Aeronaut Wilson Drowned Off the French Coast.

Thirty Persons Were Killed by the Santander Explosion.

Hungarians Do Honor to the Memory of the Departed Patriot Kossuth-Protest Against the Brazilian President's Sangui-

nary Policy.

Thirty Killed.

London, March 25 .- Lloyd's correspondent in Santander says 30 persons were killed by the explosion of dynamite in the hold of the sunken steamer, Cabo Machic-

Banged Into the Imperial Cars. left his 3,000,000 franc special train at Fiume. Yesterday a passenger train was shunted carelessly on the same track and damaged two of the imperial carriages to the extent of 15,000 francs. Von Bulow's Body.

BERLIN, March 25 .- The body of Hans Von Bulow, the composer, has been brought from Cairo and placed in St. Michael's Church, Hamburg, where the funeral will be held on March 29. Directly after the funeral the body will be taken to Ohlsdorf for cremation.

The Cattle Embargo.

LONDON, March 25 .- The Right Hon. Herbert Gardner, president of the British Board of Agriculture, has asked the Canadian Government for further and immediate assurances in reference to the freedom of Canada cattle from pneumonia. He says he is most anxious to decide speedily whether or not he shall remove the embargo now existing on Canadian cattle,

Discount Rates.

LONDON, March 25 .- The rates of dis count last week were 14 for three months and 11 for 30 days. The inflow of gold abated somewhat, and parts of the imports went back to the continent. Silver was steady. Prices of American railway securities were firm. Trading was very light, however, owing to the usual holiday tains a modest menage in Brixton and the luil. On the Stock Exchange business was staguant for the same reason.

An Aeronaut Drowned.

CANNES, March 25. - Capt. Wilson, an aeronaut, went up in a balloon to-day from a spot near the seashore. After ascending about 300 feet the balloon was caught in a strong wind and was blown seaward. Wilson opened the valve but apparently was unable to close it as he neared the surface of the water. The balloon dropped like a shot into the sea and Wilson was

The Tri-Imperial Alliance.

BERLIN, March 25 .- The old diplomatic plan of a three-Emperor alliance is again the subject of general discussion. Whether it is realized or not, everything points to a renewal of a friendly understanding between Germany, Russia and Austria-Hungary. The fact that Count Kalnoky, Austro-Hungarian Minister of Foreign Affairs, will accompany Emperor Fanz Josef to Abbazia this week is interpreted to mean that high politics are to be discussed by the Austrian and German sovereigns. The arrangement of the Russo-Austrian commercial treaty owes its success to the personal intervention of the Czar.

Miquel's Heavy Task. BERLIN, March 25 .- Chancellor Von Caprivi has had his inning and won. The heaviest burdens of Ministerial work have now developed upon the shoulders of Dr. Johannes Mi tuel. In the coming session of both the Landtag and Reichstag the russian Finance Minister will lead the Government's advance guard against a powerful opposition, embittered by its recentidefeat at the Chancellor's hands, and roused by the new tax bills to increasing activity. The outlook for Miquel's fourfold financial reform has grown worse with every passing day since the beginning of the Easter recess. There is little sign that anything unexpected will occur to help the Finance Minister in his contest with the Reichstag, and the rejection of the tax bills will surprise nobody.

Hungary's Dead Hero. TURIN, March 24 .- Hundreds of Hungarians are arriving by every train to pay respect to the dead hero. The sons of Louis Kossuth have sent the following telegrams to the chief burgomaster of this city: "Learning of the serious excesses in the Hungarian capital we beseech the public in the sacred name of our father that there be no further trouble. There must be tranquility; otherwise we shall be placed in the painful position of withdrawing our consent to the transfer of our father's body to Hungary." Upon receipt address to the people to respect the wishes of the sons of the dead hero. The city is now free from disorder.

BUDA-PESTH, March 24.-About 10,000 troops were stationed in the streets this evening to prevent further outbreaks of students. Perfect order was preserved throughout the evening.

Protest Against Peixoto's Policy. London, March 25 .- The London Times makes a strong protest against the action of President Peixoto of Brazil in reviving the imperial decrees of 1838 and 1851, authorizing the execution without trial of persons who have engaged in or aided and abetted a revolt. Aside from the danger that the revival of these decrees might be applied to innocent British subjects, the Times says Peixote's own record is not sufficiently clean to justify such action. The claim of Peixoto upon Portugal for the surrender of Da Gama and his companions, the Times contends, is also not indisputable, it being inconsistent alike with humanity and expediency to prosecute a terrorist policy before the revolution, which is still active in the southern provinces, is wholly suppressed. The Times contends that it is imperative in the interests of all the countries having commercial relations with Brazil that the state of excitement and insecurity that has prevailed ever since the fall of the empire should be brought to an

against defeated political opponents it sees no promise of improvement.

Will Be Buried Together.

BUDA-PESTH. March 24.-The archbishops, bishops, and other ecclesiastical dignitaries absented themselves from today's session of the House of Magnates. The question of honoring the memory of Kossuth was to be discussed and it was plain they did not wish to take part in the debate.

Mr. S. Zelavy De Okany, Vice-President of the Upper House, presented the resolution, which passed the Lower House yesterday, that a suitable tribute be accorded

to Kossuth's memory.

During the rioting in the streets last night over 40 soldiers were injured by stones, clubs, etc. Thirty-six students were arrested for participation. The prefecture has issued an order forbidding the people to congregate in the streets under

penalty of arrest. TURIN, March 24.—The coffins containing the remains of the wife and daughter of Kossuth, which were exhumed at Genoa yesterday, were covered by flowers by the many friends of the family who were present in the English cemetery. The bodies ABAZZIA, March 25 .- Emperor William will be brought here and placed in a receiving vault until the body of the dead patriot is taken to Hungary, when the three bodies will be taken together. The bodies of the wife and daughter will be accompanied here by Kossuth's sons, Theadore and Louis, and Deputy Karolye. It is expected that at least 6,000 Hungarians will have visited Turin by the time Kossuth's body is removed for transportation to Hungary.

A Bankrupt Marquis. London, March 26 .- That interesting member of the British aristocracy, the Marquis of Ailesbury, will be adjudged a bankrupt if within a month he does not pay \$1,250,000 due his creditors, above certain doubtful assets. The marquis has been gallantly endeavoring to prevent this consummation since 1890, when bankruptcy proceedings were first commenced against him and the delay thus secured is a rare tribute to his cunning or that of his lawyers. His lordship's chief lament is that he is married and therefore funable to wed an heiress. He has no doubt of his personal attractions or of the commercial value of his title, yet these splendid assets are unrealizable because years ago when he was young and had plenty of money he married Dolly Tester out of a music hall at Brighton. Apart from these monetary considerations, however, marital obligations rest lightly upon the noble marquis. At present he mainwoman who presides over it is not the Marchioness of Ailesbury, nee Tester.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

The paper manufacturers in the States are moving to form a gigantic combine. Sir Robert Prescott Stewart, professor of music at Dublin University, died on Sun-

day of apoplexy. America has obtained space in the Antwerp exhibition largely exceeding that secured by Great Britain.

Emperor William and the Czar have thanked the Pope for his encyclical concerning the Prussian Poles. French Socialists will hold immense mass

meetings in Paris April 2 and 14. The usual May Day demonstrations will take Lord Dunraven will send a crew to New York on April 4 to bring the Valkyrie to

England. He intends to race her in the Clyde regattas next fall. A Washington, D. C., dispatch says there are strong probabilities of a new in-

ternational monetary conference being called together this time on the invitation of the Republic of Mexico. John W. Martin, treasurer of the Columbian Company at East Liverpool, Ohio, has

confessed to a shortage in his accounts of

\$8,000. Some officials estimate the shortage will reach \$70,000 to \$80,000. At Wheatland, Pa., Sunday morning Wm. Laird's house and three adjoining dwellings were destroyed by fire. After

the fire Laird's body was found among the debris. Foul play is suspected. Mrs. Edith Shain, aged 20, of 314 Rowena street, Detroit, died Saturday afternoon from a dose of stychnine, evi-

dently taken with suicidal intent. She had been sick and somewhat despondent. The 500 sheep consigned to a Glasgow firm and shipped on the steamer Siberian must be slaughtered, as no landing facilities have been provided for them. The

sheep on March 15. BURNED OUT.

Siberian sailed from New York with the

Two Valuable Horses Cremated at Sarnia -Other Fires.

SARNIA, Ont., March 25 .- This morning a stable owned by Thomas Easton, South Davis street, was badly damaged by fire. Two valuable horses perished in the flames. A lantern explosing is supposed to have been the cause.

ST. MARYS, Ont., March 24.- The frame residence of J. H. Bridgeman on Walter of the dispatch the burgomaster issued an street south was totally destroyed by fire to-day. The greater portion of its contents were lost, including \$80 in cash. Loss, about \$1,000.

WATERLOO, Ont., March 25 .- About one and a half miles from Waterloo a barn belonging to Andrew Groff was completely burned. All the grain, implements, pigs and poultry were also burned. The cattle were saved.

Elected Mrs. George School Trustee. ASBURY PARK, N. J., March 25 .- Mrs. C. C. George has been elected a school trustee. She defeated R. A. Tasting by nearly 200 votes.

The Prince Wanted at Home.

WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., March 26 .-Prince Beselow, the African prince in the class of '97, Williams College, has received a call from his people to return to his kingdom, which has hitherto been under the control of his uncle. Beselow is said to be an intelligent young man, and is the son of the late King Armaho of Bendooy, the western portion of Africa.

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Provisions of the Proposed British Registration Bill.

Doomed.

Inimical Disposition of the Lords to be Further Demonstrated.

eral Hosts.

Parliament to be Dissolved Next Autumn-Welsh Church Disestablishment to be Pressed-Serious Effects of Astor Shows His Ears.

DISSOLUTION OF PARLIAMENT. Registration Bill which is about to be in- statements of the company's assets, liaroduced in the House of Commons shows that it is the intention of the Government to bring about a dissolution of Parliament next autumn. The bill provides simply for half yearly registration, with a three months residence qualification, and that all elections shall take place on the same day instead of spreading over several weeks as Mundella, after the publication of has hitherto been the custom. These two the purport of the receiver's report, provisions are all that are contained in the

ONE MAN ONE VOTE. The "one man one vote" principle will form a separate measure, involving a redistribution of seats. The decision to introduce this measure as a distinct bill has taken the Opposition by surprise. The Liberals in effect aim at the destruction of the system of plural voting, which will be accomplished by the establishment of a system of simultaneous elections. The Unionists, of course, will not take kindly to this measure, which completely takes the wind out of their sails, but the Opposition cannot help themselves. A bill drafted in the simple form indicated will meet no obstacles to its speedy passage by the House of Commons, and it is difficult to see how it a matter of fact, the Lords, inconsistent as they usually are, can find no pretext for the rejection of a measure that affects the official status of nobody but the Lower House, who have themselves voted to abide by the results of its operation. No other leading measure will be introduced until the registration bill is out of the way.

PUTTING THE LORDS IN THE PILLORY. further on record as opposing needful legislation, and it is difficult to see how it can fail of its purpose. Before the Ministry resigns and appeals to the country the electors will be given several new illustrations of the hostility of the Lords to popular legislation. The Evicted Tenants' Bill rejection by the Peers, and the one-manone-vote proposal will also be of a character calculated to secure for it the condemnation of the House of Lords. Then the Welsh Church Disestablishment Bill and the proposal to regulate Scottish measures to a Scottish grand committee will follow. and these, too, are relied upon to waken the enmity of the Upper House. The almost certain rejection of these measures will have the effect to confirm the determination of the people to shatter the legis. lative power of the House of Lords.

A TEST. A decisive exposition of the attitude of the majority of the House of Commons toward the House of Lords has been arranged, and this will be put forth very much in the form of a challenge through the resolution which is soon to be introduced by Mr. James Henry Dalziel, a Scotch Liberal representing the Kirkcaldy district. Mr. Dalziel, who is a pronounced Home Ruler, and holds advanced views on all political and social questions, will unquestionably secure to his resolution a strong Scotch support. The resolution will be framed under the approval of the Government, so that, though Mr. Dalziel may be its father, it will have the sponsorship of the Ministry. It will define with precision the intentions of the Government toward the House of Lords, and pretty clearly outline the future status of that body as the opponents of the hereditary House think it should be. The measure will be seriously discussed by the Cabinet before it is placed on the notice papers of the House preliminary to its formal introduction. It is expected that the debate on the resolution will be finished so that a division can be taken on April 17. In anticipation of the struggle over the resolution all the Parliamentary whips are mustering their forces. A full attendance | killed. be the most momentous of the session. GLADSTONE STILL LEADS.

Mr. Gladstone's constituents do not accept the ex-Premier's letter to Mr. Cowar the chairman of the Midlothian Liberals, | from the injuries which she received. as a farewell address, but merely as a definition of the political situation as affected by his retirement from active leadership. Everybody is now satisfied that there is to be not only no departure from the Gladstonian programme, but that Mr. Gladstone is still the leader of the Liberal party, though Lord Rosebery is Young, old or middle-aged, who find themnominally at its head.

THE EX-PREMIER'S AFFLICTION. The operation which will necessarily be performed upon Mr. Gladstone's eyes will likely be delayed for three months, and until that time the ex-Premier will rest. though it is possible that he may make his appearance in the House in the meantime, should an important occasion require it. The understanding is that if the operation is successful-and Mr. Gladstone is assured that it will be - he will immediately return to public life and lead native land and take possession of the the election campaign as a candidate for reelection from Midlothian, and after months of perfect rest what is more likely? Barring the trouble with his eyes and slightly defective hearing, he is physically well and strong. His return to active political work would insure him an ovation every time he made his appearance on the stump in the populous centers, and that, together with his eloquence, would make such an would carry the Liberals back to power with a greatly increased majority. This is one of the possibilities that the Unionists dread, and one of the probabilities that the Southampton.... New York I dread, and one of the probabilities that the | Please mention this paper.

Liberals are looking torward to with feelings of confidence.

THE PROSPECTIVE BUDGET DEFICIT. The latest calculation of financial experts increase the prospect that the budget will show a deficit much greater than was expected. According to the Economist the deficit for the fiscal year ending March 31 will amount to £1,400,000. For the coming year the total revenue is estimated at £91,000,000, as against the estimated ex-The System of Plurality Voting | Penditures of £95,000,000. As the lightes are approximately correct there is certain penditures of £95,000,000. As the figures to be a pretty sharp debate over the budget when it is discussed in committee of the House.

SERIOUS EFFECTS OF A FINANCIAL FAILURE. The failure of the New Zealand Loan Company has very seriously affected a prominent and very useful member of the Cabinet, the Right Hon. A. J. Mundella, Gladstone Is Still Leader of the Lib- President of the Board of Trade, together with two ex-Cabinet Ministers, Sir John Eldon Gorst and Sir James Ferguson, respectively Solicitor-General and Postmaster-General in the Cabinet of Lord Salisbury, and Sir George Russell, member of Parliament for Berkshire. These gentlemen were directors in the company and a Financial Failure-William Waldorf | were largely instrumental in its promotion. The receiver of the company's affairs, after a thorough examination of its condition, has made a report, in which he arraigns the entire board of directors as London, March 24.—The draft of the having given their assent to misleading bilities and prospects in their official reports, and has even hinted at fraud in their issue of debenture bonds. The receiver concludes the report with a demand for the public examination of the directors, and the court has decided that the examination shall be proceeded with. Mr. and the decision of the court thereon, tendered his resignation to Lord Rosebery, but the Premier deferred his acceptance until he could ascertain whether or not the developments of the examination in court justified Mr. Mundella's retirement. The political career of every one of the gentlemen named is involved in the outcome of

cannot clearly prove themselves innocent of the charges of the receiver of the New Zealand Company. INVOLVED WITH FRANK MAY. According to Stock Exchange gossip, several brokers of the highest standing, socially and financially, have been dis-covered to have had dealings with Frank May, the deposed chief cashier of the Bank can be rejected by the House of Lords. As of England, and have been asked by the Government committee of the Exchange to explain their violation of the rule which prohibies any member of the Exchange from transacting business with officials or clerks belonging to public establishments without the knowledge of the latter's superiors or employers. It is said, however, that as some of the members of the Exchange committee are known to have The programme of the Government is acted for May in some of his transactions, designed to put the House of Lords still inquiry into the matter is not likely to be very exhaustive or very disastrous to the culprits.

the court proceedings and their polit-

ical future will inevitably be blasted if they

"MONEY MAKES THE MARE GO." Mr. William Waldorf Astor is very proud of his election to the Carlton Club, and especially desires to have it known that he was chosen to membership out of will contain clauses which will insure its his turn and over the heads of hundreds of gentlemen who were ahead of him on the list of proposed candidates. Mr. Astor also wishes it to be known that he is the first American who has ever been so honored. The money that Mr. Astor has been spending in the cause of the Conservative party was what elected him-but it is not stated whether Mr. Astor wishes this to be known or not. Anyway, it is known. ASTOR SHOWS HIS EARS.

Yesterday's issue of the Pall Mell Gazette, Mr. Astor's newspaper, contains an article with the captions in big type, 'Irish Misgovernment the United States Municipal Degradation." The article says that the Irish have shown by their administration of municipal affairs of certain American cities that they are dangerous to civilization, and points the moral that home rule for Ireland would ruin the United Kingdom, adding: "The Irish ought to be kept down."

The Strike in Toledo. Toledo, O., March 25 .- The street car strike is still going on. The company is advertising in Chicago for 100 employes benumber here. When a new man starts out with a car he finds himself a target for rotten eggs, and by the time he reaches the company's office on Summit street he abandons his post, and some officer of the company runs the car back to the barns. Every car is so bespattered with stale eggs that few persons are brave enough to ride in them.

Mother and Babe Perish.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 25 .- The frame residence at 220 Haight street was destroyed by fire yesterday, and Mrs. Jennie Ross jumped from a back window into the yard below with her 5-monthsold baby in her arms. Both were killed. Mrs. Ross' sister Carrie s assured, and the event will undoubtedly and her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Irving, were forced to jump from an upper story window, the former breaking a leg, and all sustaining serious injuries. Mrs. Irving is 70 years of age, and will die

The total income of the Church of England is about \$1,000,000 a week. A Swiss electrical firm is to establish central station at Cairo, Egypt.

ALL MEN

selves, nervous, weak and exhausted, who are broken down from excess or overwork, resulting in many of the following symptoms: Mental depression, premature old age, loss of vitality, loss of memory, bad dreams, dimness of sight, palpitation of the heart, emissions, lack of energy, pain in the kidneys, headaches, pimples on the face and body, itching or peculiar sensation about the scrotum, wasting of the organs, dizziness, specks before the eyes, twitching of the muscles, eyelids and elsewhere, bashfulness, deposits in the urine, loss of will power, tenderness of the scalp and spine. weak and flabby muscles, desire to sleep, failure to be rested by sleep, constipation, dullness of hearing, loss of voice, desire for solitude, excitability of temper, sunken eyes, surrounded with LEADEN CIRCLES, oily looking skin, etc., are all symptoms of neryous debility that lead to insanity unless cured. The spring or vital force having lost its tension every function wanes in consequence. Those who through abuse committed in ignorance, may be permanently cured. Send your address and 10c in

## Late Canadian News.

A Montreal Forger Captured in Boston.

Monkeying With a Canceled Postage Stamp Cost a Man \$20 or 60 Days.

Lord Aberdeen will visit Belleville on May 3.

At Prince Albert the temperature is 30 degrees below zero. Trains on the Stonewall (Man.) branch

of the C. P. R. are delayed by snow. Messrs. D. Guay & Co., tanners and shoe manufacturers, Quebec, have failed. Liabilities over \$20,000.

Montreal has effected a loan of \$400,000 for six months from the Quebec Bank and the Bank of Eritish North America at 41

In the Belleville Police Court Saturday, Lattel, the man charged with bigamy, was found guilty and allowed to go on suspended sentence.

James Gibson, sen., of Stockdale, accessory to the act of using a canceled postage stamp in order to defraud, has been fined \$20 and costs or 60 days.

As a result of the judgment against A. M. Orpen in the Toronto pool room case, Chief McKinnon notified the Hamilton pool rooms not to do business or he would prosecute them.

At Toronto, Dr. McCully, arrested on a charge of criminal assault, preferred by Mrs. Margaret Willgong, was on Saturday evening admitted to bail on sureties amounting to \$10,000.

The death of Mrs. Macdonnell was briefly but feelingly alluded to by the Rev. Principal Grant, who assisted Mr. Macdonnell in the sacramental services on Sunday at St. Andrew's Church, Toronto.

At the assizes in Winnipeg Wilson and Wallace were acquitted on the charge of murdering Paul Blondin. The judge said the Crown had not made out a case, and ordered the jury to return a verdict of not

A St. John, N. B., telegram says there are fears for the safety of the scooners Star (Capt. Dryden) and Marie Delphine (Capt. Ogilvie), both from Parrsboro, heavily laden with coal, which came out in last Friday's severe storm.

At Georgetown burglars during Saturday night broke into Hunter & Fraser's carriage works here, securing a lot of heavy tools. Then they started to break into the postoffice but were scared away, leaving the tools behind.

The new St. James' Roman Catholic Cathedral in Montreal was opened Sunday. The Cathedral is situated on Dominion Square, in the most beautiful porpeople.

John L. Labrecque, of Montreal, was arrested Saturday afternoon in Boston. A check given by Labrecque to the pro-prietor of the Clarendon Hotel, purporting by the high winds. It is feared many of to be certified by the Barque Nationale of Montreal, proved to be a forgery. He confessed and gave details of similar transactions that extend pretty generally throughout Canada.

## HERE, THERE AND EVERYWHERE.

An English paper tells of a clergyman who is so somnolent a preacher that when he preaches both of his feet go to sleep.

WHILE splitting wood in an attic in Minnesota, a women jarred down a hanging lamp, and burned up the house and \$400. A Young man in Jacksonville, Fla., is in great danger from having swallowed his windpipe. It is of silver, and is lodged somewhere in the tubes leading to the

THE various places in London called "crosses" were erected by Edward I. to mark the resting places of the body of his queen, Eleanor, on its way to Westminister for interment. Charing Cross was the last

resting place. Ir has been estimated that at least onehalf of the power expended in the operation of the average manufacturing establishment is wasted in overcoming the friction of cause it is impossible to get the required lubricated surfaces of shafting and other machinery.

In the British navy is the most singular ship in the world, the Polyphemus. It is simply a long steel tube, buried deeply in the water, the deck rising only 4 feet above the water's level. It carries no masts or sails and is used as a ram or torpedo boat.

Ir will startle some people to learn, says the London Figaro, that if no American meat is imported into the London market for two days the price of all kinds of meat goes up. Moreover, it is also a fact that if the American supply were entirely cut off we should have famine prices in force, so large is the quantity consumed.

Whenever Queen Victoria calls upon Mme. Albani at Old Mar Lodge the first proceeding of the famous singer is to send word to her cook to prepare a certain variety of muffin of which her Majesty is particularly fond. Then Mme. Albany sings "The Lass o' Gowrie," Cam' Ye by Athol" and "The Blue Bells of Scotland which are the Queen's favorite ballads.

PNEUMATIC-TIRED wheels of ordinary size are now made for use on various kinds of vehicles. The first vehicles so equipped appeared in Dublin in the fall of 1893-a brougham and a jaunting car. The tires of the brougham were three inches in diameter. A jaunting car with pneumatic tires made in New York has tires three and a half inches in diameter, which do not look at all out of place on a vehicle of that weight and description. These tires are inflated at a pressure of 100 pounds to the square inch. There has been running in New York since March 2nd of the present year a runabout equipped with pheumatic tires. Pneumatic tires for the various kinds of vehicles vary in size, weights, and cost according to the weight to be carried on them. The tires for the runabout just mentioned cost \$72; tires for a brougham would be much more costly. They are essentially a luxury. Invalid chairs have been equipped with them, and there has just been ordered in New Yorkanambulance with pneumatic-tired wheels.

A U. S. Senator Dead. WASHINGTON, March 26 .- Senator Colquitt, of Georgia, who was stricken with paralysis for the second time about a week ago, died at his residence in this city at 136 DUNDAS STREET 7:10 this morning.

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## WINTER WEATHER.

Fifty Men Blown to Sea on the Ice at St. Johns, Nfld.

Blizzards in the Western States-Mercury Away Down-Fatalities,

MINNEAPOLIS, March 26 .- The mercury here fell 20 degrees within twelve hours. The storm shows no signs of abatement and

is approaching a genuine blizzard. Reports from all over the State and from North and South Dakota report severe weather. At Groton, S. D., a young man, supposed to be Frank Snell, was found a half a mile south of town frozen to death. At Reynolds, N. D., Prof. McLain was

found about five miles south of the town badly frezen; he will recover. BUFFALO, Wyo., March 26 .- The wires are just up after the late storm which commenced last Monday evening and continued a terrible blizzard for over 76 hours. The temperature averaged zero and snow drifted 10 to 20 feet deep in every direction and all roads were impassable. Reports from stockmen near by say that the oss of the stock is terrible. In one herd near Buffale, containing stock which had been fed all winter, over 20 per cent. perished. The range losses will probably be one-half, which will leave scarcely any stock in the country this spring. No lives

reported lost. MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 26 .- A cold wave of unusual severity for this season of the year struck the lower Mississippi valley Saturday night. The early fruit and vegetable crops have been greatly damaged and in many places killed out-

right by the frost. CHICAGO, March 26.—Dispatches from all parts of Illinois indicate that the severe cold weather of the past few days has done great damage to fruit trees and growing tion of the city, and is an exact copy of crops. Grass and wheat are withered, St. Peter's at Rome. It will seat 4,000 cherry and peach buds blighted, and early cherry and peach buds blighted, and early

garden truck rained. ST. JOHN, Nfld., March 26.-From 40 to 50 men, who were fishing on the ice here them have perished.

## WHOLESALE PERSONATION.

Civil Servants at Ottawa Guilty-Hired Students to Write Their Exams .-A Starting Exposure.

(Special to the ADVERTISER.)

OTTAWA, March 26 .- Of 100 persons who went up at Montreal recently for civil service examinations, about one-third or between 30 and 40 were personating Ottawa civil servants, who pretended to write for their promotion examination. The Government secret service police investigated the matter with starting results. Some of the civil servants who paid young men to personate them are well known, and some related to members of the Privy Council. They are largely French, but there is a good sprinkling of English-speaking offend-

They employed McGill and other students to write for them and paid considerable sums for the service. Experts in handwriting were employed to establish the identity of many of the personators and a number of them notified the Montreal agents of the Department of Justice yesterday that they would plead guilty. Strong efforts are being made to suppress the names of some of the guilty civil servants. The penalty provided for the offense is a fine of \$200 or six months in prison or both. There is something wrong about a system

## impunity. Lenten Penitents.

which permits wholesale personation with

ESPANOLA, N. M., March 26 .- The penitents at Taos scourged themselves during Lent this year more actively than ever. and many parties went out from here to witness the strange exhibitions of selfpunishment.

Enterprising Women.

ENTERPRISE, Kan., March 25.—The women of this place, a town of 1,000 people, have put up a complete temperance ticket composed of women. Mrs. M. Kohler was nominated for mayor, Mrs. Kate Haines for police judge, and a full quota of council members were named. All are married, and they propose to purify the city's politics.

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Proportions Are Decidedly Slim. CANTON, O., March 25 .- Coxey's army of the commonweal moved out of Massillon to-day on schedule time, there being perhaps 75 stragglers in the procession when it started, and 25 less when Canton, eight miles away, was reached.

Carl Brown, chief marshal, who headed the procession, was mounted on a white horse, and was followed by half a dozen aides all mounted on horses belonging to Coxey, who rode in a carriage drawn by a pair of spirited steeds. The procession consisted of the marshals, Coxey, his wife and sister, a bugler, four covered wagons containing camping outfits, baled straw and several quarters of beef, a brass band that played all kinds of music at once and the soldiers of the commonweal on foot. They marched single file and two abreast as it pleased their fancy. With very few exceptions they were hard-looking citizens. This they claimed was not their fault, but the fault of our system of government. The weather was pleasant when the start was made, but the procession was soon overtaken by a severe storm. This had a very depressing tendency, and a number of desertions were reported. The army has had to start on its march without a goddess of peace, as no maiden could be found to assume that role. Instead of a goddess, however, a burly colored man has been enlisted to carry the banner, thus giving the African

race representation in the movement. Coxey's life insurance policy, it was learned to-day, has been revoked, the officials of the company fearing he may meet with a violent end before finishing his

present enterprise. CANTON, O., March 25.—With the ground covered to the depth of half an inch with snow, nothing to eat but a short supply of bread and cheese and a little straw to sleep on the Coxey recruits are in anything but a joyous mood to-night. Murmuring under the big circus tent where the commonweal army is quartered is loud and general. Coxey's soldiers declare that things must improve at once or they will go back to begging. Coxex and his lieutenants are still sanguine and are endeavoring to imbue their followers with confidence by making speeches which, however, do not seem to have the desired effect. Coxey said to-night: "I am now satisfied that I will be followed into Washington by 150,000. As people hear that we have actually started they will begin falling in. Up to this time they have been afraid that we were bluffing. Now they see we mean

business." Dr. Kirtland, of Pittsburg, known as "The Cyclone," arrived at Canton this evening and joined the army. He says he has figured out by astrology that it is to be the grandest move the world has ever seen. Nearly all the noted cranks in Ohio are now here sexpressing their determination to join Coxey. The army is expected to leave Canton at noon to-morrow for Louisville, O. Nearly 50 of Coxey's recruits applied for lodging in the city

to-night and were accommodated. SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 25 .- The Southern Pacific Railroad officials here received word to-night that the United States industrial army of several hundred men were put off the trains at a siding near Finlay, on the El Paso branch, and that trains were run through without stopping. The so-called army broke the lock on the switch and threw it open, causing the next east-bound train to take the siding. The men climbed upon the cars and Conductor Martin pulled them to Finlay, where he tied up the train, pending orders. Orders came for him to keep the train tied up, as the company had decided not to carry the men. Several other trains have arrived at Finlay, and all are tied up, as the army shows no disposition to let any of the trains depart without them. Finlay is an isolated station and the army will starve if they

remain there a few days. Massillon, Ohio, March 25 .- Col. James E. Pepper, of Kentucky, yesterday had an execution for \$24,000 issued against Coxcy and attached the latter's \$40,000 stallion Acolyte. Coxey bought the horse from

Pepper, but paid only \$16,000 on him. DENVER, Col., March 25. -Bert Hamilton, civil engineer and actor, is organizing an army similar to Coxey's to go to Washington and demand the free coinage of silver, the construction of a new railroad from the Ohio River to the Pacific coast and other legislation in the interests of the western portion of the country. The start will be next Sunday and Mr. Hamilton expects to leave Colorado with at least 50,000 and take recruits along the line. The army will demand free transportation from the

The Clergy and the A. P. A.

The Frotestant clergy in the west are generally taking a sensible position in opposition to the A. P. A. as un-American and inimical to the peace of the state. In many places as in Terre Haute, Ind., and Sioux City, Ia., iast week, they have unitedly expressed their hostility to the movement. Common worldly wisdom, aside from any other consideration, would dictate this course, as nothing is so well calculated to tighten the loosening bonds of the Roman Catholic organization and solidify its forces as this toolish A. P. A. attack .- [Springfield Republican.

Killed by His Daughter and Wife. ATLANTA, Ga., March 25 .- A special from Homer, Banks county, says that F. J. Willis was killed last week by his daughter Lillian and his wife. The news of the tragedy did not leak out for several days, when a son, Francis, told it to some neighbors. The boy testified that his father came home from work about dark, and, setting his bottle of whisky upon the cupboard, called for his supper. Atter beginning to eat his meal a difficulty arose between the father and mother, when Lillian, about 15 years old, struck him with the axe. Rising up and screaming, Willis threw back his head, and the mother took the axe from the girl and cut him across the throat with it. The girl's plea was that she did it to save her mother's life. The jury acquitted the girl.

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## TOOLEY NOT IN IT!

East Middlesex Conservatives Afraid to Put Up a Regular Candidate.

he Party Bosses Sadly Puzzled-"Nothing Against Mr. Shore," Said One Delegate - "Downright Impertinence," Said Another-A Man Who Shook Hands with Mr. Shore and Asked Him to Call Again-An Acjournment for Four Weeks.

From what transpired in the East Middlesex Conservative convention on Saturday afternoon, as gathered from delegates in attendance, it would appear that Richard Tooley, M.P.P., is about to be deserted in his old age by the party whose cause he has championed so long. By the same token and from what was said by the delegates there is an evident tendency of many old-time Conservatives of the riding to support the Patron candidate, Mr. Shore.

The meeting was held in the banqueting hallof the Masonic Temple, from which every. body was excluded excepting the delegates. Among those who departed when Chairman Robson (county clerk) issued the mandate were Mr. Tooley, M.P.P., Mr. Peter Elson and Mr. Wm. Brett. Among the delegates who remained were noticed Messrs. Glass and Spicknell (Pottersburg), Mr. Legg, H. Jackson, Wm. Abbott, F. Ward, Mr. Barr, W. H. Johnston, Wesley Flemming, John Carrothers, J. H. Rose, Neil Munroe, James O'Brien, Joseph Cousins, Robert McEwen, Walter Bourne, Albert Jones, David Mann, Samuel Adams, George Weekes, Harvey Shore, D. C. Macdonald, Wm. Nichols, Wm. Hamilton, Harvey O'Brien, Ezra Guest, Richard Guest, E. McRoberts, Wm. E. McRoberts, S. Bourne, Alexander McKenzie, James McGuffin, Allan Woods, Joseph Dick, Geo, Burleigh, A. R. Rowat, George Neely, Wm. Moore, C. W. Walden, J. B. Barton, Alfred Cummings, Mr. McPhillip, Mr. McMillan, Mr. McLaughlin and others.

Mr. McPhillip, on motion, took the chair. It was then moved by Messrs. Mc-Millan and McLaughlin that the convention adjourn without nominating a candidate

for four weeks, Both mover and seconder spoke briefly, and they were followed by another delegate, who said: "Like the speakers before me, I called together a meeting of our constituents, and the feeling of the meeting was distinctly Mr. Shore. They had nothing against him, and hardly felt like nominating a candidate to oppose him. The feeling was distinctly Mr. Shore, not that he was a Patron, particularly, or any-

The next er aker was indignant. "It seems to me," said he, "that this is peculiar talk for a meeting of Conservative delegates. I would like to ask those gentlemen who just now upheld Mr. Shore here, has he (Mr. Shore) made any definite promise to anybody that he will support our policy down there. Until he does that it is a piece of downright impertinence to ask his convention to support him. If he is willing to support our platform I am not opposed to Mr. Shore any more than to any other man. I do not forget that he has pitched into us recently. Let him come here and speak with a voice and let us know where he is."

"Supposing he was going to support W. R. Meredith," said another delegate, "I don't think he would like to come here and say so, seeing he is running the Patron ticket. (Laughter in several parts of the hall.) were talking on matters in general and political subjects and I was going to broach the question to him in a short sime, but we were stopped by several others walking in. When he went away I shock hands with him and asked him to call again and he said he would. In my own mind I know what he will do."

A voice-Let us have it. But before the secret could be imparted another delegate had the floor: "Mr. Shore is a Patron candidate," he was saying, "and will support the Patron platform. And Mr. Mowat in one of his speeches lately said that there was not a plank in the Patron placform that was not in his.'

Then Mr. McMillan spoke. "The reason ! moved an adjournment," said he, "was that we might see what will turn up in the meantime, both in the Liberals and P. P. As. Although not a P. P. A. myself, I know that there is a candidate before the P. P. A. convention, and he was in the room this afternoon. In four weeks from now we will know where we are and be iu a better position to bring out a candidate.' Reeve D. C. Macdonald. London West, followed, and argued that Mr. Shore should come before the convention and speak with his voice and let the delegates know whether he was going to support Mr. Mowat or Mr. Meredith.

The motion was then put and carried and the meeting adjourned.

BERING SEA.

Probability of a New Modus Vivendi

Being Agreed Upon. WASHINGTON, D. C., March 25 .- There are substantial grounds for the statement that a new modus vivendi covering the sealing season in Bering Sea will be agreed upon by the United States and Great Britain within the next ten days. The fact that neither country has as yet passed the legislation necessary to carry into effect the findings of the Bering Sea Court of Arbitration has given rise to no little discussion in diplomatic circles and the impression has grown up that the United States have been outwitted by the British Government and that no action will be taken by that country this year looking to the protection of the seal life in the waters of the Bering

The statement was made yeseerday with great positiveness that this impression is not well founded that the United States have not been outwitted by Great Britain, nor do they propose that they shall be. From a high diplomatic source it is learned bat the State Department, with a full apf the fact that no action will he tisn Parliament looking to necessary legislation. intry that a modus of previous years nd that without what can be

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## WESTERN ONTARIO.

Serious Charge Against the Principal of the Tiverton Schools.

He Has Disappeared-Latest News from the Western Counties.

BRANT. The Oddfellows of Brantford, Stratford, Waterford, Simcoe and Dunnville have een visiting one another.

Mrs. Ed. Wheeler, Brantford, has issued a writ against Fred Westbrooke, claiming \$2,000 damages for assaulting her in trying to exclude her from the Brunswick Hotel when he took possession. BRUCE.

In Center Bruce the tavern licenses issued last year were 25, in the year 1892 one less. In North Bruce 33 were granted in 1893 and 32 in 1892. In South Bruce 37 in 1893 and 40 in the previous year. Taking the county as a whole, the licenses granted have decreased by 5.

The Northern Exhibition at Walkerton

has been restored, and Lord Aberdeen will be asked to open it this year.

The total amount of milk received at the Lucknow cheese factory during the season was 436,277 pounds; the total amount of cheese manufactured was 40,195 pounds, and the total amount received for the cheese was \$3.851 65, the balance to the credit of the company being \$61 36.

Tiverton has been torn up over the disappearance of T. B. Miller, principal of the public schools. His flight is proof of the charge that he had seduced a young girl pupil. For a time he denounced the rumor as a blackmailing scheme, and many sided with him. He was an excellent teacher and apparently a very moral man. A wife and several children are left behind.

ELGIN. Two new opera houses will be built in St. Thomas. The Duncombe will cost \$20,000, and the other, to be erected in rear of the Grand Central Hotel, \$15,000.

Horace Holden, living near Fingal, died suddenly Friday, agad 82. He carried the mail between Fingal and St. Thomas for years. Of his seven children six are in the States and one at home. ESSEX.

The Rev. S. Cooper, of Invermay: Rev. T. R. Davis, of Samia; D. Deacon, of Stratford; J. Downie, of Watford, and A. A. Thomas have been appointed by the Bishop of Huron to investigate the charges against Rev. Mr. Wye, of Amherstburg.
Rev. Mr. Cooper, Methodist, and Elder Leverton, Latter Day Saint, will publicly debate "Religion" at Tilbury Center on

April 18.
Mr. and Mrs. W. Wride, aged 87 and 81. of Leamington, celebrated the 60 h anni versary of their marriage last week. BURON.

Rev. L. W. Diehl, of Clinton, has received word that his brother George was drowned at Duluth, Minn.

James Meehan, an odd character, who tramped the country for years, was taken sick recently at the home of Hector Reid. con. 3, Stanley. He died there, but before passing away inquired for a parcel he had. His old clothes, which had been thrown out on the woodpile, were searched and a postoffice bank book with \$175 to his credit and \$10 50 in cash were found in them. LAMBION.

Following Sarnia's enterprise Port Huron bievelists will build a cinder track. The statement circulated that Dr. Wm. uinbertson, of Unicago, son of Rev. Geo Cuthbertson, of Wyoming, had eloped with another man's bride is wholly false. Dr. Cuthbertson was attendant on a Mrs. Blood. who became ill through her daughter's sud-Mr. Shore called on me on Friday and we were talking on matters in general and mother, and Dwight persisted in accompanying her. Dwight was refused entrance by Mrs. Blood's brother whom Dwight had arrested along with Dr. Cuthbertson and others on a charge of abducting his bride. The ridiculous complaint was dismissed. OXFORD.

Mrs. Snider, of Otterville, a widow, fell in a cistern the other day, and stood in four feet of cold water for two hours, shouting for help. She may never entirely recover

from the effects.

John J. Hall, druggist, died unexpectedly at Woodstock Saturday. He was a prominent pharmacist, an ex-deputy reeve and councilor in the town, and a fine political orator on the Liberal side. A wife and two children survive him. SIMCOE.

The Long Point Company commenced to fish last week with the draw nets, and will commerce with the pound nets about the first of April.

LADIES' O. B. S.

Election of Grand Lodge Officers-London the Next Annual Meeting Place.

Hamilton, Ont., March 25 .- The Grand Lodge of the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Society, in session here, elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: Grand Mistress-Miss Cullum, Hamil:

D. G. M .- Miss Mary Dawson, Ottawa. J. D. G. M.-Mrs. E. W. Fisher, To-

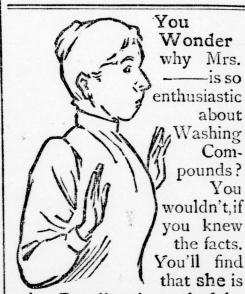
ronto. Grand Chaplain-Mrs. Stokes, Toronto. Grand Secretary-Mrs. A. Vollick, Ham-

Grand Treasurer-Mrs. M. McDonald, London. Grand Lecturer-Miss A. Scott, Ad-

D. G. L.-Miss M. Lee, Hamilton. Grand Director of Ceremonies-Miss V. Fraser, Toronto.

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MAIN LINE-Going East.		
	ARRIVE.	DEPART
*Wabash Extress (A)	12:10 p.m. 10:50 a.m. 4;20 p.m. 5;50 p.m.	8:05 a.m 12:20 p.m 2:20 p.m 4:25 p.m 6:50 p.m

MAIN LINE-Going West. ARRIVE. | DEPART | Chicago Express (A) | 5:35 a.m. | 5:35 a.m. | 6:15 a.m. | 11:35 a.m. | 11:40 a.m. | 12:16 p.m. | Accommodation | 17:55 p.m. | 7:30 p.m. | Accommodation | 17:50 p.m. | 7:30 p.m. | 17:30 p.m. | 17:30

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPAR
Lehigh Express (B) Accommodation Atlantic Express (B) Accommodation Mixed Accommodation Erie Limited (B)	9:30 a.m. 11:35 a.m. 2:14 p.m. 5:35 p.m. 8:15 p.m.	
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ARRIVE. | DEPART Chicago Express (B)..... 5:40 a.m ..... Accommodation
Lehigh Express (B).
Eric Limited (B). ..... 12:20 p.m 2:35 p.m 7:00 p.m Accommodation..... Pacific Express (B).....

London, Huron and Bruce. | ARRIVE. | DEPART Express 9:55 a.m. 8:15 a.m. Mail. 6:40 p.m. 4:30 p.m St. Marys and Strationd Branch.

 Mixed-Mail
 11:15 a.m.
 7:30 a.m

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 Express.
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 Express-Mixed
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 5:55 p.m.

 Toronto Branch.

| ARRIVE. | DEPART

Hamilton—Depart—
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a.m. | a.m. | a.m. | p.m. | p.m. | p.m. | r.m. | 112:30 | B19:00 | 10:30 | B 2:30 | 3:55 | 6:25 | 8:15

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3:30 Going North.

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MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY LONDON TIME.

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7:30 p.m. 3:30 p.m. Canada Southern Division-Going West, North Shore Limited (daily) 6:35 a.m. 7:25 a.m. Detroit Express (daily 6:35 a.m. 7:35 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:40 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 1:45 p.m. 2:20 p.m. 3:15 p.m. 2:20 p.m. 5:45 p.m. (daily except Sunday).... Pacific Express (daily).... Boston, New York and Chicago special (daily)... 7:30 p.m. 4:10 a.m.

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London, Monday, March 26.

THE LONDON ADVERTISER, with its morning and evening editions, covers the ground. With one exception, it is THE ONLY EARLY MORNING DAILY IN ONTARIO, outside of To-

-Only those communications to which the writers are willing to have their names appended in print will be published in these columns. Neither the writing nor the pubscation of anonymous letters can be justified.

-Mr. Tooley, M.P.P., is footsore and weary chasing after the Conservative nomination for East Middlesex, but the bosses of to-day do not know the old warhorse. They will have none of him.

-While the Canadian Government has been pardoning one set of its boodlers and positively shielding another set, the United States rascals are being steadily sent to jail. An ex-judge was on Saturday taken from Coney Island to the penitentiary to spend a nine months term for doing that for which a Canadian judge has been praised by his party friends. The Dominion needs a change,

-In view of the fact that the annual meeting of the Western Ontario Bible Society takes place in this city to-morrow parent organization, the British and Foreign Bible Society, celebrated its 90th birthday two weeks ago. Between March, 1804 and March 1893, the society distributed throughout the world 135,894,552 Bibles or portions of Bibles, almost every written language being represented in the number. The issue of new copies of the Scriptures by the society is now about 4,000,000 a year, or 13,000 for every work-

THE BUDGET TO-MORROW, PER-

Unless Finance Minister Foster can formulate a fresh excuse for further delay, the long held-back tariff changes will be annonneed to-morrow. The general public know of no reason why they should not have been promulgated months ago. It was the silliest of devices to divert attention from its own shortcomings for the Administration to pass over many Government days to pitch upon private members' day, Wednesday last, as a day on which to deliver the budget speech and then to have Sir John Thompson funk at the eleventh hour, while his party newspapers blamed "the wicked

BRITISH DEMOCRATIC PROGRESS. Our cablegrams announce that the British Government will bring in a registration bill that will be a great improvement on present methods. It will follow the Canadian Liberal idea of having all the elections on one day. Another law will carry portance to stimulate the patriotism of the out the one man one vote idea. Without the placing of both enactments on the statute books, it is impossible to get rid of plural voting and the "foreign" vote that in Canada has so frequently overturned the really popular verdict.

If the Lords take the same view as the reactionaries at Ottawa, and reject the democratic "one man one vote" law, they will put another nail in their political

THE TRUTH ABOUT AUSTRALIA. When Hon. Mackenzie Bowell returned from Australia he left Mr. W. F. Buchanan, a well-known Winnipeg commission merchant, to look into a number of matters for him and take charge of the correspondence of Canadian firms. Mr. Buchanan has now returned home, after giving six me careful attention to the matter, and he informs the Winnipeg Tribune that he has come to the conclusion that except in special and proprietary Canadian articles there cannot be a trade built up in Australia at present. There does not, says Mr. Buchanan, seem to be much chance of opening a trade in staples in competition with England owing to the Australian line was \$150 per 100 pounds, while the P. and O. boats carry freight from England to Australia for 12s 6d per measured ton. As to trade from Australia to Canada, Mr. | in the Province. By 1893 the kindergartens Buchanan does not see that they can send us much but lemons and sugar. Good with pupils numbering 8,056 under 6 oranges are grown in Australia, but not in years of age. The night schools are also sufficient quantities to make their shipment | doing good work wherever established and profitable. There is scarcely a grower who | the Government aids them. could ship ten carloads, while Mr. Buchan-

ship 1,000 carloads in a season. On their | years has increased from 4,890 to 3,480, the windfalls.

Unlike Minister Bowell, this shrewd and he is disposed not to look upon the situation in a roseate light that facts do not warrant. He plainly tells us that trade in Australia is a bad shape at present, and that there are immense stocks of goods in the cities perfectly unsaleable, though he does not despair that a trade may by-and-bye be built up between the two countries. We will have all the trade that is profitable if we encourage it by throwing off the taxes on Canadian products, and if the Australians exhibit similar wisdom.

To bar out commerce by high tariff walls, and then take large sums of public money to subsidize steamship lines that have to be run at a loss because the tariff discourages trade, is a very foolish and reprehensible

OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

No report that is laid before the Legislature is of greater interest to the average citizen than that of the Minister of Education, the issue of which for 1893 has just been made. The report is this year embellished with artistic effect by reason of handsome pictures of leading educational buildings, and of half a dozen photoengravings of the Ontario educational exhibit at the World's Columbian Exhibition in Chicago. These illustrations record, in a realistic manner, as nothing else could, the splendid success achieved by the Province of Ontario in the greatest of all international competitions.

The exact number of the school population of Ontario, between 5 and 21 years of age, in 1892, the last year of which the returns are available, was 595,238; the registered pupils, 485,670, and the average attendance 253,830. Since 1887, the next nearest return (the returns are given every five years), there has been a falling of in the figures, the school population having declined about 16,000 and the registered pupils about 8,000. These discouraging figures average attendance has risen over 8,000 in the same quinquennial period. The percentage of pupils enrolled in the schools of Ontario, compared with the whole population and with the enrollment in adjoining American States, is worthy of notice, for Iowa alone, with the very high percentage of 25.80, exceeds Ontario's 24.95. New York has 17.38, Ohio 21.71 and Michigan 20.39. Massachusetts and Connecticut are the lowest with only 16.95. The average garding teachers' institutes, technical eduattendance of Ontario is 52 per cent. This cation, mechanics' institutes, free libraries, is the highest since Confederation, and has art schools and scientific societies, to which evening, it is interesting to note that the increased in ten years to that figure from

45. The average attendance of rural pupils was 47 per cent., of the registered attendance in towns it was 62 per cent., and in cities 68 per cent. The county of Waterloo furnishes the highest average-58 per cent. -for the rural districts; the town of Bowmanville furnishes the highest average, namely, 75 per cent., for the towns, and the city of Hamilton the highest average, namely, 75 per cent, for the cities.

That fifty years of the "schoolmaster abroad in the land" has effected great good, the Dominion census statistics as to illiteracy abundantly prove. The percentage of adults able to write in Ontario is 90.4. In the three Maritime Provinces only 80.0 are so fortun. while Onehed lags behind at 63.9. The percentage of persons from 10 to 20 years able to write is considerably higher-94,22 in Ontario and proportionately higher in the other Provinces. High as the standing of Ontario is, we are still excelled by Scandinavia, 97 per cent, of whose population are able to write, by Germany with 96 per cent., and Switzerland with 95 per cent. But for fcreign immigration, Ontario's standing would be higher. As it is, Ontario easily leads her sister Provinces.

The number of pupils in the fourth and fifth forms has been steadily increasing during the last ten years. In 1885, Canadian history was made compulsory for entrance to the high schools. This has doubtless led to a better knowledge of the great events which affect our destiny, and which cannot fail, on account of their im-

It is also worthy of notice that the number of pupils receiving instruction in temperance and hygiene has increased from 33.926, in 1882, to 171,594, in 1892, or an increase of 405 per cent. Having regard to the great importance of the knowledge of physiology and the injurious effects of alcoholic stimulants on the human system, provision was made by statute in 1886 for placing this subject on the course of study for public schools. Instruction was also provided under departmental regulation for teachers-in-training at county model schools and normal schools, to be followed by an examination as an essential prerequisite to their final recognition as duly qualified teachers. In 1893 this subject was made compulsory for entrance to high schools and collegiate institutes, so that no pupil who pursues his studies as far as the fifth form can fail to be reasonably well acquainted with the conditions on which it through and through. his health and physical vigor depend, as well as with the dangerous tendency of stimulants and narcotics to produce weak. ness and disease. In the case of pupils who are not far enough advanced to use the text book instruction is given orally at least once a week. The Minister points out that the study of physiology and temperdifference in freight rates. The best rate ance in schools is also being indorsed in all that could be got over the Canadian- the leading States of the American re-

public. Hon. Mr. Ross has a word of commendation for the kindergarten. In the years up to 1892, 66 kindergartens were established increased to 85 and the teachers to 200.

While the whole number of teachers em-

part the Australians claim that all the number of male teachers stands almost at oranges so far shipped to Canada have been | the same figure as in 1867, viz.: 2,849 as compared with 2,770 in 1892. Of these 261 were first-class, 3,047 second-class and business man has no political axe to grind, 4,299 third-class. Practically the increased teaching force of the Province is made up of additions to the profession from the female sex. The tendency of women to enter employments hitherto almost exclusively held by the other sex is seen in almost every vocation in life and is more marked in some of the other Provinces of the Dominion and in some of the adjoining States of the Union than in the Province of Ontario. In salaries, with the exception of a decrease trom \$425 in 1887 to \$421 in 1892 in the increase paid to male teachers, the period from 1872 to 1892 has witnessed a gradual if most desirable improvement in this regard. The average for female teachers was \$297. This is still considered too low by many successful teachers to warrant their remaining permanently in a profession where the chances for preferment are so limited. Of rural schools Waterloo pays the highest average salary, \$446 to male teachers: Peel leads for female teachers with \$325: Haliburton the lowest, \$282, for male, and also the lowest, \$206, for female teachers. Ontario teachers are, however, better paid than in any other province, except Manitoba and British Columbia, where the average salary of both sexes is respectively \$490 and \$610, and for obvious reasons. In New York the average is \$452. On the other hand Ontario teachers work harder than those of the other provinces, with one exception-British Columbia.

From the log school houses, where the sons and daughters of the pioneers of Ontario were educated, to the modern mansions of brick or stone, presided over by a principal and staff of assistants, is a great improvement. There are still in use in Ontario 606 of these primitive log school houses; but they form a small proportion of the whole number-5,937-of which 2,244 are brick, 539 stone and 2,548 frame. The total number of maps used in these is 52,-116. The legal teaching days the schools are open is 208.

In 1892 the Province of Ontarlo expended over \$4,000,000 upon the public schools, or an expenditure of \$8 40 per pupil, or an expenditure per head of her are somewhat offset by the fact that the population of \$1 92. The legislative grant was \$283,791, an increase of \$15,000 over 1887. In the United States the expenditure was \$17 22 per pupil, or an average of 2.29 of the population.

The Minister gives interesting information regarding the high schools and collegiate institutes and the Catholic and Protestant separate? schools maintained under the Imperial Act of Confederation, and there is other valuable intelligence rewe may again recur.

Planting shade trees and cultivating flowers in the school grounds, promoted by the department, have been heartily supported by teachers and trustees. Arbor Day has now become one of the most interesting and profitable holidays of the year. Since the establishment of Arbor Day in 1885, 200,515 trees have been planted.

A valuable retrospect of the past ten years' work of the department in legislation directed by it; in the remarkable reduction in the number and cost of text books from 53 to 10 used in the public school course of study, and from 131 to 25 in the high school course, the last item alone saving over \$125,000 to the pupils. makes interesting reading to the taxpayer. Every text book used in the public schools of Ontario, with the exception of a few used in mixed I rench and German schools, is now manufactured in this Province, and a similar state of affairs is to be noted regarding high school books.

The educational standing of the Province at the World's Fair in Chicago is attested by the awards given Ontario's exhibit. These may be put in six special classes: 1. For excellence of the exhibit as a

2. For our school system as a national system of education, completely organized from the kindergarten to the university. 3. For the system adopted by the department for the professional training of

4. For the completeness of their organzation and the suitability of their courses of study of our system of elementary and

secondary education. 5. For the excellence of our text-books and their system of authorization. 6. For art schools, mechanics' institutes,

public and separate schools, ladies' coleges and institutes for the blind, deaf and dumb and defective classes. The Minister concludes his letter of

transmission by saying: "The high standing obtained by the department at Philadelphia in 1876 was fully sustained at Chicago. Indeed, many of the awards made, particularly those I have mentioned, are the most significant evidence that could be given of the excel. lence of our school system and of the completeness with which it provides for the education of the whole people. To obtain such distinctions in competition with the experience of centuries of educational development in Europe, and of the wonderful activities of our republican neighbors, is no small honor to those concerned in the organization of the school system of the

All who are concerned in the cause of education ought to get this book and read

Jailed the Judge.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., March 25 .- Ex-Judge Newton, of Coney Island, was yesterday taken to the Kings County Penitentiary to serve out his term of nine months. On his arrival there he was shaved, dressed in a striped suit and put to work in the mail bag factory.

Swallowed a Watch-Chain. KINCARDINE, March 25 .- W. Nesbitt. ged 21, son of a farmer near here, went violently insane a short time ago and was placed in an asylum. Recently he attacked his keeper. During the struggle Nesbitt tore the turnkey's watch-chain from his vest and swallowed it. After six hours' of suffering he vomited it up.

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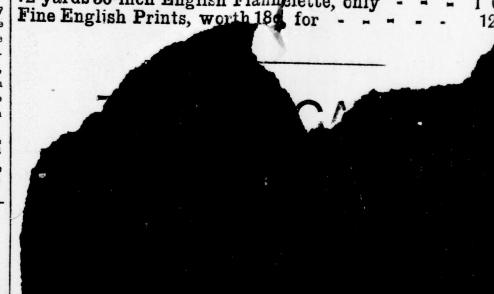
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## Scrofula in the Neck

The following is from Mrs. J. W. Tillbrook, wife of the Mayor of McKeesport, Penn.: "My little boy Willie, now six years old, two years ago had a bunch under one ear which the

doctor said was Scrofula. As it continued to grow he finally lanced it and it discharged for some time. We then began giving him Hood's Willie Tillbrook. Sarsaparilla and he im-

proved very rapidly until the sore healed up. Last winter it broke out again, followed by Erysipelas. We again gave him Hood's Sarsaparilla with most excellent results and ha has had no further trouble. His cure is due to

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## SPORTING MATTERS.

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Corbett Won't Fight in England-The Windsor Summer Turi Meetings -Battle for the Chess Championship.

BASEBALL.

TO UMPIRE BEHIND THE PLATE.

Harry Wright, chief of National League umpires, is working hard upon the playing rules, and is in constant communication with President Young. It is the veteran's desire to have a distinct understanding upon the interpretation of the playing rules, and with that object in view he proposes to go over the mosted points, and be in a position to render decisions which will admit of no appeal to a higher court. that it will be more satisfactory if the umpires render all their decisions from back of the plate, and will issue instructions accordingly. Heretofore, when the umpire took up his position behind the pitcher, after a runner had reached first, considerable fault has been found with his judgment on balls and strikes, and not infrequently | 1,478. he has been advised by the spectators "to get behind the bat." The only distinct advantage to the umpire in standing back of the pitcher is on close decisions on first and second bases. By reason of his closer preximity to those bases he is in a better position to render accurate judgment. On the other hand, when standing behind the turn. Each player has now scored twice. pitcher he is a source of annoyance not only to the batsman and pitcher but to the shortstop and third baseman, who may have to throw to first, or to the second baseman, Alabama To-Night-Ida Van Cortland who may have to throw home, or to the catcher, who may want to threw to secoud. TORONIO DUKES DESERT THE C. A. B. A. At Thursday night's annual meeting o the Toronto Dukes it was unanimous! v decided to withdraw from the C. A. B. A. and play as an independent club. The Dukes would like to hear from London, Gait, Guelph, Cobourg or any other of the strong amateur pines of Canada for the purpose of arranging a game for May 24, or any Saturday afternoon during the

THE BIG LEAGUES WILL SOON BEGIN, Three weeks from to-merrow the big league clubs will begin playing for the professional baseball championship of the country, and a week later the Western League, the most powerful of all the minor organizations, will open its season.

NATIONAL LEAGUE CONTRACTS. Washington, March 25. - Secretary N. E. Young, of the National League of Baseball Clubs, announces the following

With Cleveland, E. J. McKean, J. C. Burkett, C. L. Zimmer, C. L. Childs and D. E. Wald. With Washington, C. L. Abbey, J. H. McMahon and William Joyce. With St. Louis, C. J. Crooks. With Cincin-

nati, Connie Murphy.

THE NATIONAL LEAGUE UMPIRES. WASHINGTON, March 25 .- President Young has completed his staff of umpires for the baseball season of 1894, and, in addition to Inspector-General Wright, there will be McQuade, Emslie, Hurst and Lynch, of last season's staff; James O'Rourke, who captained the Washington team last year; Swartwood, of Pittsburg, Pa., and Stage, of Cleveland.

R. D. Emslie, of St. Thomas, National League umpire, will leave there to resume his duties during the baseball season about

Abbie Johnson, of this city, will report at Buffalo about the middle of April provided the present legal tangle is straight. ened out. He says he will have assurances that the coast is clear before he goes.

Z mmer, Burkett and McKean have signed with Cleveland. Pitcher Young is still holding out for \$2,500 salary, and will likely get it. If Cleveland does not think he is worth it, eleven other clubs in the league do. FOOTBALL.

Ireland has defeated Scotland, England and Wales this year and secured the championship. THE TURF.

Mr. J. E. Seagram, of Waterloo, will send 23 racehorses to Toronto next week to be trained for the coming season.

Apropos of the fascirations of golf, we heard the other day of a Scotsman, a re-tired minister of the Lirk, who was deploring the tendency of the game to become a ruling passion and also to induce bad language. "In fact," he said, "I had to give it up for that reason." "Give up



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golf!" exclaimed his friend. "No," said his reverence, "the meenistry." ATHLETICS.

The Walkerville Athletic and Football Association has elected the following officers: Honorary president, E. C. Walker; honorary vice-president, H. A. Walker; president, James Scott; vice-president, George Wallace; secretary-treasurer, Harry

VERDICT AGAINST CORBETT. Joe Lannon, the plaintiff in the suit for \$5,000 against Champion Corbett for

breach of contract in failing to appear at Lannon's benefit in Boston, secured a verdict of \$500 Thursday. CORBETT WON'T FIGHT IN ENGLAND.

Louisville, March 25 .- To a representative of the Associated Press Corbett made the interesting statement that he would never fight for the championship anywhere but on American soil. He said: "There seems to be a mistaken idea in regard to where my fight with Jackson will take place. The articles of agreement state that it will be fought in the United States. This settles it. In this country it will be fought or nowhere. I want it distinctly understood that the fight will not take place in England or anywhere else except in the United States under any circumstances." Corbett left to-night for St. Louis, where he will fill one more engage. ment before sailing for Europe.

SAYS THE JACKSON-CORBETT MILL IS OFF. PHILADELPHIA, March 25.—It is asserted here by a gentleman in a position to know what he is talking about that the muchtalked-about fight between Peter Jackson and Champion James Corbett is positively and finally "off." The gentleman referred to refused to give any details, but his intimacy with Corbett's manager made it probable that there is some ground for his assertion.

THE TURF. It is expected that fully 150 horses will be on hand for the first running meeting at Windsor June 7, 8 and 9. All the leading Canadian breeders have signified their intention of starting some of their strings. THE WHEEL.

In the long-distance bicycle race at Paris, at the conclusion of the day's work Linton was second, with 1,485 kilometers Wright has also come to the conclusion to his credit. The other riders were distanced.

CLOSE OF THE LONG RACE. Paris, March 25 .- The great eight-day bicycle race, which began last Sunday, closed to-day. Hurst won. Score: Hurst, 1,749 kilometres; Linton 1,743, Williams 1,736, Meyer 1,720, Garin 1,670, Ashinger CHESS.

FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP. NEW YORK, March 24.—W. Steinitz and Emanuel Lasker met this afternoon to contest the fourth game of their chess match for the championship of the world and \$2,000 a side. Lasker lost at his 60th

MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC.

the Remainder of the Week. Field's Minstrels are in Toronto Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Lillian Russell returns to New York city opening to-night at the Casino in "Girofle-Giroffa.

"Utopia," Gilbert and Sullivan's latest comic opera will be first produced in not a strong, consistent, aggressive policy-America at the Broadway Theater, New | maker. He has a poor gift of original York city, to-night.

"Alabama," which is the Grand's attractien to-night, has been touring the States for three seasons and was the most successful play of the season when first produced. "Dick" Golden, who appeared at the Grand here a season or two ago in "Jed Prouty" and is now the comedian with the Pauline Hall Opera Company was arrested last week in New York for drunkenness and taken to the Bellevue

"ALABAMA."

Hospital.

In "Alabama," which will be presented at the Grand to-night, Mr. Augustus Thomas has told a simple story of the south. He has left the beaten path. The clash of arms, the pageant of war, have no place in his work. They are heard only as an echo, seen but by reflection. He presents the study of southern life and character, which is altogether charming. He has given the stage a genuine novelty and a gem, free from even a trace of the sensational. The north a vivid picture of the south, which the north has rarely known, and the south an unvarnished picture of itself, which will do for it what history is powerless to do. The company which will interpret "Alabama" is said to be perfect. The following are in the cast: Frank C. Bangs, of "Silver King" fame; Clarence F. Montaine, L. P. Hicks, Clement Bainbridge, W. J. Dean, F. B. Galloway, Geo. B. Miller, Edward Maas, Genevieve Beaman, Lillian Schovelin, Ethel Irving and Gertrude Magill.

IDA VAN CORTLAND AND COMPANY. Miss Ida Van Cortland will be the attraction at the Grand commencing Tuesday, March 27, opening with "The Mighty Dollar," a play made famous throughout the Dominion and the States by the late W. J. Florence. Her support is exceptionally strong, all weak points having been replaced with well known talent. The company now numbers eighteen people, and on Tuesday, the opening night, Mr. Albert Tavernier will play the part of Bardwell Slate. It is an established fact that what Ida Van Cortland and her company do they do well. They will only be in Canada a few weeks, playing special return engagements in the larger cities. The repertoire for the week is as follows: Tuesday, "Mighty Dollar"; Wednesday matinee, "Peck's Bad Boy", night, Michael Strogott"; Thursday, "Fanchon"; Friday, "East Lynne"; Saturday, "Dan-

Ontario Veterinary College. TORONTO, March 25 .- After one of the most successful years in the history of the Ontario Veterinary College, the closing exercises of the session of 1893-4 were held Saturday. The graduating class numbered 140, representing all parts of the Dominion as well as nearly every State in the Union besides Great Britain and Ireland. C. A. Sankey, Boissevaine, Manitoba, received the gold medal for the best general examination. A. W. Whitehouse, Laramie, Wyoming, won the special prize, a silver medal, for the greatest number of first

in Congress.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 24.-The week in the Senate depends more upon the unexpected than upon anything fixed and determined. Should the President send a message vetoing the Bland Seigniorage Bill the Senate may find itself plunged into an irregular financial debate on the various silver propositions now before it, and a tariff twist will certainly be given to this discussion of the silver question. Senators who now threaten that a veto of the Seigniorage Bill means illimitable opposition to the tariff reform know what they are speaking about and have their forces well in hand.

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## IN THE POLITICAL ARENA

Meredith Hopes to Profit by the Patron Movement.

North Essex Patrens Nominate Candidates for Both Houses.

United Canada, a journal which voices the views of a large section of the Roman Catholics of Ontario, makes a strong plea for the passage of the Conmee ballot law. In the issue of March 17 it says: "If the Government waited until a formal demand came from all the Catholic people for separate schools, much less the ballot, we would have neither in 1994, no matter how much needed or how earnestly desired. The childish attitude of some who are in a rage of indignation because they say the P. P. A. is forcing the issue is most nonsensical. If the ballot is desirable, and all concede that it is, why not have it in 1894 instead of 1994? When the Conmee Bill passes, as it should, each municipality will have the option of electing their trustees as they do at present, or by using the ballot.

TO STRAIGHTEN THINGS OUT. Grand Master Controller N. Clarke Wallace sent type-written copies of an imaginary interview into the press gallery trying to straighten himself with Sir John Thomp. son for having, in addressing the members of the Orange Grand Lodge, referred to the Roman Catholic Church as the Romish Church, to which, in view of the spirit in which he referred to the Catholic Church. exception has been taken.

The Patrons of Industry will nominate a candidate to contest Marquette for the

MR. MEREDITH AND THE PATRONS. Mr. Meredith hopes to profit by the Patron movement. His party profess to be political co-workers with the farmers. But outside of the maintenance of British connection Mr. Meredith favors but few of the important planks in the platform of the Patrons. The platform demands the abolition of the Senate; Mr. Meredith does not. The Patrons call for the election of Provincial officers; Mr. Meredith favors appointment by the county councils. The Patrons are for a tariff for revenue; Mr. Meredith is for protection. The Patrons are for reciprocal trade; Mr. Meredith is not. The Patrons ask for legislation that

will destroy monopolies; Mr. Meredith stands by the system that breeds monopolies. The Patrons would prohibit the bonusing of railways; the plank has not been indorsed by Mr. Meredith. The Patrons ask for the preparation of the Dominion and Provincial voters' list by the municipal officers; Mr. Meredith supports the party which obstinately adheres to the dual franchise system. The Patrons demand that electoral districts shall conform to county boundaries; Mr. Meredith has not condemned the gross mutilation of county boundaries by the Federal makers of partisan electoral districts. No, Mr. Meredith is not a leader. The platform of the Patrons is, in the main, the product of the thought and work of the Liberal leaders in Federal affairs. He was crowded into Provincial prohibition and Government House abolition by Mr. Marter. He merely haunts the ante-room of the Protestant Protective Association. He is legislation. He surrenders easily to surrounding influences, and there would be the danger to Ontario, with her great timber patrimony and wealth of natural resources, and untaxed credit, if he should reach office. Behind every Government forces gather that have to be held in check, and there is grave fear that these forces, now that the pasture at Ottawa is getting barer, would overmaster Mr. Meredith; not that he would be corrupt, but that he would be weak in office as he has been weak in Opposition, and that Ontario would pay a great price for the change of Government, as Canada has paid a great price for the folly, sixteen years ago, which overthrew the lackenge Adminis-

tration .- [Toronto Globe. NORTH ESSEX PATRONS. WINDSOR, March 25 .- At the convention of North Essex Patrons of Industry, held in Walkerville yesterday, Reeve Wintermute was nominated for the Local House, and Reeve Reaume, of Anderdon, for the Dominion Parliament.

THE SCHOOL QUESTION. MONTREAL, March 25 .- A sensation is likely to be produced in political circles at an early date by a concerted move which will be made by the Roman Catholic bishops of Quebec in connection with the Manitoba school question. The bishops have been studying the whole question for some time and have finally decided to issue a joint pastoral letter dealing with the Manitoba and Northwest school questions and with the neglect of Catholic education. The heirachy will, it is understood, sharply condemn the Government's policy on the school question.

Mr. Lawson, the defeated Conservative candidate at the last Dominion election, is reported to be the lucky successor to the late Peter Flynn as collector of customs at Niagara Falls.

GEORGE SACKETT'S CASE.

Eolsteiners Enjoy a Mild Sensation— One Box of Dodd's Kidney Pills Cures Their Fellow-Citizen of Backache and Ridney Disease.

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EASTER BLIZZARDS.

The Worst Storms of the Winter-Fatal

Results. MARQUETTE, Mich., March 25 .- The worst blizzard of the winter struck here yesterday morning. The mercury dropped twenty degrees. The wind blew almost a hurricane. Reports from other towns in Upper Michigan show that the gale and blizzard were general.

WINNIPEG, Man., March 25 .- A terrible blizzard raged in Manitoba Friday inight. During the storm Prof. Jones, an English gentleman, of Portage la Prairie, lost his way and perished in the storm, being found some hours afterward. His companion was compelled to leave him to save himself.

Converts Killed.

HOLLADAYSBURG, Pa., March 25. Twenty-eight converts were immersed in the Juniatia River this afternoon. While the party were returning to town in an omnibus the horses ran away, upsetting the vehicle. Miss Elsie McManamy and Mrs. Westley Elliott were fatally injured and four others badly bruised.

WORSTED WITH A WIRE.

New Use for Electricity-Law Cfficers Put to Flight.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., March 25 .- In a fight between deputy sheriffs and employes of the Brooklyn City Railcad yesterday at Newton Deputy Sheriff Mayer was seriously burned by a live trolley wire. The deputy sheriffs were endeavoring to prevent the railroad men from stringing wires across the bridge over Newton Creek. On Thursday night the railroad men had trouble with the deputy sheriffs about stringing the wires and work was only partially completed.

Yesterday in anticipation of a renewal of the trouble the wires were charged with electricity. When one of the railroad men was seized by Deputy Sheriff Meyer to-day the railroad men, who wore rubber gloves, seized a live wire and applied it to the deputy sheriff's neck and body and made him release his prisoner, who ran away. Mayer was removed to his home, and the railroad men continued stringing wires without further interference.

A Paper Railway.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., March 25 .- Sensational developments are expected to be made shortly regarding a gigantic railroad swindle perpetrated in 1881. English bondholders paid 99 cents on the dollar for \$700,000 of bonds of the alleged Indiana Coal and Railway Company. The promoters cannot be indentified, and it appears the road never existed, though the interest on the bonds was paid for three years, and reports of the paper road were regularly made.



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Local Market.

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American Markets. CHICAGO, March 24. TE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED. T—No. 2, March, 56gc; May, 57gc;

March, 35%c; May, 37kc; July, 37%c. March, 301c; May, 301c; July, 27c; ORK-March, \$10 95; July, \$10 924.

March, \$5 65; July, \$6 55. RIBS-March, \$5 671; July, \$5 671.

CASH QUOTATIONS:

pring wheat, 56%; No. 2 red, 56%; no. 35% to 26c; No. 2 cats, 30%; No. 2 No. 2 barley, 58c; mess pork, \$1092%; Stard, \$6 90 to \$6 92%; short ribs, 67% to \$5 70; dry salted shoulders, \$6; short clear sides (boxed), \$6 to

39,000 Wheat ..... 20,000 356.000 Oats..... 399,000 .... 6,000 Barley..... 59,000 37,000 Wheat ..... 23,000

314,000 Oats... 23,000 8,000 Barley 29,000 NEW YORK, March 24.

R\_Steady.
Dull; western, 48c to 57c.
EY\_Quiet; No. 2 Milwaukee, 63c.

-Canada, 70c.
T-Receipts, none; exports, 222,000 bu; 3,000 bu; futures 24,000 bu spot; spots 2 red, store and elevator, 60c to 61c; thern, 66t to 67c; options steady; No.

rthern, 662 to 67c; options steady; No. arch. 602c; May. 612c; July, 634c; Aug., t. 652c; Dec., 684c.

Receipts, 28,000 bu; exports, 14,000 bu; 000 bu; futures, 1,000 bu spot; spots No. 2, 46c, elevator; options steady; fc; May, 422c; July, 432c.

Receipts, 144,000 bu; exports, 2,000 1,000 bu futures, 29,000 bu spot; spots No. 2, 354c; No. 2, white, 384c; No. 20, 364c; mixed western, 352c to 364c; and white State, 38c to 41c; options farch and April, 352c; May, 342c; July,

Steady; State and Pennsylvania, ic; western fresh, 12c. EE—Exchange closed.

R—Steady; standard "A." 4 1-16c to fectioners "A." 4 13-16c to 5c; cut-16c to 5c; crushed, 4 13-16c to 5c; d, 45-16c to 4c; granulated, 4 1-16c

BUFFALO. N. Y.. March 24.

AT - Spring wheat - Very dull; No. 1
c; No. 1 northern. 68c. Winter wheat
er; 2 cars No. 2 red, 59c; 1 car mixed,

No. 2 extra white, 59c; No. 1 white,

before arrival. Quite a good amount of barley will be wanted here before the sesson closes. Prices are strong. Quoted: Choice western, 67c to 68c; fair to good, 60c to 64c; commen, 57c

59c: State, 55c to 73c. RYE—Dull: No. 2, 524c in store. FLAXSEED - No. 1 quoted at \$140. FLAURE—Dull: essy. FLOUR—Dull; easy.
MILLFEED—Quiet and weak.

WHEAT—Quiet: 67te cash and March; 69c asked May; tole July.
CORN—37te cash and May.
OATE—32c bid cash.

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.

EAST BUFFALO, March 24.—Cattle—Only a couple of cars on sale. Trade quiet; fair decouple of cars on sale. Trade quiet; fair demand for butchers' stock.

Sheep and Lambs — Twenty-three cars on sale; market steady; closing not so strong; choice to fancy export wethers. \$4 to \$1.25; good to choice mixed sheep, \$3.25 to \$3.75; choice to fancy lambs, \$4.60 to \$4.75; tops, \$4.80. Hogs-Offerings 22 cars. Prices generally 50

higher. Some choice selected white pigs sold at \$4.95; choice Yorkers at \$4.90; general mixed, \$4.80 to \$4.90; choice heavy, \$4.70 to

Montreal Produce Market. Montreal Produce Market.

Montreal, March 26.

FLOUR—Receipts, 5,000 bbls; market quiet and unchanged. Quotations: Patents winter \$3 30 to \$3 50; do spring, \$3 50 to \$3 60; straight roller, \$3 00 to \$3 10; extra, \$2 70 to \$2 80; superfine, \$2 40 to \$2 60; strong bakers, \$3 40 to \$3 50; Ontario bags, \$1 30 to \$1 40.

GRAIN—Wheat No. 2 Manitoba hard, 73c to 75c; corn, 53c to 55c; peas, 68c to 69c; oats, 40c to 41c; barley, 50c to 53c; rye, 48c to 50c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, \$2 00 to \$2 10; cornmeal, \$1 20 to \$1 30.

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PROVISIONS—Mess pork, \$15 00 to \$16 00; lard, Se to 10c; bacon, 10c to 12c; hams, 9c to 10c; cheese, 9c to 11c; butter, townships. 21c to 23c; western, 18c to 20c; eggs, 8c to 10c. Toronto Market.

TORONTO. March 26. FLOUR-Straight roller, \$2 50 to \$2 70; extra \$2 35 to \$2 40. WHEAT-White, 56% to 58c; spring, No. 2. 59c to 60c: red winter, 554c to 58c; goese, 56c to 56c; Manitoba pard, No. 1, 73c to 73c; Manitoba hard. No. 2, 71e to 71c. PEAS—No. 2, 54e to 76c. BARLEY—No. 1, 42c to 42c.

FEED—36c to 37c. OATS—No. 2, 33½c to 34c. Market much as before. Sales—No. 1 Man-hard wheat outside at 73c; do No. 2 outside at

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## LONDON AND ENVIRONS

-Scarlet fever at 410 Dufferin avenue. -R. A. Gray, B.A., city, is visiting

-Mr. Ed. Walker, Hamilton, is visiting friends in this city. -High Constable Schram is confined to his house through illness.

friends in Elora.

-Colin Macdougall, Q.C., of St. Thomas, will act as crown counsel at the Middlesex Spring Assizes.

-Mr. George Kinder, of Strathroy. spent Sunday in town, the guest of Mr. E. Ruse, South London. -The men at Wolseley Barracks will

participate in a grand concert in their barracks hall this evening. -To-day was observed by all the banks

as a holiday. All the offices in the county jail and buildings were also closed. -The action brought by ex-Reeve Spence to disqualify D. C. Macdonald as

reeve of London West, comes up in Toronto -Two young people of Kintore, Oxford county, Wm. J. Roden and Elizabeth Skill-

ings, came to London on Saturday and were married by Rev. W. J. Clark. -Mr. W. Saunders and wife, and Messrs.

Nichol, Murray, Scott and Ramsay, of Westminster township, have left for Crary, North Dakota, where they intend to take -Copies of the electric light specifica-

tions were sent to each of the aldermen on Saturday, and it is likely that a special meeting of the council will be held this week to consider the matter. -It is not likely that No. 2 committee

will go on their \$1,000 stone crusher junket until next week. Among the places to be visited are Aurora, Ill., Hamilton and Ottawa, Ont., and Kennet Square,

-The criminal docket for the Spring Assizes which open to-morrow, is very light. There are only two cases-Benj. Fisher, charged with robbing the Mount Brydges postoffice and Sam Allander, charged with embezzlement.

-The authorities at Wolseley Barracks are seriously thinking of appointing either a royal commission or a corporals' guard to investigate the absence from the barracks of Pte. Tomigo, a Muncey Indian, who disappeared two weeks ago while serving a short course.

-Auctioneer J. W. Jones will sell tomorrow (Tuesday) at his rooms, Dundas street, that property on the northeast corner of Wellington and Dundas streets, known as the Nitschke block. It has a frontage on Dundas street of 135 feet and on Wellington street of 180 feet more or less. Three brick stores, as well as the Nitschke building, are erected on it. This is a mortgage sale and a splendid opportunity for investors.

-R. J. Wood, grocer, Wellington street, treated a large number of his friends to a real live fox hunt on Good Friday. He procured a large fox and let him go in the vicinity of Walker's blacksmith shop. Glanworth road, followed by some of the best hounds in the neighborhood. There was a large number to see the sport, on horseback, in carriages and on foot. Reynard made a gallant dash for his life, trying every scheme known to a cunning fox, even to swimming across a part of the small lake. The pace was too fast for him. He was overtaken, caught, and given another chance, but he was again captured and killed.

Police Court. The attendance at the police court to-day was large, but the bill of fare offered nothing very spicy. A boy, George Wadswith firing off an air gun in the streets and pleaded ignorance of the stricter laws of preached by Father MacBrady, of St. etc. It has cured many when supposed to

371c; closed 371c asked; No. 3 white quoted at again. S. Delamey and Robert Baldwin were fined \$2 each for fast driving and for white property and state of the second whipping their horse. Four lads, Sid Rogers, Fred. Maul, Burley Wilson and Albert Jenkins, were accused of creating a disturbance at the Grand Opera House entrance. Dismissed with a warnng. A local bicyclist opened the season's cases of this kind by riding on the sidewalk. He was fined \$2. Noble Cook and Pat Crolley promised to repay Liveryman Young for a broken shalt in a buggy they had hired. Two drunks, a man and woman, were discharged.

## CITY CHURCH CIRCLES.

The Usual Easter Celebrations at Most of Them.

Fifty People Confirmed at the Memorial -New Christian Church Projected Special Singing-Decorations.

The usual keynote of Easter rejoicing was struck in most of the city churches yesterday. The occasion would have been more imposing but for the wintry weather, as Easter is generally looked upon as the herald of spring and is associated with sunshine and budding foliage. Special music was a feature of all services, and many of the edifices were beautified with

fragrant flowers. The Bishop of Huron administered the rite of confirmation to about 50 candidates at the Memorial Church Sunday evening. The church was crowded, every aisle being filled and the gallery packed. The candidates occupied seats together near the front of the church and stood while the bishop addressed them seriously, dwelling on the import and consequence of the step they were about to take. Each person was then confirmed separately, the service occupying no little time. The rector, Canon Richardson, and Rev. Mr. Shortt assisted. The choir rendered special music during the morning service and the church was

deccrated with easter lilies. Dr. Antliff referred on Sunday to the excellence of the choir of Dundas Street Methodist Church, which, he pointed out, has a Provincial reputation. He asked the congregation to contribute liberally to the choir fund, and thus enable the managers and Mr. Moxon, the new organist, to continue the good work so ably organized by Mr. Birks. The musical service in this congregation on Sunday was most inspiring. Rev. Dr. Sexton, of New York, the exinfidel, preached twice at St. Andrew's Church Sunday. He argued the existence of God and Christ's resurrection from scientific standpoints, and both discourses were original and practical. He lectures in the same church to-night on his fifteen years' experience of infidelity.

Rev. Mr. Aylward, city, addressed the meeting of the Gospel Temperance Reform Club at Hamilton Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Christian (nee Annie Cohen). who, with her husband, is well known as a dramatic singer in the States, sang very acceptably at St. James' Presbyterian Church Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Christian are visiting in the city, en route to England.

The Winnipeg Tribune says: "Brigadier for London, Ontario, and will hold farewell services on Sunday next. It is understood that Brigadier Margetts will take Brigadier Holland's place at London, and that Staff-Capt. Reed, of Newfoundland, will take Brigadier Margetts' position in this city. Evangelist Ranton, well known here, is holding very large revival meetings in

Windsor. Rev. F. A. Cassidy, M.A., returned missionary from Japan, spoke Sunday morning at the London West Methodist Church, and in the evening at Queen's Avenue. At the latter Rev. J. W. Annis preached in

the morning an eloquent Easter sermon. Evangelist Park and wife will continue their good work at the King Street Methodist Church all this week. They are meeting with much success.

A memorial service over the late Mrs. W. H. Hayes was held Sunday morning in the Southern Congregational Church. Rev. actor of deceased.

W. H. Claris spoke feelingly of the char-London Methodist Conference meets in Ridgetown on Thursday, June 7.

In connection with the trial of Rev. G. W. Wye, of Amherstburg, the clergymen appointed by the Bishop of Huron to hear the evidence and formulate a verdict are Rev. S. Cooper, of Ivermay, Bruce county: Rev. T. R. Davis, of Sarnia; Rev. D. Deacon, of Stratford; Rev. J. Downie, of Watford, and Rev. H. A. Thomas, of Warwick. The bishop will pass the sentence

according to the verdict. Rev. G. Trotter Carr, formerly of London, to whom the congregation of the First Congregational Church, Wingham, extended a call, finds himself unable to go to Wingham, on account of ill health.

The annual Easter vestry meetings of the Anglican Church are held to-night. Capt. T. Barker, of the Salvation Army, Clinton, who has worked very faithfully there for the past two months, has come to London, and Capt. Collier, of London,

takes charge of the corps there. Two instructive and appropriate sermon: were preached by Rev. Canon Davis in St. James' Episcopal Church Sunday, which were listened to by large congregations. The floral decorations were especially pretty. Communion was administered by

the rector three times. The Bishop of Huron will preach and assist in administering communion next Sun-

day in St. James' Episcopal Church. Rev. Thos. Cullen occupied the pulpit of the Askin Street Methodist Church Sunday. His evening remarks were devoted to pointing out the advantages of systematic

Bible reading. It is said that the Rev. Dr. Paton, who recently visited London, is meeting with unlooked-for success in Great Britain. Already over £3,000 has been added to the fund for the evangelization of the New Hebrides. The prospects are good that the £1,000 per annum required for the support

of the mission will be secured by pledges.

The congregations at the Christian Church, Elizabeth street, were very large at both services on Sunday. In the evening the pastor, Rev. T. L. Fowler. preached on "The Resurrection of Christ," comparing it unto his birth. There had been joy for some and fear for others at both times.

Rev. M. P. Talling, of St. James' Presbyterian Church and Rev. D. Robertson, of King Street, exchanged pulpits Sunday night.

Since Rev. T. L. Fowler took charge of the Christian Church the congregations have been steadily increasing, until the building is too small to meet the demands made upon it. The officials of the congregation have been considering the advisability of erecting a new structure, and a more commodious place of worship is looked upon as one of the possibilities of

the near fature. The Easter services at St. Peter's Cathedral were all largely attended and of an impressive nature. The altars were prettily decorated with lilies and other | throat and air passages and is a sovereign d.

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Basil's, Toronto, at both morning and be far advanced in consumption. flowers. The choir rendered special music | remedy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness,

evening services. Bishop O'Connor presided at Vespers and High Mass.

At the close of his evening sermon at St. Matthew's last night, the rector, Rev. W. M. Seaborn, referred briefly to the late Henry Griffiths, who died recently in his 104th year. Mr. Seaborn was acquainted with Mr. Griffiths for ten years prior to his death, and spoke of him as a man of much Christian character and a great Bible student considering his years. He was also a man of great faith.

Mr. W. H. Seymour, of the Standard Bank, Toronto, addressed the usual Sunday afternoon meeting in Victoria Hall. The Y. M. C. A. orchestra and the boys' choir were present and took part in the service. Mr. Seymour took well with the boys, and he may be sure of a welcome on his return. The attendance at these meetings compare very favorably with that of the Toronto Sunday afternoon gatherings.

HOW HE GOT HIS JOB

In the Senate-Burns' Tactics-Opposition to the Fast Steamship Project -Prohibitionists Rallying.

[Special to the ADVERTISER.] OTTAWA, March 26 .- The appointment of Mr. Kennedy F. Burns, M. P. for Gloucester, N. B., opens that constituency, and in a tew days the writ for a new election will be issued. Polling will likely take place about April 16. It is interesting to note how this appointment came to be made. Mr. Burns being disappointed in his effort to become Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick, intimated that he saw no reason why he should come to the House of Commons this session and support a Government which refused to recognize his claim. He made it convenient, therefore, to be in England when Parliament met and refused to return until he had been called to the Senate. These tactics accomplished his object and a cablegram was sent notifying him of his success. He sailed the next day for Canada, and immediately on his arrival the announcement of his appointment was

A great deal of opposition is developing to the proposed fast Atlantic steamship service, although, of course, the C. P. R. influence will be exerted in its favor. The members for the city of St. John, N. B., are opposing it unless a subsidy is given to a freight line running from that city to England and back. The trade and manufacturers, journals of Montreal and Toronto are also out it opposition, and it will evidently require a great deal of finesse on the part of the Government to secure the approval of the House to an increase of a subsidy from \$500,000 to \$750,-000. There is a very general feeling that a line which could only carry express freight country. Then, if report be true, as it is, in just how brief a space of time that the condition of calling at a French | port is to be eliminated from the contract the Government must count upon opposition from the French members of the

House. The coal and iron smelting companies are erecting a booth constructed of native woods in the vestibule immediately inside the main entrance to the Parliament build. ing. The object is to affect tariff conclusions in the House. The exhibit is in charge of B. T. A. Bell of the Mining Review. The companies represented are the Margetts has received orders to farewell new Glasgow Iron, Railway and Coal Comthe Nova Scotia Steel and Forge Company. F. S. Spence, secretary of the Dominion Alliance, is here, and so is the advance guard of the big temperance deputation which will interview the Government tomorrow to ask for prohibition and to de-

nounce the French treaty. Mr. Charlton intends to introduce a bill amending the section of the criminal code which makes lotteries for church or art purposes legal.

THE QUEEN'S PLORENTINE VILLA.

An Old House Built From Designs by the Artist Micheli.

FLORENCE, March 26 .- The Villa Fabbri cotti, where the Queen is passing her vacation, was built about 30 years ago from designs by Micheli. After the house had been finished it took two years to complete the decoration of the hall, staircase and saloons. The house, which is to the northeast of the city on the hill of Montughi. occupies the site of an ancient villa, which had been for five centuries the residence of distinguished Florentine families. The interior of the villa is superbly ornamented

with frescoes and painted ceilings, and there are a number of valuable pictures and many fine pieces of statuary. The house is both splendidly and comfortably furnished, and is admirably arranged either as a summer or a winter residence. All that has been done during the last few months has been the overhauling of the sanitary arrangements, the fitting of a lift and of electric bells, and the repapering of the bedrooms and dressing-rooms which are occupied by the Queen and Princess Beatrice. There is a beautiful view over Florence from the terrace and the Queen's own rooms, three in number, on the first floor, command the whole city, with the vale of the Arno beyond and the mountains in the distance. About the grounds is a fine path over which the Queen takes an airing in her donkey-cart.

## TO INSURE CHILDREN GOOD MEALS.

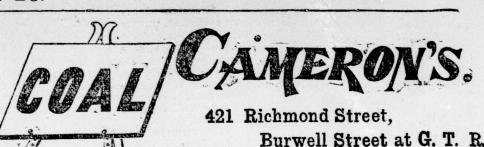
Object of a Charitable Scelety Which Exists in England's Capital.

LONDON, March 26.—The London Schools Dinner Association exists for the purpose of insuring every child in London three good meals a week. It is not an extravagant ideal, but so great is the need in thousands of London homes that the society's funds are not sufficient to cope with it. This led to a conference recently of some hundreds of women and men who are engaged in the work of feeding the children. Interesting and pathetic were many of the stories related, and almost amusing were some of the suggestions made for raising money. Rev. S. D. Headlam was for appealing to the "notoriously wealthy" people, especially the ground landlords, and others were for going to the city companies. But these proposals were put aside as hopeless. It seems that nearly the whole of the cost of the millions of dinners which have been given has been provided by people of small means who know the suffering class, by subscriptions from children in what are called (by comparison) the "well-to-do" board schools, and even by children who during the past few years have been fed by the association and have gratefully devoted some of their first earnings to feeding others.

Steamship Arrivals.

March 26. At Gellert.....New York......

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ANOTHER BACKDOWN.

Release of the Congressional Records Seized by Dominion Postal

Authorities. TORONTO, March 25 .- The Congressional Records seized by the local postoffice authorities a few days ago have been re-

leased. Postmaster Patterson says the American frank is no good on this side of the line, but as an act of conciliation it was decided to let the matter go through.

DOUBLE-QUICK BETWEEN OCEANS

In Case of Trouble With Russia, England Can Get There as Soon as the Enemy.

WINNIPEG, Man., March 26 .- The British Government has been making some experiments in rushing troops scross the American continent from the Atlantic to would not meet the requirements of this the Pacific, with a view of determining marines could be put aboard British vessels in the Pacific in the event of trouble with Russia in Chinese waters.

A number of special trains have been run over the Canadian Pacific at an average speed of 25 miles an hour from Halifax, N. S., to Esquimalt, B.C., where England is now building extensive fortifications. Special engines have been used, and the marines have been quartered in colonist sleepers with a specially built cooking car attached.

made partly to demonstrate the military pany, the Picton Charcoal Iron Company, the Canada Iron Furnace Company, and Government with a view towards securing Government with a view towards securing

It is pointed out that the road runs from ocean to ocean through British territory, and that, in event of trouble with Russia, troops could be rushed across and reach the scene of action about as quickly as the Czar's troops could be sent to Vladivostock . by the trans-Siberian Railroad.

CONDEMNED THE COLONEL.

The Women on the Breckinridge Scandal

-Sympathy for Pollard. Boston, March 26 .- At the meeting of the Women's Rescue League resolutions were adopted condemnatory of Congressman Breckinridge and in the somewhat lengthy preamble, the members take occasion to emphatically denounce the congressman and brand him as a menace to society and public morals. The resolutions were to the effect that "The Woman's Rescue League of Boston requests the chivalrous people of Kentucky to retire W.

C. P. Breckinridge, M.C., to a private life of obscurity and oblivion. "That we extend to Madeline Pollard our sympathies while her whole life is like an open book and laid bare for public criticism; that this league believes Madeline Pollard more sinned against than sinning." It was voted to send copies of the resolutions to the congressman, Miss Pollard, and to all the newspapers of Kentucky.

Railroad Earnings. BOSTON, Mass., March 26.—The annual report of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad shows a surplus on the main system of over 5 per cent. dividends paid of \$15,044, as compared with a surplus the previous year of \$801,701. The gross

earnings were \$31,042,969; net \$9,818,466. Boy-Kerosene-Match. PERU, Ind., March 25 .- Hiram Knoblock, aged 15, living near Bremen, used coal oil Friday night to wash his head, and shortly afterwards struck a match, igniting his hair. His aunt, Mrs. Gruber, by desperate efforts, smothered the flames. The boy was horribly and probably fatally burned and the aunt was seriously burned

about the hands and face.

ATHLETICS. It will be George Harding's benefit at the Forest City Athletic Club rooms to-morrow night, and as Mr. Harding is a popular and game young man, it will no doubt be a substantial one. Mr. Harding will spar with Mr. T. McCann, of Saginaw, Mich., and a pretty set-to is assured. Jack Stewart, Canada's champion, and Jack Crawford, the instructor of the club, will meet in the ring for the first time on that occasion.

THE TURF. London, March, 26-The Lancashire handicap steeplechase over a three and a half mile course was run to-day. Manifesto, first; Fanatic, second, and Brunswick, third.

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MILLINERY -:- OPENING (Ours was last week.) EASTER NOVELTIES,

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The residence portion of Ford, Ky., a growing lumber village, was wiped out by fire Saturday night.

Erastus Wiman denies that W.G. Murdoch, of Toronto, has been retained on his behalf by Max L. Frank, of New York. The cotton mill of the Millville, N. J.,

Manufacturing Company has resumed on full time. Nearly 500 will be employed. C. R. Harding, the English sculler, decline to come to America, but offers to row Gaudaur on the Thames for £200 a

Admiral Mello, the Brazilian rebel, is at Parangua with a French engineer, and is busily engaged in strengthening the harbor

defenses there. Cornell University has definitely agreed to row the race with the University of Pennsylvania this year upon the Delaware River between June 4 and 18.

Judge Bradley, in the Pollard-Breckin-ridge case, has given his decision ruling out certain depositions and saying others ought to have been ruled out because they were so filthy. He appealed to the press to omit the objectionable passages.

CANADIAN. The United Temperance Association is going to petition the license commissioners to reduce the licenses in Ottawa by 25.

John Charlton, M.P., will preside at the mass meeting of Christian Endeavorers in It is supposed that the experiments were Knox Church, Ottawa, Tuesday evening. Charles Chamberlain, of Toronto, who personated several persons in the Winnipeg election, was on Saturday sentenced to

three years in the penitentiary.

The West York Liberal Association held a meeting for organization purposes at Weston on Saturday. Speeches were de-livered by Mr. W. D. Balfour, M.P.P., Mr. A. Campbell, M.P.P., and Dr. Gilmour, the popular member. The North Dakota woman who swalowed her false teeth was brought to St.

Boniface Hospital, Montreal, for an opera-

tion. Her teeth lodged about half-way

down to the stomach. Dr. Good made an incision and extracted the teeth, and the woman is in a fair way to recover. Apply B. J. NASH & Co., corner York and Talbot streets. Convent, kid giove, lined at ton with

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awered quickly. "I might have known that, she rejoined, sinking back with a smile and a sigh of content. "But when I fire saw you I was almost afraid something had happened to you. And I have been uneasy lately," she went on, releasing my hand, and beginning to play with the coverlet, as though the remembrance troubled her. "There was a man here a while ago—a friend of Simon Fleix there—who had been south to Pau and Nerac, and he said there was no M. de Marsac about the court."
"He probably knew less of the court than

the wine-tavern," I answered with a ghastly

"That was just what I told him," my mother responded quickly and eagerly. "I warrant you I sent him away ill-satisfied." "Of course," I said; there will always be people of that kind. But now, if you will ermit me, madame, I will make such arangements for mademoiselle as are neces-

Begging her accordingly to lie down and compose herself-for even so short a conversation, following on the excitement of our arrival, had exhausted her to a painful degree—I took the youth who had just returned from stabling our horses, a little aside, and learning that he lodged in a emaller chamber on the farther side of the anding, secured it for the use of mademoibelle and her woman. In spite of a certain excitability which marked him at times, he seemed to be a quick, ready fellow, and he willingly undertook to go out, late as it was, and procure some provisions and a few other things which were sadly needed, as well for my mother's comfort as for our own. I directed Fanchette to aid him in the preparation of the other chamber, and thus for a while I was left alone with mademoiselle. She had taken one of the stools, and sat cowering over the fire, the hood of her cloak drawn about her head in such a manner that even when she looked me, which she did from time to time, I saw little more than her eyes, bright with contemptuous anger. "So, sir,' she presently began, speaking in a low voice, and turning slightly towards me, "you practice lying even here?"

I felt so strongly the futility of denial or explanation that I shrugged my shoulders and remained silent under the sneer. Two more days—two more days would take us to Rosny, and my task would be done, and mademoiselle and I would part for good and all. What would it matter then what she thought of me? What did it matter now?

For the first time in our intercourse my silence seemed to disconcert and displease her. "Have you nothing to say for yourself?" she muttered sharply, crushing a fragment of charcoal under her foot, and stooping to peer at the ashes. "Have you not another lie in your quiver, M. de Marsac? De Marsac?" And she repeated the title, with a scornful laugh, as if she put no faith in my claim to it. faith in my claim to it.

But I would answer nothing-nothing; and we remained silent until Fanchette, coming in to say that the chamber was ready, held the light for her mistress to pass out. I told the woman to come back and fetch mademoiselle's supper, and then, being left alone with my mother, who had fallen asleep, with a smile on her thin, worn face, I began to wonder what had happened to reduce her to such dire poverty.

I feared to agitate her by referring to it; but later in the evening, when her curtains were drawn and Simon Fleix and I were left together, eying one another across the embers like dogs of different breeds—with a certain strangeness and suspicion-my thoughts recurred to the question; and determining first to learn something about my whose pale, eager tattered, black dress gave him a certain individuality, I asked him whether he had come from Paris with Madame de Bonne. He nodded without speaking.

asked him if he had known her long. 'Twelve months," he answered. 'I lodged on the fifth, madame on the second, floor of the same house in Paris."

I leaned forward and plucked the hem of his black robe. "What is this?" I said with a little contempt. "You are not a priest, "No," he answered, fingering the stuff

himself, and gazing at me in a curious, vacant fashion. "I am a student of the I drew off from him with a muttered oath,

wondering-while I looked at him with suspicious eyes-how he came to be here, and particularly how he came to be in attendance on my mother, who had been educated from childhood in the religion, and had professed it in private all her life. I could think of no one who, in old days, would have been less welcome in her house than a Sorbonnist, and began to fancy that here should lie the secret of her miserable con-

'You don't like the Sorbonne?" he said, reading my thought; which were, indeed, plain enough. 'No more than I love the devil!" I said bluntly.

He leaned forward and, stretching out a thin, nervous hand, laid it on my knee. "What if they are right, though?" he muttered, his voice hoarse. "What if they are right, M. de Marsac?"

Who right?" I asked roughly, drawing back afresh.

'The Sorbonne," he repeated, his face red with excitement, his eyes peering uncannily into mine. "Don't you see," he continued, pinching my knee in his earnestness, and thrusting his face near and near to mine, "it all turns on that? It all turns on that -salvation or damnation! Are they right? Are you right? You say yes to this, no to that, you white-coats; and you say it lightly, but are you right? Are you right? Mon Dieu!" he continued, drawing back abruptly and clawing the air with impatience, "I have read, read! I have listened to sermons, theses, disputations, and I know nothing. I know no more than when I

He sprang up and paced the floor, while I gazed at him with a feeling of pity. A very earned person once told me that the roubles of these times bred four kinds of en, who were much to be compassionated: anatics on the one side or the other, who est sight of all else in the intensity of their aith; men who, like Simon Fleix, sought esperately after something to believe, and ound it not; and lastly, scoffers, who, be-ieving in nothing, looked on all religion as

He presently stopped walking-in his utnost excitement I remarked that he never orgot my mother, but trod more lightly hen he drew near the alcove-and spoke

You are a Huguenot?" he said. "Yes," I replied.

"So is she." he rejoined, pointing towards the bed. "But do you feel no doubts?"
"None," I said quietly.

"Nor does she," he answered again, stoppoing opposite me. You made up your

"And you have never questioned it?"

"I was born in the religion," I said.

"Nor thought much about it?"
Not a great deal," I answered.
"St. Gris!" he exclaimed in a low tone. "And do you never think of hell-fire-of the worm which dieth not, and the fire which shall not be quenched? Do you never think

of that, M. de Marsac?" "No, my friend, never!" I answered, rising impatiently; for at that hour, and in that silent, gloomy room I found his conversation dispiriting. "I believe what I was taught to believe, and I strive to hurt no one but the enemy. I think little; and if I were you I would think less. I would do something, man-fight, play, work, anything but think! Leave that to clerks.'

"I am a clerk," he answered. "A poor one, it seems," I retorted, with a little scorn in my tone. "Leave it, man. Work! Fight! Do something!" "Fight?" he said, as if the idea were a nevel one, "Fight? But there, I might be

killed; and then hell-fire, you see!"
"Zounds, man!" I cried, out of patience with a folly which, to tell the truth, the lamp buring low, and the rain pattering on the roof, made the skin of my back feel cold and creepy. "Enough of this! Keep your doubts and your fire to yourself! And answer me," I continued, sternly. "How came Madame de Bonne so poor? How did

she come down to this place?" He sat down on his stool, the excitement dying quickly out of his face. "She gave away all her money," he said slowly and reluctantly. It may be imagined that this answer surprised me. "Gave it away?" I exclaimed. "To whom? And when?" He moved uneasily on his seat and

avoided my eye, his altered manner filling me with suspicions which the insight I had obtained into his character did not altogether preclude. At last he said, "I had nothing to do with it, if you mean that: nothing. On the contrary, I have done all I could to make it up to her. I followed her here. I swear that is so, M. de Marsac." (To be Continued.)

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FOUGHT THE BEAR.

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Adventure. The Wiarton Echo of March 22 relates the exciting adventure of Mr. Daniel Renshaw, of Oliphant, with a bear. On March 20 he set out on the trail of a fox for which he had set poisoned meat. He came across a hollow log in the woods and on glancing in saw a big black lump fifteen feet from the hole. Thinking the fox had crawled in there and died he entered the log head first and grabbed at it by the fur. There it stuck, however, so, taking firm hold with both hands, he gave such a vigorous pull that the "lump" suddenly moved, turned itself round and confronted him in the shape of an enormous black bear, "bared to the gums," and evidently strung up to make a fight of it. Then began the tug of war. The bear struck at Mr. Renshaw, who, in turn, having no weapon but his fist, returned the compliment on the brute's nose -drawing in prize-ring parlance "first blood." The rounds were continued blood." thus for some time, to the accompaniment of snarls and growls that would have paralyzed the nerves of any ordinary man, Mr. Renshaw meanwhile backing slowly towards the open, which he at length reached, the bear close after him. Here the fight was renewed, with the advantage to Mr. Renshaw that he had picked up a stick, wherewith he now pelted, pounded and prodded his antagonist without mercy. But the human-like attitude of the creature as, standing erect, it 'hit out with the right" while "guarding its eye with the left," was something marvelous. Thus the struggle continued until induced, presumably by the whinings of her progeny (she was a female with two cubs) the bear beat a retreat into her lair leaving her antagonist temporary victor. Mr. Renshaw waited for some time her further pleasure, but she declined, so, proceeding home, he returned with a couple of his boys and a well-charged musket. The bear, on their nearing the spot, reappeared with the evident intention to renew hostilities, but a discharge of buckshot at point blank range laid her low, and thus ended the combat. The animal weighed about 300 lbs. Mr. Renshaw got two gallons of oil out of the body and sold the skin to Mr. Tyson here for \$15. During his time Mr. Renshaw has killed over twenty of these animals.

The Eastern Seal Fisheries.

ST. Johns, Nfid., March 24.-Reports rom the seal fisheries are very discouraging. All of our steamers had poor fares. The Newfoundland has 6,000, which were taken on March 8, six days before the law allows. She has one of the best catches of the whole fleet. The seals are inshore. The people at northern ports are out hauling them ashore by the hundred. The Labrador had two men killed on Tuesday, one being cut in two pieces by a rope. A report from Myat Cove says that seventeen schooners are in sight from St. Paul's Island, and Superintendent Campbell thinks the windward ones are getting seals.

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TORONTO, March 25-11 p.m.-An ex-STEVENSON-HASKETT-At the residence tensive anti-cyclone now covers the whole of the bride's brotner-in-law, Mr. Grant-Western States and Northwest Territories, Ailsa Craig, March 12, by the Rev. D. L' accompanied by decidedly cold weather. Dewar, B.A., Ailsa Craig, Mr. Thomas It is spreading eastward and is causing Stevenson, of Ailsa Craig, to Miss Annie much colder weather in the lake district east of this. The pressure is low, with moderate temperatures. DUNDAS-On Sunday, March 25, 1894, in the

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 14°-34°; Edmonton, 6°-30°; daughter of John and Minnie Dundas, aged Battleford, 22° below-6°; Prince Albert, 30° below—12°; Qu'Appelle, 18° below—10°; Winnipeg, 20° below—4°; Port Arthur, 8° Funeral will leave the family residence, Wyton, on Tuesday, March 27, at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will kindly acbelow-14°; Parry Sound, 8°-16°; Toronto, 26°-28°; Kingston, 28°-34°; Montreal, 18°-36°; Quebec, 20°-38°; Halifax, WEATHERSTON-In Westminster, at her late residence, on March 16. Mary Weather-

ston, relict of the late William Weatherston, TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES. aged 85 years. A native of Roxburghshire, TORONTO, March 26-la, m. - Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville) are: North to west winds; fair and decidedly cold, with local SCOTT-In Westminster township, on Sun. day, March! 25, 1894, Janet, beloved wife of snow flurries. Funeral on Tuesday at 2 p.m., from the family residence, lot 10, con. 1, Westminster township. Friends and acquaintances will

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## 175..... Job DEPARTMENT LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

-Mr. and Mrs. Eli Griffith have been

visiting in Glencoe. -"Green Christmas, white Easter," says an old German proverb. -The weather has taken the bloom off

the flowers on Easter hats. -Miss Helen Kerr, St. Thomas, is visiting her cousin, Miss Burke, of this city. -The mercury has been celebrating

Easter by taking a drop too much again. -Miss Muriel Smith, daughter of Rev. Ira Smith, city, is visiting in Waterford. -Wm. Ford and Alf. Curtis, of the Casket works, were in Ridgetown on

-Miss Minnie Dixon, of this city, spent the Easter holidays with her parents in

-Miss Emily M. Gunn, of Queen's avenue, is visiting her uncle, Mr. D. A. Gunn, at Wallacetown.

-Thirty car loads of logs pass over the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway Alerts. daily. This is the road with which the L. and P. S. R. is to connect. -Joe Weber, of London, well known in

Hamilton ten years ago as a baseball player, was in town to-day hunting up old acquaintances .- [Hamilton Spectator. -The prisoners in the county jail have

had their time occupied of late in whitewashing the cells and corridors. The work was done very satisfactorily. -No. 5 ward Liberals meet to-night in

East Londan town hall, to select delegates for the coming convention in the city. A full attendance is expected. -Messrs. C. S. Hyman, M.P., and Geo.

C. Gibbons, Q.C., of this city, are announced to address the Sarnia Young Liberals on Monday evening, April 3. -The Liberals of No. 4 ward had s well-attended meeting in the Oddfellows'

block on Saturday night. Delegates were elected to represent the ward at the coming -The Liberals of No. 6 ward meet tomorrow night in Trebilcock's hall, South

coming city convention. There will doubtless be a large attendance, -Mrs. Keltie, of Hamilton, formerly of London, leaves to-day for a much needed holiday. Her throat lately has not been in condition for singing, and the doctor has

London, to appoint delegates to the forth-

ordered rest and change of scene. -Mr. J. A. Bland, of Dun & Co.'s mercantile agency, is home on a brief visit. He is on his way to Winnipeg, to which branch he has been promoted from Toronto. 'Jack's" London friends congratulate him

on his success. -A horse belonging to Mr. Hadden, of London West, was standing in front of Jones' store the other day when the electric car came along. The animal became frightened and bolted, breaking a wheel off the rig and doing other damage.

-By order of Judge Edward Elliott. Chas. E. Wright has been released from jail. Wright was arrested for nonappearance at the last session of the first division court. He will appear for examination at the next sitting of the court on March 30.

-Rev. Dr. Flannery, treasurer for the Diocese of London, acknowledges having received for transmission to Hon. Edward Blake: Parish of Biddulph, per Rev. John Connolly, \$50; Logan and Kinkora, per Rev. John O'Neil, \$92; St. Thomas Branch, A. O. H., \$11; total, \$153.

-The St. Thomas Journal says that ex-Mayor McCully was in this city on Friday in reference to the petition presented to the Port Stanley Railway Board asking that trains on the L. and P. S. R. stop at con. 12, Yarmouth, instead of the 11th. It further says that no change will be made.

-The following gentlemen from London have been successful in passing their final examinations with honors from the Ontario Veterinary College at Toronto, and are now doctors of veterinary medicine and surgery: Walter N. Armstrong, Walter E. Heighway, John A. Smith and John McGuffin.

-Mr. Jas. Bowman, assisted by members of the Microscopical Society, will give an illustrated talk on "Microscopy" in the 'Y" rooms, Tuesday evening. There will be ten or twelve microscopes, two of which will illustrate pond life, one micro-photographs, one illuminated objects and one the eyes of insects. A most interesting evening is assured.

-One hundred acres of valuable farm land adjoining the village of Komoka, in the township of Lobo, and upon which are a good two-story residence, barn and building, were offered for sale by Mr. J. W. Jones on Saturday. The clerk of the Chancery Court placed the property at an upset price of \$4,500, but as none of the bids reached that figure the sale was with-

-Mr. William Fraser, of Port Stanley, who filled the position of conductor on the L. and P. S. R. for several years has, it is understood, been re-appointed to his old position and will resume his duties when the D. L. E. and W. R. take possession of the road. The traveling public will be pleased to hear that Mr. Fraser has consented to resume his former position .- [St. Thomas Times.

-The funeral of the late Mrs. Bentley, whose death resulted from a severe attack of hemorrhage of the lungs, took place from the family residence, No. 284 South street, yesterday afternoon. Lodge Princess Louise, Daughters of England, of which the deceased was a highly respected member, attended in a body and accompanied the remains to the grave. The pall-bearers were Mrs. R. Cripps, Mrs. F. Deeley, Mrs. Mosley, Mrs. J. Wheatcroft, Mrs. E. Patton and Mrs. J. Leah. Interment took place at Mount Pleasant, the services being conducted by Rev. Charles B.

Guillemont, St. James street. -While Mrs. Frank Plant, of Elias street, East London, was sitting in a carriage on the north side of Dundas street betweet Clarence and Richmond streets, on Saturday night, a drunken man, apparently a stranger, drove along. His horse was going at a furious rate, and collided with the standing rig, throwing Mrs. Plant out on the block pavement. She was unconscious when picked up and serious injuries were sustained about the face and shoulders. Mrs. Plant soon regained consciousness and was removed to her home. After the collision the stranger continued his lively gait and soon got beyoud the reach of the police.

-Mrs. John Johnston, of Southwold, after We are quoting very low prices for Lily White Oil, Aurora Light, Water White benzine, gasoline, machine and cylinder oils. Send for quotations. Phone No. 307. EMPIRE OIL COMPANY.

a long illness, passed peacefully away on Thursday last. She had been tenderly cared for by her daughters, Mrs. James Orchard, of Shedden, with whom she was residing, and Mrs. Fowler. Her eldest son, Rev. Dr. Hugh Johnston, pastor of the Metropolitan Methodist Church, Washington, started at once for St. Thomas, and reached there Friday evening. Mr. Jonathan Johnston is also expected from Chicago. Of the other members of the family Jacob is in the far west, while Mahlon and Mrs. George Williams, another daughter, are in Assiniboia, and cannot possibly reach the place in time for the last sacred rites. Mrs. Johnston belonged to a large and respected family, and was the sister of Mrs. John King and Mrs. William Teetzel, of St. Thomas. She was greatly loved and

revered. -Mayor Essery, Ald. F. J. Fitzgerald, Ald. Coo, Ald. Garratt and Ald. Thos. Jones leave for Toronto, per C. P. R., tonight, to oppose certain clauses in the London and Springbank Electric Railway Bill when it comes before the House tomorrow. Of the original committee Ald. Judd, Ald. J. W. Jones and Ald. Scarrow were unable to go.

"Mickey" Jones Dead. "Mickey" Jones, of Hamilton, died from consumption Saturday in that city. He was known by nearly everybody in London as the ex-pitcher of the Tecumseh Baseball Club. He was last seen on the diamond here in 1893, when he pitched against the

## SHORT TALKS ON ADVERTISING

[Copyright 1894 by Charles Austin Bates.] John Wanamaker has said: "To discontinue an advertisement is like taking down

your sign." That is just the idea. You have a sign above your door to let people know who you are and where you are and what you are doing. That's what your ad. does. Space in newspapers merely multiplies your sign. It lets thousands of people know what you have to sell. The way to think of advertising is to consider first the goods you have, to see if they are really desirable. Then figure on the number of people likely to see your announcement in the paper, the proportion of possible customers among that number, and what you can afford to pay for each dollar's worth of new business. That will give you the size of the ad. you ought to use. Then make your ad. clear, logical, convincing. Don't try to be funny unless you are naturally so, and even then don't do it too often. What people want in an ad. is exact, definite information. It ought to be given to them in a smooth, more or less argumentative way, and as strongly as possible, for "the

other fellow" is after these same people. The amount to be spent for advertising must be determined by the percentage of profits and the percentage of possible customers. It doesn't pay to buy advertising blindly, no matter how good it is. If you are selling \$1,000 a week at a gross profit of 25 per cent. and can increase the sales to \$1,250 at a cost of \$50 for advertising you are a clear \$12 50 ahead. Rent and clerk hire, light and heat and interest all go on just the same, whether you sell \$1,000 or \$1,250. It is advertising that brings in the money to pay all the other expenses. Advertising is business insur-

Advertising what you haven't got, or what you don't do is worse than not advertising at all. You can't well be too careful about this. Make your ads. strictly true in letter and in spirit. I believe that the majority of business men do this now, but as it is the most important thing about advertising, it will bear repeating and reiterating.

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Prendergast Objects to Delay. CHICAGO, March 25 .- By an agreement of the interested attorneys the hearing of the insanity plea of Prendergast, the assassin of Mayor Harrison, was postponed until next Tuesday. During the arguments regarding the fixing of a date for the trial, the remarks of the court were frequently interrupted by outbursts from the prisoner. "We want no delay. We want the case to go to trial at once," he cried. The bailiffs were unable to quiet him and he continued his interruptions until taken back to the jail.

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Scholar-Sealing-wax.

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An official report of the instantly available battle ships of the six great powers shows that of first-class vessels England has 15, France 9, Russia 3, and the Triple Alliance 10, of which 9 are Italian and 1 German. All the English vessels steam 161 knots and upward, 2 being 181; none of the French is over 16.2 knots; while 2 of the 3 Russians are under 16, the third reaching 17.8. In second class ships England leads with 12, France has 9, Russia 4 and the Triple Alliance 11, of which Germany owns 7 and Austria 4. Here there is no such superiority of speed on the English side, three being under 13 knots while no French vessel goes so low as that figure and all the Russians steam 14 knots and over.

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Mr. Wm. Smith, of London township, died

yesterday from la grippe. Mr. Geo. Hoabin died at St. Thomas Friday from la grippe.
Mr. Henry Smith, of Wroxeter, died on Fri

Mr. Henry Smith, of Wroxeter, died on Friday of la grippe, or its after effects, has proved fatal in a great number of cases of late. scarcely a day passes but we have to chronicle some new victim from this epidemic, now more dreaded than the small pox. It was from the after effects of this dreadful disease that Mr. John Weir, of London township, was pronounced dying and heaven. pronounced dying and beyond hope by four prominent physicians of London, Lucan, Granton and Clandeboye (the former Lucan, Granton and Clandeboye (the former charged him \$10 to tell him he must die), but Mr. Weir was induced by a kind friend to get Williams' Royal Crown Remedy, with the result that to-day he is as well as any of the doctors who pronounced his case fatal, and it certainly would have been had he not got this "Nature's Liquid." If our readers hear of any friends suffering from this disease they may save their life by telling them how Williams' Royal Crown Remedy saved John Weir's life. In removing the after effects of la grippe, or for fortifying the system to withstand its for fortifying the system to withstand its shock, no remedy has met with as great success. Price \$!, Pils 25c, or five bottles of Remedy and five boxes of Pills for \$5, at druggists; or Isaac Williams Company, Loudon, Ont., will send it by express if druggists do not keep it. Get the genuine.

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