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Panic in Notre Dame.

A Crazy Parisian Fires Four Shots in Church.

Provisions of the British Budget Discussed and Approved.

The Latest London Police Sensation—Two Anarchists in Court—Extra Precautions to Prevent Assassination of a Prisoner.

The Queen Was Pleased.

LONDON, April 24.—The Queen was very much pleased with her stay in Florence, and her health and spirits have both been much benefited.

British Parliament.

LONDON, April 24.—The House of Commons resumed consideration of the budget this evening, and approved the Government's proposition to reorganize the death duties by consolidating the probate account, estate, legacy and succession duties into one class, to be called the estate duty.

Panic in a Parisian Church.

PARIS, April 24.—The congregation of the Church of Notre Dame were panic-stricken last night by the firing of four shots from a revolver during the services. The man who did the shooting arose from his seat and began firing without a word of warning, and men, women and children ran shrieking to the doors. Nobody was wounded by bullets, but several children were hurt by being trampled upon. The man was arrested.

Army Inefficiency.

LONDON, April 24.—Capt. Norton has done well to call the attention of Parliament to maladministration in the army service, and something will have to be done to amend the present system, which is undermining efficiency and proving most injurious to the service in every way. It has long been a source of complaint among army doctors that the director-general was more or less a figurehead, and that all matters relating to their personal comfort and the distribution stations were left in the hands of civilian officials. The evil has been intensified under the regime of the present director-general.

Marine Disasters.

QUEENSTOWN, April 24.—The Norwegian bark Saga, Capt. Rasmussin, has drifted ashore at Castle Townsend. She will probably be a total wreck. Her crew have landed.

LONDON, April 24.—The British steamer King Alfred, from Ferdinandina, before reported ashore at Uist, has gone further on the rocks. Her bottom is crushed to within a yard of her "tweendeck."

A large vessel, bottom up, is reported as being sighted April 19.

London's Latest Police Sensation.

LONDON, April 23.—The arraignment of the Anarchists Francis Polti and Emile Carnot (otherwise Guiseppe Ferrari) in the Bow street police court to-day was attended with a great deal of excitement. The police had been informed that an attempt would be made to kill Poli while he was en route to court, and unusual precautions were taken. The proceedings in court included the readings of letters and documents in Polti's handwriting, disclosing his intention to cause a dynamite explosion on May 16. These documents showed that Polti had expected to meet his death on that occasion, and letters of farewell, which he had addressed to his parents and others, bore the date of May 16. Both prisoners were remanded.

Whacking at the Lords.

LONDON, April 25.—Henry Labouchere yesterday introduced in the House of Commons a bill providing that if a measure is passed by the House of Commons and sent to the House of Lords and is not returned to the former body within two months from the time it was passed by the House of Commons, then it shall become a law, the same as though the House of Lords had acted upon it. The bill also provides that the House of Commons shall have it in its power to finally decree whether amendments made to bills by the House of Lords shall be accepted.

Rosebery and Matrimony.

LONDON, April 25.—To speculations about Rosebery's Ladas winning the Derby is now being added a great deal of gossip about the Premier's marriage intentions. I reported at the time of his accession a statement made by a gentleman living near Claremont, the residence of the Duchess of Albany, that it is a matter of notoriety in that household and neighborhood that the courtship between the two has been in progress for a long time. Others who are in a position to know something of what goes on say that the Queen refused her consent to this marriage [illegible]

which had a copyright on the name of Liberals, and which, so far as the Government is concerned, could guarantee the upholding of the British flag abroad and the maintenance of the unity of the three kingdoms.

"PROTECTION" AGAINST CANADIANS.

De Barry, of Buffalo, Invested With Still Further Powers.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 24.—Inspector of Immigration De Barry received from the department this morning a circular addressed to the immigration officers along the frontier of Mexico, the Dominion of Canada and Newfoundland, directing that in future all immigrants from those countries are to be treated the same as immigrants from Europe, and subjected to the same rigid examination.

Under this ruling every Canadian who comes into the United States to work in future will be detained for examination every time he attempts to enter the country. Conductors of trains and captains of vessels will have to furnish the same manifests of passengers as are now furnished by the ocean liners, and these manifests must be sworn to before a United States customs officer or an inspector of immigration.

Inspector of Immigration De Barry today notified the captains of boats plying between here and Canada of the requirements of the department, and also served notices on the railroad companies.

Mr. De Barry said that the new regulations would put a stop to Canadians slipping in without the knowledge of the immigration officers, and would have a good effect of putting all immigrants under oath as to their being qualified to enter the United States before permitting them to land. It would prevent people living in Canada from working in the United States, as every time they entered the country they could be detained for examination.

CONCISE CULLINGS.

Frances E. Willard expects to return to this country in May or June. Her health is much improved.

Michael Boland, one of the celebrated triangle of the Clan-na-Gael, has died at his home in Kansas City.

The report that a French syndicate will build the Panama Canal is denied; all faith in the work seems to be lost.

A statue of Shakespeare, erected in accordance with the will of the late Samuel Johnston, was unveiled in Lincoln Park, Chicago, on Monday.

The Pennsylvania railway station at Watts Station, Pa., was wrecked on Monday night by a dynamite bomb placed on a window-sill. The building was a one-story brick. Object unknown.

The Wellman Polar expedition sailed Tuesday afternoon aboard the Ragnavald Jarl, from Bergen, Norway.

The inventory of Edwin Booth's estate, filed Tuesday, showed that his personal property amounted to $602,675.

Emperor William has decreed that army officers shall ride only in uniform, and shall not mount race horses except by permission of the regimental commanders.

The boiler at the tile mill of Houser & Foust, about eight miles east of Huntington, Ind., blew up Tuesday morning, killing an employe named Arthur Anson and fatally wounding both proprietors.

An explosion of dynamite occurred at Mount Washington, Pa., Tuesday evening, causing the death of Hugo Ralph, 17 years old; the fatal injury of Andrew McClane and the serious injury of Michael Gallagher.

DIED OF A BROKEN HEART.

A Five-Year-Old Boy's Execessive Grief Over the Death of His Mother.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Mrs. Mary McGinniss, the wife of Policeman Edward McGinniss, of Hoboken, was taken to St. Mary's Hospital two weeks ago for treatment. Her youngest son, Edwin, 5 years old, was devotedly attached to her, and grieved very much over her illness. When she was taken away he moped around the house, crying the greater part of the time, and nothing could comfort him.

Mrs. McGinniss died on Saturday, and her body was taken home. On Sunday morning Edwin got into the room where it lay and caught a glimpse of his mother's white face.

He burst into a paroxysm of tears. In a few minutes he was in violent convulsions. One paroxysm followed another, and he finally fell on the floor completely exhausted. A doctor was summoned, but before his arrival the little fellow was dead. The family and their friends are convinced that he died of a broken heart.

Father Murphy, of gold cure fame, was condemned in Montreal on Tuesday by Judge Champagne to pay a fine of $50 or suffer three months in jail, the action being taken by the College of Physicians and Surgeons, who claim that Father Murphy has been illegally practicing medicine.

Steamship Arrivals.

April 24.	At	From
Sarmatian	Glasgow	Halifax
Veendam	London	New York
Westernland	New York	Antwerp
Parisian	Liverpool	Halifax
April 25	**At**	**From**
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Labor Troubles.

Buffalo Begins to Feel the Force of the Miners' Strike.

Soft Coal Prices Go Up and Lake Traffic May Suffer.

Northern Railway Strikers' Committee Decide Against Arbitration.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 24.—The first result of the great strike among the soft coal miners was felt in Buffalo yesterday, when the price on the dock advanced to $2 75 per ton. It the strike be continued it will completely cripple the lake steamers, as the supply on hand is quite limited. It is calculated that it will be exhausted within two weeks.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 24.—The committee of the Great Northern Railroad strike has decided against arbitration, and has appointed a committee to wait upon President Hill, to lay before him a schedule of wages demanded by the men.

CHICAGO, April 24.—The 4,000 employes of the Pullman Palace Car Company at Pullman will probably strike on May 1. Reduction in wages is assigned.

CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., April 24.—The men at a dozen or more coke plants laid down their tools this morning, causing a complete shut-down, while at two-thirds of the remaining plants part of the men came out, and the remainder will join them in a day or two.

BRAZIL, Ind., April 24.—The refusal of the bituminous coal miners to join the big strike caused a clash to-day between them and the block miners, who have joined the strike. Many were injured.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, April 24.—Secretary P. A. McBride reports the miners of Northern Illinois as firm in favor of the strike. He puts the number of miners out on strike today at 135,000.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., April 24.—The first break in the ranks of the operators came tonight when the Atlas Coke Company signed the scale as demanded by the strikers. One hundred and fifty men will go to work to-morrow morning.

REDUCED TO ASHES.

GEORGEVILLE, Que., April 24.—The business portion of Fitch Bay was destroyed by fire early this morning. It commenced at the rear of E. B. Dolfi's sash and door factory, consuming the entire building and contents. The flames then crossed the street to a row of shops occupied by John Carr, L. H. Rand (undertaker), John Gartyn and Horace Carr, which were all destroyed with their contents. Dolff's loss is about $7,000; Rand's loss, $2,000; other losses not estimated yet.

BRIGHT, Ont., April 24.—Sunday morning one of Wm. Wade's large fruit houses situated near the G. T. R. station was burned. It contained over 100 bales of hops. On the east side the old Occidental Hotel, unoccupied, was burned.

KEENE, Ont., April 24.—J. Humphrie & Son's flour and oatmeal mill, with contents, also their stable and workshop at Lang, were entirely destroyed by fire last night. Loss about $3,000.

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

"A Trip to Chinatown"—"La Grande Duchesse," May 8.

The fame of Hoyt's "A Trip to Chinatown" drew a big audience to the Grand last night. The author calls it a musical trifle. Most people will agree that it is a trifle, though opinions may differ about its musical merit. However, Mr. Hoyt modestly adds that whatever the play may be it is all that is claimed for it. "Trifles," light as air, provided they are breezy enough, seem to be the money-making shows nowadays and "A Trip to Chinatown" is as engaging a "trifle" as has been seen here this season. It has neither rhyme nor reason, but is composed of as much nonsense as can be crowded in three acts. The fun is pretty boisterous but it must be admitted that much of it is funny. A number of catchy songs are introduced, one of among which is the noted "Bowery"—a keynote to the quality of the performance. The company is a competent acting one, though it is not brilliant vocally. Frank Lane, as the hypochondriac, undertook to make people laugh, and he succeeded tolerably well. That is the only purpose of the farce, and it evidently hits the mark. The standard of womanhood set is, to be sure, not an ideal one, and there is one serious sentence in which the author seems to admit it. It is when the gay widow, after a night's carousal, is spurned by a supposed lover and the companion of her lark, and then she soliloquizes: "It is all very nice for the time being, but when they are through with us they throw us away." Lottie Mortimer executed a very clever skirt dance, free from vulgarity or offense. Altogether it was "good for the kind."

"THE GRANDE DUCHESSE."

"La Grande Duchesse" will be presented May 8 by the London Amateur Operatic Association on a scale never attempted by local talent. Offenbach's beautiful opera will be elaborately costumed and the chorus is a superb one. With Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Holman in the leading roles its dramatic success is assured, and with Mrs. George Holman at the piano again it ought to be a triumphant revival. The principals are:

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Gen. Boum (devoted to his plume) ..... Mr. Alf. D. Holman
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Nepomuc (aide-de-camp) ..... Mr. W. H. Irvine
Franco (drummer) ..... Master Arthur Holman
Schwartz (private soldier) ..... Mr. W. Henry Short
Schumacher (private soldier) ..... Mr. William A. Martin
Wanda (in love with Fritz) ..... Miss Eva Roche
Maids of Honor: Olga, Charlotte, Iza, Amelia ..... Miss Blanche Pigott, Miss Pauline Hennessy, Miss Nellie Deacon, Miss Katie McLaughlin
Vivandieres ..... Miss Nora Pendergast, Miss Eva McCarthy

A Brief Honeymoon.

OTSEGO, Mich., April 24.—Edwin Howarfacker and a Miss Boyer, of this place, were married yesterday. Last night the young lady took strychnine and died this morning.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TRAINING.

The Deanery of Middlesex Sunday School Association in Session.

Papers on the Training of Children in Sunday School, with Practical Illustrations by Teachers—Peter Rijnhart on Missions.

The Sunday School Association of the Deanery of Middlesex held a regular quarterly meeting in St. Matthew's Church, East London, yesterday afternoon and evening. The president, Rev. Canon Smith, occupied the chair, and there were associated with him on the platform Mr. C. H. Armitage, vice-president, and Rev. W. M. Seaborn, rector of the church. Rev. G. B. Sage, clerical secretary, recorded the minutes of the afternoon session, and Mr. J. Nicholson, lay secretary, the evening session. The meeting was opened with singing and prayer by the rector.

After routine business the Rev. A. Corbett, of Thorndale, read an able paper on "The Successful Management of the Sunday School," dealing with the proper division of the school into primary, junior and senior, and the classification of scholars; the best way of opening and closing, and the necessity for promptness and kindness combined with firmness, both in superintendent and teacher. He objected to leaflets as being too fragmentary and too profuse, and because of their tendency to displace the Bible. He urged upon teachers the use of illustrations in teaching and keeping to the old rule—"Question it into them and then question it out of them." He recommended annual examinations for pupils, and that reports of the standing of the school be sent to parents and also to other schools in the deanery. The paper closed with an exhortation to teachers not to be weary in well doing. Discussion followed on the several points, in which a large number took part, including Rev. A. G. Smith, of Muncey; Rev. T. H. Brown, of Delaware; Rev. Mr. Sage, Miss Gower, Messrs. Harrison, Hannah and Armitage.

After singing a hymn Mr. Alfred S. Hannah, of the Memorial Church, gave a model lesson to a class of juniors. Nearly 30 bright little fellows, being about half of his class, were arranged before him, and answered promptly his many questions on the lesson. It was evident that Mr. Hannah has the hearty good-will of his class, and his method of teaching was highly commended, and furnished many useful hints to his fellow-teachers. After friendly discussion a hymn was sung, during which the little ones retired.

Mr. Peter Rijnhart then gave a pointed address on missionary work in Tibet, and with characteristic earnestness urged the duty of carrying the Gospel to them, illustrating his subject with pictures of worshipers of Buddha.

Recess then took place from 6 to 7:30 o'clock, during which an excellent tea was partaken of by those remaining to the evening session. A large number availed themselves of the kind provision made for their refreshment by the ladies of St. Matthew's

THE EVENING SESSION.

The evening session was opened with devotional exercises, led by Rev. A. G. Smith, after which Mr. Walter Crawford, of St. Paul's Church, read an excellent paper on "The Relation of the Sunday School Teacher to Foreign Missions." The paper dwelt upon the proper qualification of the teacher and showed the duty of such to urge the importance of missionary work upon their scholars, giving many references to Scripture and the prayer book in support of his arguments, and also urging its importance on the ground of its hastening the second coming of Christ. An animated discussion followed on the best means of accomplishing so desirable an end.

Mr. Cyril Anderson, of Christ Church, then gave a model lesson to a class selected from the audience, in which he showed his method of imparting instruction to a class. The ready replies showed the interest excited in the minds of the class, and also their clear grasp of the subject so graphically set before them. Like Mr. Hannah in the afternoon session, he showed that the Old Testament lessons were intended to lead children to Christ. There was no further time for discussion, but there were many favorable comments upon the plan adopted.

Mr. James Nicholson followed with an admirable paper on "Children's Services," in which he gave an interesting account of such services held in Liverpool, England, giving the method of conducting them and showing the many advantages to be derived therefrom. It was resolved, on motion of Mr. Armitage, to postpone consideration of the subject until the next meeting.

The treasurer, Miss McDonald, read her report, showing a small balance on hand.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to those who had taken part, and on motion of Mrs. Anstie the thanks of the association were tendered to the ladies of St. Matthew's for their kind and generous entertainment.

The selection of a place for holding the next meeting was left in the hands of the committee, it being understood that some place contiguous to, but outside the city, should be chosen.

The question drawer elicited a number of questions, most of which were answered by the vice-president to the satisfaction of all present. The meeting closed with singing a hymn led by the excellent choir of the church, with Miss Tibbs as organist, who kindly played at both sessions. The rector gave the benediction at 10:15 p.m.

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MEETINGS.

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A MEETING OF THE REFORM ASSOCIATION of East Middlesex will be held at the Young Liberal Club rooms in the City of London, on Saturday next, the 28th day of April, inst., at the hour of 2 p.m. for the purpose of selecting a candidate to contest the riding in the Reform interest at the ensuing Provincial elections. A full attendance earnestly requested. By order. W. B. SCATCHERD, president East Middlesex Reform Association. FRANCIS LOVE, secretary. 63u bw

MASONIC — REGULAR MEETING OF St. John's Chapter, No. 3, this evening (Wednesday, 25th), at 7:30. General business and degrees. ALEX. CURRIE, Z.; JOHN SIDONS, S. E. b

I. O. O. F.—DOMINION LODGE, NO. 48, meets this (Wednesday) evening at 8 o'clock. Visitors welcome. W. ANGUS, N. G. ALF. DAVIS, recording secretary. b

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF GROCERIES— Will be sold by public auction at rooms of J. W. Jones, London, on Monday, April 30, at 2:30 p.m., the stock in trade of R. C. Mason, of Walkerville, consisting of:

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Waterworks NOTICE.

CONSUMERS are hereby notified that the inspectors of this department have imperative instructions to have the water supply turned off at any place where water taps are out of repair, and also to PROSECUTE any person using city water contrary to the rules of this department. By order.

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Late Canadian News.

Wreck of the Steamer Bamboro on the Nova Scotia Coast.

Bye-Elections in Newfoundland Ordered by the Governor.

Claude Dieter, brother of Mrs. Hedges, of Winnipeg, has been murdered in Dakota.

A deaf mute named Leeson was killed on the C. P. R. track at Port Arthur Monday.

The Montreal chief of police has ordered the pool rooms in the city to close up within 48 hours.

Archbishop Cleary, assisted by 30 priests, dedicated the new Roman Catholic Church at Portsmouth on Tuesday evening.

Fred Lodge, a young man of Beaver Creek, Man., has been committed for trial for assaulting an 8-year-old girl.

Sir Oliver Mowat has agreed to place $1,500 in the supplementary estimates for the relief of the Huntsville sufferers.

Dr. Mole, the popular veterinary surgeon and authority on all sorts of dog troubles, is in a very critical condition at his home in Toronto.

The Governor-General and Lady Aberdeen reached Kingston on Tuesday afternoon and received a very enthusiastic welcome.

Navigation is in full blast at Owen Sound now. The local boats have commenced their regular trips to Sault Ste. Marie and other local ports.

Glove and boot and shoe factories have recently been established at the Mormon colony, Lee's Creek, Alberta. The settlement is most prosperous and flourishing.

The Governor has issued a proclamation for a preliminary bye-election in Bay de Verde, Nfld., to fill vacancies created by the unseating of Messrs. Woods and Moare, polling May 22.

The case of the Queen vs. Larkin, Connolly & Co., was continued in the Exchequer Court at Ottawa Tuesday morning. The examination of Robt McGreevy by Mr. Osler, Q.C., was proceeded with.

Stephen Rose, aged 46, an American, presumably from Port Huron, Mich., committed suicide by stabbing himself on Tuesday night at the Springfield House, Montreal. He had been drinking heavily.

Dr. Herbert L. Dayfoot, eldest son of Philo W. Dayfoot, Hamilton, is dead. Though only 48 years of age, he occupied a distinguished position in Rochester, N. Y., in which city he had practiced since 1869.

The steamer Bamboro, which struck on Blanche Rick, near Barrington, N. S., on Saturday morning, has broken in two. The stern is now under water and the cargo was slung off her. Probably not much of her will be saved.

William and Maurice Lane, two small boys, whose home is at 56 McGill street, Toronto, have been missing since Sunday. Frank Evans, aged 13, and Walker, 13 years of age, both of Perth avenue, have also disappeared.

August Dimers, of Montreal has just entered upon his sixth term in the penetentiary. He broke a store window and stole some whisky with the avowed purpose of being sent to the prison from where he had just been liberated.

Mr. James McDonald, brother of Mr. D. McDonald, driver of the Fingal stage, died suddenly at Fish Creek Forks, N. W. T., near Calgary, on Friday. At the inquest it was found death was caused by suffocation from a piece of apple lodging in the windpipe.

HOW ENGLAND VIEWED CORBETT

Not as a Fighter, But as an Actor—Not Very Favorable to Him.

NEW YORK, April 24.—The Sun says: The solemnity with which Corbett was viewed in England when he appeared there created a smile in this city. The heavy critical reporters of London were present in the stalls, and many of the most erudite and profound writers in Great Britain on theatrical subjects sat in solemn judgment upon Mr. Corbett's efforts. In this country he has always been regarded as a prize-fighter who chooses to show himself for money under the guise of an actor, but nobody ever attempted to criticise his actions seriously, and audiences confined their enthusiasm to his exhibition of sparring and training in the latter part of the play. It was supposed by Americans interested in Corbett's theatrical tour that the sporting papers of Great Britain would show some keenness over the appearance of the prize fighter when stripped for the ring and over his general style and form of fighting, but no such flippant and light-hearted way of viewing the matter was taken by the London critics. His technique and his art came in for a liberal piece of profound discussion, and hardly any mention was made of the pugilistic part of his performance. It must have been rather startling to Corbett, particularly as the weight of the heavy critical comment was not in his favor.

AFTER A LONG CHASE.

The Alleged Murderer of an Old Lady Captured—Damaging Testimony of an Accomplice.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., April 24.—Last February Mrs. McKendrick, an aged woman, was found dead in her home, gagged and bound, and several hundred dollars missing. After a long chase by detectives Charles Macard, a Grand Rapids man, was run down in San Francisco charged with the murder. The evidence against him at the police court hearing was strong, but entirely circumstantial; but yesterday the police paralyzed the defense by bringing Henry Prame, a Chicago dockwalloper, who confessed he was one of the murderers, and implicated Macard as the other.

Prame was captured in Libertyville, Ill., where he was working as a farm hand. He pleaded guilty in the Superior Court last night, but sentence was deferred. He will appear against Macard. Prame had led a straight life until he met Macard while working on the World's Fair docks, and Macard, as he confesses, induced him to come here and do the job. He declared he had no intention of killing the woman. Prame is 34 years old and single.

Macard is a man of iron nerve. When told in his cell of Prame's arrest and confession not a nerve quivered, and he said calmly: "The man is a liar; I have never even heard of the name of Prame before, and I know absolutely nothing of the murderer. When he connects me with the case he lies, and I shall fight to the last."

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WATERSPOUT AND CYCLONE

Play Havoc Near a Texas Town—A Fatal Shot.

BURKEVILLE, Tex., April 24.—A waterspout and cyclone played havoc about twelve miles west of here yesterday.

Flying timbers struck a rifle in Ralph Gilchrist's house, causing it to discharge. The bullet struck Miss Rosa Gilchrist, inflicting a fatal wound. Several houses were destroyed, and bridges were washed away.

THE POLITICAL SLATE.

West Middlesex Patrons Nominate an Opponent to Hon. G. W. Ross—East Lambton and South Renfrew Liberals in Conference.

MOUNT BRYDGES, April 24.—The meeting held here to-day by the West Middlesex Patrons of Industry was largely attended. Mr. Lyman A. Welch, grand secretary of the order, was chosen as the Patron candidate in place of Mr. William Murdock, who had been chosen at the previous meeting, Mr. Murdock having retired.

(Special to the ADVERTISER.)

WATFORD, April 24.—A meeting of the executive committee of the East Lambton Reform Association was held here to-day, when it was decided to call a convention of the electors to select a standard-bearer in the coming Provincial election. The convention will be held in Watford on Tuesday, May 8. Delegates from the different polling subdivisions will be elected on May 4.

NOTES.

The South Renfew Reform convention held at Renfew on Tuesday nominated Robert A. Campbell, of Douglas, for the Ontario Legislature.

W. S. Campbell, of Brantford, who has been asked by Conservatives and P. P. As. to stand against Hon. A. S. Hardy, has declined to do so.

FOR FALSE ARREST.

Three Girls Get a Verdict of $175 Each

TORONTO, April 24. — Misses Bertha, Hattie and Ida Scott to-day obtained a verdict of $175 each against Police Constable Reburn for false arrest. They claimed $5,000.

They were on the Cibola one day last summer when a lady lost a purse, which she charged these young ladies with stealing. The purser had them searched without finding the purse, the three protesting their innocence.

On arriving at the wharf the three girls were handed over to Policeman Reburn, who arrested then and took them to the custom house. The lost purse was found and the innocence of the three girls was proved.

The suit of to-day was the outcome of the affair. An application for appeal will be made.

Secretaries, Beware!

TORONTO, Ont., April 24.—E. S. Crandfield, druggist, and financial secretary of Court Prosperity, I. O. F., was arraigned in the police court this morning charged with a breach of the Insurance Act by omitting the words "assessment system" from circulars. The case was adjourned until Thursday. The defense claims the words were not omitted.

Five Suicides.

DETROIT, April 24.—As far as heard from five suicides took place in Michigan within the last 24 hours. At Otsego, Miss Boyer, who was married but a few hours, poisoned herself. At Saginaw, Sherman Tenny, aged 60, hanged himself. At Muskegon, Corneilus Danenega, 55 years old, cut his throat. At Morenci, Lyman Aldrich, 75 years old, poisoned himself; and at Battle Creek, Frank Stevens killed himself with strychnine. Despondency seems to have been the prevailing cause.

Vital Statistics of New York City.

NEW YORK, April 24.—During the week ended at noon Saturday there were reported at the Bureau of Vital Statistics 847 deaths, 1,000 births, and 310 marriages. The death rate in an estimated population of 1,944,604 was 22.73. Of the deaths 537 occurred in tenement houses and 206 in public institutions; 190 were of children under 5 years of age, and 89 of persons 65 years old and over. The cases of contagious diseases reported were: Measels, 286; diphtheria, 181; scarlet fever, 123; typhoid fever, 10; smallpox, 19.

No Pleuro-Pneumonia in Canadian Herds.

OTTAWA, Ont., April 24.—Dr. Andrew Smith, veterinary surgeon and chief cattle inspector for Ontario, is here on general business in connection with the department. According to Dr. Smith's report, which will shortly be laid on the table of the House, the cattle of Ontario are perfectly free from anything approaching pleuro-pneumonia, and are in a most favorable position. The report was embodied in the case submitted to the English authorities. The disease among the cattle in the county of Grey, as already published, was entirely local, non-contagious, and due to a blight in the hay.

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[Leamington Post.]

There have been many wonderful cures made by Dodd's Kidney Pills, but nothing ever heard of, written or imagined, can compare with the marvelous effect produced on Mr. Hezekiah Vaughan, lot No. 34, con. 4, Gosfield, in this county.

Mr. Vaughan says: "For two years I suffered what no one would suppose humanity could endure. One physician pronounced my complaint inflammation of the bladder; another, whom I consulted, told me it was chronic liver complaint; another, whom I went to see, said it was inflammation of the kidneys, and a fourth treated me for what he said was a peculiar state of the liver.

"I was frequently bloated so that my cheeks were even with the end of my nose; frequently for seventeen days at a time my bowels refused to act, and for months together, if I took so much as a drink of water, I would vomit immediately.

"At last, getting discouraged at the ineffectual efforts of physicians of ability to make any improvement, I decided to take the advice of one of them and go to Harper's Hospital, Detroit, where I knew some of the best physicians of that extensive city were to be seen, but having spent most of my means in past efforts to regain health, I was compelled to take the only course open, a students' clinic, at which nearly 200 students were in attendance.

"The case was deeply interesting, as so many physicians had pronounced the complaint as many different diseases, and the principal surgeons in the hospital were as much, if not more, interested than the newest student.

"Of course I knew nothing from the time the anæsthetics were given me, but I can assure you the sensation before and after were sufficiently terrible to make the strongest swerve.

"Four physicians performed the operation on me which lasted four hours and a half, during which time they made an incision five inches long in my abdomen, and in order to make a complete examination took my entrails out and laid them on the operating table beside me. The students were shown the whole operation and all the minute points explained while I was lying there; but among all none, either advanced or beginners, could suggest the complaint from which I suffered. Everything that suggested itself to the learned professors was attempted, but it seemed utterly impossible to assist me.

"One of the most mortifying portions of the whole operation was that, after going through such a painful and dangerous ordeal, the best physicians in the City of the Straits were baffled, and with my stomach and bowels lying on the operating table beside me, under the powerful lenses used in the examination, they could not decide what the disease was. Medical science has undoubtedly reached a high standard, but it utterly failed in my case, except in causing me a great deal of pain, misery and expense.

Two of the physicians maintained that I was afflicted with a cancer, the other two being as postive I was not. But after inserting a rubber tube I was compelled to remain in the hospital five weeks and left but little improved.

"I finally heard of the wonderful effect made on my neighbor, Mr. Sherman Buchanan, who from being next to death's door is now able to do his farm work, wholly through the beneficial effects of Dodd's Kidney Pills. I decided to try them and forthwith purchased a box and commenced their use. For the first four days, of course, little effect was produced, but I gradually began to feel the action of the medicine and by the time I had used the first box I felt they had done me good. I kept on taking them regularly and from day to day I could gradually notice changes for the better. First, my bowels became regular, which was a great relief, then the bloating from which I suffered most terribly, became slowly removed. I began to feel more like my natural self and finally almost all pain subsided, my strength gradually increased, and a general feeling of renewed health and vitality pervaded my whole system. I regained my appetite and my food digested better, and as time passed on my vigor increased, and no one unless similarly afflicted can imagine the immense relief I felt, for I had lost all hope of even a partial recovery. I am today almost myself again, although I have not yet used six boxes.

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BRANT COUNTY PATRONS.

Mr. Joseph Stratford, the County President, Supports Hon. A. S. Hardy—The North Brant Nominee.

BRANTFORD, April 24.—In the course of an able speech at Etonia, near here, Friday night, Mr. Joseph Stratford, president of the Brant County Patrons of Industry, referred to the antagonism of some Patrons to the Government of Ontario. In the course of his remarks he said that while he advocated strongly that Patrons and farmers should have full representation in the legislative halls of this country, he was very clear in his convictions that there was no necessity to ever attempt to overthrow the Governments or many of the able men who occupied positions as Cabinet Ministers. The speaker contended that there was plenty of room for a Patron majority by working for numbers of seats at present filled by men in the House who were fighting so strongly and inconsistently along party lines, and clearly not in the interest of the farmer, on whom so much of the general prosperity depended at all times.

Mr. Stratford went on to say that as president of the county of Brant Patrons he felt it his duty to make clear his own position in the face of the agitation that was going on in some few of the lodges, to consider again the nominating of an opponent to the Hon. A. S. Hardy in South Brant. A convention to deal with this matter had been called last January, when it was decided by a majority of the delegates present that no Patron candidates would be pitted against the present member. This, Mr. Stratford claimed, left him and other Patrons entirely free to sustain Mr. Hardy in the coming campaign, and he felt that there was neither consistency nor necessity on the part of our Patrons or agriculturists in now offering him opposition as a prominent and able member of the Cabinet, and he asked all good Patrons and farmers in this, his own county, not to be misled by a few agitators who were again stirring this thing up, and who really had not the farmers' honest interests at heart, and who had done little or nothing for the great cause, or for the farmers' company at Brantford that he had the honor of representing as president. Mr. Stratford stated that after the meeting for nomination in January he had approached Mr. Hardy and received from him the assurance that if again elected he would do everything in his power to sustain every just and consistent demand made by the Patrons or farmers on his Government, and Mr. Stratford has every reason to believe that the Minister of Crown Lands would not disappoint them in the slightest particular along these lines.

Mr. Kitchen, who is the Patron candidate against Mr. W. B. Wood in North Brant, held his first open meeting in the school house on Terrace Hill last evening. The spirit of the meeting was rather hostile to Mr. Kitchen.

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LEAMINGTON, April 23.—Sherman Buchanan, a farmer living near here, recently passed through a terrible ordeal. He was attacked by kidney disease, which made him a total wreck. He suffered agonizing pains and his digestive organs were seriously impaired. All the symptoms of Bright's disease were present. After several doctors had treated him ineffectually, Mr. Buchanan used several boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and they cured him. Dodd's was the first kidney remedy in pill form ever offered the public. Its wonderful success in curing all forms of kidney disease has led to the introduction of numerous cheap and worthless imitations. Purchasers, for their own safety, should insist on getting Dodd's Kidney Pills. Sold in large boxes; price, 50 cents, or six boxes for $2 50. To be had of all dealers.

ASSOCIATE EXAMINERS

Of the Departmental and University Examinations.

At a meeting of the joint board, held on April 21, the associate examiners required for 1894 were appointed. Among them are: T. G. Allan, Ingersoll; T. H. Alexander, Strathroy; J. H. Brethour, Mount Forest; E. M. Begg, Parkhill; W. J. Connor, Berlin; I. C. Clark, Orangeville; T. Carscaden, Galt; F. C. Colbeck, Dundas, A. Campbell, Sarnia, J. Davidson, Guelph; J. Elliott, Walkerton; W. C. Ferguson, London; J. Grey, Kincardine; D. E. Galbraith, London; A. H. Gibbard, Georgetown; E. S. Hill, Guelph; W. H. Jenkins, Owen Sound; A. A. Knox, Chatham; J. T. Lillie, Port Elgin; R. Lees, St. Thomas; J. G. Little, Ridgetown; Wm. Lochheed, Galt; J. H. McGeary, St. Thomas; W. T. McClement, London; J. Morgan, Walkerton; J. Marshall, St. Thomas; J. F. Messmore, Aylmer; I. O. Miller, St. Catharines; F. S. Marquis, Stratford; A. J. Moore, Goderich; S. Martin, St. Marys; F. R. Parker, Owen Sound; W. A. Phillips, Listowel; S. W. Perry, Kincardine; W. Prendergast, Seaforth; S. Phillips, Waterford; C. Potter, Watford; S. F. Passmore, Brantford; F. J. Ratcliffe, London; O. S. Schmidt, Harriston; H. J. Strang, Goderich; A. S. Stevenson, Arthur; W. J. Toohey, Chatham; J. B. Taylor, Chatham.

The following places were selected as scholarship centers: University of Toronto and the Collegiate Institutes of Ottawa, Hamilton and London. If it is found desirable, after the applications have been received, other places may be selected.

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ESSEX.

Windsor may have a public library. The council is discussing the question.

More than 1,000 perch were caught from the docks at Amherstburg on Sunday.

The county of Essex has received $34,218 from the county registrar since the passage of the Blake Act in 1872.

Joseph Maisonville, of Windsor, has been refused a liquor license because he had failed to place a lunch counter at his place in accordance with the law. He has been in the business twenty years.

ELGIN.

The West Elgin license commissioners have made no change from last year in granting licenses. In East Elgin licenses were granted as follows, many applications being reserved until the next meeting on April 28: Aylmer, John Wallace, George Morrish, J. Herenden, W. Bishop, W. Bottomley; Port Stanley, George L. Gray, Wm. Fraser; Corinth, P. Price; Port Burwell, George Sears, F. L. Burgar; Vienna, A. S. Stillwell; Springfield, James Wilson; Bayham, C. Hubbard, L. Johnson, J. A. Griffin, H. Kimbale; Yarmouth, Frank Winer, Thomas Moore, G. D. Binder, P. A. Bush, W. L. Bailey; Malahide, William Stafford, Alvin Parker, George Wonnacott, John Reid, John Weaton (beer and wine). Frank Peters and J. S. Martin were laid over until next meeting. E. Fraser and John Brasher, of Vienna, were refused.

Fishery Inspector W. Freeland seized a new boat and 200 yards of gill net, the property of John Ryckman, of Port Burwell, on Saturday, the owner having no license.

In the High Court of Justice: Williams vs. Thomas—Judgment in action for illegal distress and counter-claim for bad farming and rent, tried at St. Thomas. Judgment for plaintiff for $492, with costs. Judgment for the defendant upon his amended counter-claim for $125, without costs.

KENT.

Reeve J. Gosnell, of Orford, has met with a serious accident, having been caught by the belt of a sawing machine. His left arm was broken in several places. He may recover, but not before long.

The police are after a colored horse thief named Bob Williams, of Raleigh, son of Ike Williams, a well-known character. The young colored man is said to have stolen a horse and cart from Lemuel Freeman, one of the four men who recently stood trial for the murder of P. C. Rankin, and who got off.

LAMBTON.

Neil McPherson, M.A., Petrolea, has taken the B. D. degree at Queen's University, Kingston.

In the High Court of Justice: Township of Warwick vs. Morris—Swabey, for the defendants, appealed from an order of the master in chambers refusing to disallow an amendment to the plaintiffs' statement of claim made upon præcipe, under rule 424, after statement of defense filed in an action on a bond for $24,000, against the defendants, a collector of taxes and his bondsmen. By the amendment the plaintiffs sought to recover two additional sums of $200 each, making the total claim $1,200. The defendants paid one of these sums to the plaintiffs, and a tender by him of the other was refused. D. Armour, for the plaintiffs, opposed the appeal. Appeal dismissed. Costs to the plaintiffs in the cause.

MIDDLESEX.

The Komoka school site is settled at last. A special school meeting of school section No. 1, Lobo, was called to submit a new site on Wednesday, and A. McMurphy was appointed chairman and W. Parsons secretary. After hearing Trustees Robinson, Smith and Seabrook, and a number of the ratepayers, a vote was taken unanimously in favor of the trustees' selection. The new site is half way between the two sites that caused so much trouble and expense last year. It is altogether likely it will be some time before some of the ratepayers will engage in another lawsuit the same as last fall, says a correspondent.

PERTH.

Stratford will buy a new road machine.

Wm. Boyd, son of the late James Boyd, St. Mary's road, accidentally shot himself in Clinton, B. C., recently. The ball lodged in the shoulder blade and was recovered. Boyd is improving.

A. C. Morton, M. P., who moved in the British Commons to abolish the Duke of Edinburgh's annuity, formerly lived in Stratford. He emigrated to Canada when a poor lad, but returned and made his fortune.

WATERLOO.

Two well-dressed strangers put up at the Zimmerman House, Waterloo, the other night, and were discovered ransacking the rooms. They were chased out of town. They only got $3.

No Wonder!

His teeth he still did grind
And grimly gnash.
—[Spencer.

For he suffered all the agonizing tortures of dyspepsia. In the morning his eyes were dim and bloodshot, a horrible nausea was experienced, food was to him revolting, and yet a gnawing craving for food pervaded his whole system. His heart palpitated violently after the least exertion. Hope had nearly left him when he read of the marvelous cures effected by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. He hurried to the drug store, bought a bottle, and the effects were so satisfactory that he now gnashes his teeth when he thinks of the agonies he might have prevented had he used the "G. M. D."

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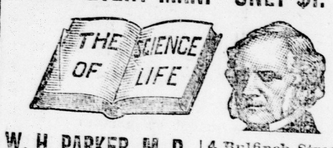

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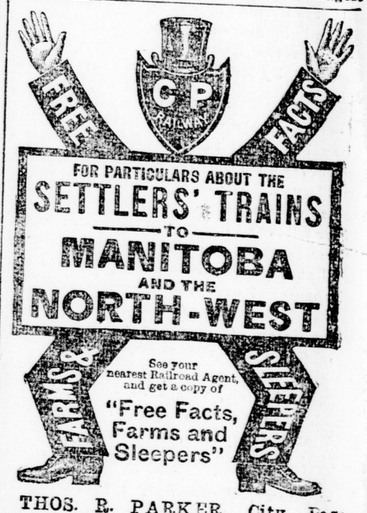

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—[PRINCE BISMARCK.

London, Wednesday, April 25.

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

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

—The new name for the P. P. A. is the "C. P. A.," which, being interpreted, is the Conservative Protective Association.

—It is satisfactory to learn that so far the fruit outlook in Western Ontario, including the Niagara peninsula, is excellent.

—Toronto Trades and Labor Council, representing the workingmen of the city, condemn Dr. Ryerson, M.P.P., for proposing to tax churches and graveyards while favoring the non-taxation of monopolies.

—The chief organ of the combines gives notice that the whetted appetite of tax reducers must not be gratified by the Conservative majority at Ottawa. The cotton lords have so decreed it. So have the sugar, rubber, starch and rice monopolyholders.

—On the question of the examination of witnesses in the Public Accounts Committee under oath Sir John Thompson said to Mr. Laurier last night: "Please don't let Sir Richard Cartwright shoot; I'll come down." It would have been more graceful to have yielded days ago.

—Mr. Larivere, M. P. for Provencher, Man., is said to have fallen out with the Dominion Government, of which he has hitherto been a supporter. He has packed up his belongings and returned home. The space in the House of Commons usually occupied by Mr. Larivere will be hard to fill.

—Our oil men will be interested in the annual report of the United States geological survey upon the production of petroleum, just issued. The chief features are the decline in the production of petroleum in the older fields and increase in the newer fields. Other features are the decline in stocks held at the wells, increase in price of the raw material over the previous year, increase in exports and successes attained in the refining of limestone oils. The total production for the year was 48,412,666 barrels, valued at $28,932,326, against 50,509,136 barrels, valued at $25,901,436, in 1892. The year 1891 marked the highest output of petroleum, the production being 54,291,980 barrels.

—Ottawa, like London, is arranging for the future lighting of its public streets. The corporation of the capital has just received an offer to enter into a contract for ten years for $76 50 per arc lamp, and to pay a yearly bonus of $1,000 to the city for the privilege of doing business. This proposition, if accepted, will save about $2,400 upon the annual cost of lighting the city's streets, compared with the terms of the present contract, on the basis of the number of lights now maintained. At present the price paid is $80 per lamp. The disposition in London, in view of the vote in favor of municipal ownership, is not to enter into a contract for a long term of years, but there seems to be no doubt that better terms than now enjoyed will be made under a new contract.

—Municipalities with water power easily available have distinct advantages in the matter of electricity. A striking example of this fact is chronicled by the United States consul at St. Etienne, France. He says that a company operating American electric machines under American patents has established a good horse-power plant at a waterfall eight miles from St. Etienne, and is transmitting the power from the dynamos that distance over cables, driving over 60 looms and with a large increase projected. In large factories there the power is also being distributed to the looms from the steam engines by means of interposed dynamos and motors, doing away with belting and shafting and securing certain other important economics. We are but at the beginning of the new era of motor power.

A BIG bouquet of Australian cut flowers, which had been frozen, was recently sent to Queen Victoria by Lady Duff. After the ice had been thawed the blossoms are said to have presented as fresh an appearance as though just gathered.

THE QUADRENNIAL DISPOSAL OF THE SEPARATE SCHOOL QUESTION.

In response to public opinion, and with what promises to be the friendly cooperation of those immediately concerned, the Ontario Legislature yesterday afternoon indorsed Mr. Conmee's bill to enable separate school supporters to elect their trustees by ballot whensoever a majority of them so desire. This places the election of separate school trustees on a level with the public schools in this matter, though it has to be confessed that until recently there was little demand for changing the law. The Liberals, supported by Mr. McNaughton, the Patron member for North Bruce, voted for the measure, which was indorsed by a majority of 22. The details are left to be arranged by a select committee of the House.

The fate of the bill introduced by Mr. McCallum, P. P. A. member for East Lambton, was sealed with an even more decisive majority, though Mr. Meredith and all the members of the Opposition voted for it, except Sol White, of Essex. Mr. McNaughton again stood by the Liberals, and the measure was thrown out by a majority of 25. The intention of the bill was to compel the election of both public and separate school trustees by ballot, and there were other provisions in the measure plainly at variance with the Confederation Act, interference with which, it is needless to say, can not be undertaken by the Legislature.

The course pursued by the majority of the legislators is the correct one. No good can come of the attempt to force the ballot—in many cases at considerable expense, and in districts where the people are poor—whether the electors desire it or not. Local option in this matter will best promote that peace and concord which but firebrand politicians must acknowledge is necessary to the welfare of the populace, whether they are supporters of the public or of the separate schools.

LONDON'S POSTAL RECORD.

The annual report of the Dominion Postmaster-General contains much interesting information. In it we find the following record of the business transacted at the three postoffices situated in London and suburbs:

	City.	London East.	London West.
Gross postal revenue.....	$58,264 23	$2,992 42	$424 68
Number money orders issued...	8,634	1,728	51
Money orders issued.....	$88,701 00	$16,584 37	$402 80
Commission from public.....	829 10	147 37	4 11
Money orders paid.....	375,551 69	4,125 40	950 27
Compensation to P. Ms. on Savings Bank business.....	.....	40 72	62
Compensation to P. Ms. on M. O. business.....	.....	45 28	2 55
Salary.....	.....	600 00	120 00
Rent, fuel and light.....	.....	100 00	.....

The gross revenue of Pottersburg, another suburban postoffice, was $284 28, and the salary paid $76.

London city makes a creditable showing in free delivery. The city was first given free delivery in 1876 by the Mackenzie Government, and engaged in the business now are twenty-five carriers and six superintendents and sorters. Here is their record for the year ended 31st October last:

Postcards.....	353,818
City letters.....	287,198
Registered letters.....	27,816
Other letters.....	1,057,625
Letters and postcards.....	1,726 457
Newspapers.....	714,232

But for the abolition of the 1-cent rate for city letters—which paid the Postoffice well—the number of city letters would be much larger. Many societies and private firms employ private persons to deliver their letters at so much per 100, and find it pays them.

AT ITS OLD TRICKS.

The London Free Press is never satisfied with legislation regarding the traffic in intoxicants. It regards itself as licensed to grumble at reforms accomplished in the past and at the condition of affairs at present existing.

When the various progressive measures that have been carried out by the Mowat Government in bygone years were before the people of the Province, our city contemporary was always ready, in the elegant language of the other organ of the brewers, the Toronto Advocate, to give Mowat "the knife right up to the hilt."

When the original plebiscite to reduce the number of licenses in this city was before the people—need we remind our readers?—the Free Press gave the project "the knife right up to the hilt."

When, in accordance with the desires of the large majority of the electors, a move for a further reduction was made, our city contemporary gave the proposal "the knife right up to the hilt."

And when the people generally agreed that the best way to ascertain the views of the electors on the question of prohibition was by popular vote, the Free Press was again ready to give the fair, equitable proposition "the knife right up to the hilt."

Our city contemporary to-day breaks out in a new spot, and grumbles because Sir Oliver Mowat has made the passing of a prohibitory law by the Ontario Government, as demanded by a majority of 82,000 electors, conditional on the declaration of the highest court in the land that it has a right so to do. The Free Press constitutional lawyer—perhaps he is a judge—rebukes Sir Oliver for desiring to be sure he is right before he goes ahead. Our contemporary cares not though the passage of a prohibitory law in the present condition of affairs might result in the declaration that it was unconstitutional and bring about that chaos which has followed the attempt to carry out a liquor law in South Carolina before its constitutionality was fully established. It lightly informs Sir Oliver that to bring about prohibition immediately all he has to do "is to appoint license commissioners in each municipality who will absolutely refuse to grant licenses to anyone." Supposing Sir Oliver were to forsake the prevent course of resorting to the highest court of the land to ascertain beyond peradventure the rights of the Provincial Legislature, never yet so declared, and were to adopt the latest proposal of the Free Press, is there anything in the past history of our contemporary's record on the question of the liquor traffic, that would lead the average elector to believe that the Free Press would not be immediately found at its old tricks advocating that Mowat be given "the knife right up to the hilt" for following its "disinterested" advice?

Ontario Crop Outlook

As Seen by Correspondents Up to April 16.

Bulletin Sent Out by the Provincial Agriculture Department.

Fall Wheat Has Had a Setback—Rye in Fair Condition—Clover Not Favorable—Live Stock Satisfactory.

(Special to the ADVERTISER.)

TORONTO, Ont., April 24.—The following is a bulletin sent out by the Ontario Department of Agriculture, from information sent in by correspondents under date of April 16:

FALL WHEAT.

Fall wheat has been seriously set back by spring frosts and absence of warm rains. Should another week or two of unpropitious weather prevail much of the crop will have to be plowed up or resown; but as the roots are vigorous, timely showers and genial weather may carry the fields forward towards an average yield. Where the fields entered the winter with a good top they are still vigorous and verdant, and those who practice underdraining rejoice in an encouraging outlook.

The great fall wheat counties along Lake Erie send rather discouraging reports, and in the eastern portion of the Province, where the acreage is small, the prospects are equally poor for a good crop.

In the Lake Huron group the county of Huron gives a cheerful report, while Lambton and Huron are rather the reverse.

The Georgian Bay counties reports are equal in tone, and on the whole the chances are hardly as good as usual.

In the west midland group favorable reports prevail over those of a less encouraging character, and the same may be said of the Lake Ontario counties. So far there has been an almost complete exemption from injury by worms or insects.

RYE.

What little rye is grown came through the winter in fair condition.

CLOVER.

The reports concerning clover are not favorable.

LIVE STOCK.

Taken altogether the reports concerning the condition of live stock may be considered satisfactory.

Horned cattle as a rule are healthy, though lean; reports of disease were very scattering. Tuberculosis was referred to by some correspondents, but the cases alluded to were not regarded as serious.

Sheep are in particularly good trim, and lambing is proceeding most satisfactorily.

Swine are also in generally good condition. Some form of distemper is here and there reported, while in the neighborhood of Dereham township hog cholera broke out recently and carried off 200 hogs. But notwithstanding these local and occasional occurrences, the swine industry has seldom presented a more favorable bill of health.

FARM SUPPLIES.

There is not much unanimity of opinion regarding the quantity of hay, grain or fat and store cattle on hand.

In the three western districts of the Province the bulk of correspondents report a surplus of hay and wheat, and in some counties there are more oats than are needed for feeding and seeding.

In the Lake Ontario counties there is but little hay to spare, and in the eastern and northern, hay, wheat and oats are in store in only moderate quantities. A great deal of hay was pressed and imported during the fall and winter, and large quantities of wheat were fed to live stock, more especially to swine.

Fat cattle are hardly as plentiful as usual, and buyers appear to be shy in most quarters, as several correspondents state that fewer beeves than usual have been sold for May shipment.

Store cattle are plentiful with some and scarce with their neighbors—in fact, the cattle industry appears to be in a most unsettled condition, except in the case of fresh cows, which are in better demand than ever for the dairy.

A Carrier Pigeon's Long Journey.

TORONTO, April 24.—Ex-Ald. Pells yesterday received a carrier pigeon which was flown from an ocean steamship, evidently just outside Sandy Hook, by Mr. Jethro Worden, of the Grand Opera House Hotel, this city. The bird carried a message stating that the sender was in good health so far and had not been affected by seasickness. Mr. Worden is on his way to Europe for a three months' vacation.

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

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

Yes, man is the stronger vessel—but he has to be often bailed out.

"Did he get into society very much?" "About $5,000, as report has it."

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Lost Use of Hands from Blood Poisoning. Physicians and Remedies No Benefit. Cured by Cuticura Remedies.

I have used your CUTICURA REMEDIES, and can truthfully say that they are everything and more than you represent them. Last spring I was greatly troubled with blood poisoning caused by Diphtheria. Large sores made their appearance on my face, and my hands were in such a condition that I could not use them. After trying numerous physicians and remedies and receiving no benefit therefrom, I was advised to try the CUTICURA REMEDIES, and did so, and I am now free from all my skin trouble. I cannot speak praise enough for your remedies.
SAMUEL J. KEELER,
2232 Fairmount Avenue, Baltimore, Md.

BABY SEVERELY AFFLICTED

My baby was severely afflicted with some dreadful skin disease. Its head, face and hands for awhile were nearly one solid sore. I had doctors prescribe for it, tried several remedies, but all seemed to do no good. I saw an advertisement of the CUTICURA REMEDIES, and concluded to try them. I bought a complete set, and began using, and now my little girl seems to be completely cured.
GEO. W. TURNER, Teacher, Bryan, Texas.

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The public have placed the fact beyond all doubt that our efforts to lead the trade in these goods have been successful. Bale after bale and case after case have disappeared into the homes of the people with wonderful rapidity. This week we aim at beating all previous records. The purchasing power of a dollar is very great here.

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We confidently rely on the magnetism of quality and reasonableness of price to effect large sales here.

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Linen Towels,
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which I took, and gradually began to feel better and stronger, and slowly the sores on my eyes and in my ears healed. I can now hear and see as well as ever." MRS. AMANDA PAISLEY, 176 Lander Street, Newburgh, N. Y.

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SUMMER PASTIME.

"The Country's Wrapped in One Glad Thought."

Cyclist Lenz's Experience in Eastern Persia—Various Sporting News.

BASEBALL.

THE RETURN.

(From the Washington Star.)

Once more the sun-kissed crowd we find
Upon the bleaching boards;
Once more the gladiators come
With bats instead of swords.
The clouds are quivering with the shock
Of that spontaneous cheer
Which wakes the world and lets it know
The baseball game is here.
Unheeded must our sages now
About the tariff talk;
The festive quorum may, unwatched,
Kick up its heels and balk;
And Coxey's army on the march
Inspires no trace of fear,
The country's wrapped in one glad thought—
The baseball game is here.

NATIONAL LEAGUE SCORES—TUESDAY.

	R.	H.	E.
At Brooklyn—			
Philadelphia	22	16	1
Brooklyn	5	13	5

Batteries — Carsey, Cross and Clements; Brady, Kennedy, Kirwin and Daily. Umpire —O'Rourke.

At Baltimore—			
Baltimore	15	15	2
Boston	3	9	3

Batteries—McMahon and Robinson; Stivett, Nichols and Ganzel. Umpire—Hurst.

At Washington—			
Washington	6	7	5
New York	3	8	1

Batteries—Petty and McGuire; Rusie and Farrell. Umpire—Lynch.

At Cincinnati—			
Cleveland	1	5	3
Cincinnati	0	2	1

Batteries—Browne and Zimmer; Parrott and Vaughn. Umpire—Emslie.

At Louisville—			
Louisville	7	8	2
Pittsburg	3	9	3

Batteries—Menafee and Grim; Nichol and Sugden. Umpire—Swartwood.

At St. Louis—			
St. Louis	9	16	4
Chicago	5	10	6

Batteries—Clarkson and Buckley; McGill and Kittredge. Umpire—McQuade.

HOTEL BOARDERS AT BAT.

Two teams selected from the guests and boarders at the Grant and Bernard hotels respectively will play a match to-morrow afternoon on the Kensington Park diamond. Game will be called at 3 p.m. Denny Connor will umpire. Following are the two nines:

GRANT HOUSE.	POSITION.	BERNARD HOUSE.
A. Smith	Catcher	Geo. Bowman
W. Robinson	Pitcher	J. F. Heintzman
J. Dunn	First base	J. McEachern
M. Wing	Second base	W. McGuire
B. Mitchell	Third base	D. Macthur
J. Gleason	Shortstop	Robt. Frank
H. Boyle	Right field	Jas. Frank
W. Dunn	Left field	T. McLennan
T. Robinson	Center field	T. D. Lawrason

FLYS.

In the recent game of ball between the Superiors and the Collegiate Institute baseball club the former won by a score of 11 to 10. Batteries for Superiors, Heally, Fogg and Donald; Collegiate, Ardle and Lee.

AQUATIC.

The report that arrangements are in progress for a race between the Oxford crew and a crew from Yale or Harvard is denied.

THE WHEEL.

SPOKES.

Two policemen of Los Angeles, Cal., are required to patrol their beats on bicycles.

Coasting down Pike's Peak is one of the favorite feats of Denver wheelmen.

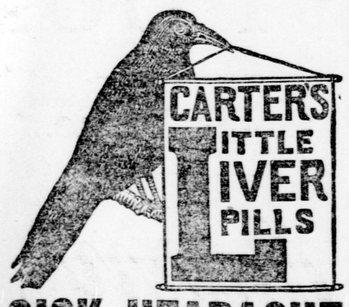
A cyclist ran into a young lady attempting to cross the street in Leicester, Eng., recently, the young lady being thrown under the wheels of a passing bus and instantly killed. The rider was held blameless, as the girl stepped directly in his path.

Lenz, the round-the-world cyclist, who has been reported last at Jask, in Eastern Persia, found a great lack of society along the Mekran coast. The nobility and gentry of that neighborhood, known as the Baluchis, fled on his approach and left their huts till nightfall.

THE KENNEL.

Five hundred dollars will be given in prizes by the Manitoba Field Trials Club t the September meet.

JICAMA root has been proved by General Aureliano Rivera, of Mexico, to be a specific for typhus, and he has been distributing it gratuitously to the poor. Now he announces that it will cure smallpox and that he believes it will be equally efficient in yellow fever. The appearance of the latter epidemic is due at Vera Cruz and he has sent a package there for trial.



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A Liberal Victory!

Contention that Witnesses Before Committees Must Be Sworn

Finally Acquiesced In by Sir John Thompson.

Proposal to Reduce the Governor-General's Salary One-Half.

Thursday to be Taken for Government Business in Parliament.

(Special to the ADVERTISER.)

OTTAWA, April 24.—The going into committee on the tariff resolutions was delayed to-day by a motion respecting the obstacles the Government are throwing in the way of the investigation of public accounts. Among the preliminary business was the following:

Dr. Sproule introduced a bill to compel detective corporations and mercantile agencies to become incorporated. The names of the incorporators must be filed with the Secretary of State together with $10,000 security. The bill makes various provisions respecting mercantile agencies, one being that they shall not act as collecting agencies. The bill was read the first time.

Mr. Mulock introduced a bill to fix the salary of the Governor-General. Mr. Mulock dwelt upon what he termed the excessive cost of the office, which has been $114,000 a year since confederation. The bill provides for a reduction of the Governor-General's salary by one half, or a reduction to $25,000, to take effect on the expiration of the present incumbent's term of office. The bill was read the first time without further discussion.

Mr. Laurier protested against a motion made by Sir John Thompson to take Thursdays for Government business, pointing out that it would block consideration of several important public bills.

Sir John Thompson consented to exempt this week from the operation of the motion and Mr. Laurier thereupon agreed to it.

On the motion to go into committee of ways and means, Sir Richard Cartwright brought up the action of the public accounts committee in refusing to allow Mr. McMullen to examine witnesses under oath respecting the Bering Sea expenditure. Sir Richard Cartwright, alluding to the fact that investigation was refused this morning by a majority, made up of members of the Cabinet, condemned the practice of a large number of Ministers having seats on that committee. As a reasonable compromise in the controversy he moved: "That whenever any member of the committee on public accounts shall declare in his place in the committee, that he has examined the papers and vouchers submitted with respect to any items referred to the committee, and that he is convinced that it is necessary in the public interest that all witnesses examined in reference to the item should be examined upon oath, it shall be an instruction to the committee to cause such witnesses to be so examined."

Sir John Thompson made a speech in reply, the effect of which was that while the rule laid down by Sir Richard Cartwright was unobjectionable, and should be sufficient reason for the committee to agree to it. Whenever put forward it should only operate to induce the committee to come to the House for authority. In other words he would not clothe the committee with a general authority to examine under oath, but would compel each case to be first reported to the House and then authority might be given. The only objection to the motion, said the Premier, was that it was too sweeping.

Mr. Laurier pointed out that the delay involved in coming to the house on each occasion would be fatal to investigation. They were now in the fifth week of the session, and not a single witness had yet been examined. It was evident, Mr. Laurier added, that the Government, while professing to be in favor of the inquiry, were engaged in putting every possible obstacle in the way.

After some considerable discussion Sir John Thompson suggested that a bill be passed within a few days enabling the House to instruct the committee to examine witnesses under oath, and even go as far as the British act, and confer power on the committee to examine upon oath. The Premier intimated that the Government for this purpose would take charge of Mr. Mulock's bill already on the paper.

Mr. Laurier said that this was what the Opposition had contended for and were quite willing to acquiesce in it.

Sir Richard Cartwright said it was satisfactory to him, and he withdrew his motion.

The House went into committee on the tariff. There was a long discussion on the item of 6 cents per pound on books, and a protest entered on the ground that it would be an excessive tax on knowledge. The item finally passed without change.

On the item covering wall papers, Mr. Foster had the changes made of which he gave notice last Friday. These placed all wall papers under the two following classes: Thirty-five per cent on papers printed on plain underground paper, which is not made in Canada; and 1½ cent a roll and 25 per cent on all other papers. This is a large increase over the tariff as brought down a few weeks ago.

Sir Richard Cartwright put the dead loss to the public during the last fourteen years on this effect to foster an industry not indigenous to the country at $1,500,000, besides an annual loss of $150,000. The item passed.

After passing the acids and chemical schedule the House adjourned. The changes beyond these, of which notice has been given, were made. About 30 items altogether were passed.

NOTES.

Mr. Coatsworth gives notice of a resolution "That it is expedient to insert in every contract for any public work made hereafter a clause requiring the contractors to pay the workmen engaged upon such work a rate of wages at least equal to the current rate of wages paid in the locality where such work is being done, at and during the time such contract is being done.

Mr. Grieve will ask the Government if they are aware of the destructive fire at the public buildings in the Stratford on Friday last, and as to the nature of the contract for the new roof, the putting on of which was the cause of the fire.

Mr. Flint will move to place books publisheded by fraternal or charitable societies or religious associations and not intended for sale on the free list.

Mr. Lister, the member for West Lambton, left for Toronto this evening.

The vice-regal party left for Kingston this morning.

Try Derby Plug Smoking Tobacco, 5, 10 & 20c Plugs.

To Be Optional.

Conmee's Separate School Bill Again Discussed,

And Secures a Majority of 22 on a Division.

Mr. Fraser Speaks and Votes in Favor of the Measure—Mr. McNaughton's Name Among the Yeas.

[Special to the ADVERTISER.]

PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS, TORONTO, April 24.—The debate on Mr. Conmee's Separate Schools Bill was continued to-day. The House held its first morning session. Mr. Fraser attempted to proceed with his argument, so prematurely stopped yesterday, but had not gone far before he was again forced to take his seat. He was followed by Mr. Clancy and Mr. White.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Mr. White, resuming his speech, accused the Commissioner of Public Works of being recreant to his duty regarding separate schools. He maintained that the bill was only a half way measure, and said he had no objection to a compulsory ballot.

Mr. Balfour said he knew the minority in the constituencies of Mr. White and Mr. Clancy would not accept them as the true exponents of Roman Catholic opinion on this question. He pointed out that Mr. White would not have secured a seat in the House last election had he not disavowed the school policy of his leader and run as an independent candidate upon that question. Mr. Balfour then referred to the intolerance which Mr. Meredith had always shown. The latest evidence of this was seen in the class of men who surrounded him at his nomination a few weeks since—Mr. Essery and Mr. Coo—men ever ready to raise cries of bigotry, and to misrepresent all that Catholics held most dear. The Government did not court the enmity of anybody, but it was not going to ally itself with such an organization as that to which the persons mentioned belonged. He challenged any member of the Opposition to denounce the teachings of the P. P. A. on the floor of the House. (Cheers.) Protestants were strong enough to do justice to the Catholics in this Province, and that was the reason he intended to favor the bill.

Mr. Clarke (Toronto) said—speaking solely for himself—he would like to see the separate schools abolished. He would not like to see this done, however, without the consent of the laity of the Catholic Church. He thought a curriculum should be formed which would meet with the approval of both Catholics and Protestants, so that all children could be educated at public and national schools.

Mr. Meredith said while Mr. Conmee was ransacking history yesterday to show the unflinching loyalty of Catholics to their sovereign his (Mr. Conmee's) mind was at a Donnybrook fair calling upon the Opposition to tread on the tail of his coat. (Applause.) When members of the Government accused him of saying that Protestants should unite as against a common foe they uttered a slander. He then endeavored to demonstrate that the charge was unfounded. He denied that his whole course in public life was actuated by a desire for office. If he had wanted office he would have secured it long ago. But there was no office in Canada tempting enough to make him swerve from what he owed his conscience. Mr. Meredith concluded by maintaining that there was nothing more calculated to divest the coming generation of the bitterness which has characterized past years than that all the children of the Province should sit together in the same schools.

Sir Oliver Mowat, referring to Mr. Meredith's boast that he could have had office long ago, said that he did not know what the honorable gentleman could do that he had not already tried in order to gain power and place. He had adopted every policy and principle in sight; changed so often, in fact, that even his own supporters did not know where he was. Sir Oliver expressed his approval of the ballot system—he thought it should be adopted—but he was not going to be a party to forcing it upon Catholics. Catholics were the best judges of what they wanted, and Catholics, he knew, were largely against the ballot.

Mr. Fraser spoke for a few minutes. He said that if he had any doubts at first of the stand he should take, those doubts, after hearing Messrs. White, Clancy and Meredith, had been entirely dissipated. According to the position they took, he understood the Catholics were to have no option in the matter, but were to be deprived of the rights and privileges with which they were now constitutionally clothed. He did not propose to indorse that position—he did not propose to help the agitation of the Opposition by giving his vote against the bill. He perferred to retain a final discussion until some future time, until he saw what amendments were made. He would vote for the second reading. In conclusion Mr. Fraser said that upon constitutional grounds he believed the House had no right to enforce upon Roman Catholics the compulsory ballot in separate school trustee elections.

The vote resulted in 52 yeas and 30 nays —a majority of 22 for the bill. Messrs. McCallum (P. P. A.) and Campbell (Equal Rights) voted in the negative. Mr. McNaughton joined the majority.

The bill was referred to a special committee.

EVENING SESSION.

Mr. McCallum (P. P. A.) introduced his Compulsory Ballot Bill, which is even more striking in its forcible and inquisitorial features than the motion of Mr. Meredith, and spoke for five minutes. Mr. Evanturel, of Prescott, replied in an eloquent address. He aroused great interest by his historical references, and was frequently interrupted by loud applause. Sol White, Dr. Ryerson, Hon. Mr. Fraser and Hon. Mr. Ross spoke. The Minister of Education explaining at length the provisions of the bill.

The division resulted in a vote of 53 to 28 against the bill. Sol. White, Mr. McNaughton (Patron), and the Reformers voted against the bill.

Grand Trunk Changes.

PORT HURON, Mich., April 25.—Notice has been posted by the Grand Trunk that after Sept. 1 all call boys will be removed from Fort Gratiot. This means that about 300 traffic men will have to remove from Fort Gratiot to the tunnel or to Battle Creek.

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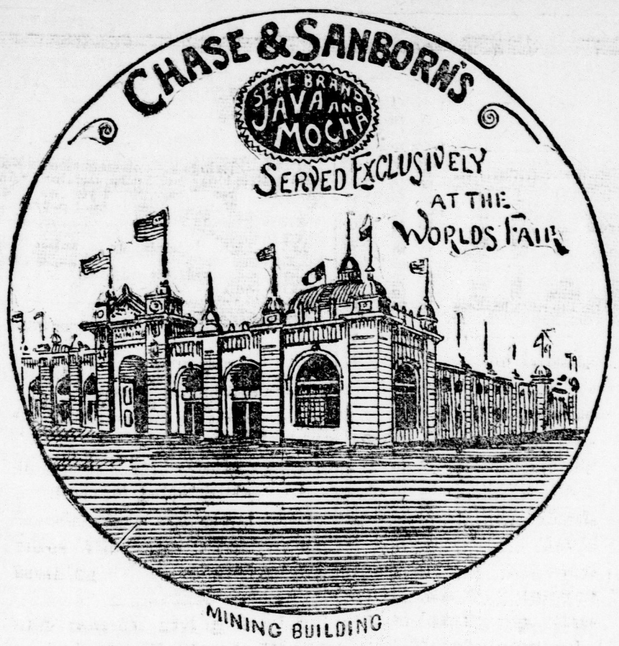

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NYACK, N. Y., April 24.—The seventeen-year locusts appeared by the thousands to-day, coming up through holes in the ground which looked as though made with a cane, and varying from one to three feet in depth. At sunset the larvæ again retired into these holes. If the weather is warm they be able to climb this week and then the destruction of young foliage will begin. Most of the grubs which came out to-day were very lively. They are precisely like those which appeared in 1877. The larvæ from under moss have been sheltered in perfectly formed clay nests, similar to wasp nets. The average depth at which they are now found is one foot, showing that they have traveled from two to three feet within two weeks. Large numbers have been discovered in Illinois and Missouri within a few days.

THE ADVANCE OF SCIENCE.

The Case of a Young Lady Whose Friends Thought Her Going Into a Decline—After Repeated Efforts She Finds a Cure.

Among the remedies whose healing powers have won great fame, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People easily take foremost place. This conclusion must force itself upon those who read the numerous well-authenticated cures made public through the press. A reporter of the Montreal Herald recently learned that Miss Sarah Dillon, cashier in the establishment of Messrs. J. J. Hannan, had been restored to health by the timely use of Pink Pills. Calling upon her, she was found willing to make known the benefits she had received. Miss Dillon stated that last year she was seriously unwell. She was just on the point of giving up her situation, when, providentially, she came across a leaflet describing the curative effects of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. She made up her mind to give them a fair trial and before the sixth box was finished felt as well and strong as she could wish for. What Miss Dillon complained of chiefly was complete loss of appetite, sick headache, indigestion, and mental depression. Besides she was easily fatigued, almost incapable of the least exertion. Her friends thought she was going into a decline. She was pale and anæmic looking and lost weight considerably. She tried many medicines but without avail. She felt herself rapidly getting worse. A doctor was called in and the treatment prescribed carefully followed, but there was no change for the better and nothing seemed to be of the least benefit until she began using Pink Pills. She is now the picture of health and the langour and depression she suffered so much from are no longer there. Miss Dillon expressed the opinion that if Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were more universally used, much of the sickness and consequent wretchedness and unhappiness, unfortunately so common amongst us, would be entirely unknown. The gratifying results following the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in this case prove that they are unequaled as a blood builder and nerve tonic. In the case of young girls, pale, listless, troubled with a fluttering or palpitation of the heart, weak and easily tired, no time should be lost in taking a course of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which will speedily enrich the blood, and bring a rosy glow of health to the cheeks. These pills are a positive cure for all troubles arising from a vitiated condition of the blood or a shattered nerve system. Sold by all dealers or by mail from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont., or Schenectady, N. Y., at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2 50. There are numerous imitations and substitutions against which the public is cautioned.

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COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

Latest Market Reports by Mail and Telegraph.

London Money Market.

LONDON, April 25-12:30 p.m.—Consols, 100 3-16 for money, 100¼ for account; Mexican, 16¾; Mexican Central, 5⅞; St. Paul, 63⅞; Erie, 16¾; Erie, seconds, 80⅞; Pacific Central, 51⅞; Reading, 10; Canadian Pacific, 69⅝; New York Central, 102; Illinois Central, 95½; Bank of England rate, 2 per cent.; open market discount, 1 1-16 to 1⅛.

Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, April 25.

	Ask.	Off.
C. P. R.	68¾	67¾
Duluth Railway, common	8	6
Duluth Railway, preferred	18	15
Grand Trunk Ry., firsts	—	—
Grand Trunk Ry., seconds	—	—
Commercial Cable Company	145	144½
Wabash	—	—
Wabash preferred	—	—
Montreal Telegraph Co	149	148¾
Rich. and Ont. Navigation	80	77
Montreal Street Railway	145	144
Montreal Gas Company	179	178½
Bell Telephone Company	152	151
Royal Electric	142	135
Bank of Montreal	230	228
Ontario Bank	—	113
Banque du Peuple	125¼	120
Molsons Bank	172	—
Bank of Toronto	—	250
Banque Cartier	125	118
Merchants' Bank	175	165
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	152	147
Union Bank	104	—
Bank of Commerce	143½	142½
N. W. Land Company	—	—
Montreal Cotton Company	129¾	125
Canada Colored Cotton Co.	70½	65
Dominion Cotton Company	120	107

SALES—Com. Cable, 25 at 144⅞; Montreal Telegraph, 100 at 149; Montreal Street, 50 at 143¾, 75 at 144; Montreal Gas, 25 at 178½; Bell Telephone 21 ar 151½; Banque du Peuple, 3 at 123, 42 at 125.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, April 25—1 p.m.—Stock market steady.

Atchison	14½	C., B. & Q.	80½
Can. Southern	51½	Can. Pacific	—
Del. & Hudson	139	L. & N.	50½
Lake Shore	—	D. & L.	163
Nor. Pacific	4⅝	Nor. Pacific, pref.	19½
Northwestern	107½	Mich. Central	—
Rhode Island	69½	N. Y. C.	99½
St. Paul	62½	St. Paul, pref.	—
Union Pac.	—	Western Union	84½
American Express	—	St. P. M. and M.	—

Toronto Stock Market

TORONTO, April 25.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	230	226½
Ontario	115	113½
Molsons	172	—
Toronto	—	251
Merchants	170	165¾
Commerce	143	142½
Imperial	189	188
Dominion	283	281½
Standard	173½	172½
Hamilton	170	169
British America	115	113
Western Assurance	153	152
Canada Life	—	—
Confederation Life	—	—
Consumers Gas	—	—
Dominion Telegraph	—	109
Northwest Land Company, pref.	70	—
Northwest Land Company, com.	—	11
Canada Pacific Railway Stock	68	67½
Commercial Cable Company	145	144½
Bell Telephone Company	—	—
Dominion Savings and Loan	84	83
Farmers' Loan and Savings	—	—
Farmers L. and S., 20 per cent.	—	109
Huron and Erie L. and S.	—	160
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent.	—	150
London and Canada, L. and A.	126½	126
London Loan	107	—
London and Ontario	—	—
Ontario Loan and Debenture	—	130

SALES—Standard, 10 at 172¾; Hamilton, 5 at 169; British America, 4 at 113½; London and Canada, 1 at 126.

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COMMERCIAL.

Local Market.

Reported by A. M Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Wednesday, April 25.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

This week's business has been small on the market, owing to light receipts and high prices. Farmers have been busy seeding, consequently they were too busy to bring in any grain. On the other hand dealers do not seem to look for a maintenance of the high prices now ruling oats and peas, and the result has been a check to both lines.

Oats that sold at $1 13 on Tuesday sold on Wednesday at $1 10 and $1 11, one load bringing $1 12, and there is every indication that if receipts continue as they are now, lower prices will be the result.

Peas have sold at 95c to $1 06, and one load of extra nice quality sold at $1 08.

Sales of wheat were mostly made between 95c and $1—95c to 97c for red, and 98c to $1 for white, receipts being small and the demand good. This market has not responded to outside influences. Chicago and the other large centers have sold off 2c.

Corn sales and receipts were small and prices unchanged.

No rye, buckwheat, beans or barley offered.

Butter fell about 2c per pound on all grades. The close was 20c to 23c for pound rolls retail and 18c to 21c for basket lots. Crocks and large rolls sold at 16c to 18c according to quality.

Eggs steady; receipts good; demand firm; baskets 9c to 10c, single dozens 12c.

Poultry quiet; both demand and offering small.

The meat supply was moderate; receipts chiefly mutton and beef. Prices ruled steady in all lines but lamb which sold at 6c to 8c per pound.

The trade in hides, skins, tallow and wool was steady and prices unchanged; demand firm.

Potatoes were quite scarce at the opening of the week, and there was quite a scramble some days to obtain supplies. Towards the close some heavy shipments from outside put a stop to the rush, and prices settled down to 55c to 60c by the load, 70c to 75c by the bag.

Field carrots sold at 20c to 25c per bushel by the load.

Nursery men made a good showing of evergreen and other kinds of trees.

Hay closes steady at a decline of 50c. Sales $8 as a rule.

Quotations:

				Sales
GRAIN.				
Wheat, white, fall, 100 lbs	$1 00	to	1 00	
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs	97	to	97	
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	00	to	00	
Oats, per 100 lbs	1 12	to	1 13	
Peas, per 100 lbs	90	to	1 00	
Corn, per 100 lbs	90	to	95	
Barley, per 100 lbs	85	to	1 00	
Rye, per 100 lbs	90	to	1 00	
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	1 00	to	1 00	
Beans, per bu	90	to	1 00	
PROVISIONS.				
Eggs fresh, single doz	11	to	12	
Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz	9	to	10	
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz	10	to	10	
Butter, single rolls, per lb	22	to	23	
Butter, per lb, 1 lb rolls, baskets	18	to	20	
Butter, per lb, large rolls or crocks	16	to	18	
Butter, per lb, tub or firkins	18	to	18	
Lard, per lb	11	to	12	
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.				
Beef, carcass, per lb	4	to	6	
Mutton, quarters, per lb	6	to	6	
Veal, quarters, per lb	5	to	6	
Lamb, quarters, per lb	7	to	8	
Dressed hogs, 100 lb	5 50	to	6 00	
Hides, No. 1, per lb	3	to	0	
Hides, No 2 per lb	2	to	0	
Hides, No. 3, per lb	1	to	0	
Calfskins, green, per lb	4	to	0	
Calfskins, dry, each	20	to	20	
Sheepskins, each	60	to	65	
Lambskins, each	00	to	00	
Pelts each	00	to	00	
Wool per lb	17	to	18	
Tallow, rendered, per lb	5½	to	5½	
Tallow, rough, per lb	3	to	3	
Wood, hard	4 00	to	4 50	
Wood soft	2 50	to	2 50	
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.				
Apples, per bag	1 00	to	1 50	
Cauliflowers, per dozen	1 00	to	1 50	
Potatoes, per bag	60	to	60	
Carrots, per bu	25	to	25	
Turnips, per bu	20	to	20	
Parsnips, per bu	50	to	50	
Cabbages, per doz	25	to	45	
Celery, per doz	25	to	55	
Squashes, per doz	55	to	1 00	
Onions, per bu	80	to	80	
HAY AND SEEDS.				
Hay, per ton	$ 00	to	8 50	
Straw, per load	2 50	to	3 50	
Clover seed, red, per bu	6 00	to	6 25	
Clover seed, Alsike, per bu	6 00	to	6 75	
Timothy seed, per bu	1 50	to	2 25	
Hungarian seed, per bu	0 00	to	0 00	
Millet seed, per bu	00	to		

Toronto Market.

TORONTO, April 25.

FLOUR—Straight roller, $2 70 to $2 80; extra $2 40 to $2 50.

WHEAT—White, 58c to 60c; spring, No. 2, 60c to 60c; red winter, 58c to 60c; goose, 58c to 58c; Manitoba hard, No. 1, 73c to 73c; Manitoba hard, No. 2, 71c to 71c.

PEAS—No. 2, 55c to 55c.

BARLEY—No. 1, 41c to 42c.

FEED—40c to 40c.

OATS—No. 2, 33c to 33½c.

Market dull. Sales—No. 1 Man. hard wheat outside at 73c, and do No. 2 at 71c; straight roller flour Toronto freights at $2 57; oats outside at 33c and to arrive at 38½c.

Montreal Produce Market.

MONTREAL, April 25.

FLOUR—Receipts, 1,600 bbls.; market quiet and unchanged. Patents, winter, $3 40 to $3 60; do. spring, $3 60 to $3 70; straight roller, $3 00 to $3 10; extra, $2 60 to $2 80; superfine, $2 50 to $2 70; strong bakers, $3 50 to $3 60; Ontario bags, $1 35 to $1 40.

GRAIN—Wheat No. 2 Manitoba hard, 74c to 76c; corn, 53c to 55c; peas, 70c to 72c; oats, 40c to 41c; barley, 50c to 53c; rye, 51c to 53c.

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

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, $17 00 to $18 00; lard, 8c to 10c; bacon, 10c to 12c; hams, 9c to 11c; cheese, 10c to 11c; butter, townships, 21c to 23c; western, 19c to 21c; eggs, 10c to 11c.

English Markets.

Beerbohm's report by cable.

LONDON April 25.

Floating cargoes — Wheat rather easier; corn none.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat very inactive; corn quiet.

Mark Lane—Wheat very little demand; corn turn easier; flour turn easier. Spot good No. 2 club Cal. wheat 23s 6d, was 24s; present and following month 23s 6d, was 24s; do good Danube corn 18s, was 18s 6d; prompt 18s, was 18s 3d; do mixed American corn 18s 3d, was 18s 6d; straight Minn. flour 15s, was 15s; good cargoes No. 1 Cal. off coast 24s 3d to 24s 6d, was 24s 9d; do Australian off coast 24s 6d, was 24s 3d; present and following month 25s, was 25s 3d; do Chilian off coast 23s, was 23s; present and following month 23s 3d, was 23s 6d; do Walla off coast 23s, was 23s; present and following month 23s 3d, was 23s 6d.

London—Good shipping No. 1 Cal. prompt sail 25s, was 25s 3d; nearly due 24s 6d, was 24s 9d; No. 2 R. W. prompt steamer 24s 6d, was 24s 9d; present and following month 22s 6d, was 22s 9d; La Platta wheat off coast 22s, was 21s 9d; present and following month 21s 6d, was 21s 9d.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firm, not active; corn higher prices asked but no advance established.

LIVERPOOL, April 25.

The quotations for the past three market days are as follows:

	April 23.		April 24.		April 25.	
	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.	S. D.
Spring	Nominal		Nominal		Nominal	
Red Winter	4 11	5 0½	4 11	5 1	4 11	5 0½
No. 1 Cal.	5 1	5 2	5 1	5 2	5 1½	5 2
Corn, new	3 10½	0 0	3 10½	0 0	3 11	0 0
Peas, per c.	5 0	0 0	5 0	0 0	5 1	0 0
Pork (new)	70 0	0 0	71 3	0 0	71 3	0 0
Lard	40 0	0 0	39 6	0 0	39 6	0 0
Bacon, h'vy.	34 0	0 0	34 0	0 0	34 0	0 0
Bacon light.	35 6	0 0	35 6	0 0	35 6	0 0
Tallow	25 6	0 0	25 6	0 0	25 6	0 0
Cheese, wh.	59 0	0 0	59 0	0 0	59 0	0 0
Cheese, col.	59 0	0 0	59 0	0 0	59 0	0 0

Wheat — Quiet, demand poor, holders offer moderately; corn firm, demand moderate.

American Markets.

TOLEDO, April 25.

WHEAT—57⅞c cash and April; 58c asked May; 60⅞c asked July.

CORN—40c cash; 39c May.

OATS—34c bid cash.

CHICAGO, Ill., April 24.

Wheat market at opening to-day was weak on lower cables; shortly before the close there was covering by the shorts, which caused unusual strength, and prices were rapidly advanced, May closing at ⅞c and July ⅝c higher than yesterday. Corn closed strong with a gain of ⅜c over yesterday. Oats followed corn, closing ⅛c higher. Provisions were weak until near the close, when they advanced in sympathy with grain. May pork was 7½c over yesterday, May lard 5½c lower, and May ribs higher by 5c.

THE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED.

WHEAT—No. 2 April, 58½c; May, 58⅝c; July, 60⅝c; Sept., 62⅝c.

CORN—No. 2 April, 38⅝c; May, 38⅝c; July, 39⅝c; Sept., 40⅝c.

OATS—No. 2 April, 32½c; May, 33c; July, 29½c; Sept., 25½c.

MESS PORK—May, $12 40; July, $12 55.

LARD—May, $7 47½; July, $7 10.

SHORT RIBS—May, $6 50; July, $6 37½.

CASH QUOTATIONS:

Flour in moderate demand; feeling was barely steady; prices favoring buyer; No. 2 spring wheat, 57½c; No. 2 spring wheat, 52c to 62c; No. 2 red, 58c; No. 2 corn, 38⅝c; No. 2 oats, 33c; No. 2 rye, 48½c; No. 2 barley, 56c; mess pork, $12 42½ to $12 45; lard, $7 47½ to $7 55; short ribs sides, $6 55 to $6 60; dry, salted shoulders, $6 20 to $6 25; short clear sides, $6 87½ to $7 12½.

Receipts—			
Flour	17,000	Wheat	23,000
Corn	190,000	Oats	135,000
Rye	8,000	Barley	5,000
Shipments—			
Flour	4,000	Wheat	90,000
Corn	157,000	Oats	130,000
Rye	3,000	Barley	5,000

NEW YORK, April 24.

FLOUR—Steady.

RYE—Dull; western, 48c to 57c.

BARLEY—Dull; No. 2 Milwaukee, 66c to 67c.

PEAS—Canada, 70c.

WHEAT—Receipts, 90,000 bu; exports, 207,000 bu; sales, 8,435,000 bu futures; 90,000 bu spot; spots, firmer; No. 2 red, store and elevator, 61½c to 62c; ungraded red, 58c to 63c; No. 1 northern, 70½c to 70⅞c; options steady; No. 2 red, April, 61½c; May, 61⅞c; June, 62⅜c; July, 64¼c.

CORN—Receipts, 120,000 bu; exports, 194,000 bu; sales, 320,000 bu futures 41,000 bu spot; spots firmer; No. 2, 44c to 44½c, elevator; options firm; April, 44½c; May, 44½c; June, 44⅞c; July, 45⅝c.

OATS—Receipts, 92,000 bu; exports, 2,000 bu; sales, 70,000 bu futures, 35,000 bu spot; spots firm; options dull; April, 38½c; May, 37½c; July, 36½c; No. 2 white, May, 39⅝c; spot No. 2, 39½c; No. 2 white, 30½c; No. 2 Chicago, 40½c; No. 3, 38½c; No. 3 white, 40c; mixed western, 39½c to 40½c; white do, 40c to 45c.

EGGS—Firm; State and Pennsylvania, 12c; western fresh, 11½c.

RICE—Steady; domestic, 3½c to 5½c.

MOLASSES—Steady; 30c to 33c.

COFFEE—Options dull; sales, 13,000 bags, including April, $15 80; May, $15 65 to $15 70; July, $15 15 to $15 20; Aug., $14 85; spot Rio, steady, No. 7, 17c.

SUGAR—Steady; standard "A," 4 1-16c to 4¼c; confectioners' "A," 3 15-16c to 4⅛c; cut-loaf and crushed, 4 13-16c to 5c; powdered, 4 5-16c to 4½c; granulated, 4 1-16c to 4⅜c.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 24.

WHEAT—Spring wheat closed strong and higher; quiet. The first lake cargo of hard wheat of the season is expected to be on the market Saturday; closing firm: No. 1 hard, 72c; No. 1 northern, 69c; Chicago, 64c to 65c; spot No. 1 hard, c. i. f., 66⅝c; No. 1 northern, do, 65⅝c. Sales were: 2,000 bu No. 1 hard, 71½c; 3,000 bu do, 72c; 5,000 bu No. 1 Northern, 69c, spot; 1,050 bu No. 1 northern, c. i. f., 65c. Winter wheat—Dull; No. 1 white and No. 2 red, 60c.

CORN—Offerings light on track: 2 cars No. 2 yellow, 44½c; 1 car No. 2 corn, 43c; closing dull. Sales in store: 9 cars No. 2 yellow, 42½c; 2 cars No. 3 yellow, 42½c; 18,000 bu No. 2 corn, in lots, 41½c; 5,000 bu No. 3 corn, 41c; 6,000 bu do on private terms.

OATS—Light receipts; firm. Sales: 1 car No. 1 white, 40c; 1 car No. 2 white, 39c; 1 car choice No. 2 mixed, 38⅝c, on track.

RYE—Dull; No. 2, 53c.

FLOUR—Fair inquiry; steady.

MILLFEED—Quiet.

CANAL FREIGHTS—No engagements.

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.

EAST BUFFALO, April 24.—Cattle—Only a peddling trade; market steady.

Sheep and Lambs—Offerings 16 cars; not enough doing to make a market. Heavy wool sheep and lambs not wanted and constituted nearly all the offerings.

Hogs—Ten cars on sale; market steady for choice to 5c lower for light grades and pigs.

British Cattle Markets

John Swan & Sons, Edinburgh, in their weekly report of April 13, says: The number of fat cattle on offer at the various markets this week has been larger. On account of the large foreign importations English buyers have operated less freely, being unable to compete with the local demand, and trade has been a little worse than last week. There were 712 States cattle sold in Glasgow this week, and these are reported to have made a good trade at fully last week's prices. Fat cows met a better trade; bulls about the same. Fat sheep have been shown in rather larger numbers, and they have met a trade somewhat similar to that of last week. Fat lambs also were forward in increased numbers, and have met a worse trade, a good many of these having been sent too early to market. Calves and pigs cheaper. A fairly large number of store cattle and sheep have been offered, the best descriptions meeting a good demand. A fair clearance of this class of stock has been effected. Milch cows met a decidedly worse trade at a considerable reduction in price. Best beef, 7s 3d to 7s 6d; secondary, 6s 9d per stone; best mutton, 8½d to 8¾c; secondary, 7⅜d per lb.

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LONDON AND ENVIRONS

—The London Furniture Manufacturing Company commenced running on full time again yesterday.

—The wife of Rev. W. J. Saunby, the returned missionary, who has been ill in Toronto, is now said to be recovering.

—Mayor Essery is away again, and Ald. Judd is acting mayor. The amount of civic traveling this year bids fair to leave last year's big record away behind.

—The Forest City Quoit Club will meet at their grounds on the corner of Bathurst and Colborne streets on Friday, at 7 o'clock, for reorganization purposes.

—Mr. W. D. Buckle has sold to James Cowan & Co. that fine warehouse at No. 102 Dundas street. The firm will convert it into a wholesale hardware establishment.

—The lighting committee of the City Council are determined to show the mayor up. A cluster of incandescent lights have been placed by his chair in the council chamber.

—City Engineer Graydon and Engineer De Gurse, of the Lake Erie and Detroit River road, are counting ties over the Port Stanley road to-day. They are making a thorough inspection.

The London customs officials have confiscated six consignments of lottery tickets. Two batches were addressed to well-known hotel-keepers here, and four to people in Alvinston, Exeter, and another point.

—Mr. John Pring, of 14 Hope street, whose peculiar illness, caused by a swelling in the neck, was mentioned in these columns, died yesterday and will be buried Friday. He was a lather by trade. Mr. Pring was the petitioner in the late London election trial.

—The London Collegiate Institute Lawn Tennis Club have decided to begin operations as soon as possible. The following officers have been appointed for the ensuing season: E. J. McRobert (chairman of the School Board), patron; Principal Merchant, honorary president; W. McClement, president; G. A. Andrus, secretary-treasurer. The grounds are being put into good shape and backsteps are being erected to catch wild balls, and play will probably begin this week.

—About 89 members were present at the regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. yesterday afternoon. The president, Mrs. Thornley, led the opening exercises and the usual Bible reading. Business in connection with the coming Dominion convention occupied considerable attention. On motion it was decided to set apart May 1 as a day of prayer, services to be held at Somerset Hall from 3 to 5 p.m., and to be divided into half-hour meetings, four different ladies to take charge, the following to be the burden of the petitions: "That in the present temperance crisis in our Province and Dominion both temperance leaders and Christian voters might be guided of God." A request has been sent throughout the Province that during the week beginning April 29 every church, young people's Christian society and temperance organization should at a midweek prayer service especially plead for this cause. Mrs. John Cameron gave a brief report of the proceedings of the Woman's Council at the late convention in Ottawa. Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. Douglas and Mrs. Carson discussed portions of the provincial report in seven minute papers. During the afternoon very pleasing duets were rendered by Mesdames Gibson and Cockeril, also by Mesdames Claude and Max Armstrong.

A Hard Question to Dispose Of.

Duncan C. Frazer, the Guysboro giant, who addressed the Young Liberals of London a year ago, to their great enjoyment, rose to address the public accounts committee at Ottawa the other day amid shouts of "Question! Question!" from the Conservative members. "You needn't shout question," said the tall and thick Liberal, "I'm the question before the chair." "Yes, and you're a big question," said Dr. Landerkin. "Whether in my capacity as a question I am large or small," retorted Mr. Frazer, "I am a question that the honorable Conservative gentlemen cannot dispose of either here or elsewhere."

Col. Payne Thanked.

At a meeting of the members of the Seventh Battalion band, it was moved and carried unanimously that a vote of thanks be respectfully tendered to Col. Payne upon his retirement from the command of the battalion, for the many kindnesses received at his hands, and that the band, while regretting the loss of their colonel, will be glad to hear of his future success in whatever field of usefulness he may enter.

Rogers' Condition Unchanged.

The condition of Micheal Rogers, the man who attempted to commit suicide on the market by drinking ammonia on Monday night, is still precarious. The hospital staff have little hopes of his recovery. The fiery fluid played havoc with the man's stomach, and it may be a long time before he gets better. It is said that Rogers was given lodgings at the police station on Saturday night, April 14, and that on the morning following he told a policeman that he had not expected to come out alive, as he had drank a large quantity of laudanum before he went in.

Rowing Club Items.

The management committee of the London Rowing and Canoe Club held a meeting yesterday in Mr. M. J. Kent's office. It was decided to make a clay tennis court at the club grounds. This is something new, and it is said to be away ahead of the grass court for sharp work. Owing to the increased interest evinced in bowling another set of bowls will be procured. About 60 new members have joined the club already this season, and the club house is now in full swing. The janitor is in attendance, the platform down and the boats ready for use. Drinking water will be provided from the Becher street main instead of piping it through the river as formerly. This will insure cool drinks for the members. All efforts will be directed to make the coming summer regatta a success, and it is hoped that the river will be kept at a respectable level.

A Local Cigarmaker Hurt.

A Port Arthur dispatch says: "A man named Dyer, a cigarmaker, from London, Ont., who was stealing a ride on a freight train, was badly injured in a pitch-in near the Kaministiquia last (Monday) night. He was brought here in a conductor's van this morning and placed in St. Joseph's hospital." The unfortunate man is supposed to be Edward Dyer, who left London about a week ago to go to Winnipeg. Dyer's parents were both drowned in the Victoria disaster. He has a brother living in Detroit and another in Toronto. His age is probably 26 and he is well known to the police here. About a month ago he finished serving eight months for larceny and was arrested the very next day after his discharge in a north end ranch. He was then escorted to the city limits by a policeman. He came back again, however, and was in town until about a week ago, when he started on his ill-fated trip.

Companions' Concert.

The South London Companions of the Forest gave a well-attended entertainment in Court Brighton hall last night. Miss Lily White, past chief companion, was in the chair, and in an opening speech gave a short exposition of the advantages attached to membership in the order. An amusing sketch, entitled "Unappreciated Genius," was produced by Misses Maggie Connors, Lily White, Bertie Gunn, Floe Gunn and Lou Hessel, and met with great favor. The remainder of the programme comprised instrumentals, recitations and songs by Misses Minnie and Bertha Bradford, Cora Packham, Beta Crofts, Bertie Land, Daisy Lewis, Winnie Atkinson, and Messrs. A. M. Legg and W. Shipman. Comp. A. D. Hodgins, P. C. C., was presented by Comp. W. Hart with a past chief's regalia as a token for valuable services to the circle. The newly-formed drill corps in connection with Forest Home made its first appearance, and was directed through several movements by Bro. A. Sutherland, who has kindly undertaken the instruction of the ladies in this new departure of Forestry.

THE VOTING MILL

Still Grinding Away at the Court House.

The Grist of Voters—The Names Off and On.

Tuesday Afternoon.

The court of revision resumed operations at 3 o'clock, and sat till 6. Judge Elliot at first endeavored to have all objections first taken up and then the additions, but that course of procedure appeared impossible—at least it did not last long.

Among the list was an objection by the Conservatives against retaining Arch. McNeil. McNeil was placed in the stand, and in defending his right said that he was an employe of Messrs. C. S. Hyman & Co., and the ground for objection was that McNeil did not reside in the city. Witness said that his home was in London, that he was a traveler for his employers, and that a great portion of his time was spent at Hymansville, Mich., about six miles from a place called Meredith. The objection was dismissed.

The following is the list of the

CONSERVATIVE OBJECTIONS DISMISSED.

Joseph and James Henry, Dugald M. Campbell, Robert J. Wiggins, John M. McIntosh, Albert McIntosh, Peter Stover, Abraham Jacobs, Malcolm McCrimmon, Alex. Calder, Frank Arderly, W. Fitzhenry, Daniel Gray, Arthur Carron, Arch McNeil, John Povey, Alex. Kippin, Thos. W. Fitzgerald, John Johnston, Andrew Johnston.

LIBERAL OBJECTIONS DISMISSED.

Arthur T. Essery, W. W. Rogers, John Reynolds.

CONSERVATIVE OBJECTIONS ALLOWED.

J. M. McIntosh, James Leonard, W. H. Matthews.

LIBERAL OBJECTIONS ALLOWED.

E. H. Cowan, W. E. Fitzgerald, Alex. Gardiner, F. Fiddies, W. Kay, David Currie, John and George Haun, Frederick Everett, Prof. J. W. G. Andras.

LIBERAL ADDITIONS.

Charles Latta, Edmund R. Porter.

CONSERVATIVE ADDITIONS.

E. L. J. Stein, Cyril A. Anderson, Chas. Simmonds, Harry J. W. Ball, W. H. Switzer.

REPEATERS.

The following were on the lists in two places and were struck off once: W. G. Cole, E. Dodd, T. D. Fawcett, John B. Smyth, R. R. Moore, C. P. Moore, A. Patten, Nathaniel Mills, Joseph Fallows, J. McKenzie, Alex. Purdom, Mansell Bowers, George H. Allen, Fred Winstone.

OBJECTIONS BY BOTH PARTIES.

The following were objected to by both parties and by consent struck off: Charles Bradley, Harry Miller, James E. McGuff, Luke Rose, Harry Weir, Alex. Murdock, Fred Grigg.

LAID OVER.

Frank Tallman, objected to by Liberals; Geo. Nemins, objection by Conservatives; E. W. Taylor, Jas. Morden, John Moody, James Eyres, Liberal objections; Nicholas Ranahan and Wm. O'Neil, Conservative objections; Wm. Hill, Wm. Grant, Henry A. Winnett and the rights of Leslie Armitage, Benj. Appleyard, David Collins, Montague Burford, Thos. Farr, George McQuillen, Jas. A. McCracken and George A. Robson, students at Huron College, were allowed to stand for argument. They were all Liberal objections.

CHANGES MADE.

Robert Winslade changed to Alfred W.; Wesley Johnston to Leslie; Robert Simpkins to Robert Siggins.

The names of John Mitchell and Wm. McNaughton were struck off, as both parties are dead.

Wednesday Morning.

The court of revision met this morning at 10. The accustomed grist of lawyers were on deck, and when the representatives of the Tory party got tired Assessor McCoubrey gave them a lift. The only argument which arose throughout the session was on the Liberal objections to the names of George A. Robson, Thomas Farr, Benjamin Appleyard, V. M. Durnsworth, George McQuillen, Leslie Armitage, David Collins and James A. McCracken remaining on the list. All are students at the Huron College, and Mr. Cowan questioned them as to their rights to be on the list. One of them was asked where he came from.

"Huron county," was the reply.

"Are you on the lists up there?"

"Yes."

"How do you know?"

"I wrote and found out."

"And should you be on there?"

"I think so."

"Well, so do I," rejoined Mr. Cowan, "but the judge thinks differently."

The objections were all dismissed, despite the section of the law providing for the student away from home retaining his franchise where the family domicile is situated.

ADDITIONS.

Liberals—Henry Fitzsimmons, Jeff N. Wood, James Cummings and Wm. Todd. John Sherlock was already on. Herbert Johnston was refused.

Conservative—Oscar Hopper, Joseph Grafts, W. H. C. Edmunds, Wm. N. Montgomery, Fred Finchamp, Ed. E. Anderson, John Siggins, Richard Stanley, Ernest Crittle, Jas. Young, Chas. Rollins, Joseph C. Smith, Jas. C. Smith, David Whittaker, John Whittaker, Alfred B. Blake-Foster, Albert Cleveland, Ernest E. Waspe, Robt. Chatto, Wm. Campbell, Hugh Douglas, George Newman, Erastus Hessell, James Georgieson, John Insell and Geo. Guilfyle. The application of John Livingston was refused.

OBJECTIONS DISMISSED.

Conservative—Charles Corrigan, John Connors, Stephen Hines, Patrick Deehan, Chas. Needham, Henry Griffin, Wm. A. Mackay, Wm. C. Mackay, George Hill and Wm. MacKanna.

Liberal—W. J. Strong, Fred. Onn, Francis Friendship, Chas. Thompson, Jas. Johnston, John Dilloway, Frank Farnsworth, Jas. Eyres, Alf. Howell, Wm. Minhinnick, Alex. Johnston, John M. Farrow, George A. Robson, Thomas Farr, Benj. Appleyard, V. M. Durnsworth, Geo. McQuillen, M. D. McGinnes, Leslie Armitage, David Collins, Benj. Johnston, Jas. A. McCracken, George Ardell, Wm. Ardell and W. H. Leeman.

OBJECTIONS ALLOWED.

Liberal—George E. Elliot, Joseph Finch and John E. Johnson.

Conservative—Nicholas Ranahan and Wm. Callahan.

OBJECTED TO BY BOTH PARTIES.

Alfred Nurse, Walter Gardiner, George Martin, Joseph Lancaster, Bert Carl and Samuel Gamble—all struck off.

PERSONAL APPLICATIONS, ETC.

The personal application of Covert Jarvis, Stanley street, South London, was allowed.

Geo. B. Lindsay (Lib.) was the only repeater. He was struck off once.

The case of John Robinson, Jas. Anderson and Aaron Musser were left over.

The corrections made by consert were Benj. Hubbard to Benj. Hubbert, Robert Coldwater to Robert Cadwallader, and Duncan McLennan to Duncan McLellan.

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SCANDAL IN HIGH LIFE.

Mrs. Downey Will Get Her Divorce—The St. Clair Ship Canal.

(Special to the ADVERTISER.)

OTTAWA, April 25.—The railway committee this morning passed the bill incorporating the St. Clair and Erie Ship Canal Company. The scheme is to construct a canal from Lake St. Clair at some point in Essex county to Lake Erie at some point between Point Pelee and Rondeau Harbor. The incorporators are nearly all Americans, but include Col. Tisdale, M.P.

The Downey divorce case was heard by the Senate divorce committee this morning. Mrs. Downey, of Whitby, who is a sister of Mr. Geo. Tait

"Turn to the Right."

"Yes, blockhead!" the young gentleman answered with the utmost coolness, "But I asked for a light, not for my name."

"I trust you are not hurt, sir?" I said, putting up my sword.

"Scratched only," he answered, betraying no surprise on learning who it was had come up so opportunely: as he no doubt did learn from my voice, for he continued with a bow, "A slight price to pay for the knowledge that M. de Marsac is as forward on the field as on the stairs."

I bowed my acknowledgments.

"This fellow," I said, "is he much hurt?"

"Tut, tut! I thought I had saved the marshal all trouble, M. Francois replied. "Is he not dead, Gil?"

The poor wretch made answer for himself, crying out piteously and in a choking voice, for a priest to shrive him. At that moment Simon Fleix returned with our torch, which he had lighted at the nearest cross-streets, where there was a brazier, and we saw by this light that the man was coughing up blood, and might live perhaps half an hour.

"Mordieu! That comes of thrusting too high!" M. Francois muttered, regretfully. "An inch lower and there would have been none of this trouble! I suppose somebody must fetch one. Gil," he continued. "run, man, to the sacristy in the Rue St. Denys, and get a Father. Or—stay! Help to lift him under the lee of the wall there. The wind cuts like a knife here."

The street being on the slope of the hill, the lower part of the house nearest us stood a few feet frem the ground, on wooden piles, and the space underneath it, being inclosed at the back and sides, was used as a cart-house. The servants moved the dying man into this rude shelter, and I accompanied them, being unwilling to leave the young gentleman alone. Not wishing, however, to seem to interfere, I walked to the farther end, and sat down on the shaft of a cart, whence I idly admired the strange aspect of the group I had left, as the glare of the torch brought now one and now another into prominence, and sometimes shone on M. Francois' jeweled fingers toying with his tiny moustache, and sometimes on the writhing features of the man at his feet.

On a sudden, and before Gil had started on his errand, I saw there was a priest among them. I had not seen him enter, nor had I any idea whence he came. My first impression was only that here was a priest, and that he was looking at me—not at the man craving his assistance on the floor, or at those who stood round them, but at me, who sat away in the shadow beyond the ring of light!

This was surprising; but a second glance explained, for then I saw that he was the Jacobin monk who had haunted my mother's dying hours. And, amazed as much at this strange recontre as at the man's boldness, I sprang up and strode forwards, forgetting, in an impulse of righteous anger, the office he came to do. And this the more as his face, still turned to me, seemed instinct to my eyes with triumphant malice. As I moved towards him, however, with a fierce exclamation on my lips, he suddenly dropped his eyes and knelt. Immediately M. Francois cried "Hush!" and the men turned to me with scandalized faces. I fell back. Yet even then, whispering on his knees by the dying man, the knave was thinking, I felt sure, of me, glorying at once in his immunity and the power it gave him to tantalise me without fear.

I determined, whatever the result, to intercept him when all was over; and on the man dying a few minutes later, I walked resolutely to the open side of the shed, thinking it likely he might try to slip away as mysteriously as he had come. He stood a moment speaking to M. Francois, however, and then, accompanied by him, advanced boldly to meet me, a lean smile on his face.

"Father Antoine," M. Francois said politely, "tells me that he knows you M. de Marsac, and desires to speak to you, mal-a-propos as is the occasion."

"And I to him," I answered, trembling with rage, and only restraining by an effort the impulse which would have had me dash my hand in the priest's pale, smirking face. "I have waited long for this moment," I continued, eyeing him steadily, as M. Francois withdrew out of hearing, "and had you tried to avoid me, I would have dragged you back, though all your tribe were here to protect you."

His presence so maddened me that I scarcely knew what I said. I felt my breath come quickly, I felt the blood surge to my head, and it was with difficulty that I restrained myself when he answered with well-affected sanctity, "Like mother, like son, I fear, sir. Huguenots both."

I choked with rage. "What!" I said, "you dare to threaten me as you threatened my mother? Fool! know that only to-day for the purpose of discovering and punishing you I took the rooms in which my mother died."

"I know it," he answered quietly. And then in a second, as by magic, he altered his demeanor completely, raising his head and looking me in the face. "That, and so much besides, I know," he continued, giving me, to my astonishment, frown for frown, "that if you will listen to me for a moment M. de Marsac, and listen quietly, I will convince you that the folly is not on my side."

Amazed at his new manner, in which there was none of the madness that had marked hfm at our first meeting, but a strange air of authority, unlike anything I had associated with him before, I signed to him to proceed.

"You think that I am in your power?" he said, smiling.

"I think," I retorted swiftly, "that, escaping me now, you will have at your heels henceforth a worse enemy than even your own sins."

"Just so," he answered, nodding. Well, I am going to show you that the reverse is the case; and that you are as completely in my hands, to spare or to break, as this straw. In the first place, you are here in Blois, a Huguenot!"

"Chut!" I exclaimed contemptuously, affecting a confidence I was far from feeling. "A little while back that might have availed you. But we are in Blois, not Paris, It is not far to the Loire, and you have to deal with a man now, not with a woman. It is you who have cause to tremble, not I."

"You think to be protected," he answered with a sour smile, "even on this side of the Loire, I see. But one word to the Pope's Legate, or to the Duke of Nevers, and you would see the inside of a dungeon, if no worse. For the king——"

"King or no king!" I answered, interrupting him with more assurance than I felt, seeing that I remembered only too well Henry's remark that Rosny must not look to him for protection, "I fear you not a whit! And that reminds me. I have heard you talk treason—rank, black treason, priest, as ever sent man to rope, and I will give you up. By heaven I will!" I cried, my rage increasing, as I discerned, more and more clearly, the dangerous hold he had over me. "You have threatened me! One word, and I will send you to the gallows!"

"Sh!" he answered, indicating M. Francois by a gesture of the hand. "For your own sake, not mine. This is fine talking, but you have not yet heard all I know. Would you like to hear how you have spent the last month? Two days after Christmas, M. de Marsac, you left Chize with a young lady—I can give you her name if you please. Four days afterwards you reached Blois, and took her to your mother's lodging. Next morning she left you for M. de Bruhl. Two days later you tracked her to a house in the Ruelle d'Arcy, and freed her, but lost her in the moment of victory. Then you stayed in Blois until your mother's death, going a day or two later to M. de Rosny's house by Mantes, where Mademoiselle still is. Yesterday you arrived in Blois with M. de Rosny; you went to his lodging; you——"

"Proceed, sir," I muttered, leaning forward. Under cover of my cloak I drew my dagger half-way from its sheath. "Proceed, sir, I pray," I repeated with dry lips.

You slept there," he continued, holding his ground, but shuddering slightly, either from cold or because he perceived my movement and read my design in my eyes. This morning you remained here in attendance on M. de Rambouillet."

For the moment I breathed freely again, perceiving that though he knew much, the one thing on which M. de Rosny's design turned had escaped him. The secret interview with the king, which compromised alike Henry himself and M. de Rambouillet, had apparently passed unnoticed and unsuspected. With a sigh of intense relief I slid back the dagger, which I had fully made up my mind to use had he known all, and drew my cloak round me with a shrug of feigned indifference. I sweated to think what he did know, but our interview with the king having escaped him, I breathed again.

(To be Continued.)

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A policeman who was asked to make a report of a fire in a Columbus avenue (New York) bakery the other day is a genuine humorist, for he wrote: "Damage, $2,500; cause, hot cross buns."

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50 cents. Sold by W. T. Strong. c

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W. O. SCHOOL OF ART.

A Successful Year in the Institution's History—Public Interest Wanted—A Free Exhibition of Work to be Held.

The annual meeting of the Western Ontario School of Art was held in the school room, Mechanics' Institute yesterday afternoon. President F. E. Leonard occupied the chair, and there were present Mr. J. H. Griffith (secretary-treasurer), Mrs. Macbeth, Mr. Fred Henry and Mr. James Griffith, R.C.A.

Mr. Griffith presented the annual report for the year ending April 29, 1894. It was pleasing, he said, to have to report continued success to the school. The number of pupils attending the various classes was 187 during the year. The curriculum of studies as required by the Educational Department had been strictly carried out. Thirty-one certificates were awarded to pupils at the examination in May last. There was an evident increased desire on the part of pupils to perfect themselves in industrial and ornamental designing. Several were now completing original designs for wall papers, work in china painting, etc. The expenditure amounted to $587 36; the receipts, $598 58; balance in bank, $11 20.

In the discussion of the report it was decided to add the fact that the World's Fair exhibit from the school had not been shown as a whole, but the different articles were scattered with the exhibits of other schools. The names of the exhibitors will also be added to the report, with the fact that the World's Fair pictures were not properly hung.

President Leonard stated that in comparison with other years the financial part of the institution had been successful, as they had a slightly larger balance on hand. According to a decision of the directors some years ago he had made a distribution of $55 to the two teachers in proportion to the number of lessons given by each, which is satisfactory to them. He regretted that Mr. Munnock's class did not increase in attendance, and as he was paid by fee the remuneration amounted to little or nothing for the many evenings he devoted. Mr. Leonard thought a special effort should be made to induce scholars to attend his classes, as skilled mechanics and draftsmen in the city of London were badly needed. The school had had a fair attendance during the year, and he did not think that it had retrograded any in efficiency. Still a change of a radical nature was necessary to interest the pupils, and the president recommended the striking of a committee to solicit money for prizes for the incoming year, to distribute to the scholars according to their abilities, as shown at the examinations. During the year he had communicated with the Minister of Education re the presentation to successful students of the school at the Columbian Exposition with extra diplomas, but from the tone of the letter received there did not appear to be much chance of getting them. During the year Auditor J. S. Dewar resigned, and the books had been audited and signed by Mr. R. S. Holmes.

Mr. Holmes was then appointed auditor by the directors.

The resignations of Mrs. Hyman and Mrs. Charles Leonard were accepted, and Mrs. John Cameron and Mrs. (Dr.) Fraser will be asked to act in their stead.

In order to awaken public interest in the school it was decided to solicit subscriptions for prizes and to hold a free exhibition of pupils' work this spring. The details were left to be decided at an adjourned meeting to be held on Tuesday next, when a larger attendance is expected. The election of officers and final adoption of the reports were also left over.

THE FIRST IDEALIST.

A jellyfish swam in a tropical sea,
And he said, "This world it consists of Me:
There's nothing above and nothing below
That a jellyfish ever can possibly know
(Since we've got no sight, or hearing, or smell)
Beyond what our single sense can tell.
Now, all that I learn from the sense of touch
Is the fact of my feelings, viewed as such.
But to think they have any external cause
Is an inference clean against logical laws.
Again, to suppose, as I've hitherto done,
There are other jellyfish under the sun,
Is a pure assumption that can't be backed
By a jot of proof or a single fact.
In short, like Hume, I very much doubt,
If there's anything else at all without.
So I come at last to the plain conclusion,
When the subject is fairly set free from confusion,
That the universe simply centers in Me,
And if I were not, then nothing would be."
That minute, a shark, who was strolling by,
Just gulped him down, in the twink of an eye,
And he died, with a few convulsive twists.
But, somehow, the universe still exists.
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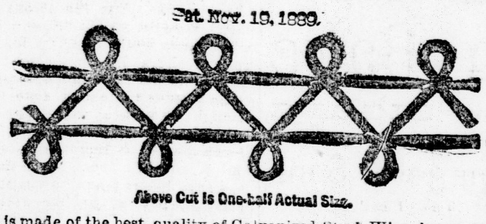

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RAILWAY TIME TABLES

GRAND TRUNK—Southern Division

CORRECTED Feb. 11, 1894.

MAIN LINE—Going East.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART
*Wabash Express (A)	4:15 a.m.	4:20 a.m
Accommodation	.....	8:05 a.m
Atlantic Express (A)	12:10 p.m.	12:20 p.m
Day Express	10:50 a.m.	2:20 p.m
*Wabash Express (A) (D)	4:20 p.m.	4:25 p.m
Mixed (C)	5:50 p.m.	6:50 p.m
Erie Limited (A)	11:20 p.m.	11:40 p.m

MAIN LINE—Going West.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART
†Chicago Express (A)	5:35 a.m.	5:50 a.m
West End Mixed	.....	6:15 a.m
Wabash Express (A)	11:35 a.m.	11:40 a.m
†Erie Limited (A)	12:16 p.m.	.....
Accommodation	1:55 p.m.	2:15 p.m
†Pacific Express (A)	6:50 p.m.	7:10 p.m
Mail	9:50 p.m.	.....
Accommodation	.....	7:30 p.m

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART
Lehigh Express (B)	4:03 a.m.	.....
Accommodation	9:30 a.m.	.....
Atlantic Express (B)	11:35 a.m.	.....
Accommodation	2:14 p.m.	.....
Mixed	5:35 p.m.	.....
Accommodation	8:15 p.m.	.....
Erie Limited (B)	11:35 p.m.	.....

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART
Chicago Express (B)	.....	5:40 a.m
Accommodation	.....	7:40 a.m
Lehigh Express (B)	.....	11:00 a.m
Erie Limited (B)	.....	12:20 p.m
Accommodation	.....	2:35 p.m
Pacific Express (B)	.....	7:00 p.m

London, Huron and Bruce.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART
Express	9:55 a.m.	8:15 a.m
Mail	6:40 p.m	4:30 p.m

St. Marys and Stratford Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART
Mixed—Mail	11:15 a.m.	7:30 a.m
Express	2:05 p.m.	.....
Express	5:40 p.m.	2:40 p.m
Express—Mixed	9:15 p.m.	5:55 p.m

Toronto Branch.

Hamilton—Depart—

a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.
*7:00	B8:20	11:05	12:30	4:10	5:25	B*6:55	9:25

Hamilton—Arrive—

a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.
12:30	B10:00	10:30	B 2:30	3:55	6:25	8:15

* These trains for Montreal.
† These trains from Montreal.
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Going East.

DEPART—	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.
London	4:20	8:30	4:35
Woodstock	5:08	8:50	5:26
Galt	6:06	9:55	6:27
Guelph	9:50	.....	7:45
Toronto	8:25	12:00	8:35
Peterboro	11:25	.....	11:42
	p.m.		a.m.
Kingston	4:10	.....	5:00
Ottawa	8:35	.....	8:55
Montreal	7:45	.....	7:50
	a.m.		p.m.
Quebec	6:30	.....	2:00
Portland, Me	8:55	.....	8:10
Boston	8:32	.....	8:35
Halifax, N. S.	11:20	.....	.....

Trains arrive from the east at 11:50 a.m., 8:0 p.m., 11:40 p.m.

Going West.

DEPART—	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.
London	12:00	11:4	7:00
ARRIVE—	p.m.	a.m	p.m.
Chatham	1:37	1:5	12:15
Detroit	3:35	3:10	.....
Chicago	11:00	10:50	.....
	a.m.	p.m	
St. Louis	7:35	8:00	.....
	p.m.	a.m	
Kansas City	7:05	7:0	.....

Trains arrive from the west at 4 10 a.m., 4:25 p.m., 6:45 p.m.

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LONDON & PORT STANLEY R'Y.

Taking effect Thursday, Jan. 4, 1894.

Going South.

	a. m.		p. m.	
Leave London	6:35	9:30	2:25	7:30
Arrive St. Thomas	7:15	10:10	3:00	8:20
Depart St. Thomas	7:20		3:10	
Arrive Pt. Stanley	7:40	....	3:50	....

Going North.

	a. m.		p. m.	
Leave Pt. Stanley	8:00	....	5:00	....
Arrive St. Thomas	8:20	11:00	5:25	9:55
Depart St. Thomas	8:25		5:35	
Arrive London	9:05	11:40	6:15	10:10

All trains except the last stop at intermediate stations when passengers at or for.

ERIE AND HURON RAILWAY.

Trains South.

Stations.	No 1	No 5	No 7	No 3
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Sarnia (G. T. R.)	.....	7:30	.....	5:05
Courtright	.....	8:05	.....	5:35
M. C. R. Junction	.....	8:10	.....	.....
Chatham (C.P.R.) arr	.....	.....	.....	7:25
Chatham (C.P.R.) dep	7:45	10:30	4:10	.....
Fargo	8:05	11:00	5:07	.....
Blenheim	8:15	11:10	5:17	.....

Trains North.

Stations.	No 2	No 4	No 6
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M
Blenheim dep	8:20	5:22	12:05
Fargo	8:32	5:32	12:15
Chatham (C. P. R.) arr	9:00	.....	.....
Chatham (C. P. R.) dep	9:10	5:50	12:40
M. C. R. Junction	11:02	7:58	.....
Courtright	11:05	8:00	.....
Sarnia (G. T. R.)	11:10	8:35	.....

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY

LONDON TIME.

Canada Southern Division—Going East.

	Leave London.	Leave St. Thomas.
American Express (daily except Monday)	9:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Atlantic Express (daily)	9:30 a.m.	2:00 p.m.
Mail and Accommodation (daily except Sunday)	2:20 p.m.	3:05 p.m.
New York and Boston Special (daily)	7:30 p.m.	10:25 p.m.
Fast Eastern Express (daily)	7:30 p.m.	2:55 a.m.
North Shore Limited (daily)	7:30 p.m.	3:30 p.m.

Canada Southern Division—Going West.

North Shore Limited (daily)	6:35 a.m.	7:25 a.m.
Detroit Express (daily except Sunday)	6:35 a.m.	7:35 a.m.
Fast Western Express (daily)	9:30 a.m.	10:10 a.m.
American express (daily except Monday)	9:30 a.m.	1:45 p.m.
Mail and Accommodation (daily except Sunday)	2:20 p.m.	3:15 p.m.
Pacific Express (daily)	2:20 p.m.	5:45 p.m.
Boston, New York and Chicago special (daily)	7:20 p.m.	4:10 a.m.

[NOTE.—No trains to or from London on Sundays.]

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Funeral will leave his late residence, lot 4 con. 2, London township on Thursday, April 26, at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will kindly accept this intimation. 65u

PRING—On April 24, at the family residence 14 Hope street, John Pring, in his 57th year. Funeral on Friday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, services at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation. 63u

LEACH—At Oakley Farm, South Delaware, April 17, 1894, George Leach, in the 81st year of his age, native of Devonshire, England.

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Minimum and maximum temperatures—Calgary, 38°—68; Qu'Appelle, 42°—56°; Winnipeg, 42°—70°; Parry Sound, 34°—58°; Toronto, 44°—60°; Montreal, 44°—56°; Quebec, 36°—50°; Halifax, 38°—50°.

TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.

TORONTO, April 25—1 a.m.—Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville) are: Light to moderate winds; stationary or a little higher temperature.

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LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—Mr. C. W. Sarvis, of Jackson, Mich. (formerly of East London), is in the city calling on old acquaintances.

—The firemen had a run last evening to McClary's foundry, where a spark had ignited a windowsill. No damage.

—Tim Hannifin, proprietor of the British-American Hotel, Windsor, who was married here yesterday, was presented with an easy chair by his friends before leaving for London.

—The botanical section of the Entomological Society has organized with these officers: Mr. John A. Balkwill, president; Prof. Bowman, vice-president, and Mr. W. J. McClement, secretary.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kelly, city, were among the guests at the marriage of Miss Jessie Proctor, daughter of John Proctor, Hamilton, to Mr. Oswald Gurney Carscallen, son of H. Carscallen, Q.C.

—St. George's Society, this city, has forwarded a letter to Mr. R. W. Barker, inspector of the Toronto postal division, congratulating him upon his promotion and thanking him for his past services to the society.

—Mr. H. W. Burnett, local manager of the Heintzman & Co. Piano Company, has opened his new wareroom at No. 236 Dundas street, where he has on exhibition a fine collection of these well known instruments.

—The new time table of the L. and P. S. R., by which a train will arrive here about 9 a.m. from Port Stanley, will doubtless be satisfactory to summer residents. It will give them a reasonable amount of sleep in the morning.

—Grand Rapids is still looking for a second baseman, and if Sippi, of London, Ont., does not show up by April 25 he will be blacklisted. The only man in sight at present is Ed Egan, who played with the Valley City teams for three seasons.—[Detroit News.

—The Victoria Mission Band of the First Presbyterian Church held a very enjoyable social in the school room of that church last evening. The children partook of a supper early in the evening, and afterward presented for the entertainment of their parents and friends a programme which was very creditable.

—Messrs. W. J. Reid, Ed. Paull, Thos. Beattie, J. Priddis and P. W. D. Broderick have been elected directors of the Masonic Temple Company. A proposal was made to allow representatives of the lodges to take the places of the directors on condition that the bodies holding stock in the company assumed the responsibility and took the stock off their hands. It was thought that the different lodges might raise from $1,500 to $2,000 and secure the controlling power at present held by the directors for them, but no action has yet been taken.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Centennial Methodist Church held a very successful tea meeting and concert last night. This progressive society has provided many pleasant evenings. From 7 to 8 o'clock refreshments were served in the school room, after which the concert was held in the church. The pastor, Rev. Joseph Philp, presided and introduced a varied programmee. The addresses by Rev. Dr. Antliff, Rev. S. McVitty and Rev. J. R. Gundy all made special reference to the church since Pastor Philp took charge. Miss Lilywhite and Dr. Ziegler sang several solos in good voice, Miss Allen gave a reading and Mr. George Blinkhorn a clarionet solo. Mr. Fred. Hardy acted as accompanist to the satisfaction of all.

—Mr. Percy Carroll, of the London Bicycle Club, writes to the Canadian Wheelman: "The recent changes in the tariff have set me thinking in earnest, and what I now wish to bring forcibly before your readers is the present outrageous duty of 30 per cent on bicycles. Were the cycle a luxury intended only for the rich it might be within reason (I say it might be) to levy the tax, but when we consider it as a means of recreation, of locomotion and of absolute necessity to all classes, it is, I say, 'outrageous' to tax the consumer—the all-patient public—with this additional outlay. * * * I was, I may say born an Englishman and a Tory, but now, in this my adopted country, I am first and foremost a Canadian and a cyclist."

—The funeral of the late Rev. Wintworth Hughson, the aged superannuated minister who died at Delaware a few days ago, took place on Monday. The attendance was exceptionally large, including about fifteen Methodist ministers, among whom were Revs. J. R. Gundy, B. Clement, Joseph Philp and W. Rigsby. The services were of a very impressive nature, and were taken part in by nearly all the clergymen present, Rev. Dr. Aylesworth, Rev. Robt. Thompson and Rev. T. T. George delivering brief addresses. The ball-bearers were Rev. W. W. Sheppard, chairman of St. Thomas district; Rev. R. C. Parsons, Springbank; Rev. Walter Rigsby, city; Rev. Reuben Millyard, St. Thomas; Rev. T. W. Blatchford and Rev. R. J. Garbutt, Lambeth.

Emma Watson Missing.

A last night's Detroit dispatch says: Emma Watson, 22 years old, came to this city Sunday morning from London, and engaged board at Smith's restaurant, River street. Sunday evening she went for a walk without a hat or wraps and has not been seen since. Mr. Smith reported the case to the police and asked them to look for Miss Watson. Her personal effects and pocketbook were left behind.

Mrs. Mountford.

The Kingston News of the 4th inst., in describing Mrs. Mountford's appearance in that city, says: "Mrs. Mountford is a woman of noble stature and commanding presence, gifted with a voice of extraordinary power and compass, and easily able to impress her very interesting individuality upon an audience of any size. She is a native of Jerusalem, but not a Jewess. In her veins flow both Russian and German blood, and her countenance is of the fairest Saxon type. She proceeded to deliver the most remarkable discourse, it is safe to say, which has ever been heard in Kingston on the manners and customs of the East." Mrs. Mountford will give four of her interesting lectures, under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Young Men's Christian Association, in Victoria Hall, beginning Tuesday, May 1. Tickets are being rapidly disposed of, and a big house will greet this famous woman. Plan opens Saturday, at Anderson's.

Water Consumers, Beware!

The meeting of the water commissioners held last night was attended by Chairman Wm. Jones, R. K. Cowan, Engineer Moore, Secretary Ellwood, Inspectors Plastow and Platt. Commissioner Cowan suggested that an advertisement be placed in the daily papers warning all consumers to repair all leaks at once. The inspector will start on a house-to-house inspection on May 1, and every service where a leak is found will be shut off at sight. Those who are found sprinkling their lawns without paying for a lawn service will be summoned. This will be carried out without respect to person. Hobbs Hardware Company paid a quarter's rate for their glass works hoist service under protest. The inspector said that the register was broken. Unless it is repaired at once the service will be cut off. The protest was laid over. Henry Brinsmead complained at last meeting that he was charged an excessive rate. The inspector reported that the meter was in order, and the charge was correct. A discussion on the advisability of placing meters in city manufactories was laid over in order that the engineer could further report. The usual accounts were passed.

The Land of the Pyramids.

At St. James' Presbyterian Church last evening Dr. Mungo Fraser gave a graphic and entertaining description of a trip with one of Cook's tourist parties in the spring of 1891. As an introductory he stated that the cost of such an excursion is about $1,200 and the length of time taken three months. The lecturer took his audience in their imagination from New York city right through the European continent, giving some very amusing incidents on the way to Alexandria. One of the first points that struck him was the price paid for female labor. Little girls of 12 years and upwards and old women would work all day long as hodcarriers at 15 cents a day. Women were also hitched along with donkeys, ponies, oxen or any animal that would work to do plowing and other drudgery. He briefly described the Egyptians' manner of irrigation, wood-sawing, wedding and funeral ceremonies and their musical instruments. His journey up, down and through the interior of the pyramids was very interesting. The howling dervishers came in for a good description, and the lecturer greatly amused the audience by showing the manner in which these fanatics worshiped. Rev. M. P. Talling closed the lecture about 10 o'clock with the benediction.

A JUVENILE DOCKET

Before the Police Magistrate—Leniency Shown—Troublesome Youngsters.

The police magistrate had a juvenile docket this morning. Of his six subjects, five were small boys. Of these three wept copiously and the other two were indifferent—they had been there before. Charles and Alvin Prosser, aged 14 and 11, of Adelaide street, were up for sentence, having pleaded guilty to stealing brass hubs from George T. Hiscox. Mr. Love made a plea for leniency. Both boys, he said, were apt pupils at school and the elder, if released, would be taken immediately to his grandfather in Springfield and put to work on the farm.

The magistrate demurred somewhat, as the boys had twice or thrice been released after similar crimes. He decided, however, to season justice with mercy again, and, on condition that Albert be shipped off immediately, suspended sentence. Their home influence, he had heard, was not the best. The father was a hard working man, but he had doubts about the mother.

James Halliday, Herbert Sutherland and James Cushman, lads ranging from 16 to 14 years of age, sobbed out that they were guilty of stealing 300 pounds of lead (value $11) from the G. T. R. repair shops on Ridout street. It was the first time they had been there, and they seemed to feel the disgrace almost as keenly as the widowed mother of one of them present. Halliday, said the chief, was to be pitied. He had a wretched home and was brought up on the street. The other two had always been good boys and their employers were willing to take them back. Mr. McKillop agreed with the magistrate that the interests of justice would be best served by giving them another chance, and as Constable Logan put in a kind word for them they were discharged. Ben. Harris bought the metal from the youngsters and the magistrate expressed his opinion of one who would do this.

The good people who worship in the mission on York street near the bridge have been annoyed by boys and girls until they can stand it no longer. Last Sunday a lad entered the room and called the preacher a liar. A girl fired stones at the building. Accordingly Willie Pugsley, Richard Eggleton, Richard Morgan, Maud Campbell and Willie Crow have been summoned for disturbance and the prosecution will try to make an example of them.

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Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many, who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrup of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 75c. bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

For sale by W. S. Barkwell, city.

A Wonderful Cure.

Mr. and Mrs. Chute, of Aylmer, desire that we should publish their testimonial and let other sufferers know what Williams' Royal Crown Remedy (Nature's Liquid) has done for Mr. Chute. He writes: "For ten years or more I have been a sufferer with dyspepsia, and doctored with six of the most skilled doctors in this part of the country with but little relief and no benefit in return for the very large doctors' bills that I paid. I tried almost every conceivable remedy, but all to no purpose, until April, 1893, when I took to myself a wife, and it so happened that three years previous to our marriage she had been in poor health, and used part of a bottle of Royal Crown Remedy, and, knowing of its excellent qualities, she prevailed upon me to give it a trial. I purchased one bottle of the Remedy and Pills, and by the time I had them used my general health was much improved, and by the time I had taken three bottles I was restored to good health, and my neighbors say that I am looking better than I have done for years. I believe Royal Crown Remedy to be the best value for the money on earth, and am thankfully yours,

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Opposite Market Lane.

We are running some very beautiful Embroideries, Children's Bonnets and Lace Curtains for a few days. Lace Curtains, full length, 3 yards, 50c a pair. Our Children's headgear includes the newest New York modes. Bonnets and Caps, Silk and Embroidery, 25c up.

D. LEVINE, 238 Dundas St.

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Big Sale is Still Going On. zxv

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SPRING AND SUMMER FOOTWEAR

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We have this season made extensive improvements in our accommodation for showing and fitting Ladies' Fine Footwear in our store at 135 Dundas street, under Ontario Loan building, and have recently opened out a large and select assortment of new goods from the most noted and popular manufacturers of

Fine Button Boots,
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In black and colored goods, for ladies, misses children, infants, gents, boys and youths; also we have at 137 Dundas street, under Molsons Bank, a mammoth stock and unequaled assortment of Staple Boots, Shoes and Slippers for country, school and workshop.

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Threw Away a Fortune.

VANCOUVER, B.C., April 25.—About a month ago the crew of the fishing steamer Capiatine found a lump of white-looking substance while cruising about 100 miles from the coast. The stuff was kept for some time as a curiosity, but finally they threw it overboard after cutting off a small piece. On their return to town the piece saved was examined by several experts who declared it was ambergris. As the lump weighed close on to 100 pounds its estimated value is $250,000. A party has now gone up with a diver to search for the missing treasure.

Anybody with even half an eye may see the rider is crooked, but that's no proof he stole the bicycle.

Try Derby Plug Smoking Tobacco, 5, 10 & 20c Plug.

MARA'S

Announcement.

New Stores

153 Dundas Street, 155 Dundas Street & Market Square, London.

"Monster Mart."

The Exchanging of Goods Into Cash.

Our Building Sale.

Has been a grand success.

Only 4 Terrific Bargain Days Left.

SATURDAY

Ends the Sale.

We had 50 employes as busy as bees in our stores Saturday. Where you here? If not, be on hand next Saturday

17 new departments stocked with choice new goods.

Another large purchase of

New Goods

Bought in bond, consigned to Spittal, Burn & Gentleman. These will be open to-day.

50 Black Moire Parasols with frills. 78 Shot Silk Twin Frilled Parasols. These will be Sold at exactly half price.

7 CASES—
New Lace Insertions
" Serpentine Braids
" Antique Effects
" Shot Effects
From 1c to 20c a yard.

Embroidery Silks, 1c skein.

ROPE SILKS
KNITTING SILKS
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TILE FLOSS
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At a very low price.

Have you seen our Stationery Counter?

Silk and Wool Blouses just in —$1 20.

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