

Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN.
PORTOUS—At Kansas City, Mo., on Wednesday, May 4, to Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Portous, a son.
TACKABURY—At 328 King street, on Friday, May 4, to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Tackabury, a daughter.

DIED.
DEELEY—In this city, on May 9, 1900, Dan Deeley, aged 8 years.
 Funeral from his father's residence, 127 Central avenue, on Friday, at 2:30 p.m., to Woodland cemetery.

GRIEVE—On Thursday morning, May 10, at the residence of her son-in-law, A. Sharp, 330 Central avenue, Margaret Bessie, widow of the late William Grieve, aged 85 years.
 Funeral Saturday, at 1 p.m., to Pond Mills cemetery.

Amusements and Lectures

EXCURSIONS ON ENGLISH RAILWAYS and canal boats to France. The banner year in the old country and Europe. F. B. Clarke, agent for excursions, Allan, Beaver and other lines Richmond street, next Advertiser.

REASONABLE FARES TO THE OLD COUNTRY. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser, has at great expense and time perfected arrangements for the comfort of ocean passengers as well as arranged routes that will cover the most ground for the least money with comfort.

SUMMER PAVILION, PALACE DANCEING ACADEMY. Springbank, now open. 300 concessions, private parties, etc. For all particulars apply to Mr. McCormick, Academy, 422 Richmond street; residence, 241 Oxford street.

Meetings.

MASONIC—KING SOLOMON LODGE, NO. 375. A regular communication of King Solomon Lodge will be held in the lodge room, Sherwood Hall, Richmond street, tonight, at 7:30 o'clock. Visitors welcome. Official visit of D.D.G.M. John Kelley, W.M.; Wm. Nichols, Secretary.

O. E. — MEMBERS OF CHELSEA S. Lodge are requested to attend their hall, at 6 o'clock on Friday afternoon, to attend the funeral of our late brother, Dan Deeley. Sister Lodge please attend. W. G. Garfield, president.

BOARD OF TRADE—THE ANNUAL meeting of the London Board of Trade will be held Friday, 11th inst., at 8 o'clock p.m. Election of officers and committees and general business. A full attendance is desired. Jas. Mattinson, Pres.; J. A. Nelles, Sec.

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—IN small family. Apply 201 Oxford street.

WANTED—AT ONCE—GENERAL SERVANT. House-cleaning only; references required. Apply 206 Dufferin avenue.

WANTED—CHAMBERMAID—IMMEDIATELY. Queen's Hotel, Carling street.

WANTED—DINING-ROOM GIRL at Office Restaurant, 278 Richmond street.

WANTED—TODAY—30 GIRLS FOR GENERAL WORK. cooks and housemaids; also five girls for Cleveland and Hamilton. Mrs. Lockhart's Employment Office, 382 Dundas street, London. Phone 964.

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, small family. Apply 406 King street.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT; NO washing; good wages. Apply 420 Oxford street.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT, AP- ply Mrs. R. H. Ferguson, Grand avenue, South London.

Male Help Wanted.

WANTED—UNION BOYS—TO SELL American papers and patriotic buttons, flags, etc. Price for buttons, 25 cents dozen. Apply Frank Smith, 13 Market square.

WANTED—A FEW GOOD CARPENTERS at once. Apply Wm. Gerry, 21-23 York street.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS TINSMITH; required to repair and alter. Address Mr. Brown, Belmont P. O.

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WANTED—MEN TO LEARN BARBER trade. We teach you the work in two months, donate complete outfit of tools, pay wages Saturdays from start and guarantee \$12 weekly when competent. Special arrangements made for those coming from distance. Write today, Motor College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—AT ONCE—BOY WITH TWO or two and one-half years experience at blacksmithing. Apply Box 5, Blyth, Ont.

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THOROUGHLY COMPETENT TEA CAN- VASSER to represent me in this city. Trading stamps given. Roswell, 743 Richmond street.

30 A DAY SURE—SEND US YOUR AD- DRESS and we will show you how to make \$3 a day; absolutely sure; we furnish the work and teach you free; your work in the locality where you live. Send us your address and we will explain the business fully; remember we guarantee a clear profit of \$3 for every day's work; absolutely sure; don't fail to write today. Universal Silverware Company, Box 407, Windsor, Ont.

25 TO \$5 A DAY EASILY MADE—A most wonderful improvement in a currency; good money wanted everywhere. Apply to the London Specialty Manufacturing Co., 59 Dundas street, London, Ont. Mention Advertiser.

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WANTED—TWO GOOD, HEAVY, CHEAP working horses; also set double harness and wagon. Apply 633 Bathurst street.

WANTED—TO RENT OR BUY—INVA- LID'S chair. Answer Box 44, Advertiser; state price.

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All kinds Trunks and Valises cheap.

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WANTED—FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAK- ER and apprentices. Apply Mrs. McCullum, 438 Talbot street.

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GASOLINE ENGINE SUITABLE TO RUN wagon, shops, choppers, grinders, electric lights, pumps, mills, repair shops, farm machines and many other plants. Made by The Goldie & McCulloch Co., Limited, Galt. Send for handsome catalogue.

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FOR SALE—GOOD MILL-WOOD and sawdust. Columbia Handle and Lumber Co., Adelaide street. Phone 1239.

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DIAMONDS REMOUNTED AND OLD jewelry made up-to-date at small expense. J. T. Westland, 240 Richmond street, upstairs.

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BEST HARD WOOD— Long blocks or split. Send in your order for prompt delivery. R. J. WEBSTER, 713 Richmond street.

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EXTENSION AND STEPLADDERS, SAW- BUCKS, quilt and curtain frames. The Waggoner Ladder Co., Limited, 272 William street. Telephone 1192. A quantity of 3-inch square and some sill timbers cheap.

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form a splendid array in our extensive lines of Ladies' Summer Footwear. Our Prices and our Slippers are both low cuts. Always look to us for the newest things afoot. Naturally, ladies wish for stylish and dressy effects, and will find our summer assortment a pretty collection of seek-no-further. Here are Fashion's latest inventions in Boots, Shoes and Slippers.

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STRAYED—HORSE—FROM THE PREM- ISSES of Alex. McNeil, Lobo village, brown mare. Reward for information leading to recovery.

WILL THE GENTLEMAN WHO FOUND George Innell's ring please return to this office and receive reward? 520

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The Canadians In a Sharp Fight

While Endeavoring to Capture a Boer Convoy.

Timely Arrival of Gen. French's Troopers—Hutton's Men Took 60 Prisoners—Lively Skirmishes Occur Every Day, but the British Advance Rolls On—Buller on the Move—Proclamations to Dutch Rebels and Burghers—Successes at Several Different Points.

London, May 10—4:15 a.m.—General Hutton's mounted infantry brigade, including the Canadians, with a part of Gen. French's cavalry, crossed the Zand River Tuesday and began to work its way cautiously along the railway northward in the track of the retreating Boers. About 8,000 horsemen were probably engaged in this advance. Gen. Hutton, before he was joined by a part of Gen. French's force, had a sharp fight. This was

when he reached the river and saw the Boer convoy on the other side, and pressed forward, intending to cross and capture them. The Boers, however, opened fire with from eight to ten guns, forced the river above and below, seemingly in thousands, and sought to envelop the British. Gen. Hutton felt several miles, the Boers following until other British cavalry reinforced Hutton. During the night

THE BOERS RETREATED. Lord Roberts, according to one correspondent, left Smaldeel Tuesday to consult one of the Hamiltons, fifteen miles distant. The Boer attack on Gen. Hutton does not indicate any such panic conditions as have been alleged to exist among them. Nevertheless the British advance rolls on steadily. Gen. Broadwood and Gen. Erice Hamilton have penetrated 15 miles beyond Winburg. According to Boer advices, sharp skirmishes are of daily occurrence, and there was a sharp rifle engagement outside Winburg on Saturday. From Boer sources comes also the report that in a skirmish outside of Mafeking, on May 5, Colonel Baden-Powell was slightly wounded.

A dispatch to the Times from Smaldeel, dated Tuesday, May 8, says: "Lord Roberts has halted here to complete the railway and to allow time for the cavalry now retreating from Mafeking to take the place assigned for them in the original scheme of advance. Gen. Hamilton last week was continually in touch with Gen. Botha's rear guard. The enemy maneuvered field guns skillfully to check Gen. Hamilton's advance. On one occasion they masked their position so well as to jeopardize the British convoy, which was saved by the timely arrival of the Highland Brigade, with naval guns. The advance on Winburg was so rapid that Hamilton's advance scouts were overlapping the town before Botha's transport was clear, but owing to difficulties at the drift the guns arrived too late to effect the convoy's capture."

GEN. BOTHA RETIRED. "While the British Captain Balfour was negotiating with the landroft for the surrender of Winburg, Gen. Botha himself, misunderstanding the enemy's language, threatened to shoot him; but the landroft, rightly interpreting the words, and perceiving that the British were in a position to bombard the town, decided to surrender. Gen. Botha then retired. The town contains a large stock of ammunition and grain. It is known that Botha has ten guns in front of Hamilton and that Gen. Delarey has six in front of the main advance."

AFTER A CONVOY. Smaldeel, Tuesday, May 8.—Yesterday Gen. Hutton attempted to seize a Boer convoy that was leaving the Zand River. He advanced toward the river with mounted infantry, including the Canadians. A long line of wagons was plainly visible. On becoming aware of Gen. Hutton's object, the Boers stopped their retreat, and opened fire with ten guns. They seemed in great force, and threatened Hutton's flank. Presently mounted Boers were seen crossing the dry bed of the river. They circled to the right and began to enfilade the West Australians, while many of the British were hit by Boer shells. The position became serious. The Boers sent up reinforcements, placing the Australians in danger of being cut off. Thereupon Gen. Hutton ordered a retirement to Weigelien, where he had left his own convoy. A portion of the forces advanced and engaged the Boers to cover this retirement, which was successfully accomplished. The Boers continued to shell the retreating troops, but showed no desire to press the attack further. Meanwhile the Boer trains steamed away northward, blowing up the culverts as they went.

TOOK SIXTY PRISONERS. London, May 10.—A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Smaldeel, dated Tuesday, May 8, says: "Stores are being accumulated here. Convoys are proceeding regularly to the north and also to Winburg. Gen. Hutton's brigade, while skirmishing yesterday, took sixty prisoners."

Buller Moving.

PROCLAMATIONS. Cape Town, May 9.—It is reported that General Buller is advancing on

Biggarsberg, and that the Boers are withdrawing. London, May 10.—A dispatch to the Morning Post from Ladysmith, dated Wednesday, says: "Gen. Buller has issued a proclamation to both Dutch rebels and burghers who are willing to surrender, notifying them that he will recommend all who now surrender voluntarily for greater leniency than those who continue fighting after this warning." Cape Town, May 9.—It is believed here that on the arrival of the British at the Vaal River a proclamation was issued, annexing the Orange Free State to the dominion of the Queen, and demonstrating the determination of her majesty's forces to assert British supremacy over the annexed territory. The British losses at Brandfont are now reported to have been much heavier than was at first understood. After the battle British patrols visited the farm houses in the surrounding districts, and all the men were taken prisoners, while the horses and guns were removed. Lord Roberts is thus adopting a sterner policy, with a view of preventing guerilla fighting in the rear of the British. Horses are now commandeered and farm houses where guns are found are destroyed, while the men are arrested.

SUCCESS ALL AROUND. London, May 9.—A dispatch from Smaldeel, dated yesterday, says that the British have been successful at all points recently. Gen. Hunter has passed Fourteen Streams after a fight in which over twenty Boers, including two commanders, were killed. At the Vet River the Gordon Highlanders put a large command to flight, and the Eighth Hussars killed over 70 of the retreating Boers. Although Ian Hamilton was fighting every day last week his casualties were only about one hundred.

MISSING CANADIANS. Brandfont, May 8.—Montreal Star Special.—The following Canadians are missing, in addition to those already wired: 223—Fte. E. B. Allen, a Squadron, son of H. W. Allen, ex-M.P., Windsor, Ont.

226—C. D. O'Dell, 48th Battalion, Toronto, a Squadron,

When the ground was cursed

for sinful Adam's sake, well knowing all the ills to which human kind would be subject, God made it to bear herbs of all-healing. Among these herbs none was more widely distributed, or more potent for good than the clover. The scientists of olden found on the wonderful effect on the nervous system exercised by clover root, making it one of the chief ingredients in their most successful receipts for blood elixirs, sleeping draughts, and for the curing of diseases of the skin. Women in that olden time had clear, bright eyes and fine complexions, which lasted until late in life. Why? Because they did not dose themselves continually with medicines, nor use mineral poisons on their faces to try to cover up the effects of bad, impure blood. They had work to do, and must keep themselves well, and did so with these teas made from the herbs of the field. A German scientist, one of the leading physicians of the time, has revived the use of clover in medicine. This is known as Karl's Clover Root Tea, and is a veritable elixir of life,



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THE CANADIANS IN A SHARP FIGHT

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had pressed into the ranks to aid in solving the terrible problem they had to face. "We have formidable competitors in Herr Krupp and in the works at Le Creusot, and in the United States, but we may rely upon the inventive genius and the pertinacity of English manufacturers and scientists to secure results which are so vital to the British Empire."

Mr. Goschen emphatically denied the disparaging statements made in the French Chamber of Deputies regarding the quality and propelling power of British guns.

KRUGGER'S RANT.
Cape Town, May 10.—It is reported that President Kruger has issued an impassioned appeal to the Pretoria burghers at a religious gathering on Sunday. President Kruger, after the formal speech on Monday, said the British were prepared for war in 1895, as documents which the burghers had captured showed, but that the Transvaal, to avoid bloodshed, offered a seven years' franchise, and then a five years' franchise. "Great Britain still demanded war," he declared, "and the republics at length accepted the challenge. Even should the British enter the Transvaal and take Pretoria, the Boers will still remain a free people. Our trust is in God, and we may be confident that we will defeat the most powerful generals."

A discredited semi-official source in Pretoria says: "The European powers have delivered a collective note to President Kruger, informing him that they will hold him personally responsible for the safety of the mines, and will support England in enforcing compensation in the event of their destruction."

BUGLE BLASTS.
A Lorenzo Marquez correspondent says: "Great dismay was caused among the foreign merchants here by an order, issued by the new Portuguese Government, forbidding 'bugly' beef, blankets and clothing 'contraband'."

Nearly all of the flour belonging to the Pennsylvania Milling Company included in the seized cargoes of the Beatrice, Maria, and Montrose, Second Canadian, have been sold on account of the consignee in South Africa, and the British Government has agreed to take the remainder, paying 10 per cent more than the invoice value.

The Lorenzo Marquez correspondent of the Times, telegraphing Wednesday, says: "I learn that a strong party in the volksraad is determined to secure the reopening of peace negotiations, on a basis which they are sanguine will get the support of a majority of the Raad, although the proposal evokes strong indignation from President Kruger and State Secretary Reitz."

More Missing.

[Special to The Advertiser per C.P.R.]
Ottawa, May 10.—The following dispatch was forwarded to the militia department this morning from Sir Alfred Milner to Lord Milner:

"Cape Town, May 8, 1900.—I regret to report that No. 210, Farrier-Sergt. D. McCulloch, Second Canadian, Mounted Infantry, is wounded, and Ptes. 333, E. Allan; 336, C. O. Delisle; 320, J. P. Milant; 418, A. H. Monhouse, Second Canadian, Mounted Infantry, are missing, 5th May."
(Signed) "MILNER."

The Situation.

CROSSING OF THE ZAND.

London, May 10.—The crossing of the Zand River by the British appears to have been effected sooner than even the most sanguine expected, and this morning Lord Roberts' temporary headquarters is established in a cable cart on the north bank of the river. Though the opposition the federals are offering shows that yesterday's reports of the abandonment of their position were unfounded, Lord Roberts' advance force, consisting of from 10,000 to 12,000 mounted men, besides infantry, artillery, and the naval contingent, appears to be sufficiently powerful to overwhelm any opposition the burghers can offer. Even though, as reported yesterday, they have been reinforced by 5,000 men from other commands, and possess a score of heavy guns, the experts believe the opposition will not be

prolonged more than shall be necessary to remove the guns and other impediments in the direction of Kroonstad.

STEYN'S BLUSTER.
New York, May 10.—According to a dispatch to the Herald, from Zand River, via Lorenzo Marquez, President Steyn in an interview with the Associated Press last Monday, said: "We will fight to the end. Not one of my burghers is unwilling to fight. We have never considered abandoning the Transvaal. We will fight at the Zand River, at Pretoria, and afterwards in the mountains. We have nothing to gain from peace, everything by fighting. The British are now at Winburg and Virginia. We expect a big battle shortly."

WOMEN WANT TO FIGHT.
Pretoria, Wednesday, May 10.—President Kruger has received a telegram from a burgheress, asking if the time has not arrived for the formation of a corps of women, adding that she is prepared with a body of women volunteers to take up arms in defense of the independence of the Transvaal.

A STRONG BACKING.

Commissioner of Wickham, N. B., Civil Courts Makes Important Statement.

Wickham, Queen's County, N. B., May 7.—Mr. G. L. Worden, commissioner of the civil courts here, is emphatic in his indorsement of the great medicine, Dodd's Kidney Pills. "Dodd's Kidney Pills," he says, "have been a wonder and surprise to myself. After over twenty years of suffering with my back and kidneys I am well. Not the least painful part of my trouble was the pain, frequency and poor success in urinating. After using Dodd's Kidney Pills I enjoy the natural, comfortable feeling in the particulars above referred to. I feel like a young man, though 76 years of age. I recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to sufferers, as they do as they are advertised to do."

LABOR MATTERS

Machine Screw Workers' Union Issue a Statement—Forced Out for Joining the Union.

Detroit, May 10.—The executive committee of the Machine Screw Workers' Union issues a statement that the company discharged its men for joining the union, and then in a circular stated to the men that the company's part of the settlement would be adjusted by the Aetna Trades Association. The point the men wish to make is that the company reserves the right to go into a union with other companies, but denies the right of the men to organize.

CONVENTION OF WORKINGMEN.

London, May 10.—Sir Walter Besant, in the Daily Chronicle, approves the proposed workingmen's convention of the English-speaking peoples, on Feb. 22, 1901, for a better understanding of common objects. He says: "Delegates will go to the United States forthwith to invite the workingmen delegates there to come as guests of English workers."

DETROIT TEAMSTERS.

Detroit, May 10.—The teamsters are doing their best to supply the wholesale merchants with truck facilities, but they find it difficult to secure all the trucks they can use. They charge that the cartage association has been going around to the owners of the idle trucks and offering them \$5 per day to let the trucks stand idle in the barns. Members of the cartage association deny that the association is hiring idle trucks. One of the association's committee said: "We have nothing against the men as individuals, and we do not care whether they belong to the union or not, but we will not recognize the union."

LABOR MARKET FLAT IN NEW YORK.

Since work on the New York tunnel began there has been a tremendous rush of laboring men to New York. Supt. Blair, of the outdoor poor department, says: "The labor market is very flat and the building interest is falling off very materially in the city. The tunnel work has not as yet started, but on this great work none but citizens can be employed."

THE ST. LOUIS STRIKE.

St. Louis, Mo., May 10.—Considerably less than the usual number of cars are being run under police protection this

morning by the suburban system. Police men are stationed on each car as well as at points where trouble is feared, but the number of passengers patronizing the lines of that system is comparatively small, as many dependents are placed on the steam railroads, bicycles and other vehicles. Unless protection is afforded the transit company on all its lines, no attempt will be made to employ union men, President Whitaker says.

STREET RAILWAY THE UP THREATENED.

Kansas City, Mo., May 10.—A strike that will tie all lines up of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company is threatened, and may occur within the next 24 hours. The Metropolitan controls all street railway traffic in Kansas City, Mo., and Kansas City, Kan., with the exception of the traffic over one short line. The company employs about 1,500 men. At a meeting last night, at which 900 of these employees were represented, it was voted to serve a ultimatum on the company, demanding 20 cents an hour for all men who have been in the employ of the company for one year, 19 cents for all others, and complete recognition of the union. The men have been working under a graduated scale of 15 to 20 cents an hour.

President Holmes has positively stated that he will see the entire system tied up before any recognition of the union will be granted.

CHICAGO WAR MAY SOON END.

Chicago, May 10.—The labor war in Chicago is over so far as the attitude of the promoters of building material is concerned. It is announced that the manufacturers of and dealers in brick and mill supplies have opened up their plants, and no longer were refusing to sell material for building to citizens or contractors. The men have been out of Cook county brickyards since the outbreak of the labor war. Today more 2,000 men were at work. Fear of a general strike of trade unionists as a possible result of the labor convention next Sunday is believed to be one of the powerful factors looking toward a settlement all along the line.

WON'T RECOGNIZE UNION.

Detroit, May 10.—A surprise was sprung on the Amalgamated Sheet Metal Workers yesterday, when the employers announced that from now on they would not recognize the union, and would treat with the men as individuals only. The men have been on strike three weeks, but the affairs have been managed quietly, and up to yesterday men were returning to work as fast as the firms agreed to the demands of the union. Yesterday the employers held a meeting and agreed to oppose the union.

HOW HE DID IT.

Pritchett, West Elgin Ballot-Slipper, Explains the Trick.

Conservatives Arranged With Him in Detroit—A Witness Says Bole's Letter Was Written by Andrew Grant, Barrister, of St. Thomas.

St. Thomas, May 9.—Today was full of surprises in the West Elgin election investigation. John G. Pritchett, the author of the affidavit read in the legislature by Mr. Whitney in March, was subpoenaed in London today, and arriving for the afternoon session made a full confession of the ballot-slipping which the affidavits declared him to have committed.

The examination, while revealing the witness' self-confessed fraud, also brought to light a curious bargain between Mr. Pritchett and the parties who undertook to secure the affidavits from him. He said that while living in seclusion in Detroit last fall, to evade the service of a warrant against him, he was approached by Mr. Barker, of Hamilton, and Mr. Fleming, of Windsor. These two men, on his promising to tell what he knew about the West Elgin election, undertook to protect him and to see that the warrants against him were not executed, in order that he might return to his home in London.

The witness' knowledge of the men referred to was meagre, but those qualified to speak have no hesitation in saying that they were a pleasant, quiet, and well-known man, and that Mr. Barker, the Conservative organizer, and Mr. J. O. Fleming, a prominent Conservative barrister. While Pritchett was subjected to a most rigid examination by Mr. Wilson, lasting over three hours, in the course of which he detailed the payments to him from Tom Lewis and John O'Gorman, of London, while he remained in Michigan, yet his evidence did not show that his actual fraud at No. 6 Southwood was suggested by anyone but himself. He admitted having practiced slipping ballots at his home for some time previously, and gave the impression that it was a pleasant pastime of his. At the morning session what may be an important link of evidence was given by Mr. David McLaws, of St. Thomas. He said he had seen the letter in which Duncan Bole was made a deputy returning officer at No. 4 Southwood, and declared that it was in the handwriting of Mr. Andrew Grant, a well-known barrister in St. Thomas, and that he doubted whether the signature, which was Mr. Macnish's name, was genuine.

J. G. Pritchett, of London, testified that he acted as D. R. O. in No. 6 Southwood, under the name of John Bole, and switched 18 or 20 Macdonald ballots to Macnish, the Liberal candidate. He told the story of Con O'Gorman, of London, coming after him and paying him \$25 to come to St. Thomas on polling day. He was taken over to the sheriff by an unknown man and introduced as Marshall B. Johnson, a reputable man in this city, procured the box and papers and drove to Middlemarch. His evidence was a repetition of the affidavits published some time ago. He also stated that John O'Gorman, of Toronto, induced him to leave the country until the trouble blew over, promising to pay him \$100 a month as long as he was compelled to stay away. Not receiving the amounts as promised, he made a confession.

PRITCHETT DENIES STATEMENTS IN HIS AFFIDAVIT.

In answering questions, Pritchett said John Lyle and Squire Hunt had had nothing to do with his appointment, and the statements in his published affidavit of meetings with them were not correct. If they were in the original affidavits he misread them.

PRITCHETT'S STATEMENTS DENIED.
Mr. Frank Hunt, who lives in the same subdivision, vigorously denied Pritchett's statements that they had met at the Duke House before the election, and that Hunt had anything to do with Pritchett's appointment as deputy. The day after the election he met Mr. Macnish and told him a stranger had acted at No. 6 Southwood, and he was afraid there was something wrong about it. Mr. Macnish said he did not know anything about it, but hoped it would be all right. He had said at the time of the

campaign that if the Reform committee could not get a majority of eighteen they ought to be sent to the fool-kilner. Mr. Hunt made an emphatic denial of a story circulated that Pritchett was in hiding in his house the night before the election.

Cornelius O'Gorman, a young man from London, said he was a worker for Macnish in the election. He knew J. G. Pritchett, who was a plasterer, but did not ask him to come here in that election. He declared that he did not see Pritchett in St. Thomas, but was there himself during the campaign. He had had no conversation at all with Pritchett with regard to the election, and did not see him at the Duke House. He never gave Pritchett anything, and never asked him to leave the country. He declared he had no knowledge of anything irregular occurring in that election.

RHEUMATISM.

Thousands Tortured by It, and Hospital Treatment Fails to Cure It.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Are the Only Sure and Permanent Cure—They Root the Disease Out of the Body.

Toronto, May 9.—Thousands of patients enter the Hospitals here yearly, to be treated for Rheumatism, Lumbago, Lamé Back and kindred diseases, or complaints that spring from the ailments named.

In not one case out of every hundred is a permanent cure made. The patients are treated with electricity, massage, oils and liniments, etc., which do absolutely no good.

In every case the disease runs its course, then abates, and the patient is told he is cured, and is then discharged.

After a time the disease makes its appearance again, and again its victim goes to the hospital.

The fault of hospital treatment lies in the fact that it is applied to the effect of the disease, instead of to the cause. Its object is to relieve or banish the pain, instead of removing the cause of the pain.

Now Rheumatism, Lumbago and the other diseases named above are caused by Uric Acid in the blood. This should have been strained out of the blood by the Kidneys. But as they have not strained it out, we know they are defective or diseased. Rheumatism, Lumbago, etc., are, therefore, the effects of diseased Kidneys.

Remove the disease from the Kidneys and the Kidneys will remove the Rheumatism from the blood.

Now, the only medicine known to man, that will remove any and all diseases from the Kidneys is Dodd's Kidney Pills. Dodd's Kidney Pills, therefore, are the only medicine on earth that can cure Rheumatism. And Dodd's Kidney Pills have cured every case of Rheumatism for which they have ever been used. Dodd's Kidney Pills have never failed to cure a single case of Rheumatism for which they have been used.

Is this record sufficient to justify you in using Dodd's Kidney Pills if you have Rheumatism? It ought to be. Try them and be cured.

New York aldermen heartily welcomed the Boer peace delegates.

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Many persons are in a condition to invite Pneumonia or Consumption by reason of inherited tendency or other causes. They catch cold easily—and it is difficult to get rid of an ordinary cough or cold. We would advise all such people to use Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

It is a wonderful strengthener and healer of the breathing organs, and fortifies the lungs against serious pulmonary diseases.

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The E. and D. four-point bearings have at any point on cup or spool only half the pressure found in any type of bearing, because the pressure is always divided between two points.

Furthermore, this pressure is never greater than the rider's weight.

The result is the E. and D. four-point bearings run easy, the bearings are guaranteed for three years; during three years there is no wear perceptible. It is the best bicycle bearing in the world.

E. and D. Roadsters, \$60; E. and D. Specials, with gear-case, \$70. Locally guaranteed.

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The Tribune Chainless models have the gear wheel between the crank axle bearings. The result is that there is no undue wear on the right bearing of the crank-shaft.

The bracket may be made much lighter, because there is no side twist, as the gear is near the center, not at the extreme end of the bracket.

Every ounce applied to the pedals reaches the rear rim, as there is no "give" to the Tribune frame with the inside gear. Let us show it.

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The Stearns Ladies' Roadster has the narrow tread essential to grace in riding. The Stearns tread is the narrowest tread on the market.

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There is a reason for everything, and the reason for the popularity of Beecham's Pills is, that they all the requirements of a general antidote for ALL BILIOUS AND NERVOUS DISORDERS in a more satisfactory manner than any proprietary medicine ever placed before the public. Beecham's Pills are brought before your notice, and whether you require them or not—if not today, you may tomorrow—when the necessity arises you should, in your own interest, take them. The reason for their need is often best known to yourself, but be that as it may, you will show good judgment by taking them in reasonable doses, and doing so is as simple as A B C.

The enormous sale of Beecham's Pills has been achieved without the publication of testimonials, the fact being that Beecham's Pills recommend themselves. Sold everywhere, in boxes, at all Druggists.

A wreck is reported on the Union Pacific near Cheyenne. Five persons were killed by lightning Tuesday, during a severe storm at Winamac, Ind.

William and Frank Ringen, brothers were killed by lightning Tuesday, during a severe storm at Winamac, Ind.

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY CHAPMAN'S

May 11

Bargain Day, an institution of the age—We adopt the system—You appreciate it. Its success depends upon the reliability of the statements made. Put us to the test. We give you a few items here—For a full list see the Echo.

Double Trading Stamps All This Week.

- XVI.—4 pieces of black All-Wool Dress Goods, blister and crepon effect, a grand cloth, worth 48c; on Friday, 50c.
- XVII.—2 pieces of Black Silk, polka dot, all pure silk, regular price \$1.25; on Friday, 85c.
- XVIII.—2 pieces of Black Royal Armure Silk—this is a heavy silk XIX.—1 piece Black Bonnet's Court Silk, worth now \$2.50 a yard, one of the best silks made, on Friday, \$1.58 per yard.
- XX.—150 yards Stripe Silks. This clears the line we advertised last Friday. Do you want any more? We clear them at 25c a yard; suitable for waists or dresses, worth double. YOUR MONEY BACK if you want it.
- XXI.—1 piece English Feather Ticking, bright colors, hard and stiff as they make it, but feather proof; on Friday, only 85c per yard.
- XXII.—6 pieces Galatea Stripes, for boys' blouses and aprons, in brown and white and red and white, worth 12½c and 15c; on Friday, only 9c yard.
- XXIII.—9 pieces miscellaneous Cotton Goods, some fine twist washing materials, tough to wear; some Honeycomb Outing Cloth; some wide stripe Clown Skirting; some German Cotton Tweed, all for the small price of 5c per yard, worth 8½c; on Friday, 15c per yard. See it at the print counter.
- XXIV.—5 pieces Black Union Serge, Italian make, would make a splendid dress, will wear well, worth 25c; on Friday, 15c per yard.
- XXV.—15 pieces Art Satin, fine delicate colorings, wide width, no finer anywhere at 25c per yard; will sell them on Friday at 10c per yard.
- XXVI.—3 pieces French Satin Foulards, new patterns, fine cloth; on Friday, only 12½c yard.
- XXVII.—2 pieces Scotch Plaid Washing Material, knotted effect, suitable for children's or ladies' wear, former price 25c; on Friday, 12½c.
- XXVIII.—1 piece Plaid Scotch Chambray, with raised cord, for waists or dresses, former price 45c; on Friday, 25c.
- XXIX.—3 pieces foreign-made Printed Muslin, sold the line at 25c; these three pieces go on Friday at 10c per yard.
- XXX.—1 piece 58-inch White Sheeting, suitable for single beds, our regular price 25c; on Friday, 18c per yard.
- XXXI.—2 dozen Tapestry Table Covers, 2 yards square, always sold them at \$2; on Friday, \$1.40.
- able for children's or ladies' wearing to 100c and 150c.

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SPORTING NEWS

BASEBALL. HELD THE BOARDS.

All National League games postponed on account of rain.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Worcester—Worcester 3, 0 0 0 0 0 2—11 11 8

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Batteries—Horton and Klitzke;

Sutthoff and Roach; and Klitzke;

All other Eastern League games

postponed on account of rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Cleveland—Cleveland, 5; Mil-

waukee, 7.

At Buffalo—Minneapolis, 10; Buf-

falo, 6.

At Detroit—Detroit, 6; Kansas City,

20.

At Indianapolis—Indianapolis—Chi-

cago game postponed; rain.

NO SUNDAY BALL.

Port Huron, Mich., May 9.—Mayor

Moore says that he will oppose Sun-

day baseball. He is as fond of the

game as anyone, but will not permit

it to be played on Sunday. The local

baseball fans claim that without Sun-

day ball the game cannot survive

here.

FLYS.

Alf Strowger has made a good im-

pression with Hamilton.

Flick, Philadelphia's right fielder, is

developing into a wonderful batsman.

Henry Odwell and Bannan have been

doing the best batting for Montreal

so far.

Moran is doing the bulk of the

catching for Montreal. He is playing

good ball.

De Montville is batting .154 and

fielding .334 for Brooklyn—a poor

substitute for the regular.

Some ex-Guelphites are preparing a

quiet reception for Jimmy Cookman

when he comes home.

Bemis' work with the Newark club

has been first-class, and John Irwin

is very sorry to lose his services.

First Baseman Ben Beaumont, of

last year's Toronto, is one of the star

batters for the Atlantic League.

Hartford is on the rocky road, and

it is believed that he will be sent to

Barnie will soon have to lose up the

sponge.

Bruce is the only one of the new

pitchers kept by the Toronto team.

Merritt, Millett and Clarke didn't last

very long.

It is said that Marr Phillips will

don't Port Huron uniform as soon as

he has completed his little contract

with the team.

Shaw and Ryan, the catchers of the

champion Syracuse team of '97, are

playing great ball for Detroit, both

behind and at the bat.

The Hams are scheduled to play nine

straight games at home commencing

today, three each with Port Huron,

Chatham and London.

Montreal has first call on the ser-

vices of Hillebrand, the crack Prince-

ton University pitcher, in case he

enters the professional ranks.

The ex-Hamiltonians, Dean and Hag-

gerty, get in their daily errors with

the Elmira team. They are playing

second and third respectively.

Hayden, the outfielder who was last

year reported signed by the Toronto

club, is doing good work for the Ches-

ter, Pa., team, especially in the bat-

ting line.

Hemming, the pitcher-first baseman-

outfielder of the Springfield team, has

been released. Campbell, the home

run hitter, has been given a regular

place on the team.

This isn't the first time the Boston

have made a slow start, and history

doesn't record many instances where

they failed to finish within halting

distance of the bunting or there-

abouts.

Buck Freeman made his third home

run of the season for Boston on Mon-

day. He also made a couple of singles.

He leads the league in total bases, al-

though Flick, of Philadelphia, has four

homers to his credit.

TURF.

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS.

At Morris Park, N. Y.—Lady Unca,

Ashes, Educate, Sparrow Wing, Brisk

and Gov. Belongs.

At Louisville, Ky.—Silverdale, Ken-

tucky, Trebor, Larkspur, Zelmot and

Lesbina.

CHESTER CUP STAKES.

London, May 9.—The Chester cup of

3,350 sovereigns was won today at the

Chester meeting, and won by Mr. A.

Brown's Roughside, ridden by Sloan.

The Duke of Portland's Manners and

Lord Carnarvon's Baldr finished sec-

ond and third respectively. Fourteen

horses ran on the old cup course, nearly

2½ miles.

Roughside made all the running, and

won easily by three lengths. A length

and a half separated second and third

horses. Utinam, ridden by J. Reiff,

was fourth. The betting was 7 to 1

against Roughside, 6 to 1 against Man-

ners, and 100 to 8 against Baldr.

AT THE WOODBINE.

Toronto, May 9.—Few horses were

asked to do fast work at the Wood-

bine today, the weather was very cool

and the track deep with mud. Many trials

that were on the card were postponed

until tomorrow, when it is hoped the

air will take a change for the warmer,

and the track will dry out. One pleas-

ant feature of this spring's work is

the entire absence of "hangers on."

They were treated pretty severely last

year, and as the same officials are hand-

ling that portion of the crowd, it is

spring, and promises even severer mea-

sures on any of that kind of patron of

the turf who may turn up, it may be

as well for them to keep away from the

track. Daddy and Litigton worked

five-eighths in 1:18. Lovinian and Ar-

agnol breezed five-eighths, Arrezzo did

a mile in two minutes flat with 160

pounds up. Hendrie's 2-year-olds were

run in a mile and a half in 3:27. Magog

and Belcourt were sent a mile in 2:01,

accompanied by Fred Perkins, California.

Germanstown and Sanbrago breezed

three-eighths in :40. Caustic Balsam was

sprung in the stretch. The Hendrie

players, with Martin, Laverock and

Dance, were worked three-quarters in

1:29. Bringle and Manover ran a

mile and a half in 3:27. The former is

improving every day, and the latter's

leg is showing every sign of growing

strength. Lady Burton and Cleopatra

did one-half in :59. Easter Lily, Ver-

dine and Howard S. were breezed in

the stretch. Arlington, under the care

of Mr. McGuigan, arrived from Chat-

ham today. The Seagram horses were

galloped at the Newmarket track, but

owing to the cold weather, what was

to have been a field day was turned

into one of light exercise.

FISTIC.

THE BIG "GO."

New York, May 9.—Charley White

will referee the battle for the heavy-

weight championship between the

holder of the title, James J. Jeffries,

and James J. Corbett, to be decided

Friday night at the Seaside Sporting

Club, Coney Island. This momentous

and much-mooted question was finally

decided at a meeting held this

afternoon at William A. Brady's of-

fice. George Considine appeared for

Corbett, and Brady represented the

champion. Sam Austin was present, and declared that he was out of it. Tim Hurst was mentioned, but as he was out west refereeing fights there, the candidates narrowed down to White and Siler. White was a 2 to 1 shot all through the discussion, and when Considine wanted to know why Brady was so anxious to have White officiate, and when Brady promptly replied that it was because the public had more confidence in White than any other man, that clinched the argument. White was selected there and then. The men will be allowed to wear soft bandages. Straight Queensbury rules will govern. They must protect themselves in the breakaway; in the clinches the referee will order them to step back. If they disregard the order he will go between them. Robert Stoll, of the New York Athletic Club, was chosen official timekeeper. John Considine will keep time for Corbett and Dan O'Rourke for Jeffries. The champion will have the northeast corner, the same in which he won from Fitzsimmons and Sharkey. He said the men will enter the ring at 10 o'clock. Brady announced that he had \$10,000 to bet on the result. Five thousand of this amount, he said, was Jeffries' money. He would bet \$5,000 to \$2,500 that Jeffries would win, and \$5,000 that Jeffries would win in fifteen rounds.

BOWLING.

The Woodstock Tennis and Bowling Club reorganized for the season last night. The report of the secretary showed the club to be in a very flourishing condition. These officers were elected: President, D. W. Karn; corresponding secretary, J. G. Wallace; recording secretary, J. G. Wallace; J. R. Pattullo, jun., committee; James Scarff, E. W. Ward, A. Gardner; patronesses, Mrs. O. G. Anderson, Mrs. R. N. Ball, Mrs. H. J. Finkle, Mrs. W. T. Parke, Mrs. D. W. Karn, Mrs. R. W. Nesbitt, Mrs. J. H. Wallace, and Mrs. John White. Mr. Karn was appointed a delegate to the Western Ontario Bowling Association meeting in London on May 14.

GOLF.

London, May 9.—The third round today of the amateur golf championship tournament, which opened at Sand-holm yesterday, furnished a couple of surprises, both Balfour, Melville and Mure Ferguson being beaten by F. H. A. Booth and Lord Winchelsea respectively.

WHEEL.

Syracuse, N. Y., May 9.—Dr. Frank Smalley, chairman of the athletic committee of Syracuse University, said this morning that the Syracuse track team will abandon its Paris trip if any college games are held on Sunday at the exposition, whether the Sunday games are those in which Syracuse is entered or not.

SAVED BY A BIT OF BUTTER.

Niles, Mich., May 10.—G. A. Owen swallowed a piece of beefsteak, which stuck in his throat, and he was called and could render no assistance. The matter became alarming, when Mr. Owens swallowed a chunk of butter, which dissolved and soon cleared his throat.

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London, Thursday, May 10.

Canadian Cattle...High Ocean Rates.

It is not so long ago that the rate for the transportation of cattle from Montreal to Great Britain was from 30 to 40 shillings per head. It is now from 60 to 70 shillings per head. This is a pretty stiff advance, and one which means, perhaps, \$9 or \$10 per head less for the farmer than would otherwise be the case. This scarcity and high price of ocean transportation have been caused mainly by the South African war, which has absorbed and swallowed up temporarily, a vast mass of sea-carrying-power formerly available for ordinary commerce. The war is approaching its climax; so that within a measurable time what may be called the South African sea-transportation will be to a great extent released. There will then be transportation to burn, and the farmers will get their innings in moderate rates of carriage. If there is anything the Dominion Government can do to protect the farmer from undue ocean freights it should be done.

We observe that the live cattle export trade of the United States is constantly more and more giving way to the dressed meat trade. That will be the inevitable tendency also in Canada. To that end too much attention cannot be given to the general question of cold storage; and it is gratifying to know that both the Dominion and the Ontario Governments are alive to the importance of the subject.

How New Brunswick Feels.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie, hitherto one of the most aggressive campaigners for the Conservative party in New Brunswick, has just announced that at the next general election he intends to support the Government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and the *Fredericton Herald* asserts that his example will be followed by thousands, who are satisfied that the Liberal party has done well by the country, and that the present Administration is far ahead, in point of ability, of the men associated with Sir Charles Tupper and Mr. Clarke Wallace in the leadership of the Opposition. Then we have Hon. John Cowan, who for many years was a tower of strength to the Conservatives in New Brunswick. He is no longer a supporter of Sir Charles Tupper. He says he has no confidence in that politician, and his influence will be directed to secure his continued pilgrimage in Opposition.

These are some indications of the new conditions under which the trade restriction party are compelled to face the electors in the Maritime Provinces. After last election, through the influence of statesmen like Hon. John Cowan and Hon. Mr. Tweedie—now turned against them—and by the coercion of the Intercolonial railwaymen and other public servants, the Tupper Administration came back with a majority of 2 to 1 in New Brunswick, though defeated in other parts of the country.

There will be no such luck in the old Province down by the sea for Mr. Foster and his friends at the ensuing election. The majority, according to every indication that can be relied on, will be the other way, and New Brunswick will take its rightful position as a supporter of a good and progressive government and a tariff which gives to Great Britain, that extends to us her care and protection at all times, a preference over all foreign nations.

Drawing Together.

The fact that subscriptions to the Hull and Ottawa fire relief fund have been received from every part of the Empire shows how much the different portions of Greater Britain are being drawn together. They fight and give in comradeship.

Clancy, Cowan and Tobacco.

One of the industries that has prospered greatly under the tariff introduced by the present Canadian Administration is that of tobacco-growing, and no part of the Dominion has been more benefited than the counties in the Western Ontario Peninsula. Here is a comparative statement of the production in the last few years, according to the inland revenue returns:

This is a phenomenal increase. It will be observed that it dates from the year when the duty on imported tobacco was increased, and more favorable conditions for the production and manufacture of Canadian-grown tobacco were provided.

We have observed a disposition on the part of various members of the Opposition to denounce the changes in the law, and to raise an outcry to the effect that the "poor workingman" has been unduly taxed on his tobacco. Mr. Clancy, the member for Bothwell, is opposed to the encouragement of the tobacco industry, strange to say—for much tobacco is grown in Kent county—and he berated the Government for having, as he alleged, taken \$1,000,000 too much duty from "the poor man."

Mr. Cowan, the member for South Essex, made a telling rejoinder to Mr. Clancy. Why, he said, Mr. Clancy could go into the town of Wallaceburg or the village of Dresden and buy for 60% cents the same amount of tobacco that he would have had to pay \$1 for

before the duties were changed in 1897. Havana cigars and fancy smoking tobacco, it was true, had increased in price, as also have cigarettes, but these are not used by the great mass of consumers of tobacco in Canada. But, Mr. Cowan asserted, and no one dared to contradict him, that today one and a half pounds of tobacco equal in every way to the tobacco manufactured from foreign leaf prior to the change of duties in 1897, can be bought today for the same price that was charged for one pound two and a half years ago. Mr. Cowan produced specimens of the various tobaccos now on sale in proof of his contention, and said he marvelled that Mr. Clancy should hold to the view that the change in duties which had so enormously benefited a great Canadian industry had resulted in increased taxation on the great mass of tobacco consumers. Mr. Clancy, nettled at this exposure, rose and said that Mr. Cowan's quotations were from tobacco that forms less than one-tenth of all the tobacco used in Canada. This gave the eloquent member for South Essex his opportunity. He immediately proceeded to show that this statement was equally devoid of foundation. Again taking the official returns, he pointed out that in the year 1894-5, the percentage of Canadian leaf consumed, compared with the total product, was only 5.8 per cent, whereas in 1898-9 it increased to 26.2 per cent. For the six months ending Dec. 31, 1899, it had further increased to 36.2 per cent, and for the month of January last it had increased to 45.2 per cent. "Surely," added Mr. Cowan, "if we can produce tobacco of as good a quality made from Canadian leaf, and it can be purchased in Canada today at less than two-thirds of the price of tobacco made from foreign leaf prior to the tariff of 1897, it does not operate as an additional tax on the masses, but as an absolute saving to the people of Canada, by giving them 60 per cent more tobacco than they could formerly obtain for the same money."

Another Conservative M. P. (Mr. Gillies, of Richmond, N. S.) joined with Mr. Clancy in assailing the Government policy in encouraging tobacco production in place of importing it from a foreign country. Mr. Gillies maintained that no cultivation, care, expansion of capital or skill in manufacture, could enable Canadians to produce tobacco equal to the imported article. Here, again, Mr. Cowan joined issue with the antagonists of this steadily-growing industry. He quoted from experts in tobacco manufacture in both Canada and the United States to show that even at this early stage of its development under the new conditions, the tobacco grown in Canada for ordinary consumption approaches very closely to the imported leaf. Indeed, experts who at first held the views now entertained by members of the Opposition in the House of Commons, now confess that they erred. And they are paying the farmers of Canada today \$600,000 that formerly was sent to the United States to buy precisely the same brand of tobacco as is now put on the market by our own producers.

The increase in the business has been marked. For the year ending June 30, 1896, the factories using Canadian tobacco, exclusive of cigars, numbered 10, and the factories using foreign tobacco 27. Today there are 25 factories using Canadian and 17 using foreign. The cigar factories using Canadian tobacco in 1896 numbered 2; now 12 are so employed. Thus 25 new factories have been set on foot and stimulated by the policy of the present Administration; the output of the Canadian article has been increased by 700 per cent; the manufacture of cigars has increased by 600 per cent, and that of leaf tobacco by 250 per cent, while at the same time the consumers have had the article cheapened by from 30 to 50 per cent.

It will be some little time before Mr. Clancy again attempts to assail the tobacco policy of the present Government. He spent a bad half-hour under Mr. Cowan's masterly elucidation of

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48 Yards Only, 72-inch Damask Table Linen, extra special 40c
20 Only Pure Linen Table Cloths, border all around, special Friday 35c
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13 Pieces White and Cream Gull-pattern, 1 to 2 1/2 inches wide, special Friday, per yard 8c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c and 25c
300 Yards White and Cream Fine Cotton Lace, 4 to 6 inches wide, open pattern, regular 15c, 20c and 25c yard, special Friday, per yard 10c
35 Cards Torchon Lace, 1 dozen yards on a card, regular 20c and 25c, special Friday, per card 15c
120 Dozen Ladies' Fine Hemstitched and Embroidered Handkerchiefs, worth 25c each, special Friday, 2 for 25c
95 Yards Colored Chiffon, plain and with stripes, 6 inches wide, regular 15c and 18c yard, special Friday only, per yard 5c
40 Dozen Ladies' Linen Collars, turn-down and straight, worth 10c, Friday, each 5c
632 Yards Plain and Fancy Ribbons, pure silk, all colors, regular 20c, 25c and 30c, Friday, per yard 15c
11 Dozen Boys' Silk Windsor Ties, plain colors, with hemstitched ends; also polka and plaids, in new shades, special, Friday each 15c, 20c, 25c and 35c

Parasols.

Ladies' Fine Quality Black Satin Parasols, regular \$1.50, on Friday only 95c
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4 Pieces All-Wool Serge, in fawn and brown, regular 25c, Friday for 12 1/2c
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Stationery.

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Underwear.

Ladies' Summer Vests, with short sleeves, Friday 5c
Children's White Cotton Vests, with long sleeves, special 12 1/2c and 15c
Ladies' Summer Vests, lace trimmed, with short sleeves, special, 2 for 25c

Whitewear.

Ladies' Empire Gowns, with yoke and revers of fine embroidery, regular \$1.35; Friday \$1.00
Ladies' Fine Cotton Drawers, trimmed with embroidery and laces, special, per pair 25c
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6-Piece Glass Table Set, per set 25c
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1 Case of German Flint Glass Water Tumblers, in 3 patterns, each 5c
13 only 97-Piece Heavy Gilt Dinner Sets, in pink, brown and green decorations; good value at \$3, sale price Friday \$7.50
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1 lb. of Ginger Snaps, 1 lb. of Lemon Biscuits and 1 lb. of Currant Biscuits, for 25c
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Hats and Caps.

100 Boys' Tweed and Serge Caps, hook-down, and plain, assorted lot, regular price 10c to 25c, Friday bargain 8c
10 dozen Men's and Youths' Felt Hats, fedora and soft, black and brown, regular 75c to \$1.25, Friday bargain, each 20c
75 Children's Tams, navy, with wired or soft crowns, neat embroidered silk and satin bands, regular 35c and 45c, Friday 25c

Shoe Bargains for Friday.

Women's Dongola Laced Boots, flexible soles, patent tips, sizes 3, 3 1/2, 4, 4 1/2, only, a small lot of 20 pairs only, but a big bargain, regular \$1.45, Friday 85c
25 pairs only, sizes 4 to 6 1/2 only, Women's Bicycle Boots, three-quarter length, chocolate color, fine Good-year welt soles, neat coin toe, regular \$3.00, Friday bargain \$2.95
75 pairs Women's Oxford Shoes, all sizes, dongola, with cloth top and patent tips, and dongola with kid tips and chocolate Oxford shoes, regular \$1.00, Friday bargain 75c
Men's Cordovan Laced Boots, all sizes, 7 to 10, Good-year welt, good shape and splendid wearers, regular \$3.00, Friday bargain \$1.50

Men's Furnishings.

6 dozen Men's White Shirts, 4-ply, linen bosoms, laundered, slightly soiled, sizes 14 to 17 1/2, regular 65c and 75c, Friday, 45c
10 dozen Men's Ties, strings, bows, four-in-hands and puffs, silk and satin; also washing ties, regular 15c and 25c, Friday bargain, each 9c
15 dozen Men's Cotton Socks, ribbed top, spliced foot, fancy colors, regular 10c and 12 1/2c, Friday bargain, 3 pairs for 25c

Clothing Department.

Boys' Serge Suits, pleated coats and well made and lined knickers, sizes 22 to 27, regular \$1.25 and \$1.35, Friday \$1.00
Boys' Vestee Suits, brown tweed, with braided sailor collar, neat vest and knickers, sizes 21 to 27, regular \$3.50, Friday bargain \$2.50
Men's Tweed and Serge Suits, well-made and trimmed, broken lots, regular price as high as \$5.50, sizes 36 to 42, Friday bargain \$2.95
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Ladies' Plain Cotton Hose, Lisle finish, Hermsdorf dye, spliced heel and toe, regular 25c. Special on Friday, per pair 20c
Children's Plain Cashmere Hose, sizes 5 and 5 1/2 only, regular 15c pair. Friday, per pair 10c
Boys' Extra Heavy Ribbed Cotton Hose, best dye, sizes 5 1/2 to 9 1/2. Friday, special, per pair 12 1/2c to 20c

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MANSLAUGHTER

Charged Against a "Vitalist" in Ailsa Craig—Mrs. Mooney Acquitted at Quebec.

Ailsa Craig, Ont., May 10.—Victor B. Hall, describing himself as a vitalist, of Philadelphia, was brought up before Police Magistrate Smith, of Ailsa Craig, yesterday, on two charges, viz., practicing medicine without a license, and for manslaughter in causing the death of Mrs. Wm. Chaffin, of East Williams, who was suffering from typhoid fever. He was remanded to the county jail at London for five days for further evidence.

May 10. — David Dube, who has been found guilty of the murder of Thomas Adam Mooney, was called as a witness against Margaret Ann Chaffin, widow of the late Mooney, charged with being accessory before the murder. Dube declared that he was intimate with the accused for many months, and that the accused had incited him (the witness) to kill her husband eight days before his death, and that the day before Thomas Adam Mooney died the prisoner had blamed him (the witness) for not having killed her husband. In the course of a day when he was working with him in the woods, calling him a coward for not having done so.

The case was put in the hands of the jury, and in 45 minutes they came back with a verdict of "not guilty." The accused has to answer an accusation of

contempt of court, because in the case of David Dube, having been called as a witness for the crown, she refused to answer every question which was put to her by the substitute of the attorney-general, Mr. Dumbear, and by the lawyer for the defense.

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Toronto Stock Market.

Stock	Price	Stock	Price
Ontario	130	Imperial	221
Quebec	124	Standard	200
Manitoba	124	Hamilton	115
Commercial	122	British America	111
Imperial	221	Western Assurance	143 1/2
Standard	200	Consumer's Gas	218
Hamilton	115	Northwest Land	182 1/2
British America	111	Canada Pacific Ry. Stock	94 1/2
Western Assurance	143 1/2	General Electric	160 1/2
Consumer's Gas	218	London Electric	160 1/2
Northwest Land	182 1/2	Commercial Cable Company	160 1/2
Canada Pacific Ry. Stock	94 1/2	Domestic Telephone	107
General Electric	160 1/2	Richelle and Ontario	107
London Electric	160 1/2	Montreal Street Railway	87 1/2
Commercial Cable Company	160 1/2	London Street Railway	87 1/2
Domestic Telephone	107	Domestic Savings and Invest.	78
Richelle and Ontario	107	London and Erie L. & S.	117
Montreal Street Railway	87 1/2	London and Can. L. & S.	70
London Street Railway	87 1/2	London Loan	56
Domestic Savings and Invest.	78	London and Ontario	113
London and Erie L. & S.	117	Ontario Loan and Debenture	113
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Montreal Stock Market.

Stock	Price	Stock	Price
Canadian Pacific	94 1/2	Imperial	221
Duluth, common	8 1/2	Standard	200
Duluth, preferred	8 1/2	Hamilton	115
Commercial Cable	160 1/2	British America	111
Domestic Telephone	107	Western Assurance	143 1/2
Richelle and Ontario	107	Consumer's Gas	218
Montreal Street Railway	87 1/2	Northwest Land	182 1/2
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New York Stocks.

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English Markets.

Commodity	Price	Commodity	Price
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	Imperial	221
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	Standard	200
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	Hamilton	115
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	British America	111
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	Western Assurance	143 1/2
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Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	London and Can. L. & S.	70
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	London Loan	56
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	London and Ontario	113
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	Ontario Loan and Debenture	113

Toronto Produce Market.

Commodity	Price	Commodity	Price
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	Imperial	221
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	Standard	200
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	Hamilton	115
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	British America	111
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	Western Assurance	143 1/2
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	Consumer's Gas	218
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	Northwest Land	182 1/2
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	Canada Pacific Ry. Stock	94 1/2
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	General Electric	160 1/2
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	London Electric	160 1/2
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	Commercial Cable Company	160 1/2
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	Domestic Telephone	107
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	Richelle and Ontario	107
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	Montreal Street Railway	87 1/2
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	London Street Railway	87 1/2
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	Domestic Savings and Invest.	78
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	London and Erie L. & S.	117
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	London and Can. L. & S.	70
Wheat—Spot, 100 lb.	10 1/2	London Loan	56
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27 1/2 in barrels west; Manitoba, \$4 to \$4 10 for patents, and \$3 70 for strong bakers in car lots here. Millfeed—Steady, at \$18 to \$18 50 for shorts; No. 3 yellow at Toronto. Barley—Dull; No. 2, 40c west. Buckwheat—Steady; 50c west. Rye—Firm, at 52c west. Corn—Steady, at 33c for Canada yellow west; American steady, at 47 1/2c for new No. 3 yellow at Toronto. Oats—Steady; mixed, 28 1/2c to 27c; white at 27 1/2c asked west. Peas—Steady, at 60c west. Butter—Offerings are fair, at 11c to 12c for large and pound dairy rolls, and 14c for choice; creamery is quoted at 18c to 20c for prints, and 17c to 18c for tubs. Eggs—Quiet, at 12c to 12 1/2c. Live hogs—Receipts today, 1,100; prices steady, unchanged; choice bacon, 6 1/2c; heavy, 5 1/2c; light fat, 5 1/2c.

American Markets.

BUFFALO, May 10.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 72c; winter wheat, No. 2 red, 75c; No. 1 white, 74c, asked on track. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 44 1/2c; No. 3 yellow, 44c. Oats—No. 1 white, 23 1/2c; No. 2 white, 23c; No. 3 white, 22 1/2c; No. 2 mixed, 22 1/2c on track here.

DETROIT, May 10.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 73 1/2c; No. 2 red cash, 73 1/2c; May, 73 1/2c; July, 72 1/2c.

CLEVELAND, May 10.—Wheat—Cash, 73 1/2c; May, 73 1/2c; July, 72 1/2c. Corn—May, 39 1/2c; July, 40c. Oats—24c.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Flour—Receipts, 24,413 packages; sales, 4,100 packages; state and western moderately active and steadily held. Rye flour—Steady; sales, 2,000 barrels; fair to good, \$2 90 to \$3 15; choice to fancy, \$3 20 to \$3 60. Wheat—Receipts, 172,000 bu.; sales, 69,000 bu.; option market was quiet and about steady on lack of selling pressure, due to the government report; May, 71 1/2c to 71 3/4c; July, 72 1/2c to 73c; Sept., 73c to 73 1/2c. Rye—Quiet; state, 57c, c.i.f., New York car lots; No. 2 western, 61c, f.o.b., atloat. Corn—Receipts, 109,538 bu.; sales, 45,000 bu.; option market opened weak under cable news, but recovered on a good cash business west, and influential support; July, 43 1/2c to 44 1/2c. Oats—Receipts, 246,800 bu.; option market slow, but steady; track, white, 24c and western, 23 1/2c to 25c. Butter—Receipts, 3,543 packages; market firmer; state dairy, 15c to 16c creamery, 15 1/2c to 16 1/2c; western, 15c to 16c; imitation, 14c to 15c. Cheese—Receipts, 3,343 packages; market irregular; fancy, large, white, 10 1/2c; fancy, large, colored, 10 1/2c to 10 3/4c; fancy, small, white, 9 1/2c to 9 3/4c; fancy, small, colored, 9 1/2c to 9 3/4c. Eggs—Receipts, 1,100; prices steady. Sugar—Steady for raw; fair refining, 13 1/2c; centrifugal, 16 test, 4 1/2c; molasses sugar, 3 1/2c; refined, 7 1/2c. Coffee—Weak; No. 1, 10c; No. 2, 9c. Lead—Steady; exchange price, \$4 40 to \$4 45; bullion price, \$4. Wool—Dull. Hops—Quiet.

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Chicago Exchange.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, broker, Tecumseh House, Phone 1278.

Wheat—May—Open, 71 1/2; High, 72 1/2; Low, 71 1/2; Close, 71 1/2.

Corn—May—Open, 39 1/2; High, 40 1/2; Low, 39 1/2; Close, 39 1/2.

Oats—May—Open, 22 1/2; High, 23 1/2; Low, 22 1/2; Close, 22 1/2.

Pork—May—Open, 11 1/2; High, 12 1/2; Low, 11 1/2; Close, 11 1/2.

Lard—May—Open, 8 1/2; High, 9 1/2; Low, 8 1/2; Close, 8 1/2.

Ribs—May—Open, 6 1/2; High, 7 1/2; Low, 6 1/2; Close, 6 1/2.

Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, May 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,500; steers steady to strong; butchers' stock active; good to prime steers, \$4 10 to \$5 10; poor to medium, \$3 10 to \$4 10; 75; stockers and feeders, \$3 75 to \$5; cows, \$4 to \$4 65; heifers, \$3 25 to \$5; canners, \$2 40 to \$3; bulls, \$2 80 to \$4 25; calves, \$4 to \$6; Texas steers, \$4 to \$5; Texas bulls, \$3 25 to \$3 75; Hogs—Receipts today, 22,000; tomes row, 18,000; left over, 2,768; active and stronger; top, \$5 42 1/2; mixed and butchers, \$5 10 to \$5 40; good to choice heavy, \$5 25 to \$5 42 1/2; rough heavy, \$5 10 to \$5 25; light, \$4 55 to \$5 30; bulk of sales, \$5 20 to \$5 30.

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Latest Probabilities.

Toronto, May 10—10 a.m.—Weather probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours: Moderate to fresh westerly to southerly winds; fine; rising temperature. Friday—Fair and warmer.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—Mrs. and Miss Bryan, city, have returned from an extended visit in Saratoga.

—The lumber merchants of the city have decided to close their yards on Saturday afternoons, commencing May 12, and continuing until Sept. 1.

—The funeral of the late George McBean will take place tomorrow, the interment being at Bothwell. Mr. McBean's son arrived this morning from Duluth.

—Rev. Dr. Sowerby will give another of his interesting illustrated talks on the "Life of Daniel" at the men's meeting in the Auditorium next Sunday.

—Mrs. Edmund R. Guiney, of Toledo, Ohio, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Clegg, city, returned home today, accompanied by Miss Horsman, of Ingersoll.

—On Tuesday Miss Alice Tyndall, whose parents reside in Chatham, died in London township of phthisis, aged 29 years. The body was taken to Chatham last night for interment there.

—Mrs. John A. Simpson and children,

of 335 Central avenue, leave for Toronto this week to join Mr. Simpson, who has been promoted from the local branch to a position in the Merchants' Bank there.

—A horse attached to a light vehicle in which was a load of furniture, ran away at noon today, and dashed across Kensington bridge, Dundas street. A burst was thrown from the rig, and the mirror in its smashed to atoms. The horse was stopped without further damage resulting.

—The trustees of the Protestant Orphan's Home desire to acknowledge the check for \$100 from the Western Trust Company, this being the generous bequest in the will of the late Patrick McIlharghey, of Biddeford township. It will be applied, as bequests are to the endowment fund of the institution.

—Lieut. "Teddy" Harris, of B Company, Seventh Fusiliers, leaves tomorrow for England, where he has been gazetted a lieutenant in the Second Middlesex Infantry. Last night he presented with a beautiful match-case and a handsomely illuminated address by the members of his company, among whom, as well as many other friends, he is extremely popular.

—The hall benefit band concert will be held tonight. A programme of popular music has been prepared.

—The convention of the East Middlesex Teachers' Association is being held in the county buildings. There was a large attendance at this morning's session. The convention will continue until tomorrow evening.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.

The weekly sittings of the high court of justice was held this morning before Mr. Justice Meredith. The following cases were down for hearing: Alcorn v. Morrison—Motion for payment of money out of court, which was paid on account of a check, \$100, dated June 6, 1899. Ordered that money be paid out to plaintiff, with costs, fixed at \$10. Helmhuth for motion.

Edwards v. Edwards—Motion for partition on sale of lands. Enlarged for a week. Buchner, for motion; Foisbee, for adult defendant, and Betts, for official guardian.

Lewis v. Curry—Motion to confirm sale of real estate. Reserved. Farley, C.C., for motion.

DEATH OF MRS. M. B. GRIEVE.

Many friends in London and in Westminster township will be grieved to learn of the death of Mrs. Margaret Beattie Grieve, which occurred this morning at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Archibald Sharp, No. 330 Central avenue. Mrs. Grieve was born in Moffat, Scotland, in 1815, and came to Canada about 15 years ago, settling on the second concession of Westminster. Her husband, Mr. William Grieve, predeceased her some nineteen years ago, and for the past sixteen years she had lived in the city. Mrs. Grieve was one of the oldest members of the First Presbyterian Church. Her death was not unexpected, as her health had been failing for a considerable time. The surviving members of the family are John, the elder, of Westminster, and his wife, Mrs. Sharp, Miss Kate and Miss Mary Ann, of this city. The funeral will take place on Saturday to the Pond Mills cemetery.

TWO SERIOUS CHARGES

Against an Alias Craig Man—One of Maniaughter and Another of Illegally Practising Medicine.

About 1 o'clock this morning, Victor B. Hall was lodged in the county jail, upon commitment by E. B. Smith, of Alisa Craig, police magistrate for North Middlesex. There are two charges against Hall. He is first charged with carrying the death of one Christina Charlton, of North Middlesex, by withholding proper medical attendance, in consequence of which she died on May 7, and secondly, charged with illegally practicing medicine without a diploma. He will appear before Magistrate Smith, at Alisa Craig, on May 15.

SULLIVAN CONVICTED

Found Guilty of Stonethrowing on May 1—Michael O'Hearn Fined \$5 and Costs for Assaulting Sidney Lovelace.

In the police court this morning, before Magistrate Love, John Sullivan, of 341 Hill street, was adjudged guilty of throwing a stone at a street car on the night of May 1. James McDonald, motorman on car No. 90, swore to Sullivan as having thrown a stone at his car about 9 o'clock, near the corner of Dundas and Adelaide streets. Sullivan, who was before the court, did not see him again till the next morning. Sullivan was about a rod from the car when he threw the stone. Detective Egeiton testified to accompanying the labor procession, in which Sullivan was marching. He watched Sullivan closely, and several times saw him make a motion as if throwing stones. He had a clear view of Sullivan when the stone was thrown near Adelaide and Dundas, and saw him evidently throw it. Sullivan was two or three feet from the car at the time.

Detective Nickle saw Sullivan several times during the evening, but did not see him commit any unlawful acts. For the defense, William Sayles, bandmaster of the St. Thomas band, swore that Sullivan was in his constant sight from William street to Adelaide street, and had not thrown a stone. Sullivan had waved his arms around his head in cheering.

James Brown, drummer in the St. Thomas band, said that Sullivan was in his presence during a good part of the time of the procession, and he had not thrown any stone in his sight. The prisoner then took the stand, and positively denied any stonethrowing or illegal acts. The only motions he had made with his arms were in cheering.

The magistrate said that on the evidence he must find the prisoner guilty, and remanded him till Monday for sentence.

Michael O'Hearn, of Richmond street south, was found guilty of assaulting Sidney Lovelace, corporation foreman, because the latter remonstrated with him for appropriating for firewood planks from a sidewalk that was being replaced by cement. O'Hearn was fined \$5 and costs, amounting in all to \$9 75, or twenty days in jail.

A woman charged with drunkenness was let go.

NO STRAWBERRIES.

Fishkill, N. Y., May 10.—There was a heavy frost in this section last night. Ice a quarter of an inch thick covered the fruit crops are badly damaged. It is feared that the strawberry crop, which promised to be a large one, is entirely destroyed.

Running! Spring Requirements

Alabastine, per package, 40c.
Burrill's English Ready-mixed Paint, per gallon, \$1.20; per quart, 35c.
14-tooth Garden Rakes, 25c each.
Whitewash Brushes,
Carpet Tacks,

The Boers in Full Retreat

From the Zand.

Cavalry and Horse Artillery

Pursuing Them by Three Different Roads.

London, May 10—4:55 p.m.—The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Roberts:

"Cable Cart, Zand River, May 10—12:30 p.m.—The enemy are in full retreat. They occupied a position twenty miles in length. Ours was necessarily longer.

"With the widely-scattered forces it will take some time to learn the casualties, but I am hopeful we have not suffered much.

"The cavalry and horse artillery are pursuing the Boers by three different roads."

SHOT HIS FATHER

Terrible Tragedy Enacted in Toronto.

Arthur McIntyre, a Lad of 14 Years,

Put a Bullet Through His Father's Heart.

[Special to The Advertiser per G.N.W.]

Toronto, Ont., May 10.—Peter McIntyre, a prominent steamboat agent, was shot dead by his son Arthur at his office on Yonge street, this morning.

The boy is under arrest. He is only 14 years old.

DETAILS OF THE TRAGEDY.

The tragedy took place at 11 o'clock in the office of the McIntyre and Ontario Navigation Company on Yonge street, where the victim being the company's agent in Toronto, his son, in a violent quarrel, shooting him through the heart. It appears that Arthur, who is engaged as office boy, was sent out to get change for a cheque for \$10, and returned about 10:25. The office is divided into two parts, an outer and inner. There were three men in the outer, and Mr. McIntyre was seated alone in the inner room. The boy went in there and closed the door. About five minutes afterwards

A SHOT WAS HEARD.

Two of the men thought it was on the wharf, and rushed out there, but the third, Customs Officer McCuarg, went into Mr. McIntyre's office, and found him lying on the floor in one corner, while the boy, apparently raving, was writhing on the floor near by. Examination showed that Mr. McIntyre was shot through the heart, and was quite dead.

THE BOY CONFESES.

The boy, on being questioned, admitted the shooting. The devil, he said, had made him go to his father's trunk in the morning before he came down and bring the revolver with him. After getting the change he had

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THE TRIUMPH
OF TRUE LOVE

She could have borne anything better than that—the death of a husband or child, ruin, distress—anything, rather than that which had befallen her. "I will not bear it," she cried fiercely. "I will not bear it." What could she do? Having Violante blithely and easily could not help owing that her story was true. She could not refrain from acknowledging even to herself that she had drawn down her fate. She had not tried to injure Rupert, Violante would have lived and died with her secret unknown. She had destroyed herself by her own crime. Violante had faults; but Beatrice knew full well those sweet and gentle lips had never been stained by a lie. She was forced to believe, even against her will, that Violante had sacrificed herself for the welfare of her husband and son, and not to bring shame and disgrace to her.

Even while she loathed and detested her, she was forced to do homage to the beautiful soul of her rival, to the sublime spirit of self-sacrifice, to the abandonment of all things for her son's sake—greater far than she could ever have practiced. She was obliged to own to herself that although Violante had committed a great moral wrong, still the motives that had actuated her were all on the side of virtue; that the wrong itself was of such as only a high-souled, noble-minded woman could have committed; it was, after all, but a woman's error. If, therefore, the world should know that story, she knew what its verdict would be—praise of Violante, condemnation of her.

For the wrong she had done sprung from jealousy, from hatred and revenge, from hatred and malice; there was nothing grand about it. It began in jealous envy, and ended in an attempt at murder, with no single circumstance to excuse it. She stood there like a beautiful sullen fiend, forced to own that the Nemesis she had laughed at and scorned had overtaken her at last. Further than that she would not go. She would not say to herself that her sin had found her out, and heaven itself had punished her. She scoffed at the notion. "Her fate," she said to herself with a sneer, "was in her own hands, and she might win yet."

She would not own herself baffled and defeated yet—not while her heart beat and her brain could shape ideas. No, a thousand times over. It was a close fight, an equally drawn battle. One short hour ago she had believed herself baffled and felled, now her courage returned; the blood ran warm in her veins, the sudden glowing look died from her face, a flush of color and light made her look like herself again. Yes, there was still hope.

Not until evening was that hateful secret to be made known. She had still many hours, and it was, perhaps, in her power to sweep the woman she hated from her path—to slay her as she would have slain her son. The value of a human life was as nothing to her in her moody madness. What did it matter, if, after death, the secret were known? It would be hushed up then. Lord Selwyn would do anything to keep it from the world. After death its revelation would not injure her. His lordship would then, in all probability, look upon her as deeply injured. They would have to go through the marriage ceremony again, and there it would end; no more would be heard of the matter.

As for the sin—ban! what mattered sin! "If a man sees a tigress ready to spring upon him and rend his heart, he sees no harm in shooting it down," she cried. "Why should my heart, my honor, my fair name and that of my son be rent? Why should I not destroy the one who would so rend it?"

With flushed face and gleaming eyes she paced up and down her magnificent room. "The first thing," she cried, "I will drive to Redruth and get what I want. Before the sun sets we shall see who wins."

She never thought of going to sleep, her brain was too excited, her heart too much agitated. Sleep while she lived—that hated, loathed woman! Then she began to think. A thousand little incidents came to her mind. How she regretted ever having built a school!

"The only good action I ever put myself about to perform," she said, "and this is the result." How she wished that she had overcome her indecision on that day when the goddess was chosen.

"If I had seen her first, and had seen her as a stranger," she said, "she would never have been chosen." Then she thought after all how much bitterly this woman who was her rival must have suffered. Here she had been all these long months constantly in the presence of her husband and son, yet they had never known her, not had she dared to recognize them. She remembered the day when Violante had

come up to see little Lance, how she had held the child in her arms, and how gladly had fallen on its face. She remembered, too, how patiently she, who in reality was mistress of Selwyn Castle, had submitted to be patronized by her, and her whole soul did homage, though most unwillingly, to the gentle, graceful humility, the sweet, womanly virtues of her rival.

Her purpose gained strength every hour. No need to enter into the terrible details—no need to darken a memory that was never too fair. When the sun rose she had regained her outward calm; she was herself again; stern, cold and proud. She was the first to descend to the breakfast room. The morning was beautiful, as some of the darkest days in life often are—serene and bright, the sky blue, the air fragrant, the birds singing, bees and butterflies hovering around the sweetest blossoms, a morning that reminds one of paradise. Lord Vivian had not yet left his room. Beatrice went to the window, opened it, stretched out her hands idly, and gathered one of the large white roses that came peeping in. She stood idly watching the sky, the trees, the flowers, and no warning came to her of what that bright, sunny morning might bring forth; there was no cloud in the sky, no dirge in the sweet, joyous music of nature, no knell in the glad song of the happy birds.

And no remorse came to her, either. She thought, quite calmly, of the fact that, before that same bright sun set she should have taken her revenge—she should be to all intents and purposes Lady Selwyn, with no rival to her, no fair-haired woman to dread. Before the sun set!

The cry of a little child aroused her. It was pretty, imperious Lance, led in by his nurse. "I beg a thousand pardons my lady," she said, "but Master Lance will not be dressed until he has been in to kiss his mamma."

She turned and took him from the woman's arms. Wicked, one, had as she was, there was unbounded love in her heart for this her only child. She kissed his beautiful face, she caressed his bonny curls, she twined the soft, loving little arms around her neck, and called him by every endearing name she could invent.

Then to herself she murmured: "It is all for you, my darling—all for you." And again no warning came to her that the soft little hands caressed her for the last time—that for the last time that beautiful head was nestled to her heart—that never more would the baby lips kiss her or her name be called in warnings, although even at that moment a dense, dark shadow hung over her, a stern angel, with drawn sword, stood by her side.

"Take him away now, nurse," she said; "I hear Lord Selwyn coming." And long afterward the woman told how, when she reached the door, the babe looked back and cried, "Mamma!" and her mistress took him again, laid him on the sweetest caresses upon him, calling him by the most endearing names.

"Poor lady!" said the nurse afterward when she told the story; "it seemed as though she knew what was going to happen, for she never kissed the baby again."

CHAPTER XXI.
"I have such good news," Beatrice said Lord Selwyn as he entered the breakfast room. "I have just been to see Rupert, and he is sleeping like a baby; looking so much better, that I feel sure, with the blessing of Heaven, he will be up with us in a week or so. I am so happy, Beatrice—so very happy—I do not deserve such a blessing."

And in the fullness of his heart, Lord Selwyn bent down and kissed his wife's face. "How your forehead burns, Beatrice," he cried; "how ill you look. Your eyes have great shadows around them." "I have not slept," she answered quietly, "and that always makes me ill."

"Why do you not sleep?" he asked, kindly. "You must be more careful of your health, Beatrice; I should not like you to fall ill." "I am not ill, Vivian," she said. "It was my old enemy, neuralgia, that kept me awake; as Rupert is better, I shall drive over to Redruth this morning and get something for it." "Why need you go to Redruth?" he asked. "Doctor Danvers will be here at noon; see him, and let him prescribe for you."

"I think not," she said. "I always use the same remedy; I can tell you, procure at any chemist's shop—nothing else ever relieves me; besides, I shall enjoy the drive." "I am afraid you will be disappointed," he said; "the chemist's remedy can never drive the pain away, and must not be driven this week; the Black Prince has a cold; so that out of four good carriage horses, there is not one available."

"I will drive the chestnut ponies myself," she said. But her husband interrupted her. "Not for the world, Beatrice," he cried. "They are not broken in yet; your life would not be safe. I could not think of it."

[To be Continued.]

A Woman's Eyes

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The Premier Sees Elements of
Peril to Britain.

A "Root of Bitterness" That He
Cannot Explain.

Hookey, the London Financial Company
Promoter, Again on Top—Rumor
That Commaisse Has Fallen.

London, May 10.—The annual gathering of the Primrose League was held in Albert Hall yesterday. Lord Salisbury, who presided, commented on the remarkable change which had taken place in the latter half of the century in the views of the people regarding the empire. He said the death of Gordon had been avenged. Perhaps it was too soon to say the great humiliation of Majuba had been effaced, but he felt they were on the road to accomplish that end. Under the brilliant guidance of Lord Roberts, 200,000 soldiers—a larger army than had ever before been sent across the same expanse of sea—were now engaged in reducing to obedience a practical independence. We have learned never to have been released, and to restore to South Africa the only chance it had of peace, development and tranquility.

THE IRISH PROBLEM.
The premier referred to the Irish problem, and said: Mr. Gladstone, in an evil moment for the fame of the country and for his party, attached himself to the idea of the separation of England and Ireland. There has been a long struggle, but no one can say the home rule cause has any elements of sanguine anticipation for the future. Apart from the fate of former struggles, I am still assured there is no hope of the predominant partner ever assenting to give Ireland practical independence. We have learned something from the South African war, how a disloyal government, in spite of warnings, could accumulate armaments against the most powerful country, and thus secure a terrible advantage. We now know better than we did ten years ago what a risk it would be if we gave a disloyal government in Ireland the power of accumulating armaments against this country. Mr. Gladstone shattered his own party, so that for the moment they were erased and a powerless factor in English politics.

MEANINGS AND PERILS.
And it must not be imagined that the effacement is likely to be permanent. Hereafter external affairs will occupy a considerably large place among the problems we have to solve. Not necessarily because they are in themselves important, but if we look around we can see the elements and causes of menace and peril today accumulating, and they may amount to such a point as to require our earnest and most active efforts to repel them. I am nervous at using language of such a kind, lest it should be thought that I am indicating that something is known to the foreign office by pointing out this possible danger. But I wish most emphatically to say I have no idea of that kind. The state of affairs, as I know it, and so far as England is concerned, is peaceful. It is impossible to speak too highly of the careful, calm neutrality which has been observed by all the governments of the world.

PREJUDICES AGAINST BRITAIN.
But a certain section of their subjects—not, I hope, a very large, though thought that I am indicating that something is known to the foreign office by pointing out this possible danger. But I wish most emphatically to say I have no idea of that kind. The state of affairs, as I know it, and so far as England is concerned, is peaceful. It is impossible to speak too highly of the careful, calm neutrality which has been observed by all the governments of the world.

PRECAUTION NECESSARY.
The premier then urged the necessity of precaution in time, remarking that the material for military aggression was yearly increasing in power and efficiency among every one of the great nations, adding: "In every case in history the great maritime power has been paralyzed—killed, not by disasters suffered in its provinces, but by a blow directed at the heart. The British navy, of course, could be sufficient. But are we wise in placing all our eggs in one basket? As to land defense, so far as I can see anything in the nature of a conscription is not a remedy; the country is prepared to accept. Therefore, we must induce the people to voluntarily put themselves in a position to defend their homes and country. The Primrose League can do much to foster the

CREATION OF RIFLE CLUBS.
If once the feeling could be propagated that it is the duty of every able-bodied Englishman to make himself competent to meet an invading enemy, we would make the chances of an assailant so bad that no assailant would appear."

This statement was greeted with loud applause. After a resolution urging British subjects to prepare in times of peace, so as to be ready to play their part in time of imperial emergency, had been passed by acclamation, the meeting adjourned.

HOOKEY BOBS UP AGAIN.
London, May 10.—The Daily Mail asserts that the concessionaire to whom Emperor Nicholas has granted the right to work gold fields, 8,000 square miles in area, Ena, 64, the Nertschinsk region of Siberia—fields which are the czar's private property, and have hitherto been worked under the direction of his private cabinet—Mr. Ernest Terah Hookey, the London financial company promoter and speculator, who came to grief in the summer of 1898, in sensational circumstances, and who narrowly escaped prosecution on the charge of fraud.

Mr. Hookey, who is described by the Daily Mail as apparently again in the greatest affluence, says, in the course of an interview published by the Daily Mail: "By a single move I have won everything back, and I am again on top. A company has been formed, and capital to the amount of

£5,000,000 has been secured. Every member of the czar's cabinet is interested, and two of his strongest councillors are on the board of directors. The other directors are business men. There are no titled names. I have had reports of cards and lords as directors."

RUMOR THAT COMMAISSE HAS
FALLEN.

Accra, Gold Coast, May 10.—A rumor is current here that Commaisse has fallen and it is believed that the Adms Kwahus and Khoranaz are secretly joining the insurgents. The wires are down to Prahsu.

Kingston, Jamaica, May 10.—The military authorities here today received a cable dispatch from the British war office ordering all the available officers of the West India regiment to proceed immediately by the shortest route to Cape Coast Castle to join the expedition against the Ashantis.

CABLE NOTES.
The United States consul-general at Hong Kong cabled the secretary of state yesterday that the plague has broken out at that port. The advance in the price of printing paper in this country is reflected in a decided increase in the cost of papers of all kinds in France.

CHINA'S DOOR

Britain and America Should Co-
operate to Keep It Open.

New York, May 10.—Sir Thomas Jackson, chief manager of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, a subject of the emperor, and Wang Tung Fang, Chinese minister to the United States, advocated on the same platform in Delmonico's on Wednesday no dismemberment of China, an open door to commerce, and America and England should endeavor to keep open markets for the trade of the world.

One hundred members of the American Asiatic Association tendered a dinner to Sir Thomas, Everett Fraser, president of the association, presided. Others at the guests' table were the Chinese minister, Seth Low, Sir Percy Sanderson, the British consul-general, and Bishop Potter. Sir Thomas said: "China needs your western enterprise. Secretary Hay deserves great credit for his position in favor of an open door and no special privileges. This is Great Britain's position also. Future trouble between nations will arise from the contest for commercial supremacy. There will be no more religious war. What more appropriate than that Britain and America should be found standing shoulder to shoulder to keep open the markets of the world? I believe we are on the eve of a great era of development in China, which will bring British, American and European enterprise, new railways, open waterways to the interior, and a reformed fiscal policy. With such a future I see no limit to the possible expansion of your China trade."

Wu Tung Fang was cheered repeatedly when he said: "I subscribe to what Sir Thomas has said. There is a widespread popular notion that my nation is about to be broken up, but I am very glad that so old and so good a Chinaman as Sir Thomas is here to deny that assertion. China has survived many centuries and withstood many vicissitudes. I believe she is to survive many centuries yet as a nation."

Light and Shade.

Court-ships don't sail well in stormy weather.

Young Physician—But isn't \$7 a week rather an exorbitant rent for such a small room?

Landlady—Oh, dear no; not for a doctor.

Young Physician—And why not for a doctor, pray?

Landlady—Because this is a very unhealthy house, and there is never a week passes but that half a dozen of my roomers are ill.

Cecile—What would you give to have such hair as mine?

Jeannie—I don't know. What did you give?

"My dear," said Growells, "you are simply talking nonsense."

"I know it," replied his better half, "but it's because I want you to understand what I say."

"What does she say?" asked the crafty politician, who had referred the committee to his wife for information as to his intentions.

"She refuses to talk," replied the spokesman of the committee.

"Then I won't wait and see you met, gentlemen," he rejoined, with great positiveness. "It was somebody else."

She—I have been photographed every year of my life.

He—Dear me, what a stupendous collection you must have!

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The experience of Mr. Blackwell is similar to that of many sufferers with chronic indigestion. Stomach medicines will seldom really cure indigestion. The kidneys and liver must be set right and the bowels made regular and active.

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Mr. Joseph Blackwell, Holmesville, Ont., says: "I derived more benefit from the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills than from any other medicine I ever took, and can highly recommend them for stomach troubles. I was in a terrible state and could hardly work at my trade. I tried most every kind of medicine and doctors, until I was tired of doctoring, and before I used one box of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills I could see that they were helping me, and after taking a box and a half, found that I was cured."

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[Air: "Enniskillen Dragoon."] Fawcett to our parents,

Farewell for a while,
And all round the borders
Of our dear Canadian soil;
We are leaving home and loved ones,
Whom we may see no more,
We are going out to Africa,
To fight against the Boer.

O Canada, fair Canada,
Shall we ever see you more,
Or are our bones to lie and bleach
Upon a foreign shore?
We are fighting for our home and flag,
That waves o'er land and seas,
The flag that braved a thousand years
Still flutters in the breeze.

If we should fall upon the field,
As many a hero's done,
We'll show them that Canadian boys
Would rather die than run;
And when we meet the enemy
Upon the battlefield,
We will let them see our volunteers
Were never made to yield.

We'll rally 'round old England's flag,
Long may it ever wave,
O'er Canada's fair and noble sons,
That never yet were slaves.

But when the war is over,
We'll give three British cheers,
And we'll all welcome home again
Our Canadian volunteers.

—Written by S. A. Laughlin, Watford, Ont.

"Murder will out." Impurities in the blood will also be sure to show themselves unless expelled by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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Railways and Navigation

INTERCOLONIAL
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On and after Sunday, Jan. 14, 1900, the
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(via Grand Trunk Railway) at 9 a.m.
and 9:30 p.m., make close connection
with the Maritime Express and Local
Express at Bonaventure Depot, Mon-
treal, as follows:

The Maritime Express will leave Montreal daily except Saturday, at 11:30 a.m., and Sunday at 11:45 a.m. for Halifax, N. S., John, N. B., and points in the Maritime Provinces.

The Maritime Express from Halifax, St. John and other points east, will arrive at Montreal daily except on Monday, at 6:30 p.m.

The Local Express will leave Montreal daily, except Sunday, at 7:40 a.m., due to arrive at Riviere du Loup at 6:00 p.m.

The Local Express will leave Riviere du Loup daily, except Sunday, at 12 noon, and Lewis at 4:30 p.m., due to arrive at Montreal at 10:10 p.m.

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\$10—Excursion to Boston, via West Shore—\$10.

The West Shore Railroad will run a popular ten-day excursion to Boston, on the 25th of May, from Suspension Bridge to Buffalo, at the extremely low rate of \$10 for the round trip, and tickets will be good for return, up to and including June 4. This is a splendid time of the year to visit Boston, and, Decoration Day happening on the 30th, excursionists will have a splendid opportunity of witnessing the ceremonies. Ask West Shore agents or write H. Parry, general agent, Buffalo, for information. 46-ub

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, May 9, 5 p.m.—The depression which covered the St. Lawrence valley last night has now passed over our Atlantic coast, and the Northwest high area has moved southward to Iowa. The weather is very warm in the Northwest, and a change to warm is indicated for Ontario, spreading later on to Quebec. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 54-58; Calgary, 34-72; Qu'Appelle, 46-56; Winnipeg, 20-68; Port Arthur, 30-62; Sault Ste. Marie, 24-42; Toronto, 36-48; Ottawa, 32-42; Montreal, 36-42; Quebec, 36-42; Halifax, 40-60.

Local temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Wednesday, May 9, were 55 and 37 degrees.

Today (Thursday) the sun rose at 4:58 a.m., and sets at 7:30 p.m. The moon rose at 8:50 p.m., and sets at 2:43 a.m.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

In youth, man can't abide a fraud, he punishes him down at home, abroad— But learning where his own faults be, With years awaketh charity. —Puck.

—Dr. D. M. Fraser and Miss Fraser, of Stratford, are at the Tecumseh.

—Col. Stacey will remove his family to this city tomorrow from St. Thomas.

—Chief Roe paid \$150 for Dr. Blackwell yesterday for a new horse for No. 2 station.

—Mrs. Charles David, of Chatham, formerly of London, is visiting friends in the city.

—Pamphlets of all descriptions printed neatly and cheaply at Advertiser Job Printing Department.

—Mr. John Agar has sold his residence, No. 865 Dundas Street, to Dr. E. B. White, of South London.

—Mr. Lew Sheldrick left for Toronto yesterday, after attending the funeral of the late Miss Bella Boxall.

—Evangelist H. D. Kennedy has gone to Toronto to visit Mr. John M. Whyte to arrange for summer work.

—Miss Lila Holdbrook, of Waterford, is visiting Mrs. E. J. Griffith, her cousin, at 213 Bathurst Street, city.

—Mr. Charles W. Austin has purchased a 45-foot building lot on Wellington Street, near Hyman Street, for \$1,200.

—The firemen extinguished an incipient blaze at 240 Hyman Street last evening with the aid of chemicals. The damage was slight.

—St. Thomas Times: Rev. Dr. Smith, London, and Mrs. Smith were in the city last evening, the guests of Mrs. Smith's sister, Miss Rosevear.

—Miss Minnie Fox, of Elmwood Avenue, left yesterday for Windsor, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Sale, for several weeks.

—Mr. Thomas E. Pound, who for seven years has been general agent for the Wortman & Ward Company, has resigned, having accepted a position with the Newcombe Piano Company, of Toronto.

—At the McMaster University examinations, Mr. A. C. Watson and Mr. John McLaughlin, two ex-pupils of the London Collegiate Institute, secured honors, each ranking first in the third and first year respectively.

—Charles Ayers, the young man who met with a serious accident about five weeks ago on the C. P. R., in this city, and who lost both legs, was able yesterday to be removed from St. Joseph's

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Hospital to his home on Adelaide Street.

—Sheriff Cameron has purchased the T. D. Hodgson property at the corner of Waterloo and Grosvenor streets. It is understood that the price paid was in the neighborhood of \$7,500. The transfer was effected through A. A. Campbell, real estate agent.

—The contract for building a brick residence for Mr. John Govenlock, at Hubrey, Westminster township, has been awarded to Hyatt Bros., contractors, of this city. Mr. D. D. McCallum, of Derwent, will build the masonry and concrete foundations.

—Miss Bessie H. Steele, youngest daughter of Mr. Steele, of Port Stanley, arrived home Wednesday evening on her return from New York, where she attended the convention of graduate trained nurses last week at delegate from the largest hospital in Chicago.

—The quarterly rally of the Local Union of Christian Endeavor, held in Woodstock on Tuesday evening was most successful. The principal address of the evening was delivered by Mr. E. A. McCreary, of this city, and formerly president of the union. The subject was "The Ideal Relationship of Christian Endeavor to the State."

—A young couple recently registered at a city hotel as James M. Bell, of New Orleans, and Miss Ida Owens, of Chicago. They were assigned to different rooms, and the next morning Mr. Bell told the clerk that the young lady had promised to become his wife, and they desired to be married before she arrived at her home in Toronto. With the assistance of the clerk, a license was procured, and Rev. Dr. Smith performed the ceremony at 1 o'clock the same day. Mr. and Mrs. Bell left by the next train for the east.

—Actions have been brought in the first division court of this county by Misses B. F. and Elita Burdett against the Forest City hat works and John C. Green, proprietor, that involve the question of the right of a person not a British subject to recover in Canada on a contract for wages made abroad. It appears that Mr. Green, through his manager, Mr. M. H. Ryder, contracted with the plaintiffs, who belonged to Plymouth, Mass., to come to Canada to work for him in the hat business, and that he dismissed them from his service without a moment's notice. The young ladies claim that they were engaged for the season, which ends on June 1 next, and they brought an action against Mr. Green to recover some \$100, which they say is due them either for wages or for damages for alleged wrongful dismissal. To these actions Mr. Green has entered defense, in which he claims the benefit of Dominion statutes restraining the importation and employment of aliens.

BIBLE SOCIETY MEETING.

The Bible Society meeting at the First Methodist Church tonight promises to be very largely attended, as much interest is being taken in the visit of Rev. Canon Edmonds, B.D., and Rev. James Thomas, of London, England. Both the distinguished divines will address the meeting.

RECRUITING FOR THE DRAGOONS.

Sergt.-Major Seaton, of Stanley Barracks, Toronto, is in the city endeavoring to secure recruits for the Royal Canadian Dragoons. The inducements offered are free rations and clothing, and pay ranging from \$12 to \$40 per month. Men of good character, over 5 feet 7 inches in height, and having a chest measurement of 34 inches, are desired. He will be in the drill shed until Saturday.

THE CAMP.

An Ottawa dispatch says: The annual camps of instruction will be held this year as follows: Artillery—At Deseronto, three brigades of about 400 men each; drilling June 5, June 19 and July 2 respectively. Cavalry and Infantry—At London, three brigades of about 400 men each; drilling June 12; at Kingston, 3,800 men, June 26; at La Prairie, 4,000 men, June 26; at Levis, 3,000 men, June 26; at Aldershot, N. S., 2,000 men, Sept. 11.

ARE NOT HEATHEN

Rev. Dr. Johnston Good Humorously Protested Against Canada's Classification

And the United States Audience Took It in Good Part—An Incident of the New York Bazaar Conference.

In a recent issue of the Montreal Star appeared the following reference to Rev. Dr. Johnston, of St. Andrew's Church, the article being evidently clipped from a United States newspaper:

"Canadians have by this time grown accustomed to hearing their broad Dominion described by those who know nothing of the subject as a land of almost perpetual snow and ice, but the attempt made at the recent ecumenical missionary conference in New York to represent her as a heathen country, will come as a rude surprise to them. And yet this is exactly what happened at this monster gathering. There were people there who would have gone back to their homes carrying with them that impression of Canada, had the Canadian delegates held their peace. It remained for Dr. Johnston, of London, to correct this impression, and he did it in no uncertain manner. When the Canadian delegates arrived at Carnegie Hall, they noticed among the prominent decorations of the auditorium a large map representing the world. This was so colored as to show at a glance the heathen, Mohammedan and Christian countries of the globe. The Christian countries were colored in a bright crimson, the Mohammedan in drab, and the heathen in black. Now, on this precious map in question there was a great black patch on

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Canada, extending from the northern boundaries of Ontario and Quebec right up to the Arctic Ocean, and including Alaska. There was no black patch, however, on the United States. The Canadians looked in amazement at the map. Was it possible, they asked, that the person who drew it could have such a poor conception of the Dominion? The map roused the ire of Dr. Johnston, of London, and at the first opportunity that presented itself he drew the attention of the bureau of information to its inaccuracy. Canada was not a heathen country, he said. There were not 40,000 heathens in the whole Dominion, and there were comparatively few places within its enormous bounds where the Gospel had not been preached. The map was wrong, and he wanted it changed. He wanted the black covered with red, and the quicker it was done the better he would like it. He did not want Canada misrepresented. He pointed out that the United States had more heathens, in proportion to its population, than Canada had, and yet the whole of that country had been painted in red. This was unfair, and he, as a Canadian, resented it. The map was supposed to give accurate information, but in so far as least as Canada was concerned, the very opposite was the case. The chairman, at the conclusion of Dr. Johnston's protest, said that at the next ecumenical conference, Canada would be represented in the color asked for by the reverend gentleman.

When Dr. Johnston was shown the above and asked as to its accuracy, he said: "It is practically true, but gives a rather serious view of what was really a somewhat humorous and altogether pleasant incident. I am always glad to speak a good word for Canada, and when the discussion was on 'Denominational Unity in Mission Work,' I took the opportunity of telling how the churches of our land had led the world in this matter, and then said: 'It is practically true, but gives a rather serious view of what was really a somewhat humorous and altogether pleasant incident. I am always glad to speak a good word for Canada, and when the discussion was on 'Denominational Unity in Mission Work,' I took the opportunity of telling how the churches of our land had led the world in this matter, and then said: 'It is practically true, but gives a rather serious view of what was really a somewhat humorous and altogether pleasant incident. 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