Marriages, Deaths. MARRIED.

HOWELL-HOCKIN-On Feb. 19, 1902, at the residence of the bride's grandfather, Mr. William Hockin, 428 Horton street, by Rev. C. T. Scott, Mr. William A. Howell, of Windsor, to Mae Louise, second daughter of the late S. Hockin, of this city.

DIED. BROWNE-In this city, on Feb. 20, 1902, Thomas A. Browne, postmaster, in his

Funeral private, Saturday afternoon; service at 3 o'clock. Please omit flowers.

BUCKE-At this residence, on Feb. 19, 1902, Richard Maurice Bucke, M.D., C.M., superintendent of the Asylum for Insane, London, in the 65th year of his

Funeral private. No flowers. The funeral will leave his late residence on Saturday, the 22nd inst., at 2:30 p.m., for Woodland Cemetery.

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MOTTOW NEW GRAND MAT. & EUGENIE BLAIR AND AN EXCEL-LENT COMPANY,

in a magnificent production of Seats ready. CAMILLE Eve., \$1, 75c, Mat., 50c, 25c.

NEXT MONDAY EVENING.
Fisher & Carroll's Musical Absurdity,
Put We Off A laughing matter.
Company of 35.
Special prices, 75c, At Buffalo
toc, 25c. Seats ready.

THE "LONDON" NEXT WEEK MATS., WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY MARKS BROS.

Return engagement. New plays, specialties. Monday, Ladies' night. Special \$20 prize given away. Same prices. Seats ready Saturday.

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NOON. At 4 o'clock. By Mr. W. H. Hewlett, assisted by Mrs. Adam Beck. Admission, 10 cents.

FROEBEL SOCIETY — EXHIBITION and sale of plaster casts opens tomorrow at 10 a.m., over Public Library. Small casts, ivory finish, suitable for home and school decoration. Admission, 10 cents.

JUBILEE RINK-NO HOCKEY TO-NIGHT, Skating. Open every after-noon.

AUDITORIUM, MONDAY—THE WES-LEYAN Male Quartet and Wm. T. Houston. The eighth number of the Popular Concert Course. Plan opens Saturday. 12c

NCESS ICE PALACE-BAND SAT-URDAY night. Skating afternoon and evening. Skates to rent.

CUNARD LINE-NEW YORK TO Liverpool, via Queenstown. Campania sails Saturday, March I. For rates and tickets apply F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

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PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY R. B. Millard, 345 Princess avenue. Special attention given to the waitz and two-step. Rapid teaching. Low rates. Lessons any hour.

DANCING-BEGINNERS' NEW TERM now open. Gentlemen, Monday; ladies, Tuesday evening; children, Saturday afternoon. Private tuition any hour. Dayton & McCormick.

MEETINGS.

AUDITORIUM, Y. M. C. A.—SUNDAY afternoon, 4:15. Rev. A. T. Sowerby, Ph. D. LL.D. will deliver the first of a series of science lectures. Subject, "Not Following Fables." Every thoughtful, earnest man invited. 13u

KILWINNING LODGE, No. 64, A., F. and A. M., meets this (Friday) evening at Masonic Temple, at 7:30 o'clock. Charles F. Neu, M.D., W.M.; John Overell, P. M., secretary.

FEMALE HELP WANTED. Ic per word first insertion, and ½c per advertisement less than ten words.

EXPERIENCED DINING ROOM GIRL wanted. Apply Walsh House, 12c WANTED - EXPERIENCED COOK. Apply between 1 and 3, and 6 and 6 o'clock, to Mrs. J. W. Little, 245 Duf-

WANTED - EXPERIENCED DRESS-MAKERS, at once. Apply Mrs. Davis, J. H. Chapman & Co. 12c

WANTED-A GIRL TO ASSIST IN housework. Apply 264 Oxford street.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL work. Apply to Housekeeper, Tecumseh House. 12c

WANTED - EXPERIENCED HOUSE-MAID. References required. Apply Mrs. V. Cronyn, 594 Dundas street.

GIRLS WANTED. THE PARISIAN Steam Laundry Company of Ontario, Limited. WANTED-GOOD GENERAL SER-VANT, at once. Apply Mrs. A. S. Leys,

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HIGHEST RATES

Paid on Deposits and Debentures.

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SPEAKING

upon the problem of where he would extend his patronage in securing a suit

which he could be assured was the best in style, material and make, he was told by his friend that

ordered from a reliable, well-established house, always gave satisfaction. He instanced

Deeks & Munson,

Tailors and Drapers,

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c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

LOST-FOX TERRIER BITCH, BLACK, white and tan. Finder rewarded on returning to E. R. Richards, Canada Railway News Company, G. T. R.

LOST-ON TUESDAY AFTERNOON, lady's gold watch. Reward on returning to this office.

PERSONAL.

LADIES' CONSULTATION PARLORS

Specialty, health and toilet remedies.
Palmistry continued by request.
Madame, 470 Ridout.

BOARDING, ROOMS, ETC.

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COMFORTABLE ROOMS, WITH board. All conveniences. Moderate

COMFORTABLE ROOM, WITH BOARD

-Suitable for two gentlemen or ladies.
484 Maitland street.

BUSINESS CARDS.

HODGSON & HOWARD, PAINTERS.

WATSON & CO.. HOUSE MOVERS— Steam boilers and safes a specialty, 194 Hamilton road. Phone 1,231.

To Contractors.

BULK TENDERS will be received up to Friday, Feb. 28, at 5 o'clock p.m., for the Brick-work, Carpenter-work, Paint-ing and Glazing of alterations to City

Hall.
Separate tenders will be received for Plumbing and Steam Heating and Electric Lighting.
Plans and Specifications to be seen at this office.
A. O. GRAYDON,
City Engineer.

ALD. NEIL COOPER, Chairman No. 2 Committee. 13k-vtyw

Resolution Approving the Conference of

Premiers-Officers Chosen-Hon. J. 1.

Tarte. Col. Denison and Hon. G.

Foster Among the Speakers.

tions in reference to imperial defense

and the cheaper postage rates through-

The report of the executive commit-

tee expressed regret that no definite

and successful step had been taken to establish a fast line on the Atlantic,

and the hope that a naval reserve in

Canada would be formed at the earliest

possible moment. A government cable

across the Atlantic, and the national-

ization of the entire telegraph system,

was advocated, as well as cheaper im-

perial postage on newspapers and peri-

Hon. J. I. Tarte, and seconded by Dr.

Russell, of Nova Scotia, was adopted:

The following resolution, moved by

That this league views with profound

satisfaction the proposal of the colonial secretary to hold a conference of the

occasion of the King's coronation, and

deems it opportune at the present time

to express its hope and confidence that

the deliberations and resolves of the

conference may tend to still further

promote and safeguard those imperial

and colonial interests which are of

vital importance to every branch of

Mr. Tarte, in his address, said he

thought Canada was better as part of

the British Empire, and the best course

was to work in lines of harmony and

help build up the greatest empire in the world. While admiring England,

he was a French-Canadian, and proud

of it, but he would beg of the majority.

if the French-Canadians did not al-

ways manifest the same sympathies,

not on that account to accuse them

of disloyalty. It was not fair. Representation of Canada in parliament was

not a live question today, but he could

not see why the premier of Canada, or

the minister of public works, wouldn't

cut as good a figure in England as in

Canada. Speaking of the cable com-munication, Mr. Tarte reminded the

meeting that Canada was today de-

endent on New York for its press

cable service, while to construct a line

from Belle Isle, the present terminus

of the Canadian Coastal Service, to connect with the Marconi system or

an independent cable at Canso, would

only cost \$200,000. Hon. G. Foster moved a resolution

favoring the lowest rate possible on

newspapers and periodicals passing

between Great Britain and the colonies

Mr. Foster contended that the advance

of imperial sentiment was largely due

to the dissemination of knowledge. He

contended that as responsibilities had

to be shouldered, Canada would have

either to provide for national defense

on her own account or in connection

with the other colonies and the mother

country. He believed this latter was

the safer and better policy. The great

security for peace was the conviction

that in the chain of the British col-

not one weak link.

premiers in London on the

out the empire.

the empire."

MEETING OF BRITISH

paper-hangers. Estimates free. 410 Horton street. Orders promptly done.

211 Queen's avenue.

CLOTHES

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WANTED-A RESPECTABLE YOUNG man, with one or two years' experience, to work in cheese factory. H. B. Stevens, Scottsville. BOYS WANTED FOR SATURDAY.
Red Star News Company, Dundas
street.
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WANTED-AN EXPERIENCED GRO-CERY clerk for Saturdays only. Apply immediately, Cash Bargain Grocery. 12c

OFFICE BOY WANTED FOR WHOLE-SALE warehouse. Address in own handwriting, stating references. Box 89, Advertiser.

HELP WANTED.

1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. WANTED-MAN AND WIFE TO WORK on farm. Apply at this office. 8k-tw

1c per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. AGENTS-GOOD LINE, STEADY DE-MAND, large profits. Write today Sample, 5 cents. Adams, Toronto, Ont

WANTED-SMART SALESMEN, TO canvass business and professional men for the sale of an article used by all. Liberal commission. No handling of goods. References required. Address H. M. Denning, Montreal.

AGENTS-WE START YOU IN BUSINESS. You can easily make \$25 per week. No capital required. Apply P. O. Drawer 531, London. 91tf

HOUSES. ETC.. TO LET. lc per word first insertion, and ½c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

TO LET-UNION FURNITURE VAN-Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce, South Lon-don, late of London Furniture Company. 'Phone 316.

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TO RENT - BUTCHER SHOP IN South London. Apply to W. T. Hall, 161 Wortley road. BLACKSMITH SHOP TO LET-COR-NER of Talbot and Queen's avenue; best location in city; immediate posses-sion Alex. Harvey. 67tf sion, Alex. Harvey.

BAKE SHOP FOR RENT. INQUIRE at St. James P. O., London South.

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FUR-LINED OVERCOAT, AT LESS than half cost; used but a short time.

Apply at this office.

\$110 WILL BUY A SECOND-HAND GAS engine, in first-class order. D. Kenzie & Co., 298 Richmond street. AMERICAN GOLD DOLLARS-TWO dollars and ten cents each. Other gold coins bought and sold. F. B. Clarke,

broker, Richmond street, next Adver-FIRST-CLASS RUBBER STAMPS, 10 cents per line. Send for list. G. M. Haldane, Strathroy, Ont.

THIS IS THE TIME OF THE YEAR that makes the people look for the best wood at the best prices. Ring up 1,312, and ask them about their different kinds of wood and prices. D. H. Gillies & Co., 673 Bathurst street.

EXTRA VALUE IN MEN'S WORKING Pants, \$1, \$1 25, \$1 50; and Overalls and Smocks, 50c to \$1, at Cunningham's, 662

STOVES-STOVES-STOVES-WE HAVE a large stock of stoves, comprising coal baseburners, hot blast and St. Lewis airtight. Very cheap, at Keene's, 141 King street.

SNAP-GOOD PIANO, ROSEWOOD case, 71-3 octaves; in first-ciass condition, and guaranteed for 5 years. Only \$100, on easy terms of payment. Heintzman & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

FOR THE BEST HARD AND SOFT coal, steam coal and slack, or the best hard and soft wood, and good, dry sawmill slabs, at \$130 per load, go to Green & Co., William street and G. T. R. 'Phone 1,391.

\$11 WILL BUY A \$15 HALL STAND this week at Keene Bros.' furniture store, 127 King street, opposite Market House.

CLAIRVOYANT.

MADAME BAKER, CLAIRVOYANT— Room 35, Bernard House. Hours, 9-12, 2-5, and 7-10 p.m. Fee, 50 cents. 6m

PARCEL DELIVERY.

CITY PARCEL EXPRESS-OFFICE removed to 154 Carling street. Parcels called for and delivered to any part of city. Telephone 1,295. C. H. Anderson.

per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No

advertisement less than ten words. FARM FOR SALE-100 OR 200 ACRES. Well improved; spring water. Apply Andrew McNair, Birr. 13n bw FIFTY ACRE FARM FOR SALE— Fine pasture land, with spring creek. Lot 8, con. 3, Lobo. Alex. C. Graham, Lobo P. O. 6h

FOR SALE - TWO-STORY BRICK . Nearly new; all modern, and central; brick cottage on Dufferin avenue. Frame cottage on King street. Small cottage on monthly installments. J. F. cottage on monthly installmen Sangster, 112 Masonic Temple.

DUEEN'S AVENUE—SUPERIOR built and planned brick cottage, in excellent repair, with large lot. Price low. Terms easy. J. H. McMechan, 358 King street.

FOR SALE-VERY DESIRABLE RESI-DENCE and store premises on main street of Thorndale. For particulars apply to Alfred Bailey. Thorndale P.O.

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EGGS WANTED - HIGHEST CASH price paid. If you have any to offer, write us and we will quote you price.
T. A. Faulds, produce merchant, 13
Market House.

James Sutherland, George T. Black-stock, Charles S. Hyman, M. P. of Lon-COME AND SEE OUR NATURAL Ponipadours. They are perfect. Combings wanted. Miller's Hair Store, 22 Dunias street. don, and Charles Cockshutt, of Toronto, were added to the executive

SPEAKING A SCENE OF SLAUGHTER

Barcelona's Streets Are Dyed With Her Citizens' Blood.

Artillery Brought to Bear Upon the Rioters and Hundreds Fell.

Large Numbers of Emigrants Destined for Canada-Strictures of Canadian Press on Chamberlain Justified.

Madrid, Feb. 21 .- The papers this morning report many persons killed and wounded during yesterday's conflict at Barcelona.

The Herald says that the captaingeneral of Catalonia has asked for more troops as the rioters are getting out of hand. Troops are being sent to Barcelona from all other districts.

general panic prevails in the city. A proclamation has been issued ordering all private individuals to surrender any weapons they may possess, under pain of severe penalties. The

sale of arms has also been prohibited. Forty workmen associations have been dissolved and the members of their committees arrested. The dwellings of the strike leaders and Anarchists are being registered and put under guard. The battleship Pelayo has been ordered to Barcelona. A pitched battle occurred outside the city between a mob and the military

escort attached to several wagons that were bringing in provisions. The contents of the wagons were dragged out, and barricades were built across the road. The rails have been torn up to prevent trains from entering the city. 500 PERSONS FELL! London, Feb. 20.-A message from Barcelona via Perpignan, France, says a fierce battle has been fought be-

tween the troops and the rioters in the suburb of Barcelona, known as Sano. Cavalry and infantry had been posted in the most dangerous points and a field battery had been located on the plaza from which vantage point the the surrounding streets. When the final clash with the troops occurred, the artillery brought into action and

RAKED STREET AFTER STREET. The rioters engaged the batteries at close range, but were finally driven off. It is reported that 500 persons were killed and wounded on both sides. The entire neighborhood was wrecked by the shells. The ruins caught fire and this completed the destruction. Further fighting is reported at Ma-Ottawa, Feb. 20 .- The British Empire taro, fifteen miles from Barcelona, League in Canada met this morning in where a quantity of arms have been discovered. Fighting is also reported the committee room of the House of at Tortosa and Tarragona, respective-Commons, Col. George I. Denison, presly 100 and 50 miles southwest of Barident, in the chair, and passed resolu-

CHAMBERLAIN SCORED. Strictures of the Canadian press on the reply of Colonial Secretary Joseph Chamberlain to the Welsh delegation of Pate Section agriculturists who wish to Canada, are considered well founded by prominent Canadians here, says the New York Tribune's London corespondent. They do not reproach him for any feeling of unfriendliness to the Dominion, but charge him with lack of tact in discriminating sharply betwen Canada and South Africa. They assert that when the Dominion Government offered to do so much for the unfortunate Welsh colonists stranded in Patagonia, Mr. Chamberlain ought to have avoided

Imperial Gogernment might have been successfully invoked for sending them to Boer colonies, but not to Canada. EMIGRATION TO CANADA. A correspondent in the London Times says an important scheme for the development of emigration to Western Canada has just been finally arranged by the deputy minister of the interior, James Smart, who has been in London some time with that object. No fewer than from 2,500 to 3,000 persons will leave Liverpool or Glasgow during March to settle in Canada, while others are expected to follow in April,

the implication that the aid of the

May and June at the rate of about 4,000 per month DANGEROUS COUNTERFEITS. A special to the New York Herald from London, says: "Some hundreds of forged Bank of England notes for five pounds have been put in circulation during the last fortnight. They are almost perfect counterfeits, have been accepted without hesitation by bank cashiers and at business establishments. Many of the notes were passed off on bookmakers at the last Hurst Park race meeting. It is admitted that the counterfeits, of Mrs. H. E. Nelles, San Diego, Cal.; which about 300 have already reached Mrs. Brooks and Mrs. Tanton, London, the Bank of England, are the most perfect of their kind ever attempted. They are beautifully printed in lustrous black ink on paper whose crisp-ness of texture and watermarks resemble almost exactly the genuine

CABLE NOTES. The reports of the release of Miss Stone are absolutely without foundation, although her liberation is expect-

ed momentarily. From St. Petersburg the correspondent of the Daily Mail telegraphs that a British officer has arrived from Seoul to reorganize the Corean army. The Duke and Duchess of Marlborough, who have been spending some time in St. Petersburg, have returned, says the Herald's London correspondent, to welcome the duchess' father, Wm. K. Vanderbilt, who arrived from York on the Philadelphia.

Further reports are published in London of the Australian demonstraonies throughout the world there was tions, in which Premier Barton and Col. Denison, president, and the other officers of the league, were rethe leader of the opposition took part, supporting the imperial policy in South elected to office and the names of Hon. Africa and denouncing the German

The Westminster Gazette's cartoon Wednesday depicts Mr. Chamberlain and Sir Michael Hicks-Beach skating together. Mr. Chamberlain is gaily

smoking a cigar. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach is trembling. Hicks-Beach says: "Take care, Joe; isn't that a danger notice?" Mr. Chamberlain replies: "No, it's all right; it's labeled protection." The Birmingham Post, which is popularly called Mr. Chamberlain's organ, repeats, on what it calls "high authority," the assertion that the Canadian Government has decided to lay a state cable across the Atlantic, to facilitate the transmission of Anglo-Canadian news and promote

merce. The cable companies say that anything less than two cables would be useless.

The St. Petersburg University has been officially closed. The university students of St. Petersburg, at a meeting held in that city Feb. 18, in spite of police orders to the contrary, rejected the government's concession re-specting students' organizations and meetings, and proclaimed that they would strike unless their demands for complete autonomy and freedom of speech are granted.

THOS.A. BROWNE DIED YESTERDAY

Expired Very Suddenly While at a Curling Match.

Had Been in Excellent Health Up to the Moment of His Death—His Busy Life.

The sudden death yesterday afternoon of Postmaster Thos. A. Browne, following as it did so immediately upon the demise of Dr. R. M. Bucke, came as an intense shock to the citizens of London, Mr. Browne had been in his usual apparently robust health. He attended to his duties in the postoffice during the day, and left there about 4 p.m. for the curling rink on Simcoe street to take part in a game between two rinks of the London Club for the Evans gold medal. While playing, Mr. Browne complained of a pain is his left side, but after resting a moment it left him and he appeared to be all right, going on with the game. Mr. Browne was acting as skip, his opponent being Mr. Thomas Gillean. They were standing side by side at the end of the rink, when Mr. Browne suddenly sank to the ice as though his legs had collapsed under Mr. Gillean spoke to him, but he merely gasped, and apparently with the gasp his life went out. He was carried into one of the waiting-rooms and laid upon the table, while Drs. Macklin and Drake were summoned. On their arrival they pro-nounced life to be quite extinct. The cause of death is conjectured to be heart failure. The body was removed

to the family residence at 480 Queen's Thomas A. Browne was a native of London, having been born on the Hamilton road on May 26, 1853. He was the son of the late ex-Alderman Thomas Browne. After receiving his education under Mr. Nicholas Wilson, London's veteran teacher, Mr. Browne entered the boiler-making shop of his father, being later connected with the business. Retiring from this, he became auditor for the Huron and Erie Loan and Savings Company. On the resignation of Mr. Geo. McBroom, as secretary of the Western Fair Association, Mr. Browne was chosen to succeed him. This office he held for about twenty years, and it is largely to Mr. Browne's energy and ability in fufilling his duties that the Western Fair enjoyed such a long line of successful years. Three years ago, on the retirement of the late R. J. C. Dawson from the postmastership, Mr. Browne received the appointment, being succeeded as fair secretary by Mr. J. A. Nelles. As postmaster, Mr. Browne has displayed the same capacity that marked his occupancy of previous positions. His administration of the postal business has been most satisfactory, and he has intro-duced several reforms which have

From his youth onward Mr. Browne was an ardent devotee of manly sports. He is remembered as pitcher of the famous Tecumseh Baseball Club and he has devoted much time to curling, and he was one of the London Club's most enthusiastic and expert players. He was a most active worker for the success of the London Old Boy movement, and his participation in the baseball matches at the reunions between the Old Boys and the Home Guard was always a feature of the game. Mr. Browne was a staunch Liberal having been for years the secretary of the Reform Association. He was a member of the First Methodist Church. Mr. Browne married Miss Scandrett, daughter of the late John Scandrett. She survives him, with two is also survived by his mother, four sisters and one brother, they being: Mrs. Browne, 174 Hamilton road, London; Miss Belle W. Browne, operator for the G. N. W. Telegraph Company; and Mr. Fred G. Browne, 424 Picca-

tended greatly to the improvement of

dilly street, London funeral, which will be private. will be held tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon.

A NEW COLLECTOR. [Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 21.-J. C. McDonald has been appointed sub-collector of customs at Ridgetown, succeeding Hay, resigned.

MRS. SOFFEL'S CASE. Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 21.—District 'Attorney Haymaker announced yesterday that the effort made by Mrs. Soffel's friends to have her admitted to bail for her appearance before the grand jury without the formality of appearing at a preliminary hearing, would not be successful. She will be arraigned as soon successful. She will be arraigned as soon as she is able to be brought from Butler, which he believes will be within a week. The impression here is that Mrs. Soffel will be given no more than a perfunctory trial, and will never be imprisoned. Haymaker does not believe there was an accomplice in the case of the Biddles other than Mrs. Soffel.

Richard Hancock, of Ancaster, committed suicide by taking paris green because he was disappointed in love.

STORY OF SPION KOP

LONDON, COT.

Fresh Light Thrown on the Dispatches.

One Was Marked Not Necessarily for Publication.

Report on Concentration Camps-Reforms Started Under Ladies' Commission-Eastern Transvaal Boers Demoralized.

THE STORY OF SPION KOP. London, Feb. 21.-Indefatigable as ever, Mr. Henry Norman has succeeded in inducing Mr. Balfour to throw some fresh light on the famous Spion Kop dispatches. It now seems that Gen. Buller contented himself with forwarding Gen. Warren's account of the batthe, with two opinions on Gen. Warren's conduct. In both these Gen. Buller ad-

criticised his his mind was marked "not necessarily for publication." Gen. Buller refused to write a connected story of the whole affair. Mr. Balfour indignantly repudiates the suggestion that Gen. Buller was asked to tamper with the truth in order to please the war office. BOERS DEMORALIZED IN EAST-

ERN TRANSVAAL In a dispatch from Pretoria, the correspondent of the London Times says there is no doubt that the Boers in the Eastern Transvaal Colony are greatly demoralized, and that they are so hard pressed that many are reluctant to continue the struggle. In an intercepted letter from Gen. Piet Viljoen to Mr. Schalkburger, the writer urges the latter to do something to counteract the spirit of surrender among the Boers. It is rumored that Gen. Botha and Mr. Schalkburger are trying to arrange a meeting. In spite of these indications, how-

continues the correspondent. TO HEAD OFF THE HORSES. In the German Reichsrath, Herr Wolf, the Pan-German leader, gave notice of an interpellation inviting the Austrian Government of Hungary to prohibit the export of horses from Austria and Hungary to South Africa and thus maintain neutrality.

MORTALITY IN THE CAMPS. The report of the ladies' commission of inquiry attributes the great mortality in the South African concentration camps to, first, the unsanitary tion of the country, caused by the war; second, causes within the control of the inmates, and, thirdly, causes within the control of the administration. The inquiries of the ladies have resulted in the appointment of traveling inspectors, the revision of the ration scale, sanitary precautions against the spread of enteric, an increase in the supply of qualified doctors and nurses, a general provision of soup kitchens, the reorganization of four camps and dismissal of incompetent The commissioners prove of the suggestions which have been made for disbanding the camps.

A TURNOVER IN THE SENATE.

Liberals Now Have Practically a Working Majority.

of the Forest City Club. Of late years Resolution Appointing a Striking Committee Was Carried Without a Vote.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Feb. 20 .- The striking compresented the annual reports mittee of the senate was appointed this afternoon, and as was foretold in this correspondence on Tuesday, it is composed of a majority of Liberals. This means that for the first time in the history of Canada the Liberals are sons-Edward and Thomas, aged 10 in power in the Upper House. When and 6 years respectively. Mr. Browne the striking committee meets it will name permanent committees, on which Liberals will predominate.

Hon, Mr. Scott, Liberal leader, mov-

ed that pursuant to rule 79, the following senators be appointed a committee of selection to nominate the senators to serve on the several standing committees during the present session, namely: The Hon. Sir Mackenzie Bowell (Con.), Hon. Messieurs Templeman (Lib.), Ferguson (Con.), Dandurand (Lib), Miller (Con.), Ellis (Lib.), Lougheed (Con.), Jones (Lib.) and the mover, and to report with all convenient speed the names of the senators so nominated. In making his motion he said that he hoped it would be accepted. It was an acknowledged principle that the government of the day was responsible largely for legislation in both chambers. The Liberal party had not for the last few years had its fair representation on the committees. He made no complaint of the last parliament. He thought, now that the government has been again returned, it was fair that they should have some consideration. All the chairmanships of the great committees were in the hands of the Opposition. This he thought was not fair, and so had framed his resolution so as to provide that the Liberal party should have control of the committees. He hoped if the motion carried that fair treatment would be accorded the Opposition. At the close of the last session the parties stood 32 government and 49 opposition senators. On the

Baldness Comes Slowly.

It rarely comes without warning. You may perhaps notice that a number of loose hairs catch in your brush; there may be a dozen of them. That number seems trifling as compared with the multitude that covers your head. But suppose you lose a dozen hairs a couple of times a day, day after day, week in and week out, a few months will bring

about a marked change. If you are losing any hair at all, or your scalp is covered with dandruff, use Oriental Rum and Quinine Hair Tonic at once. It will stop hair from falling, make it soft and glossy, and remove the itching, troublesome dandruff. 50c a bottle.

CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE, Chemists and Druggists,

Corner Park Ave. 216 Dundas St. banking and commerce committee there were thirty members, but only ten Liberals. On the railway committee there were forty members, and eleven Liberals. On the internal economy committee there were twenty-

five members, and six liberals. A formal protest was made, of course, by the Conservatives. Their leader, Hon. Sir Mackenzie Bowell, was chief spokesman. His words be-trayed the chagrin that is felt by the Conservative senators at being shifted from power. His complaint was that Hon. Mr. Scott had brought politics into the senate. Never before, in his experience, had this been done; the question of politics had never been heard. He knew that politics had been attributed to the action of the committee, but he conscientiously believed that when private bills or government bills had been introduced and opposed, the committees and the house had act ed conscientiously. He had perfect confidence in the men named in the committee, but he objected to the doc

trine laid down by the secretary of state. Hon. Donald Ferguson (Con.) complained with Hon. Sir Mackenzie because of Hon. Mr. Scott's regrettable mistake in saying that the object of his motion was to enable the government to get control of the committees, Such an announcement was never made before in the house. The Conservatives were annoyed, it appeared, more because Hon. Mr. Scott said this than because it was so. Hon. Mr. Ferguson said that if the principle of political consideration was to be observed, it would not be well for the country or the harmony of the house. But Hon. Mr. Lougheed (Con.) was preever, there is no ground for believing pared to accept the situation with betthat the war will be immediately over, ter grace. He recognized that the govter grace. He recognized that the government had practically a majority in the senate, but he regretted Mr. Scott's statement. That statement again! He asked the Conservatives to accept facts as they were, and promised that there would be no complaints from the Conservative minority on the commit-

> Naturally, Hon. Mr. Templeman (Lib.) took no such gloomy view of the sensational situation. He good-naturedly expostulated with the Conservatives, pointing out that for 23 years no Liberal had been chairmen of any committee. Now the government were stronger than their side had been for many years, and he thought they should have fair representation on the committees. Last year the government members were not given fall representation on committees. It was the intention of the striking commitee to deal fairly and impartially with all parties in the house. The Liberals might not be in a majority, but they represented the people, they represented the government, and were respon-

sible for the expenditure. The motion carried on division. There was a Liberal majority in the senate at the time. Hon. Mr. Scott gave notice that he

would move tomorrow that the house at its rising stand adjourned till Tuesday fortnight. Sir Mackenzie Bowell asked if it was intended to ignore the senate in the introduction of government measures, and Hon. Mr. Scott thought there

would be very few government measures this session. IN THE HOUSE.

The house spent the greater part of the afternoon in supply, and made substantial progress with the civil government estimates. The old question of winter communication between Summerside, P. E. I., and the mainland occupied the attention of the house before supply was entered upon. The house adjourned at 6 o'clock. Hon. Mr. Sifton, who was greeted with cheers from the government benches upon entering the chamber,

departments of the interior and Indian JOKE ON CARNEGIE. Toronto, Feb. 21.—Mr. Carnegie, M.P.P., of East Victoria, has a new title. The other day he received a letter from a lady in Ingersoll, addressed to the "Hon. Andrew Carnegie, M.P.P., Parliament Buildings, Toronto," asking for a gift of \$10,000 to build houses on Carnegie street, Ingersoll. The writer said she made this application because of the stories she had heard of the vast sums Mr. Carnegie had given away; because the income from the houses would help her materially, and because the carrying out of the project would keep her husband from drink. This last was not further explained. The member for East Victoria is now addressed by his colleagues as "The Hon. Andrew," and the joke

February Ring Sale.

as "The Holis spreading.

25 per cent off a large section of our immense stock of rings is the inducement we offer you to buy before our stock-taking. The original price is low, and a quar-

ter knocked off gives you The Bargain of the Season.

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PROGRESS OF THE SCRUTINY

Into Alleged Municipal Election Irregularities.

nitials Said to Have Been Forged-Investigation To Be Resumed on Wednesday.

The election inquiry was continued before Judge Elliott yesterday afternoon until 5 o'clock, by which time the witnesses summoned for the day had been disposed of. Wednesday next was fixed for the resuming of the inquiry and the hearing of further evidence from the deputy returning officers and poll clerks.

Thomas Cousins was the first witness called on resumption after luncheon, he having been deputy returning officer at the fifth subdivision of the 1st ward. Here 120 names were found on the poll book and 122 votes were counted. Witness said he did not examine all the ballots to see if the initials were genuine. The ballots were placed in the box in a very careless manner in sending them out. Witness did not count them, but as 223 were returned that was the number

Witness picked out six ballots marked for Parnell, and said they did not bear his genuine initials. Four ballots were rejected, three unmarked and one marked for two candidates. E. W. Scatcherd, who acted as

deputy at No. 2, ward 2, followed Mr. Cousins. Witness opened his box and found that he had the requisite classes of ballots, but did not count them. The poll-book showed 131 votes, while 136 ballots were counted. Witness did not find any suspicious circumstances in the counting up, save that four ballots came out, one after the other, all marked for Parnell. The ballots were objected to, but witness counted them, as they were initialed properly, though he kept them separate in returning them and wrote out a statement of the circumstance. Witness examined the ballots and picked out two ballots which he said did not bear his genuine initials. The examination of Mr. Scatcherd failed to account for the seventeen ballots.

George Norton, deputy returning officer in No. 11 of ward 1, next took the stand. Mr. Norton is father of Ransom Norton, sentenced to six months' imprisonment for ballot-stuffing, while the young man was acting as poll clerk for his father. The poll-book was kept by Ransom Norton. Witness did not know the number of people who voted for mayor. Witness said no person had access to the ballot-box but himself. He opened the box on Sunday, took out some foolscap paper, and gave it to his son, who made out a tally sheet for use in counting up the vote. The box was then closed and not opened till the next morning. The ballots were in witness' custody all day, save when he left the booth for about five minutes. In counting up no discrepancy was noticed. Witness omitted to make the customary oath after the polling. The initials on four cted ballots were identified by the witness as his own. Two of the bal-lots were unmarked and two were marked twice. Witness could not account for the difference between the 218 names on the poll-book, and the 220 votes counted. Witness picked out 10 ballots whose initials he pronounced

Robert Summers, deputy returning officer in No. 12 of ward 1, swore that his poll-book was kept accurately as far as he knew. The poll-book shows 178 voters, but the ballots counted numbered 190.

During an absence of five minutes, the poll-clerk, Mr. W. H. Weston, had charge of the ballots Mr Summers picked out ten ballots initialed with an ordinary lead pencil, and pro-nounced them forgeries, as he had signed his ballots with a blue lead

Wm. H. Weston, poll clerk for Mr. Summers, identified the poll-book produced. Witness did not remember Mr. Summers leaving the booth for a few minutes. Witness did not touch the mayoralty ballots during the day. He did not notice the discrepancy between the number on poll-book and the bal-

lots counted. James Frezell, deputy returning offi-cer at subdivision 1 of ward 2, opened his ballot-box on Saturday night, and counted the ballets. One package he found to be two less than 25 ballots. In another pad there was one ballot too many. The poll-book showed 129 votes, while the ballots counted numbered 133, while three more were re-jected. Witness on a couple of occasions left the booth for a few minutes, leaving initialed ballots on the table. Witness picked out five ballots whose initials he pronounced forgeries, leaving two extra ballots unaccounted for. Witness said an accidentally-torn ballot was placed in the ballot-box when sending it back. Witness could not account for the missing six ballots of the

ABSULUTE SECURITY

Witness admitted that he had in the

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absence of the poil clerk given ballots to four men whose names were not put JUSTICE OF A to four men whose names were not put on the poll-book, because witness con-sidered that they should vote for mayor in the subdivisions in which their offices were located.

James M. McCormick, deputy return-ing officer in No. 5 of ward 2, was the last witness called. He said he opened his box on Sunday night to see that all the materials for the booth were complete. The poll-book showed 122 voters entered, while in the count-up it was found that the ballots were five in excess of the entries. On going over the ballots, five were picked out as not having genuine initials, and these Mr. McCormick did not count, leaving the proper quota of ballots counted. Three blank ballots and one marked with two crosses were counted as spoiled, instead of rejected. The bex contained

The sitting was then adjourned till

THE ONTARIO LEGISLATURE

Discusses the Matter of Tax Exemptions

And Concessions to Manufactories-Toronto Getting Too Many Special Acts Put Through.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Feb. 20 .- Only one measure was introduced in the legislature this afternoon, that being an amendment to the drainage act, by Mr. Mc-

At Hon. Mr. Harcourt's request a special committee was appointed to consider a bill to amend the high school act so that country students may attend high schools in cities or towns separated from the counties, at a fee to be agreed upon between the trustees and the county councilors. The minister of education explained that there were a number of weak high schools which the counties could not legally help, and this would be one way

of getting over the difficulty.

A bill to enable the town of Goderich to raise \$10,000 on debentures for a summer hotel, in which to accommodate tourists, was given a second reading. It was under the charge of reading. It was Hon. Mr. Garrow. Mr. Hislop's bill to amend the municipal act was also read a second time.

TAX EXEMPTION. Of far greater importance was Mr. Hill's bill to amend the same act. Hon. Mr. Gibson, indeed, said that it was perhaps the most important question before the house this session, as it dealt with the exemption of in-dustries from taxation. The present law required a two-thirds vote of the qualified ratepayers to legalize any exemption, and a good many people were in favor of going back to the old system, where the municipal council could grant exemption on a twothirds vote.

Mr. Crawford declared that the law should be amended so that it could be understood. Mr. Pattullo held that it would

never do to go back to the old law. It was asking too much of councils to subject them to the influences which would be brought to bear on them. He did not believe that was any great urgency change. He thought the manufac-turers were making a mistake in trying to evade taxation. All classes ought to be able to pay their fair share, and manufacturers were bet-

ter able to pay than most people.

In conclusion, Mr. Pattullo maintained that there should be a general law in connection with the taxation of manufacturers. Toronto was getting altogether too many special acts put through. One had been passed allowing it to grant certain exclusive rights to the soap works, and another en-abling it to aid the big hotel in a particularly advantageous way. It was Mr. Pattullo's opinion that manufac-turers would always go to the town or city that offered them the most favorable inducements. This was human nature, and no law could change it. The bill was accorded a second read-

township of Pelee to loan a ferry company \$7,000 secured a second reading. The house went into committee on the agreement respecting the Victoria Niagara Falls Park, and the bill to divide the district of Rainy River for the registration of titles and deeds. Mr. Wardell's amendment to the assessment act and Mr. Conmee's bill to amend the municipal act were ad-

vanced a stage.

The house adjourned at 5 o'clock and the Conservatives rushed hotelwards to get on their best bibs for the Whit-

WILL ADMIT WOMEN

New Departure by Woodmen of the World-Head Camp Officers.

Woodstock, Ont., Feb. 21. - At the closing session of the Woodmen of the World convention here yesterday, the following officers were elected for the coming year: Head consul com-mander, C. C. Hodgins; head advisory ieutenant, D. Cinnamon; head physi cian, Dr. W. S. Hamson; head bank-er, T. H. Luscombe; head clerk, W. C. Fitzgerald; head escort, R. H. Black-more; head watchman, J. H. Saunders; head sentry, Dr. A. D. Wiley; alternate delegates to sovereign camp, C. C. Hodgins and W. C. Fitzgerald; head managers, J. V. Hooper, T. H. Taylor and Jas. T. Bain.

It was decided to admit women to membership in the order. Hamilton was chosen as the place of the next meet-

ONTARIO DENTISTS' SOCIETY. Toronto, Feb. 20 .- A new constitution was presented by a committee appointed for that purpose to the meeting of the Ontario Dental Society. Four papers were read and the following officers were elected: Honorary president, Regulates the Stomach, Liver and Bowels. Dr. H. R. Abbott, London; president Dr. S. Moyer, Galt; vice-president, Dr E. H. Eldt, Stratford; secretary, Dr. G G. Hume, Toronto; treasurer, Dr. H. E. Eaton, Toronto; clinic, Dr. C. E. Pearson, Toronto; archivist, Dr. W. Willmott, Toronto. Toronto was selected as the place of meeting next year. A banquet was held in the evening at Webb's.

General debility-failure of the strength to do and the power to endure-is cured by the great tonic-Hood's Sarsaparilla.

On the invitation of the Sultan, the Shah, it is stated, will visit Constantinople on his return from the coronation ceremonies. The visit, however, will be of a purely personal character.

The Prohibition Situation Ontario

As It Appears to "The Westminster" -Opportunities That the Dominion Alliance Have Not Improved.

Toronto, Feb. 21.-The Westminster for this week says: It was anticipated that the Manitoba act would be closely followed for the reason stated, and that the measure would be submitted to the electors in a referendum vote The basis of the majority required for prohibition is different from any of the forecasts, and was not discussed previous to the premier's pronouncement A majority of the votes on the list and percentages of the votes polled in the referendum, ranging from 55 to 75, were among the proposals most seriously discussed. The bill actually requires that prohibition should receive a majority of the votes polled in the referendum, and that such majority should represent, not one-half of the electors, but only from one-third to two-fifths. At the last provincial elec-tion less than 75 per cent of the elec-tors voted, and under similar conditions this year less than 38 per cent of the electors, voting for prohibition, if outnumbering the anti-prohibition vote, would put Ontario under prohibitory legislation. Are such conditions unjust or unfavorable to temperance

It would not be possible to conceive of conditions which would meet the views of the diverse elements and opposing interests concerned in prohibitory legislation. Objection may be made to a referendum, and yet we believe the sober second thought of intelligent and unbiased men would prefer that method to the immediate enactment of a prohibitory law, without a testing of public sentiment. The date fixed for taking the vote may not suit the arrangements of all parties, but October would seem to be as con-

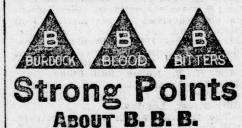
venient as any other month. A vote taken on prohibition at the general or the municipal election might be larger, but a separate and special vote would represent more truly the genuine, reliable positive convictions of the electors on the question at issue; and the man who does not care enough for prohibition to sacrifice for its own sake as much as he does for the election of a township councilor or a member of parliament is not a prohibitionist at all, and his opinion does not count as a part of public sentiment. In requiring that prohibition shall not only secure a majority of the votes polled, but that such majority shall be no inconsiderable proportion of the electors, at least one-third, some assurance is given that prohibition, if carried, would command public respect and secure at least fair enforcement. There has been something feverish in the outcry against this feature of the bill, but if the men who say that such conditions are impossible are to be taken seriously, and if from one-third taken seriously, the same seriously. third to two-fifths of the electors can-net be persuaded to vote for prohibition, or do not approve of this particular measure, then the time for the enactment of provincial prohibition is not yet. What is desiderated is not a law on the statute books, but a law in the hearts of the people, without which statutory enactments would be

a delusion and a snare. Prominent members of the Dominion Alliance are reported as affirming that it would be impossible to meet the conditions imposed by Premier Ross, that not one-third of the electors could be got to go to the polls for prohibition. Were that view of the situation accepted, then it would follow, not that the conditions should be made easier, but that another step should be taken before seeking to enact prohibitory legislation. That step would be, as ndicated more than a year ago by The Westminster, a large and rapidly in-creasing diminution of bar licenses, the immediate closing up of all makebelieve hotels, which are in reality only saloons, a tightening of the regulations making for the abolition of the accursed treating system, and a consideration of the question of state control of what remained of the liquor traffic. That done, which might have been secured as an alternative to pro-hibition had the Dominion Alliance been wisely led during the past three months, the outlook for prohibition in Ontario would be much more hopeful than it is.

THE SMALLPOX

Disease Develops at Victoria Mines-Doctors Differ on Some Cases.

Toronto, Feb. 20. - Five more cases of smallpox were reported from Victoria Mines, the new nickel town. Dr. Bryce took vigorous action. The authorities of the town were notified that unless compulsory vaccination and thorough quarantine were at once enforced, orders would be issued preventing trains from entering Victoria Mines and otherwise isolating it. In the townships of Caister, Lincoln county, and Canborough, Haldimand county, the doctors differ regarding the outbreak of disease there. Some say it is smallpox, and others hold a milder view. In the meantime, the pest



is spreading, and the provincial health.

authorities have decided to take mat-

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> Nearly everyone will admit that as a nation we eat too much meat and too little of vegetables and the grains. For business men, office men and clerks, and in fact everyone engaged in sedentary or indoor occupations, grains, milk and vegetables are much more healthful.

Only men engaged in a severe, out-door manual labor can live on a heavy meat diet and continue in health.



is sufficient for all classes of men, women and children, and grains, fruit and vegetables should constitute the bulk of food eaten.

But many of the most nutritious foods are difficult of digestion, and it is of no use to advise brain workers to eat largely of grains and vegetables where the digestion is too weak to assimilate them properly.

It is always best to get the best results from our food that some simple and harmless digestive should be taken after meals to assist the relaxed digestive organs, and several years experience have proven Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets to be a very safe, pleasant and effective digestive and a remedy which may be taken daily with the best re-

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets can hardly be called a patent medicine, as they do not act on the bowels, nor any particular organ, but only on the food eaten. They supply what weak stomachs lack, pepsin diastase, and by stimulating the gastric glands increase the natural secretion of hydrochloric acid.

People who make a daily practice of taking one or two of Stuart's Dyspep-sia Tablets after each meal are sure to have perfect digestion, which means perfect health.

There is no danger of forming an injurious habit as the tablets contain absolutely nothing but natural digestcocaine, morphine and drugs have no place in a stomach medicine, and Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are certainly the best known and most popular of all stomach remedies. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and after a week's use note the improvement in health, appetite and nervous

ters into their own hands. Strict precautions will have to be enforced if the plague, whatever it may be, is to be checked.

There are two new cases of smallpox in McGillivray township, Middlesex.
There is a case of smallpox about five miles from Milverton, Ont., in Elma township. A lady from Man-itoba, who is visiting friends, has been declared infected. The local board of health has quarantined the family named Holmes where she is

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 20.—A serious outbreak of smallpox has been located at lumber camps and Indian reserves, and on the east shore of Lake Winni-

ELEVATOR FELL 14 STORIES!

Two Men Meet Instant Death at Cleveland.

A Rockwood (Ont.) Woman Fatally Hurt by a Cow-Other Cas-

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Stratford, Feb. 20.—A young girl, who gave the name of May Stanley. attempted to commit suicide in a house near the depot yesterday morning. The promptness with which one of the inmates secured medical attendance saved the girl's life. She took a dose of morphine.

ELEVEN HURT. Peterboro, Feb. 20.—A snow plow, engine and caboose on the C. P. R. made a bad wreck five miles from here between this station and Cavanville. Hard snow on the track caused the plow to leave the rails and turn over on one side of the track, while the engine and tender went over on their sides in the opposite ditch. The

engine was badly wrecked. Eleven men on the engine and plow were all shaken up, and several badly bruised. John Morran, of Toronto, sustained severe bruises, and had the upper jaw fractured. Patrick Coakley and George Glenny, of North Toronto, were the most severely bruised among the others.

FELL FOURTEEN STORIES. Cleveland, O., Feb. 21.—While the elevator in the new Scofield building was descending, a projecting timber struck the bottom, knocking it out as clearly as though cut. The occupants, Harry J. Wilson and Fred Buell, structural ironworkers, were dropped fourteen stories, being instantly killed.

SUFFOCATED AND FROZEN. Fremont, O., Feb. 21.-Mr, and Mrs. Fremont, O., Feb. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. John Glosser, an aged couple, of this city, were found in a horrible condition by neighbors, who broke open their house to investigate why the old folks had not been seen in several days. Neighbors found that both had been overcome by escaping coal gas, and then badly frozen after the fires went out. Glosser's feet and legs were frozen up to the knees, and must be amputated, and his wife's arms must be taken off. Both will probably die.

MANGLED BY A SAW. MANGLED BY A SAW.

Dutton, Feb. 21.—A shocking and probably fatal accident took place on Wednesday at the sawmill of Lunn & Braddon, at Port Talbot. Thomas Lunn, one of the proprietors, was struck by a board and thrown upon the large circular saw, by which he was terribly cut and lacerated, one of his legs being nearly cut off at the thigh. His hand was also cut and broken up so badly that it cannot be saved. Dr. Ling, who dressed the wounds, was unable to say whether Mr. Lunn would recover or not.

ATTACKED BY A COW.

ATTACKED BY A COW. Rockwood, Ont. Feb. 20.—Mrs. James Gray, of Rockwood, was nearly killed last night. While taking her cow to water the animal turned on her and tramped and hooked her, and had to be driven off with pitchforks. She is in a terreless condition. KILLED WIFE FOR BEING LATE.

Bellefonte, Pa., Feb. 21.-Because his

THE WEATHER TODAY - Fair and mild; sleet or snow at night.

Saturday Morning at 9 O'Clock We Will Sell 32 Eiderdown Comfortables at Bargain Prices. Come at 9.

At the above hour Saturday morning we commence our Great Clearance Sale of Ziderdown Quilts. A knowledge of what we will do at this sale, the value of the offerings at the low prices, should bring more purchasers than we have Quilts to sell. The lot comprises 32. We

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that the work is done on the premises by our own skilled artists. We anticipate from the number of orders already booked, an extra heavy season's trade, and suggest that you give in your order now. We manufacture Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits, Skirts, Wrappers, and Underskirts at lowest prices consistent with high-grade work.



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Pretty Scotch Zepyhrs at 18c and 25c Yard.

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W. B. Corsets from \$1 25 to \$2 50. Correct styles for spring now on sale. @ INGRAM. SMALLMAN

149, 151 and 153 DUNDAS STREET.

wife failed to appear at the time he had set for her return, Frank M. Beckwith walked eight miles to the place where she was staying and killed her. Mrs. Beckwith went to Sandy Ridge to visit friends. Her husband told her to be home not later than midnight, and when the hour arrived, as she had not returned, he tramped the eight miles to Sandy Ridge and murdered her on sight. Beckwith is in jail.

BROTHER AND SISTER BURNED TO DEATH.

Worcester, Mass., Feb. 21.—Vera and Charles Louen, 3 and 4 years of age respectively, were burned to death this morning in a fire which destroyed the Rose Petit Orphanage, on Heritage Lane, at Greendale, this city. The firemen article in the said of rived in time to rescue, with the aid of Mrs. Petit, eight children from the building. Mrs. Petit was burned about the face and hands during her efforts to save the little ones.

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The tent in which the Dowager Empress of China travels is made of yellow silk, copiously embroidered in silver and gold with great dragons and blazing suns.

Anyone troubled with boils, pimples. rashes, festering sores, or any chronic or malignant skin disease, should use Burdock Blood Bitters externally and take internally. It will cure where others fail. New York has subscribed nearly \$80,-

000 for the McKinley monument at Canton, most of it being given in New York city.

A GENERAL FAVORITE.—In every place where introduced Dr. Thomas' Eelectric Oil has not failed to establish a reputation, showing that the sterling qualities which is possesses are valued everywhere when they become known. It is in general use in Canada, the West Indies and Australia as a household medicine, and the demand for it each year shows that it is a favorite wherever used.

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DEAR SIR:

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Yours Very Truly,

MRS. J. G. LOTUS,

Berlir. P.S.-Kindly let me know if you could make it cheaper by the dozen.

LIVED LIKE A PAUPER

a Savings Bank.

Detroit, Feb. 21 .- Mrs. Catherine Regan, with hundreds of dollars in the banks, yet constantly haunted by the fear of poverty, died in St. Mary's Hospital, Wednesday. She constantly pleaded her destitute condition, and often was without the common necessities of life. Last November she appealed to the poor commission for aid, and received assistance to procure groceries. Since her death, a bank book of the Detroit Savings Bank, showing deposits of \$1,100, has been found, and when a trunk belonging to the dead woman is opened it is thought other bank books showing smaller amounts will be found.

Two nieces live in Detroit, and numerous nephews and nieces live at Goderich, Ont., and other parts of Canada. Among them are Andrew, John, Michael and Jeremiah Forhen, and Mrs. Ellen O'Laughlin.

Don't think because you have taken many remedies in vain that your case is incurable. You have not taken Hood's Sarsapar-It is.

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THAT CONCESSION

With Hundreds of Dollars Saited Away in Gov. Ross Says Klondike Will Benefit by the Treadgold Arrangement.

> Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 21. - Gov. Ross, of the Klondike, arrived here yesterday from the north by steamer Amur. In an interview concerning the Treadgold concession, about which so much excitement has been raised, Gov. Ross said:

> "I have not seen the amended order of the council concerning the concessions to the Treadgold syndicate, but I did see the original order, and unless some very material alterations have been made in the document, nothing but benefit to the Klondike can result from the agreement, which has been reached between the governmnt and the syndicate."

THE great lung healer is found in that excellent medicine sold as Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It soothes and diminishes the sensibility of the membrane of the throat and air passages and is a sovereign remedy for all and is a sovereign remedy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness, pain or soreness in the chest, bronchitis, etc. It has cured many when supposed to be far advanced in consumption.

Portugal is' the most illiterate country in Europe; 67 per cent of its po-pulation cannot write. In Italy the proportion of illiterates is 53 per cent, in Russia 36, in Spain 9, in Britain

LAXA-LIVER PILLS, regulate the bowels, cure constipation, dyspepsia, biliousness, sick headache, and all affections of the organs of digestion. V The champion organ blower, in point of service, has been found to be 72-year-old Joshua Savall, who, without

a single absence, has pumped the organ of Plymouth Church in Brooklyn for the last 37 years. ONLY THOSE WHO HAVE had experience can tell the torture corns cause. Pain with your boots on, pain with them off—pain night and day; but relief is sure to those who use Holloway's Corn Cure.

The C. P. R. will run special colonist excursion trains during March and April to the Northwest to afford special facilities to intending colonists to reach their destination.

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THREE BUSY STORES. 228, 230, 232 Dundas Street, London.

February Opportunities

Everybody knows this is a Bargain Month at the "Three Busy Stores." We submit the following offerings

The Prices Tell Their Own Story For This Sale.

40-INCH PLAIN WHITE PILLOW COTTON, only 8c per yard. 42-inch Plain White Pillow Cotton, 9c per yard. 46-inch Plain White Pillow Cotton, 15c per yard.

Lace Curtain Sale of Nottingham Curtains.

\$1 Lace Curtains, 31/2 yards long, sale price 75c pair.

\$1 25 Lace Curtains, 31/2 yards long, fine patterns, sale price \$1 pair. A lot of Carpet Ends of good carpets, 7c, 10c, 15c, 19c

Staple Department--Cut Prices Here.

Heavy Blue Denim, for smocks and overalls; regular 20c, cut price 15c yard. Heavy Cottonade, for pants; regular 25c, cut price

121/2c Cottonade, in stripes, cut price 10c yard.

The Cotton Department where you are saving lots of money. We are

such values in the city. 27 yards of Good Factory for \$1. Another lot of those Blankets, pink borders, in white.

day. Call and you will see the reason why. No

and gray, 57c and 79c pair. Just in, GUIPURE LACE INSERTION, in narrow and wide widths, 8c, 10c, 15c, 20c yard. All cut

prices. New patterns. Special line of beautiful quality, double-faced Satin Ribbon, in cream and white only, wide widths, Here is a snap for you, ladies, at 10c yard. First come, first served.

Our Embroidery Sale Con-

tinues Under Čut Prices. 5 inches wide, deep work Embroidery, sale price

5c per yard. Special line of Embroidery at cut prices, 1c, 2c, 3c and 4c per vard.

Special lines of Fine Embroidery at 7c, 8c, 10c yard. 75c Curtains, 3 yards long, 43 inches wide, sale price Special line of Embroidery Insertion at 4c, 5c, 7c, 8c, 10c per yard. Fine goods.

SEE OUR TABLE OF FINE CORSETS, prices up to 75c, odd sizes; one price for the lot, 25c per pair. See if we have your size.

See our Large Window for COTTON AND CASH-MERE HOSIERY. Sale price in window. Special line of Blue and White, Pink and White Check Ginghams; regular 121/2c, cut price 10c

One line of FANCY GRAY AND WHITE GING-HAMS; regular 15c, cut price 10c yard. Special line of NAVY BLUE HEAVY SERGE FLANNEL; regular 15c, cut price 10c yard.

See our Table of 10c and 121/2c Wrapperette, sale price 8c yard. SEE OUR WINDOW FOR SPECIAL PRICES IN VALENCIENNES AND ORIENTAL LACES. 7 inches wide Embroidery, worked red on white,

sale price 10c and 121/2c yard. right busy here, big parcels going out every CASH'S FRILLING; regular 15c and 20c, selling now at 8c and 10c yard. Special line of MANUFACTURERS' LACE CUR-

TAIN ENDS; regular 20c and 25c, cut price now

Clearing Out Gents' Underwear Department.

Cut Prices on Everything. have sold the same goods often for 25c yard. A lot of Men's Undershirts, no drawers; shirts sold

Men's Black Cashmere Hose, 15c pair.

15c and 19c each for this sale.

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MONEY TO LOAN.

MEDICAL CARDS. J. B. CAMPBELL, M.D., 389 DUNDAS street. Hours, 12 to 4, 6 to 8. 'Phone 522.

R. OVENS, M.D., 225 QUEEN'S AVE-NUE. Eye, ear, nose and throat. DR. McLELLAN, EYE AND EAR SUR-GEON. Specialist eye, ear, nose and GEON. Specialist eye, ear, nose and throat. 497 Talbot. Hours, 9 to 5, 7 to 8.

R. W. SHAW, M.D., L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., England. Office, 287 King street. Tele-phone 839. DR. GRAHAM-OFFICE, 380 CLAR-ENCE. Residence, 616 Richmond. Speci-alties, pulmonary affections, cancers, tumors, piles, diseases of women and children.

DR. E. PARDEE BUCKE, 209 QUEEN'S avenue, Kingsmill Terrace. Telephone 504.

DR. McLAREN, 193 QUEEN'S AVENUE, five doors east of Richmond street. DR. N. R. HENDERSON, 238 QUEEN'S avenue. Eye, ear, throat and nose only. DR. MEEK, QUEEN'S AVENUE, LON-

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ALICE CALDER STOCK - SOLOIST First Methodist Church. Voice culture. 254 Queen's avenue. Concert engage-ments accepted. 23tf

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LICENSES ISSUED BY THOMAS GIL-LEAN, jeweler, 402 Richmond street. MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W. H. Bartram, 99 Dundas street. OFFICIAL ISSUER OF MARRIAGE licenses, C. D. Johnston, 198 Dundas street. Residence, 394 Dundas street.

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GREENLEES & BECHER-BARRIS-TERS, etc.. Canadian Loan Company building, Richmond street, London, Private funds to loan. A. Greenlees, B.A.; H. C. Becher.

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PRIVATE AND TRUST FUNDS TO loan at 4% and 5% per cent on real estate security, in sums to suit. No commission charged. T. W. Scandrett, solicitor. 98 Dundas street, London. PRIVATE FUNDS TO LOAN-LOWEST rates. Buchner, Campbell & Gunn, 83 Dundas street, London.

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WOOLVERTON & BENTLEY, DEN-TISTS, 216 Dundas street, next Edy Bros., over Calrncross & Lawrence, druggists. Telephone 228. McDONALD & CUNNINGHAM-DEN-TISTS, 183½ Dundas street. 'Phone 702

Post-graduate in crown and bridge work, Chicago. Edge Block, Richmond street. 'Phone 960. Residence, 287 Queen's avenue. 'Phone 420.

DR. G. H. KENNEDY, DENTIST— Successor to the late Dr. Davis. Speci-alty, preservation of natural teeth. 170 Dundas street. 'Phone 975.

DRESSMAKING.

LADIES WANTED TO LEARN DRESS-MAKING in two weeks; none but good sewers need apply. If you are perfectly satisfied after you are through you pay me \$10, including one of the best systems in the world. If not I guarantee to give you \$10 for your trouble. I have taught over 200 girls, and have been successful in every case. I will teach in Woodstock from March 3 to 15. All wishing to learn, call on me, Buckingham Hotel, Woodstock, Saturday, March 1, from 1 to 6 p.m. Will teach in London from March 17 to 29. All wishing to learn, call London House, London, Saturday, March 15, from 1 to 6 p.m. Mrs. Wm. Sanders. LADIES WANTED TO LEARN DRESS-

DRESS-CUTTING SCHOOL-SYSTEM unexcelled. Pupils welcome to return for assistance. Lessons unlimited. for assistance. Lessons unlimited. Experienced, capable teachers. Costumes copied for modistes. 233½ Dundas street London.

The Death Record.

Toronto, Feb. 21.-Mr. R. H. Colter, who for the past twenty years has been connected with the Noxon Manufacturing Works, of Ingersoll, Ont., died suddenly at the Rossin House last night.

Mr. Colter was around during the day apparently in his usual health. He suf-fered two hemorrhages last night to which he succumbed. Dr. McKay, M. P. which he succumbed. Dr. McKay, M. P. P., was called in.
London, Feb. 20.—William Thomas Spencer Wentworth-Fitzwilliam, sixth earl of Fitzwilliam, is dead. He was born in 1815.
Boston, Mass., Feb. 21.—Rev. Dr. Chas. E. Lard, Congregationalist, well-known in theological circles, died in Newburyport, aged 85. Mr. Lard was the author of many books on theology.

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ASK INCREASE.

Think They Work Too Hard for the Money They Receive.

Board of Works Again Deals With Stanley Street Matter-An Isolation Hospital.

The board of works held their regular meeting last night. The mayor and Ald. Gerry were unavoidably absent. No special business was trans-

A deputation of Stanley street residents waited on the board to attempt | to prevent the street railway from laying a switch or double-track on Stanley street. They contended that the street would be seriously injured in either case. The cars would then run so close to the sidewalk that when two cars met on the switch the street would be practically blocked. If the railway company were to lay a switch they should run on the belt line both ways, and the deputation claimed that the bylaws would force them to do it.

next meeting of the committee, when Mr. Carr will be requested to attend. The city solicitor's opinion will in the meantime be obtained. Mr. McLean, a member of the deputation, stated that if the committee met next Friday they should be in a positions to deal with a proposition from the Grand Trunk Railway, who intend to double-track their road from the first Thames bridge to Komoka, and to raise the grade to Sifton's cut.

The matter was laid over until the

He said the road also intended to build a new bridge over the second cove. This proposed action would materially affect the street railway ques-The city ward foremen wrote the committee, asking for an increase in wages. They thought that for the hours they worked they did not receive sufficient remuneration, and asked that their wages be increased to \$2 a day. In consequence of receiving an

increase they were prepared to allow the city the use of their lots. No action was taken in the matter. In regard to a memo from the council re the laying of curbing, Ald. Jolly moved that persons wanting curbing should be charged with the cost of the frontage, with the exception of the cross-street intersections. Carried. A memo regarding removal of the

snow from sidewalks was again laid Mrs. Clements was allowed \$15 for damages received by falling on a side-

The petition against a tar macadam pavement on Talbot street was placed in the assessment commissioner's

The board recommended that \$5,000 be put in the estimates for an up-todate isolation hospital.

THE LONDON PRESBYTERY.

Rev. J. W. Rae Inducted at Aylmer and Springfield.

A Valuable Addition to the Thriving Congregations and to the Presbytery.

The Presbytery of London met at Springfield yesterday at 2:30, and was duly constituted, Rev. Dr. Johnston, moderator, presiding. There were present: Messrs. Clark, Drummond, Kippen, McCrae and Stevens, and Mr. Murray and Mr. Mitchell, elders. Rev. Mr. Kippen conducted public worship, his text being I. Corinthians, xiii., 13: "Now abideth faith, hope, love, but the

greatest of these is love."

After the sermon, Mr. Rae was duly inducted pastor of the charge of the congregations of Aylmer and Spring-

Mr. Clark, London, then, by appointment of presbytery, addressed the newly-inducted pastor, as to his various duties as a preacher, as a pastor, and as a member of the presbytery. Dr. McCrae, Westminster, addressed the people, congratulating them on the able man they had obtained. He was a good preacher, able on the platform, and experienced in the church's work. He warned them against expecting perfection, and declared a perfect man would be very lonely. He asked for fair play, and that they should see to

it that the pews are filled. Mr. Drummond and Mr. Murray conducted Mr. Rae to the door, where he was introduced to the congregation

present. In the evening a reception was held in the church at Aylmer. The ladies furnished a bountiful repast in the basement, after which a meeting was held in the auditorium, at which Mr. Drummond, who has acted as moderator during the vacancy, presided. Addresses were delivered by Dr. McCrae, Westminster; Dr. Johnston and Rev. W. J. Clark, of London; Mr. Vining, Baptist minister in Aylmer; Mr. Mc-Donald, Baptist minister at Springfield; and the mayor of Aylmer, who cordially welcomed Rev. Mr. Rae on behalf of the town of Aylmer. Mr. McAllister, the minister of the Methodist Church, Aylmer, was also present, but was unable to remain and deliver an address of welcome. Mr. Rae briefly and feelingly re-

sponded to all the kind words of wel-The choir, with the aid of one or two friends, gave very suitable musical se-

lections. The church was filled to the doors. and the outlook of the Presbyterian congregations in Aylmer and Springfield is brighter than it has ever been, and the people are looking to the future with good heart.

Mr. Rae is a gentleman of marked ability and large experience. He has been in charge in Acton and Toronto Junction. His specialty is Sabbath school work, and he has done good work in that branch of Christian activity. He has also been honored by his brethren as moderator of the Presbytery of Toronto and is a distinct addition to the town of Aylmer, a most thriving and ambitious burgh, as well as to the Presbytery of Lon-

PAINS DISAPPEAR BEFORE IT.—
No one need suffer pain when they have available Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. If not in the house when required, it can be procured at the nearest store, as all merchants keep it for sale. Rheumatism and all bodily pains disappear when it is applied, and should they at any time return, experience teaches the user of the Oil 1428 to deal with them. PAINS DISAPPEAR BEFORE IT .-

SHEET MUSIC SALE.

About 500 sheets popular copyright music—cake walks, marches, songs, waltzes,

etc., ranging from 10c up to 35c each. Saturday your choice at, each. THIS ADVERTISEMENT CHANGES EVERY DAY 176-178 Dundas Street, London, Friday, Feb. 21, 1902.



Kid Glove Sale For Saturday.

E'RE not after profits this time, we simply want room in our glove stock, and to do this we're going to offer our entire stock Saturday at a great sacrifice. These gloves are of beautiful quality and are the celebrated Perrin and Pewny makes. The prices range from \$1 to \$1.50 per pair. We have divided them into three different lots, in detail as follows:

Lot No. 1 at 59c. Includes a number of odd shades, old blue, ox-blood, mauve, purple and green; probably just the shade you will require for spring.
These have plain and wide stitched backs. The kid is of a fine heavy quality; elegant stock: two dome fasteners, in either pearl or silver. Saturday your choice at '......59c

Lot No. 2 at 69c.

Includes a quantity of gloves heavy grain kid, in popular shades of tans and browns; also white with plain and heavy black stitchings, dome fasteners; excellent quality for winter wear. Saturday

Lots on Sale At 59c, 69c, 89c Per Pair.

Lot No. 3 at 89c. Includes all the very latest shades, in suede and dressed kid, pearl, medium and dark gray, biscuit, buff, mode, tans, browns, ox-blood, navy, black and white, with self, black also white stitchings, Perrins' best gloves, handsome styles; a great bargain. Saturday, all sizes, pair896

NOTE.-Come in the morning to secure the shade and size you want.

Special Candy News.

Our candy makers have been extra busy this week in anticipation of the special Saturday sale. In addition to our usual large orders for Saturday, we've been getting some new things for tomorrow's special selling. Every pound is delightfully fresh and choice. Nothing but pure, delicious and

wholesome sweets in our stock. Special Display in Show Window. SATURDAY PRICES:

Peanut Crisp, regular 15c for, ferent flavors, Saturday, per walnut Maple Cream, pound 20c

Humbugs, highly-flavored, regular 15c, for, pound10c Marrowbone, pound 20c Newport Chocolates, pound .. 35c Best Chocolates and Cherry Creams, a great leader, regular 30c pound, Saturday .. 19c

Oranges 1c each; larger ones, 4 for 5c. Lemons 1c each; larger ones, 4 for 5c.

Dates, pound5c

SEE WINDOW FOR THESE GOODS. Whitewear

Saturday. Everybody expects something

are great values:

The

Sale on

very special when we announce a Saturday bargain. That's what we are giving you in this instance. These

Night Gowns. Ladles' Fine White Gowns. made with yoke back, loose front, two clusters of tucks, down front, frills on neck, cuffs and down the front,

Saturday43c Empire Gowns, with linen lace trimmings on neck and sleeves, fancy tucked yoke with wide linen lace insertion, good length, Saturday at 8:30 sharp 900

Writing Paper, Special.

Beautiful Boxes in seven different colors, pretty covers, containing 24 sheets fine white writing paper, plain, with ruling sheet, and 24 octavo envelopes to match; the paper is of very fine quality, envelopes well gummed, Sat-

urday bargain, box 10e Specials in Toilet Goods.

A table full of Fine Toilet Goods, including vaseline cold cream in jars, camphor ice in tubes, capsicum vaseline, in tubes, refined vaseline in bottles, Shavo in tubes, pure camphor gum in blocks, vaseline soap in cakes, all regular 10c, and some 15c goods, on sale Saturday at, each ..5c Notion Department, Main Floor.

Saturday Tinware Sale.

No. 8 Tin Tea Kettles, copper bottom, regular 55c, for 6 only, No. 8 Steamers, regular with cup and tray, regular

cover, regular 8c, Saturday Saturday morning, special 10c 3-quart Tin Pails, with cover, regular 15c, Saturday Kneading Pan, 20-quart, with

at 20 only, 10-quart Tin Dishpans, regular 15c, Saturday, for 12c for 22 only, 14-quart Tin pans, regular 20c, Saturday, each 15 only, Half-Gallon Coal Oil Cans, regular 20c, for 15e 18 only, 1-gallon Tin Coal Oil Cans, Saturday20e
15 only, 1-pint Tin Cups, regu-

lar 10c, Saturday 5c Daisy Tea Kettles, regular

all sizes, your choice, pair...69c

Stylish Chatelaine Tops

at Bargain Prices. Handsome Tops, in gold, silver and oxydized silver, some jeweled, These are suitable for making up in any way in which you desire. All kinds of materials can be used. Designs in silk on display at the

Fancy Goods Department.

Regular 65c Tops, for25c Regular 75c and 85c Tops for 35c Regular \$1 and \$1 25 Tops for 50c

Special reductions as follows:

White Shams, 48c Pair. Fine White Shams, hemstitch-

ed border and drawn work threads, regular 70c pair, Saturday 480 Ribbons, 6c Yard.

Regular \$1 and \$1.25 for 45c. A whole big table full of them, including about 76 Waists. Percale Waists, in pretty blue and pink striped patterns; also black and white, good styles; best quality; black sateen waists, some with cluster tucks, others straight and bias tucks, all regular \$1 00 and \$1 25, some even as high as \$1 50 each. Saturday, your 45c

Percale and Sateen Waists,

No exchange made in these goods. New White Lawn Waists, Regular \$1.50, Saturday 95c.

3 lines of our new White Shirt Waists, very latest styles, appropriate for evening wear now. One is the Gibson Waist, made with broad effect in shoulder, tapering nicely towards the waist; tucked front, deep insertion, buttoned in back, bishop sleeve, turnover collar.

Be sure and see the "Gibson Waist"-it's the leader

At 8:30 sharp. Ladies' Extra Heavy Fleece-Lined Hose, guaranteed per-fectly fast dye; sizes 8½, 9, and 9½, regular 35c pair, Sat-

this year.

A Special for Men. Men's Blue Denim Overalls, with bib and shoulder-strap, front, back and rule pockets, well sewn and finished, regular price 75c, Saturday, at 8:30 sharp, pair45e

sizes for ladies, regular 250 Saturday only, pair180 pair, Saturday, pair 17e



Time now to be thinking about your spring papering. It will pay you to buy beforehand. Last Saturday was a banner day in our Wall Paper Department, but we have that record

200 rolls, pretty dark red Papers, regular 12½c, for, roll 6c 200 rolls, Handsome Silk Papers, in cream, blue, gold and white, regular 25c per roll Saturday 18c

150 rolls, in different grounds, shades of green, cream and brown, regular 10c roll for 50 300 rolls Papers, suitable for dining-rooms, regular 10c, able for halls, regular 10c

Great Bargain Carnival in the Basement.

A dollar will go a long way in our basement these days. Saturday will be another one of those grand bargain events when hundreds of shrewd shoppers will be able to take advantage of the generous price cuttings. There'll be a sale of Toilet Sets, a sale of Tinware, a sale of Woodenware. Read the list carefully. You're almost sure to find something you

Toilet Sets for \$2.49.

50 Toilet Sets, 10 pieces in each, a varied stock of shapes and decorations, all the newest styles well represented; regular price \$3 50 per set; Saturday, your choice at

Baskets.

Peeled Willow Baskets, regular 10c size, for8c Regular 15c size for 12c Regular 20c size for 15c

Woods' Fair. Woods' Fair.

Ladies' 35c Hose for 15c Pair.

urday, at 8:30 sharp 15c Another line of Extra Heavy Ribbed Union Hose, with high spliced heels and toes, fast black, excellent to wear, all

Men's Heavy Gray Working Socks, ribbed top, white heel and toe, good length, very soft and comfortable, for

Another Big Saturday Wall Paper Sale.



to beat tomorrow, hence these trade-bringing

any room, regular 10c roll, roll, Saturday 50

really need priced away below the usual.

Woodenware Sale.

FREE-To every tenth customer out of the first fifty visiting our basement Saturday morning we will give FREE a Market Basket, any size you choose. At 8:30 Sharp. Market

each 10c Bread Boards, regular 15c, for 10c Special Globe Wash Boards, at 8:30 sharp, each15e Improved Globe Wash Boards, regular 25c, Saturday, each 19e

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London, Friday, Feb. 21.

The Supreme Court of Canada.

The appointment of the Hon. David Mills to the position of puisne judge of the Supreme Court of Canada, surrounds that body with renewed interest, especially to those of Western Ontario who have taken a personal interest in the new appointee ever since his entry into public life. The first session of the Supreme Court, for the current year, began on Tuesday in the Supreme Court buildings, which are located to the west of the Parliament Buildings. At eleven o'clock in the forenoon the ceremonies began, when the judges, in their long searlet robes and deep ermine trimmings, entered and took their seats upon the bench. The registrar, Mr. E. R. Cameron, read the King's commission appointing the Hon. David Mills member of the court, after which the Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick spoke in eulogistic terms of Mr. Justice Mills' predecessor, the late Mr. Justice Gwynne. In referring to his demise, the Minister of Justice said that we are forced to realize that,

"Whether the cup with sweet or bitter The wine of life keeps oozing drop by drop. The leaves of life keep falling one by

The late Justice Gwynne had occupled his position for the long period of Mills, the Minister of Justice spoke as follows: "He brings to the performance of his new duties a reputation and manly sports, coupled with steadiwon in the highest court of this country-the great court of Parliament. For over a quarter of a century he has been admittedly without a superior in his knowledge of the law and usages of Parliament. He has played an important part in the shaping of the his father, the late Ald. Browne; but legislation which your lordships are called upon to interpret, and his great He became a member of the firm of experience of men and affairs will be of invaluable assistance to your lordships. His appointment will meet with firm at Winnipeg. He returned to general approval. We of the bar feel | London and was for many years secthat while the dignity and the honor privileges of the bar will never be im- a business man he was very accurate paired by him. We wish him a long and useful career.

The Supreme Court of Canada is composed of a chief justice and five puisne judges, or judges inferior in rank, two of whom, at least, must be appointed from the bench or bar of the Province of Quebec. This provision was made in order to give the court the assistance of men schooled in French-Canadian law. The judges of the Supreme Court Bench must recide in Ottawa, or not more than five miles from the capital. The members of this court at present are: Sir Henry Strong, Chief Justice, and Puisne Judges Hon. H. E. Taschereau, Hon. David Mills, Hon. Robert Sedgewick, Hon. D. Girouard and Sir Louis Davies. In the absence of the Governor-General, his place is usually taken by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. The emolument of the Supreme Court is \$8,000 for the chief justice and \$7,000

each for the puisne judges. There are three sessions each year. The first session begins on the third Tuesday in February, the second on the first Tuesday in May and the third Browne was secretary, and many a

In the year 1875 it was thought ad- the pleasure of the occasion and the visable to pass an act providing for success of the games. Robert Reid's the establishment of a Supreme Court | death was the first break in the ranks of Canada, to which appeals from the of the committee, and Mr. Browne's inferior courts of the Provinces might | death creates the second. be taken. This court is, however, only a court of appeal for Canada in a like Mr. Browne. It is pleasant to relimited sense, as the Provinces still flect that amid all the fierceness of retain the right to appeal to the Privy the political contests in which he took Council. Nor can this court be said part he never swerved from the right. to be the final court of appeal for He leaves his family the legacy of an Canada, since "Appeals are made"-we honest life. He had been a son, a quote from Bourinot-"from the su- brother, a husband and a father, and preme and inferior courts of the Do- in each the family tie could be no minion to the Judicial Committee of purer or stronger. His death brings the Privy Council under such condi- home to us "what shadows we are and tions as have been laid down by that body under the law. The appellants or parties who are not satisfied with the decision of the Canadian courts, A shadow where a rock doth standpetition the King in council for leave to appeal. If the appeal be allowed, the whole case, as it appears on the record, is submitted to the Judicial Committee, composed of eminent judges-generally four, though three are a quorum-who hear arguments and finally report their decision to the King in council. This decision is au-

thoritative and settles the case." Criminal cases cannot be appealed from Canada to the Judicial Committee of the King's Privy Council. In such cases the Supreme Court of Canada is the final court of appeal. Appeals in both civil and criminal cases can be taken to this court from the highest ignore it. Of course we can undercourts of final resort in the Provinces. The Supreme Court may also review the decisions of the superior courts of the Provinces in cases of controverted elections; constitutional controversies between the Provinces, or between any it takes the actual decision on a great be connected with a man of the type no surer way of avoiding serious dis-

a court for settling controversies that wise or unwise in treating the refermay arise from time to time in the working of the constitutional system of Canada, and the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council will entertain apsome important point of law.

Up to the year 1887, the Supreme Court included also the Exchequer Court of Canada. In that year the two courts were separated, and Lord Stanley, the Governor-General of Canada at the time, with the advice of his council, appointed a special judge to preside over the latter. The Court of the Exchequer has its origin in early English times. 'As the King's revenues increased, disputes in regard to their collection and management also increased, so that it was found necessary to divide the duties between two departments-administrative and judicial. The Chancellor of the Exchequer of England is the Finance Minister. In Canada the Exchequer Court has authority to hear and decide those cases in which revenues or property, or similar interests of the crown, are involved.

The Death of Fostmaster Browne.

The announcement of the death of Thomas A. Browne, postmaster of London, came with startling sudden-He had been with us all his life, a typical London old boy. As a boy it might truthfully have been said

"There's something in a noble boy, A brave, free-hearted, careless one, With his unchecked, unbidden joy, His dread of books and love of fun, And with a calm and ready smile, Unshaded by a thought of guile."

In his case the boy was father to the man. The honest, candid, open, frank boy with more than average ability, grew into the man we knew. His form was tall, erect and manly, and his Referring to Mr. Justice mind in keeping with it. He had a disposition uniformly cheerful, and had in him, well blended, a love of fun ness and solidity of character. He lived all his life in this city, ex-

cept a short time spent in Winnipeg during the boom. He left Mr. Wilson's class in the Union school in 1869, and learned the trade of a boilermaker with he did not long follow that occupation. Wm. Moore & Co., real estate agents, and during the boom represented that retary of the Reform Association and also of the Western Fair. As and reliable, and on that account, and his high personal character, he was appointed an auditor for the Huron and Erie Loan and Savings Company and the Canadian Savings and Loan Company, which positions he filled till appointed postmaster of London on the retirement of Postmaster Dawson. The same qualifications which marked him out for the positions referred to made him an excellent postmaster. He had been secretary of the Reform Association, but his appointment as postmaster was received with much pleasure by Reformers and Conservatives alike. It was an appointment approved of by all parties. He had never been a bitter partisan, and had no

When the Tecumseh Baseball Club were at their best, about twenty-five years ago, Tom Browne was first baseman and took part in many a wellfought game with their old rivals, the Maple Leafs of Guelph; and when the Caledonian games drew their thousands of spectators, when the late Robert Reid was president of St. Andrew's Society, and John Fairgrieve was manager of the games, Tom session on the first Tuesday in October. happy committee meeting he attended, contributing in no small degree to

enemies on either side.

London can ill afford to lose a man what shadows we pursue." Surely

"A shadow in a weary land, Where men as wanderers roam: The shadow of a home.'

His widow and little boys, his aged mother, his sisters and brother, will have in their irreparable affliction the sincerest sympathy of all.

The Referendum in Manitoba. The prohibition question in Manitoba seems to have become somewhat mixed, and the result will be fierce controversy and political complications. The referendum is rejected with scorn by the temperance party there, and they advise all their friends to stand people objecting to the referendum process on its merits. As to its use in Ontario at present, no strong Province and the Dominion, may be social question out of the sphere of of the leading spirit of the Globe Cor-It will be seen that the Supreme Court tunity for a direct expression of opinthe whole inquiry concerning that far the most effective treatment in fulfills a very important function in ion on a concrete measure. In the gigantic failure was the last letter of the Dominion by preventing undue west it is different, and it is instruc- Lord Dufferin. He offered, if he got friction in its federal machinery. It is tive to note the difference. Whether well, to present himself before the

endum with such contemptuous scorn, we need not now discuss. We must, however, admit that their position is ed to the shareholders' money being clear and logical. What they say is, peals from the Supreme Court only in at the last election the Conservative cases of extreme moment, which in- party took up prohibition, and by volve question of public interest or of means of it secured the victory. They then passed their measure, which would have become law in the same way as any other measure if an appeal had not been taken to the Privy Council: and therefore, when the Privy Council sustained the bill, it ought at once to have been put in force, as it represented the will of the people, deliberately expressed at the last election. Therefore, they say, we will have no referendum, but if the government will not carry out the policy it was elected to pursue, we will fight out the matter at the next election. It is not for us to say whether this is the best course for temperance people to follow, as we are not acquainted with the local circumstances, but it is difficult to see what reply can be made by the present Government of Manitoba. The whole situation shows that this is not a fit subject for party poli-

Like All the Other Objections to the Ontario Government.

The Free Press says, under the headng "Direct Taxation";

"No less a sum than \$1,500,000 has been collected by the Ontario Government under what is known as the Sucession Act, since it was placed upon the Statute Book.

"Why should this tax be imposed

upon the estates of deceased people, if the coffers of the Province have and are overflowing with millions of a surplus over and above the annual requirements of the public service? "The country has during the past twenty years had 'Ontario surplus' dinned into its ears, ad nauseam. The boast has been that from \$6,000,000 down to \$2,500,000 were salted down by Ontario ministers for a rainy day, yet in the face of these boasts direct taxes have been imposed in various ways, one of which is that of pouncing

on the estate which a man may have

worked a life-time to earn." The above is like all the other objections to the Ontario Government. A few minutes consideration will cause the objection to vanish and praise to take its place. The Succession Duties Act is one of the best acts ever passed by the Ontario Government. It does not impose any burden or duty on the poor, for all estates under ten thousand dollars are exempt, and that exempts the great majority of people. Very few leave estates liable to pay duty, and to what payment ought less exception to be made than a succession

It is beyond dispute that the men of moderate means pay a greater proportion of their income in taxes than do the rich. The fortunes accumulated have been so accumulated under the protection of the law, and if, when a man dies, he wishes to dispose of a fortune exceeding one hundred thousand dollars, those who receive it have not toiled for it, and may reasonably be asked to contribute towards the country's charities. If divided among his children it is exempt up to one hundred thousand dollars.

But the Free Press seems angry that the Government has not reached direct taxation. The Opposition saw nothing else ahead, and lustily shouted their warning to the people at every election. These Opposition apprentices, had they been in power, would no doubt have imposed direct taxation. The Government knew a better way, one that was just and fair, and one that has enabled the Government to maintain its policy of advancement all along the line and not to forget the unfortunate and suffering, not to fail to lift as much of the burden from the people's backs as possible.

The cry of the Opposition has always been one of gloom and despair, one of servility to those who would have wrested from Ontario, by wholesale, its rights. The people know that kidney diseases and an endless amount that Government, full of hope and strength, that secured the great country to the north of us, that has without the introduction of direct taxation, managed to spend millions upon millions for the country's good and still permitted the Free Press to wail truthfully "that from \$6,000,000 to \$2,500,000 were salted down by Ontario Ministers for a rainy day," is the Government and least of all a change to those who would have given away the territory to the north and its possessions and caused the Province to knuckle down to "direct taxation."

A Sad End.

Lord Dufferin, when in Canada in the full bloom of his manhood and the rich strength of his career, never dreamed that he would be used "to point a moral and adorn a tale." And if this is done just now by many journalists, it is in no harsh spirit, but from a sense of public duty. Lord Dufferin was a man of great abilities and wide experience; he served his country well, and perhaps he ought to have received more material recognition. That is the statement that is made by some, that if he had received a large pension so as to be able to provide for his children he would not have been tempted to connect his honorable name with questionable speculation. We do not believe that the noble lord would have made such an excuse, though it may be well for us to make it; he would, we are sure, objections ought to be raised, and two have stated frankly that he had made advantages are to be recognized, that a great mistake in allowing himself to in healthful, vigorous action. There is intended, as far as practicable, to be the temperance people of Manitoba are registrar for examination, and said ronto.

with regard to the speculations: "I should have considered myself highly criminal if I had knowingly consent-

gambled away in such a manner." The aristocratic members of the board who did attend confessed that they had practically left everything to the managing director, and the said director, when asked if the directors knew of the speculations to the extent of one million and a quarter, answered "They did not know of the extent because they did not take the trouble to foot the contract notes; they left it to

There was an old tradition that lords and ladies should not soil their hands with trade, and we would say certainly, not with that kind of trade. Nowhere is the sorrow more sincere over Lord Dufferin's sad end than in Canada, where his memory is respected for the work he did in days that are

Glimpses From Ottawa Gallery.

[Special Correspondence.] Press Gallery, Ottawa,

Feb. 20, 1902. One hears a good deal occasionally in favor of putting up the tariff bars against the outer world, and particularly against the United States. The feeling is not entirely unnatural. Our neighbors across the lines have pursued a decidedly one-sided policy. A large proportion of their agricultural population live by the market of Great Britain, to which they have free access, while they ruthlessly bar out by extremely high tariffs everything that can be excluded in the shape of British manufactures. Nor can anyone be surprised that Canadians, annoyed at the unwillingness of our neighbors to enter into fair reciprocities of trade, should sometimes speak of reciprocities of hostile tariffs.

But there are several things to be But there are several things considered. What is to be desired, for the general good of the world, is a range of moderate tariffs, not a series of fighting imposts. Anyone can see this would be a world-benefit; but would it not equally confer advantages upon each individual nation? The legitimate manufacturer can do very well with a moderate tariff; no one should begrudge him an atom of whatever advantage accrues from the generous revenue tariffs, pretty generally needed to meet the growing demands of modern government. For the rest, if the consumer gets some incidental advantage from moderation of tariffwell, he is not a bad sort of a fellow. after all; he is something other than a necessary evil. He is occasionally spoken of as "Our home market," and regarded by some as indeed a goose; but at the worst he is the goose from whom the golden eggs are derived.

National feeling, spurred on by war, feels like returning blow for blow, tariff for tariff. But here, also, a little reflection is useful. The tendency favor of raising higher tariff walls. The tendency is in the other direction

When the Bowels Are Constipated

Health Cannot Be Good-Digestion a n Other Bodily Functions Cannot Be Properly Performed -- Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

The character of food, sedentary habits and neglecting the calls of nature may be set down as the usual causes of constipation. The accompanying derangements are indigestion, dyspepsia, stomach troubles, liver and of pain and suffering. Poisonous impurities, when left in the blood, are bound to find lodgment in some weak spot of the system, and the result is disease of the most deadly nature. It is a serious matter to neglect constipation. You may do so for a time, only to find that your health has been undermined by bodily derangements of the most fatal kind. You should have a movement of the bowels every day. To accomplish this, avoid concentrated foods, use vegetables and fruits freely, they want. The people seek no change, and take one of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills before retiring, two three times a week, or oftener if required. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are

not an ordinary cathartic. They have a specific and combined action on the kidneys, liver and bowels, and sequently cure constipation, and the accompanying derangements, thoroughly and well, by removing causes. For the information of those who are not yet familiar with the peculiar merits of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, we might add that they are purely vegetable in composition, pleasant and natural in action and remarkably prompt and far-reaching in effect, even in the most serious and chronic cases of constipation, kidney

and liver diseases. Persons with weak kidneys are peculiarly susceptible to sudden change of temperature, and for this reason need to be on a sharp lookout during the fall and winter seasons, lest the cold settles on these filtering organs and brings on Bright's disease of the kidneys, by far the most painful and fatal of diseases. Scores and hundreds of people make a practice of keeping Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills in the house, and take one whenever the symptoms of constipation and kidney derangement make themselves known. Scanty, high-colored urine, painful urination and pain in the back and limbs are the danger signals of kidney

disease.

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President McKinley's address at the Pan-American Exposition was a noticeable manifesto looking distinctly towards trade reciprocities in various directions founded on gradually reducing tariffs. It is the interest of Canada to foster, not impede, this disin the United States is not now in position on the part of our neighbors as indicated by President McKinley.

kins; regular price \$1 50, special

Special line Fine All-Linen % Nap-

Special line 20-inch Silk for.....

kins; regular \$1 75, special sale

There is an imperial side to this question. During the Spanish-American war Great Britain rendered priceless aid to the United States in preventing the interference of European powers in favor of Spain. Were all known, we are inclined to think it would appear the United States reciprocated, in the way of discouraging tendencies towards interference against Great Britain in the South African war by European powers. Goodwill between the great English-speaking nations is in the interest as much of the United States as of the United Kingdom, and may therefore be termed a matter of imperial policy. That high policy is not to be promoted by avoidable tariff wars or tariff entanglements. The principle of moderation in tariff tendencies and legislation, seems to be most in keeping with the ultimate interests of Canada, and of the Empire at large.

[Toronto Globe.] Grave frauds are charged in the

Looking Backward.

London mayoralty election. An investigation is proceeding, and we suppose the criminals will be punished as they ought to be. But it is far-fetched and silly to lay the blame at the door of the Ross Government. The Ross Government has no interest in municipal

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the lesson of fraud was learned in political elections, it may be necessary to remind The Mail that the constituency of London was stolen from the Liberals in the Dominion bye-election in 1892.

WIFE GIVES HUSBAND AWAY TO HER RIVAL

elections in London. If it is said that

A Confessed New York Bigamist Released Through Sacrifices of His First Wife.

New York, Feb. 21.-George Marcier, confessed bigamist, was before Justice Sabath in the Maxwell stret police court, but was allowed his freedom through the self-sacrifice of his first wife, who refused to prosecute him, and gave her consent to the prisoner being allowed to return to wife No. 2. Justice Sabath, after listening to a statement by the father of the first wife, declared that she was a true heroine, as her idea in sacrificing herself was to prevent blighting the future hapipness of the second wife. Although she was not in court, the woman specified that Marcier should make a vow to be true to his second wife and promise to immediately secure a divorce from his legal wife. She also specified that after the divorce has been secured Marcier must remarry the woman he has chosen in preference to herself. "Your daughter is a noble woman,

said Justice Sabath. "She should be commended for her sacrifice. thought not for herself, but for the future happiness of the other woman. In my opinion Marcier does not deserve to go from this court free and unpunished, but it may be for the

Marcier married his first wife, Miss A. Cassanova, on June 27, 1900. He lived with her about four months, and then, it is said, abandoned her. She loved him still, she said. Most of the time since then she has been an invalid, and frequently helpless, and is in that condition now.

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GIRLS CATCH BURGLAR IN TRAP. Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 20.-Two daring girls, Cora Beaver and Elizabeth Davis, of New Silverbrook, gave burglar a severe trouncing. They were alone in the house when after midnight they heard someone trying window. They sprang from bed and a man's head appeared. The girls put the window down and held the burglar's head, belaboring him until he was bleeding from a number of wounds and cried for mercy. When they released him he ran as fast as he could go

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forcement of the fair wage clause in

to give his attention to these matters,

and also to the important and valuable

work of conciliation in disputes be-

minister, whom he had some difficulty

in retaining in the department because

they had to pay for brains, and the

deputy minister was an able man,

department of labor was organized

Harvard released Mr. King, but had

recently, when the professor of

political science accepted an offer to

go to England, made him a most at-

tractive offer to take the vacant chair.

Mr. King, however, preferred to serve

his native country, even though at a

MR. PUTTEE DEFENDS THE

GAZETTE

Mr. Puttee stoutly defended the La-

bor Gazette, and thought a paid sub-scription list of 4,394, considering that

it was a government publication, was a remarkable record. Probably one of the

best compliments paid to The Gazette was the resolution of the Manufac-

quoted. Some of the manufacturers openly stated that they consigned all

Gazette to the waste paper basket, and

if The Gazette treated their communi-

cations in a similar way there would, of course, be a deadlock. Some fault

had been found with The Gazette be-

cause of the colorless nature of its

articles, but there was a good deal to

be said, perhaps, for the argument of-fered by the minister of labor as to

THE GERMAN TARIFFS.

Replying to Mr. Henderson (Halton).

not impose discriminating duties

Mr. Fielding stated that Germany

upon Canada in apples, butter, barley,

two tariffs in operation in Germany; one a favored tariff, which is extend-

ed to countries having treaties with Germany, and the other, which is higher, to products of those countries

having no treaty. Canada having no treaty, her products were admitted un-

the proper function for it to fulfill.

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THE MARKETS.

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London, Friday, Feb. 21.
Wheat white per bu
Wheat red per bu
Oats mer hu
Peag ner hu
Corn per bu
Barley per bu
Buckwheat per bu55c to 58c

The market was quiet today, and the value of all kinds of grain unchanged.
Oats continue to form the bulk of de-

liveries.

Hay sold quickly, and straw slow. GRAIN.

Wheat, white, per 100 lbs. 130	0	1 33	
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs 1 30	@	1 31	
Oats, per 100 lbs 1 20	@	1 22	
Peas. per 100 lbs 1 15	00	1 35	
Corn, per 100 lbs 1 10	0	1 12	
Barley, per 100 lbs 1 10	(0)	1 15	
Beans per bu 80	0	1 00	
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HAY AND SEEDS.			
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Butter, creamery, lb rolls 29
Butter, store lots....... 15 VEGETABLES. Potatoes, per bag
Onions, per bu
Celery, per doz
Eavory and sage, doz
Mint, per doz
Parsley, per doz LIVE HOGS.

Hogs, small, per pair.... 400 Hogs, select, per cwt.... 550 Hogs, light, per 100 lbs... 550 Hogs, singers, per 100 lbs... 575 Hogs, heavy, per 100 lbs... 200 DRESSED HOGS. DAIRY PRODUCE. Butter, lb rolls, baskets.. 20 Butter, crock, lb....... 18 Butter, creamery, lb..... 20

Butter, store lots...... Eggs, doz, basket lots.... Eggs, doz, new laid..... POULTRY. Geese, per lb..... Turkeys, per pair. 10 @
Turkeys, per lb. 11 @
Ducks, per pair 60 @
Chickens, per pair. 45 @
Hens, per pair, live. 40 @
MEATS, HIDES, ETC.

Lamb, quarters..... 6 50

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a pure vegetable spice for horses, cows, chickens. It keeps them in HAMILTON'S FLOUR AND FEED STORE, London, Ont. 373 Talbot St., er en Alexandre Militare

TORONTO HAY MARKET.

Toronto, Feb. 20.—Ealed hay—The market is steady with a good demand; cars of No. 1 timothy are quoted here at \$1050; medium is quoted at \$850 to \$050. Baled straw—Demand continues strong, with only fair offerings; prices are steady; straw was offered today on call at \$550 on track here; a car sold G. T. R. at \$425 outside.

AMERICAN MARKETS. CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Grain markets see-sawed again today in a jaded fashion. The ruling tendency was for lower prices, but the small breaks brought in enough buying to prevent material declines, and the close was father firm. May wheat closed unchanged, May corn 1/2c to 1/4c higher, and May oats 1/3c up; provisions closed a shade to 10c lower. Local receipts of wheat were 14 cars, 1 of contract grade; Minneapolis and Duluth re-ported 270 cars, making a total for the three points of 284 cars, against 654 cars

three points of 284 cars, against 654 cars for two days last week and 396 this day a year ago. Primary receipts were 442,000 bu, against 430,000 bu last year. Seaboard clearances in wheat and flour equaled 109,000 bu. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 15 cars; corn, 110 cars; oats, 105 cars; hogs, 30,000 head.

The leading futures closed: Wheat—May, 78½c to 78½c; July, 78½c; Sept., 77¾c. Corn—May, 61½c to 61½c; July, 61¼c; Sept., 60c. Oats—May, 43¾c; July, 26¾c to 36¾c; Sept., 31½c to 315%c. Mess pork—May, \$15 67½; July, \$15 82½. Lard—May, \$9 40; July, \$9 52½. Short ribs—May, \$8 45; July, \$8 52½. Sept., \$8 62½.

Cash quotations: Flour easy. No. 3 spring wheat, 70c to 75c; No. 2 red, 83%c. No. 2 oats, 43¼c to 45½c; No. 2 white, 44½c to 45c, No. 2 white,

spring wheat, 70c to 75c; No. 2 red, 83%c. No. 2 oats, 43%c to 43%c; No. 2 white, 44%c to 45c; No. 3 white, 44c to 45c. No. 2 rye, 60c to 61c. Fair to choice malting barley, 60c to 63%c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$167; No. 1 northwestern, \$172. Mess pork, \$1545 to \$1550; lard, \$920 to \$322½; short ribs sides, \$825 to \$840; dry salted shoulders, 7%c to 7%c; short clear sides, \$870 to \$80.

to \$8.80.

Receipts—Flour, 20,000 bbls; wheat, 73,000 bu; corn, 58,000 bu; oats, 116,000 bu; rye, 2,000 bu; barley, 37,000 bu.

Shipments—Flour, 28,000 bbls; wheat, 70,000 bu; corn, 39,000 bu; oats, 53,000 bu; rye, 5,000 bu; barley, 39,000 bu.

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 20.—Wheat—Firm; cash, 86%c; May 86%c; July, 81%c. Corn.—Feb., 66%c; May, 62%c; July, 62%c. Oats—Feb., 56; May, 44%c; July, 38c. Cloverseed—Feb., \$560; March. \$560.

DETROIT BEAN MARKET. Detroit, Feb. 21.-Beans are inactive and firm. Quotations: Cash and Feb., \$155; May and June, \$154.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS. MONTREAL, Feb. 20.—There were about 400 head of butchers cattle, 40 calves and 25 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the east end abattoir today. The butchers were present in considerable force, and there was a good demand and firm prices paid for anything moderately good, but there were no prime beasts on the market. Medium cattle sold at from 3%c to 4%c per lb. and the common stock at from 2% to 5%c, while some of the leaner beasts would not bring over 2%c per lb. Bulls were plentiful, and sold at from 3c to 3%c per lb. The calves were nearly all small yeals, and sold at from \$250 to \$5. A few of the beat brought from \$6 to \$8. each \$50 per the best brought from \$6 to \$8 each. Sheep sold at from 34c to 34c, and the lambs at from 44c to 43c. Fat hogs sold at a little over 64c per lb, weighed off the

cars.

EAST BUFFALO, Feb. 20.—Cattle—Receipts light; firm but unchanged; veals, choice, \$7.75 to \$2.5; common to good, \$5 to \$7.50. Hogs—Receipts, 6,200 head; good demand for all but best heavy grades, and stronger; Yorkers, \$6.15 to \$6.25; light do, \$5.90 to \$6.10; mixed packers, \$6.25 to \$6.40; choice heavy, \$6.45 to \$6.50; pigs, \$5.50 to \$5.60; roughs, \$5.50 to \$5.65; stags, \$4.50. Sheep and lambs—Offerings, 9,000 head; sheep were steady, lambs dull and lower; choice lambs, \$6.45 to \$6.50; good to choice, \$6.25 to \$6.40; culls to fair, \$5 to \$6.20; sheep, choice handy wethers, \$5.40 to \$5.65; common to extra mixed, \$4.65 to \$5.25; culls and common, \$3.25 to \$4.50; mixed export and common, \$3 25 to \$4 50; mixed export ewes and wethers, \$5 to \$5 25; yearlings,

\$5 65 to \$5 90; all wethers. CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, it's just as effective.

For sale by C. McCallum & Co. 6.000; active and strong; good to prime

steers, \$650 to \$7; poor to medium, \$4 to \$6; stockers and feeders, \$250 to \$5; calves, \$250 to \$7; extra fed steers, \$450 to \$575. Hogs-Receipts, 30,000; active and strong at early prices; mixed butchers, \$585 to \$630; good to choice heavy, \$620 to \$640; rough heavy, \$590 to \$615; light, \$575 to \$6; bulk of sales at \$590 to \$620. Sheep-Receipts, 12,000; sheep steady; lambs loc to 15c lower; good to choice wethers, \$475 to \$525; western sheep and yearlings, \$450 to \$6; native lambs, \$375 to \$650; western lambs, \$525 to \$660.

lambs, \$5 25 to \$6 60.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 262; mainly consigned direct; one car of steers sold at steady prices; exports today, 16 cattle, 10 sheep, about 150 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 21; weak; veals sold at \$7 50 to \$8 30. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,528; sheep firm, lambs slow; prices weak, particularly for common and medium stock; sheep sold at \$4 to \$4 \$7\frac{1}{2}; lambs, \$6 to \$6 90; culls, \$5 50. Hogs—Receipts, 3,644.

London, Feb. 20.—Cattle are unchanged at from 13c to 13%c per lb, dressed weight; sheep, 12e to 12½c per lb; lambs, 13%c to 14c per lb; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10c to 10½c per lb.

CIL MARKETS. PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 20.-Oil closed

OIL CITY, Pa., Feb. 20.—Credit balances, \$1 15; certificates, no bid. PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 21.—Oil opened at \$1 15. THE DAIRY MARKETS. CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 20.—Butter—Easy; creamerles, 18½c to 28c; dairies, 18½c to 24c. Cheese—Strong, 10c to 12½c. Eggs—Easier; fresh, 31½c to 32½c.

IDLE MEN ARE NOW PLENTIFUL

Says London Correspondent of the Labor Gazette.

Railroads, Factories and Foundries Are Doing Rushing Business, However.

Mr. Alexander Woonton, local correspondent of the Labor Gazette, reports as follows:

as follows:

Idle men are quite numerous in this city at present, those connected with the building trades being without work. On the railroads business is fair, and in the factories and foundries business is good.

Bricklayers, builders' laborers, carpenters and painters are nearly all idle, and ters and painters are nearly all idle, and expect to be for some time.

Barbers report all journeymen in the city as members of their organization. The agreement entered into between the barbers of this city to close all shops on holidays has been broken, and the shops are again open holiday mornings.

The bartenders are asking all union men to refuse patronizing any hotels in the city where barmaids are employed.

Broommakers report business as good, and their organization in splendid condition. ters and painters are nearly all idle, and

Boilermakers are very busy at present,

Boilermakers are very busy at present, and all hands are working.
Cigarmakers report business as fair.
Some \$50 has been collected from local labor organizations in aid of the striking Montreal cigarmakers.
Coal employes are having a busy season, and have added a number of members to their roll during the month.
Machinists report all their members working and trade as fair.
Molders are very busy. At McClary's they are putting in floors for about ten more men, and are molding an average more men, and are molding an average of sixteen tons of iron per day.

Plumbers, gas and steam fitters, outside of repairing, have very little to do.

Polishers, buffers and platers report trade fair, and all hands working.

The printing trade still continues in a very busy condition. Every available hand is working and considerable trans. very busy condition. Every available hand is working, and considerable overtime is being put in. The Advertiser Printing Company has purchased a building site, and will erect new buildings. Tailors are slack, and some are doing

LADIES SHOULD KNOW

There Is a Remedy That Will Cure All Female Troubles -- A Woodstock Experience. Woodstock, Ont., Feb. 17 .- A remark-

able case happened here recently and has caused not a little wonderment. Mrs. Wm. Rowe, of 311 Dundas street had been a sufferer from female weakness of the most stubborn type for over twelve years. Everything seemed at all likely to help her had been tried, but she got no better. Finally she began to read of ladies who had been cured of Female Trouble by Dodd's Kidney Pills. She says: "The doctors told me I could never be cured. I had suffered for twelve years and had tried everything with no good result. At last I read of Dodd's Kidney Pills and began a treatment. They completely cured me. owe my life and health to Dodd's

THE SENSIBLE WAY

Kidney Pills, and to nothing else."

American Newspaper Publishers' Association Authorizes Arbitration Agreement With Typographical Union.

New York, Feb. 20.-The Newspaper Publishers' Association today adopted a resolution authorizing an arbitration agreement with the International Typographical Union for five years, beginning May 1 next. A similar agreement with the pressmen was approved yesterday. Another resolution adopted suggested a codification of all laws and rulings governing second-class mail matter, and an annual revision thereof; the codification to be made whenever the programme now in process for restricting the use of the second-class mail privilege for legitimate purposes shall have been effectively performed by the postoffice department.

postoffice department.

It was also resolved to petition congress to abolish the duty on wood pulp, mechanical ground wood and lumber used in the manufacture of paper, and to ask that the duty on used print paper to ask that the day of the reduced.

The election of officers resulted thus: President, Charles H. Taylor, jun. of the Boston Globe; vice-president, A. A. McCormick. Chicago Record-Herald; secretary, W. C. Bryant, Brooklyn Times; treasurer, Edward P. Call, New York

The journeymen tailors of Ottawa want an increase in pay, which, according to the schedule they present, will average about 15 per cent.

FOUL, LOATHSOME, DISCUSTING CATARRHI Secure Relief in 10 Minutes

And a Radical Cure.

Does your head ache? Have you pains over your eyes? Is there a constant dropping in the throat? Is the breath offensive? These are certain symptoms of Catarrh. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder will cure most stubborn cases in a marvellously short time. If you've had Catarrh a week it's a sure cure. If it's of fifty years' standing free circulation as a parliamentary pub-

Saturday's ENTERTAINED A Specials Bayley's Bargain Store.

Shoppers on Saturday will make a dollar go a long way here. We give an inkling of its power here:

TOWELINGS-Three leaders at 5c, 8c and 10c-The good, stout, old Irish linen sort; the kind that wears well, washes, and has the proper drying qualities. 25 pieces Linen Toweling, regular 8c, 18 inches wide, pretty stripe border, goes on sale at 5c.

Flannelette.

Another batch of those Plain Saxonys in plain blue and red only, regular 121/2c, goes on at 71/2c.

Skirtings. The last of them; were 35c and 50c, in handsome metallic stripes and plain

colored Moreens, go for 15c. Corsets. Remarkable selling in the Corset

Section. Don't be misled. Compare and think for yourself. Regular \$1 00, \$1 25 and \$1 50, and in some instances \$2 00 grades; odd lines, but every size here; your choice for 50c. Cottons.

Fine Bleached Cottons and Cambrics at cut prices; our special for Saturday will be a beautiful cloth, fine, round,

twisted thread, worth 10c, selling at Three Spools Best Sewing Cotton

for loc. Remnants.

A large lot of Staple Remnants; 40 ends of Table Linen, lengths from 1½ to 3 yards; makers' ends; some slightly soiled, which comes out in the wash; full one-third off regular prices. Our customers find these ends money-sav-

Watch the Doing of for Saturday at 75c. This Store.

We cannot afford to be undersold, and what's more, we don't intend to be. We will at all times protect our patrons.

EXPENSES OF

LABOR BUREAU

The Management of the Labor

Gazette Criticised.

the Manufacturer's Side Is

Heglected.

Ottawa, Feb. 21.-Yesterday, while

the house was in committee of supply,

on the items for civil government, a

warm debate took place on the item of

\$13,450 for the department of labor,

several opposition members taking oc-

casion to criticise the management of

Mr. W. R. Brock objected to the cost of the editorial staff of the Labor Ga-

zette as extremely high. A good deal

of fault had also been found, he said, from time to time with the manner in

which the paper had been conducted.

Statements appeared in its columns, which were entirely incorrect, but ap-

peals to have them corrected were ig-

Mr. Mulock expressed surprise at

the statement made by Mr. Brock, and

promised if particulars were furnished

regarding the alleged misstatements

to make a thorough inquiry, and the matter could be discussed at a later

date. The policy of himself and the chief editor was to have nothing ap-

pear in the Gazette except statements

of fact, which were not only true tech-

nically, but which were substantially

fair at true. The item to which Mr.

Brock took exception provided for the

general administration of the depart-

ment of labor; including the fair wage

and alien labor law and the concilia-

Mr. Ingram said very much fault

could not be found with the Labor

Gazette on the ground of political par-

tisanship. The manufacturers, how-

ever, were dissatisfied with its con-

duct, and voiced their dissatisfaction

in a resolution, which he read, stating

that the Gazette was not a particle of

asmuch as they were not permitted to

set forth their side in its columns in

the event of a dispute between em-

Mr. Mulock would have expected to

find Mr. Ingram upon the other side of

the question respecting the resolution referred to. He thought the resolution

had not fairly represented the deliberate opinion of thoughtful members.

and that those who supported it,

their views. Mr. Ingram had voiced

the objection of the manufacturers that

the Labor Gazette did not follow in

Washington. The intention in establishing the Labor Gazette was to fol-

low the precedent set by the Labor Ga-

zette of Great Britain, that it should

not be the organ of any person; that

it should publish no opinions, but con-

fine itself strictly to statistics and

facts, thus making it as valuable to

payment of \$100 per annum to corre-

spondents of The Gazette. From the

SEVERAL ITEMS INCLUDED.

ster did not confine his attention to

the editing of the Labor Gazette, but that he had other duties of great im-portance and value to the country to

discharge. The Gazette had a large

Mr. Mulock, with some warmth,

Mr. Casgrain found fault with the

one class as to the other.

same line as the Labor Bulletin of

ployer and employed.

use to the manufacturing interests, in-

the Labor Gazette.

nored.

MERRY COMPANY.

Employes of Whiskard's Three Busy Stores Given Dinner by Mr. and Mrs.

The employes of Whiskard's Three Busy Stores were delightfully entertained last night at their employer's handsome residence at the corner of Wolfe and Wellington streets. A similar affair has taken place annually for the last ten years, and has added greatly to the kindly feeling which has ever existed between the employes of the establishment and Mr. Whis-

kard. This meeting of the former with the latter is productive of much good The employes are made to feel that their efforts are appreciated, and that their interests are those of their employer.

In the roomy, beautifully furnished dining-room dinner was arranged for 40 persons, that number constituting the working staff of the stores. tables were laid with a dainty but sumptuous repast, and presented a most tempting appearance. The guests of the evening arrived shortly after six and remained until about 10:30 o'clock. The entire house was thrown open to them, and the scene presented was animated and beautiful. Mr. and Mrs. Whiskard were at the head of the long table, and received many congratulations on the excellence of the dinner and the warmth of their hospitality.

After the supper the musical talent of the Three Busy Stores entertained the company. Among those who assisted were Misses Ethel Brown, Moore, Maud Smith and Bessie Rowed.

Games of a most entertaining nature were enjoyed, and the party retired, voting the evening one of the most pleasant of their lives, and extending good wishes to their host and hostess

Luck or Pluck?

fle, and another line, deep muslin flounce, two clusters of tucks and Val-Outside my window, under the sun-shine of brand New Year, two tiny enciennes insertion, worth \$1 25, special boys and their sleighs were busy. It is only a little hill, a few feet long, and a big boy came by and pushed Made of fine cotton, nicely finished and perfect-fitting, worth 121/2c, Saturday 75 them down the slope, and the sleigh darted across the road and struck the At 23c-Well made, good cotton, trimsidewalk with a startling bump. med neck and sleeves, with fine embroidery, worth 35c, Saturday for 23c.

And one boy cried and said he wouldn't pay, and the other crawled up the little hill and slid down again, but not so hard, not so far, and there was no bump.

He was a plucky boy.
Over in a stock yard saloon in Chicago a couple of months ago a big chap, who did not know what he was up against, made a vicious pass at Jim opp, the Canadian light-weight boxer But Popp side-stepped, and hit the bully on the jaw and he went down. culation. He emphasized the fact that But he got up again, only to go down, and when they picked him up for the last time he said: the item covered all the general staff of the department engaged in the en-

"What hit me?" The bully was plucky. Popp was skillful

government contracts, and the alien labor law. The deputy minister had best pluck is the trained pluck, the skillful kind The British officers in South Africa who stood up to be shot down were tween employer and employe. He deplucky but not skillful. It's better to precated unfair criticism of the deputy lie down than to be shot down. It's easier getting up afterwards, and you don't need so many ambulance wagons. Conservative Members Complain That of tempting, offers received from the United States. In every department

Close up the book. Open another. Make a set of resolutions if you

who was making a personal sacrifice to serve Canada. Mr. Mulock said Keep them if you can. there was no man in Canada today If you break one, mend it. who had studied as deeply the great A broken resolution may be mended preblem of labor as Mr. King, who had the same as a broken leg, and because taken a post-graduate course in the broken legs are weaker than the per-University of Chicago, was given a fect ones is no reason why they should fellowship by Harvard University, the not be set and mended. faculty of which sent him abroad to If the resolution is too badly busted, study the labor problem. When the make a new one.

How's your pluck? A boy fell through the ice in the river at Guelph, and another boy hustled up to the hole on his skates, and, endeavoring to rescue him, fell in too.

It was a plucky attempt, though. Another boy crawled along on stomach, and stuck the end of a thin shinny stick in the first fellow's mouth, and pulled him to safe ice. Then he said: "Dig in the toes of your skates, and hold on to the end of this stick," and he crawled again, and rescued the would-be rescuer. His was a skillful pluck.

How's your pluck? The paymasters of the twentieth century do not pay men for the size of the arm, but for the breadth of brain.

Brain is good enough. Brawn is better. President James A. Garfield said: pound of pluck is worth a ton of There is a two thousand to from a tow-path. Are you more confident of your ability to do it better than the other fel-

How's your pluck Step lively and look men and things in the face, for the world is never ashamed of a fellow unless he is first ashamed of himself.

Life is no joke. Be very much earnest, and get in the thick of the battle, for the man with the scars is beans, buckwheat, cloverseed, oats, peas, rye, wheat and agricultural implements. There are, he explained, the man who wins the plaudits and the pension. How's your pluck?

The day just past was a pleasant one, but have you plenty of pluck for rougher days ahead? When 1902 is written for the last rect. time will it be a grand average? New Year's! Is your vision larger than it was a

A business man west of Toronto was nominated to contest a riding in the Conservative interests, and said to himeslf: "Here I'm lucky in business and my luck will follow me in this election '

But the other fellow, a young chap, got out, and for six months hustled like the mischief on the quiet, developed a strong grasp, and worked the glad right with the regularity of a pump handle.

The young fellow was elected. The business man was surprised. Lucky fellow. Plucky fellow. Take away the "P," and you change

order of things, and make the world a lottery. If you are plucky, though, it's ten to me the world will say you're lucky.
The world seldom loks for causes. It keeps its eye open for effects.— Charles F. Raymond, in Toronto Star.

American vs. Canadian Canned Meats The recent tests between American and Canadian canned meats prove that no canned meats are superior to those packed by W. Clark, Montreal. 13c v

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May be permitted to drink all they wish of Caramel Cereal, a healthful substitute for Tea and Coffee. It is a healthful beverage and they will thrive on it. Coffee is a stimulant. Caramel Cereal is a food drink. All brain workers and those of

weak digestion will find Caramel Cereal



a perfect substitute for the nerve destroying Tea and Coffee. The original Cereal Coffee, in use for twenty years.

All good grocers sell it. 20 cents per package.-1 package makes 100 cups. Granose Biscuits are relished by the Children.

JOHN BULL AS SAM'S FRIEND

Attitude of England Was Distinctly Friendly to U. S.

"British People Were Undisguisedly With Us," Says the Washington Star.

The attitude of the English government toward Germany and that of the German givernment toward England are correct, says the Washington Star. And yet at the present time the English people hate the Germans and the German people hate the English most cordially. The coarse cartoons one shot from the lips of the graduate with which the German pictorial press is excoriating the English King are re-sented in London with intense feeling. while the Prince of Wales' arriving in Berlin to help celebrate the Kaiser's birthday is received without a cheer or a handclap on the streets. If some sudden turn of the wheel should bring the two powers into collision, the masses of the people would enter into the conflict with passionate zest. We may read in this situation something for our instruction in the matter of the much discussed attitude of the leading foreign powers toward us immediately preceding and during the war with Spain. It is insisted that this attitude was in every case cor-England, Russia, Germany, France, all resent the charge-not brought by us-of unfriendliness. Let that be granted, and we have still to reckon with the fact of public sentinent in those countries openly manifested toward America and Americans at that time. In every country but England this sentiment was distinctly hostile. Travelers reported it in their private letters home, and newscorrespondents noted it in their ispatches. Americans in Paris were reated with pronounced rudeness in the cafes and on the promenades.

restrained. Both people and press cheered every effective shot that we fired from the beginning to the close

"Kind hearts are more than coro-And they are more than state papers and official dispatches. The American people believe that the English were our friends in the war with Spain because the social atmosphere of the island, as so many Americans knew it, makes the claim entirely good. The government was neutral, They were undisguisedly with not. The y were undisguisedly with

CANCER RUNS IN FAMILIES

An Hereditary Predisposition to the Disease That Must Be Guarded Against.

Did my grandfather, grandmother, aunts or uncles die of cancer? is a question that every person approaching mid-life would do well to ponder, especially if there be lumps or sores appearing on any portion of the body. Cancer, you know, often runs in families, and if there has been any trace of the disease in your progenitors, better be on your guard. If there be any lump, sore or ulcer that does not prove amendable to ordinary treatment, you should start taking the New Constitutional Remedy, which is the most thoroughgoing treatment known for cancers, tumors and all malignant growths. It's easy to cure cancer in the first stages-more difficult when the roots are all through the system-still the New Remedy cures in all stages but the very last (even then it gives great relief), without the need of you enduring any painful operation or torturing plaster. Send two stamps to Stott & Jury, Bowmanville, Ont., for

J. Rempson, of North Bay, dropped dead at his work.

full particulars.

Mrs. Winslows Soothing Syrup Has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES the CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES the CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS, ALLAYS all PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's" Soothing Syrup.

A Physicians Testimony

ALEXANDRIA, DEC., 20th. 190% Speaking from personal experience I can state that your Stout is excellent in building up the system -I was very much run down and was advised to use Labatt's Porter-this I have done for some time and I largely attribute to its effects my steady improvement in strength and weight. I deem it but justice to you, and it certainly is a pleasure to me, to add my testimony to its sterling qualities, and I gladly recommend your Stout as an excellent tonic and food in cases where such is required. JOHN LABATT, Esq., Brewer, London, Ont Yours truly, G. S. TIFFANY, M.D.

For Labatt's Stout.

But the atmosphere in England was

different. Americans remarked it im-

mediately upon landing. It was not the

English speech alone which brought

There was a plain manifestation of

what was so clearly approaching. And

when the war began, and the Ameri-

expressed it, "very much alive," both on sea and land, the applause among

the English people was open and un-

cans showed themselves, as the English

sympathy with the United States

suggestion of home and comfort.

TO THOSE OF SEDENTARY OCCU-

TO THOSE OF SEDENTARY OCCU-PATION.—Men who follow sedentary oc-cupations, which deprive them of fresh air and exercise, are more prone to dis-orders of the liver and kidneys than those who lead active, outdoor lives. The former will find in Parmelee's Vegetable Pills a restorative without question the most efficacious on the market. They are easily procurable, easily taken, act expeditiously, and they are surprisingly cheap considering their excellence,

when they understood the question fully, would have reason to change Pul Your Things in Presentable Shape and Appearance for the Coming Spring. An early spring is predicted by many

this year. Now is the time to look cast-off dresses, skirts, capes, jackets, blouses, ribbons and feathers, and put them in stylish con-A few packages of the true and tried Diamond Dyes, judiciously used. age of Diamond Dyes, costing 10 cents, rich Cardinal, Brown, Terracotta Olive Green, Bottle Green, Navy and women bless the advent of Diamond made wry faces if the proposal had Dyes. They are true money-savers at been made at that time to pay him all seasons.

Send your address on postal card to The Wells & Richardson Co., Limited, 200 Mountain street, Montreal, P. Q., and you will be furnished with sheets again pointed out that the deputy minof new designs for pretty mats and

Word has been received that one of

dition for another season's wear.

will do a marvelous work for you, and report of the auditor-general he gathsave you many dollars that would ered that the paper cost \$18,000 a year, otherwise have been expended on new garments and materials. One packwhich was altogether too much, when compared with the cost of daily newspapers. He called special attention to the salary of the deputy head of the department, who entered the service at Black, will give new life to any light-colored and faded dress. Millions of \$1,750. Mr. Casgrain said that supporters of the government would have

> the two new curing stations for cheese factories will be built at Woodstock, Ont.

GANIZATION.

Niagara Falls.

the province attended the executive

meeting of the Ontario Liberal-Con-

servative Association, held yesterday

afternoon at Toronto, for the purpose

of discussing the organization work for the coming provincial elections. Dr. Beattie Nesbitt presided, and spoke on the immediate necessity of

Catharines; Col. Sam Hughes, M.P.; H. Cronmiller, Welland; C. J. Thorn-

ton, Bowmanville, and W. A. Gribble,

MR. C. S. HYMAN

Railway Committee.

Mr. Arch. Campbell, West York, Will

Be Chairman of Banking and

Commerce.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 21.-The standing

committees of the house met this

morning to elect chairmen. Mr. Chas.

S. Hyman, M. P., of London, was

elected chairman of the railway com-

mittee, which is considered the most

important of the committees. He suc-

was recently elevated to the cabinet.

Mr. Mahlon K. Cowan, of Windsor,

received the chairmanship of the pri-

are: Privileges and elections, F. B.

eastern cases. No London cases were

Dr. Bucke's Death.

[Toronto Globe.]

knew him through his literary associa-

tions and his published thoughts on

some of the deeper problems of ex-

istence. He did not accept the general

perception of the limits of human

thought and consciousness, but main-

tained that there were some men, the

most superb mentally and physically

among their fellows, to whom there

came, at the zenith of their lives, a

vastly wider perception of the uni-

verse. To this gift or revelation he

gave the name "cosmic consciousness."

Walt Whitman, his life-long friend, he

declared, was a man so endowed.

Whitman's experience, told in his char-

acteristic way, striving to be explicit,

but struggling against the bars that

must ever surround new thoughts, has

been compared by Dr. Bucke with that

of St. Paul, when "suddenly there

The same experience has been nar-

rated by one or two others, and these,

Dr. Bucke claims, have a wider per-

ception of the universe than as vouch-

safed to ordinary mortals. He also

claims that in the elevation of the

race this consciousness, now appear-

come common and universal. As one

of Whitman's literary executors, he

end is all the more deeply regretted.

SPORTING NEWS.

HOCKEY.

NO GAMES TONIGHT.

eague games take place on Monday,

An Attractive Window.

Preparations have been made for some pretty big selling at Woods' Fair

The special display of Candy, Or-

anges and Lemons in their show win-

dow is creating a great deal of at-

many seasonable and desirable bar-gains in Wall Paper, Tinware and Woodenware. Have a look at their

big ad. in tonight's paper. See what

prostrated. The stomach refuses 100d, and there is a constant and distressing effort to free the stomach from blie which has become unduly secreted there. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are a speedy alterative, and in neutralizing the effects of the intruding bile relieves the pressure on the nerves which cause the headache. Try them.

Besides this they are putting in

tention.

they are doing.

Feb. 24, when the St. John's and Me-

shined around about him a light."

News of the tragic death of Dr.

Carling's

H. BUTLER, STOCK BROKER. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or on margin. Send for vest pocket manual. Long distance 'phone 1,278. OFFICES—Masonic Temple, London.

TO-DAY'S MARKETS

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Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser, Yesterday's

NEW YORK STOCKS.

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Pennsylvania 1494	149%	149%	14834	1491/
People's Gas 9934	99%	993/4	9936	
R. 1161	1591/2	161	1591/4	
Reading 83%	813%	8138	8114	
St. Paul 16314	163	16333	1625%	
Southern Rv. Pfd 95%	90%	9514	25	9514
Southern Pacific 64%	63%	61%	6334	
Texas 40 %	40%	40%	39 1/8	
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No markets Saturday-Washington's Birth TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET. Toronto, Feb. 21.—Wheat—Quiet, at 73½c for red and white, middle freights; goose, 68c bid for No. 2. low freights to New York; spring steady, at 73c for No. 1 and 72c for No. 2 east; Manitoba firmer; No. 1 hard, 88c, and No. 1 northern at 85c; No. 2 northern, 82c, grinding in transit, via Sarnia. Flour—Steady; 90 per cent patents, \$2.90 asked in buyers' bags, middle freights; choice brands are 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba, \$4.20 for cars of Hungarian patents, and \$4 for strong bakers, on the track at Toronto, bags

included. Milifeed—Easier, at \$18 50 for shorts, and \$16 50 to \$17 for bran in bulk, middle freights. Barley—Steady, at 56c for No. 1, 55c for No. 2, 52c for No. extra, and 50c for feed, middle freights. Buckwheat—Steady, at 55c bid, low freights, New York. Rye—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 56c; No. 2 yellow, 51½c, with buyers outside at 56½c. Oats—Quiet; No. 2 white offered at 41c on the G. T. R., high freights, and 41½c in buyers' sacks, low freights, New York, with 41c bid. Peas—Steady; No. 2 at 80c west. Butter—Offerings of low grades and medium dairies plentiful; choice goods are scarce and steady; creamery prints, 21c to 22c; solids, 20c to 21c; dairy pound rolls, choice, 17c to 18c; large rolls, choice, 16½c to 17c; tubs, 14c; medium and 10w grades, 10c to 12½c. Eggs—Offerings only fair; steady, at 23c to 25c for new-laid. Live hogs—Receipts today, 1,500; prices 4c ingher, at 64c for choice bacon, and 6c for heavy and light fats.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Flour—Receipts, 12,849 bbls; sales, 3,700 pkgs; flour had a fair trade in spring patents, but little feature otherwise. Rye flour—Steady; fair to good, \$3 25 to \$3 40; choice to fancy, \$3 50 to \$3 75. Wheat—Receipts, 61,750 bu; sales, 575,000 bu; wheat was inactive all the forenoon, and about steady on cables and fears of another good export trade. May, 83% to \$3 15-16c; July, 83% to 83%; Sept., 82 9-16c to 82% c. Rye—Dull; state, 64c to 65c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 66c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 14,000 bu; sales, 105,000 bu; corn was steady but dull, without change from last night; May, 66% to 66% c. July, Receipts, 18,000 bu; oats showed a steady undertone also, but no trading features. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3%c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3%c; molasses sugar, 2%c; refined firm. Coffee—Easy; No. 7 Rio, 5%c. Lead—Firm. Wool—Steady. CHICAGO EXCHANGE. AMERICAN MARKETS.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE. Reported for The Advertiser by F. H. Butler, stock brokers CHICAGO, Feb. 21.

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.
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Wheat—May ... 78%
July ... 78%
Corn—May ... 61%
July ... 61%
Oats—May ... 43%
July ... 36%
Pork—May ... 15 70 1
Lard—May ... 9 40
Ribs—May ... 8 46 ENGLISH MARKETS. LIVERPOOL

and no zero temperatures are reported the morning. The following table shows the quotations per cental yesterday for American products at Liverpool, as well as for the three previous market days. In each case

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LIVERPOOL, Feb. 21—Closing.
Wheat—Spot steady: No. 1 northern
spring, 6s 2d; No. 2 red western winter,
6s 1\(^4\)d; No. 1 California, 6s 2\(^4\)d; futures
quiet; March, 6s 1\(^4\)d; May, 6s 1\(^4\)d.
Corn—Spot, American mixed, new,
steady, 5s 1d; American mixed, old, quiet,
5s 2d; futures steady; Feb. nominal;
March, 5s 1\(^4\)d; May, 5s 1\(^4\)d.
Peas—Canadian, steady, 8s 6d.
Flour—St. Louis, fancy, winter, firm,
8s.

£3 10s to £4 10s. -Firm, extra India, 79s. Pork-Firm; prime mess, western, 72s. Hams-Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady,

48s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, steady, 41s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, steady, 43s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, quiet, 45s; long clear middles, heavy, 25 to 40 lbs, quiet, 44s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, steady, 45s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 49s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, dull, 35s 6d. 35s 6d. Lard-American refined, in pails, quiet,

47s.
Butter—Steady; finest United States, 90s; good United States, 72s.
Cheese—Firm; American finest white, 48s 6d; American finest colored, 49s 6d.
Tallow—Prime city, steady, 29s 6d; Australian in London, firm, 31s 6d.
Turpentine spirits—Steady, 30s 6d.
Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot, quiet 24s 136d.

quiet, 24s 11/d.

Rosin—Common, steady, 4s.

Petroleum—Refined, steady, 71/d.

Linseed oil—Firm, 32s 3d.

Receipts of wheat during the past three days, 209,000 centals, including 117,000 American.

Receipts of American corp. during the past three days, 209,000 centals, including 117,000 American. quiet, 24s 11/2d.

Receipts of American corn during the past three days, 25,000 centals. Weather-Dull.

Mr. Carnegie's Epitaph.

[Detroit Free Press.] Mr. Carnegie framed an epitaph for himself the other day when he formal-Stevens Institute. It is as follows:

Here lies a man who knew : how to get around him a: : great many men who were : much cleverer than he was : : himself.

Epitaphs are usually more laudatory than truthful: but here is one that is honest, and at the same time complimentary. It is doubtful if any of Mr. Carnegie's flattering friends could have paid him a higher tribute than he pays himself, and at the same time has not overstepped the bounds of modesty. The epitaph is a brief explanation of the secret of his success. It is the secret of the success of all great captains, whether of war or of industry. Some of them are not sufclever to recognize the sources of their success, and few of them are so frank as Mr. Carnegie has been. Mr. Carnegle was cleverer in a general way than the men with whom he surrounded himself; but each of these men was cleverer in a particular way than Mr. Carnegie. That is how the greatest business in the world was built up, and incidentally Mr. Carnegie has explained why most business men fail. They are not sufficiently clever to recognize cleverness in others, and to utilize that cleverness for their own purposes. There was a scant element of luck in Mr. Carnegie's success. He was able to perceive ability, and wise enough to make it profitable for able men to serve him. That is the highest form of in-

dustrial genius. TO YE SCANDAL MONGERS. Go, twirl you thistledown,
Till its fleecy dress of snow
Is scattered to the winds,

Fair harbinger of woe. Now gather them again.
'Tis beyond thy power or sway. The tiny atomie Gathers volume on the way, And leaves a roseless thorn.

No honeyed words can lave
The sting that oft is borne
Silent to the grave.

NOT EXACTLY A DISTILLERY. Judge Craig Biddle was escorting a visitor to Philadelphia over the city, and as they passed the penitentiary

the visitor inquired blandly:
"Judge, is that a new distillery?" "Not exactly," answered the judge, "but it is a rectifying plant."

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WELTHED DULLETIN

	Lond	on, Feb.	21-8 a.m.			
	TEMPERATURE.					
STATIONS-	Sam.	Min	WEATHE			
Calgary	30	30	Fair			
Winnipeg	26	16	Cloudy			
Parry Sound		8	Fair			
Toronto	22	16	Cloudy			
Ottawa		23	Fair			
Montreal	20	16	Cloudy			
Quebec	12	8	Cloudy			
Father Point	14	10	Cloudy			

Saturday—Strong north and northeast winds; snow flurries and a little lower temperature. WEATHER NOTES. The weather is now fine and compara-tively mild throughout the Dominion. Yesterday the temperature was between 40° and 50° in the Northwest Territories,

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

-L. P. Lewis, passenger agent of the Ohio Central lines, was in the city yesterday on a business trip. -The G. T. R. Waltz Club entertained over 40 couples to a very pleasant dance at the Palace Academy last vate bills committee, succeeding Hon. H. G. Carroll, now solicitor-general; and A. Campbell, M. P., West York,

-Deputy Sheriff Watterworth's illness took a slight turn for the worse yesterday, but he is reported as slightly improved today. -Mr. and Mrs. John McClary and Miss Smart, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Emery and Miss Emery left Thursday for a three months' visit to Los Angeles,

evening.

-The reopening services of the Hill Street Methodist Church, which has undergone thorough renovation, will be held on Sunday, Feb. 23. Services at 11 a.m., 2:45 p.m. and 7 p.m. Speakers, Revs. Birks, Bishop and Scott. -The Daughters of the Empire, under whose auspices Lieut.-Col. Deni-son, of Toronto, lectured in the Auditorium recently, announce that after all expenses have been paid \$40 50 remain to be applied to the soldiers'

graves fund. NEIL MCNEIL IN CHARGE. The death of Postmaster Thomas A. Browne leaves the London postoffice in rather shorthanded condition, Assistant Postmaster Sharman having retired a few weeks ago. Inspector Hopkirk has appointed Mr. Neil Mc-Neil, superintendent of clerks, to take

emporary charge of the office. PAINE-MARCELLE.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the parsonage of the First Methodist Church on Tuesday evening, Feb. 18, when Miss Rose Marcelle, of Flint, Mich., was united in marriage to Wm. Paine, son of Conductor Paine, of the G. T. R. Rev. Mr. Bishop tied the nuptial knot. Mr. and Mrs. Paine will reside in this city.

CONDITION CONTINUES CRITI-

CAL. The condition of Mr. C. W. Smith, of the Jubilee Rink, is still critical. Mr. Smith was brought home from Berlin last night, and has slept nearly all the time since. A clot of blood is believed to be resting on the brain and a piece of the skull is also pressing against it.

PAARDEBURG DAY. Paardeburg Day (Thursday, Feb. 27) will be celebrated in London by a garrison parade. The affair is under the auspices of the Daughters of the Empire, an organization that is doing very commendable work. The entire city garrison will parade at the armories, and will march to St. Paul's Cathedral, where services will be held at 8 p.m. Strangers will be made welcome and a silver collection will be taken up for the soldiers' graves fund.

MASONIC "AT HOME." The Royal Arch Masons of the city entertained their friends to an "At Home" last night at the lodge rooms in the Masonic Temple. Over 400 persons attended. An excellent programme was given by the following: Miss Roblyn, Mr. Thos. Mitcheltree, Miss Kurzenknabe, Mr. Garthwaite, Mr. McRae, Miss Susie McGill, Mr. St. George, Mr. Cresswell, Miss Yates and Mr. Geo. Zwicker. A dance of fourteen numbers followed, and altogether a delightful evening was spent.

MR. HEWLETT'S PROGRAMME. Mr. W. H. Hewlett will play the following programme of organ music at the regular monthly recital in Dundas Center Methodist Church tomorrow afternoon: Prelude and fugue, Mendelssohn; Berceuse, Lemare; Andante, from Beethoven's Fifth Symphony; Caprice, Guilmant; Songs in Night, Spinney; and Toccata from Fifth Symphony, Widor. Mrs. Adam Beck will also contribute the following vocal numbers: "My Redeemer and My Lord," Dudley Buck; "But the Lord is Merciful," from Mendelssohn's "St. Paul"; and Liddle's "Abide With Me."

FORMER LONDONER INJURED. John Mobey, formerly of this city, a brakeman on the L. E. and D. R. R., at St. Thomas, had his leg taken off last night while working on the tracks at that place. He was switching a car of live hogs for the C. P. R. off the main line, and was standing on the breakbeam, when, in reaching to ad-

just the air-brake tube he slipped and

fell under the wheels, the car passed

over one of his legs cutting it off just Ladies' 14k Gold Filled \$12 Ladles' 14k Gold Filled Watches, Warranted 25 Years, plain or beautifully engraved, Waltham or Elgin movements.

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above the knee. Mr. Mobey has not been residing in the city for a number of years, but is well known in railroad circles. He was home about six months ago. His mother resides here. MR. MULOCK'S WARM TRIBUTE. CONSERVATIVES DISCUSS OR-

Fostmaster-General Speaks of Conservatives from different parts of Late Thos. A. Browne.

> Referred to Him as a Good Public Servant and an Esteemed Personal Friend.

proper organization work in the vari-ous constituencies. Many suggestions were offered by those present, but no [Special to The Advertiser.] action was taken. Short speeches were delivered by Messrs. J. J. Foy, M.P.P.; R. Shaw-Wood, London; J. M. W. Coy, president Lincoln County Conservative Association; Ald. C. A. Wilson, St. Catharines: Col. Sar. Hurches. M.P. Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 21.-Londoners in Ottawa received the news of the sudden deaths of Dr. Bucke and Postmaster Browne with the greatest sorrow. The death of Mr. Browne especially shocked those in this city who knew him. Mr. Charles Hyman, M.P., and Mr. George M. Reid, who is in Ottawa, were seen at the Russell House last night. Both were most intimate friends of the deceased London-ers. They were inexpressibly shocked WAS ELECTED by the messages from the west. Hon. Mr. Mulock, postmaster-general, said to your correspondent that he was greatly grieved by hearing of Mr. London's Member Is Chairman of

Browne's death. "He was one of the most valued postmasters in the service. He had mastered the details of the postoffice in a way that I did not believe possible in the time he was in the position. He had shown great promise, and was already one of the most efficient postmasters in Canada. I feel his death very keenly and regret it upon both private and public grounds. I respected him as a good public servant and esteemed him as a personal friend."

A VERY PRETTY HOME WEDDING

Miss Mae Louiss Hockin Becomes Wife of Mr. Wm. A. Howell. ceeds Hon. James Sutherland, who

A very pretty home wedding took place on Wednesday evening, Feb. 19, at the residence of the bride's grandfather, Mr. William Hockin, 428 Horton street, when Miss Mae Louise, daughter of the late succeeds the present Judge Britton, as chairman of the banking and com-merce committee. Other chairmen S. Hockin, became the bride of Mr. William Augustus Howell, of the firm are: Privileges and elections, F. B. Wade, M. P., Annapolis, N. S.; standing orders, T. B. Flint, M. P., Yarmouth, N. S.; expiring laws, H. J. Logan, M. P., Cumberland, N. S.; agriculture, J. H. Legris, M. P., Maskinonge, Quebec, and library, Speaker Brodeur. The railway committee of the privy council met this morning and of Howell Bros., Windsor.

The bride, attired in a brown traveling suit, with trimmings of white satin and chiffon, and carrying white bridal roses, entered the room on the arm of her grandfather, to the strains of Mendelssohn's "Wedding March," rendered by Mrs. Gertrude Harrison, cousin of the brida The bride was attended by her sister,

the privy council met this morning and considered a number of Toronto and The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Loree, charmingly gowned in pale blue nun's veiling, and carrying pink roses; while Miss Reita Paull, niece of the bride, in pale blue silk and with her basket of flowers, made a beautiful little flower girl. The groom was assisted by his brother, Fred L. Howell, of Windsor. The knot was tied by Rev. C. T. Scott, pastor of Dundas Center Church. The young couple received gifts from The young couple received gifts from New York, Buffalo, Cleveland, Windsor, Detroit and other cities, among which was a handsome silver tea service, the Bucke, medical superintendent of the London Insane Asylum, will come as shock to a wide circle of personal friends, and also to a wider circle who

gift of the groomsman.

The groom's gift to the bride was a beautiful pearl sunburst; to the bridesmaid a solltaire pearl ring, and to the little flower girl a dainty locket and The happy couple left, amidst showers of rice, for Montreal and other points.

POLITICAL MATTERS

Banquet to the Leader of the Ontario Opposition—Liberal Member Unseated.

The supreme court at Ottawa on Thursday delivered judgment unseating Mr. Loy (Liberal), member for Beauharnois. The trial judge annulled the election, but an appeal was taken to the supreme court. This appeal has now been dismissed. Sir Louis Davies dissented from the majority decision of court. The appeal in the Richelieu election

case was quashed. This does not af-fect the merits of this case, as the appeal was on preliminary objections. Liberal members of the Ontario Gov ernment held a caucus Thursday afternoon. It is supposed that the pro-hibition bill was under discussion, but nothing was given out for publication. Messrs. Pardo. M. P. P., and Lee, M. P. P., with a number of fishermen, interviewed Premier Ross on Thursday in regard to fishery rights on ing rarely in human history, will bethe River Thames.

THE WHITNEY BANQUET. Toronto. Feb. 21.-The banquet tenhelped to bring the works of the poet dered last evening by the opposition members of the legislature to their leader, Mr. J. P. Whitney, while not of democracy before the attention of the reading public. Dr. Bucke was inrevealing any new features of the sistent in maintaining the Bacon side party programme, was a success from the standpoint of enthusiasm and good-fellowship. The company was of the Shakespeare-Bacon controversy. In his chosen specialty of mental dismade up largely of the parliamentary eases he was recognized as a high delegation and the presidents and secauthority. A man of sound health, retaries of Conservative associations and candidates for the legislature with apparently many years of activity throughout the province, and numbered nearly 400. In addition to the guest and usefulness before him, the sudden of the evening, there were such prominent speakers as Mr. R. L. Borden, the Dominion Conservative leader, and Mr. F. D. Monk, M.P., the Conserva-tive leader in Quebec. Mr. Whitney's speech contained a recital of his attitude toward provincial issues, similar to those of his former speeches. All three speakers alluded in a long-range manner to the prohibition question, their attitude being that of non-Owing to a misunderstanding, signs were placed on the street cars this interference in what they considered a perplexing situation for Premier morning stating that two City League hockey matches would be played at the Jubilee rink tonight. The next

"The Uncertainty of Life." morials and the Argonauts and Orients

This is the stock-taking season with most business men, and it is a time when it is advisable for all men to examine and see how their families would be left if they should be suddenly called away. If they have not made sufficient provision for that, a good policy in the Imperial Life Insurance Company would be a great assistance to the family. The London office is in the Huron and Erie Building. Telephone No. 589.

WISE PARENT. Teddy - Mamma, Tommy Jones knocked me down on the way home from school today. (After a pause.) But I gave him a bat in the eye! A SURE CURE FOR HEADACHE.— Bilious headache, to which women are more subject than men, becomes so acute in some subjects that they are utterly prostrated. The stomach refuses food. -Before he knocked you down, Teddy, or afterward?

FOR HIM TO PAY. "Do you suppose women will ever be sent to the legislature, Wilkins?" 'Wouldn't be surprised. My wife's inclined that way now."

"Fact. Why, it's no new thing for her to introduce a bill in the house."

TO SUCCEED LATE DR. BUCKE.

Dr. McCallum, of Dunnville, Is Named for Position.

Special Dispatch to The Advertiser From Toronto Announces His Appointment.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, Feb. 21.-Dr. McCallum, of Dunnville, will be appointed to suc-

News in Brief.

ceed Dr. Bucke.

An inquiry into the recent fires at Rat Portage indicates that they were of incendiary origin. Pilot Flemmin, who was on the steamer Grecian when she stranded

has been dismissed from the pilot service. Messrs. W. T. Armour and James Dickson are the chief movers in a

scheme to buy up all the leading laundries in Hamilton. The new steamship Kroonland, launched at Cramps' shipyard, Phila delphia, is the largest vessel thus far

built in the United States. At the meeting of the Manitoba Horsebreeders' Association it was claimed by some members that Col. Dent showed no inclination to look over western horses when he was purchasing remounts for the British army.

Owing to the prevalance of juvenile crime, said to be traceable to the desire of children to get money to attend chean theaters, where sensational performances are given, the Montreal police authorities have decided to make an effort to secure legislation making it illegal for children under 16 years of age to be admitted to such places of

The Modern Englishman.

He rises in the morning from his New England sheets, shaves with American soap and a Yankee safety razor, pulls on his Boston boots over his socks from North Carolina, fas-tens his Connecticut braces, slips his tens his Connecticut braces, slips his Waltham watch into his pocket and historical period"—the British court from Baltimore and a little Kansas of the kingdom, beyond anything to City bacon, while his wife toys with Chicago ox-tongue and the children be achieved. The present King, like eat American oats. At the same time his nephew of Berlin, believes in playhe reads his morning paper printed by bly edited by a smart journalist from New York.

At his office he sits on a Nebraska swivel-chair before a Michigan roll-top desk, writes his letters on a Syracuse typewriter, signs them with a New York fountain pen, and dries them with a blotting-sheet from New England. The letter copies are put away in files manufactured in Grand Rapids. He winds up the day with a couple of pills made in America.-Exchange.

TOBOGGANING WITH AN PHANT. Elephants are so often winners in

an encounter with men that it is rather interesting to learn from Chums of one that was fairly outwitted. It was an African elephant taller, lighter and nimbler than the Asiatic variety. Like most elephants, when roused he proved himself capable of considerable gymnastic feats.

An English sportsman, out after elephants, had wounded a magnificent specimen. Unfortunately for him, the wound was slight, and the animal, greatly infuriated, turned and charged

It was a terrifying sight. With its enormous ears spread out like sails, and emitting shrill notes of rage, the monster came thundering over the ground like a runaway locomotive. The hunter fired a second shot, but missed. His nerve was shaken, and throwing down his rifle, he sought safety in

Near at hand was a steep hill, and toward this he turned; for being but slighty acquainted with the climbing powers of elephants, he thought his pursuer might be baffled by the steepness of the ascent. It was a terrible disappointment to find that the elephant could climb a hill as quickly as

he could, good runner though he was. He would have been speedily overtaken if he had not thought of an expedient. He knew that elephants never run or even walk down a steep incline, but always crouch, gather their feet together, lean well back and slide down. Just as the furious animal got within a few yards of him, therefore, the hunter suddenly doubled

and ran down the hill again. Quick as a flash the elephant turned, too, gathered itself together, and trumpeting with rage, slid down after the man. The hunter had just time to spring out of the way as the great beast came tobogganing after him, smashing trees and shrubs, and carrying everything before it like an ava-

Once more the hunter dashed to the top of the hill, while the elephant, unable to stop itself, went careering down to the very foot, where, aparently understanding that it had been outwitted, and feeling sore and disappointed, it rose to its full height, and walked wearily back to its native woods.

SCIENCE COULD NOT EXPLAIN IT.

A distinguished naturalist recently gave a dinner to a number of learned men. At the conclusion of the repast the company went out into the garden, in the center of which stood a on a rolling ship. large glass globe on a pedestal. Happening to touch this globe one of the talking about this game the other day, side than on the side facing the sun.
He immediately communicated his dissupplies of bats and balls. When the covery to his friends.

in the course of the debate the phe-nomenon was attributed to the law of carded, though how long this is likely reflection or expulsion or something to last there is no saying.

"We run a net down the whole length

put in an appearance, the gentleman

"Well," replied the man, slowly, "the fact is, I just turned it round, for I was afraid that the heat would crack

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The woods an' hills.
Sind jocund thrills
Horizon to horizon. The ichoes mate To cerculate Her honey-laden quavers.

An' angels pause
To give applause
To her entrancin' favors. The little thrush,
Wid many a blush
For his own song-creations, Cocks up his ear, Surproised to hear Sich heavenly modulations.

The brazes lay Their flutes away,

As be some myst'ry ha'nted,

An' Music's silf Gets on the shilf An' howlds her brith enchanted

Hut man! So schwate
Her v'ice 'tw'ud bate
Fantazy or aytudy,
An' Suzy's band!
They'd quit the land
Ef once they'd hear my Judy.
—Wade Whipple.

King Edward's Court.

It is, however, in the promise rather

than the performance of the first year of Edward's reign that the chief public interest centers. In the more lavish distribution of honors, in the rehabilitation of the royal palaces, and in the changes in court ceremonial, notably in the abolition of afternoon drawing-rooms in favor of evening courts, is to be seen a steadfast, and to Englishmen, welcome purpose to make royalty more imposing and more splendid, while keeping its environment carefully in touch with the taste of the time. When court mourning had been put off and when the long duel on the veldt has been ended even the Radicals admit that it will be found on the continent, if that can ing the king to the last inch of gold American machines on American braid. Simple as are many of his paper with American ink, and possibly edited by a smart journalist from ways, he is not going to be a frock-coat monarch. While lacking the picturesqueness of Wilhelm and the unique gift of taking himself seriously at all times, carrying off the impossible easily, Edward is perhaps no less disposed to the spectacular; his faithful subjects seem to want it, and he

is willing to gratify them.

What the world may expect to see by and by is an insular court quite as gorgeous and nearly as gay as that of the third Napoleon in the days when he was supposed to be the arbiter of European destinies. It will not, as expected, be tainted with the corruption that marked the brilliant court of Versailles, wherein Bismarck always fan-cied he sensed the barrack-room odor of Louis Napoleon's Odyssey period.

But it will be the center of the life of a proud and ancient nation, richer than any of its rivals, and headed by a king whose desire to exalt his office is guided by experience, tact and extensive savoir faire. An era of royal magnificence will be grateful to the aristocracy, satisfactory to the tradespeople and probably pleasing to the governing classes, who wish to see an entrancement of the visible tokens

of British authority.

A right royal court will be a thing England has scarcely had since George I. came from Hanover, bringing, as Thackeray notes with characteristic cynicism, among other figures of a somewhat numerous and not altogether seemly entourage, but one laundress. The early kings of this house were Germans, and Germans of the period when whatever was "made in Germany" was a distant and unimpressive copy of Versailles. Their magnificence, such as it was, was exotic and unconvincing. Englishmen do not like to look back to it. The traditions of it have not passed through the furnace of satire without the smell of fire upon

them. Public taste, as well as court morality, has mounted since then; there was room for it. Under Edward VII., if all goes well, there is to be a court that may revive the taste and splendor while banning the profligacy, and, of course, the headiness of the Stuarts .-London Letter to New York Mail and Express.

Ping Pong Afloat.

The ping pong craze-fever it has been called—is growing still more viru-lent. In the windows of fancy goods and toy shops it is the exception if a ping pong set does not occupy the place of

Now another game is striving for a foothold in the drawing-rooms. It is called ping pong football. Miniature goal posts are fixed up at either end of a long table. A small silk ball, inflated with gas, is set going at the center. The players strive, with the aid of fans alone, to drive the ball between their opponents' goal posts.

I don't hear that this game is gaining much ground at present, but the original ping pong gains favor more rapidly than any other society game ever known. It has now gained a foothold on ocean steamers, notwithstanding the difficulties of playing the game well

The purser of an ocean steamship. guests discovered, to his amazement, said: "You'll find it occupying a prom-that it was much warmer on the shady inent place among the amusements adweather is at all decent the one recrea-A warm argument sprang up, and tion is ping pong. Every other form

The host, however, had his suspicion as to the correctness of these theories, and sent for his gardener. When he some time to get accustomed to the motion when the ship is rolling, but is warmer on the shady side than on place the balls almost as accurately as the sunny side "

"Practice goes on all day when the table is not in use for meals. Each evening a sweepstake tournament is arranged, when the excitement is intense. It is by a long way the best all round amusement we've ever had A girl may be reared in the lap of luxury and still be able to adapt herself to the lap of a poor young man.

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"Sir, my grandfather was an honest north-country farmer, who entertained north-country farmer, who entertained that reverence for water which I inherit. I may say, in passing, that I inherit nothing else, except the name of Barton. He was a fine old fellow. I was not born in Lilliput, as you see; but he would have beaten me by a head and neck. One evening, after marketday, he was thrown, or possibly he fell without being thrown, from his horse upon the road, face downward. He was perfectly conscious, however, and found that his face had fallen upon a rut, in which lay two tablespoonfuls of yesterday's rain—just enough, in fact, and no more, to cover his lips and his nostrils. Sir, in order to breathe as freely as you or I, he had only to suck up that water and swallow it—it would not have been more than half a mouthful. But no. 'Not a drop of water have I drunk been more than half a mouthful. But no. 'Not a drop of water have I drunk these sixty years,' he says to himself, and I won't bring shame on my gray hairs by beginning now.' Sir, the consequence was that he was literally drowned in those two tablespoonfuls of water, a martyr to principle. I hope I shall not choke myself with your sausage; but if I do, may I not prove unworthy of my descent from my great ancestor. And so—but here we are."

After having disposed of the contents of the cupboard, Barton took the valise and the shirt to the nearest pawn-broker's. Presently he returned, threw down a shilling or two upon the table, down a shilling or two upon the table, and then, by their side, set two bottles of brandy that he had procured with the remainder of the few shillings that he had raised.
"And now," he said, "we'll make a night of it!"

CHAPTER V. It was in company with this strange specimen of a tribe of Bohemia with which Partsian experience had not brought him in contact, that Felix was introduced to those extreme depths to which allusion was made in the last chapter. They may do somehow manage chapter. That men do somehow manage to exist in those depths without actually drowning is certain; but how they do it is a mystery even to themselves. At one time they only had one coat between them, so that when one had occasion to go out, the other had to stay at home. For income, Felix managed to earn a few shillings from time to time by copying music, and Barton displayed great genius in the borrowing of halfcrowns; but then the latter were generally absorbed by brandy before they reached the common purse. At last even this unsatisfactory method of supply came to an end; for the world will not keep on lending half-crowns for ever. The most intimate friendship will not stead it; and Barton was not a man not stand it: and Barton was not a man who made intimate friends. And then the brandy began to run dry also; and then Barton, having slept through three miserable days, without eating or speak-

miserable days, without eating or speaking, woke up, and said—
"I say old fellow, this will never do.
I've stayed with you because I liked you, and because you offered to share your last blie with me, and because I thought I could help you up again; and here have I been knocking under this blamed liquor, as usual. It won't do, and shan't. You're a good fellow, and I'm a beast—that's the fact. So I've been thinking what could be done. I thought I might go back to Cambridge, and take pupils—I don't suppose they've forgotten my lambles there yet. But then I know I should infallibly come to grief there again, just as I did before:

duet it all single-handed ten times as well as it is conducted now, and they know it; and yet they won't throw me enough work to keep body and soul together. The fact is, I'm too good for them. I should rout out their cliques, and frighten the fools out of whatever they have in the place of their wits. The fact is, a man should never be quite as clever as his employers, and I'm a long stretch cleverer than mine. Upon my soul, I think I shall enlist; and if I get run through or knocked on the head by a Frenchman—why, so much the better for Dick Barton. 'Here lies Dick Barton, who never did anything because he did everything too well—Neploi, oude isasin then I know I should infallibly come to grief there again, just as I did before; and, upon my sou! I don't think I could stand the place, any more than the place could stand me then. So then I thought of literature. I've done a little in that line already; and I know I could do well enough if I could only write the work. So let me have the goot I could do well enough if I could only stick to work. So let me have the coat this morning, old fellow. I'll go and call upon a man I know at the 'Trumpet,' and one or two places. I must get hold of a nip of brandy somehow, just to screw me up to my day's work, or else I shouldn't be able to say a word to anyone; but, bar that, I swear I won't touch a drop for another three days—unless it's absolutely necessary, as it is now."

In this way did he talk when he was work from the 'Trumpet,' and had been paid for it, not another stroke of work would he do till the coin was spent, and he had slept himself sober again.

But editors and publishers, used as they were to this kind of thing in the good old Grub Street days, still could not be expected to stand it more than other employers of labor when it prevented the labor being done. Barton's work was admirable, and even excellent; but he soon began to find that less and

but he soon began to find that less and less was required of him, until at last he found himself once more on his last legs, and once more with nothing to Felix meanwhile toiled like a slave, and sought for toil like a free man. But though the want of energy and self-command, which in Barton amounted to command, which in Barton amounted to almost a disease for which he could not be held responsible, are doomed to fail, it does not follow that sobriety and industry, and willingness both to find work and to do it, are doomed to succlaim upon him, any more than he upon Barton? They were a strango pair to and themselves in this situation together.

It is true that both were Bohemians— but this was the only similarity; and Bohemianism is not a quality that makes

Do You See It?

Look carefully at this little deal to it. There's a lamp,
that makes the heat. Right
over it is the vaporizer
that holds the Vapo-Crethat holds the Vapo-Cresolene. This Cresolene is a wonderful medicin. It kills most kinds of
disease germs, and is a most remarkable healing agent. You simply
"With this view we are glad to find able healing agent. You simply breathe-in the vapor of it, that's all; it goes all through your bronchial it goes all through your bronchial denly from his seat.

"With this view we are glad to mue that he has engaged the services of that eminent Parisian composer, Monsieur Louis Prosper— Grand Dieu! Prosper! Est-il possible?" And Felix leaped suddenly from his seat.

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MONTREAL AND BOSTON. cumstances, in all respects save one, had now been living together for weeks as they they had been far more than brothey they had been far more than brothers—that is to say, as though they had been friends. At first, no doubt, Felix had been to a certain extent passive in the matter, and had rather submitted to than sought the companionship of a man whom he could not in the least understand. It was not likely that the French musician who knew nothing

"Musical-and they send you?"

"That's the very reason, I suppose, If it had been a new edition of Sophocles

they'd have sent it to you. But, after

all, what does it matter? A tune's a tune, and a song's a song, I suppose."
"Not quite, I should say."

"Well, I confess I never saw any dif-erence between one tune and another.

But it can only be asses that read musi-

cal criticisms; and it's easy enough to tickle their long ears, somehow, so that they mayn't find out one's Ignorance. That's my whole theory of the matter."

"And a very detestable one, too."

"Not at all. Cast not your pearls before anything as sempled, or other says."

fore swine, as somebody or other says somewhere. But it's time I was off. Where's the coat?—oh, hang it!" No wonder that he began to swear, for

an undivided coat, in any sense, no more.
Barton first looked ruefully at the result of his attempt, and then burst into

He placed the play-bill before him

and began to write with his usual rapid-

"There," he said, at the end of about half an hour, during which Felix had been wearily proceeding with his copying—"There, I think that'll do. Just see

that I haven't made any technical blun-ders, or called anything by a wrong

So Felix read: " Theater. Last night this house reopened under the able

enterprising management of Mr.

"A manager is always able and enter-

prising," interrupted Barton, "just as a critic is always able and impartial.

That's only common form business. Go

can learn just as he can learn anything else," said an old-time baseball player the French musician, who knew nothing of the world save its artistic side, and that in an un-English fashion, could comprehend, far less appreciate, one to whom the artistic side of the world was wholly non-existent; who classed all musicians under the generic title, which he always used contemptually of recently, who at the same time was deploring the miserable outlook the national game has for the coming season. Good batters, as a rule, are naturally gaited that way, but the poorer ones can be coached, and their pad faults musicians under the generic title, which he always used contemptuously, of "fiddlers"; whose whole soul seemed to be absorbed in Greek, of which his companion had no knowledge—and in getting brutally drunk, with which he had no sympathy. Still, he not only endured his comradeship, but could not help feeting a sort of real affection for the comrade in his difficulties whom chance had given him. Besides, every man has his follies; and Felix, most assuredly, had great ones. For instance, he knew perfectly well that, had Dick Barton actually been the millionaire for whom he can be eradicated if they have been acquired, but some fine baseball players are miserable batters, and particularly is this true of pitchers. One of the fastest men on his feet in the country, Tom Brown, who played with the Boston team of the National League, Players' League and American Association, lost his grip entirely on account of his bad form in hitting. "Any man can be improved in batting if shown his weak points in a clean hockey. proper way," said the well-known ex-

ally been the millionaire for whom he had at first taken him, as many of the million pounds as he pleased would have been his own; and that the same would player, Arthur Irwin, recently in the Boston Herald. "Look at men like Kelley, Keeler, McGraw and Jennings, all former members of the great have been the case had it been a ques-tion of sharing, not a million pounds, but two farthings. So he committed the Baltimore team. They are all students of the game. They can hit in any difolly of taking the will for the deed. Again, it was part of his Bohemian gosrection, and can bunt to perfection. Again, it was part of his Bonemian gos-pel that a man is quite justified in turn-ing his back upon a prosperous friend, but that to desert even a chance com-rade when he is down in the world is They studied the game and the art of batting. They saw the necessity of doing away with all superfluous morade when he is down in the world is as base a thing as a man can well do. So he committed the wild folly of standing by Dick Barton, as he felt sure that Dick Barton stood by him in point of good-will. And so it was that he had, in effect, to strive his best to make work, which was insufficient to support one, support two—if, indeed, Barton can be held to count for no more than one. As for Barton's motives, who can or need ascribe motives good or bad to such a man? After all, far stranger relations between men spring up than this—not, perhaps, in respectable society, where they associate according to form and rule, but certainly in that vague and ill-defined outside world in which they go against form and rule by preference.

But still, bravely as Felix toiled, and bravely as Barton talked of toiling, it was not long before the two friends fell into so deplorable a condition that a day or two at most must inevitably see them numbered among the lodgers of the hotel a la belle etoile.

"I say, old fellow, this will never do," said Barton once more, as he instinctive tions when at the bat. They practiced morning after morning, and actually worked harder in the morning than they did in the afternoon. They knew that by doing so they were making themselves more valuable. These men coached each other. They felt free to call attention to anything in a comrade

that looked like bad form. The most difficult thing in the world is for managers to develop the minor leaguer into the proper style of bats-man. A good batsman must learn to hit all kinds of pitched balls. That is the secret of batting. The great thing in baseball nowadays is team batting. The men must work together as a unit. and any one who fails to do his part in this sort of thing militates against the discipline and success of his club. Generally the minor leaguer has had numbered among the lodgers of the hotel a la belle etoile.

"I say, old fellow, this will never do," said Barton once more, as he instinctively ly reached out his hand to where the bottle of brandy ought—or rather ought not—to have been.

Felix looked up from his copying. Assuredly no one could have recognized in the worn face, with its pale color, sunken cheeks, and dim eyes, the development either of the peasant of the Jura or of the Parisian art student. His coming to the Parisian art student. His coming to indeed, and something worse.

"The London press is in the hands of idiots," Barton went on. "I could conduct the all sit is conducted now, and they know it; and yet they won't throw me enough work to keep body and soul together. The fact is, I'm too good for them. I should rout out their cliques, and frighten the fools out of whatever they have in the place of their wits. The fact is, a man should never be quite as clever as his employers, and I'm a long stretch cleverer than mine. Upon my stretch cleverer than mine no coaching at all. The veteran has got where he is simply on what he has

forth to apply for aid to the Jew fiddler who was at that moment ruling his or-chestra with a jeweled hand.
[To be Continued.]

Scientific Batting Is Only Acquired

by Hard Work.

The College Man, Says Arthur Irwin,

Has Great Advantage as Far as

Coaching Goes.

"Scientific batters are rare, but bat-

ting can be taught, and any player

who will conscientiously apply himself

BALL PLAYERS

COACHING THE

lieve that there are as many first-class players outside the ranks as are in run through or knocked on the head by a Frenchman—why, so much the better for Dick Barton. 'Here lies Dick Barton, who never did anything because he did everything too well—Nepiol, oude isasin hoso pleon merisu pantos' that's do for an enitarh. By the way I've get to go e game today. The man who has the best chance to develop is the man with speed. The public always looks approvingly upon speed. It was speed that took Patsy Donovan off an express wagon and put him into the

an epitaph. By the way, I've got to go to the theater tonight."

"The theater?"

"Yes—for the Trumpet. "To such base uses may we come at last!" I, who have criticised Sophocles, am now to criticise Jones!" game." According to Mr. Irwin, who has had more experience in college coaching than any other professional, the college man has a big advantage as far as coaching goes: "Pennsylvania has a trained professional coach from "What is the play""
"Don't know. Something musical—that's all I know. But I've got the bill the middle of January. To show what coaching will do, Collier, the second baseman and captain-elect of the University of Pennsylvania team, came td Pennsylvania in 1899 from a preparatory school. He played eight games in his first years on the 'varsity and made one hit. This was without any coaching. Last year he played all season, and ran his batting average up to

most tender and delicate handling to adapt itself to the big frame of Barton; and now, with a sudden cry, as it were, it split from tail to collar, and became Time seems most untimely when he brings a woman to the turn of life. Life is or a loud laugh. The misfortune was serious, but was not, at the same time, without its comic element. "There!" he went on; "what is to be done now? One can't get mine out of pawn tonight, that's certain-nor tomorshould be at its ripest and best for row, unless I write this review. I know-give me one of those pens, and a scrap of your paper. The music paper will do-it'll look all the better. I'll give you another lesson in the art of criti-

her, and she approaches this change with a dread of its effect born of her knowledge of the sufferings of other

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impartial critic'; but you touch not that which regards Louis Prosper."

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And so, from his bare and miserable garret, without a shirt to his back, which was covered only by the rags of what had once been a coat, but which now consisted of little more than rents and pins, the Marquis de Croisville went forth to apply for aid to the Jew fiddler .600. I consider him the best college player on the field today, and faster to first base than any man I ever saw play ball. Collier has had plenty of play ball. Collier has had plenty of offers to play professionally, but wil not make any decision as to his inten-tions until he graduates. Should he decide to accept a professional engage ment he can get big money."

McGraw was for two seasons a substitute on the Baltimore team before he was taken on regularly. When he left Davenport, Iowa, to go to Baltimore, he said: "I think I will be the best ball player in the world, because

THE WORLD OF SPORTS.

HOCKEY.

GUELPH II. LOST TO PRESTON. Guelph, Ont., Feb. 21 .- A fast and exciting game of hockey was played here last night in the intermediate ser-ies of the W. O. H. A. between Preston and the Guelph Wellingtons. At half time the score stood 3 to 3 in favor of Guelph, but in the last Guelph seemed to lost their staying powers, and Preston won out by a score of 6

POOR OLD GUELPH. Waterloo, Ont., Feb. 21.—The last scheduled W. O. H. A. senior league game was played here last night—Guelph O. A. C. and Waterloo seven. Guelph was outplayed and the Waterloo players tried to see who could score the greatest number of goals. Seiler, the speedy Waterloo forward, headed the list with 6 goals to his credit. crowd had enough to cheer about. Waterloo tallied 18 to Guelph's 4.

ABERDEEN'S LOST. Alvinston, Ont., Feb. 21 .- The Alvinstons and the Aberdeen's, of London, played a very fast game of hockey here last night. Score, 13 to 2 in favor of Alvinston. Aberdeen boys are a gentlemanly lot of fellows and played

INGERSOLL JUNIORS WON. Ingersoll, Ont., Feb. 21.-A junior hockey team from Woodstock was defeated here last night by the home team by a score of 8 to 1.

BERLINS ARE CHAMPIONS. BERLINS ARE CHAMPIONS.
Berlin, Ont., Feb. 21.—The last league game for Berlin seniors, W. O. H. A., was played here last night with Ayr, before a big crowd, Berlin winning by a score of 8 to 4. Last evening's victory makes Berlin champions of the W. O. H. A., and winners of the Luxton cup for 1902. This is the third time they have held the cup, only losing one league game in that time. The Ayr boys put up a good fight. The teams: game in that time. The Ayr boys put up a good fight. The teams: Ayr—Goal, Watson; point, Chalk; cover point, Blackie; forwards, Willison, Robson, Morton and Deagan.
Berlin-Goal, Cutten; point, Boehmer;
cover point, Chariton; forwards, Seibert,

stephens, Cochrane and Schmidt. Referee, Ed. Wettlaufer, of Berlin, CURLING. DEFEATED AT ST. THOMAS. Six rinks of the Forest City club jourred to St. Thomas vesterday, and were defeated by the club of that city by 26 points. The score:

Forest City. J. Herrick, J. Purdom, James Burnett, John Burnett, skip......19 skip.... Major Denison, E. J. Masuret, W. R. Miller, J.-M. McWhinney, Bowen. Bartlett. Davis, W. McIntosh,

H. B. Elliott, Alf. Tune. J. Mattinson, H. N. Gillies, A. Gillean

Stevely, T. Strong, J. K. H. Pope, Col. Young, B. Paterson. W. Tory, W. Fulton, skip.....

skip ... Total.....107 Owing to the death of Mr. T. A. Browne the Simcoe street rink will be closed for the remainder of the week.

TURF. AT NEW ORLEANS.

New Orleans, Feb. 21 .- Weather cloudy New Orleans, Feb. 21.—Weather cloudy and cool; track heavy.
First race, selling, 1 mile and 70 yards—Lou Rey, 113 (Odom), 7 to 5, 1; Lofter, 105 (T. Dean), 4 to 1, 2; Algie M., 105 (Landry), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:51.
Second race, selling, 3½ furlongs—Dark Planet, 104 (J. Miller), 8 to 1, 1; May Allen, 105 (T. Dean), 8 to 5, 2; Honda, 96 (J. Waldo), 9 to 2, 3. Time, :44.
Third race, 6 furlongs—Amigarl, 100 (Lyne), 3 to 2, 1; Prowl, 108 (B. Miller), 4 to 1, 2; O'Hagan, 108 (Odom), 8 to 5, 3. Time, 1:18½.
Fourth race, selling, 6½ furlongs—Tom Time, 1:18¼.
Fourth race, selling, 6½ furlongs—Tom Collins, 115 (Odom), 11 to 5, 1; The Bronze Demon, 97 (Waldo), 8 to 1, 2; Ed. Gartland II., 102 (T. Dean), 8 to 1, 3. Time,

Fifth race, selling, 11-16 miles—Strang-Fifth race, selling, 11-16 miles—Strangest, 102 (T. Dean), 9 to 2, 1; Henry of Franstamar, 106 (J. Miller), 9 to 5, 2; Trebor, 102 (Otis), 11 to 5, 3. Time, 1:53. Sixth race, 1 mile—Albert F. Dewey, 99 (T. Dean), 8 to 5, 1; Dr. Carrick, 108 (Lyne), 15 to 1, 2; Poynty, 98 (B. Rice), 25 to 1, 3. Time, 1:46.

\$20,000 LOST BY TRICK. Chicago, Feb. 21.-Twenty thousand dol-lars is said to have been tricked out of lars is said to have been tricked out of the men who made hand-books on the New Orleans races in Chicago on Wednesday. Modern was sent out by the ticker as the winner of the fourth race, when the event was won by Frank Rice, while Modern was unplaced. The correction was not sent over the ticker until fifteen minutes after the false report. It is said that almost ever hand-book man in the city was "hit," the losses varying from \$200 to \$800. Inasmuch as there are reported to be fully 100 hand-books in operation in this city, and not one of them could be found who had not lost something on the miscalled race, it is not probable that the actual sum made by the job was more than \$20,000, is not probable that the actual sum made by the job was more than \$20,000, although the latter is the figure which was named by a well-known bookmaker. Modern's price was sent out as 10 to 1. In most of the hand-books \$20 each way was offered on Modern, calling for a ticket that would net the bettor \$220. Throughout the down town district there was almost a score of bookmakers, who lost on the trick, having to pay out also on Frank Rice when the correction came along.

came along.

SPALDING RESIGNS. New York, Feb. 21.—A. G. Spalding announced last night that he had, pending a meeting of the Brooklyn, Philadelphia. a meeting of the Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Pittsburg and Chicago baseball clubs, to be held Saturday in Pittsburg, tendered his resignation as president of the National League. Mr. Spalding, in his letter of resignation, says that it was because of a request from these four clubs that he took the stand which has brought the affairs of the National League into the courts, and that as the playing season is approaching and there playing season is approaching and there are many financial conditions to be confronted, he does not wish to further embarrass them, unless they are willing to abide by his policy and continue, if neces sary, with a four-club circuit.

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Big Cotton Mill Blaze in Corsicana, Texas—Heavy Loss by the Merritton Fire.

Toronto, Feb. 21.-By a fire which broke out in the top story of the big window shade factory of the Menzie Company, near the King street west subway, last night, and which spread to the factory of the Merchants' Dye-ing and Finishing Company, across a narrow intervening space, damage to the amount of almost \$200,000 was done and 180 persons were thrown out of work. Both factories, however, will be restored as soon as men can be got

o build them. When the firemen reached the Menzies factory (a three-story building) the whole place was in flames, and before they could gain control the ad-jacent premises of the Merchants' Dyeing Company, also three stories, were gutted. The fiames were kept from the storage warehouse of the Menzies Company, in which there were \$80,000 of stock, but in fighting the fire there damage to the amount of \$25,000 was done by water. The Menzie loss was on buildings, \$18,000; machinery, \$39,-000; stock in process of manufacture, \$18,000; stock in store, \$25,000. The insurance on stock in store was \$65,000, and on the factory \$40,000. The risks are covered by a policy distributing loss among the following companies: London and Lancashire, Norwich Union, Northern, Commercial Union, Western, London Mutual, Caledonian Mercantile, British America, N. B. and Mercantile, Connecticut, Anglo-American Royal Manchester, Waterloo, Northern American, Quebec. London and Lancashire loss is the heaviest, \$10,000. The loss of the Merchants' Dyeing Company, Mr. Spence, one of the proprietors, estimates at \$30,000 on goods and \$60,000 on machinery and buildings, fully insured.

OTHER FIRES. Corsicana, Tex., Feb. 20.-The Corsicana cotton oil mill, one of the largest in the state, was destroyed by fire last night. The loss is estimated at \$125,000, fully insured. St. Catharines, Feb. 21.—The loss by

the fire in E. H. Phelps & Co.'s spoke and wheel works, Merritton, is estimated at between \$35,000 and \$40,000, partly covered by insurance. Among the companies interested are: ern, \$6,700; Northern, \$8,140; Royal, \$6,-140; Queen. \$5,140; Hartford, \$5,140; North British and Mercantile, \$2,000. Lafayette, Ind., Feb. 21.—An over-heated furnace in the Loeb & Hene drygoods store building started a fire just before midnight that caused a property loss of more than \$200,000. The Loeb & Hene stock, which was valued at \$140,000, was completely destroyed. The Dewinter hat store is also a complete loss. The stock was valued at \$35,000. The Vernon Clothing Company sustained a loss of \$20,000. Among the smaller losses the plant of the Lafayette Journal is damaged to the extent

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"See here," he said, "you've spelled

sugar s-u-g-g-a-r." The young woman looked at it a moment critically, and then her face brightened, as she replied: "So I have. How careless of me! I don't see how I came to leave out the





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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Feb. 20, 8 p.m.-The weather today has been fair and milder throughout the Dominion. In all parts of the Northwest Territories the temperature has been between 40 and 50, and elsewhere not far from the freezing point.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 48-56; Kamloops, 40-52; Calgary, 28-46; Edmonton, 24-46; Qu'Appelle, 14-42; Winnipeg, 22-36; Port Arthur, 26-34; Parry Sound, 6 below-30; Toronto, 6-30; Ottawa, 2 -28; Montreal, 6-26; Quebec, 8-20;

Halifax, 26-42. Local Temperatures — Thursday: Highest, 27 above; lowest, 5 below.
Today (Friday) the sun rose at 7:08
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A LOCAL BUDGET.

-Crown Attorney Julius P. Bucke, of Sarnia, is in the city to attend the funeral of his brother, the late Supt. -The students of the Normal School

were entertained by the Epworth League of the Askin Street Methodist -The members of the geological section of the Entomological Society were favored with an instructive lecture by

Dr. W. J. Stevenson last evening on the "Chemistry of the Metals." -Mr. J. K. Egan, secretary of the recumseh Hockey Club, has accepted position as bookkeeper for the Niall-

Herne Fancy Drygoods Company, of Atlanta, Ga. He leaves for Atlanta -The watchman's shanty at the Wellington street crossing of the G. T. R. was destroyed by fire yesterday morning. The building was nearly

burned to the ground when the firemen arrived. -Drs. H. A. Stevenson, Jeff. Wood, Fred Wood, H. Abbott, W. A. Piper and G. A. Bentley returned from Toronto last evening, where they attended the annual meeting of the Ontario

Dental Association. -Woodbine Lodge, A. O. U. W., No. 331, presented a gold-handled umbrella to Bro. J. B. Cox last night. The handle bore the inscription, "Presented to J. B. Cox, in recognition of his services for twelve years as receiver." Mr. Cox has held the same office in the

lodge since its organization. -Wiarton Canadian: In the endeavor to make money fast a number of farmers and others in this section were induced by seductive advertisements and elaborate circulars to ship eggs, butter, poultry, etc., to a firm called Samuel J. Lewis & Co., of London, Ont. Large prices were offered, and everything looked all right, but it now transpires that after the produce has been shipped, no money is forthcoming,

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#### MUSIC AND DRAMA.

"CAMILLE" TOMORROW In the role of Marguerite Cauthier, the unfortunate heroine, who loved not wisely but too well, Miss Eugenie Blair has added one more success to her already long list. She is distinctly in her element throughout the entire play, as she has abundant opportunities to display her versatility. Her work in the third act, when to please an imploring father, she agrees to flee from the man she loves, is intensely strong. Two performances of "Camille" are announced for the New Grand tomorrow, at 2:30 and at 8:15.

"PUT ME OFF AT BUFFALO." Last Tuesday's Toronto Globe says concerning "Put Me Off at Buffalo," which comes to the New Grand next

Monday evening:
"Harry E. Fisher and Joe J. Carroll appeared before a large audience at the Grand Opera House last evening, presenting an hilarious musical extra-vaganza, 'Put Me Off. at Buffalo.' It is a curious mixture of mirth, songs. dances and nonsense, and is merely a vehicle for the introduction of a number of specialties. Mr. Fisher's work is the mainstay of the production, and as a comedian he is a decided success. There are no dull moments while he is on the stage. The company includes some fair male singers and a number of pretty women. The specialties are up to the average, the McNulty sisters giving several good dances. 'Put Me Off at Buffalo' was constructed to make people laugh, and it achieves its

he scale of prices will be a pop one-75c, 50c and 25c.

"THE DEVIL'S AUCTION." The new feature, "The Dance to the Moon," presented by Manager Chas. H. Yale, in the 20th edition of "The Everlasting Devil's Auction," offers quite an idea in theatrical mechanism. It is of European origin, and is said to be unusually attractive and original. A pretty story is told in panto-mime and dance of the love of a group of handsome Chinese maidens for the moon, and by a series of mechanical effects the moon appears to return their love in a most comical way. Special scenery, costumes and music have been prepared for this novelty, and it is expected to make a hit at the New

Grand next Tuesday evening. CHAUNCEY OLCOTT.

Chauncey Olcott has made the hit of his life in his new comedy, "Garrett O'Magh," which is announced for production at the New Grand next Thursday evening. He is credited by the press throughou the country with being the cleverest Irish comedian on the stage today. His fine, well-trained tenor voice was never in better trim than at the present time, and his sing-ing of the Irish melodies is, as ever, one of the most delightful features of

GROSSMITH COMING. The New York Dramatic Mirror, an authority on amusement, says of Geo. Grossmith: "He is easily the cleverest monologue entertainer that has ap-peared in New York." This inimitable English artist comes to the Grand on

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BOY SAVED 27 LIVES. Chicago, Feb. 21.-Arthur Egan, the 17-year-old boy who has saved 27 lives in Lake Michigan, will be presented with a medal, awarded by the Royal Humane Society of London, England, tomorrow night. William Windham, the British consul here, will make the presentation. The society gives only two medals a year, and this is the first time that one of them has lan awarded to a resident of the United

"NIBBLERS."

Not the Proper Way to Take Food.

Clerks in grocery stores are apt to nibble at this and that article of food, and if they are not careful acquire a "case of stomach." This was the case with L. Shoemaker, Artic, Ind. "While I was clerking in a grocery store it was difficult to resist the temptation to eat a little of this and that; a bit of candy, some fruit or crackers, and one thing and another. After

about a year I had serious stomach trouble and had run down to 91 pounds, was pale and sallow and poor as a snake. I could sleep but little at night and my distress was terrible. "Finally I was compelled to give up my position and take treatment for my health. I heard of Grape-Nuts Breakfast Food and began to use it regularly. I soon began to recover both health and strength, until at the end of about three months' steady use I was so fat and well that I was weighed and found I weighed 160 pounds, which was a gain of 69 pounds in that time. This may sound a little fishy, but it is the plain truth and can be verified by anyone who cares to inquire of my friends who know the facts."

Mr. Richard Griffin, chief of police at Fort Erie, Ont., makes a most emphatic denial of the report that his daughter was in the employ of Wm. E. Hunt, the alleged lottery man at that I

#### STRICKEN DOWN WHILE DRIVING

Death Came Very Suddenly to Mr. John Dingle.

Returning From a Funeral at Moun Pleasant He Suddenly Succumbed to Apoplexy.

While driving home from Mount Pleasant Cemetery yesterday, where he had attended the funeral of Miss Gerry, daughter of Ald. Wm. Gerry, his employer, Mr. John Dingle expired Colored Dress Goods Remnants very suddenly from an attack of apoplexy. He was driving home in a Gladstone sleigh with three companions, Messrs. Evans, Boyce and Nugent, employes at Gerry's mill, when he asked one of them to take the lines, saying he had a terrible pain in his head and that he could not see. The men drove with all speed towards his home, 125 Langarth street. Near King street he told the driver to take care or he would upset the sleigh. These were his last words, and shortly afterwards he became unconscious. Piper, who chanced to be driving along the same road, was overtaken, and pronounced Mr. Dingle to be affected with apoplexy. Shortly after he entered

his home he succumbed.

Mr. Dingle was teamster at Gerry's mill and was a very popular man. He was born in England, but had lived here for many years. He was a member of the Chosen Friends and Court Brighton, A. O. F. His widow and one son, Mr. Harry Dingle, of Briscoe street, survive.

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COURT PRIDE CONCERT. Court Pride of the Dominion, No. 5,660, A. O. F., celebrated its thirteenth anniversary in a very successful fashion last night at the Foresters' Hall, Albion Block, which was filled to overflowing. Mr. W. S. Lockhart was presented with a past chief ranger's jewel by D. C. R. Gale, on behalf of the court. The following excellent programme was given: Instrumental selection, Mr. C. Jackson; solo, Mr. W. S. Lockhart; graphaphone selection, Mr. J. Nicholls; selection, South London Male Quartet; recitation, Mr. A. George; duet, Messrs. Kreutzer and Barr; selection, Richmond Orchestra; duet, Misses Henshaw; song, Mr. S. Pink; guitar selection, Miss S. Lawrence; song, Mr. S. Friendship; musical selection, Messrs. Winslade and Corbin; recitation, Miss Dyer; solo, Mr. L. Barr; selection, Richmond Or-chestra; duet, Misses Wilson; recitation, Mr. A. George; solo, Mr. G. Kreutzer; striking bag exhibition, Prof. Taylor. The accompanist was Mr. F. Rooks. The committee who made all arrangements in connection with the event consisted of Chief Ranger Wheat, Sub-Chief Ranger Calcott Senior Woodward Woonton, Junior Woodward Laing, Senior Beadle Searl, Junior Beadle Nichol and Minute Sec-

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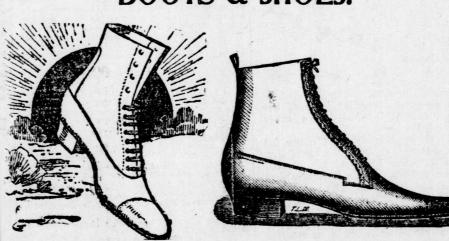
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