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WHOLE NO. 10439

Born, Married, Died.

BORN.

TAIT-At Exeter, on Monday, Feb. 8, the wife of Alex. Tait, of a son. MARRIED.

WESTMAN-GOLDSMITH-On Jan. 27, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs, Emily Goldsmith, 149 William street, by the Ven. Archdeacon Davis, Alfred Eldon Wesman, to Grace Goldsmith, both of this DIED.

CRUICKSHANK-On Feb. 9, 1897, at the residence of his brother, 275 Piccadilly street, Joha Cruickshank, third son of the late John Cruickshank, aged 53 years and 7 months. Funeral from above residence to St. Peter's Cathedral, Thursday morning, at 9:30. Please omit flowers.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per line each insertion.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—THURSDAY,
J. Feb. 11—The picturesque Irish ComedyDrama, "The Bells of Shandon." Price, 25c,
50c, 75c. Seats now on sale. 37k ONDON VOCAL SOCIETY — W. H. Hewlett, conductor. Chorus of 65 picked voices, assisted by Miss Beverly tobinson, soprano, Miss Beatrice Langley, violatist; Mr. Lepriere Pringle, basso, Mr. Braxton Smith, tenor, and Signor Seppili, accompanist, Tuesday evening, Feb. 23rd, Auditorium. Subscription seats 75c. Lists in hands of members and at Bell Piano warerooms. Plan opens to subscribors only on Feb. 18th. 37uzx

CEE THE MARVELOUS JAPANESE BOX. CEE THE HINDOO MANGO TRICK,

SEE THE WONDERFUL JAPANESE paper tricks. A UDITORIUM-THURSDAY, FEB. 11-SPLENDID SKATING AT CENTRAL Rink afternoon and evening. Band Wednesday night.

DRINCESS ICE PALACE - SKATING afternoon and evening; grand ice. Band Thursday night. ONDON HUNT AND COUNTRY CLUB-

The sixth annual Hunt Club Ball will be held on Friday evening, Feb. 26, in the City Hall. Invitations can be obtained from any member of the club or by applying to the secretary. Tickets \$5. ORMSBY GRAYDON, hon. secretary. 39n eod DAISY RINK - CLARK'S BRIDGE over one and a haif acres ice. Skating
afternoon and evening; carnival Thursday.

HOCKEY CHAMPIONSHIP-PRINCESS lice Palace, London vs. Berlin, Friday night, Feb. 12. Admission 25c. Coupons not DRINCESS ICE PALACE-LONDON VS.

Berlin. The two leaders in hockey meet in Friday night for the championship. 39u SERGT.-MAJOR SHOOF WILL LECTURE In Dundas Center Methodist Church, Thursday, Feb. 11th, at 8 p.m. Subject, "The Kimberly Mines and Jameson's Raid." Ad-mission 15c, two for 25c. WESTERN UNIVERSITY CONVER-

SAZIONE, Friday next. Senor Delasco Monsieur Walthar (violinist), Miss n (pianist), Miss Roblyn (soprano). Tickets 50c, at book stores and from students.

FOICE CULTURE— EVA N. ROBLYN.

Studio, 340 Dundas street. Concert engage-DALACE DANCING ACADEMY-476 Richmond street, Classes meet: Gen-tlemen Monday evening; ladies, Tuesday even-

ing. Ladies and gentlemen (advanced class), Wednesday evening. Ladies and children, Saturday afternoon, 3 o'clock. DAYTON & DRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY Mr. R. B. Millard, at his residence, 345 cess avenue. Special attention given to

the waltz, two-step, court waltz, two-step Jersey and the cycle. Satisfaction guaranteed. Les-OFFICIAL AGENT FOR ALLAN, BEA-VER, American, Red Star and Cunard, Atlantic lines. FRANK B. CLARKE, Richmo street, next Advertiser.

Meetings.

One cent per word each insertion. No advertisement less than ten words ONDON LEGION - SELECT KNIGHTS of Canada-meets every second and fourth Thursday of the month, at Trebilcock's Hall, MOURT HOPE, NO. 1, I. O. F., WILL

meet Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Visitors welcome. L. W. Hambly, secretary. A NOPEN MEETING OF IRON MOLDERS A will be held on Thursday, feb. 11, at 8 o'clock, in C. O. F. Hall, Richmond street, when M. J. Keough, Vice-President of the International Union, will address the meeting! All molders cordially invited. ONDON COUNCIL, NO. 233, ROYAL Arcanum, will meet this (Wednesday) evening, at 8 o'clock, in Duffield Block. b

Domestics Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED at Ross House. DEGISTER WITH OSBORNE INTELLI-GENCE agency if you desire any kind of employment. We require good general serof employment. We require good general servants, with references, 2 cooks, 4 first-class diningroom girls, in and out of city. Other situations for girls. Good references. Osborne Intelligence Agency, 56 Dundas street. Telephone 386.

PING UP THE OLD RELIABLE—1121

For general servants, cooks chamber—
maids, housemaids and risks for all kinds of work always on hand. Also nurses and good housekeepers, and always wanting reliable help. Dwyer's Employment Agency, 591 Richmond street.

Male Help Wanted.

WYANTED-GOOD SMART BOY-17 OR V 18. Must furnish good references. Apply Box B. Advertiser office. ANTED - AN IDEA - WHO CAN think of some simple think to patent?
Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth. Write John WEDDERBURN & Co. atent attorneys, Washington, D. C., fortheir St, Soo prize offer and list of two hungred in

Lost and Found.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half ceut each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. OST-LADY'S OPEN-FACE SILVER watch and chain; initials on case. Finder warded. Return to Mr. Madoe, at London Cundry Company.

Wanted.

ANTRD ASECOND HAND CABINET MAKER'S bench. Address R. Y., Advertiser office. ANT D TO PURCHASE OR RENT

Agents Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. WANTED - EXPERIENCED CAN-VASSER to call on private families, or lady or gentleman well acquainted in the city. Apply drawer 546 city.

A GENTS NOT MAKING \$10 PER WEEK and not asking \$50 (no idlers wanted). write for particulars. J. L. Nichols & Co., 23 Richmond west, Toronto. 58tf-d&w

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First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.



No better medium than "THE ADVERTISER" Sure returns. 20c for 10 words—three

HORSE FOR SALE-GOOD DRIVER, young, quiet and sound, \$18. No. 463 Simcoe street. FOR SALE-ONE 39 HORSEPOWER automatic "Brown" engine, built by Goldie, McCulloch & Co., Gait. Cylinder 10 inches, stroke 24 inches; can be run at 50 revolutions, or as high as 90 revolutions; also one tubular exhaust feed water heater. The engine can be seen at H. PORTER & Co.'s storage

warehouse, Carling street, London, Ont. SHEET RUBBER AND RUBBER HOSE, hose nozzels and reels and lawn hydrant, SMITH BROS., 265 Dundas street. TWO MANUAL PEDAL ORGAN CHEAP

-Also Decker Bros. (New York) upright
piano. Heintzman & Co., warerooms, 236

Dundas street, H. W. BURNETT, Manager.

A FEW SECOND-HAND STOVES-MUST

PIANOS, PIANOS—NEW AND SECOND HAND, also a be-utiful assortment of music and musical merchandise, and two good organs cheap. Anderson's Book Store, Nord-neimer's Piano Agency, 183 Dundas street. ONE LARGE HOTEL RANGE AND SEV-FERAL small ranges to be sold cheap, at discipline he Ark, Market Square,

RUBBER STAMPS, SEALS - RAZORS sharpened; guns, rifles revolvers and locks repaired. D. McKenzie & Co., 388 Richmond street.

Board and Lodging.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

Houses, Etc., To Let.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. advertisement less than ten words. TO LET-BRICK COTTAGE-SUITABLE for small family; in good order; tent for small family: in good order; lent moderate; good locality. Apply 394 Richmond

Business Chances.

street.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. POR SALE-SMALL STOCK OF GRO-CERIES and store furniture, in suburb of city; nicely situated, with garden. Rent moderate. Address "M. D.," this office. 39a

Notice of Patent.

HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT ALL persons infringing on my Improved Pant Hanger will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law. A. Hickling, inventor. N. B.—

Miscellaneous. PIRE-MR. GEO. FINNEGAN WISHES to announce that on account of his to announce that on account of his present store being destroyed by fire he will business, with entirely new stock, in

his former stand. 45 Blackfriars street, tomorrow (Thursday), 11th inst.

Educational. First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. MR. J. W. G. ANDRAS PREPARES pupils separately for all university and professional examinations, 808 Waterloo street.

Real Estate.

20tf

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. S. CHADWICK & SON - REAL ES-TATE Agents. Homes. Investments. Speculation. Call Room 2 Albion Building.

Situations Wanted. First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No

advertisement less than ten words. A NYONE WANTING A NEAT, CAP-ABLE woman to come in by the day and do housework or ironing can hear of one by applying to Mrs. E. M. C., Advertiser office. Good references can be given. 33c

Jewelers.

NG UP THE OLD RELIABLE—1121

For general servants, cooks chambers, housemaids and girls for all kinds of facturing Jeweler, 340 Richmond street (up-

Money to Loan, \$100,000 TO LEND ON MORT-GAGES and notes. TEN & COLERIDGE, barristers, solicitors, notaries. 78 Dundas street, London. Branch offices, Giencoe, Bothwell and Alvinters.

ONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORT-GAGES, at 5 per cent; on second mort-gages and other security at low rates, at G. W. FRANCIS' loan office, 78; Dundas street, OME MONEY TO LOAN ON MIDDLE SEX farm property at 5 and 5 per cent, and on city property at 5 and 6 per cent, WEEKES & SCANDRETT, solicitors, 98 Dundas

street, London Livery Stables.

TAR LIVERY-OPEN DAY AND NIGHT
-Hacks, coupes, etc. Light livery a
specialty. Thos. Treblecock, 623-633 Richmond street. Phone 423.

ILLEY'S LIVERY-NO. 619 DUNDAS street. East London, Ont. Telephone

THE WESTERN ASSURANCE COM-PANY of Toronto; capital \$2,000,000. Caledonia Insurance Company of Scotland; WESTERN ASSURANCE COMposteffice. Address Box 7, Advertiser.

28c

V get their low frames made high at

HUTCHINSON's 651 Dundes street.

Caledonia Insurance Company of Scotland;
assets \$10,000,100.

1 ondon and Lancashire Assurance Company of London, England.

Canada Accident Assurance Company of Montreal.

An Auful Crime.

Mother Cuts a Hole in the Ice to Drown Her Babe.

The Father of the Child Held as an Access ory.

Corning, N. Y., Feb. 9.-At Coudert's Point, Pa., the coroner's jury in the case of the drowning of the in fant child of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ellsworth, has found the child's mother, Flora Ellsworth, guilty of willful and deliberate murder, while the fa-ther of the babe is held as an ac-It was shown by witnesses that the

story of Mrs. Ellsworth, that she killed her baby because she was starving was untrue. The Ellsworth home contained bountiful supplies. Mrs. Ellsworth had expressed a desire to leave her husband, and her father, Warren Renyon, told her that if she would get rid of Flossie, the baby, he would permit her, and the two older children to come there and live with him. Last Monday Mrs. Ellsworth told her husband that she was going to put Flossie out of the way, and then she would leave him. She burned the baby's clothing in the kitchen stove, and a ruse about the little one being kidnapped was spread

The mother cut a hole in the ice of a pond, and pushed the child under. The prisoners will be tried at the March terms of court.

REV. J. C. MADILL IN BAD ODOR. Toronto, Feb. 10 .- Toronto District Congregational Union yesterday decided to suspend Hope Church from fellowship, for extending a call to the Rev. J. C. Madill, while he was under

CONFESSED AT LAST. eight years ago Alexander Campbell, 21st day. a farmer of this county, wealthy and old, was killed, supposedly by a dynamite explosion in the home of Dr. John B. Gorrill, on Fishing Creek, in Tyler county.

Dr. Gorrill died last week, and it has just transpired that he confessed to murdering Campbell. He says that him on a bed, and exploded dynamite

Why will you allow a cough to lacerwhen, by the timely use of Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup the pain can allayed and the danger avoided? This syrup is pleasant to the taste, and unsurpassed for relieving, healing, and curing all affections of the throat and lungs, coughs, colds, bronchitis,

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

THERE WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC auction at the rooms of J. W. Jones, London, on Tuesday, Feb. 9, at 2:30 p.m., the stock in trade of W. W. Rampling, of South

London, consisting of: General groceries.......\$319 57 Shop furniture and chattels..... 157 97

Total Terms-One quarter cash at time of sale, bal ance in two and four months with interest at 7 per cent per annum, secured. Stock sheets at my office, or with MEREDITH, CAMERON, JUDD & DROMGOLE, Assignce's Solicitors.
ALF. ROBINSON.

Assignee. XECUTOR'S SALE-DUNDAS STREET store-Westminster farm. The undersigned are instructed by the executors of the will of Mr. James Williams, deceased, to offer for sale the store and premises, No. 155 Dundas street, London, fronting a so on market square. 29 feet frontage, four sories and basement, at present unier lease of Mr. Mara. Also the former homestead for containing 80 agrees more rules being these former homestead. Ment, at present under least of Mr. Mara. Also the former homestead for containing 80 acres, more or less, being brown front, lot No. 9, the north part of lot No. 9 n Con. 1, Westminster, delightfully situated between the Commissioner's road and the River Thames, and close to the Hamilton road bridge. Commodious house, fine orchard and small stream adapted for trout pond. Terms easy to suit purchasers. Address MAGKE, MCKILLOP & MURPHY, Solicitors, etc., London. 36k tx

EXECUTOR'S SALE

-OF-Household Furniture.

W. JONES HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED by the executors of the late Mrs. Hogg to sell on the premises, Wellington street, South London, near Clark's Bridge, on Thurs-South London, near Clark's Bridge, on Thursday, Feb. 11, a: 10:30 a.m., the contents of house comprising sitting-room, dining-room, bed-rooms and kitchen effects. No reserve, Terms

J. W. JONES, Auctioneer.

FX-PUPILS—If you desire to join in the tes-timonial don't wait to be asked person-ally, but pay your subscriptions to me before he end of this week. List positively closes on E. W. M. FLOCK, Secretary. Carling's Block, Richmond street. 39u xv

Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT a public meeting of citizens interested in procuring relief for the sufferers from famine in India Mr. John Pope, the city treasurer. was appointed to receive subscriptions for the India Famine Fund. All sums received by him will be duly acknowledged and forwarded to his Excellency the Governor-General, who is acting as chairman for the Canadian Relief Fund for India. C. A. KINGSTON. City Clerk. J. W. LITTLE,

Mayor. 39n ead **Parliamentary Notice** Monday, the 22nd day of February next, will be the last day for receiving Peti-tions for Private Bills. Monday, the 1st day of March next, will be the last day for introducing Private Friday, the 12th day of March next, will be the last day for receiving reports of Committees on Private Bills.

CHARLES CLARKE Clerk of the Legislative Assembly. Toronto, Jan. 12, 1897. for Brick and Tile Sewers TENDERS will be received at the undersigned office up to 5 o'clock on Thursday, Feb. 18, for the construction of 2,180 feet of 18 inch tile sewer on the Wharngiffe highway, and for x,932 feet of brick sewer on King, Ridout and other streets. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ALD. E. PARNELL, Chairman Board of voted. A. O. GRAYDON, City Engineer, London,

The Great London Election Trial Is Over.

The Petitioner Has Plenty had him sworn. More Charges,

But They Would Take Up Too Much Time.

And Add to the Volume of Work.

Mr. Aylesworth Asks for Scrutiny of the Votes,

Claiming It Would Increase Beattie's Majority.

But No Decision Will be Given by the Judges Unless the Matter Is Found Important - Mr. Beattle to Go Into the Box on the 19th Section.

The great London election trial is Parkersburg, W. Va., Feb. 10 .- About practically at an end. This was the

Mr. Beattle, M.P., goes into the box this afternoon, at his counsel's request, to say that he wore the white flower of a blameless life throughout the election period. Mr. Osler will cross-examine him, and expects to get through in an hour. Then the court will adjourn for good, the judges, Messrs. Osler and Aylesworth, and other officials, leaving on the 4:30 train for the in Bracebridge next week.

east. Mr. Osler has a murder trial Their lordships have reserved deciproven, and are expected to hand in their judgment within the next four or, five weeks, or befor Earliament meets, in March. If they do not unseat Mr. Beattle on those, there will be an argument on the nineteenth section, as to whether the two charges of corruption found proven are sufficient to invalidate the election. The nine teenth section says that a trifling act of corruption may not void an election, if otherwise it was a pure one. As Mr. Osler announced this morning, there are hundreds of charges against the respondent yet untouched, one group of which-the Hiscott casewould perhaps take a week in itself. Time would not permit of hearing it, and all further evidence would only

add to the volume of testimony.

Tuesday Atternoon. When the court resumed, Mr. Aylesworth began the argument for the defense on the Noulty case. Mr. Aylesworth impugned the evidence of Watson. Watson's letter was put into the drawer because it had laid around so long. Mr. Toothe was a lawyer, but not a fool, and would hardly put a bill in an envelope in the thought that he was evading the law. At the time of going to press Mr. Aylesworth was still talking. Continuing the argument on the Watson case, Mr. Aylesworth said it

was asking too much to say that Messrs. Toothe, Dillon, and McMillan were willfully perjuring themselves. He also attacked the characters of Noulty and Watson, and asked that Tracey, Sharkey and Milligan be beeved in preference. Did Sharkey look like a man who would perjure himself? Noulty's story was that of a man who, angered because he could get no mon-ey, fabricated this story and induced equally disreputable companion to do the same.

In reply Mr. Osler said that in a previous election case, presided over by Justices Ferguson and McMahon, election was voided on a charge of bribery by an agent, added to other llegal practices, but not by agents. This was done despite the saving clause

Judge Ferguson (laughing)-Do you think it's fair to bring a judge's own decision before him? Mr. Osler-Yes, my lord, sometimes it is the only way to make an im- here on Sunday? ression. (Laughter.) In reply to Judge Robertson, Mr. Osler said frankly that either Watson was swearing to what was false, or that Toothe, Dillon and McMillan were doing so. It had not been reasonably explained why there was a letter for

"I doubt if you have seen three cleaner-cut witnesses in this trial than Noulty, Watson and Holmes," said Mr. Osler. "The case requires grave consideration," said Judge Ferguson, when Mr. Osler had concluded. Judge Ferguson asked Mr. Osler his opinion as to the strength of the doubt which a judge should entertain in

election cases. Mr. Osler cited several authorities. Judge Robertson said a respondent should not be unseated unless the judges were satisfied beyond a reasonable doubt that there had been a corrupt practice. THOMAS HIGGINS.

Thomas Higgins was called upon a charge that he was impersonated at the polls by one Charles E. Higgins. Witness said he lived on Waterloo street, corner of Wolfe, and had voted for fifteen years as an owner. Mr. Osler said that in the voters' list, there was a name Charles Hig- it seemed to be all words. gins, entered as owner of the property, 23 north Wolfe street. witness said this must be a mis-take, as he was the owner of that property. He did not know of a Chas. Higgins. Witness said he did not vote at last election, as he was away on a fishing party. He had paired off with Liberal who was also in the party. Mr. Osler put in the poli book to show that a man professing to be Chas. Higgins, 23 North Wolfe street. tried to vote at the last election. He was objected to by Hyman's scrutin-

FREDERICK HENDERSON. Mr. Frederick Henderson

was inside scrutineer for Hyman on election day in division 23. Mr. Jared Vining was the other Hyman scrut-ineer. Charles Ruse and George Granger were Beattie's scrutineers. Witness remembered a man calling himself Charles Higgins coming in to Witness said that he and Vin-

ing objected strongly to the man vot-ing, as witness knew that Mr. Thomas Higgins had previously voted on that property. I questioned the voter about the description of the land, but he could not tell me anything about it. Mr. Ruse told me the man was all right, but I

To Mr. Aylesworth, witness said he was a bookkeeper at Robinson & Little's, and had acted half a dozen times as scrutineer.
Mr. Aylesworth got more than a Roland for an Oliver. "How did you know that Thomas Higgins owned that property?" he said in a fierce

tone. A .- I knew he was building on it, and that he had voted on it before. "Answer-my question! How did you know Thomas Higgins owned it? Had you seen his title deed?" "How do I know you're Mr. Aylsworth?" said the witness promptly. A roar of laughter at the clever re joinder followed, and a number clapped their hands, and the high constable

threatened to put them out. CHARLES E. HIGGINS. Charles E. Higgins sworn, said he was a lithographer. He was canvassed for his vote by a young man named Campbell, who said his name was on the list. He went to vote on election day at division 23, and remembered that somebody objected to him, and said he was not Chas. Higgins. Witness said he heard nothing about the

Wolfe street property.

Mr. Osler said he would not press
this case, in view of Charles Higgins'

MICHAEL CLANCY. (Laughter.) Dromgole was at his house the week before the election. "He asked me if I had promised my vote yet. I said 'No.' He said 'Will you vote for Mr. Beattie?' I said 'I will when you pay me for it.' Then he said, 'I'll give you \$5.' I said 'I want \$10.' He said he would come back on Saturday. But he never came." (Laughter.)

Dromgole offered him the \$5 before witness asked for the money. Wit- else to act as constable? ness was only joking at the time. "Mr. Boyd—Yes. Mr. Aylesworth-Oh, now, don't put it on the young man. ate your throat or lungs and run the risk of filling a consumptive's grave. Their lordships have reserved decirisk of filling a consumptive's grave. Their lordships have reserved deciring the lord

Mr. Osler quoted from the evidence of Thomas Beattle, J. R. Minhinnick and Wm. Mullins to show that Mr. Dromgole was an agent. As it was nearly 6 o'clock court adjourned without entering on fresh

charges.

Wednesday Morning. When the court resumed this morning it was said privately that counsel had come to an arrangement by which the case would end today, and the judges be able to return east on ler.

the 4:30 p.m. train. The petitioner's counsel think they have produced enough evidence to unseat a hundred men, while the respondent's counsel, of course, claim it has been a pure and spotless elec-

JOHN O. DROMGOLE. John O. Dromgole, sworn, said he heard Michael Clancy's evidence in court last evening. He always heard show that Thomas Higgins was a vot-that Clancy was a supporter of Mr. er. He also put in the returning offi-Hyman. Witness said he went to canvass Mr. Clancy's vote for Mr. Beattie. Michael's brother, James, was there appointed. at the time. Witness first canvassed James, but the latter refused to vote for Beattie. Then witness canvassed "It is unfortunate," said Mr. Osler. that he wanted \$10 to vote for Mr.

Beattie Q.-Was this said jokingly? A .- Yes; he was laughing at the give him no money.

Clancy's financial position?

thousand dollars. upon as a respectable man. He neither was needed at an orderly poll. olifered, promised nor gave Michael came within the meaning of the sta-any money. any money.

To Mr. Osler witness said the practice "to endeavor to procure of the practice of

Clancys were the first he had canvassed that day.
Q.—Who did you canvass the next A .- That was Sunday. Q.-I understand they don't let up

A.-I do. Mr. Osler-Toothe's office seems to have been open on Sunday for election purposes. Witness said he had canvassed among others Messrs. Costello, Best, Milligan, Quinn and York.

Q.-Was there not a Roman Catholic committee? A.-No. Q.-The voters you canvassed were f your faith? A.—Yes; I knew them. Witness said he had no dealings with

Pat Gleason in the past year. He knew Alexander McRae, a cab driver; witness understood he was working for Mr. Beattie. -Ever talk election with him? A .- Yes. Q.-About any particular vote?

A.-No.

Q.-Just on the broad ground-free sion. trade and Manitoba schools? A.—Yes. Witness knew John McGrory, but had not talked election with him. Witness had not received or paid out any money in connection with election. He had made no loans. Mr. Osler said he would not press the charge against Mr. Dromgole. Judge Ferguson—There was no act;

MORE ABSENT WITNESSES. Mr. Osler then called for Herbert Royd Thomas Higgins and Jonah Sage, but received no response. 'Subpoenas are no good in this court," said Mr. Osler. The court then waited for Boyd, who was telephoned for. 'Whom are we waiting for?" said Judge Robertson, after fifteen minutes

spent in silence. Mr. Osler-For a witness, my lord, who has been subpoenaed. I think the form of this court's subpoena should be changed. It should read: The pleasure of So and So's company is requested court at such and such a time

Baldness is Curable.

Hundreds of unsolicited testimenials prove that "Oriental" Rum and Quinine Hair Tonic is the greatest remedy for baldness ever discovered. No matter from what cause the baldness arises it will positively force a profusion of luxuriant hair, Stops hair from falling out. Cures dandruff, scurf, etc. Its effects are truly marvelous.

Price 50 cents. For sale by Cairneross & Lawrence,

CHEMISTS AND DRUGGISTS.

216 Dundas St., London, Ont. Branch-Corner Richmond and Piccadilly. ter.) If he sends regrets, he should not come. Those whom we have invited to attend and paid for attending

Mr. Aylesworth-Perhaps the invi-

tation is as sincere as most of them are. (Laughter.) HERBERT BOYD.

did not come.

Mr. Boyd then appeared and entered the box. "Why couldn't you come here direct without sending for Mr. Toothe?" said

Witness denied he had sent for Mr. Toothe. Examined by Mr. Osler, witness said he went to see Thomas Higgins in the East End, and asked him how he Michael Clancy said he voted last voted. Higgins asked if he could get election. He knew John O. Dromgole. anything to do on election-day, as the place where he worked would be closed down. Witness referred him to Mr. Galpin, the chairman of the com-Q .- Did Higgins act as constable on

election day? Q .- Did you go out to see him, and

ask him to act as constable? came." (Laughter.)
To Mr. Aylesworth, witness said that he always voted for Hyman, and would not take money to vote for He would have refused the "Mr. Osler-Did you go to anyone

> "Q .- You went to see Mr. Higgins? "Q.-At whose request?

"Q .- To see and get him to act as

"A.-Yes "Q.-Did you get him to act? "A .- Yes "Q .- Did he act in No. 6?

"Q.—You got him to act?
"A.—I sent him down to the com-"Now, is that right?" asked Mr. Osler, after reading the above. "It is partly right and partly wrong," replied the witness. "Well, it's your oath," said Mr. Os-

Witness said he did not employ Higgins as constable, but merely sent him to the committee rooms. He denied having paid Higgins any loaned him any since that time. He had since conversed with Higgins on the matter. He had not gone to hire Higgins for the band on election day. To Mr. Aylesworth, witness said that Higgins told him he was a Beattle supporter, and witness looked on him

as such.

Mr. Osler put in the poll book to cer's statement to show that no constable of Higgins' name was officially Mr. Osler called for Thomas Higgins,

Michael. Michael said he had been "The man was in the box once, but offered \$5 to vote for Mr. Hyman, but the defense was not ready, and his evidence was not taken. Now we cannot find him. Mr. Osler argued that Boyd's act was a corrupt one. He had canvassed Higgins, and had secured him the ap-Witness said he told Michael he could pointment as constable. Their lordships had already found that Boyd was Q .- Do you know anything of Michael guilty of a corrupt act in attempting to hire Haynes as a constable. Hig-A.-I understand he is worth several gins' case was exactly similar. The appointment as an extra constable Witness said Michael was looked was a mere blind. No extra constable to promise to procure office" to induce any man to vote.

> both of the same party, and there was no inducing to vote. In pressing the case the petitioner showed he was in desperate straits. Mr. Osler showed that extra constables could only be appointed by the deputy returning officer in case of emergency on polling day.

Mr. Aylesworth submitted that there

was no case. Boyd and Higgins were

Their lordships reserved decision. Mr. Osler asked for ten or fifteen minutes' time, as he wanted to get a witness. The Trial Closed

Mr. Osler announced that he was unable to get the witness wanted. He added: "We have come to the conclusion that, as counsel, we should rest our case where we are. We have many other charges, some of which we believe are sustainable. But they would take many days. One group of charges similar to the attic, we think, would take five or six days to try. We feel there are now a large number of

cases waiting your lordships' conclu-

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Winter Sports.

Watford Hockey Players Looking for a Match.

The Barrie Team Beaten by the Berlin Club.

Meeting of the Pastime Baseball Club -Drawing for the Finals in the Ontario Tankard Contest.

CURLING.

FOR THE FINALS. Oshawa, Sarnia and London, Caledonian and Lindsay. Buffalo and Fergus. Seaforth and Hamilton, Scarboro and will be played today. SHOTS.

will visit a number of cities and towns. were given by Miss Fraser, of West THE TURF.

The purses hung up by the St. Petersburg association for the meeting now in progress in Russia will aggregate over \$135,000. The plan of calling a race finished at the end of the fifth heat, which was tried by New England breeders last year, proved so satisfactory that it will be continued this season.

IMPROVEMENTS AT FORT ERIE. Buffalo, Feb. 10 .- The Fort Erie Jockey Club will next week advertise for bids for the construction of the new track and the building. The of construction will aggregate \$100,000.

HOCKEY.

BERLIN VS. BARRIE. Berlin, Ont., Feb. 10 .- The Barrie tors were accompanied by 200 or more of their friends.

WATFORD WANTS A MATCH, To the Sporting Editor: The Watford Hockey Club invite the London hockey team to a friendly game on their rink, and promise a good reception. We have a good rink here, and the team is composed of players who are sports of the first grade, and will guarantee a good game, with a large crowd to witness it. Write to C. A. Class, secretary Watford

Watford, Feb. 9. ATHLETICS.

offered.

BLOWS. Pedlar Palmer has accepted the chal lenge of George Dixon, pugilist. At Quebec, on Monday night, Slavin and Hall had a friendly encounter, Slavin being knocked out in the fifth

BASEBALL.

* FOREIGN BALL TOSSERS. San Francisco, Feb. 10.-America is tian ball team. Manager Musgrove is sor and Detroit.

expected by any steamer. He was manthat visited this country, and has been given carte blanche to arrange all prefifteen men. The following nine has been definitely chosen: Laver, Ingleton, Allister, McRay, Wallace, Kemp, and trust he will soon recover Ellis Smith and Ewers.

THE PASTIMES. a meeting of the members of the Pastime Baseball Club was held on Monday evening for the purpose of reorganizing for 1897, a large number being present. The report of the secretary-treasurer showed a handsome will be stronger than ever.

WHEEL. A SIX DAYS' CONTEST.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 10.-The 2 p.m. score yesterday in the six days' bicycle race was: Waller, 262 miles; Gimm, 261; Schock,247; Hall,242; Forster,220; Buckel, 214: Dench 216: Turville, 197. The 14-hour den by Reading, was broken by Wal-ler by three-fifths of a mile.

The starters are: Louis Gimm, Cleveland: Fred Forster, Germany; Frank Waster, Germany; George, Van Em-burgh, Arlington, N. J.; Albert Schock, New York; Charles Buckel, Allegheny; George Dench, Pittsburg; Andrew Johnson, Long Island; Louis Hall, Phila-

days. The track is twelve laps to the

New Boodling Charges

Dominion Government Enters on Another Investigation.

Intercolonial Officials Suspected Serious Offenses.

Riviere du Loup, Que., Feb. 10.-The Dominion Government is prosecuting very quietly, an investigation which, it is promised by those who have been nstrumental in starting it, will develop some interesting revelations. The investigation has to do with the acts of certain officials of the Intercolonial Railway in Quebec, and others John B. Janes, and Alexander McInwho have had business connections tyre, councilors. The salaries of the with that corporation, and may ul-

the past twenty years. \$60; janitor, \$18; auditors, each \$2 p The charges which form the basis of day; members of the local Board to the Government's attention by Mr. members of council, \$2 per day. The P. A. Choquette, M.P. for Montmagny, following officers were chosen: E. R. who some time ago wrote to the Hon. Barclay, to be clerk; E. R. Stone-A. G. Blair, Minister of Railways and Canals, stating that grave irregular-lector; Colin Johnson and John Mcities had come to his knowledge as Pherson, auditors; Samuel Clair, jani-having been committed in connection tor; John Ferguson, member of the with the Intercolonial, and asking that local Board of Health. Bylaw No. 395, a commission be appointed to inquire confirming the appointment of officers into the affair. Mr. Choquette also and fixing the salaries passed.

Pleasant Surprise Party in West Nissouri-Speeches, Music and Songs.

of London township will give a grand concert at the town hall, St. John's, on Thursday evening, Feb. 18. An entertainment of vocal and instrumental music of more than ordinary as deputy returning officer and pay merit will be given, as the committee in charge have secured a fine list of performers. E. McNab, chief ranger, and C. E. Smith, financial secretary, have charge of the entertainment, and will undoubtedly do all in their power to make it a success.

The people of West Nissouri last night gathered together to the number of 400 or 500 to show their appreciation of the efforts of Mr. Webster, lot 3, con. 7, in connection with municipal matters. They drove in sleighs to Mr. Webster's palatial residence as a sur-prise party, and there spent a most enjoyable time. Mr. Webster, is com-Alex. Johnson; Duncan McLean, \$1, stituency by his earnest efforts in their behalf. He has done duty in came to town, the only absentees being the township council for eight or nine Keene and Lucknow. The draw re- years, and has represented the townsulted in the arrangement of contests ship in the county council for two or as follows for today: Collingwood and three terms. Councilor D. Quirn speakers of the evening were Mr. E. Sullivan, Zorra, J. A. Young, and E. Queen City. Brantford and Chatham B. McCarty, Thamesford; W. W. Day, won byes, and will play together in the second round. The first two rounds Murray, Columbus Roff, West Zorra; John McCombe, Alex Fram, of Em-bro, and W. D. Stewart, of the Embro Courier. Solos were ably rendered Galt curlers have formed a flying squadron of twenty members, and at the end of the present month they and others. Instrumental selections

ARKONA,

Sad Bereavement-An Enjoyable Outing-A Robbery.

Arkona, Feb. 9 .- On Friday evening

last Basil, youngest son of Mr. Sylvester Smith, died after a short ill-The interment took place on Sunday afternoon. The sermon was preached in the Methodist Church by Rev. C. W. Bristol. Mr. and Mrs. Smith have the sympathy of the town cost in the loss of their bright little boy. Last Friday night a number of our Bids will be asked for in Canada as young people drove to Uttoxeter to well as in the United States. of this place), and spent an enjoyable evening in games and music. appetising lunch was served about midnight, and shortly after the young hockey team played Berlin last night folks started for home again, all feel-and were defeated by 6 to 3. The visi-ing better for the evening's fun. Mr. Minhinnick, who has been very ill for some time past, is on the mend. Mrs. J. Archer is on the sick list at present. She is suffering from an attack of inflammation of the lungs.

Miss L. Pool and Mr. R. Hooper, of Lambeth, are spending a few days with Mr. F. Hooper. A small robbery took place in town on Sunday night last, when some ular Visitation of It. person or persons broke in the back door of Mr. F. Hooper's grocery and confectionery store, and helped themselves to a good supply of cigars club, who will tell of the inducements and cigarettes. They also took a considerable amount of candy. The village authorities are on the look-out for

Mrs. Longley, who has been ill for a long time, is now on the mend.

Komoka, Feb. 10. — Miss Minnie Sharp, from the city, is visiting rela-tives and friends here for the benefit of her health.
Miss Lizzie M. Murdock and Miss Annie Sinclair are preparing and on the eve of making a long contemplated this year to be invaded by an Austra- visit to relatives and friends at Windexpected by any steamer. He was manager of the last Australian cricket team that visited this country, and has been that visited this country, and has been bie, G. T. R. station agent, here, who inaries. It is intended to send over has been quite ill for some time, is no better. He has many warm friends. We would be very sorry to lose him,

LUCAN.

Funeral of the Late Isaiah Maguire

Marmer's Institute Meeting. Lucan, Feb. 9.-The death of Mr. Isaiah Maguire, an old resident of this place, occurred in Brantford on Sunbalance from last season. Several new day last, after a short illness. The players have been signed, and the team body was brought here by train on Monday at noon, and was interred at the Methodist cometery, Birr, at 3 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday. Deceased leaves one brother, Mr. John Maguire, of London, and three sisters, Mrs. John McMahon, of Lucan, Mrs. W. Pratt, of North Dakota, and Mrs. (Dr.) Abbott, of Pinconning, Mich. The pall-bearers were Messrs. John Fox, Wm. Eliwood, A. McFalls, James Stanley, L. D. Stanley, and J. R. McComb, all of Lucan. Mrs. Nathaniel Regan, Biddulph,

seriously ill Miss Gray of Detroit, is visiting her to pour copious effusions from the blood into the bowels, after which the be around again after a protracted ill-

Miss Hillen, high school tead

The men ride twelve hours each | been unable to attend to her duties for Mrs. (Dr.) Shaw is seriously ill.
A meeting of the North Middlesex
Farmers' Institute will be held at Farmers' Institute will be held at Harmony Hall, Granton, on Tuesday. Feb. 16, and another meeting is advertised for the township hall, Lucan, on Wednesday, Feb. 17. The names of J. B. Bryan and R. A. Radcliffe appear as directors. The subjects to be discussed are "Swine Breeding and Feeding," "Rotation of Crops," "Feeding Cattle for Export," "Country Roads," "Our Farm Life," "Cultivation of fruit trees and small fruits." tion of fruit trees and small fruits,"
"Horse Breeding," "Underdraining,"
Growing and Saving Corn," "City and

Country Life," and "Country Homes. Lobo Township Council. Lobo Township Council met in the town hall on Monday, Jan. 11, 1897. The following, having been duly elected, subscribed to the declaration of qualification and of office; viz.: Chas. W. Zavitz, reeve; Archibald McGugan, deputy reeve: Duncan Cameron timately extend to an examination of 1897 are to be as follows: Clerk, \$200; the whole workings of the road for assessor, \$70; collector, \$80; treasurer, \$60; janitor, \$18; auditors, each \$2 per the present inquiry were first brought Health, \$1 each for each meeting held; wrote to Mr. Laurier to the same effect at the same time, mentioning a few of the frauds which he alleged had been committed.

Choquette also and like Salaries passed. The commissioners for the year are: For division No. 1, Archibald McGugan; division No. 2, Alexander McIntyre; division No. 3, C. W. Zavitz; division No. 4, John B. Janes; division No. 5, Duncan Cameron. Bylaw No. 396, confirming the appointment of commissioners and flxing their salaries was passed. The treasurer's bond was accepted. The following checks were issued: Duncan McMurphy, \$24, gravel bee; Albert Barber, \$61, for sanding

T. G. Turnbull, \$2 60 for cedar posts; Neil A. Graham, \$6 for services as deputy returning officer and pay for poll clerk; A. McArthur, \$8 for services as deputy returning officer and The Independent Order of Foresters pay for poll clerk and for polling for London township will give a booth; Alexander Campbell, \$8 for sergrand concert at the town hall. St. pay for poll clerk and for polling booth; John Crawford, \$7 for services for constable and pay for polling booth; Peter A. McIntyre, \$9 for ser vices as deputy returning officer, and pay for poll clerk and constable and polling booth; Neil Fletcher, \$87, for gravel bee; Archie McIntyre, \$95, for gravel bee; Peter A. McIntyre, \$4 67, two-thirds, related to the second two-thirds value of damages for one sheep killed by a dog or dogs; The Municipal World, \$6 25, for municipal blanks for election purposes; A. F. Mc-Intyre, \$88, for gravel bee; J. O. Cutler (pathmaster), \$8 for teaming lumber, etc.; C. W. Zavitz, \$18 75, for county grant to Ida Wood; C. W.

3, lot 1 and part of 2; Harry con. 3, lot 1 and part of 2; Harry Hicks, \$2 25, for teaming and ditching;

Toronto, Feb. 10.—The drawing for the finals of the Ontario tankard competition took place last evening. Fourteen of the winners in the 16 groups their behalf. He has done duty in Charles Ferguson, \$23, balance due for work on the Scott and Marsh bridges; F. Ladell, \$1, for repairing bridge; Joseph Atkin, \$12 50 for teaming and building bridge; Duncan McMurphy, \$101 25, half cost of gravel bee; Wallace Walters, \$2, township share of drain. Adjourned to meet on Monday, Feb. 8. E. R. Barclay, Clerk of Lobo, Poplar Hill.

You will regret exceedingly to learn that the inhabitants of some parts of Lobo, Poplar Hill.

> London Township Council. A special meeting of the council of the township of London was held at the Valentine-Guest drain, between lots 2 and 3, con. 7, on Jan. 13. All the members were present. It was moved by Thomas Clark, seconded by E.Dann, that the culvert on said drain be moved three feet to the south, a railing put on the north side, and the road widened on the south side; carried. Moved by I. McLeod, seconded by John R. Hodgins, that 110 feet of 19-inch tile be put in the ditch opposite lot 1, con. 8, and a railing put on said ditch as far as necessary; carried. Council ad-

Council met Monday, Feb. 1; all the members present. The minutes of the fisheries of the inland waters, but also previous and special meeting were read in those of the great lakes and rivers. and signed. Moved by J. McLeod, seconded by John R. Hodgins, that a amounts were issued: C. W. Sum- ject shall be considered by you during mers, 82 cents, for groceries for Cur- the present session. tis Smith, indigent; John Ferguson \$5, for coffin and buying the infant of C. Armstreng; F. W. Farncombe, \$5, for inspecting and reporting on Beer drain; A. Russell, \$5, for 1 1-2 cords of wood for John Todd, indigent; J. Jackson, \$1 80, for six cords of gravel to fix approaches to bridges on con. 5 Indians, under the Robinson treaty, and Adelaide street. James Grant, and for additional and increased anto fix approaches to bridges on con. 5

LA GRIPPE RAGING.

Ottawa, Feb. 10.-The epidemic of la grippe has assumed unprecedented proportions in the city. A number of the doctors were called upon, and the reply in each case was that they had more patients suffering from that malady than ever before.
Sir James Grant stated that the epidemic was more general than any previous one, and a serious feature of it was that the sickness in a great many cases develops into inflammation of the lungs or pneumonia. Asked if he considered the number of cases were decreasing, he stated that they were not; that on the contrary the epidemic seemed to be increasing considerably. It was in every portion of the city. Two deaths occurred from pneumonia from the grip, namely those of Mrs. Donald Masson, aged 65, wife of a prominent city contractor, and of Norris Venning, a promising young man of 19, son of Mr. R. N. Venning, of the Marine Department.

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Third Session of the Eighth Ontario Legislature.

Speech From the Throne Read by Sir C. S. Gzowski.

Governor. The Queen's Diamond Jubilee, Famine

mir Gzowski, A.D.C. to the Queen.

In consequence of the temporary ab sence of the Lieutenant-Governor, the

THE DIAMOND JUBILEE. It is a subject of congratulation that the audit of municipal accounts. since your last meeting her Most Gracious Majesty has entered upon, and is now approaching, the completion of the sixtieth year of her illustrious reign. Our interest in the event is enhanced by the consideration that her reign has been the longest and hapher reign has been the longest and happeted during the session.

The reports of the various department of the public service for the longest and happeted during the session. Majesty upon an event so gratifying to all her loving subjects in this Province, and expressive of your loyalty Province, showing the receipts and and attachment, will be submitted for your consideration

A CENTENNIAL. The first day of June next will be the 100th anniversary of the meeting of the Parliament of Upper Canada in the present capital of the Province. During all the intervening years the Province has steadily advanced in wealth and population, and many of the institutions which, in its early history, were incomplete in their organnization and limited in their operations, have been greatly enlarged and improved under the beneficent influence of that form of government which we so happly enjoy.

LAST YEAR'S HARVEST. I congratulate you upon last year's bountiful harvest of nearly all the staple crops of the Province, and further dulgently when the subject of bicycles upon the advance in the prices of some came up.

INDIA WANTS HELP. the plague, and that local resources are inadequate to meet the emergency. I confidently rely upon your generou disposition to grant such aid for the relief of our afflicted fellow-subjects as the circumstances appear to demand, and the means at your disposal will

PROVINCIAL RIGHTS. Judgment has recently been given by the Supreme Court of Canada in the case submitted between the Governments of Canada and of the provinces, for the determination of their rights, respectively, in the public fisheries. It affords me much satisfaction to be able to inform you that the rights of the provinces are much greater than has been hitherto recognized by the Government of Canada, not only in the tural Society. Orders for the following case require that a bill upon the sub-

INDIAN ANNUITIES.

It will be satisfactory to you to learn that the claims of the Government of Canada against this Province for repayment of certain annuities, heretofore paid by that Government to nuities, which it is alleged may hereafter become payable, have, upon appeal, been disallowed by the judicial committee of the Privy Council.

POWER TO PROHIBIT. Since your last session, the same tribunal has also given judgment on ap-peal in the case formerly submitted to the Supreme Court of Canada, respecting the powers of the Parliament of Canada, and of the Provincial Legislatures, respectively, as to the right to prohibit the manufacture, sale and importation of intoxicating liquors. A copy of the judgment will be laid be-

fore you. COLONIZATION. Increased interest has been manifested during the past year in the new setblements in Algoma, on Rainy River, at Temiscamingue, and at and near Dryden, on Wabigoon Lake, and considerable farm land has been taken up by actual or intending set-tlers. You will be asked to appropriate a reasonable sum for the purpose of aiding in the colonization of these

QUEBEC-ONTARIO AND DOMINION ARBITRATION. The arbitration between the Governments of Carada, Ontario and Quebec has not been brought to a conclusion but several additional awards have been made by the arbitrators.

THE LUMBER TRADE There has been no improvement in the condition of the lumber trade. The monetary stringency and business depression which prevailed in the United States during 1895, contrary to general expectation, continued during the past year, and the sawn lumber trade consequently remained depressed. I am glad to be able to state, however, that there is an increasing demand for our timber and lumber in the English market. It is satisfactory to know that notwithstanding the adverse condition of the lumber trade, the receipts from the woods and forests have consider-ably exceeded the estimated revenue.

ROAD-MAKING The work of the instructor in road making, for whose appointment pro-vision was made last session, has been vigorously pursued, and I am pleased to learn has, during the past year been received with a large measure of

THE MINING INDUSTRY. I rejoice to know that the past yea

als have been steadily operated. The known limits of the gold-bearing country have been widened in different directions by the enterprising spirit of prospectors, and the work of developing carried on in several new localities encourages the hope that in the year upon which we have entered

mining affairs. Furnaces for smelting fron, nickel, and copper ores, and mills, for reducing and refining gold ores and for the treatment of other miner-

year upon which we have entered, capital directed by experience will find

useful and profitable employment. In-deed, our province offers to investors,

explorers and miners attractions

scarcely equaled elsewhere, and I am gratified to know that the mineral

wealth is receiving the earnest atten-tion of our own people.

Amendments to the mining laws, the

ed by the experience of unusually ac-

tive operations in the past year, will be submitted for your consideration, and in other ways you will be asked to

give the mining industry generous,

a measure to set apart certain of the wild lands of the Crown for the use

of the University of Toronto, the pro-

ceeds of which shall be applied to-

wards making further provision for

OTHER MEASURES.

technical school; and a bill respecting

CONSOLIDATING THE LAWS.

past year in consolidating the public laws of the Province, and it is hoped

expenditures of the past year, will also

The estimates for the current year

have been prepared with as strict

regard to economy as is consistent with the efficiency of the public ser-

CRUISER BROOKLYN'S BAD CON-

DITION.

Cruiser Brooklyn was put in dry dock today. There is a hole about three feet long, about midships on the star-

board side. Eight or ten plates along the keel are also badly strained. One

of the propeller blades on the port

A READY REMEDY.

The fashionable physician smiled in-

"Do you recommend them for wo-

"Under what circumstances, as

FOR ALL PRACTICAL PURPOSES.

"My friend," said the traveler with

the skull cap, putting his head out of

what she wants me to recommend.

"Why, just as soon as I find that's

men, doctor?" he was asked. "Frequently," he replied.

side is bent almost to right angles.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 10 .- The

be promptly laid before you.

Progress has been made during the

Your consideration will be asked to

encouragement.

ecessity of which have been suggest-

In the Absence of the Lieutenant

in India-Privy Council Decisions and Proposed Legislation Dealt With.

Toronto, Feb. 10 .- The Legislature was formally opened today, Hon. Mr. Kirkpatrick being in England, whither he has gone for medical treatment, instruction in mechanics, engineering, mineralogy and geology, and for the encouragement of scientific investigations and discoveries in connection his place was taken by Col. Sir Casi-THE SPEECH.

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the with the undeveloped mineral resources of this province.

of this province. Hon. George Airey Kirkpatrick, the Governor-General in council has been pleased to appoint me administrator of the Government. After the arrival care of indigent children; a bill furthof his honor in England, it was learned er to improve the liquor license laws; that he was suffering from a severe a bill to reduce the number of countillness. This intelligence was received cilors in small towns: a bill to conthroughout the Province with deep regret. I am greatly pleased to be able to state that his health is improving, and also to express the hope that he will soon return to the discharge of corporations; a bill to make further corporations; a bill to make further corporations; a bill to make further corporations. his public duties, fully restored to his provision respecting women and children employed in shops; a bill making provisions for the establishment of a

the car-window, as the train stopped at a desolate-looking village, "what is the name of this dried-up, God-forsaken place?" "That's near enough," responded the dejected citizen, who was leaning against the little red shanty that served as the railway sta-"Let it go at that." VERY ABSENT-MINDED. Detroit Free Press. "Mrs. Newly, is it true that your husband is so very absent-minded?" "Perfectly. We've been married six months and many an evening at 11 he An appeal and a cross-appeal have gets up, takes me by the hand tells me what a delightful time he had, and grant of \$50 be made to the Agricul- Privy Council. The necessities of the would leave if I did not remind him." The Banks of Newfoundland are

Answers.

formed by the sand, earth and stones brought from the north by the ice bergs.



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Railway Time Tables.

CORRECTED NOV. 29, 1896. GRAND TRUNK-Southern Division, MAIN LINE—GOING EAST.
Trains arrive at London from the west—4:15
a.m., 12:25 p.m., 10:25 a.m., 4:20 p.m., 7:10 p.m., Trains leave London for the east-3:35 a.m.

4:20 a.m., 8:20 a.m., 12:40 p.m., 2:25 p.m., 4:25. MAIN LINE-GOING WEST. Trains arrive at London from the east —3:03 a.m., 11:07 a.m., 11:20 a.m., 12:40 p.m., 6:25 p.m Trains leave London for the west-7:00 a.m., 1:30 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 6:45 p.m.

Sarnia Branch. Trains arrive at London—3:30 a.m., 8:05 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 5:35 p.m., 7:50 p.m.
Trains leave London—3:10 a.m., 7:40 a.m., 11:12 .m., 2:30 p.m., 6:35 p.m. London, Huron and Bruce.

Arrive at London-10:00 a.m., 6:30 p.m. Leave London-8:15 a.m., 4:45 St. Marys and Stratford Branch. Arrive at London-9:45 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 5:49 p.m., 10:35 p.m. leave London—7:15 a, m., 11:10 a.m., 2:40 p.m.

5:55 p.m., 8:30 p.m. Going South—Trains leave London, 6:25 a.m., *10:05 a.m., 2:30 p.m., *7:00 p.m. Trains arrive at Port Stanley, 7:25 a.m., 3:38 p.m. Going North—Trains leave Port Stanley, 7:45 a.m., 4:40 p.m. Trains arrive at London, 8:45 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 5:40 p.m., 10:35 p.m. CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

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Theosophy's Hells and Heavens

(From the Independent.)

for curious minds. It is delightfully its pilgrimage without the rosy dream occult, sublimely transcendent, and gloriously Oriental. Its very language is a charm. (Who can speak those soft-sounding, dreamy and mystical words, "Karma," "Yoga," "Mahatma," dreamy dreamy dreamy and such like followers. words, "Karma," "Yoga," "Mahatma," without acknowledging their attract- go to it at death, the chief punishiveness? They come out of India's ment misty past, and have a delicate and delicious flavor. Vague and mysteri- becoming finer in succession. In the

fore death when it learns how. This intellectual power who hold too much is not so easy, however; but if you to materialistic lines and physical have "sufficient capacity," a good ways of thinking.

Stock of "perseverance" and plenty of time, you can master the process of regioned hell, dropping their astral unlocking the soul from its prison of body, enter the heaven-world, and thesh. Leaving the latter "asleep or after recovering from the dazzling ef-entranced," the fired soul emters mysterious realms, not bodiless, but really gin to see the radiant images of with three bodies, so subtle as not to friends loved, on earth, "amid ripples be seen by the physical eye. One of of living light and exquisite melody." these soul bodies is like that which Paul had, the other two are of a lower order. Supposing one to have become able, by long practice of "extreme temperance in all things," exalted the higher three yield mameditation and moble endeavors, and terial for the immortal body, and in of subjection of the body and exclusion of the outer world-living the re- face with Truth.

body of light"; what then? longing to the physical world." the "soul united with the higher consciousness," goes into the "region which comprises the hells of the various religions." In this hell there are seven which there is conscious fellowship ed occulist can pass into any of these regions at will, having learned how to adapt himself to them." With the tyro this is not so. He finds himself fettered. He must dwell in each of body" becomes pure. If the earth life been pure and the animal nature held under perfect subjection, it is possible for one to sleep through these "enwrapped in rosy dreams." But keen interest in earth life or clamorous regrets of friends

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Of your internal organization would reveal: if your back pains, congested kidneys; if your tongue is coated, disordered stomach, if your head is heavy, sluggish liver. Take another snap shot after you've used Mack's Rheumatic Pills, and note the change-the kidneys will be filtering the poisons from the system, the stomach actively digesting and the liver pouring out bile. You'll say you never felt better in your life. The system has been cleared of poisons by Mack's Pills, that's why. Fifty cents, all druggists. its Karma, nor believe in its Mahat-Pills, that's why. First course, mas, mor become "Cough Chaser" will cure that hacking its Isis Unveiled.

Theosophy has a curious fascination | will arouse it, and compel it to make enswathment. Mrs. Besant very kindly gives us glimpse into each of the divisions of

derers, drunkards and such like folk being the companionship and insatiable passions. The next three regions above have a touch of earth, have to be refused. The applications for admission, which ably be a total loss. All the members ous, they indicate Theosophy as a cult third are souls of narrow intelligence, good life, and crude religious beliefs The best clue we have ever seen to and all literalists. Souls more cultur-Theosophy's thread of fancy is given ed, but selfish in their devotion to art by Annie Besant, its leading English and intellectual pursuits, with religionexponent. She says that one need not ists of a higher type, occupy the secwait for death to be initiated into the ond, "working off their cruder ideas," mysteries which lie beyond. The soul white in the first, which is "by no can separate itself from the body be- means a repellent limbo," are men of

these the sould finds itself face to

ligion which others merely profess— The descriptions given of this to rise out of his gross body into "a heaven-world are enchanting. Surely The descriptions given of this the soul, having dropped the physical Well, the seer, or seeress, tells us body, passed through the seven-that, divested of all the matter beastral body, ascended through the various regions of heaven, receiving from its mind-body and finally its immortal body, will continue in unspeakable bliss forever and ever. But divisions or conditions, in each of no, it is not so. This heavenly life is, after all, limited. After rising to the highest heaven the emancipated souls drop back again to earth and become reincarnated to go through the long tedious process again:

> "Initiate, mystic, perfected, epopt, Illuminate, adept, transcendent, he Ivy-like lived and died, and again He lived resuscitant."

Thus the late Wm. Q. Judge, assisted in the founding of this Republic nearly a century and a quarter ago, his late life being a reincarnation. He was "adept, transcendent," for he could assume the form of a Crinese mandarin when he would. These things Theosophists know certainly, as certainly as they know anything Theosopical

If so great an expert must submit to successive reincarnations, of course mmoner folk must. The thought is disturbing, the result disappointing There is no fixity. It is like the rule of old-fashioned spelling class. As soon as you worked your way up to the head of the class by proficiency, you had to go to the foot and begin again. If Theosophy has got no settled state for us in eternity, if reincarnation must go on endlessly. Theosophy is a failure. We will not accept

Greece and

hammedans and Christians.

The Restive Young Turks Create Consternation in Constantinople.

Proposal to Disestablish the Church of England Promptly Voted Down -Bloody Riot in Hamburg.

FCR PEACE. Berlin, Feb. 10 .- The Berliner Tageblatt announces that while in Berlin, Count Muravieff, Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs, declared that his chief aim would be to preserve European peace. Count Muravieff, it is said, asserted that if Russia was ever obliged to declare war he would resign the same day.

DISESTABLISHMENT VOTED DOWN.

London, Feb. 10 .- Mr. Samuel Smith, Liberal member for Flintshire, and formerly president of the Liverpool House of Commons yesterday the disestablishment and disendowment of the Church of England. He contended that established churches are inimical to popular rights. Mr. A. J. Balfour, Government lead-

er, described the motion as a shame, and as wasting the time of the House. entibled, "The Credibility of the Chris-

MURDER ON SHIPBOARD. with fifteen of the crew of the vessel, were charged with causing the death in strong force, and during the next of a seaman named Brostrom by ill-treatment during the voyage of the flicts around Canea, in which the ship from Mobile to Rio Janeiro, re- Christians appeared to have had the sulted in the conviction of First Mate advantage. The efforts of the consuls Fraser. Fraser was found guilty of and bishops to pacify them failed, and having inflicted unlawful punish- the Mohammedans, whose anger had ment upon Brostrom. The court postponed sentence upon Fraser until the themselves unable to continue their

BLOODSHED IN HAMBURG. has been resumed. A mob overturned the gas lamps about the Shaar market. The occupants of the houses on the Crosser and Backergang, thannels of excellently.

Sank. The should continue that have on hand hundreds of busnels of corn going to waste for the want of cattle to feed."

At the East Buffalo yards business is brisk, as buyers are coming here fares poured boiling water from the windows upon the heads of the authorities, and pelted the police with hot ashes, bottles and stones, compelling the officials to retreat and get reinforcements. The lamps were final-My relighted, and the streets cleared of the crowds. Three policemen and several civilians were severely wounded. Last night there was a bitter fight between large numbers men, who had been on strike, and the Before the disturbance was quelled two men were killed and 19 seriously injured. Among the latter are five policemen.

THE FAMINE. London, Feb. 10 .- A Jabalpur, India, dispate says: An examination of Centrad India shows that the famine is able. prevailing in an area larger than has been affected in a century, and it is likely that the mortality resulting from the scarcity of food and attendan't diseases will exceed that of any May be a Total Loss - Valued at previous famine within a hundred years. The details of the disaster are horrible to contemplate. Medical attendance for the sick is often inade quate, and many fives that might otherwise be saved are thus sacrificed. The poorhouses are filled to overflowing, and there is a continual stream have to be refused. The emaciation of some of the sufferers almost passes belief. Instances are numerous where adults weigh less than 56 pounds, and they present the appearance of skin-covered skeletons, which, in fact, they are. The famine belt is 1,300 miles long and 400 miles wide, and among the dense population there is

RESTIVE YOUNG TURKS Create a Feeling of Intense Anxiety in Constantinople.

that is not affected by the great cal-

amity.

Constantinople, Feb. 10.-Anxiety is upon the part of the Young Turks, the cattle off. The fall of prices on the Galata Bourse continues. The officials of the embassies on Sunday received copies of a manifesto from the Young Turks party Because She Was a Canadian Citizen declaring that they had decided to have recourse to force. Numbers of fly-sheets, denouncing the present Gov-ernment, have been found on the streets of Stamboul. The Russian emoutbreak which might imperil the integrity of Turkey. This action upon the part of the Russian embassy has impressed diplomatic circles, especial-



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The Two Powers May Come Into Collision.

It is in view of the naval preparations at Odessa.

The Daily News publishes a dispatch from Constantinople, saying that the street patrols have been quadrupled, and the approaches to the Yildiz Kiosk cordoned with troops.

Treasonable placards are frequently seen posted on the dead walls and other places about the city, and another massacre is expected. It is be-lieved that the Sultan originated the placards, hoping to cause disturbances, and so break up the continued con-ference of the diplomats.

Serious Situation.

Turkey and Greece May Be Em broiled in War.

As a Result of the Disturbances in the Isle of Crete.

London, Feb. 10.-Public officials here and on the continent regard the situation as serious and as threatening the peace of the whole of Europe. In the event of a collision between Turkey and Greece it is doubtful whether the entente of the powers could be Chamber of Commerce, moved in the maintained. The papers everywhere urge the powers to bring pressure to bear on Greece in order to prevent her further aggravation of Turkey. It is announced that Turkish war-ships and a transport have left Con-dealers of Buffalo and vicinity are stantinople for the Island of Crete, jubilant over the abrogation of the and that in spite of the advice of his quarantine of Canadian cattle which It was rejected by a vote of 204 to Ministers and of the ambassadors, the went into effect Feb. 1. The act pass86. Mr. Smith is the author of a work Sultan favors the dispatch of troops ed by Congress a year ago requiring A dispatch to the Times from Canea in quarantine 90 days proved detriand repressing the troubles by force. says: The immediate cause of the out- mental to the live stock interests of break here was the news of the trou- Buffalo. In fact, Canadian consign-London, Feb. 10.—Proceedings in the bles at Heraklion. Before dawn one-trial of the first and second mates of half the Mohammedans had left the of a local firm stated that it had been the British ship George T. Hayes, who, Galata and other villages. The Chris-

tians descended from the mountains two days there were incessant conbeen aroused to the utmost, found completion of the trial of the second mate and the fifteen seamen, which will take place today.

Canea increased; the first fighting in the town was Thursday. It commenced with desultory shots, and in a few London, Feb. 10.—Rioting, resulting moments became general and inces-

> Athens, Feb. 10 .- Advices from Canea, Crete, show that there has been renewed fighting outside the city between the belligerent Christians and but to the consumers, too. a body of Turks. From the accounts received here it is judged that the Christians defeated the troops. Fifteen of the latter were killed. After some delay the Greek ironclad, now in the harbor of Canea, saluted the Turkish flag, and the salute was returned.
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> A dispatch from Canea states that the union of Crete and Greece was programmed at Halepa on Sunday. It is possible that a Cabinet crisis may follow the popular manifestation made

here on Sunday.

A large number of the German newspapers' comments on the Cretan situation declare that war between Greece and Turkey is almost inevit-

THE ANGLOMAN.

\$400,000.

London, Feb. 10 .- The British steamer Angloman, referred to in yesterday's dispatches, is ashore on Skertch Island, in the Irish Sea, and will probof the crew have been saved. The Angloman is lying on the rocks southwest of the main island. She has a The tide is running strong, and it will Lewis, and left Boston Jan. 30 for only a comparatively small percentage Liverpool, with 3,600 tons of cargo. valued at \$40,000, fully insured. valuation of the steamer is placed at \$400,000, and she is said to be fully insured in English companies. The crew have arrived at Holyhead. They say that the vessel struck during a fog, and that no fog-horn was heard as a warning that she was approaching the island. The live stock, which comprised part of the cargo, was still aboard when the crew left, felt here at the danger of an outbreak but there was no chance of getting

BOUNCED THE NURSE

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 10 .- At the Grand Trunk station, Mrs. Georgina Smythe, of Wainfleet, near Welland, bassy has written to the Porte, point. Ont., was stopped by the immigration ing out the necessity of preventing an inspector as she was about to proceed up town to fulfill an engagement. She had been engaged by a prominent family to act as wet nurse to a bouncing boy in the aristocratic part of the city. The father of the infant met Mrs. Smythe at the station, and proposed escorting her to the family residence, when he was threatened with the dire penalties of the law for engaging an "alien." It was pointed out that the baby's life depended upon foster-mother, but this was urged by the inspector as no excuse for breaking the law. At the station a collection was suggested to defray the buxom Canadian's expenses back home, but the assistance was rejected. as Mrs. Smythe is well-to-do, and merely came over on an urgent sum-mons to oblige the Buffalo family, and mons to oblige the Buffalo family, and M. A. Dillon, ACCOUNTANT 532

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"All this goes to show that the live stock market of the United States is at present very low. American breeders have told me that if they could secure cattle they could fatten them from the collapse of the dockers' strike sant. The shooting continued until have on hand hundreds of bushels of

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Hamilton City Council has abolished on the ground that it is an unneces sary expense. Several aldermen were looking for the job, and the decision has caused somewhat of a surprise in the Dundas valley.

Ten Millions of Dollars for Prizes.

terested in the important bequest made is the point of the whole matter. Nobel, inventor of dynatry. Competition for the prizes will cessfully be explained away. open to the world. They are to be awarded respectively to the persons who shall have made during the year to him who shall have done most toward the establishment of universal The testator goes on to say:

"The first two prizes (physics and chemistry), shall be awarded by the frankness about the defense which Academy of Sciences of Sweden; that could not fail to gain credit After it the Carolus Institute of Stockholm, the literary prize by the Swedish Acpeace by a committee of five members that it was marked by ability of a chosen by the Norwegian Storthing." "It is my express will that no consideration of nationality should be taken into account in awarding these prizes, so that the most worthy may receive the reward whether he be a Scandinavian or no." Commenting on this, the New York

"Mr. Nobel's convertible fortune consists of real property in Paris and San Remo, but for the greater part of securities deposited in his house at Paris, and with bankers in London, Paris, Berlin, St. Petersburg, and will reopen in Sarnia very soon, the Stockholm. It will take some time machinery destroyed by fire being reto find out the exact amount of the bequests, but it is safe to say that it placed by modern devices. will amount to at least \$10,000,000, and that each of the yearly prizes estab- of Galt, Ont., are putting in machinery lished by Mr. Nobel will be as large as \$60,000. These are the largest prizes that have ever been established. It remains to be seen what advancement of the objects which Mr. Nobel had at theart will be attained by so profuse

It is stated in The Hospital that one of the prizes, probably the fourth mentioned above, is "for the most distinguished literary contribution in the same field" (physiology), and it comments as follows:

"Science, more especially physiological and medical science, suffers enormously for lack of able exposition. The adding eight new 4x14 tubular boilers inventor, the man who has a 'good thing' for sale, often fails to realize a fortune because he has not the means, or does not know the best methods of 'placing his goods upon the market.' In like manner, discoveries are made in science from time to time, improvements are made in the art of healing, which remain a dead less vehicles, and suitable gasoline or letter to the world, sometimes for oil motors for same, etc. years, and sometimes permanently, because there has been no man of adequate expository faculty to place them in clear, intelligent, interesting, and have actual or potential interest in them. As a case in point, chloroform may be mentioned. Sir James Simpson had not the merit of discovering first experiments with it. He had the mind that its general use became a 80 hands all the year round. mecessity with hardly a day's undue delay. But the real discoverer was a medical student whose name is unour time. Science which is not adequately expounded is lost to the world, rare practicality in devoting so much 70 firms are named, who are constructfurtherance of science exposition."

It will be seen that the accounts century. Why should not one or more of the great prizes offered be won

If little Holland keeps on reclaim-

That Unhappy Precedent.

It is unlucky for what remains to us their own conduct thereanent.

is so exceedingly ugly that our Conservative friends are unable to touch upon the topic it has reference to without labored attempts to explain it and Empire again found it a stumbling-block in its path. Wanting to strike at the Government over this said, found it necessary to cut off the head of the gentleman referred to tician." Only that, and nothing more. Logically, therefore, there should no for Conservative politicians. What is sauce for the "Clear Grit" goose

persuasion, and naught was said about moving Mr. Mackenzie's secretary, our lested in their snuggeries, but after added largely to the number of the tration; Hamilton Garland's "Grant political elect of his own stripe. And in the Mexican War," and a number they still are there, under a Liberal of excellent stories by well-known writers, make very profitable reading. Administration, in the enjoyment of

their dignities and emoluments. There is no difference in the two did not, at the sound of the sackbut, psaltery, and other high-toned instrugentlemen, bend the knee and bow down and worship the golden image that Nebuchadnezzar the King had set

that, though a thousand explanations value. been given, and a thousand more may be given, it is a precedent that will always remain, for it can never suc-

were among the most complete; among most successful. One argument was formerly of this city, who has just that of the 6 cents duty only 3 visited Rossland. It is intensely insense of the domain of letters, and that of the 6 cents duty, only 3 ought to be counted as telling in favor of the industry. Two cents were debited to the National Policy, which increases the cost of working the oil deposits. There was an apparent could not fail to gain credit. After it has been subjected to criticism, its value will be better understood. In demy, and that for the spreading of the meantime it is only fair to say high order."

> Latest Industrial Developments. Since the Advertiser's last report of

issue of the Canadian Manufacturer: Loughead's Hub and Spoke Works will reopen in Sarnia very soon, the

The Smith manufacturing Company. for the manufacture of knit elastic goods, such as belts, knit caps, band-

ages, etc. The Otto Higel Company, Toronto, manufacturers of piano action and keys, have greatly enlarged the capacity of their factory to meet in-

creased demand Mr. D. Ferguson is starting a factory at Komoka, Ont., for the manufacture of brooms,

The E. B. Eddy Company, pulp and paper manufacturers, Hull, Que., are to their big battery, which already consists of 24 boilers.

The Cooper Machine Company of Toronto, is being incorporated with a capital stock of \$20,000, to manufacture gasoline and oil engines, horse-

The Bertram Engine works Company, Toronto, have received the contract to build a passenger and freight convincing terms before all those who steamer for service on the Lake of the Woods, Man.

A new company, the Ontario Radiator Manufacturing Company, Toronchloroform, nor even of making the to, will erect large premises in the merit of so convincing the medical morthern part of the city, and employ

The recent destruction by fire of a mammoth shipbuilding yard on the pounds. known to most of the medical men of Clyde emphasizes the importance of that Scottish industry. In a late issue and Mr. Alfred Nobel has shown a of the North British Mail, of Glasgow, as one-fifth of a large fortune to the ing from one to ten large vessels, from twin screw steamers of 1,000 tons up differ slightly, but there can be no of 16,500 horse power. The year 1896 of the chief scientific events of the but the prospects for 1897 are equally satisfactory. The work in hand represents about 310,000 gross register tons. Compared with last year this shows an increase of 50,000 tons. The ing land from the sea some of her marine engineering trade is also well big neighbors will pick a quarrel with represented in 336,000 horse power, or her for stealing the ocean outside the 46,000 over that of the previous year. The Government orders include one

ers. The largest order given to the Clyde for a long time was that for the Nippon Yussen Kaisha, of Japan, This consisted of ten steamers of 5.824 ons gross register, and 7,500 deadeight tons each. Four of these are already launched and six are being built-three in the yards of D. & W Henderson, and three in that of Messrs. Napier, Shanks & Bell, Yoger. The money value of the contract re-

ALL BULLS NOT IRISH.

presents well on to \$5,000,000.

Canadian Presbyterian. The following paragraph is making the round of the press: "'My brethaway. On Saturday last, the Mail ren, said Dr. Boyd Carpenter, Bishop of Ripon, England, in a recent address, 'I beg you to take hold of your heart and look it straight in the face.' Bishop Carpenter is an Irishman." The othbarrier, its arm was paralyzed, and er day the Globe had a report of a the blow lost its force. Sir John, it political meeting in North Ontario in name is decidedly Highland Scotch, is made to say: "We must stamp out was but an "eminent poli- with a thundering voice the electoral that and nothing more frauds brought to light since last The perpetration of bulls is not necessarily confined to Irishmen.

form the leading feature in McClure's should be sauce for the Tory gander. Magazine for Feburary. The article which discusses the father of his During Sir John's previous adminiscountry shows 33 historic portraits, tration he gave many high seats in including among those which have the synagogue to politicians of his own long been familiar, many which are They are produced from paint-These gentlemen, while excusing ings by eminent artists, and the first President is shown at various ages between 40 and 70 years. ing of the Bible" is an article showing how the Oxford Bible is turned out at the Oxford University Press. yard Kipling's serial, "Captains Courageous" and his stirring ballad, "The with a double page illus-Bell Buoy,"

Portraits of George Washington

Mr. Richard Harding Davis, Mr. Richard Hodgson, and Mr. Charles Dana Gibson are well to the front in the February Scribner's. Mr. R. H. Davis' story, "Soldiers of Fortune," is illustrated by the last-named gen-tleman, who also writes and illustrates the first of a series of papers on "London," as he sees it, Mr. Richard Hodgson affords a sonnet, Mr. J. L. Williams writes of the conduct of a great hotel; Magistrate Cornell tells about the city magistrates' courts; Senator Lodge tells about Richard III., under the title of "The Last of the Planposed to be patterned, would be ashamed to use a subterfuge so small to make the number of interest and

The February number of the Canadian Magazine is an excellent one. It opens with an article on "The Premiers of Quebec Since 1867," by George Stewart, illustrated by ten portraits graphs, several stories, with poems, miscellany, etc. One of the mining artiwhole case, they were perhaps the intosh, of the Northwest Territories, teresting.

> The leading articles in the February Arena are "The New Education," him with a large quantity of provi-by Hon. W. T. Harris; "Art for Truth's sions and good things, for which Mr. Sake in the Drama," James A. Herne; Holt wishes to return his birds. Sake in the Drama," James A. Herne; thanks. An address was read by Jas. "Our Arid Lands," Judge J. S. Emery, United States irrigation commissioner; sponded "Glosue Carducci," an account of The County Association of the Italy's "pagan of the inneteenth central "Should Hagnest by Approved?" Council of Women, writes of the aims and accomplishments of that organzation, and half a dozen physicians contribute to the symposium on the

Western Ontario.

Optician,

Serious Accident Near Rodney - Ruthven's Redundant Gas Supply.

The Chatham Manufacturing Company has resumed operations, employing about 50 men.

Mr. Thomas Law, of Peston, died very suddenly on Sunday morning, of neuralgia of the heart. Daniel Brenneman, of Ellice, had an broken, and his scalp cut, by a falling tree.

Hiram Walker & Sons have subscribed \$500 to the Indian famine fund, being raised by the Canadian Bank of The young men of Amherstburg are arranging for a basket party and social hop, to be given in the town hall,

on the evening of Tuesday, Feb. 16, the proceeds to be given to charity. Mr. W. H. Breithaupt has been elected president of the Berlin and Waterloo treet Railway Company, to succeed the late E. Carl Breithaupt, who was killed by an explosion in Berlin. Mr. Hugh Munro, a well-to-do farmer of Kilmartin, died suddenly on Monday, aged 51 years and 2 menths. He was an elder in the Kilmartin Presbyterian Church. He leaves a widow, one son and five daughters.

The natural gas supply of Ruthven, which supplies Windsor and Detroit, shows no signs of diminution. After being drawn upon steadily for two years the pressure, which was originally 475, has only decreased to 470

Mariners passing Amherstburg next summer will miss two old landmarks moval of the old Callam mill below Warden Coste's, and the old warelouse on the Fraser dock, above Mr.

John F. Hare, of Windsor, has been appointed local master of the Supreme Court for the county of Essex, and Wm. Laing, of Essex, has been ap-pointed clerk pro tempore, of the Eighth Division Court of the county Peter Ross, the East Nissouri farm

er, who was charged with unlawfully making a fraudulent assignment, has been discharged from custody by Judge Finkle, who held that the crown had failed to show any intent to defraud the creditors.

Robert Yax, of Staples, was tried in

Munyon's Rheumatism Cure is guaranteed to be absolutely harmless, and a strong tonic in building up the weak and debilitated. It cures acute or muscular rheumatism in from one to five days. Sharp, shooting pains in any part of the body stopped by a few doses. A prompt, complete and permanent cure for tameness, soreness stiff back, and all pains in hips and loins. Chronic rheumatism, sciatica, lumbago, or pain in the back, are speedily cured. It seldom fails to give relief from one or two doses, and almost invariably cures before one bottle has been used. Price 25 cents. Munyon's Dyspepsia Cure positively cures all forms of indigestion and stomach trouble. Price 25c. Munyon's Kidney Cure speedily cures

pains in the back, loins or groins and all forms of kidney disease. Munyon's Vitalizer. Price, \$1. A separate specific for each disease. At all druggists, mostly 25c a bottle. Personal letters to Prof. Munyon 11 and 13 Albert street, Toronto, answered with free medical advice for any

the Essex County Court before Judge Horne, on a charge of committing an assault upon a girl under the age of 14. The complainant, Delia Larondeau, was contradicted by other witnesses, and the case was dismissed. The deaths of the following old and well-known residents of Chatham district are announced: Mrs. T. New-combe, of Blenheim, aged 74; Mrs. Wm. Clements, Chatham township, aged 86; Mr. M. Tomlinson, late cartage agent Erie and Huron Railway.

Berlin for a trip to Tavistock a few evenings ago. When near Petersburg the horses became unmanageable and ran away. The sleigh was upset and destroyed, and a number of the young people badly bruised. Miss Wismer,

of Berlin, broke an arm. Hattie E. A., the eldest daughter of George and Jane Rogers, of Brussels, died in the 24th year of her age there the other day. She was born in Delaware in March, 1873, but spent most of her life in Brussels. She will be much missed, both in Brussels and in Zurich as she had always been a great favor

About 11 o'clock Tuesday, Peter Mitchell, while driving a feam of horses with a wagon load of lumber across the M. C. R. track, just west of Rodney, was struck by No. 23. His right arm was fractured, and there were other injuries from the effect of the shock. The wagon was completely wrecked, but neither of the horses were injured. Mitchell may recover. Isaiah F. Maguire, the well-known "Of all the statements made public of the statesmen who have presided day, of pneumonia, in his 51st year. before the tariff commission," remarks the Moneton Theorem (in the Moneton Theorem (in the past thirty years. There are the Monetary Times, "those made on three articles on mining, illustrated terment. The other members of the behalf of the producers of petroleum with pen-and-ink drawings and photo-(Dr.) Albott, Pinconning, Mich. Mrs. Wm. Pratt, North Dakota; J. cles is by Lieutenant-Governor Mack- Maguire, London; and Mrs. McMehen,

> On Wednesday evening a large number of members and friends of the First Baptist Church of Amherstburg and Anderdon, gathered at the res dence of their pastor, Rev. J. A. Holt, and took him by surprise, presenting Holt wishes to return his sincere Naul, to which the pastor ably re-

tury"; "Should Hawaii be Annexed?" a question John F. Musick answers affirmatively, and "The Effects of Nicotine," by Prof. Sears. Mary Lowe The Observations of the National Tectors of the Search of the National Tectors of the Search of the National Tectors of the Natio Dickinson, president of the National tariff for revenue only; also in favor of the Government forming a railway commission to control the freight charges. The following officers were contribute to the symposium on the elected for the current year: Presi-proposed court of medicine and sur-dent, D. C. McColl; vice-president, P. gery. (Boston: The Arena Publishing McCallum; secretary-treasurer, Leonard Else.

Mr. George R. Fox has been circulating a petition in Essex county, ask-ing that the Government subsidize the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway, rom Ridgetown to St. Thomas, for the public. He has already succeeded in Death of a Well-Known Brantford securing the signatures of about 50 residents of the locality to be affected by the building of the road. This would then put the road in direct connection with the branch line int

> NO NEW TRIAL FOR BRAM. Boston, Mass., Feb. 10.—The motion of counsel for Thomas Bram, recently convicted on a charge of murder of the captain of the barkentine Herber Fuller, for a new trial, was denied yesterday by Judges Webb and Col of the United States District Court.

The Change Seasons

Comes naturally. Too much of one thing is bad anyway. Try "Molina Rolled Wheat" for breakfast and skip Oatmeal for a while. Rolled Wheat ("Molina") doesn't heat the blood. Your grocer sells it.

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Dress Goods.

If you are selfish and don't want them you'd be tempted to buy to keep the gain from somebody else. See the beautiful double-fold goods we are selling for 19c, 25c, 35c, 40c and 50c goods that would be cheap at twice the price quoted.

Our Mantle Department is too full of surprises to attempt anything like a detailed description of the many startling values we are offering. Leftovers in fashionable Jackets, Capes, Cloaks, Furs, Mantlings, etc. They must be cleared out at once. Go-quick prices on every one; Come quick and get

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We don't say much about them in th newspapers, but we are constantly thinking about them, and would remind them that in every article pertaining to a gentleman's outfit their best interests are conserved by trading here. Ulsters, Overcoats, Suits, Pants, Underclothing, Shirts, Ties, Hats and Caps, Socks and Braces at lower prices, very likely much lower prices than you have been paying elsewhere.

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cotic compounds is bad, decidedly bad. They undermine health and shatter the constitution and the patient is steadily growing into a worse condition -often resulting in the terrible slavery and misery of the cocaine and opium habit. Bleep induced by the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla does not perhaps come as quickly, but it comes more surely and more permanently through nature's great restoring and rejuvenating channel - purified, vitalized and enriched blood. This feeds the nerves with life-giving energy and builds up the system and constitution from the very foundation of all health and life-the blood-pure, rich, red blood.

Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. \$1. Hood's Pills cure liver ills, easy to take,

Commercial

Chicago Grain Market Closes Higher for Wheat,

Local Market. Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son. London, Wednesday, Feb. 10. WEEKLY REVIEW.

Corn, per bu25c to 31c Buckwheat, per bu24c to 26 1-2c Rye, per bu 22c to 28c

Among the few changes that occurred this week are lower prices for red clover seed and peas, and higher prices for oats, corn and buckwheat. The receipts were mostly of wheat and oats, and a good deal of hay. Butter and eggs sold at a few cents lower prices.

Meats were about the same values as last week. Apples and potatoes sold a little higher—about 5c per bag on both.
For values at the close of the week see the following list:

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Wheat, spring per 100 bc	1 25	CO	12
Oats. per 100 lbs	. 40	to	6
Peas per 100 .bs	. 60	to	7
Corn per 100 108	. 45	to .	5
Barley, per 100 lbs	42	10	6
Rye. per 100 los	40	LO	4
Beans. bu	25	to	4
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	40	to	5
PROVISIONS.			
Honey		to	1
Cheese, per lb	_ 10	to	1
Eggs single dozen	. 15	to	1
Eggs fresh, basket, per doz		to	1
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MEAT. HIDES, ET		9-1-17	
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Mutton quarters. per lb	_ 5	to	1
Veal, quarters, per lb	. 5	te	11-11-1
Lamb, quarter	. 8	to	
Dressed hogs, 100 lo		to	5 7
Live hogs	. 8 60	to	3 6
Hides. No. 1, per 10	- 6	to	125
Hides. No. 2, per lb		to	
Hides, No. 3, per lb	. 4	to	
Calfskins, green	4	to	0.4
Calfskins dry, each		to	
Sheepskius, each		te	8
Lambshins, each	50	to	7
Wool, per lb	18	to	-
Tallow. rendered. per ib	3		
Tallow, rough, per lb	1		2
HAY AND SEED			180
Hay per ton	7 00	to	80

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273 Talbot Street, Opposite Market. Phone 662. The Oil Market.

Petrolea, Feb. 10.—Oil opened and closed at

Late English Markets. Wheat—Spot quiet: demand poor: futures steady; near and distant positions. 1d lower.

Corn - Spot quiet: futures quiet; near and distant positions 1d lower.

Bacon-Firm; demand moderate: Cumberlan cut. 25 to 30 lbs. 26s; short ribs. 20 to 24 lbs. 25s; long clear heavy. 40 to 45 lbs. 24s 6d; short clear backs. light. 18 lbs. 24s 6d; short clear backs. light. 18 lbs. 24s 6d; short clear backs. light. 18 lbs. 24s 6d; short clear backs. 14 to 16 lbs. 27s.

Shoulders—Square 12 to 16 lbs. 25s 6d.

Hams—Short cut. 14 to 16 lbs. 39s 6d.

Hams—Short cut. 14 to 16 lbs., 39s 6d. Tallow—Fine North American, 18s. Beef—Extra India mess, 61s 3d; prime mess.

Pork-Prime mess, fine western, 46s 3d; me Lard-Dull; prime western, 20s 3d; refined in pails 22s.

Cheese—Firm; demand moderate: finest American white (Sept.), 59s: finest American colored (Sept.), 59s.

too many choice feeders and stockers in Canada and Michigan to supply the demand, but shippers should remember there is a wide difference between

Butter-Finest United States, 90s; good, 55s. Turpentine spirits-208 9d. Rosin, common—5s. Cotton seed off—Liverpool refined, 15s 6d. Linseed oil—16s 3d. Petrojeum—Refined, 64d.

Refrigerator beet-Forequarter, 4d; hind quarter. 5id. Bleaching powder-Hardwood, f. o. b., Liver-Hops-At London (Pacific Coast), £3 15s.

Cargoes off coast—Wheat steady: corn quiet. Cargoes on passage — Wheat steadier; corn quiet and steady.

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American Produce Markets. CHICAGO.

The loss at Liverpool was afterwards recovered that fact being arged in favor of the
subsequent advance in this market. Advices
to the effect that northwestern receipts would
continue to show enlargement were receipted.

There were a number of crop damage reports
from the southwest, which had an effect or
more absolute stocks. Closing
continental values were all lower. May wheat
opened from 76jc to 76jc; advanced to 77jc,
day. Cash wheat was firm and jc higher.

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A Prominent Lawyer Says:

"I have eight children, every one in
good morning sir. Patrick's asleep.

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the one room.

The educational programme is to conthe supply of or the stuff additi

Corn advanced ic, and oats to to ic. Provisions were higher. The leading intures closed as follows: Wheat—No. 2 Feb., 75ic; May, 77ic; July, orn-No. 2 Feb., 21jc to 22c; May, 24jc; July, Eic; Sept., 16ic. Oute-No. 2 Feb., 16ic; May, 17ic to 17ic; July,

Mess pork—May. \$7 80; July. \$7 924.

Lard.—May. \$3 874; July. \$3 974.

Short ribs—May. \$4 924; July. \$4 974.

Cash ouctations were as follows: Flour steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 742c to 764c; No. 3 spring wheat. 72c to 77c: No. 2 red, 854c to 874c; No. 2 corn. 224c to 224c; No. 2 cats, 164c; No. 2 rye. 35c; No. 2 barley. \$1c to 35c; No. 1 flax seed, 744c to 764c; prime timothy seed, \$2 724; mess pork, \$7 70 to \$7 75; tard, \$3 724 to \$3 75; short rib sides, \$3 85 to \$4 10; dry saited shoulders, \$4 25 to \$4 50; short clear sides, \$4 124 to \$4 25.

Receipts—

Live Stock Markets. NEW YORK.

New York. Feb. 9.—Beeves—Receipts, 197 head; no trading; feeling steady.

Calves—Receipts, 55 head; common to choice veals, \$5 to \$5 70; barnyards and western nominally steady.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 240 head; firm for sheep and about steady for lambs; good to prime lambs, \$5 50; good to prime sheep, \$4 25 to \$4 50. to prime lambs, \$5.50; good to prime sheep, \$4.25 to \$4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,426 head; steady and firm; good heavy to light hogs, \$3.60 to \$4.10; pigs, \$4 to \$4.25.

Cables from Liverpool and London quote American steers at 10ic to 11ic, dressed weight; American refrigerated beef. 9c to 10c; American sheep, 8c to 9c, dressed weight.

TORONTO. Toronto, Ont., Feb. 9.-Trade was a little better at the western cattle yards, with prices steady. Offerings fairly heavy-about 61 car loads, in-cluding 800 sheep and lambs and 1,-

500 hogs. Buying of cattle for Buffalo and Montreal was steady, about 11 car loads of butchers' cattle going to Montreal and about 20 ear loads of stockers and butchers for Buffalo. Export cattle demand more active, but supply sufficient; perhaps not enough choice snippers offered. Quotations ruled from \$3 60 to \$4 per cwt mostly, one or two choice head touching 4 1-8c than at any other price. Some choice shippers are wanted. Butchers' cat-tle—In spite of a fair demand some poor cattle were left in the pens at the close. Quotations ruled from 20 Reports from Buffalo slightly firmer. Stockers and feeders-There was

good demand for stockers to go to Buffalo at from \$2 40 to \$2 90 per cwt mostly. Some odd ones of a better class reached 3c per 1b. For feeders, about half-fat, quotations ruled from 2 3-4c to 3 1-4c per lb; some demand for good feeders to fill vacancies in distillery byres and in farmers' stables. Several buyers here from Buffalo who have been commissioned to buy cattle for down south ranchmen. Bulls firm; good shipping bulls are than they did some days ago, prices ranging from \$3 20 to \$3 60 per cwt

and \$3 per cwt for stock bulls. These falo trade as are good stocker steers. gone through to St. John. Sheep and Lambs-No change; choice export sheep sell slowly at 3 1-4c

to 3 1-2c per lb, most of the sales being below the latter figure. Lambs are barely steady, at from 4c to 4 3-4c per lb. Butchers' sheep are in slow demand, going at from \$2 50 to \$3 per head, according to quality. These are generally sold mixed with lambs, local butchers preferring the latter for their Export trade has fallen off slightly on account of the scab de-

Hogs-Firm; everything is wanted except stores, at steady prices. Choice selections of bacon hogs sell at 4 1-2c per lb, weighed off the cars. Thick fat hogs are steady at \$3 60 per ewt. foronto is making great strides as a hog market. During January of this year there were nearly 3,000 more hogs handled than during the same month last year. Already this month more hogs have been received than passed through the market in February last year, and Messrs. Wm. Harris & Sons have bought every one of them.

EAST BUFFALO. steady; Canada feeders, \$3 45; good to steady; Canada feeders, \$3 45; good to choice yeals, \$6 50 to \$7; common to lost everything, and Mr. Gurd did not 98 years of age, and had been 77 years fair. \$4 75 to \$6 25.

cars on sale; market steady; prime

lambs, \$5 10 to \$5 25; good to choice, \$4 70 to \$5; mixed sheep, good to extra, \$ 385 to \$4 25; culls to fair, \$2 25 to \$3 75; very few sheep here.

Cattle-A few odds and ends left over from yesterday, and one car of Can-adas, which got in in this morning, constituted the offerings. The load of Canada feeders, which averaged 796 lbs, sold at \$3 50; a few steers, heifers of late yesterday's arrivals, sold at \$3 85; they weighed 995 lbs.

The Mercantile Review, devoted to the and it is estimated that between two East Buffalo cattle trade, says today: If yesterday's local purchases and shipments of feeding cattle to points in this State, Ohio and Michigan, sets the pace for the future, there are no too many choice feeders and stockers demand, but shippers should remember there is a wide difference between choice, well-formed, growthy steer cattle, to put on feed, and the little half: starved, runty steers and heifers that

are sent in here every week to sell

steady. MONTREAL. Montreal, Feb. 8.-There was no important change in the situation of the ocal live stock trade during the past week. The demand for export cattle spiritual aid and uplifting tendency. has been slow, and the volume of Business relative to the coming le Chicago. Ill.. Feb. 9.—Wheat had an irregular market today, prices opening lower and closing higher than yesterday, with strength greatly predominating throughout the session. The lower opening was due partly to an early decline of ed at Liverpool and partly to liberal receipts in the Northwest. The loss at Liverpool was afterwards recovered, that fact being arged in favor of the subsequent advance in this market. Advices to the effect that northwestern receipts would continue to show enlargement were received. toir were 700 cattle, 250 sheep, 250

was left unsold. Choice steers and helfers sold at 3 1-4c to 3 1-2c; good at 2 3-4c to 3c; fair at 2 1-4c to 2 1-2c.

and inferior and common at 1c to 2c per 1b, live weight.

The supply of sheep and lambs was larger than usual, for which the demand was slow and prices tending downward. This is due, it is said, to the recent large receipts of frozen stock. Sales of choice sheep on export account were made today at 3c, and fair to good at 2 3-4c per lb, live weight. Lambs were lower, at 4c to 4 1-4c per lb, or at 33 to \$4 each.
Calves met with a fair sale at prices ranging from \$3 to \$8 each for fair to good stock.

The feature of the live stock market at Point St. Charles was the stronger feeling for light weight hogs, and the prices show an advance of 10c per 100 lbs since this day week. Only 200 of-Shipments—
Flour. 5.000 Wheat 97,000 fered, and they met with a ready sale at \$4.50 to \$4.60 per 100 lbs for light, and at 3.1-2c to 4c per lb for heavy. There were 10 loads of cattle on the market, but wholesale buyers were

> PRICES IN BRITAIN. London, Feb. 9.—The trade was weaker all round, which was, no doubt, due to larger offerings, and prices for cattle declined 1-4 to 1-2 cent, while those for sheep were 1-2 cent lower. Choice States sold at 11 1-4c., Argentines at 10 3-4c. A private cable received from London was figurer for choice States' cat. don was firmer for choice States' cat- 50c and 75c Bronze and Bisque Statuettes, tle, and noted an advance of 1-4 cent since this day week, quoting 11 1-4c. while choice Canadians were steady at 20c and 25c Tortoise Hair Pins, 5c.

> A private cable received from Glasgow today reported actual sales choice 25c Fancy Silk Garter Elastic, 10c. States steers at £15 13s per head, bulls 25c Metal Photo Frames, 10c. at £15, and Canadian cattle at £13. There were 1,550 head of Canadian and 15c Child's Hemstitched Silk Handkerch'ef. American cattle on the market.

The Central Part of London West in Danger.

Gurd's Residence, Finnegan's Grocery and the Postoffice Destroyed.

oss About \$6,000-The Blaze Believed to be the Result of Incendiarism.

Fire threatened the destruction of the center portion of London West 122c White Cambric, 8c. last night. It broke out in the rear portion of the grocery store occupied by Mr. George Finnegan, on the south side of Blackfriars street, just west of Center, and was first discovered by Mr. John R. Gurd, the owner of the building, which was a two-story brick. wanted; stock bulls rather quiet. building, which was a two-story brick. They find, however, better inquiry Mr. Gurd lived in the second story, and had retired for the night, when for good export bulls down to \$2 40 he was awakened about half an hour are not liked so well for the Buf-falo trade as are good stocker steers. timber on the lower floor. He hastily ascertained the cause, and, arousing Several lots of shipping bulls have gone through to St. John.

Sheep and Lambs—No change; awaken him, and then gave the alarm. There is a strong reason for be-lieving that the conflagration was the work of an incendiary, for when Mr. Finnegan left the store, half an hour before the alarm was given, every-thing was all right. On being aroused he went to the back of the store and found the door there open. Before the fire he had locked this door and that some one had concealed himself on the premises before Mr. Finnegan Shortly after the discovery a telephone message was sent to the central fire department, and in fifteen ginia. minutes or less the brigade arrived, greatly to the pleasure of those concerned, There being no waterworks in London West, the nearest hydrant was at the corner of Albert and

The building in which the fire start-East Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 9.—Cattle—ed was completely destroyed, and also Mr. John Brown, who was said to be a frame cottage to the west, belongthe oldest Orangeman in Canada, died air, \$4 75 to \$6 25.

Save \$100 worth of his furniture, but in the order.

Hogs—6 cars through; 5 cars on sale; the tenant of Mrs. Hartmann's cot-Hogs—6 cars through; 5 cars on sale; market active and higher for all grades; good to choice Yorkers, \$3 75 to \$3 80; pigs, \$3 65 to \$3 70; mixed packers, \$3 70; roughs, \$3 to \$3 15; stags, \$2 50 to \$2 75.

Sheep and Lambs—None through; 78 ings, and would certainly have been destroyed had it not been for the effective work of the fire department.

Other stores and dwellings were also greatly endangered. The total loss is in the neighborhood of \$6,000. Mrs. Hartmann's cottage was valued at \$700,partly insured. Mr. Gurd's building was insured for \$2,000, and he carried a small insurance on his furniture. Mr. Finnegan's stock was insured for \$750, but it was valued at \$400 or \$500 more than that valued at \$400 or \$500 more than that

and three thousand people turned out to see it

WHITE RIBBONERS

At Their Post of Duty and Alive to the Needs of Their Work.

The first month in the new year has found the White Ribboners of London. for feeding purposes.

Sheep and Lambs—Nearly 20 cars on to the needs of their work. Yesterday as ever, at the post of duty, and alive sale; mostly lambs held over from yesterday; market dull and trade very slow at 15c to 25c below yesterday's tendance. Reports from the various change that pening prices, or those at the close departments were given, showing that of last week. Sheep scarce and firm; a few good to strictly fancy lambs running order and that "progress" is ulet and steady.

Country markets - English partially 6d \$4 25 to \$5; culls to fairly good, \$2 25

Tunning order and that "progress" is the watchword in every particular. the watchword in every particular. The recently-appointed president, Mrs. to \$3 75; export wethers nominally Gordon Wright, assumed the duties of \$4 25 to \$4 50; hardy wethers and year-lings. \$4 25 to \$4 40. the chair with remarkable accuracy and grace, The customary Bible read-Hogs-10 cars on sale, half of which ing was given by Rev. Mr. Moorarrived late; Yorkers, \$3 75 to \$3 80; house, of Christ Church, who profitabmostly \$3 75; pigs, \$3 60 to \$3 70; mixed ly discoursed on the office and works and mediums, \$3 70; closed barely of the Holy Spirit; its quickening, enlightening, cleansing, comforting, and

strengthening power. The union is especially grateful to the clergy of the city and others who thus help to give to the meetings this Business relative to the coming lecture on March 9, by John D. Woolley, the great and well-known temperance orator, was relegated to the plebiscite committee, and faithfully performed. The next meeting promises to be of a unique and interesting character. The educational programme is to con-

172 and 174 Dundas Street.

Week after week better and more astonishing grows the list. Friday Bargain Day is a fixture with us. No matter what it costs, and confidence retained. 'Tis and always will be Bargain Day.

10 1-2c. Sheep were also quoted firmer 15c Best Waist Lining, 10c. at 11c., while lambs declined 1-2c, to 35c Black Lustre for 25c. 18c Collar Board Canvas, 10c.

le Twill Embroidery Silk, 2 for le. 75c to \$1 wide Silk Ribbons, 15c. One lot Mounts and Wings, 10c, Table of Embroideries, 5c. 8c Mourning Pins, per box, 3c. 15c Fancy Bordered Skirting, 10c. 15c Art Drapery (gilt), 121c. Balance of Felt Hats, 150 15c Dress Shield, Sc. 45c Cashmere Hose, 27ca 25c Ladies' Vests, 19c. 8c Double Skirt Lining, 5c. 4c Hooks and Eyes, 1c. 60c Cashmere Hose, 371c. 90c Black Henrietta, 59c. 15c English Shirting, 10c. 10c Linen Toweling, 8c.

TERMS CASH.

Friday, Feb. 12, only.

DAILLI

45 feet. Toronto Presbytery will hold a week eign mission fund.

A syndicate headed by United States Mrs. Stephen Williams, the wife of

Ridout streets. From this a line of hose was laid, about 1,800 feet long. Only one stream could therefore be used, but it was made to do effective the heart at his office Saturday. Bennett. Edward J. Wagner, village clerk of

Allegan, Mich., shot himself through was short in his accounts between \$300 and \$500.

98 years of age, and had been 77 years The shortage of Cyrus E. Brader, the defaulting cashier of the First lady for some months, made her a pro-National Bank, Bethlehem, Pa., is a posal of marriage. So says the Atchitrifle over \$12,000. His friends believe son Globe.

he is in Toronto. The death took place on Monday at his home in Welland, Ont., of Mr. Stewart Lamont, aged 64. He was a prominent member of the Conservative | consideration and reply by mail. party and an ex-mayor of Welland. The Patrie, under the management of the sons of Mr. Tante, Minister of Public Works, announces that it will support Mr. Laurier, and advocate a policy of conciliation, liberty and peace.

Mr. R. A. B. Hart, of Montreal, the lady are not known.

Prince Bismarck, when asked to give an academic opinion on arbitration treaties, said that he did not believe that in questions of vital importance nations would stake their existence on the decision of an arbitration court. which had no means of enforcing its

A CRAZY WIFE'S VIGIL.

Her Husband Starves to Death-She Watches His Body for a Week.

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 10.—Patrick Brennan, a farm laborer, about 40 years old, living in a cabin at Yardley, Penn., died of starvation and exposure more than a week ago, but his death was not made public till vesterday, when neighbors found Brennan's wife, Margaret, keeping watch over his dead Brennan for the past two months had nothing to do. Mrs. Brennan was demented and her husband did not

encourage visitors. None of the neighbors suspected that they were in need until on Sunday morning one man said he had seen no smoke coming from Brennan's chimney for several days. An investiga-tion was made. The door was found bolted, and the visitors forced the lock and entered. Brennan was found dead beside the cold stove, and his wife sitting in a chair beside the body watching the corpse. The only replies she made to inquiries were: "Good morning sir. Patrick's asleep." There was no food or fuel in the

South Middlesex.

Annual Liberal Meeting at Delaware Well Attended.

Hon. David Mills Retrespect of the Reform Party-Messrs. Calvert, M. P., and Dr. Wilson Not Present.

The annual meeting of the Liberal Association of South Middlesex was held yesterday at Delaware, and the various officers for the year were reelected, excepting for the position of trying without avail, numberless remconvener, for which Ald. Parnell, of have come to the conclusion that there South London, was chosen as successor is no cure for this most distressing to the late Ald. John Marshall. Every part of the riding was well represented. Mr. Calvert, M. P. for West Midognized authority, who in 30 years of dlesex; Dr. Wilson, of St. Thomas, and our pledge will be redeemed dlesex; Dr. Wilson, of St. Thomas, and experience as a medical practitioner, has treated more cases of Asthma and announced to address the meeting, its kindred than any living doctor, but Dr. Wilson and Mr. Calvert were has at last achieved success by perunable to be present.

MR. MILLS' ADDRESS. After the officers were elected Mr. Mills made a short speech. He re-ferred to the history of the Liberal party, and its struggles for the in-troduction of Parliamentary Government. He pointed out the serious ob-stacle that local matter when dealt with by Parliament offered to legislation upon questions of general public policy; that to get rid of this mis-chief municipal institutions were introduced, which for a number of years proved an adequate remedy for the evil. Then, when the union took place between Upper and Lower Canada, another class of local mischiefs arose out of the difference of race and religion in the two provinces, which was met by the federal union of British doubtedly possesses the merit he North America. He said that there claims for it, otherwise the Doctor was not much of waste in public penditure, so long as those in whose midst the outlays were made were fore purchasing; even paying the postage on the sample himself. This ofold union between Upper and Lower fer is not good after March 1, so per-Canada large expenditures were borne sons desiring to avail themselves of by this province on their own behalf by municipal taxation, and then they were called upon to bear a portion of were called upon to bear a portion of the charges for works of a similar character in the Province of Quebec. The union covered this evil, and it was hoped that our system adequately guarded against expense of this kind. It did so fairly well until 1883, when Sir Charles Tupper introduced a resolution declaring that all railways tributary to the main trunk lines of Canada were roads for the general advantage of Canada, and thus the Dominion took

takings of this province, which had been constructed at the expense in a large part either by the province or the municipality. This led to a rapid increase in public expenditures, which conferred no corresponding advantage and neither directly nor indirectly made to the treasury adequate return. It was a gross abuse of a power conferred by the constitution for a wholly different purpose. The importance of a work is disclosed by the

control of the local roads and under-

readiness of those who are chiefly benefited to bear the cost of its con-The Liberal party have a definite

mandate from the people to reduce taxation, to reduce public expenses to abstain from useless undertakings The Ohio River at Cincinnati is fast and to avoid, as far as this may be The Ohio River at Cincinnati is fast possible, the increase of public debt.

The eyes of the Liberal party everywhere are upon the Administration. The country concedes their right to bolted it, so it could not be forced of self-denial some time in March to the delay which has taken place to open. From this fact the opinion help made up the deficit in the forand taxation, but when the session opens the Government will be upon Marshal Charles E. Wells, has secured their trial, and the Liberal party will gas and oil leases on 247,000 acres of insist upon the honest fulfillment of land in five counties of West Virand the faithful execution of the policy which has been marked out.

a Hamilton market butcher, died suddenly Monday evening while sitting by delegates from different municipalities, and the meeting was in excellent spirit. A vote of confidence in Mr. Mc-Guigan, M. P., as representative of the riding, was adopted. Three cheers were given for him and for the Queen,

and the meeting closed at 5 o'clock. ACCEPTED IN DUE FORM. An Atchison man, deeply interested in politics, found time, nevertheless, even in the midst of a national campaign, to think of matrimony, and af-"keeping company" with a young

The lady, who not unlikely had found her lover's politics sometimes a bit wearisome, responded to his proposal by saying that she would take it into The man waited a full week-a most unusually long one, as it seemed to him-and then received a formidablelooking missive, some three thousand

words in length. In it the young lady explained her position on the tobacco question, stated what she had always advocated as the best kind of baking powder, whose wife eloped with young Shorey told him that it was with a feeling about a year ago, has entered suit of deep gratification that she accepted against that gentleman for \$50,000 dam- the honor he had done her, and hoped ages. The whereabouts of Shorey and that she should always faithfully preserve the traditions of good house keping, etc. He was nearly dead with exhaustion when he reached the postscript, which read:

thought it might please you to have your suit accepted as nominations are accepted by Presidential candidates.'

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play with." "Well, here, give him my diary for 1897; I can't think of any-DR. CHASE'S

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Ask.	Off.
Montreal	2261
Ontario 86	824
Molsons	
Toronto	2284
Merchants	168
Commerce1281	1274
Imperial	179
Dominion	233±
Standard167	164
Hamilton	1544
British America117	1164
Western Assurance	157
Canada Life	
Contederation Life	
Consumers Gas	200
Dominion Telegraph	124
Montreal Telegraph	
Northwest Land Company, pref 50	39
Canada Pacine Railway Stock 554	65
Commercial Cable Company 1671	1667
Postai Telegraph 98	973
Bell Telephone Company	156
Montreal Street Railway 2254	2244
Montreal Street Railway (new)	
Toronto Street Railway 71	701
Dominion Savings and Invest 79	
Farmers Loan and Savings 90	
Farmers' L. and S., 20 per cent 60	
Huron and Erie L. and S	157
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent	147
London and Canada, L. and A 90	
London Loan	
London and Ontario101	
Ontario Loop and Dahantura	110

Ontario Loan and Debenture 119 SALES-1 p.m.-Toronto, 3 at 230; Commerce, 4 at 127½; Imperial, 25 at 179; Western Assur-ance, 100, 100 at 157; Com. Cable, 30 at 167, 11:15 a m.—Commerce, 36 at 127; Dominien, 20, 20 at 2334, 20 at 232, 20 at 233, 20 at 231½, 20 at 231½, 20 at 233; Com. Cable, 25, 25 at 167; 25 at 167½; Bell Tel., 5, 49, 25 at 159½; Toronto Ry., 25, 25 at 70½, Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, Feb. 10.

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Canadian Pacific 56	55
Duluth. common 44	34
Duluth, preferred 12	7
Commercial Cable167	1664
Wabash. common	
Wabash, preferred	
Montreal Telegraph 170	1654
Richelieu and Ontario 924	884
Montreal Street Railway225	2213
Montreal Street Railway, new	
Montreal Gas Company 194	1931
Bell Telephone	156
Royal Electric	1436
Toronto Railway 70%	703
Bank of Montreal231	225
Ontario Bank 85	824
Banque du Peuple	
Moisons Bank	190
Northwest Land Company, com	
Bank of Toronto	2271
Merchants Bank	169
Merchants Bank of Halitax	164
Quebec Bank	
Union Bank	105
Bank of Commerce	1271
Northwest Land	
Montreal Cotton Company	124
Canada Colored Cotton	
Dominion Cotton 90	824
Postal Telegraph 984	98
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Royal Electric, 21 at 1444; Toronto Ry, 25 at 224; Royal Electric, 21 at 1444; Toronto Ry, 25 at 703, 202 at 71, 100 at 703; Bank of Mont., 3 at 230; Molsons Bank. 20 at 192, 4 at 190; Bank of Toronto, 5 at 231; Merchants' Bank, 2 at 169; Dominion Cotton, 50 at 832; Postal Tel., 50

New York Stock Market.

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Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Atchison Ry 144	144	148	14
C. B. and Q 741	747	743	74
C. and N. W 1032	104	1033	104
Chicago Gas 761	774	762	77
Gen. Electric 35	351	35	35
L. and N 50}	504	501	50
Manhattan 894	90	891	90
Missouria Pacific 22	22	22	22
Pacific Mall 25	251	25	25
Rock Island 674	671	671	67
Reading 251	253	243	25
St. Paul 76	761	751	79
Tenn. Coal and Iron. 281	294	283	25
Westerp Union 821	834	823	83
Distillery Trust 13}	134	131	13
Leather Trust 581	59	58	58
Sugar Trust1112	1123	1104	115
Tobacco Trust 694	701	681	
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NEW YORK MONEY MARKET. New York, Feb. 10-Noon.-Money on call, nominally 1 1-2 to 2 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3 to 4 per cent; sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills, at 4.86 1-2 to 3-4 for demand and at 4.84 1-2 to 3-4 for 60 days. Posted rates, 4.85 1-2 to 4.88. Commercial bills, 4.83 1-2; silver certificates, 64 3-4

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to 65 1-4; no sales. Bar silver; 64 5-8; Mexican dollars, 50 3-4. Government onds, firm.

COMMERCIAL.

Toronto Grain Market.

Toronto, Oct. 10 .- Wheat-Offerings are small, demand is fair, and market is steady to firm, at 75c for red on north and west, and 76c to 77c for white, which is scarcer; Manitoba wheat is steady. There have been sales of No. 1 hard Midland at 87c, and No. 2 at 85c. Flour is dull; cars straight roller are quoted west at \$3 75 to \$3 80, and patents are quoted at \$3 90 to \$4; Mani-

topa flour is in fair demand and steady. Millfeed is quiet, at \$8 to \$8 50 for shorts west, and \$7 to \$7 50 for bran, according to location. Barley is quiet; there is not much No. 1 extra offering, and it is quoted at 33c outside; No. 1 is steady, at 30c to 31c; No. 2, at 27c to 28c; No. 3 extra, at 24c, and feed at 22c outside.

Buckwheat is rather easier, at 24c to 25c outside; 10,000 bushels sold today at 34c, afloat, Midland, May equal Oats are steady; cars of white sold on Midland today at 18c; mixed is easy, at \$3 75 for cars of bags here and \$3 85 for barrels; broken lots are

quoted 15c higher. Peas are in better demand and firmr; 10 cars sold north and west today at 40c, and they are quoted at 41c middle freights. Rye is quiet, and easy, at 190 to 19 1-2c west.

Latest Montreal Markets. GRAINS AND FLOUR. Oats—In store. No. 2 white, 23c to 235c.
Corn—30c to 3ic.
Feed barley—29c to 30c.
Peas—47c to 48c.
Buckwheat—32c to 33c.
Flour—Manitoba strong bakers, 24 25 to 24 75;

pring wheat patents. \$4.90 to \$5.00: winter to., \$4.45 to \$4.50; straight roller, \$4.20 to \$4.30. Feed — Bran. \$9 to \$10: shorts. \$11 to \$12. PROVISIONS. Canadian short cut, clear, \$10 to \$10 50,

Ham—9c to 10c. Bacon—8c to 9c. Lard-Pure. 7c to 7kc: compound. 5ke to 5ke. PRODUCK Cheese—No market here.
Butter—Quiet, steady locally; creamery, 191e to 20c; dair, roll, 12c to 13c.

Eggs—Easy; new laid. 17c to 18c; Montreal limed, 12to to 13c; Western, 11c to 12c. English Markets.

Order will be the statute labor tax notices, of which there are about 1,500—200 more than any previous year on record.

Inverpool. Feb. 10.—Closing—4:15 p.m.
Wheat—Spot quiet: demand poor: No. 2 red spring, 6s 5d; No. 1 Cal., 6s 7id; futures opened steady, with near and distant positions id lower; closed steady, with Feb. 1d lower and other months id lower; business about equally distributed; Feb., 6s 3id; March, 6s 4id; May, 6s 5d; July, 6s 4 1-2d.
Corn—Spot quiet: American mixed new, 2s 7d; futures opened and closed quiet; with near and distant positions unchanged to 1d lower; business about equally distributed; Feb., 2s 7d; March, 2s 7d; April, 2s 7id; May, 2s 8d; June, 2s 8id; July, 2s 9d.
Flour—Dull: demand poor; Bt. Louis fancy winter, 8s 3d.
Peas—Canadian, is 4id.

Peas-Canadian, 18 41d. Chicago Exchange. Following are the fluctuations on the Chicage

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American Produce Market. RChicago. Feb. 10.—Opening — Wheat May, 763c; July, 723c. Corn. May, 24c; July, 25c; Oa s. May, 174c; July, 184c. Pork, May, \$7.75. Lard. May, \$3.85; July, \$3.95. Ribs, May, \$3.97.

Corn—Quiet; steady; No. 2 yellow. 264c to 265c; No. 3 yellow. 26c; No. 4 yellow. 25fc; No. 2 corn. 26c; No. 25fc to 25fc. Oats—Dull: No. 2 white. 214c; No. 3 white, 204c; No. 4 white. 184c; No. 3 mixed, 184c on track.

DETROIT Detroit. Feb. 10.—Wheat—No. 1 white cash, 884c; No. 2red cash, 884c; May, 884c; July, 764c.
TOLEDO.
Toledo. Feb. 10.—Wheat—Cash, 89c; May,

89ic; July. 76c. Corn—May. 24ic. Oats—May. 17ic: July. 18ic. MILWAUKEE. Milwaukee, Feb. 10. - Wheat, cash, 751c;

NEW YORK. Flour—Receipts, 13,600 bbls: sales, 2,600 packages; state and western quiet and steady.
Wheat—Receipts, 3,325; sales, 610,000 bu; opened easier on cables, but rallied later on general covering and light offerings; May, 822c to 821c; July, 79 15-16c to 801c.

Rye-Quiet.

Corn-Receipts, 102,375 bu; sales, 40,000 bu;

John Lane was hurt internally, and his back severely injured. The Italian, his back severely injured. The Italian, quiet; May, 23gc. Oats-Receipts, 91,200 bu; dull; track white. 21c to 30c. Beef-Firm; family, \$8 50 to \$10. Pork-Duil; family, \$9 25 to \$9 75.

Lard—Easier.
Butter—Receipts. 6,738 packages; steady; tate dairy. 10c to 19c; state creamery, 13c to 20c; Elgins, 214c.
Cheese — Receipts, 2.888 packages; steady;
state large, 9c to 124c; small, 9c to 124c.
Eggs—Receipts, 6.797 packages; firm; state
and Pennsylvania, 154c.
Sugar—Quiet.
Petroleum—Steady.
Coffee Steady. No. 7 94c. Coffee Ste dy: No 7, 93c. Hops—Quiet; state common to choice, 1896

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Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO. Chicago, Feb. 10.—Hogs—Receipts, 38,000; left over, 1,500; market fairly active; averages, shade lower; light, \$3 40 to \$3 75; mixed, \$3 40 to \$3 55; heavy, \$3 15 to \$3 50; rough, \$3 15 to

Cattle-Receipts, 13,000; quiet, generally steady; beeves, \$3 50 to \$5 30; cows and helfers, \$3 80 to \$4 20; Texas steers, \$3 to \$4 20; stockers and feeders, \$3 25 to \$4 20. Sheep - Receipts, 12,000; market

-"The Bells of Shandon" Company are at the Grigg House. -Miss Annie Martin, of Hamilton, is visiting Mrs. Elliott, of Central ave-

-Mr. Edward Trout, proprietor of the Monetary Times, Toronto, is in the -Mr. Robert Taylor, introducing "My Friend From India," is at the

Tecumseh House. -A flock of wild ducks continue to hover about the River Thames in the vicinity of the Forks. -Mr. Livingston and family left for Austin, Man., yesterday afternoon, where they will in future make their

home

-Mr. Harry Gorman, proprietor of the Sarnia Observer, dropped in to see old London friends for an hour or two today. -Col. Shanly, master in chancery,

was at his office this morning—the first time for a week. He has been confined with illness. -Master Lorne Spry, of Maple street, gave a Brownie party and a

very pleasant sleigh-ride to his juvenile friends last evening. -If Bert Thomas holds the cham- election. He said that Judge Elliott pionship cup for skating through this had rejected all ballots marked outside -If Bent Thomas holds the chamreceived no challenges.

-John McClary, a farmer from Nilestown, has been summoned to op-pear before Magistrate Parke for disobeying Market Clerk Wilson's orders. -London Hockey Club plays Berlin on Friday night in the semi-final conitest. This game decides who will play off with Toronto at the Queen City for the championship.

-The Forest City Curling Club have challenged the St. Thomas players to a three-rink match for the Malahide medal. The game will be played on the applicability of section 19—the Monday next at St. Thomas.

lots on New Orchard Beach, Port Stanley, from Mr. John A. Robinson, bar-rister, for \$400, on which he proposes "That is what Mr. Aylesworth's argu-to erect two cottages."

ask for a scrutiny," said Mr. Osler.
"That is what Mr. Aylesworth's argu-ment amounts to. No doubt, a scru--Inspector Bell and his assistant, James Lutman, were busy this morn- however."

order will be the statute labor tax notices, of which there are about 1,500—

mitted to jail by Squire Henry Lock-wood, of Delaware, on Nov. 9, 1896, for assaulting Georgina Jessie Holmes,

cordwood stick, was arraigned before utes. William Elliot, this morning, and on the evidence of Jall Physicians Macarthur and Waugh, he was adjudged insane. He will now be com-mitted to the Asylum. by 2 o'clock. "We had better go on and finish it -At the last regular meeting of now," said Judge Ferguson. Court Pride of London, No. 1, Juvenile Branch, A. O. F., the following officers said Judge Robertson. "I have had enwere installed by H. C. R. A. O. Jef-

fery, assisted by the D. C. R., W. that a quarter of an hour means two service, and told of his trip as an es-Ford: C. R., Bro. W. Riley; S. C. R., days." (Laughter.) Bro. Smith; sec., Bro. Cambridge; treas., Gro. Smith; S. W., Bro. Hill; J. W., Bro. Elliott; S. B., Bro. Bert Carter; J. B., Bro. Hancock. At the conclusion of the installation an oyster supper was served, after which a hearty vote of thanks was tendered to Bros. Ines, Brock and Defoie for their ser-

Buffalo, N. Y.. Feb. 10.—Spring wheat—Firm: No. 1 hard, old, 884c; do. new, 874c; No. 2 northern, old, 864c; do. new, 84c; No. 2 northern, 891c to 834c. Winter wheat—Dull: No. 2 red, 92c on track; 91c in store; chair: Debate, "Resolved, that moral suasion without the law cannot secure the destruction of the liquor traffic"; affirmative. Miss Nellie Tagg and Mr. Wm. Sloman; negative, Messrs. Harry Winnett and Harry Lewis; judges, F. W. Daly, B.A., Rev. H. J. Uren and Mr. Wm. Walton. The debate was decidedly spirited and interesting, resulting in favor of the negative. Then came a speech by Rev. H. J. Uren; sole, Miss Cout; recitation, Miss Mary Tagg; duet, Misses Harpin and Walton. The attendance was unusually large. The league, which is enthusiastic in its work, is prospering greatly.

THE INJURED MEN. Peter Johnston, one of the men who was hurt at the sewer yesterday on he wanted a pure election. Evergreen avenue, sustained a severe fracture of the right leg, just above who comes from Toronto, and resides on Queen's avenue, between Talbot and Richmond, received only a slight injury to his shoulder. Dr. George Wilson is attending the injured men, and under his care they are doing as well as can be expected.

THE WILSON TESTIMONIAL. The list of subscribers to the Nicholas Wilson testimonial fund must close on Monday next, as the address to Mr. Wilson will then be finished, and the names of all subscribers appended. Some pupils of Mr. Wilson in the city have not yet subscribed, but have ex-pressed willingness to do so if called on. It is clearly out of the question for Secretary Flock to know all former pupils, or to call upon them if he did. To make the list as representative as possible, and to prevent after-disappointment, every subscription should be sent in to Mr. E. W. Flock,

secretary, on or before Monday next. THE POLICE COURT. James O'Byrne charged Edward Jermain, butcher, at the police court this morning with non-payment of Peel did you discuss the ballots?
wages. The case was a compleated A.—Yes; Peel told me that to the wages. The case was a compleated one. It appears that Jermain had a the back of the ballots were not his. the latter was under the impression that he was starting out on a new basis when he began to work. The case was dismissed, being one for the Division Court. Ira Halliday made his 35th appearance in the dock as a drunk, and was fined \$5 or 20 days. He

A meeting of the organization committee of the Waterloo Street South Presbyterian Mission was held last during the election? night, when a conference took place between the committee and representatives of the First Presbyterian and Knox Presbyterian Churches. ters have so far advanced as to present a guarantee of between \$300 and \$400, and many more will unite with the congregation when organization is completed. The matter will be brought before the Presbytery, which meets

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Mr. Osler continued: "We could add to these a great number. I don't know that we could add any that are stronger than those before your lord-ships. We would therefore be taking the time of the court, m merely adding to the number of the cases of which judgment would be reserved, and we feel that if your lordships are not satisfied on the cases already presented, that we might not be able to satisfy your lordships on those that are left. We think that we have made a strong case; I dare say my learned friends think otherwise. The matter is in the hands of your lordship, and we feel it would be only adding to the volume of work by prolonging the inquiry. There is a duty on counsel, and I accept the responsibility of saying on behalf of the petitioner that we have presented enough, and should not present further evidence on the case.'

MR. AYLESWORTH WANTS A RE-COUNT.

Mr. Aylesworth then made a request which practically amounted to asking for a scrutiny of the votes cast in the partments. Of these ballots, 19 more were marked for Beattle than for Hyman, so that Beattie's majority was nearly 60. With the exception of this constituency and one other, all such ballots were counted as good. Mr. Aylesworth said he had desired to put Judge Elliott in the box to show that the ballots were rejected in the way mentioned, but his honor was out of

Mr. Aylesworth made the suggestion on the ground that the size of the majority was an item of consideration in chant, of this city, has purchased two looked.

"We don't propose to come here, and tiny would decrease the majority,

ing sending out dog tax notices for Mr. Aylesworth said there should be 1897. Albout 1,100 were mailed. Next in legal evidence to show whether the notices of which there are chart as Their lordships retired for considera-200 more than any previous year on tion, and on returning Judge Ferguson declared in effect that of the candidate's majority appeared to be important at a later stage, then they would consider whether evidence touching it should be heard. If the If the respondent had any evidence to offer on the mineteenth section, exclusive of this, it could be heard today. This

both sides. MR. BEATTLE TO TESTIFY.

Mr. Aylesworth said he would put the respondent, Mr. Beattie, in the by striking her over the head with a box, but he would only take five min-Judge Ferguson-You will want to

cross-examine him, Mr. Osler? Mr. Osler said he could be through

Peel's Pull.

Mr. Beattie's Confessions in the day evening, and on Friday will talk to the children. Box.

He Lent Bill Peel \$10 and Took No Receipt.

Was Under a Charge.

Wednesday Afternoon. Mr. Beattie, M.P., entered the box when court assembled. He said to

Mr. Aylesworth that no corrupt practice was committed by him, and whenever he went to a committee he warned. Mr. Beattie produced a circular sign- that city. ed by himself, sent to his committeemen, asking them to avoid corruption.
"Why didn't you produce that cir-

cular under our subpoena?" said Mr. Osler. Mr. Beattle said he had found it since in his pocket. Witness admitted that he heard after the election that Wm. Peel, a deputy returning officer, had been ac- 149; Watson, 27.

A.-Well I---

Q .- Answer the question! Did you lend Peel money? A.-Yes

Q.-How much? A.-About \$10, I think.

Q.-Ever get it back? /

Q.-Take a due bill?

Q.-Ever get the money back? Q.-Mr. Peel was one of the men subpoenaed in the early part of this case. Do you know that?

-I heard you call him. Q.-And do you know that he is in the county jail now? A.-Yes Q .- You knew that Peel was working

at the election assisting Mr. Toothe? A.—Yes. Q.—When you lent the money to

drunk, and was fined \$5 or 20 days. He went aown. Alex. Drummond and Q.—And you gave him \$10? Money

crop, 3c to 7c; 1896 erop, 8c to 13c; Pacific coast, 1885 crop, 3ic to 7c; 1896 erop, 9c to 16c.

Lead—Firm; bullion price, \$3 05; exchange price, \$3 22½ to \$3 27½.

Tallow—Dull; city, 3ic to 3ic; country, 3ic to 3ic.

The New Congregation. wanted to get out of town because the Grits were worrying him. (Laughter.)
Q.-Did you call at Hiscott's house

Q.-Is that where you got the ginger

A .- Yes. (Laughter.) Q.-Where? A.-In the kitchen. (Laughter.) Q .- And did you warn then against

corruption there? Q.-Did you call at O'Hearn's A .- Yes.

Q.—What did you tell the boys there? Did you warn them against corrup-A.—Yes. (Laughter.)
Witness said he never asked Toothe or Graydon whether they had spent any money on the election. He paid the official election expenses himself.

Q.—And did you not know that the hat had been passed around by the Conservative bosses?

A.—No. (Laughter.)
Q.—And did you not know that
Toothe was to be paid? A.-I didn't suppose he was work ing for nothing.

Not Identified.

Londoners Who Were Accused of Personation.

They Went to Brantford to Meet the Charge.

Promise to Make It Hot for Their Accusers.

Special to The Advertiser, per C. P. R.

Brantford, Feb. 10.-Messrs, Cooper Gorman and Fitzhenry, for whom informations were sworn in connection season it becomes his. So far he has the disk, but in the candidate's com- with alleged personation at the recent South Brant erection, appeared before the acting police magistrate to answer to the charge this morning. While ex-Constable Adams, who is one of the Conservative candidate's keenest workers, was scouring the city of London looking for the young men, they were in Brantford to answer the charges against them. When inform-ed by a Brantford friend of the allegations made against them, they came

here at once. The prosecution failed to identify any of the young men, and pleaded for an edjournment to Monday, Feb. 22, they were not ready to proceed

This request was accepted. It is understood the gentlemen referred to will make it interesting for their accusers. They claim that they are entirely innocent. The magistrate promptly accepted bail for their appearance.

SOUTH AFRICA.

Schoof.

About 500 people gathered at the schoolroom of the Dundas Center Methodist Church last night to hear Sergt.-Major Schoof, the South Afriwas satisfactory to counsel on can mounted policeman, lecture about his experiences in the Dark Continent Rev. E. B. Lanceley, as chairman, called attention to the speaker's magnificent physique. Major Schoof is six feet four inches tall, and finely built. He was dressed in the costume worn in service in Africa, and presented a striking appearance. He spoke for an hour and a half, and throughout was highly entertaining and interesting. He described how he came to join the Bechuanaland mounted police, as a rough-riding sergeant, and the method of breaking in the horses of the regiment. He related many thrilling adough experience in this trial to know ventures that were his lot while in the cort to Livingstone's brother-in-law-As it was 1:15 p.m., court adjourned Missionary Moffatt-on a long journey. The object of the mounted police was speaker described the Zulus and their mode of fighting, and also spoke at some length of the Boers. He will lecture again in the schoolroom Thurs-

day evening, and on Friday afternoon CURLING.

London Beaten in the Finals for the Ontario Tankard.

Never Got the Money Back-Knew Peel | Special to The Advertiser, per G.N.W.

NEW YORK WOOL EXCHANGE. Albany, N. Y., Feb. 10.—The Wool Exchange of New York City was incorporated today, with a capital stock of \$1,000,000, to create in the city of them to commit no such practice, as New York a center for dealing in wool and to maintain a wool exchange in

McKINLEY AND HOBART. Washington, Feb. 10.-The House and Senate in joint session have de-clared McKinley and Hobart President and Vice-President, elected by the vote officially announced as follows: Mc-Kinley, 271 electoral votes; Bryan, 176; Vice-President Hobart, 271; Sewall,

cused of improperly rejecting ballots. WITH THE POPE'S PERMISSION.
Q.—Did you loan Peel money after Detroit Mich Feb. 10 A gracial Detroit, Mich., Feb. 10.-A special dispensation has been granted by Pope Leo XIII. in order that Baron Von Ketteler, German ambassador to Mexico, may be married to Miss Ledyard, the daughter of Henry B. Led-yard, president of the Michigan Cen-tral Railroad, in St. Peter and St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church in this city, Feb. 24, Miss Ledyard being a Protestant and Baron Von Ketteler a devout Catholic.

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> head and curing dandruff;
> in fact for the preservation and restoration of the hair there is no equal for

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Captured His Palace.

Success of the Expedition Agains the Emir of Nupe.

Two British Officers Killed - Plans of the Attacking Party.

London, Feb. 10 .- Sir George Goldie, commanding the Royal Niger Company's expedition against the Emir of Nupe, which arrived at a point twelve miles distant from Bida, the Fuluh capital, on Jan. 25, cables from the palace of the Emir of Bida on Jan. 29 saying that the palace has been captured, and that all the members of the expedition are well.
The dispatches of yesterday state

that Bida was to be bombarded on Jan. 27. A private telegram today adds that one British officer was killed. The officer killed during the capture of Bida was Lieutenant Thomson, of the Leiestershire Regiment.

SUNDAY LIQUOR SALES.

British Parliament Votes Against Closing the Public Houses All Day. London, Feb. 10.-By a vote of 206 to 149, the House of Commons today rejected the bill of Mr. Charles H. Wilson, Liberal member for West Hull, providing for the closing of public houses throughout Sunday. They are at present allowed to be open for a period during the middle of Sunday and on Sunday evenings. The House then

BUFFALO'S BIG BABY.

Was 27 Pounds Weight on Feb. 1, and Now Weighs 34.

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 10 .- The Stukowski baby, the marvel of Polish Town. which weighed 27 pounds at birth on Feb. 1, was aweighed again this morning and tipped the scales at 34 pounds, The young fellow is as happy and healthy as he is phenomenally President Cleveland will be asked to

name him. RANG THE BELL.

An Earthquake in Utah-Brigham City Rattled.

Brigham City, Utah, Feb. 10.-At 8 o'clock last night this city was visited by the heaviest earthquake shock ever severe that the bell in the court house tapped five or six times. The shock

was felt as far north as Logan. BUTLER IDENTIFIED.

The Powders Found Under His Pillow Were Deadly Poison.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 10 .- Frank Butler, alias Richard Ashe, the alieged Australian murderer, has been idenlargely to protect Khaun and his tified by Capt. Jones, of the British Christian followers in Bechunaland from extermination by King Lobenguela and his tribe of Matabeles. The British ship Dalardeen Castle, in 1890. British ship Dalardeen Castle, in 1890. The recognition by Jones and Butler was mutual.

The white powders found by the arresting officer under the band of Butler's hat when the Swanhilda arrived. have been chemically analyzed and found to contain five grains of strychnine each. The prisoner was greatly agitated when the concealed poison was discovered. He is supposed to have kept it as a last means of es-

Ticket No. 42,786, in the Promotive of Arts drawing, Montreal, Feb. 5, win-Toronto, Ont., Feb, 10.—The contests in the finals for the Ontario tankard Mr. Lawrason, city, and bought from Mr. A. Wolfe, Richmond street. Ticket competition commenced this morning. No. 85,118, winning prize valued at \$60 was sold by Mr, F. B. Clarke to Mr. Geddes, of Embro. Ticket No. 74,236, winning prize valued at \$20, was sold by Mr. Murdoch, Strathroy.

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waiting.' THERE is not a more dangerous class of disorders than those which affect the breathing organs. Nullify this danger with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil—a pulmonic of acknowledged efficacy. It cures soreness and lameness when applied externally, as well as swelled neck and crick in the back; and, as an inward specific, possesses

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mmm Clifford was by this time hardly conscious. He had been laid upon the sofa, while Nell herself, keeping enough presence of mind to be of use

ther own fingers to the wound to check She heard the question and answer-"It was Jem Stiekels. He struck

and to see what the danger was, held

him through the glass." This reply led to further investigations, and Jem was quickly discovered and brought into the room where his victim lay. Unconscious though he was, having been stunned severely, Jem, of course, got no pity from Nell. And when some of the men suggested carrying him to the cottage where he lodged, which was within a stone's throw of the inn, Nell made no sug-gestion that he should remain where he was, being unaffectedly glad to have him taken out of her sight. Buxom Meg exchanged many a nod and wink and grin with the customers

from the bar, inspired by the utter absorption Nell showed in her lover the young boor in the gentlest of and his danger.
"All my fault, my fault!" the girl "All my fault, my fault!" the girl "Oh, dear, oh, dear, don't send us kept murmuring, as she hung over away like that! We are so very sorry Clifford, watching his face, which had for what has happened to you. We grown pale, with straining eyes, and want to know if we can do any-listened anxiously to the breathing thing—" anxiously to the breathing thing-" which told her that he was alive. Then Meg became abruptly conscious sacred for the gaze of the rough, as he interrupted the other lady.

though sympathetic group. And she

he began inquisitorially, when they were left alone. "And what was he up to that made Jem Stickels knife No good, I'll be bround," grum-"Nell, without raising her eyes from

her lover's face, answered mechanically with white lips: "He loves me, uncle. He has asked "He loves me, uncle. He has asked me, weeks ago, to be his wife. I mean, or leastways Miss Claris does!" hadn't even promised, no, not a word. But when he came today." But when he came today---' "Ah, what made him come today?" Nell hesitated, and then confessed

"I sent for him." George Claris mumbled his dissatis-

thing to do with a chap like him. But ask if a certain gen'leman from Lon'on I've seen him loafing about more'n is in.

"To be jealous? So I should ha' thought, Still, he was jealous, eh?" There was a short silence. George Claris spoke again: "Well, lass, it's no talking to wo-

peck o' trouble between them two chaps, and neither me nor anybody but yourself can help you out of it.

An' mind, I won't say I'll have this chap turned out of the house, though I've a good mind to. But if the doctor says he's to be laid up here. I'll older ledy gave a little sigh and fall who at home set the Nero with respect to reached the house, the who at home set the Nero with respect to reached the house, the who at home set the Nero with respect to root. She said not want a man in their stock company to sell his stock at less than the pany to sell his I've a good mind to. But if the doctor says he's to be laid up here, I'll not have you hanging round. You'll back upon her usual solace in times just go away sharp to my sister in of anxiety. London. Do you hear? I'll have him "I think" properly nursed, that I'll promise, but it'll not be by you. Do you hear?". Nell assented meekly. As long as Clifford was not made to suffer, she felt that there was nothing for it but Uncle and niece exchanged no more

words until the arrival of the doctor, when George Claris told Nell to put on her hat and to go to Miss Bostal's, where she was to remain until he bent her luggage to her there, when the was to start without delay for London.

Nell would not rather have gone than to Shingle End. For was not senti-mental Miss Theodora the very cause of the outrage winch had put Clifford's life in danger? If it had not been for Bostal's well-meaning but filjudged encouragement, Jem Stickels

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would never have dared to think he had a chance with a girl who was so far removed from him in every way as Nell. Now, with natural feminine obstacle, Miss Bostal would be sure to take Jem's part against Clifford, especially when it reached her ears that the latter had come down by Nell's own request. So that it was with slow, unwilling feet that Nell made her way to the colonel's house. Everything turned out as she ex-pected, with this exception, that Miss about Jem than about Clifford, that she insisted on marching off to inquire as to Jem's condition, dragging the un-

willing girl with her.

At first Nell absolutely refused to go. But she had to give way, being touched by the self-reproach of the prim little elderly lady, who blamed herself as much for Jem's misfortune as Nell blamed herself for Clifford's.

"It was all my fault! I feel that I have brought it upon the poor fellow myself!" was the burden of Miss Bostal's lament, just as it had previously

She even shed tears at the thought of facing the young man upon whom she had brought more than misfortune. For she persisted in regarding his assault upon Clifford as another grievance of Jem's rather than of his hated rival's. Nell said little as they went along.

She was on the one hand deeply an-xious about her lover, while on the other she hardly knew whether to apostle comes to us and he practically Oh, make your homes the brightest She was on the one hand deeply anxious about her lover, while on the

than that which his face wore as he recognized his visitors it would be

movement to shut the door in the But his patroness was ready with the soft answer that turns away wrath. Pressing forward quickly, and keeping Nell's hand in hers with a tight grip, she edged her way into the cottage, and regardless of the fact that the man and woman with whom Jem lodged were present, addressed

Nell was frowning and trying to get away, indignant at the lowly tone her that there was something in this sim-ple grief, this maidenly affection, too upon Nell that Jem's eyes were fixed, "No," roared he. "You can't do nothin'—as yet. But," and he raised soundled them all, with large, wide-nothin'—as yet. But," and he raised sweeping gestures as of a gigantic his voice, and lifted his fist against hen, back into the bar. And Nell and an imaginary foe, as he stared harder her lover and her uncle were left to- at Nell than ever, "I'm blest if you won't find more'n enough to do to an-George Claris, though he, too, was swer the question as'll be put to you somewhat touched, was uneasy and folks-some of you-tomorrow morn-

ing!" Nell suddenly ceased struggling, and everything terrific. fixed her eyes upon Jem's swollen and excited face, in which the veins were rising like knotted cords. "What do you mean, my dear young man?" piped Miss Bostal, in the gen-tlest accents, her mild efforts to calm

the monster appearing every moment more futile and inadequate. a swaggering confidence which caused little Miss Bostal to recoil a few steps as if before a physical attack. "And of you don't, why you'll know soon enough. I'm just a-goin'," preceeded

Jem, with sullen emphasis, "to have my pipe and my 'alf-pint," and he took "And what made Jem Stickels knize his beloved clay out of his pocket as him? Come, now, I should have he spoke, "and then I'm just a-goin' to walk over to the Bell at Stroan to And without more ceremony Jem "It was not my fault, of course," said Nell, simply. "And, of course, he had no right to—to—"."

And without large turned his back on the ladies, and, marching out of the room by the opposite end through the back door, left

them no alternative but to retire.

Nell was utterly disgusted, not only "Well, lass, it's no talking to women, 'cause they've got their own way
o' doing things, whatever you say to
seemed to be past caring whether he
Or for the same reason that they do
or for the same reason that they do o' doing things, whatever you say to seemed to be past caring whether he or for the same reason that they do 'em. But you've brewed yourself a carried it into effect or not. She said not want a man in their stock company to sell his stock at less than the elder lady gave a little sigh, and fell who at home act the Nero, with re-

> "I think we shall both feel better." she chirped, as she carefully opened the back door with a latch key, "when we've had a cup of tea.' It was about a couple of hours after the termination of the scene between Jem and the two ladies, and the clock on the tower of St. Martin's at Stroan had just chimed a quarter-past eight, when a small boy burst into the barparlor of the Bell Inn, and startled the company by the scared expression of his face. He had been running fast, and it was some minutes before he could articulate. In the meantime the questions put to him were so many that the confusion of tongues delayed the lad's announcement still further. It was Hemming, the London detective, who finally drew the boy out of the curious group, and made them wait for him to speak.

With another scared look, the lad at last panted out: "There's a man lyin' out there on the road-the Courtstairs road, a little way past the big house. An' I see him layin'-an' I speaks to him-an' he didn't answer, an' he didn't move, an'-an'-so I run right away, and come here—to tell you. (To be Continued.)

Experience proves the merit of of blood diseases, tones the stomach,

A Californian has invented a bed which "will turn the sleeper over when he is peacefully dreaming." But the sleeper does not want to be turned over when he is in that condition. Let us have something that will turn him over when he has the nightmare. LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the my bed with inflammation of the lungs, and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, sating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I certainly believed it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial as I was reduced to such ed to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me any good." Although a nation cannot live on

enthusiasm, it is its salt and its savour. Without it we degenerate and deep. For an individual, indeed, it seems nobler to fall with it than to succeed without it.—Lord Rosebery. Content is the wealth of nature .-

The Home

As a Test of Character and Refuge.

A Political Safeguard, School and Type of Heaven-Dr. Talmage's

Washington, D. C., Feb. 7 .- Dr. Talmage's subject was "Harbor of Home," and the text, Mark, v., 19: "Go home to thy friends, and tell how great things the Lord hath done for thee." There are a great many people long-

There is one word in my text around and "The Mill by the Mountain which the most of our thoughts will Stream," and "The Fox Hunt," and impossible to imagine.

"Oh, so it's you, is it?" was his surly greeting, as with a scowl he made a movement to shut the day revolve. That word is Home. "The Children Amid Flowers," and "The Harvest Scene," and "The Satdifferent definitions. To one it means love at the hearth, it means plenty at the table, industry at the workstand, our home." Death will never knock intelligence at the books, devotion at at the door of that mansion, and in the altar. To him it means a greeting all that country there is not a single at the door, and a smile at the chair, grave. How glad parents are in holi-Peace hovering like wings. Joy clap- day time to gather their children home ping its hands with laughter. Life a again! But I have noticed that al-

> sleep the shadows. Ask another man what home is, and he will tell you it is want, looking out haps absent from the world. Oh, how of a cheerless fire-grate and kneading glad our Heavenly Father will be hunger in an empty bread-tray. The damp air shivering with curses. No Bible on the shelf. Children, robbers be for brothers and sisters to meet and murderers in embryo. Vile songs after long separation! Once they part-their lullaby. Every face a picture of ed at the door of the tomb; now they ruin. Want is the background and meet at the door of immortality. sin staring from the front. No Sabbath wave rolling over the door-sill. Vestibule of the pit. Shadow of infernal walls. Furnace for forging everlasting chains. Faggots for an unending funeral pile. Awful word! It is spelled with curses, it weeps with ruin it chokes with woe, it sweats with the death agony of despair.
> The word "Home" in the one case

means everything bright. The word "Home" in the other case means I shall speak to you of home as a home as a political safeguard, home as

a school, and home as a type of And in the first place I remark that home is a powerful test of character. The disposition in public may be in gay costume, while in private it is dishabille. As play actors may appear in one way on the stage, and may appear in another way behind the scenes so private character may be very different from public character. Private character is often public character turned wrong side out. A man may receive you into his parlor as though he were a distillation of smiles, and yet his heart may be a swamp of nettles. There are business men who all day long are mild and courteous and genial and good-natured in commercial life, keeping back their irritability and their petulance and their discon

tent; but at nightfall the dam breaks

The reason men do not display their Nell was atterity disgusted, not only by the part she had been made to play in this unpleasant scene, but by her companion's humble demeanor and lance and their irritability just for the who in public act the philanthropist, Messrs. T. Milburn & Co., Toronto. spect to their slippers and their

Audubon, the great ornithologist, with gun and pencil, went through the forests of America to bring down and to sketch the beautiful birds, and after years of toil and exposure completed his manuscript and put it in a trunk in Philadelphia for a few days, of recreation and rest, and came back and found that the rats had utterly destroyed the manuscript; but without any discomposure and without any fret or bad temper, he again packed up his gun and pencil and visited again all the great forests of America and reproduced his immortal work. And yet there are people with the tenpublic and who is irritable in private

is making a fraudulent over-issue of

stock, and he is as bad as a bank that might have four or five hundred thou-sand dollars of bills in circulation with no specie in the vault. Let us learn "to show piety at home." If we have it not there we have it not anywhere. If we have not genuine grace in the family circle, all our outward and public plausibility merely springs from a fear of the world or from the slimy, putid pool of our own selfish ness. I tell you the home is a mighty test of character. What you are at home you are everywhere, whether you demonstrate it or not. There is the place where we may talk of what we have done without being charged with self-adulation,
There is the place where we may
lounge without being thought ungraceful. There is the place where
we may express affection without being thought silly. There is the place where we may forget our annoyances and exasperations and troubles. For lorn earth-pilgrim! no home? Ther die. That is better. The grave is brighter and grander and more glori-

scene of greed and gouge and loss and gain. God pity the man or woman Further, I remark, that home is a political safeguard. The safety of the state must be built on the safety of the home. The Christian hearthstone is the only corner-stone for a republic. The virtues cultured in the family circle are an absolute necessity for the state. If there be not enough moral principle to make the family adhere, Further, I remark, that home is

ous than this world, with no tent from marchings, with no harbor from the storm, with no place to rest from the

there will not be enough political principle to make the state achere. Further, I remark, that home is a school. Old ground must be turned up with subsoil plow, and it must be harrowed and reharrowed, and then the crop will not be as large as that of the new ground with less cultivation. Now, youth and childhood are new ground, and all the influence thrown over their heart and life will come up in after life luxuriantly. Every time you have given a smile of ap-probation—all the good cheer of your life will come up again in the geni-ality of your children. And every ebulition of anger and every controllable display of indignation will be fuel to their disposition twenty of thirty, or forty years from now—fuel for a bad fire a quarter of a century from this. You praise the intelligence of your child too much some times, when you think he is not aware of it, ing for some grand sphere in which to and you see the result of it before ten serve God. They admire Luther at years of age in his annoying affectathe Diet of Worms, and only wish that tions. You praise his beauty, supposing he is not large enough to they had some such great opportunity in which to display their Christian will find him standing on a high chair prowess. They admire Paul making before a flattering mirror. Words and deeds and example are the seeds of character, and children are very they had some such grand occasion apt to be the second edition of their parents. Abraham begat Isaac, so virtue is apt to go down in the anperance and judgment to come. All cestral line, but Herod begat Archethey want is an apportunity to exhibit laus, so iniquity is transmitted. What laugh at Miss Bostal's extravagances or to cry sympathetically over her grief. grief.

The little cottage where Jem lived beautiful and glorious in Christian not always turn the blinds the wrong The little cottage where Jem lived was soon reached. Miss Bostal's knock was answered, unexpectedly enough, by Jem in person. There seemed to be little the matter with him, except for a cut on his lower lip, the result of the blow with which Clifford had felled him. If his bodily state was sound, however, this was all that could be said for him. A more forbidding expression of sullen ferocity bidding expression of sullen ferocity.

beautiful and glorious in Christian character, and that is the domestic circle." If one is not faithful in an insignificant sphere he will not be faithful in an insignificant sphere he will not be faithful in a resounding sphere. The fact is, we are all placed in just the position in which we can most grandly serve God, and the all-absorbing question with you and with me ought to be, "Lord, what wilt thou have me (now and here) to do?"

There is one word in my text around and "The Mill by the Mountain on the gentian and spots the pansy pour into your dwellings. Do not expect the light which puts gold on the gentian and spots the pansy pour into your dwellings. Do not expect the little feet to keep step to a dead march. Do not cover up your walls with such pictures as "West's Death on a Pale Horse," or Tintoretto's "Massacre of the Innocents."

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tranquil lake. Pillowed on the ripples most always there is a son or a daughter absent—absent from home, perhaps absent from the country, per-The when he gets all his children home with him! And how delightful it will Once they saw only "through a glass, darkly," now it is "face to face," corruption, incorruption; mortality immortality. Where are now all their sins and sorrows and troubles? Over-whelmed in the Red Sea of death

while they passed through dryshod. TRUE TO THE LAST.

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'A short time ago I was advised to try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and went to John A. Barr's drug store to get a box. On obtaining them I stanted their use, and derived so much benefit that I continued using them. I have now taken a little over three boxes, and am pleased to say they have improved my general health, strength-ened the entire nervous system, and removed my heart troubles. I do not now have the fluttering of the heart, weak, sinking feeling, or shortness of and scolding pours forth in floods and breath. They have restored healthy circulation of the blood, and removed the numbness in my nands. I am far better than I have been since I first took sick, and it is with pleasure recommend the use of these pills to anyone suffering as I did with heart or nerve troubles. (Signed) James Kelly, shoemaker, 75 York street, Hamilton, Ont." Mr. Kelly is one of the most respect

ed and popular business men in Hamilton, having been 24 years engaged in his present occupation in that city.

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BRITISH NATIONAL ANTHEM. Both the words and music of "God thousandth part of that loss who are native of Great Britain-Mr. Henry utterly irreconcilable, who, at the loss Carey. In 1740 the author first sang of a pencil or an article of raiment, the song at a public gathering gathwill blow as long and sharp as a ering to celebrate the taking of Port-northeast storm.

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Judge Laird, of Saginaw, wife and family, have been spending a few days at the London Sanitarium, for the benefit of their health, and have returned home.

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Toronto, Feb. 9-12 p.m.-A very pronounced high area is spreading southeastward over the lake region. The weather has been fair throughout the Dominion.

Minimum and maximum tempera-

Esquimalt, 40-44; Edmonton, 2 below-14; Medicine Hat, 6 below-12; Qu'Appelle, 10 below-2 below; Winnipeg, 26 below-6 below; Parry Sound, 12-32; Toronto, 28-34; Ottawa, 18-30; Montreal, 24-28; Quebec, 22-26; Chatham, 28-34; Halifax, 34-40.

PROBABILITIES. Toronto, Feb. 10-1 a.m.-Probabilities for 24 hours for lower lakes region: Northerly winds; light local snow falls, but mostly fair, and much colder.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory yesterday were 30 above and 28 above.

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NO ONE-CENT RATE.

Postmaster-General Will Make No Reduction in Postage for the Waterworks.

The water commissioners met yesterday afternoon, with all the members present. A letter from the Postal Department, Ottawa, stated that a one-cent rate could not be allowed on notices sent out from the waterworks

Mr. W. C. Furness applied for a reduction of the rates paid by the G. N. W. Telegraph Company. The same amount, \$3 per quarter, was charged now, as was originally charged when the company occupied three rooms and used much more water. Inspector Plastow will report to the chairman. An account from the street railway company of \$3 50 for inspecting the

raising of tracks on Dundas street, near Wellington, was filed.
The annual convention of American Waterworks Boards will be held in Denver, Col., on June 8, 9 and 10. The board are invited.

The Royal Canadian Humane Society, recommended the purchase of wooden ice-ball rollers, with rope attachments for the purpose of saving persons who fall through the ice on the river. The communication was referred to the street railway company.

The Blake-Yates pumps were used at Springbank two days last week.

DEATH OF MR. CRUICKSHANK.

Returned From Chicago to Die - Failing a Long Time.

Mr. John F. Cruickshank, who died yesterday in this city, was a native of ago he went to Chicago, but he was Full range of Ladies' and Gents' Dress even then in failing health, and about

passed away there yesterday. The deceased leaves a wife and three chil-

TRUNKS & VALISES FOR SALE CHEAP

Look within. The fountain of good is there, and it will flow for ever if thou wilt for ever dig.—Marcus Aureven with his enemy; but in passing eliua.

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-The Forest City curlers are playing a friendly match at St. Marys to-day.

-Concert and other programmes printed on shortest notice at The Ad-vertiser Job Department. -Mr. James T. Dalton has been ap-

at Ivan. -Rev. M. P. Talling, moderator the London Presbytery, was asked to sit as a corresponding member of the Toronto Presbytery yesterday.

-The races that were to be held at the Princess Rink this evening are postponed until Monday next. Three

-In mentioning the Western University Literary Society's programme last Friday evening, the name of Prof. Burgess was inadvertently substituted for Miss Noble, who gave an instru-

mental selection. -At the regular quarterly meeting of the Hamilton Road Methodist Church the following resolution was proposed: "That we extend to our pastor, Rev. J. A. Ferguson, a cordial invitation to remain with us for the next conference year." The resolu-tion was carried by a standing vote— unanimously. Mr. Ferguson thanked the board for their kindly feeling and confidence and expressed his willingness to remain, subject to the stationing committee of the conference. -With the sentence of three and a half years in Kingston for Fred Pul-

fer, the bigamist, the whole matter did not end. In an interview with Inamination of bylaw spector Archibald today it was found that considerable trouble had been caused in a settlement of the effects. The inspector, however, says that nearly everything has been arranged, and that the three-months old child of Pulfer and of Edith Chuter, whom he married as wife No. 2, has been ers show: given in charge of the Children's Aid Society. On Thursday the woman will be given a pass to London, her old home, and but for some trouble over the few effects of Pulfer left in Edith Chuter's possession, this would end the affair. The woman wanted the authorities to give her the right to sell them, but, of course, this could not be done, she not being his wife,

and the possession of these belongings is the cause of the trouble. Toronto -A grand concert, under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the First Congregational Church, was given last night in that edfice. There was a large audience, and the programme fully merited the liberal patronage the concert received. Owing to other engagements Miss Roblyn and Mr. Forsythe, the musical director, were unable to be present as tor, were unable to be present as announced. Mr. Forsythe's place was ably filled by Mrs. H. R. Macdonald. The programme consisted of instrutal and vocal solos, duets quartets, and recitations, the following ladies and gentlemen participated: "The Imperial Quartet, Messrs. Lockhart, Collins, Dalton and Macdonald; Mr. H. R. Macdonald, Mr. I. T. Dalton. Mr. R. Macdonald, Mr. J. T. Dalton, Mr. Gibson, Mrs. A. E. Gauld, Miss Taylor, Miss Walsh, Miss Barnard and Miss Hartson. Rev. J. W. Pedley presided

THE HUNT BALL. Hunt Club. At a meeting held at the Tecumseh House for the purpose of ment, and see that a proper entry is making arrangements, Friday, Feb. made of same in a book suitable for 26, was the day set. Mr. Adam Beck presided. Mr. Ormsby Graydon was The books show no arrear of taxes elected honorary secretary, and the following will complete arrangements: F. F. Harper, W. S. Smith, H. W. Marshall, G. A. Macbeth, H. M. Graydon, G. F. Laing, G. H. Gillespie, Dr. G. H. Wilson, H. R. Lyon, A. T. Little, J. B. Smallman, H. K. McCormick, J. A. Little, Thomas Martin, G. C. Gunn,

AT THE GRAND. The "Bells of Shandon" will be presented at the Grand tomorrow night. everywhere that James W. Regan appeared last season as an Irish, singing star he received the unqualified praise of the press and public. The critic of ed the greater part of his review of the performance under the title of "Regan's Song Recital." In the new Irish comedy-drama, "The Bells of Shandon." Mr. Regan has not only greater opportunities as an Irish comedian, but he will sing six new songs as well as Father Prout's famous

SMASHED THE COUPE. Mr. Albert Hunter, son of Mr. Wm. Hunter, liveryman, of South London, met with a mishap while on his way to a funeral at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. He was driving a coupe down the Wortley road, and when near the overhead bridge a passing car and a load of hay frightened the horses.
The team dashed on to York street,
and on to the bridge, where they
smashed the whiffletrees. This left the rig almost beyond control, and it was thrown against a telephone pole and badly damaged. Mr. Hunter was London, and a popular resident of the thrown out on the road, but sustained city for many years. About six years no injury. The horses made a mad chase for a mile or so in opposite directions before being caught

eight weeks ago his condition became so critical that he was advised to return to London, where his family had remained. While calling on his brother, Mr. Charles Cruicksank, Piccadilly street, some days ago, he became so ill that he could not be removed, and passed away there yesterday. The detaken many medicines that were re-Mr. Cruickshank will be buried tomorrow morning, the services being held at St. Peter's Cathedral.

after taking eight of Parmeree's I in a service was quite relieved, and now I feel as free from the disease as before I was troubled."

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pointed leader and instructor of a new choral society recently organized The Auditors Find the Books in Bad Shape.

No Action to be Taken in the Indian

Relief Fund Petition. The London West Council held out-of-town entries could not be presbusiness-like session last night, with

no heated arguments, or anything to hinder progress. The auditors' report showed receipts, \$14,834 47, of which \$2,122 56 was a cash balance on hand at the first of the year, and \$6,695, as the amount of taxes collected. The expenditures were \$14,226 47. Of this amount \$927 76 was expended by the Board of Works; \$813 25 on the breakwater; \$874 97 for street lighting; sal-

> aries, \$624 13; schoot board, \$3,068 81 printing, \$164 82; miscellaneous, \$201 23. The law expenses of the village are: Witness' fees in Flood vs. London West\$125 00 Meredith, Cameron & Co., re Meredith, Cameron & Co., Knox claim

Total \$901 53 The following is a statement of the assets and liabilities of the village, so

far as the books, accounts and vouch-School buildings and land ..\$11,000 00

Cash in collector's hands 56 72 Total \$16,313 11 LIABILITIES. Outstanding debentures\$39,175 9 Coupon, due Dec. 31, 1895 Interest on county rate, 1894.. County rate, 1895, \$491 40, less paid on account, \$36 73 Interest on same County rate, 1896

Separate school Auditors 40 00 Total \$40,768 6 There are other outstanding accounts which are known to be due, but of which the value is not known. The auditors also call attention to

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the following items:
A dispute exists about taxes on the Hardy lot, Wharncliffe road. They recommend that such steps be taken to place the matter beyond dispute. No account has been kept of out-It has been decided to hold a grand standing debentures and coupons, as ball under the auspices of the London well as other liabilities. The auditors recommend that some competent per-

> returned to the county treasurer, making it necessary to get a statement from him which the auditors cannot verify by the village books, and they recommend that these items be charg-

ed to the county treasurer. The school board's published statement does not agree with the books.

A number of half-cent items appear on the collector's roll. This causes his number afflicted are enormous, and

The treasurer's books show no balurgent appeal to you to organize a ances. The auditors recommend that relief fund. We will be deeply gratethe books be closed at the end ful for contributions, which will be the Boston Herald was so charmed of the year, that balances be with the sweet tenor voice of the handsome young singer that he devotance account, and new accounts opened at the beginning of the new year, carrying all the old balances to

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********************** proper side of the new accounts. (Signed) E. F. LITTLEJOHNS, G. C. JOLLY.

THE INDIA FAMINE FUND. I have the honor to invite your attention to the following telegram, received by His Excellency the Governor-General from Sir Francis Maclean, chief justice of the Province of Bengal, and chairman of the relief committee at Calcutta, India: "The Central Relief India Famine Fund Committee earnestly solicit your cordial co-operation. Highest possible scope for private benevolence, outside roll and cash books to disagree by over the distress is rapidly increasing. We future the roll have the remaining of the millions of industrious poor the millions of half-cent added to each fractional en- will arouse the profound sympathy of

> be publicly acknowledged.
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> "C. S. GZOWSKI, administrator of the Governor of Ontario." The council regretted its impecunious position, which render them unable to deal with the matter.

all classes. The committee make an

OTHER BUSINESS. OTHER BUSINESS.

Dodd's Kidney Pills, is the talk of the town. On seeing Mr. Stokes, he said: Wells & MacMurchy, for the C. P. R., drawing the attention of the council fered greatly from kidney trouble, be-to the fact that the amount of the ing advised, after all else had failed, About our LOW PRICES of Trunks and Valises, but compare \$1,600, and asking that they be assess- reds of people here can vouch for my them with those advertised by our ed for this and nothing more. This cure.' competitors. They say their stock is in accordance with the agreement made some time ago, and was passed. A motion passed instructing the elerk to prepare a statement of the cost of the breakwater, from the date of erection to the present, together with the cost of repairs, for the use The chairmen of the standing committees were elected as follows: Finance (No. 1.), Wm. Duff; board of works (No. 2), W. T. Hamilton; printing, relief, street and lighting (No. 3), at 4 p.m. March 3, arriving in Wash-Andrew Ferguson. The whole of the

council act on these committees. TREASURER'S STATEMENT. Following is the village treasurer's statement for the month of February: RECEIPTS. Balance on hand.. \$599 34

Taxes 89 50 Total.... \$1,688 84 EXPENDITURE.

Mrs. Perkins, re damages ... 40 00 city at an annual expense of about Other accounts... 163 33 \$2,000 a year.

A Bottle will make 50 Cups of Beef Tea

ing the month to be \$39 03. Of this amount \$89 50 had been paid to the treasurer, leaving a cash balance of Mr. Glass' communication was filed It stated his property, off Caroline street, had been sold for taxes which had previously been paid. Reeve Saunby said that upon investigation he found the taxes to have been paid for 1889 and 1891, but not 1890.

An order was passed to pay the solicitor \$200 on account.

INJURY AND NEGLECT. He Failed in Health and Strength-His Kidneys Ached and He Took Dood's

Kidney Pills. Deseronto, Feb. 6 .- Among business people here, and especially by his fellow workmen, great interest has been taken in the case of Mr. Jas. Stokes, who, for the past fifteen years, has been shipper for the Rathburn Com-

Lately he has run down in health and strength, to the point of being compelled to quit work, and his recovery now, as the result of using "From over-lifting and strain I suf-

Washington and the Inauguration. To enable all to participate in the pleasures of the capital during the inauguration week, greatly reduced rates will be made by the Lehigh Valley Railroad from all points along its lines. Tickets will be good going on March 1, 2 and 3, and good for

A special train of coaches and sleep-

return March 4 to 8.

ing cars will leave Suspension Bridge ington 8 a.m., March 4. The route traversed by this line is too well known and popular to require particular description. The beauties of scenery are many; the service and equipment of its trains are the best. Direct connections and through service from all points to and from Washington. Call upon or address the nearest railroad agent for reduced rates

and all other information desired, or A. A. Heard, W. P. A., L. V. R. R., Buffalo, N. Y. 33bc eod Messrs. T. J. and J. M. Pereles, brothers, of Milwaukee, provide text-books for poor school children of that

Total......\$1,312 38

The tax collector's report showed a balance on hand on January the 1st has done once it will do again.