

Good Servants

Births, Marriages, Deaths

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in The Daily Advertiser also appear in The Western Advertiser. Births 25c, Marriages and Deaths 50c.

BORN.

MOIR—In this city, on Monday, Feb. 27, 1899, the wife of John Moir, 117 Wharfedale road, West London, of a son.

DIED.

ANSON—In this city, on Wednesday, March 1, Janet, relict of the late Edwin Anson, in the 85th year of her age.

SULLIVAN—In this city, on Wednesday, March 1, 1899, Ethelene May Sullivan, aged 13 years.

MURRAY—In this city, on Thursday, March 2, 1899, George Murray, 50 Beecher street, South London, aged 33 years.

FUNERAL NOTICE LATER.

Amusements and Lectures

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

MATINEE AND NIGHT.

SATURDAY, MARCH 4.

Scott's Colored Minstrels.

Popular prices. Matinee—15c and 25c. Night—10c, 25c, 50c, and 75c.

JUBILEE RINK—BAND TONIGHT, SURE to win in first-class condition.

THE PLAN FOR SUBSCRIBERS FOR Plunket Greene concert will open at box office, Opera House, Friday morning, 9 o'clock, for the general public Saturday morning, same hour.

PRINCESS SEVENTH TONIGHT—ICE in fine shape.

OXFORD MUSICAL CLUB AT THE Auditorium, Friday, March 3. Refined and artistic musical entertainment. Plan now open. Tickets 50c and 75c.

TALK TO YOUNG WOMEN—MISS WINNIE Macdonald, of Toronto, Young Women's Christian Association, Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings.

TONIGHT—JEAN BLEWETT WILL GIVE selections from her poems in Askew Street Methodist Church. Choice music. Tickets, 25c for 50 cents.

TONIGHT—MANAGERS' FAREWELL entertainment in the Auld Kirk, prior to removal, St. James' Presbyterian Church. A first-class programme. Tickets 25c.

THE NEW STEAMSHIP CASTLEMAN, Allen line, which sails from Portland for Liverpool March 11, will be commanded by Capt. Barrett, formerly of the Parisian. F. B. Clarke, Agent, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY—SPECIAL term for children will commence Saturday, March 4, 3:30 p.m. Extra low rates for balance of season. Dayton & McCormick.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING—COME and learn the new dances, the Boston Schottische and the Society Cakewalk. The same careful attention given to teaching the waltz and two-step. Lessons any hour, 10 to 11 p.m., teacher of dancing, 340 Princess avenue.

Meetings.

School of Art & Design

Classes commencing March 6, 1899, in the Public Library. Evening classes, from 7:30 to 9:30.

Mechanical Drawing—Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Freehand Drawing—Tuesday and Thursday. Afternoon classes, from 2 to 4, Tuesday and Thursday.

Morning classes, from 9:30 to 11:30, Saturday only.

Stiff

E. ROSE, Principal.

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED—AT ONCE—DININGROOM girl and up-stairs girl. Hodgins House, corner Talbot and King streets.

WANTED—HOUSEMAID; REFERENCES required. Apply Mrs. Niven, 421 Colborne street.

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY—EXPERIENCED housemaid. Small family. Apply Mrs. Joseph Jeffery, 83 Lichfield street.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT. APPLY Mrs. S. Munro, 50 Ridout street, South.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—ALSO nursemaid. Apply 380 King street.

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT. No washing. Apply at 90 Elmwood avenue.

WANTED—COOK, ALSO PARLOR MAID. Experienced. Apply Mrs. T. H. Smallman, "Waverley," South London. 717

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant. Apply Mrs. John Purdon, 429 King street.

Agents Wanted.

WANTED—SALESMAN FOR CITY. APPLY 388 Dundas street.

WANTED—LADIES AND GENTLEMEN for strictly genuine home work; no canvassing; good pay; sent any distance. Address, enclosing stamp, Eclipse Manufacturing Co., Victoria street, Toronto.

Male Help Wanted.

WANTED—SALESMAN—FIRST CLASS, for dressgoods department; must be good window dresser. Apply to Appleby at Free Press office, Monday morning, between 10 and 11.

Situations Wanted

WANTED—BY ACTIVE, TRUSTWORTHY young man, with warehouse experience, position with prospect of promotion. Best references. Box 148, Advertiser.

Wanted.

WANTED—TO RENT FOR TWO OR three years, 100-acre farm, within six miles of London or Woodstock. Apply Box 15, this office, stating price and particulars.

WANTED—TO RENT—FARM OF 100 OR 150 acres. Send particulars addressed to J. W. G. Winnett, barrister, etc., 429 Talbot street.

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLE MEN'S cast-off clothing. A. P. Sainsbury, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to.

Pocock Bros.' Shoe Bargains

All winter footwear selling at about half the regular price, as half price is better for us than carrying them over. Your chance to catch bargains you cannot afford to miss.

School Shoes, all the reliable makes.

All kinds of Workmen's Shoes very cheap.

All under the Slaughter Knife to make room for our big spring purchases.

Pocock Bros.

Lost and Found.

DOG LOST—WIRE-HAIRED FOX TERRIER, black and tan head. Reward, 80s Queen's avenue.

LOST—BUNCH KEYS ON MONDAY L afternoon. Reward at Custom House. R. Johnston.

LOST—HEAVY IRON SPRING OF WAGON L—On Monday; also horse blanket on Sunday. Return to W. Hicman, coal and wood yard.

FOUND—A PAIR OF EYEGLASSES—Can be had on applying at the Advertiser office.

LOST—RIGHT HAND GLOVE—UNDRESSED kid, fur lined, near corner Dundas and Richmond. Reward if returned to Advertiser.

Board and Lodging.

VACANCY FOR TWO GENTLEMEN—Private family. Box 3, this office. 824 York.

WANTED—BY A GENTLEMAN—ABOUT the 15th of March, board and room in the vicinity of Normal School. Accommodation must be first class. State terms. Box 143, Advertiser.

Articles For Sale.

FINE GROCERIES A SPECIALTY—DOMESTIC, laundry agency. Trading stamps given on all purchases. T. H. JAMES, 121 Queen's street, South London.

FOR SALE—LARGE TUBES DUPLO rubber cement only 5c. Enamelling and repairing at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 214 Richmond street.

A SNAP—FINE, LARGE, UPRIGHT PIANO, mahogany, 74 octaves, 3 pedals, only two years old. This is a rare bargain. McIntosh & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

1.75 BUYS A STRONG, GOOD LOOKING 1NG go-cart at Kewen Bros. Cash Bargain Furniture Store, 127 King street. Daily carriages cheap.

MERRY BELLS—WE MAKE BELLS equal to any, and cannot be beat. John Law, 121 Clarence street, London.

DIAMONDS REMOUNTED AND OLD JEWELLERY MADE UP TO DATE at small expense. J. T. Westland, 340 Richmond street, upper.

BEST HARD COAL AND WOOD DELIVERED in all parts of the city. W. G. Budge, 71 Dundas street. Phone 1184.

PORK SAUSAGE AND BOLOGNA, FOUR pounds, 2s; smoked ham and bacon, 10s; pickled bacon, 6s; shoulders, 6s; long, 6s; at Park's, corner Market Lane.

FIRST CLASS WOOD—HARD AND SOFT—above lengths or cordwood. Prompt delivery to any part of the city. Prices reduced to 1s. 1312. E. Gilles & Son, Sawmill, East London.

Houses, Etc., To Let.

TO LET—BRICK HOUSE, MODERN IMPROVEMENTS; excellent furnace. Apply 665 Talbot street.

TO LET—LAW OFFICES, WITH VAULTS—Two rooms each. Suitable for small cigar factory. 87 Dundas street. Cottage in fancy street. Will be sold cheap as owner is leaving the city. Nice new cottage on Richmond street; furnace, bath and closet. Call for particulars. J. F. Sangster, 408 Richmond street.

TO LET—CORNER DWELLING, 402 DUNDAS and Colborne streets. Apply 383 William street, for a doctor. Apply 383 William street.

TO LET—NO. 427 KING STREET—APPLY at 383 King street.

Real Estate.

FOR SALE—FINE FARM AND CITY properties cheap. Easy terms. Low interest. G. W. Ericson, 90 Dundas street, London.

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE BEST CORNER lots in London; Princess and Colborne; heart of city; cheap. E. J. L., this office. 81n

FOR SALE—FINE TWO-STORY BRICK residence, with all modern conveniences, near the park; will be sold cheap as owner is leaving the city. Nice new cottage on Richmond street; furnace, bath and closet. Call for particulars. J. F. Sangster, 408 Richmond street.

INSOMNIA—SURE RELIEF—NO MEDICINE. Send \$1 to Hygiene Co., Box 145, Tyrone, Pa.

MADAME LA ZELI—THE POPULAR LOVER—May be consulted on all matters of love, business and marriage. Wonderful revelations. 25 cents. Room 6, London House 80 cent.

"MEN OUR ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE" explains how we teach the barber trade in eight weeks, mailed free. Moir Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

DRESS SUITS TO RENT, IN FIRST CLASS condition. A. P. Sainsbury, 90 King street.

Miscellaneous.

SHORTHAND—MISS RILEY, A GRADUATE of Coo's Shorthand and Business Academy, has been placed as stenographer for Hoard & Co., manufacturers of Spramotors, etc. Mr. Hoard now has two graduates of Mr. Coo's Academy in his employ. The demand for first-class stenographers is increasing. Coo's Academy, 76 Dundas street, London, is the best school in Ontario. It is the only school that secures a situation for every graduate.

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A Prominent Official's Opinion

One of Canada's leading educationists wrote: "Owing to the high opinion of Prof. Cherriman, late Government Inspector, of Insurance Companies, I took a policy in the Ontario Mutual Life. I have come to the conclusion the Ontario has no equal." It pays to insure with the Ontario.

C. E. German, General Agent.

Massage Treatment.

MISS SHUFF—GRADUATE OF DR. M. Weir Mitchell's Hospital for Nervous Diseases, Philadelphia. Massage and Swedish Movements, 407 King street, London, Ont. Phone 563.

FOR SALE OR LEASE FOR TERM OF years—Sulphur Springs, miners, swimming bath, boating house. Apply 60 Elmwood avenue, South London.

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LONDON WATERWORKS

TENDERS FOR SUPPLIES.

SEALED tenders will be received at the office of Moore & Henry, Atkinson Building, until 4 p.m., Monday, March 6, for the following supplies for the waterworks:

Brushes, stop cocks, valves, valve chambers, street hydrants, lead pipe, iron castings, hardware, oil, coal, lumber, printing.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Specifications to be seen at above office. W. M. JONES, JOHN M. MOORE, Chairman, Engineer and Supt.

MR. KIPLING'S CONDITION

The Patient Has Passed the Crisis. Though Not Out of Danger.

New York, March 1.—The condition of Rudyard Kipling is very much improved tonight. The crisis in the disease was passed.

This was the ninth day of Mr. Kipling's illness. In pneumonia the crisis is usually reached by the seventh or ninth day, but it may be delayed until fourteen. Mr. Kipling suffered greatly during his convalescence, but he was frequently unconscious or suffered from attending delirium. It required an iron constitution to bear up against the intensity of the disease, for Mr. Kipling's disease is a double-lober pneumonia, a pneumonia of both lungs, which is an inflammation and consolidation of one of the lobes of a single lung, the former being fatal in the highest degree.

The most advanced scientific methods have been adopted for the treatment, and for several days oxygen was forced into the lungs to tide over the times when Kipling was unable to breathe in sufficient air to sustain life. The oxygen method was abandoned yesterday, a hopeful sign. The patient began to breathe more freely early this morning, and after a few hours dropped into a refreshing sleep—the first in several days. His temperature later dropped rapidly from 102 to 99, which is about normal, and which is the ordinary course of the disease.

That the crisis had passed was quickly known, and it was plainly apparent in the magical change in the aspect of physicians, nurses, relatives and others. Dr. Dunham came downstairs at 5 a.m., and he hardly had to speak to tell the glad news. In response to inquiries, however, he said: "I am well pleased with Mr. Kipling's condition. He is now resting quietly."

Mrs. Kipling, who has been an anxious watcher of her husband's bedside, showed new hope this afternoon.

From prominent people all over the country telegrams are still pouring in, with words of condolence to Mrs. Kipling and anxious inquiries for Mr. Kipling's condition.

Notwithstanding the fact that the crisis had been passed in Mr. Kipling's illness, he is by no means out of danger. Should the present improvement continue, and no relapse occur, Mr. Kipling should be out of danger in a very few days.

The following bulletin was posted at 11:15 tonight: "Mr. Kipling has continued to improve."

INDICATIONS OF IMPROVEMENT.

New York, March 2.—There were indications about the Grenville Hotel early today that the physicians and friends of Rudyard Kipling were feeling a degree of confidence not hitherto experienced, that the sick man is progressing toward recovery. Dr. Janeway left the hotel about midnight, and had not returned up to 8 o'clock a.m. Drs. Dunham and Contand remained in the hotel, but did not visit the patient's apartments during the night. The nurse was with Mr. Kipling throughout the night. P. N. Doubleday, who had been a close watcher by the bedside of the poet, retired to his own room shortly after midnight to rest, remaining away from his self-appointed post up to the time of the present writing.

Steamship Arrivals.

March 1. At From

Southwick New York Antwerp

St. Paul New York New York

Monaghan Portland Liverpool

Anchora New York St. John

March 2. At From

Travel New York Bremen

A temperance association composed of members of the Six Nations is doing much good in temperance among the Indians.

Reform of the Senate

The Legislature of Ontario has now a subject before it that will probably give opportunity for a debate on a high level. Hon. Mr. Hardy, the Premier, has given notice of the following motion:

"That in the opinion of this House the provisions of the British North America act respecting the constitution and powers of the Senate of Canada are at variance with the well-understood principles of responsible government, and should be brought more into harmony with those principles by an amendment to the said act, substantially providing that in case of disagreement between the House of Commons and the Senate, the point of difference shall be decided by a majority of the members of the two Houses present, and voting in a joint meeting."

"Further, that it is the opinion of this House that the British North America act should be so amended as to provide that the appointment of senators should be for a limited term of years, and not for life, as at present."

The first step has thus been taken by Ontario for the reform of the Dominion Senate. Doubtless the other Legislatures will concur, as no doubt will the Canadian House of Commons. The Confederation Act, we presume, will then be amended by the Imperial Parliament as suggested. In which case, before the close of the present century the Dominion Senate will be shorn of its too-destructive powers, and brought more into accord with modern ideas.

rapid recovery. Several foreign sovereigns have sent messages of inquiry during the day.

CABLE NOTES.

The Dreyfus trial revision bill has passed the French Senate by 155 to 125.

A man named Kohn, who is certified to have been 112 years old, has just died in Vienna.

The Dowager Countess of Waldeck-Pyrmont died on Wednesday at The Hague.

Notwithstanding the reports from London of a postponement, it is fully expected that the Queen will visit France early this month. The schedule of the Queen's route to the Riviera avoids Paris.

The London Daily Graphic publishes from a Samoa correspondent a story of recent events there, attributing the whole trouble to the attempts of Germany to upset the Berlin treaty, and to secure supremacy in the islands.

The Pall Mall Gazette announces that the home secretary has decided to allow Mrs. Druce to open the grave in the Highgate cemetery in which her father-in-law, T. C. Druce, is said to have been buried. Druce, she declares, was the rightful fifth Duke of Portland.

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CANADA SUFFERS A SEVERE LOSS

In the Death of the Late Lord Herschell.

Rev. David Mills' High Estimate of the
Eminent Jurist—Tributes to His
Ability by U. S. Senators.

[C. P. R. Special to The Advertiser.]
Ottawa, March 2.—Hon. David Mills, minister of justice, who was for years an intimate friend of Lord Herschell, was much affected when the news of the sad death of the British statesman was communicated to him. "Nothing that has recently transpired could give the country so sad a shock as the telegraphed announcement of the death of Lord Herschell," said the minister. "The commission has been singularly fatal, the United States having lost their most prominent representative in Mr. Dingley and the United Kingdom the leading statesman of the delegation. Lord Herschell was a man far more than ordinary ability. He stood in the very first rank of his profession, and as soon as he was elevated to the House of Lords he was regarded as the most able judge in that body and in the judicial committee of the Privy Council. No better evidence of Lord Herschell's prominent ability could be than the fact that Premier Salisbury, to whom he stood opposed politically, appointed him both on the Venezuelan committee and to the commission for the settlement of the difficulties between Canada and the United States. This country has certainly sustained a very great loss in his death. He had been for several months devoting himself to the study of the various questions at issue between Canada and the United States. He had made himself thoroughly conversant, as perhaps no other Englishman has, with these questions, and it is scarcely less than a calamity to Canada that Lord Herschell should have died at the present moment. He no doubt was prepared to make a full report on the situation to the British authorities, and the extensive information which he had acquired and the problems which he had mastered will not be advanced in their settlement by his death, as his information may, in a large measure, have perished with him.

"Had Lord Herschell lived he could have conferred upon the country great benefits and performed for her important services, but his untimely death will put an end to the hopes of the people of Canada of profiting by his great abilities."

Mr. Gray (Democrat), a personal friend of Lord Herschell, paid a high tribute to the dead statesman. He combined, he said, all the best and highest elements in the British character, and was esteemed throughout the world as an eminent statesman. Mr. Hoar (Mass.) as chairman of the judiciary committee, said of Lord Herschell, that he was one of the very best on the long roll of great English chancellors. He desired to pay his hearty tribute to him as a man, as a lawyer, and as a statesman, and to join in the senate's expression to Great Britain of sorrow felt here at his loss.

THE LONDON PRESS.
London, March 2.—All the papers express deep sympathy and regret at the untimely death of Lord Herschell, dwelling especially upon the loss to the Liberal party, which, in the event of its return to power, would have difficulty in filling the long high chancellorship in a Liberal cabinet, since Baron Russell, of Killowen, lord chief justice of England, is debarré from the woollack, being a Catholic.

TRIBUTE OF U. S. SENATORS.

Washington, March 2.—In the senate yesterday afternoon, Mr. Fairbanks (Ind.) announced the death of Lord Herschell. Mr. Fairbanks, who served with him on the commission, said: "In the death of Lord Farrar Herschell the United States loses an intelligent and steadfast friend, and the Kingdom of Great Britain a wise and loyal public servant. Lord Herschell was one of the most distinguished subjects and statesmen of Great Britain, a trusted friend and counselor of Mr. Gladstone. He came to this country in August last upon a mission which had for its purpose the promotion of the mutual welfare and good neighborhood of the United States and Great Britain. His untimely death most deeply touches not only his colleagues on the commission, but the American people, who jointly share with the people of Great Britain the great bereavement. Mr. Fairbanks then offered the following

DANGERS REAL AND FANCIED.

The average woman will scream with terror at the sight of an innocent little mouse, and then complacently sit down and suffer in silence with diseases that are



destroying her very life, beauty, her youth, her health. She will uncomplainingly resign herself to the worst of diseases, to female troubles, which are to be dreaded a thousand times more than a tiny mouse. It is gratifying to know that untold numbers of women are being restored to perfect vigor and strength by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It cures all uterine disorders. The exact name of the disease doesn't amount to a row of pins. If it is in the womanly organs, "Favorite Prescription" will hunt it out and cure it. It can be taken in a plain, unobtrusive way, and it restores the organs to perfectly healthy action. It prepares the body to become a woman; the wife to become a mother, the middle-aged to pass the "turn of life" in safety. It is not a "cure-all" but a medicine for women only, and is the prescription of Dr. R. W. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., the world-famed specialist in the treatment of disorders of women. Any reader of this paper may consult Dr. Pierce free by mail. Write him if your local physicians do not seem to understand your case.

Mrs. W. J. Kidder, of Hill Dale Farm, (Enosburg Center), Enosburg, Vt., writes: "During the past year I found myself pregnant and in rapidly failing health. I suffered dreadfully from bloating and urinary difficulty, and growing perceptibly weaker each day and suffered much sharp pain at times. I felt that something must be done, sought and received a prompt reply. I followed your directions and took twelve bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and also followed your instructions. I began to improve immediately, my health became excellent, and I could do all my own work (we live on a good sized farm). I walked and rode all I could, and enjoyed it. I had a short, easy confinement and have a healthy baby boy."

Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure biliousness.

resolution: "That the senate has heard with profound sensibility of the death of Lord Farrar Herschell, an eminent jurist and statesman of Great Britain, formerly lord high chancellor, a member of the United States and British high commission. That the president of the senate is requested to convey to her Majesty the Queen of Great Britain the sympathy of the senate of the United States, in the great loss which she and the people of Great Britain have sustained by the death of Lord Herschell."

LADY HERSCHELL.

Lady Herschell, it appears, is on the Atlantic, and will not learn of her husband's death until her arrival at New York.

WARM WELCOME TO MR. CHOATE

The U. S. Ambassador Reaches London.

Tendered Addresses at Southampton and Makes a Happy Response.

Southampton, March 2.—The United States ambassador to the Court of St. James, Mr. Joseph H. Choate, arrived here at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon on board the steamer St. Paul, from New York on Feb. 22. The steamer was boarded by the mayor and sheriff, who welcomed the ambassador on behalf of the corporation. Mr. Choate was met by Lieut. L. C. Colwell, the United States naval attaché. The president of the Southampton chamber of commerce presented the new ambassador with an address, tendering him the most cordial welcome. Mr. Choate replied in a short speech of thanks, saying he accepted the addresses, not for himself, but for the nation he represented.

A crowd of people numbering several thousands awaited the arrival of the United States ambassador. The Stars and Stripes were displayed on many buildings, and immediately after the arrival of the St. Paul, she was boarded by a delegation of 200 of the principal citizens of Southampton, headed by the mayor and other officers in their official robes. They were introduced to the ambassador in the dining saloon by Lieut. Carter, where the addresses were delivered. Afterwards many members of the welcoming party shook hands with the ambassador. All Mr. Choate's references to the friendship existing between the two nations were loudly applauded, as was a grateful tribute which he paid to Queen Victoria during the course of his reply to the mayor.

MR. CHOATE'S REMARKS.

"Southampton has a special significance for Americans," said Mr. Choate, "as it was the point of departure of the Mayflower on the historic voyage which was to end in planting a new nation. It proved to be the first great departure of the English race from their island home and island life. They went to take possession of the continent waiting to be subdued and replenished. The God in whom they trusted prospered the good work. They carried with them the English Bible, common law, the idea of representative government and liberty of the individual. Springing from this stock a republic of 70,000,000, allied in blood, institutions, interests, and hopes of the future, stretches across the Atlantic the right hand of fellowship, and is ready to meet the mother country more than half-way in everything which will tend to promote the common good of the two nations and the general welfare of mankind. The Mayflower of 1620 and the St. Paul of today furnish a symbol of the marvelous change which time has wrought. The crazy little bark of 180 tons, bearing beneath her deck the fortunes of a race, putting in for repairs at Dartmouth and Plymouth, hardly strong enough to hold together across the Atlantic, landed her hundred heroes and heroines, after more than four months, on a rock, which was to be the corner stone of American freedom."

A CONTRAST.

"Today the representative of their descendants traverses the same seas in a single week, in a mighty cruiser, just converted from a swift and armed war to a welcome messenger of peace, herself an emblem of that sea power, upon which the destinies of the Anglo-Saxon race depend. As I go to present my letter of credence from the president to your illustrious sovereign, who, after more than 80 years, still reigns supreme over the hearts of her subjects, and commands the affectionate admiration of my own countrymen as their ever steadfast and faithful friend, I accept your cordial greeting as the harbinger of that special friendship which is henceforth to control and govern the conduct of the two nations."

IN LONDON.

The United States ambassador, Mr. Joseph H. Choate and Mrs. Choate, members of the United States embassy, and Mr. Addison C. Harris, of Indiana, the new United States ambassador to Austria-Hungary, arrived here last evening by special boat train from Southampton. They were met at Waterloo railroad station by the United States charge d'affaires, Mr. Henry White, and by other Americans. There was no formality in the welcome extended to Mr. Choate at the station.

CONSERVATIVE M. P. ELECTED.

London, March 2.—In the parliamentary bye-election in Hythe, of the vacancy caused by the resignation of Lieutenant-General Sir James Bevan Edwards, who had represented the borough since 1895 in the Conservative interest, the Unionist and Conservative candidate, Sir Edward Sassoon, defeated his Liberal and Radical opponent, Sir Israel Hart, by a majority of 327 votes. Conservative vote 2,425.

THE RAILWAYS

Sombra Expects to Get a Wabash Connection—Big Contract for Officials' Suits.

In railway circles it is rumored that engineers have been conducting a survey in Sombra, with a view to the extension of the Wabash Railway to that point, and the construction of a tunnel under the St. Clair to Marine City.

Mr. Frank Broderick, of Chatham, has secured the contract for the Grand Trunk officials' suits. There are 11,000 to be made, and it is the first time this large order has been placed in the hands of one person to fill.

Mr. W. Lahey, who for the past few

years has been manager of the C. P. R. telegraph, ticket and express offices at St. Thomas, has been promoted to the Brantford agency. Mr. Lahey's departure will be regretted by many, as by his genial, obliging manner during the five years he has been in the city he has made many friends. He will be succeeded by Mr. W. McIlroy, now in Galt, but whose home is in this city.—St. Thomas Journal.

WHERE NEW TAXES FALL

Mr. Harcourt Brings Down His Revenue Bill.

\$100,000 Additional From the Liquor Licenses.

Banks, Insurance Companies, Street Railways and Other Corporations Taxed.

A Measure That Is Expected to Raise Over \$300,000

Made Necessary by the Patriotic Timber Policy—Mr. Harcourt Pronounces It an Equitable Measure.

Toronto, March 2.—Yesterday Hon. Mr. Harcourt introduced the government measure for supplementing the revenue of the province, which has been depleted owing to the legislation requiring all logs cut upon crown lands to be manufactured in the province. Mr. Harcourt's bill has been awaited with great interest. Separate measures deal with the licenses for manufacture and sale of liquor, and the taxing of financial corporations and incorporated companies enjoying public franchises. An increased revenue of \$100,000 is anticipated from the increased liquor license fees, and of \$200,000 from the tax on corporations, together equaling the estimated reduction in crown lands revenue. Mr. Harcourt said that crown lands receipts this year would be only \$800, a decrease of \$300,000.

In addition to the increased \$100,000 from liquor licenses, Mr. Harcourt anticipated that the new tax would derive the following sums from various classes of companies:

Banks	.....	\$40,000
Life Insurance	.....	43,000
Other Insurance	.....	17,000
Telegraph companies	.....	11,000
Telephone companies	.....	7,000
Railways	.....	20,000
Street railways	.....	13,000
Sleeping and parlor car companies	.....	6,000
Express companies	.....	6,000
Natural gas companies	.....	15,000
Trust companies	.....	3,000
Loan companies	.....	24,000
Loan companies	.....	3,000
Total	.....	\$208,000

The full details of the measure are as follows:

THE LICENSE SCHEDULE.

The following is a schedule of the license fees which are now paid and those which the bill imposes in the various classes of cities: First-class cities of 150,000 and upwards, second-class cities of 40,000 and under 150,000, third-class cities of 20,000 to 40,000, and fourth-class cities less than 20,000:

WHOLESALE.	
Present fees.	Proposed fees.
First-class	.....\$250
Second-class	.....250
Third and fourth class	.....250

TAVERN AND SHOP.

First-class	.....\$150
Second-class	.....150
Third-class	.....150
Fourth-class	.....150

BREWERS.

Under \$10,000	.....\$250
Under \$20,000	.....250
Under \$40,000	.....250
Under \$75,000	.....250
Under \$100,000	.....250
Over \$100,000	.....1,500

DISTILLERS.

\$50,000 and less	.....\$250
100,000 and less	.....250
150,000 and less	.....250
Over \$150,000	.....250

REVENUE BILL SCHEDULE.

BANKS.

One-tenth of one per cent on capital stock up to \$2,000,000, \$25 for every \$100,000 above \$2,000,000 and not exceeding \$6,000,000, and \$15 per \$100,000 above that sum; also an additional tax of \$100 for each head office and \$25 for each branch office or agency.

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One per cent on the gross premiums received for business within the province for every company transacting business within the province, and one-half of one per cent on every other insurance company.

LOAN COMPANIES.

With fixed or permanent paid-up capital, \$65 on every \$100,000. With terminating or withdrawable capital between \$100,000 and \$200,000 a tax of \$50, from \$200,000 to \$500,000 a tax of \$75, from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000 a tax of \$100, and \$50 for each additional million.

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TELEPHONES.

One-sixth of 1 per cent upon the paid-up capital.

NATURAL GAS COMPANIES.

Where producing natural gas, \$500; where transmitting as well as producing, \$2,000 additional; where transmitting or transporting, \$2,500.

EXPRESS COMPANIES.

A tax of \$3,000.

SLEEPING CARS.

Sleeping or parlor car companies, \$2,000 each.

FOUNDED ON EQUITY.

In concluding his speech, Mr. Harcourt referred to Quebec Province, where for years similar taxes have been imposed aggregating in a single year \$780,000, of which \$194,000 came from commercial corporations, and \$230,000 from manufacturing industries. Since the act was in force the tax on commercial corporations has aggregated \$780,000, and that on traders \$348,000. The principle of the bill was, he contended, equitable, and would to some measure obviate the great irritation and dissatisfaction and agitation which had arisen in the United States from the fact that the real property pays nine-tenths of the taxes of the country, while the personal property, which is the larger portion of the wealth, pays only one-tenth. The bill is in the right direction in its equity and fairness, in the distribution of the state burdens; it has the merits of truth and justice on its side, and every member must recognize that it is a measure of unusual importance, every section of which will be closely examined. He insisted that that examination and criticism should be aside from party and with regard to the weal of the nation, and in the interests of the whole people, and not of any particular party.

MR. WHITNEY'S CRITICISM.

Mr. Whitney wanted time to discuss the bill later on. He said the province was face to face with direct taxation, and the time had come when even the chimneys and hearthstones were to be taxed. The bill passed its first reading, and the second reading was set for Tuesday next.

STATUE TO MISS WILLARD.

Springfield, Ill., March 2.—Acting Governor Northcutt has signed the bill appropriating \$9,000 for a statue of Frances E. Willard, to be placed in the rotunda of the capital building at Washington. The statue of Miss Willard is the only one of a woman given a place in the rotunda.

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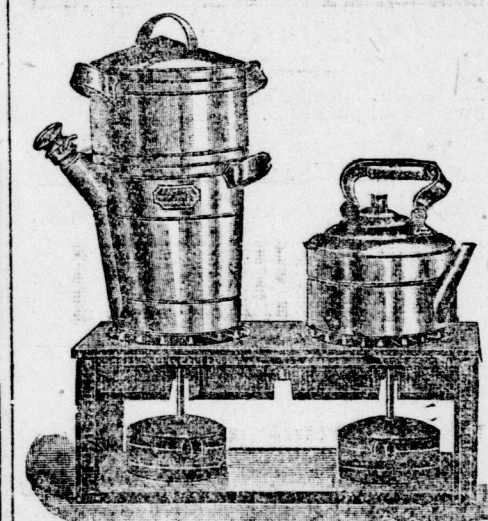
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London, Thursday, March 2, 1899.

The New Revenue Bill.

Yesterday Mr. Harcourt, the Provincial Treasurer, brought down his revenue bill, which has been awaited with great interest.

The public do not need to be reminded that it has become necessary to seek fresh sources of revenue for the Province because of the patriotic embargo on the export of our saw-logs. The law passed by the Legislature requiring that timber cut on the Crown lands of Ontario shall be manufactured into lumber before leaving the province, will cause a shrinkage of \$300,000 this year in the Crown lands receipts, according to Mr. Harcourt's estimate. To meet this shrinkage Mr. Harcourt proposes to raise new taxes by methods which we think will meet with general approval. He could cover the deficit by throwing a part of the provincial expenditure on the municipalities, as is done in the United States; but he has devised a measure which will not add a farthing to municipal taxation.

It is expected to raise over \$100,000 by increasing the liquor license fees, wholesale and retail, and by a tax on breweries and distilleries, so framed that the amount to be paid will depend upon the money invested in the business. This takes away no rights possessed by the municipalities.

A graduated tax will be imposed on chartered banks, which is expected to yield \$40,000. Loan companies and trust companies will also be subjected to a tax, adjusted to their different conditions.

An assessment will be levied on life, fire, accident and other insurance companies, except mutual companies, doing business in the province. Wisely, the bill does not discriminate against foreign companies, as is being done in some states of the Union, with a view to driving out all competition with the home companies.

Every railroad company, in receipt of subsidies from the Provincial Government will pay a mileage tax of \$15. This will yield the Province over \$30,000 a year. Street railway companies are also required to pay a graduated mileage tax.

Telegraph companies will pay one-quarter of one per cent on their paid-up capital, and telephone companies will pay one-sixteenth of one per cent.

Express companies will pay a lump sum of \$3,000 each and natural gas companies \$5,000 each, with \$2,000 added if they export gas to the United States.

As will be seen, the taxation falls on interests which are best able to meet it. No burden is imposed on the general public. The policy which has made fresh taxation necessary is upheld by both parties, and unless the Opposition can suggest more equitable and effective methods of increasing the revenue than Mr. Harcourt has suggested, they cannot logically attack his bill.

The Growth of the Empire.

Sir Robert Giffen, the eminent statistician, whose recent papers have created great interest in Great Britain, delivered an address on "The Growth of the Empire," before the Royal Colonial Institute, London, the other day. It is packed with valuable information. Sir Robert dealt with the area, population, trade and other particulars of the main division of the empire in 1897, compared with 1871. The empire now comprises 11,600,000 square miles, or 13,000,000 with Egypt and the Sudan added. The population is 420,000,000, including Egypt and the Sudan. This is equal to one-fourth of the whole population of the earth. Of this population about 50,000,000 are of English speech and race, the ruling race—in the United Kingdom, British North America and Australasia. The remaining 370,000,000 are the various subject races, for the most part in India and Africa. From 1871 to 1897 the area of the empire, excluding Egypt and the Sudan, increased by 2,854,000 square miles, or more than one-fourth of the whole, and the population increased 125,000,000, also more than one-fourth of the whole. The population of the ruling race increased 12,500,000.

The present annual revenue of the different parts of the empire added together is \$257,653,000, and the imports and exports amount to \$1,375,000,000. The increase in revenue since 1871 has been \$115,143,000, or more than 40 per cent of the present total, while the increase of imports and exports has been \$428,000,000, or about one-third of the present total. The revenue of the self-governing English portions of the empire is \$145,000,000, an increase of \$60,000,000 since 1871, and the imports and exports are \$1,038,000,000, an increase of \$247,000,000 since 1871. The revenue of the states of subject races is \$112,000,000, an increase since 1871 of \$55,000,000, and their imports and exports are \$338,000,000, an increase of \$181,000,000.

Australasia shows the most rapid advance in population during the period from 1871 to 1897. The rate of increase there was 128 per cent, compared with 41 per cent in British North America, and 26 per cent in the United Kingdom. The numbers added in the United Kingdom since 1871 are 8,350,000; in British North America, 1,560,000, and in Australasia, 2,500,000.

In the same period the revenue of

the United Kingdom increased 52 per cent; that of British North America 86 per cent, and that of Australasia 165 per cent. Exports and imports grew 33 per cent in the United Kingdom, 45 per cent in British North America, and 112 per cent in Australasia. In trade, revenue and population it will be seen that Canada and Australasia have advanced more rapidly than the mother country.

Since 1871 the population of subject states in the empire has grown 46 per cent; revenue has grown 98 per cent, and imports and exports 115 per cent. South Africa has shown tremendous expansion—275 per cent in population, 910 per cent in revenue, and 512 per cent in foreign trade. The revenue was less than a million pounds in 1871, and is now £10,000,000; while imports and exports have increased from £8,000,000 to £47,000,000. The population of India has also grown from 800,000,000 to 373,000,000 in the same time.

The only signs of retrogression in the empire are in the West Indies and British Guiana. In this group the population has increased by 45 per cent, and the revenue 56 per cent; but the exports decreased 14 per cent, and the imports increased only 7 per cent. This is largely due to the decline of the sugar industry.

Sir Robert Giffen pointed out that Great Britain's new African Empire was no small rival to the Indian Empire itself. The conditions in Africa were such as to warrant a rapid increase in population. Sir Robert swept around the whole circle of the empire in these inspiring words:

"Whether we looked at the varying developments in the purely English parts of the empire, the magnitude of the growth at home, the increase at the greater rate in British North America, or the increase at a greater rate still in Australasia; or at such a phenomenon as the rapid development of South Africa, where the white races were actual colonists in association with the subject races; or at the vast growth of India; or at the beginning of a new empire in Africa; or at the special incidents not so favorable which were happening to our older possessions in the West Indies; to which might be added the latest development of all in the development of the figures of British North America were not yet affected as those of South Africa had been—we found ourselves in possession of an empire in which a great deal was happening, and with which the fortunes of the human race itself were very largely concerned. In whatever way such an empire had come to exist, the influence it must have on the various peoples, and especially on those who had anything to do with the government or with the administration of large affairs, must be enormous, and on the whole, we must assume, beneficial, clearing the mind of prejudices and narrow bias of every sort, and proving to all how much such an empire must be self-developing, because no single mind could pretend to mold so vast an organism. It was an education of itself to belong to such an empire, and to help, in however small a degree, in carrying out the common work."

Sir Robert did not think the British Empire in any real danger. Each power with whom we had to deal had its own difficulties. All of them, except Germany, had a large amount of internal organization to undertake. The colonial empire of France, for instance, was by comparison almost entirely undeveloped. Russia had still an enormous amount of work to do to fill up decently the huge vacant places within its ring-fence. The United States, again, were just beginning their colonial policy, and had a serious work before them to adapt their constitution to the new conditions imposed by such a policy.

Here Sir Robert gives imperialists something to talk about. He says: "Amidst our great success in the development of population and wealth throughout the empire, in which there was so much cause for pride and rejoicing, the reverse of the shield which we found to exist in the growth at the same time of a vast population on the verge of starvation ought also be looked at." The lecturer went so far as to declare that he spoke as one having so great a sense of the difficulties and dangers of a great empire, that if there had been free choice in the matter at any time he would have deprecated the conquest of India and other conquests which had made the empire what it is. But, he added, the choice had not been quite free, and especially it was not open to us to give up any part of the empire at will without making so great an alteration of our position in the world that our freedom and independence at home would be endangered. As the worst thing possible was to halt between two opinions we must accordingly, even if we disliked empire, make the best of our position. We were in for this great empire, and there was an end of the matter. On all sides, then, on Little Englanders, as well as Great Englanders, the main idea of policy should now be to knit the different parts of the empire together so that they should support each other and support the whole.

Scientific Agriculture.

The Farmers' Institutes of Illinois demand that the Legislature appropriate \$130,000 towards a State agricultural college. They are waking up to the fact that the farmers of Illinois must have wider educational opportunities, if they are to keep up with the procession. Many of the States of the Union have agricultural colleges, that of Iowa being deservedly famous, yet leading American experts have declared that the Ontario College leads them all. Scientific instruction is becoming more and more indispensable to success in husbandry, and Ontario must put forth increasing efforts if she is to hold her own against progressive rivals. The Government recognize this, and are spending larger sums every year for

agricultural purposes, yet the Opposition have all along maintained a grudging policy towards the agricultural interests. They opposed the creation of the portfolio of agriculture, and have been quite consistent ever since in trying to cripple the work of the department. The Guelph college has been the object of their constant attack, yet that institution has done and is doing a service for the farmers of Ontario which cannot be estimated. The project of the Wabigoon pioneer farm, which was designed to aid the sturdy settlers in the northern districts, and has been of the utmost benefit to them, encountered the same obstruction in the Legislature. Mr. Dryden has had to fight continually for the farming interests against the Opposition. No money is spent to better advantage than in the agricultural department, and the Government will be justified in increasing the expenditure to keep Ontario in the van.

It wasn't our Valentine in South Perth.

Kipling breathes more freely, and so do two nations.

The report of an outbreak of scurvy at Dawson is perhaps as scurvy as most of the tales from the Klondike via Seattle.

The American shipbuilders on the great lakes are now forming a combine. The combines have cornered nearly everything on the land, and are now reaching out on the water.

According to statistics prepared by the British Board of Trade, Canada is the only country whose immigration during the past year shows an increase over that of 1897. Its gain was 20 per cent, while all other countries show a falling off of from 1 to 10 per cent. These official returns include people of all nationalities sailing from ports in the United Kingdom, those destined for Canada including 17,665 persons of British origin and 8,588 foreigners. This, of course, does not include the Doukhobors, who left from the Batoum direct.

That excellent newspaper, the Vancouver World, has issued a supplement, giving a panoramic view of the city of Vancouver. It is a handsome piece of lithography, and conveys a vivid idea of the metropolis of the Canadian Pacific coast. Vancouver is growing like a young giant. The population increased 4,000 or 5,000 last year, and the value of buildings erected was \$1,750,000, an amount which will be doubled this year. Vancouver's enterprise and progress are faithfully reflected in the World. Mr. J. C. McLagan, the proprietor, is the Nestor of British Columbia journalism.

Observations.

Queen Victoria—the Grand Old Lady—has now outgrown her nervous headaches, and seems to have taken a new lease of life in consequence.

A. H. U. C. (initials of a well-known writer), suggests in The Canadian Printer and Publisher, the abolition, or rather, the reform, not of the Senate, but of the Press Association's annual banquet. "A. H. U. C. thinks a simple dinner of a few courses, beginning at 6 o'clock and ended early, would be better every way than conforming to the present state, flat and unprofitable fashion. I think so, too. Among the amenities of the nineteenth century that ought to be reformed, if not abolished, is that of banquets beginning late at night and not ending until next morning."

From ancient times to modern, thinkers have been impressed with the truth that everything is in a state of constant change. All things are wrought by change, says Bacon. One man's dying gives another man his chance, and so on. One is apt to be impressed with the fluctuating nature of things, when one reads, all within a few days, of the serious illness of the Pope, and of Rudyard Kipling, and the unexpected death of Lord Herschell. "Moreover, death is far from a bad fate."

Our old London boy, and now merchant of Philadelphia, Tom Martindale, I observe, is developing into quite a prominent public speaker. At a Washington birthday banquet, at the Hoffman House, New York, given by the Merchants and Manufacturers' Board of Trade, Mr. Martindale made a clever and magnetic speech in favor of a ship canal to connect the waters of New York bay with the Delaware River and Philadelphia. Mr. Martindale, who was congratulated from the chair on his address, contended that it was the deep water avenues that made London, Liverpool, Glasgow, Hamburg, Antwerp and other large cities great and prosperous communities.

A discussion is going on as to whether a man gains or loses most by being a "joiner"—that is, one who makes it his policy to join every organization he can get into, for the sake of the influence or advantage he may hope to gain. It all depends. The only importance some men seem to have is that of the numerous "joiner." There are others whose lives in such fashion are obviously frittered away, and who would have achieved ten times as much on lines of individual hard work and concentration.

So Lyman Abbott cuts off his pulpit

harness, and devotes his undivided strength hereafter to Journalism on The Outlook. In this day of necessary concentration, he relinquishes one of his two previous pulpits. In giving the preference to journalism, he decides to retain his largest congregation.

Canadian Post Offices are moderately great in Bears. There is Bear Brook P. O., Bear Creek, Bear Cave, Bear Island, Bear Line and Bear Point. Then there is Beech Grove, Beech Hill, Beech Lane, Beech Ridge, Beechville and Beech Wood. The list is also big in Bigs, such as Big Bank, Big Bar Creek, Big Brass D'Orr, Big Brook, Big Cove, Big Fork, Big Glen, Big Harbor, Big Hill, Big Island, Big Lake, Big Lorraine, Big Marsh, Big Point, Big Pond, Big Ridge and Big Springs.

Fifty-four years ago, yesterday Mr. Edmund Meredith, Q.C., of London, first saw the light. His early education was obtained at the old London District Grammar School; he was called to the bar in 1868, and was Mayor of London in the years 1883-84.

The British Wesleyan Methodists are in the midst of a big contract, namely, the raising of a \$5,000,000 Twentieth Century Fund to extend the work of the denomination. The undertaking will evidently be successful, as one half the amount has been already guaranteed, with some good months of the nineteenth century remaining in which to work. The Methodist Times of London publishes a series of figures with regard to the expansion of Methodism during the century. Commencing with Great Britain and Ireland, the Methodist membership is given as advancing from 140,000 in 1801 to 831,637 in 1898, while the population has advanced from a little less than 16,000,000 to 39,000,000. So that the proportion of members of Methodists to the total population has changed from 1 in 113 to 1 in 44. In addition there are given the figures of adherents—560,000 in 1801, or 1 in 28 of the population, to 8,526,548 in 1898, or 1 in 11 of the population. Then, taking world-wide Methodism, the entire Methodist communion in 1801 is given as 260,000 members and 1,040,000 adherents; in 1898, 7,100,601 members and probationers and 28,402,404 adherents. Estimating, as the compiler does, the population in the world in 1801 as 650,000,000 and in 1898 as 1,507,000,000, the proportion of members to the entire population of the world is 1 in 212 and of adherents 1 in 53. It then gives the geographical distribution of present day Methodism. The total is 7,100,601 members and 28,402,404 adherents. America leads with 5,864,175 members; then comes the United Kingdom with 881,637, Africa with 109,919, Oceania with 100,239, Asia with 93,368, and Continental Europe with 50,932.

What Others Say.

Father's and Mother's Way.

[Chicago Record.]
Mother's congresses are conducted on progressive modern lines. Fathers' congresses will still be held in the woodshed in the old-fashioned way, with a slender withe of hickory as the only sign of formality.

Fighting Joe.

[St. Thomas Journal.]
Fighting Joe Martin has brought a short session of the British Columbia Parliament to a close by cancelling certain railway subsidies which were unearned. If Mr. Martin would stick to work of this kind and keep his tongue between his teeth the chances are he would make a pretty good man for British Columbia.

Welsh Immigrants.

[Toronto Globe.]
A correspondent of the Western Mail interviewed Mr. W. L. Griffith, the Canadian agent in Wales, with reference to the Welsh colony in Patagonia. Mr. Griffith confirms the report that the Patagonian colony, consisting of

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3,000 or 4,000 souls, are deeply dissatisfied with their position in South America, and are desirous to remove to Canada in a body. They first cast upon Vancouver Island, but latterly Manitoba has been favored. The difficulty lay in the inability of the colony to pay the expenses of removal. The Canadian Government sympathized with the design of the Welshmen, but thought that before any move was made a delegation should first spy out the land to which it was proposed to migrate.

Washing Bank Bills.

[Hamilton Spectator.]
A great many ladies will not handle any bills unless they are fresh and crisp, and one can hardly blame them for it. It is not generally known, but paper money can be washed and ironed as easily as a pocket-handkerchief, and when it passes through the purifying process it is as crisp and fresh as when it left the hands of the printer. A fastidious lady in this city has all her money laundered before she handles it. The notes are washed with soap and hot water, and spread out on a table to dry, after which they are dampened and pressed with a medium hot smoothing iron. It is astonishing how dirty money gets. If one could see the water in which a dozen Dominion bank bills were washed, it would give him an aversion to being a teller in a bank. Some enterprising laundryman will be advertising bank-note washing as part of his laundry business.

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Since love is gone, will everything seem dear
In day or night or season of the year,
The autumn twilight or the faint spring dawn?
Will everything seem sweet—since love is gone?
Since love is gone how shall I dare
To go
Through old wood pathways that I used to know,
Seeking in sheltered spots flower-faces sweet

And talking to the brook beside my feet?

Love was the only theme we talked upon,
And will they know me now since love is gone?

Yet, when I sought them in their solitudes
Of field, and hill, and overlapping woods,
They smiled at me in quite the same old way,
And listening close, I heard their voices say:
"Two things are sacred, dear, 'twixt us and thee,
And one is love and one is memory."
—Indianapolis Journal.

Vaccinating.
Jimmy—Is your aunt on your mother's or your father's side?
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TODAY'S MARKETS**Toronto Stock Market.**

Montreal	Ask	Off
Ontario	230	123
Toronto	232	248
Merchants	180	180
Commercial	180	180
Imperial	217	217
Dominion	253	253
Standard	191	191
Hamilton	191	191
British America	129	129
Western Assurance	167	167
Consumer's Goods	167	167
Montreal Gas	217	217
Dominion Telegraph	139	139
Northern Land Company, pref. 36	89	89
Canada Pacific Railway Stock	193	193
Commercial Cable Company	103	103
Collieries of Ontario	103	103
Cons. Registered Bonds	103	103
Bell Telephone Company	178	178
Bell Telephone, new	107	107
Richmond and Ontario	107	107
Montreal Street Railway	107	107
Toronto Street Railway	117	117
London Street Railway	117	117
London Electric	129	129
Dominion Savings and Invest.	70	70
Huron and Erie L. and S.	150	150
Euron and Erie, 20 per cent.	150	150
London and Canada L. and A.	70	70
London Loan	110	110
London and Ontario	90	90
Ontario Loan and Ontario	123	123

New York Stocks.

Reported by F. H. Butler, 15 and 16 Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

Yesterday's	Close	Open	High	Low
Atchafalpa	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 3/4	22 1/4
Atchafalpa Pfd	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 3/4	62 1/4
C. & O.	141	141 1/2	141 3/4	141 1/4
C. & N. W.	147 1/2	147 1/2	147 3/4	147 1/4
Bay State Gas	4 1/4	4 1/4	4 1/2	4 1/4
Chicago Gas	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 3/4	11 1/4
N. Y. Gas	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 3/4	21 1/4
Gen. Electric	113 1/2	113 1/2	113 3/4	113 1/4
E. & N. W.	113 1/2	113 1/2	113 3/4	113 1/4
Man.	111 1/2	111 1/2	111 3/4	111 1/4
Mo. P.	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 3/4	45 1/4
Omaha	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 3/4	50 1/4
P. M.	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 3/4	117 1/4
R. I.	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 3/4	21 1/4
Reading	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 3/4	21 1/4
N. Y. Central	135 1/2	135 1/2	135 3/4	135 1/4
St. P.	129 1/2	129 1/2	129 3/4	129 1/4
T. C. L.	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 3/4	44 1/4
Wabash	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 3/4	21 1/4
W. U.	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 3/4	94 1/4
Brooklyn Transit	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 3/4	90 1/4
U. P. Pfd.	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 3/4	78 1/4
Lehigh River	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 3/4	70 1/4
Lead	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 3/4	34 1/4
Sugar	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 3/4	128 1/4
Tel. Corp.	137 1/2	137 1/2	137 3/4	137 1/4
Southern Ry. Pfd	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 3/4	48 1/4
Jersey Central	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 3/4	107 1/4
E. T. Pfd.	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 3/4	91 1/4
N. E. Pfd.	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 3/4	79 1/4

Montreal Stock Market.

Canadian Pacific	Ask	Off
Duluth, common	90	89 1/2
Duluth, preferred	12	10 1/2
Commercial Cable	104	104
Cons. Cable Company	104	104
Commercial Reg. Bonds	104	104
Montreal Telegraph	180	176 1/2
Robinson and Ontario	107 1/2	107
Montreal Street Railway	107	107
Montreal St. Railway, new	324	323
Toronto Railway	117 1/2	117
Montreal Gas Company	218 1/2	218
Bell Telephone	178	178
Royal Electric	178 1/2	178 1/2
Bank of Montreal	178 1/2	178 1/2
Ontario Bank	204	204
Moisons Bank	204	204
Bank of Toronto	255	244
Merchants Bank	180	180
Merchants Bank of Halifax	180	180
Quebec Bank	123	123
Union Bank	152	150
Bank of Commerce	152	150
Northern Land, pref.	170	168 1/2
Montreal Cotton Co.	170	170
Canada Colored Cotton	113	113
Dominion Cotton, xid.	113	112 1/2

Toronto Produce Market.

TORONTO, March 2.—Wheat firmer, at 70c to 71c for red and white, west. Manitoba wheat steady, at 84c for No. 1 hard, grinding, in transit. Flour steady, at \$3 for cars of straight roller, in barrels, west. Millfeed firm, at \$14 to \$15 for shorts and \$11 to \$13 for bran, west. Barley steady, at 46c for No. 1, west. Buckwheat firm, at 50c, west. Rye firm, at 56c, west. Corn steady, at 57c for Canada, yellow, west, and 45c for No. 2, old, American, Toronto. Oats firmer, at 31c for white, west. Peas firmer, at 67c, west. Eggs firm for new laid, at 22c. Butter steady, at 14c to 15c for large rolls, and 10c to 12c for dairy tubs. Creamery, very steady, at 20c to 22c for prints, and 18c to 20c for packed. Dressed hogs steady, at \$4.90 to \$5.05 for western mixed weights here.

English Markets.

Liverpool, March 2.—Closing. Wheat—Spot, firm; No. 2 red western, winter, stocks exhausted; No. 1 red northern spring, dull, 6s 4d; No. 1 Cal., no stock; futures closed slightly higher; March, 5s 7 1/2d; May, 5s 7 1/2d. Corn—Spot, firm; No. 2 yellow, steady, 6s 6 1/2d; old, steady, 6s 3 1/2d; futures, steady; March, 6s 8 1/2d; May, 6s 7 1/2d; July, 6s 8d. Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, dull, 7s 8d. Peas—Canadian, 5s 9d. Pork—Dull; Prime mess, fine western, 47s 6d; do, medium, western, 45s. Beef—Dull; Prime mess, 60s; extra India mess, 61s. Hams—Short cut, 10 to 14 lbs., steady, 5s 6d; Bacon—Cumberland, 10 to 14 lbs., 2s 6d; long clear middles, light, 3s to 3s 1/2d; 2s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 4s to 4s 1/2d; 2s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs., 2s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., 3s. Shoulders—Square, 13 to 14 lbs., easy, 2s 4d. Lard—Prime western, firm, 7s 1/2d. Butter—Finest American, 36s; good, 35s. Roisin—Common, steady, 4s. Cheese—American white, firm, 40s; 50, colored, firm, 40s. Tallow—Prime city, strong, 22s. Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, firm, 16s. Turpentine—Firm, 38s 3d. Hops—At London (Pacific coast) firm, At 15s to 25s. Linseed—Oil, 11s 9d. Petroleum—Refined, 6s 1/2d.

American Markets.

NEW YORK, March 2.—Noon.—Flour—Receipts, 13,935 bbls; sales, 2,100 pkgs; state and western slow and lower to sell. Rye flour firm; sales, 150 bbls; good to fair, \$3.15 to \$3.30; choice to fancy, \$3.40 to \$3.60. Wheat—Receipts, 79,200 bu; sales, 395,000 bu; options dull and weaker because of short selling, bearish cables and absence of crop damage news; March, 83 1/2c to 84 1/2c; May, 77 1/2c to 77 3/4c; July, 75 1/2c to 76c. Rye dull; state, 60c; No. 2 western, 61 1/2c to 62c; f. o. b., adroit. Corn—Receipts, 73,150 bu; sales, 20,000; options dull and weaker in response to liquidation and lower cables; May, 41 1/2c to 41 3/4c; July, 41 1/2c to 41 5/8c. Oats—Receipts, 142,800; inactive; track, white state and western, 37c to 41c. Butter—Receipts, 2,203 pkgs; very firm. Cheese—Receipts, 784 pkgs; steady. Eggs—Receipts, 1,422 pkgs; very firm; state and Pennsylvania, 30c to 30 1/2c; west-

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ern, 30c; southern, 29c to 30c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 2 1/2c; refined firm. Coffee easy; No. 7, 6 1/2c. Hops steady. Lead easy; bullion price, \$4.20; exchange price, \$4.20 to \$4.25. Potatoes steady. Straw cut. Beans steady.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 2.—Spring wheat—No. 1 hard, 84 1/2c; No. 1 northern, 84 1/2c; winter wheat, No. 2 red, 76 1/2c; No. 3 white, 78 1/2c; Corn—No. 2 yellow, 32c; No. 3 yellow, 33 1/2c to 34 1/2c; No. 4 yellow, 33c to 34 1/2c; No. 3 corn, 33c to 34 1/2c. Oats—No. 2 white, 34 1/2c; No. 3 white, 33 1/2c to 34c; No. 2 mixed, 33c.

DETROIT, Mich., March 2.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 73 1/2c; No. 2 red, cash, 74 1/2c; May, 76c.

TOLEDO, Ohio, March 2.—Wheat—Cash, 74 1/2c; May, 75c; July, 73c. Corn—Cash, 34 1/2c; May, 37c. Oats—Cash and May, 29c.

MILWAUKEE, March 2.—Wheat—Cash, 73c.

Live Stock Markets

CHICAGO, March 2.—Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; estimated receipts for tomorrow, 24,000; 5c to 10c higher; active; mixed and butchers, \$3.60 to \$3.85; good heavy, \$3.75 to \$3.87 1/2; rough heavy, \$3.60 to \$3.75; light, \$3.60 to \$3.82 1/2. Cattle—Receipts, 8,500; steady to lower; beefs, \$3.90 to \$5.65; cows and heifers, \$1.75 to \$4.25; Texans, \$3.50 to \$4.90; stockers and feeders, \$3.50 to \$4.90.

Chicago Exchange.

Following are the quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, broker, Masonic Temple, Phone 1778.

Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
May	71 1/2	71 3/4	71 1/4	71 1/2
July	73 1/2	73 3/4	73 1/4	73 1/2
Corn	35 1/2	35 3/4	35 1/4	35 1/2
May	35 1/2	35 3/4	35 1/4	35 1/2
July	37 1/2	37 3/4	37 1/4	37 1/2
Oats	26 1/2	26 3/4	26 1/4	26 1/2
May	26 1/2	26 3/4	26 1/4	26 1/2
July	28 1/2	28 3/4	28 1/4	28 1/2
Pork	9 1/2	9 3/4	9 1/4	9 1/2
May	9 1/2	9 3/4	9 1/4	9 1/2
July	9 1/2	9 3/4	9 1/4	9 1/2
Ribbs	4 1/2	4 3/4	4 1/4	4 1/2
May	4 1/2	4 3/4	4 1/4	4 1/2
July	4 1/2	4 3/4	4 1/4	4 1/2

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Latest Probabilities

Toronto, March 2—10 a.m.—
+ Probabilities for the lower lakes
+ region for the next 24 hours:
+ Easterly winds today; not much
+ change in temperature.
+ Friday—Fair, with light local
+ falls of snow.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—Rev. J. W. Pedley left today on a lecturing tour through Brant county.

—The new signs bearing the names of the West London streets, are being put up.

—Rev. Ira Smith, of the Talbot Street Baptist Church, left today on a trip to New Brunswick.

—Principal Eckert, of Lorne avenue school, who has been seriously ill, for some time past, is much improved today.

—Little Ethel Sullivan, the 13-year-old daughter of the late John Sullivan, of 25 Thornton avenue, died yesterday from lung trouble.

—Mr. R. N. Curry, the well-known broker, does not seem to improve very fast. The doctors think that in time he will be all right.

—The remains of the late Miss Mary E. Grant, who died in St. Joseph's Hospital city, were laid at rest in Lobo cemetery this afternoon.

—W. J. McDonnell and bride, of Wallaceburg, have returned home after spending a few days with Mrs. W. R. McKay, William street south.

—Mr. James Mellor, of the Hamilton road, an old and much esteemed citizen, is again after six weeks' illness. Mr. Mellor has been a resident of the city of London for over 60 years.

—Quite a sensation has been caused by the statement of Rev. Robert Johnston that some members of the city council need praying for. A report of his remarks is given on page 2 of this issue.

—Portland (Me.) Argus: "One of the best entertainments ever presented in the city." This comment was in connection with the Oxford Musical Club, which appears at the Auditorium tomorrow night.

—The great concert by Mr. Plunket Greene and other renowned artists at the Opera House on Tuesday evening next is an assured success. The plan will be open to subscribers only all day Friday. The general public can mark off seats Saturday morning.

—At the police court this morning Perry David and Wm. David, father and son, were up for violation of the bylaw governing signs. The matter was postponed for a week. James Murphy, James Gilhooley and Thos. Fleming, three drunks were allowed to go, and ordered out of the city.

—The following marriage notice appears in today's Toronto Globe: "On Wednesday, March 1, at the residence of the bride's brother, J. D. H. Browne, 22 Melbourne avenue, Toronto, by Rev. Prof. James Ballantyne, B.A., Knox College, Laura H., youngest daughter of the late Johnston Browne, of London, South Ont., to William Wright Scott, of London, Ont." Mr. Scott is a popular employee of the packing department of the McClary Manufacturing Company, city.

TALKS TO YOUNG WOMEN.
Miss Winnifred Macdonald, of Toronto, vice-president of the Dominion Young Women's Christian Association, will continue her "Talks to Young Women" in the Young Women's Christian Association, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings. Miss Macdonald is an earnest and impressive speaker, and her talks on Bible topics are

always helpful, being a young woman herself she appeals especially to them, and no young woman should miss the opportunity of hearing her.
PRIOR TO BE TRIED.

John W. Prior, the Detroit colored man (formerly of this city) who is charged with perjury in securing a marriage license for himself and Celia Mondary, a white girl, also of Detroit, was before Magistrate Bartlett, at Windsor, Ont., yesterday morning, and committed for trial. Prior will be tried before Judge Horne on any date that his counsel names.

INLAND REVENUE RETURNS.

The inland revenue returns at the London port for the past month are as follows:

Spirits, ex warehouse	.....	\$7,011.22
Malt, ex warehouse	.....	3,609.38
Tobacco, ex warehouse	.....	1,496.28
Cigars, ex factory	.....	6,779.10
Cigars, ex warehouse	.....	4,274.40
Raw leaf, ex warehouse	.....	3,678.58
Methylated spirits	.....	375.95
Inspection fees	.....	555.30

Total.....\$27,780.21

The returns for February, 1893, were \$26,865.34—\$914.87 less than on February, 1892.

LATE SPORTING

Ingersoll Curlers Won the Colt Trophy
—Junior Jubilee Hockey Team
Vs. Waterloo.

CURLING.

INGERSOLL WON THE CUP.

The Ingersoll colts carried away the handsome silver trophy by defeating Glencoe in the finals in the Colts' today. The cup was held last year by Stratford, but the latter club was beaten out in the preliminaries this year by St. Marys. Score:

Ingersoll	Glencoe
Rink No. 1—	W. D. McIntyre,
George Duncan,	A. Pinlayson,
H. C. Walker,	S. J. McCreary,
E. E. Dundas,	J. S. Luckham,
skip.....24	skip.....17
Rink No. 2—	G. Parrott,
Dr. Burnett,	M. Campbell,
J. E. Gayler,	R. McKellar,
F. H. Rundle,	G. McFarlane,
A. E. Gayler,	skip.....21
skip.....21	skip.....18

Total.....43 Total.....32

Majority for Ingersoll, 13 shots.

The cup was presented by Mr. J. Mattinson, in a neat speech, to Mr. George Duncan, secretary of the Ingersoll club, who made an appropriate reply, thanking all who were in any way connected with the game.

HOCKEY.

WATERLOO VS. JUBILEE JUNIORS

Perhaps the most exciting and hotly-contested game of hockey witnessed on Jubilee ice this year was played between the Waterloos and Jubilees. The latter had much the advantage over their younger opponents in weight, but the Waterloos proved themselves more than a match for them. During a scuffle at the Waterloo end, the game was knocked down, and after the referee had sounded his whistle a goal was scored by Dowel, which the referee refused to count, leaving the score 2 to 1 in favor of the Waterloos. The latter's play was very strong, and McMahon played a brilliant game in the forward line. Following was the line-up:

Waterloos	Jubilees
Mathewson.....Goal	Fish
Bland.....Point	Lattimore
McGuffin.....Cover	Smith
Kent.....Forwards	Smith
Kerrigan....." "	Smith
McMahon....." "	Eccleson
Sterling....." "	Dowel
Referee—P. R. Ashplant.	

Kingston Won't Play Guelph

The Frontenacs, of Kingston, refuse to play the Guelph Nationals for the championship. They claim that London is the team entitled to play them.

HE CONFESSED

The Chicago Butcher, Albert Becker, Cast His Wife Into the Lake.

Chicago, March 2.—Albert Becker, the south ender, who has been in custody for a week on suspicion of having murdered his first wife, Teresa Becker, broke down under the long cross-questioning of the police and made a complete confession. "I killed her on Jan. 27," said Becker defiantly. "We were walking on the Randolph street viaduct, and began quarrelling. I became angry and threw her into the lake. Then I went home."

The love of another woman, which prompted Becker to kill Teresa Becker, was apparently the cause of the butcher's confession. Since Becker's arrest his second wife, 17-year-old Eda Suterlin, has been in custody. Becker inquired continually for her, asking the police why she was not released. He was always given an impression that Eda would in some way be connected with the disappearance of his first wife. Becker, according to the theory of the police, made the confession in order to absolve her from any blame.

Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Expeller is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

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For Infants and Children.

The signature of *Dr. H. P. Fletcher* is on every wrapper.

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THE FIASCO EXPLAINED

Why the Hospital Deputation Did Not Accomplish Anything.

Mayor Wilson's Effort to Have Doctors Admitted to the Trust.

County Representatives Determined Stand A Shadowy Accusation Against the Hospital Management.

Remnants.

Although they have been selling fast we have still a few choice Remnants of WALL PAPER left. Some one and have that room paper before the busy season sets in and prices advance.

E. N. HUNT, 190 Dundas Street.

To Whom She Said "Yes."

But presently she laid her clasped hands on the table between them, and leaned towards him.

"If you had said that you have often been inclined to hate me—to consider me, although I have not deserved it, heartless, indifferent, or, perhaps, mercenary—I should not be very much surprised, for I know that appearances have been against me. But you—ah! you have nothing to reproach yourself for, except judging too hastily and harshly the woman whom you once professed to love."

Still Frank would not take in his shapely hands that lay so near his own, nor meet the pleading glances that were seeking to revive his dormant affection.

"If I have misjudged you, Mrs. Merstham, it is so long ago that I think we can both afford to forget it."

"Yes, if we are friends again," she responded, "if you will believe me when I say that it was for your sake that I married another."

Frank Lyssenden smiled, but it was not pleasantly.

"Mr. Streby is a long time concluding his bargain, May I offer you some refreshments?"

"I shall be glad of a little wine," Verna murmured, "for I am not feeling well. Oh, Frank! your refusal to hear my defense cuts me to the heart."

She began to sob so bitterly that the young man, ashamed of his coldness, started from his chair, and, coming to her side, laid his hand on her shoulder.

"Dear Verna, pray do not distress yourself! What is it you wish me to do? Have I not already assured you that, if I am unjust, I regret it? The topic of your marriage is one that really cannot be discussed by you and me."

"But you will not let me tell you how I held out against the wishes of my friends, and positively refused to accept Mr. Merstham, till they told me that I should ruin you—that, with my expensive habits and tastes, it would never do for me to marry a poor man—and that, in a little while, you would detest me as a burden, instead of loving me as a wife."

"Did my mother say these things to you?"

"No; but I am sure that they were in her mind. Oh, Frank! can't you see now why I resolutely put away from me all those dreams of happiness, which, for your sake, I dared not attempt to realize, and let them do as they pleased with me?"

"I came to the conclusion some time since that your decision was for the best," he replied.

But this sounded too equivocal, too cold, to satisfy her, although she heard it with one of her brightest smiles.

"I am so glad! Then you have done me justice at last! Do you know that you sent me home the other day with an aching heart—for I am too fastidious—to make many friends—and when you, one of the truest, the oldest, I have, scarcely spoke to me, I was miserable indeed."

"The rencontre was such an unexpected one," he reminded her.

"Ah! I understand. It revived feelings not easily controlled. I, too, was vexed that our first meeting, after so long an interval, had to take place before strangers."

She paused to give him an opportunity to say something more kind, more affectionate, than his former speeches had been; but he only turned away to pour the wine for which she had asked.

"Do you like Aldenby?" she inquired, as she slipped it.

He seemed relieved at this change in the conversation, and answered: "Do I like Aldenby? Not much. Like most garrison towns it is dull and dirty, and an English winter contrasts unfavorably with the climate we have just left. These raw mists chill and depress men who have been accustomed to the clear skies and bracing atmosphere of Canada."

"Perhaps you have other causes for the depression at which you hint," Mrs. Merstham observed, her eyes furtively watching his countenance while she spoke. "Perhaps, during your long sojourn in Canada you found new ties—attachments—"

She could not proceed, for her lips were dry, her voice husky; but he responded promptly, and without embarrassment.

"No; none that cost me more regret than we ordinarily feel in saying goodbye to a circle of hospitable, sociable people. I missed the Strebys very much when they left the regiment, and am pleased to find that papa Streby's predilection for his old profession had induced him to settle so near us. But here he comes; shall we meet him?"

"One minute," said Verna. "Promise that you will no longer avoid me; that you will come and see me soon—tomorrow; shall it be tomorrow?"

The young man hesitated, then told her the honest truth.

"I cannot reconcile myself to the idea of entering the house of Mr. Merstham."

"But it is my house, Frank," she cried, eagerly. "He never lived there, and not a trace of his presence shall offend your eye. He bought Earlsway for me. It is furnished according to my own taste, and I have forgiven him for the unhappiness he made me suffer, because he has left me richly dowered and free."

Mr. Streby entered the hut before she could ascertain what effect her words had on her bearer, but ere she quitted the hut she boldly asked: "When shall we see you at Eastham, cousin Frank? How much longer will the bugbear, duty, chain you here, day after day?"

"Don't blame the boy for proving himself a good soldier, my dear young lady," interposed Mr. Streby. "Let him take his turn without flinching, whenever his turn comes; only you must not fail to get leave for our bazaar. Lyssenden will be glad to be very much disappointed if all their old friends don't rally round them."

"Then they may depend on me," cried Frank, speaking heartily and cheerfully for the first time. "I would not miss the bazaar on any account."

"No, don't," said Mr. Streby, "for I went all the way to—yesterday, to secure a barrel of beef for my table—no, stall, don't they call it?—that it will do you all good to look at. By George! I shall feel like the 'fine old English gentleman, one of the olden time,' when I put the knife into it. Venetia talked of popping me into doublet and hose, velvet coat and ruffles, to make the affair more imposing; but I'm too old for that sort of thing. I shall be content to pin my Victoria Cross on my coat and look what I am—an old soldier."

"We shall have you back in the regiment before long," laughed Frank, as he shook hands with him, and arranged the rug over Mrs. Merstham's knees.

"Hush! don't say that at home. When Mrs. Streby was ill and nervous, I promised to retire, and I kept my word as soon as I could; but it has cost me a struggle, and if I was sure it wouldn't upset her, I'd—yes, I'd fetch out the old regimentals again tomorrow."

"It is very odd," said Mrs. Merstham, with a shiver; and thus reminded of her presence, the two officers—the veteran and the young man—parted. Frank returning to the door of his hut, where he stood watching the receding carriage.

"Was ever temptation set before a man in a fairer shape?" he mentally exclaimed. "Oh! Verna, Verna! the old witchery lurks in your smiles, but take care that it does not lead you to take care that it does not lead you to inspire a softer feeling. Is she maneuvering only to make me her slave, this adorer of higher rank presents himself; or is she in earnest? If so, no one could blame me for marrying the beautiful young widow of a millionaire. Wealthy and free, did she say? Bah! I'll turn my back on the promptings of the evil one for tonight, at all events."

Weak Spots

It is a first principle of natural philosophy that nothing is stronger than its weakest part, and in disease the weakest part of the system is first attacked. Consumption is not solely a disease of the lungs and bronchial tubes. It often attacks the stomach and other vital organs. Especially is this the case in children.

Consumption is a germ disease, and can be cured by killing the germs and stopping their reproduction by the use of Shiloh's Consumption Cure. O. H. KEITH, of Wyoming, N. Y., writing to the S. C. Wells Company, commends Shiloh's Cure as follows: "To anyone having trouble with their lungs, I would recommend Shiloh, as I believe it cured my wife of what would soon have terminated in consumption. Shiloh's Consumption Cure is sold by all druggists on a positive guarantee that the purchase money will be refunded in case of failure to cure. 25c., 50c. and \$1 a bottle throughout the United States and Canada. In England, 1s. 2d., 2s. 3d. and 4s. 6d."

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[To be Continued.]

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They Enrich the Blood, Strengthen the Heart, Tone Up the Nerves and Build Up the Health.

The young girls we see on the street every day—how many of them have pale, pinched, care-worn faces, dark circles under the eyes, how many complain of headaches, backaches, side-aches and weak, tired-out feelings?

There is not one of these but with ordinary care and the use of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills could soon be free from every pain, have cheeks like roses, eyes bright, step elastic and life joyous. These pills supply the very elements needed to build up and strengthen the nerves, enrich the blood and invigorate the heart. Every mother who has a daughter weak and nervous should read the following statement made by Mrs. A. M. Strongman, 564 Colborne street, London:

"On account of close application to study my daughter Annie became much run down in health and strength. I got a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills for her, and the results have been remarkable. Strength has been imparted to her physical and nervous system by their use, and I am highly pleased to recommend them."

"From the great benefit derived by my daughter from Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, I cannot do less than highly recommend them to those suffering from similar complaints."

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ANDREWS' PLUGS all decayed teeth. You have a bite to take now and then, so keep your teeth sound.

THE BIG LINER LABRADOR LOST

At Kerrymore Rock, Off Tobermory, Scotland.

The Passengers and Crew Safe—The Steamer Sailed From Halifax Feb. 21—Many of Her Passengers Were Ontario People.

Halifax, N. S., March 2.—The steamship Labrador, which sailed from Halifax on the 21st ult. for Liverpool, via Moville, is reported here to have been lost. Later the report was confirmed by cable from Liverpool. No further particulars are given, except that all on board were saved.

Great excitement prevailed in Halifax when the report gained circulation that the big passenger steamer Labrador, of the Dominion Line, which sailed from this port early on Tuesday morning of last week, bound to Liverpool, via Moville, had been wrecked on the Irish coast. She had 56 passengers on board, was commanded by Capt. Erskine, and carried a crew of about 100 officers and men. At a late hour the news of the disaster was confirmed by the receipt of a cablegram from Liverpool by A. G. Jones & Co., Halifax, agents of the Dominion Line. The cable message read: "Labrador total loss. All hands saved."

THE PASSENGERS. The lost steamer's passengers included 29 in the saloon, 16 in the second cabin and 20 in the steerage. One of the saloon passengers was Agoncillo, a member of Aguinaldo's rebel Filipino commission, whose unexpected sailing from Halifax for England last week attracted wide attention. The other saloon passengers were W. R. Cuthbertson, Nathan Mercier, G. D. Bowles, Chas. Brien, W. W. Stanley, W. A. Heustis, Chas. Leigh, John, S. A. McLeod, L. E. Prowse, H. Tetley, J. W. McLaren, M. P. Chisholm, E. F. Wilkinson, J. J. Gorrie, Lieut. Hardman, A. E. Holm, Gilbert Wintle and Mrs. J. Greenhields. Most of those named came from Upper Canada to board the Labrador here.

SCENE OF THE DISASTER. The telegram, as given out by the Halifax agents, did not state where the steamer was lost, but Messrs. Jones say it was on the Irish coast. The Labrador was due at Moville yesterday. The cargo taken from Halifax consisted of 1,200 barrels of apples and 254 tons of general cargo, including 41 packages of cordage and 2,553 bales of wool pulp. The Labrador was a steel steamer, 2,998 tons net, 4,737 tons gross, and was built by Harland & Wolfe at Belfast in 1891. Her dimensions were: Length, 401 feet; breadth, 47 feet; depth 23 feet; engines, 650 horse power.

CONFIRMATION OF THE NEWS. A dispatch from St. John, N. B., says: The Cable Company reports that the Labrador is ashore on Sherryville Rock, twelve miles southwest of Treb Island. The cargo taken from St. John by the wrecked Labrador included flour, oil cake, meat, glucose, cotton oil, all American goods, valued at \$35,000; also 43,987 bushels of wheat, 530 sacks of flour and miscellaneous goods, all Canadian goods, valued at \$80,500.

A London dispatch says: It is believed that all the passengers are safe. She was wrecked at Skerryvore Rock, off Tobermory, a town of Scotland, county of Argyll, on the northwest of the Island of Mull.

WESTERN ONTARIO

Robert McGinty, Ingersoll's Old-est Resident, Dead, Aged 101 Years.

Brantford Man Takes Carbolic Acid in Mistake for Medicine—Scandal in Woodstock Municipal Finances—Three Robberies in Brantford.

Three robberies occurred in Brantford on Tuesday night. No clue to the thieves.

The school at Harrow has been ordered closed on account of the prevalence of scarlet fever. Over 50 cases have been reported.

The Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway Company has purchased fifteen new coaches for excursion business on their lines next summer. The company is also rebuilding three engines.

Sarnia Observer: George Loughhead, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Loughhead, of this town, arrived here this morning from Sydney, New South Wales, Australia, after an absence of ten years in that country.

Woodstock Times: There is a scandal in municipal finances. It was found by the fire and light committee this morning that \$9 and \$10 a ton has been charged for hay used by the fire horses. Hay on the market is \$6 a ton.

Another of Orford's oldest settlers passed away on Sunday, in the person of the fire and light committee this morning that \$9 and \$10 a ton has been charged for hay used by the fire horses. Hay on the market is \$6 a ton.

John Duggan, 71 years old, has lived in Sandwich West nearly all his life. There is no poorhouse, and at his request the magistrate agreed to send him to jail for 30 days. There he will probably remain for the rest of his life, although he has always been an industrious and honest man.

Mr. Gilbert McKay, formerly of Toronto, died in Blenheim at the age of 72 years. Deceased had no relatives thereabouts. His children, all grown up, are living in Toronto. The Masonic fraternity looked after the funeral arrangements. The remains were taken to Toronto for interment.

Mrs. William Hawley, of Mull, Harwich township, is dead, at the age of 63 years. She leaves a husband, two children, and one daughter. Deceased was probably the best known lady in the vicinity of Mull, and was noted for her charitable acts and the great interest she took in the welfare of the Presbyterian Church.

At the court house at Chatham on Monday afternoon, Judge Bell sentenced Warner Brown, who was found guilty last Friday of stealing clover seed from S. Glenn & Son, to seven

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For headache (whether sick or nervous), toothache, neuralgia, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and weakness in the back, spine or kidneys, pains around the liver, pleurisy, swelling of the joints, and pains of all kinds, the application of Radway's Ready Relief will afford immediate relief, and its continued use for a few days effects a permanent cure. Instantly stops the most excruciating pains, allays inflammation and cures congestion of the Lungs, Stomach, Bowels or other glands or mucous membranes.

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INTERNAL USE.—A half to a teaspoonful in half a tumbler of water will in a few minutes cure Cramps, Spasms, Sore Stomach, Nausea, Vomiting, Heartburn, Sick Headache, Diarrhea, Colic, Flatulency and all internal pains.

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PERFECT DIGESTION will be accomplished by taking Radway's Pills. By their ANTI-BILIOUS properties they stimulate the liver in the secretion of the bile and its discharge through the ducts. These Pills in doses of from two to four will quickly regulate the action of the liver and free the patient from these disorders. One or two of Radway's Pills taken daily by those subject to bilious pains and torpidity of the liver will keep the system regular and secure healthy digestion.

Full printed directions in each box. 25c a box. Sold by all druggists.

RADWAY & CO., Montreal.

years in Kingston penitentiary. P. M. Houston sentenced Anthony for two years and a half, and James Brown to one year and a half.

Judge Finkle, of Woodstock, is suing R. S. Schell over partnership dealings. The parties owned the Brantford gas works, and Schell is alleged to have drawn \$1,200 salary per year besides his partnership profits out of the funds. The judge is suing Schell for the recovery of this amount.

A movement is on foot amongst the business men of Woodstock to petition the town council to constitute a board of police commissioners under the provisions of section 481 of the Municipal Act, which provides that such a board shall consist of the mayor of the town, the judge of the county and the police magistrate of the town. It is probable that this move will meet with no opposition on the part of the council.

Robert McGinty, undoubtedly Ingersoll's oldest resident, died at his home, King Charles street, on Wednesday morning, aged 101 years. He had been a resident of the town for a number of years and had seen it as a wilderness, village and a thriving town. He always enjoyed very good health, and was seen on the streets several times last summer. The severe weather this winter was very hard on him, and about three weeks ago he contracted la grippe, and was unable to grapple with the disease.

Mr. Elvidge, of Brantford, swallowed a quantity of carbolic acid in mistake for the contents of a bottle of medicine he is taking, and which was kept in the corner of a cupboard in the house. As soon as he swallowed the poison the man knew his mistake, and Dr. Phillips, of Colborne street, was hastily summoned. The medical man found Elvidge in bad shape, but on prompt application of the stomach pump and other remedies, the desired result was produced, and today he is doing nicely. As it was, Elvidge had a close call.

The simplest public railroad now operated is thought to be one between Atami and Ogawara, in Japan. It is a narrow-gauge road, and is run by man. The cars have seats for four passengers each, who sit back to back.

"Are tight doomed?" asked a theatrical journal. Sometimes they are; it depends on the humor of the judge the next morning.

Full Manly Vigor

is a priceless boon to all who possess it. Time was when unhappy men were willing to exchange the possessions of a king for the principal elements of a perfect man. The same conditions might exist today were it not so generally known that a quick, positive and permanent cure has been found for the very worst bodily affliction that can befall any man. The

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Proves a Close Parallel With the Famous Luetgert Case.

Chicago, March 2.—The alleged murder of Mrs. Becker, became today a much closer parallel with the famous Luetgert wife murder case. Evidence has been discovered which leads to the belief that Mrs. Becker was dissected and burned piecemeal. Charred teeth and what is said to be human bones, blackened and almost disintegrated by heat, were found in the ashes of the kitchen stove in the Becker cottage. A perfect segment of a kneecap is also claimed to have been found. The fatty substance has been burned away and a porous white shape left.

Dentists have declared the teeth genuine and probably from a human being. This new evidence against Sausage Maker Albert A. Becker has been submitted to Dr. Geo. A. Dorsey, expert osteologist, who won prominence in the Luetgert case. The authorities are awaiting the expert's opinion, with the hope that science will come to their aid in this case, as it did in the legal battle against the wealthy manufacturer, Adolph Luetgert, the wife murderer, now serving a life sentence in Joliet penitentiary.

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DR. MUNHALL ON THE JUDGMENT
Services at the Dundas Center Church Being Largely Attended.

The Dundas Center Church was crowded last night to hear Dr. Munhall. The evangelist preached from the words: "We must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ." He unfolded the text in the most startling and captivating manner, showing that the final judgment is for all, and there can be no escape from it. Christ himself will be the judge; all shall receive their true and just deserts. But the Judge has died that he may be able to pardon and justify those who repent and believe on him. He closed with a fervent appeal to all to become reconciled to God. Dr. Munhall's addresses are ever deepening and strengthening. He is a man of great mentality and fervency of soul, who speaks out the truth as he sees it with great courage and tenderness.

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Of the people are afflicted with some form of humor, and this causes a variety of diseases. The reason why Hood's Sarsaparilla cures when all other fail is found in the fact that it effectually expels the humor. Scrofula, salt rheum, boils and all eruptions are permanently cured by this great medicine.

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The sultan, in fear for his personal safety, has taken to target practice. He shoots at a target daily.

When it is necessary for ships to navigate the Chicago River then comes the tug.

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Feather and Down Cushions, 50 cents each—the best value in London. Goose feather pillows a specialty. Bedroom Suits, Fancy Rokers, Tables, Spring Beds, Stoves of every kind, at the Bed and Mattress Factory, 593 Richmond street north. JAMES F. HUNT & SONS, Telephone 997.

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METEOROLOGICAL.
Toronto, Ont., March 1—8 p.m.—A general decrease in pressure is taking place over the west Southwest States, and also over Manitoba and Assiniboia, whilst the pressure is increasing over the lake and eastern districts. Minimum and maximum temperatures—Victoria, 34-40; Calgary, 16 below-zero; Battleford, 14 below-zero; Qu'Appelle, 14 below-zero; Winnipeg, 22 below-zero; Prince Albert, 10 below-zero; Parry Sound, 4 below-zero; Toronto, 16-22; Ottawa, 14-26; Montreal, 20-26; Quebec, 26-30; Halifax, 28-40.
Local temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Wednesday, March 1, were: Highest, 31 above; lowest, 14.5 above.
Sun rises today at 6:52 a.m.; sets 6:08 p.m. Moon rises at 11:53 p.m.; sets at 8:46 p.m.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

—Capt. G. P. Ziegler, of Berlin, arrived here yesterday, to take an advanced course in the Military School.

—Mrs. W. Stein, of John street, who has been at her mother's home in Berlin since Christmas and very ill, is recovering slowly.

—Captain Arthur Coyne, of the Hawaiian Guards, Honolulu, S. I., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. H. Ryan, 313 King street.

The big ferry Shenango arrived at Port Stanley yesterday, after being locked in the ice off Port Burwell for the past five weeks. No damage was done.

—The Orient Club entertained the East London Whist Club at drive whist last evening, and a very pleasant time was spent. The Orient won by 36 points.

—A branch of the Merchants' Bank has been established at No. 28 Obrapia street, Havana, under the charge of W. F. Brock and J. A. Springer, as joint agents.

—At a meeting of the Cold Storage Company, held yesterday, the awarding of contracts for expensive machinery required for the new plant was to have been completed, but owing to the number of questions to be considered, it was found necessary to delay matters.

Union-Made HATS
We have Union-Made Hats from the best makers in America. The quality and finish is the best, the styles and colors are new—the newest out.
BOUGHNER.

—At the recent quarterly meeting of the Imperial Club, the following officers were installed for the ensuing three months: President, J. McGuire; vice-president, F. Lamb; secretary-treasurer, O. Costello; executive committee, W. Keough, D. McKenna, N. Graham, T. Kennedy and W. Miller. The club is at present in a very good financial position. The club's present intention is to organize a baseball and bicycle club, which will be open for challenges from other clubs in the city.

—The death of Sarah E. Babcock took place at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Rich, 95 Blue Island avenue, on Monday, Feb. 20, and Canadian papers are expected to make the announcement, not knowing, it is presumed, that deceased was a relative of old Hank Babcock, who was the best known man in Western Ontario in his lifetime, having conducted a stage route between Hamilton, Brantford and London before railway transportation was obtainable.—Chicago Canadian-American.

—At Osgoode Hall, Mr. McMaster moved for a change of venue from Guelph to Brantford in the suit brought by Geo. Chapman, of Guelph, against the City of Brantford, for \$5,000 for libel. The plaintiff alleges that Harris, who was a rival of Chapman's for the affections of a young lady, wrote libelous letters to the young lady, and to the Ontario Mutual Insurance Company, by whom Chapman was employed. Mr. John McGoffrey opposed the motion, which was enlarged till Thursday.

—Detroit Journal: Maggie Ross, the pretty 20-year-old girl from London, Ont., was sentenced to three years in the House of Correction for stealing from a house in which she had been employed. Maggie looked very sweet in a plaid silk waist, with black skirt when she stood up for sentence. She took the sentence without a word, but said afterwards that she could "see her finish," as she would not come out of the prison until it was a year later. "I'll go up there in a carriage," she said, "and in a carriage I'll come away."

—The marriage of Mr. Perry J. David, the well-known locksmith of this city, to Miss Annie Cummo, daughter of Mr. John Cummo, 617 Layard street, was celebrated by the Rev. J. W. Pedley on Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. The bride's parents, in the presence of a large party of invited guests and relatives. The bride looked charming, attired in a costume of white silk, and carrying a bouquet of white roses. She was assisted by her sister, Miss Ada Cummo, while Mr. Thomas Cummo assisted the groom. After the ceremony a social evening was spent by all present. The happy couple will reside at 261 Dundas street.

TALKS TO YOUNG WOMEN.
Miss Winnifred Macdonald, of Toronto, vice-president of the Dominion Young Women's Christian Association, will continue her talks to young women in the Young Women's Christian Association rooms this (Thursday), Friday and Saturday evenings. Miss Macdonald is an earnest and impressive speaker, and her talks on Bible topics are always helpful.

METAMORPHOSIS OF THE FLORA.
The L. E. and D. R. R. are virtually rebuilding the steamer Flora, and she will no longer be known by that name. She will be fitted with the machinery of the United States revenue cutter Andrew Johnson, which the company recently purchased. The size of the Flora will be increased slightly. She will be a leafy forest with a forest of passenger boats on the lake. The amount to be expended on the work is roughly estimated at \$30,000.

WILL NOT AMALGAMATE.
The question of the proposed amalgamation of Dominion, Eureka and Forest City Lodges of the Independent Oddfellows was laid over indefinitely at the regular meeting of Dominion Lodge last night. The members of the joint committee from the three lodges which had considered the matter presented a report, recommending amalgamation, believing that a union of the forces which meet in the center of the city would be a means of strengthening the order. The proposal had its warm supporters, but they were in the minority, as was seen when the motion to amalgamate was taken. Eureka and Forest City Lodges had already taken favorable action on the proposition.

COURT BRIGHTON "AT HOME."
Court Brighton, No. 6,507, A. O. F., gave an "At Home" in its hall in South London, which was attended by a large number of the members and their friends. Bro. U. A. Buchner occupied the chair, and he was assisted by the chief ranger of the court, Bro. W. J. Brazier. The following programme was given: Recitation, Miss E. Row; instrumental, Fisher brothers and Barlow Mills; solo, Bro. Stickles; recitation, Miss Row; musical selection, Wellman brothers; recitation, Miss Daisy Lewis; piano selection, Wilnot Clark; vocal duet, Misses E. and F. Row; recitation, Miss Verna Lewis; song, Miss Ray; stick exhibition, W. Dean. At the conclusion of the programme refreshments were

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served, and the young people indulged in a dance.
KENSINGTON METHODIST SABBATH SCHOOL.
The annual meeting of the officers and teachers of the Kensington Sunday school was held on Tuesday evening, with the pastor, Rev. John Morrison, in the chair. The following annual report was presented, showing a prosperous year for the school: Average attendance of teachers and officers, 13; average attendance of scholars, 63; total attendance, 82. Average number of verses per Sunday, 33; average collection per Sunday, \$1.84; No. 1 class of boys gave the largest collection for the year, namely, \$26.40; average, 50 cents. The following officers were elected: Superintendent, W. T. Hamilton; assistant superintendent, James Wilkins; secretary, H. Wade; treasurer, W. J. Robinson; librarian, Oscar Wootton; organist, Miss F. Geiger; teachers, W. J. Saunby, W. T. Hamilton, Miss Geiger, Wad, Robinson, F. Nixon, C. Nixon and Mrs. Wade.

A VERY FICKLE COMMITTEE
No. 3 Great on Extension of Time for Tenders.
A Number On the Table but No Contracts Let.

Street Watering by Day Work—A Peculiar Account—John Murphy, Aid Carrothers Private Constable, Wants the City to Pay Him \$1.25 a Day.

A regular meeting of No. 3 committee was held last night, at which several matters received cursory attention. Aid. Dreaney was in the chair (no one in particular presided), and the other members present were Aid. McCallum, Jolly, Pritchard and Malloch, Assistant Engineer Ironside, and Secretary Bell.

Owing to the illness of the city engineer, the question of market improvement was laid over.

An application from John Murphy, for the position of assistant to Market Clerk Wilson, was filed, as the committee considered that an assistant was unnecessary.

The appointment of an additional fireman at No. 3 station, as recommended by Chief Roe, was discussed.

Ald. McCallum advised delay, until the estimates come in. "Considerable pruning will have to be done then," he said. He moved to lay the matter over.

Loet. Pritchard moved to again recommend the council to make the appointment. Carried.

Four applications for the prospective position as extra fireman were referred to the council.

Ald. Jolly moved that the purchase of a horse for the fire department be left with the chairman and the chief. Ald. McCallum objected. "Better have some outsider, who is a good judge of horseflesh, make the purchase. Then there will be no log-rolling or wire-pulling," he said, and named Mr. T. D. Hodgson to be the committee's agent.

Ald. Jolly's motion was adopted on the chairman's vote. Ald. McCallum was surprised that the chairman should vote himself on the committee.

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PRAY FOR THE CITY COUNCIL
Rev. Robert Johnson Thinks Some of the Members Need It.

Their Actions on Monday Night Characterized as Disgraceful—Christian Intercession Asked.

There was a large gathering at the weekly prayer meeting at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church last evening. The theme from which Rev. Robert Johnson spoke was the intercession of Moses for the children of Israel. Prayers for the most part, the speaker thought, were rather selfish, and he referred to the absence in prayers and petitions to God of any mention of civic institutions or the country at large. In speaking of civic institutions Mr. Johnson urged the necessity on the part of all Christians to pray for them, and for some of those who controlled them. He referred in vigorous terms to some of the members of city council, on the occasion of his visit to that body on Monday evening last. The condition of some of the members he characterized as disgraceful. There were, he said, members of the council present who seemed so incapacitated and under the influence of liquor to such an extent that they did not know their right hand from their left. It seemed to him that men who incapacitated themselves by drink were unable to perform the business of the city properly, and should not be allowed to engage in the determining of important matters. He urged upon his hearers the necessity of praying for every civic institution, more especially for the city council.

Three tenders for uniforms for the firemen were on the table. The chairman, Ald. Malloch thought the work ought not to be done by a lot of small boys. Engineer Ironside thought day-work would be satisfactory if the city owned its horses. If hired, the teamsters would not hustle their teams. Three tenders—two local and one from South Bend—for steel and wood tank watering carts were opened. The durability of the steel tanks was questioned, and the matter was laid over to secure further information.

Tenders for street watering will be called.

John Murphy presented an account for \$6.25 for services rendered the city in the position of special constable on the market.

Market Clerk Wilson said Murphy had "turned up" at the market just before the election in the third ward. He claimed to have been appointed by Ald. Carrothers to act as a special constable, and had given "day duty" three days a week since, but he was "neither useful nor ornamental." The account was filed. Ald. Pritchard was surprised that "such rot" should come before the committee.

The Canada Life Policyholders
A meeting of a number of policyholders in the Canada Life Assurance Company was held last night in the offices of Fraser & Fraser, London. The attendance was not large, and only policyholders over \$10,000 were present. Many London policyholders will have had first in these columns of any meeting being held. Mr. Samuel Barker and two other speakers were present from Hamilton. Stress was laid on the importance of having the policyholders represented on the board, and to the end that they should be allowed to vote by proxy, and not obliged to put in an appearance in person. It was also urged as desirable that the clause should be restored which prohibited any one person controlling the stock of this or any life insurance company. It was decided to form a branch policyholders' association in London, along the lines of the one formed in Hamilton, to watch events in the interests of policyholders.

IS THE KIRK SOLD?
A Hitch Said to Exist Regarding the Sale of St. James' Church Property.

The site upon which the St. James' Presbyterian Church stands was put up at auction yesterday afternoon, and the land disposed of for \$3,100 to Mr. C. H. Armitage. This price did not include the building, which was held at a reserve bid of \$1,500 and the highest bid obtained was \$600. The building was withdrawn. A statement has been made that Mr. Armitage acted on the part of the Christian Scientists. Mr. A. A. Campbell, when seen this morning said that Mr. Armitage had gone to the sale with instructions to buy the property for him (Mr. Campbell), but the instructions were not carried out by Mr. Armitage. Mr. Campbell says, acted on his own responsibility when the property was knocked down to him. A private offer has been submitted by Mr. Campbell for the property.

It is understood that the purchaser of the property was under the impression that the building was to be included, but Mr. Jones, the auctioneer, fails to see how a mistake of this kind could have been made.

BUFFALO SMILES.
Albany, March 2.—A bill appropriating \$200,000 for a New York State building and exhibit at the pan-American Exposition to be held in Buffalo, N. Y., in 1901, passed the New York Senate yesterday. An amendment, offered by Senator Ralnes, that the gates of the exposition grounds be closed on Sunday was defeated by 30 to 14.

Two of Mr. Rudyard Kipling's children are ill with pneumonia.

WAGES RAISED
Pittsburg Ironworkers, Birmingham Miners are Gainers.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 2.—An advance of 50 cents a ton was made yesterday in steel billets and Bessemer pig iron. Billets are quoted at \$23 per ton, and Bessemer pig at \$13.50. The advance will be followed by an increase of 3 per cent in the wages of skilled workmen, which will affect about 15,000 men.

Notices have been posted at all blast furnaces at Sharon and Sharpsville increasing the wages of the 1,500 employees from 10 to 15 cents per day of Birmingham, Ala., March 2.—The wages of the coal miners of the Birmingham district have been advanced 2½ cents for every ton of coal mined.

Brantford, March 2.—The local branch of the Massey-Harris Company here, employing about 700 hands, have posted notices that the employees will receive a 10 per cent increase of wages, dating from today (Thursday), March 2.

MR. FRANK DODGE.
Says His Life Was Saved by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Toronto, Feb. 27.—Mr. Frank Dodge, of North Maupersburg, Ont., has been visiting here recently. He is a splendid specimen of Canadian manhood, standing more than six feet high "in his stockings," erect and muscular. "I was a different man two years ago," said he to a friend today. The truth is, I would have died of Kidney Complaint, if it hadn't been for Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I had been treated by physicians, and had taken various remedies without getting any better. I read of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and decided to try them. I did so, and was thoroughly cured in a couple of weeks."

GOT A BULLET IN HIS LEG.
Aymer, March 2.—Mr. Roy Chute, of Lakeview, accidentally shot himself with a revolver in the left foot on Friday. Dr. Kingston was successful in removing the bullet.

If you have had the grip take Hood's Sarsaparilla. It will brace you up, purify your blood, and overcome all bad effects of the disease.

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