The Chatham Daily Planet.

synansied their estimates or former years. He had been given to under-stand last year, he said, that when the city purchased the Isolation Hos-pital property, it would only cost a few additional hundred dollars to fit

Heating Company, and that the heating be paid for by the tenants.

3. That the tenants be prohibited from using stoves in the market

in the municipal electric light sta-tion, and that one half of the pur-

whase price be paid out of the gen-eral fund this year. The new dynamo will operate 60 lights of 10 ampere capacity.

All of the clauses of this report

The expenses of the cut-off de-

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The City Council Approves Of Bowyer's Poll Tax Bill

Regulations-Humane Officer Gets \$25. New Dynamo Left Over

All of the aldermen were present at last night's meeting with the exception of Ald. George Meynell. The meeting was quite business-like and a large number of important matters were considered.

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Medical Health Onficer Hall and Dr. Charteris, of the Board of Health, appeared before the Council asking that body on behalf of the Board of Health, that something be done to better conditions at the local Isolation Hospital. They set forth the claim that the hospital as it is at the present time, will not accommodate two forms of contagious disease at one time, They said that, it could be properly fixed up for about \$2,600 or \$2,700.

Mayor Stone said that though the expenditure might be needful, the city at present is facing very large expenses, and a big tax rate. The Board of Health had already almost axhansted their estimates of former years, He had been given to understand last year, he said, that when



building.

4. That the renting of rooms in the building be left in the hands of the Property committee with power,

5. That the market scales by-law
be amended to read that the caretaker receive the fees from the
scales up to the sum of \$480, instead of receiving a salary of \$450,
and that the present caretaker be
retained.

6. That one new dynamo be placed
in the maniferial electric light sta-PHIL. H. BOWYER, M. P. P., Whose Bill to Abolish Poll Tax Was Heartily Endorsed at Last Night's Council Meeting.

All of the aldermen held like opinions, and it was moved by Ald. Austin, seconded by Ald. Potter, that the Clerk be instructed to reply that this city is heartily in favor of such legislation.—Carried upen inquals.

animously. It was shown that after the fees,

The Natural Gas Question Is At Last, Finally Settled

More Help Asked For Isolation Hospital-New Market Gas Company Will Purify All Gas Used For Household Purposes With Proper Purifiers-Price Raised To 27 Cents

iew additional hundred dollars to fit it up in proper shape.

The matter was finally referred to the Finance committee.

Ald. Potcer, of the Property committee, brought in a report making the following recommendations:

1. That the new market building be insured for \$6,000 in the Equity, Unity, London and Lancaster, Northern British and the Scottish Union fire insurance companies.

2. That the new market building be heated by the Chatham Steam Heating Company, and that the heat-

Ald. Austin then read a letter from the Gas Company, in which the company agreed to purify the gas for all household purposes, providing they were granted the privilege of charging 27 cents instead of 25, as their agreement calls for. It was pointed out that under the present arrangement for purification, the

The natural gas question, over which the Council has lost so much time in discussions, and which the Gas Co. has taken so much time in explaining, has at last been settled, and the final outcome will be that the gas will be purified for all household purposes, by the company, and the price charged will be raised to 27 cents instead of 25 cents per 1,00 cubic feet.

It was the feeling of the Council last evening that the citizens wanted the gas purified by all means. This would not be done properly by the use of the famous "tin cans," and as the company were prepared to install suitable purifiers at different points through the city, it was thought that the citizens would not object to paying the two cents extra which was stipulated by the company, if in the end they would be assured that the present nauseating odor would be done away with, and the gas would be delivered in acceptable shape.

Ald. Austin brought the matter up by presenting Prof. McGill's report, the substance of which was reported in last night's Planet, viz., that the gas contained 405 grains of sulphureted hydrogen to every thousand, feet. This was the finding of the analyst after four tests. He also found that the sulphur was not found in the gas in any other form greept as sulphureted hydrogen. From the Sentiment contained in the letter from the Government, it was heing considered in connection with the natural gas question; in fact, it seemed that they had not yet made up their minds just what to do. Mr. Coate thought that the Chatham Gas Company should not be company agreed to purify the gas the company should not be company agreed to purify the gas the company should not be company agreed to purify the gas the company should not be company agreed to purify the gas the company should not be company agreed to purify the gas the company should not be company agreed to purify the gas the company should not be company agreed to purify the gas the company should not be company agreed to purify the gas the company should not be company agreed to

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Peculiar State Of Affairs Brought Out At Last Night's Meeting Of The City Council--- No Reason Given For Extraordinary Procedure

All of the clauses of this report were adopted with the exception of the sixth, which deals with the new dynamo. Ald. Kerr asked that this clause be left over till a subsequent meeting, as he intends to bring in a report on the municipal electric lighting plant to show that it is a losing proposition to the city, and that more money could be saved if the lighting of the city were contracted for.

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McCOIG COMPLIMENTS THE PLANET.

The Planet is pleased to learn that A. B. McCoig, M. P. P., has almost completely recovered from his recent illness. He is now able to be out to attend to his duties, and is looking much his old self.

A representative of The 'Planet met him this morning and was greeted with an open hand and a friendly

"I want to compliment The Plan et heartily," was Mr. McCoig's opening remark, "upon the full, fair and impartial report of the convention on Saturday. I was very much pleas ed when I read it in your paper, and for myself I want to thank you."

The compliment, coming as it did, after the manner in which the Banner-his own party organ-garbled Mr. McCoig's own words in reporting what he said at the convention. about The Planet, was greatly appreciated by the representative from this Great Home Journal. These words of commendation were all the more striking from the fact that they were uttered spontaneously, earnestly, and unsolicited, with full permission to publish them.

Surely, as Mr. Fred. Stone so apt-

If there was no Planet in Chatham, that Liberal convention on Saturday wouldn't have lasted very long. There evidently wasn't any thing else worth talking about.

R. L. Gosnell, Liberal candidate for the Legislature in East Kent, said

convention said he knew Fred Stone pie was going to get the nomination. The question is, how does Mr. Hinne gan and his Wallaceburg friends like this "fixing up" business before the convention opens.

Fred. Stone is right. The Planet Breaks Upa Cold In Ten Hours is a serviceable paper to Liberals as well as Conservatives, for how Breathe Hyomei And Get Quick Rewould the Liberals get the news of

Planet. The journalistic member for Essex is evidently so used to picking Essex is evidently so used to picking up this Great Home Journal, and reading EVERYTHING, that when he missed seeing one little item, he was so surprised that he came to Chatham to tell the people all about it. Mr. Auld forgets that it could have been in the paper, and still he might not have seen it, Maybe that for that he didn't see it in the fact that he didn't see it in pearing afterwards in Mr. Auld's paper, The Amherstburg Echo,

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A. B. McCoig says George Stephens helps him to get things for West Kent from the Dominion Governsays does the "helping."

COVERED WITH BOILS!

HOW BILEANS PURIFY THE BLOOD.

Surely, as Mr. Fred. Stone so aptly put it at the convention, "The Planet is a serviceable newspaper, of value to Liberals as well as Conservative." It is the aim of this journal to publish full and accurate reports of all news items, and this is what the vast majority wantnews. Of course, The Planet reserves my neck. My blood seemed absorbed. news. Of course, The Planet reserves my neck. My blood seemed absolutely filled with impurities and poisons, My liver was disordered, too, and I was dull, weak and alling. Bileans purified my blood and cured the boils and p.mples; they also toned up my system—gave me vim

MURDER FOLLOWS CRITICISM.

Man Slain For Commenting on Child's Nervousness at School.

Carmi, Ill., March 25.—Rehearsal of closing exercises at a country school house near here Friday ended in a tragedy and the arrest of a farmer for the murder of a man who had been the Legislature in East Kent, said himself on Saturday that "he may be the weakest man in the constituency." Perhaps ex-Warden Stephen Parnall Sturgis is right, after all One of the speakers at the Liberal convention said he knew Fred Stope.

Nurd made a remark on her nervousness, which Nicholson resented, and in a moment both men were quarrelling. Nicholson drew a revolver, and, pressing it against Kurd's side, fired. Kurd died instantly.

"fair" paper. No doubt he would have made it stronger if he sould have done so conscientiously, and if the people would have stood for it. It is noteworthy that almost in the same breath he recognized The Panet as The Great Home Journal.

Mr. Auld, of Amherstburg, was able to study hard and think up ONE thing that he had not seen in The Planet. The journalistic member for

Suicides In Lodging House

Minard's Liniment Cures Diph-

DISTRICT

BLENHEIM

Blenheim, Mar. 23.—A. J. Holland and H. Powell have dissolved partnership in the egg and produce business, which will now be carried on by Mr. Holland.

Born, on Wednesday, March 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Thompson, Communication Road South, a daugh-

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Goulet have moved to Sarnia.

Mrs. Charles Wedge is very ill, and little hopes of her recovery are

Charles Bisnet and family are mov-ing into the house lately occupied by A. B. Goulet.

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AN ASSAULT CASE

The Charteris school assault case Kent from the Dominion Govern-ment. Wonder who George Stephens Morris, colored, was charged with assaulting a white school-mate assaulting a white school-mate named Ben. Haviland, came up in County Police Court at eleven o'clock

yesterday morning.

The complainant, Charles W.
Haviland, accused the colored boy or Haviland, accused the colored boy of kicking and reating his son, doing him bodily harm. The three trustees of the school children, were present to give their evidence in connection with the affair. The witnesses for the prosecution were: Dorcy Colby, Staniey Warnock, Willie Shaw, Annie Baker, Hen, Haviland, Charles W. Haviland and F. W. Charteris.

Those for the defense were: Henry Morris, Charls Morris aend John Morris, Charls Morris aend John

The evidence went to show that on the day in question John Morris had taken his children over to a field where the other boys were playing football, and had dared any press such opinions as we deem proper and in the interests of the people, but the statements of facts, as they appear in the news columns, will always be found as accurate and reliable as it is possible for a daily newspaper to give them.

Fred Stone was nominated Liberal candidate for the Provincial House on "March" "23"—"skidoo" for Fred!

If there was no Planet in Chat
MURDER FOLLOWS CRITICISM.

Bleans purified my blood and cured the boils and pimples; they also the boils and pimples; they also boys. Witnesses for the defense the boils and pimples; they also boys. Witnesses for the defense the boils and pimples; they also boys. Witnesses for the defense the boils and pimples; they also boys. Witnesses for the defense the boils and pimples; they also boys. Witnesses for the defense claimed that young Haviland had kicked the colored boy in the shins as he was passing him. Afterwards Morris set upon him and slapped him with his open hand and kicked the colored boy in the shins as he was passing him. Afterwards Morris set upon him and slapped for my life and that young haviland had kicked the colored boy in the shins as he was passing him. Afterwards Morris set upon him and slapped for my life and the young haviland had kicked the colored boy in the shins as he was passing him. Afterwards Morris set upon him and slapped him with his open hand and kicked the colored boy in the shins as he was passing him. Afterwards Morris set upon him and slapped him with his open hand and kicked the colored boy in the shins as he was passing him. Afterwards Morris set upon him and slapped him with his open hand and kicked the colored boy in the shins as he was passing him. Afterwards Morris set upon him and slapped him with his open hand and kicked the colored boy in the shins as he was passing him. Afterwards Morris set upon him with his open hand and kicked the colored boy in the shins as he was passing him. Afterwards Morris set upon him with his open hand and kicked the colored boy in the shins as he was passing him. Afte

master's birch.
Judge Houston found young Morris guilty, but in doing so, he gave the father of the boy quite a severe lecture, saying that he was mostly responsible for the fracas in that he encouraged his boy to fight. He warned the other school children that they must not taunt young Morris about the circumstance atterwards. Morris was let off with terwards. Morris was let off with the costs, amounting to \$9.50. W. G. Richards acted for the comlainant and R. L. Brackin for the

For Easter Holidays W. E. Rispin, City Passenger and Ticket Agent, Grand Trunk and Wabash Railways, will issue return tickets to all points in Canada, good going March 28th to April 1st, returning April 2nd, at single fare for round trip, and to pupils and teachers of schools and colleges return tickets at fare and colleges return tickets at fare and one-third, good going March 21st to March 30, returning April 10th.

NEW WELLS IN ROMNEY

would the Liberals get the news of the day if they didn't take The Planet? Mr. Stone also evidently knows that The Planet is the Greatest Home Journal.

As a usual thing a remedy that has immediate action contains powerful drugs that should be used sparingly. This is one of the reasons why the compention, Mr. Hinnegan would have made the stronger candidate—they all spoke about his strength—but he will have to wait. Maybe he will have a chance to run again some other time. This is no doubt very comforting to Hinnegan.

According to the Banner, his own party organ, Leader Graham said that "he was not so sure if all the Family Compact were dead." Let us see. A. B. McCoig, M. P. P., and Mayor Stone are brothers—haw, and Mayor Stone are brothers—haw, and Mayor Stone are brothers—haw, and Mayor Stone and Fred Stone are cousins. Is this the Family Compact herefore the referred to?

A. B. McCoig is responsible for the statement that the Banner-News is a "fair" paper. No doubt he would have made it stronger if he could have made it stronger if he could

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Provincial Appointments.
Toronto, March 25.—The following se commissioners have been ap Prescott—Robert Rown McEvoy, François Xavier Cadieux, Octave Mar-

East Middlesex—James Crockett, R.
Ambrose Powell, Frank R. Shore.
West Nipissing—J. F. Templeton,
David Laporte, Adrien Deslauriers.
Jonathan Hall Shields succeeds William Hixon Young, resigned, as police magistrate of Halton County.
William George Mahaffy, Bracebridge, and George Herbert Sedgewick, Toronto, solicitors, have been
appointed notaries public.
Robert Edwin Stevenson, Bradford,
succeeds W. R. Strong, resigned, as
clerk of the second division court of
Simcoe County.

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George McDonald, Pembroke, succeeds William Jewell, resignel, as bailiff of the first division court, Ren-

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Ottawa, March 25.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier stated yesterday that he fully intends to said for England on April 5.

The Opposition will do nothing to delay his departure, and should the Bourassa resolution regarding "women, wine and graft," on Tuesday prove too troublesome Parliament will be prorogued for forty days.

This will give the Premier time enough to go and return from London.

R. L. Borden is suffering from a throat affection that threatens him temporarily with loss of voice, but he expects to be fully recovered by Tuesday.

day.

The general impression here, for some reason, is that the threatened exposures on Tuesday will fizzle out. Tremendous social pressure is being brought to bear upon both sides to "forget."

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SUNDAY GAMES O. K.

Bishop of Carlisle Speaks of Artificial

London, March 25.—The Bishop of Carlisle declared himself in favor of Sunday games in the course of a speech which he delivered at Carlisle,

Sunday games in the course of a speech which he delivered at Carlisle, at a meeting in support of the National Sunday Observance movement.

"I am distinctly in favor of opening museums and picture galleries on Sunday, but I would have people of leisure act as custodians and guides to visitors to these places," he said.

"It is the same with Sunday games. Recreation is not a sin. We have enough sins in the world, without going about manufacturing artificial sins."

Lid On At Niegara Falls. Niagara Falls, Ont., March 25.— The new Lord's Day Alliance law was strictly enforced yesterday at Niagara

Not a souvenir, ice cream or tobac

THE WABASH SYSTEM
Wabash trains leave Chatham:
WEST BOUND
No. 1, 6.25 a. m. for Detroit, Chicago and St. Louis.
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No. 13, 1.25 p.m. for Detroit and Chicago.
EAST BOUND.

Not a souvenir, ice cream or tobacco and cigar stand was open yesterday, nor an American paper sold in the city.

Many of the residents wended their way to the American eity and spent the day and their money there, and the Carladian city was as quiet as a churchyard at midnight.

Rev. T. Albert Moore, secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, was here less tweek.

Ontarie Girls to Beware.

Hamilton, March 25.—The Hamilton.

Ontarie Girts to Beware.

Hamilton, March 25.—The Hamilton police have been asked by the American immigration authorities at the Falls to investigate reports of girls being taken from Hamilton, Toronto, and Brantford, and other places in Ontario, to Buffalo for questionable purposes.

The traffic in young girls between here and Buffalo is said to be astounding, according to information furnished the police.

THE MARKETS.

iverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Lower-Live Stock Markets -The Latest Quotations.

Laverpool wheat futures closed to-day 4d lower than Friday, and form futures 4d lower.

At Chicago May wheat closed %c lower than Friday: May corn %c lower and May cats %c lower.

Winnipeg Options. Winnipeg wheat futures closed to day: March 74%c bid, May 76%c idd, July 76%c bid. Oass fotures—March 35%c bid. May 36%c, July 35%c bid. Toronto Grain Markets.

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

Liverpool, March 23.—Closing—Wheat, 250t No. 2: red, western winter, steady, 62 256; No. 1 California, quiet, 6s 5d; fatuees, steady; March, 6s 4d; May 6s 43; fatuees, steady; March, 6s 4d; May 6s 43; fatuees, steady; March, 6s 6d; fatuees, steady; Sig. Corn, spot American mixed, now, et sy, 4s 23; d; American mixed, old, quiet, 4s 73; d; Atuees, consect; March, 4s 19; d; May, 4s 43; d. Cheege, Canadian finest colored, firm, 67s 6d. Pees, Canadian finest colored, firm, 67s 6d. Hops, in London, Pacific creast, steady, 25 to 25 10s. Beet, erita, India mess, steady, 58s 5d. Perk, prime meas western, quiet, 53s 5d. Perk, prime meas western, quiet, 53s 6d; firms, short cut, 1s to 16 pounds, steady, 55s 6d; American redned, in middles, light, 28 to 35 pounds, quiet, 51s 6d; 6o. heavy, 35 to 36 pounds, quiet, 51s 6d; 6o. heavy, 35 to 36 pounds, quiet, 51s 6d; 6o. heavy, 35 to 36 pounds, quiet, 51s 6d; 6o. heavy, 35 to 36 American redned, in theres, easy, 45s 3d; American redned, in Marketts, 12s 6d; Petreleum, redned, steady, 6%d. Tailow prime city, 12m, 55s; Australian; in London firm, 38s 9d. Roslin, common, firm, 16s 9d. Turpeatine spirits, steady, 52g 3d. Liverpool Grain and Produce.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Are Lower Again for Hogs, London, March 23.—Liverpool and London cables are stendy at the to 12½ per b. dressed weight; refrigerator beef is toted at 8½ c to 9c per lb.

groted at 8½c to 9c per lb.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

Bast Buffalo March 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 200 head; light demand and steady; prices, unchanged.

Veals—Receipts, 250 head; active, 25c lower, 44.25 to \$10.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 3500 head; fairly active, 5c to 16c lower; heavy, \$6,75 to \$6.30; mixed and Yorkers and plas, \$6.30 to \$6.35; reughs, \$6 to \$6.10; stage, \$4.50 to \$5. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 300 head; active, 15c to 25c higher; hambs, \$5 to \$8.05; rearlings, \$7 to \$7.75; wethers, \$6.25 to \$6.75; wwes, \$4.75 to \$6; sheep, mixed, \$3 to \$6.25.

New York Live Stock. Between all stations in Canada; 204; none for sale; feeling, dul; exportation Bridge Ruffele and Suspension Bridge Ruffele And

best,
Calves—Receipts, 46, all consigned dircct; neminally steady.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1446; market nominal for sheep; lambs, 10c higher;
prane lambs, 38.70.
Hogs—Receipts, 2615; market, easy;
prime state hogs, \$7.25.

Chicago Live Steck.

Chicago, March 23.—Cattle-Receipts, about 300; steady. Beeves, \$4 to \$6.70; cown, \$1.00 to \$4.75; heiters, \$2.60 to \$4.75; caives, \$5.55 to \$6.70; poor to medium, \$5 to \$5.50; heiters and feeders, \$2.75 to \$4.75.

Hops—Receipts, about 15.600; weak and \$6 lower; light, \$6.25 to \$4.2%; heavy, \$5.10 to \$6.37%; rough, \$6.50 to \$6.20; pige, \$5.70 to \$3.30; gvod to choice heavy, \$6.30 to \$6.40.

Sheep—Receipts, about 2500; steady; native, \$4 to \$6.20; western, \$4 to \$6.20; yearling, \$6 to \$7.30; lambs, \$6 to \$7.20; western, \$6 to \$7.20; western, \$6 to \$7.50. Chicago Live Stock.

Shaken Again.

Kingston, Jamaica, March 25.—A violent earthquake shock occurred here at 6.40 Saturday evening. The people were panic-stricken. A number of walls damaged in the previous quakes were thrown down. So far as known nobody was hurt. The tourists on the steamship Bluecher just missed the experience, as she sailed shortly before the shock was felt. ed the experience, as she saishortly before the shock was felt.

J. & A. Oldershaw

Washington, March 25.—All previous records for hot weather in Washington for March were broken yesterday, when, according to the officials of the weather bureau, the thermometer at 2.40 o'clock registered 92 degrees.

ABSOLUTE

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The painter Paul Baudry was finishing a scene for a grand opera performance in cold weather, and there were two stoves kept going on the stage. As he left the theater one night he said to the fireman: "Keep an eye on those stoves. That

painted canvas is inflammable. "Don't you be uneasy," said the fire-man. "I know paint. It smells worse than anything when it burns."-Nos

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Hannah Hamm—Et ought to. Brass

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900 AGED MEN POISONED.

Olc. Soldiers Eat Tainted Meat—One Man Dead.

Leavenworth, Kan., March 25.—One death resulted yesterday among the 900 old soldiers at the National Soldiers' Home here who were poisoned Saturday by eating tainted hash.

The victim was William J. Cook, 64 years of age, a member of the 4th Missouri Cavalry. He leaves a widow at Mexico, Missouri.

About seventy-five of the veterans are still in a serious condition, but it is not thought any of these will die. The majority of the others made ill have recovered.

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A report that some of those affected were missing was emphatically denied at the home last night. The Government physician said only those who were already suffering from disabilities and were in a weakened condition were seriously affected.

The Government physicians and nurses at the home have worked to the utmost since noon Saturday, and probably have succeeded in saving a score of men who were in a dying condition when found.

The infection worked slowly, nearly four hours having elapsed between the eating of the meat at breakfast and the development of the symptoms. Then men began to drop off by scores. Ambulances and stretchers were in demand, and many old men lay for hours without the possibility of attention.

THROWS SON TO WOLVES.

Father Destroys His Child to Save His Own Life.

Budapest, March 24.—Johann Horvath, a peasant of Kapi, yesterday threw his 8-year-old son to wolves to save his own life

He was driving home from Eperies with the boy, when four wolves got on the track of his two-horse cart and overhauled it, the road being in bad condition owing to the melting snow. Horvath was unarmed, and as the welves were about to attack him he seized his boy and threw him into the road, when the wolves tore him to

road, when the wolves tore nim to pieces.

Horvath escaped, and on reaching Kapi told how the horrible sight of the wolves devouring his child had so fascinated him that he kept looking back until they were out of sight.

A village council was summoned to discuss his conduct, and it was decided to lynch him by clubbing him to death in Hungarian fashion.

His life was saved by the appearance of the police, who had been informed of what was happenings, and Horvath was arrested.

YOUTH AGAIN KIDNAPPED.

Millionaire's Grandchild, Once Stolen

Berlin, March 25.—A despatch from Hanover says that "Eddy" Krieger, 12 years of age, son of George Krieger of Chicago, who married the daughter of Dr. Bart, a millionaire, has been kidnapped by two masked persons.

The boy's ther, after securing a

The boy's either, after securing a divorce from his wife in America, secretly brought the boy to Germany and entrusted him to a friend in Hanover, where he was educated. The mother, who has since married a Dr. MacDonald, came to Germany, obtained possession of the boy and took him with great secrecy to Hamburg, from which place he has mysteriously disappeared.

FOUR KILLED IN SNOWSLIDE. Eight Men Buried Eleven Feet Deep

Eight Men Buried Eleven Feet Deep At Legging Camp.

Vancouver, March 25.—Eight men, four of whom were killed, were buried under 11 feet of snow at a logging camp at Howe Sound Saturday.

The snow fall had been so heavy that the foreman decided not to attempt to do any work. The eight men had stayed in the donkey-enginehouse when the others went to their boarding-house. poarding-ho

boarding-house.

A great pile of snow gave way and crashed down on the engine-house, and, when the men were dug out, only four were found to be alive.

FLOOD TIES UP CALIFORNIA.

Two Men Drowned By Capsizing of a Boat.

San Francisco, March 25.—Following a severe rainstorm, railroad and telegraph communication is almost entirely suspended over the greater part of California. The rivers in the interior valleys are rising, and the area of the flood region is rapidly extending.

The railroad blockade is almost complete. No regular trains are running into or out of San Francisco.

Two mail carriers, F. Griend and T. Dassonville, were drowned near Fairoaks Saturday by the capsizing of a boat.

N. S. Cabinet Changes.
Halifax, N.S., March 25.—The vacancy in the local Government caused
by the election of Attorney-General
Drysdale to the bench was filled on
Saturday morning by the appointment
of Hon. M. Pipes, formerly Commissioner of Works and Mines, as Attorney-General. Christopher Chisholm,
member for Antigonish, is appointed
Commissioner of Works and Mines
and O. T. Daniels, member for Annapolis, appointed member of the
Executive Council.

Two Dead In Fire.

Catskill, N. Y., March 25.—A hut on the mountain side of Cairo, in which resided the brothers, Henry and Rufus Denton, and their sister, all over 70 years old, was burned to the ground before daybreak yesterday. Henry and the sister perished in the flames, and Rufus, who was removed to the county alms house, is badly burned about the head and body.

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Battleship In Collision.

Weymouth, Eng., March 25.—A collision occurred yesterday off Portland between the British battleship Africa and the Peninsular and Oriental Line steamer Ormuz, bound for Australia. Both vessels sustained alight damages.

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DISTRICT

DAWN MILLS.

the past week, returned home on Monday.

James Elgie is busy buying hogs. He intends moving to Dresden in the near future, having hired Harry Cord to work the farm.

Two of our we'l known and highly esteemed young nearly aver married.

W. T. Prangley is quite ill with la grippe.

H. W. Obeay is putting in large quantities of spring goods.
Charles Northoott, who has been very ill with appendicitis, is better.

Willard Oliver is sawing lumber.
He pradict a large stock of logs on hand.

Dr. Alex. Traxler, of Big Rapids, Mich., who has been visiting at his father's, John D., on the Base Line,



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If the throat is "raw,"—chest sore—bad cough and you ache "all over"—take

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Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blackburn, concession 3, on the 7th inst., a daughter. nst., a daughter.
We are sorry to report the serious illness of Miss Ruth Wicks, who was removed Saturday to St. Joseph's

removed Saturday to St. Joseph's Hospital.

Miss Shaw, our teacher, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Chatham.

Mrs. Armund Pugh, who has been ill with la grippe for the past two weeks, is recovering.

Henry Weaver was a Maple City visitor on Saturday.

Miss Rhoda Wicks, of Marine City, has been cailed home on account of the serious illness of her sister.

CROTON. James Clark is ill. Wm. Bedford is improving.
Mr. Asa Newcomb attended a sale
in Wabash last Friday.
Mr. Logan recently visited his
daughter, Mrs. B. Houston.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Christner

vere Thamesville visitors on Friday

last.
Bilton Leeson had the misfortune

Lto injure his kneecap very bady se

Lto injure his kneecap very bady severely.

J. Beattie has sold his farm of 45 acres and bought of 75 acre farm in Euphemia Tp.

The farmers congregate and talk over the legislations at our Federal and Provincial - Parliaments, and speak as they think on matters, regardless of party.

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CROTON.

The bad roads make our mail late

these nights.

A new blower is in use at the saw-mill. saw-mill.

There is quite a movement on foot for rural telephones. Shetland, Oakdale, Langbank and Rutherford back to Florence are after it, and it is quite likely Croton will get a move on in the near future, and see what can be done,

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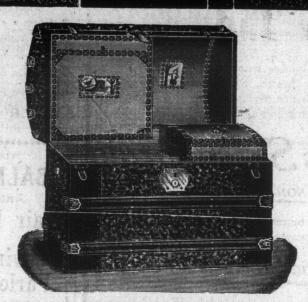
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PROBABILITIES.

Special to The Planet. Toronto, March 26,-11 a. m.-Partly fair, with some showers or thun-derstorms. Wednesday, continued

LOCAL

Jas. C. Thomson, of Aylmer, was in the city yesterday on business.

D. Robertson, of Ryrie Bros', Tord onto, is expected home to-morrow.

Mrs. S. C. Walker sang in Blen-heim Baptist Church Monday night. J. H. Callahan, of Indiana, was the the guest of Miss Boyce over Saturday and Sunday.

TO OUR ADVERTISERS! — All parties desiring a change of advertisement in The Planet, must have their "copy" at this office the night previous to day of insertion. Otherwise we cannot guarantee a change.

Dugald McAlpine, of Glencoe, is in the city to-day visiting his brother, J. D. McAlpine.

Miss Gertie Barcley and Mr. Geo. Barcley, of Detroit, are guests at Mrs. Kasper Schwemler's, William

Miss Margaret Beaver, daughter of Mrs. Wm. Beaver, King St., is confined to her home with a slight attack of typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Manson Campbell returned yesterday from a trip to Seattle, Váncouver and Winnipeg. They had a most enjoyable trip and encountered very little disagreeable weather.

OIL NOTES

The Roth, Barnard, Argue, Sterns Oil & Gas Company, Limited, shot well No. 2 on lot 21, concession 4, Harwich, yesterday, and an excellent

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TO APPOINT A DELEGATE

The Board of Education will hold

Barcley, of Detroit, are guests at Mrs. Kasper Schwemler's, William street.

Isaac Brisco, who for the past few days has been visiting his cousins, the Brisco Bros., is spending to-day in Detroit.

R. Robertson has returned from Lima, Ohio, where he has been visiting his little daughter, who has been seriously ill.

MRS. CARTER'S DEATH

The death of Mrs. Matilda Carter occurred yesterday at the age of 53

Deceased has been ailing for a long time and passed away at her home, King street east, at the hour of four o'clock yesterday morning. She leaves two brothers and one sister to mourn her loss.

The funeral will take place this afternoon at three o'clock to the Methodist church on Princess street. Interment will be made in the Maple Leaf cemetery.

Leaf cemetery.

GETS THE EAU JOB

The Planet understands from a reliable source inst S. A. McCornock, of Park street, will receive the appointment as superintendent of the Government work being done at the Eau.

This is the work which until recently was in charge of Richard M. Paxton, but on account of Mr. Paxton's recent appointment to the position of Public Works Superintendent in this city, he has found it necessary to hand in his resignation as superintendent of the Government work, to take effect the first of next month.

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THE STAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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At the Brisco Theatre-Moving Pictures-All week.

Special performance of Moving Pictures, Illustrated Songs and Vau-deville, at the Brisco Opera House on Good Friday. A 5-cent matinee will be given in the afternoon. Pictures will also be given Saturday after-noon and night.

THE BEST YET

Rev. Mr. McIntosh, of Elora, Rev. Mr. McIntosh, of Elora, is preaching at the evangelistic services in First Church all this week. Mr. McIntosh is one of the best of the speakers yet heard at these meetings, and there is no doubt that there will be a very hig congregation to-night and every night this week. No one should fail to hear him. The song service which is well worth hearing, commences at eight o'clock and lasts for half an hour.

UNTIMELY DEATH

Miss Ruth Irene Wicks, who passed away yesterday morning at her home, Lot 6, Con. 5, Chatham Township, will be buried to-morrow at 2

o'clock.

Deceased leaves a father and mother, several sisters and brothers.

The funeral will take place from the family residence to McVicar's Cemetery. Rev. Mr. McKelvie, of Louisville, will conduct the services. The bereaved have the sympathy of a large circle of friends in their sad affliction.

WAS INJURED

Mr. James Wilson, of Stratford, a veteran of the I. O. F., who for the past two years has been living at the C. P. R. Hotel, met with an accident yesterday which might have roved fatal.

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Mr. Wisson always takes a morning walk and generally goes up the Pere Marquette Railway. Yesterday morning he was walking along the P. M. when he was about to meet a fast express. He stepped out of the way of the express, and in so doing stepped behind a tew box cars that were standing on the siding. He was standing immediately behind a car and did not notice an engine that was coming down to hook on to them until it was nearly upon him. He jumped, but was caught by the box car, which threw him completely from the track. Had he not helped himself he would have been crushed to death under the wheels, but as it was he only received slight injuries on the right arm and wrist.

THE CEMETERY ROAD

At last night's meeting of the City Council, Ald. Potter called attention to the fact that people driving to the cemetery were using the bouleward instead of the roadway. He thought this should be stopped at once. The Cemetery committee was instructed to look into the matter and apply suitable remedies.

Ald. Austin reported that all of the taxes, except \$6, on the Bell property had been raised, and William Needham had made good his promise to contribute \$10. The amount was taken in full settlement, and the \$6 charged to charity.

Four by-laws were put through their readings. One authorizing a license fee of \$100 for pedlars of all descriptions, one for a bitulithic pavement on Thames St., one adding the name of Geo. Barker to the constable list, and the other stipulating that Mr. John Northwood's salary as weigh master shall be the fees he collects, with the proviso that such salary shall not exceed \$480.

At the end of the meeting, attention was called to the fact that there are Transient traders in the city who are liable for a license. The Chief of Police will be instructed to collect such fees, or prosecute the offenders.

ing.

Chief Grant returned on Saturday evening from Toronto, where he has been attending the Grand Lodge of Ancient Order United Workmem.

Miss Handy, of Scotland, was the guest of Miss Evelyn VonGunten over Sunday. ver Sunday.

TO OUR ADVERTISERS! — All parties desiring a change of advertisement in The Planet, must have their "copy" at this office the night previous to day of insertion. Otherwise we cannot guarantee a change.

The quarterly meeting of Court Hope, A. O. F., takes place to morrow night. Several questions of interest to the members will come up, besides routine business. The A.O.F. orchestra will kindly

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New Shirts, New Haberdashery, etc.

The new D. B. Norfolks, smart styles, for ages 7 to 16 years, very special values, \$3.50 to \$5.

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TO-NIGHT

Service in Christ Church at eight Moving Pictures, Brisco Opera House ,at 8.15.

Service will be conducted in Holy Trinity Church at 8. Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. F., will meet in the Temple at 8 o'clock.

The Water Commissioners will hold a special session in Harrison Hall at 3 o'clock.

Evangelistic services will be conducted in Park St. Methodist S. S. Hall, at 8.

Young Men's Club will meet in the S. S. Hall of Victoria Avenue Methodist Church at 8.

Special service in First Presbyterian Church, commencing with a song service at 7.45.

LOCAL

Baxter's Lilies. Baxter's Lilies H. G. Hodges spent Sunday in Lon-

Dr. Ovens, of London, is in the city

A. C. Trudell is in Hamilton on

B. Ballard, of Tilbury, was in the

Wanted!—Marsh Hay, delivered at Chatham. Fleming, Tillsom & Co. James Scane, of Ridgetown, is re-

James Scane, of Ridgetown, is reported to be very seriously ill.

Suit cases from \$1.25 up at Cowan's "Going out of Business" sale.

Good girl wanted Apply Mrs. Wm. Good girl wanted. Apply Mrs. Wm. Foreman, Adelaide street.

Wm. Primeau is confined to his home on Wellington St., through ill-

Hyacinths, Tulips, Daffodils, Car-nations and Ferns in large varieties at Crump's. Mr. and Mrs. E. Parrott spent Sun-

day with their son in Chatham town-The City League will play two games of bowling on Wednesday ev-

Trunks and telescopes are being sold off cheap at Cowan's "Going out of Business" sale,

Mrs. D. C. Clements and Miss Anna Clements spent Sunday with friends

R. A. Harrington was in Tilbury on Monday conducting the sale of W John Scott, manager of the Imper-

ial Hotel, Galt, is a visitor at Merrill House.

The street sprinkler was being used for a short time on King St. yesterday morning.

Miss Stella Sharpe and Miss Eva Wells, of Dresden, were visiting in the city last week. Miss Hazel Blewett, of Toronto, is

spending a few days with Mrs. W. W. Snider, McKeough Ave. You can save part of your railway are in buying your trunk or suit asse at Cowan's "Going out of Busi-

Ed. Crofts left for Peterboro yesterday morning, Mr. Crofts' brother in Peterboro is very low.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Shaw, Toron

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Miss Lena Park rendered a solo very sweetly in Victoria Ave. Meth-odist Sunday School, Sunday.

Logan, Thames St. Charles Donovan, formerly connect-

Michael Cartier, who has just completed a six months' actual business course at the C. B. C., left this morning for Detroit, where he has accepted a position in the Detroit Stove Works.

A well-known local young man, who indulged in some rather fast horse-back riding around the city last Sunday, was to have been up at Police Court this morning, but the

case was settled out of court. Arthur Marin, who for some time past has been employed at the Austin. Store, has gone into business for himself as a sign painter. Art. has set up offices in the rooms above the Central Drug Store.

The marriage of Miss Maggie Jessie McLeod of North Bay, to Mr. Harry Middleton, of this city, is announced to take place on June 3rd, at the home of Mr. Middleton, Con. 14, Lot 8, Township of Raleigh.

George R. Matthews, of London, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hughes over Sunday. Mr. Mathews, brother, Rev. W. E. Mathews, will take charge of the William St. Baptist Church as pastor after May 1.

The wind-breaks on the Fifth St. bridge have not yet been taken down. Now that the cold weather has disappeared, they are no longer necessary. They obscure the view, are unsightly and should be taken down immediately.

Mayor Stone states that he is go-Mayor Stone states that he is going to try to make arrangements for the municipal fishing outing for next week. The outing will be to the Water Works basin, and in the evening it is the intention to hold a fish banquet, to which all of the civic officials will be invited.

Hugh McDonald, Raleigh St.

B. B. Shillington leaves on Wednesday for Winnipeg. Harry Rourke has taken the position made yacant by him.

Master Douglas Snider, McKeough Ave., gave a birthday party to his friends and schoolmates on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cumming, Grey St., gave aprogressive euchre party to about twenty-five of their friends and neighbors Friday night. A very enjoyable evening was spent in cards and music. A dainty lunch was served and all returned home much pleased with their evening's enterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Glazier, of Romney, have gone to Settler, Alta. M. Mifflin has gold his brick house on Canal St., to Jos. Brusseau, for \$1,700, and has leased Chas. Walkers friends and music. A dainty lunch was served and all returned home much pleased with their evening's enterday.

J. A. Tremblay represented Tilbury A. O. U. W. lodge, at the angular treatment.

A few good working and driving orses for sale. Geo. Stephens, D.

H. Douglas. Charles Smith, of London, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Landon, Victoria

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Mrs. L. D. Rice, of Patteson avenue, leaves to-morrow morning for Chicago and Topeka for a visit of several weeks.

Lost, a gold locket, between King street and McKeough avenue, bear-ing monogram M. G. Finder kindly leave at this office. Several little children were seen

playing along the pier at the park Sunday. The children were standing on the pier and throwing sticks and bricks into the water quite fearless F. Shaw, of the Bank of Montreal, Wallaceburg, was a city visitor Sunday.

The Water Comm'ssioners will hold a special session in Harrison Hall this evening.

The Water Comm'ssioners will be the result.

MOVING PICTURES

very sweetly in viol.

Jas. O'Brien, of Toronto, has accepted a position as wine clerk at the C. P. R. Hotel.

Mrs. Geo. Conwer was taken to the Public General Hospital Saturday morning. She is very ill with rheumatism.

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The moving pictures at the Brisco Opera House on Saturday night were very interesting and instructive, and were put on to a large audience. The one "Attempted Suicide" was a good laugh producer, as was also the one "The her that layed the golden egg."

B. Ballard, of Tilbury, was in the city Sunday.

Carl Lynch, of Wallaceburg, was in the city Sunday.

Mr. Snarth, of West Virginia, has returned to the city.

John Lane, of Richardson P. O., has gone to Calgary.

James Palmer, of Tilbury, was a city visitor Saturday.

F. T. Myers, of Dresden ,was in the city Monday on business.

Mrs. Hoole and two children left Sunday night for Chicago.

Mr. James Heydon has returned from his trip to the North.

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DISTRICT

TILBURY

Tilbury, Mar. 26.—Mrs. Burnett, of Toronto, is vi i.ing her mother, Mrs. Wm. Campbell, Prospect St. Public School closes to-day for the

Easter vacation, to allow the teachers to attend the West Kent Teachers' Association in Chatham on Wed-

ers' Association in Chatham on Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Frankie Lee spent Sunday in Comber, the guest of her friend ,Miss Ethel Godbolt.

W. A. Hutton gave the pupils of the second room of the public school a very interesting and instructive talk on Quebec, yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Richardson were in Essex yesterday attending the funeral of Mrs. Lang, Sr.

Mrs. C. A. Powell returned yester-Mrs. C. A. Powell returned yester-day from London, where she attend-ed the funeral of her father, Mr. Coates.

Miss Olive Mathers is visiting in Detroit.

There will be service in St. Andrew's English Church on Good Fri-

drew's English Church on Good Friday at 11 a.m.
Dr. McColl has purchased the residence of H. J. Callwood, on Fort St., for \$1,625.
Miss Irene Monut, who has been visiting friends here, has returned to Chatham.
Alex. Holmes, of Otterville, arrives this week to take a position in the dry goods department of J. S. Richardson's store.
The millineryl openings in all the stores here are being held to-day

stores here are being held to-day

and to-morrow.

Mrs. Hemsworth is on an extended visit to her daughter in Lis-Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Glazier,

J. A. Tremblay represented Til-bury A. O. U. W. lodge, at the annu-al convention in Toronta

al convention in Toronto.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church intend holding a fancy fair in Anderson Hall next week.

L. Laplante is installing a gasolene engine in his confectionery

store. L. Edmunds has returned from the Northwest:
H. L. Taylor, Tilbury's solitary milkman, has given up the business and left for Fletcher.
Ambros Foster has returned from North Dakota.
Miss Ella Stewart is visiting relatives in Detroit and Windsor.

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HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE Andrew Thomson, Auctioneer, has received instructions from Mr. A. R. Allan, of the City Ticket Office, C. P. R., to sell his household effects, at his residence, Queen street, opposite Gammage's Grocery Store, on Thursday, the twenty-eighth day of March, commencing at one o'clock, consisting of some very fine household furniture:—

One large beautiful velvet rug; One large beautiful velved rus, one fine large oak rocker; one oak parlor centre table, latest design; one upholstered arm chair; tasty selection of pictures; jardinier stand also jardinier and plants; very fines lace curtains; Madras curtains; sewing machine, Singer make, drop-head, up-to-date; one fancy oak arm rocker; an oak stand; sewing table; rocker; an oak stand; sewing table; large oak rocker; fine Brussels rug; drape curtains; twenty-eight yards of linoleum; set oak dining chairs, upholstered in leather; one fine oak buffet; one fine mantel clock; as rocker: an oak stand upnoistered in teather, due has buffet; one fine mantel clock; as large extension dining table; sever al small rugs; one i on bed with fine mattress and spring; one very fine chiffionier; one dark iron and brass; bed, a beauty, with an oak dresser and commode; carpet; bed-room china; dishes and glassware, washing; machine; wringer, ladder and other articles too numerous to mention.

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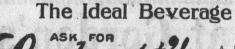
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PURVEYOR TO THE KING

A TITLE VALUED BY TRADES-MEN IN GREAT BRITAIN.

British Royalty Not Worried By Threat of Shopkeepers to Surrender Warrants-Process of the Appointment-Ex-Attache Tells How Shops Secure Royal Arms and of Method of Selling to Palace.

Cable dispatches published recently from London have intimated that owing to the recent inauguration of stricter business methods on the part of the so-called "board of green cloth," which controls the victualing department of the royal household, a spirit of revolt has arisen among the warrant holders, that is to say, the tradesmen who hold official warrants as purveyors to the king, the queen, as purveyors to the king, the queen, and the members of the reigning famand the members of the reigning family. Indeed, it is said that the purveyors have been rendered so indignant by the new process of shaving down their formerly large profits that they contemplate throwing up their royal warrants, a threat which the sovereign and the board of green cloth can contemplate with equanimity, writes Ex-Attache in the Chicago Tribune.

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Inasmuch as there are several firms in the United States who hold warrants issued from the royal household in London, conferring upon them the title of "purveyor" of their particular wares "to the king and queen of England," it may be as well to explain just what is meant by the title and warrant in question. They do not in any way imply that the firm which receives the warrant coastitutes the only one of a particular trade that is to be thus distinguished. For there are at least a dozen great firms of English and foreign jewelers and silversmiths which have been nominated "jewelers and silversmiths which have been nominated "jewelers and silversmiths to their majesties." Nevertheless the appointments are regarded as an honor of considerable commercial value. For the warrant endows the concern in question with a public stamp of royal approval, and the knowledge that the English court is chary and careful about making these appointments of purveyors to royalty serves to invest the firm in question with a sort of guarantee, not only of respectability, but also of fashion.

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The appointment in itself does not carry with it any special privileges, excepting the right of putting up the royal arms above doors and shop windows, and of using the same heraldic devices on letter and bill heads. But the fact of the royal arms figuring over the entrance of a store serves to attract a large amount of custom, people on the other side of the Atlantic—and sometimes here, too—being impressed with the belief that in following the example of royalty, especially in matters of purchase, they cannot possibly go wrong.

The use of the royal arms and insignia for trading purposes is limited strictly to those firms holding warrants authorizing them to style themselves "purveyors by appointment" to this or that member of the reigning house. Any one found employing the royal arms in this way without proper authority or falsely assuming the title of purveyor to the sovereign of the blood is liable not only to a heavy fine but likewise to imprisonment. Since the accession of King Edward quite a large number of English manufacturers and tradesmen have been brought into court and mulcted in large amounts for using the royal arms without authority. The warrants are withdrawn in the case of bankruptey, or even in the event of any questionable dealings on the part of the firm concerned. The appointment likewise becomes void by the change of the designation of the firm, by the death of the individual partners or directors in whose names the warrants have been grant ed, and by the demise of the sovereign. Thus all appointments of purveyors to Queen Victoria lapsed with her death.

Hew Warrants Are Issued.

Warrants are headed with the royal arms and bear the signature and the seal of the lord steward, the lord chamberlain, the controller of the royal household, the treasurer of the latter, the master of the royal household, or of the master of the horse, according to the department under which they come. With regard to

hold, or of the master of the horse, according to the department under which they come. With regard to Queen Alexandra, certain of her purveyors receive their warrants from her lord chamberlain, who is the Earl of Howe, while others are issued by her mistries of the robes, who is the Duchess of Buccleuch. It must thoroughly be understood that the selections are made by the royal personages in question themselves, and that the names and seals of the dignitaries figuring on the warrant are merely those of the executors of the royal commands in the matter.

The mere fact of the king having made a purchase from a firm does not confer upon the latter any right to style itself "purveyor to his majesty." Indeed, the king, the queen, and the royal household may be buying things from a concern all the year round. But unless it receives a royal warrant, signed and sealed in due form, it is liable to get into serious trouble if it ventures to adopt the royal arms and the style of purveyor "by appointment."

There are some old features about these royal warrants. Thus, the druggist to the king and queen is appointed in the same way as the royal physicians and surgeons, although, unlike them, he uses the royal arms for trade purposes. On the other hand, the office of geographer to the king is distinctly a trade appointment, and ranks as such with the bootmaker to his majesty. The poet laureate, the astronomer royal, and the historiographer royal no longer figure among the warrant holders, but occupy to-day a more exalted rank at court. But the veterinary surgeon and the canine surgeon of the king and of the royal family hold their offices by means of a warrant similar to that granted to the royal tradesmen. The

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atter are of the most varied descrip-

Have Some Purveyors Abroad.

As I have mentioned above, both King Edward and Queen Alexandra have a jeweler and silversmith "by appointment" to their majesties in New York. Queen Alexandra has a modiste, a hairdnesser, a corset maker, and a glovemaker at Paris, all holding warrants appointing them as her purveyors. The king has a saddler at Budapest, eau de cologne makers at Cologne, a furrier in Quebec, Canada; sellers of fancy goods at Frankfort-on-the-Main and at Vienna, a seller of seeds at Hyeres, a wine grower at Bronte, in Sicily; a photographer at Cairo, a maker of cherry brandy at Copenhagen, a biscuit maker at Florence, a bagpipe maker at Aberdeen, barber in London, and even a horse knocker—that is to say, a man who makes it his business to kill horses, and who, for a consideration, puts royal nags out of their misery when the dictates of humanity demand a their departure for another world.

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The royal purveyors by appointment, 200 or 300 in number, have formed themselves into an incorporated association, the organization of which dates back sixty years ago. Display Goods At Palace.

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As a general rule, kings and queens do not visit the shops for the purpose of buying, save when abroad, where they are relatively unknown. In their own capitals they are so much in danger of being crowded and even mobbed if they show themselves in any store that they find it more convenient to have their purveyors bring selections of their wares to the palace. In England the warrant holder in question is notified by some member of the household that the queen, for instance, will see him on a certain day, and he is likewise jurnished with some information as to the nature of the goods which he is expected to bring with him. On the day in question the things are taken to the palace, and are placed on exhibition in rooms prepared for the hibition in rooms prepared for the purpose, it being a strict rule that every article should be labeled with the price. Sometimes the queen im-mediately makes a selection of what she wants. But quite often she pre-

days elapse before the purveyor is summoned to remove the wares that she has declined to retain. The king makes his purchases in the same manner, and so, too, do the Princess of Wales, though Princess Christian and the Duchess of Argyll, sisters of the king, his nieces, Princess Patricia of Connaught and Princess Victoria of Schleswig-Holstein, and his eldest daughter, the Duchess of Fife, are quite often to be met shopping in Bond street, Regent street, and Picadilly, without being recognized by any save their person-

street, and Piccadilly, without being recognized by any save their personal friends and acquaintances.

It is said that Queen Victoria never visited a London shop from the time of her accession to the throne, in 1837 until her death at the close of the nineteenth century. The London shops, indeed, were to her a terra incognita, and when one considers how devoted women are to the pastime of shopping it will be appreciated that queens and empresses are forced to forego, by reason of their rank, pleasures that are within the reach of women of inferior clay.

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Bruce House, some details of which appeared in The Daily Mail, recently, is the London County Countillodging-house which that body promised when it displaced 3,700 of the working classes by the Holborn to Strand improvement. It was opened recently by Mrs. H. Wallace Bruce, wife of the chairman of the London County Council Housing Committee. It is as a tribute to Mr. Bruce that the building is so named.

The new house, which is designed to accommodate 699 lodgers—why not 700?—stands on the corner of Drury lane and Kemble street. It is in the form of a huge letter E. The dining, room is a commoditous and home-like apartment. The walls are lined with umber glazed tises, relieved with bright green. On the walls, framed in green tiles, are colored seascapes and rural views.

"Lodgers often like to cook their own food," said Mr. Bruce, "and so

we have provided facilities for their doing so here." Near the middle of the room a specious open chamber is provided for a large hot-plate, where 50 lodgers could simultaneously cook fifty modest meals.

The smeking-room has accommodation for 100 men, and chess-boards and other table games are provided. Hunting scenes adorn the tiled walls, the deep-mullioned windows lend as old-world air to the place, and a broad, open, green-tiled fireplace, which one enthusiastic lady described as a "perfect love," would not be out of place in a ducal palace. The reading and writing rooms, in white and green, carry out the same generous and artistic scheme.

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Instead of Sun Time.

Sir Sandford Fleming, one of Canada's grand old men, has celebrated his eightieth birthday. It is given to few men to so fully and so unselfishly serve his day and generation, and to reach a ripe old age still in the enjoyment of an Empire's respect and a nation's unalloyed gratitude. Though he never was elected to a public assembly of any description, Sir Sandford Fleming is one of the great statesmen of the Empire. One of the pioneers, and probably the greatest engineer Canada has possessed, he constructed the Intercolonial Railway. Later on he was engineer in charge of the survey of the Pacific Railway while 2,000 miles of its line were under construction. Then he was instrumental in securing the adoption of standard instead of sun time throughout the world, and as a crowning achievement his 23 years of agitation resulted in the completion in 1902 of the Pacific cable and the thin red electric line around the world. Now, as if that were not enough, this public-spirited citizen is devoting the closing years of his life to continuing the agitation for a state-owned telegraph system around the world in the hands of the various British Governments of the Empire, and for the establishment of an Imperial intelligence bureau for the circulation of news of the Empire by cable.

Before he left his native county of Fifeshire, Scotland, where he was born on Jan. 7, 1827, Sandford Fleming studied surveying and engineering. He came to Canada in 1845, settling



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in Toronto, and after a few years of "dark days" with little to do, he joined the surveying staff of the Northern Railway, which was then being built north from Toronto, and in 1857 he was appointed chief engineer of that road. As early as 1863 he was chosen by the people of the Red River Settlement, now part of Manitoba, to go to England to arge on the Imperial authorities the necessity of a railway between the western and the eastern portions of Canada. On his return he was appointed by the Governments of Canada, Neva Scotia and New Brunswick, in conjunction with the Imperial Government, to conduct a survey for the first link of a railway from the Atlantic to the Pacific within British territory. This became the Intercolonial Railway and he was engineer during its construction.

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Meanwhile, he had been appointed in 1871 engineer in chief to carry on the Pacific Railway surveys. In 1877 he conducted the expedition whose results are embodied in Princepal Grant's book "From Ocean to Ocean," which proceeded for the most part along the general route of the projected railway. During the time of this work he carried on at his own expense the first survey of a railway across the island of Newfoundland. He continued his work in connection with the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway until 1880, when, owing to political exigencies, he re-

owing to political exigencies, he retired, having witnessed its progress until two thousand miles of railway were under construction.

Since that time Mr. Fleming has devoted himself to various branches of science and literature. Early papers contributed to the Canadian Institute in Toronto on the question of time reckoning, have been followed up unscience and literature. Early papers contributed to the Canadian Institute in Toronto on the question of time reckoning, have been followed up until, mainly through his efforts, a time standard has been fixed for the whole world, reckoned from Greenwich. Having realized as engineer of the Pacific Railway, the advantages of a Pacific cable, as early as 1879 Mr. Fleming submitted a plan to the Canadian Government for such a project. That was the beginning of an agitation in which he led with a noble persistence for 23 years, until at last his efforts were crowned with success. His continued activity in behalf of movements for a closer unity of the Empire, his writings and speeches in various branches of science and literature, and his work as Chancellor of Queen's University since 1880, have given him a life of constant usefulness in his old age. In 1887 he was shonored with Knighthood for his many eminent services

Quiet and modest with regard to his achievements, a man of wide travel, of the most catheaic tastes in literature and science, a genial, pleasant man of the world, he fares through life with a bright prospect constantly before him. His companionship is valued by the best people on two continents, with whom he has come in contact, an interchange of ideas with him is sought by the most brilliant intellects, and when his family gather in his Ottawa home to congranuate him on reaching the venerable age of fourscore they may well feel that their congratulations are shared by a grateful nation of Canadians, and by thousands of lovers of the Empire the world over to whom his name is familiar.

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

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Judge Fitzpatrick to Retire. Ottawa, March 25.—It is rumored to-day, and apparently upon good authority, that Chief Justice Fitzpatrick is to retire from the bench on May 1.

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Ottawa, March 25.—It is stated on the best of authority that Sir Frederick Borden, Minister of Militia and Defence, in the very near future will succeed Lord Strathcona as Canadian High Commissioner in London. This is conditional.

Should something happen here within the next few days, the Minister of War will not go to London, but, if that something does not take place, Sir Frederick is to take the High Commissionership.

missionership.
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"Resolute" Victim Found. Toronto, March 25.—What is supposed to be the body of Thomas Top posed to be the body of Thomas Top-ping of Deseronto, the second engineer of the ill-fated barge Resolute, which went down at the eastern gap last November, was picked up in Toronto Bay by Capt. Kingston of the tug Roy Mack, Saturday afternoon. The captain noticed the corpse im-bedded in the ice, and telephoned for the ambulance. The corpse was taken to the morgue.

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to the morgue.
Although the features are scarcely
discernable, Michael Haney, the mate
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A jar And made you what A jar In all your curves On the nerves Of aunt and uncle, A carbuncle

Of acaptuncie
On paper,
A crude caper
By some low brow
Who wanted to be smart and didn't
know how;

Verse Worse Than the worst Of the sweet singer of Michigan, Making us wish again For lamp and some one to trim In short, the limit.



Vas:

"Wait a minute until I mail a letter for my wife.' "How long have you been carrying it around in your "Just since morn-

ing."
"Doesn't that violate all of the "But this is to her mother asking her to postpone her visit."

Particular. "I'd like to find something to do." "Come over and I'll accommodat

"Sure."

"No, thanks; I guess I'll look around a little more. I can get plenty of jobs of that kind."

In These Days. "Will you marry me?"
"Certainly," returned the fair charm er who had just been divorced, "de lighted, I am sure, but I am engage to two other men just now and can't say just when I shall be at liberty to futfill the engagement."

"Did he succeed in finding the hones nan he was looking for?"
"Well, he did and he didn't." "How could that be?" "This way. He found one all right but she was a lady."

"There are manifold blessings attached to the state of poverty."

"Ah, something of a millionaire your self. I perceive!"



They couldn't keep the hired girl, Though handsomely they'd pay. She'd broken all the dishes, so No object there to stay.

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

If we could just realize the tem ousness of things, it would do lots to help get rid of the worrying habit. The only relation that price has to

value lies in the mental attitude of the

It is as hard to work when you don't want to as it is to be agreeable when you don't feel that way. According to some people, good luck does a lot of loafing round corners.

There is nothing remarkable about doing one's plain duty, yet some people hail themselves with loud seclaim whenever they perform such ordinary

Instead of marriage being an eye opener it, if it is a successful marriage, is more apt to be an eye shutter Popularity is often paid for at un

Your best friend is very often not labeled such.

A good jolly in working order is worth more than a ton of grave advice

popular prices.

there are two kinds of selfish peo-ple—those who think only of them selves and those who never think of والمينة فينتنه أوارياه حساقيما والمسيد ومرادر

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DAY HELD AT RICHMOND, VA.

A Wonderful Eulogy of the Dead Confederate General Even From the Lips of a Friend-Short Sketch of the Career of a Leader For the South In the American War of

He was a foe without hate, a soldier without crueity, a victor without oppression. He was a victim without murmuring, a Christian without hypocracy, and a man without his ambition, Frederick without his tyranny, Napoleon without his selfishness and Washington without his reward. Bentangton without his reward. ington without his reward.—Ben jamin H. Hill.

On the 19th January, the centenary of the birth of General Robert E. Lee was observed with celebrations in all parts of the Southern States, the chief

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Employes Killed.

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Norfolk & Western freight train plunged through a 25-foot trestle yesterday
near Lucasville. The trestle was undermined by the flood. The train fell
to the bottom. Fireman D. S. Hutton
was crushed to death and Engineer
J. T. Houser was fatally injured. The
brakeman was caught in the wreck
and his body cannot be found.

during the night because their bladder is so inflamed that it will not retain more than a tablespoonful of urine. Some old men, especially, urinate Some old men, especially, urinate twenty-five times a day. These are the men who need Bu-Ju—the Gentle Kidney Pill. The first few pills gave relief. Acid urine is neutralized—the delicate membrane, lining the bladder, is soothed—and the kidneys are strengthened and healed. Men say that Bu-Ju gave them the only uninterrupted night's sleep they had enjoyed in years. 50c. a large box. At druggists or from The Claffin Chemical Co., Limited, Windsor, Ont. 57

Point of View. "What constitutes an attractive wo-

nan anyway?"
"That depends. A stingy man thinks a woman attractive if she doesn't spend money, while most of us find her increasingly attractive according to the amount she spends, provided it isn't our money."

Drawback. "Do you like people who scatter sunshine all the way?"

"Oh, I enjoy the sunshine all right, but I do detest the arrogance of the rious scatterers."

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"I always like to think well of my-"Well, there's no accounting for

Wise men ascertain what is on the side of the hurdle jumping at conclusions.

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GEN. LEE'S CENTENARY

CELEBRATION OF 100TH BIRTH

General Robert E. Lee Pictured By a Friend.

He was a foe without hate, a

celebration being at Richmond, Va.
After passing through West Point
brilliantly, he was attached to the
personal staff of Gen. Scott, the vet-

It was in Mexico, however, that Lee won his first supreme distinction as a military engineer and a daring and gallant soldier. General Scott declared on numerous occasions after the close of the war that without the assistance of the resourceful Virginian he could not have made such short work of the Mexican problem. In his official report after Chapultepec General Scott spoke of Lee in terms of the highest appreciation, "an officer," he declared, "as distinguished for felicitous execution as for science and daring." That Lee's talents were recognized keenly by the old warrior is evident from the fact that he seldom sent a dispatch in which his favorite's name was not mentioned. More than that, he more than once asserted publicly that his success in



GENERAL ROBERT E. LEE.

Mexico was due largely to the skill, Mexico was due largely to the skill-valor and undaunted energy of Robert E. Lee. It is worthy of notice also that General Scott never changed his opin-ion. Almost at the close of his own phenomenal career he was wont to affirm that Lee was the greatest mili-tary gentus in America.

Lee came home from Mexico crown-

Lee came home from Mexico crown-ed with honors, covered by brevets and recognized by all as one of the country's ablest soldiers. His fame as an engineer had become international. He received several invitations from abroad to enter the service of other

governments.

In 1852 Lee, now colonel, was appointed superintendent of the academy at West Point. This was an evidence of appreciation which was especially grateful to the colonel of engineers. It was a tribute to his thor-

gineers. It was a tribute to his thoroughness as a soldier and an assurance that his methods had attracted the attention of the war department.

To a man of Lee's scholarly attainment there could have been nothing more congenial than this transfer to West Point. West Point. He was ever a student. and the semi-literary atmosphere of the military school was more to his taste than was that of the camp. But fate had decreed that he should serve an apprenticeship at still another phase of military life. After three years of service at West Point he was put in command of the Second regiment of cavalry and ordered to the Texas frontier, where the Comanches and their allies were exceedingly troublesome.

Here Lee remained, doing splendid service, until the outbreak of the civil war.

war.

In June, 1865, within two months after General Lee bowed to the inevitable at Appomattox, he was called to the presidency of Washington colton in his beloved to the presidency of Washington col-lege, at Lexington, in his beloved state. The fortunes of war had robbed him of his means of subsistence, and state. The fortunes of war had robbed him of his means of subsistence, and he must begin again de novo. Those for whom he had sacrificed all were eager to do him honor, and their esteem and affection were about all that he would accept. For he was very proud and true, this Virginian soldier, and he would accept no gift beyond the opportunity to earn his bread.

So they made him president of the old college at Lexington. The almost moribund old seat of learning entered at once on a new and unprecedented are of prosperity. The attendance doubled and trebled. The youth of the regenerated commonwealth flocked in until the capacity of the existing buildings was exhausted. Then the endowment was increased by munificent gifts from all parts of the restored Union and additional accommodations were planned. The soldier president introduced a new elective system of university instruction and instructed many reforms which are now followed by other schools. The prospects of old Washington were indeed roseate.

Then, in 1870, General Lee died, and Lee university.

CHILD LABOR IN CANADA.

The Rising Generation Must Be Pres tected From Lurking Dangers.

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Canada is on the threshold of acgreat industrial development. Now inthe time to place the conditions of industry on a sound basis, before the evils that have grown up under older civilizations have made headway.

Great Britain has had to deal withsthe evil of child labor in factories. In the Southern States of the Unionsthe employment of children has become a great abuse, and Senator Beveridge is making a strong effort to protect children by legislation. The speech of Mr. T. H. Preston in the Legislature was timely, and a prudent reminder that the same problem must be taken up here.

Mr. Preston says that Ontarie has fallen behind in this respect, instead of taking a true position in the vaso of civilisation. The age limit provided in the Shops Act, ten years, should be made to conform with the age limit in the Factory and Truancy Acts, 14 years. Ten years is too young for employed. The law says that a girl under 18 must not be employed for more than 10 hours a day; but there is ne limit for boys, who may be employed for any number of hours, either nights or day.

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another defect is that the provisions of the Factory Act do not apply to work done in the home. Dwelling houses are often the worst of sweatshops, and in New York childrensthree years of age have been found making artificial flowers. Again, the Ontario laws do not provide for dealing efficiently with street trades such Ontario laws do not provide for dealing efficiently with street trades, such as the selling of newspapers. In some cities boys under 10 and girls of any age are forbidden to sell newspapers; the six-year-old boy was found at night telling tales to excite the sympathy of customers, and a newsboy of eight years was run over and killed.

pathy of customers, and a newsboy of eight years was run over and killed. Mr. Preston also says there should be a law forbilling boys under 16 to-work in any place where liquor is sold, and a law defining what are dangerous occupations for children. Abundant evidence has been produced and that well-considered measures are

CANADA IS VICTIMIZED.

German Cutlery Sent Out As Shellin

field-Produce Market Good Some valuable hints to Canadiana producers and shippers, as well as to importers, are contained in a report to the Trade and Commerce Department by the agent at Leeds. He notes the arrival of a consignment of Canadian Baldwin apples, packed in boxes of 125 apples each, which were remarked as being far ahead of New Zealand fruit. They brought from \$1.44 to \$1.56 per box. Canadian bacon and hams are reported to be ingood demand, as is also hay of the proper quality at \$20 to \$24.50 per for.

fon.

He says that Canadian pig iron, if of more uniform quality, would command 50 per cent. higher prices. As it is it sells for 110 shillings per ton, as against 54 to 60 shillings for Middlessiant Canadia for Middlessiant Says in the control of the control o against 54 to 60 shillings for Middlesborough. Swedish, however, sells for 130 to 200 shillings. In the matter of the cutlery trade he says. Tham informed that a very large amount of German cutlery, razors, etc., is shipped from Germany to Sheffield and is then exported and sent to Canada as Sheffield goods."

The West Is Moving.

C. R. Morden of Regma, Stake, recently spoke of the outlook for the west as follows:

"The west is a moving country. I have seen great development in the last two years both in rural and urban places. It is wonderful, the improvements in Regina in the last seven months. I think there are several reasons why the west is being rapidly developed. For instance, no country has ever been advertised the way the Canadian west has been advertised as the means of international advertising is in a more perfect shape to day than it ever was before. Again, it is the last west, and the people are convinced of that.

"The means of transportation are more thoroughly equipped than a server the country of the coun

more thoroughly equipped than a any time and people can make the desired home with less resistant than it was pessible before. Lack opportunity in order countries induse

desired nome with less reasonate than it was possible before. Lack opportunity in older countries induce large numbers to come to this land of opportunity. Steam plows, traction separators, self-binders, wide drike and other farm labor-saving device are bringing about the quick development of this country and consequent ly a quick rise in land values. No fencing or fertilizing problem confronts the westerner, which gives the land a strong earning power.

"They are cosmopolitan people They are there from all over the world. For instance, I conducted a auction sale of oxen and furniture in the City of Saskatchewan and there were people at that sale from the Augentine Republic, South Africa, and bound to be built. I suppose we west erners are what you consider an unconventional class, and we are no strongly tied with old party prejudices; and we are convinced that the way to get what we want is to deman and vote for it; so you can be surthat the Hudson Bay Road will be built. I do not know that it will make any difference with the eastern cities; probably it will in some ways but with the growth and prosperity of the west, the eastern cities will manufacture, and to supply the western area will be kept good and lively. There will be a network of railways at through that country in a very shortime. The grading is a simple matter over that level country and the Huley track-laying machine is a quic operator, so you see the construction is comparatively simple and the business is already there for them."

Girls Will Be Girls.

Rosa—Yes, I like him much. His so different from all other men!

Lisa—Ah, I suppose he proposes to you then?

THE SELECTION AND ADDRESS.

SYMPATHETIC

Commented Upon By

for the balance of the session.

The Prime Minister then moved, seconded by Mr. Foy, that Mr. James S. Duff (West Simcoe) be appointed Speaker for the day.

Mr. Graham joined in the Prime Minister's expression of sincere regret. The Opposition appreciated to the full the Hon. Speaker's abilities and were filled with admiration for him. Every member held him in the highest esteem.

Mr. Duff Called to Chair.

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Mr. Duff was then called to the chair, and slowly read the prayers, following which he announced the return for the Carleton bye-election. Hon. Mr. Whitney asked the suspension of the rules to introduce a bill providing for the incorporation of the village of Newstadt, Grey country. By some oversight evidence of the

of she village of Newstadt, Grey county. By some oversight evidence of the publication of the bill had not been tendered to the standing orders committee and it was important to the municipality in question that the bill should go through.

A second time the Prime Minister asked that the rules be suspended—this time to introduce a bill respecting the town in request. By mistake a large amount of territory had been taken into the town of Cobalt, which was not intended. The bill was to rectify the

was not intended. The bill was to rectify the error.

Both bills got their first reading. A bill of purely formal character respecting the University of Toronto was introduced by Mr. Whitney. It provides for the appointment of an arbitrator or arbitrators to replace the

official arbitrator, who in this case is

an interested party.

Hon. Mr. Monteith's bill to separate agricultural and horticultural societies was read a second time.

Bills Finally Passed

The following bills were read third time:

Respecting the town of Seaforth—
Mr. Eilber.

Respecting the Huntsville and Lake

of Bays Railway Company-Mr. Ma-

Respecting the Huntsville and Lake of Bays Railway Company—Mr. Mahaffy.

To incorporate the Current River Power Company—Mr. Smyth.
Confirming tax sales in the townships of Etobicoke—Mr. Lennox.
Respecting fines, penalties and forfeitures—Hon. Mr. Foy.
Replying to Hon. Mr. Graham the Provincial Secretary said that between March 1, 1904 and March 1, 1905 there were 18 prosecutions instituted by the license inspector for South Renfrew against the hotel-keepers of Amprior. The fines imposed netted \$310. For the corresponding period of 1905-06 there were seven prosecutions, and the fines reach \$170. For the corresponding period of 1906-07 there were three prosecutions and the fines imposed were \$20.

Famous Surgeon Dead.

Wiesbaden, Germany, March 26.—
Prof. Von Bergmann, the famous surgeon, died here yesterday. He was operated upon Sunday for appendictis. He presided at a special meeting of the Berlin Medical Association last July to discuss the treatment of that ailment. He served in the Austrian-Pressian War of 1866, the Franco-Prussian War, and the Turko-Bussian War, and tast year attended the Sultan of Turkey and his daughter. Early this year he treated the late Shah of Persia, and received a fee of \$22,000. He had charge of the surgical clinic at Berlin.

Measles Scourge On Warship.

Newport News, Va., March 26.—The cutbreak of measles on the United States battleship Georgia, which will delay the departure of that vessel for Guantanamo, scheduled for to-day, has developed into an epidemic. More than 50 men have been taken to the naval hospital at Portsmouth.

Windsor Man Held Up.
Windsor, March 26.—James McClory, a Windsor man, was held up
near the C. P. R. bridge last night
by two men and \$54 was taken from
his pockets. McClory refused to deliver on first demand, and the highwaymen followed him.

Booth At Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, March 26.—General Booth was the guest at a banquet given the Canadian Club last night. More than 600 of the professional and business men assembled to honor the veteran leader of the Salvation

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THE POLICE COURT

wagon. The horse was kept at Barnes' livery, where he was supposed to pay \$4.50 for its keep. Mr. Macarlay claims to have given him the money each week, but he failed to turn it in to the livery man. It is understood, that he is up on a charge of misappropriating 34.50, and on a second charge of misappropriating over \$100.

As soon as he got wind of the fant that he had been discovered, he jumped the city. The police got word that he was working in Detroit. They communicated with the Detroit detective force, but the lat-

ter were seemingly unable to locate

THE POLICE COURT

Officer Pete Dezelia did a clever piece of work yesterday in rounding in the young man in Detroit, who is wanted here on two charges of theft.

He had been working all winter for H. Macaulay of The Ark in the papacity of driver of the delivery wagon. The horse was kept at Barnes' livery, where he was sup-

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Two other lines of Suits, short hip jackets, box back suits, medium sizes, to be sold at \$10.00.

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'PHONE 6.

TWO KILLED IN A WRECK

Head-on Collision Near The Speaker's Illness Is Myrtle Yesterday

Myrtle, March 26.—A head-on collision, in which two freight trains smashed together, killing two men and seriously injured two more, occurred yesterday morning on the C.P.R., a couple of miles east of this station.

The dead are Fireman C. Jones and

The dead are Fireman C. Jones and Brakeman H. Howe, who were caught in such a position under the debris of the freights that their bodies were not removed until nearly two hours after the collision occurred.

The tragedy was precipitated by two things — an alleged mistake in orders on the part of the conductor of the east-bound train, coupled with the fact that both trains were running at the time in the midst of a dense fog, to thick to permit either engineer to avoid the danger in time.

Scalded to Death.

The east-bound freight was hauled by engine No. 759, and it was to this engine that Fireman Jones belonged. Engineer Kyle escaped with slight injury. Brakeman Howe, who was in the engine cab, was scalded to death.

Two Injured.

The westbound train was hauled by engine No. 1488. Engineer S. Binns

The westbound train was hauled by engine No. 1488. Engineer S. Binns sustained injuries to his shoulders and arms, while his brakeman, C. Heise, was injured about the legs, shoulders and arms.

The trains were going at the rate of about 35 miles an hour. In the westbound freight there were 18 cars, all of which are reported to have been derailed. In the eastbound freight there were between 25 and 30 cars. Five cars have been completely cars. Five cars have been completely

demotished.

The eastbound freight was in charge of Conductor Cook, while Wm, Davis was conductor of the westbound train. Both men belong to Toronto Junction.

At this juncture it is said that the eastbound freight, in charge of Conductor Cook, should have crossed at

Myrtle.

Bodies Mutilated.

An hour after the event a wrecking train was on the scene and strenuous efforts were made to get at the bodies of the crew. The impact reduced the engines to scrap iron and the bodies, when they were found, were almost unrecognizable.

They were badly burned, bruised and scalded. The fire that started immediately after the collision was extinguished before it had made great progress.

BOILER EXPLODED.

Sleeping Railroad Men At Cleveland Thrown Into Panic.

Thrown Into Panic.
Cleveland, Ohio, March 26.—Between fifty and sixty sleeping railroad men were thrown into a panic by the explosion of a boiler in the railroad Young Men's Christian Association building at Collingwood, and the temporary home of Lakeshore railroad employes, early yesterday. The building is a three-storey structure. Fire fcllowed the explosion. The dining room was wrecked. So far as learned no lives were lost.

A Fagin At Stratford.

Stratford, March 26.—Benjamin
Bearnbaum, a Jewish pedlar, who
was found guilty of receiving stolen
goods yesterday, is said to have encouraged boys to steal by buying the
proceeds of their thefts.

A manufacturer accused a boy of
shoplifting a few days ago and the
case was traced to Bearnbaum.

It was brought out in the evidence
that he had paid boys a few cents for
small articles of brass and lead, among other things.

Judge Barron reserved judgment
until to-day (Wednesday).

Collision At Dover.

Dover, England, March 26.—There was an exciting collision yesterday outside the harbor, between the Calais and Ostend mail steamers, both inward bound. The Princess Henriette, from Ostend, crashed into the Lord Warden, from Calais, making a hole below her water line, smashing her cabins, deckway, and carrying away her boats. The Princess Henriette's bows were badly damaged. The sixty passengers of the Lord Warden were craded without any of them being in-Isnded without any of them being in-jured.

Close British Museum.
London, March 26.—The reading room of the British Museum is to be closed for six months beginning next month. This is necessary in order to give the two million volumes in the library a thorough inspection as well as to repair the dome, which is said to contain several dangerous looking cracks, and besides paint is necessary. According to an attendant, it has been just fifty years since the interior of the library was painted.

SHADES IN DIFFERENT STYLES

The Burners and Mantles can be easily adjusted and re of a superior quality.

24 Hurt In Theatre Panic.
Greenfield, Ind., March 26.—Twenty-four persons were injured, some seriously, and a two-storey building, cocupied by a five-cent theatre with moving pictures, was wrecked last night by an explosion of natural gas, used to heat the building.

About 200 persons were in the theatre and in the panic that followed men; women and children rushed for the doors, trampling on one another.

Falls Dead On Hot Stove.

Brockville, March 26.—While moving about the kitchen at the home of his b. sther, John Avery, living near Mallorytown, was stricken with apoplexy and died almost instantly yesterday.

He fell across a hot stove, and the body was slightly burned before members of the household noticed him. He niade no outcry.

Avery was about 55 years of age.

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FREIGHT TRAINS CRASH IN THE LEGISLATURE

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Toronto, March 26. To the Ontario time since confederation the Ontario Legislature was called upon yesterday to choose an acting Speaker, owing to the illness of its presiding officer. Once before, during the presidency of Speaker Ballantyne, that gentleman was absent one day, when Mr. Baxter, his predecessor, was selected.

On the assembling of the House On the Assembling On the House O Mr. Baxter, his predecessor, was selected.

On the assembling of the House the clerk notified the members of the Speaker's absence through illness, and asked them to select a substitute.

The Prime Minister, Hon. Mr. Whitney, expressed great regret for the reason for the Speaker's absence. "It is," he said, "the fervent wish from the heart of every member and of every person in the Province who know him that he may have an early recovery. He holds a very high position in the regard of all members of this House."

Mr. Whitney pointed out that it was necessary under the rules of procedure to elect a member to act as Speaker for the day, and on the morrow to elect a member to act for that day. On the third day a member of the House would be selected to act for the balance of the session.

The Prime Minister then moved, excepted by Mr. Ever that Mr. James ittle printing there is outside that contracted 'or, is even better treated than the newspaers, which get none at all.

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