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SUNDAY IN LONDON

What Is Going On in the Leading Churches of the City.

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ADELAIDE STREET BAPTIST Church-Pastor, Rev. T. S. Johnson. Services, II a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 2:45 p.m.

ANNIVERSARY SERMONS - RICH-MOND Street Mission, by Revs. Leaand Claris. AUDITORIUM, SUNDAY, AT 4:15 P.M.

Rev. Dr. Sowerby will give the second of the "Science Talks to Men." Ser-vice of song led by Male Chorus. b ASKIN STREET METHODIST CHURCH -The pastor will preach morning and evening.

CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH -Services conducted by the pastor. Union monthly Fellowship Meeting at Some special features in the

evening service. CHALMERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Rev. Walter Moffat, pastor. Special evangelistic services tomorrow, il a.m., p.m., and each evening till Wednesday at 8 p.m. Communion postponed till next Sabbath.

COLBORNE STREET METHODIST Church-Rev. A. K. Birks, pastor, will conduct both services. Evening sub-ject, "The Prohibition Issue."

DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST Church—Rev. Richard Hobbs, of Wing-ham, will preach at both services. Morning—Anthem, "O Worship the King" (Maunder); solo, "Just for To-day" (Abbott). Evening—Anthem, "The Morning (Maunder); solo, "Just for following (Abbott). Evening—Anthem, "The Heavens Declare the Glory of God" (Behrend); solo and chorus, "O Lord, My Strength" (Godard— Thou Art My Strength" (Godard-Schnecker); solo, "Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne" (Matthews).

EMPRESS AVENUE METHODIST Church-Rev. T. E. Harrisch, pastor. Missionary services. Morning, 11; Rev. George J. Bishop. Evening, 7; Rev. R. D. Hamilton. Special collection and subscriptions.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST (SCIENTIST)—Services Sundays, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Wednesdays, 8 p.m. David S. Robb, C.S.B., First Reader.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH, CORNER Wellington street and Dufferin avenue—Public services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The Rev. Thomas E. Harrison will conduct the services in the conduct the conduct the conduct the conduct the services in the conduct the will conduct the services in the morn-ing, and the pastor, Rev. George J. Bishop in the evening.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-Rev. W. J. Clark, pastor. Services, 11 a.m., 7 p.m., conducted by pastor. Sunday School and Society for Bible Study, 3 p.m.

HAMILTON ROAD METHODIST Church—Rev. S. J. Allin, pastor. 11 a.m., "Faith and Knowledge." 7 p.m., "Ruth's Choice."

KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church-Rev. Thomas Wilson, pastor, will preach. Communion at the morning service. Strangers welcome.

MAITLAND STREET BAPTIST Church-Morning, "The Christian's Right Mind." Evening, "Judged by a Man in Eternity." Seats free. All

MEMORIAL CHURCH, CORNER OF Queen's avenue and William streets-Queen's avenue and William streets—Rev. C. C. Owen, B.A., rector. Third Sunday in Lent. Morning service and Holy Communion at 11. Evening service at 7; the rector will preach. Sunday School at 3 and Bible Class at 3:15.

NEW ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN Church-Pev. A. J. MacGillivray, M.A., pastor. Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by pastor. Sunday School and Bible Class, 3 p.m.

SOUTH LONDON BAPTIST CHURCH— Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p.m. Pastor William Pocock will preach.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN Church-Rev. Robert Johnston, D.D., pastor. The pastor will preach at both services. 11 a.m., Communion; 7 p.m., "In Peril in Pekin"; 3 p.m., Sabbath School and Pastor's Class.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, SOUTH LON-DON-Services conducted by the rector, Rev. Archdeacon Evans Davis.

ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL-MORNING "Venite" (Hervey), "Benedicite" (Best), "Benedictus" (Stainer). Preacher, the Dean. Evening—"Magnificat" (Vincent),
"Nunc Dimittis"; anthem, "Turn Thy
Face From My Sins" (Sullivan).
Preacher, Rev. Canon Dann, B.A. Holy
Communion after morning service. Collection for poor fund.

TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH -Rev. A. T. Sowerby, Ph.D., LL.D., pastor. Il a.m., special sermon to students of Forest City Business College; 7 p.m., "The Snares of Sin," as illustrated in the palace of Herod.

WELLINGTON STREET METHODIST Church—II a.m., the pastor; 7 p.m., Rev. T. E. Harrison. Anthem, "Blessed are the People" (Thayer); solo, Mr. Garthwaite. Evening—Anthem, "He Maketh Peace" (Thayer); duet, "Light at Eventide."

MEETINGS.

THE MEMBERS OF PROSPECT Lodge, No. 10. Knights of PROSPECT Lodge, No. 10. Knights of Pythias, are invited to attend a progressive pedro party to be held in Castle Hall. Monday evening March 3. J. Sholdice, K. of R. and S.

MUSICIANS' PROTECTIVE ASSOCIA-TION meets March 9, 2:30 p.m. Every TION meets March 3, 2.00 p.m. member requested to attend. Charter fee closes March 4. C. N. Perrin, sec-retary. 17u-xt

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BORN.

MILLAR-At 523 Dufferin avenue, on March 1, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Millar, & son.

WILSON-On Feb. 28, 1902, Margaret, beloved wife of John Wilson, aged 77

Funeral from family residence, 89 Sackville street, Sunday, March 2, at 2 p.m.; services at 1:30. FORSTER-On Feb. 22, 1902, at Victoria Hospital, London, William Winkfield Forster, aged 17 years, 11 months and 4 days.

The deceased was a grandson of Fuller

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SPRING AND SUMMER SAILINGS, Anchor Line, New York to Glasgow, via Derry—Anchoria, March 15; Fur-nessia, March 29; Astoria, April 12; Anchoria, April 19. F. B. Clarke, agent Anchor Line, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

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Geo. H. Pearce, lot 15, Gore, Westminster, Tuesday, March 4, 1902; dairy cows, etc. Sale at 1 p.m. A. M. Hunt, auc-Mrs. George Axford, lot 23, con. 3, Southwold. Wednesday, March 5, 1902; farm stock, implements, etc. Sale at 1 p.m. sharp. A. M. Hunt, auctioneer.

FEMALE HELP WANTED. Ic per word first insertion, and 1/2c word each subsequent insertion, advertisement less than ten words. WANTED-LADY BOOKKEEPER, ONE

who has had experience preferred. Address Box 96. Advertiser, 20c GIRLS WANTED. APPLY SUPERIN-TENDENT of D. S. Perrin & Co. 19tf WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A GOOD general servant. Apply Mrs. J. R. Elliott, 98 Horton. 19c

WANTED AT ONCE-COOK AND kitchen girl. Apply Central House

WANTED—A CAPABLE HOUSEMAID, by March 6. Apply to Mrs. John Labatt, 572 Queen's avenue. 17tf

WANTED.

WANTED TO PURCHASE—MODERN house, 4 bedrooms. State lowest cash price. Correspondent strictly confidential. Address Box 98, Advertiser. 20c COME AND SEE OUR NATURAL Ponipadours. They are perfect. Combings wanted. Miller's Hair Store, 222 Dundas street.

WANTED TO RENT.

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BUSINESS CHANCES. le per word first insertion, and ½c per

TO LET-STORE AND DWELLING-Adjoining Jepson's drug store, corned Horton and Wellington streets, one of the finest business locations in city. Apply 404 King street. TO RENT-LARGE GROCERY STORE and dwelling. A good business stand. Apply J. W. G. Winnett, barrister, 420 Talbot street.

GROCERY BUSINESS FOR SALE-Good chance. Address Box 90, Advertiser office. 13tf BAKE SHOP FOR RENT. INQUIRE at St. James P. O., London South,

BUSINESS CARDS. WILLIAM G. AUSTIN, BAKER, FOR-merly of 767 Dundas street, has re-moved to corner of Egerton and Hackett streets. He will deliver bread daily

HODGSON & HOWARD, PAINTERS.

paper-hangers. Estimates free. 410 Horton street. Orders promptly done. WATSON & CO., HOUSE MOVERS— Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 194 Hamilton road. Phone 1,231. BOARDING, ROOMS, ETC.

LARGE FURNISHED OR UNFUR-NISHED parlor to let, 356 Dufferin avenue.

COMFORTABLE ROOMS, WITH board can be had at 411 King street. WITH AUCTION SALE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, ON Wednesday, March 5, at 416 York street— Neil Cooper has received instructions to sell contents of well-furnished house, comprising in part parlor furniture, odd pleces carpets, handsome dining room suite (quarter-cut oak), leather seated

are as good as new; only in use about three months. Sale at 10:30. NEIL COOPER, auctioneer. 20u-ty Household Furniture. Pianos, Carpet, etc., by Auction, at Jones' Auction Rooms, Tuesday, March 4, at 10:30 a.m. TWO PIANOS, 3 ORGANS, 1 MUSIC stool, 2 parlor suites, 4 easy chairs, 1 couch, 2 sofas, 3 oil paintings, 4 water colors (signed, original), 1 onyx stand, 3 eight-day clocks, 3 sideboards, 2 bureaus and stands, 1 bronze figure, 3 bedroom suites (with marble tops), 1 piece fretwork (7 feet), 1 hall stand, 1 music stand, 1 bedroom cabinet, 1 mock mantel, 1 fine toller set 1 walnut deek (cell force). toilet set, 1 walnut desk (roll front), 1 picture of city, 1 chiffonier, 1 wardrobe (light wood), 2 screens, 3 center tables, marble mantel clock, 1 folding Lloyd water heater, 1 button machine, 1 rocker, 1 whatnot, 200 yards Wilton and Brussels carpet, 7½ yards oilcloth, 1 baby carriage, 4 bedsteads, 4 sewing machines, 3 gas cooking stoves, rugs, etc. Consignments received until time of sale.

J. W. JONES, Auctioneer,

chairs, sofa, dinner set, contents of three pedrooms, coal stove, gas stove (new), also range, kitchen utensils. The goods

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT to an act of the Parliament of Canada, being 56 Victoria, Chapter 51, intituled "An Act Respecting the London and Port Stanley Railway Company," and pursuant to section 239 of the Rail-way Act. an application will be made for the approval of the Governor in Coun the approval of the Governor in Council at the City of Ottawa, on Thursday, the thirteenth day of March, A. D. 1902, of a certain indenture of lease made between the London and Port Stanley Railway Company of the first part, the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway Company of the second part, and the Corporation of the City of London of the third part, whereby the said the London Corporation of the City of London of the third part, whereby the said the London and Port Stanley Railway Company leases to the said the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway Company, subject to the rents. conditions, provisos and agreements therein contained, its line of railway between London and Port Stanley, for the period of thirty years from the first day of January, A. D. 1901.

AND TAKE NOTICE, that all persons interested therein may then and there appear and be heard on such application. Dated at London, this seventh day of January, A. D. 1902. C. A. KINGSTON, secretary of the London and Port Stanley Railway Company.

ley Railway Company. London Waterworks.

TENDERS -- SUPPLIES. SEALED TENDERS will be received at the Waterworks Office up to 4 p.m., Monday, March 3, for the following supplies required during the year:
Oils, coal, brass goods, stop-cock boxes,
valves, valve boxes, hydrants, lead pipe, hardware, lumber, rubber goods, cotton waste, packing, printing book and book-binding, pipe laying, cast iron pipe and castings Further information may be obtained at the office of Moore & Henry, Albion building.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOHN M. MOORE,

Engineer and Superintendent.

WM. JONES, Chairman.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP—Take notice, that the partnership herefore existing between Peter L. Marden, Benjamin V. Hole and John F. Langley, carrying on business in the City of London under the firm and style of P. L. Marden & Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due the late firm are to be paid to the Forest City Paving Company, by whom all debts owing by the Said P. L. Marden & Co. will be paid. Dated at London this 27th day of February, 1902. (Sgd.) P. L. MARDEN, (Sgd.) B. V. HOLE, (Sgd.) J. F. LANGLEY.

Keep Your Hair Thick and Glossy.

No reason why your hair shouldn't be beautiful when "Oriental" Rum and Quinine Hair Tonic costs so little. This favorite preparation both protects and preserves the hair. It nourishes the roots-stimulates them to new growth-stops the hair from falling out-cleans the scalpcures dandruff-makes the hair grow soft, silky and luxuriant,

Large bottles, 50 cents. CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE, Chemists and Druggists.

216 Dundas St., corner Park Ave. THE RECENT BOER LOSSES

Lord Kitchener Says 800 Were Killed or Captured.

The Son of Gen. Dewet Was His Father's Secretary.

British Had 467 Men Taken Prisoners When the Empty Wagon Convoy Was Captured. London, March 1 .- Lord Kitchener reports today that the Boer casualties

during the recent operations amounted

to 800 men, killed or captured. Gen.

Dewet's son, who is among the prisoners, was his father's secretary.

PRINCESS SUES RHODES. The case of Princess Radziwill, who was arrested at Cape Town Feb. 26 on the charge of forging the signature of Cecil Rhodes to promissory notes, and who was subsequently admitted to bail in \$1,000, has assumed a fresh aspect, le per word first insertion, and the per the princess entering suit against Mr. Word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. the princess entering suit against Mr. alleged forged note for £2,000, said to have been indorsed by Mr. Rhodes,

but which the latter repudiated. A RECENT REVERSE. In response to an inquiry made by the government as to the fate of the escort of a convoy of empty wagons, which, according to the dispatch of Lord Kitchener made public Feb. 26, was attacked and captured by the Boers southwest of Klerksdorn, Trans-

vaal Colony, Feb. 24, Lord Kitchener has cabled the following message:
"A report has just been received that 16 officers and 461 men were taken prisoners. Of these 1 officer and 105 men have been released. Col. Anderson, of the Imperial Yeomanry, who commanded, is still a prisoner. Major Enderby, who commanded the infantry,

"POOR MAN'S CLUB"

was wounded. Hence the delay in ob-

taining detailed information."

Bishop Potter Wants a Substitute for the Saloon. New York, March 1 .- Speaking on the Sunday question before the Outlook Club of Montclair, N. J., Bishop Henry

C. Potter, of New York, made a plea

for a substitute for the saloon and

"Over and over again it has been

denounced prohibition as futile.

said by the advocates of prohibition that the saloon is not the poor man's club," said the bishop. "You may cry that until you are black in the face, but the fact still remains. THE GREAT ENGLISM REFORM is the central public house trust, created for the purpose of controlling the

nized the remarkable success of this or-AUCTION SALE OF CHOICE HOUSE-HOLD goods at 469 Ontario street, on Wednesday, Feb. 5, 10:30. Terms, cash.

administration of the public house.

Curiously enough we have not recog-

Joseph Brown, auctioneer, 398 Talbot street. W. G. Glenn, proprietor. London Waterworks.

SEALED TENDERS will be received SEALED TENDERS will be received at the Waterworks Office, London, Ont, up to 4 p.m., Monday, March 17, for the furnishing and installing Two Turbine Water Wheels, Two Duplex Power Pumps of a capacity of 3,500,000 imperial gallons in 24 hours, against a head of two hundred and forty feet. Further information may be obtained at Moore & Henry's office, Albion building, London, Ont don, Ont

Engineer and Superintendent, WM. JONES, Chairman. 20n-tyw Advancement

Lowest or any tender not necessarily

accepted.

JOHN M. MOORE,

ern Ontario Shorthand and Business Academy, 76 Dundas street. Every pupil attending this school receives individual instruction from teachers who practice what they preach. Every graduate is placed in a situation. Mr. Archie Campbell, of Lobo, has been placed as stenographer for the secretary of the Board of

Trade. Join our classes at once. We can place thirty young men in situations during the next four months. W. C. COO, C.S.R.,

Famous American Veterans and Soldiers

Indorse Pe-ru-na.

NOTHING HELPS IN SPRING LIKE PE-RU-NA

Captain Burtis Recovers. Captain J. J. Burtis, Captain of Co. A, Twentieth Ohio Volunteers, writes from 534 Lincoln avenue, Chicago, Ill.,

Pamous antraism soldiers

AND VETERARS WHO ATTEST

TO THE GREAT HERITS

"I know by experience that Peruna is a wonderful medicine for kidney troubles. I suffered for years with bladder and kidney trouble, nothing helped me except temporarily, but when a friend told me of Peruna I felt at once that I had found something which could cure me, Relief came soon and I was entirely cured in a very short time, and have had no trouble since. I keep it in the house, and take some occasionally, as it pre-

vents my catching cold."-J. J. Burtis. Major Mars Is Strong Again.

Major T. H. Mars, of the First Wisconsin Cavalry Regiment, writes from grippe in 1890 I have suffered greatly 1425 Dunning street, Chicago, Ill., the

Medicine did not help me any until a using one bottle I became convinced comrade who had been helped by Pe- of its curative qualities, and continruna advised me to try it. I bought | ued to use it to date. All symptoms of some at once, and soon found blessed relief. I kept taking it for four months, and an old man's tonic."—W. H. and I am now well and strong, and Powell. feel better than I have done for the past twenty years, thanks to Peruna.' T. H. Mars.

Chaplain Jaycox Finds Relief at Last.

Hon. D. L. Jaycox, Chaplain of the Grand Army of the Republic, writes from 865 Broadway, Oakland, Cal .:

"I contracted severe bladder and kidney trouble, spent hundreds of dollars and consulted a host of doctors, but neither did me any good.

advice of some comrades who had been for catarrh. It has cured me. cured by it; after using it four months would take a volume to tell you of all my pains are gone, and I believe my- the best catarrh cure on earth, and I self to be cured. I feel well and would know, for I have tried nearly all of not be without a bottle in time of need them."—Buck F. Taylor. not be without a bottle in time of need for ten times its cost."-D. L. Jaycox. Captain Rundle Gives Praise to Peruna

Battery, Wisconsin Light Artillery, in a letter from Lode, Ill., says: "This winter a severe cold settled

Captain T. H. Rundle, of the Third

in my kidneys and my stomach was in such a bad catarrhal condition that I could not eat. I lost appetite and sleep, and nothing helped me until the doctor told me to try Peruna.

"It seemed to restore me to my usual health quicker than anything I had ever taken. In two days I had a fine appetite and slept well. I would not be without it in my family for ten times its cost.

CAPT. T. H. RUNDLE. Private Vance Still Improving.

Mr. John Vance, member of Company 1, Seventy-first Ohio Infantry, First Brigade, Second Division, Fourth Army Corps, who lives at Hartford City, Ind., in a letter dated June 7th, 1899, says: "My kidney trouble is much better." body wants to know what medicine I am using. I recommend Peruna to everybody, and some say that if Dr. Hartman's medicine cures me it must be great." In a later letter he says: "I am improving in health; people call me well now. I am still using your

Captain Moss Restored to Health. Percy W. Moss, late captain Com-

pany D, Second Aransas Volunteers, writes from Paragould, Arkansas, the following letter to Dr. Hartman: "It is with great pleasure that I write you of my success with Peruna. I think it undoubtedly the finest and surest catarrh cure ever prepared, and

it has taken but two bottles to convince me of this fact. "I also find it a very good spring tonic, and will readily recommend it at any time."—Percy W. Moss.

Major Mabson's Grateful Cure.

Major Algernon A. Mabson, of the Tenth Volunteer Regiment, stationed at Macon, Ga., in a recent letter to Dr. Hartman from Washington, D. C., has the following to say in regard to Pe-

"I think there is no better medicine on earth than your Peruna for catarrh. It has surely cured me. It would take a volume to tell you all the good it has done me. Peruna is the greatest remedy ever prepared, and I think I have tried them all."-A. A. Mabson.

Gen. Yoder' sGratitude for Pe-ru-na. General S. S. Yeder, ex-member of Congress from Lima, Ohio, in a recent letter to Dr. Hartman, speaks of Peruna as follows:

"I desire to say that I have found Peruna to be a wonderful remedy. I have only used it for a short time and am thoroughly satisfied in regard to its merits. I cannot find words to express my gratitude for the good results obtained from its use. As a catarrh cure I shall gladly recommend it to all sufferers."—S. S. Yoder.

Captain Alexander's Restoration. Wm. K. Alexander, Captain and Quartermaster, writes the following

from Lynchburg, Va .: "You cannot imagine how much better I feel since I commenced taking your remedy Peruna one week ago. I hardly know how to thank you for this great treatment. I had suffered continuously from the effects of malarial fever before taking Peruna. Should I at any future time have occasion to recommend a treatment of your kind, rest assured that yours will be the one."-Wm. K. Alexander.

No Other Catarrh Remedy Has Ever Received Such Great Popular Indorsements.

Gen. Powell Completely Restored. General W. H. Powell, Department Commander of Hecker Post, No. 443, Belleville, Ill., writes:

"Following a severe attack of la and continuously from a constantly increasing stubborn case of eatarrh of catarrh have disappeared, yet I con-

Sergt. Taylor Was a Friend of Peruna.

Sergeant Buck Taylor was one of the famous Rough Riders, and is a personal friend of Governor Roosevelt, of New York. He accompanied Governor Roosevelt on his great stumping tour through upper New York state. He was promoted through gallantry in the field during the late war.

The sergeant had the following to say of Peruna: "I think there is no "I bought a bottle of Peruna on the | better medicine on earth than Peruna the good it has done me. Peruna is

Capt. Guse Keeps Well by Peruna.

Captain Paul R. Guse, Company C, Thirty-ninth Volunteer Infantry, writes from 409 Lincoln avenue, Chicago, Ill.: "Several times after contracting severe colds I have been quickly relieved by the use of Peruna. I especiall recommend it also as the best preventative of colds I know of. By taking a few doses a week it keeps me in a fine, healthful condition."—Paul

Veteran Brock a Centenarian.

Mr. Isaac Brock, born before the United States was formed, saw twenty-two presidents elected. He is a yet devised." veteran of four wars. Shod a horse when ninety-nine years old. Of Peruna he says:

"During my long life I have known a great many remedies for cough lds, catarrh and diarrhoea. I had always supposed these affections to be different diseases, but on reading Dr. Hartman's books I found that these I have improved so much that every- affections are the same and that they are properly called catarrh.

"I had several long sieges with the grip. At first I did not know that Peruna was a remedy for this disease. When I heard that la grippe was epidemic catarrh, I tried Peruna forgrippe and found it to be just the "As for Dr. Hartman's remedy, Pe-

runa, I have found it to be the best, if not the only, reliable remedy for these affections. It has been my standby for many years, and I attribute my good health and extreme old age to this remedy."-Isaac Brock.

Gen. Wright Eulogizes Peruna.

General Marcus Wright, 1724 Corcoran street, Washington, D. C., a prominent Confederate General, who is in charge of getting up the records of the War of the Rebellion, has the following to say in regard to Peruna: "I take pleasure in recommending Peruna. It is a remarkable medicine and should be used by persons who are in need of a good tonic and by sufferers from catarrh."-Marcus Wright.

Wheeler, commanding the cavalry forces in front of Santiago, says:

"I join with Senators Sullivan, Roach and McEnery in their good "For years I suffered with catarrh of the kidneys contracted in the army."

Notice of the kidneys contracted in the army.

Notice of the kidneys contracted in the army. used it as an excellent tonic, and particularly effective as a cure for

> General W. W. Duffield, General in the Mexican war and General of the Union Army in the late Civil war, in a letter written from "The Cairo," Washington, D. C., says the following of Peruna:

"I have used Peruna in my family and have found it a valuable from catarrh of the stomach or strong and well as ever."-John who require a tonic of efficiency.

General James Longstreet, of Gainesville, Ga., writes as follows in regard to Peruna:

"I join with my comrade, General Wheeler, in testifying to the merits of Peruna, both as a tonic unstinted eulogy from so many reand a catarrh remedy. Peruna enjoys the greatest reputation as a catarrh remedy of any medicine Peruna is a specific for catarrh, where-



Major - General Joseph | Soldier Friebertshauser Made a New

"A comrade whose kidneys had been cured through the use of Peruna advised me to use it. I found that the first bottle relieved me, and after the faithful use of eight bottles I was a new and happy man. I have not had an ache or pain for over a year now." -John Friebertshauser.

Matron Smith Uses Peruna in Hospital A letter from Mrs. T. B. Smith, Hospital Matron of the Omaha Barracks, written from 2327 N. Clark street, Chi-

cago, Ill., reads as follows: "Peruna seemed to be the favorite tonic among the soldiers at the barracks. If they were weak or convalescent after an iliness, it would build them up and restore their strength in a very few days."-Mrs. T. B. Smith.

Major Creeine Escaped Consumption. Major John Creeine, of the Seventeenth Infantry, writes from 495 Sheffield avenue, Chicago, Ill.:

"I recommend Peruna to all my friends as the most reliable remedy for He says: catarrh on the market. I suffered for years with chronic catarrh of the lungs, contracted in the army. I spent medicine, and take pleasure in hundreds of dollars without getting amount, and can see very beneficial recommending it to all who suffer any benefit, and a few dollars for a dozen bottles of Peruna made me as

Peruna the Soldier's Friend.

No wonder the American soldier is a friend of Peruna when such a renowned officer as General Wheeler gives Peruna his hearty indorsement. Every one connected with the army and navy can have no reasonable doubt as to the merits of the remedy. No remedy ever yet devised has received such nowned statesmen and military men

There is a natural reason for this. ever located. It not only instantly cures acute catarrh, but even old cases of chronic catarrh vanish under its persistent use. The soldier is especially subject to catarrh in some form or phase. Exposed as he is to constant changes, subjected as he is to the vicissitudes of climate, wet and dry, night and day, he finds catarrh to be his most insidious and ever present States, and says the following in refoe. In field and barracks, Peruna is equally efficacious. Taken in time, it will absolutely prevent catching cold. After the cold has become established Pe-ru-na will break it up quicker than any remedy known to man. Even after | street, the cold has settled in some organ, Pe-ru-na can be relied upon to promptly dispel it.

This is why Peruna is so popular in the army and navy today. It is precisely the remedy that meets the par-ticular ills to which this class of people are exposed. Our army and navy is the natural protection of our country; Peruna is the natural protection the army and navy in the vicissitudes of climate and exposure. The number of specific catarrh remedies is small indeed; the number of catarrh palliatives is legion. The effect of catarrh palliatives is often immediate, but always temporary; they

This kind of catarrh medicine includes sprays, snuffs, inhalants, gargles and local applications of all kinds. They seem to cure for a while, but the disease is sure to return.

Maj. Hawks Gives Peruna Great Praise Major E. S. Hawks writes the following letter to the Peruna Medicine

Company, from Washington, D. C .: "I take great pleasure in recommending Peruna as an excellent tonic. It has been recommended to me by influential people as an excellent remedy and should be in every man's house-hold. It is particularly effective as a cure for catarrh in all its phases and

Major Liddell Uses Peruna at Home.

Major J. M. Liddell, major of the Fifth Immunes, recently ordered to the Philippines, and well known in Mississippi, has used Peruna in his family for years. He gives his opinion of this great catarrh remedy from several years' constant observation and personal use. He says:

"I have used Peruna for years and I know of no better medicine on the market. It is a great tonic, and should be used in every household. As a cure for catarrh I know of nothing better."-J. M. Liddell.

Colonel Joyce Cured by Peruna. Colonel John A. Joyce, well known throughout the country as the "Soldier's Poet," is an ardent friend to Peruna. He speaks of it in the following terms in a recent letter from

Washington, D. C. "Gentlemen-I think there is no better medicine sold than your remedies for catarrh. They have cured me. It would take a volume to tell you the good they have done me. Peruna is the best remedy on earth for catarrh and I think I have tried nearly all of them."-John A. Joyce.

Captain Yarnell Benefited by Peruna. Captain M. G. Yarnell, Post Commander Wm. Downs Post, No. 68, G.A. R., writes from 2322 Lincoln street, N. E., Washington, D. C., as follows concerning Peruna as a catarrh cure.

results. I shall continue its use and recommend it to my friends and comrades for all catarrhal affections."-W.

Soldier Friebertshauser Made a New

Captain John Friebertshauser, Captain German Artillery, Regiment No. 11, in a letter from 202 Montrose Boulevard. Chicago, Ill., says:

"A comrade whose kidneys had been cured through the use of Peruna ad-vised me to use it. I found that the first bottle relieved me, and after the faithful use of eight bottles I was a new and happy man. I have not had an ache or pain for over a year now." JOHN FRIEBERTSHAUSER.

Major Longstreet Finds Peruna Excellent.

Major Robert L. Longstreet, who served in the late war with Spain, is the son of the great ex-Confederate General. Major Longstreet was mustered out in June, and he is now in Washington trying to get rid of the pernicious malarial fever which he contracted in Cuba. He found Peruna of benefit on his return to the United gard to the great catarrh cure and

"I have taken Peruna as a tonic on my return from Cuban climate, and find it excellent."-Robert L. Long-Col. Hamilton Used Peruna in Spanish

War. Colonel A. L. Hamilton, late colonel commanding the Seventh O. V. I., writes the following letter to Dr. Hart-

used your Peruna very freely during the service in the Spanish-American war, and will say this, that if the War Department records are consulted you will find that the casualties in my regiment were less than any other regiment of the 2nd Army Corps while at Camp Alger, Meade and Bushnell. The total deaths in my regiment during the seven months' service was seven out of a total number of 1.400. I, of course, can't help but think that at benefit to my command."-A. L. Hamilton.

Peruna Rich in Medicinal Qualities. Le Roy Van Horn, Chief Bugler Columbia Post, 706, Founder and President of the Flag Day Association, writes from 361 Madison street, Chicago, Ill., as follows: Peruna is rich in wonderful medi-

cinal qualities, as I have found by repeated use in cases of colds and catarrh of the head or stomach. I am therefore pleased to accord it my hearty indorsement." LE ROY VAN HORN.

Peruna Not a Cure-All.

Peruna is not a "cure-all;" it cures just one disease—catarrh. But since catarrh is able to fasten itself within the different organs of the body, so it is that Peruna cures affections of these organs. But we insist that Peruna cures one disease only. Catarrh is not a local disease; Peruna is not a local remedy. Since catarrh invades the system, only a systemic remedy can reach it. This is, in brief, our claim in assigning to the disease-catarrh-our remedy, Peruna.

Colonel Livingston Indorses Peruna. Col. L. I. Livingston, Washington, D. C., the leading Democratic member for the South, is on the Industrial Commission and is the leading Democratic member of the Committee on Appropriations in the House of Representatives, says:

"I take pleasure in joining with General Wheeler, Congressman Brewer and others in recommending Peruna as an excellent tonic and a catarrh cure,"-L. I. Livingston, Atlanta, Ga.





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THREE BUSY STORES, 228, 230, 232 Dundas Street, London.

We understand there is a rumor in the city that we have sold out our business. We wish to say there is not a word of truth in it. Signed, THOS. G. WHISKARD.

OUR SPECIAL SALE

Those who take advantage of this sale are getting extra value for their money.

Through the purchase of a noted jobber's entire SPECIAL LINE OF BATH TOWELS, 19 by 45 stock of OPALWARE, we are enabled to sell these goods at half, and less than half, they are usually sold for. See our large window. 25c Fancy Plates, hand painted, sale price 10c each. 20c Fancy Plates, hand painted and finished, sale

price 7c each. 25c Fancy Plates, beautifully marked and painted, sale price 8c and 10c each. 20c Easter Plates, motto, "No Easter Without Us," sale price 7c each.

Very large Easter Eggs, sale price 7c each. Easter Eggs, ordinary size, sale price 3 for 12c.

Have You Been to Our Blanket Sale?

It will pay you to buy for next winter. Heavy Blankets; worth \$1 75, for \$1 pair, sale price. Fine Heavy Blankets, fancy pink border; regular \$2 25, sale price \$1 50. Come, we have only a

Special Sale of New Flannelette Goods.

27-inch Red Flannelette, English goods, fine quality; regular 10c, sale price 5c yard. 36 inches wide Red Flannelette, English goods, regular 121/2c, sale price 7c yard. Very Heavy Flannelette, in cardinal; regular 15c, sale price 10c. You could not tell this line from 40c flannel. It's beautiful goods.

FULL LINES IN BALL AND HALF BALL PEARL BUTTONS, at sale prices; 10c, 121/2c, 15c. 19c, 22c per dozen.

Roman Embroidery Pillow Shams.

ROMAN EMBROIDERY PILLOW SHAMS,

inches long, sale price 10c each. Special line of Checked Muslin; regular 10c, sale price 6c a yard.

Fancy Mercerized Satana, for ladies' waists; regular 25c and 30c, sale price 20c yard. Special line of Fine White Victoria Lawn, 45 inches wide; regular 121/2c, sale price 10c yard.

Cut Prices in Soft Washing Net.

SOFT WASHING NET, in white, 36 inches wide; regular 20c, sale price 15c yard. Soft Washing Net, white, 36 inches wide; regular 25c, sale price 20c yard.

Job line of Ladies' Underskirts, black, fancy cord trimming, lined with flannelette; regular \$1, sale price 75c each.

Our Special Sale of White Cottons, Pillow Cottons and Sheeting

Is still the talk of the city. Just fancy buying Pillow Cotton at 8c a yard, and fine 36-inch Long Cloth for Ladies' Underwear for 8c and 9c a

Our Bed Spread Sale

Has been remarkable for values, and many know it. \$1 and \$1 25 White Bed Spreads for 75c each. \$2 and \$2 25 Beautiful White Spreads, for \$1 25 and \$1 50 each.

Special line of Ladies' Fine Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs; regular 25c, sale price 15c each.

ranging in price from 35c to 45c. All one price | Special line of COTTON TOWELS, small size, sale

DON'T MISS THIS SALE. **ڴ۪ڔڔڮڎ۪ڿٷٷٷٷٷٷٷٷٷٷٷٷٷٷٷٷ**

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Dealers Encountered Great Obstacles in Cuiting

And as a Direct Result the Citizens of London Will Have to Pay the Piper.

There are about 24,000 tons of ice generally stored in the city of London, adian authors. divided among five ice dealers, Carling's brewery, cold storage warehouse, C. P. R. ice house, Tecumseh House, pork packing factory, G. T. R., and others. There is yet 3,000 tons of this ice to store, and the weather has been so mild that unless colder weather soon comes London's ice supply will be short. Many people might think, judging by the past cold weather, that the present has been a very good winter for the ice dealers. Although there has been some very good weather, the river never has been in worse shape. It is blocked up with slush, or, as Engineer Graydon calls it, "anchor ice," from the waterworks dam, early in the season, and it still remains in practically the same condition. One can hardly realize the amount of slush that is in the river unless they have seen it. No ice can be cut where this occurs. The only way out of the difficuity is to cut it off and drag the slush out, which in some places is from eight to ten feet deep. There has been necessarily large expense and delay in getting enough clear to freeze, and after days have been spent with men and horses getting it ready, along comes a big storm and fills it up again with snow, so that it is spoilt. Consequently, large quantities have had to be teamed from ponds and the coves, which makes it cost nearly double the price for storing than if cut on the river under favorable conditions. But notwithstanding this, the ice that has been stored has never been of better quality. It will be seen by this, that the ice dealers have had no end of troubles to contend with, and they say that prices will have to be advanced as it will be difficult for them to make both ends meet under the existing cirwill be difficult for them to make cumstances.

THE ADDINGTON PETITION. Kingston, March 1 .- Mr. S. W. Davy Harrowsmith, has declined to take an further steps in his petition against the election of Mr. Avery as member of parliament for Addington.

SHOT BY POLICEMAN. New York, Feb. 28.-Daniel B. Mu phy and Mrs. Mary Farley were shot by policemen last night while the offcers were trying to shoot a highway man. Murphy was shot under the ave and will probably lose his eyesight Mrs. Farley was shot in the ankle The policemen were Officers Van Win-kie and McGee, who saw a highway-man at work on his victim. They started after the robber, who shot at them. They returned the fire, and Murphy fell. Then they shot into a blind alley and Mrs. Farley suffered.

THE PRESS MEN

Canadian Association of Editors Discuss Copyright and Other Interesting Subjects.

Ottawa, March 1.-The copyright question was discussed by the Canadian Press Association yesterday, E. L. Newcombe, K.C., reading an admirable review of the subject. J. Ross Robertson, Toronto, and others spoke, and there were sevral vigorous expressions in favor of Canada asserting her right to legislate on this matter, which is of such importance to Can-

Sir Sanford Fleming spoke on cheaper telegraph rates. He favored state ownership of land and marine tele-"Literature and Its Handicaps" was the subject of the paper by John A.

The report of the committee on resolutions call upon the executive to Philadelphia ... New York ... Southampton

see what can be done to have an excursion to England next year. The Dominion Government is asked to refund the money spent by the associa-tion in fighting the paper combine. The government is called upon to make an official declaration of its views in regard to imperial postage. Approval is expressed at the government's action in aiding Marconi, and state ownership of land and marine cables is indorsed.

A permanent postage committee was appointed to confer with the postmas-ter-general to take up grievances about the Canadian postal regulations. The following named were elected members of the executive: A. H. U Colquhoun, Toronto; A. McNee, Windsor; J. W. Edy, St. Thomas.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Feb. 28.	Reported at	FIUII
Livonian	.Boston	Liverpool
Bovic	New York	Liverpool
Henna	New York	Hamburg
	New York	
Sardinian	Portland	Glasgow
Lancastrian	Boston	Liverpool
	Liverpool	
Patricia	Hamburg	New York
Hohenzollern.	Genoa	New York
March 1.		

The Book and the Plan.

I have a new plan-a safe plan, too. Something unique, something uncommon. Something no one else ever ventured to do. Something I believe no one else ever will venture to do. Here it is.

You can get for yourself, or for some friend that may need it, the book shown below. No money is wanted. Simply write me a postal for the book you desire. That is not all. With the book I will send you an order, either for yourself or some sick friend, on your nearest druggist for six bottles of Dr. Shoop's Restorative. I will instruct the druggist to let you take it for a month; and if it succeeds it will cost you \$5 50. If it fails, the dealer will send the bill to me. There is no catch, no deceit. My Restorative must stand this test of

Is not this a remarkable offer? Some have asked me if I actually allow the 30-day test entirely at my own risk. It does seem incredible, but that is just exactly what I do. The book tells how I am able to make such an offer. It tells how I reach with my Restorative deeply seated and chronic diseases that have baffled the treatment and skill of other physicians. My records how that 39 out of 40 who take this treatment are cured. The record is one I am proud of. I will tell you how I am able to make such a record.

I have learned how to strengthen the inside nerves. The nerves that bring strength or weakness to the vital organs. My ability to do this explains the secret of my success. This is why I am able to assume the entire risk; to offer a plan that absolutely protects the patients against loss unless I succeed This offer is too fair to need argument. Will you not make this known to some sick person? Your reward will come in knowing you have made it possible for this sufferer to regain his health. Do not let prejudice prevent you learning about my way of curing. Thousands upon thousands need the help I offer. I cannot personally reach them all. Every person knows of some sick one. You can help me to place this opportunity in the hands of some such person. Will you do so? Will you do it now, today?

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PUBLISHED

Decision of the British Government

As to Papers Regarding Intervention in Spanish-American Dispute.

French Premier and His Nephew Pitched Out of Their Carriage-Arrival of Miss Stone at Constantinople.

WON'T PUBLISH OFFICIAL PA-

London, March 1.-In the House of Commons, the chancellor of the exchequer. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, in behalf of the government, again refused to lay on the table a copy of the identical note dispatched by the ambassador at Washington to their government after the meeting of April 10, 1898. He said the papers in the case were of a highly confidential character and the government adhered to the view, previously expressed, that they cannot be published. The government was not aware that any of the governments concerned acted upon that note. FRENCH PREMIER PITCHED OUT. As the French premier, M. Waldeck-Rousseau, accompanied by his nephew, was returning from a banquet last night in Paris, the carriage was overturned as the result of a collision with a street car in the Rue Reaumur. Both the premier and his nephew suffered severe contusions and were cut by broken glass, but they took a cab to their home. While no danger is feared, the injuries sustained by the premier

THE BOUNDARY DISPUTE. It is stated that important communications are passing between the Imperial and Canadian Governments regarding the Alaskan boundary.

will compel him to keep his room for

The London correspondent of the Manchester Guardian says: "Though Canada had on many occasions not received justice, Sir Wilfrid Laurier thought it would be possible to pre-serve friendly relations with the United States, but that it required the exercise of patience. This is true, but Canadians are beginning to see that patience is required more with the British Government, which, in its soaring imperialism, is always obligingly ready to sacrifice colonial interests to an importunate foreign power than with the United States. Canadians understand the ways of Americans, and can drive a hard bargain as well

RE THE PANAMA CANAL. At an extraordinary meeting of the shareholders of the new Panama Canal Company, held in Paris on Friday, President Bo read a message from the consul-general of Colombia, setting forth that the company could not transfer its concession to another nation without first, with the assent of Colombia, modifying the stipulations of articles 21 and 22 of the agreement. After, the meeting adopted a resolution expressing approval of the atti-tude of the board of directors, and deciding, in view of the message of the Colombian consul-general, to postpone entering upon any engagement.

IN A STATE OF SIEGE. Moscow, is practically in a state of siege. Unlicensed assemblages of students have occurred there during the Benham—All right; tell him

rmed have been quietly placed in possession of the city for the purpose of iding the police. A fully-equipped field hospital has been secretly installed in the cavalry riding school, near the university.

MISS STONE AT CONSTANTINOPLE Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary, until recently held captive by brigands, arrived at Constantinople today from Salonica and proceeded to the United States legation.

Miss Stone has already received numerous literary offers, one of them being from an American magazine, which offered her \$35,000 and a royalty for six articles. She intends to remain several weeks in Turkey, and will then proceed to the United States to visit her mother.

fore the London Chamber of Commerce on the telegraph lines of the empire, concluding, he said: "I cannot bring this lecture to a close without bearing testimony to the great efforts made by Canada to advance the cause which I have had the pleasure of interpreting to you. But for the tenacity of pur-pose shown by Canada and the sacri-fices she has willingly made, there is little doubt but that the Pacific cable scheme would have come to nothing.

GERMANY AND CHINA. dent of the London Times says he has learned that the German agreement for the acquisition of a mining monopoly in Shang Tung Province is upon the eve of settlement, and that it will confer great political advantages. The agreement will practically close a large part of Shan Tung Province to British and American industrial enterprises, and the question is not unnaturally asked how Great Britain and the United States can ignore the inconsistency of their attitude in pro-testing against Russian encroachments in Manchuria, while acquiescing in the equally exclusive policy of Germany in Shang Tung. Germany bases her claim to this monopoly on the fact that it was demanded by the late Baron Von Ketteler, and that she cannot withdraw a claim advanced by her murdered min-

GERMAN ENCROACHMENT. Dr. Morrison, Pekin correspondent of The Times, says the reason of the menacing attitude of the German consul at Sinan Foo and the minister at Pekin, as well as the presence of Ger-man troops at Tien Tsin and Shanghai and the refusal to reduce the number, is that the conclusion of the Shan Tung agreement may be enforced while the attention of other governments is diverted to Manchuria. He declares that Germany already monopolizes railway construction at Shan Tung, that all material is exclusively purchased in Germany; that Germany holds the mineral rights for ten miles on each side of the railway, and that all the mining machinery is purchased in Germany. Now, Dr. Morrison says, Germany is acquiring rights which give her the entire mineral wealth of province larger than England and Wales combined. He hopes that Britain will at least decide that the undertaking not to build another railway from Wei Hai Wei has been rendered null by the German violation of the British-German agreement.

hospital in Paris.

Letters to the Editor.

WILLING HE SHOULD PAY IT. Mrs. Benham-The doctor says that Benham-All right; tell him to send past week, and as a result troops fully his bill to that other man.

Twenty-First Annual Statement

North American Life Assurance Co. HEAD OFFICE:

112-118 King Street West, Toronto. For the Year Ended December 31st, 1901.

 Dec. 31, 1901—
 \$922,935 02

 To Cash for Premiums.
 176,461 56

 To Cash Income on Investments.
 176,461 56

 DISBURSEMENTS. \$4,194,309 61 ASSETS.

Dec. 31, 1901—
By Mortgages, etc.

By Debentures (market value, \$747,205 99).

By Stocks and Bonds (market value, \$1,371,315 70).

By Real Estate, including Company's building.

By Loans on Policies, etc.

By Loans on Stocks (nearly all on call).

By Loans on Stocks (nearly all on call).

22,888 65 Cash in Bank and on Hand..... By Premiums Outstanding, etc. (less cost of collection)......

By Interest and Rents Due and Accrued...... LIABILITIES.

 Dec. 31, 1901—
 \$ 60 000 00

 To Guarantee Fund.
 3,808,229 00

 To Death Losses awaiting proofs, etc.
 45,103 01

Insurance in force at end of 1901 (net)......\$27,977,794 00

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The report containing the proceedings of the Annual Meeting, held on Jan.

20 last, showing the marked proofs of the continued progress and solid position of the Company, will be sent to policy-holders. Pamphlets explanatory of the attractive fivestment plans of the Company, and a copy of the Annual Report, showing its unexcelled financial position, will be furnished on application to the Head Office or any of the Company's agencies.

CANADA PRAISED. Sir Edward A. Sassoon, lectured be-

Cabling from Pekin, the correspon-

CABLE NOTES.

Sir Thomas Lipton is ill of influenza. Edward Tuck, a wealthy Bostonian, has decided to defray the entire expense of establishing a free American The Emperor and Empress of Ger-

many celebrated the 2ist anniversary of their wedding.

AN APOLOGY. AN APOLOGY.

Ilderton, Feb. 26, 1902.—I, Robert Graham, of the village of Ilderton, hereby publicly acknowledge that I did unlawfully assault and abuse one Joseph Scholes in my house on Sunday, Feb. 23, who was at that time a boarder at my place; and I hereby acknowlege him to be innocent of the charges that I charged him with. Signed to be innocent by Signed charged him with, Signed R. E. GRAHAM.

Water Went Down as Rapidly as It

usual level, and also caused the ice in the north branch to break. The London West breakwater suffered in two places, about 80 feet being washed away at Leslie street. The bank held firm, however, and city workmen were set at once to repair the breakwater. London West is in little or no danger of flood. At the waterworks everything is running smoothly and no damage has been done. At Saunby's dam the water is reported lower than in previous years at flood time. The ice is nearly all out of the north branch, but that of the south has not yet broken up. The quantity of water coming down has considerably decreased, and

DEATH OF MR. S. G. WIGLE. Wigle, of Maple Grove Farm, one of the most highly respected, influential, prominent business men, and well-todo farmers of this village, passed away at his residence yesterday. MRS. FAVERSHAM WANTS A DI-VORCE.

New York, March 1. - Mrs. William Faversham, wife of the Frohman star and matinee girls' idol, has brought suit for an absolute divorce after ten years of married life. vorites of America.

medicine that has stood the test of time like MINARD'S LINIMENT. It has been an unfailing remedy in our household ever since I can remember, and has outlived dozens of would-be competitors.

FOR INFLAMMATION OF THE EYES—Among the many good qualities which Parmelee's Vegetable Pills possess, besides regulating the digestive organs, is their efficacy in reducing inflammation of the eyes. It has called forth many letters of recommendation from those who were afflicted with this complaint and found a cure in the pills. They affect the nerve centers and the blood in a surprisingly active way, and the result is almost immediately seen.

THIS ADVERTISEMENT CHANGES EVERY DAY 176-178 Dundas Street, London, Saturday, March 1, 1902.

Wall Paper

woods fair For Monday Artistic homes depend more up on

the wall coverings than anything else. It is not necessary to pay big prices for your wall papers if you buy them here. Our wall paper stock is extensive and contains the very best. "Goodness of quality combined with lowness of price," is the motto here. We are confident that we can give you satisfaction in the wall paper line. On Monday we will have a special sale in this department on the first floor. These special values are for Monday

500 rolls Elegant Wall Paper, beautiful designs, silk effect, regular 35c roll, Monday only,

roll 18e Border and Ceiling to match. 250 rolls, Beautiful Wall Paper, rose and gold design, regular 15c roll, Monday, only, roll 10c Border and Ceiling to match.

200 rolls Wall Paper, dark red, with silver scroll effect, regular 10c roll, Monday, only, Border and Ceiling to match. 150 rolls Paper, cream ground, with green scroll, suitable for bedrooms or living-rooms, re-

Window Shades.

Window Shades, plain, best oil-linen, in green and cream, complete, with roller, brackets, nails and

In the Basement.

The Basement offers some special attractions for Monday's selling, as follows:

5 only, 10-piece Toilet Sets unique floral decorations, in old rose and in

Dinner Sets, \$6.95.

13 only, 97-piece Dinner Sets, made, in England, beautiful green and gilt and pink and gilt, floral decorations, regular \$10, Monday, for, set \$6 95

10 only, 56-piece China Tea Sets, made in Germany, pretty shaped dishes, beautiful gilt and floral decorations,

China Tea Sets, \$4.99.

regular \$6 00 set, Monday, for, set \$4 99 Toilet Sets, \$3.50.

pretty blue, edge nicely designed; regular \$6 75 set. Monday for, set Toilet Sets, \$2.49. only, 10-piece Toilet Sets, with green, brown, blue and pink

Toilet Sets, \$4.49. 6 only, 10-piece Toilet Sets, atgilt and mauve, and gilt and

floral decorations, regular \$3 50, Monday, for, set .. \$2 49 Fern Pots, 19c. 2 dozen Pretty Footed Fern Pots, made in Austria, pretty shape; just

the right size; decorated with lilacs and forget-me-nots, and tinted

China Salad Dishes. 10c. 25 only, Medium-Sized China Salad Dishes, decorated with pretty gilt and rose design; regular 20c;

Market Baskets.

Brooms, 25c. Two different kinds, some have Market Baskets, in three sizes. three and some four strings, made of peeled willow, hangood, strong Brooms, regular dles attached; strong, sub-35c and 40c, Monday, for, stantial baskets, Monday, for

Newport Checo-

WOODS' FAIR lates, 35c Lb. TOOK PART OF

BREAKWATER Rise in River Threatened London

West for a Time.

Had Risen, and Danger Is Past for the Present. Friday night's rain served to raise | he will return in a week or so to enter the river about seven feet above its fully upon his duties here.

the flood had gradually fallen. Ruthven, March 1 .- Mr. S. Golden

The happiness of the home life of the actor and his wife, who was not and never had been on the stage, was a favor-able theme with those who knew the make it one of the most modern tailor-Favershams out of the theater. Apparently there was always the greatest sympathy between them. Every successive triumph of the actor was watched by the woman who found him an ordinary young bull-necked English performer and helped him into pany, and \$25 from Mr. Robert Reid, of the position of one of the stage fa- Reid Bros. & Co., Clarence street.

The Publisher of the Best Farmer's paper in the Maritime Provinces in writ-ing to us states:

I would say that I do not know of a

FOR INFLAMMATION OF THE EYES

DR. McCOLLUM TO ARRIVE MONDAY.

12c, 15c and20c

New Superintendent of Asylum Will Soon Assume Duties.

Dr. McCollum, of Dunnville, the new superintendent of London Asylum, is expected to arrive on Monday, accompanied by Inspector R. Christie. After a stay of two or three days Dr. McCollum will return to Dunnville to wind up his business affairs there, and

WATCH OUT FOR THESE BEGGARS

Pair of impostors Are imposing on London Citizens.

Citizens should look out for a young married couple who have been pouring hard-luck stories into sympathetic ears and getting real money in exchange. The man is about 25 years old and well able to work, while the woman is two years younger and of prepossessing appearance. Their real name is Lyons, but they have been going under the names of Evans and Cant, and giving fictitious addresses on Talbot street. The police are watching the pair.

Re-leased

The Watson Company, tailors, have re-leased their present store, 239 Dundas street, opposite Anderson & Nelles' drug store, and are having it elegantly ing establishments in the west.

-The Western University has received \$50 from Mr. Robert Fox, of the Canadian Savings and Loan Com-

A Certain Remedy for Corns, and one always to be relied upon, is Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. Safe, sure and always painless. Nearly fifty imitations prove its value. Beware of such. Get Putnam's at druggists'.

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LEADING DAILY IN WESTERN ONTARIO.

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LONDON, ONTARIO London, Saturday, March. 1.

The Prohibition Discussion. 'All those who work to check intemperance deserve great credit, as they render both a patriotic and a religious service. But since all human service is imperfect, even the wisest need to take care lest by their temper and action they injure the cause they have at heart. Using the term prohibitionists in the narrowest sense of those who believe that the liquor traffic can and should be crushed out by a law at any moment, we venture to point out that the claims made by this section of the community are not tenable. The country cannot be divided into prohibitiomists and liquor men. The country is composed of citizens representing a great variety of views and interests. Hence the Government cannot be directed by any one section of the community. Apart from the question of elections and votes, it is the duty of any government to take a broad view, and to harmonize as far as possible conflicting interests. Neither will the people be dictated to. A democracy is jealous of dictation from any man or party of men. We wish to see the men who have worked hard for temperance have due weight in the settlement of a great cause, but we are afraid that some of them are acting in a way that can only lessen their own influence. To talk as if they ought to be allowed to dictate the exact terms of the Government bill, to claim that all advance in temperance sentiment is due alone to their particular form of advocacy, to suggest that sober men, and even total abstainers who differ from them, are in league with the devil-all this may seem to be only justifiable vigor, but it may do harm to a good cause. Of course, this is only true of some temperance leaders, but all may get the credit or blame for it. The fact is that the next few months will be a test of our democratic temper and capacity. Have we really reached a state of self-government? Can we discuss a matter intelligently, allowing the freedom to others that we claim for ourselves, and when the will of the people is declared, can we levally make the best of it, doing our duty as citizens in a noble temper? That is the

White Slavery.

broad question now before us.

There is a system of slavery in white children and women are Child labor is employed in the cotton mills, where children of 8 to 10 years of age, both sexes, work for twelve hours a day, and at wages ranging from 10 to 12 cents. The children are, of course, employed at an age when they should be in school, and consequently grow to manhood and womanhood in total darkness, so far as knowledge is concerned. Women employed are paid at the rate of 35 cents a day-barely enough to supply them with any kind of nourishing food,

not to mention the provision of hous-For a parallel to such circumstances as these, we must revert to the industrial situation in Great Britain nearly a century ago, before any laws were enacted prohibiting the employment of children in coal mines, cotton mills and other places of industrial activity. Owing to the power of the cap-Italist of the South, it has been impossible for reformers and philanthropists to bring about a more human state of affairs. Wage slavery, for that is the best name we know for it, is really the worst kind of slavery. After the employer has discharged his indebtedness to the employe, he has, so far as his conscience is concerned, freed himself of all responsibility; under the old form of servitude the slave was the property of his master, and the master was responsible for his care and treatment. The master had to provide a physician if the slave was sick; he had to also supply him with a certain amount of nourishing food. for, in order to get the greatest possible amount of work out of a slave, an adequate amount of food and shel-

Under a system of wage slavery, the so-called alternative that is left the worker of accepting or rejecting the employer's terms really amounts to nothing, since the desire to escape starvation compels him to accept anything he can get. Such elreumstances as that related of Alabama should

"Princes and lords are but the breath of kings," yet they seem to be in great demand among our neighbors forded by the surrounding woods to pavement at \$500 for season. of the United States.

Mr. E. W. Cox, son of Hon. Senator Geerge A. Cox. has been promoted from the position of Assistant General Manager of the Canada Life Assurance Company to the position of General Manager. He has had a valuable ager will sot suffer its laurels to be tation to the "great benefactor of his

Advantages of New Ontario. The excellent pamphlet issued to enforce the advantages of New Ontarlo as a field of colonization, puts the claim strongly. One of the most important of these considerations is the diversity of industries established or in the course of establishment. Although, as has been stated, parts of the country are unsuitable for agriculture, its mineral wealth is destined to be one of the great sources of its fu-

ture prosperity and development. Gold has been discovered in paying quantities in the Rainy River district at the extreme west of the territory, where a number of mines are in active operation. Copper, silver and iron ore are found along the north shore of Lake Superior, and extensive works for the reduction of these eres and the carrying on of a group of industries, for which the mineral and timber resources of the country furnish the raw material, have been established at Sault Ste. Marie, which is rapidly becoming a flourishing manufacturing city likely in a few years to rival in importance many long-established eastern industrial centers. At Sudbury and farther to the east in the district of Nipissing are found the largest nickel deposits in the world, which are being extensively worked, and here also large reduction works are established. The growing demand for nickel for a right to lay a switch on Stanley street, variety of purposes, more especially for armor plating, and the scarcity switches must be subject to the apwith which this metal is distributed in proval of the city engineer; and also the few countries where it has so far been discovered, is causing a very rapid development of the localities where it is produced, and furnishes an increasing source of employment to those who may settle in the neighborhood of the mines and smelting works.

New Caledonia. Many parts of the country are rich in timber, and the growing demand throughout the world for paper renders extremely valuable the spruce forests with which large areas are covered. The spruce and other pulpwood timber growing on the portion of the territory explored in 1900 was estimated by the exploration parties at 288,000,000 cords. For the purpose of utilizing this timber to the best advantage in the manufacture of pulp and paper, mills have been started at several points distributed throughout the region, each of which gives enployment to a large number of people, whose presence creates a demand for all manner of supplies, and stimulates the growth of subsidiary indus-

There is only one other extensive de-

The building of railroads and wagon roads as an aid to settlement is being actively carried on, creating a demand for well-paid labor and the rapid ex- was a necessity for the belt line. woods of all kinds in the older portion of the Province and the United States, in the face of a steadily increasing demand, renders lumbering operations in the new districts continually active and All these varied industries make the

settler considerably easier than is usually the case in a new country, certainly much more so than in the early days of settlement in Ontario. Hitherto almost the only opportunity presented to the settler in the backwoods of obtaining any employment whereby he could subsist until his farm became productive, was that offered by the lumber camps In localities where no work of this nature was in progress the man who took up land was obliged to provide in advance for the maintenance of himself and family during the time he was occupied in clearing sufficient land to produce a crop, and waiting for it to mature. Few industries of any kind made their appearance until the country was well settled, and the pioneers had to look to agriculture alone as a means of support. In many localities of New Ontario these conditions are reversed, and the mechanical industries are the first to occupy the ground. Everyone familiar with the difficulties of colonizing a new country can realize what a great advantge this is to the settler without capital or the man of limited means. Many laborers who, under ordinary conditions, would have had no opportunity of acquiring a homestead, simply because they could not afford to wait for a crop and leave their families lacking bread, can obtain work in connection with some of the numerous industrial enterprises for a longer or shorter term, and take up a farm in the neighborhood as soon as they have saved sufficient money to live on until they can depend on their produce. The growing settlements afford them a steady and remunerative market, not merely for their crops, live stock and farm produce, but for the timber, such as in former days was burned off in order to clear the land.

As compared with the prairie lands of the West the balance is altogether in favor of the well-timbered farms of New Ontario, although the prairie sethumble a pation's pride and put to ther has not the labor of clearing his flight the boast of "the land of the bland, he is under the serious disability of having to pay high prices for building materials, fencing and fuel, which in Ontario are all to be had for the cutting, and he lacks the shelter af-

growing erops.

Five Southern students, who are in attendance at Nebraska State University, have become indignant at the authorities for, as they allege, insulting them by inviting Booker T. Washington to address the student body at training in the offices of the great com- the closing of the present session. It pany with which he is connected, and is almost needless to say that, if the under his father, who is president of governors of the college do the proper the company. The Canada Life is a thing, they will permit these fastidious grand institution, and the new man- gentlemen to pack their trunks and go home, rather than revoke the invi-

TENDERS AND ESTIMATES

Were the Chief Items in Board of Works' Business.

No Action in Regard to Stanley Street Matter-Estimates Higher Than in 1901.

Much important business was on the slate at the regular meeting of the board of works last night, including the consideration of estimates and tenders and the important question of whether or not double tracks should be laid on Stanley street. It took the committee a great length of time to dispose of these matters.

All the members of the committee, including the mayor, were present. A deputation of twenty citizens, representing the residents of Stanley street, were present to oppose the proposed laying of double street railway tracks on the street. Manager Carr was present for his company.

Chairman Cooper first read the city letter advised the committee to observe | GOVERNMENT WILL that, even assuming there existed the the position and location of the asked them to observe that the council has the power to change any route adopted by the street railway company; that for six months after the latter shall run their cars according to the route so changed or varied by the council, and that no more switches, side tracks or turn-outs than are necessary shall be laid.

Manager Carr stated that the Springbank railroad was regulated by an Part of the route would have to be posit of nickel now known, that of agreement with the water commission-The company had the right, he said, to place a switch at any point in their lines, if at a distance of 1,500 feet from another switch. The company intended to put a double track for a short space on the Wharncliffe road and a switch near the bottom of the Stanley street hill, if possible. To Ald. Cooper's question as to

whether the company would run along Beaconsfield avenue or not, Mr. Carr said this would be too expensive and that some of the property which would be wanted could not be obtained. Ald. Gerry asked whether the laying of a double track or switches would endanger the traveling public, to which

the manager replied that he knew many cases in Montreal and Quebec where the tracks ran far closer to the curb with no accidents.

The mayor asked Manager Carr whether the company would run down from Askin street onto the Wortley road

and that way into the city. The reply was that very little time would be saved by that system.

Mr. R. J. Blackwell said he did not think the double tracking or switching Mr. Hugh McLean suggested that the proposed scheme would injure the

value of property and that several tenants said they would move if the double tracks were laid. The matter was referred to the chairman and engineer, who will try to dis-

over a solution of the perplexing prob-THE ESTIMATES.

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Totals\$34,785 62 \$36,495 00 The year's "extraordinary expendiincludes: New culvert across Richmond street, at Carling's Creek 3500 new culvert across Carling's Creek at St. George street, \$350; and repairs to a brick culvert at the cove, which is now in a bad condition, \$300, making a total of \$37,640. The expenditure on th London West breakwater is 3 mills on the total assessment of West London which amounts to about \$1,200, bring ing the sum required up to \$38,840. Added to this is \$1,600 for the completion of the bacteria beds at the sewage farm, raising the grand total to \$40,-440. The item of \$6,400 for the building of the bacteria beds was dropped. Ald. Jolly objected to the West Lonand for the last four years had spent

\$1,400, he said. TENDERS.

The tenders were awarded as fol-Nails, Cowan Hardware Company; iron castings, Wortman & Ward; orners, Gleeson Bros.; sweeping pavement, James McAuley; cement walks Wm. Taylor, at 9½ cents per foot for all walks north of Dundas and east of Wellington streets; Forest City Paving Company, 91/2 cents per foot for all walks north of Dundas and west of Wellington streets; Silicia-Barytic Company, 9½ cents for all walks south of Dundas street.

The city hall improvement work was given to Jones Bros. for carpenter and brick work at \$1,585; William Smith & Company, for plumbing and heating, \$138; and the London Electric Company, for all electric wiring and fixtures, at \$84.

The gravel tenders of Henry Griffins for ward 1, Boss & Alexander for wards 2 and 4, and J. McAuley for ward 3 were accepted. J. W. Cawrse, received the tender

glazed sewer pipe; W. J. Element for Portland cement; Dyment & Baker for lumber and cedar curbs; W. J. Anthistle for concrete pipes; and Webb Wallace for cleaning asphalt MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The Olympia Candy Company's request for permission to erect a lamp in front of their store on Dundas street was granted. the sheriff will be asked to permit the prisoners in the county jail to break 25 cords of stone for the new drive-

The petition against the laying of a pavement on Talbot street was suffi-ciently signed, but was received too late and was submitted to the coun-

way at the court house.

Ald. Dreaney moved that \$5,000 be placed in the estimates for the open-ing of Dorinda street. Carried. The paysheet amounted to \$381 61,



Piles Cured After 30 Years

Thos. E. Wood, 818 Seventeenth street, Sacramento, Cal.: "One 50 cent box of Pyramid Pile Cure permanently cured me of piles. For 30 years I suffered; underwent a frightful operation, nearly died, but failed to cure. I was unable to walk when I tried Pyramid Pile Cure. The first application re-lieved me." All druggists sell it. Quickly cures every form of piles. Book free by mail. Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich.

What Premier Ross Says Regarding the Temiskaming Railway.

Toronto, Feb. 28.-In the legislature yesterday, when the house was discussing the item in the estimates re the Temiskaming Railway survey, Pre-mier Ross said he hoped there mier Ross said he hoped there would be no misunderstanding as to the intention of the government regarding the early construction of the road. changed. The government proposed to give as good a railway as the Canadian Northern and the Canada Atlantic, which were up to the generally accepted standards of colonization railvays when first built. Care would be taken to make it serviceable for heavier traffic as the country developed. No proposition made by the government in recent years had been better received by the country. There had been some complaint from Ottawa, but on second consideration they had expressed their complete satisfaction with the scheme proposed by the government. They had benefited largely by the Canada Atlantic and other railways subsidized by the province. To put that route in the hands of a private corporation would be to surrender the key to the railway situation in New Ontario. Having entered upon the work, they would push it with all

convenient speed.

W. H. Russell, chief surveyor of the Temiscaming Railway, was at the public works department today making a report. He states that 50 miles of the ine from North Bay has been finally located, and now ready for construction. There is no serious engineering difficulty in the whole length of the

road. The private bills norning passed the Town of Wiarton bill, including a bonus for the proposed beet sugar factory and a fixed assessment of \$800,000 for nine years. This assures the operation of the factory.

WALT WHITMAN AND COL. IN-GERSOLL.

In the last year of his life Walt Whitman, the peculiar Camden poet and seer, was surrounded by a galaxy of admirers, some of whom encouraged his poetic genius in more substantial ways than by wordy strife, and were admitted into his friendship on terms of great intimacy.

On one occasion the gathering at the hermitage included Col. Robert C. Ingersoll and a distinguished professor

208, 210, 2101/2 and 212 Dundas St.



WASH FABRICS.

This is to be a great Muslin Season. Dame Fashion has so decreed. We have anticipated this and generously made provision. Piles on piles of new goods of the Muslin Family, such as Dimities, Organdies, Fancy Swiss and Tambour Muslin, Batistes, Linens, Zephyrs, Chambrays, Sateens, Merlawns, Percales, Lawns, etc., crowd our Wash Goods section. We mention below a few specially interesting lines.

Special Line Batiste Muslins, in linen shade, with fancy stripes of cardinal and blue, at per yard.....

Special line Swiss Tambour Muslins, in pearl gray, rose, helio, green, sky and turquoise, new designs, fast colors, at per yard

GO ON WITH THE ROAD Special line Irish Dimities, in plain pink, sky, yellow, gray and black; also in fancy stripes; an exceptionally fine range, at per yard.....

Special line Fine Organdies, in ox-blood, green, linen, black, cadet, rose, with satin stripes and white figures, at only, per yard25e

pecial Line Scotch Chambray, in pink, castor and sky, with cluster fine white stripes; fast colors; good cloth, at per yard...... 121/2c

Special Line Fine Zephyrs, in ox-blood, linen, pink, navy and cadet, with fancy stripes, at per yard...... 10c

Special Line Delainettes, in black grounds with fancy sprays and designs, also colored ground, with fancy Paisley effects, special, per vard.....

Special Line Linen Batiste, with silk stripes, in cream, yellow, green, blue, black, pink, helio, at per yard......

Special lines fine English Merlawns, in turquoise, castor, sky, rose, cardinal, with sprays, fancy Persian effects, at per yard,..... 18c and 25c

Special lines fine Mercerized Sateen, in dots, Paisley effects, figures, etc., in all the leading shades, at per yard...... 20c and 25c 18c, 20c, 25c and 35c.

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White India Lineus, at per yard, 10c, 121/2c, 15c, 17e, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c and 60c.

White Persian Lawns, beautiful sheer goods, at per yard, 18c, 22c, 25c, 30c, 35c and 40c.

VICTORIA LAWNS all qualities, special values, at per yard, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c, and 25c.

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18 only, navy, cardinal and 15 only, navy, cardinal, and 25 only, white Honeycomb navy and cardinal mixed Coun- navy and cardinal mixed Coun- Counterpanes, large size, neat terpanes, 10-4 size, regular price terpanes, 12-4 size, regular price designs, fine close quality, regu-\$1.10. Special Sale price

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27 only, navy, cardinal, and cardinal and navy mixed Coun- heavy quality, 10-4 size, suitable terpanes, 11-4 size, regular price for single beds, regular price 80c. \$1.50. Special sale price

\$1.10.

of English literature at one of our in- in years, and his long, uncombed white stitutions of higher learning. Inger- hair and beard, with the loose and picsoll's magnificent flow of conversation was stimulated by the convivial offerings supplied by Whitman's table, and after a brilliant analysis of the philosophy of Shakespeare, be began a long monologue upon the subject of the soul's immortality. With his usual keen sarcasm he ridiculed the com-

monly accepted ideas of the Christian, and in a manner surpassing even his magnetic lecture style, because the eloquence was unconscious, he set forth his own well-known doctrines. Walt Whitman, as described by the professor of literature, sat silent in his chair throughout the entrancing recital. He was at this time far along

gave him a strikingly venerable ap-When the distinguished agnostic had concluded, Whitman raised his head and slowly answered: "Yes, Bob, that all sounds very well, but when a man gets so near to the end as I am he begins to have different ideas about those things." It was Ingersoll's turn to be thoughtful.-Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Special sale price

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THE MARKETS.

THE LOCAL MARKET.

London, Saturday, March 1. The receipts were very light this morning. A few loads of oats sold at \$1 24 to \$1 25. A few loads of hay offered and sold from \$10 50 to \$11 00 per ton. No other grains offered.

Wheat, white, per bu78c to 80c Oats, per bu......41c to 421/20 Barley, per bu53c to 55c GRAIN.

GRAIN.

Wheat, white, per 100 lbs. 1 30 @
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs... 1 30 @
Oats, per 100 lbs... 1 22 @
Peas, per 100 lbs... 1 15 @
Corn, per 100 lbs... 1 10 @
Barley, per 100 lbs... 1 10 @
Beans per bu..... 80 @
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs... 1 10 @
Rye, per 100 lbs... 1 10 @ HAY AND SEEDS.

FOR HOUSEKEEPERS. The attendance at the market was as large as could be expected, considering the condition the roads are in. The offerings were chiefly confined to the small produce of the farm. Sales were easily made and good prices were obtained for the majority of the offer-

Hay and Straw - There were only about eight loads on sale, and they were quickly purchased at an increase In price; selling at \$10 to \$11 per ton. here should be a good demand during the next few days.

Butter and eggs were offered in coniderable quantities. There was a good demand. Sales were quickly made, owing to the light supply of the past week. Butter in crocks sold at 17c to 19c per lb., and butter in rolls at 18c to 20c per lb. Eggs were in fair supply, with a good demand at 20c to 22c per dozen for fresh laid by the crate, 23c to 24c being paid by the single dozen. Poultry—Quite a lot in, considering the demand is good for turkeys and prices are a shade higher at to 13c per lb. Geese, ducks and

chickens, as quoted.

Apples and Vegetables—Very little of the former on sale; lettuce and thu-barb were introduced, the former selling at 25c per dozen and the latter at 90c per dozen, or 10c single bunch. Potatoes were well represented, selling at 65c to 75c per bag; turnips sold at 30c to 40c per bag.

Dressed Hogs-Not as many on sale as on Thursday; sales were fair, at \$7 50, \$7 75 and \$8 00 per cwt. The middle figures were the ruling price. Live Hogs—A shipment from here on Monday will be made, at \$5 75 per

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Cabbage SEED

MEATS, HIDES, ETC.

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Should be started now, in a sunny window or hothouse. Hamilton's 373 Talbot St Mutton, quarters, per lb. 6 Lamb, quarters. 650 Calfskins, green. 7 Lambskins 20

AMERICAN MARKETS. TOLEDO, O., Feb. 28.—Wheat—Dull but higher; cash, 84%c; May, 84%c; July, 80%c. Corn—Dull; cash, 60%c, nominal; May, 63c; July, 62%c. Oats—Cash, 44%c, nominal; May, 44%c; July, 37%c. Clover seed—Firm; Feb., \$557%; March, \$557%; April, \$572%. Oil—North Lima, 85c; South Lima and Indiana, 80c.

Lima and Indiana, 80c.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Flour—Receipts, 19,950 bbls: sales, 2,700 pkgs; state and western market was quieter and unchanged. Rye flour—Steady; fair to good, \$3.25 to \$3.40; choice to fancy, \$3.25 to \$3.40; choice to fancy, \$3.50 to \$3.75. Wheat—Receipts, 104,500 bu; sales, 625,000 bu; wheat opened easier on crop news, but rallied and held steady during the forenoon with coarse grains; March, 81%c; May, \$2%c to \$2%c; Sept., 80%c to 81%c. Rye—Steady; state, 60c to 61c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 66c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 22,000 bu; sales, 80,000 bu; corn was generally firm all the morning on was generally firm all the morning on good western demand and light receipts; May, 66% to 67%; July, 66% to 66%; Sept., 65% to 655-16c. Oats—Receipts, 73,500 bu; oats were stronger on a good considerable really receipts. cash demand and smaller receipts. Sugar -Raw firm; fair refining, 3%c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3%c; molasses sugar, 2%c; refined quiet. Coffee—Quiet and steady; No. 7 Rio, 5%c. Lead—Firm. Wool—quiet. Hops—Firm.

CHICAGO Feb. 23.—Grain speculation was swayed by the weather today. General storms had an early bearish ef-General storms had an early bearish effect on wheat, but worked the opposite way with corn, and wheat traders, who sold short early, were forced to cover. The close showed May wheat '4c to '4c higher, May corn '4c to '5c higher, and May oats 1c advanced; provisions closed 5c to 74c and 124c up. Local receipts of wheat were 19 cars, 5 of contract grade; Minneapolis and Duluth reported 387 cars, making a total for the three points of 407 cars, against 517 last week and 342 a year ago. Primary receipts were 512.000 year ago. Primary receipts were 512,000 bu, compared with 476,000 bu a year ago. Seaboard clearances in wheat and flour equaled 336,000 bu. Argentine shipments were 500,000 bu compared with \$24,000 bu the corresponding week last year. There was no export demand or business reported. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 35 cars; corn, 190 cars; oats, 95 cars; hogs, 20,000 head. 95 cars; hogs, 20,000 head.

The leading futures closed: Wheat—No. 2, May, 76%c to 77c; July, 77%c; Sept., 76%c. Corn—No. 2, May, 62½c to 62¼c; July, 61¾c; Sept., 60c. Oats—No. 2, May, 44½c; July, 36%c; Sept., 31c. Mess pork—May, \$15 47½; July, \$15 62½. Lard—May, \$3 37½; July, \$9 50. Short ribs—May, \$8 42½; July, \$8 52½; Sept., \$8 62½.

Cash quotations: Flour steady. No. 3 spring wheat, 74c to 76%c; No. 2 red, 81¼c to 82¾c. No. 2 oats, 44c to 44½c; No. 2 white, 45c to 45¾c; No. 3 white, 44%c to 45½c. No. 2 red, 50 to 59½c. Fair to choice malting barley, 59c to 62c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 62; No. 1 northwestern, \$1 68. Prime timothy seed, \$6. Mess pork, \$15 15 to \$15 30; lard, \$9 20 to \$9 22½; short \$15 15 to \$15 30; lard, \$9 20 to \$9 221/2; short ribs sides, \$8 25 to \$8 40; dry salted shoulders, 71/6c to 71/4c; short clear sides, \$8 65 ders, 71%c to 714c; short clear sides, \$8 65 to 28 75. Eggs easy; fresh, 25c to 26c.
Receipts—Flour, 28,000 bbls; wheat, 30,000 bu; corn, 147,000 bu; oats, 140,000 bu; rye, 7,000 bu; barley, 2,400 bu.
Shipments—Flour, 26,000 bbls; wheat, 66,000 bu; corn, 49,000 bu; oats, 161,000 bu; rye, 6,000 bu; barley, 29,000 bu.

DAIRY MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Butter—Firm; receipts, 3,199 pkgs; creamery extras, per lb, 27c; do, firsts, 25c to 26c; do, seconds, 23c to 24c; do, lower grades, 21c to 22c; creamery, held fancy, 23c to 23½c; do, firsts, 21½c to 22½c; do, seconds, 20c to 21c; do, lower grades, 18c to 19½c; state dairy tubs, fresh finest, 25c; do, fall-made, best, 21c to 22c; do, fair to good, 19c to 29c; do, lower grades, 16c to 18c; western imitation creamery, fancy, 22c to 22½c; do, firsts, 20c to 21c; do, lower grades, 16½c to 18c; western factory, fresh fancy, 20c; do, choice, 19c to 19½c; do, fair to good, 17c to 17½c; do, held choice, 18c; do, fair to good, 16½c to 17½c; do, lower grades, 16c; renovated butter, fancy, 22½c to 23c; do, common to choice, 16c to 22c; packing stock, 15c to 17½c. Cheese—Firm; receipts, 6,230 boxes; state full cream, small fall-made, colored or white, fancy, 12½c to 12c; do, good to prime, 10½c; do, common to fair, 7c to 9½c; do, choice, 10½c; do, common to fair, 7c to 9½c; do, choice, 10½c; do, common to fair, 7c to 9½c; do, choice, 10½c; do, common to fair, 7c to 9½c; do, choice, 10½c; do, common to fair, 7c to 9½c; light skims, choice, 9½c to 10c; do, NEW YORK, Feb. 28,-Butter-Firm; to 10%c; do, common to fair, 7c to light skims, choice, 9%c to 10c; do, large choice, 8½c to 8½c; part skims, prime, \$c to 8½c; do, fair to good, 6c to 7½c; do, common, 4c to 5c; full skims, 3c to 3½c. Eggs—Firmer; receipts, 2,715 cases; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, uncandled, best, 294c; western, best, 294c; do, fair to good, 284c to 29c; Kentucky, best, 294c; Baltimore and Washington, 29c to 294c; southern, best, 29c; ton, 29c to 291/2c; southern, best, 29c; fair to good, 271/2c to 281/2c; dirties,

OIL CITY, Pa., Feb. 28.—Credit balances, \$1 15; certificates, no bid. PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 28.-Oil closed LONDON, Feb. 28.—Petroleum, American refined, 615-16d; spirits, 6%d. ANTWERP, Feb. 28.-Petroleum, 17

BREMEN, Feb. 28.—Petroleum, 6 marks LIVE STOCK MARKETS. TORONTO, Feb. 28.—Receipts at the cattle market today, 70 cars, with 1,148 cattle, 248 sheep and lambs, 1460 hor

Butchers' cattle, choice.... 3 75 Butchers, good...... 3 60 Butchers, common. 275
Butchers, picked. 400
Off-colors and heifers. 200 Butchers, bulls...... 250 butchers, each..... 2 00 cwt cwt...... 4 00 Hogs, best, cwt. 6 00 @
Hogs, light. 5 75 @
Hogs, fat. 5 75 @

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,500; slow; steady; good to prime steers, \$650 to \$7; poor to medium, \$4 to \$640; stockers and feeders, \$225 to \$5; cows, \$125 to \$5; heifers, \$225 to \$525; canners, \$125 to \$225; bulls, \$250 to \$460; calves, \$250 to \$6; Texas fed steers, \$450 to \$575. Hogs—Receipts, 21,000; active and 10c higher; mixed and butchers, \$580 to \$640; good to choice heavy. \$620 to \$635: higher; mixed and butchers, \$5 80 to \$6 40; good to choice heavy, \$6 20 to \$6 35; rough heavy, \$5 90 to \$6 15; light, \$5 75 to \$5 90; bulk of sales at \$5 90 to \$6 25. Sheep—Receipts, 4,000; sheep steady; lambs lower; good to choice wethers, \$4 65 to \$5 25; western sheep, \$4 50 to \$4 90; native lambs, \$3 75 to \$6 40; western lambs, \$5 25

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,389; 29 cars on sale; slow; steers 10c to 15c lower; bulls steady to 10c lower; cows 15c to 25c lower; steers, \$4 50 to \$6 52½; 25c lower; steers, \$4 50 to \$6 521/2 \$2 75 to \$4 45; cows, \$2 25 to \$4 30 bulls, \$2.75 to \$4.45; cows, \$2.25 to \$4.30; cables slow; exports tomorrow, \$98 cattle and 4.529 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 195; dull and 50c lower; 75 unsold; veals, \$4 to \$7.50; tops, \$8; little calves, \$2.50; barnyard calves, \$2.75 to \$3.12½; city dressed veals, 7½c to 11c per lb. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 4,104 head; sheep 15c lower; lambs 10c to 15c off; sheep, \$4 to \$5.25; culls, \$3 to \$3.25; lambs, \$3.50 to \$6.70; culls, \$4 to \$5. Hogs—Receipts, 2,259; nominally steady.

EAST BUFFALO. Feb. 28—Cattle—

2,29; nominally steady.

EAST BUFFALO, Feb. 28.—Cattle—Receipts light; quiet and unchanged; veals, choice, \$7.75 to \$8; common to good, \$7 to \$7.25. Hogs—Receipts, 5,100 head; fully 5c lower; Yorkers, \$6.20 to \$6.30; light do, \$6 to \$6.15; mixed packers, \$6.25 to \$6.40; choice heavy, \$6.45 to \$6.50; pigs, \$5.70 to \$5.80; roughs, \$5.40 to \$5.80; stags, \$4 to \$4.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 11.000 head; choice lambs \$6.45 to ceipts, 11,000 head; choice lambs, \$6 45 to \$6 50; good to choice, \$6 10 to \$6 40; culls to fair, \$5 50 to \$6 40; sheep, tops, mixed, \$4 50 to \$5 75; common to extra mixed, \$4 50 to \$5 15; culls and common, \$3 25 to \$4 25, mixed.

ENGLISH MARKETS. LIVERPOOL.
The following table shows the quotations per cental yesterday for American products at Liverpooi, as well as for the three previous market days. In each case

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LIVERPOOL March 1-Closing. Wheat—Spot steady; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 1½d; No. 2 red western winter, 6s ½d; No. 1 California, no stock; futures closed steady; March, 6s 1¾d; May, 6s 7½d; July, 6s ¾d. Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new, 5s 14d; do, old, 5s 24d; futures

closed inactive; March, 5s 1%d; May, 5s 2d. Peas-Canadian steady, 6s 71/2d. Hops (at London)—Pacific coast firm, 3 10s to £4 5s.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter firm, &s. Beef—Extra India mess firm, 79s.
Pork—Prime mess western firm, 72s.
Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, quiet,

Bacon-Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, steady, 41s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, steady, 43s 5d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, quiet, 45s; long clear middles, heavy, 35s to 40 lbs, quiet, 44s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, steady, 45s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 48s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, quiet, 35s. Lard-Prime western in tierces, steady, 47s:36; American refined, in pails steady, 48s 6d.

Butter—Steady; finest United States, 95s; do, good, 72s.
Cheese—Firm; American finest white, 50s; do, colored, 50s 6d. Tallow—Prime city firm, 29s 9d; Australian (in London) firm, 3Is 6d.
Turpentine spirits—Firm, 3Is 6d.
Petroleum—Steady, 7½d.
Rosin—Common firm, 4s 1½d.
The following are the stocks of breadstuffs and provisions at Liverpool; Flour

stuffs and provisions at Liverpool: Flour, 49,000 sacks; wheat, 1,188,000 centals; corn 875.000 centals; bacon, 20.900 boxes; hams, 8,600 boxes; shoulders, 6.000 boxes; butter, 2,900 cwts; cheese, 6.200 boxes; lard, prime western steam, 3,900 tierces; lard, other binds, 240 tones. kinds, 240 tons.

U. S. SENATORS FORGIVEN. Washington, March 1 .- In the senate yesterday a resolution of censure upon Senators Tillman and McLaurin,

presented by the committee of privileges, was adopted. The order adjudging them in contempt of the senate is no longer in force. HEAVY LOSS FOR LOGGERS. Milwaukee, March 1 .- What was considered the usual February thaw ten days ago, has developed into what is now recognized by Minnesota loggers

as a general break-up. They have not been able to maintain roads for ten days, and millions of feet of timber must be left in the woods until another year. Several logging firms will be bankrupted. The loss for Northern Minnesota and Wisconsin is estimated Santiago de Cuba, March 1.-Sir Wil-

PRESIDENT VAN HORNE IN CUBA liam Van Horne, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and the promotor of the project for the consolidation of all the railroads in Cuba, ac-companied by Mr. Dodge, left yester-day for New York via Havana, after having inspected the work done by the Cuba Railway Company. William expressed herself as greatly pleased with the results obtained during the last six months, and said that an immense amount of railway con-struction had been accomplished. He expects to run trains between Havana and Santiego de Cuba within a year.

DISASTER

Caused by Snowslides Near Telluride, Col.

Fourteen Men Killed and a Score or So Missing.

Four Fatal Slides Took Place in Succession-Names of the Victims-Several Buildings Swept Away 2.000 Feet Down the Mountain.

Telluride, Colo., March 1.-Fourteen known, of the series of snowslides which occurred in the vicinity of the Liberty Bell mine, on Smuggler Mountain, three and a half miles north of Telluride. The roads between here and the Liberty Bell are almost impassable, and details of the accident are hard to obtain. It seems that no less than

FOUR DISTINCT SLIDES occurred, each one claiming two or more victims. Several bodies have been recovered, but quite a number of the known dead are still buried under the tons of snow, rock and timbers by which they were carried down.

The death list so far as known fol-

First slide-Gus Swanson, crusher feeder; H. S. Sutherland, tram brakeman; Harry Golden, waiter in boarding house; Gus Kraul, miner; J. P. Clemmer, steward; Wade Crowe, miner: R. Bishop, miner.

Second slide-Harry A. Chase, assayer; L. D. Stanley, carpenter.
Third slide—Gus Von Fintel, carpener; John R. Powell, surveyer; Paul Dalphrese, miner. Fourth slide-George Rowher and W.

HOUSES SWEPT AWAY. The first slide carried away the

Mothers.

children also.

Should Watch the Physical Develop-

ment of Their Daughters. Earn-

est Words From Mrs. Pinkham to

Every mother possesses information of vital value to her young

daughter. That daughter is a precious legacy, and the responsibility

for her future is largely in the hands of the mother. The mysterious

change that develops the thoughtless girl into the thoughtful woman

should find the mother on the watch day and night. As she cares for

the physical well-being of her daughter, so will the woman be, and her

riences headaches, dizziness, faintness, and exhibits an abnormal dispo-

sition to sleep, pains in the back and lower limbs, eyes dim, desire for

solitude, and a dislike for the society of other girls, when she is a

mystery to herself and friends, then the mother should go to her aid

promptly. At such a time the greatest aid to nature is Lydia E. Pink-

ham's Vegetable Compound. It prepares the young system for the

Mothers Who Allow Their Daughters to Suffer are Cruel When

Relief is Easily Obtained. Read This Mother's Experience.

is thirteen years old and never menstruated. We have had the doctor to her and he said she did not have enough blood. She has been taking iron for

three months but is no better. In the morning she vomits, some days she

cannot keep anything on her stomach until twelve o'clock. If she tries to do

anything she gets faint. Has headache all the time, is as white as marble

with great dark rings under her eyes. Please write and tell me what to do

as I am discouraged with the doctor." - Mrs. Chas. Southard, Phoenix Mills,

"DEAR Mrs. PINKHAM: - Last January I wrote you about my daughter, and told you what our family doctor said about her. I saw another doctor

and he said she had quick consumption. After receiving your letter, I began giving her your remedies, and after taking four bottles of Lydia E. Pink-

ham's Vegetable Compound and four of Blood Purifier, she is now well

and strong as ever. Menses have appeared and are regular. I can never

praise your remedies enough for they saved my daughter's life." — Mrs. Chas. Southard, Phonix Mills, N.Y. (Dec. 16, 1900.)

Any young girl or any mother is cordially invited to write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for advice in regard to her sick-

N.Y. (Jan. 19, 1900.)

"DEAR MRS. PINKUAM: - I wish advice in regard to my daughter. She

The following letters from Mrs. Southard are practical proof of

coming change, and is the surest reliance in this hour of trial.

Mrs. Pinkham's efficient advice to young women.

When the young girl's thoughts become sluggish, when she expe-

boarding and bunk houses and the tram house of the mine.

About 250 men are regularly employed Bell mine, but a large number of men from the night shift were in Telluride and were prevented from returning to the mine by the terrible storm which was raging. The day shift had just

gone to work, leaving but comparatively few underground workmen at the bunk house. The slide came WITHOUT WARNING. The three large buildings were carried down the steep mountain side.

a distance of about 2,000 feet, and literally ground to pieces, not a board being left intact. The snow and debris piled in the bottom of the canon twenty-five feet deep.

TO THE RESCUE. Those who escaped the slide at once

began the work of rescuing their less fortunate companions. A dozen or more were taken out alive, some of them badly injured, however. Word was sent to Telluride and a number of citizens left for the scene of the disaster to aid in the rescue of the victims.

Shortly after noon, while the work of digging out bodies was going on, the second slide came down almost in the track of the first. The mountain side is very steep, and the descent of the snow mass was so swift that 24

RESCUERS WERE CAUGHT, two being killed. They were Harry A. Chase and L. D. Stanley, and their bodies have not been recovered. none was fatally hurt. Supt. Chase, of the Liberty Bell mine, later ordered the work of rescue suspened, declaring that it was useless to endanger life further while slides were running. Several parties started at once for Telluride. Two of these parties were

OVERTAKEN BY SLIDES. In one, Gus Von Fontel, John R. Powell, and Paul Dalphres were killed and in the other George Rowher and W. S. Gregory lost their lives. None of these bodies had been recovered at last accounts.

A large number of men is missing and it is thought probable that the death list will be swelled to twenty and possibly thirty when the bodies shall be taken from the snow mass. STUDENTS KILLED.

Among these killed Raymond Bis hop, Wade Crowe and Harry A. Chase were last year's graduates from the State School of Mines at Golden, Colo. They had taken positions with the Liberty Bell to acquaint themselves with practical mining. They belong to good families in Denver and Pueblo. Several other slides are reported in this vicinity. One at the Camp Bird mine in the Sheffels district, resulted in the death of one man and the prob"Always the Best of Everything for the Least Money."

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18 only, Black Sateen Underskirts, lined, with yoke and wide frill, selling at 98c, regular price \$1.50.

11 only, Black Sateen Underskirts, with yoke and frill, regular price \$1.57, for 98c each.

4 only, Mercerized Sateen, lined with flannelette, with corded and pleated frill, regular price, \$2, for 98c.

4 only, Mercerized Sateen, with corded frill, regular price \$2, for 98c.

5 only, Underskirts, in stripes, black and white, and blue and white, with wide frill, regular price \$1.25,

2 only, Underskirts, with two frills, regular price \$1.25,

11 only, Colored Sateen Skirts, with corded frill, in cerise, blue, purple and red, regular price \$2, for 98c.

PARKER. Phone 1182. 150 Dundas Street.

able fatal injury of three others. From the condition of the snow more slides

PRINCE HENRY AT ANNAPOLIS

Regardless of Rain.

Henry Renews His Acquaintanceship With Mark Twain While in New York.

gusty wind marred the visit of Prince Henry to Maryland's capital and the United States Naval Academy. It fell in unceasing torrents that ran through streets in miniature rivers and converted the parade ground at the academy into a bay. But the naval men and their brother officers of the German party scorned surrender to the storm, and with all their military finery went through the programme that had been arranged in their honor. When the train carrying Prince Henry reached Annapolis station a marine guard stood at attention out in the street beyond the depot, in rain that carried the color from their uniforms as it streamed from them. Inside the depot grounds two lines of police made a lane through to the street. As the prince appeared the marine guard presented arms. Commander Wainwright, commander of the academy, formally welcomed the prince, and showed him to a closed carriage. depot entrance was canopied, but the rain dripped through the canvas. Local militiamen lined the streets from the short line depot to the new grounds gate at the academy, and, despite the driving rain, hundreds of persons were out to see the distinguished visitor. As the carriage prince reached the grounds the cannon of a salute of 21 guns sounded. The prince was driven to a canvas-covered stand on the west end of the grounds and the cadets marched past in review. After the review the visitors were hurried into their carriages and driven through the army grounds. They visited the cadets' quarters, the mechanical laboratory and also looked over the new buildings that are being erected. As they left the parade grounds lightning flashed through the sky, and there was a rumble of thunder, and the electrical storm seemed to give fresh vigor to the rainstorm.

HENRY AND MARK TWAIN. Henry caught sight of Mark Twain at the press banquet in New York, called him to his side, and renewed acquaintance begun eleven years ago in Berlin. Mar declined to go into details as to what he talked about, dismissing the incident with the remark: he reminded me that we had dined together eleven years ago in Berlin, and spoke of that and told me how delighted he was with this country, and how pleased he was with the way everybody had treated him."

While Prince Henry was driving to attend the banquet given him by Morgan and the millionaires in New York, the pole of his carriage struck a policeman and knocked him senseless. From the banquet Henry sent the injured man a message of sympathy and a bottle of wine. After which, it is said, the policemen recklessly exposed themselves.

DIED, AGED 107. Belleville, March 1.-Mrs. (Capt.) R.

Waters, of this city, has been advised of the death of her father, Mr. Alex Gunn, in Kansas, at the age of 107

REVENUE STILL INCREASING. Ottawa, March 1.-The customs revenue for eight months ending Feb. 28 was \$1,675,430 greater than for the same time last year. The figures are \$20,675,-210, as against \$18,999,777 for the last fiscal year. For the month of February there was \$4,000 of a decrease, but it should be remembered that February of last year was \$150,000 higher than the year previous.

OUTGO OF GOLD. New York, March 1. - The United States owes Europe a large sum of money. American obligations aggre-gating many millions of dollars will

have to be sent abroad. There is no enough to half-way meet the United States' obligations abroad, so the shipments of gold must soon begin. The steamers going out this week are not expected to take any large sums, but beginning in March the United States

The U. S. Naval Cadets Turn Out NO VERIFICATION NEEDED AT HOME

Everybody in Oshawa Is Familiar With This Case.

Annapolis, Md., Feb. 28. - Deluging Joe Brown's Wonderful Escape From rain that was whipped around by a Death Is Now an Old and Oft Told Story to the People of His Own Town.

Oshawa, Ont., Feb. 28 .- While interest in Joe Brown's case has been revived by the recent publication of the facts in so many papers, Oshawa people are well acquainted with the whole circumstance. Mr. Brown's father-inlaw, Mr. John Allin, whose place business is right in the center of the town, has, however, had to answer many questions recently; but as he was very close to Mr. Brown during the whole of his painful experiences in '97 and '98, he finds this an easy mat-

Mr. Allin is quite as enthusiastic as Mr. Brown himself, and never tires telling the story of how Dodd's Kidney Pills conquered disease and saved Mr. Brown's life. He says: "We didn't think he would ever live through it, let alone get strong and able to work, but the pills made him all right and well in a short time, and

the best of it all is that the cure has stood the test of time. It must be three and a half years since, and as you know he's strong and hearty to day, and has been ever since Dodd's Kidney Pills sent him back to the shop. There are many others in town who have recently been reminded of this wonderful cure of a seemingly hopeless case who find no trouble in calling

up the facts, and none are slow to give all the credit to Dodd's Kidney Pills. The Empror of Corea has ordered Mr. MacCleavy Brown to disburse an annual amount from the customs income for the construction of light-

MOTHER GRAVES' Worm Exterminator has no equal for destroying worms in children and adults. See that you get the genuine when purchasing. In Liverpool shipping circles it is

houses and for the waterworks in

now stated that, owing to the disagreement of the owners of the great trans-Atlantic steamship services, negotiations regarding uniform rates and fares have fallen through. When you feel weak, run-down.

nervous, unable to work or think as you ought, take Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. They'll built up your Capt. Dulessis, B Battery, Kingston, has forwarded his resignation to the

militia department at Ottawa. PAIN-KILLER is more of a household remedy than any other medicine. It meets the requirements of every home. Cures cramps and dysentery, and is the best liniment made. Avoid substitutes; there is but one Pain-Killer, Perry Davis. 25c and 50c.

STONE-BROKE. "I am building," the pensive maider said, "A castle in the air."
"And what is the corner-stone?" ask-

ed he. She answered: "A solitaire." -Smart Set.

Mrs. Winslows Soothing Syrup Has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES the CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS, ALLAYS all PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best romedy for DIARRHEA. Sold the Description over the world. by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's" Soothing Syrup.



ness. No one has had greater experience or success in guiding mothers and their daughters to health. Thousands have trusted her and are glad. She charges nothing for advice. Write to-day. BHWARD. — We have deposited with the National City Bank of Lynn, \$1000, which will be paid to any person who can find that the above testimental letters are not genuine, or were published before obtaining the writer's special persuits and the second second persuits on.

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TO-DAY'S MARKETS NEW YORK STOCKS.

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Amal. Copper 70%	701/4	701/2	6914	70
Atabas 00 pper 10%	1078			
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Richelieu and Ontario110	109
Montreal Street Railway 268	267 14
Montreal Street Railway, new	
Toronto Street Railway116%	1161
St. John Electric Railway	W. H. 194
Halifax Street Railway	1124
Twin City Trans	1134
Montreal Heat and Power Co	
Bell Telephone Cempany 93	965
Bank of Montreal	255
Ontario Bank	
Molsons Bank	126
Bank of Toronto	208
Merchants Bank	
Royal Bank	
Quebec Bank	106
Union Bank	1205
Band of Commerce 62	57
Bank of Nova Scotia 59	55
Northwest Land, pref 90	855

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET. Toronto, March 1.—Wheat—Quiet, at 73c for red and white, middle freights; goose, No. 2 nominal, at 63½c, low freights to New York; spring, 72c for No. 2 east; Manitoba, 88½c for No. 1 hard, and 85c for No. 1 northern, grinding in transit, Sarnia. Flour—Dull; 90 per cent patents, \$2 85 in buyers' bags, middle freights; choice brands are 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba \$4 20 for Hungarian patents and \$4 choice brands are 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba, \$4 20 for Hungarian patents and \$4 for strong bakers, bags included, on the track, Toronto. Milifeed—Quiet; shorts, \$19 and bran at \$17 in bulk, middle freights. Barley—Steady, at 55c for No. 1, 53c for No. 2, 52c for No. 3 extra and 50c for No. 3, middle freights. Buckwheat—Steady, at 55c for No. 2 white. Steady; No. 2 mixed, 55c for No. 2 yellow 5614c west. Oate—Quiet; No. 2 white. vest. Butter—There is a good demand for all good grades of creamery and dairy; the latter are scarce. Creamery prints, 22c to 23c; solids, choice, 20c to 21½c; held, 19c to 20c; dairy pound rolls, choice, 17c to 19c; large rolls, choice, 16½c; tubs, 14c; medium and low grades, 11c to 12c. Eggs—Steady, at 26c for new-laid

TORONTO HAY MARKET. Toronto, Feb. 28.—Baled hay—On call at the board of trade today, \$3.25 was offered for No. 1 timothy outside; the market is steady and quiet. Baled straw—There is a steady demand and a quiet market; prices are steady, at \$5.50 asked on track here.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS. OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, Feb. 28.—Here and at Liverpool trade is dull and prices weak, at 12c to 13c per lb, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is lower, at 9c to 9½c per lb.

CIL MARKETS. PITTSBURG, Pa., March 1 .- Oil opened ENGLISH MARKETS.

The stocks of wheat and corn in store and on quays (railway and canal depots not included) are as follows: Wheat, 1,618,000 centals; corn, 882,000 centals.

SUGAR.
London, Feb. 28.—Raw sugar, Musco-vado, 7s 8d; centrifugal, 8s 6d; beet sugar, Feb., 6s 9d. DETROIT BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, March 1.—Future beans are a little lower and the market dull. Quotations: Cash. \$151; May, \$148 bid, offered at \$150; June, \$149 asked.

THE DAIRY MARKETS. CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—On the produce exchange today the butter market was easy; creameries, 18c to 25c; dairies, 18c to 25c. Cheese—Firm; 10%c to 12%c. AMERICAN MARKETS.

NEW YORK Feb. 27 .- Flour-Receipts. NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Flour-Receipts, 18,732 bbls; sales, 4,000 pkgs; steady and fairly active, without change. Rye flour—Firm; fair to good, \$3 25 to \$3 40; choice to fancy, \$3 50 to \$3 75. Wheat—Receipts, 73,150 bu; sales, 850,000 bu; wheat opened steady on cables, sold off owing to fine steady on cables, sold off owing to fine weather news, and then railied with corn; March, \$2½c; May, \$2½c to \$2½c; July, 81½c to \$2½c; Sept. 81 3-16c. Rye—Steady; state, 60c to 61c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 65½c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 18,000 bu; sales, 85,000 bu; corn opened fairly steady, and was soon advanced by scarcity of spot product, higher cables and covering; May, 65c to 66½c; July, 65½c to 66½c; Sept., 64½c to 65½c. Oats—Receipts, 58,600 bu; oats were quiet but firm. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3½c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c; molasses sugar, 2½c; fugal, 96 test, 35c; molasses sugar 2%c; refined dull. Coffee—Quiet; No. 7 Rio, 5%c. Lead—Firm. Wool—Quiet. Hops—

BUFFALO, Feb. 28.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 81½c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 88½c; No. 1 white, 90c asked. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 66c; No. 3 yellow, 65½c; No. 2 corn, 65½c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 49c; No. 3 white, 48c; No. 2 mixed, c. asked on track. DETROIT. Mich., Feb. 28.—Wheat—No. white, cash, 85%c; No. 2 red, cash and Feb., 84%c; May, 84c; July, 79%c.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Butler, stock	proker			
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	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat May	17	171/8	7614	7614
July	7734	7734	76%	76%
Corn-May	62%	621/4	61%	6134
July	62	62	60 %	61
Oats-May	44%	4614	4456	45%
July	3674	3616	35%	36
Pork-May		15 57	15 45	15 45
Lard-May		9 55	9 37	9 37
Ribs-May		8 45	8 35	8 35

HE GOT IT.

"So you are looking for a position," said the merchant to the youth with the high collar and the noisy necktie.

ing and sweep the floors."

"What can you do?"
"Oh, anything," replied the young
man. "Of course, I don't expect the junior partnership at the start, but I want to be sure of an early rise."
"Very well," replied the merchant. "I'll make you assistant caretaker. You will rise at 4 o'clock every morn-

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CHARITABLE WORK DURING PAST YEAR

Some Interesting Statistics Compiled by Ald. Campbell.

At the meeting of the finance committee of the city council yesterday, Ald. Campbell presented the following useful table, showing the work of the charitable institutions in the city, together the civic grant received by each:

Banana Liberal	Expendi- ture, 1900.	Inmates, 1900.	Inmates, 1901.
Mount Hope (aged		134	103
people)	14,040 24	134	103
phans)		102	- 88
Home for Aged People	6,217 39	96	102
Protestant Orphans'			
Home	3,113 94	76	74
Infants' Home			65
Convalescent Home			31
Home for Incurables. Salvation Army Shel-	2,960 75	20	45
ter Home	1,390 21	198	75
Totals	99 819 54	779	587
Children Aid Society.			

DIED SUDDENLY WHILE IN BUGGY.

Shelter Home, \$75; Children's Aid, \$500; W. C. A., \$200. The Charities Organiza-

tion in addition receives \$200. Ald. Camp.

n. St. Clair, an Englishman, Expired While Seing Driven to Hotel.

Mr. H. St. Clair, a middle-aged man, and who boarded at the Dominion House, died very suddenly yesterday afternoon while being driven to the hotel by Mr. J. Cox. Heart trouble was the cause of death.

Mr. St. Clair was an Englishman and followed the occupation of druggist. At the time of his death he was traveling for a house in Toronto, where he formerly lived. Yesterday he went down town, and shortly after telephoned for a rig to drive him home. On his way home he expired. Dr. MacLaren was called and pronounced death to have been due to natural causes. The body was removed to Smith's undertaking rooms and embalmed to await orders from relatives. Mr. St. Clair's wife, who is in England at present, and several children sur-

Mr. St. Clair was a Mason of good standing, and Mr. Cox, proprietor of the Dominion House, as soon as he learned of the incident, informed several prominent local Masons. The latter sent a cablegram to England at noon today, in the hope that through the craftsmen in the old land, the whereabouts of the dead man's relatives may be discovered.

The Best Year's Work.

The the year 1901 was the very best in the history of the North American Life Assurance Company will be seen by its annual statement, which appears in our columns today. The applications received amounted to over six millions, and of this five and onehalf millions were accepted, and policies issued, while about half a million was declined-a substantial proof. both of the popularity of the company amongst insurers, and of the protection given to policyholders in the selection

of only the best risks. The amount of insurance now in force reaches just about \$28,000,000, and In all important elements tending to its growth and prosperity the company has made marked advances.

The income increased by over \$100 .-000, now amounts to \$1,099,396 58. The assets were increased during the year by \$440,000, and now stand at \$4.-

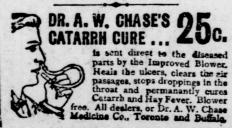
The company paid out during the year the large sum of \$386,688 for death claims, profits, etc.

The North American Life is recognized amongst the leading established financial institutions: it has already passed its twenty-first year, and the president, in his address at the annual

its history has marked a progressive and successful period. The company at its formation was exceptionally fortunate in having for its president a man held in the highest esteem and regard by all people-the late Hon. Alexander Mackenzie-and at his death he was succeeded by Mr. John L. Blaikie, who is regarded as one

meeting, pointed out that each year in

of the leading financial authorities of The vice-presidents are Dr. James Thorburn and Sir William R. Meredith, the managing-director-that wellknown expert actuary—Mr. William night. His subject was "Britain and McCabe, F.I.A., ably assisted by Mr. Brittany," and it was illustrated by L. Goldman, the secretary. The district manager for London is Mr. W. R. Miller, Masonic Temple building.



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WEATHER BULLETIN

Balm-Zoin. Balm-Zoin.

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Vinnipeg	10	2	Fair
arry Sound	40	36	Fair
oronto		34	Rain
ttawa		34	Cloud
Montreal		36	Clear
uebec		32	Cloud
ather Point		28	Cloud

FORECASTS. Today-Strong winds, shifting to west and northwest; showery today, turning colder during the night, with light snowfalls or flurries.

Sunday-Colder. WEATHER NOTES. Very unsettled conditions still prevail in Ontario and Quebec, and moderately cold weather exists west of the Great Lakes. During tonight it promises to become colder in the lake region, extending Sunday night to the Ottawa and St. Lawrence valleys, but at present no decidedly cold weather is indicated.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

-Mrs. W. D. Thomas and little son, Gordon, of Wingham, are visiting friends in this city. -Miss Holland has returned home after continuing her studies in ceramic and poker work in Toronto.

-The water commissioners are calling for tenders for new pumps, to cost in the neighborhood of \$25,000. -Rev. J. G. Stuart, of South London, leaves on Monday next for a month's vacation, and intends to visit Florida

-The customs revenue at London for the past month was \$61,972 15, as against \$61,027 99 in the corresponding month of 1901, an increase of \$944 16. -Mr. Robb, of this city, wishes to deny the statement that Miss Monnet, who was recently fined for using the term "Dr." contrary to law, is a Christian Scientist.

-The gospel meeting at the Y. W. C. A. on Sunday afternoon is open to The subject will be "Christian Sacrifice." Mr. Matthews will speak who has been in the city some time and Miss Gunn will sing. Miss Murand who boarded at the Dominion phy will act as planist. At 4:15 p.m. 296 Dundas street. -A series of services on "The Tab-

ernacle" is now being preached in St. James' Church, South London, on Sunday evenings. A large painting of the tents and tabernacle is being used to illustrate the subject. The sermons are creating much interest. -The special evangelistic services.

which have been held for the past two weeks in Chalmers Presbyterian Church, Waterloo street, have gradually grown in interest and will be continued tomorrow (Sunday) and each evening till Wednesday. The pastor will be assisted in the work.

-Very satisfactory plans for the new Y. W. C. A. building have been drawn. The building, as needed for the general city and boarding home, will require about \$25,000. This estimate provides for only that which is really necessary for a work of this kind for young women. A "united giving" will result in supplying the necessary funds.

-The late Mr. H. B. B. Alley, whose death from pneumonia on Feb. 23 was mentioned in The Advertiser, had been in the drygoods business for the past 21 years in Petrolia, and was formerly a prominent drygoods merchant of this city. He leaves a widow, one son, Clive, and a daughter. Tillie. Petrolia; also a son, Fred, of New York, by a former wife, and a sister, Miss Alley, of this city.

DEATH OF MRS. WILSON.

Mrs. Margaret Wilson died yesterday morning at her place of residence, Sackville street, after a short illness of apoplexy, at the age of 77 years. Her husband died some years ago, and there are no children.

DEATH OF SAMUEL GIBSON. Samuel Gibson, a retired farmer of Caradoc, died yesterday afternoon at his residence, 199 Bathurst street. He formerly followed his occupation in Nissouri, near Clipperton, where the funeral takes place tomorrow.

SENT BACK TO CENTRAL A dispatch from Toronto says: John Macpherson, sent down from London to serve three months in the central for highway robbery and released a short time ago, was sent back this morning for six months for a brutal assault, committed last night on M. McCue, Sherbourne street.

G. T. R. CONDUCTOR BROKE HIS LEG. Conductor George Porter, of the

Grand Trunk, broke his leg this morning while walking from the telegraph office to his train at Copetown, east of here. He slipped on the ice which covered the station platform. He was brought home on No. 3 train. fracture is a serious one, and he will be confined for some months.

FRANK YEIGH'S LECTURE. Mr. Frank Yeigh, of Toronto, deliv-

ered an excellent lecture in the assembly hall of the Normal School last night. His subject was "Britain and stereopticon views of different scenes and peoples. Principal Merchant pre-sided. The Literary Society of the Normal furnished the musical part of the programme, consisting of selections by the Harmonica and Glee Clubs. The attendance was large and all thoroughly enjoyed the evening's

entertainment A MATTER OF CONTRAST. "Give an example of how heat expands and cold contracts." "In the summer the days are long; in the winter they are short."

SINCE 1884!

Schuylkill and Allegheny Out of Their Banks.

Railway Tracks Submerged, Factories Closed, Lives Lost and Great Damage Incurred.

Philadelphia, March 1.-What is said to have been the greatest flood ever experienced along the Schuylkill River, certainly the most disastrous in recent years, tore its way down that stream last night and early this morning, and from its source to its mouth-120 miles-damage, which will reach into hundreds of thousands of dollars, has been done. Thus far only one life has been lost in this city. Michael Igol, aged 44 years, was drowned this morning in the kitchen of his home at Falls of Schuylkill. Probably the greatest sufferer is the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, whose tracks ran along the eastern shore for a distance of about three miles. This road has abandoned service over its main line and is sending its through trains via the junction railroad and other roads.

WORST SINCE 1884. Pittsburg, Pa., March 1.-Western Pennsylvania is in the grip of the worst flood since the record-breaker of 1884, when the Allegheny River at this point reached a stage of 33 feet 3 inches, and two-thirds of Lower Pittsburg and Allegheny were submerged in from two to ten feet of water, causing millions of dollars' worth of loss. At 9 o'clock this morning the marks showed 30 feet of water and rising at the rate of from five to six inches an hour. Street car traffic between the two cities have been entirely abandoned. Scores of mills have

been forced to close down, and hun-dreds of families have been compelled to move from their homes. The water rose so rapidly that in the American Steel and Wire plant, south side, the workmen had to leave their street clothes in the lockers and get out of the mill in their workingclothes. The Pittsburg and Lake Erie, Pittsburg, McKeesport and Youghiogheny railroads are practically closed The water is up in the trainsheds and covers the tracks all along the Monongahela and Ohio Rivers. A 32-foot stage at least is expected to be reached today and it may go up to 35

FATALITIES CAUSED BY WASH-OUT.

Floods at various points in New York State are also reported.

Three men were killed by the wreck of a freight train on the Harlem division of the New York Central Rail-road near here today. Those killed were Engineer Stewart, Fireman Wa-termeyer and Brakeman Clark. The wreck was caused by a washout on the

ESTIMATES FOR PUBLIC WORKS

Uccupy Attention of the Dominion Parliament.

Hon. J. I. Tarte Makes Known the Government's Intention in Regard to a Mint.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Feb. 28 .- A portion of this session and all of the evening session was devoted to the consideration of Hon. I. J. Tarte's estimates for his expenditure is nearly as large as in SPENT CHILDHOOD department, that of public works. His any other department, and is subjected to the closest possible scrutiny. It will be some time before all the votes

for public works will be put through. Hon. Mr. Tarte told the house this afternoon that the government had no thought of abandoning the proposal to establish a branch of the royal mint in Canada. Some delay has been caused by the multiplicity of duties imposed upon his department by the number of public works that have been under construction. The chief architect has prepared plans for the mint, but they had to be approved by the British authorities, as this is to be a Canadian branch of the British institution. The plans have been submitted to them and some changes made. The delay was lengthened by other obstacles, which have been overcome. The construction of the mint is now simply a question of time. He asked for and received a vote of \$50,000 for this purpose, and said he expected the mint to cost in the neighborhood of \$50,000 was voted also for the Victoria Memorial Museum, which is to cost about half a million dollars. A site for the memorial has not yet been chosen, but the royal mint is to stand

on Nepean Point, a picturesque situation overlooking the Ottawa River. It is the intention of the govern-ment this year extensively to improve the St. Lawrence Ship Canal, between Montreal and Quebec, and so improve the harbor of Montreal that it will compare with any American ports. The value of such work needs no supporters, and the minister of public works was highly praised by opponents as well as supporters for his intentions in this respect. He explained the project this evening. He made the important statement that he would require no more large votes for this work after this one, but would have the channel, 30 feet deep, completed within two years. The appropriation for 1902 is \$500,000. When the house rose to-night, Mr. Tarte was explaining the

French River scheme. PILES - ITCHING, BLIND OR BLEEDING.

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MAJUBA DAY ROUND-UP! JEW

Important News Sent From South Africa.

Results of Operations Covering an Area of 2,500 Square Miles.

Satisfactory Results Very Appropriate on the Anniversary of Majuba Day," Says the Commander.

London, Feb. 28.-Gen. Kitchener's first dispatch today lengthily summarizes the results of several days' combined operations in an area of about 2,500 square miles, in which the engagements of Feb. 23 and Feb. 26 oc-

BOER LEADER KILLED.

One incident was the killing of the Boer leader Manie Botha and 25 other Boers, in addition to the losses previously reported. The Boers made other small attempts to break through the British lines. In two cases they succeeded. The biggest coupe was yesterday, when 450 Boers, with their rifles and horses were captured.

Unofficial telegrams describe this as happening on the Natal-Orange River Colony border, where Lieut.-Col. Rawlinson, according to one version, surrounded a laager at dawn. Instead of opening fire he sent a messenger giving one hour to decide whether they would fight or surrender. Seeing that escape was impossible they surrendered unconditionally. Gen. Kitchener says that all the columns have not yet reported owing to the wideness of the district.

GREAT CAPTURE. In addition to Rawlinson's capture the combined operations resulted in the capture of 2.000 horses, 28.000 cattle, 200 wagons, 60,000 sheep, 600 rifles, 5,000 rounds of ammunition, and Commandants Meyer and Truther, and patch concludes: "These satisfactory results are very appropriate on the anniversary of Majuba.

A COMPARISON. Unofficial telegrams say that Dewet Steyn and Wessels, with a large body of followers, escaped before the cordon was drawn. It is pointed out that the Boer losses in this drive are propor tionately equivalent to the loss of 7,000 British.

ANOTHER STORY.

Gen. Kitchener gives the details of the disaster which befell the British convoy near Klerksdorp on Feb. 24. Sixteen officers, including Col. Anderson, the commander, were captured, as were also 451 men. One officer and 105

Secretary of War Brodrick, referring to this matter in the House of Commons, said the British casualties were 120.

The heavy casualties, the apparent certain loss of two guns, and the cap-ture of nearly 500 British troops by Boers near Klerksdorp, will dull the enthusiasm caused by the success of Gen. Kitchener's second big drive. The prisoners will doubtless be released, but their arms are gone, and such incidents in the past have always tended to give heart to the Boers and stiffen their resistance.

A CONTARDICTION. London, March 1.-The officials of the British Chartered South African Company, of which Cecil Rhodes is mandirector, deny the report, circulated in the United States by a news agency, of the death of Mr. Rhodes.

DAYS IN LONDON

Death of Mrs. Jane Harker in Detroit on

Friday.

A former resident of London died in Detroit on Friday in the person of Mrs. Jane Harker. After being raised in this city sne left about 35 years ago. She lived with her husband in Wisconsin until his death, since when she made her home in Detroit. She leaves a married daughter in Chicago. and three sisters, they being Mrs. David McKenna, of this city, Eliza McLaren, of Winnipeg, and Mrs. McGrogan, of Detroit, with whom Mrs. Harker made her home. The interment will take place in Detroit.

THOMAS SABIN, of Eglington, says: "I have removed ten corns from my feet with Holloway's Corn Cure." Reader, go thou and do likewise.

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were also 451 men. One officer and 105 men have since been released. Gen. Kitchener makes no mention of the Cowan's Hardware, Dundas Street

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WHIST.

ORIENTS WIN TROPHY.

The results of the Whist League games last night were as follows: Ori-

ents defeated Foresters by 118 points;

Manhattans defeated Belvideres by 41

points, and Car Shops defeated Ser-

geants by 23 points. With one more

game to play, this leave the Orients

in undisputed possession of first place.

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Assurance Company.

SHAREHOLDERS' MEETING.

BRITISH AMERICA ASSCE COMPANY - - TODAY qmU 2Yuoppom .. 6 The 68th annual meeting of the shareholders of the British America Assurance Company was held at its offices, Toronto, on Thursday, Feb. 27. The president, Hon. George A. Cox, occupied the chair, and Mr. P. H. Sims, who was appointed to act as secretary, read the following

ANNUAL REPORT.

Your directors have pleasure in presenting the 68th annual report and financial statements, duly vouched for by the auditors of the company.

There has been a moderate increase in the premium income in all branches, the Canadian fire business, particularly, showing a considerable increase over that of any previous year, this being mainly due to the advanced rates. that of any previous year, this being mainly due to the advanced rates

which have been obtained. The balance of the revenue account, \$99,590, has been applied as follows: The balance of the revenue account, \$99,590, has been applied as follows. \$65,000 for two half-yearly dividends, the first at the rate of 7 per cent, and the second at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, \$4,045 26 written off office furniture and securities, and the balance, \$30,544 74, added to the re-Berve fund, which now stands at \$612,001 96.

Although considerable progress has been made during the year in the direction of advancing rates throughout Canada and the United States, the results of the business, owing to the increase in fire losses, have not proved satisfactory to companies generally, and measures are now being taken for further advances which should bring about a material improvement in the condition of the fire insurance business on this continent.

			GEO. A. COA, III	
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Dividends declared	\$ 99.5	590	00	
Total assets	\$1,755,8	849	2:	
Cash capital	\$1,000,	000	91	

Reserve fund

The revenue account shows that, after deducting losses and expenses The revenue account shows that, after deducting losses and expenses from the premiums for the year, there is a balance, or underwriting profit, of \$58,795. This, with the earnings from interest and rents, \$40,795, makes the total balance at the credit of revenue account \$99,590. Compared with the preceding year the figures before you show a gain in premiums (after deducting reinsurances) of \$127,159, and a reduction in losses of \$16,124.

This increased income is derived mainly from the fire business, and, as that in the report, is chiefly due to the better rates that have prevailed. In the marine branch there has been little change in the volume of business we have done, but while the income from this source represents less than one-fourth of the total premiums received, we are indebted to this branch for

one-fourth of the total premiums received, we are indebted to this branch for

Taking into consideration the large amount of fire business transacted, the nearly one-half the year's profits. results of the year-although they show a marked improvement on those of the year 1900—cannot be regarded as affording an adequate margin of profit, but those of you who have noted the records from month of month of the serious fires in Canada and the United States, beginning with the conflagration in the business center of Montreal in January last, must, I think, regard the accounts presented as more favorable than might have been anticipated. We can at least claim that they will bear comparison in their general results with those shown by other companies operating in the same fields as ourselves, and this is perhaps the best test of the judgment exercised by the officers and company in the prosecution of its business. The problem as to what rates will be adequate to meet the losses of any one year is a difficult-I might say an impossible—one for the most experienced underwriters to solve. They can only meet the changed conditions that confront them from time to time by readjusting their rates in accordance with the loss records which these changing conditions produce. The adverse experience of companies engaged in the fire business on this continent for the past two years has shown the necessity of increases on many classes of risks, and we have benefited to a necessity of increases on many classes of risks, and we have benefited to 1901, and in view of the action taken during the past ten days by all the leading companies doing business in the United States to bring about a more radical advance than has hitherto been attempted, I feel that we may safely anticipate that these improved conditions will have even a more marked ef-

fect upon the business of the present year. In reviewing the business of the past year, as well as of the preceding eight years during which I have had the honor of occupying this chair, it is very gratifying to observe the progress which the company has made in its fire business in Canada, as well as the profits which have accrued upon this notwithstanding the losses by the conflagrations of the past two years. A company which has been doing business—as the British America has—for upwards of two-thirds of a century, should, we have felt, occupy a prominent position in connection with the business of its home field, and while an income equal to that of some leading British offices, which carry much larger amounts on individual risks, might not be looked for, it should command a liberal share of the business and be able to show results equal to, if not better than, the average results of its competitors. The progress which the British America has made in this direction under its present management is indicated by the has made in this direction under its present management is indicated by following figures: In 1892 the total fire premiums of the company in Canada were \$173,951; in 1901 they amounted to \$351,505. These figures represent the net premiums (after deducting reinsurances), so that during these nine years the income of the company in this branch has increased upwards to the of 100 per cent, while the total increase of all companies reporting to department is about 40 per cent. It is still more gratifying to find from the annual returns of companies doing business in Canada, published by the Dominion Government, that while for this same period the average loss ratio of all companies reporting to the Canadian Insurance Department is 70.3 per

cent, our losses have been but 59 per cent of the premiums received. While this has been our experience at home, the progress we have made in other fields in the way of securing advantageous connections had been such as to warrant our looking for equally favorable results from our agencies outside the Dominion, particularly when we bear in mind the improved out-look to which I have referred in the United States, from which territory a

large proportion of our income is derived.

In conclusion, I desire to avail myself of this opportunity of expressing our appreciation of the work of the officers of the company, both at its head our appreciation of the work of the officers of the company, both at its head office and at its branch offices, and our obligations to our general and local agents for their services in the company's behalf during the past year. The following gentlemen were re-elected to serve as directors during the Hon. Geo. A. Cox, J. J. Kenny, Augustus Myers, Thomas ensuing year: Hon. Geo. A. Cox, J. J. Kenny, Augustus Myers, Inchmos, Long, John Hoskin, K.C., LL.D., Hon. S. C. Wood, Robert Jaffray, Lieut.-Col. H. M. Pellatt and E. W. Cox.

a meeting of the board, held subsequently, the Hon. Geo. A. Cox was

Telegraphic Briefs.

The building season in Toronto is now opening up, the busiest since the J. Pierpont Morgan has given \$2,000,-

000 to the University of the South, at Sewanee, Tenn. Mr. W. T. Hodgins, of Berlin, Ont., a well-known insurance man, was found dead last night.

John W. Bailey, president of the Philadelp la Record Publishing Company, died today (Saturday). Hon. Richard Harcourt opened the

new school of manual training and domestic spience at Stratford. The 25th anniversary of Pope Leo's ascension of the throne will brated next Monday in all the Roman | Catholic churches of Detroit.

The Tennessee River has passed the danger line Clearing weather has come. It is believed that the rivers in Upper Tennessee have done their

The barometer about noon Friday reached the lowest point recorded by the Detroit weather office since its establishment, marking 28.90 inches, reduced to sea level.

The woman suffrage amendment has met its first defeat in the Iowa house committee on amendments and suffrage, which decided to recommend it for indefinite postponement.

me postoffice at Center Line, Macombe county, Mich., as robbed early P. S.—I shall certain Thursday morning. The robbers rifled friends to use Kelpion. the mail and carried away the small

re-elected president and Mr. J. J. Kenny vice-president. safe in which the stamps and money were contained. Mr. Justice Street has ordered the winding up of the American Tire Company of Toronto. The liabilities are

\$109,000 and the assets \$81,000. Claims aggregating \$1,500,000 are pending against the city of Chicago for damages growing out of the strike of 1894, and according to a re-cent decision of the United States court

of appeal the city is liable.

Troubles of the Soldiers. Leytonstone, Eng. Dear Sirs .- With regard to Kelpion cannot speak too well of it. It was the only medical store we had with us, and I don't know how we should

have got on without it. The regulars were always "rolling" up for a "rub of Kelpion" for different complaints, and I certainly think that all soldiers should be served with "one pot of Kelpion" when going on active

service. I think it was owing to your ointment that so many of us were able to keep up and do the record march Lord Kitchener.

The first time I saw it used was for a bad foot, which was badly jammed by a railway carriage door. In three days he was able to wear his boots and in less than a week able to walk. At Orange River I used it for my throat, which was swollen to Tonsilitis, and by rubbing your Kelpion well in, I was soon cured. For bruises, veldt

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THE WORLD OF SPORTS.

STORY OF A LOCAL HORSEMAN. This week's Buffalo Horse World says the following of a popular London horseman: Geo. G. McCormick, a prominent business man, of London, Ont., was in Buffalo a few days ago, and in the course of a conversation mentioned the fact that he recently sold to one of the vice-presidents of the American Steel Trust a very fine pair of carriage horses. The great show ring mare, Lucy Lightfoot, recently bought by George W. Stotesbury, of Philadelphia, was also sold by Mr. McCormick a short time since, and it is said that she is expected to be one of the cracks of next season's shows. Mr. McCormick has a farm a short distance from London, where, for pure pleasure, he develops high-class carriage and trotting horses. He has a half-mile track upon which he develops speed, and although he never races any of his norses, some exceedingly good race horses have been turned out of his stables for some one else to race. Last spring Mr. McCormick had a green mare by Emperor Wilkes that he thought exceptionally well of, and some way George Spear learned of the fact, and at Detroit he hunted up Mr. the mare. Mr. McCormick told him he had a very good mare and had driven her a mile over his half-mile track in 2:21, but that he was confident he could drive her a mile in 2:17 over a mile track. Spear then asked the London man to have the mare sent over to Detroit with the understanding that if she showed a mile in 2:17, he could have her for \$1,500 if he wanted her. The mare was brought over to the track, and Mr. McCormick drove her a mile with apparent ease in 2:17. Then Spear wanted to drive her a mile and Mr. McCormick assented. The owner went up into the judges'

where several men were timing the horses being worked, among the occupants being N. W. Hubinger and Frank G. Jones, of Memphis. Spear went away slow with the mare, but she stepped the last half in 1:04½, finishing the mile in 2:14¼. The men to the stand not knowing the mare. in the stand, not knowing the mare, began inquiring as to what she was and who owned her, when Mr. Mc-Cormick finally said, "She belongs to me." Hubinger at once wanted to know how much money he would take for her, and Mr. McCormick said it would take a couple of thousand dol-lars to buy her. Hubinger at once said he would take her, but Mr. McCormick said that Mr. Spear having an option on her, he must have the first chance, and stepping to the edge of the stand, just as Spear drove the mare back to the wire, Mr. McCormick said, "Do you want her, Mr. Spear?" Spear called out as he drove by, "Sell her if you can," and turning to Mr. Hubinger, the London man said, "Mr. Hubinger, the mare is yours." Mr. Jones, who had been taking the whole thing in, then turned to Hubinger and said, "I will give you \$200 for your bargain, and Hubinger let the Memphis amateur have the mare. That the daughter of Emperor Wilkes is as good as she was judged to be that day is evident from the fact that she is now being counted as a promising M. and M. candidate. Spear really intended to buy her, but he hung off a little too ong and thus lost a good racing prospect. Mr. McCormick does not take kindly to pacers, but he has one now that he got for a little or nothing in the way of a trade that he thinks is one of the very fastest pacing mares in the country. It is a 4-year-old filly by Sligo, son of Greenlander, dam by Norval, second dam by Simmons, Last fall when the filly was a 3-year-old, Mr. McCormick drove her a mile over his half-mile track in 2:18, and fractions of a mile at a sensational clip. He is quite certain he could have driven her a mile, over a mile track, in 2:11 or 2:12, and he thinks he will be able to step her a really sensational mile before next fall. Mr. Mc-Cormick, although a resident of Canada, where dock-tailed horses are numerous, is not a believer in that form of mutilation, and will not buy a dock-tailed horse. He believes fashion is now favoring the horse with the tail given him by nature, and that it is only a question of time when docking will cease altogether. business men are more in love with the trotter than this Canadian gentleman, who values the pleasure he gets in handling horses as highly as the financial returns, which, by the way, have been of very satisfactory pro-

AT NEW ORLEANS.

New Orleans, La., March 1 .- Weather clear; track fast. First race, 6 furlongs, selling—Dr. Stephens, 107 (Otis), 4 to 1, 1; Diffidence, 110 (Robertson), 12 to 1, 2; Ante Up, 107 (Odom), 8 to 5, 3. Time, 1:16. Second race, selling, 11/8 miles—Afra, 100 (Gormley), 10 to 1, 1; Prince Zeno, 102 (Lindsay), 12 to 1, 2; Joe Collins, 93 (Boyd), 15 to 1, 3. Time, 1:56½.

Third race, selling, 6 furlongs—
Masterful, 109 (Hayden), 20 to 1, 1; Judge Magee, 112 (Dangmer), 30 to 1 2; Royal Sterling, 115 (Odom), 30 to 1, Time, 1:15. Fourth race, handicap, 6 furlongs-103 (Brennan), 5 to 1, 3. Time, 1:141/4.

Lingo, 107 (Odom), 6 to 5, 1; Amigari, (Lyne), 9 to 2, 2; Balm of Gilead. Fifth race, selling, 11/8 miles—De-lonan, 107 (Boyd), 12 to 5, 1; Pay the Fiddler, 108 (Gormley), 30 to 1, 2; Little Lois, 104 (Brennan), 7 to 1, 3. Time,

Sixth race, selling, 61/2 furlongs-Lofter, 106 (Landry), 9 to 2, 1; Echodale, 110 (Odom), 15 to 1, 2; McWilliams, 104 (F. Robertson), 5 to 1, 3.

HOCKEY.

TO PLAY AT CRAIG. Ailsa Craig, March 1 .- Weather permitting the London Memorials will face the Ailsa Craig hockey team on the ice of the latter on Monday night. Owing to the fact that the City League teams are all engaged on that night the Memorials will be sent out.

BASKET BALL.

Y. M. C. A. GAMES. The members of the Tuesday Night Bible Class of the Y. M. C. A. defeated another association team last evening by the score of 36 to 33. Four of the five players on the last named team played against a Toronto Y. M. C. A. team in that place on New Years. At the end of half time the score was a tie, 14 to 14, and at the end of the second half the teams were again tied with 33 points each. Several minutes' play-off was required to decide the

SARNIA DEFEATED.

"PEG WOFFINGTON" TONIGHT.

Miss Eugenie Blair, who is presenting that beautiful drama, "Peg Woffington," at the Grand tonight, is supported by the most capable company she has yet had in her successful stage career. For this production the management has spared neither pains nor expense. The scenery was designed and executed by Rehn, and a special car is required for its transportation. The costumes are the work of Van Horne and Dazian, while the shoes passed through Woodstock the other morning on their way to California. Horne and Dazian, while the shoes They have both signed contracts with were contracted for by Azzimonti. With the latest accessories and ac-They have both signed contracts with Lohman, formerly manager of the London Canadian League, who is now filling a similar position on the Qakland, Cal., team. Mrs. Crystall (nee Miss Gunn), of Woodstock, accompancoutrements, the production is made complete by the supervision of an

"THE TIDE OF LIFE."

"A RUNAWAY GIRL." ness on Saturday next the production in this city of the much-talked-about musical comedy, "A Runaway Girl." Lovers of music and refined comedy can confidently look forward to an enjoyable evening spent in witnessing this charming production. The comedy is known to be one of the best, and certainly the most successful of all the English musical comedies brought over

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knees I would ask them to give Paine's Celery Compound a fair trial; and I feel confident they would bless me afterwards for my recommendation. in the New Grand Opera House on the "Young men, take my truthful and 17th of March. Mr. Jones is the poscandid advice: if you are suffering from a broken-down nervous system, use Paine's Celery Compound; it will thoroughly restore you physically and

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Sold only in boxes. Price, 25 cents. A Dawson dispatch says: The mounted police at the stockade road house, Yukon, captured Wm. Brophy, a notorious robber after a ten-weeks' hunt. He was shot in the abdomen. The police have spent over \$10,000 in the search for Brophy.

queting hall of the Y. M. C. A. by several members of the association. During the game C. Coulter, of Sarnia, was slightly injured and was replaced by Jean Spanner. The terms

"PEG WOFFINGTON" TONIGHT. augmented stage management.

Lovers of melodrama with interpolated specialties are promised a most satisfactory evening's entertainment on Monday next, when "The Tide of Life" comes to the Grand. Among the wonderful sensational scenes shown are the leap from an overhead bridge to the top of a flying freight train, and the villain's death by electrocution amid a maze of telegraph wires.

Patrons of the New Grand will witby the late Augustin Daly, and produced in his New York theater. The company producing the play is said to



ARTHUR DUNN AS FLIPPER. be strong numerically and artistically at its head being the name of Mr.
Arthur Dunn, the comedian. Miss
Celeste Wynn appears in the title role
and a number of other well-known names are seen, including Miss Clara Belle Jerome, Miss Sadie Kirby and Miss Rosa La Harte.

HERMANN THE GREAT. Hermann the Great, the necromantic prestidigitateur, will appear at the New Grand shortly. Among the many new and novel sensations that will be offered this season is "The Escape from obdurate and unbelieving after such an Sing Sing." the oriental sensation, earnest, pathetic and convincing confession of cure, nothing but a direct Ark, or After the Flood." These three act of Providence can snatch you from illusions are said to be the reigning

"Today I feel myself a new man. Six GEORGE GROSSMITH NEXT WEEK The appearance of Mr. George Grossmith at the New Grand on Tuesday next will evidently be one of the social and artistic successes of the season His programme has been chosen from the novelties he has arranged for his present tour, and the musical sketch, 'Somebodies and Nobodies," promises to show this genial entertainer at his best. There are a few choice seats still on sale at the Grand.

THE COMING OF JONAS.

The musical people of London should be delighted in the announcement that the famous pianist, Jonas, will give a recital here during the month March. He has gained the immediate and unanimous admiration of the public and press, and his success in Boston Symphony Orchestra was probably the greatest ever recorded in that city. He was recalled eight times and won enthusiastic praises from the entire press.

HIRWEN JONES.

Hirwen Jones, the distinguished English tenor, who comes to America for his first appearance this month under the direction of Mr. W. Spencer Jones, of Brockville, has been secured for St. Patrick's concert, which is to be held in the New Grand Opera House on the sessor of an enviable lyric tenor voice, so full of brilliant quality, combined exquisite tenderness sweetness. Adelina Patti, is a warm personal friend of Mr. Jones, wrote him from her castle in Wales, under date of Jan. 6, 1902, as "Dear Mr. Hirwin Jones,-I follows: hasten to congratulate you on your approaching visit to Canada, where I sincerely trust you will have great success, and feel sure that the Canadians will appreciate your fine voice and excellent method of singing, and that they will give you a hearty re-Wishing you bon voyage et au revoire, and a successful tour. With kindest remembrances from myself and my husband, believe me, yours sincerely, (Signed) Adelina Patti Ceder-strom." The eminent tenor is agricult at this concert, and upon the Canadian tour, by Mr. Owen A. Smiley, Canada's leading entertainer; Miss Hilda Richardson, the clever violon-(formerly of London, England, now of Toronto), and Miss Constance Veitch, of London, England, accom-Alice Calder-Stock will also assist at the concert here.

MARKS BROS.' CLOSING NIGHT. Marks Bros. tonight close their successful week's engagement at the London Opera House by presenting a stirring drama of western life "The Golden Giant Mine." The prize of a dress will be awarded to the holder of the lucky number. Among the specialties presented during the past week by the company, one of the best was clever juggling turn performed by Gordon Squires, a young man from Gran-ton, who has never appeared on a stage before.

You Are Tired

Your color is not good. Restless one moment, fretful and blue the next. The A basketball team from the Boys' Brigade, Sarnia, was defeated by the Y. M. C. A. "Midget" team last evening in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium by the score of 52 to 33. At half time the score was 22 to 11 in favor of the locals. The game was characterized by clean, fact combination play on both sides the ignout and was witnessed by several sandred people. Mr. George Tambling umpired the contest satisfactorily. After the game the Sarnia players were banqueted in the kan-

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Bay City, Mich., Feb. 28.-The village of Essexville is in a state of anxiety tonight over the report that the ice in Saginaw Bay has been driven out SHOULD NOT BE ALLOWED TO by a southeast gale, carrying with it about 250 men, mostly residents of Essexville. Rain, accompanied by heavy wind, set in last night, following three

days of thawing weather. Encircling the bay, about a mile and a half from shore, is what is called the 'big crack," which is never frozen over, even during the coldest weather. During the winter months a wind from the south drives the ice out from the crack and a north wind brings it back. The fishermen manage to find the point where the two bodies of ice are together and draw their sleighs and shanties out upon the main body, where they remain during the fishing season. This huge fice of ice has been

BLOWN OUT OF SIGHT into the bay, leaving nothing but open water visible to the naked eye from the shore. The ice is twelve to eighteen inches in thickness, and is considerably honeycombed, but is considered safe unless the wind breaks it up. In case the fishermen wish to escape, they will probably be able to do so on the west shore of the bay, as the wind has changed and is driving the ice toward Point Au Gres.

HAPPENS EVERY YEAR. Almost every year the fishermen are carried out into the bay, and many have had miraculous escapes, but none have yet been drowned. The sudden change in the weather and the driving out of the ice has undoubtedly taken the fishermen by surprise. If the wind shifts to the northeast the ice will be driven to the east shore and the men can escape on Fish Point.

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INTO THE BAY. Henry G. Carroll (Lib.) Re-elected to the Commons for Kamouraska.

> Quebec, March 1 .- Mr. Henry G. Carroll, solicitor-general, was yesterday re-elected by acclamation to represent Kamouraska county in the House of Commons. At the last election he defeated his Conservative opponent, L. Taschereau, by 181 majority.

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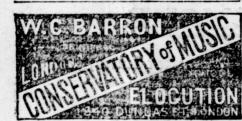
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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Feb. 28-8 p.m.-The disturbance which was centered in Missouri last night is now centered in Wisconsin. It is of wide-spread proportions, and it is causing very un-settled conditions over the greater portion of Canada. Very mild weather prevails from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces, while in the Northwest it is only moderately cold.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson City, 28 below-16 below; Victoria, 40-48; Kamoloks, 30-48; Calgary, 22-30; Qu'Appelle, 8-10; Port Arthur, 12-24; Parry Sound, 38-46; Toronto, 36-45; Ottawa, 26-40; Montreal, 32-46; Quebec, 30-36; Halifax, 34-48. Local temperatures Friday: High-est, 50 above; lowest, 36.5 above. Today (Saturday) the sun rose at 6:55 a.m. and sets at 6:05 p.m. The moon rose at 0:36 a.m. and sets at 10:31

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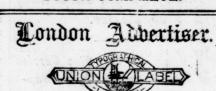
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A LOCAL BUDGET

-Mr. T. F. Barker and family, of Ridout street south, left yesterday for Burlington, where they intend to reside permanently.

-A meeting of the board of trade was called for yesterday afternoon, but owing to the small attendance an adjournment was made.

-Dr. McLellan, 947 Talbot street, leaves on Saturday for New York, where he will take a special course in the eye and ear hospitals. -Tomorrow is King's Daughters' Sunday at Christ Church. Special services have been arranged and the church is beautifully decorated with

the colors of the order. -Superintendent George C. Jones, of the G. T. R., passed through the city yesterday morning en route for Moberly, Missouri, where his wife's father

died suddenly last night. -Mr. John Murray, telegraph operator on the Wabash at New Sarum. and who has undergone an operation at Victoia Hospital, is recovering slowly. He is now resting at his home on Colborne street.

-Rev. Richard Hobbs, late of this city, but now of Wingham, will occupy the pulpit of Dundas Center Methodist Church at both services tomorrow. Rev. C. T. Scott will preach anniversary services at Mr. Hobbs' church in Wingham.

-Mr. T. P. Allan, commercial traveler of this city, on arriving at Sarnia last evening received a message conveying the sad intelligence that his sister, Mrs. Alex. McGillivray, of Hamilton, had died. She had been ill for more than three months. She leaves a husband and three children—two daughters and a son.

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-Among the Canadian visitors regstered at the Canadian Government office, London, England, during the week ending Feb. 12 were: H. F. Dreader, Petrolia; Miss Florence Cameron, London; Miss Margaret Smith, Miss Georgina Pope, Ottawa; Miss Sarah Forbes, Liverpool, N. S.; Dr. H. A. Kingsmill, London; Dr. Cavin Hamilton, Bright; Charles Austin, Chatham.

-A service preparatory to communion on Sunday morning was held in St. Andrew's Church last evening. Rev. Orr Bennett, M.A., of Peterboro. preached upon the subject "Christ as a Man of Prayer." Fifteen persons were received into the membership of the church. Dr. Johnston has return-ed from attendance at the missionary convention in Toronto. On Sunday evening he will tell the thrilling story of the relief of the missionaries from the siege in Pekin, in 1891.

JUSTICE ROBERTSON INJURED. Justice Robertson was not able to preside at the weekly sitting of the hight court of justice today owing to a slight injury received in Toronto. KNIGHTS TEMPLAR GO TO SAR-

The following Knights Templar left a convention, at which representatives from Windsor and Port Huron are also present, is in progress: A. A. Campbell, Joseph Dambra, W. T. Stenberg, F. A. Anderson, T. H. Weldon, A. Holman, J. A. Tancock, John Graham, John Fried, Sydney Screaton, John Paull, John Maguire, W. H. Escott, Thos. Rowe, Mr. Little (Brantford) and others

morrow in Adelaide Street Baptist will preach both morning and even-ing. The professor is a man of marktor Johnson will assist in the services and collections will be taken up in aid of the building fund.

ANNUAL SOCIAL AT NEW, ST. JAMES'.

who contributed solos were: Miss Edith McLeod, Messrs. P. Barter, Drew, P. Dickson and Dr. Dillabough, and a reading by Mr. Froggett. Mr. Wright, organist of the church, was accompanist. Light refreshments were after-wards served.

CARLETON CLUB CONCERT.

The Carleton Pleasure Club held another of a series of enjoyable concerts at Society Hall, East London, last night. Ex-Ald. F. J. Fitzgerald was chairman. The following contributed musical numbers: Miss Wilson, Mr. E. Moule, L. Burr, R. Dempsey, S. Drennan, Frankie Dowell, Penny brothers, Mr. B. Taylor: A dance was held af-terwards. The managing committee was composed of Messrs. C. Fitzgerald, chairman; D. S. Taylor, secretarytreasurer; D. Eggett and E. Telaski, they completing all arrangements in connection with the affair.

LONDOL VS. ST. THOMAS CADETS. To an Advertiser reporter yesterday morning, Lieut.-Col. Peters, D.O.C., expressed satisfaction at the success of his efforts to teach the schoolboys of the city to shoot. He expects soon to have a class of from twelve to fifteen pupils from each of the city schools. Ammunition, he says, can be obtained for about \$1 per thousand rounds. He has almost completed arrangements for a shooting match between the cadets of London and St. Thomas, where the schools received a \$500 grant to help promote the shooting idea. Col. Peters will, if possible, put a proposi-tion before the board of education at their next meeting.

CONCERT AT ASKIN STREET

CHURCH. The Askin Street Methodist Church was filled to its utmost capacity last night, when the boys of the Bible class gave a most enjoyable concert, entitled "Before and After." A British tar's thrilling experiences were depicted, a large ship having been erected across the front of the church for the purpose. With the exercises were songs, including "Pull for the Shore," "Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me" and the "Song of the Sword." The audience was delighted with the entertainment. The evening terminated with the singing of "God Save the King."

REAL ESTATE SALES.

Mr. James Burrows, manager of the Western Real Estate Exchange reports the sale of the following properties lately: Mr. William Parker's farm in the township of Lobo, being the north half of lot No. 19, con. 11, was sold by Mr. William Needham, one

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Brown Brothers' BOOT SHOP. 182 Dundas St. Phone 860. John S. Brown. Frank A. Brown.

totototocotototot Kipp's farm in township of London, being north part lot 3, con. 3, was sold to Mr. James Murphy for \$2,750. Mr. John D. McColl's farm in the town-ship of Ekfrid, being the north half lots 13 and 14 was sold for \$5,300. Mr. Burrows says that he has a great many inquiries from a distance for farms in Western Ontario and for city of London and suburban properties. He says that there will be a greater amount of summer than there has been for a

A BOARD OF **GOVERNORS**

yesterday morning for Sarnia, where Dr. Campbell's New Plan for Hospital Management.

> Thinks People Should Be Given Op- CITY ENGINEER portunity to Contribute Toward Institution.

Ald. Campbell's plan for the management of Victoria Hospital was pre-Anniversary services will be held to- sented at the meeting of No. 1 committee yesterday. By the proposed system Church, when Prof. A. L. McCrimmon, the hospital would be managed by a 1005. WISON Church, when Prof. A. L. McCrimmon, the hospital would be managed by a board of governors. A person contributing \$2,000 would become a life ed ability, and an intellectual treat is governor; the ex-officio governors in store for those who hear him. Pas- would be two in number, the mayor would be two in number, the mayor and chairman of the finance committee; two would be elected by the city annually, two by the county council annually, three by the city to serve three years, one by the city's physicians, and one by the life contributors, At the annual congregational social that is, those who contribute annually in St. James' Presbyterian Church, a to the hospital. The board of manvery pleasant evening was spent by the large number of persons present. Those

The following gives an idea of the

Apply This Test o Your Nerves

If You Have These Symptoms Your Nerves Are Weak and Exhausted-You Can Get

Well by Using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food

Nervous diseases are little understood. They have long been enshrouded in more or less mystery by the medical profession. Many who are fast falling victims of nervous prostration, paralysis, or locomotor ataxia think that they are merely not very well, and will soon be around again— so insidious is the approach of nervous diseases and nervous collapse. Study these symptoms. They are for your guidance. You may not have them all, but if you have any of them your nervous system is not up to the mark, and a little extra expenditure of nerve force may bring the dreadful

Intolerant of motion, noise and light twitching of the muscles of the face, and eyelids; fatiguing sleep, sudden startings and jerkings of the limbs; dizziness and flashes of light before the eyes; irritability and restlessness in every part of the body, headache, indigestion, feelings of weariness and depression, and loss of interest in the

affairs of life. So long as the daily expenditure of nerve force is greater than the daily income, physical bankruptcy is certain to result sooner or later. Nerve force must be increased, and this can best be accomplished by the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, because it contains in concentrated form the very elements of nature which go directly to form nervous energy. Nervous diseases do not right themselves. They come on gradually as nerve force becomes exhausted, and can only be cured when the nerve force is restored. No treatment for nervous diseases has ever received such universal indorsement by both physicians and people as has Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. Mrs. Crapper, 37 Salem avenue, To-

"For the last two years I have been great sufferer from paralysis of the right side, which has confined me to the house. On recommendation of friends, I began the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and can say that this treatment has proven of very great benefit to me. I realize that my ailment will not disappear in a few weeks, but I have improved so much already that I believe a continuation of this medicine will entirely cure me." In the press of Canada you will find of the Exchange's local agents, to a man from Manitoba for \$4,415. Mr. H.
C. McCuchen's farm in township of West Nissouri, being lot 19, con. 4, was sold for \$3,200. Mr. William C. manson, Bates & Co.. Toronto.

conditions under which the governors would be elected:
"Life Contributors—Every person or society contributing \$100 to the hospital society contributing \$100 to the hospital shall be a life contributor. Any person or society furnishing a room shall be considered a life contributor, so long as such contributor keeps the room properly furnished, unless satisfactory proof be 'given that the original cost of furnishing exceeded \$100, in which case it shall not be necessary to refurnish the room at any time.

"The life contributors shall elect one

"The life contributors shall elect one of their number to be a governor for three years; and each contributor shall have one vote for every \$100 he may have contributed. "When the number of possible votes

of life contributors shall exceed 100, they shall elect two governors; and an additional governor for every addition al 100 votes. "Annual Contributors-Every person

contributing \$10 shall be an annual con-tributor for the twelve months immediately following the payment of the "Annual contributors may elect one

of their number to be a governor for one year, and every annual contributor shall have one vote at such election for every \$10 he may have contributed; provided that no election shall be held at any time unless there are a possible 100 votes to be cast. And for every possible 100 votes of annual contributors there shall be one governor elect-

A copy of Dr. Campbell's communication will be sent to the hospital trust. The solicitor's opinion in regard to the conveyance of a part of Talbot street was received. He said that if Mr. Harvey had not lived up to the agreement made that the street could opened up on order from the coun-

The engineer also reported that Mr. Harvey had not built on the land. The matter was laid over for further report from the engineer. A number of petitions for remission

of taxes were received and dealt with. Half of Mrs. Suzanne Elliott's taxes were remitted. Mrs Moffatt's taxes will charged to the land, as will be Mrs. C. Rudd's. The petitions of Mrs. E. J. Webb, P. B. Richards and James

A communication was received from John Mann & Co., and the Waggoner Ladder Company, asking the city for a piece of property on York street, for which they would pay \$300. The engineer and assessment commissioner were instructed to report on the matter. A communication from the Trades and Labor Council, asking a grant of real estate change hands this spring and \$100 for prizes at Labor Day demon-

stration was laid over.

Mr. H. Wilson, a South African veteran, asked for a watch, of the kind presented to all South African men.

The matter was laid over, as were a large number of other matters.

A communication from Mayor Howland, of Toronto, was received, inclosing a petition asking the government to prevent the Bell Telephone Company from increasing their rates. The petition will be indorsed, and the corporation seal placed on it. Present: Ald. Beattie (chairman), Stevely, Greenlees and Douglass, Mayor Beck and Secretary James Bell.

WANTS \$35,000

For Various Departments of Public Works-

Fire Department Estimates. No. 3 committee considered estimates yesterday afternoon in the council chamber, and will report to the

council on Monday night. The engineer's estimates totaled \$35. 900, of which \$24,700 is for street lighting, \$9,500 for street watering, \$975 for expenses and \$785 for the repairs to the Covent Garden Market basement. Chief Roe's ordinary estimates for expense are \$16,755. For the proposed improvements \$1,800 is for a chemical engine, \$800 for horses, harness, etc.; \$525 for wages for two new men, payment for six months' time; \$1,400 for changes at the central station, and These estimates total \$13,955.

SFECIAL NOTICES

Diseases of the Kidneys. Dr. Albert Wesley Kahle, Specialist in Diseases of the Kidneys, No. 190 Delaware avenue, Buffalo, N. Y., will furnish information free regarding his treatment of Bright's Disease, Cystitis and Diabetes, upon application either in person or writing to the above

address. Mattress and Feather-Bed Cleaning Factory. Notice-New goods. Brass and iron bedsteads, mattresses. Goose feather pillows and cushions from 50c each. Goose feathers sold by the pound. Upholstering and repairing. Cosey corner cushions made. Hunt & Sons, 593

Richmond street. Telephone, 997. \$10 - Washington Excursions. - \$10 The next two excursions to Washington, via Lehigh Valley Railroad, March 6 and 28. Tickets only \$10 from Suspension Bridge to Washington and return. Tickets good 10 days. Good for stop-over at Philadelphia on return trip. For tickets and further particulars call on or address Robert S. Lewis Canadian passenger agent, 33 Yonge street, Board of Trade Building, To ronto. F 22 4 5 7-M. 1 3 4 5

MERRY HEART GOES ALL THE DAY.—But one cannot have a merry heart if he has a pain in his back or a heart if he has a pain in his back of a cold with a racking cough. To be merry one must be well and free from aches and pains. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil will relieve all pains, muscular or otherwise, and for the speedy treatment of colds and coughs it is a splendid medicine.

On the invitation of the czar, the Emperor William, it is reported, will next July attend the gunnery trials of the Russian naval artillery at Reval and afterward proceed to St. Peters-

Perfect Cure for Bronehitis

This disease can be treated only by a remedy carried to the affected parts along with the air breathed, for nature intended these organs for the passage of air alone, and sprays, atomizers and internal medicines utterly fail. But Catarrhozone doesn't fail, for it goes wherever the air breathed goes, and its healing, antiseptic vapor is sure to reach every affected part. Catarrhozone is inhaled at the mouth, and after passing through every air cell of the breathing organs is slowly exhaled through the nostrils. Catarrhozone protects and heals the inflamed surfaces, relieves congestion, allays inflammation, and perfectly cures all bronchial affections. Price, \$1; small size, 25c. Druggists or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont. Perfect Cure for Bronchitis

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Ladies' Suits. Spring 1902 Styles.

New, Perfectly-Tailored Suits in the newest winning

Our Suits are bound to please, in quality, style and Price:

Ladies' Walking Skirts. \$2.75.

40 of them-We only wish we had 400 instead. When we have Skirts to sell at a price like this, they are picked up readily enough. Made in the correct flare style, inverted back, good quality, black lustre, linenette lined and velvet faced, all sizes, special price.....\$2 75

Ladies' Wrappers.

NEW SPRING HOUSE GOWNS ARE IN. We have seldom, if ever, found values as good as this year. Through particular care n choosing the best patterns we have a very fine assortment,

At 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

Dressing Sacques-Gray, pink, cream and cardidinal eiderdown; made in comfortable, neat style, wool and ribbon trimming; regular value \$2 50; enough left

Ladies' Under-Muslins In the Bargain List.

One Lot of Under-Muslins, 75c each,

Consisting of Ladies' Night Gowns, Underskirts, Chemises, Corset Covers, Drawers, made of cotton and Lonsdale cambric; some are trimmed with lace, others with embroidery, insertion, beading and frilling; special lot marked to sell at, each. 75c

Cocoa Mats.

Now is the time for them, and we just have them in......

......Prices 30c, 40c, 50c, 75o Tocas Mattings are in, all widths; prices beginning at,

Estimates given for church contracts.

Reversible Rugs -Smyrna fringed ends, goodsized Rugs, floral and oriental designs, special...\$2.35

Few rolls and half-rolls of English Tapestries, selling readily at, per yard471/20 (Value 55c and 68c).

Showerproof Top Coats Marked at \$11.00.

Exclusive tailors are asking \$12.50 for the same Top-Coat. TOP-COAT AND RAIN-COAT COMBINED-Possessing all the advantages of a mackintosh and none of its disadvantages; made of rainproof covert cloth, olive and Oxford gray, saddle back lining, yoke back, velvet collar and cuffs on sleeve; special price,.....\$11 00

Children's Two-Piece Knee Pant Suits.

New, all-tool tweed, Halifax and Candian; double-breasted coats; prices, according to size......\$2.50 to \$3.50

Boys' Knicker Pants-Boys from 4 to 14 years, choice patterns in all-wool Canadian and Halifax tweeds;

Rainy-Day Skirts Made for 59c. Modes' Glove-Fitting Bazaar

Patterns, 15c

EACH.

Modes' Fashion Sheet Free.



LONDON, CANADA, SATURDAY, MARCH 1, 1902.

RIVER TOWNS THREATENED

Ice Piled Thirty Feet High on the Allegheny.

Cloudburst Sends the Schuylkill Away Out of Its Banks-Great Damage to River Craft and Other Property.

PITTSBURG'S PERIL!

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 28.—The great gorges in the Allegheny River are broken, and the ice is sweeping down on this city. The first break occurred at Montrose about 3:30 o'clock this morning, and an hour later the gorge near Sandy Creek broke with a roar like that of heavy artillery, and began to move slowly down the river. STEAMERS CAUGHT.

Caught in the swiftly-moving ice-packs were two steamers, the D. T. Watson and the George Bowdy, with a crew of four. The Watson was reported from Montrose fighting her way as 'nst the heavy ice in the middle of the river. It is considered extremely abtful whether she will be able to survive. The Browdy is off the mouth of Sandy Creek in an exactly similar position. The residents of the river towns have been warned of the approaching ice, and preparations have been made to flee to higher ground in the event of the ice gorging again, caus-ing the river to overflow. Reports at 10 o'clock were that the ice had gorged again at Montrose, Six Mile Ferry and Sharpsburg, and that it was still intact at Brilliant Station. At Montrose it is piled thirty feet high from shore to shore. The Freeport road is under two feet of water, and all the houses along the road are partly submerged. The lower section of Verona and Cheswick are under water and many houses

THE GORGE MOVING. Pittsburg, Feb. 28. - The gorge began to move again at Sharpsburg. It is fourteen miles in length and the head reached Pittsburg about 11 o'clock, So far no serious damage has resulted here. At Sylvan, the water quickly backed up and 500 people are home-less. Fences and trees and a number of small buildings were washed away. The Youghiogheny River at West New-

A CAUSE OF HEADACHE

One Very Common Cause, General ly Overlooked.

Headache is a symptom, an indication of derangement or disease in some organ, and the cause of the headache is difficult to locate, because so many diseases have headache as a prominent symptom; derangement of the stom-ach and liver, heart trouble, kidney disease, lung trouble, eye strain or illfitting glasses, all produce headaches, and if we could always locate the organ which is at fault the cure of cbstinate headaches would be a much simpler matter. However, for that form of headache

called frontal headache, pain back of the eyes, and in forehead, the cause is now known to be catarrh of the head and throat: when the headache is located in back of head and neck it is often caused from catarrh of the stomach or liver.

At any rate, catarrh is the most common cause of such headaches, and the cure of the catarrh causes prompt disappearance of the head-

There is at present no treatment for catarrh so convenient and effective as Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, a new internal remedy in tablet form, composed of antiseptics like eucalyptol, guaiacol and blood root, which act upon the blood and cause the elimination of the catarrhal poison from the system through the natural causes.



Miss Cora Ainsley, a prominent school teacher in one of our normal schools, speaks of her experience with catarrhal headaches and eulogizes Stuart's Catarrh Tablets as a cure for them. She says: "I suffered daily from se-vere frontal headache and pain in the back of the eyes, at times so intensely as to incapacitate me in my daily duties. I had suffered from catarrh, more or less, for years, but never thought it was the cause of my headaches, but finally became convinced that such was the case, because the headaches were always worse when-ever I had a cold or fresh attack of

"Stuart's Catarrh Tablets were highly recommended to me as a safe and pleasant catarrh cure, and after using a few 50-cent boxes which I procured from my druggists, I was and delighted to find that both the catarrh and headaches had gone for

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are sold by druggists at 50 cents per package, un-der the guarantee of the proprietors that they contain absolutely no cocaine (found in so many catarrh cures), no opium (so common in cheap cough cures), nor any harmful drug. They contain simply the wholesome antiseptics necessary to destroy and drive from the system the germs of catar-

ton rose eight feet in ten minutes this morning, and is still coming up rapidly. Industry and Smithton are inun-

ly. Industry and Smithton are inundated and hundreds of miners have been driven from their homes. The damage to property in this section is already very heavy.

Watkins, N. Y., Feb. 28.—Montcour Falls is suffering from the worst flood in its history. More than half of the village is under water. Bridges are gone and buildings washed from their foundations. Hundreds of families have been driven into the upper stories have been driven into the upper stories and boats are used to navigate the streets. Railway traffic is suspended.

DISASTROUS CLOUDBURST. Reading, Pa., Feb. 28.—A cloudburst here today did great damage. The Schuylkill River has overflowed, com-pelling mills along the river to close Inmates of a number of houses were removed in boats. Near Reading several dams burst and hundreds of acres were under water. In the country districts great damage is reported.

RIVER IS FREE OF ICE. Detroit, Mich., Feb. 28.—The Detroit River is free of solid ice all the way from Belle Isle to Amherstburg. The recent warm weather losened it and the current carried it into Lake Erie. The steamer Excelsior of the ferry company made a trip to Amherstburg yesterday without the slightest difficulty.

TRIO OF TRAGEDIES

Jealous Man Shoots His Wife, His Neighbor and Himself.

A SAD SUICIDE.

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 28.-The body of Mrs. Jessie Fraser was found in the Mrs. Jessie Fraser was found in the waters of the Salmon River, near Truro, this morning. The following words in a note left by her point to suicide: "I fear another stroke so much that life is worse to me than death."

ROBBED AND MURDERED. Ridgeway, Pa., Feb. 28.—Bartel Sweeney, and aged farmer, and his daughter Mary were found last night in their home at Wilcox with their skulls crushed and the bodies very much decomposed. Sweeney were very much decomposed. Sweeney was quite well-to-do, and the supposition is that robbery was the motive of the

JEALOUS MAN'S AWFUL DEED. Elgin, Ill., Feb. 28.-Benjamin F. Ellsworth, an influential man of Woodstock, and owner of extensive machine shops, today shot and killed Amos Anderson, Mrs. Ellsworth and himself. Ellsworth was jealous of Anderson's attentions to Mrs. Ellsworth. Ellsworth's 19-year-old son has been held by the police, charged with being in league with his father to kill Anderson.

A JILTED LOVER POISONS HIMSELF.

Attempted Suicide of a Belleville Youth-Drank Carbolic Acid in the Presence of His Sweetheart.

Smith's Falls, Ont., Feb. 28 .- A sad tragedy was enacted here this morning about 10 o'clock, when a young man, Harry Wilkins by name, drank a quantity of carbolic acid with the avowed purpose of ending his life. This afternoon he is lying at the point of death, his mouth, throat and face horribly burned, and all the chances are strong against his recovery. His home is in Belleville, but for the past two summers he has worked here on the granolithic sidewalks.

He had been paying marked attention to a young woman of the town, and it is understood that of late she had given him to understand that she no longer cared for him. This seemed to have made him desperate, and in his disappointment he decided to destroy himself. In his boarding house last night he grew quite unmanageable, and made repeated attempts to kill him-self. The family with whom he lives were up with him all night, and most of the night he declared that he could not and would not live without the love of the young woman on whom he had set his heart. Finally she was sent after her coming he passed compar-

This morning he came down to the postoffice, and it is supposed bought his return he went to his room. In a little while he called the girl into the room, and telling her that he could not live without her, produced the bottle of acid and put it to his lips. She sprang and dashed it out of his hands to the floor, and in doing so was frightfully burned on the hands. The acid flew over the young man's face and hands also, and burned one side of his try. face terribly. The girl screamed for help, but meantime Wilkins had turned the key in the door, and locked them both in the room. After locking the door he drank what was left of the The man of the house ran upstairs at once, when the girl screamed out, and broke in the door, but he was too late to save the man from his rash act. A physician was sent for immediately, but as yet he can't say if death will ensue or not.

BRAIN TAKEN OUT AND FIXED UP.

New York, March 1.-In one of the most remarkable operations known to surgery, says a Baltimore special to the World, the brain of Rev. Wm. A. Stark, pastor of the Broadway German Methodist Episcopal Church, of this city, has been actually lifted from its bed and the roots of certain nerves that had caused the clergyman excessive neuralgia were extracted. The patient is said to have stood the operation well, and few doubts of his recovery are entertained. The operation was performed at the Johns Hopkins Hospital.

INHALED GAS.

Toronto, March 1.-Disappointed in love. Frank Jackson, aged 21, coachman in the employ of L. A. Stewart.

41 Woodlawn avenue, killed himself
Thursday evening by inhaling gas. Jackson was left alone in the house and after writing a note saying he had been jilted, he went to the kitchen, turned on the tap of the gas range, and lay down in a composed condition to die. He was found shortly before midnight, but had been dead for several hours.

THE MOUNTAINS

Two Hundred Japanese Soldiers Frozen to Death.

Burned Their Knapsacks to Keep Themselves Warm, But Finally Had to Succumb.

San Francisco, Feb. 28. — Details of the perishing of 200 Japanese soldiers in snow have just reached here by mail

from Yokohama.

Col. Yamaguchi Shin and soldiers of the second battalion of the Fifth Regiment of infantry, numbering 215 in all, finding themselves checked in their march by a heavy snowfall, encamped in the Hakkoda Mountain on the way towards Tashiro-Mura on Jan. 23, and all were frozen to death, with the single exception of a corporal.

The eighth army division was greatly alarmed, and immediately instituted a search, and discovered Capt. Kaminari Bunkichi and two non-commis-sioned officers frozen in deep snow at Tamogino-Mura. One of the non-commissioned officers was restored to life, and, according to his statements, the second battalion stopped, after marching about three ri (about five and a half-miles) from Tamogino-Mura, and encamped there for two days. On the 24th, the snowstorm still pre-

vailing, they could not march and were obliged to stay there. Towards were obliged to stay there. Towards night fuel was all gone, and they warmed themselves by burning their knapsacks and their muskets, but many were frozen to death. On the morning of the 25th they attempted to return to Tamogino, but Col. Yamaguchi, commander of the battalion, and numerous other soldiers, were trozen to death one after another. frozen to death, one after another, owing to the heavy snowstorm. On this account they could not march out, and came back again to the place of encampment. One hundred and thirty-nine soldiers were already dead by this time, and only 71 were still

surviving. This remnant escaped the same night, and on the 26th the corps was disbanded, allowing the soldiers to proceed in any direction they prefer-red. On the 27th, when a relief corps arrived. Corp. Goto was found still

surviving and standing erect.
Up to 3:50 p.m. on the 29th only four corpses of the members of the missing party were recovered. Nine hundred men of the engineering and infantry and 600 laborers were employed in search work. According to statements of old men, the heavy snowfall in the vicinity of

THE SMALLPOX

Aomori was unprecedented for 30

New Cases Develop in Various Parts of Ontario-Disease Prevails in Manitoba Lumber Camps.

Toronto, Feb. 28. - The provincial board of health received word today that a case of smallpox had developed in Markham township, York county. Greenock township, Bruce county, has two additional sufferers; Clara township, a couple of extra ones; Bissett's Creek, Renfrew, two more; Russell county, several more, and Manitowaning, one new patient.

There have been 46 cases in the Hawkesbury lumber camp during the past two months. Winnipeg, Feb. 28. - Men from the lumber camps north of Selkirk say smallpox is prevalent amongst the camps up there, and in one there were seven cases, two of them proving fatal. Complaint is made of the non-enforcement of quarantine.

Hick's March Horoscope.

A Vulcan storm period is central on the first day of March, lasting up to about the 4th. From Saturday, the for, and the remainder of the night 1st, to about Tuesday, the 4th, general and heavy storms of rain, sleet, snow and wind will be most natural.

All general storms at this time, and throughout the month, will be equinoca bottle of carbolic acid while out. On tial in character; the first stages will be warm, with rain, lightning and thunder, especially along the south and east sides of storm areas. To the west and northwest the rain will rapidly turn to sleet and snow, followed by a high barometer, which will force cold waves and extreme wintry conditions for the season eastward and southward over almost the entire coun-

All through the Mercury period, which ends about the 10th, cloudy, threatening weather will prevail, but renewed storm conditions will be marked from about the 8th to the 10th,

inclusive.

As we approach new moon on the 9th it will grow much warmer, falling barometer will appear in western parts. and very decided storms will quickly follow, traveling eastward and touching most sections of the country from about the 8th to the 10th.

Very high tides, with probably dangerous equinoctial gales about the gulf and Atlantic coast regions, will be most natural at this time. It will also be remembered that the new and full moons in March are always on or very close to the celestial equator, thus forcing close conjunctions with earth and sun. Have your glasses ready and make daily and thorough examinations of the face of the sun, from the 1st until after the 25th of March. Good eyes, with only pieces of smoked glass. may be able to see some spots on the sun, if you do not grow weary in

watching. A reactionary storm period will center on and about the 19th and 20th, at which time change to warmer, falling barometer and wide areas of more rain and snow will pass eastward across the country. All of these storm perturbations until after the full moon in March will wind up with decided changes to colder, and blizzardous squalls of sleet and snow in all the northward part of the country. Do not lose sight of this prediction for the feeding and protection of your live

The storm period in which Boreas and the equinoctial powers will make

one of their final and worst clashes is central on the 24th, covering the 21st to the 26th. Within this period we find earth at its equinoctial center on the 22nd, moon in perigee on the 21st, and full moon on the celestial quarter on the 23rd. The days of greatest probable violence in this period will be Sunday, the 23rd, to Wednesday, the

EXTENSION OF THE MANITOBA BOUNDARY

Proposed by Premier Roblin-Bill Guaranteeing \$8,000 a Mile to Canadian Northern.

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 28.-A government bill was submitted to the legislature yesterday outlining the extensions to the Canadian Northern Railway system of about 200 miles, and way system of about 200 miles, and providing a bond guarantee of \$8.000 a mile for these new lines. This will increase the possible liability of the province by \$1.576,000. The bill shows the agreement between the company and the government was made Nov. 5, 1901. The bill before the legislature provides for the ratification of this agreement, and for the inclusion of the proposed branch lines in the mortgage which the government has on the Canadian Northern system. Premier Roblin moved a resolution favoring the extension of Manitoba boundaries into Assiniboia, which was seconded by Mr. Burrows, of Dauphin, with a slight amendment. The resolu-

tion passed. The supplementary estimates amount to \$60,000, including \$20,000 for the referendum vote.

VALET JONES ADMITS LYING

Prosecution's Chief Witness Makes a Confession.

Was Ready to Commit Crime to Gain His Ends-Evidently Wasn't Troubled With a Conscience.

New York, March 1.—Charles F. Jones, valet of William Marsh Rice, for whose alleged murder Albert T. gular witness, and cross-examination reveals the fact that he won't do the prosecution's case much good. Jones has manifested the greatest care in his answers and has drawn fine lic statement."

distinctions. He is particular as to how the lawyers put their questions and several times has tripped up attorneys on matters of pronunciation and literal meaning of words. He has been exceedingly unconcerned, whether telling of false statements he has made about the case, or in admitting that he was ready for a pittance to betray his benefactor to a stranger.

The various confessions made by Jones were read to him. The first occurred at police headquarters. In it Jones said that Rice had never spoken to Patrick. The second confession was made following "third degree" proceedings, and in it Jones said Rice was friendly to Patrick and that Patrick personally liked Rice. Jones also wrote a letter, when intending to commit suicide, in which he said that he and Patrick were innocent of any wrong-doing.

Lawyer Moore asked Jones if he had altered his second confession on being told that it wasn't true, because it couldn't be corroborated. Jones professed loss of memory at first, but finally answered the question affirmatively.

Moore wanted to know if while he was in hospital some sort of immunity had been promised him by Prosecutor Osborne. Jones denied it at first, and then said that in effect it was true. Jones said Patrick asked him to forge Rice's name. He said that he refused.

"You want this jury to believe that you were ready to enter into a conspiracy to forge the name of your employer for a money consideration?" asked Patrick's lawyer.

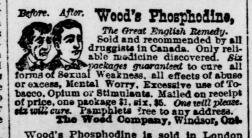
"No, I was never ready to forge."
"Enter into a conspiracy," I said," replied Moore, annoyed at Jones' fine distinctions. 'Yes, Mr. Moore," said Jones.

"For \$200 given to you by a stranger you were ready to enter into a conspiracy to rob your employer of \$2, 500.000 9 "Yes, Mr. Moore," said Jones, pleas-

BANK CLEARINGS.

New York, Feb. 28.-The following are some of the weekly clearings, as compiled by Bradstreet's, for the week ending Feb. 27, with percentages of increase and decrease, as compared with the corresponding week last year: New York, \$1,272,943,689; increase, 13.1. Chicago, \$152,640,096; increase 23. Boston, \$115.829.746; increase, 11.1. Philadelphia. \$74,681,498; decrease, 32.9. St. Louis, \$52,321,761; increase, 57.6. Pittsburg, \$39,529,565; increase, 5.7. Baltimore, \$17,066,241; decrease, 14.6. San Francisco, \$19,308,401; increase, 3.5. Cincinnati, \$19,843,700; increase, 12.3. Montreal, \$19,923,655; increase, 55. Toronto, \$13,163,655 increase, 18.1. Winnipeg, \$2,-472,627; increase, 41.6. Halifax, \$1,665,-068; increase, 13.6. Vancouver, B. C. \$905,072; increase, 45.7. Hamilton, \$766,-281; increase, 16.4. St. John, N. B., \$74,216; increase, 21.4. Victoria, B. C., \$532,393; increase, 35. Quebec, \$1,076,-897. Ottawa, \$1,539,332.

Cabbage grows all the year in Hawaii, and it apparently makes no difference whether planted in the spring, summer, autumn or winter.



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THE TRESTLE COLLAPSED

Four Passengers Killed and Several Injured.

Accident on the New York Central Caused by a Landslide—Little Damage Done.

Griffin, Ga., Feb. 28.—A southbound passenger train on the Columbus branch of the Southern Railway went through a trestle into a creek at midnight near Zetella, Ga. The following were killed: A. F. Matthews, engineer, Columbus

J. L. Hill, baggagemaster, Columbus

L. G. Murray, mail clerk, Atlanta. Isaac McDowell, fireman, Columbus

Several passengers were injured, but none fatally. The structure had been weakened by the heavy rains, and three bents of the

bridge gave way. The train was running cautiously and was not making over eight miles an hour. The firstclass coach was the only car that did not go into the washout. RAN INTO A LANDSLIDE. Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Feb. 28.-The

New York and Chicago fast mail and newspaper train, on the New York Central, ran into a landslide at Camelot, near this city, early today. The pilot of the locomotive was torn off, but no other damage was done. The train was delayed an hour and a half while the track was being cleared.

NO HEADACHE NOW.

An Open Letter Telling How Backache and Headache Were Permanently Cured.

Val Racine, Que., Feb. 14.—Emelien Clouatre is well again and has given for publication a letter which gives to Dodd's Kidney Pills the credit for the cure. In part, it reads as follows:

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when I went to bed.
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In settlement for the claims of in-demnity made by those Italian subjects who were expelled from the Transvaal, the British Government has paid down £12,000, which will be

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The reporter asked for the names and addresses of some of the pupils, so that he might communicate with them personally. Several hundred were offered, from which the reporter selected eighty-four. The replies received were more than sufficient to-convince the most skeptical in regard to the wonderful benefits to be derived from this mighty power. There were absolutely no failures. All had learned to make practical use of the sciences. The following extracts are taken at random for the benefit of read-

ers.
J. H. Schneller, 1412 Avon street, La Crosse, Wis., writes: truly reveals the secrets of life and the mysteries of nature. My own father could not have convinced me of its wonderful power if I had not actually tested it for myself. I consider a knowledge of it invaluable to those who wish to get the most out of life; to those who wish to achieve success and live up to the full measures of their

road to health, happiness and prosperity. It should be studied by every to I would not part with my knowledge of it for any amount. The instructions have developed within me a

not dream I could acquire." J. W. Clinger, M.D., Springfield, O., writes: "I have used the methods of hypnotism taught by the American College of Sciences in two cases of difficult surgical operations with per- debts have been paid, a handsome surfect sucess. It is a complete anaes- plus remains. thetic, and preferable to chloroform or The book is grand.'

Rev. T. W. Butler, Ph.D., Idaho City, Idaho, writes: "I have cured a number of chronic cases of rheumatism, dyspepsia and paralysis of long standing; have not had a single failure; I consider a knowledge of personal magnetism invaluable. The book has greatly increased my own powers." Binghampton, N. Y., writes: long suffered from nervous prostration and dyspepsia. My case baffled all medical skill. I studied hypnotism from the American College of Sciences, and tried it upon myself with surprising results. In one week my stomach was better than it had been in thirty years. I could eat anything without the slightest distress. I can hypnotize myself in five minutes and sleep all night; have hypnotized a number of

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From Halls of Learning.

Western University, March 1. On Friday evening of last week the students of the college gave a concert at Hope Sunday school, for the benefit of the mission there. This is the second entertainment which has been given by the students at Westminster. The one they gave last year created such a favorable impression that when they reached Westminster last Friday night they found the schoolhouse packed with people eagerly awaiting their EVERYBODY MAY NOW LEARN arrival, and they were not disappointed. A long programme of excellent

quality was rendered, consisting of songs, readings and instrumental selections, interspersed here and there with lively choruses from the students.

Many thanks are due to Messrs.

Saunders and Steere, of All Saints'
Church choir; to Mr. Miner, who kindly
furnished numbers to replace those who were unable to be present; and who were unable to be present; and also to Miss Burgess, who acted as accompanist. Mr. W. J. Spence, student in charge of All Saints', made an able and very acceptable chairman. After the programme the ladies of the mission served all present with a bountiful lunch, which contributed no small share in the success of the entertain-

When all was over everyone conceded that this was the most successful entertainment yet held at Westminster. The parish of Gorrie, Fordwich and Wroxeter, which has lately been supplied by students, is to be filled by Rev. E. Hall, a graduate of Huron College. The students with him warm. College. The students wish him every

success in his new parish.

On Wednesday afternoon of last week a meeting of the Literary and Musical Society was held for the purpose of electing a treasurer to take the place of Miss Hyman, who resigned recently. The result was the election of Miss Jean Dearness, who commenced

her duties as treasurer at once.

The Huron College Mission Society
held a meeting on Friday evening last, the vice-president, Arthur Carlisle, in the chair. The meeting opened with prayer. Messrs. Fuller and Carlisle, delegates to the recent convention at Montreal, presented their report. It was decided to hold a missionary evening soon, and a committee, consisting of the vice-president, Secretary A. A. Bice and Charles W. Sanders, was chosen to make arrangements.

On Tuesday evening Messrs. C. W. in a few days at home, and use the Saunders, W. H. Snelgrove, C. M. Far-power without the knowledge of his ney and C. Simpson, delegates to the student volunteer convention, left for Toronto. A number of students accompanied them to the station.

The Ven. Archdeacon Davis and Rev. Canon Richardson left on Tuesday morning to attend the student volunteer convention at Toronto. His Lordthe Bishop of Huron is also expected to leave shortly to address the convention. The preaching allocations for Sun-

day, Feb. 23, were as follows: Thorndale—Albert A. Bice. Granton-Charles W. Sanders. Delhi-Horace W. Snell. Gorrie-William H. Snelgrove. Oil Springs-Benjamin P. Fuller. Teeswater-Charles Ryan. rumlin-Chris. Simpso Westminster-Francis Powell.

Sarnia-Arthur Carlisle. Mr. Charles Ryan is spending a few days at his home, the rectory, Dur-Owing to the student convention in progress at Toronto, at which four of

the students are present as delegates, all lectures in divinity are suspended Mr. Horace W. Snell, '04, who was at Mrs. Effie M. Watson, Martinsville, Delhi taking duty on Sunday last, and, writes: "Hypnotism opens the stopped over with friends at Tilson-bud to health happiness, and prosessing the stopped over with friends at Tilson-burg for a development. burg for a day or two before returning

the college. The result of the conversazione was most gratifying to the students, who had spent so much time and energy force of character, and ability to in- in preparing for it. In former years fluence and control people that I did the committees have been well satisfied if they succeeded in paying expenses. This year, however, a greater effort was put forth by students of the arts, medicine and divinity departments, with the result that, after all

The debate held in the rhetoric class ether. I acquired a practical know- on Feb. 26 was on the question of the ledge of hypnotism in less than three university education for women. Miss Margaret Smith and Mr. G. Escott very ably sustained the affirmative, But the honorable judges, Mr. Harry Reason, Mr. Albert E. Elson and Mr. Robert Coleman, found it extremely difficult to make a decision. For the arguments set up by Miss Jean Dear-ness and Mr. Jos. H. Holmes against the university education, was very in-Dr. W. P. Kennicut, 529 State street, genious, in some respects almost novel -an excellent defense, in short, of the

'wrong cause." Mr. C. M. Farney, who has been suffering from an attack of pleurisy, has sufficiently recovered as to be able to attend the convention at Toronto this

The college branch of the Gleaners' Union purpose holding two meetings a week in future-on Tuesday evening and Friday afternoon. At the evening meetings it is proposed to study the missionary journeys of St. Paul, and at the afternoon meetings the Bible lesson for the Sunday following.
The Musical and Literary Society

Western University met on Thursday evening, Feb. 27, with the president, Mr. A. Carlisle, '02, in the chair. After a few matters of business were disposed of the following programme was rendered: Instrumental solo, Miss M. Smith; reading, Mr. A. B. Cox; guitar solo, Mr. E. Miner; debate, "Resolved, that the Ontario prohibition bill will, if passed by the legis-lature and approved by the people in referendum, constitute a satisfactory law"; violin solo, Master Melbourne Brock; reading, Mr. A. B. Cox. The affirmative of the debate was most ably upheld by Messrs. A. E. Elson and B. P. Fuller, and the negative by Messrs. H. W. Snell and J. G. McKay. Provost James, Mr. A. B. Cox and Mr. Reason, elected to act as judges, after carefully considering the manner, delivery and argument of each debater, decided in favor of the negative. Dr. W. F. Tamblyn acted as critic for the The meeting closed with the

GREAT FOREST TO BE PLANTED. Chicago, March 1 .- Within five or six years there will be rows of catalpa trees extending from Chicago to New Orleans, a distance of about 900 miles They are to be planted by the Illinois Central railroad, to provide lumber for cross-ties in the future. More than 200,000 of the trees will be planted.

National Anthem.

CHILD KIDNAPPED. Montreal, Feb. 28.-The 2-year-old child of J. W. Wayland, 62 City Hall avenue, has been abducted, and the 18-year-old servant girl, named Ettie Young, alias Audrey Earl, is suspected. The girl and the child disappeared while Mrs. Wayland was out call-ing. A quantity of money, jewelry and clothing is also missing. The matter is in the hands of the police.

THE ONTARIO LEGISLATURE

Likely to Close Its Sitting in a Couple of Weeks.

The Good Roads Bill Explained—An Address to Prince Henry-The Railway Subsidy Fund.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, Feb. 28.—The session of the legislature this afternoon was probably the dullest since the house opened. Somnolent is a mild term to apply to it. A reasonable amount of business was transacted, however, and there is now no doubt that prorogation will come within the next two

Hon. George W. Ross explained his bill to amend the act respecting the improvement of public highways, and then moved its second reading. The act now enables debentures to be issued for a period of forty years. Under the municipal act it was possible to issue debentures for fifty years. Forty years were fixed by the bill as the time over which the payment of debentures could be extended, and it also made the issue subject to the approval of the electors. The motion for its second reading was carried.

NEW BILLS. Among the other bills introduced was one by Mr. Conmee to incorporate the Canada Central Railway Company; by Mr. Carscallen, to amend the Ontario factories act, and a third by Mr. Dryden also to amend the factories

ADDRESS TO PRINCE HENRY. In reply to a question by Mr. Mon-teith whether it was the intention of the government to take any steps to welcome Prince Henry of Germany, Hon. Mr. Ross said that he had put a notice on the paper for the drawing up of an address by the house, and the appointment of a delegation to present it.

RAILWAY SUBSIDY FUND. Hon. E. J. Davis, in answer to an inquiry by Mr. Matheson, said that a railway subsidy fund had been formed, the amount being \$39,539, and a separate account of the sales of lands within ten miles on each side of the Ontario and Rainy River Railway, the Parry Sound Colonization Rail way, and the Brockville, Westport and Sault Ste. Marie Railway had been kept.

MUTE IDIOTS. Mr. Kribs wanted a return of the correspondence between the Orillia Idiot Asylum, the Belleville Deaf and Dumb Asylum, and the department, respecting the need of increased accommodations in bot hinstitutions. Hon. Mr. Stratton replied that the Deaf and Dumb Asylum had plenty of room, and arrangements had been made for the transfer to the institu-tion of some children in Waterloo county referred to by Mr. Kribs.

Mr. Wardell called attention to the fact that admission had been refused to some idiots in Dundas county. Mr. Stratton repeated his statement that the accommodation for idiots mited There was space building which could be utilized, but it would need a considerable expenditure to put it in shape. He was now having plans drawn up in order to see what additional accommodation

could be provided. A bill to incorporate the Ontario Central Railway was reported by the railway committee. It empowers a numof Manitoba and Ontario capitalists to construct and operate a railway from some point between Wabi-goon and Eagle River stations, on the line of the C. P. R., thence in a northerly direction to a point at or near the west end of Lac Seul in the Rainy River District.

Questions Answered.

CITIZEN.—Is there any way to abate the nuisance caused by smoke and soot from a smokestack, when soft coal is When the wind blows towards us we cannot open the windows on account of the soot coming in on the carpets and beds. The height of the smokestack is about 40 feet from the ground. Ans .- The legal remedy is an action for damages and an injunction. Notice to the person causing the nuisance to abate it should be given, and if they are properly advised the nuis-ance must be abated. Consult a law-

REV. SEPTIMUS JONES STRICKEN Toronto, Feb. 28.-Rev. Septimus Jones, rector of the Church of the Redeemer, has suffered a stroke of paralysis, and his condition is somewhat serious. He was attacked by rheumatism several days ago, yesterday suffered a stroke, which af-fected his right side. Rev. Mr. Jones is one of the best-known Anglican clergymen in Canada.

MRS. TAYLOR'S BARREL. Bay City, Mich., Feb. 28.-Mrs. Anna Edson Taylor, who went over Niagara Falls last summer in a barrel, is in the city busied in an effort to regain possession or her barrel, which is in the hands of her manager, F. M. Russell, under whose management it was constructed. The manager and Mrs. Tay-

[Special cable from London.] London, Saturday, March 1 .- "London, and in fact many parts of England, are again in the grip of influ-Medical observers say this influenza epidemic, like the first one originated in Southern Russia, traveling across Europe and leaving a terrible record of death or disablement in its train.'

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"You wouldn't expect to find women cultivating mustaches, would you?" a Sixth avenue beauty doctor asked a New York reporter.

The reporter said she had heard that those very things, when beautiful, had strong attachments for some women. "Oh, I don't mean men's mus-taches," responded the beauty doctor with very great scorn. "I mean femi-nine mustaches—of their very own, you

It had to be admitted that it was surprising.
"Well, there are some women who do their very best to raise a mus-tache," said the beauty provider. "Yes, American women, brunettes usually. I don't mean that they want bristles; nothing of that kind. All they desire is an alluring little growth of soft down just above the corners of the

"You know, all real Spanish beau-ties have just that, and it's a fad with dark women now to look Spanish and pretend to have Spanish blood in their veins. The mustache is part of the

evidence, as they say in court.
"In Castile, I believe, a woman is accounted a beauty exactly in propor-tion to the amount of seductive down upon her lip. I know a lot of wo-men who are not counted beauties at all here who would be reigning belles in Spain under that rule. But they would actually, if they could, part with what a Castilian would consider

a cherished possession.
"The fact is, there's a disagreement among women on the mustache ques-Those who have mustaches try to get rid of 'em, usually producing a worn-out shoe brush effect unless they go to proper persons for treatment, and some women, who haven't a suspicion of Castilian down try to culti-

'How do they do it? Oh, that's a trade secret. But a small brush and a little oil applied regularly on the proper spot will work wonders. Kerosene would really be the best, but you can't expect a beauty-seeking woman with a fad to paint her upper lip with kerosene more than once. So they come to us, and we have equally efficacious lotions which are pleasanter to

"Of course it's only a fad. And by and by, I suppose, the faddist will take an opposite notion. That's where

we beauty doctors make our profit.
"Can we get rid of it Of course, we can. That's easy, unless the woman has been trying a razor or scissors on her own account. Then it's more difficult, not to mention being a great deal more painful to the patient. Weak ammonia and a little sandpaper or pumice stone will sometimes

do the work, and I've even known a bit of rough cloth to work wonders. Then there are methods like applying a hot resin stick. The hair and all comes away with it. "Oh, women will undergo almost anything to be beautiful or to think

Earl Li's Dignity.

Gen. James H. Wilson at the dinner of the Delaware Society on Thursday evening, told an anecdote of Li Hung Chang, illustrative of the dignity of the Chinese statesman.

In the negotiations carried on with the representatives of the foreign powers, while the Chinese court was in the western representative "Who is the Chinese Govern-

'I am the Chinese Government," Where are your credentials?" was asked.

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Silver Jubilee Celebration Pontificate Recalls Many Inter-

That wonderful old man, truly Pontifex Maximus, Leo XIII., began last week the silver jubilee of his pontificate. The 263rd successor of St. Peter, Joachim Pecci, was born at Carpineto, in the Diocese of Anagni, on March 2, 1810; ordained priest on Dec. 31, 1837; consecrated Titular Archbishop of Damietta on Feb. 17, 1843; transferred to the See of Perugia on Jan. 19, 1846; proclaimed cardinal on Dec. 19, 1853; elected pope on Feb. 20, and crowned on

Leo XIII. is the only one of the long line of popes who has worn the episcopal mitre 59 consecutive years. He is the sixth in line as to length of reign and fourth as to personal age. He is now the senior bishop of the whole Catholic world and also the doyen of those who have held the rank of car-dinal. He has seen 137 cardinals die since he began his reign, a record nowhere approached by any of his pre-decessors, and has created 148 members

of the senate of the church.

The history of the popes shows that of the long line 195 have been Italians, Syrians 7, Greeks 15, Africans 3, Spaniards 4, French 14, Burgundians 2, Germans 6, Saxons 2, Bavarians 4, English 1 and Belgian 1. The nationality of the others is not well established. Forty popes are venerated as saints and con-fessors, and 37 as martyrs, making the entire number of the beatified 77. The

first 33 popes were martyred. The religious orders supplied about 70 popes to the throne. The Benedictines have given 30; the Carthusians 2, the Carmelites 2, the Dominicans 4, and the Augustinians and Franciscans many. Numerous popes were members of royal and noble families, but many poor men have reached the tiara also. St. Peter was a fisherman. Adrian IV., the only Englishman who held the throne, was the son of a woman who begged alms at the door of her parish church. Urban IV. was the son of a poor Frenchman. The parents of Celestine V. were in very humble circumstances. So were those of Benedict II. an Italian Dominican, and also those of Nicholas V. The father of Adrian VI. was a shop carpenter, of Sixtus V. a farm laborer and of Pius V. a shepherd.

St. Peter resigned for 25 years, and there used to be a tradition told to each new pope, no matter how young he was when he began, "Thou shalt was the peter of Peter". It was not see the years of Peter." It was contained in these Latin verses:

"Sint licet assumpti juvenes ad Pon-Petri annos potuit nemo videre ta-

But Leo's predecessor, Pius IX., broke through this tradition by occupying the Vatican for 32 y longest of all the reigns.
Gregory XI., 1276, died within a few hours of his election; Stephanus II. was pope for only three days; Urban VII. for twelve; Boniface VI. for sixteen; Celestine IV. for seventeen; Sisinius, Theodorus II., Damasus II., Pius III. and Marcellus II. for twenty; Valentinus for thirty and Leo. XI. for twenty-five. So many popes died with-in the first year of their pontificate that their records would take up too much space here. Since the time of St. Peter only nine popes have reigned more than twenty years. No less than 36 of the popes have died in the year or months of their pontificate, corresponding with the number attached to their names. Alexander I. was made pope while a mere youth. He reigned eleven years. John II. was 20 years old at his election and reigned four years and ten months. Innocent III. was 30 years old, Gregory II. was 35 years old, Leo X. and Boniface IX.

Pope Hormisdas, who was elected in 524, was a widower when he entered holy orders. He had a son called Silverius who succeeded him as pope in 537. Silverius was martyred and both father and son are venerated as saints. Victor III. had also been married before ascending the throne; and so had Clement IV. He had two daughters and when his wife died he became a Carthusian monk. There are two instances in which brothers succeeded each other. The first is that of Stephen III., elected in 752. He reigned five years and was succeeded by his brother Paul I. The latter was canonized. The other case is that of Benedict VIII., elected in 1012, and succeeded twelve years after by his brother John XX., who was pope for nearly ten years. Pope Eusebius had been a physician, and Pope John XX. was the author of a medical book telling the poor how to treat their maladies, which was highly prized in its day and translated into many languages.

Benedict III. was the first pope to assume the title "Vicar of St. Peter." In the thirteenth century, however, this was changed to the present style, "Vicar of Christ." The usage of kissing the cross on the pope's slipper, which still obtains, was introduced by Adrian I. The first pope to change his name on election was Sergius II., 844. John has been the name most frequently adopted. There have been 23 Johns, 13 Innocents, 14 Benedicts, 16 Gregories, 14 Clements, 13 Leos, 9 Piuses and 8 Alexanders. Pope Cletus, the third pope, adopted the salutation ever since used: "Salutem et Apostolicam Benedictionem." (Health and apostolic

benediction). Valentine was only a deacon when he was elected in 827. He lived a month. Celestine IV., 1241, who lived but a few days, was never crowned. Celestine V. 1294, resigned and became a monk. The popes who were not cardinals when elected are Nicholas II., 1058; Callistus II., 1119; Urban IV., 1261; Celestine V., 1294; Gallus, 1362; Urban VI., 1378. Clement V., 1305, was the first pope to remove his residence from Rome to Avignon. The exile lasted 70 years and for seven popes. The longest interregnum between the death of one pope and the coronation of his successor was

ment IV., in 1270. Pope Telesphorus, 142, ordained that Lent should begin on Septuagesima Sunday, and Pope Gregory I.the Great, 590, introduced the ceremony of put-ting ashes on the head on Ash Wednesday. Linus, St. Peter's successor, prohibited women from entering a church with uncovered heads. Pope Vitalianus, about 659, introduced organs in churches. He is said to have been a talented musician. Pope Clement, 93, is believed to be the author of the canon of the mass. Alexander I, the seventh pope, prescribed that the epistle and the gospel should be read in the mass. Pope Felix I. ordain-

the tombs of the martyrs and where there were none, that the relics of the faces were prescribed by Pope Gelas-Urban II. added those of the Blessed Virgin. Gregory the Great introduced the "Kyrie" and the "Christe Eleison." Symmachus, 498, prescribed that the "Gloria in Excelsis" should be

sung at the masses of Sunday and festivals only. Zephrinus, 205, ordained that chalices should be made only of gold or silver, and Eusebius, 309, prohibited the use of any fabric but white linen for corporals—the covering of the chalice dur-Marcellus, 304, introduced ing mass. the rites of burial with lights and the chanting of Psalms. John XXII., 1316, established the usage of ringing the "Angelus" bell. Melchiades prohibited fasting on Sunday. Anicetus introduced the clerical tonsure and Pelagius II., the 65th pope, established the law that all clerics shall recite the seven canonical hours, or "breviary," daily. Gregory IX. prescribed the little bell that rings at the time of the elevation of the host at the mass. Vigilius ordered that the words of the consecration of the mass should be said

silently. Gregory XI., who died in 1378, was the last French pope. Clement VII. excommunicated Henry VIII. of England for usurping the title head of the church. Alexander VI., the famous Borgia, whose reputation present day historians are rehabilitating, was pope when Columbus discovered America. Alexander III. abolished tilts and tournaments in Europe. Paul IV., 1555-59 instituted the "index of prohibited books" and the tribunal of the inquisition. His successor, Pius IV., established the "Montes Pietatis," or official pawn shops. Boniface V. granted the right of sanctuary to all persons flying for safety to a church.

Since 1595 a series of prophecies about the papacy attributed to the Irish monk St. Malachy, Bishop of Armagh, have obtained popular currency and are held as indicating the succession of the popes and the end of the world. These predictions give to each pope an epigrammatic title. The number of striking coincidences thus falling in have added to the repute in which the prophecies have been commonly held. The title given the present pope, "Lumen in Coelo—Light in Heaven," seems to be borne out by the quarterings on the arms on the escut-

cheon of Leo XIII.

According to these prophecies there are to be only ten more popes. The last pope is to be a second Peter, there having as yet been no other so named since the first great apostle. Then the world will come to an end. Unfortunately, however, modern investigators

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into ecclesiastical records pronounce the Malachian prophecies there were none, that the relics of the saints should be placed under the altar stone. Pope Eutychianus, 275, introduced the offertory at the mass. Pius V. directed that the Gospel of St. John, being a compendium of the chief mysteries of the faith, should be recited at the end of the mass. Ten of the prepared prophecies were first published by Arnold Wion, a monk of Monte Cassino in 1595. The best authorities now regard them as mere literary curiosities.

The Book Barometer.

The booksellers' and librarians' reports show but few changes as compared with the lists of the two preceding months. The popularity of "The Right of Way" and "The Crisis" does not appear to be waning, and such books as "Kim" and "The Eternal City" are still in great demand. Appended are the lists from the World's Work (February):

BOOK-DEALERS' REPORTS. 1. The Right of Way-Parker. 2. The Ruling Passion-Van Dyke. 3. The Cavalier-Cable. 4. Lazarre-Catherwood. 5 The Man from Glengarry-Connor 6. The Crisis-Churchill. Lives of the Hunted-Seton. 8. Marietta-Crawford.

9. Kim-Kipling. 10. D'ri and I-Bacheller. 11. Cardigan—Chambers. 12. Circumstances-Mitchell. 13. The Benefactress-Anon. 14. Graustark-McCutcheon. 15. Count Hannibal-Weyman, 16. The Eternal City-Caine.

17. Amos Judd-Mitchell. 18. The Making of an American-Riis. 19. The Portion of Labor—Wilkins. 20. Blennerhasset—Pidgin.

21. The Velvet Glove—Merriman. 22. Up from Slavery—Washington. 23. The Life of R. L. Stevenson-Balfour. 24. The History of Sir Richard Calmady-Malet.

25. Tristram of Blent-Hope. 26. Wild Animals I Have Known-Seton. 27. A Lily of France-Mason.

28. In the Fog—Davis.
29. The Tory Lover—Jewett. 30. Farm Rhymes—Riley. LIBRARIANS' REPORTS. 2. The Right of Way-Parker.

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26. Truth Dexter-McCall.
27. The Life of R. L. Stevenson-Bal-28. Marietta-Crawford.

Burnett.

29. J. Devlin: Boss-Williams. 30. Tarry Thou Till I Come-Croly. The six most popular books of month, as given in the list compiled by the Bookman (February), are as fol-1. The Right of Way-Parker.

2. Lives of the Hunted-Seton. 3. The Cavalier-Cable. 4. The Ruling Passion—Van Dyke. 5. The Crisis—Churchill. . The Man from Glengary-Conner.

PALMS ARE NOW MUCH IN VOGUE

Are Among Most Fashionable Household Decorations.

Thousands of Dollars Are Lavished On Them By People Who Affect Smart-

ness In Their Homes. Palms are today among the most

household decorations. fashionable Their popularity represents the growth, chiefly of the last ten years. Thouands of palms are purchased outright in this part of the country every year at an enormous outlay of money, and thousands of dollars are spent in hiring palms and in having them carefully looked after. Except on special occasions, flowering plants are not much seen in the houses of the well-to-do, their place having been

taken by the palm. As a rule, the first thing to greet the eye on entering the hall, the drawing room, the dining-room of a fashionable house, is a palm, and the boudoir, sleeping rooms and nursery even, are apt to contain each one or more hand-

some palms. A main reason, some people think, for the vogue of the palm is that it is perhaps the most expensive of the family of decorative foliage plants, and has aristocratic uncertainty of constitution which makes the purchase of one take on the alluring phase of a speculation. "Palms, like some peo-ple," said a dealer, "have very uncertain dispositions."

Another reason given for its prestige is that nowhere in this country can the foreign varieties be raised out of doors, and the largest and handsomest specimens must be imported from Madagascar, Asia, Africa and Australia, thus insuring to their own-ers the distinction of having some-

thing out of the common. Many varieties, though, are now propagated very successfully in this country under glass, and there are florists who do nothing else. the baby plant is about a foot high, it seems, these dealers turn it over to others who make a specialty of coaxing it on to sturdier growth and getting it ready for the retail dealers. In one extensive palm nursery for example, as many as one million infant palms have been seen under glass at one time, every one of which, surviving the perils of a first year, is sure

of a good market. There are not enough large palms in New York to supply the demand," remarked a Fifth avenue dealer, who makes a specialty of them, "and we are only too glad that so many of our customers are willing to rent palms in-stead of purchasing them.

"The majority of the large palms you see in the swell houses are rented for the season. Eight to twelve of them to a house. This means that they are left solely in the florist's care. "I send a man to the house of my customers every day or so to water, wash and look after the palms generally, and if for any reason a plant be-

gins to droop it must immediately be replaced with a fresh one.
"When the houses of my customers are closed for the summer, the plants are taken out and soon after they are crated and sent to Newport for change of air and scene. The palms in my establishment are pretty hard worked and never go out of commision unless, indeed, when one gets disabled through the carelessness of a servant by being frostbitten, or overheated from standing too close to a radiator. I have a good many palms in that condition stored away, which, for commercial purposes, will be valueless for four or

five years, or until an entirely new growth of leaves is induced from the old root.

"The Kentia or umbrella palm," he

went on, in answer to a question, "is one of the most popular, most beautiful and most expensive. That, for example," pointing to a stately beauty about six feet high, "would sell for \$75. Other favorite house varieties are Latania, or fan palm, and Phoenix." "The palm may be classed among the luxuries," declared a grower. "Although one of the longest-lived of plants under favorite conditions, it is also one of the most perishable when given over to the care of a novice. Too much care is as fatal to its well-

being as too little. "The palm is fastidious, and perhaps its most imperative requirement is an even temperature. To chill, or to overheat it, is equally injurious and the warmth generated from burning gas is, of all artificial heat, the least beneficial to palms. Then palms only want water when they are thirsty-a condition depending altogether upon the atmosphere they are kept in-and their leaves should be washed once a week or oftener with a fine sponge.

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WILD ANIMALS THAT ARE DISAPPEARING

Some Fauna That Are Well-Nigh Extinct in Canada and the United Statss.

In most of the important cities of the United States are parks, areas reverting to Nature, preserved in the midst of the turmoil for trade's space and made to be as near Nature as possible according to the degree of earnestness of the commissioners who control their management. Unfortunately, politics too often enters into the forces affecting the appointments, and commissioners are appointed who lack the zeal and knowledge required for park management as much as they would lack the ability to make a watch or to sing the song of the Seraphim.

To the park commissioners of the United States has, by accident, been relegated the duty of preserving types of our wild creatures in danger of absolute extinction. The buffalo, or rather the bison, the

direct descendant, or at least the cousin of the aurochs of paleolithic times— and even now existing in a certain district in Lithuanian Russia-has practically disappeared, and is kept existent only by a few speculators or by one set of park commissioners or an-

The wild pigeon, whose vast flight all men of middle age must bear in mind, has also gone. The remnant of the wonderful migrants are now doubtless feeding and breeding in the comparatively uninhabited parts of South

There is another inhabitant of the United States which is also in danger of extinction and which should be preserved. It is the black squirrel, for-merly numerous in Illinois, Michigan and the forests of Ontario, and scattered elsewhere throughout the United States, but now almost extinct in the States and abundant only portions of Canada. Park commissioners have put squirrels in their parks, and a wonderful addition they re to the natural effect of the attempt to imitate Nature, but the commissioners seemingly get only the fox squirrel and the gray squirrel. Why not also have the black squirrel? The black squirrel becomes easily acclimated and almost semi-domesticated as do the other squirrels, though it is liable elsewhere to extirpation as the forests disappear. In parks, with little care, it would really acclimate and accommo-

date itself. There is another c ature that park commissioners should consider. It is the wolverine, the trade-mark of one of the states of the union, an animal remarkable in the fact that he has not changed from the time of the woolly rhinoceros or the great cave doctor.

tiger. His bones have been found with their bones in ancient caves. He, the so-called glutton of Northern Europe and Asia, is one of the most interest-ing and curious animals in existence. He is still abundant in the northern fringe of the Northern States, and in British America and Alaska. Why is he, a creature so distinguished, not on view in the animal house of any park of any note in the United States?— Stanley Waterloo, in Philadelphia

THE POMANDER IS IN FAVOR AGAIN

It Rivals the Vinaigrette Now and May Be Very Costly.

The old-fashioned pomander has come back and is rivaling the vinaigrette in l'eminine favor. In its latest form it appears as an exquisite hollow filigree ball of gold or silver swinging from a chain and holding a tiny sponge soaked in pungent aromatic, or a spice ball breathing suggestions of Araby the Blest.

Sometimes the pomanders are elab-orately jeweled and hung from jeweled chains, and are worth a small for-

In fact the possibilities of extravagance offered by the new fad are what will probably much endear it to the

The pomander seems a trifle out of place in this day of athletic and robust womanhood. It belongs to the time of the frail, pale beauties who fainted early and often and affected a lan-guishing delicacy of nerves and senti-

The twentieth century girl doesn't faint. She isn't overcome by her emotions when she goes to the theater or reads a love story or listens to a pro-posal, but presumably she hates bad air and unpleasant odors quite as much as her fragil greatgrandmother, and a good old-fashioned pomander isn't a to have in a close theate or concert hall, while it ought to be a very present help to the woman on

ming intent. In the old days receipts for the compounding of spice balls were many and most of them were fearful and There ought to be amusement in the resurrection of some of them and the making of pomander balls according to the old world formula.

SIDEWALK PRESCRIPTION. The busy doctor was hurrying down when he was stopped by a the street man noted for his ability to get "side-walk" advice. "I am thoroughly worn out, and sick

and tired. What ought I to take?" asked the man. "Take a cab," replied the unfeeling

DEVELOPMENT OF SONG BIRDS

How Birds Acquire Mew Methods of Expression.

Some Interesting Observations By One Who Has Studied the Subject

Some interesting observations bearing on the propensity of birds to acquire new methods of expression in song are contributed to Science (January 31) by Prof. W. E. D. Scott, of Princeton, whose investigations on bird-song in captivity were noticed in these columns recently. Prof. Scott treats the subject under three heads: First, the disposition of wild birds to interpolate new phrasing into their song, or to acquire new songs; second, education of expression, by direct teaching in confinement; third, the propensity of caged birds to imitate sounds voluntarily. He says of the

"Every trained field ornithologist discriminates individuality in song, and some have been so fortunate as to have noted wide and radical deparfrom what I have distinguished as the normal song. The slight varia-tion from the normal is of too common occurrence to be dwelt on here. Suffice to say that . . most ob-servers recognize degrees of excellence in the songs of wild birds of the same

kind.

"Again, a few observers have heard wild birds imitate or produce not only the songs of other birds, but also the barking of dogs, human speech and mechanically produced sounds such as the creaking of a wheel the filing of a the creaking of a wheel, the filing of a saw, and the like. The facility of the mocking-bird in this particular is traditional. A few other instances seem

worthy of record. "A catbird that nested in the immediate vicinity of my house in the sea-son of 1900 reproduced the call of the whip-poor-will so perfectly that it was difficult to induce members of my family and visitors who heard the re production to credit the fact that it was not the whip-poor-will singing.

"The following case of a wild rese-breasted grosbeak talking is well at-tested. I quote from Emily B. Pellet, Worcester, Mass., in Bird-Lore, October, 1901, as follows: "'Early last summer, while standing

on my back steps, I heard a cheerful voice say, "You are a pretty bird. Where are you." I supposed it to be the voice of a parrot, but wondered how any parrot could talk loud enough to be head at that distance, for the houses on the street back of us are quite a way off.
"'Almost before I had done laugh-

ing, the voice came again, clear, mus-ical and strong—"You're a pretty bird, Where are you?"

"'For several days I endured the suspense of waiting for time to inves-tigate. Then I chased him up. There he was in the top of a walnut tree, his gorgeous attire telling me immediately that he was a rose-breasted grosbeak.
"'At the end of a week he varied

"At the end of a week he varied his compliment to "Pretty, pretty bird, where are you? Where are you?"
With a kind of impatient jerk on the last you.

With a kind of impatient jerk on the last you. last you. 'He and his mate stayed near us all last summer, and though I heard

him talk a hundred times, yet he al-ways brought a feeling of gladness and a laugh "'Our friend has come back again this spring. About May 1 I heard the same endearing compliment as before.
"'Several of my friends whom I have told about him have asked, "Does he say the words plainly? Do you mean that he really talks?" My reply is, "He says them just as plainly as a bird ever says anything, so plainly that even now I laugh whenever I hear

Prof. Scott writes as follows of the education of birds by man-the second division of his subject: "The bullfinch's ability to learn to

whistle airs with great accuracy and precision, as well as the peculiar quality and charm of its voice, has arrested the attention of all observers and has been cultivated for more than a century. Few of us, however, realize that only wild birds hand-reared from a very early age are educated in this accomplishment, and it is worthy of special notice that wild bullfinches have little or no song, and may be compared with the European sparrow as a songster. Starlings are well as a songster. Starlings are well known as birds susceptible not only of learning to whistle simple melodies, but as rivals of parrots in reproducing with great distinctness short sentences. Jays, crows and magpies also talk and whistle with great facility.

The voices of jays in reproducing speech are particularly melodious and lack the peculiar phonographic timbre characteristic of most parrots and of starlings. "Mention may be made here of the minos of India as on the whole the most receptive among birds in learning to talk, sing and imitate all sounds of a mechanical kind. All these results

have been achieved by education, that is, direct teaching with intent on the part of a human instructor." Of the third part of the discussion, which deals with the propensity of caged birds to imitate or reproduce sounds voluntarily, the writer says:
"No direct effort or intention on the

part of a human agent is a factor in this category. All but one instance that I shall adduce of this kind of ability have occurred in an experience covering some six or seven years with birds obtained in ways, and kept un-der conditions, that require brief consideration. These birds are all hand reared, wild species; birds taken from the nest when very young and raised by hand. As soon as such birds were able to feed and take care of themselves they were liberated in large rooms, having as near freedom as confinement would allow. No instruction was given to them. In a word, it was an effort to observe what birds would do if left to themselves and supplied with food and water. No effort was made to keep these birds from hearing the songs of wild birds out

of doors. "It will be sufficient for us to consider only the very marked acquirement shown by individuals among these birds, none of whose songs are quite normal. A number of the robins have peculiar songs that in no way resemble wild robins' songs. I should call them invented songs, for lack of

a better name.
"The wood thrushes' song varies much from the normal, but can hardly be regarded as invented or original. "Catbirds did much mimicry of the

songs of other birds. . . . "One of a brood of red-winged blackbirds, a male, crows constantly for about two months in the year. The crow is an imitation of the crow of the

common bantam rooster. . . . This is the only song this bird has.

"A blue jay reproduces the song of the cardinal so perfectly as to de-ceive anyone. It is copied from a cardinal in the room, and distance and

direction are not indicated. "A European jay has learned from a cockatoo to say 'How do you do,'
'How do, pretty polly,' 'Pretty polly,'
and some whistles and calls." Prof. Scott also quotes from a cor-respondent the story of a duck hatched out on a Wisconsin farm with thirteen turkeys by a hen as a foster-mother. "This duck followed the turkeys around and wavered a long time before it went into the water, and it still imitates the turkey's note with its duck voice. It sleeps under

"In concluding, a word is necessary as to the probable reason why birds in confinement diverge from the normal in the rabits of song. Presuming that wild birds are pretty constantly employed in obtaining a food supply, it would seem that they do not have much leisure. On the contrary, birds in captivity, with all their physical wants carefully looked after, have leisure and employ it in giving attention to occurrences about them, particulary such as are accompanied by

any noise.
"Of this factor of leisure among animals in confinement little is known, and a broad field is presented for those investigators who have opportunities in zoological gardens or, better still, in special laboratories equipped for this and kindred studies."

They Did Not Cheer.

President McKinley was always fond of children, and during the latter years of his life was accustomed to have young people about him in his home in Canton whenever he was there. His return trip from the Pacific coast was marked by an incident which touched him deeply. He related it at the table one day, and an intimate friend tells it in Leslie's Weekly:

Early one morning the train stopped

for water at a little place in Nevada. There was nothing there but the sta-tion, water tank and a few shanties. The president, as was his custom, had arisen before the other members of the party. Stepping out on the rear plat-form of his car, he found a group of small children, flags in hand, waiting

A boy approached him and said. "Are you the president?" "Yes, I'm the president. Good morning! How do you do?" was the answer.
"Is Mrs. President with you?" came

the query. "Yes, but I regret that she is ill." "Oh, that's too bad!" replied

spokesman. "Then we mustn't holler must we? The president said: "Mrs. McKinley is there where the shades are drawn. The little group walked silently to the windows and stood there waving their little flags as the train resumed its fourney eastward; but not one of them gave a single cheer, not one uttered a

Healing a Broken Leg.

The proceedings of the Royal Society of England were not taken so seriously a hundred and fifty years go as they are now. A sailor who had broken his leg sent to the Royal Society an account of the remarkable manner in which he healed the fracture. His story was that he had dressed it with nothing but tar and oakum, and in three days was able to walk just as

well as before the accident.
This remarkable story naturally caused some excitement among the members of the society. No one had previously suspected tar and oakum of possessing such miraculous healing powers. The society wrote for further particulars, and doubted, indeed, whe-ther the leg had been really fractured. The truth of this part of the story, however, was proved beyond a shadow of a doubt. Several letters passed between the Royal Society and the sailor, who continued to assert most solemnly that his broken leg had been treated with tar and oakum, and with nothing

else.

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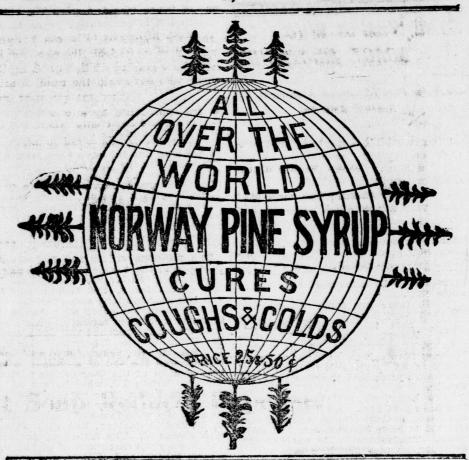
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The Final "E."

Prof. Syle, of the State University of California, cannot tolerate snobbish-ness on the part of his scholars, and such offense is sure to call forth sarcastic comment. The other day, while calling the roll of one of his classes, he came upon the name of a Miss dropsy, and all troubles arising from Greene. He paused and expressed his a weak condition of the kidneys.

disapproval of the final "e" in her name, by saying, "G-r-e-e-n-e; does that spell Green or Greenie?" Miss Greene promptly replied: "S-y-l-e; does that spell Syle or Sillie?"

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Old Question of "Reputation"

Again Under Discussion.

On the Whole the Chances of an Ul

known Aspirant to Literary Honors

Are Not Bright.

One commonly hears from the begin-

ner the cry: "It is simply because I

haven't a name that editors send back

my manuscripts"; while, with the self-

satisfied optimism born of success, his

more fortunate rival contends that

merit alone decides the acceptance or

rejection of proffered manuscripts.

Much has been written on both sides

of this controversy, the writers being often guided to their conclusions by

their own individual experiences. Th

New York Times Saturday Review, in an editorial article on "The Value of a Literary Reputation," maintains that

neither of the points of view indicated

is correct. "The decision of an editor," it says, "is not determined by the reputation of the writer alone, nor by

the merit of the manuscript alone; but by a combination of both considera-tions. In just what relative degrees

these considerations influence his con-

duct depends, in great part, upon indi-

vidual character and predilection; but

it is nevertheless possible to analyze the general situation with a very fair

amount of accuracy." The same paper

ourselves in imagination in the editor-

ial chair of some great magazine, and

to ask ourselves what rules we would

adopt for disposing of the vast num-

ber of manuscripts that annually seek

admission at the narrow gateway. One

thing is certain-but a very, very small

percentage of those offered can possi-

bly be accepted, no matter how high

the general standard may be. One other

fact may be premised—our desire to

turn out the best literary journal compatible with commercial success. In

the prosecution of this endeavor we

naturally recall to mind the names of

those authors who, to judge from our

knowledge of them in the past, are

most likely to give us what we want;

and we forthwith dictate a series of

letters to them, expressing the hope

that in the future they will give us an

opportunity to see their work. Do we

write to the unknown and unappreciat-

ed author? Of course not, for the sim-

ple reason that we should not know his

name, even did we desire to write to

Having dispatched the letters the ed-

itor very naturally gives precedence

to all manuscripts coming from the persons addressed. His interest in so

'multiple and unpromising a person'

as the unknown writer can hardly be

very keen. Moreover he is fully alive

to the commercial value of a list of

prominent names in his advertisements

for the coming year. The Times Satur-

day Review says further:
"In the meantime, however, a number of 'approved' manuscripts have

been passed on from below for our final decision, and attached to some of

them are found the names of popular

and successful authors, while attached

to others are strange, barbarian ap-

pellations. Is it, now, matter for won-

der that we first turn to the former

class with the expectation of finding

that which we seek, and that by the

time the 'unknowns' have been reach-

ed our needs have in all probability

been partially satisfied, at least? Un-

der such circumstances further contri-

butions are accepted only if so good as

to be compelling. Expressed mathe-

matically, the chance of a story from

the pen of a well-known author being

accepted is probably three times as

great as though the story were from

a writer without reputation. But, on

the other hand, the chance of such a

story's meriting success is also thrice

as great as in the former case. With

serial stories the novice's hope of find-

ing a magazine market is reduced still

further, owing to the limited number

of such stories which can be thus pub-

lished, and to the fact that they are

usually contracted for far in advance.

Furthermore, every established publi-

cation has a certain number of favored

patrons to whom much of its reputa-

tion in the past is due, and to whom it

would be unreasonable to expect the

editor to prove untrue at our mere bid-

above analysis, the chance of an un-known writer would seem to be very

poor. But, as is pointed out, there are

modifying circumstances:

"Of these the most important is the

large and steadily increasing number

of publications, the editor of each of

which is keen to surpass his rivals and

correspondingly quick to recognize a

ers is not large enough to go around,

and editors, even those of the most

conservative publications, are forced to

open the door to many an unknown

seeker for admission. To prove this it is only necessary to recite the list

of the most popular magazine writers

of the day, a large proportion of whom

were unknown five years ago. Certain-

ly the outlook for a nameless writer

is at least as favorable as was that

of Mark Twain or Bret Harte, when they commenced writing. There may

be, however, a discrepancy of talent.'

WAITED FOR ORDERS.

faithfulness of a Russian soldier was

brought out by the red tape of the

Russian military system, which not only exacts strict obedience to orders,

but determines rigidly from whom or-

ders may come. The explosion of a

powder magazine at Batum killed and

injured many people. Among the wounded was a soldier on guard at

the gate of the magazine. One of his

arms was shattered, says the New York Herald, and there was an ugly

The unquestioning and unreasoning

The number of celebrated writ-

Considered solely in the light of the

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"To do this the best way is to put

continues:

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TELEPHONES WILL SUPPLANT BELL-BOYS

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[Montreal Witness.]

Some time ago the Witness gave the outline of a plan by which the guests of the Windsor Hotel would have their wants attended to by telephone, as well as being able to communicate with their friends at a distance. This was to be realized by the installation of an inter-communicable telephone system—a system which has been in-troduced in Boston, and which will be introduced in New York just as soon as the pepole can rid themselves of a telephone monopoly there. The directors had the matter before them months ago, but Friday, at a special meeting, it was decided to carry out the idea, which will be realized in time for summer business. There are four hundred rooms in the house, and every one will have a telephone which will be connected with a central switch board downstairs. Thus, instead of having to ring, and wait for the bell boy to obtain his order, the guest will simply connect with the switch board, and his order will be executed downstairs. If he wants pen or paper, a fire, or any other attention or comfort, he can have it by simply using the telephone. Again, should he fall sick, and desire to communicate with his friends in New York, or elsewhere, he will simply ring up his longdistance connection, for which, of course, he will pay. Should a business man in the city desire to communicate with a guest at the hotel, he will simply ring him through the central switch board, and business can be transacted without the guest leaving the house. The expense of the installation will be great, but the directors consider that if the wear and tear of carpets be regarded (in the running up and down of bell-boys), as well as the expense of the elevators, and the maintaining of the staff of bell-boys, there will ultimately be saving effected, not to speak of the comfort and luxury which will be afforded the guests, who will have a prompt service, and the satisfaction of knowing that they are within hailing distance of all their friends, in all parts of the country. For the first time, Mr. Weldon, the manager, had a letter from a gentleman on Friday, asking him to reserve a room for him, with a tele-

"Which shows," as Mr. Weldon remarked on Saturday, "that the people are being accustomed to this great convenience, which will do away with most of our bell-boy staff, save car pets, elevator wages and keep, a prompt service and add immeasurably to the comfort of the guests."

SCIENCE AGAIN AIDS HISTORY. Within the past year the explorers of the Egyptian exploration fund have completed what they regard as the most important historical work that was ever intrusted to their hand. The operations were at Abydos, where have been unearthed archaeological remains establishing the existence of seventeen kings whose reigns were continuous. These kings include Mena, whose historical character is thus proved, and a series of twelve kings preceding him. Even the earlier of these kings are said to be now better known, by means of gold, crystal and ivory objects containing their names, and engravings to them, than are half of the Saxon kings of England.

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HOW BRILLIANT MEN ARE "LOST

"More Lawyers Than Cases" Is True in New York City.

The Individual Lawyer Is Practically a Nonentity-Great Corporations Do the Work.

[New York Herald.]

"More lawyers than cases" seems to be particularly true of practice at the bar in this city. Yet of making more lawyers there seems to be no end, and the graduates from law schools will probably be more numerous that year than last. Compared with twenty years ago, the ratio of lawyers to cases is appalling, and deterring, perhaps, to ambition.

There is still less that is inviting in the manner of practice today. The courts are so conducted that not one lawyer in five hundred gets the public eye as an orator or clever practitioner, for in most civil cases the argument is contained entirely in typewritten briefs, seen and reviewed only by the justice.

It is significant that Choates, Evartses and men of equal prominence are not made now, and that the leaders in legal practice of twenty years ago have not been supplanted.

Where, then, are the lawyers who qualify year after year? Large numbers of them are on salary for corporations, or in the offces of other lawyers, practically clerks under supervision, attending to the details for which the master brain has no time. Clever, bright, even brilliant though they may be, the methods of modern law practice has robbed them of their individuality and made them anonymous factors in the machingur that is known only by its partner. ery that is known only by its partner-ship or corporate title.

It is estimated that there are now near-

It is estimated that there are now nearly 8,000 practicing lawyers in the boroughs of Manhattan and the Bronx.

The young man who enters the ranks of the profession today with the expectation of reaping the honors and rewards by assiduous labor and conscientious effort will find himself confronted with a condition of affairs non-existent twenty years ago, and, if he but knew the real situation might hesitate before embark-

years ago, and, in the before embark-ing upon the experiment.

Twenty years ago the lawyer was recognized as an individual factor, and, if possessed of fair ability, the chances if possessed of fair ability, the chances of success were very favorable. If he delighted in litigation and understood the faculty of making himself clearly understood to courts and juries, his services were in eager demand, or if he preferred the more quiet and lucrative business of real estate law, transferring of titles to real estate, he was assured of a very comfortable income. With every transfer of a piece of real estate or the placing of a new or additional mortgage he was assured of additional fees. The individual lawyer was also retained to prepare wills and draw the various legal documents incident to the practice of the busy lawyer.

busy lawyer. OPPORTUNITIES CUT OFF. In those days a practice earning less than \$10,000 a year was not regarded as of much consequence. The law was regarded as a most unprofessional thing. It was not and never was intended to be placed in the same category with the selling of wares. The lawyer was the man to be sought after on account of his years of patient study and reflection.

His calling was to be considered sacred and above ignoble mercenary gains.

But what a transformation has taken place! The individual lawyer is practically and the place of the considered sacred and above ignoble mercenary gains. cally a nonentity. The business of the legal profession is almost exclusively in the hands of great corporations. The formation of the title companies within a few years has revolutionized the transfer of titles to real estate. These companies employ experienced lawyers at salaries ranging from \$20 to \$30 a week, and in exceptional cases, growing out of friendship or perhaps long service in the office, an additional figure.

se companies are recruited from lawyers whose practice has dwindled on account of these new companies relieving them as individuals. Accessions are being constantly made from the ranks, and an opening is always made for an and an opening is always made for an experienced conveyancer. This branch of work has always been considered the most lucrative part of the work of the profession, but with the advent of the title companies the individual lawyer is almost entirely lost sight of. The result is that many of the older lawyers of the profession find themselves almost without a client. As a natural result the companies absorb the incidental business.

Again, it is found in the creation of companies which make a business of fur-nishing bonds in cases requiring sure-ties. These companies also employ law-yers at salaries, and the effect of it is to turn business in that direction. There are also companies organized to insure against accidents, which employ lawyers at a fixed stipend per week. There is also a company whose business it is to draw wills for nothing, upon condition that the company is named as executor. The inevitable result of this is that business drifts to the great corporations. The individual lawyer finds his clients, one by one, drifting away, until he is at his wits' end to make both ends meet. Numerous instances might be cited of clever, painstaking lawyers actually sorely pressed because of the changed conditions, and scarcely able to obtain the wherewithal for the necessaries of

The work by the corporations has been done more expeditiously, and certainly much cheaper than it could be done by the individual, on account of the increased facilities. It is undoubtedly a step in the evolution of law business in keepin the experiments. ing with the times, which demand aggregation of individuals to transact the every-day business of life. OUT OF PUBLIC EYE.

It must also be born in mind that the day of eloquence is at a discount in in courts of law, except, perhaps, in the criminal branch, on which class of busi-ness the high minded lawyer is too often ness the high minded lawyer is too often likely to look askance, both on account of the associations made necessary and also because of the uncertainty of pecuniary rewards. It needs no argument to prove that the class of criminals who daily appear before our courts are not able, in by far the great majority of cases, to compensate the lawyer for his work. Of course, these people are entitled to all the protection that the law affords, but in this mercenary age lawyers are not drifting to this class of work.

work.

In civil courts a plain, concise statement of facts is all that is permitted and the time to present arguments is limited to a very brief period. The views ness quite a revenue is made. There are undoubtedly meritorious cases, but it is safe to assume that much of this busisafe to assume that much of this business is mainly prosecuted with a view to extort money from corporations. The companies are always disposed to treat such cases with a purpose to do justice without litigation.

The name of "ambulance chaser" has been applied to lawyers who make a specialty of conducting these suits, and not without reason. There is scarcely a great accident in which lawyers or their representatives are not upon the scene

fore the extent of the injury is ascertained.

Witness the actions of numerous lawyers in the most recent tunnel disaster. It has been asserted that lawyers have actually offered to pay the person injured substantial sums of money and take an assignment of the claim with the expectation of obtaining much larger damages on account of public outcry against the company.

For Holdin' Trouble Off.

Ef yer want to git away fum
The things that makes you sad,
You lookin' on your neighbor,
His troubles jes' as bad, An' by the time yer tell him 'Bout yer sympathy, an' show How much you're feelin' fur him, Your sorrer'll up and go.

Yer can't git back ag'in,
Don' put your eyes out cryin',
It tain' goin' ter ease yer pain.
When a feller recomembers
Thet his trouble an' his fuss
Air multiplied by millions,
He won' kick up such a dus'.

The time yer spent a foolin'
Over things that can't be helped
When yer set and nussed yer trouble,
Nor done a thing but moped,
Yer could a ben a smilin'
An' kept your lantern trim,
Fur the fogs o' sin an' sorrer
That makes this old world dim.

I 'low thet when the angel
'Cords the things we shouldn't say,
He don't forgit to mention What we left out that day.
The cheerin' an' the nelpin'.
An' the gift o' friendly han',
An' the feller feelin' in it,
That another'd understan'.

So jes' you keep on smilin'
When the other feller's glad,
Or cry a bit an' cheer a bit,
Ef he's sorrerful an' sad.
They's nothin' like it in this world
Fur holdin' trouble off,
Fur keepin' heads so clear an' cool,

An' hearts so warm an' sof'.

THE MAGIC OF A GLAD HEART

The Facts Are All Opposed to the Chronic Fault-Finder.

To Magnify Our Joys and Minimize Out Sorrows Is One of the Secrets · of Human Happiness.

Rejoice evermore; in everything give thanks.-I. Thessalonians, v., 16-18.

I have an artist friend who a few days ago fell into that sleep which we call death. He is my friend still, though we are separated, I in one world and he in another, for he was steadfast in his affections and could not easily change. He went to the opera in the afternoon, for he was sensitive to music, and on his return home, during a sweet slumber, his soul wandered away from the body and, seeing so much that was beautiful on the other side of the river, for-

He had one characteristic which I admired beyond expression—namely, he was an apostle of good cheer in He delighted in an orchard of apple-blossoms, and painted them with such cunning skill that you could almost catch their fragrance and almost feel the spring breeze fan your cheek. He never looked at the dark side of nature, would not use his colors on a tempest, and so one loves to look at his pictures, for they are uplifting, and there is a smile in every one of them. It seems to me to be a duty to al-

ways look on and to look for th bright side of things, as my artist did. Life is a different thing to him who looks out from the shadow in his heart from what it ought to be. It is easy to exaggerate an evil or a misfortune, and the imaginative can brood over a sorrow no bigger than a dime until it covers the whole earth. To magnify our joys and to minimize our sorrows is one of the secrets of human happiness. If you place a penny on the eye you can see nothing but blackness, but if you hold it at arm's length it grows so small in the general brightness that it almost vanishes. To cherish a grief or disappointment and brood over it, as I have known men and women to do, is to give it proportions to which it has no rightful claim. It grows by your encuragement until it is the only thing in sight, and, like a despot, rules you with an iron will. It may be only a dwarf, but you make it a giant. doing this you not only take a false view of life, but you render yourself incapable of making a strenuous effort, tying your own hands with an

imaginary cord. The facts are all opposed to the chronic faultfinder. Nature has her rough and terrible moods, but on the whole she is beneficent. The general trend is to produce happiness, and in most cases the misery from which we suffer is caused by some willful or ignorant infraction of law. There are more bright than gloomy days in the year, more smiles than tears in every one's life. We take the good as a matter of course and straightway forget it; we linger over the painful moments and cherish their memory. A sturdy effort to make a good use of a hard experience would rub away its cutting edges, but we bivouac pleasant things and keep a permanent

home in the unpleasant.
This habit of mind cannot be called religious, not by any stretch of the imagination. It is much nearer to atheism, for it engenders the sort of close to desperation and despair, which belongs to pure unbelief. Religion, indeed, is the science of good cheer. That is its mission in the world. It is not an unpalatable dose of medicine to make you die comfortably, but a glorious hope that will make you live comfortably. It tells you how to get out of sorrow all the compensation it contains. How to bear a burden with equable temper and how to die with the consciousness that when at last you fall asleep some one will wake you to a higher and better

If your religion fails to do that for you it is certainly adulterated. You must throw the old thoughts aside and find better ones to guide you through the maze of coming years. You cannot always be hilarious, for sometimes you must weep, but you can always be calm and trustful, and both of these you will be as cheerful as the circumstances ad-Good thoughts, high thoughts, bring hope, and hope is sunshine. GEORGE H. HEPWORTH.

A CASUAL LOOK.

"Harry," said the trembling maiden, "did you see papa?"
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wound in his chest. Although on the verge of fainting, he remained at his

His colonel saw him and said, "What are you doing here? Don't you see there is nothing left to guard? You look half dead. I order you to the hospital at once." "Colonel, I cannot do it. My sergeant

instructed me to stay here. "But your sergeant has been killed." "That doesn't concern me," replied the soldier. "There are only two per-

sons who can relieve me from duty, my sergeant and my emperor."
The colonel telegraphed to the minister of war, who laid the case before his imperial master. The tsar sent a dispatch relieving the soldier and announcing his intention, of conferring on him a gold medal and a decora-

When the dispatch was received the soldier had been fourteen hours

Mr. Moody's Picture.

'At the time of the great fire in Chicago, Dwight L. Moody, the evangelist, was living in that city, and had just returned to his house for a night's rest, when the call came for him and his neighbors to hurry away. The fire had crossed the river, and was rapidly

It was too late to think of removing any heavy articles, but one thing Mrs. Moody determined to save—a portrait of her husband, presented to him by the artist, Healy. This she prized above everything else the house contained. A stranger who had entered the room helped her to take it down from the wall. Then the wife called her husband and begged him to save

Notwithstanding the horror of the situation and the increasing terrors of the night, the ludicrous side of the matter at once appealed to Mr. Moody. "Take my own picture!" said he. "Well, that would be a great joke. Suppose somebody meets me in the street and says, 'Hullo, Moody, glad you've escaped! What's that you've saved and are clinging to so affection ately?' Wouldn't it sound well to an swer, 'Oh, I've got my own portrait!' No entreaty could move him; but the canvas was hastily knocked out of its heavy frame and carried by Mrs. Moody herself. It was the one relic rescued from their home.

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"I wonder if this work of hers in the slums is more than a pose, a pretty affectation?" mused the Rev. Ambrose Power at his writing-desk. "Those soft brown eyes she has are the exact color of her father's, and a more selfish, more silly, more cold-blooded man, I'll venture, never trod shoe leather. And those sweet ways of hers, half shy, half trustful-of course, they're mere clever trick, of coquetry. We impecunious curates are considered fair game, I fancy, by these elegant young ladies. Not that I am so very impecunious, to be sure, but" -with a shrug of his shoulders-"so far as the daughter of Mr. Delling is concerned I am a nopeless ineligible indeed. It is perfectly safe to flirt with her. I could not have the effrontery to take it seriously."

But his scornful lips quivered suddenly and softened, his gray eyes darkened, his

fine face grew infinitely tender. "Oh, why do I try to cure myself," he said, aloud, "by these disloyal thoughts? Because she is a star out of my sphere, must I try to blur her brightness? She is all she seems-a dear, sweet, unaffected, noble girl. But," he ended, taking up his quill abruptly, "she is more in my thoughts than is good for me. I will answer this letter of hers about the Play Guild, and then-think of something

The letter finished, he took it up, and looked it over, half amused, half dis-

'Looks a bit shaky, eh? Bah! What a fool I am! She'll never think of it. I've no time to write another. I must go and see old Widow Bell, poor broken derelict, and, oh! as many of them as I can. What a Christmas some of these poor souls will have! If there were a few more helpers like Miss Delling we might get some of these awful places cleaned up by the Day of Judgment. Well. well! This Play Guild idea of hers is very good. It has answered splendidly in some parts of London. I don't see why it shouldn't answer here. What a marvelous girl she it! She seems to be as much in the swim as anybody, and yet she has always time to think out schemes of this sort."

He pocketed his letter, and getting up, strode out of the room into the hall, snatched his hat from its peg, clapped it on, and, with more energy than grace, swung himself out into the street. At

the corner he posted the letter. His way took him into the town, and, walking rapidly along the electric-light, part of the programme. face to face with Miss Linda Dellingthe queen of his foolish heart! A shopassistant was carrying small parcels into her carriage. With eyes beaming radiantly through her black chenillespotted veil, she came towards Ambrose with outstretched hand.

"Oh, Mr. Power," she cried, delightedly, "I have been wishing to see you. I have something to show you." She took a folded paper from her muff and flourished it before him.

He took it and opened it. In sprawling hieroglyphics was written: "I hereby sertifies that i will not tech

strong lickers no more.-Yours truly,

Robert Jugg." Ambrose handed back the document.

"I am very glad for Jugg, Miss Delling," he said, a little sadly, "and very sorry for myself. What is it I am wanting in? Tell me the secret of your success. I have been at this same poor Jugg-oh, times without number. And Jugg has politely informed me- But I am keeping you?"

"No, no, indeed. I am most glad to have met you, if only to wish you a happy Christmas when it comes. And oh! would you mind giving this"-a soft gloved hand stole into his and left a coin-"to poor Mrs. Jugg. Her husband was in all the time, and I'm afraid my faith in him has not get backbone yet. So I dared not give her anything before

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> "I have scores for you. Miss Delling." "Oh!" She gave a pretty start of assumed alarm. "I hope we shall be equal to them all, poor little things. Thank you very much for getting me such a nice large room, piano and all. It will do splendidly, and I have got a lovely Christmas tree for it already. I am going away tomorrow for a fortnight's visit to some friends, but I shall be at liberty at once when I come back. My father is going to Nice, by the way. He detests our English Christmas. Isn't it odd? I love it. And now, good-bye. I hope you will have a very happy holidav.'

> So with mutual good wishes they parted.

"A happy Christmas for me!" said the Rev. Ambrose, gloomily, in the privacy of his heart. "Ah, that is very likely! Perhans-if I had never met Linda Delling. But now the best will always be wanting. I hope she will meet her fate this holiday. I wish she would get married. I should have to forget her then. Jugg is more in her thoughts than I

It was a cloudy night, with promise of snow. Not a star was to be seen. Coming out from the lively, brilliantly-lit streets straight into utter gloom and solitude, Ambrose Power crossed over, and, opening the railway gates, passed over the row of lines that divided prosperous, respectable Port Rushborough, with its glittering shops, its fine houses, its pretty ladies and elegant gentlemen, from the collection of slums known as Old Town.

Here, amid the murkiness and filth, amid the noise of coarse laughter and quarrelsome oaths, a barrel organ was grinding out the last strains of "Ora Pro Nobis." Close upon Piccolomini's solemy melody came the frolicsome trills and runs of a gay, new-fangled dance. Tattered little girls left their corners swiftly, chose other tattered little girls for partners, came out into the middle of the road, and there stood waiting with nodding heads to catch the time, and then began to dance. Merrily their rags danced, too. Ambrose stood and watched them with a tender pity, heedless of the whispered jeers about him. till leisurely a policeman sauntered up and waved a hand majestically. Without a murmur the crowd of little dancers melted away. "The "bobby" was

picked his way, "Port Rushborough has managed to collect a marvelous lot of vice and filth and-organ-grinders. One finds these dancing groups in every little dirty street, and always an ogre in blue pouncing down on their fun. I suppose this is what has made her think of a Play Guild. Poor little souls! They need a refuge for their harmless frolics badly."

II.

Drumming his taper fingers impatiently upon a small table beside him. Mr. Delling looked out upon his spacious grounds, covered now with some inches of snow, and, with a rare moodiness in his handsome, velvety brown eyes, awaited the home-coming of his only daughter. Linda, from her fortnight's Christmas visit in the country.

"It's odd!" he mused. "Linda and I have been the best of friends always, and yet-I don't know her in the least. I haven't the faintest notion how she

will take it. H'm!" He began to pace the beautiful room fretfully, and then, with a sudden return of his ordinary philosophical calm, he sat down at the keyboard of the grand piano and began to weave soft, dreamy melodies that were reminiscent of bits of Verdi and Mascagni, but which he was placidly convinced were

quite his own. Fascinating beyond description-for what pen could tell how mellow was his voice, how winning were his ways gallant with women, cordial with men, Geoffrey Delling was yet, in his sixtieth year, the idol of Port Rushborough's society. But little above the middle height, he was inclined, though quite becomingly, to the plumpness of good living and an indulgent conscience. Brows and mustache still wore their original hue, but his raven hair had rapidly turned snow-white. Thick and fine and wavy it had, however, suffered no loss of beauty from the change, and his soft brown eyes but shone the darker for the contrast. He had an effective tenor voice, was a delightful dancer, a very fair artist in water colors-behold his moonlight scenes and storm-tossed vessels here upon the richly-papered walls -he was devoted to horticulture; his orchids and Malmaison roses will never be surpassed; and, having traveled much, he had a marvelous store of anecdote and scenic description wherewith to employ his confident tongue. He was an ideal host, an idea guest. His father, a prosperous shipbuilder of humble origin, had seen with some disappointment that Nature had clearly intended his younger son for merely ornamental purposes; but, with the philosophy of a practical man, he had made the best of the matter and had helped him to make the most of his aptitude for drawing-room accomplishments. Dying, he had left Dellingholme, with a substantial income, to Geoffrey, and the shipbuilding business to his elder son, Bert, a beetle-browed, energetic, pushful young man, who, ere his fortieth year, had become the leading shipbuilder of the north, and a famous matador of finance. Lucky, plucky, determined and ambitious. Bert Delling was the idol of the workingman, as his brother was the idol of society, and had been literally thrust

The brothers were poles apart. The life of the one: was work, work, with little thought of pleasure-of the other,

into Parliament by an admiring popu-

lace, and subsequently knighted.

him. Oh, did you get my letter? Have | pleasure, pleasure, pleasure, with never a thought of work. Even in his music, Geoffrey Delling was dreamy, sleepy,

He paused now in his twilight melodies with his fingers on the keys, and for some moments sat lost in thought. Then, with a sudden feeling of triumconfidence in his fortunes, he dashed abruptly into one of his rare

So magnificent, so brilliant was the music that he did not hear the crunch of the long-expected wheels on the snow, did not hear the melodious, happy voice of his daughter, as she got out of the carriage with her maid, did not hear her hail the log-fires in the hall with a glad compliment:

"You dear, delightful, dancing flames! It's been a delicious fortnight-never a happier, but no fires are like our own, are they, Alice? East or west, home is best. Take my muff, please. I'm going straight in to my father. And, Alice, lay out my violet velvet. It's my father's favorite."

And so overwhelming was the brilliant noise that Linda, standing on the threshold of the drawing-room, now wrapped in darkness save for the flickering firelight, fell back in sheer alarm.

"What! All in darkness, father?" "Here at last, then! Touch the button,

A flood of electric light, rose-shaded, dispelled the darkness and revealed to the one his lovely daughter, elegantly clad in crimson gown and sealskin coat, with smart fur toque lit up with crimson quills, and to the other her handsome father, wearing now his usual indulgent smile. She had only come in for his kiss of welcome, and, having received it on red, happy lips, went out at once to dress for dinner. He did not like to be kept waiting.

A little later she came into the diningroom, looking exquisite in the violet velvet that showed up her milk-white skin with its peachy tints on cheek and chin, and her mass of wavy red-gold

"What a winter, father!" she exclaimed, as she seated herself. "We got snowed up at a little junction, though not so badly but that we soon were on our way again. How the poor will suffer if this lasts, with coals at their present price! I never sit down to a feast of good things"-her eyes grew grave as their gaze traveled over the flower-decked, glittering table-"but I almost feel ashamed. So many have barely a crust of bread, and we have—everything. Often I am checked in the very midst of enjoyment, in the very midst of thinking how good life is, by a swift remembrance of the other side of the medal."

"My love," returned her father, with his pleasant smile. "you are quite Egyptian in your lugubrious table sentiments. There is a very pretty skull in some corner or other of the library which perhaps you would like to have before you as you eat. Shall I send for it?"

Linda blushed a little, but laughed good-humoredly.

"How you tease me, father! But, indeed, I quite deserve it for my stupidity in regaling you with such doleful talk. She could not expect him, she thought, to feel as she did for the hardships and sorrows of the poorest poor. He had never seen one of these hideous, joyless hovels. He was a man of fashion. Solicitude for the submerged tenth was left, she mused a little sadly, to women and -curates. So she dismissed her somber thoughts and applied herself to the pleasant task of amusing her father with descriptions of the people she had met and of the pleasures she had shared.

Dinner over. Mr. Delling passed his arm affectionately round his daughter's slender waist, and, leading her to a palm-decked alcove in the drawing-roomstood silent till she had settled herself among the silken cushions. Then he seated himself before her and, with eyes fixed gravely upon her face, took her slender fingers in his own.

"My love," he said, slowly, "I did not want to spoil your appetite-and mineby referring to the matter earlier, but-I have bad news for you."

"Bad-news!" "My dear, compose yourself, I beg. To agitate oneself has never yet been of the slightest use. Yes-bad news! I am in low water. Linda in very low water, indeed. My means are exhausted. Dellingholme is mortgaged for every penny of its worth, and the fellows are dunning me right and left. They will give me no more time. There is nothing for it now, my girl, but-the bankruptcy court." "Father!"

In spite of his philosophical advice, she was agitated beyond measure. She had risen; her face was utterly bereft of color; she was trembling from head to

pened!" He shrugged his shoulders, half im-

patiently. "What is the use of going into details, Linda? You have no head for such things. Indeed, I have none myself, which is partly the reason, I suppose, for this-h'm-misfortune. We have been living above our means, of course, and then, too, a couple of years ago I made some unfortunate speculations.'

It was not necessary to explain that made on the roulette table of Monte Carlo out of sheer caprice His daughter stood motionless, like a

statue of despair. "And I-I have been playing the Lady

Bountiful in the slums," she said, blankly, "on money that belonged to other people. I have been giving the children summer holidays in the country, and May Day feasts, and-oh, father!" he voice broke and tears welled up. "It is too cruel."

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almost whispered. "Grandfather's house! And he must have been so proud of it! Father, why did you let me go to this great party-get all these expensive

"Because, my dear child," he answered in his smooth, mellow tones. "I wanted my daughter to have as much amusement-be as well dressed-as any other. Because I am a weak father, I daresay. Perhaps, also," his voice for a moment took a harder ring, "because I hoped you would make some use of your splendid opportunities. Sir Everest Hardy's son is no---

"Don't, father," she broke in, clapping her hands to her ears. "He has never been a moment in my thoughts-never will be. But, oh," she looked at him with searching curiosity, "how strong you are, father. How calmly, philosophically you can take this horrible calamity. I-I am heart-broken."

Then suddenly Mr. Delling rose, whipped from an inner pocket a large blue envelope, and, taking from it a letter, flourished this before her.

"Dry your eyes, my daughter," he said, with dramatic solemnity, choking back a sob of emotion. "It is your unfortunate father only who is poor-is bankrupt. You, my Linda, are-an heiress!"

"What!" She stared at him incredulously. "I? An heiress? Whose heir-

"Read this," he said. "It came two days ago, and, as I saw it was a lawyer's letter, I took the liberty of opening it. Your godmother, Mrs. Tempest, has been true to her threat, has disowned that foolish nephew of hers for his insane marriage, and has made you, my dear, the heiress to a very pretty fortune."

She took the letter and slowly read it through. Yes, it was there in black and white. She was an heiress! Her father's eves, fixed searchingly upon her face, saw the color return. He held out his arms.

"Come, my love," he said, with a coaxing smile, "and let your poor father have a kiss from his lucky daughter." Somewhat coldly she suffered herself to be embraced, then freed herself.

"Why have you frightened me so, father?" she asked, indignantly. "What was your reason? How could you do it? What fear is there now of the bankruptcy court? Dellingholme will be ours again, and every debt be paid."

"Nonsense, child," he answered, testily "My affairs must take their course. With my debts you have nothing to do at all. Certainly, you may pay off the mortgage on Dellingholme-it would be a very sensible investment; but as for the other

matters-nonsense! There is no law-" "Law? I have never thought of law. you mean that, having actually the money with which to pay them, we are to-to cheat these people who have trust-

ed us?" He halted in his fretful pacing, and his fine eves were aflame.

"You use pleasant words to your father. Linda. What I want to ask you is this: Do you imagine for a moment that if you spend this fortune of yours-a happy windfall. I must say-on paying debts which need not concern you in the least, there will be anything left on which to keep up Dellingholme?"

"Oh, no!" she answered, a little sadly. "I have some small notion of arithmetic, the unfortunate speculations had been father. Dellingholme, when I have paid off the mortgage must be let and we must take a smaller house and try to be as happy there. Or, perhaps, for its name's sake, Uncle Bert would buy Dellingholme. It would leave me a little more money."

"A little more money!" cried her father

scornfully. "Do you know what you are contemplating? These debts, if you are fool enough to pay them, will swallow more than three-fourths of your fortune! You will leave us paupers, Linda!" "Come, come, dear father," she answered, gently. "Not paupers, dearest. It

have done if no fortune had been left

"Don't worry me with your 'ifs' " he retorted, fiercely. "Do you think I have not had enough of worry?" He had thrown himself into an easy

chair, and with head thrown back stared up with angry eyes at the magnificent ceiling with its Cupids and roses. Softly his daughter came towards him, and, dropping on a knee beside him, laid loving hands about his neck.

"Dear father" she said "ve thought over this calmly and kindly. This misfortune must not be misused. The fact that Lance Tempest is most wicked with his money convinces me that it is meant for nobler ends. Honestly to pay the debts we have brought on ourselves-ave, though it brought us to the workhouse!-and afterwards to try to profit by the bad scare we have had this is the better way. We shall be at peace with ourselves, and true friends will not-"

He released himself abruply from her arms and rose.

"You talk," he said, with icy coldness, "like a most excellent copy-book. Linda, or like a sentimental, frightened schoolgirl. I had hoped you were a women of the world. When you find you have made a considerable drop in the social scalefor bankruptcies are forgotten when you get on your feet again, but poverty that lasts is not-when you find yourself refusing brilliant entertainments because you can give none yourself, when you have had brought home to you all the losses that it means, you will regret this absurd ultra-conscientiousness of yours. I advise you, think it over. Not every day does a fortune drop from the clouds. Be a woman of sense. You are as fond of luxury and pleasure as ever I have been."

With dignified scorn he strode to the door, but there the dignity vanished, and Linda Delling standing rooted to the spot with consternation in her eyes. heard for the first time in her life, her father slam the door.

Gone now was the glamor of his beauty, his mellow voice, his polished geniality. She felt herself orphaned, desolate, utterly forsaken.

Then out of the misty emptiness rose another face-a kind, earnest, sincere face-the face of Ambrose Power.

"He is one of the truest men in all the world!" she said. "And he would say I have done right!"

Yes, her father was right. She loved luxury and pleasure-loved glitter and gladness; loved to go yachting with a troop of friends; loved to see new scenes, wonderful landscapes, magnificent cities. So much the more could she feel for lives The law of right is enough for me. Do | unchangeably sordid, bare and dull. So much more did the sights and sounds and smells of slumdom offend her pampered senses. But her heart was brave and generous, and paid no heed to their protests.

From a schoolroom not far from the Old Town sounded a very happy noise composed of the merry tinkle of a piano, the rhythmic stamp of some scores of little feet, the bee-like hum of half-loud voices.

Softly the Rev. Ambrose opened the door and looked in. Yes! The Old Town had, alas .its brutal men, its frowsy women still; but here, at least, was a goodly portion of its children, their faces scrubbed by half-scornful, yet not unwilling mothers till now they shone like glass, save where the "tide-mark" parted clean face from dirty throat. Some of them with prouder parents wore gay ribbons in their hair and gaudy beads about their necks. But all of them wore fastened to their heads bright paper flowers that deft and dainty hands had fashioned. And all of them were happy. For these were living flowers-forget-

me-nots, violets, buttercups, daisies and primroses. There were garden flowers, too-roses, lilies, pansies, pinks and gorgeous sunflowers. But wild flowers and

gether, and, hand-in-hand, with quite wondrous grace, they danced towards each other, and swinging round with now and then a rhythmic click of heel and toss of toe, blew merry kisses each to each at pauses in their song.

Ambrose Power seated himself unmarked on a bench beside the door. "It goes extremely well," he comment-

ed, pleased. "What an anget she is!" The melodies, too, were hers. Like snow-white butterflies her twinkling fingers chased each other across the keys. She had all her father's musical skill, and a more original fancy. And this pantomime of song and dance was called "The Meeting of the Flowers." But now one of the Queens of the Guild caught sight of Ambrose, and the music happening to end just then, came rapturously towards him.

"How sweet of you to come and see us. Have you been here long? Don't they dance well? If only they were properly washed!"

"I don't think it matters, does it?" said Ambrose, smiling. "The aim so far is just to make them happy for an hour and teach them gentler games. And you have admirably succeeded."

"Oh, here is Mr. Power! How dear or him! Have you been here long? Did you see them dance? Don't they--' "Mr. Power! This is too charming of

you! How do you do? Celia, here is Mr. Power. Isn't it too sweet of him?" "How do you do, Miss Flashington?" said Ambrose, his head beginning to swim. "And why do not the queens wear

"Oh, Mr. Power! Paper flowers? It

would be too absurd!" But where there is a will there is a way. The Rev. Ambrose Power had freed himself in a most polite but eely fashion from the bevy of gushing beauties, and was now alone with Linda.
"Are you pleased?" she asked. "Don's
you think they look happy?"

'Indeed I do. And I marvel at their 'Oh, they go to 'penny hops,' " Linda "Oh, they go to penny nops, Linda informed him. "And those who don't learn from those who do. They have told me quite a lot of their little secrets."

"I suppose they have. You have the gift of sympathy, and children are quick to find it out. But let me offer you my warmest congratulations, Miss Delling, on the fortune which I understand you have inherited. That it will be nobly used, I know."

She looked into his ardent eyes with a

Thank you, Mr. Power. You are good to me. But the fortune will be mine a few days only. Let me tell you the truth. I have been helping my father to be very extravagant, and most of my money will be swallowed up by the appalling debts we have incurred. It is a shameful confession, but the truth. I am not a rich woman any longer, Mr. Power; indeed, almost a poor one. But you may congratulate me all the same, for I feel that God has been most good to me in sending me this fortune that I never dreamed I needed."
But Ambrose Power stood mute.

sudden flush rose to his brow. The bar-"The carriage is coming for you, I suphoarse voice that he scarcely knew him-

self.
"Oh, no! My father does not like-I mean, we never have the horses out in snowy weather."
"I see." Ambrose smiled a little, How

careful he was of the horses, and how loyally she stood by him. Her debts, indeed! "Then I may have the pleasure of seeing you home? I see the others are getting ready."

She would be very pleased. None of the others were going her way. The the others were going her way. The flowers had been put away, the children had donned their battered hats and tat-

had donned their battered hats and tattered capes, the ladies their cosy furs. In a dream Ambrose heard their voices. They were gone. The caretaker had come in and was sitting on the bench Ambrose had vacated. A moment later and the lights were out, and they two were crunching along the white streets. were crunching along the white streets were crunching along the white streets together.

They were more silent than was the wont of either, and so it came to pass that it was at the very doors of Dellingholme, that had once so awed his love, that Ambrose Power told Linda the secret that he had kept so long. And at the very doors of Dellingholme he was made happy.

made happy.
The pretty wedding has just taken

place, and the presents Sir Bertram Delling, M. P. for Coleborough, made to his "dear niece" were not only a very substantial check indeed, but also the

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The concert itself was very much like other concerts where the performers are other concerts where the performers are for the most part members of an undistinguished clique, and the audience is half ignorant and altogether friendly—that is to say, it was artistically indifferent, but socially pleasant; and Angelique was, as a matter of course, treated as though she had been a real scraph. It would have been just the same had her voice been that of a frog instead of a woman, and had she been incapable of singing a single note in tune. Miss Raymond was in ecstasies; the nominal prima donna condescended to be, or to affect to be, a little out of temper; and everybody was satisfied, and nobody everybody was satisfied, and nobody pould have told why. Except Felix. He had gone to the

party, in his ignorance, as so many, un-der far less adverse circumstances, have gone before him, expecting all manner der far less adverse circumstances, have gone before him, expecting all manner of gratification from meeting once more her to whom he had a right to look for what he expected; he had drawn a prophetic picture, in which her eyes sparkled when she saw him, in which he was constantly by her side talking of old times and of things outside and above the crowd, and in which her triumph was altogether lost in his own. But, like the hieroglyphics of prophetic almanacs, his picture prognosticated anything but what came to pass. How would she, the heroine of the evening. Ifford to throw more than just one look of recognition to a poor fiddler, whose allested position was behind a cruel red cord, beyond which he dared not trespass? It was in times, be it remembered, when in some far greater, and therefore, it might be presumed, more generous houses than this, the queens of song themselves were separated visibly from the guests, as though their presence was something dangerous. He found that he had to content himself with a distant prospect of her, like that of the sun from the earth; and the prospect was by no means delightful. He had to see others whizper in her ear, to see others sit by her side, to see others lead her to the place where she stood to sing—and, worst of all, to see others make her smile; for she by no means seemed to receive the attentions that were paid her as though her thoughts were as far away from her as he was. He was absurd enough to wonder that absence should have wrought so great a change in her; and, with the irritation of his profession and the passion for equality of his country, felt the uniucky rope in front of and, with the irritation of his profession and the passion for equality of his country, felt the unlucky rope in front of him grow and extend into a symbol of social wrongs, besides his own—as though its absence would have made the slightits absence would have made the slightest difference! People have often followed the red flag itself on grounds more absurd than those afforded by a red cord.
"I am an artist," he thought to himself a hundred times over, "and above all these people. Catalani herself is nothing more, after all. It is only in bourgeois England, then, that we should be treated so—that we should be treated so—that we should be treated like infected sheep. I will go at once." But he did not go, of course; for jealousy But he did not go, of course; for jealousy has its own fascination, and revels in its

own wretchedness.

But still jealousy without a special object is to be borne, and he had yet to feel

But still jealousy without a special object is to be borne, and he had yet to feel its true sting.

For now it was that a young gentleman who had arrived late, having paid his respects to the ostensible hostess, made his way to where Miss Raymond was sitting and listening to Angelique, who was singing.

The lady of New Court smiled brightly and gave him her hand, but laid her finger on her lips. He sat down beside her in silence, and during a pause in the song Felix could have sworn that he saw a glance of recognition pass between the singer and the new-comer who was far too good-looking to please him. When it was over:

"Now you may speak to me," said Miss Raymond. "What do you think of her? Is she not charming?"

The other, recalled to earth, woke up suddenly to perform his share of the applause that followed. But he did not criticise.

criticise.
"You are well again, then, as I see
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"You are well again, then, as I see you here?" asked Miss Raymond. "I wish I could say you look so, though. I am so glad to see you again."
"Not so glad as I am to be seen, I can assure you. I got sick of being ill; or else the doctors would have had me down at Earl's Dene this very moment."
"Are you wise, then—"
"To be here? Of course I am. When one is strong enough to rebel against two doctors it is high time to use one's strength. So I traveled up yesterday, and heard from Warden that you were at home this evening." He did not, however, say what else he had heard from Warden—what, in fact, had really brought him there. It would not have been polite to Miss Rayriond. "But you do not scold me for coming to you uninvited?"
"As if I were not only too glad you

"As if I were not only too glad you ere able! Of course, we should have were able! Of course, we should have asked you if we had known. So now you are an M. P.! But how you fright-

I am actually an M. P., thanks to Warden, who ought to be in my place, by right. Ah, he is here, I see," he said, nodding across the room, "But I must by right. Ah, he is here, I see, he said nodding across the room, "But I must compliment the new prima donna."

And he went at once to the side of Angelique, who received him with a pressure of the hand just not too long to be noticed by anyone, and a look to be noticed by anyone and a look from her eyes that seemed to those of Felix to be a great deal too long. Nor was this the worst by any means. Angelique had far too much tact to let

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it be noticed by the room generally, but her old lover could plainly see that this unknown acquaintance of hers was in reality filling the place to which he had looked forward in vain. He could see that confidential glances and communi-cations were passing between them, and whereas he had been angry with her hitherto for the smiles that she had been scattering around her, he was angry scattering around her, he was angry with her now for not scattering them

with her now for not scattering them any longer.

It was not long before he was fairly worked into that state of fever in which impulsive men lose all mastery over themselves, and invariably do the most stupid things possible. He made up his mind that as soon as the concert was over he must and would speak to herher who was about as likely to prove her master as he was to fly over the moon, or, for that matter, rather less.

Angelique was sleeping in the house for a night or two, so that the stairs and the hall were not likely to afford him any opportunity. So he lingered long over putting up his instrument, waited till the giving of "good-nights" was in full progress, and then entered the company part of the drawing-room, full of indignation and dignity. He watched the manner in which she parted with Lester, waited till the latter had watched the manner in which she parter with Lester, waited till the latter had left the room with Warden, and then presented himself.

"Angelique," he said, "I am come to wish you good-night."

Miss Raymond, with the mistress of the house was standing close by.

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"Ah!" said Angelique, suddenly, and
with an air of surprise, "Miss Raymond,
here is Monsieur Felix—you remember—
who gave us same lessons chez Madame.

who gave us some lessons chez Madame Mercier." Miss Raymond, held out her hand.

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"Ah, monsieur—I have to thank you for your assistance; I hope it will not be the last time. Why did you not come and speak to me before?"

But Felix, being angry, had not forgotten the red cord.

"I did not presume, mademoiselle," he said, pointedly.

"Do I look so very dreadful, then? And what do you think of our new star—your own pupil, you know?"

"She has received more valuable applause tonight than mine could be, mademoiselle." Then he added, turning to Angelique, "Could I speak to you a moment, before I go?"

"About my cousins? Oh, certainly," she answered, coldly, and then led the way to a more retired part of the now nearly empty room.

way to a more retired part of the now nearly empty room.

"Well?" she asked.

"And so we meet again at last, Angelique! I thought you were going away for ever." He wished to speak tenderly, but did not quite succeed, for the attempt was too self-conscious.

"Yes—as you say, we meet again."

"Yes—as you say, we meet again."
"And when can I see you? For I have certainly not seen you tonight."
"Have you not? I was very visible."
"Yes—in the sense that every one has

seen you. complain of. What more of me could you have seen?" "To complain of! I should think so.

ring in practice the theories of Monsieur Prosper, did not allow his career in life to be spoiled by a woman, had some justification for his conduct in its practical wisdom. But it is manifestly impossible to justify this last speech of Felix. At all events, Marie had seen nothing wrong in the one, while Angelique could not—or, perhaps, it would be more accurate to say, would not—pardon the other; and she must be taken to be the best judge. She drew herself up, and

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I once had a trainer, Mr. Bostock says, an old Irishman who had served in a British regiment in India, and who knew the ways of tigers in every de-tail. He taught three of them to do more work in the arena than I have ever seen done by any other I have seen him sitting down between two of them at rest times during rehearsals and examining their claws to see if any of them were sore or split. Any one who has ever tried that with even a house cat knows that it strikes the feline nature as an unwarrantable familiarity; but they never did more than show their teeth and whine, and that half in playful

One day the old fellow got very drunk, the first time in his life, to my knowledge. Before he was noticed on his return to the cage he had gone in knowledge. Before he was noticed on his return to the cage he had gone in with his tigers and fallen in a heap on **Kidney**

the floor. The other keepers made several attempts to take him out of the cage, but it was at once apparent that to do so meant a bitter and bloody fight with the tigers. They guarded him all night in his drunken slumber. But the next time he put them to work they balked, and he could neither persuade

nor drive them. They had ceased to trust him, or something of that sort, and his usefulness with them was at an end for-

That was indeed "judgment fled to brutish beasts.'

SWEET MUSIC AND MORALITY

Many Criminals Are Musicians Says a Recent Writer.

Specially Arraigned Violinists Producing Deleterious Effect on Moral Nature.

The view is generally taken that music is a refining influence in society and that a wider musical appreciation would be conducive to higher morality. At least one famous novel, however— Tolstoi's "Kreutzer Sonata"—is based upon the opposite assumption, and it has often been maintained that the morals of musicians are lower, rather than higher, than those of the rest of the community. Mr. Henry W. Strattan, a writer in the February Arena, admits that "many criminals are fine musicians." There is one class of criminals, he says, whose knowledge of music extends no further than the popular songs of the day, and whose associations with such songs have always been of a questionable character. It is not difficult to analyze the psychology of such, for they "absorb only the sensuous quality of the music and cannot really be morally improved by it, because the quality does not contain the necessary musical ingredients to lift them to a higher plane of emotion." Mr. Stratton continues:

"In cases where the melody is good and would of itself awaken refining impulses, it frequently happens that the words with which it is connected produce precisely opposite effects; indeed, the words of a song are much to blame for the demoralizing influence of it. Again, popular song rhythms are calculated to spur only the lower emotions. Is a tune catchy? Its charm lies largely in its rhythm. Take the songs composed in rag-time; the syncopations that form their principal feature gives rise to jerky rhythms, and these act upon the nervous sys-tem of the listener at unexpected and unnatural parts of the measure. The result is that the entire being is thrown into a succession of jumps or musical contortions whose irregular character excites unhealthy immoral tendencies. To the injudicious uses of rhythm may be attributed those sudden impulses which lead to crime."

Turning to a consideration of the character of the world's most skillful musicians and singers, Mr. Stratton inquires: "Why has their art done so little to build up their moral fibre and make them true men and women?" He

"Broadly speaking, the same causes operate here as in the first class con-sidered. Quality and rhythm still play an important part, but their influence is more subtle. The darlings of society have learned to be musically voluptuous. Acquainted with all the luxuries of sound, susceptible every graduation of tone, every modulation from key to key, and every pos-sible rhythmic effect, they yield without question to the sway of all kinds of music and are consequently unable to resist the enervating tendencies of their art; they are simply mastered by musical sensation."

The writer gives so me specific illus-To complain of: I should think so.

To have been obliged to sit in a corner, and to see you surrounded by all the blockheads in the room—"

Now it may be barely possible to prove, after a fashion, that Mark Warden, in so far as he unconsciously put
den, in so far as he unconsciously putanother called portamento-a slide to which singers and violinists are much addicted. It is the acme of sonorous luxury, induces languor, and suggests to the mind a relapse from moral discipline." Another source of enervation is the inordinate desire bizarre effects whether accomplished by raising the pitch for the sake of brilliancy, or by introducing all kinds of "luxurious intricacy."
"The musician," declares Mr. Strat-"literally becomes the music he produces, and grows fastidiously lavish in his tastes and habits. He loses his moral poise and sinks into the musical vortex where crime waits to suck him down and complete his moral disintegration." Still another source of weakness is the excessive use in instrumental works of chromatic passages, both melodic and harmonic. On

this point Mr. Stratton says: "The history of chromatics shows that when first employed among the Egyptians, during the twenty-first and twenty-second dynasties, their influence was decidedly detrimental to the morals of the people. At that time the treble flute was invented, and because of its chromatic capabilities it superseded the harp and lyre in popular favor. The effeminacy and licentiousness of the age were reflected in its music, and the orgies conducted at the then capital of Egypt, Bubastis, were celebrated by thousands to the accompaniment of myriads of these flutes. After the ewenty-sixth dynasty, under the Ptolemies, the music of Egypt reached its lowest ebb. Every man in Alexandria was a skilled flute player, and even the kings were very proficient upon this amorous instrument. It is a singular coincidence that with the change from the diatonic harp to the chromatic flute, the dissolute days of Egypt began. Certain it is that music relaxes its strict and rigid character when chromatically treated, and this laxity when carried to excess tends to weaken moral

But while certain forms of music exert an enervating and immoral influence, Mr. Stratton holds it to be

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equally true that other kinds of music help to strengthen the moral sense. In order to serve this end, however, there must be "a moral rectitude in the relations of musical tones." Such moral rectitude, declares the writer, "exists in folk-songs, and in all simply constructed melodies whose tone intervals are chiefly diatonic." He concludes:
"The perception of moral truth can

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What Befell a Smart Dressmaker in the Imperial Palace at the German Capital.

[New York Sun.] One of the smartest dressmakers in Berlin is the famous Pechstein, who occupies, for the wealthy women of Berlin and St. Petersburg, the same position held in Paris by Worth and Doucet. Not long ago she was summoned to the imperial palace to make an afternoon gown for the empress, who does not as a rule pay such sums for her dresses as to make it possible to employ Pechstein, who is a Pole by birth, and has the reputation of outdoing even the great Worth in the

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"Now, the children are waiting for dinner," she said, "and I can give you just ten minutes." The dressmaker, now more fright-ened than ever, took out the waist that

she had made from the measurements which the empress had sent her, and began to try it on. Her fingers trembled as she fitted the dress, putting the pins in here and there. The empress was as gracious as pos-

sible during this part of the visit, even going so far as to explain that she was kept from arriving on time because there had been some unexpected audiences and appointments made for her by the emperor. Finally the pins were in place and

the waist was just as it should be. The empress looked in the glass. She appeared quite satisfied. "And will it be just like this?" she asked. The delighted dressmaker said that

it would. "All finished but the sewing?" asked the empress. The dressmaker, still satisfied by the manner of the royal patron, smilingly

said that it would be just as it was "Well," said the empress, "I would rather have it feel like this." With these words she stretched back-ward her shoulders and threw out her arms until every pin popped out of the dress and went flying over the room. In despair the dressmaker involuntar-ily seized the waist to prevent the emlly seized the waist to prevent the em-

press from destroying it altogether.
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Caught in a Stampede.

Two years ago, when the cowboys of Northeastern Arizona came together to find out who was the "best man" in various ways. James Evans won the find out who was the "best man" in various ways, James Evans won the steer-tying championship by roping, throwing and tying a vicious steer in 24 seconds. But in a recent round-up the champion did a more remarkable thing, by which, says the Kansas City Star, he saved his own and another man's life. While he and some companions were camping for the night on a high tableland, which ended a few miles away in an abrupt drop of 200 feet, a storm swept through the mountains. Made nervous by the lightning, the herd of 1,500 cattle through the mountains. Made nervous by the lightning, the herd of 1,500 cattle stampeded in the direction of the precipice. Evans and his men mounted hurriedly, and, circling to the front of the maddened cattle, tried with whoops and revolver shots to turn them back.

In the dense blackness of the night In the dense blackness of the night Evans' horse missed his footing and went down in a heap, one leg in a gopher hole, The horse of a cowboy named Davis, running close behind, stumbled over Evans' horse, and Davis, too, came to earth and lay still, unconscious.
Fifty yards away came the herd, and a short flash of lightning showed Evans the situation. The swiftly moving sea of cattle reached 100 yards each way. Unable to arouse Davis, and never thinking of leaving his disabled comrade, Evans took the only chance of saving both. He emptied his own revolver and his companion's into the center of the bard cutting a breach in the front of herd, cutting a breach in the front of the mass. Then throwing the inanimate form of Davis over his shoulder, he

awaited his opportunity.

As one of the leaders brushed by,
Evans, with one movement, put the body of Davis across the shoulders of the steer, and mounted also. Vainly the animal leaped, bucked and side-jumped. With his legs wrapped tightly around the body of his mount, Evans drove his spurs deep in and held himself and Davis in

place.

The steer, wild with rage, agony and fright, rapidly left the herd in the rear, and, veering to the right in a furious gallop, carried his riders out of danger. Then Evans rolled off the back of his strange rescuer, and a half-hour later, when his cowboys turned the herd at the rim of the canyon, and rode back to look for the foreman and Davis, they found them both unconscious. The weary look for the foreman and Davis, they found them both unconscious. The weary steer, with his sides covered with blood, lay exhausted a short distance away.

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Mrs. Charles Bagot, in her new book entitled "Links With the Past," gives some interesting glimpses of the Duke of Wellington and his kind heart, as well as an amusing and impressive record of confidence which the people of that time had in the great soldier. "The duke came into Lady Westmorland's opera box, where I was sitting, Lady Westmorland reminded him that by my recent marriage I had become his great-niece. He spoke very kindly to me, took my hand and kept it throughout the act. My husband said to me afterward:

"'Why did you not speak to the duke? "'I could not,' was all I could say. I had been brought up with such in-tense admiration of him by my father and uncles that I was struck dumb. I simply felt that I was setting hand in

hand with the savior of England and As an instance of the confidence the duke's presence inspired, Lady Mornington tells the story that when firing was heard in Brussels (whe staying) at the opening of the battle of Waterloo, she went to wake her maid, a woman called Finlay. woman merely sat up in her bed and

"Is the duke between us and the French army, my lady?"
"Yes, Finlay."

"Oh, then, my lady, I shall lie down and go to sleep again."

Lady Mornington says further that when she first saw the duke at Brussels after the battle and congratulated him, he put his face between his hands

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AN ALLIANCE OF EXPEDIENCY

Concerning the Anglo-Japanese Understanding.

Russian Aggressiveness In the Far East Must Be Kept In Check at All Cost.

The surprise expressed by the European press at the new alliance between Great Britain and Japan is not easy to understand in view of the attitude of the Japanese press and the press of the Orient generally. The Kokumin (Tokyo), owned and edited by a member of Marquis Ito's last cabinet, very recently printed a long article on Anglo-Japanese relations in which it averred that Great Britain and Japan are drawn together by mutual interests. The impression that Japan is a mere tool of England is false, declares mere tool of England is false, declares the Tokyo organ, but as England and Japan both wish to preserve China's integrity, they are bound together by a strong bond. Commenting on this editorial, the Kobe Herald, a British paper published in Kobe, Japan, says: The close relations of England and Japan in the Far East can be held to constitute an informal compact which neither should seek to prejudice without appreciating and allowing for the other's point of view. . . The Kokumin's declarations and observations are statesmanlike and to the point, and they might, as we have said, be commended to the notice of

politicians and parties in England."

It is well known that the Russian newspapers have been urging Japan to make a treaty with the czar's gov-ernment. Japan was to abstain from opposing Russia in Manchuria, and in return Russia would give Japan a free hand in Corea. Japanese newspapers have been unanimous in denouncing any such arrangement. Another aspect of the subject is thus dealt with by the Kobe Chronicle, another British paper published in Kobe: "Those who believed that Japan last

April was on the verge of a war with Russia over Manchuria completely misunderstood the situation and knew little of the men then in power, in whom recent events in the Far East



The mother says to herself sometimes. "I can hardly endure it." Then a chill creeps over her as she thinks of the awful silence which falls upon the home when children are taken away, and she is glad her children are hardy of body and lusty of lungs.

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A Wonderful Things.

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ing under conditions."
Of Japan's position from the treaty-making point of view, The Friend of India, a British paper published in

Calcutta, says:
"Japan objects to a Russian occupation of Manchuria. She would object even more strongly to the creation of a Russian naval station in one of the Corean harbors. The existence of such a station would obviously be a serious menace to the peace, and possibly to the independence of Japan. As Russia is at present situated her naval squadron in Far Eastern waters is comparatively harmless, because the section that defends Vladivostock is isolated by the Corean peninsula from the section stationed at Port Arthur. It would be a comparatively easy matter at present for the Japanese fleet to prevent the combination of these two squadrons and crush them in detail. It, however, the Ruster of the comparation of these two squadrons are crush the comparation of these two squadrons and crush the comparation of the compar sians had a naval station in Corea, they could there concentrate the whole of their Far Eastern fleet and hold it in readiness to move either to Port Arthur or to Vladivostock, or possibly to Yokohama. At all costs Japan must guard against this possibility, and she will therefore probably resist to the death any attempt of the Russians to gain a foothold in Corea."

BOOK HEROES: SOME TYPES.

Can Women Writers Portray an Attractive Man ?

The Number of Men's Heroes That Women Approve Is Also Small Says Miss Geraldine Bonner.

In these days of the romantic novel, it is difficult to believe that there is a lack of estimable heroes in fiction, or that there is any danger of decadence in the portrayal of the heroic type of man. Yet one woman writer, Miss Geraldine Bonner, of the staff of the San Francisco Argonaut, complains that "there are no great heroes" in contemporaneous American fiction. Of heroines, she says, we have a surfeit, whether they be "only devotedly feminine, like Eleanor," or of the "Amazon" type, like Alice of Old Vincennes, or "coquettish, like Janice Meredith, surrounded by a swarm of lovers who impede the progress of the American Revolution by continual offers of marriage." But when a man figures largely in a modern novel, he is "either an old, comic man, like David Harum; or an old, amiable man, like Eben Holden; or an odd, aggravating man like Edward Mainsty." This is a great mistake, declares Miss Bonner. Women are the great novel readers, and women like to read about heroes, and not "heroes of seventy," but "young, handsome, romantic heroes." She continues (in The Argonaut, Jan. 13):

natural and a tractive man. The average woman writer's man is a thing that never was on sea or land. When he is good, an insufferable prig without a redeeming vice; when he is bad, a Satanic impossibility. The real, two-legged male animal in his habit as he lives has, so say critics, but rarely figured humanly and naturally on the page of the female of his species, Some would have it that Lydgate in 'Middlemarch' is the best, the most living, manly, and convincing woman's hero in fiction. Here, for once, George Eliot got away from her weight of learning and lack of worldly experience, and drew with unhampered force a breathing figure, arresting, virile, and simple. It was the only time she did it. Adam Bede was a dimly bland improbability; Daniel Deronda an irritating prig strayed out

of a tract. "Experience of the world, knowledge of men and manners, seem to have nothing to do with a woman's capacity to imagine and depict a hero, who, whether he is natural or not, will vet leave his mark on the imagination of readers. The Brontes in their remote village, on the top of the vast and lonely moors, with a morose father and a dissolute brother, the only men that came frequently within the circle forting, will surely set you thinking in of their home-life, wrote of men with a living force and fire that makes their heroes alive today when their heroines are beginning to look quaintly de-Charlotte had her Belgian school life to broaden her, but Emily, who died unmarried at 27, had spent her days in the dreary village or alone on the moors, with her tremendous fancies. And yet 'Wuthering Heights' has a hero no one ever can forget-a vital force, darkly dominating, in that book of fierce, lurid, and impassioned imaginings. * * *

imaginings. 4 "Mrs. Ward, the only modern woman writer of equal weight with these great predecessors, has created no hero that has charmed her own sex. I should think the nearest approach to it was David Grieves, and that may only be because he is young, handsome, and shuns religious discussions. Even he, however, is not the sort of man women search for and dream of. Mrs. Ward's men all have a sort of beefy, British stolidity that prevents them from being possessed of what she herself calls 'the last maddening touch of charm.'

Turning to the consideration of the men's heroes that women approve, Miss Bonner observes that their number is small. "The hero is, in fact," she says, "the most difficult thing in fiction to do well. Nothing must hide the workings of his noble nature, or encumber his growth to grace. don't forgive him petty faults, or make excuses for his attractive weaknesses, and yet we have no patience with him if he is a prig, and frankly detest him if he is frivolous or meau." She writes

"Thackeray has never really been a woman's novelist. The greatest of all his books had no hero in it at all, and Dobbin, who, undoubtedly, was one of the men he liked best, had that outward uncouthness, that clumsiness of bearing and style, which so many English writers have given to their leading male figures on a sort of uglyduckling plan. Of all his heroes, I should think Pendennis was the one women most disliked. They may like this kind of man in real life, but he is intolerable in a book where you can look at both sides of him and know

what he thinks.
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Stavenson found only three tleman. among all the sorts and conditions of men that crowd his pages. These were Eugene Wrayburn, Sydney Carton and Twemlow, in 'Our Mutual Friend'—an odd trio. It may be this lack of polish and high breeding which has prevented women readers from locating heroes in the Dickens gallery, for first and continues (in The Argonaut, Jan. 13):

"It has been said by critics that women novelists have rarely drawn a led the worldly sense of the word. If one took a vete I think one would find Sydney Carton would come cut ahead, for despite his drunkenness, his vague principles, and his lost life, he was unquestionably a gentieman—one of

the few in all Dickens' works."

One of the most satisfactory of mod-ern heroes, concludes the writer, is Honore Grandissime in George W. Cable's novel, "The Grandissimes." "I have never heard a dissenting voice," she says, "in the stream of feminine praise that goes up when this august name is mentioned. He is as beloved by women as was the Duc de Richelieu or Aaron Burr. Certainly no other American book so satisfactorily portrays the ideal man from the feminine standpoint. As to whether men approve of him so highly, I don't know, but only jealously would make them

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SERMON ON CHEERFULNESS

One's Happiness Depends on the Mental Attitude.

Life's Duties Are Monotonous Only to the Extent That They Are Considered So.

If you think and talk continually of the weary grind of your daily life, it will continue to seem so, and will not

How rarely do we encounter a human being who does not give utter-

ance to a complaint of this kind. The mother of a family, with her household cares; the father at his office or shop; the teacher, the clerk, the commercial traveler, the merchant, the newspaper man, the author, the artist, and the man and woman of

fashion-you have heard them one and all bemoan the monotony of life and its duties. Why add your plaint to the monody? Why not sing new words to a more

Your work must contain some pleasant features. If it is wholly and absolutely distasteful to you you can never attain the best success—and you would be wise to seek other employment. This, if you are determined, can be obtained.

Once positively make up your mind what you want to do, and set your whole mental forces to bring about the desired result, and you cannot fail to attain it. No man or woman need remain in a

position which makes life cheerless and disagreeable.

An intense, persistent desire for something different will bring a

change. If, however, your work is not all unpleasant, then stop your constant fault-finding about its monotony. Your mind ought to be able to give

variety to what you do. The sun rises every morning and sets every night, yet no two days are ex-The sky-the wind-the actly alike.

atmosphere—varies.

Let your thoughts vary your work. Begin each day with a resolve to find

something pleasant an interesting in Enjoy your walk or ride to your of-

fice or shop. Walk a portion of the way if possible, and amuse yourself by deep inhalations of fresh air. There great enjoyment in mere breathing, if you know how to do it.

We often hear it said of a man that he does not know enough to go in when

it rains. Such ignorance is much less reprehensible than not knowing enough to breathe, and there are tens of thousands of human beings who belong in that category.

Life and work assume much more

interesting aspects when we learn how to breathe. If all the way to and from your labor you are feeling sorry for yourself be-cause life is monotonous, you are building the wall higher and higher

which shuts you out from the things you desire. Say each morning: "This is to be an interesting and successful day for me." If it does not prove to be, then say it the next morning and the next, until

it comes true.

The moment you find yourself in an absolutely hopeless and despairing state of mind regarding your work take a vacation. If only for a daystill take it. Let your brain rest by giving it new thoughts. You will re-

turn to work like one reborn. If you are an author or a musician or an artist, do not sing that old re-frain about wishing you did not have to make a pot-boiler of your talent—

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and that you might work only when inspired. It is a tiresome, worn-out themeand you are wishing against your highest good when you give utterance

Stop and think how few great men or women in any field of art were in-dependent of it. The phrase, "Necessity is the mother of invention," applies to art as well as to mechanics.

The average artist—whatever be his mode of expression-is inclined to be an idler and dreamer, if he were not spurred on by dire need he would dream wonderful things and accom-

However you may feel you are prostituting your art by having to employ it as a pot-boiler; remember you are keeping your abilities and activities alive and in use. Though you may do five pieces of work you do not care for, you may do a sixth which is great. That sixth you could not have created except by being in constant practice. You might have dreamed it for years, and continually postponed the actual labor necessary to its completion. But because you were accustomed to create as soon as an idea came to you your great work was executed.

Necessity is a true friend to art. It is ungrateful and ungenerous to berate If you cannot achieve your best with her you would never achieve it with-

Once in a thousand times we may encounter the artist who has genius and activity and ambition enough to succeed without the aid of necessity. But it is rare indeed. Whether you are an artist or an ar-

tisan or a day laborer, take a hopeful, wholesome outlook on your life and labor, and stop grumbling and whining.—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

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Shortly after the train arrived, the old horse went slowly away to the village, where he backed up to the ex-press office as had been his custom for years. After a reasonable time, he started up the road toward the farm, and later in the day was found dead