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LONDON, CANADA, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1900.

WHOLE NO., 16124.

hat Is Going On In The Leading Churches Of The City.

- ADELAIDE STREET BAPTIST Church—Pastor Rev. Thos. S. John-son. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
- ANNIVERSARY SERVICES ST. George's Church, Nov. 25.—Rev. J. T. Kerrin, of Mitchell, will preach morning and evening. All welcome. Collection toward Building Fund. b
- ASKIN STREET METHODIST Church—Rev. J. W. Holmes, pastor. 11 a.m., "God's Infinite Love"; 7 p.m., 'The Gate Open." Morning and evening services evangelistic.
- CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH -Rev. George Jackson, pastor, at both services. The special evangelistic form of the services continued. Strangers welcome.
- CHALMERS PRESBYTERIAN Church, Waterloo street, corner Grey -Rev. Walter Moffat, pastor. 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Bible Class and Sabbath School, 3 p.m.
- COLBORNE STREET METHODIST Church—Rev. A. K. Birks, LL.B., pastor. Morning service, Rev. H. E. Kellington; evening service, the pastor.
- DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST Church—Pastor, Rev. Dr. Saunders. Morning, "World-Wide Temperance Sunday." Addresses by Mrs. May R. Thornley and Dr. Saunders. Evening subject, "The Future Punishment of Sin." Morning—Anthem, "I Will Sing of Thy Power" (Sullivan); solo, "The Lost Chord" (Sullivan). Evening Anthem, "Hearken Unto Me, My People" (Sullivan); solo, "O, That Thou Hadst Harkened" (Sullivan); chorus, "Yea, Though I Walk" (Sul-
- EMPRESS AVENUE METHODIST Church—Rev. T. E. Harrison, pastor. Morning subject, "Character Esti-mated." Evening, "Confession and Forgiveness." Sabbath School at 2:30. Strangers welcome.
- FIRST METHODIST CHURCH-Rev. J. V. Smith, D.D., pastor. The pastor, Dr. Smith, will preach at the morning service and Rev. J. J. Smith, of Detroit, will preach in the even-ing. Special service at 3:35 in the afternoon for women only.
- FIRST PRESEYTERIAN CHURCH-Rev. W. J. Clark, pastor. Public worship, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by Rev. James H. Turnbull, B.A., of Bowmanville, at both services. Society for Bible Study (F. W. Merchant, B.A.) and Sabbath School, 8 p.m.
- FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH -E. Clarence Oakley, pastor. Morn-"Woman, Thou art Loosed from Thine Infirmities." Evening, "Cain, the Jealous Man," the first of three
- GERMAN LUTHERAN-REV. J. S. Herold, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 4 p.m., in Duffield block.
- HAMILTON ROAD METHODIST Church—Morning and evening services by the pastor, Rev. S. J. Allin.

 Evening, "Not Childish, but as a Child."

 WEDNESDAY, DEC. 12—OPENING to 100 pupils. Register at academy any evening. Dayton & McCormick.
- KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church-Rev. Thomas Wilson, pastor, will preach. Morning, "Preparing to Meet God." Evening, "Pilgrim's Pro-gress." Strangers welcome.
- KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, South London-Pastor, Rev. J. G. Stuart, B.A. Services as usual, 11 a.m.; subject, "The Law of Love."
 7 p.m.; subject, "The Watchman's
 Message." Sabbath School and Bible Class at 8 p.m.
- MEMORIAL CHURCH, CORNER OF Queen's avenue and William street-Rev. C. C. Owen, B.A., rector. 24th Sunday after Trinity. Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Services at 11 and 7; the rector will preach. Sunday School at 3 and Bible Class at 3:15
- NEW ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN Church-Rev. A. J. MacGillivray, M. A., pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible Class at 3
- SOUTH LONDON BAPTIST CHURCH —Rev. W. M. Walker, B.A., pastor. Worship at 11 a.m.; subject, "Justifiable Intolerance." Also at 7 p.m.; subject, "Through Death to Life." Sunday School and Pastor's Bible Class at 3 pm. Class at 3 p.m.
- CT. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN Church-The pastor, Rev. Robert Johnston, D.D., will preach at both services. 11 a.m., "What is a Christian?" 7 p.m., "The Lord's Supper. Its Purpose." Sabbath School and Pastor's Class, 3 p.m.
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WELLINGTON STREET METHO-DIST Church—Rev. R. D. Hamilton, pastor. Services tomorrow at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 2:30. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 2:30.
Morning—Anthem, "How Long Wilt
Thou Forget Me" (Pflueger); solo,
"Happy Day" (Stebbins). Evening— Anthem, "Say, Watchman, What of the Night?" (Sullivan); duet, "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say" (Campana); solo, "King David's Lament"

Briths, Marriages, Deaths

MARRIED.
PUGH-ADAIR-In this city, on Nov. 21, 1900, by the Rev. J. W. Holmes, John Pugh, of Calgary, N. W. T., to Jennie, eldest daughter of Mr. Anthony Adair, London, Ont,

DIED. WOOD-On Nov. 23, 1900, Benjamin Wood, aged 76 years 8 months.

- Funeral will leave his late residence, 12th concession, lot No. 7, London township, on Monday, Nov. 26, at 1 p.m. Friends and ac-quaintances will please accept this intima-tion. HOWE-Died at Aged People's Home, on Nov. 23, 1900, Mary Ann Howe, aged 76 years 11
- months Funeral on Sunday, Nov. 25, at 4:30 p.m., services at 4 p.m., from the residence of her grandson, Chas. Efner, 199 Grey street. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. this intimation.

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- Auction Sale. CHOICE LOT OF YOUNG CATTLE WILL, be sold by public auction at W. T. Westley's stables, Sarnia gravel road, London township, near West London, on Friday, Nov. 30, at
- one o'clock. UCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FUR-A NITURE. Jos. Brown has been instructed by Mrs. Wallace, who is leaving for Milwaukee, to sell at 372 Adelaide etreet, Thursday, Nov. 29. at 10:30, contents of five bedrooms, parlor, dining-room and kitchen, new Happy Thought range, Radiant Home, etc. Terms cash. Jos. Brown, auctioneer, 398 Talbot street.

AUCTION SALE On Wednesday, November 28. AT MRS. GATECLIFFE'S, DUNDAS street, comprising silent meat cutter, motor sausage filter. lard press, slate vats, iron rails and hooks, scales, gas fixtures, tables, signs, sleighs, wagons and other tools. Sale at 2:30. Neil Cooper, auctioneer. 24u ty

MAXPAYERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the third installment of taxes for 1900, is now due, and in order to save the 5 per centage charge, must be paid

On or before 30th Nov. All overdue taxes GEO. W. HAYES, Collector. All overdue taxes must be paid forthwith.

- EXECUTORS' NOTICE TO CREDITORS—
 In the matter of the estate of Herbert
 Tatham, late of the city of London, in the
 county of Middlesex, insurance inspector—
 Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Revised
 Statutes of Ontario, 1897, Chapter 129, Section
 38, and amending acts, that all creditors and
 other persons having claims against the estate other persons having claims against the estate of Herbert Tatham, late of the city of London, in the county of Middlesex, insurance inspector, deceased, who died on or about the 25th day of October, A. D. 1900, are required to send by post prepaid or deliver to the undersigned J. G. Richter, at the office of the London signed J. G. Richter, at the office of the London Life Insurance Company, in the Market Lane, in the said city of London, one of the executors of the last will and testament of the said Herbert Tatham, deceased, before the Soth day of November, 1900, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their capities and the vature of the requirities. full particulars of their claims, a statement of their securities and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them. And notice is hereby given that immediately after the last mentioned date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims they, the said executors, shall not then have had notice, Dated at the said city of London, this 3th day of November. A. D. 1900. (Signed) J. G. Richter, C. H. Tatham, executors, by T. H. Luscombe, of 169 Dundas street, London, their solicitor. story brick house, 19 rooms, modern
 - solicitor. IN THE MATTER OF THE CANNOM Stove and Oven Company, Limited, of London, Ontario, insolvent—Notice is hereby given that the Cannom Stove and Oven Company, Limited, has made an assignment of its property and effects to Lawrence Nichols, of property and effects to Lawrence Nichols, of the city of London, gentleman, for the benefit of creditors, pursuant to R. S. O. Chapter 147. All creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said insolvent are to send the same in detail, duly verified by affidavit, to the undersigned on or before Wednesday, the 28th day of November, 1900. A meeting of the creditors of the said company will be held at the office of the undersigned, Room 7, Hiscox building, London, on the 28th day of November, at 4 o'clock p.m. G. N. Weekes, solicitor for the assignee. London, Nov. 21, 1900. 22u wt
 - IN THE SURROGATE COURT OF THE County of Middlesex. In the matter of the guardianship of Olive Verden Wiseman, Alma Teresa Wiseman, and Mary Myrtle Wiseman, the infant children of John Archibald Wiseman, of the township of West Nissouri, in the county of Middlesex, farmer, deceased. Notice is bereby given that after the avriration of county of Middlesex, farmer, deceased. Notice is hereby given that after the expiration of twenty days from the date hereof, application will be made to the Surrogate Court of the county of Middlesex, for a grant of Letters of Guardianship of the above-named infants to Thomas Wiseman, of the said township of West Nisscuri, yeoman, the uncle of the said infants. Dated the 12th day of November, 1900. Jarvis & Vining, No. 101 Dundas street, London, solicitors for the applicant. 13c ztt

100 FAMILIES HOMELESS. Anaheim, Cal., Nov. 24.-This city is threatened with inundation by the rise of the Santa Ana River. families have already been driven from their homes near the river, and it is feared that there has been loss of life in the lowlands below.

Light & Heavy Overcoatings

THERE will be found in our stock the nobbiest range of goods in London suitable for fall and winter. The assort-

ment is very complete. SLATER BROS.

Merchant Tailers. 399 Richmond Street. Johaan Bauer is held under arrest

at New York, under commitment by

Commissioner Semple, charged with mundering his father at Munchmunster,

Bavaria. It is alleged that the father,

a dissipated old locksmith, having sig-

nified his intention to marry again,

thus cutting off his children's inheri-

tance, the son, advising with his sister, dug a hole in the fields, then beat the

father to death with a shovel, and buri-ed the body in the grave prepared.

TO LARGER PREMISES

Edmanson, Bates & Co., Proprietors of

Chase's Remedies, Move to Colborne

Street, Toronto.

[Toronto Star, Nov. 14.]

moving into their new premises a

321/2 Couborne street, Toronto.

Today Edmason, Bates & Co. are

The manufacture and sale of Dr.

Chase's remedies, controlled by this

firm, was commenced in the town of

Brantword in 1884, by the chemist firm

of T. Edmanson & Co. When the prin-

cipal of the company died the business was taken over by Mr. W. J. Edmanson, a brother f the former proprietor,

and Mr. Ina Bates, and it soon grew

ed to Toronto, locating at 45 Lombard

street, where the improved methods of

manufacture then made possible, and

the greater facilities for shipping soon

brought the business to large proper-

tions. This was in May, 1894. A short

time after the building was enlarged,

and later the premises at 41 and 43

Lombard street were made a part of

number of people in the making of the

drug store and with every medicine

fore the people, where they may try

them personally. The policy has been a fruitful one for Edmanson Bates &

Co., and their business has grown en-

ormously in the last few years.

Judicious and generous advertising

has always been a strong point in the

business, and the firm is now reaping the benefit. Thousands of genuine

testimonials are at the firm's disposal,

but of these only a fraction can, of course, be given publication. A small

army of people is kept busy in the

mailing department addressing wrap-pers and mailing literature in response

to requests throughout the country.

contine to spread abroad.

At the new premises on Colborne

ORPHANS FOUND STARVING.

terday. Three little orphans, who had

been found by detectives starving in a

dead for half a day, were taken before

a magistrate for commitment. The

Robert Von Druska, 13, 8 and 7 years

old respectively. Their mother died from consumption last fall, and their

father died Thursday night. The chil-

dren had had nothing to eat for near-

ly two days. Their little wan, pinched faces made such a pitiful sight that

Magistrate Pool, who was on the bench, was moved to tears. "It is ter-rible," he said, "that such suffering

can exist in a Christian city." He sent

the children to the Gerry Society, and

the body of the father to the morgue.

cent duty taken out of the quality.

all the popular kinds of Kid Leather.

Dominion and Great Britain.

to such proportions, that the firm mov

GAVE PAUL A GOLD MEDAL

Mr. O. P. Kruger Creates a Stir in Lyons.

The Authorities Prepared to Tone Down the Demonstration Expected at Paris.

Lyons, Department of Rhone, Nov. 23.-There was a great demonstration here when Mr. Kruger's train arrived. The assistant mayor welcomed the met earlier. Only on six occasions former president, and presented him with a beautiful gold medal, especially engraved for the occasion. One one side was the head of a woman, representing the city of Lyons, and on the reverse the words: "The homage of the citizens of Lyons to President Kruger, in remembrance of his heroic defense of the South African republics." Mr. Kruger, replying to the presentation speech, said: "I am profoundly touched at the homage, respect and sympathy coming from entire France. Give my thanks to the The last session of parliament met population of Lyons. It is a just on Feb. 1, and the year previous on cause which animates you-a cause for France and for all Europe to safeguard. I am firm in the conviction that our hopes will be realized. We are hoping with you." The Boer statesman then descended from his carriage and walked towards the entrance of the station, which caused the cheers to be redoubled. The crowd eventually broke through the police cordons and Mr. Kruger regained his carriage with difficulty.

PRECAUTIONS. Paris, Nov. 23.—M. Lepine, the pre-fect of police, said today: "We have full confidence in the people of Paris, and count upon them not to do anything likely to cause diplomatic complications. However, the police have the strictest orders to permit only cries which are complimentary to Mr. Kru- by some weeks. ger and the Boers. They will not tolerate any cries uncomplimentary to a neighboring friendly country. Any person uttering such uncomplimentary cries will be arrested."

AT DIJON. Dijon, Department of Cote d'Or, Nov. 23.—President Kruger, on his arrival here this evening, was greeted with the same enthusiasm as shown by the people of the other cities of France which he has passed through since his arrival.

IDOL OF THE HOUR. Mr. Kruger has become, for the moment at least, the popular idol of the French. He met with a tremendous reception in each town along the route where the train stopped, cul-minating in scenes of frenzied enthusiasm here this evening. The population of Marseilles gathered in thou-sands this morning to escort him to the rairoad station, and gave him a rousing send-off; while at Tarascon, Avingnon, Valence, Lyons, Macon and Dijon the inhabitants, who crowded the railroad stations, made the rafters tremble with enthusiastic shouts of "Vive Kruger!" and "Vive les Boers," ANTI-BRITISH FEELING STIRRED

The few Englishmen whose levity at the Hotel du Louvre, in Marseilles, exasperated the people in the streets there, never dreamed of the serious consequences of their act. The news of the supposed insult to Mr. Kruger seems to have spread across France, and at all stations, especially Dijon and Lyons, shouts for the Boers were mingled with loud cries of "Down with the English!" Indeed, at Lyons the denunciations of the English drowned the shouting for the Boers. This is a disturbing feature, and fears are ex-pressed by some that the reception in Paris may assume a character calculated to arouse the feelings of Great Britain against France to such an extent as to result in unpleasant relations between the two countries.

FRIENDS IN CORK. Cork. Nov. 23 .- As a protest against the refusal of the lord mayor of Cork to entertain a motion to confer the freedom of the city upon Mr. Kruger, the corporation adjourned today, adjournment resolution being adopted by a large majority after an exciting

NORTHERN ONTARIO'S WEALTH. Toronto, Nov. 23.-Northern Ontario is shown to be much richer in arable timber and mineral lands than was a first supposed. There is now known to be millions of acres in the vast region to the north of absolutely virgin soil, with spruce sufficient to supply the world for many years to come. In an area of about 6,000 square miles, lakely investigated, 75 per cent is clay land, suitable for agriculture, and well timbered with spruce. At Hudson Bay Company's posts in the far north not only cereals, but celery and goose-berries, currants and other small fruits are successfully grown.

THERE WAS NO REPLY Detroit, Nov. 24,- 'You had better go to bed," said Mrs. Frederick Muethel, of 209 Linden street, to her husband, about 9 o'clock Thursday night. There was no reply, and Mrs. Muethel took her husband by the arm and discovered that he was sitting in his chair dead. The couple had been down town in the afternoon, and he was quite happy. The deceased was 47 years of age, and had been employed as a cigarmaker at Brown Bros. His widow and two

Dr. Humphreys' Famous Specific "Seventy-seven" breaks up a Cold by restoring the checked circulation, known by a chill or shiver, the first sign of a Gold, it starts the blood coursing through the veins and at

once "breaks up" the Cold. If you will keep a vial of "77" at hand and take a dose when necessary, you will never take Cold. It doesn't matter if the weather changes suddenly; if you are caught out with light apparel, without overcoat or wrap; if you get over-heated and ride in an open car, or are exposed waiting for your carriage; if you work or sew in a cold room, or sit in a draughty church, meeting house, opera or theater. If you carry a vial of """ (It fits the pocket and pocket book) and use it freely, you will be protected and will not take Cold.

QUITE EARLY IN THE YEAR

Dominion Parliament to Meet About the End of January or the First of February.

[Special to The Advertiser per C.P.P.] Ottawa, Nov. 24.-The government have decided, after discussing the matter fully, to have an early session of parliament. Generally parliament has been summoned about the middle of February or later. It has been the exception (and there were, as a rule, special reasons for it) if parliament since confederation has the session been called for January. The last occasion when it met in January was by reason of the remedial bill, when Sir Mackenzie Bowell and his cabinet decided to coerce the Province of Mani-

THE APPROACHING SESSION. The date of the approaching session will be fixed for the latter part of January, or not later than the beginning of February.

The last session of parliament met Feb. 3. Owing to the time taken up with the general elections, it was not expected that the government would have been ready to meet parliament so soon, but they are anxious to meet the popular desire for a winter session, so that the members may be able to get through their work before the hot weather arrives.

There is not likely to be a long bill of fare from the government, and therefore there can be no good reason why prorogation could not be reached early in May. A good many of the long-speech-makers were defeated, and this alone ought to shorten the session

THE STOMACH RULES.

Cross and Cranky Mortals Who Suffer Untold Misery.

Have Only One Hope of Release and Health-That Hope is in Loud's Dys. pepsia Tabiets Which Always Cures.

"The stomach is the man-too often," says an eminent medical writer. The assertion is true. As the stomach is, so is the man. If the stomach is out of order, weak or overworked the man is cross, fretbul, irritable, shorttempered, "cranky" and miserable. He is wretched himself, and he makes all who come in contact with him wretched too. The stomach can't be out of order if the man will use Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Many troubles originate in the stomach, though their source is little sus-We find headaches, giddiness, sleeplessness, palipitation of the heart flushing of the flace, cough, skin diseases and other affections are caused by dyspepsia. Each of these complaints is dangerous to life, inasmuch as it will lead to worse troubles -palpitation developing into heart disease for instance if Dodd's Dyspepsia

Tablets be not used. Each of these troubles, being the result of dyspepsia, disappears as soon as the dyspepsia is removed. To remove dyspepsia is very easy if you know how. And nothing is easier than to learn how. If you can remember to take one or two of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal the thing is

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are immediate in effect, permanent in their cure. They act on and strengthen the stomach and bowels, digest the food and bring health and ease to all who

The News Summary

Dr. Landerkin, ex-M.P., has been appointed postmaster at Owen Sound. John Ross Robertson declines to become a candidate for the Toronto mayoralty.

Work has been begun preparatory to the erection of the new \$1,000,000 hotel in Toronto.

Up to date \$1,318,313 has been spent during 1900 in building operations in Winnipeg. The amount will be largely added to during the remainder of the year.

Bishop M. M. Moore, of the A.M.E. Church, and president of the American Preachers' Ald Society, died at his home in Jacksonville, Fla., Friday evening.

Mr. John Lawson Johnston, of Kingswood, Kent, England, the noted dietetic expert, died today (Saturday) at Cannes, France, of syncope. He was

born in 1839. In regard to the assignment of Lawrence & Co. New York brokers, no estimate of assets and habilities is given. But the sums owed to customers

are said to run as high as \$200,000. The Montreal general hospital is in difficulties, for while the revenue is about \$60,000 a year, the expenditure is \$80,000. It is now devising some means of reducing this annual deficit

The Canadian Pacific Railway has offered free transportation to all holders of Fenian Raid medals to the farms which the Ontario Government has given them in New Ontario, near

Lake Nipissing. From a number of postal cards and letters that have just arrived at Berlin, from Chana, h is interred Von Waldersee has forbidden the German soldiers to write home regarding the incidents of the war.

United States Vice-Consul-General Hanauer, of Frankfort, reports to the state department that artificially produced indigo is now better in quality, cheaper in price, and consequently much more popular than the natural

Charges of unlawful dramatization and production of "The Little Minister," which were brought in the United States circuit court some months afo, have been turned intol crimina proceedings. At Chicago, H. A. Yeck, manager of the Road Company, had a hearing Friday.

On Thursday, Mark Windover, aged 21. was killed at the Port Huron lo-comotive shops, where he was working as a laborer. At the time of the accident he was coupling two engines. The top plate of one of the engines caught him, and his head was crushed. Death was instantaneous.

At Toronto, on Friday morning, a

Michael's Cathedral in honor of the canonization of St. John Baptist de la Saile. The Pontifical mass was sung by Bishop O'Connor, of Peterboro, as-

sisted by several priests, and the ser-mon, was preached by Archotshop O'Connor. Held December 13. Passengers on the steamer Numidian. which arrived at Portiand, Me., on Friday, report that she was in collision with the schooner Alma, of Lockport,

N. S., last Wednesday morning; and after towing the schooner until Thurs-day, the latter broke away and was not Objection Made to a Declaration in seen again. The Alma was leaking baddy, and it is feared she sank. Illness is Serious.

tative in the Dominion House, will take phace on Dec. 13. Nominations will be held a week earlier, on the 6th.

SIR ADOLPHE CARON. Montreal, Nov. 23.—Sir Adolphe Caron, who has been confined to the Royal

NEWFOUNDLAND ELECTIONS.

Ortillia, Ont., Nov. 23.-The declarathe factory. Here for the past six years the firm has employed a large tion was to have been made in East Simcoe today, but owing to the deputy at Hillsdale having failed to popular Chase remedies.
The firm have been enterprising the names of the candidates place before the figures given by him in his certificate, which showed a majority for one of the candidates of 29, Mr. enough to place their remedies in every dealer in all parts of the Dominion. Grant, acting for the Liberals, ob-They are the only medicine firm which has done what is called sampling an jected to the return being counted. The returning officer, Mr. McKay, deointment, that is, giving away sample boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment. Dr. Chase's Kidney Liver Pills have also clared an adjournment for one week to secure the correct returns from been targely sampled free. The firm have every confidence in the remedies three polls. Mr. Bennet expressed his full confidence in Mr. McKay's action as returning officer and for his imthemselves, and believe that the best partial and courteous conduct. way to convince the public of the quality is to place them everywhere be-NOTES.

Rosamond elected by 7, an increase of 1. Six ballot smarked in the upper division where the printers' name ap-

Welland Conservatives will meet at Welland on Nov. 27 to nominate a candidate for the vacancy in the legislature for that constituency.
The recount in West Prince, P. E. I., is concluded. Edward Hackett, Conservative, was declared elected by a majority of nine.

J. A. Gillies, M. P. P. for Pontiac,

street still greater facilities for the increase of this thriving medicne busi-Shawville ness will be opened, and the sales of Dr. Chase's remedies will no doubt

BOY HANGED!

New York, Nov. 23 .- A case of suf-Mysterio: 3 Case in Chicago—May Be fering and destitution seldom equaled Either Suicide or Murder. even in New York was brought to light in the Yorkville police court yes-

Robert Crotty, aged 15 years, son of garret beside the body of their father, Thomas Crotty, was found swinging by a rope attached to a railing on the back porch of his father's home last night. The boy had evidently been dead several hours when found.

Mrs. Neff, a member of the house-

POLITICAL POINTS

Welland Bye-Election To Be

East Simçoe—Sir Adolphe Caron's

WELLAND ELECTION. The provincial bye-election in Welto Mr. W. M. German, now a represen-

ST. BONIFACE BYE-ELECTION. Two Conservatives will run against each other for the local house in St. Boniface, Man. The candidates' names are Mageer and Bernie.

Victoria Hospital for the past week, is very low tonight. He is suffering from erysipelas, and underwent an operation today, from which he may

St. Johns, Nfid. Nov. 23.—With the declaration of the result of the poll in the St. Barbe district, the new legislature is completed. Mr. Parsons (Liberal) was elected by a majority of 332 over Mr. Mott, his Tory opponent. The district went to the Tory candidate in the previous election by candidate in the previous election by a majority of 265. Mr. Bond has thus carried sixteen districts, returning four members. Of the 22 Protestant seats Mr. Bond will control nineteen besides which the entire Catholic personnel of the chamber (thirteen) are his supporters. His overwhelming success in the Protestant districts is the more remarkable because Mr. Morine tried to stampede them by suggesting Catholic domination.

EAST SIMCOE.

The result of the re-count in the North Lanark election leaves Mr. pears were disallowed.

was again nominated by the Liberals of the county at the convention at

Chicago, Nov. 24.-The dead body of

It is not known whether it is a case of murder, suicide or accident. There are finger marks on the dead boy's throat which look as if he had been strangled, and then his body swung to a rope to give an appearance of sui-

hold, says she heard a voice out on the porch early in the evening, saying: "Carry him easy. Don't let him fall."

For Men, Women

has the best reputation of

any shoe manufactured on

by J. &. T. Bell, Montreal,

the only factory in Canada

that manufactures shoes

better than the best Ameri-

can article which comes

into Canada with 30 per

These shoes are made

and Children,

the continent.

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They have found instant favor with the best trade in our

We make them from all the best grades of leather-Eng-

30 styles in men's, 50 styles in ladies' and 25 styles in

lish Enamel, French Patent Calf, Willow Tan, Box Calf and

misses', youths' and children's to choose from. All widths

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being constructed so as to give the most heat for the amount of fuel consumed. They are made from the best material and handsome in design.

Happy Thought Ranges

and all other stoves made by the Wm. Buck Co. for sale by

PARKINS

384 Richmond Street, Opposite City Hall.

DEATH OF EDWARD ADAMS

Who Was Twice Mayor of London-Died at Ashtead, England.

The older generation of London's citizens will learn with deep regret of the death of Mr. Edward Adams, which occurred on the 10th inst., at his residence at Ashtead, in England. Mr. Adams was very well known throughout Ontario, owing to his long residence and extensive business connections. Up to 30 years ago, when he left this city to reside in England, he was one of the prominent citizens of London, and before its elevation to the rank of a city he was mayor of the town for two successive years—1852 and 1853. He also served the growing municipality as town councilor for two years, 1851 and 1854, the latter being the year before London became a city. Mr. Adams was the founder of the wholesale house of Edward Adams & Co., which had its beginning in a re-

tail grocery previously operated by him on Dundas street. Mr. Adams had attained the age of 86 years. His wife predeceased him about 17 years, and his sole child, a daughter, is married in England.





and half sizes. Prices stamped plainly on shoes. Every pair guaranteed or your money refunded. Sole Agents for London, Ont. g Disconnection contraction co

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FIRST-CLASS FURS

insures them a remarkable buying opportunity, one that deserves immediate acceptance, seeing that these Furs are about half price.

LADIES' LARGE CAPERINES, worth \$22 00, for \$11 50.
LADIES' GERMAN BEAVER CAPERINES, worth \$14 00, for \$7 89.
LADIES' FUR RUFFS, worth \$2 50, for \$1 65.
LADIES' BLACK AND BROWN CONEY FUR RUFFS, worth \$1 75,

for 97c. LADIES' LARGE BLACK FUR MUFFS at \$1 00 and \$1 25, special. Preparations for Christmas Are Going On Here

Large lines of goods are coming in worthy of your attention.

Special lines in Opal Ware, in Toilet Bottles, Brush and Comb
Trays. Glove Boxes, Handkerchief Boxes, Cuff and Collar Boxes, Puff
Boxes, Jewel Boxes, Match Boxes, etc. Prices ranging from 50
to 50c each. All beautifully decorated and tinted in beautiful shadings, You are invited to call and see them. You will find our prices ings. You are invited to call and see them. You will find our prices

50c Black Cashmere Hose, Marked 35c Pair That's an offer that must appeal to every lady in the city. We

ROMAN EMBROIDERY PILLOW SHAMS, beautiful open work, large squares. Our price, 29c, 43c, 59c each. BATTENBURG CENTER PIECES, FINE HAND WORK, large

squares, 49c, 89c, 97c, \$1 19, \$1 29 each.
LARGE, SOFT, DOWNY CUSHION FORMS at 25c, 42c, 55c

In Our Millinery Department

Those lines of special OUTING HATS we bought, and are selling at 50c each, are going very fast. The assortment of colorings are complete yet. These Hats were worth this season \$1 00 to \$1 39. Our price

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We have always special lines in Nottingham Curtains, Notwithstanding the rise in price all our lines are the same value. 3 yards, taped all round, 50c pair.

3½ yards, taped new patterns, 75c pair.
3½ yards, taped, new design, \$1 60 per pair.
3½ yards, taped, very special, \$1 25 pair.

Gentlemen's and Ladies' Silk and Fancy Handkerchiefs

22-inch square, all slik, 11/2-inch hem, worth 50c, our price 25c Ladies' Fine Lawn, Lace and Insertion Handkerchiefs, regular

and the state of t

reverses, speculators in cotton ad-

vanced the price about \$3 50 a bale in

Liabilities of failures in three weeks

of November were \$7,127,573, of which

\$1,736,841 were in manufacturing and

years. Failures for the week were 238

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW.

Unsettled weather conditions have op-

erated to curtail retail tradeand jobbing

distribution this week, and imparted

a quieter tone to several lines indi-

rectly associated therewith. Stock speculation, too, has been less ram-

pant, and last week's record of bank

clearings has therefore not been equaled. There is, however, little or

and indeed the general level of staple prices has been slightly advanced.

in the iron and steel trades, in raw cotton, and to a lesser degree in the

cereals and some hog products. Rail-

road earnings, of course, compare with exceptional good results a year

ago, and therefore current weekly re-

turns show little or no gain, despite

the outlourst of activity just previous

ping circles a distinct improvement is,

however, reported, since the first week of November. In foreign trades the

quotations abroad, partly balanced, however, by decreased ocean freight

ments, for the week aggregate 3.827,-296 bushels, against 4,062,020 bushels

hast week 3,688,677 bushels in this week of 1899, 5,824,726 bushels in 1898, 6,465,153 bushels in 1897, and 3,733,696

bushels in 1896. Corn exports for the week aggregate 5,235,568 bushels, against 3,976,914 bushels last week, 4,-

140,523 bushels in this week a year

ago, 3,993,846 bushels in 1898, 2,869,705 bushels in 1897, and 2,920,802 bushels in

1896. Business failures for the week

202 in this week a year ago, 182 in

BANK CLEARINGS. New York, Nov. 23. — The bank clearances at the principal cities of the

United States for the week ended Nov.

22 show total clearances of \$2,246,117,834

-an increase of 19.8 per cent as com-

pared with the corresponding week of

last year. Outside of New York the clearances were \$766,644.593—an increase

of 8.9 per cent. For the Dominion of

Canada the clearances were as follows: Montreal, \$16,738,552—increase 4.9 per

cent; Toronto, \$11,033,903-increase 12.5

per cent; Winnipeg. \$2,646,539—decrease 21.7 per cent; Halifax, \$1.739,282—in-

crease 14.9 per cent; Hamfilton, \$847,-

858; St. John, N. B., \$777,434—increase 14.7 per cent; Vancouver, \$786,781—de-

crease 3.6 per cent; Victoria, B. C.,

The revenue of New South Wales for October amounted to £910,123, am in-

crease of £117,916 over that of October

\$838,986-increase 40.1 per cent.

number 215 as against 227 last week

1898, 233 in 1897 and 296 in 1896.

rates.

Wheat, including flour ship-

apparent loss of basic strength,

latter movement is most notable

BUSINESS SITUATION to follow the advancing hide market, and most grades of boots and shoes are at the prices prevailing two months ago, except for a gain of 21/2

Across the Border, as Shown by Cradstreet's and Dun's Weekly Reviews.

New York, Nov. 24.-Dun's review of the state of trade says: With reasonable promptness business is recovering both activity and tone, and for-\$5,084,228 in trading. A year ago the defaults were \$5,186,657, and in 1898 \$6,130,220, while over \$8,000,000 were reported in each of the five preceding tunately, without the sharp rise in general prices which was seen in the spring, and which was followed by a sudden and serious transition to a more natural range. With general confidence prevailing in place of fear, in the United States, against 191 last year, and 29 in Canada, against 22 last the current change is naturally toward a better level of prices, but without reducement. Manufactured goods are rising in response to a better demand from distributing sources, neiped at the end of the week by the more seasonable weather. Business is not yet what it was on the top of the wave of industrial prospenty, but the working force is fast mcreasing. The ordinary measures of business reflect increasing operations at all points, but the textile markets are the point of least response to the improved un-dertone of trade. Ratiroad earnings for the first half of November reflect a heavy merchandise tonnage, and are 3 per cent over the same period of 1899 and 10.2 per cent over 1898. The gain is telow other months this year, but the loss would not have been surprising. In the west traffic is congested at junction points, and cars are still in short supply. Recital of constill in short supply. Recital of con-ditions in the iron and steel market has hardly yet been fell in the shape has become a monotonous repetition. of increased business. In marine ship-Daich week there is the same record of activity.

Two factors militate strongly against of November. In foreign trades the activity and strength in wool and feature is a reported lower level of woolens. Mild weather has been quotations abroad, partly balanced, the chief adverse influence, reducing cales far below a normal volume in this vicinity, while idenidation of embarrassed concerns threatens to throw a considerable quantity on the market at forced sales. Leather has ceased

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UNCLE SAM AND ABDUL

May Have a Wrangle Over the Harpoot Affair.

Mishap to Three French Battleships-The Czar's Condition.

FRICTION.

The refusal of the Turkish Government to grant an exequatur to the American consul at Harpoot has not yet been conveyed to the state department at Washington. It was scarcely expected that such notice would be made, as the Turkish way generally is procrastination rather than direct refusal, which serves the same end without giving tangible ground for reprisals. Dr. Norton, who was appointed consul at Harpoot, has now been in Constantinople three months eventing his averygation. awaiting his exequatur. The Turk's objection to the establishment of a consulate at Harpoot and Erzeroum under this apparently clear permission has been based on the rather novel reason that there is no commerce at these two points, and it has been difficult for the United States officials to establish the contrary proposition. But some time ago the Turkish Govern-ment accorded to the British Government the right to establish a consulate at Harpoot, and the state department immediately based an additional claim on the "favored nation" chause of the general treaty.

THE CZAR. It is rumored that Emperor Nicholas is threatened with pectoral complica-tions, which, if they exist, would materially diminish his chances of re-covery. Inflammation of the lungs is a common complication of typhoid fever in Russia. Thus far there is no offi-cial confirmation of the rumor.

THREE BATTLESHIPS DAMAGED. A dispatch from Brest says the French battleship Admiral Boudin, while changing moorings in the harwhile changing moorings in the narbor there today, collided with the
cruiser Destaing, and that both were
sentously damaged. Almost at the
same time torpedo boat No. 106 encountered a torpedo fired by the submarine boat Narval, and was obliged to run ashore to escape foundering.

A POPULAR PAIR. London, Nov. 25 .- Prince and Princess George of Wales, who are soon to visut Canada, are the most popular pair of England's royal family. George is the direct heir to the British throne after his father, the Prince of Wales. He fell into line for the succession on the death of his elder brother, the Duke of Charence, in 1892. Previous to his mar-riage in 1893 he had been an active of-

ficer in the British navy. His wed-ding with Princess May of Teck, whose mother was a cousin of the Queen, was the occasion of spontaneous popular enthusiasm owing to the democratic character of and good nature of ith young people.

AMNESTY.

Paris, Nov. 25. — The senate has adopted the amnesty bill, which had already been adopted by the Chamber zelle asked whether the amnesty extended to the persons condemned by the senate sitting as the high court, and the Assumptionists, M. Waldeck-Rousseau, the premier, answered: "It is impossible to grant amnesty to thos,

who continue to menace the govern-ment, and as for the Assumptionists, cents in men's satin shoes and split and kip boots. Undaunted by recent their offense has not ceased." In the Chamber of Deputies, M. Paul Vigne delivered a strong discourse upbraiding the government for alleged cruelties in Algeria and Madagascar perpetrated by the French

troops.

EXCHEQUER BONDS. London, Nov. 24.-The treasury has given notice of the issue of £3,000,000 three per cent exchequer bonds, repayable in 1905.

CABLE NOTES. The London anti-gambling league took out summonses this afternoon against C. A. Pearson for publishing skill competitions in his weekly pa-

The Pan-German Association, it is said, will urge the German Government to demand reparation from Britain for expelling several hundred Germans from the Transvaal.

Twelve workmen were killed by col-

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lapse of a house in Darmstadt, Germany. Emperor William will present to France the German building at the

NOT ON THE BILLS

Two Actors Down With Smallpox-Entire Troupe of 40 Promptly Vaccinated.

Pittsburg, Nov. 23.—Harry Winfred and George W. Pickett, members of the Williams & Walker Theatrical company, at present playing in this city, were taken to the municipal hospital last night, suffering from small-

When the health officials discovered the contagion in the company, they at once went to the theater and vaccinated the entire troupe of 40 actors. The company came here from Rochester, N. Y., last Sunday, and it is not known where the disease was contracted. On account of the prompt precautions taken, no apprehension of the spreading of the infection is felt by the authorities.

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ASSESSMENT COMMISSION

Tax on Household Furniture of the Wealthy Suggested.

Toronto, Nov. 23.—The taxation of household furniture was the startling proposition advanced before the royal assessment commission yesterday morning by Frank MacKelcan, on be-half of the Municipal Association. Mr. MacKelcan proposed that all furniture be assessed, with an exemption from taxation of \$700, as in the case of incomes. This exemption would cover the value of the furniture of the working class, and let the tax fall on the wealthy people, who have often large sums invested in costly furniture and bric-a-brac. As to income taxation Mr. MacKelcan advocated the assessment of every man's income, from whatever source, at his place of domicile. This would enable the as-sessors to reach many sources of income, such as bank and stock dividends, of which sight is now lost. He unged that all companies other than banks and money loaning institutions, should be taxed on the personal property actually held by them.

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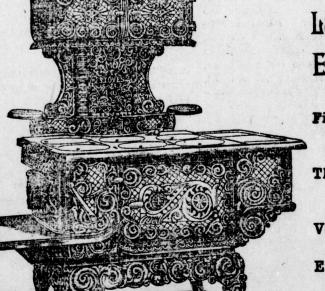


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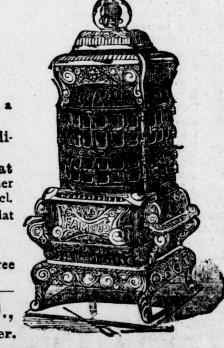
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THE UNJUST GERRYMANDER

The Terrible Unfairness of Its Action.

How It Worked and the Effect of Its Repeal.

The gerrymander, by which the Conservative party maintained themselves in office for three Parliaments, was perpetrated in 1882.

There was a second gerrymander in 1892, but it was a very small affair, compared with the original infamy. Because of the changes in the population, demonstrated in the census taken in 1881, it was found necessary to provide four additional seats in the House of Commons for the Province

of Ontario. This could easily have been accomplished without disturbing the makeup of any more than a few of the constituencies.

It could have been obtained without interfering with county boundaries. Indeed, in 1872, when the first redistribution after confederation took place, Sir John Macdonald laid down the principle that county boundaries should be kept intact, and both parties agreed that this course was highly desirable, and was in thorough accord with British precedent.

But when the measure of 1882 was brought down, it was found that it interfered with the boundaries of no fewer than 55 of the 88 constituencies in the Province.

The reason avowed by the Conservative Government for this extraordinery cutting and carving was the "equalization of the constituencies," but before the measure was passed the Conservative leader admitted that its intention was really to "hive the Gritis."

The measure showed its unfairness on its own face, and also in the manner in which its provisions were ar-

Its compilers were determined that fair play should not be extended to their political opponents.

Conservative members of Parliament and nominees of the Conservative party defeated in the constituencies. were sent for and consulted with as to how the constituencies in which they were interested could be carved up to their advantage and to the disadvantage of the Liberals.

To illustrate the spirit in which the cernymander act was conceived, this instance is given: A delegation from the Conservative associations of the county of Huron waited upon the Government and stated that the bill as originally introduced would leave the prospects of the Conservative party uncertain in all of the three ridings, and that in two of them the Conservative chances were so slight as to be hopeless. The Government was equal to the emergency. It immediately attached to South Huron every single constituency that was thought could give a Liberal majority, making a constituency so strongly Liberal by this thiving that at last election, though two Liberais ran, the Conservatives did not dare to put up a man.

It was indeed an organized conspiracy to commit a gross fraud on the electorate. There is now in Ottawa a map that was provided on the occasion, which shows that every municipality in the Province of Ontario had marked upon it the number of Liberal and Conservative voters respectively, and the problem which the Conservative leaders set themselves about accomplishing was to so divide the constituencies as to secure a majority of the seats, no matter how large the majority of voters might be against them. The measure was indeed founded on

It professed to equalize the representation. In fact, the only excuse which its authors gave for cutting and carving so many constituencies was that equality in numbers had to be established. Yet the most cursory examination proves that there was no equality. In some instances to secure the illegitimate preponderance desired for the Conservative party, the disturbance of county boundaries made even greater inequalities than previously existed.

Though the unit of population for a riding was over 22,000, under the division by the Gerrymander Bill of 1882 many constituencies were left with fewer than 15,000 inhabitants while others were given more than 30,000.

While West Bruce was given 25,000. so that the Liberals might be hived in it, North Bruce had only 17,000 in-

Kent, in the Liberal west, was given 000; South Simcoe, 26,000; East Elgin, where Conservative seats were made his party has had the decency to say to order, North Leeds was given a to him, "Pray be seated."

population of only 12,400; South Grenville, 13,000; Frontenac, 15,000; Lennox,

16,000: Cardwell, 16,000. Brookville, with 15,000 people, was taken out of South Leeds, which was left with 22,000.

Peel, with 15,000 population, was left with the adjoining constituency of West York, which had 41,000.

Oxford had 49,000 population. could easily have been divided into two ridings; but that would not serve the purpose of the gerrymanderers. The township of Blencheim, with 9,600, was taken out of Oxford and replaced by Dasthope (two divisions) from Perth, with a population of 9,630. What was aimed at was to make two Conservative seats in Perth, and drive the late James Trow, as faithful a servant as ever went to Parliament, from public life. The Easthopes gave a large Liberal majority, and its addition to Oxford made it a colossal Liberal hive. Then Blenheim, with a population of 5,000, was taken out of Oxford and put into Brant; and Burford, with a population of 4,600, was taken out of Brant and put into Oxford-again to add to the Liberal majority in Oxford, and aid in making South Brant a Conservative riding.

From South Brant, Oakland, threefourths of whose electors were Liberal, was taken away and also placed in Oxford, already overwhelmingly Liberal. South Brant, from which it was taken, had scarcely 20,000, but Oakland was taken from it and given to South Oxford, with 25,000

South Easthope, with 192 Liberal majority, was taken from Perth and put in Oxford, and Usborne was added

less apparent. hived in West Huron, and all the three of the maintenance by agreement. divisions would return Liberal mem-

North Brant, as gerrymandered, begins at the city limits of Hamilton and runs right up to the corporation limits of Woodstock in Oxford, a distance of some 50 miles long, and from five to six broad, and having within its limits a Liberal majority of some 1,-700, gathered up so as to make adjoining seats safe for Conservatives.

In Bouhwell the gerrymander put Hon. David Mills in the minority by over 300. But for his great strength as a statesman and the resentment shown against the outrage by Conservatives who voted for him, Mr. Mills could never have been able to carry Bothwell after 1882

Coming nearer home. In the election prior to the gerrymander, the Liberals of Middlesex had a majority in the whole county of 1,100. The gerrythem that they would have but one seat out of the four. To effect this the strong Liberal townships were hived in South Middlesex, and portions of Lambton, Elgin and Huron were pitchforked into the county.

And so we might continue the illustrations of the rascally conduct of the poutilizal intigrands to an alimost indefi-

The primary object which the gerrymander had in view was to give the minority in the House of Commons a majorty of the seats and to stifle the free expression of popular sentiment, but the driving out of public life of leading Liberals was not lost sight of. For this reason, the constituencies represented by Hon. David Mills, Sir Richard Cartwright, Hon. Wm. Paterson, Mr. Jos. Rymal and Mr. Jas. Trow. were especially menaced, and if any one of them afterwards succeeded, it was not because of the intentions of the gernymunderers.

the measure, and moved amendments made a hobby of it. every effort made by Hon. Edward assumed office? It is within the memsent to an independent tribunal for dence was badly shaken, adjudication, was resolutely spurned After the trust assumed office quarby the Conservative leaders. They re- reling vanished, and harmony prefused to entertain any interference by vailed, both among the members of the Liberal Opposition, and voted the trust with reference to managethrough every proposal made by the ment, and also among all those in any

remained unremedied when the Lib- the best use was being made with the erals came into power in 1896. The makerials at the disposal of the trust. new Government attempted to undo That state of affairs has existed up the more flagrant portion of the rascabity, but were thwarted by the Senate majority, on the excuse that no blissful ignorance of any reason why change could be made, no matter how the crust should be abolished. What rascally the conditions, before the the motives of those who desire the census of 1901 is taken. By this means the Conservatives were enabled to earry from ten to fifteen seats in Ontario that would have gone Liberal if county boundaries were reestablished and the gerrymander un-

But the time is at hand when the evil will be remedied and Ontario will take her rightful position as a Liberal

The opposition bosses-not them all, by any means-want Hon. Geo. E. Foster in the House of Commons, because they assert they cannot do without his debuting talent. But they de not want him as leader. Mr. Foster Here are a few of the more flagrant is not very highly complimented by the attempt to make him the opposition pack-horse while depriving him of the honor which leadership is generally assumed to carry with it. He is reported to have expressed himself in terms even more explicitly plain \$6,000 inhalitants. East Simcoe, 28,- than this when approached on the subject of his parliamentary future. Mean-26,000; while in Eastern Ontario, while, he has no seat, and not one of Our Municipal Policy-III.

The city possesses a first class Hospital. Its management under the Hospital Trust should be continued. It will be admitted that the hospital

is a first-class one, and quite up to, if not ahead of, the requirements of the city. The question which the ratepayers will be called upon to decide is whether the Hospital Trust shall be abolished or not, and whether the City Council shall again assume the munagement of the hospital.

There are few questions before the people that mean as much to them as

The Hospital Trust was established by an act of the Ontario Legislature passed at the request and upon the pelition of the City Council of that day. The composition of the trust is as follows: The Mayor is ex-officio a member; the ratepayers of the city elect two more; the County Council appoints one; and the Ontario Government one. The total number is five, of whom three must necessarily be elected by the ratepayers of the city. The question is, shall the trust be abolished?

At the outset one difficulty presents itself. The ratepayers cannot go back to exactly the same state of affairs as existed before the trust was created, because by agreement, confirmed by legislation, the county is entitled to the same proportion of representation in the management of the hospital whether the trust exists or not. When the county paid a certain sum towards the new hospital building this agreefrom Huron, with 100 majority. The ment was made, and their proportion attempt to make both divisions of of representation cannot be disturbed Perth Conservative by this means has, in the future. We may, therefore, no thanks to the gernymanderers, been take it for granted that the city in thwarted; but the outrage is none the this respect would make no gain. The situation is made. They cannot alter Bruce county, overwhelmingly Lib- it, so far as the county representaeral, was so manipulated that it tion is concerned. It is just, because has returned but one Liberal. With a the county advanced part of the money fair division the Liberals would not be to build the hospital, and they pay part

Then with reference to the Government representation. It was created at the request of the city, and the Government has always paid a sum greater than the county towards maintenance, with this difference, that the county gets value in return, by sending its patients to the hospital, while, of course, the Government gets nothing in return. It is a purely voluntary act of charity on their part. What is to be gained by any change proposed it is difficult to imagine.

Take, then, the city representatives. What more natural than that the mayor should ex-officio be a member? In all human probability, were any change whatever made, that provision will be continued, and there are in addition two members elected by the whole ratepayers. The trustee elected have invariably done their whole duty. Col. Lewis has been a member since the trust was formed. His nature is sympathetic, his mind liberal, and with heart and purse he has done his whole duty. He has never spared himself nor shirked his duty on any occasion. His elected colleague is Mr. Thomas McCormick, and there are not many men in Canada better fitted for the position. Already the public-spiritity charity for which he is well known has shown itself substantially. By

his example, by the aid of his purse, and through his friends, and by reason of the kindness of the citizens, and its societies, the cost of furnishing the hospital has been almost entirely met. His mind is eminently a common sense one, and coupled with his disposition to do acts of kindness he is an ideal trustee.

The trustees who preceded him were good men, ex-Mayor McCormick and Mr. C. F. Complin. Both of these trustees conscientiously did their whole duty. Mr. Compile for about ten years The Laberals pointed out the injus- ungrudgingly worked for the best intice and the flagrant inequalities of terests of the hospital and almost

to secure fair play for all parties, but What did the trustees find when they Blake and his friends was met with ory of many that hospital affairs were jibes and jeers, and a proposition for in a very unsutisfactory condition. a comference between leaders on both The staff were in a state of rebellion, sides, so that the question might be quarreling existed, and public confi-

way employed in connextion with the This most unfair condition of affairs hospital, and the public had faith that to the present time. The trust at present is working harmoniously in abouttion of the trust are can only be conjectured. The citizens will do well to keep the hospikal out of the hands of the council, but one thing is sure, if called upon to relinquish the trust



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they can hand it back with honor and credit, informing the citizens without fear of contradiction that they have all done what they should, that not one ever profited to the extent of a single cent, that there is no just cause of complaint against the masgement of the hospital in which there has never been the slightest suspicion of jobbery or corruption.

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Smart alicks, who think it a sign of manliness to attempt flirtations with young women on the street, should give Toronto a wide berth. Two young men in that city stood at the corner of a street and doffed their hats to every girl that passed, and when an extra handsome young lady came along they threw kisses to her. For this "innocent" amusement they were arrested, and at the police court paid \$5 fine and costs to avoid going to

INQUIRY ORDERED

Management of the Ontario Blind Institution. Brantford, to be Investigated

Toronto, Nov. 24.-The provincial secretary has asked Dr. J. G. Hodgins, of Toronto, and Professor Mills, of the Agricultural College Guelph, to investigate the charges made in a pamphlet written by Mr. W. A. Radcliffe, of notified that an investigation has been granted, and that it will commence at



these gentlemen as being witnesses necessary to substantiate their allegations. The two commissioners will Belgium is the most thickly populareport the result of their investigation ated country in Europe, with 224 into the department at an early date, together with such suggestions for the improvement of the curriculum as they may feel called upon to make. Chamberlain, inspectors of charities and prisons, is associated with Dr. Hodgins and Professor Mills in the

TOTALLY DEAF-Mr. S. E. Crandell, Port Perry, writes: "I contracted a severe cold last winter, which resuited in my becoming totally deaf in one ear and partially so in the Port Hope, and in a memorandum pent to the head of the department by Mr.

A. W. Beale, of Peterboro, reflecting upon the management of the Ontario out obtaining any relief. I was advised to try DR. THOMAS' ECLECTRIC and consulting any relief. I was advised to try DR. THOMAS' ECLECTRIC out obtaining any relief. OIL. I warmed the oil and poured a little of it into my ear, and before onehalf the bottle was used my hearing partment will pay the traveling expenses of the pupils mentioned by, by the use of this medicine."

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Belgium is the most thickly populhabitants to every square mile; then follow Holland with 152, Great Britain with 127, Italy with 111, the German empire with 97, Switzerland with 76, and Denmark with 58. The least crowded countries in Europe are Russia with 31, Sweden with 11, and Noway with 8 inhabitants per square



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THE MARKETS.

THE LOCAL MARKET.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON S REPORT.
London, Saturday, Nov. 24.
Wheat, white, per bu63c to 632
Wheat, red, per bu63c to 63c
Oats, per bu25c to 26c
Peas per bu
Barley, per bu331/2c to 41c
Rye, per bu42c to 45c
Buckwheat, per bu41c to 43c

Wheat was steady, at \$1 05 to \$1 06 Supply fair and demand good.

Oats brought a little more money-73e to 76c for white, and 77c to 80c fo black; demand good and supply mod-

No barley offered. One or two lots of peas sold at 80c to 85c, and one lot of buckwheat at 85c. No beans or rye came in.

Live hogs sold at \$5 to \$5 25, and ressed at \$7 to \$7 50; supply light and emand good. The supply of hay was the heaviest in many days; \$750 to \$850 were the prices paid.

Quotations:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs. 1 05	0	1 06	
Wheat, red, tall, per 100 ibs., 1 05	60	1 05	
Wheat, spring, per 100 .os	62		
Oats, per 100 los 74	(2)	80	
Peas per 100 lbs 80	(00	90	
Corn per 100 lbs 80	@	80	
Barley, per 100 lbs 70	(0)	80	
Rye per 100 lbs 75	(0)	85	
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs 85	(00	90	ç
Beans		1 00	
HOGS.			
Hogs, light, per 1001 bs 5 00	0	5 25	
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Hogs, heavy, per 100 lbs 4 00	(0)	4 00	
Pigs, young, per past 4 50	63	6 00	
Sows, per louibs	(0)		
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, selects 7 00	00	7 50	
Dressed hogs 1'00 lt 4, heavy . 5 00		6 00	
HAY AND SEEDS.			
Hay, per load 7 75	0	8 50	
Straw, per road	@	3 25	
Straw, per lottu 6 00	(4)	6 00	
Straw, per ton	4	0 00	
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CIOVELBOOK, CLISTEN, DOL		0 00	
Timothy seed, per bu 0 00		. 00	

For Houseksepers. Vehicles of all descriptions were massed upon the market square this morning, and in aid departments an active trade was carried on. prices were so moderate that they permitted of no haggling between purchaser and supplier, and when such a condition exists there is always mu-

that satisfaction. The cost of butter was slightly less today than it has been at any time during the past week. Pound rolls retailed at 22 and 23 cents, and crock went for 20 and 22 cents, a straight drop of a cent per pound. In who esale quantities there was not the same sharp inclination towards a lower price. In fact, only the poorer qualities changed to any noticeable extent. The better class still brought 22 cents. On the other hand, the price of eggs showed a tendency to advance a trifle and where store ints could formerly be bought for 16 cents per dozen, they could readly bring 18 cents to-There is every promise of butter being lower in price during the next two or three weeks. Several facts seem to point that way. The cheese factories closed leter this year because of the high prices their product was bringing. A great many did so well with their cheese that they will not take the trouble to change their plants and convert them into creameries. Consequently the farmers will do more of their own churning and place their butter directly upon the local market. The slightly increased production will warrant a corresponding decrease in price. Another factor that must be taken into consideration is that the export trade has now materially fallen off, and the unusually large quantity of low-grade butter in the lower provinces prevents shipments from this portion of the country.

Poultry was offered freely this morn-ing, and found ready purchasers. Turkeys are still sold for 8c per pound; chickens ranged from 40c to 60c, and ducks from 50c to 65c. Poultry will not likely be high before the new year. Turkeys will probably remain at &c per pound until Christmas, in the wholesale trade especially. Chickens will stay at 6c per pound; ducks at 7c or Sc, and geese at 5c and 51/2c. All the. good poultry offered at these prices will find purchasers, if not in the re-

tail trade, then in the wholesale. Fruit and vegetables remain quoted, and the only changes in the prices of meats, which were supplied in large quantities, was a reduction of 1c per pound for best lamb and a raise of 1c for mutton in the quarters Rough tallow now brings only &c per

Pouria.			
PROVISIONS.			
Jheese, perlb	12	0	13
Fere, single dozen	19	a	20
Butter, lb, large rolls or crocks	20	@	22
Hutter, pound rolls, retail	22	(4)	23
But'er, ereemery	25	0	26
Lard. per lb		0	12
WHOLESALE DEALERS	PRI	CES.	977
Eggs, store lots, doz	17	9	18
Butter, pound rolls, baskets	20	0	22
Butter, orook	20		21
Rutter, store lots	18		19
Briter, creamery, per lb	23	5874.3K.5	24
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POULTRY.			
Turkeys, per lb	8	01	
Geese, per lb	5		
Ducks, perpair	50		6
Chickens, spring, per pair	40	•	6
Hens, per pairFRUIT.	40	•	5
Appies, per bag	50		7
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Potatoes, per bag		0	40 35
Turnips, new, per l Celery, dozen Cabbage, per doz.		6	40 50
Onions, per bag Carrots	60	0	40 75 40
Parsnips. Savory and Sage. p Parsiey. per dog	er dos 15	0.00	2150
MEAT	BIDES, ETC.		
Mutton, quarters, p Lamb, quarter, Hides, No. 1, per lb Hides, No. 2, per lo Hides, No. 3, per ro	er lb 6 8 7	-	797657
Callekins, green Lamoskins. Wool, washed, per Wool, unwashed, p Tahow, rendered, p Tahow, rough	1b		60 15 10 5

ST. THOMAS MARKET. St. Thomas, Nov. 21.-Wheat, per bu, 63c; Oats, 23c to 25c; peas, 40c to 45c; barley, 35c; rye, 60c; feed corn, 50c to 60c; flaxseed, per cwt, \$3 25 to \$4; timothy seed, \$2 50 to \$2 60.

THE OIL MARKETS. PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 24.-Oil opened at PITTSBURG. Pa.. Nov. 23.—Oil closed at \$105. OIL CITY. Nov 23.—Oil—Credit balances. \$1.05: certificates, no bids; shipments, 86,205; average, 98.581; runs, 166.933.

ENGLISH MARKETS. Ruling prices for the past our market lays— The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest

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1	Walla	6	01/2	6	014	6	014	6	01/2
1	No. 1 Cal	6	3	6	3	6	3	6	3
1	Dec		11	5	111/8	5	115/8	5	11
	Feb		0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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	New	10	0	4	01/2	4	11/4	4	01/2
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	Oct		0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Nov		115%	1	03%	4	11/8	4	11/4
	Dec		115/8	1	01/4	4	07/2	4	038
	Jan	3	914	3	10	3	1034	3	103/8
3	Flour		374	20	0	20	0	20	0
	Peas		73/4	5	734	5	734	5	73/4
				72	0	72	0	72	0
	Pork, prime mess.		6	38		38	6	38	6
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THE DAIRY MARKETS.

MONTREAL, Nov. 23.-Cheese, 10c to Butter-Townships, 20c to 21c; western, 17c to 18c.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23 .- Butter quiet; ereamery, 19c to 26c; factory, 13c to 16c; June creamery, 18c to 231/2c; imitation creamery, 16c to 19c; state dairy, 16c to 24c. Cheese quiet; large Sept. fancy, 10%c; small Sept. fancy, 11c; large Oct. fancy, 10%c; small Oct. fancy, 101/2c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.-Butter dull; creamery, 13c to 25c; dairies, 121/2c to 22c. Cheese active, 10c to 11/2c. IROQUOIS, Ont., Nov. 23 .- At the cheese board today 422 colored and 15

white cheese were offered; about 250 sold on the board at 9%c; balance unsold at close. Adjourned for the sea-

AMERICAN MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Nov. 25. - December wheat, pressed by cables and Argentine shipments, closed %c lower today. Corn was quiet and closed easy, Nov. 1c and Dec. 1/2c down. Oats closed a shade lower and provisions 21/2c to 5c to 221/2c higher. Primary receipts of wheat aggregated 665,000 bu, compared with 966,000 bu last year. Minneapreported 474 cars, olis and Duluth against 482 last week and 700 a year ago. Local receipts were 152 cars, none of which graded contract. The seaboard reported 10 loads taken for export. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat 155 cars, corn, 430 cars, oats 145 cars, hogs 27,000 head.

The leading futures crosed as follows: Wheat Jan., 7 34c to 71½c. Ocn—No. 2 Nov., 44%c; Dec., 35 4c; May, 36½c to 36¾c. Oats—No. 2 Dec., 35 4c; May, 35% Cto 35% C. Oats-No. 2 Nov., 21% c; Dec., 21% May, 24% C. Mess Pork-Nov., \$11; Jan., \$12; May, \$1190. Lard -Nov., \$7 25; Dec., \$7 05; Jan., \$6 90; May, \$6 92%. Short ribs-Nov., \$7 75; Jan., \$6 35; May, \$6 37%. Cash quorations-Flour, dull Nov., \$7 25; Dec., \$7 05; Jan., \$6 90; May, \$6 92%. Short ribs—Nov., \$7 75; Jan., \$6 35; May, \$6 37%. Cash quorations—Flour, dull and unchanged. No. 3 spring wheat. 65% to 71c; No. 2 re., 71% to 73%c. No. 2 corn. 43c to 41c; No. 2 yellow corn, 44c. No. 2 white oats, 26% to 27c; No. 3 white, 24% to 27c. No. 2 rye. 45c. Barley, fair to choice malting, 56c to 69c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 69% to \$1 71; No. 1 Novement of \$171. Prime timethy seed \$1 10. Northwestern, \$171. Prime timethy seed, \$4 10 Lard. \$7 20 \$7 75. Dry to \$4 20. Mess pork, \$10 87% to \$11. Lard, \$7 20 to \$7 25. Short rib sides, \$6 75 to \$7 75. Dry salted shoulders, 5% to 69%. Short clear sides, \$6 85 to \$6 95. Clover, \$10. Eggs, quiet; fresh, 21c. RECEIPTS—Flour, 19.000 barrels: wheat, 85.000 bushels: corn, 262.000 bushels; pars, 131.

000 bushels: rye, 8,000 bushels; barley, 73,000 HPMENTS-Flour, 17,000 barrels; wheat, 338,000 pushels; corn. 32,000 bushels; oats, 25,-000 bushels; rye. 5,000 bushels; barley, 12,000

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

EAST BUFFALO, Nov. 23 .- Cattle-Unchanged; calves were in fair supply, light demand and lower; choice to extra, \$7 25 to \$7 50; good to choice, \$7 to \$7 50. Sheep and lambs-Better demand and higher: choice to extra, \$5 10 to \$5 25; good to choice, \$4 90 to \$5 10: Canada lambs, choice to extra, \$5 25 to \$5 35; good to choice, \$4 75 to \$5. Hogs-The hog market opened 5c to 10c higher, with 40 loads in, but closed with the advance lost; heavy opened \$5 05 to \$5 15; Yorkers, \$5; pigs, \$4 90; roughs, \$4 50 to \$4 60; stags, \$3 75 to the offerings were pretty cleaned up, but on the close Yorkers were quotable at \$4 95 and pigs at \$4 90. NEW YORK, Nov. 23.-Beeves-Receipts, 4.612; steers very dull and 10c to 20c lower; bulls and cows steady to a shade higher; steers, \$3 75 to \$5 35;

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begins and leaves off in thousands of people, who never suspect it. It isn't much more than a pimple-indeed it is a a pimple—lung pimple.

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bulls, \$2 25 to \$3 50; cows, \$1 10 to \$2 60; cables higher; shipments, 550 cattle, 1,080 sheep, and 4,260 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 144; veals dull; grassers slow and easy; veals, \$4 to \$5; grassers, \$2 25 to \$2 50; fed and mixed caives, \$2 75 to \$3 50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,306; sheep very slow and barely sheady; geed lambs a shade higher, others steady; sheep, \$2 to \$3 50; culls, \$1 50 to \$1 70; lambs, \$4 to \$5 15; extra, \$5 25; Canada lambs, \$5 to \$5 25; culls, \$8 to \$2 75. Hogs—Receipts, 4,366 pone for sale; nominally firm.

Toronto, Nov. 23,-Trade at western cattle market today was life-less, only a few loads of cattle were offered, and the bulk of these were cheap butchers and stockers. stock was not to be had, and best load on the market sold at \$3 65 per cwt. Total run was 45 loads, including 300 cattle, 1,040 sheep and lambs, 10 calves and 1,567 hogs. Export cattle—None offered, and prices nominally unchanged. Butchers' cattle-Business was practically at standstill; good cattle wanted, and top prices would have been paid for right stock; best sales were \$3 75 for a small bunch, and \$3 65 for load of fairly good cattle. Export bulls—No change in prices and good bulls still wanted. Feeders—Prices steady and unchangat \$2 50 to \$3. Stockers-Prices trifle better and \$3 per cwt paid for some of best lots. Feeding buills—Prices have improved, and best sell at \$3 per cwt; few offered, and there was not a heavy demand. Milch cows—Only a few were on market, and these were of medium quality; good milchers scarce and light; one sold for \$53; but this was an exceptionally fine beast. Sheep and lambs—Supply large, and trade more active; prices no better, however, and market was a great disappoint-ment to sellers; everything cleaned out, however; prices steady and un-changed, at \$2 to \$3 each. Hogs-Receipts very large, and prices held steady; it is even expected that an-other advance will be announced soon; selects quoted at \$5 50, and lights and fats at \$5 per cwt.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, Nov. 23.—Quotations for cattle here and at Liverpool remain steady and unchanged at 11c to 121/2c of Lord Builler of Ladysmith. per lb (dressed weight); sheep sell at 12c to 12%c per lb; refrigerator beef is 9%c to 9%c per lb.

HOSPITAL TRUST

No Important Matters Dealt With at Yesterday's Meeting.

In Col. Lewis' absence Mr. Thomas McCormick presided yesterday afternoon over a meeting of the hospital trust that was attended by T. H. Purdom, Q.C., James Gilmour, M.P., Mayor Rumball and Dr. Balfour,

Applications to be placed on the nuising staff were received from Florence E. Leslie, city; Annie Morris, Warwick; Ethel Bucknell, Ingersoll; Dorcas C. Cornell, Ridgetown, and Mrs. Mabel Smith, city. Since the last meeting, Nov. 5, 53

patients were admitted and 61 discharged, leaving 89 now under treatment. Six deaths occurred in the three Six nurses were reported on the sick list two being ill with typhoid. Mr.

McCormick thought this number larger than before the new hospital was built. While Dr. Balfour considered that this was not so, he said that the old administration building where 33 nurses had sleeping quarters was too much crowded, and suggested that the second story furnished to make

more accommodation.
Miss Louisa Robinson, Goderich, and Mrs. Mabel Smith, city, were reported by Miss Murray, lady superintendent, to be on probation.

An additional bath was ordered purohased. Fireman Rose, of the hospital, was given an increase of \$5 per month

salary. Donations were acknowledged from Mr. McCormick, Mrs. Yarker, Mrs. Edge, Mrs. Dewar, Mrs. Becher and the Misses Marshall, Labatt, White, Landon and Harris.

The Secret of Beauty.

A lady, while out calling on an intimate friend, who was noted for her beauty and also her remarkable composure in such trying positions hostess for large parties, found out her secret of success.

"Tell me, Mildred, dear, how is it that your drawing-rooms are always full of guests, and you move among them with so much elegance and ease, saying just the right word in the right place? Your 'At Homes' are all rage, and not to receive an invitation to your balls is almost a complete bar from society. Now, I often feel worried before a ball is over that I resolve to never go to any more, but the invitations keep coming in, and they are so tempting, and besides, it seems so rude to not attend, that day after day I go on in the same old way, until my life is almost a burden to me.

Well, Delia, it is the use of stimulants that make you feel that way."
"Why, Mildred! I never use liquors

of any kind!" "No, of course, not, Delia, but I have heard you say that you always drink strong coffee for both breakfast and luncheon, and very strong tea before going out to spend the evening. Now. that is where you make the mistake. The tea you drink draws upon your strength, and stimulates you to an unmatural degree. It polsons your system, and as the effect of it wears off, it leaves you in a weakened condition. subject to headaches. Coffee acts similarly to tea with you; besides, it gives such a sallow complexion and shatters the nerves. Now, take my advice, and stop using them at once, as I did when I found out they were injuring my "But, Mildred, you have not told me

what you use in their place?"
"I use the Caramel Cream Coffee, Defia. It is a beautifully ble ded mixture of grains, and is almost a food, instead of a drink. When well preparit is delicious. Extra bolling improves it. You can obtain it from any of the leading grocers, or send direct to the Battle Creek Health Food Company, of London, corner of Pall Mall Colborne streets.

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CAN FIX THEM

Salisbury Believes He Can Handle the Guerillas.

Lord Wolseley's Retirement Likely to Raise a Storm in Army Circles.

KITCHENER AND WOLSELEY. New York, Nov. 24.-Referring to the announcement that Gen. Kitchener has been recommended at the cabinet council for a lieutemant-generalship, in order to be able to take supreme command of the British forces in South Africa, the Tribune's London correspondent says that Lord Salisbury is firm believer in Kitcheners ability to put an end to the guerilla tactics of the Boers without erring on the side of lenlency. Meanwhile Lord Wolseley ed; several loads of heavy cattle sold is again reported to be extremely dissatisfied with the position which he holds of commander-in-chief, without any real authority, and it is said that he will not wait for Lord Roberts' return, but will retire next week.

> A GREAT STORM THREATENED. Respecting Lord Wolseley, a London dispatch to the New York Journal and Advertiser says: Wolseley, by his re-tirement, is going to raise a tremendous storm in army circles by an exposure of who is responsible for the blunders of the African campaign. His friends say he will quit in order to clear himself, having felt that he was being made a scapegoat of by the sins of the war office.

LORD BULLER OF LADYSMITH. Gen. Buller's home newspaper, the North Devon Herald, says it understands the general will be made a peer when the new year honor list is is-sued, and that he will assume the title

THE TROUBLE WITH TURKEY. Constantinople, Friday, Nov. 23. -United States Charge d'Affaires Griscom called yesterday upon Tewfik Pasha, minister for foreign affairs, to urge a settlement of the difficulty in relation to the granting of an exequatur to Dr. Thomas H. Norton. some time ago was appointed by President McKinley to establish a consulate at Harpoot. The porte, however, is firm in its refusal to grant the request for an exequatur.

Trustworthy information received from Constantinople by the London correspondent of the New York Tribune, shows that the reports that an American battleship will call at Smyrna on her way to the far east, and that there will be something like a naval demonstration for the purpose of influencing the Turk, are entirely unfounded, and no menace of this kind is intended.

MR. HAY'S NOTE

London, Nov. 24.—Secretary Hay's note appealing to the powers to devise measures to bring about an amicable and satisfactory settlement of the Chinese crisis has been received at the foreign office, but it has not yet been answered. The note points out that the difficulties of getting China to execute the punishments desired by the powers are so great as to make, in the opinion of the United States, this way of solving the crisis almost impracticable.

COLD WEATHER IN CHINA. Tien Tsin, Nov. 24, via Shanghai .-Transportation by boat to Pekin ceased yesterday, owing to ice in the river, and in future, until the railroad shall have been completed, the only method of transportation will be by wagon train, which will occupy three days in making the journey. It is announced that the railroad will be ready for operation by Christmas.

A German expedition, consisting of one regiment of infantry and two regiments of cavalry, left today to scour the surrounding country. The Japanese have beheaded two

Cold weather is causing much sickness among the Indian troops.

CUT HIS THROAT

Chatham Young Man Makes a Determined Attempt at Suicide.

Chatham, Ont., Nov. 24.-At an early hour Thursday Jasper Winters cut his throat from ear to ear at his own home. The wound exposed the jugular vein and the windpipe, but the pen-knife used, being blunt, missed pierc-

ing either.
Winters came here about two years ago from Seaforth, and was employed in the woolen mills. He had been in ill-health, and grew despondent. His fellow-employes noticed his peculiar actions at work, and he was taken home. A guard was kept on him, but

The would-be suicide was removed to the hospital, and the physicians think he has a good chance to recover. Mrs. Winters had her hands badly cut in an effort to take the knife from her husband.

A QUEBEC CONTEST. Lumbago briven Out Promptly by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Quebec, Nov. 19 .- Although Quebec is called "the Gibralar of America," and well deserves the name, it no means implegnable against assaults of kidney Disease. Fortunatery the inhabitants have an ally in Dodd's Kidney Pills that succeeds in driving the enemy out every time it

gains an entry.
Some time ago Mr. John Ball of No. 57 Little Champlain street was attacked with Lumbago. He suffered for two years without getting relief from any of the medicines he used. Then he tried Dodd's Kidney Pills, and the first box he used helped him. He used only three boxes, and is now well and strong in every way.

J. Callan, on whose property at Innerkip, Ont., gas is supposed to exist, speaks enthusiastically of the prospects for a well which will yield gas in paying quantities.

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I believe MINARD'S LINIMENT is the best household remedy on earth. MATTHIAS FOLEY. Oil City, Ont

EMPEROR NICHOLAS

Passed a Good Day Yesterday—His Condition is Good.

Livadia, European Russia, Nov. 24.—
The bulletin issued today on the subject of the exar's health was encouraging. It said: The coar passed a good day yesterday. He slept twice. His majesty's general condition is good. At 9 in the evening his temperature was 101.8; pulse, 72. The emperor slept well during the night. This morning his condition is perfectly eatisfactory. At 2 a.m. his tempera-

eatisfactory. At 2 a.m. his temperature was 100.6; pulse, 75."

New York, Nov. 24.—There is a growing feeling in England, says the Tri-bune's London correspondent, that the illness of the czar is more serious than official bulletins describe it. The action of the Holy Synod in ordering prayers throughout Russia is referred to as showing that great persons round the imperial, throne are not altogether satisfied with the course pursued by the disease from which the emperor is

Do Not Misquote Figures. Some advertisers are using the Inland Revenue Department's recent official report upon baking powders to show the comparative strength and qualities of these articles as they are sold in the Dominion. It is not fair, however, either to the analysts or to the public in making this use of the official figures that they should be misquoted, as it is alleged has been done

in some instances. The following figures are copied from the official report printed by the Canadian Government and show correctly, as per that document, the relative strength value of the baking powders named. The analyses in all cases were made by the government analysts: Per cent of available

leavening gas. 'Royal" (average of three highest

of three highest tests)..... These tests should set the baking powder question at rest.—Montreal Pharmaceutical Journal.

AROUND THE CITY.

-The services at Wellington Street Methodist Church tomorrow will be most interesting and instructive. Rev. Mr. Hamilton will preach and Mr. H. Ruthven McDonald will sing at both services, and by request will sing "King David's Lament" at the evening service.

-World-wide temperance Sunday will be observed in Dundas Center Methodist Church tomorrow morning. Addresses will be delivered by Mrs. May R. Thornley and Rev. Dr. Saunders. In the evening Dr. Saunders will continue the series of sermons on "Things That Shall Be Hereafter," his subject being "The Future Punishment of Sin." The choir will render a special programme of Sir Arthur Sullivan's music as a tribute to his life work in the cause of church music.

-Several very interesting and instructive addresses have been branches of the W. A. M. A. during the past week by Mrs. Hamilton, wife of Rev. Heber Hamilton, of Japan. At the union W. A. meeting in Cronyn Hall she appeared in native costume, and gave a graphic description of the life and customs of the Japanese. pleasing incident in connection with this meeting was the presentation of a life membership from the London branches to Mrs. Sage, diocesan treas-

-Mr. J. J. Gibbons, of Toronto, has been in the city this week in the in-terests of Vapo-Cresolene Company, one of the most extensive users newspaper space in America. Mr. Gibbons has control of the Canadian advertising, besides being their representative, and has had, even though a young man, more practical experience than the average newspaper man of his age. The advertising now appearing in the Canadian papers is original, tasty and judicious, and was designed by Mr. Gibbons.

-The Marks Bros. Company continue to play nightly to crowded and satisfied houses. The bill last night was the romantic comedy drama "The Celebrated Case," and it was presented in the capable manner that characterizes all Marks Bros. productions. The specialties, of which there is a change of bill nightly, are all bright and clean, and those presented by Carson and Willard are especially good. 'Cinderella is being presented at the matinee this afternoon, and "Dublin Dan," a rollicking Irish comedy, is underlined for tonight.

-The Wingham Advance says: To Wingham Epworth League, Monday evening, Private Chester D. McLaren, of South London, gave a sketch of his experience while in South Africa. He was a member of the first contingent of Canadian soldiers, and was wounded while in the firing line at the Modder River. Private McLaren was born in Wingham, but at present lives in London. He does not pose as a public speaker, but spoke for upwards of an hour and a half, and gave his hearers an interesting review of a soldier's life in South Africa, There was a large attendance, and quite an interest was manifested at the close, when he exhibited the various kinds of bullets used by the Boers.

-On Wednesday evening last, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. David Penwarden, 140 Rectory street, a quiet, but very pleasant event was celebrated, being the marriage of their second daughter, Lacy M., to Mr. Robt. M. Bright. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. H. A. Claris. The bride was charmingly attired in white organdie and carried a shower boquet of white roses. Little Retta Hoskins, cousin of the bride, as maid of honor, was prettily attired in white, and carried a basket of chrysanthemums. The wedding march was played by Miss Bright, sister of the groom. Among the many presents received was a very handsome clock from the London Engine Supplies Company, by whom the groom is employed. After partaking of the wedding supper, the happy couple, amid showers of rice and good wishes, left for their future home at No. 224 William street. PLEADED GUILTY.

James Connell, the boy charged with stealing from his employer, James Bradt, of Delaware township, was brought before Judge Edward Elliott this morning, pleaded guilty and was remanded for a week for sentence.

LONDON HORSE A PRIZEWINNER. In a New York pal er of recent date is found the following: A bunch of horses suitable to become hunters next occupied the judges' attention. First honor in this class went to Canada, the winner being Curfew Beile, a kakkanakanakanakanakanakanaka

chestnut mare owned by Miss Flor-ence Elliott, of Toronto. Mr. Adam Beck, of London, Ont., with Gold Spur, scored second honor also for the Eng-lish, and Mr. A. J. Cassatt, of Phil-adelphia, came in for third ribbon with Ruby.

SENTENCED TO FIVE TEARS FOR

STEALING. Fining a drunk #3 and sentencing a juvenile to five years in the reformatory for seesling trading stamps was the sum total of the police magis-trate's duties this morning.

MUST NOT DISFIGURE STREETS. City Engineer Graydon has issued circulars asking citizens to cease placisg boards on the streets notifying the public of amusements of notices regarding railroads, steamship com-panies, or any other matters. They disfigure the streets, and are contrary, to bylaw

FROM A MISSIONARY IN INDIA. Mrs. Gordon, of 730 Waterloo street, has received two letters from her niece, Miss Jean Gordon, a missionary at Wai, India, who recently spent a lengthy furlough with her. She left here on Aug. 22 last, sailing from New York three days later, and proceeding via Genoa and the Suez Canal, and arrived at Bombay on Oct. 6. From Wai, which is about 100 miles inland, Miss Gordon wrote on Oct. 12, telling of the hearty welcome accorded her on her return. The demonstration was so evidently from the heart that the missionary accepted it all with pleasure. Miss Gordon says that during her absence both of the schools under her supervision have grown, and there are now seven teachers. In her district the famine had not been severe and she hoped that good rains would come and insure the winter crops.

TORONTO MASONS ENTERTAIN

LONDON BRETHREN. A Toronto dispatch says: There was a large gathering at Georgian Masonic Lodge last night to greet about sixty brethren of St. John's Lodge. 209a, London, who came down on a special train to spend the evening. The third degree was exemplified according to the ritual of the Grand Lodge of Ireland, under which St. John's 2098 worked before coming under the Grand Lodge of Canada. Bro. C. Q. Morrow was the W. M. After a banquet the London men left for home on their special train.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

The Ladysmith Hotel.

Since Mr. Chas. Stevens, the wellknown hotel man, took charge of the Ladysmith Hotel on Clarence street, he has been improving the premises, until today it would be difficult to find in Ontario a more artistic or beautifully finished bar interior than his The walls are completely lined with mirrors, giving an impression of distance, and the beauty of effect is one that has been remarked by every visitors to the place since the change. The spotless cleanliness of the appointments commend the "Ladysmith" to the patronage of London citizens and visitors. The stock of wines, liquors, cigars, etc., is of the choicest.

Appointed to Office.

Young people desiring to improve their opportunities should take a ness Academy, 76 Dundas street. Every graduate of this academy is placed in a situation. Pupils may join the classes at any time Pupils joining in December will have an advantage over pupils who join at a later date. During past week Miss Lawrence, a graduate. placed as stenographer for E. Weld, Esq., barrister, this city.

Oriental Rugs. Splendid assortment of Genuine Oriental Rugs and Curtains will be offered by private sale at my office. 184 York street, Granite Block, com-mencing Monday, Nov. 19. This is an excellent opportunity. The

rugs are all new and of the best quality, and were consigned direct from India. I have also a small consignment of real Benares Brassware.

Everything will be offered at whole sale prices. WM. G. COLES, acting broker.

London to New York.

For New York, take the only through car line, Grand Trunk and Lehigh Val-The Lehigh has three stations in New York-uptown, near all first-class hotels, or downtown, near all European steamship docks, saving passengers for Europe a long and expensive transfer. Secure your tickets and Pullmans at Grand Trunk city or station ticket office.

Electric Turk sh Baths.

"Do not trade horses while crossing a stream" is a Yankee proverb. Do not let the opportunity slip of taking a good Turkish bath at 320 Dundas street, when it is needed, is a proverb. It often saves many a dollar and many a life.

W. F. Mellick, banker and cattle king, of Pocatello, Idaho, has become a raving lunatic by being sandbagged in Chicago.

WARRIOR WOES .- Through damp. cold and exposure many a brave sol-dier who left his native hearth as "fit" as man could be to fight for country's honor, has been "invalided home" because of the vulture of the battle ground-Rheumatism. South American Rheumatic Cure will absolutely cure every case of Rheumatism in Relief in six hours. Sold by C. McCallum & Co.



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TO-DAY'S MARKETS

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	Ask.	Off
Canadian Pacific	873/2	871/2
Duluth, common	51/4	078
Duluth, preferred	16	1374
Commercial Cable		1701/2
Com. Cable Coupon Bor	ads	100
Commercial Reg. Bond	8	100
Montreal Telegraph		166
Richelieu and Ontario .	108	10678
Montreal Street Bailwa	V275	2741/2
Montreal Street Railwa	y, new 2661/2	266
To: onto Railway	108	10174
Montreal Gas Company	200	1991/2
Rell Telephone		170
Royal Electric	203	20178
Bank of Montreal	260	259
Ontario Bank, xd		120
Molsons Bank	192	190
Merchants' Bank, xd	160	1551/2
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Quebec Bank		
Union Bank		
Bank of Commerce		
Northwest Land		.::
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NEW YORK STOCKS.

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Te-

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Pacific Mail 44	44	441/8	44	441/8	1
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Following are the fluct	CHICA uations	on the C	Chicago
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8 40 English Markets.

Wheat—Spot, firm; No. 1 Cal., 6s 2%d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 3%d; No. 2 red western winter, 6s; futures, quiet; Dec., 5s 11d; March, 68 1/4.
Gorn—Spot American mixed new steady;
48 3 1/4; futures, dull; Nov., 48 11/4; Dec., 48
1/4/2 Jan., 28 10 1/4 Canadian, quiet, 58 81/d.

Md: Jan., 5s 104d.

Pens - Canadian, quiet, 5s 84d.

Beef - Extra India mess, ensy, 69s; prime mess, nominal, 65s.

Pork - Prime mess, fine western, firm, 72s.
Flour - St. Louis fancy winter, steady 8s 6d.

Lard - American refined, in palis, quiet, 39s 9d; prime western, in tierces, steady, 38s 6d.

Hams - Short cut. 14 to 16 lbs, strong, 45s 9d.

Bacon - Cumberland cut. 23 to 20 lbs, strong, 45s 9d.

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Shoulders - Square, 12 to 14 lbs, strong, 33s 9d.

Tallow - Prime city, firm, 25s 3d; Australian in London, firm, 27s 6d.

Cottonseed oil - Hull refined, spot in bar-

Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot in bar-rels, quiet, 21s 6d.
Cheese—American finest white core ese - American finest white, easy, 51s 6d; do, colored, easy, 53s.

Butter—United States finest, quiet, 95s; do
good, quiet, 81s 6d.

Hops—At Lordon, Pacific coass, steady, £2 5s

Hops—At London, Pacific Coas, to \$35s.
Linseed oil—Firm, 32s 6d.
Turpentine spirits—Easy, 30s 3d.
Rosin—Common, steady, 4s 7 ½ d.
Petroleum—Refined, 7d.

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"It is a Cream of Tartar Powder, unadhiterated, containing no alum or phosphate.'

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Latest Weather Probabilities

Toronto, Nov. 24-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region: Easterly winds, increasing to gales; sleet or rain before night. Sunday-Wet and stormy.

ST ANDREW'S ANNUAL DINNER

Speakers of the Evening.

The management of St. Andrew's Society is preparing several treats for those who shall be present at the annual dinner in the city hall on the 30th inst. Among them will be a response to one toast by Mr. D. C. Fraser, the well-known and eloquent member in the Dominion Commons for Guysboro, N. S., from whom Secretary Mackenzie has just received a telegram signifying his intention of being present on this occasion. His subject will probably have to do with the colonizing procityities of the Scotch in all quarters of the globe.

WILL CASE RESUMED

Several More Witnesses for the Defense Called.

Miss Robinson Testifies That Mrs. Burkholder Stated That Her Relatives Would Get Nothing-The Drawing Up

The hearing of the Taylor-Davis will case was resumed this morning, before Mr. Justice Meredith, a small proved being in attendance. In the absence of Mr. Aylesworth, counsel for the plaintiffs, Mr. McEvoy acted in his stead in the conduct of the case for the plaintiffs.

Miss Robinson, South London, knew Mrs. Burkholder, the latter having boarded with her for about two years. Mrs. Burkholder went to witness' house in 1895, staying six weeks, then went again in October, 1897, and re-mained till her death. Mrs. Burkholder transacted all her own business arrangements with witness and all her own banking business. Mrs. Burkholder required no attendance from witness, and attended her own room until the time of her last illness. Mr. Davis did not call on Mrs. Burkholder oftener thian once a month, and not oftener than he visited other members of his congregation in similar circumstances. Witness knew of no efforts on Mr. Da-vis' part to influence Mrs. Burkholder. Witness never noticed any evidence of mental unsoundness in Mrs. Burkholder except her little peculiar ways. When Mrs. Burkholder showed coudness to any of her visitors, she afterwards told witness she did not want them around. Mrs. Burkholder's age at her death was 72 years 9 months. Witness remembered Mr. Davis bringing Mr. Fisher to her house, and introducing him to witness. Witness conducted Mr. Fisher to Mrs. Burkhotder, and the two were alone in the parlor while transacting their business. Witness was then called into the parlor, and there witnessed the signing of a document. Mrs. Burkholder signed it first, then Mr. Fisher, and witness signed it. Witness was told the document was Mrs. Burkholder's will. Mr. Davis did not see Mrs. Burkholder on the day of the drawing up of the will. Mr. Fisher took the will away with him, and witness did not see it till after Mrs. Burkholder's death. Witness is not a beneficiary under the will, but Mrs. Burkholder made her a present of \$1,400 after the drawing of the will. Mrs. Burkholder told witness she was leaving part of her money for the education of Mr. Davis' children. Mrs. Burkholder told witness she would not leave her relatives anything. To Mr. Cronyn witness said Mrs. Burkholder told her of Mrs. Trimier's

visit, and Mrs. Burkholder said she did not wish Mrs. Trinier to stay. In answer to a question by the judge, witness said that on the occasion when Dr. Piper sew.Mrs. Burkholder, and considered her out of her mind, Mrs. Burkholder was suffering from a se-

vere headache and was very ill. To Mr. McEvoy-Witness said she could not remember having any discussion with Dr. Piper as to the advisability of sending Mrs. Burkholder to an asylum. Witness was positive Mr. Davis was not in the room with Mr. Fisher and Mrs. Burkholder, though Mr. Davis swore in his examination that he had been present for a time. Mrs. Burkholder told witness she was giving her money to educate Mr. Davis' children, and witness told her she was doing right. Witness had never discussed the contents of the will with Archdeacon Davis. Witness had gone to Mr. Smith's to ask his advice as to whether she should accompany Mrs. Burkholder to Mr. Fisher's have her will made. Witness did not go to ask if it would be right for her to accept any money from Mrs. Burk-

holder.

A further lengthy cross-examination failed to elicit anything important. Mrs. Pope, sister of the previous witness, was living at her sister's house during the time Mrs. Burkholder lived there. Her evidence was corroborative of Miss Robinson's testimony. Speaking to winess, Mrs. Burkholde onice said of her relatives, "They'll never get fat on anything they get from me." Cross-examination failed to bring out anything of importance. Robert Grant Fisher, barrister, and one of the principal defendants, was the dast witness called. He had been Mrs. Burkmonder's legal adviser for years, having acted for her in selling some property in 1892. In 1896, she came alone to him, at his office, and had her will executed. This will, at her request, witness placed in his office vault, where it remained till after her death. Witness was next called by Mrs. Burkholder to prepare her will on May 3, 1899. The prevous day Archdeacon Davis came and said Mrs. Burkholder wished witness to draw her will. Wtness said he would go, and as he did not know Mrs. Burkholder's residence, he called for Archdeacon Davis on the way to Mrs. Burkholder's. Mr. Davis told witness he thought Mrs. Burkholder intended ieaving something to his children. Witness and Mr. Davis were shown in, and Mrs. Burkholder appeared. She said she wanted her will drawn, and Archdeacon Davis then left. Mrs. Burkholder then procured ink and a table for witness, and gave instructions as to disposal of her property. She said she wished her money to go to Anondeacon Davis' children, for their education, and she desired witness and Mr. Davis to act as exetors. Miss Robinson was then called to witness the execution of the will. Mrs. Burkholder told witness the names of the Davis children. There names of the Davis children. was nothing to indicate to witness that Mrs. Burkholder was not mentally well. She gave all her instructions intelligently. Witness did not ask Mrs. Burkholder if she had any relatives. D. C. Fraser, M.P., Will Be One of the tion afterward with Archdeacon Davis as to the contents of the will. After the will was executed, Mrs. Burkholder kissed Miss Robinson, and said to witness "I haven't remembered Miss Robinson in my will, but I intend to remember her in my lifetime." About a year before Mrs. Burkholder's death, Mr. Davis came to witness' office and said Mrs. Burkholder had been bothering him to take her property and agree to keep her for the rest of her lifetime. Mr. Davis asked witness' advice on the matter, and witness advised Mr. Davis

Mr. Davis. To Mr. McEvoy, witness said he was 45 or 60 minutes at Miss Robinson's house on the day the will was prepared. Mrs. Burloholder knew witness when she entered the room. The executors of the will have made no at-These Vape-Cresolene is used. All Druggists. | ter the deduction of the \$1,400 from the \$97.

that it would be unwise to accede.

witness never acted as a solicitor for

estate, the residue amounts to some thing over \$3,800. Nothing important was brought out in cross-examination.

Mr. Meredith read a portion of Mrs.

Helen Taylor's examination for disovery.
Mr. McEvoy announced that he wished to put in some evidence in re-buttal to that of Miss Robinson. It being 2 o'clock, court rose till 8, after which the case was resumed.

PAUL IN PARIS

The Boers' Ex-President Welcomed by a Great Crowd.

Queen Wilhelmina Sends Him a Kind Message-British Press Satisfied That the Kruger Hurrah Counts for Little.

PAUL IN PARIS.

Paris, Nov. 24.-Mr. Kruger arrived in Paris at 10:40 this morning, and was given a magnificent reception. The boulevards were crammed with vast crowds. A large escort of mounted municipal guards rode around Mr. Kruger's carriage.

WILHELMINA'S MESSAGE. The Hague, Nov. 24.-Queen Wilhelmina has sent a message to Mr. Krug-er saying that she is happy to learn that he has completed his voyage and is in good health.

TAILK IS CHEAP. New York, Nov. 24.—The English press is entirely satisfied with the ex-pressions of the Paris journals respecting the reception to Kruger, according to the Tribune's London correspondent. The enthusiasm of the crwds at Marseilles and elsewhere counts for little in comparison with the clear and emphatic declaration of the Paris press that nothing can be done for the Boers, and that Kruger's sincerest and most useful friends are those who tell him the simple truth. Kruger has been grateful for sympathy, but has also demanded overt acts on the part of the French Government. There is no chance that any European Government will intervene in South Africa and never has been since the failure of the American offer.

STUCKMAN'S FINGERS

Same on Both Hands.

W. E. Beckham, a corking heavyweight, of Burton, Kan., is in the live stock business. He did not need to pay much attention to the food he ate, until about two years ago an attack of the grip left him partially paralyzed. His experience with food is well worth reading.

"The third and little finger on each hand became partially paralyzed, and my spine was affected just below the back of the neck. This came from a severe attack of the grip two years ago. I almost entirely tost the use of my hands.
"This condition continued several

months, in spite of all kinds of baths and treatments. In the meantime my stomach, bowels, and digestive organs became affected and deranged. My liver seemed to have no more action than if I had no liver at all. No food of any kind tasted right, and I ran down from 210 pounds to 160.

if I had ever tried Grape-Nuts food. He told me that it was recommended as a brain and nerve food and that it was predigested.

"So I commenced the use of Grape-Nuts, and carried some in my pocket. Now and then when I felt hungry I would take some of the food into my mouth and allow it to melt before swallowing. The food has a delicious taste and I began to improve right away. In three days' time I was very much better.
"I continued the use of Grape-Nuts,

and continued to improve steadily. In a few weeks longer I was strong and had regained the use of my hands perfectly. In less than five months I was back to over 260 pounds, as you see me in the picture which I send. Am now 51 years old and never had better health in all my life. I passed a first-class medical examination about four months ago in a life insurance company. "My recovery to good health is sole-

ly due to the use of Grape-Nuts food. As a brain and nerve food, there is nothing equal to it. You can use any part of this letter, and I hope it may lead some unfortunate invalid to health.

All Lost.

Seven Islands, north shore, 300 miles from Quebec, reports the complete wreck of the coasting steamer Olaf, Capt. Lemaistre, of Quebec. It is supposed all on board were lost. crew numbered about 20; number of pasengers unknown.

AWFUL - EXPERIENCE WITH REART DISEASE .- Mr. L. J. Law. Toronto, Can., writes: "I was so sorely troubled with heart disease that I was unable for 18 months to lie down in the lest I smother. After taking one dose of Dr. Agnew's Heart Cure. retired and slept soundly. I used one bottle and the trouble has not returned. Sold by C. McCallum & Co. 99

Reliable English Watches.

For several issues past our Saturday edition has contained an advertisement of the H. White Watch Manu-facturing Company of Manchester, England. This English firm is one of high repute in England, and in plac-ing this advertisement in Canadian papers they do so in the endeavor to secure a portion of the watch trade of this country.

A large number of cheap American watches are annually sold in Canada, and no doubt a fair share of this trade now be extended to Messrs. White & Co.

They are now advertising a special English lever, called "The Canadian," with a solid silver case, for \$12 50, the ordinary retail price for which is \$25. Every watch is guaranteed a reliable timekeeper, and is sent to each address in perfect order. If not satisfactory the money will be refunded if the watch is remailed within seven days after receiving it. These watches bear a world-wide reputation, and it will pay those who wish to produte a good timekeeper to read the advertisement in another part of this issue. For the holiday season there is ample time to send to England and receive a watch before Christmas.

James P. Hunt & Sons'

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In a Slightly Improved Condition-Received Last Rites of the Church.

Montreal, Que., Nov. 24.—Sir Adolphe Caron, whose condition became so serious last night at the Royal Victoria Hospital that the last rites of the Roman Catholic Church were administered, was somewhat improved this morning.

Sir Adolphe is suffering from an affliction of the stomach.

CONSERVATIVE CONVENTION. Toronto, Nov. 24. - It has been practically decided that a convention of the Conservatives of Ontario shall shortly be called together by Mr. J. P. Whitney, leader of the Ontario opposition, to formulate a platform for the

A very pleasant event occurred on

provincial campaign of 1902. DEMDIMAN-JARMAIN.

Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 21, at the residence of Mr. Henry Jarmain, of Caradoc, when his second eldest daughter, Liffie, was happily united in marriage, to Mr. Lawrence Deadman. of Delaware, by Rev. Mr. McVitty, of Dellaware. At the hour of 2 o'clock while the wedding march was being played by Miss Lillie Arthur, the bride entered the drawing-room, charmingly attired in white organdie, carrying a large bouquet of bridal roses. was attended by her sister, Miss Emily Jarmain, who were white organdie. and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Mr. William Deadman, brother of the groom, was best man. The wedding gifts formed a most beautiful collection, being both numerous and costly, showing the high esteem in which both the bride and groom are held by the many friends and relatives. Those present numbered about 50. After the ceremony the guests adjourned to the dining-room and partook of the ele-gant dinner. About 5 o'clock the happy couple left for the east, amid showers of rice, accompanied by the best wishes of all present.

-Mr. William Stincombe, of 33 York street, gave a dancing party last evening in honor of his guest, Mr. Leonard Miller.

-Mr. Roadhouse, socialist candidate in London, Ont., in the general election, forfeited his deposit of \$200, not polling half the votes of the successful condidate.—Ottawa Journal.

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WANTS A REST

Deputy Minister of Public Works Asks for Superannuation.

[Special to Advertiser per C. P. R.] Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 23.-A. Gobeil, deputy minister of public works, has applied for superannuation. He has been in the department since 1872.

COAL GAS!

Half a Dozen Narrow Escapes From Death-One Fatality.

Adrian, Mich., Nov. 24 .- The three daughters of Andrew Roesch, of this place, had a narrow escape from asphyxiation by coal gas. One of the

girls was unconscious for hours. Detroit, Nov. 24.—A. Cushman Bishop, a civil engineer, living at 277 Greenavenue, all alone, was found dead in his house yesterday. It was unquestionably a case of suffocation from coal gas, and it is supposed that

It happened accidentally while Bishop was attempting to fix his stove. Woodstock, Nov. 24.—Coal gas was responsible for a whole family at Woodstock being overcome the other Mr. Cowel, of Bain street, his wife and three children narrowly escaped death from asphyxiation. All were rendered very ill from the effects

of the fumes, but under medical treatthey are coming around all right. about 4 o'clock one of the children fell out of bed, overcome by the escaping gas. Mr. Cowel went to the child's assistance, and fell to the floor. An uncle in another room escaped any ill effects, and he immediately aroused the two other children. They, too, were prostrated. Mrs. Cowel was also in a bad way. The uncle aroused some of the neighbors, and when they arrived they found the whole family in a semiconscious condition. A doctor was sent for, but it was a long time before they

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THE WORLD OF SPORTS

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Watford Club Officers-Annual Meetings of Lucknow and Hensall Curling Clubs.

> THE TURF. AT WASHINGTON.

Washington, Nov. 23.-Ideal racing weather, a well-balanced card, and a desire to see the mare Imp run, drew another large crowd to the Bennings race track today. Track was in per-fect condition. Althea, 10 to 1 shot, won out by a head in the first, and in the second, Cherries, the favorite, led a big field to victory. The 7-furlong race had 12 starters. Leon Ferguson, the favorite, won easily by six lengths. Imp disappointed her backers in the handloap. She was a strong favorite at almost even money, but First Whip beat her out by a head. There were four starters. Summary:

Fist sace, selling, 1 mile and 50 yards-Althea 1, Rare Perfume 2, Sir Fitzhugh 3. Time, 1:47. Second race, 2-year-olds, selling.

furlongs-Cherries 1, Alzora 2, Obliged 3. Time, 1:03%. Third race, maidens, 7 furlongs-Leon Ferguson 1, Mordelma 2, Old Tank 3.

Time, 1:29%. Fourth race, 2-year-olds, 6 furlongs McAddie 1, Sadie S. 2, Robert Waddell 3. Time, 1:15%.
Fifth race, 1 mile and 40 yards—Eve-

lyn Byrd 1, Spurs 2, Beverage 3. Time Sixth race, handicap, 1 mile and 100 yards-First Whip 1, Imp 2, Asquith 3.

Time, 1:49% INVESTIGATION STILL IN PROG-RESS.

London, Nov. 23 .- Contrary to its expectation, the racing calendar yesterday did not give the decision of the stewards of the Jockey Chub in the case of the charges brought by Lord Durham against Lester Reiff, the American jockey, and it was learned that the investigation is still in progress. LACROSSE.

Good headway is being made with the preparations for the lacrosse club's big smoker to be held in the city half on Friday, Nov. 30. A long programme of first-class attractions will be provided, which will include two exhibitions of sparring by London's cleverest amateurs, and a three-round bout between "French Pete," of Montreal, and "Dusty Dick," of Detroit. A special dispensation has been secured from Police Magistrate Love, and the hoboes will be guaranteed a safe conduct to and from the hall on the night of the gathering. Valuable prizes will be given for the cleverest imitation of a genuine tramp, and a special prize will be awarded to the club sending the best, or rather worst, looking aggre-

> FOOTBALL. DECIDING GAME TODAY.

Toronto, Nov. 24. - The Canadian championship and a goodly share of the gate receipts will go to the winner of today's game at Rosedale city teams. The teams are in fine fettle, and the match promises to be the most exciting and hardest contested of the season. The Ottawa men are 5 to

HOCKEY.

THE WATFORD CLUB OFFICERS. At the annual meeting of the Wat-ford bookey club the following officers were elected: Honorary president, Dr. Gibson; president, T. L. Swift; vicepresident, F. A. Mann; secretary treasurer, C. A. Class; executive con Mann; secretarymittee, Dr. Kenward, E. Brown, C. Howden J. Radigan, D. Alexander; manager, H. W. W. Taylor.

NORTHERN ASSOCIATION FORMED.

Barrie, Nov. 23 .- The Northern Hockey Association was organized here last night, Alliston, Barrie, Colling-wood, Newmarket and Midland being represented at the meeting. All were enthusiastic over the proposed league, believing that it would benefit the game in this district greatly. The officers are: President, W. A. Boys, Barrie; first vice, D. L. Darroch, Collingwood; second vice, R. F. White, Midland; secretary, Dr. Clark, Newmar-ket; treasurer, Dr. MacLaren, Barrie. The executive will be composed of one member from each club. A schedule will be drawn up shortly.

· WHEEL. THAT SIX-DAY RACE.

New York, Nov. 23 .- In last night's ycle racing at Clermont avenue rink, Miss Brandon pulled up one dap on Miss Gast, and during the next ten miles gained another lap, making her at that time even with the leader, Miss Gast. In the second hour Miss Gast made a spurt, and Miss Brandon was pocketed. Several of the other riders interfered. In consequence Miss Gast gained a lap, which Miss Brandon was unable to get through the interference. The score: Miss Gast, 319 miles, 3 laps; Miss Brandon, 319 miles, 2 laps; Mrs. Lindsay, 314 miles, 8 laps; Miss Davis, 311 miles, 4 laps; Mrs. Bayne, 307 miles, 16 laps; Miss Pethard, 249 miles, 7 laps.

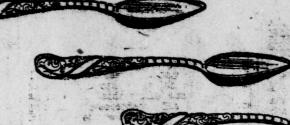
CURLING. THE LUCKNOW CLUB. A meeting of the Lucknow Curling

Club was held the other evening, and was largely attended. The treasurer's report showed that the receipts of the club last year were \$84 95, and the expenditure \$81 55, leaving a balance in the treasury of \$3 40. The report was unanimously adopted. The following officers were then elected: Patron, R. E. Truax, M.P.P.; patroness, Mrs. R. E. Truax; honorary president, John Tolmie, M.P.; honorary vice-president, J. D. Nichol: chaplain, Rev. C. H. Owen; president, T. F. Cain; vice-president, M. Corrigan; secretary, Jas. Bryan; treasurer, George A. Siddall; committee of management, the four skips and D. B. Forester; skips, James Bryan, P. A. Malcolmson, W. Allin and J. G. Murdoch: representative mem-bers, John Malcolmson and J. G. Mur-

HENSALL CLUB. At the annual meeting of the Hensall Curling Club the following officers were elected: Patron. G. McEwen, M. were elected: Patron, G. McEwen, M. P.; chaplain, Rev. J. S. Henderson; honorary president, S. Smillie and D. Robinson; president, C. A. McDonell; first vice-president, R. Bonthron; second vice-president, G. F. Arnold; secretary-treasurer, W. McKay; committee of management, J. Steacy, M. El-wood, A. Scruton, F. Smallacombe, J. McArthur, G. Joynt, L. Scott, T. Brintnell; skips, senior, C. A. McDonell, R. nell; skips, senior, C. A. McDonell, R. Bonthron, J. Steacy, G. F. Arnold, E. Scruton, Dr. Sellery, M. Elwood, F. Smallacombe, A. Taylor, W. McKay.

SPORTING NOTES. A FAMOUS GOLFER DEAD. Mr. Gilbert Mitchell Innes, who died

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last week, was widely known as one of the finest golf players in Scotland, and he had been an enthusiastic supporter of the game ever since he came of age in 1844, when he joined the old North Berwick club. He was a son of Mr. Mitchell Innes, of Ayton and Whitehall, a "laird" of the old school, who was also a renowned golfer in his day. Mr. Gilbert Mitchell Innes carried off, over and over again, all the medals and other prizes which were to be won in Scotland, and he was unrivaled as a match player.

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The labor department at Ottawa is endeavoring to have the Labor Gazette sold at the large book stores, where workingmen can secure single copies. J. D. King & Co., the shoe men, are negotiating to end a long-standing

dispute with union workmen. The street railway associations have but one strike on their hands at the present time," W. D. Mahon, president of the international organization, tells the Detroit News. "That strike is away down in Key West, where the company wants to go back to the old 'swing' system and reduce wages. The men have refused to accept the reduction, and a strike is the result."

FAVORS COMPULSORY ARBITRA-TION. The industrial commission at Wash-

ington examined Thomas P. Rixey, labor commissioner of Missouri and Mr. James P. Reynolds, of New York. Mr. Rixev's testimony included a de-

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tailed account of the St. Louis street car strike, which he said never had been declared off. Mr. Rixey advocated a compulsory arbitration law. SWEATSHOP EVILS.

Mr. James P. Reynolds, head worker

of the university settlement of New York, testified as to the redemption of the slums of New York, to which purpose the society is devoted. Mr. Reynolds also contributed considerable information concerning the sweatshops of the east side. He attributed the recent general failures of large establishments to the sweatshop competition. He had investigated one instance of 125 workmen, four of whom were working regularly 20 hours per day, six of them 18 hours, and others less time, ranging down to 10 hours per day. In cases of long-continued daily service the wages were not increased commensurately with the time put in by the workers. In many cases the workrooms are used for sleeping apartments, and a large percentage of the quarters are in an unsanitary condi-tion. Mr. Reynolds said that there was much typhus and also tuberculosis in the sweat shops. Garments were often thrown upon the dirty floors, and when Gov. Roosevelt, who investigated the question, visited the quarters he found the goods stored in a back room occupied by a man in the last stages of tuberculosis. The witness expressed the opinion that fourfifths of the garment work in New York is done in the sweat shops. An establishment on Fifth avenue was as apt to employ these agencies else-where, and the style of a garment was no guarantee against the place of its

From Near-by Places

Walter Scott, the newly-elected member for West Assimiboia, is a native of the township of East Williams Glencoe Transcript: The death occurred on Thursday, after a short lil-ness, of Mr. Michael Dean, one of our esteemed citizens, in his 77th year. Mr. Dean was a native of Ireland. When a young man he came to America and occupied a position for about ten years with the wholesale drug firm of Chas. Miner & Son. Then for 20 years he served on the New York city police force as sergeant. He came to Glencoe about 20 years ago, and bought the farm adjoining the village, where he has since resided. He leaves a wife and family of three sons and four and family of three sons and four-daughters. The sons are William, of New York, and Matthew and Charlie at home; the daughters, Mrs. Algeo, of New York; Mrs. Richard Stinson, of Detroit, Mrs. E. T. Huston, of Glencoe, and Miss Maggie, at home. Mr. Dean belonged to the Masonic fraternity, under whose auspices the funeral was conducted. The sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. McTavish, pastor of the Glencoe Methodist Church, of which Mr. Dean was a consistent member.

Mr. Benjamin Wood, one of the oldest, if not indeed the very oldest, resident of London township, died at his home on lot 7, con. 12, in the township yesterday. Deceased was born only three concessions from where he died on the 9th con., and he lived to the ripe old age of 77 years. Deceased was one of the sturdy men who are a blessing to any country, and particularly to one such as Middlesex in Canada was when Benjamin Wood first saw it, and for years afterward. He held the highest esteem of all in the community, and he was widely known. A numerous family survive.

BELMONT

Belmont, Nov. 23.-On Wednesday evening last at the home of Miss Ken-nedy, of our village, Miss Ida Waun, daughter of Mr. Wm. Waun, and Mr. Miles Day, of Thamesford, were unit- iver 373, P. Smith 364, M. Mullin 341, W. ed in marriage by Rev. H. D. Moyer, Ford 323, M. Hunter 322, F. Sweet 806, ywt&w

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pastor of the Methodist Church. The bride was tastefully attired in white organdie. At the close of the ceremony the guesks, to the number of 60 or more, sat down to a sumptuous wedding dinser, after which the evening was spent with music and games. Among those present were guests from Thamesford, St. Thomas, Banner, Parkhill, Marys and Thorndale. The bride is most highly esteemed among a large circle of friends, who unite in wishing her and her husband every happiness in life. The presents were numerous and valuable.

GLANWORTH

Glanworth, Nov. 24.-The following | Mills, principal. is the result of the promotion and review examination held in school section No. 18:

Marks required to pass from class III. to class IV.,375; marks obtained by class IV. (review)—Eva Johnston 574, James O'Brien 574, Clistia McDonnell 529, Frank Coughlin 429, David John-

Marks obtained by class III. (promotion)—Ella Smith 519, Cyril Coughlin 455, William O'Brien 426, Roy Smith 396. Leo Johnston 231. Promoted from junior II. to senior II.-Gertrude Hawkshaw 245, Eva Rit-

chie 235. Ella McDonnell 218. Promoted from senior part II. to junfor II-Constance Hawkshaw, Eva Promoted from part I. to part II .-Gerald Coughlin, Maud Coughlin,

DORCHESTER STATION.

Dorchester, Nov. 24.-The results of the semi-annual promotion examinations held in Dorchester public school on Nov. 14, 15 and 16, are as follows: Junior III .- D. Munroe 433, J. Hayes 396, A. Andrews 394, J. Hunt 380, C. Ol-iver 373, P. Smith 364, M. Mullin 341, W.

G. McCann 308. Number of marks required for promotion, 275. Senior III.-M. Sutherland 463, G. Dickinson 440, W. Munroe 414, W.Hunt 409. L. Daw 385, E. Tallack 384, M.Ray

350, A. Robbins 330.

Junior IV .- G. Smith 516, A. Armour 473, H. Neely 470, T. Barry 465, W. Ri-chardson 450, C. Walker 425. Number of marks required to promotion, 400. Junior Department.—Promoted from class II. to class III., 270 marks required for promotion to class III. -Wendell Carrothers 326, Carrie Budden 290, Fred Hunt 275, Charlie Williams Charlie Wilson 263, Frank Hayes 254, Cela Webster 239, Joe Baker 220, Cecil Guest 191, John Richardson 187,

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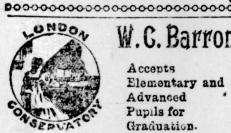
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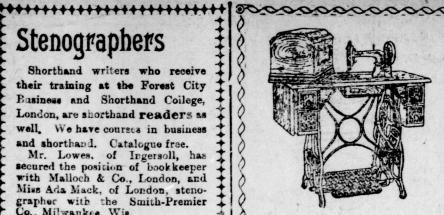
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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Nov. 23-8 p.m.-A moderate western gale has prevailed today Maritime Provinces, and a strong northwest gale is now blowing on the gulf. The weather continues very cold in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories, and from present in-dications wet, stormy weather is probable in the lake region. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 38-52; Calgary, 26 below-10 below; Prince Albert, 28 below-4 below; Winnipeg, 18 below-zero; Port Arthur, 2-24; Toronto, 36-44; Montreal, 32-42; Quebec, 24-38; Halifan, 32-52.

Local temperatures .- The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory here on Friday, Nov. 23, were: Highest, 54°; lowest, 30.5°. Today (Saturday) the sun rose at 000000000000000000000000 7:22 a.m., and sets at 4:46 p.m. The moon rises at 9:26 a.m., and sets at

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A LOCAL BUDGET.

NOTHING IN A NAME. A rose by any other name would smell A joke by any other name would be

A joke by any other man would be as fleet.

And ice by any other name would be

-Mr. R. W. Clark, of Fredericton, N. B., is in the city. -Mrs. A. A. Browne, of Montreal, is visiting friends here. -Miss Lizzie Wilson,

visiting in Wingham. -The London fire department were photographed yesterday. -Miss Nonna Piper, of this city, is a guest at her grandparents', at Leam-

-Tomorrow at St. Paul's Cathedral the collections will be for the choir boys. -Miss Mamie Young, of this city,

the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hill, -The trees on the court house prop erty have received a much needed trimming.

-Mrs. P. McInnis, of this city, is very ill at the residence of her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Dyer, of Belmont. -The erection of the Electric Con-

struction Company's new factory on Dundas street is proceeding expediti--Mr. John Doan has purchased a house and lot in Belmont South from

Mr Neil J. Brown, of this city. The price paid was \$300. -Mr. James Rogers, of Belmont, who is ettending the Medical College, has been very ill during the past week,

but is improving. -At Trinity Church, Mitchell, to-morrow, Rev. G. B. Sage, B.A., rector of St. George's Church, West London, will preach morning and evening.

-Top Gallant, the dog owned by Mr. H. M. Graydon, of this city, won the Derby stake of the North American Field Trials Club this week. -The London football team went to

Montreal last night, leaving here at 5:20 by the G. T. R. Frank Reid, Fisher and Jack Gilmour did not accompany

-Watford Guide-Advocate: Frank L Reed was in London on Tuesday, consulting Dr. Wishart about his arm, which was injured in a fraternal society initiation.

-A building permit has been issued to Mr. Alex. Smith for the erection of a two-story brick residence on the

south side of King street, between Waterloo and Collborne. -Rev. S. F. Beddow, who has supplied for Dr. Sowerby during his illness, will again occupy the pulpit of the Talbot Street Baptist Church to-

morrow morning and evening. -Mr. and Mrs. Wallace, of 372 Adelaide street, who have been respected citizens of this city, are leaving for Milwaukee next week, Mr. Wallace having secured a good position there.

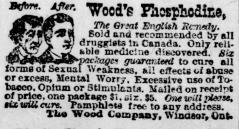
-Mr. Chris Fitzgerald, the wellknown starter, who has been lying very ill at the residence of his fatherin-law, Mr. Phillip Cook, 459 Colborne street, is now improving steadily, and his speedy recovery is looked for.

-The Windsor Record of Tuesday evening says: As the Grand Trunk express from the east, this noon, was approaching Walkerville, about two miles out, a board about six feet long and six inches wide, came crashing through a window in the parior car. There were only two occupants of the car, Mr. Pundom, contractor, London, and a young lady. The board passed close to the head of the lady, and the broken glass was thrown upon her. She escaped unlart. The railway offi-cials are investigating the matter.

PTE. JACK HYMAN HOME. Pte. Jack Hyman is being cordially welcomed by his friends upon his return from South Africa. He is in fine health and for many reasons is glad that he became a member of the first contingent. He was with the regiment in all its engagements up to Aug. 11. They had been pursuing Dewet, and were on the second march to Pretoria. when Hyman fell into the Vaal River. He was unable to get a change of clothing, and the cold that he caught developed into pneumonia. He gives unstinted praise to the British regiments

POST YOURS CAREFULLY. While in conversation this morning

a postorfice official said that it was surprising that so many people con-



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Dissolution of Partnership.

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143 Dundas Street.

tinue to be so foolish in regard to posting mail matter. He spoke esof the custom of leaving parcels on top of the street letter boxes. They get wet and are frequently stolen, "and another thing," he added, "the contents are often taken from parcels. A case of this kind happened alt the corner of Simcoe and Colborne streets yesterday morning. The pub-lic should be careful to fully prepay newspapers. If this is not done for those addressed to the States, they never get far her than the postoffice waste paper basket. Those for Canada are charged double rates at their destination." It would be well to remember these points.

ST. THOMAS MERCHANT'S EX-PERIENCE.

C. H. Hepinstall, of St. Thomas, advertised extensively from fifteen to twenty years ago, then tried the experiment of doing business without advertising. In speaking of the result of the latter he says: "The experiment proved expensive, regardless of our apparent success, and will not be re-peated. During this period we studied the interests of our patrons in every possible manner, and paid spot cash for stock, to secure the best possible values at all times. In doing the latter we often found staple as well as fancy goods, in large lots, seek ing ready cash at prices which would engine us to place them in the hands of our patrons at and below factory After securing lots of this class at exceptional values we invariably lost valuable time in disposing of them by not being able to communicate the facts quickly to our patrons."

ASKING A NEW TRIAL. The following reference to an appeal case, in which a young Londoner is interested, appeared in the last issue of the Duluth Sunday Leader: The Duluth Street Railway Company has made application to the district court for a reversal of the verdict in the personal injury suit brought against the company by Fred J. Fewings, in which the jury found a verdict grant-ing Fewings \$4,400. Failing in a motion to give judgment, notwithstanding the verdict, the company asks for a new trial. The motion for judgment is on the ground that the evidence does not establish the company's negligence, and the further ground that it shows contributory negligence on the part of the defendant. A separate set of grounds, four in number, is urged as a reason why there should not be a new trial if the motion for judgment, notwithstanding the verdict, is not granted. The first three grounds are the usual ones of errors occurring at the trial, etc., and the fourth is that the verdict is excessive, and appears to have been given under the influence of passion and prejudice.

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By Ex-Pupils of the Sacred Heart Convent-Religious Festivities in Connection With the Centenary of the Order.

The centenary of the great Cathohe Order of the Sacred Heart was honored Thursday evening at the Sacred Heart Convent. Many ex-pupils, the Children of Mary and clergy were in attendance. They evinced particular interest in the ex-pupils' presentation of an address, accompanied by \$250 in gold, to his londship the Bishop, who was accompanied by Rev. Fathers Aylward and Traher. Miss Maud Regan read the address, and the gift was presented by little Dorothy Burns and Marie Wilson. Afterwards Miss Stella Regan sang the "Ave Maria," and music was rendered by Mrs. Burns on her harp, Miss Gleeson on the violin, and Miss Maud Regan on the piano. Bishop McEway returned thanks to those who gave the gift, both for him-self and on behalf of the reverend mother. He praised the splendid work that is being done by the nuns, and admonished the pupils to be models of meekness and humility, courage and

Eight young ladies presented artistic tableaux "Mary in the Temple," for which the beautiful representation of the temple was hand-painted by the nuns. The guests were entertained to luncheon, and at 6 o'clock Rev. Father Aylward gave the benediction of the blessed sacrament.

During the afternoon the orphans of Mount Hope were given an enjoyable time at the convent, where they gave a gun the weapon was discharged, and

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bouquet of one hundred beautiful roses his mother and two sisters seriously to the nuns. They were dined, and wounded.
given toys and candies. When they returned to the orphanage each carried a

dainty nightgown.

At the convent today a solemn mass was performed for the deceased members of the order, ex-pupils and benefactors. This afternoon the pupils of the separate schools, the St. Ann's Society and the Consolers of Mary are being entertained, and the programme of the previous day repeated.

HEADS BLOWN OFF!

Hunting Fatalities Reported From Widely Separated Points.

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 24. — Peter Graff, of Edmonton, accidentally shot and killed himself while out hunting. He was pulling his gun out of his rig by the muzzle, when it discharged. He was a Galician, aged about 28, and un-

Churchill, Ont., Nov. 24.-A painful accident happened near here yesterday afternoon to E. V. McKinstrey, of Bradford, who, in company with several other young men, went to the swamp shooting. Mr. McKinstrey was in the act of closing the slide on his gun, when suddenly it struck a twig, causing the gun to go off, sending a full charge of No. 6 shot into his left

Menominee, Mich., Nov. 24. — The Herald of this city says that so far this season 10 hunters have been killed and 12 wounded in the upper peninsula. Two others are missing. Clayton, Mich., Nov. 23. - Religh Adams, aged 18, while hunting climbed a tree to shoot rabbits, when a dog drove them from a swamp. The gun

was accidentally discharged, blowing the top of his head off. McBain, Mich., Nov. 23.-Tom Hiller

Rudolph Baumgutt met with a similar experience. He was unloading his weapon in his store when it went off. The charge of shot barely missed the

head of a clerk and bored a hole

through a pile of eleven fine overcoats Adrian, Mich., Nov. 23. - Ralph Aldams, a farmer in Dover, was found dead under a tree with the top of his head blown off. He was hunting.

Western Ontario.

Rev. J. R. Phillips and wife, of St Thomas, who were married on the 21st of November, 1850, were at home at their residence, 88 Moore street from 3 to 8 p.m., on Wednesday, Nov. 22, 1900. the 50th anniversary of their wedding day. Upwards of 75 invited guests werd present. Besides those from the city there were present, Mrs. Wm. Reece and Miss Hattle Reece, of Pelham, Ont., daughter and granudaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips; Mr. and Mrs. John Sutton, Union; Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Brownlee, Nilestown; Mrs. Betsy Allen, Aylmer; Mr. and Mrs. John Curtis, Middlemarch; Mrs. Cogshill and her daughter, Mrs. Cummings, Los Angeles, Cal., and Mrs. A. Diltz, of Deroit. A large number of useful and valuable presents were received by Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, among them being a handsome chair for each from the quarterly official board of the Central Methodist Church.

THERE ARE CASES OF CON-SUMPTION so far advanced that Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup will not cure, but none so bad that it will not give relief. For coughs, colds and all affections of the throat, lungs and chest, it is a specific which has never been known to fail. It promotes a free

went hunting yesterday and got back and easy expectoration, thereby re-without any mishap. In unloading his moving the phlegm, and gives the diseased parts a chance to heal

Powers Can't Agree Regarding **Punishment**

Of Chnexious Chinese Leaders-London Times' Sharp Comment on Secretary Hay's New Note.

DISAGREEMENT.

London, Nov. 24 .- "A serious divergence has arisen in Pekin," says the Tien Tsin correspondent of the Daily Mail, wiring Wednesday. "Japan, the United States, Russia and France favor demanding a milder punishment than the execution of Prince Tuan and the other, while Great Britain, Germany, Austria-Hungary and Italy deem anything less than the death penalty useless." An important decision has been arrived at, however, that this divergence is not to interfere with the general peace negotiations. Another remarkable feature of the situation is the sudden volte face of Russia, who now declines either to withdraw her troops from the Province of Chi Li or to hand over the

railway, as promised. ANOTHER NOTE.

Washington, Nov. 24.—Secretary Hay reported that the Chinese situation was progressing favorably, but beyond this bare mention the Chinese matter received no attention at yesterday's meeting of the cabinet.

The secretary of state has addressed an identical note to the powers interested in the Chinese situation, setting out tersely and afresh the object of the United States Government as to China, and pointing out how such objects as are common to the powers can best be secured. The note marks the initiation of fresh negotiations on America's part on the arrangement of new bases to tide over the impossible situation created at the last meeting of the ministers in Pekin. Some responses already are at hand, and it is stated that generally the United States advances have been well received.

THE TIMES' COMMENTS. London, Nov. 24.—The Times this morning comments editorially in a somewhat incredulous tone upon Secretary. Hay's fresh not to the powers, saying that "it cannot imagine Secretary Hay as objecting to the French proposals." It admits, however, that so far as outsiders can form an opinion, "the United States appears to be the leading obstacle to the working of the concert of powers in China." With reference to Wing Tu Fang's speech in Cincinnati, promising the United States better commercial chances when peace is restor-ed, the Times says: "We would not ed, the Times says: "We would not advise Chinese ministers in Europe to venture upon such a line of argument, as there are countries where such a gross proposal would be resented as an injury."

SEEM TO AGREE.

terview yesterday with Baron Von the path of those you would help. Richthofen, secretary of foreign affairs. It is understood the interview Washington, and had reference entirely to the ideas of the United States of the war in China, especially the penalties to be exacted and the in-demnity to be secured. It is also understood that the most satisfactory and most friendly result was reached. calculated to put at rest the disquieting rumors recently circulated regard- to blame. ing exhibitions of ill-feeling towards it has been pretended here were inspired from Washington.

FAVORS WITHDRAWAL.

Rome, Nov. 24.—The Radical newspapers are making a campaign in favor of the withdrawal of the Italian troops from China, declaring that in the rescue of the members of the for-

Perfectly Raw From the Knees to the Toes-A Terribly Painful Case, Which Was Thoroughly Cured by

Dr. Chase's Cintment.

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control which Dr. Chase's Ointment has over eczema, both as a prompt relief for the dreadful itching and as an antiseptic healer, which speedily and certainly brings about a thorough cure. in vain were all sorts of medicines and ointments used and doctors appeared to be helpless before the dread-ful ravages which the flaming fires of eczema were making. Here is the way

Mrs. Knight describes this interesting Mrs. Knight, 17 Hanover Place, Toronto, states: "My mother, Mrs. Wright, of Norval, suffered for a summer and winter with eczema on her foot. She could neither walk nor sleep, and it became so bad that she was perfectly raw from her toes to her knees. After trying every available remedy without success, and almost hopeless of relief, she began using Dr. Chase's Ointment. She has altogether used eight or nine boxes, with the happy result that she is now complete-

ly cured. Anyone wishing further par-

ulars can communicate with Mrs. Wright, Norval, Ont. After such a grand success, is it any wonder that we recommend Dr. Chase's Ointment?" It is just such tests as this one that have convinced physicians of the truly wonderful power of Dr. Chase's Ointment. If you are a sufferer, with any itching skin disease, or have a sore that will not heal, make a test for yourself. You will certainly become an enthusiastic admirer of Dr. Chase's Ointment, just as is everyone who knows its merits. Besides curing the most severe forms of itching skin diseases, Dr. Chase's Cintment is delightfully healing and soothing in all cases of chafing, skin irritation, sore feet, prickly heat, pimples and blackheads. 60 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

eign legations at Pekin they accom-

plished their sole task. NO DISCOUNT ON INDEMNITY. New York, Nov. 24.-One thousand Black Flags have returned to Canton, says a dispatch from Hong Kong. Although the rebellion has subsided in villagers are repudiating the rule of the mandarins, refusing to pay taxes. the East River district, the disturbed The French are extremely active, relying on the visits of the gunboats as an effective means of settling indemni-Three gunboats remain at Shan Tak to enforce their claim of 170,000 taels. The mandarins offer 60 per cent, which has not been accepted. There are fears of fresh outpursts of disaf-

TERMS FOR CHINA. London, Nov. 24.—A dispatch to Reuter's news agency from Pekin says: "Competent independent judges of the present critical stage of the negotiations opine that the consideration of

all the peace preliminaries should be transferred to Washington or to a European capital, and be placed in hands of plenipotentiaries possessed of full powers to arrange the terms to be imposed on China." RUSSIA RUNS THE ROAD.

Tien Tsin, Nov. 24.—The Russian military authorities announce that the order to hand over the railroad has been rescinded, but no reasons are given for this step. Until Tuesday last citizens had been allowed to travel free. Since that date, however, fares have been charged, and the passenger tickets issued are printed in the Rus-

sian language. THE GERMAN EXPEDITION. The newspaper assertion that Germany had threatened an expedition of 15,000 attles up the Yang Tse Klang to Sian Fu considerably alarmed the viceroy of Nankin, says a Shanghai dispatch, who sent his family in haste to the Province of Hu Nan. The German consul, however, denies that he even mentioned such a project,

According to the Shanghai correspondent of the Morning Post, there is a grain of truth in the rumor of an expedition up the Yang Tse Klang. "Such a movement," says he, "would cause a conflagration among the Chinese, who would submit to British occupation, but dread German interfer-

ANGLES OF THE KANGAROO WALK

Discussed by the Englewood (Chicago) Woman's Club.

Chicago, Nov. 23 .- At its last meeting the Englewood Woman's Club took up the subject of the relation between church and club. ministers were invited to the meeting, the purpose being partly to see if there exists some concensus among the clergymen about club life for women. Both ministers and club members agreed that to a certain extent the club should be an auxiliary to the church. Rev. C. G. Kindred of the Englewood Cristian Church was somewhat critical. He declared that in so far as the women carry the same line of effort into club work that they would exert in the church, they detract from the church. "Your charity," he said, "is carried on in the name of the club, and the objects of your Berlin, Nov. 23.-United States Am- charity can never hope to gain mem-Chicago women are discussing the so-called "kangaroo" walk. Every was the result of instructions from woman knows what that walk is, and if they don't, let them catch a woman

who glides along with her head two government regarding the prosecution feet in advance of her shoes and a trail of gown behind. The South Side Woman's Club particularly has been interested in the walk. Recently the club members have fallen to discussing it. Some of

the women think school teachers are "The teachers stand before the pu-Germany in the American press, which pils," said one woman, "teaching them physiology, while all the time their own positions are those of the de-

There is no grace in their bearing, and they are violating all the laws they are telling their pupils to "Only one woman in twenty-five walks well," said Miss Sussane Co-

croft, of the university extension of physical culture. "They stand at such dreadful angles. Chicago women don't use the proper muscles when they walk. It seems as if they are pro-Itching Eczema use the proper muscles when they walk. It seems as if they are properlied by windmill gestures with the arms. Their necks are craned, their arms. Their necks are craned, their chin extended," and then she mimicked the kangaroo step, which she also called the "golf" walk.

"I don't think one woman in tifty knows how to walk," said Mrs. Frank L. Gordon. "It's because they don't know how to wear their corsets. They can't adjust their corsets to their forms.

'Women are careless," said Miss Bessie Case "Sometimes I think they're almost lazy. They think they are more comfortable if they walk with sunken chests and stomachs thrown out.'

The discussion ended when Mrs. Calvin Case said: "I don't think it makes so very much difference how a woman walks. It is what she with her hands and brain that

LAKE-BUILT OCEAN SHIPS

Will Pass Through Canadian Canals in Sections-Great Interests Are Involved.

Duluth, Minn., Nov. 24.-Arrangements are now being completed for the construction of steel ships on the lakes on a large scale for ocean ser-These ships will not be limited vice. to the size of new Canadian canals, but will be of any length wanted by

Six or seven large and completely equipped yards on the lakes are in the scheme. The large shipbuilders have now drawn plans for ships of from 350 to 650 feet in length, but of no greater width than 43 feet, which they have submitted to ocean ship owners. They have also submitted the designs to the bureau of naviga-

tion, and it has approved them. The plan is to build in sections ships of a greater length than the present locks will carry, join them temporarily in the shipyard, run them down the great lakes to Montreal, and then put them together. The hulls will be built complete at lake yards, with a bulk-head both sides of the center. The space at the center between the bulkheads will be framed, but the plates will be bolted temporarily. When completed these center plates will be taken off and the ship launched as two boats. Then the rear part, contwo boats. Then the rear part, containing the machinery, will hitch on to the forward end and one end will

JOHN H. WILSON, VETERINARY SURGEON. Office and residence, 846 Richmond street. Telephone 430. tow the other. It is the expectation of lake builders that they can compete not only with the fest of the United States, but with foreign builders.

THE BOERS

Wilge River.

British Artillery Decimated Their Ranks, Killing and Wounding Over 200 Men-Kitchener Promoted.

London, Nov. 23.—The Boers made simultaneous attack yesterday on Balmoral and Wilge River, and were repulsed after several hours' hard fighting. The British artillery arrived as the Boers retired and wrought great havoc, killing and wounding over 200. KITCHENER PROMOTED.

The cabinet today decided to recommend Queen Victoria to make Major-General Lord Kitchener a lieutenantgeneral, so as to enable him to take over the supreme command in South Africa when Lord Roberts shall leave the country. WAS FRENCH PURSUED?

The Star today, commenting on the report that Gen. Botha, with his commando, is close to Dewetsdorp, regards the news as most disquieting, and says: "We have heard many strange and unverifiable stories, but one thing we know, that French was pursued all the way from Middleburg to Standerton, and got through the terrible neck of the mountains only by the skin of his teeth."

Proceeding, the Star suggests that Gen. Botha pursued the British, marched south and joined hands with Dewet, and that thus Bloemfontein is endangered, and the Orange Free State will have to be reconquered before the subduing of the Transvaal can be com-In connection with the above, a be-

Gen. French arrived at Johannesburg on Nov. 17. London, Nov. 23.—A Cape Town dispatch today says Sir Alfred Milner has gone on a short cruise on the British warship Doris, to recuperate from overwork

lated telegram today announces that

PERFECTLY RIGHT.

Berlin, Nov. 23 .- In the reichstag today, replying to a question regarding the expulsion of Germans from the Transvaal, Baron Von Richthofen, secretary for foreign affairs, declared international law justified the British authorities in removing from the seat of war undesirable persons; but Great Britain had given assurances that she was prepared to compensate those who had been unjustifiably expelled.

OOM PAUL'S PLANS. Brussels, Nov. 23.-The Soir this evening says Mr. Kruger, on his arrival at The Hague, will ask for mediation, and if unsuccessful he will make public all the documents of state in his possession, showing the secrets of the war. The paper adds that Mr. Kruger believes that when Europe

DR. R. M. COOPER, L.R.C.P. AND S. ED. L.F.P. and S. Glare. Office and residence that when Europe knows the truth it will produce such DR. MEEK, QUEEN'S AVENUE, LONoutburst of public opinion that Great Britain will be compelled to be less harsh. The Soir adds that failing this, Mr. Kruger will return to the Transvaal.

INVALIDED CANADIANS.

Liverpool, Nov. 23.-A number of Canadian soldiers, invalided from South Africa, arrived here yesterday, en route to Canada. They were warmly received by the citizens, and were entertained by the lord mayor of Liverpool. Quebec, Nov. 24.—Gunner Charlie

Ross, E company, R. C. R., who arrived here from Halifax last week suffering from a wound received in Africa, was taken on Thursday morning to the hospital, where an operation was performed on his arm. His physicians think he will soon be as well as he

HURON LAY WORKERS

Election of Officers at the Annual Meeting at Chatham.

Chatham, Ont., Nov. 23.-The annual meeting of the Huron Lay Workers' Association was continued in the lecture hall of Christ Church this morn-

The annual report was fully presented. It is a most extensive document, setting forth fully the excellent progress made during the past year. It was unanimously adopted.

The election of officers was then

proceeded with, and resulted as follows: President, Right Rev. the Bishop of Huron; vice-presidents, Very Rev. the Dean of Huron, Charles Jenkins, Petrolia; chairman of committee of management, A. H. Dymond, Brantford; secretary-treasurer, J. M. Mc-Whinney, London; committee: Brant, H. A. Genet, Brantford; Bruce, Alex. McNeill, M.P., Wiarton; Elgin, Judge Ermatinger, St. Thomas; Essex, Jasper Golden, Kingsville; Grey, R. G. Bigger, Markdale: Huron, G. C. Petty, Sea-forth; Kent, Dr. R. V. Bray, Chatham; Lambton, John Carroll, Watford; Middlesex, Chancellor Cronyn, London; Norfolk, J. D. Christie, Simcoe: Ox-ford, Joseph Dent, Woodstock; Perth, R. R. Neild, Stratford; Waterloo, Jas. Woods, Galt; Middlesex branch, F. T. Harrison, Ph.D., London.

Allan Dymond, of Toronto, representing the Toronto Lay Workers' Association, briefly addressed the meeting, extending the greetings of the sister organization.

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BEATEN BACK Horriose Conditions of Chinese on Board Vessels in the Alaskan Salmon-Canning Business.

> Washington, Nov. 24.-Horrible conditions existing among the Chinese aboard vessels in the Alaskan salmoncanning industry are portrayed in a report of Assistant Surgeon L. L. Lumsden, at Angel's Island, Cal. These Chinese are recruited from the poorest and roughest element of Chinatown, and are held in practical slavery by the Chinese bosses who provide this labor. They often are worked eighteen hours a day and live worked eighteen hours a day, and live in barracks in utter disregard of cleanliness and sanitation. The fish they eat frequently is well advanced in putrefacton. It is difficult to conceive fully of the filthiness aboard. The Chinese quarters are dark and damp, and the sanitary conditions are unfit to print. The white men on these vessels disclaim responsibility for the conditions under which the Chinese live, and transact all business with them through a Chinese foreman, the so-called "No. 1 man." Five thousand of these Chinese recently have come into Chinatown, San Francisco, and with their lowered vitality would fall a ready prey to plague, cholera or an infectious disease. It is urged that these coasting vessels be made subject to the same laws as vessels engaged in deep sea voyages.

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CANADIAN

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POPULATION OF CANADA

Fourth Dominion Census Soon To

of the Work.

Ottawa, Nov. 16.-Arrangements will soon now be under way for the taking of the fourth Dominion census. Mr. Archibald Blue, who has been engaged to take charge of this important undertaking, has been giving the matter his close attention for some months and discussed with your correspondent yesterday the plan he has under way.

According to the wording of the act,

he said, the enumeration is to be made about the first of the year, but the practice since confederation has been to fix a date in the first week in April. This precedent we will doubtless adhere to. But while the task was one that had usually consumed between three or four months in the past we will endeavor this time to secure its completion within one month. In the United Kingdom the census is supposed to be taken in one day. The same plan is adopted in France and in Belgium, but in each of these cases no attempt is made to do more than secure a count of the heads of population, while with us, as in the United States, the custom has been to aim at gathering as well a record of the industrial dife, hence the time required for our purpose is somewhat longer than in the motherland.

The plan which has commended itseif to my mind after a pretty thorough canvass of the facts has been to take the polling sub-divisions of each electoral district. These would then be added together to show the population of the various electoral districts represented in the House of Commons. I think that the most accurate information would be detained by securing the services of enumerators, as far as possible, for each of the polling subdivisions, acquainted with the tricts in which they would have to work. It would be an advantage to have the work completed in the shortest time and by men familiar with the localities. There are very few polling sub-divisions where men fitted for this duty could not be found, but it may be in some instances hard to find good men withing to accept this temporary employment, and we will have to be governed by considerations of this na-

I find that the schedules, or forms on which the information is to be gathered, in use in 1891, were the same as those sanctioned by the government at the time of confederation, 30 years ago, and I think it would be distinctly advisable to make some changes in these such as would bring them more

The improvements Mr. Blue has in view will have to be sanctioned by the head of the department, and after that by the government, but one idea is that it would be well to have the enumeration made at once de jure and de facto, and to provide for the compilation of matter that would form a basis for the useful study of social and economic problems in Canada. The commissioner would have every man

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"Our next door neighbor, seeing the condition I was in, told me to take B.B.B.

for my blood, and I did so. "After I had finished the first bottle I found that some of the boils had disappeared and all the rest were getting much smaller. I then got two more bottles, and by the time I had these nearly all gone there was not a boil to be seen. Besides this, a headache, from which I suffered greatly, left me, and I improved so much in health that I am now a strong,

connected in any way with the taking of the census or the handling of the returns in the department sworn to secreey. He thinks it would not be hard then to gain particulars as to the capital invested in our various branches of industry, which would not be made public individually, but only in the total. He further is of the opinion that it would be easy to gather particulars as to the extent to which the sweating system operates in Can-

A feature of the last Dominion census, at which Sir Richard Cartwright used to poke frequent ridicule, was the statement that between 1881 and 1889 there had been 25,000 new industrial institutions blossomed into existence, employing 112,000 hands. The minister of trade and commerce has given the house more than one laugh over his recital from the census returns compiled under the late government lists of knithing factories developed by the National Policy, under the heading of industrial establishments, employing one and two hands, and showing average earnings for each hand of \$14 55 per year, 28 cents per week and 4½ cents per diay, and showing an average investment of \$7 each for machinery. But marvelously as the knitting industry showed up under the knitting industry showed up under the National Policy, the development simply paled before that of carpet-making in the province of New Brunswick, which had grown from eleven estab-hishments in 1881 to 537, an increase at the rate of several thousand per cent. Figure-one establishments employed 51 hands and a calculation from the colelective wages showed that each paid out in wages 70 cents a week. The. out in wages 70 cents a week. The town of Port Hope, which had between 1881 and 1891 lost 539 in popular tween 1881 and 1891 fost 539 in population, had in the latter year, according to the census, 147 industrial establishments, which evidently employed each a man or woman and three-quarters of a boy or a girl to spare. But the claim put forward by the Liberal party was that flagrantly as the returns had been cooked, touching the growth of industrial establishments. growth of industrial establishments, they were quite as much in the nature of Conservative campaign literature as regarded the population. The statement has been made, based on per-sonal knowledge, that so generous were some of the enumerators in the application of the de jure system, which allowed for the counting of temporary absentees, that there were

counted in the return of 1891 men who had not had their habitation within the confines of Canada for upwards of a quarter of a century. In the taking of the coming census the Liberal party will endeavor to steer clear of extravagances of this nature and no means could be found of preserving absolute accuracy so well as the count as prepared under bouh the de jure and de facto systems.

The commissioner proposes to apply to factories the definitions accepted by

taken of concerns employing less than six hands.
Some notion of the army of workers which the census will call for may be had from the fact that there are in Canada something like eight thousand polling subdivisions to be covered Special agents will be employed to collect data in regard to the manufacturing and mining industries and an announcement of the government's policy in regard to the details of the plan will be made very shortly.

the factory inspectors in Ontario and

Quebec, so that no notice would be

MARINE MISHAPS

Still More Reports of Disaster Caused by gained. the Late Gales.

received tonight announced that the steamship Fife, owned by Mr. R. Reid, had been wrecked in the Straits of Belle Isle during a snowstorm. No lives were lost. The vessel plied be-tween St. Johns, Nfid., and coast points, was valued at \$150,000, and in-

sured for about half her value. Buffalo, Nov. 23.—The wreckage reported as having been washed ashore arose out of the terrible question of near Dunnville and Port Colborne, Ont., is probably from the car ferry barges Nos. 3 and 4, of the Lake Michigan Car Ferry Association, which the tug S. M. Fischer abandoned off Long Point in the gale of Nov. 13. The barges were loaded with pulpwood from Bay Mills, Mich., for Niagara Falls. They became water-logged in the storm, and the Fischer was unable to handle them. The tug took the crews off the Next day the tug went to look for the barges but was unable to find them. The search was abandoned.

The schooner Lena Pickup ran on the rocks between Black River and Mispec, N.S. One of her crew, Stephen Siffou, was drowned.

The barge Rover foundered on her way from Kingston to Washburn to lay up for the season. One of Capt. Smith's children was drowned.

THE ASSESSMENT COMMISSION. Toronto, Nov. 22.-When the royal commission on assessment met morning to consider exemptins from taxation, Mr. Lyman Lee, of Hamilton, representing the Canadian Fraternal Association, with some 30,000 members, asked that the income of these benevodent societies be exempted from taxation. He made a strong argument, first on the ground that the tendency in Great Britain is to relieve this class of income from taxation, and second, that the revenue of the societies and their surplus funds are for the protection of members and their families from poverty. Mr. Lee urged that it would be good public policy to thrift among working men by exempting their savings of this sort from income taxation. Rev. Father Teefy, for the Roman Catholic Church, asked for a little time to prepare a case. The Municipal Association, through Mr. Municipal Association, MacKelchan, urged that the Dominion Government be urged to submit to a fair share of taxation in municipalites where it has property.

THE FLOUR MOTH.

coronto, Nov. 23.-The Mediterranean flour moth has again made its appearance in Toronto. It was first discovered in this city ten years ago. At that time millers complained of the ravages which some strange insect s making upon their stores of flour, meal, etc. As soon as the nature of the pest was understood it was promptly cleaned out. After an interval of ten years the flour moth has again made it's appearance, as a flour and feed merchant brought a colony into the provincial agricultural department yesterday. This merchant has had a considerable quantity of horse-chestnut flour in store for a year past, and on examining some of it recently, he found it contained a white-yellowish larva, about half an inch in length. The larva h s the appearance of a caterpillar. The flour moth is very destructive, and the agricultural departn ent advises millers and flour merchants that if the insect is discovered, the meal or flour it is contained in should be well roasted, and, if not thrown away, fed to cattle,

DEFINITION OF THE TERM. "Papa, what is 'filthy lucre'?" the money that another man has. Now run away and don't bother

LINCOLN'S LIFE

United States Ambassador Addresses a Learned Audience at Edinburg.

Ex-Premier Rosebery Adds Words of Unstinted Praise.

Lord Roseberry, it would seem from the remarks he made at Edinburg, is almost as great an admirer of Abraham Lincoln as he is of Napoleon. The former premier presided at the inaugural meeting of the Edinburgh philosophical institution when United States Ambassador Joseph Choate delivered his address on Lincoln.

"Abraham Lincoln," said Lord Rose-bery, "was one of the great figures of the nineteenth century, to me he seems to be a second founder of the

great American republic. "His strength rested on two rocksnamely: The bedrock of unflinching principle and the bedrock of illimit-able common sense. There is moreover one distinguishing feature which dis-sociates Lincoln from all the other great men who have figured in history, and that was his immense fund of humor."

COMPLIMENT OF LORD ROSEBERY In introducing Ambassador Choate, Lord Rosebery said:

"The ambassador is one of that choice succession of men whom the United States has sent England, who has endeared himself to the people of this country to a remarkable degree by his brilliant and genial qualities. Mr. Choate's address was well received by the audience, which was perhaps the most critical and the most

learned in England. ADDRESS OF AMBASSADOR CHOATE.

Mr. Choate in opening said that fiction furnished no romance like that of the life of Abraham Lincoln. He then described his early years of poverty and hardships from his birth in the windowless Kentucky cabin until the time he was 21 and had cleared fifteen acres of land and split the rails to fence it in. Describing his mode of life. Mr. Choate said:

"From the time when he could bare-ly handle tools until he attained his ly handle tools until he attained his majority, Lincoln's life was that of a simple farm laborer, poorly clad, housed and fed, at work either on his father's wretched farm, or bired out to neighboring farmers. But in spite, or perhaps by means of this rude environment, he grew to be a stalwart giant reaching 6 feet 4 at 19 and fabilgiant, reaching 6 feet 4 at 19, and fabu-lous stories are told of his feats of strength.'

From the time Lincoln was defeated for the Illinois State Legislature in 1832, through his career in that body, and his single term in congress, Mr. Choate related the incidents of the second 25 years of his life. He paid particular attention to the legal prac-tice of those days, when justice was more simple and direct than it afterwards became. He told how the young man had developed as an orator and counselor and the reputation he had

CHOSEN AS NATION'S LEADER. "It was this reputation," said the speaker, "and this impression and the Montreal, Nov. 22.-A private cable familiar knowledge of his character which had come to them from his local leadership, that happily inspired the people of the west to present him as their candidate, and to press him upon the Republican convention of 1860 as the fit and necessary leader in the struggle for life which was before the

"That struggle, as siavery-and I must trust to your general knowledge of the history of that question to make intelligible the attitude and leadership of Lincoln as the champion of the hosts of freedom in the final contest." After sketching the development of

the war issues, Mr. Choate told of the final threat of secession, and said: "Lincoln's powerful arguments carried conviction everywhere. His moral nature was thoroughly aroused-his conscience was stirred to the quick. Unless slavery was wrong, nothing was

"He foresaw with unerring vision that the conflict was inevitable and rrepressible-that one or the other, the night or the wrongs freedom or slavery, must ultimately prevail, and wholly prevail, throughout the country; and this was the principle that carried the war, once begun, to a

HIS FIRST SIGHT OF LINCOLN. "It is now forty years since I first saw and heard Abraham Lincoln, but the impression which he left on my mind is ineffaceable. After his great successes in the west he came to New York to make a political address. He appeared in every sense of the word like one of the plain people among whom he loved to be counted. At first sight there was nothing impressive or imposing about him-except that his great stature singled him out from the crowd; his clothes hung awkwardly on his giant frame, his face was of a dark pallor, without the slightest tinge of color; his seamed and rugged features bore the furrows of hardship and struggle; his deep-set eyes looked sad and anxious; his countenance in repose gave little evidence of that brain power which had raised him from the lowest to the highest station among his countrymen.

When he spoke he was transformed; his eye kindled, his voice rang, his face shone and seemed to light up the whole assembly. For an hour and a half he held his audience in the hollow of his hand. His style of speech and manner of delivery were severely sim-ple. What Lowell called 'the grand simplicities of the Bible,' with which he was so familiar, were reflected in

his discourse.
"That night the great hall, and the next day the whole city, rang with delighted applause and congratulations, and he who had come as a stranger departed with the laurels of a great

"Alas! in five years from that exulting night, I saw him again, for the last time, in the same city, borne in his coffin through its draped streets." After describing the magnitude of the war and its burdens, the speaker

"In all the grandeur of the vast power that he wielded he never ceased to be one of the plain people, as he always called them, never lost or impaired his perfect sympathy with them, was always in perfect touch with them and open to their appeals; and here lay the secret of his personality and of his power, for the people in turn gave him their absolute confidence. His courage, his fortitude, his patience, his hopefulness, were sorely bried but never exhausted.



Up Stairs.

If you are suffering from anæmia (poverty of the blood) or from a weak heart the fact will be made painfully apparent every time you have occasion to walk up stairs.

On such occasions does your heart beat violently? Do you feel out of breath? Do your limbs ache, and are you easily exhausted?

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cure anæmia and heart weakness, and banish all these symptoms. They make men and women strong and energetic, and are equally valuable for young and old. These pills make new, rich blood with every dose, and strengthen weak or exhausted nerves.

HEALTH BROKEN DOWN.

HAD NOT STRENGTH TO WALK.

Miss Leba C. Schilling, Peninsula-Gaspe, Que., writes:—"I had suffered for some time with a weary feeling. I had not strength to walk about. I Mr. John Barley, Lachute Mills, says:—"Up to about seven years ago I had always been a healthy man. At that time my health began to give way, and at last I was left almost a physical wreck, the least exertion would leave me breathless and exhausted and for the last five years have not been able to do steady work for the best part of the time, and as the many medicines I tried failed to help me, I had begun to look upon my case as almost hopeless. Finally a friend urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and now after the use of only five boxes I am feeling well and strong. It is simply marvellous what they have done for me, and I shall always recommend them to my friends.

I had not strength to walk about. I could not walk even a short distance without being out of breath. I took no interest in anything, as I thought nothing could do me any good. On the recommendation of a friend I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I had only taken them for a shor't time when I noticed a great improvement. I was strong great improvement. I was strong enough to walk a long distance without resting, and felt better in every way. I would recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills highly to all other sufferers and think they will be sursufferers, and think they will be surprised at the results obtained from

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have also cured paralysis, locomotor ataxy, rheumatism, and sciatica; also all diseases arising from impoverishment of the blood, scrofula, chronic erysipelas, consumption of the bowels and lungs, general muscular weakness, loss of appetite, palpitations, pains in the back, nervous headache, and neuralgia, early decay, all ladies' weaknesses and hysteria. These pills are a tonic, not a purgative. Sold by all druggists or by mail post paid at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50, by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brock-

As many worthless substitutes are offered be sure you ask for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

wives and mothers of soldiers who had into trouble and were under sence of death for their offenses. His secretary of war and other officials deserters shot. As surely as the women of the culprit's family could get at him, he always gave way."

Going briefly over the famous emancipation proclamation and the contending forces that had been brought to grave.' bear on the president, Mr. Choate said: "And so, at last, when in his judgment the indispensable necessity had come, he struck the fatal blow and signed the proclamation which has made his name immortal. By it the president, as commander-in-chief in time of actual armed rebellion, and as a fit and necessary war measure for suppressing the rebellion, proclaimed all persons held as slaves in the states and parts of states then in rebellion to be henceforward free, and declared the executive, with the army and navy, would recognize and maintain their

freedom. "The conception and execution were exclusively his. He laid it before his cabinet as a measure on which his mind was made up and could not be changed, and asking them only for suggestions as to details.

'It came not an hour too soon; public opinion in the north would not

have sustained it earlier." LINCOLN'S UNERRING JUDGMENT Then detailing the idea; of the situation commonly accepted abroad at that time Mr. Choate said:

When Lincoln issued his proclamation he knew that all these ideas were founded in error; that the national resources were inexhaustible; that the government could and would win, and that if slavery were once final'y disposed of, the only cause of difference being out of the way, the north and south would come together again, and, by and by, he as good friends as ever. "The growth and development of Lincoln's mental power and moral force, of his intense and magnetic personality, after the vast responsibilities of government were thrown upon him at the age of 52, furnish a rare and striking illustration of the marvelous capacity and adaptability of the human intellect-of the sound mind in the sound body. He came to the discharge of the great duties of the oresidency with absolutely no experience in the administration of government or of the vastly varied and complicatquestions of foreign and domestic policy which immediately arose and continued to press upon him during the rest of his life; but he mastered each as it came, apparently with the facility

of a trained and experienced ruler.
"He lived to see his proclamation of emancipation embodied in an amend-ment of the constitution, adopted by congress, and submitted to the states ALWAYS TENDER-HEARTED. of war did speedily pass away, for it than he really can the was tender-hearted to a fault, was given him to witness the surrenfor ratification. The mighty scourge

and never could resist the appeals of der of the last rebel army and the fall of their capital, and the starry flag that he loved waving in triumph every foot of the national soil. he died by the madman's hand in the complained that they never could get supreme hour of victory, the vanquished lost their best friend, and the human race one of its best examples; and all the friends of freedom and justice, in whose cause he lived and died, joined hands as mourners at his IMPRESSION MADE BY WAR.

Thanking Mr. Choate on behalf of the audience, Lord Rosebery referred to him as "that consummate master of eloquence," and he concluded with an interesting personal reference to "the vivid impression and intense interest which the American civil war produced in my case at the most improduced in my case at the life. pressionable moment of my life. "So anxiously did I and my students at Eton study the details of said Lord Rosebery, "that the war."

we seemed to hear the clash of con-flict across the Atlantic, and as soon as I had sufficient liberty and funds I crossed the Atlantic to try to become acquainted with some of the places and men illustrious in the war. saw Grant, Sherman, Jefferson Davis, and even after this lapse of years everything seems as familiar to me as

PAYING HIS ELECTION BET. That unfortunate Pennsylvania man who agreed to put on his wife's best bonnet and escort the hired girl to the theater seems to have reckoned without the consent of the feminine element involved in the wager. He admitted to a Plain Dealer reporter that his wife knew nothing about the matter-and there is no doubt the hired girl is in equally dense ignorance. This seems to suggest that he will have a beautiful time in reconciling them to the terms of the wager. In addition to the amount of eloquent coaxing involved there is no doubt that the outlay involved will be large enough to induce cold chills. It will take several best bonnets to square his wife in the first place. She never will consent to again wear the bonnet he wears when he takes the kitchen demoiselle on his arm and hies to the

'What'a pretty bonnet that is! Your husband looked so well in it!' And the hired girl! What will she think of her part in this tragic affair? Will a handsome cavaller and a good play make amends for the unpleasant features of the evening? Will a choice seat in the orchestra atone for the yells of delight with which the appearance

temple of the drama. How would iot

sound for her dearest friends to say:

of herself and escort will be greeted? No. There is nothing in the folly of the victim that really warrants any extension of pity, and yet it seems as if he had a bligger load in prospect than he really can safely bear-

When I hear her soft defiance as the sun comes peeping in, Then I know that she is ready for the And she shouts, as with a pillow she brings on the mimic fray;
"Ain't you glad, you dear old daddy, battle to begin; that it is another day?"

Ah, I pray, my dark-eyed darling, that the coming of the dawn Long may gladden you with mornings that are neither chill nor wan; I know that fondest wishes cannot gild the early rays That will usher in the sadness of unwelcome other days.

THE MOST STUPENDOUS SAEN-GERFEST.

musical event of extraordinary magnitude and attractiveness will be the triennial Sagngerfest of the North American Saengerbund, to be held at Buffalo in 1901 during the great Pan-American Exposition. On this occasion and for this stupendous singing feast the grand chorus of male voices will be increased from the largest previous number-3,000, to 5,000, and liberal drafts will be made upon the ranks of the world's most famous singers. It is expected the Saengerfest will have for its auditorium drill room of the new armory of the 74th Regiment, which will accommodate from twelve to fifteen thousand persons, and every foot of whose space will be required.

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CHAPTER XXXI.

From that day mysterious advertisements began to appear in the journals—advertisements that puzzled the eaders. They were all addressed to Lola, and were variously subscribed; out no answer to them ever came. The bankers with whom Madame de Ferras had invested her money were discovered; and, when urged, as a matter of life and death, to tell what hey knew of the whereabouts of Miss de Ferras, they had but one fact to reveal. It was this-that the account had been closed soon after madame's death, and that they had not the least notion as to her daughter's place of residence or the state of her affairsin fact, they knew nothing at all about her. There was, therefore, no intelligence to be gained from that quarter; nor was there, indeed, from any other. Yet Gertrude's brave young heart never quailed. Dolores wrote, imploring her to come back, and give up what was after all but a chimera, a fancy, a will-o'-the-wisp, a delusion that would wear away her heart and life. But never did one thought of yielding, one thought of giving up the

hope of her life, come to Gertrude. When every inquiry had been made, every means exhausted, the council met again.

'Our task does not seem so easy as it did when we first met to consult shall accomplish it as surely as the sun shines in heaven. Many things have failed us, but our courage and perseverance are not amongst the number.

Her listeners assented warmly; it would have broken her heart had they not done so.

"My dear mother has written, and wants me to return to her; but I cannot-I must not. I will finish my task or die over it."

No one had any further suggestion to make. Mr. Shaw owned that he was baffled, but that he did not deengir and was by no means inclined to give up the case, though more fully convinced than ever of the difficulties with which they would have to con-

"If we had any clew, however small," he said, "if we only knew whether Miss Ferras was living or dead, it would be some satisfaction'

'It would be much easier to discover If she were dead than to find any trace of her living," declared Lord Fie'den.
"If she is dead and has been buried, someone must know something of it. We can take action so far. Let us We can take action so far. advertise in the French and English papers that anyone who can give proof of the death of Mademoiselle Lola de Ferras shall receive one hundred pounds reward.

"One hundred pounds!" cried Mr. "Yes," answered Lord Fielden, "and

double that amount if it be needful, If the news be worth it. Why, I would almost give the last farthing I have that purposs. And the beautiful eyes thanked,

Harry with one of those glances he It was agreed that the advertisements

should be sent to all the leading continental journals and English newspapers. It could hardly fail to bring about a good result. If Lola de Ferras were living, and anyone knowing her wrote to say so, they would be able to find out her whereabouts; if she were dead they would know that further efforts in that direction were use-

"If she be dead," said Gertrude, slowly, "what has become or my lacked." "We must be patient," said Lord "what has become of my father?" Fielden.

The next thing was to send off the new advertisement. In due course there came many answers, but they all bore but little upon the matter in

If ever a man worked hard it was Lord Fieden; morning, noon and night he was engrossed in the one important business of his life. He had written to all the foreign embassies and to the heads of the foreign detective police: he went once to Paris, and communicated with the secret force there. In Germany and Belgium in Italy and Spain, the story was circulated that a rich English "milord" was ready to pay any price for information concerning a beautiful French woman, years ago, had, it was supposed, left England with another English

Lord Fielden's own idea was that Lola had taken refuge in France; it was most probable for many reasons. spent some weeks in Paris. The Paris officials began to graw in-terested in the search; even the Russian detective service had been drawn Into the business; and now news that the telegraphic wires could have flashed from one end of the world to the other would have given greater satisfaction than the intelligence that. living or dead, something was known of

Lo'a de Ferras. Then Lord Fielden had another idea; he believed that it was very probable she would be found in some religious house in one of those institutions where wearied hearts find rest. So in Hingland and France the strong arm

of the law was brought into force; but the search in this direction was equal-ly futile. The dark, beautiful face which had brought ruin and desolation to Scarsdale remained undiscovered. It was almost pitiful to see how Gertrude and Lord Fielden watched the post—the sickness of hope deferred indeed made the young rir's heart sink. One morning a whole bundle of letters came; none of them contained any news of particular interest, but

they occupied considerable time in the reading and answering. "I wonder, Lord Fielden," said Gertrude, when the last envelope was directed. "if ever there will be an end to this quest of mine?" "There is an end to everything, Ger-

trude," he replied, thinking to himself that the one exception was his own great love for her. There could never be any end to that—it was impossible.
"I wonder." she continued, "what I "I wonder," she continued, "what I shall have to fill my life and to interest me when this is over? I shall be quite lost. Now every day brings it own work, and that work occupies my whole time. I do not think I could ever live without some real employ-

Fielden, with a quick throb at his heart. "I know work that will just suit you."

What is it?" she asked, her eyes fixed on the spreading beeches. "Women's rights? "Women's rights in one sense of the

word, Gertrude." he replied—"de-cidedly not in the other. You ought to have a husband who loves you, not with a common-place affection, but

with an unfathomable love."
"He has to be found," interrupted Gertrude, with a shy, sweet smile.
"No indeed, he has not; he is

But Gertrude would not listen. "I can think of nothing yet but finding my father," she said gently. "Gertrude," he cried, "suppose that some man—we will presume that he would be in every way eligible should. through his own exertions and skill, bring to you certain proofs of your father's innocence, the sure solving of the mystery that surrounds his name and that of Lola de Ferras, would you, as a reward, marry him?"

His heart beat so violently as he asked the question that he was afraid she would hear it; his suspense was great that he could hardly draw his breath. But she did not look at him. She seemed to forget all about him in the thought of answering his question.

"Yes," she replied; "I think I would." He turned away with a deep sigh,

and without seeing the furtive glance from Gertrude's blue eyes.

"I wonder," said Harry, with an impatient stride across the room, "if it would have been better for me if I had never been born?' "I should say that it is many years too late to answer the question," ob-

served Gertrude. And so their conversation ended, but he did not forget it. Lord Fielden felt convinced that the only way to win the prize of Gertrude's love was by clearing up the mystery of her father's disappearance and that was the task he set himself to perform.

CHAPTER XXXII.

Near the pretty town of St. Remy, in a remote corner of France, sands a chateau quite shut in from the world by the forest that surrounds it. It is supposed to have been built by a king of France, who, passionately fond of hunting, enjoyed the chase best when he had only a few select friends about him. He would spend a week at a together." Gertrude said; "but we time at the chateau, and while there the merry sound of the hunting-horn was frequently heard. The next king sold it to one of the bourgeoisie, who purchased it simply because it had een built for the pleasure of royalty. He gave it his own name of Fleuris, which it retained. Then—for it has quite a history, this chateau-it was purchased by a French nobleman who had married a very wealthy heiress. was mad; but, as all his income was derived from her, he kept the matter as secret as possible, and sent her with nurses and attendants to the Chateau Fleuris, and she lingered all the years of her life a victim to the terrible malady. How often those walls had re-echoed to shrieks and cries. frightening even the birds from their

> Strangely enough, the next occupant was a deserted wife, whose husband rented the chateau, where she, with her little daughter, lived for many The child was killed by the fall of a tree: the mother died brokenhearted: and after that the place was neglected. No one cared to live there. The peasants said that at night one could hear the cries of the mad woman mingled with the death shriek of the child. No one would go near the chateau after dusk. Owls built their nests in the ivy, ravens croaked some said that amongst the trees; poisonous snakes infested the wild ferns and bracken. The squirrels in the forest appeared preternaturally vicious; even the birds seemed wilder



Read the two sides of this story and then give a verdict on the evidence as to the merits of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

WHAT MRS. HAYTER SUFFERED. "I had been sick for more than a year with idney trouble," writes Mrs. Lucy Hayter, of Jacksboro, Jack Co., Texas. "Several different doctors treated me, but none did me any good. One doctor said that I never could be cured, that I had Bright's Disease. I suffered nearly death at times; had spells the doctors called spasns. Was bed-fast most of the time for six months. My mother begged me to try Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery."

WHAT DR. PIERCE SAID.

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than elsewhere. The herds of fine deer had died out.

It was remarkable how poisonous plants flourished in the wood-hemlock, deadly nightshade and foxglove; and, if any of the poor peasants ever flattered themselves that they had come upon a rich growth of mushrooms, the fungi in the end were sure to prove poisonous. To an imaginative person it seemed as though an evil influence had passed over the place, a breath of tainted air, a something vague and terrible that made this

forest unlike any other. There was a path out straight through it that led from the town of St. Remy to Hilaire-sur-Rhone; and It chanced at times that some man or woman hastening home was caught by the fast-falling night and belated in the forest. All such persons had ter-rible tales to tell. They spoke of strange unearthly sounds that reechoed through the glades, and of sights that froze the blood in their veins, and their statements were most devoutly believed.

[To be Continued.]

Little Duties.

Well, thou good servant; because thou hast been faithful in a very little, have thou authority over ten cities .-St. Luke, xix., 17

In the sight of God the magnitude of the work given you to do is of small importance, but the faithfulness with which you do it is the prime concern. If you are endowed with genius you must produce the results which genius predicts, and if you have only one talent to care for, then only one talent's worth of duty will be required. The amount of ability you have is the gift of nature, and you can take no credit to yourself for its possession. But the use you make of your faculties depends wholly on yourself, and therein lies your merit or demerit

When you take your place among men they judge you both by what God has given you, and by what you have done for yourself. But when God judges you He eliminates from the problem of your worthiness the gifts He gave you, and approves or disapproves according to the work you have done or failed to do with those gifts. You are reckoned among the great by your fellows if you done great things with great faculties, but you are equally great in heaven if you have done the best you could with stender faculties. Therein lies the vast difference between the verdict of men and the verdict of the Almighty. And since our happiness hereafter depends not so much on the kind of work we do as on the way we do it, we can afford to banish envy and covetousness, and satisfy ourselves with the honest toil which at the end of the day will bring us His

words of welcome into another life. When men estimate our worth, motives count for little and actual results for much. This is because our judgment is narrow. With God, actual results count for little and motives for much. Thus a really heroic man may live so remote that the world's eye never rests on him, and he may go on from little day to little day, and at last drop out of sight without ever hearing his name mentioned. His fellows have a false standard, and measured by that standard he is no more than a dropping leaf or a flake of snow. It is not so, however, with God. Some of the saintliest characters which this earthly life produces are known only in heaven. They are formed in the humblest and most obscure surroundings, and are appreciated only by their intimates, but in heaven they will stand in the front rank of noble souls. They have had little to do, but a great deal to bear. Their sphere of labor has been confined to a hard struggle with adversity, to the endurance of pinching poverty, to service at the bedside of an afflicted loved one, but they have found the presence of God there, and they have been visited by the angels, and their poor human nature has been enriched and mellowed and ripened. Their possessions have consisted of faith and love and fidelity. But when the other life opens to their view they will find that they are ready for its opportunities, and that they need no further preparation to enter upon its duties and to make use of privileges.

I want to say, therefore, that wherever you are and whatever you are doing, if you are with the Lord and he is with you, you should be more than satisfied. Wealth and fame are myths, delusive myths, which, by a sort of hallucination, we think much of, but of which the angels think very little, while character, purity of heart, faithfulness to duty, which by another hallucination we think very little of,

are thought much of in heaven. If you have a piece of delicate and intricate machinery it would not be well to say that the large wheels are more important than the little ones, for each is of equal importance with all the others. If your watch is faulty in any one part it is faulty in all parts. The perfection of the whole depends on the perfection of each minute portion, and it would be folly for any small bit of the machinery to declare that it was of no special value, and could do as it pleased. It must be pleased to do its duty, though it is a duty so small that it is never seen except with the microscope of the maker. Otherwise the whole watch is practically wonth- proceeds.

In the spiritual universe of God the same rule prevails. There is no such thing as a little life or an insignificant No one can do as he pleases, but all must do as God pleases, for then only can God's great plan be perfect-You are needed by the Most High, ed. and though you be the humblest of the humble, with nothing to do and all to bear, with such narrow quarters that no one can find you except the angels, still, as God's child, with earth growing dim and heaven growing brighter every day, you are making for yourself a bright and glorious future, for when you reach the other shore, and look back you will see that your soul has needed nothing but an opportunity to grow, and that your quiet and perhaps lonely life has afforded that opportunity in abundance. must therefore be brave and faithful to the end, and then the hand of God will lead us to our reward. GEORGE H. HEPWORTH.

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The Province of Quebec has many churches of rare beauty and historical interest, but none can rival in architectural and artistic perfection the church of Notre Dame at Montreal, an edifice grand and imposing in the highest degree. The parish of Notre Dame is the oldest in the Canadian metropolis. It was founded on May 18, 1642, when Maisonneuve and his band of French colonists reached the island of Mount Royal end founded Ville-Marie, now Mon-



The settlers erected a fort and a temperary chapel of bark, in which they worshipped until the following wear when a wooden edifice was constructed. In 1654 a still more commodicus chapel was constructed, and in 1672 a spacious parish church was bufft. The buffding was used for a century and a half, or until 1829, when the present church was opened to the public by Mgr. Lartigue, the

Grat bishop of Montreal. The beauty of Notre Dame Church beffee description. Its front is perfeet in symmetry, its bold and lofty towers attract attention from every point of the compass, and are visible from the south at a distance of over 80 miles. The grand portico between the two towers is 60 feet in height. Three colossal statues placed over the groades represent the Virgin Mary, St. Joseph and St. John the Baptist, the patrons of Lower Canada and the City of Montreal. Measured from foundation to pinnacle the towers are 227 feet high. Architecturally the church belongs to a branch of Gothic, or pointed arch order, a school made familiar to the public by the ancient cathedrals of Europe, and a style which church authorities consider in perfect harmony with Christian thought.

But imposing as is the outside of Notre Dame it pales into insignificance when contrasted with the richness of the interior. Paintings, gildings, soulptures and stained glass -every piece a master work -- almost confound the senses, but fill the heart | replied that he did not invest in and mind with sublime reflections. The vastness of the auditorium, which is capable of accommodating 15.000 persons, inspires admiration which is heightened when the eye slowly travels from altar to altar, from chapel to chapel, and finally rests upon the grand main altar, the richest of its kind in the western hemisphere. One is oppressed by the grandeur of his surroundings when entering this noble temple of the Lord for the first time.

To describe the beauties of the various altars and chapels which adorn the western and eastern side aisles of the church in a newspaper article would be impossible; but a few awords about the chapel of Notre Dame of the Sacred Heart, which is one of the choicest monuments of art in America, are almost indispensable. It is nearly 100 feet in length, 60 feet in width, and 65 feet in height, and its sculpture, paintings and decorations can be studied for hours in the smallest details. In the harmony of its lines and splendor of ornamentations the chapel rivals the church proper, and its numerous paintings are considered the finest in Canada, probably North America. The confessionals, placed between altars, ere triumphs of the wood carver's

Among the statuary in Notre Dame no piece is more admired than a little statue of the Virgin, carved from the purest of white marble, standing on pedestal of the same material, which was presented to the church by Pope Pius IX., in 1872, together with a small golden cross which the pontiff was in the habit of wearing on his own arson. Second in general esteem is a onze statue of St. Peter, a copy the one in Rome. But interesting as all these statues are, in impressiveness they are far behind the grand main altar with six groups of statues and bas reliefs, all of



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which are magnificent masterpieres sculpture in wood, the work of lo riche, the famous artist of Angers France. Most notable among the figures are "The Sacrifice of Isaac" and "A Priest of the Son of Aaron Offering Up the Sacrifice of a Spotless Lamb." The grandest group is on entitled "The Bloody Sacrifice o Christ." The Virgin is there standing at the foot of the cross, a sword of agony piercing her very soul, while she offers herself up as a victim with her Divine Son. St. John. overcome by sorrow, has turned away his face unable longer to look upon the Sav iour, and Mary Magdalen is weeping over the sins she has so generously

expiated. "Le Gros Bourdon," the great bell of Notre Dame, is famed for the richness of its tone. It weighs 24,780 pounds, is six feet high, and at its mouth measures eight feet and seven inches in diameter. It hangs in the western tower. In the eastern tower are hung ten smaller bells, toned in such perfect harmony that almost any sacred air can be executed while they peal. The great organ is a'so an object of general interest. It has 5,772 pipes, from the size of a quill to huge tubes more than 30 feet long. Six years were required to build it. and Fred Archer, the famous organist, who inaugurated it on Easter day, 1891, pronounced it the finest instrument in existence in America.

A KING'S PARTNER. Colorado Miner Makes a Deal With Leopold of Belgium-How He Met

Ris Royal Associate. Thomas F. Walsh, the Colorado

millionaire mine owner, whose lavish entertainments have been a feafure of the social side of the Paris Exposition, has, according to a cable from Paris, formed a business partnership with a king. The monarch is Leopold of Belgium, and several milions of his money will be invested in America by Mr. Walsh. King Leoold's business operations in Belgian Africa have given him the reputation of being, to say the least, a shrewd man. His dealings with the natives have, it is said, been the subject of correspondence between European governments.

Mr. Walch met King Leopold several times in Belgium in addition to the meeting when he entertained the monarch at dinner. On one of these occasions the king brought up the subject of the International Sleeping Car Company, in which he is one of the principal stockholders, and which is in great need of cash for improvements. Mr. Walsh was asked by his royal neighbor at dinner if he



BUSINESS PARTNER OF KING LEOPOLD would not like a few shares of stock, which, the king declared, would pay him four or five per cent. Mr. Walsh anything that paid less than ten per cent., and that most of his investments were tringing 20 per cent. King Leowold became greatly inter ested at this and exhibited a lively desire to know all about it. Finally, he asked Mr. Walsh if he happened to know of any American mine investment in which a king might place a million or two. It is said to have taken Leopold two weeks to convince Mr. Walsh that a partnership with a king was not a bad business and then an agreement was signed, by which the king becomes the partner of Thomas F. Walsh in certain American mining investments. It is thought Leopeld will dispose of his sleeping car holdings in order to go fully into the American deal Out in Colorado no one knows how

much Mr. Walsh is worth, but he is the sole owner of the Camp Bird mine, which is werth \$35,009,000, and has large interests in other enterprises. His income is estimated at \$100,000 a month. He is extremely popular with the miners on account of his democracy, which admits all alike to his table, at his Washington residence as well as at Leadville and Camp Bird. He became famous for his entertainments before he stepped out of the bounds of Colorado, where he erected a luxurious hotel for the use of his men, and when he removed to Washington to save his wife's failing health he opened the doors of his residence to all and spared no money o "give everyone a good I e has been subjected to a great dea of criticism on his unlimited invitation lists, but his habit of inviting high and low and spending as much on entertaining one as the er is credited to an honest desire all enjoy themselves to the possible extent under his roof. as born in Tipperary, Ireland,

in 1851, and came to America in 1870. He began the study of mining almost upon his arrival in the United States, and, going to Colorado, emploved himself as a building contractor while he looked around for an oportunity. This he found 12,000 feet bove the sea level, where mine experts had declared it would be ruinous to attempt to mine. Mr. Walsh succeeded, and the Camp Bird gold mine which is located at that altitude, is one of the richest in the tate. The Camp Bird Hotel, in which hs miners live, is fitted out with porce'ain bathtubs, steam heat, library and smoking-rooms. It accomnodates 400 men, who live there in sumptuous style at a small cost. The hotel is characteristic of Mr. Wa'sh' attitude toward his men, and he has erer teen troubled be a cirile.

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Comradeship of the Men of the Different Nations.

Among the Soldiers Fighting for a Common Cause in China There is the Best of Good Fellowship - How the German Troops Cheered a Charge of the Bengal Lancers.

China, with all its misdeeds for which the world wishes to punish her, is responsible for good in one way at least. While the diplomats of Europe and America were wrangling over the terms of peace to be ohered the ancient kingdom, while they were, in diplomatic language, accusing each other of attempting to secure an advantage in trade or territory, or both, while they were on the verge of producing, and making every effort consistent with national dignity to prevent war, the soldiers of the international army in China were learning an international comradeship that, if it could be carried far enough would be the strongest possible influence against war.

It is comradeship that makes fighters of soldiers, fighters against a common enemy, but should the enemy be at the same time a comrade much of the fighting quality would

be gone. There were hundreds of incidents during the short campaign in China that were inspiring; hundreds of incidents that give one a better appreciation of the soldiers' calling. The petty jealousies of home governments were not carried by the rank and file of the international army to the battlefields of China. No matter what the nationality of a brave man; no matter what uniform he wore, his deeds of bravery were applauded alike by his countrymen and the soldiers of other lands.

For years diplomats of Russia and Japan have been at swords' points over eastern questions. Ever since the close of the Chinese-Japanese war, when Russia prevented Japan from realizing the full extent of her ambit on for territorial aggrandizement in China as a result of her victory, the two nations have been on the verge of war. Yet, when during the flerce fighting at the battle af Tien Tsin, a regiment of Russian Cossacks charged the batt'e line of the enemy, driving the Chinese hordes before them, riding over them at a severe cost to themselves, it was the Japanese soldiers who cheered first and longest.

There was a ring of good comradeship in that cheer; a comradeship that will not soon be forgotten by the Russian troops that heard it. The act of heroic bravery performed by the Russians was appreciated by the Japanese quite as much as though they had performed it. The soldiers in the field neither knew nor cared



THE BENGAL LANCERS IN CHINA. for the quarrels of the diplomats, but they appreciated brovery and applauded it, and their cheers sealed a comradeship between the troops of two nations.

For a number of years England and Germany have been at variance. Not the open disagreements that brings war, but the slightly strained diplomatic condition that savors not of peace. But the soldiers of the two nations forgot this condition during the trying march to Pekin. Diplomats might quarrel over Africa or the division of China; the great public at home might say hard things of the Queen or the Emperor, as the case might be, but the troops in the field cared for neither and when Her Majesty's Bengal Lancers charged the Chinese hordes during the march to Pekin they received the ringing plaudits of German comrades. It is to be regretted that the diplomats of the two nations, the men who make war or peace, could not have seen that sight; but there is some satisfaction in the fact that even from the descriptions which come to us from those far-away battles an inspiration is carried with it. The German infantry had held the centre of the line of battle during hours when the Chinese were pouring into them a heavy fire, disastrous not so much because of its accuracy but because of its volume. The commander of the column saw that something must be done to break the Chinese line, and English cavalry were called upon to come to the assistance of their comrades in the 6d, 1s, 1s 6d, and one-pound 5s Tins. or German infantry. They came with a Carbolic Tooth Paste, German infantry. They came with a swarthy-complexioned soldiers of the Queen's Indian army, their horses pressed to the highest possible speed, rushed by the German infantry like a mreliable. whirlwind. But great as was the P. O. CALVERT & CO., Manchester. speed it was not too rapid to hear the shouts of encouragement from the Germans or to see the German flag dipped in recognition of their bravery. So long as the soldiers of both forces, battling for a common cause. shall live there will remain a comradeship that stands as a monument to peace.

The Shah as a Wag. In the clock and watch department Weather Strips of the Paris Exposition an expert! called the attention of the Shah of Persia to a queer little pendule, which he wished His Majesty to buy. 'This little clock." said he, "free a pistol every hour," "To kill time, I suppose," said the witty ruler, as he

walked away. A | Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper,

In the death of the Marquis ol Bute science has sustained a considerable loss. The late Marquis was an ar-dent antiquarian, upon which subject he expended a great deal of

restoration of old castles and other historic buildings, although not always agreeing with others in gard to the lines to be fellowed. A subject upon which he lavished much time and money was the study and restoration of Cardiff Castle, in the south of Wales. From the current Gardener's Chronicle we learn that Lord Bute ascertained by the investigation of the old records that the monks in ancient days used to cultivate the grape, and make famous wine of them in the Cardiff district. As this practice had long died out in this section Lord Bute sent a wellknown horticulturist to France to study the French vineyards. The result of this investigation has lead to a finely developed vine industry in

Cardiff. The early death of the Marquis, at 53, has left much of his work of restoration in Wales unfinished, but it is hoped that his son will continue it.

and around the Marquis' castle of

Lord Bute's Beavers.

It is not often that an indifferent frontispiece of a volume of travel influences a man's ambitions, yet that was precisley what the view of a beaver village in a book about Canada did in the case of Lord Bute. He at once aspired to be the owner of beavers; he sent for a little colony of them from Canada, and he enclosed for their habitation thd shore of a lake in one of his own woods. The success of the experiment was complete, and other large landowners, seeing Lord Bute's beavers, decided to do as he had donethe Duke of Portland among the number.

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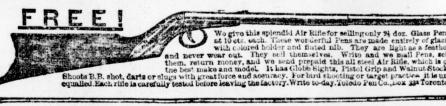
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