WHOLE NO. 16271;

## Births, Marriages, Pas

UNT-In this city, o. 3, 1901, suddenly, Edwin N. Hum wholesale HUNT-In this city, o. and retail merchant, aged 45 years ar

Funeral from his late residence, No. 356 Dundas street, Thursday, 16th inst., 2:30 p.m.

At Rest. FARNAN-In this city, on Tuesday, May 14, Margaret, beloved wife of Henry

Funeral from her late residence, 892
Queen's avenue, on Thursday, May 16,
at 2:30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances
kindly accept this intimation. 70u

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC. Advertisements under this heading 10c per line, or 2c per word each insertion.

PRIVATE DANCING PARTIES—PAL-ACE Dancing Academy. Perfect ar-rangements guaranteed for summer meason. Extra electric fans, ample ventilation, etc. Dayton & McCormick. FOLDER OF SCOTTISH TOURS CAN be obtained from F. B. Clarke, agent Allan and Anchor Lines, Richmond street, next Advertiser. zxv

OPEN FOR THE SEASON—SULPHUR Springs Baths. Daily from 7 a.m., to 9 p.m. Single bath, 25c; five tickets, \$1. Cole & Edmonds.

PRINCESS RINK—GRAND MUSICAL attraction. Phinney's United States Band, especially engaged for the Pan-American. Arranged to appear in London one evening only, Wednesday, May 22. Finest organization in America. Prices, 75c, 50c and 25c. Plan at Heintzman's.

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SPRINGBANE PAVILION IS NOW

#### MEETINGS.

ANNUAL MEETING — NATIONAL Council of Women, May 16-22, Auditorium. Public meeting, Friday, 17th, 8 p.m., Collegiate Institute; addresses, Drs. Bryce, Sheard, etc. Public meeting, Monday, 20th, 8 p.m., Normal School; addresses, Mrs. Fitzgibbon, Mrs. Jean Joy, Mrs. Hughes, Toronto, Miss Fowler, Winnipeg.

I. O. O. F.—NOMINATION OF OFFI-CERS, Dominion Lodge, No. 48, this Wednesday evening. A full attendance requested. J. R. Dunn, N.G.; Thos. D. Hastings, R.S.

LONDON BOARD OF TRADE—THE annual meeting of the Board of Trade will be held on Thursday, 16th inst., at 8 p.m. James Mattinson, president; J. Nollon scorptsy. 8 p.m. James Matth A. Nelles, secretary.

CHRISTIAN WORKERS — KING street—Hear Dr. Watson's instructive addresses at 2:30 and 7:30 daily. 69i

#### DOMESTICS WANTED.

WANTED-GOOD GIRL FOR GEN-ERAL housework, without washing or ironing. Apply at once, Mrs. Stevely, 496 King street. 71tf

WANTED - GOOD GENERAL SER-VANT; good wages. Apply 460 Simo street. 70c bw

WANTED - DINING-ROOM GIRL-Good wages, Apply 181 Dundas street. WANTED-BY JUNE 1-A GOOD PAR-LOR maid. Apply to Mrs. John Labatt, 572 Queen's avenue. 70tf

WANTED AT ONCE—GOOD COOK; also kitchen girl, at O'Nell House, cor-ner York and Talbot streets. 70c

WANTED-A THOROUGH GENERAL servant; no washing. Apply Mrs. T. Saxon Weld, 410 Dufferin avenue. 70u WANTED-GOOD GENERAL SERVANT

-No upstairs work. Apply Mrs. I Ashplant, 466 King street. 69tf

COOK AND UPSTAIRS GIRL WANTED Grand Central Hotel. 69c KITCHEN GIRL WANTED-APPLY

GIRL WANTED-16 OR 17 YEARS-Good wages. Apply 415 Dundas street. WANTED-AN EXPERIENCED NURSE

Who will assist with housework. Young Englishwoman preferred. Address Box 18, this office.

WANTED-A YOUNG GIRL TO AS-SIST a housemaid. Apply 510 Wellington street. DINING-ROOM GIRL WANTED-AP-PLY to Mrs. Wright, Office Hotel, 378 Richmond street. 63tf

FEMALE HELP WANTED. WANTED AT ONCE-GOOD SKIRT-MAKERS. Apply Miss McKenzie, at J. H. Chapman & Co. 71c

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HORSES WANTED AND FOR SALE at the Bernard House, London, on May 15 and 16. D. H. Porter. WANTED-RAGS, OLD RUBBERS, ALL kinds of scrap iron and metals. Pay highest cash prices. H. Serwer, Grey street, corner Adelaide. 'Phone 1,199.

Savings and Investment Society.

## HIGHEST RATES

Paid on Deposits and Debentures.

OFFICES - Masonic Temple Building, corner King and Richmond Streets.

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WANTED-GOOD STOUT BOY TO drive delivery wagon. Apply 269 Dun-das street.

WANTED-GOOD SMART YOUNG MAN for general work; good wages. Apply 181 Dundas street. 70c WANTED-MEN AT SLATER'S STOR-AGE warehouse; accustomed to work in forwarding warehouse preferred.

WANTED-A BOY ABOUT 16 YEARS of age, to assist in mailing department. Apply at this office. 69tf WANTED-BOY FOR THE DRYGOODS

-Apply Whiskard's, Dundas street,

VANTED-FOUR OR FIVE ABLE-BODIED boys to work in bottling de-partment. Carling Brewing and Malt-ing Company. 69tf

WANTED — CARRIAGE WOODWORK-ERS and carriage trimmers at once; steady job to right men. The Brant-ford Carriage Company, Limited, Brant-ford, Ont. 68n OUNG MEN - OUR ILLUSTRATED catalogue explains how we teach barber trade in eight weeks; mailed free. Moler Barber College, Buffalo, N. Y. 62bu

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

FOR SALE-GENTLEMAN'S WAVER-LY Bicycle, 24-inch frame; also Do-minion Bicycle, 26-inch frame, in good repair. 30 Bruce street. 71c LIGHT SPRING DELIVERY WAGON and buggles; in good repair, Charles

Johns, out raible street. FISHING TACKLE, BICYCLE PUMPS,

bells, tubes, tires; all kinds of bicycle parts at lowest prices. D. McKenzie, 298 Richmond street, one door south G. T. R.

FOR SALE—A GOOD COMBINATION tandem; will be sold very cheap to a cash purchaser. Apply Box 19, Adverticer FOR SALE-1 HEAVY WORK HORSE,

price \$50; general purpose horse, price \$60; 1 thoroughbred horse, 4 years old, dark bay, sound and gentle, price \$125. Call at 262 South street, city. 68tf

FOR SALE—ON EASY TERMS—NO 134 Sydenham street, 1½ story brick veneer house, 7 rooms, lot 33x160 feet; price \$1,-250. Apply on premises. 68bu

HANDSOME NEW WHEELS, \$25 to \$35, Dunlop tires and best equipment; wheels to rent. J. H. Cunningham, 639 Dundas. Telephone 1,223.

CHOICE SUGAR-CURED PICNIC hams, 11½c lb; rolls, 13c lb; Bow Park breakfast bacon, 15c lb; pickled shoulders, 9c lb; pressed beef, 10c lb; lunch bacon, 12½c lb; bologna, 10c. Cape Cod cranberries, 5c quart; choice seed potatoes, Early Sunrise, 10c peck, 50c; Dutch setts, 8c quart. T. A. Faulds, 687 Dundas street. 'Phone 1,192. zxv

TRY F. S. ONN, FISH DEALER, FOR all kinds of fish; fresh daily; satisfaction guaranteed. 'Phone 1,296. zxw FOR PUTTING UP HAY FORKS farmers use our ladders; painters, plumbers and eavestroughers prefer them to all others. So does everyone. Catalogue free. The Waggoner Ladder Company, Limited, factory corner York and Colborne streets, London, Ont.

CHEAP COAL AND WOOD-A GOOD stock of the best hard coal and all kinds of soft coal, and the best quality of hard and soft wood, at the lowest cash price. Yard, William street and G. T. Railway. Green & Co. 'Phone 1,391.

SNAP IN NEW AND SECOND-HAND Pianos during next ten days. One fine Piano, 71-3 octaves, guaranteed; only \$100. Heintzman & Co.,217 Dundas street.

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TWO HORSES FOR SALE-ALSO laundry plant. Bart Cottam Co. 55tf HARD WOOD-BEECH AND MAPLE— Best quality; also soft wood. Prompt delivery. S. Gillies & Son. 'Phone 1,312.

WE CAN SAVE YOU FROM \$1 TO \$5 by purchasing your baby carriage or go-cart from us. Keene Bros., 127 King street. HAPPY THOUGHT RANGES AND ALL

kinds of stoves, new and second-hand.

100 cook stoves wanted; will pay cash, at F. Keene's, 141 King street.

GREAT SLAUGHTER SALE — WALL paper, paints, oil, glass, mixed paints, brushes. Open till 10 p.m. Scarrow, 424 Richmond. sores, piles, burns, skin disease, use New Century Magic Salve. 25 cents box. No. 15 Masonic Temple.

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FOR SALE OR TO LET-FURNISHED cottage, Fraser Heights, Port Stanley; 8 rooms. Apply J. R. Shuttleworth, 388 Clarence street.

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WANTED—50 SMART LADIES AND gentlemen of represent a good, reliable firm. The superintendent of agencies can be seen at Mr. T. N. Cassidy's, 469 King street, at 9 a.m., 1:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

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No. 9 Masonic Temple, London, Ont.

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET. FOR RENT-NO. 780 QUEEN'S AVE-NUE-That beautiful new 2-story brick residence, 9 rooms, bath room, modern plumbing, furnace, art glass, grill work, mantel, picture molding, etc. Rent, \$18 per month. A. A. Campbell, Moisons Bank buildings, London, Ont. 71u xt

TO LET-FROM JULY 1 NEXT, THE offices now occupied by the Confederation Life, Market Lane, Ontario loan and Debenture Company's Building, Apply W. F. Bullen (55b), yellon (55b), yellon

TO LET-NO.40 ALMA STREET NORTH

-Brick cottage, 7 rooms; large stable;
hard and soft water. 701 TO LET-LARGE BRICK COTTAGE-In good repair, 179 Ann street. Apply to Joseph Hamilton, 183 Ann street. 67th

TO RENT-FURNISHED COTTAGE-Port Stanley. Apply 442 King street. 65tf

TO RENT-FROM MAY 1-STORY AND a half brick house, on Central avenue, southwest corner William street. Apply 528 Dundas street. O LET-COMFORTABLE COTTAGE-

Eight rooms, large garden, Central avenue, second house east Adelaide stree Apply 588 Adelaide. 69c TO LET - FURNISHED COTTAGE-Fraser Heights, Port Stanley. Apply Strong's Drug Store. 64tf Strong's Drug Store,

HOUSE TO LET - NO. 810 TALBOT street. Alex. Harvey, 804 Talbot street. FURNISHED COTTAGE—BY MONTH or season, at New Orchard Beach, Port Stanley. 182 Dundas street.

TO LET-UNION FURNITURE VAN Furniture carefully handled. Joho Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce, South London, late of London Furniture Company. 'Phone 310.

#### EDUCATIONAL.

of the powers is not acceptable. For the first time in the history of diplo-LONDON SCHOOL OF ORATORY, 2801/2 Dundas street. Ellen Miriam Kurzen-knabe, director, graduate Emerson Colmatic relations with the Chinese, a French translation accompanied the lege of Oratory, Boston. SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS.

THE HARDING HALL GIRLS'
SCHOOL, LIMITED.
A Boarding and Day School,
Summer term begins April 15. For
prospectus apply to Mrs. J. E. Wells, 681
Talbot street. Washington, D. C., May 14.—A cablegram from Mr. Rockhill, the United States special commissioner at Pekin, received at the state department to-

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE BACON PIG—THE IMPORTED Yorkshire boar, British Hero, for service at lot 2l, Commissioners' road, adjoining L. and P. S. Railway, east of Odell Postoffice. Geo. Talbot. 67tf

F. B. LEYS' OFFICE WILL BE AT the London Hat, Cap and Mantle Manufacturing Company, 355 and 357 Clar ence street, for the present. 29tf

Liquor License Act Notice. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications for transfer of their tavern licenses have been made by the following licensees: Alex. Burr, of Birr, London township, to G. E. Tuckey, city of London; Mrs. C. Swarts, Masonville, London township, to Angus Mahon, city of London; G. E. Chittick, Nilestown, Westminster township, to Fred Burton, city of London; John Stillson, Ilderton, London township, to John Ovens. The Board of License Commissioners will meet on May 25, at 2 p.m., to consider the same. A. BAILEY, Inspector, East Middlesex. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT

#### FOR SALE BY TENDER.

Valuable business properties in the city of London, Ont. The Toronto General Trusts Corporation

Will receive offers for the purchase of the following properties belonging to the estate of

The Late Hon. Sir Frank Smith. 1. 156 Dundas street, having a frontage on the north side of Dundas street of about 29 feet, by a depth to Carling street of about 199 feet. There is erected on the property a brick store, covering the whole lot, about half of which is three storeys in height with basement and the remainder two stories occupied by Mr. John

in height with basement and the remainder two stories, occupied by Mr. John Garvey, wholesale grocer.

2. 194 Dundas street, having a frontage on the north side of Dundas street of about twenty feet by a depth of about 185 feet. There is erected on the property a brick store about 20x50 feet, three stories, with one story addition about 29x 100 feet, occupied at present by Messrs. Bradford & Hodgins, confectioners.

Tenders, which may be for one or both properties, to be addressed to THE TORONTO GENERAL TRUSTS CORPORATION, Toronto,

Not later than the 20th May, 1901. TERMS: For each property a cash payment equal to one-quarter of the purchase money to be made, and the balance at such times as may be arranged, bearing 4 per cent interest, payable half yearly.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For full particulars apply to

ply to
THE TORONTO GENERAL TRUSTS
CORPORATION,
59 Yonge street, Toronto.
Dated at Toronto, 6th day of May, 1901,

## THE BOER WAR NEARING AN END

### Forces of the Enemy Being Rapidly Broken Down or Surrendering.

British Magnanimity Has Prolonged the Campaign---No Change in Terms of Settlement Likely.

London, May 15-1 a.m.-War news, soon be abandoned because the weather has almost entirely disappeared from sible bulletins, summing up the captures from day to day, and the meager press dispatches contain no details of any interest. There were several dispatches yesterday indicating a

RAPID BREAKING DOWN of the Boer forces owing to cold and starvation, and the forecasts of a! speedy close of hostilities were more confident than for a long time. Lord Kitchener's stock-taking memoranda have proved that bands of guerillas were coming into our lines and surrendering, and that Botha and Delarey had met with heavy losses in horses

The evidence is not yet conclusive that the end of the war is near. British magnanimity has prolonged the campaign. Thousands of women, children and refugees are under British protection and are systematically fed and cared for. The Boer warriors are not anxious about their families and consequently are enabled to stand out.

VAIN PREDICTIONS.

at Pokin.

Special Instructions Sent to the U. S.

Ambassador-Pleasant Words From

the British Commander.

London, May 15 .- Dr. Morrison, wir-

"The Chinese reply to the ministers

day, mentions the receipt of the min-

isters of the response of the Chinese

envoys to the ministers' demands for

indemnity. Mr. Rockhill has been instructed to continue his efforts to se-

cure an abatement of the total in-

demnity, but in the present disposition

of the powers very little hope of suc-

OPPOSED TO HIGH TARIFF.

London, May 14.—The under foreign secretary, Lord Cranborne, in the House of Commons today, said that

the government remained opposed to

any increase of import tariff in China

beyond raising the duty to an actual

5 per cent ad valorem, except in con-

nection with a scheme to reform the

WITHDRAWAL OF FRENCH

TROOPS.

today, the foreign minister, M. Del-casse, announced that the government

would recall the French expeditionary

forces in China so soon as the last

be carried out and after the settlement

PLEASANT WORDS.

Gen. Gazalee, the British commander

tribute to some of the foreign officers

at the office of John Dalton, Esq., Deseronto, Ont.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the erder of the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p. c.) of the amount of tender, must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order, poy

By order,
By order,
JOS. R. ROY,
Ottawa, May 6, 1961.
Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for it.

At a meeting of the French cabinet

teratment of foreign trade.

cess is entertained.

ing to the Times from Pekin, says:

TOTHE POWERS

CHINA'S REPLY

is cold and the veldt dry are not of any value. The Boers are thoroughly acclimatised to the veldt. Reinforcements are still going to the Cape from Southampton, and the war office is not suspending active preparations for a continuance of the war.

MANY BOERS SURRENDERING. Pretoria, May 13.—The number of burghers who are surrendering is rapidly increasing. These men state that the Boers are worn out by the incessant movements of the British troops. The majority of the burghers who have surrendered are without horses,

and all are half-starved and poorly clad. The local Dutch think the advent of winter will witness a general surrender of the fighting burghers. Already the nights are bitterly and the veldt is dry. Commandant Boyers' force, of about 400 men, is reported to be near Nylstroom north of pretoria.

TERMS OF SETTLEMENT. Cape Town, May 14.-In an address to the St. George's Society today Sir Gordon Sprigg, prime minister of Cape Colony, declared emphatically that there was not a vestige of truth in the report of ministerial dissensions The cabinet was in entire harmony with the imperial government and Governor Sir Alfred Milner. All agreed that there could be no variation from Predictions that the campaign will the terms of settlement of the war.

with whom the British have been associated by force of circumstances. Gen. Chaffee and Gen. Baron Yamaguchi, who respectively command the United States forces and the imperial Japanese contingent, have been most loyal in all their relations with me, is Not Acceptable to the Envoys Gen. Fukushima, chief of staff of the

Gen. Gazalle also alluded to Lieut. Gaussen, of the 1st Bengal Lancers, notice by Gen. Chaffee and Lieut.-Col. Wint for carrying off an American trooper who had been unhorsed during reconnoissance, Aug. 15, under a

heavy fire. VIEWS OF ENVOYS. Pekin, May 13.-The foreign ministers refused to allow themselves to quoted for publication regarding the Chinese Government's answer to

the indemnity demand, but three of them gave expression to their personal views of the matter. One of them said he never expected the Chinese to agree to the demand without arguing, even had the total been only ten millions. He considered the Chinese offer of 15,000,000 taels annually for 30 years absurd and ridiculous, and thought the request that 7,000,000 be given them from the foreign customs bordered upon insolence. The powers, he believed, would make a mistake if they should not exact the utmost centime. Another said it would not matter what China said, and that whatever the powers should decide upon would have to be agreed to eventually. A third expressed himself as satisfied that a majority of the powers would agree to reduce the demands in accordance with China's ability to

#### \$5,000. ANNA HELD GIVES UP HER BEAR CUB

It Was Not Received Enthusiastically at the Park Zoo, But It's There.

New York, May 15 .- Anna Held's personally conducted menagerie, consisting of a young lion, a bear cub and a few clauses of the collective note should minor pets in the shape of baby alligators and various breeds of dogs, which of the indemnities. Two thousand have been her companions on her road troops already have been repatriated. tours for the past season, has been depleted to the extent of the bear cub, to London, May 15 .- A dispatch from the gain of the Central Park Zoo, says

the Sun. at Pekin, reviewing the operations in China from Aug. 14 to Jan. 17, has been gazetted. "I wish to take this opportunity," he says, towards the conclusion of the dispatch, "of paying tribute to some of the foreign officers." It was not Miss Held's intention to enrich the city by one bear until the clerks at the Hotel Savoy, where she is staying, suggested yesterday morning that they had no special accommodations for bears; and, besides, bears' claws could be sharpened ever so much better on a nice log inelosed in a cage in Central Park than on the silk-covered furniture of the Savoy. After that the 12-weeks-old baby bear was automobiled to Central Park, and Miss Held, with her husband, Florence Ziegfeld, tendered the gift formally to Director Smith.

The director, høwever, was not as enthusiastic over the present as Miss Held expected he would be. In fact, when Miss Held was seen at the Grand Opera House last night, where she is still "Papa's Wife," she was disposed to be rather indignant over the reception of her pet. clerks at the Hotel Savoy, where she is SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and indorsed "Tender for Postoffice, etc., Deseronto, Ont.," will be received at this office until Tuesday, 28th May, inclusively, for a Postoffice, Customs and Inland Revenue Office Building at Deseronto, Ont., according to plans and specifications to be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 2nd at the office of John Dalton, Esq., Deseronto, Ont.

Tenders will not be considered unless

rapa's wife, she was disposed to be rather indignant over the reception of her pet.

"W'en I firs' see M'sieu Smith he was charmant, but w'en I lif' out of ze carriage ma petite ange, ee trow up 'is 'ands an' ee say: 'Que le diable?' Only you understan' en Anglais. I explain ver' carefully zat it is a li'l bear. He say no ees possible, bears haf better complexiens. Zen ee look again an' say maybe zee complexion be bad on account of rubbin' agains' zee bar.

"I again explain zee bebe drink only milk, an' ee tell me ee mean zee bar of 'er cage; zen ee tell me, too, ee nevaire saw such a mangy bearskin, an' ee cannot half her wiz zee uzzer animals. I tell 'im I know ver' much more 'bout bearskins zahn ee, for I been on zee stage four years—p'raps; and zee bebe is all right."

Directer Smith finally accepted the cub, which had evidently been suffering from toe much food and insufficient exercise.

## SUBSIDIES FOR

Mr. Tarte Introduces Resolutions Asking Over \$3,000,000.

Bell Telephone Company Receives Its First Set-Back in the Senate-French Line Subsidy.

Ottawa, May 14.-Hon. A. G. Blair tonight submitted to the house resolutions calling for railway subsidies to the amount of \$3,462,472. Of this sum, however, \$1,689,600 are old subsidies, so that the net obligations proposed to be assumed amount to only

After the prolonged sitting of yester-

day, the house was not inclined to waste much time in talking today, and a large amount of work having been done an adjournment was taken at 11 o'clock this evening. The resolution authorizing the payment of a subsidy of \$100,000 annually for a line of steam ships between Canadian and Frenc ports was reported; also a resolution authorizing the Dominion Government to loan the Montreal harbor commission \$1,000,000 for improving the terminal facilities and erecting elevators a that port. In supply the suplementar estimates for agriculture and marin and fisheries were voted. Mr. Fisher, in reply to a qestion, announced that the government had forwarded a strongly worded memorandum to the authorities in reference to the superior advantages which Canada possesses as a source of supply from which horses for the army might be obtained.

ALIEN LABOR BILL. The amendment to the Alien Labor Bill, designed to give police magistrates the same power as county judges to try cases of infraction of the law, was lost on a vote of 66 nays to 37 yeas. SETBACK FOR THE TELEPHONE COMPANY.

The Bell Telephone Company received its first serious setback in the sen-20 yeas to 28 nays, the upper chamber rejected Senator Lougheed's amendment to repeal the clause in the act of 1892 requiring the company to obtain the consent of the governor in council before it can increase its rates, and to make the company subject to any general act with respect to telephone charges which may hereafter be passed. The result of the vote was a surprise to the company, whose representatives have been conducting a most persistent lobby since the bill left the banking and commerce com-

### Gist of the News.

Huron Liberals wille hold a nomination convention at Brussels on Tuesday, May 28.

The huckleberry crop promises to be very large this year on the plains of Northern Michigan. The Mail and Empire says Sir Charles Tupper cleared \$100,000 on the rise in Northern Pacific.

Donald Currie, a shoemaker, of Charlottetown, P. E. I., committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid Mon-Col. Charles Denby is mentioned as likely to succeed Edwin H. Conger as

United States minister in China. Denby has been there before. It was affirmed and denied in the street that Mr. J. P. Morgan had taken passage by the Kaiser Wilhelm, sailing this noon from Southampton.

Winfield N. Sattley, widely known

insurance man, was stricken with apoplexy on a Chicago cable car last light and died shortly afterward at a hospital. Mr. B. A. D. Bertrand, who ran as the Liberal candidate for Provencher. Man., at the last general election, has been appointed inspector of public

works in the Yukon, at a salary of

#### TWO LETTERS FROM CAPTAIN CARSTAIRS.

He Was Wounded Twice, But Is Fast Re-

covering-Adding to the Empire.

Mr. J. S. Carstairs, B.A., of Harbord Street Collegiate Institute, Toronto, has recently received letters from his brother, Capt. W. F. W. Carstairs, of this city, lieutenant of the 3rd Niger Battalion, and transport officer of the punitive expedition under Major Heniker, another Canadian, which early in February started from Old Calabar, the West African Coast, for Benin City. In a cable dispatch of the 30th ult. Lieut. Carstairs was reported as the only officer wounded. Writing from Immicermiga on March 25, he says: "For the past two weeks it has been fight, every day, but we have wiped the enemy out, or nearly so. was wounded on the 20th in the right forearm, and left leg, but am happy to

"We have just captured this town of about 30,000 or 40,000 without a sin gle casualty. We expect to add at the least 4,000,000 people to the empire in

In another letter from Ekisiga, on

this expedition. THE RUSSIAN FLEET IN CHINESE WATERS.

London, May 14.—"It is asserted here," says the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, "that at the request of Admiral Alexieff, the Russian Government is sending two more battleships and four cruisers to reinforce the Russian fleet in Chinese waters, in anticipation of serious trou-A DENIAL.

Berlin, May 14.-Government circles deny that any negotiations are going on between Austria and Germany for the European commercial league against the United States. The idea is regarded as impracticable owing to the diversities of race and commercial in-

terests

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### THE CROP PROSPECTS IN ONTARIO

Wheat in Southern Counties Hurs by Hessian Fly.

Good Reports From Other Sections-Fruit Trees Doing Well-Favorable Accounts as to Conditions of Live Stock, Excepting Hogs.

Toronto, May 15 .- The following bufletin has just been prepared by the Ontario department of agriculture, based on the reports of its regular correspondents as to conditions on 1st May. 1901:

Fall Wheat-But for the injury done by the Hessian fly in the southwestern part of the province fall wheat could be classed as a most promising crop. Unfortunately every county south of a line drawn from Hamilton to Sarnia has suffered considerably from the fly, and a few township a little to the north have also been visited by the pest. Some fields will be plowed up on this account, but not so large an acreage as the poor condition of the wheat would warrant on account of the grain having been seeded down with grass. Outside the counties affected by the Hessian fly fall wheat looks well, as a rule, presenting a luxuriant appearance, and several counties may be expected to give yields well up to the record.

WHERE THE FLY IS PREVALENT.

In the annual report of the Agricul-

tural College for 1900, Prof. W. Lochhead thus refers to the visitation of the Hessian fly: "Many complaints reach us regard the prevalence of the Hessian fly, and observations sho that it is prevalent in all the counties along Lake Erie, viz., Esses, Kent Norfolk, Haldimand, Welland and Lincoln. The wheat crop of Middlesex, Lambton, Huron, Oxford and Brant has also been badly attacked, and occasionally complaints have come from Perth and Simcoe, Bruce, Grey, Wellington, Waterloo, Dufferin, but the counties east of Toronto are practically free. The long, open falls of the past two years have been very favorable to the breeding of Hessian flies. Reports of the dates of sowing of the fall wheat in the infected districts make it quite clear that the time of the sowing of the seed should be postponed till the last week in September. Where such late sowing has been done the crop has escaped the fly. It is often maintained that seed sown after the first week in September does not produce a yield equal to that produced from seed sown prior to that date; but, on the other hand, it does not take many Hessian flies to make a material reduction in the yield of an infested field."

Winter Rye-Little rye is being raised for the grain, most of the crop being cut for green food. Where gren, however, the crop is looking well. Clover-The clover crop came out of the winter in about the same condition as it entered it, the damage done by "heaving" and ice being very small. Clover fields had been given a good start by timely rains and warm wea-

VEGETATION WELL ADVANCED. Vegetation — Correspondents whe wrote a few days before the 1st of May considered the season as rather backward, but those who sent in their re-ports after that date spoke of rapid had brought vegetation rather forward than usual. The eastern portions of the province appear to have been relatively more advanced in this respect than the west. Meadows in the beginning of May afforded excellent pasturage for sheep and a fair bite for other live stock. An Essex correspondent writing on May 6 stated that peach trees were then in profuse bloom. Live Stock—All classes of live stock came through the winter in good condition. Horses especially look well. Cattle were rather thin, but on the whole are healthy, with some cases of

#### Bargains in Silver-Plated Ware

(Continued on Page 6.)

We have a case full of goods which for this month we will offer at a discount of 40 per cent. The goods are all of standard quality, made by the best English and American houses. They cannot fail to be of interest to those wanting wedding

gifts. JOHN S. BARNARD 170 Dundas Street, London.



Premiums

Vesterday

The first day of our new system of giving away premiums saw hundreds of articles given away. All our customers were more than pleased with the articles given. Tomorrow entirely different ones will be on the premium counters. These goods are on exhibition in our east window. You might as well wood was not been as a some with the articles given away the benefit of this as window. You might as well reap the benefit of this as your neighbor. Special bar-

gains for tomorrow are recorded in the lists below. Come with the masses to this popular shopping place.

Wrappers

back, for

36 only in navy,

cardinal and light

shades, lined waist,

full skirts, pleated

73C

Grey and black

990

Wrappers

## THURSDAY BARGAIN PRICES. SHIRT WAIST AND WRAPPER SALE.

Thursday morning one of the greatest sales in the department we have ever had will commence. This sale starts at 8.30. First come, first served.

Shirt Waists
53 only Shirt
Walsts, in blue, pink, mavy, black and white stripe,
laundered collar and

## 48C

**Shirt Waists** In black and white, broad or parrow stripes, box-pleated front, new sleeve, flare cuffs, for

73C

**Shirt Waists** Regular \$1.50 In blue, pink, Wrappers mauve and ox-blood new Grecian front, Hamburg insertion, laundered collar, Thursday

Corsets Summer Net Cor-

sets and drab jean Corsets for, pair, 25C

Underskirts

Lousdale Skirt, over-

cluster of tucks with frill, for

990

Ladies'

trimmed with frill

or lace tucks above

25C

Fine cotton

Gowns, full size,

tucked yoke, frill on

neck, box-pleat, at

hem, per pair,

Gowns

Corsets New straight front Corset, satin jean, steel filled, lace

percale Wrappers, black revers edged with frills, Thurs-49C Gowns

trimmed, at

Ladies' heavy cotton Gown, yoke made of 3 rows of insertion and 6 clusters of tucks, embroidery edging

In mavy, light blue around neck and sleeves, regular \$1,

Four Big Specials From

Kidney Disease and Rheumatism Had About Done for Thomas Simpson, of Fergus, When He Began Dr. Arnold's Toxin Pills.

NOW HE IS CURED. Mr. Thomas Simpson is well and favorably known in Center Wellington and in the town of Fergus. For years he had been a victim of that preva-lent disease, rheumatism. Unable to get any of the various kinds of medicine to do him any good, he began the toxin system of treatment, and procured a box of Dr. Arnold's Toxin Pills. His story is short and to the Ladies' white stitched seams, inch frill of embroidery,

He says: "I am cured of rheumatism and kidney disease. Your Toxin Pills cured me, and I think they are the greatest pills in the world. There is certainly something different in their action than in the old-fashioned pills we have been accustomed to using. Anyway, I am well now, and grateful to Dr. Arnold." Drawers, 25c

> Life Building, Toronto, Canada. NEW G. T. R. ROUND-HOUSE. Montreal, May 15.-The Grand Trunk and shops at Deering, Maine, to cost

SENATOR BAIRD DANGEROUSLY

Ottawa, May 15 .- Senator Baird, of New Brunswick, is reported to be dangerously ill. He is a Conservative, and has been in the Upper House

IS CARRIE CRAZY? Topeka, Kan., May 15 .- The case of Mrs. Carrie Nation, charged with saloon-smashing in Topeka, last Febin the district court. Her attorneys fense. None of Mrs. Nation's crusader

"FRENCH MARY" IS DEAD. Pittsburg, May 15 .- Mrs. Mary Leonard, better known as "French Mary," a vivandiere of the United States civil war, and one of the most picturesque figures produced during the rebellion, committed suicide by taking poison. Mrs. Leonard served through the war with the 114th Pennsylvania Volunteers, doing remarkable service in a number of battles, for which she reconspicuous mention and a medal for bravery.

# the Basement

That will make a lively scene Thursday at 8:30. If you are in need of any of these lines, come early.

54 Extension Window Screens hardwood frame, green wire, 18 inches high, extend 36 inches, regular 30c, Thursday...... 19c

116 Granite Wash Bowls, with ring to hang up by, 111/2-inch size, regular 25c, Thursday ...... 11c 74 Granite Seamless Water Pails, the 14-quart size; regular 90c, Thursday ...... 59c

288 Sisal Clothes Lines, 3-ply, 60 feet length, regular 15c, Thurs-

## WOODS' FAIR.

## JOHN HAY

Experience of the U.S. Consul in the Boer Capital.

Burgher Officials None Too Friendly-Character of the People-Interesting Fact in Connection With Pretoria's Surrender.

Mr. Adelbert Hay. United States consul at Pretoria, contributes to the current number of Collier's Weekly an interesting account of some of his experiences at the capital of the Transvaal republic. Boer officials were none too friendly; in fact, they were suspicious and distrustful; but satisfactory explanations were made and he was permitted to have a fair trial. Mr. Hay states that on his arrival the

of the Boer character Mr. Hay says:
"I don't know that I am qualified to express an opinion of the character of the Boer, because my opportunities for judgling were very limited, but it seems to me that he is often narrow-minded and circumscribed in his views, which is not surprising when you remember the life he leads. Of course, I am talking of the Boers of the veldt and not the officials. My position prohibits me from commenting on the members of the government, and even without this prohibition I should be disinclined to do so. But the Boer farmer leads a self-centered life removd from intercourse with his fellows, which makes him alien to the world and quite unable to understand it. He rarely speaks English, but usually comprehends it. He reads his Bible—not, I think, because he is so deeply religious, but because it has become with him largely a matter of habit and it is often the only book he has. Constant reading, often without understanding, has made him fanatical and apt to interpret too literally the doctrine of vengeance.

"The man of the vounger generation Of the Boer character Mr. Hay says:

the doctrine of vengeance.

"The man of the younger generation is more liberal and better educated. He is learning English ways and he tries to some in contact with the English. When war was first declared the young men oined the army, but recently, since the Boers, as well as the Free Staters, have seen the cause was hopeless, the young

TEAMSTERS' FEET.

Any teamster or driver subject to old, clammy, sore, aching, feet, can ave warm, dry, comfertable feet, by sing Foot Elm in his shoes. Price, ising Foot Eilli in this sent by mail, postage free, from Stott & Jury, Bow-

men have no heart in the struggle, and have either ceased to fight or else only do so when they must. It is the old men now who are fighting, and they are fighting as Cromwell's Ironsides did—chanting a Psalm before they charge. They are fighting with the zeal of fanatics; they are irreconcilable: they have seen their a result before they energe. They are fighting with the zeal of fanatics; they are irreconcilable; they have seen their homes destroyed, their crops ruined, their relatives killed, and they fight because that is the only thing left to them. The history of the world can show no other case of such indomitable tenacity. It is evident that 50 per cent of the original Boer army has either been killed or taken prisoners; in all other cases when 25 per cent of a force has been captured or placed hors de combat, the end has come, yet the Boers keep up the struggle and entertain no thought of surrender.

"And this, it seems to me, makes it difficult to make any prediction as to the time when the war will end. These old men will fight until they are killed, or until it is absolutely impossible for them to do any more fighting. I mean by this that they must be practically exterminated before British authority can be recognized."

As to the relative merits of the Boers and the British as soldiers, Mr. Hay con-fesses that his opinion can be worth very little, but that from what he saw he ven-

and the British as soldiers, Mr. Hay confesses that his opinion can be worth very little, but that from what he saw he ventures the estimate that too much cannot be said of the British, both men and officers. "The British officer, it seems to me, is at times fooolishly brave. That is to say, he is impressed with the necessity of inspiring his men and showing a contempt for death or danger. It has often been said that this is magnificent, but it is not war. I am not quite sure that I agree as to that. When the man in the ranks knows that his officer is not shirking, and that he has no fear of consequences, it makes him courageous and inspires him to do his best. The English soldier is plucky, dogged and usually contented. I do not think he has the adaptability of the American soldier, but he impresses me very favorably. The Boer, of course, has the advantage over the Britisher—as I think he would have over the soldiers of any nation in the world—of being a natural born shot. From infancy the Boer has been hunting big game and has been accustomed to the use of firearms. Distances on the veldt are extremely deceptive, owing to the atmospheric conditions, and it is difficult for a man not trained to that form of outdoor life to be able to accurately determine the range. The Boer, on the other hand, having always led the life of a hunter, with a keenly trained eye, has his adversary at a disadvantage. That explains why in the principal engagements the loss of life on the British side was so heavy and the casualties among the Boers comparatively few. The British infantryman is probably as good a marksman as can be found in any other army, but he is hoppelessly outclassed as against the Boer."

Mr. Hay mentions an interesting fact connected with the surrender of Pretoria. The night before this occurred there was some discussion among the Boers as to the advisability of defending it, and Gen. Louis Botha declared his intention of making a resistance. It was apparent to everybody that this would simply involve useless s

would you, if you had it, pay \$1,000 to be cured? It is

a large sum. One thousand dollars means a fortune, almost, to many people. But health is more than riches. Many is the man cured? It will not cost you one thoudollars. Japanese Catarrh Cure is within the reach of all. have the experience of Mr. You Joseph Little, the mill-owner of Port Essington, B. C., to guide you. It cost HIM \$1,000. But he shows you how you may be cured for a thousandth part of that sum. You who have experienced the heartbreaking disappointment following the use of powders, sprays, and 'blood purifiers' or have paid out good money to specialists, all to no purposes, as Mr. Little did, read his letter below and be convinced the only cure in the world for Catarrh

### **JAPANESE** CATARRH CURE.

"Japanese Catarrh Cure cured me of catarrh which had troubled me for twenty-five years, during which time I had spent over \$1,000 with specialists in Toronto and San Francisco, but obtained no permanent relief until using Japanese Catarrh Cure about two years Since that time I have been completely cured, and my catarrh has not troubled me in the least. We also keep a supply in the mill for cuts and sores, and can say it is the best remedy for took thealing we have ever used."—Joseph points. Little, Pt. Essington, B. C.

Japanese Catarrh Cure is 50 cents a box at Anderson & Nelles, druggists, or sent postpaid by The Griffiths, Mac-rate cars or repairing lines, and pherson Company, Limited, Toronto. probably remain inactive until

### INITIAL TRIP OF LARGEST LOCOMOTIVE

**Engine That Travels Seventy** Miles an Hour.

An Epoch Maker in the Grand Trunk Service.

Its Capacity and Power-Will Rush Passengers Panamwards.

The largest locomotive that ever entered the Grand Trunk yards is No. 988, the magnificent engine that passed through the city yesterday on her initial trip tunnelwards from the Bridge. In the science of locomotive construction it makes an advance upon former efforts that can be appreciated only by those whose business it is to study such matters, and at any rate, the general public is more deeply interested in its power to eliminate time and space than in its mechanical details. When the immense engine rolled into the station at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon a crowd had gathered there to see it and to Mayor Rumball and Engineer Graydon, who were in it, Superintendent Egan pointed out some of its good points, not the least of which is its ability to maintain a speed of 70 miles an hour while pulling a train of 14 passenger coaches. When the trial trip was resumed westwards, Superintendent Egan was accompanied by D. A. Mitchell, master of bridges and buildings; W. D. Robb, master mechanic; D. Liddall, superintendent of iron works, and G. Renton, road foreman. Engineer Burnip had the throttle and his assistant was Fireman Logan. The superintendent himself is an experienced engineer, and to vary the run he took the driver's seat in the cab and controlled the massive mechanism during a portion of the 180-mile journey that was made, in a manner that was wholly satisfactory to the men who were so anxiously watching the test.

No. 988 is the first of its class to Dr. Arnold."

No. 988 is the first of its class to come from the shops at Montreal, and it has beauty of outline combined with great speed. Its construction marks an epoch in the life of the Grand an epoch in the life of the Grand Trunk. The International Limited, famous all over America as a fast train, is drawn by 90-ton locomotives. Engine 988 weighs 154 tons. The figure in both instances include tender. Here is a difference of 64 tons, or a surplus of more than two-thirds the weight of the Limited engines. limit of capacity for water has 3,500 gallons; No. 988 takes along 6,000 gallons. Six or seven tons of coal was the tender capacity. The capacity now is ten tons-enough to keep up steam for the 360-mile round trip The Limited engines have a steam capacity of 165 pounds, and engine 988 has 200

Yesterday's test initiated a service that will be an improvement even upon that which has already made the Grand Trunk trains known all over the world, and it may be accepted as ruary, went to the jury this afternoon evidence of the fact that the management of the company is determined to road supremacy.

#### STREET CAR MEN'S STRIKE AT ALBANY.

Failure of Attempts to Reach a Settlement-2,200 Troops Sent For.

Albany, N. Y., May 14.—When night closed over Albany tonight thousands of men took up the vigil to prevent the United Traction men from running their electric cars with non-union men. One man lies in a hospital wounded almost unto death; one of the two cars the company attempted to run is in the gutter not two blocks from the carouse, wrecked, and the trolley wires are cut in several places, practically crippling the road. Near the car houses were thousands of men, women and children, wrought up to a pitch of frenzy, and inside the car-house, afraid to even look out of the grated windows, are about 75 non-union men that the company expects to use in running the cars. Early this morning there were about 150 of them, but by nightfall, sickened by the sight of their blood-covered comrades brought blood-covered comrades brought back from the first attempt to run the cars, and urged on by the strikers and their wives, sixty-five of them had deserted, and joined the ranks of the strikers. The men claim that they were brought here under a misapprehension, and that they supposed were going to Philadelphia. At o'clock in the afternon the police practically admitted that they were powon the street if cars were run, and General Manager McNamara immediately called upon Gen. Oliver, in com-mand of the Third Brigade, for pro-After a conference, Gen. Oliver issued

lion of Albany. The troops that Gen Oliver has at his command include about 2,000 men. Major-General Roe is here, and will command the troops in person.

thousand sympathizers Several charged at dusk on a wagon load of non-union men, who had been sent out from the Quail street barns by the company to repair the trolley riots of the morning. The police pre-vented any r sonal conflicts, but were powerless to stop the storm of stones and bricks showered upon the non-union men from the vacant lots, cross streets and house-tops. The men lay upon their faces on the floor of a wagon, and, surrounded by the mounted men, who used their clubs on the more aggressive of the rioters, were hurried back to the barns. Two of the non-union men were injured. Several of the mob were severely Two arrests were

At a late hour tonight, W. D. Mahon, president of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employes: R Orr, treasurer, and Daniel Dilworth, chairman of the National Executive tive committee of the two councils of Albany and Troy in the hope of arriving at some settlement. At midnight three companies of the 10th battalion took their stations at three important

NO CHANGE IN THE SITUATION Albany, N. Y., May 15.—The traction strike was productive of no serious disorder during the night. The company made no further effert to operate cars or repairing lines, and will

THE WEATHER TODAY-Fair and a little warmer.

Buying early in the day has advantages for those who do not believe in the early closing movement, as well as those who do. Therefore, all should be interested in the closing of this store at 6 o'clock on Saturday,

We are going to give our customers, as well as those of other stores, a splendid opportunity to select from a splendid lot of hose at prices within easy reach. People are not half particular enough about the kind of hose they wear. There's danger in the cheap kind, which are not fast color. Our guarantee goes with the Hose we sell. The most satisfactory in the land is in this list:

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, Hermsdorf dye, cash-mere soles, spliced heels and toes; sizes 8½, 9, 9½ 

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Ladies' Black Crepon Lisle Thread Hose, very pretty patterns, spliced heels and soles; sizes 8½, 9 and 

spliced heels and soles, all sizes, prices ranging 

## Tested Wash Silks.

Attention is drawn to our fine showing of Plain and Fancy Wash Silks. Of these we have had samples tested and find that they are satisfactory. Before buying, either here or anywhere else, we ask you to see our tested samples.

fine range in stripes, colors of mauve, old rose, pink, helio, reseda, pale blue, finished like a taffeta and guar-Cream and White Washing Silks at 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 75c and \$1 00 per yard.

If you are thinking of a nice, cool Summer Waist, be sure to examine the above lines early while stocks are complete.

## Interlinings for Dresses.

Information about Interlinings for Dresses should be of great interest to those purchasing new dresses for spring and summer wear. Much depends on the interlining if a dress is to set right Should the foundation be built of poor materials the garment will not retain its style or appearance See that your dressmaker supplies the proper and necessary interlinings. We have an unequaled assortment of materials for this purpose-good haircloth, good canvas, La Forma, cordette, etc.

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	Linen Elastic Canvas, light weight, black and natural, 25-inch
	Superior Elastic Canvas, warranted all pure linen, our special tailor canvas, 25 c. Cordette, special finish, elastic fiber, a superior dress stiffening; 30 inches wide
	Cordette, special finish, elastic fiber, a superior dress stiffening, so menes wide
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	Genuine Haircloth, 16 to 18 inches wide. Per yard
	La Forma is a cut and molded interlining of haircloth and canvas, especially adapted for use in tailor-made gowns. A splendid article for interlining Eton jackets; sizes 32 to 38. Price
	gowns. A splendid article for interlining Eton jackets, sizes 32 to 55. The

149, 151 and 153 DUNDAS STREET.

military force called by the state is in

A strong effort was made during the night to bring the contending interests into conference, but it failed, and at this time the breach is as wide as

The first detachment of the 23rd Infantry of Brooklyn arrived here at 7:45 o'clock this morning. There are 400 men in the detachment. The entire 2nd Regiment, including 1,000 from Troy, Cohoes, Hoosic Falls, Schenectady and Saratoga have been ordered to report in this city this after-This will make the total military strength about 2,200.

MACHINISTS GO OUT. Seattle, Wash., May 15.-The machinists strike is in full swing in Seattle. The men in seven factories have gone out. They demand a nine hour work day, with the same pay they now get for ten hours. The pattern-makers, the molders and blacksmiths will go out on Monday. Their demands are similar to those of the machinists.

The manufacturers say they will close up their factories before granting the requests of the men.

STEAMERS AGROUND Cardinal, May 15.-The steamer Porter was released yesterday from the shoal on which she went aground Saturday, but her three tow vessels are still hard on the shoal. One is completely sunken and broken. The steamship Northwestern is still ashore at Sparrow Hawk's Point. Her cargo will have to be discharged.

#### ONTARIO'S MINES

Heavy Increase in the Output of Copper The Ontario bureau of mines has pre-

pared a report showing the output of the metalliferous mines and works of the province for the three months ending March 31. Here are the returns: Quantity. 
 Iron ore, tons.
 36,503

 Pig iron, tons.
 28,694

 Copper, pounds
 1,690,391

 Nickel, pounds
 1,805,691

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 Arsenic, pounds
 236,084

 Gold, ounces
 3,150

 Silver, ounces
 20,077

.\$827.860 Total .....

quantity of gold ore crushed was 10,174 tons. On the whole the outlook is for a decided increase during the present year in the quantity and value of the product of Ontario's metalliferous mines and furnaces.

#### Middlesex.

Wilton Grove, May 14.-About one hundred of the neighbors and friends of Mr. John Shaver assembled this afternoon and erected a large barn in place of the one that was struck by lightning last summer. After pleting the work, the men with their lady friends sat down to a sumptuous repast, after which the evening was spent in songs and dancing.

#### GLEN OAK.

Glen Oak, May 14.—Christina Hixon daughter of the late John Hixon, died f diphtheria last Thursday morning. The funeral took place the same afternoon from the family residence, on the 5th concession of Caradoc, to Mount Carmel Cemetery. Deceased was thirteen years of age. Other members of the family are under medical attendance with the same disease.

The widow of the late Thos. Inches died yesterday morning. Two of her



the remedy that cures a cold in one day

Boils are the product of poor or watery blood carrying impure matter. Boils also indicate poor

circulation, as the matter or

pus, as it is usually called, clogs up the circulation, causing the accumulation of this poisonous matter, which must be removed from the congested parts. At the same time the blood should be enriched and purified by the use of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS. The best proof we can give you is the testimony of others. Here are some; others will be supplied on application to the proprietors.

FLAT LANDS, Restigouche Co., N.B. THE T. MILBURN Co., Toronto.

Gentlemen,-A short time ago my blood got out of order so much that numerous boils appeared on my face and neck, and hearing BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS highly recommended as an excellent blood purifier, I decided to give it a trial. After using the first bottle the boils gradually started to disappear, and before I had taken the second bottle I was completely cured.

Yours truly, GEO. CALDWELL.

ALFRED HAMMOND, Townsend Ferry, N.S.: "In the spring I was Centre, Ont .: "I have used two troubled with boils, one coming after bottles of B.B.B. and find it a great another. My blood was bad and I remedy for boils. I used it two years ago and have not been troubled B. B. B., but before taking many ince. I can recommend it highly."

Have you Boile? If so, read the following letter from Mr. William Thompson, of McNell's Mills, P.E.L. THE T. MILBURN Co., Toronto. Gentlemen, -Some time ago my blood got out of order

and before long I had boils breaking out all over me. They appeared on my legs, neck and arms, and were so painful that I could not possibly sleep at nights. I tried many remedies, but without any effect, until a friend advised me to take BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS. Before I had quite used two bottles I was entirely cured, and I cannot honestly say too much in favor of B.B.B. as a purifier.

MISS MAUD SLATER, West La Have MRS. G. MOORE of Hamilton says: "I cannot praise B.B.B. enough for impure blood, boils and sores. It is a perfect cure for boils. I have was miserable when I began taking used it for twelve years in my family

and cannot praise it too highly.' bottles was completely cured.

THREE BUSY STORES.

228, 230 and 232 Dundas Street, London.

Our Bargains Are Every Day.

## MILLINERY.

New Trimmed Hats -- New Untrimmed Hats 3 -A charming collection-Our Chiffon Hats deserve particular attention—the daintiest, prettiest creations imaginable. We're following our old policy of giving you a better, more stylish hat for your money than you can get anywhere else.

Come to the "Three Busy Stores" for Your Millinery, it Will Pay You.

Children's Trimmed Hats, Openwork Straw Hats, Mousseline de Sole and Flowers; our price, 97c each.

Children's Leghorn Hats, trimmed with Mousseline de Soie and flowers; our price, 97c each.

Ladies' special line of COLORED SAILOR HATS, in navy blue, cardinal, brown, black and white, satin bands; regular 50c, our price,

Our \$3 and \$3 50 TRIMMED HATS are more than pleasing our customers. Come and get one. They are extra value.

#### Hosiery Department.

Two cases just in Ladies' and Children's Fine Ribbed Black Cashmere Hose, double knee and fleeced ankle.

Children's Ribbed Black Cashmere Hose, from 15c to 22c pair.

Ladies' Plain and Ribbed, double knee, 25c and 29c pair.

ONE CASE of Gentlemen's Plain and Ribbed Black Cashmere Hose, special value, English make, 25c

Special lines of goods are coming our way just now at cut prices.

#### We are showing a nice line of Ladies' Wrapper Department-Two Lots. Ladies' Wrappers, worth \$2 25,

in sizes 36, 38, 40, our price \$1 39. Ladies' Wrappers, all sizes, worth \$1 75, our price \$1 25 each.

Two special lines of Prints came our way, in navy blue, regular 10c goods, for 8c yard. Regular 121/2c prints for 10c yard, and there's

New lines of Cretons just in. beautiful new patterns, 10c and 121/c yard.

New line of Colored Mousseline Chiffon, in blue, pink, cardinal, pumpkin, mauve and brown, 29c

#### Ladies' Underskirt De= partment.

LADIES' BLACK SATANNA UNDERSKIRTS, fine goods, worth \$2 50 and \$3, our price \$1 97 and \$2 50 each.

Special line of Ladies' Black Patent Leather Belts, shaped, our price 25c each.

We have all widths in gilt and silver Braids, from 3c yard. New lines in BLACK TAFFETA SILKS, black and colored Satin, †

New special lines in PLAIN AND FANCY SILKS, 25c yard.

WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY. TRY THE THREE BUSY STORES. 1

## EARLY DAYS IN

Smith Brothers Settled There in the Year 1832.

Father Came to London While the PRESENT VILLAGE OF STEWART. Others of the Family Settled in the "Bush."

The late Edward Smith, who passed away on Saturday, had an interesting life, says the Tilbury Times.

In 1832 his brothers, Robert and They each were accompanied by their family party, which numbered 27 in all. They landed in Montreal at the time of the great cholera plague there. It was impossible to get a house, and the Scottish families had to camp in tents on the commons. They remained at Montreal for a couple of weeks, ox power mill, then they used horses, and, during that time, had to pay from five to ten cents a pail for all the water they used, as the people be profitable, and the lumbering busi-

At last Durham boats were secured and the party embarked. These boats used for making staves. Now the were pulled up the river by men, and timber is nearly all gone, and after five yoke of oxen were carried on this year the sawmill conducted by board. When a rapid was reached the the Smith family men got off, and the oxen pulled the boats up. In this way they traveled through to Kingston. They then made their way in a small boat to Toronto, then York. From York to Niagara they went by boat, and thence on to Chippewa in wagons. At Chippewa a schooner was secured to take them to late James Smith and the late Robert Port Stanley. John Smith, Chatham, is

of the party that reached Port Stanley These farms are now known as the in 1832. He is four years the junior of the late Edward Smith.

John Smith tells the following story

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into Tilbury and select lots for all the

foreman of a sawmill at London, then this the Forks, and he went there, taking GRF "My uncle Thomas his sons and my brothers all went up Lake Erie in a little sloop as far as Cedar Springs. They stopped at Col. Little's, three miles from Cedar Springs. They went from there twelve miles into the bush and settled at the site of the

"In August, 1832, Thomas Smith, his sons, and my brothers, Edward and Robert, began the erection of a shanty. My cousin Eliza was the only woman in the party, and it was eighteen months from then before she saw the face of another woman. My brother Robert and my cousin Robert, being the two eldest, carried water for drinking purposes in tanks all the way Thomas Smith, came to this country, from Lake Erie. There were no grist mills near, so the boys made a hand children, but their wives were dead. mill, and my brother Robert made a Mrs. Roddick, a sister, was also in the bolt from a young deer's hide. The bolt is used in sifting out the bran. "When they settled on the Middle road they were the only settlers be-

tween the river and the lake in Tilbury East. "As time went on the boys made an and later steam. In time the grist business wasn't extensive enough to there were not social to the imminess offering a good field, a sawmill grants.

While the hickory lasted handles were made, then the elm was

> FOR OVER HALF A CENTURY will cease to be a landmark. The present proprietors are James and Charles Smith, grandsons of Thomas Smith, the first settler on the Middle road in Tilbury East.

"In 1840 the late Edward Smith, the Smith left Stewart and came to Chat-John Smith, Chatham, is

THE ONLY SURVIVING MEMBER from Mr. Richardson, of Amherstburg. homesteads, and lie just beyond Maple Leaf cemetery. The land was all woods, though, at this time, and of the life of the party from this the Smith brothers paid \$3 50 an acre. The land is now worth nearer \$200 an acre than anything else.

"My brother James and my cousin were at the taking of the schooner Annie, at Amherstburg, during the rebellion of 1837. They also went over to Pelee Island on the ice, and drove off the rebels ensconced there. We used to have barley soup in the old country. We missed it until one day my brother Robert made

A HOLE IN THE END OF A LOG and putting the barley in pounded the hulls off. Then we often had our favorite soup. People who can buy what they want at the corner grocery do not realize the hardships endured

by the early pioneers."

John Smith, who furnished this interesting information given above, is the only living member of the two families that came to Canada from Scotland, in 1832. He is 79 years of age, and still quite hale and hearty. He cleared a farm on the ninth con cession of Raleigh, but later removed to Romney, where he farmed for many years. Some fifteen years ago he retired and has since lived in Chatham.

The Austrian censor has prohibited the sale of postcards with photo-graphic reproductions of pictures of Titien and Rubens, the originals of which are on view in the Vienness imperial picture galleri

#### FIGHTING THE WHITE PLAGUE.

Rev. Dr. Eby, of Toronto, Talks About Tuberculosis.

And Urges Concerted Effort to Combat Its Ravages-Necessity for Sanatoria-Strong Appeal to Citizens to Co-operate With the Anti-Consumptive League.

A meeting of those interested in the establishment of a local sanitarium was held at the city hall last night. It was evident from the spirit displayed, and the manner in which the utterances of the speakers were rereceived, that at a not long distant day London will witness the erection of a sanitarium near this city, for the use of the city and the county of other measures as are deemed essentubercular affections.

In the audience the medical and clerical professions were well represented, while ladies also formed large proportion of the gathering. Among those present were Rev. Dean Innes, of St. Paul's Cathedral; Rev. Archdeacon Davis, St. James Church, South London; Rev. J. W. Holmes, Askin Street Methodist Church; Rev. J. G. Stuart, Knox Presbyterian Church; Rev. Dr. Saunders, Dundas Center Methodist Church; Drs. Roome, Niven, English, Cl. T. Campbell, and others.

A number of cards were distributed. containing a petition to the municipal councils of the c ty of London and the county of Middlesex to move in the direction of establishing a sanitarium. The cards also contained a blank for subscriptions to the funds of the Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis. A number of them were signed and handed over to the secretary of the London and Middlesex Anti-Consumption League.

Mayor Rumball occupied the chair, and opened the meeting with a brief address, in which he stated the purpose of the gathering. He pointed out the desirability of the establishment of a tuberculosis sanitarium for the city of London and the county of Mid-their years by the thousand, to save dlesex, and then introduced the hief our land from its drain of millions of speaker of the evening, Rev. Dr. Eby, of Toronto, secretary of the Anti-Consumption League of Ontario.

Dr. Eby delivered an address, which being faced by those who are at work for the lessening and extirpation of consumption, and a clear exposition of the methods necessary for effecting the desired ends. Dr. Eby said:

If we go out to war it is well to have clear conception of the strength of the enemy, his methods of warfare, reto come to him. He told us to go up in less time and with less cost. It is only lately that the most adpoys in the party over 21 years of age.

MAN RACE.

tuberculosis, and have learned the methods for attack that will lead to its reduction and eventually to its extinction, if proper means are used and on a commensurate scale. These methods and means have become the common property of the whole medical profession; they have been discussing them in congresses, in magazines, and in pamphlets, for years, seeking to arouse the people to the facts of the case and to action. With the result that in every civilized land much has been done to save the victims and to lessen the mortality from this scourge — excepting Canada. If the preparatory work of the year past be carried into practice in the different municipalities of the different provinces of this Dominion, we may rise from being at the lowest place in this world movement to the proud distinction of leading in the van.

THE FACTS The report published by the Ontario Government giving the statistics of

The Physician Wanted Mrs. Tompkins to

go to the Hospital and Have Food

Injected Into Her Bowels.

ed, viz., smallpox, diphtheria, typhoid fever, malaria, scarlet fever, whooping cough and croup, measles, amounted to 1.502 in 1898 and to 1,389 in 1899. During the same two years the figures for tuberculosis are 3.291 for 1898 and 3,405 for 1899. From this two things appear, (1) tuberculosis causes more than twice as many deaths as all these contagious diseases put together, and (2) while all other contagious diseases are gradually becoming less fatal, tuberculosis is increasing year by year. Preventive measures have already wrought wondrous results in all these infectious diseases. Smallpox, once so deadly as to carry off people by the thousand, has been so far conquered, that in Toronto for sixteen years not a death occurred from it, while in the whole province, for twelve years, 1887-98, only 21 deaths are recorded from smallpox, but during the same time from consump-tion we have a death roll of 31,699. And yet scientific men, backed by a con-stantly growing array of facts, are

made as rare as smallpox, and ultimately practically banished. Let me analyze some of the facts. ease would be oblitera One death in seven in civilized lands is plague would be ended. caused by tuberculosis. Canada has not yet reached that, but gives a record of one in nine, and is rapidly rising. Of all people who die during the industrial Middlesex, and the taking of such period, between 15 and 60 years of age, 37 per cent die of tuberculosis between 20 and 35, the period of young mothertial for the combatting of the rav-ages of consumption and its kindred of it le children, nearly one-half of the deaths recorded are from this dire-scourge. Think of what that means, in incapacitating men and women labor, the repeated history of long and weary illness, increasing poverty, misery and disintegration in the family, the steady march of little feet to orphans' homes, the perpetual drain on the public purse and on charity of churches, of institutions and individ-

trying to make the public understand that tuberculosis, consumption, may be

THE DOMINION'S DEATH RATE. The annual death rate for the Dominion is at least 8,000 as victims direct, besides the indirect victims un-counted. And that, according to financial men who have studind the matter, means in dollars and cents, an annual drain on Canada of \$50,000,000, while the 3,405 in Ontario means a yearly loss, direct and indirect, of \$20,000,000, besides the misery and the danger to others.

And yet the men who know, not only by scientific theory, but by actual experience, tell us that this whole loss can be reduced by one-half in five years, if we go the right way about it, and the other half be gradually reduced to the vanishing point. spend tens of thousands to attract immigrants, and we do well; but if we money lost in this quicksand of mis-ery, we should be doing still better.

There are many sides from which the whole subject must be studied in was a comprehensive and exhaustive order to get a clear idea of the probsumming-up of the situation which is lem and its solution. No such immense problem can be solved by mere talk or picayune plans.

THE SCIENTIFIC REVELATION. The traditional idea of consumption was that it was hereditary, and its cure was hopeless. Koch, of Berlin, Germany, in seeking for an anti-toxine by which to effect a cure and preventsources and the best methods of at-tack, as indicated by the latest scienter, viz., the secret cause of all the tific developments of tactics and the use of weapons. If Britain had understood the task she had in South Africa may individuals be cured and protectshe could have accomplished the work ed, but the whole land may be rid of the plague.

My father, however, secured a job as come cognizant of the real nature of cle bacillus, the germ of consumption a perfect stream of literature sent and kindred disease. Its character and GREATEST ENEMY OF THE HU- habits have been thoroughly investigated, resulting in a complete revolution in all our ideas of the disease, and in the treatment of the victims. It is and sympathizers in the city of Tonow held that. 1. It is not hereditary. While a per-

son may inherit a body, the tissues of which are less able than the average to resist the growth of the tubercle ba-cillus, yet without the implantation of the germ from without, no tuberculosis is possible. At certain stages of the disease millions of these bacilli are thrown off in the sputa of a single individual.

These may be communicated to others in many ways, and produce tuberculosis. Therefore, consumption is preeminently, and at the present time, an extremely contagious disease. 3. It is not an incurable disease. In

its early stages and under proper conditions it is an eminently curable disease, and at nearly every stage can be very much helped. 4. It is preventable, if the cause is

properly aimed at. 5. It is eradicable, if the proper deaths during the years 1898 and 1899 means are persistently used on a suf-

shows that the mortality from all in- | ficiently large scale and in a syste-And the whole result may be obtained by a scientific and common sense use of God's free sunshine, fresh air and abundance of proper food, with correct habits of living.

> that if consumptives could be placed in rural sanatoria a great proportion, particularly of those in the early stages would be cured or have the disease arrested. If their relatives and friends and the public were thus protected, the danger from contagion and therefore of new cases from them
> —would cease. If houses, offices,
> books, utensils, clothing, etc., used for
> any length of time by consumptives
> were thoroughly disinfected, and if expectoration could be stopped in the streets and public places, other sources of contagion would be stopped and new cases become exceedingly rare. If, in addition, our food could be kept clear of tuberculosis infection, particularly by the prohibition of milk and meat from tuberculosis cattle, the whole source and medium of the ease would be obliterated. Thus the

THE NEW RESPONSIBILITY. generation the responsibility of turning and let it riot along, slaying our child-

England, with strong common sense even before the discovery of the bacillus, led the way in the more ration\_l treatment of consumption, by isolation and special care. The result is that from a death rate of over 3,800 per million of the population at the beginning of the century, there was a reduction to 2,410 by 1870, and that has been reduced since then until it is nov 1,307, or just where we are in Canada,

EDGE. The new knowledge already works tremendously to the discomfort of the consumptive patients. The doors of hospitals are being closed against them, and properly so, for no general hospital has the appliances necessary consumptive patients in an ordinary of danger. It has often occurred that

little while to die of consumption. knowledge are still withheld for lack No discovery of the century past ex-ceeds in importance that of the tuber-adian people. And that in spite of out by medical men, medical asso-ciations, boards of health, who seem to have spoken as to the wind.

For years a group of medical men ronto and elsewhere have been consulting and planning as to the best methods of effectively reaching the very roots of the trouble and of solving the problem of staying the

should be taken, that would be tantalizing in its insignificance, effective only in spots and for the few, but would seek first of all such legislation as would make possible the hearty cooperation of government, municipalities and people in one broad, comprehensive scheme to make the attack a complete success.

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sumption League, and eventually of

WHAT HAS BEEN DEMONST-RATED.

Therefore, it has been demonstrated

The knowledge of the cause and the means of cure lay upon the present knowledge into action. We have done so in regard to smallpox with spiendid results. People are willing to be made to spend money to stop smallpox, but are unwilling to spend a dollar to save the land from an infinitely more dangerous plague. We have be come accustomed to it; it is a respectable disease; so we shut our eyes ren, our youths and maidens, our mer and women without lifting a hand to save. We cannot continue this and be guiltless.

and constantly decreasing. Germany, however, now leads the way, with nearly a hundred sanatoria now open for rich and poor, with a bed for at least one in 2,000 of population. France comes a good second, and in the States great advance has been made, but Canada lags behind them all with only 75 beds for the Dominion, or one to every 75,000 population, and not a single bed open to a poor patient. EFFECT OF THE NEW KNOWL-

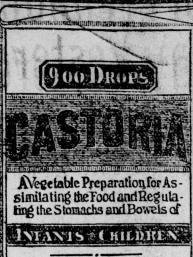
for a scientific cure. To send a consumptive to an ordinary hospital is only a stage towards death, not towards a cure. On the other hand, consumptive patients in an ordinary dom, K.C.; Alexander Purdom. hospital, where there are patients JOHNSTON & CASEY, BARRISTERS, weakened by other diseases, is a source etc., 90 Dundas street. E. H. Johnston, etc., 90 Dundas Avery Casey.

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#### President McKinley in the South.

President McKinley, during his tour through the Southern States, met with cordial welcome everywhere. No doubt the enthusiasm displayed was to a large extent due to desire to pay honor to the office of president. It is well known that during the past quarter of a century the citizens of the Southern States have been arrayed chiefly under the banner of the Democratic party. In their present attitude might be discerned a desire to break away from old party lines and to divide votes somewhat more evenly with the

Republican party. The reason for the hitherto estranged feeling towards the Republican party by the Southerner must be sought perjurer of a historic divorce case; the shortly after the civil war. At the close of this war the victorious party placed the ballot in the hands of the negro, thus virtually turning the Gulf States over to the carpet-bag politician who ruled them. This act resulted in dethroning Republican ideals in the blacks and inaugurated a struggle by the intelligent classes for the machinery of government, which cannot be said to have yet ended. It has resulted in one of the most aggravating racial problems the country has ever had to face. This question was always paramount, and it matters little what the Republican party did besides, so long as their policy in the South stood for negro office-holding and carpet-bag rule.

The reflecting classes of the South have become tired of the situation of affairs, and are willing to mend matters even by compromise of feelings. The present welcome extended to President McKinley, himself the head of the great Republican party, as well as of the Government of the United States, is evidence of the change. No doubt, on its part, the Federal Government will in the future not attempt to interfere with the suffrage of the South. With a proper understanding, there is no reason why the South may not divide on national political issues, as the North has always done. The New York Post advocates such a policy and maintains that it would not work evil to the negro:

"It is a mistake to suppose that the Southern whites entertain any ill-feeling towards them or desire any harm to violation of all public decency. come to them, if the blacks are not forced upon them in the character of rulers and office-holders. A letter from a responsible source to the Evening Post from an interior county in Georgia assures us that the negroes there are rapidly gaining on the whites in education and property. They are becoming less illiterate than the whites. The younger negroes are becoming more intelligent and prosperous than the same class of whites. The negro cannot ex-pect to rule in the South for a long time to come, but he can nevertheless work out his own salvation in the way that Booker Washington is teaching him, and he can ultimately fit himself for public duties and public position. And to a mind entirely great the fitness is of more importance than the

Should the time come when the negro in the South shows ability begotten by a period of well-spent apprenticeship, there is no doubt his progress will be recognized. As it is, it cannot be said to be judicious to put too much power in untrained and incompetent hands.

#### A Consequence of Growth.

We hear very much discussion and criticism of our educational system, but that does not necessarily mean discontent, or at least the kind of discontent that is to be dreaded and avoided. There is what has been well called "a divine discontent," in nations, as well as individual men; that is, a healthy feeling of dissatisfaction, a longing to can wrestle with a sweep and at the reach a higher intellectual and moral condition. This is not a mere feverish restlessness or ignorant love of change. personalities with a fish-wife. When Those who today are the most capable critics of our educational system, or of any other part of our constitu- again. tional life, are those who recognize the noble spirit and aim which is already embodied, however imperfectly, in our system, and who are the most ready to understand and appreciate the good work of those who have gone before.

Ontario owes much to the early workers in the educational field; unless many good men had done their duty nobly, there would have been no system to criticise or improve. If there is one thing more than another that the educational reformer ought to be thankful for, it is that the ground is already covered with a network of educational institutions, and that what we have to strive after is that which is always needed, an improvement in quality, as well as increase of range and greater

elasticity of adaptation. In this respect, criticism, though some of it may seem abstract or wide of the mark, is much better than stagnation. There is the same movement in all living countries. France, Germany. Britain, the United States. We could quote from varied sources drawn from all these quarters to show that there is testing of ideals, and reaching out after better things. To have the same we must take care that it is not mere in countries like Canada or the United

embody it in our life.

Our system, with whatever crudeness classes. We want the avenue to higher open to all our capable young men. And hence it is important that the whole people should recognize that education under their care and control, and they must learn to understand the great questions involved, and the effort to do this will be in the highest degree

#### The Attack On Edward VII.

There is still much talk over the seizure of William O'Brien's paper, The Irish People, because of its scurrilous attack upon King Edward VII. The attack so much overshot the mark, that to a great extent it carried its own refutation. Part of the article was the following, which, it will be

"Down upon his knees before an old and bald-headed roue, lover of every woman of fair features who has appeared in English society for 40 years, including titled dames, and as yet untitled actresses, the English gentleman odorous scenes in Zola's rotten novel, 'Nana:' the center of a score of the most disgraceful scandals of the most contemptible type-down in front of this English King, whose latest public performance was to stigmatize on his solemn oath the whole Catholic have been presented to a Legree in a Southern plantation 50 years ago, but not by an Uncle Tom, poor but contented, of Harriet Beecher Stowe's great story, who would have seen his black skin stripped off inch by inch rather than put his mark to a document like that signed and presented by Cardinal Vaughan and the Duke of

"As to his solemn oath, we do not believe he attached the slightest solemnity to the performance. But the fact remains, this old and wornout descendant of a race of scoundrels and practical professors of hideous immorality asseverated that most of the sacred doctrines of the Catholic faith were idolatrous and superstitious. He has not yet recanted. He has not said a word to indicate he did not thoroughly approve of the terms of the oath framed in the days of Titus

"The oath of a perjurer is no less vile than that of the reigning King, but on bended knee the prince of the church knelt before this unutterably abominable person.'

With regard to the attack itself, little need be said. The New York Sun has never been accused of loving the British too much, yet it emphatically asserts that public sympathy will not be extended to the author of so wanton an attack, constituting as it does a

The only difficulty of the decent and ciding as to whether or not it would have been better to have treated the scurrilous libel with contempt, instead of seizing the publication in which it appeared. On the one hand it obviously is provoking that a libelous and indecent attack which would not be tolerated against a private citizen, should be considered tolerable when directed against the head of the state. On the other hand, there is always the danger, in such prosecutions, of conferring cheap martyrdom and coveted notoriety on the raucous writer and publication. It is said, we know not with how much truth, that the King himself would have been disposed to treat the ribald attack with the contempt it merited; and on the whole, we are inclined to think the King's judgment correct. He probably does not care to begin what might look to some like Russian or German methods, even when the provocation may look extreme: knowing that a sound and friendly public opinion is, after all, an irresistible protector. It was a sufficient protector in regard to personal attacks at various times made against Queen Victoria. King Edward VII. the freight. is a man of good heart, sagacious mind, and one who we believe desires to be the constitutional head of a liberty-loving, tolerant empire. No man same time keep his clothes unsoiled. A King cannot with dignity interchange he is reviled, he will be the gainer rather than the loser, if he reviles not

#### Some Cities Too Big.

In an article headed "Coming Greatness." the New York Journal by comparative statistics shows that New York is gaining on London, England, in population, and that at her present rate of increase, will at no far distant time outnumber the old metropolis in population. The most recent census, in each case gives London, within official limits, a population of 4,536,034, and New York a population of 3,432,-202. The rate of increase during the past decade has been 7 per cent for London, and 37 per cent for New York. The New York Journal concludes by saying, that long before the British and United States censuses of 1920 and 1921 are taken, New York will be indisputably the first city in the world. There seems to be some misapprehension here regarding national or even civic greatness. There is a strong tendency towards consolidation the same national self-examination, in the population of a country as well as in capital and industry. Aggregation of population depends to a thing here is only another proof that large extent upon the trend which inwe are alive and growing, or, at least, dustrialism has taken during the last facing the possibility of growth. But quarter of a century. Nevertheless

a willingness to learn something and to resources of soil, forest and mine, the huddling together in large cities cannot be looked upon as indicative of or imperfection may cling to it, has greatness. Another million crowded this fine feature, it is democratic; it is into the same space along with the for the whole people, not for special already congested population of New classes. We want the avenue to higher York, will hinder rather than aid in learning and higher usefulness kept making her a really great city. That nation or city is truly great, which, among other things, looks to the comfort of her citizens. True greatness is a matter that belongs to them; it is must also consist in quality more than in the quantity of the inhabitants. The nations which have made a name for themselves on the pages of history were, for the most part, not the most populous. In many instances, if compared with modern populations, they would be found very insignificant. Elements of greatness must then be sought elsewhere. The fact that the metropolis of the British Empire is not keeping pace in population with New York, is no sign of decadence on the part of Britain. At all events, the recent census shows an increase in ten years in the allover population of England and Wales observed (although O'Brien is himself of nearly 13 per cent. It may mean a Roman Catholic), is as much an at- a brighter social outlook for her prestack on Cardinal Vaughan, the English ent inhabitants, evidence of which is Roman Catholic prelate, as upon the seen from time to time in efforts put forth for improving the conditions of the working classes. It may also mean that the inhabitants of London

#### FARAGRAPHS ABOUT PEOPLE.

transit railways.

are spreading out into the country.

The Baroness Burdett-Coutts has fust celebrated the 87th anniversary of her birth. She is one of the few Englishwomen who possess a title in their own right, a distinction which was conferred upon her by the late Queen, who was a very warm friend of hers, in 1871. It was an open secret that her majesty did not approve of her determination to marry Mr. Ashmead Bartlett, a native of the United States, which union was arranged in 1881, at the time the Baroness was 67 years of age, and her husband 30, and from that time onwards, says a writer in the Whitehall Review, there was a decided coolness between the two great ladies. The Baroness is a partner in the great banking house of Coutts, and is one of the richest peeresses in the kingdom. She turns her vast wealth to the most admirable uses, being one of the greatest and most practical philanthropists of the present day, and one who is always ready to help any deserving cause. She is patriotic above all, and on any national occasion her fine house at the corner of Stratton street, London, is always to be found handsomely decorated. Should the Baroness be residing there during such an event she inevitably entertains with lavish generosity. It was mainly through her influence that her husband was abe motion postponing the declaration of to secure the position of M. P. for Westminster. She is proud of him, and he has not allowed the dimension. influence that her husband was abe and he has not allowed the disparity in their ages to make him any the less of the lover. It has, in fact, been a love match, despite the inequality in

#### Fattening for the Feast.

[Baltimore American.] The next abundance in Wall street will probably be of lamb chops.

#### In Far Austria.

[New York World.] In Austria men and wemen are now on the same footing as druggists and medical practitioners.

#### A Cause for Rejoicing.

[Detroit Free Press.] When the British taxpayer looks over the budget he must be glad that Mr. Chamberlain isn't twins.

#### Those Who Pay the Cost.

[Detroit Free Press.] The South African war has certainly succeeded in staggering that part of humanity that is called on to pay

#### Correcting Bro. Pirie.

[Hamilton Spectator.] Bro. Pirie, of the Dundas Banner, has dipped into the farming topic, and with the usual result. He gravely tells his readers of a colt "winnowing" for its mother. It is the fanning machine that winnows, Bren Pirie, not the colt.

#### Canada Under Liberalism.

[Amherst Press, Conservative.] Now the day of a better hope and confidence has dawned upon Canada. We are publishing our own literature, taking the management of our own manufacturing interests, finding our own capital, keeping most of our young home and showing ourselves and the world that we have a bright destiny.

#### The Desire of the Scholar.

[New York Post.1 What the true scholar most desires, besides the modest competence which is the condition of all mental tranquility, is not social success, not even public recognition - he cares little enough for the gigman's view of himbut time and facilities for research.

#### Not in the Stock Flurry. [Detroit Free Press.]

There is just as much food and other necessaries of life in the country today, and the producers are as yet sufficiently numerous in the land to guard against a shortage thereof, not-withstanding the shrinkage of \$700,-000,000 in alleged stock values in one day. So where's the need to worry. If you can't share in the "profits" by reason of not having put up margins and made sales at the proper time, you at least can have the satisfaction of not being compelled to join in the financial funeral procession from the academic discussion, but that there is States-countries with vast natural stock exchanges.

## THE POWERS!

Postal Measures.

Meaning of the Recent Fetes at Tou-Ion-Disastrous Fire in Brest, Russia.

Paris, May 15.-At a cabinet council yesterday, M. Delcasse, the foreign minister, announced that France had joined in a most vigorous protest from the powers against the porte's postal

TROUBLES IN SPAIN.

Seville, May 14.-A mob of strikers here, while attempting to force a number of workmen to leave their tasks today, came in conflict with the gendarmes. Many were wounded and 70 arrests were made. The strike move-

ment is spreading.

Madrid, May 14.—At a cabinet council held today it was decided to grant Catalonia and other provinces a certain amount of decentralization in administrative affairs.

ARREST OF A RUSSIAN EDITOR. Berlin, May 14.-A dispatch to the lokal Anzieger from St. Petersburg says Maxim Gorki, the author, and Wengeroa, an editor, and the latter's sister have been arrested by the police, who are searching day and night for a something rendered possible by rapid secret press used in printing revolutionary proclamations which are distributed among laborers.

WAZIRIS KILLED. Simla, May 15 .- A detachment of the South Waziri militia has been fired on by unknown persons. Three of the Waziris were killed and two others

were wounded. DISASTROUS FIRE.

St. Petersburg, May 15.-Six hundred and fifty-two houses, including 190 shops, have been destroyed by fire at Brest, in the Province of Warsaw. The loss is given at 11,000,000 roubles.

THE FRANCO-RUSSIAN ENTENTE Paris, May 15 .- M. Delcasse made an inexpected declaration of policy in the chamber of deputies yesterday. Castelin (Rep.) insisted on an interpellation on the subject of the Franco-Russian alliance, and M. Delcasse a statement of the events. He said the visit of the Italian squadron was an unequivocal demon stration of the cordial relations estab lished during the past few years between two nations who, by their ori-gin and history, were intended to be friends, whose legitimate aspirations did not clash, and who had equal interest in their mutual prosperity. The salvos fired by the Russian ships in honor of the President of France constituted a fresh and significent at-tention on the part of the czar, who thus again affirmed the solidarity of the alliance, which daily seals the perfect accord of the policies of the two governments on all questions.

The foreign minister concluded with calling on the chamber to support the government in its foreign policy. M. Castelin considered M. Delcasse's declaration too vague, but the champer accepted them and proceeded with other business. The chamber afterwards voted on a

M. Louis Martin, the author of the motion, then read the declaration, pas-

of which were cheered by Leftists. Charles Bernard (Socialist) sarcastically suggested that the declaration be posted on the back of M. Waldeck-

Rosseau, the premier. M. Bernard was promptly reprimanded.
The motion of M. Deschannel (Rep.) to post the declaration in the barracks was voted by a majority of six, in spite of the protests from the Right-ists that the army ought not to be dragged into political discord.

WIPED OUT THE VILLAGE. Geneva, May 15 .- An enormous ava lanche of snow and ice recently fell from the glaciers Rosenboden and Griessengrat. The Valley of Song, near the village of Simplon, near the frontier of Switzerland and Italy, is buried by the debris. In falling the avalanche destroyed many chalets, houses and stables. Two women who were feeding cows in the stables per-ished with the cattle. During four days it had been impossible to reorganize the mail service, as anothe avalanche of snow fell on the road crossing the Col de Simplon from

Brigue, in Valata, to the village of CABLE NOTES.



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19 battalions. Corea is reported to have just bought 10,000 rifles and a million cartridges from Japan.

#### A CYCLONE'S WORK

Carried a Barn Clear Over a House and Chopped Down Hundreds of Trees.

Johnstown, Pa., May 15.-There is a remarkable scene in the little town of Nantyglo, up in the mountains, a few miles from this city. Sunday afternoon a cyclone struck a large barn belonging to Patrick Riley, and scores of people who were watching the progress of the storm saw the barn carried over the residence of Mr. Riley. The house was not touched, but the chimney was knocked off. The barn was carried several hundred yards and now lies in a

wrecked heap.

Another remarkable circumstance is that the bed of the creek that flowed by the barn is now a solid bank of sand. The cyclone struck a bank of sand and carried a great mass of it down into the stream, completely wiping it out for two or three hundred eet near Mr. Riley's residence. Many trees also were destroyed, and hundreds are lying about, looking as if they had been chopped off. Scores of people are crowding into Nantyglo to see the strange sight.

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### AROUND THE CITY.

From Yesterday's Last Edition.

-Detective Skirving, of the L.E. and D. R. R., is in the city. -Mr. A. Pattullo, M.P., of Woodstock, was in the city this afternoon. -A half-hour session of the ninth division court was held this morning by Judge Edward Elliott.

-Contractor John Purdom is in Detroit on business connected with the building of the new opera house. -Chatham Banner-News: W. Maxwell, of London, an old C. B. C. boy, is calling on his friends in the city to-

-Dr. Marguerite P. Symington, L. R. C. P., of Napanee, is the guest of Mrs. J. W. G. Winnett, Waterloo -Mrs. Hall and daughter, Miss

Eleanor, of South London, left yester-day on a three months' trip to Eng--A sister at the convent of the Sacred Heart, Alice Powers, died there

early this morning. She was in her -Miss F. Edna Freek, pupil of Miss Eva N. Roblyn, has been appointed soprano soloist of Central Methodist

Church, St. Thomas.

-Ptes. Collins and Stevenson, form- and \$2 60 costs on the charge of drunerly of No. 1 Company, R. C. R. I. kenness. The second charge of asand lately of Kingston school, have returned to Wolseley Barracks.

-James Stone, the well-known hackman, died this morning at his home on Clarence street, his illness having been a long and painful one. A family of grown children survive him.

-Companies A, B and C of the 7th Regiment will be inspected by the D. O. C. next Thursday evening, and Companies D, E and F the following evening. On Monday the whole battalion will be inspected.

-Mr. James McNee, of Central avenue, returned home yesterday after spending seven months in California. He went away health-hunting, and apparently got what he went for. His many friends will hope that the improvement will be permanent.

-Toronto Globe: Among those who are going up to London from Toronto o attend the annual meeting of the National Council of Women this week are Lady Taylor, Lady Tilley, Lady Thompson, Mrs. Kerr, Mrs. Kavanagh, Teresa F. Wilson, Miss Millar, Miss Carty, Mrs. Dignam, Mrs. J. L. Hughes, Mrs. Jean Joy, Mrs. FitzGibbon, Miss Masson, Miss FitzGibbon, and others.

-Clerk Jolly, of the assessment commissioner's office, has just completed two immense books full of plans, that are duplicates of all the different surveys of the city. The department is indebted to the late Registrar Gill and Registrar Dignan for permission to ance make the copies, which will be of invaluable assistance in the assessment commissioner's work. Nearly 400 plans are necessary to show the whole city

COATS STOLEN

Two coats were stolen yesterday from Kelly's cigar factory about 3 in the afternoon. Detectives have a good idea of the thieves, and their arrest will follow.

LOST HIS HEARING. Pte. Richardson, of No. 1 Company,

R. C. R. I., who was one of the South African men, has secured his dis-;harge and will retire from the milifia. When he was in the Transvaal his hearing was partially destroyed, his return he has become quite deaf. His is only one of several

DEATH OF MRS. FARNAN

Margaret, the wife of Mr. Henry Farnan, chief clerk of the G. T. R. stores department, died this morning at the family residence, 892 Queen's avenue, after an illness lasting over a year. Mrs. Farnan was a native of Ontario, being born in Duntroon 37 years ago. She was a great favorite with a large circle of acquaintances, who will sympathize deeply with her bereaved husband and two little sons.

THE NEW OPERA HOUSE. Work on the new opera house is be-

ing rapidly pushed forward, the contractors finding little difficulty in obtaining all the material and men they want. The brickwork is well advanced, being now up to the height of the first story of the stores in front, and ready for the joists. There is every probability that the expectations of the builders will be realized, and the structure will be ready for roofing by the middle of June.

TESTIMONIAL CONCERT. On next Monday evening there will take place a testimonial concert in the Auditorium, a concert no doubt that will interest every music lover in the Worm Exterminator. It never fails.

city. Mr. H. Ruthven McDonald, who is about to sever his connection with musical circles in London and reside in Toronto, has at all times won the admiration and esteem of the public not only by his rare gift of voice, but on account of his generosity in

ending his time and talent whenever t was possible to do so, which only proves that Mr. McDonald has a nature broad and kindly, congenial to all as well as to artists of equal merit with himself. The benefit concert to be given him Monday avaning promise. e given him Monday evening promises to be one of the most successful ever held in the city. No inducement should be necessary to urge the cit-izens to be present in the Auditorium on Monday evening. Suffice it to say, it is to be a testimonial to London's favorite vocalist, Mr. H. Ruthven Mc-

R. M. COLLEGE

Is in Progress at Wolseley Barracks—Names of the Candidates

The entrance examination for the and will continue for four days. panies' abilities. The growth of the popularity of the it feeds the nerves upon strength-Kingston institution is attested by the PATENT TARGET increasing numbers of the candidates. Only a comparatively short time ago it was unnecessary to hold the examination here at all, and when they did become annual affairs, only one or two wrote upon them. This year seven are writing, Messrs. O'Grady, Mathewson, Scott, Higgins, McConkey, Scandrett, of London, and Gilbert, of St. Thomas. The board of examiners consists of Lieut.-Col. Peters, D.O.C.; Major Denison, C.M.G., and Capt. Car-

> INHERENT LOVE FOR FIGHTING

Twas at the Bottom of Half the Police Court Visitors' Troubles.

The love of fighting inherent in human nature was the cause of the appearance in police court yesterday of four of the nine offenders who faced the police magistrate.

Joseph Cain and Patrick Quinn were arrested together, the former charged with disorderly conduct and the latter with being drunk and disorderly and assaulting Henry Walters. While the evidence against Cain was being heard Quinn created a sensation by fainting in the dock. The police magistrate postponed the hearing till Friday, releasing Cain on bail and remanding Quinn to jail.

Frank Maguire was charged with fighting on the market Monday, and also with assaulting Constable Dan Thompson. Both charges were dismissed, the evidence showing that Maguire was being pounded by three or four other men, and in his efforts to will be fortnightly, and afterwards defend himself he did not recognize the difference between his assailants and the constable who was trying to quell

James Watson, the arresting of whom gave P. C. Walter Smith so much trouble last week, was fined \$20 saulting the constable was withdrawn. Three young bicyclists were fined \$1 each for riding on the sidewalk, and John Gilmore paid \$1 for obstructing the roadway.

#### WALKERVILLE MATCH FACTORY IN ASHES!

The Loss Placed as High as \$115,000-Insurance, \$80,000.

Walkerville, Ont., May 14.-The premises and plant of the Walkerville Match Company were totally destroyed by fire early this morning. The fire brigade responded promptly to the alarm, but when it arrived on the scene the three upper stories were enveloped in flames, and owing to the wind the firemen had to abandon any hope of saving the building, and confined their operations to saving a frame building used as a box factory near by. In this it suc-

The loss is estimated variously from \$110,000 to \$115,000. The insurance is about \$80,000, held by Etna, British America, Hartford, Queen, Northern, Norwich Union, Commercial Union, Quebec Assurance Company, Western Assur-ance Company, Phoenix Company, Royal Insurance Company of North America, Liverpool, London and Globe.

WM. DOEG FREE

The Sundridge Farmer Who Was Wrongly Imprisoned for Four Years Is Again at Liberty.

Sundridge, Ont., May 13.—Special.— Since he has been liberated, Wm. Doeg, the Strong township farmer, spends much of his time telling his friends and acquaintances of his remarkable case. As he finds it impossible to reach them all, he has had the following statement inserted in the Sundridge Echo:

"For four years I suffered torture. I had scarcely an hour free from pain.

My back ached so badly I could not lie down. I had to sit night and day in a chair. I could not leave my house, for when the pain snifted to my knees, I could not walk.

"Several doctors tried to cure my rheumatism, and I took a great many medicines, but got worse. "Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me.

"It is now six months since I felt a pain. Dodd's Kidney Pills have made a new man of me."

Rev. E. Knowles, Knox Church, Galt, will decline the call to the Central Presbyterian Church, St. Louis, Mo., and is still minister of the Galt

BILIOUSNESS BURDENS LIFE.-The BILIOUSNESS BURDENS LIFE.—The bilious man is never a companionable man because his ailment renders him morose and gloomy. The complaint is not so dangerous as it is disagreeable. Yet no one need suffer from it who can procure Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. By regulating the liver and obviating the effects of bile in the stomach they restore men to cheerfulness and full vigor of action.

The body of a young man picked up in a dying condition on the C. P. R. tracks near Islington yesterday lies at the Emergency Hospital, Toronto, un-

PROGRAMME FOR VICTORIA DAY

Lieut.-Col. Peters Issues Orders for Marching and Shooting Competition.

Lieut.-Col. Peters, D.O.C., has issued orders for the marching and shooting competition that the companies of the Seventh Regiment will take part in on Victoria Day. They parade at the drill shed at 9 o'clock and march from it at five-minute intervals. A certain time is allowed them to reach the place chosen for the shooting contests, and for every minute over that time two points will be deducted. The company commanders may march appearance and smartness. Having arrived at the place where the shooting contests occur, the men shoot at earthenware tiles, and points are counted for the number broken. Inde-pendent firing will be allowed until whistle sounds, and for every shot fired afterwards a point will be deducted. Officers commanding the companies also gain points for the man-Royal Military College, Kingston, is ner in which they handle their men. now in progress at Wolseley Barracks, It will be a thorough test of the com-

FOR DRILL SHED

The Rifleman Controls It and No Markers Are Required.

Lieut.-Col. Peters, D.O.C., has rethe targets that he patented some time ago and will install it at the drill apparatus so contrived that when the targets are hit they fly into a horiating the necessity of a marksman. The D. O. C., Lieut.-Col. Young, and several other officers, tested the target's efficiency yesterday and were well satisfied with its workable qual-

ALIEN LABOR BILL

Read a Third Time in the Dominion House-\$100,000 Yearly Subsidy for Canadian-Franco Steamer Line.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Ont., May 14.-In the house today the alien labor bill was read a third time

A resolution was also passed giving a subsidy of \$100,000 per annum for a direct line of steamers between Canada and France. The first season's service either ten days or weekly.

CONDUCTOR LOST A HAND

Down in Front of a Moving Car.

Ottawa, May 14.-Conductor William Robinson, of the Ottawa Electric Railway, was getting off his car yesterday when he was knocked down bicyclist who was scorching down Sussex street at a swift pace. The conductor fell with his left hand on the rail, and one of the back wheels of the car passed over it. The hand had to be amputated. The offending bicyclist scorched away heedless of the injury his carelessness had caused.

WILL VISIT QUEBEC NOT HALIFAX FIRST

Itinerary of His Royal Highness Duke Cornwall and York in Canada Has Been Changed.

Halifax, N. S., May 14.-Governor Jones has received word that the Duke of Cornwall and York would not make his first landing on Canadian soil at Halifax, but that he would land at Quebec, instead on Sept. 15, the date proposed for Halifax. The duke and his party will make Halifax their point of departure, either for New York or Europe, as may later be determined. The reason assigned for this change

in itinerary is that the royal party think it better to get their western trip over before the weather becomes too cool. The chief reason, however, is that a departure from Quebec so late in the season would subject them to a voyage through the Gulf of St. Lawrence when navigation has be come less pleasant than it will be in

This change is very disappointing to Halifax people, who were planning on having the Duke of Cornwall and York open the fall fair in this city.

MAY ABANDON THE TRIP. Cape Town, May 14.- In replying to a deputation of citizens Sir Gor-don Sprigg, the prime minister, said there was a probability that the visit to Cape Town of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York might be abandoned owing to the presence of bubonic plague. He suggested that the preparations for welcoming them be held in abeyance for a month.

ROYAL TWINS. Frankfort-on-the-Main, May 14 .-Princess Frederick Charles of Hesse the youngest sister of Emperor William, gave birth to twin sons this morning

A LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson, Cameron, writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs, and was given up by the physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on his advice, I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I certainly believe it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me any good."

The Kansas city council has abol-The Kansas city council has abolished the dog-catcher. Hereafter the city will deal with the owners instead

of the dogs.

THERE IS NOT a more dangerous class of disorders than those which affect the meathing organs. Nullify this danger with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil—a pulmonic of acknowledged efficacy. It cures lameness and soreness when applied externally, as well as swelled neck and crick in the back; and, as an inward specific, possesses most substantial claimes to public confidence. of the dogs.

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netting, very handsomely trimmed, boned throughout, non-corrosive steel, and it's no their men any way they choose. Be-fore marching, an officer will inspect each company and give points for its appearance and give points for its your size early. Money back if not satisfactory.

BECAUSE THEY DECLINED TO EAT DOG MEAT

Senator Quarles and Congressman Curtis Offended the Snake Indians.

Topeka, Kan., May 14.-Congressman Curtis, of Kansas, and United States ceived from the manufacturers, one of Senator Quarles, may have rendered a treaty with the Snake Indians impossible by refusing to eat dogmeat with these redskins. These gentlemen shed for company practice. It is an returned from the Snake reservation zontal position, in which they are held agreement to allot the lands of the by a spring. They can be released by the rifleman at pleasure, thus obvithem all their lands, and they look upon the alloting agents as official

While Curtis and Quarles were there the tribe was holding its annual jollification, one of the ceremonies being the eating of dogmeat. The big chiefs offered to adjust all differences if the visitors would join them in a feast of dogmeat, which would prove their sincerity. The statesmen declined and came here, and will report their trou-

Telegraphic Briefs.

The Spanish cabinet has decided to end the state of siege in Barcelona. Hon. R. R. Dobell leaves for England on Saturday next by steamship

Disquieting rumors are again prevalent with regard to the health of Mr. Pierpont Morgan. Harvey Young, age 55, a widely-known landscape artist, is dead at known Colorado Springs, Col., from congestion

of the lungs. The governor-general and family will leave Ottawa next month for an extended tour through the Maritime Provinces.

Damages in the sum of \$2,500 were awarded the Earl of Yarmouth, known lonial Legislature a bill as Eric Hope, in a libel suit brought 24 a public holiday, to be known as by him against a New York news-According to the London correspon dent of the New York Tribune dis-

quieting rumors are again prevalent in that city with regard to the health of J. Pierpont Morgan. E. L. Chetwood, confidential clerk for the last eighteen years in the employ of Brown Bros., bankers, New York, is charged with being short in

his accounts \$20,170. In consequence of the recent postal seizures by the Ottoman authorities several Mussulmans have been arrested. It is rumored that Reshad Pasha, formerly Turkish minister of finance,

has fled from the country. A dispatch to the London Daily Mail from Bremerhaven, says that the steward of the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse, who discovered the gold alleged recently to have been stolen from the strong room of the vessel,

vanished last Friday. The provincial chief ranger of the Catholic Order of Foresters, and the provincial secretary, have issued an official call for the fifth convention of the provincial court, to be held at Pembroke, commencing at 10 o'clock in the

morning, June 11. The Independence Belge, Brussels, publishes affidavits signed by Count Esterhazy, before the French consul in London, admitting the authorship of the Dreyfus bordereau, with the connivance of Col. Sandheer, ex-chief of

the secret intelligence bureau. Hon. E. J. Davis today settled the terms by which a Buffalo syndicate will build a large pulp mill at Petawawa, near Pembroke. J. C. Scovell and A. T. Mohr, of Buffalo, are the chief men in the company. The mill must have a capacity of 50 tons of

COURT OF APPEAL DECISIONS. Toronto, May 14.-The court of appeal this morning delivered a series of judgments. In Mitchell vs. city of Hamilton and street railway, in which the plaintiff got \$450 for injuries sustained through a defective roadway, the railway, which had been held responsible, appealed against the judgment. The appeal was dismissed. In Hargrave against the Royal Templars of Temperance, the plaintiff sued for a benefit payment, claimed to be due him because he had passed the age of 70. Judgment was given for him for \$225.

ORDINATION OF REV. J. A. GRANT. Toronto, May 14.-Rev. Dr. Thomas and Rev. P. C. Parker will go to Collingwood today to attend the ordination ervice of Rev. J. A. Grant, son of Rev. James Grant, ex-pastor of Parliament Street Baptist Church, now in Ingersoll. Rev. J. A. Grant will be the pastor of the Baptist Church at Collingwood.

> STEAMERS ARRIVED. Reported at. From. .Father Point...Antwerp .Cape Magdalen..Glasgow

Sarmatian......Cape Mac Sarmatian......Cape Mac Lake Champ-Liverpool...... Montreal Laxa-Liver Pills cure constipation, sick headache, biliousness and dyspepsia without griping, purging or sicken-Mrs. Lane, 74 years of age, was

found dead in bed at her home in Ancaster. COLD IN THE HEAD CURED In one night by applying to nose and throat Trask's Magnetic Ointment. 25 and 48 cents. At C. McCallum & Co. 21

RUSHED HANS BOTHA'S LAAGER

Many Boers Bayoneted in a Night Encounter.

Hunting the Enemy Out of Cape Colony -Transport Blows Ashore-Victoria Day in South Africa.

Standerton, Eastern Transvaal, May 14.-The mobile column under Gen. Colville carried out a very successful expedition by moonlight on Sunday night. The objective of the expedition was a laager which had been established by Commandant Hans Botha between here and Heidelberg.

The British troops, moving with great rapidity, got right up to the Boer laager, and aided at the last moment by a thick mist, got past the Boer outposts unchallenged. Our troops rushed the laager, and the Boers were taken completely by sur-

There was some sharp work with the bayonets, and the enemy bolted, leaving absolutely everything in the shape of ammunition, and transport in our hands. The Boers also left a number of dead, wounded, and prisoners. There were several casualties on our side, including four killed.

Volunteers from Heidelberg were cauchy greenstyll in a similar expediequally successful in a similar expedi-tion on Tuesday night, in which they captured a Boer camp.

TRANSPORT BLOWN ASHORE. Cape Town, May 14.—During a storm Sunday night the transport steamship Hermes, from Buenos Ayres, with a cargo of forage, was blown from her anchorage in Table Bay, and went ashore on Blaauwberg beach. The steamship arrived at Table Bay on Sunday morning. Sunday morning.

The wrecked transport Hermes had four passengers. Owing to the boisterous weather prevailing only meager information concerning the wreck has reached here. It is learned, however, that a lifeboat belonging to the transport capsized as it was leaving the stranded vessel, and that two ladies and one of the crew were drowned. HUNTING THE BOERS IN CAPE

COLONY. Cape Town, May 14.—An official summary of the week's operations, issued by the government, says that Col. Henniker engaged a Boer force near Yroop dam, in the northwest district, on May 11. No details have been received.

In the Midland district parties of Boers, bent on looting, are moving near Murraysburg, Richmond and Middleburg. A party of 70 entered Preston Sunday, looted two stores and decamped. In the eastern part of the colony Commandant Fouche, who has a force estimated to number 700 men, who were lately commanded by Kritzinger, is reported to be in the vicinity of Jamestown. Two hundred rebels are also with him. This commando is being pressed by Gen. Crewe. On Sunday a Boer force was within twenty miles of Richmond. The local The police could do nothing with the forces took to their trenches and outhands of the British number 18,341.

VICTORIA DAY. Victoria day.

RIOTOUS SCENES IN NEW YORK'S CAPITAL!

Sequel to the Strike of Street Railway Ein-

ployes—Cars Attacked by a Mob and Motorman Badly Beaten. Albany, N. Y., May 14 .- The United Traction Company started out its first cars shortly after ten o'clock this morning. When the doors of the car morning. barn opened and a motorman on the front of the car stared into the faces of 2,000 men, women and children. A frightful roar went up of "Scabs, scabs," but the motorman turned the switch and the car slowly moved out. Two policemen mounted the platform, and then mounted and foot police drove the crowd back amid feers and There were no pay passengers hoots. on the car. All the windows had been removed. At the car barn the police arrested five of the crowd for refusing

to obey orders, and not crowd on the Two Pinkerton detectives rode down Half an hour later a second motor-

man faced the crowd, which was now Fluttering of the Heart For Twelve Years.

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in a perfect frenzy. This time the police could not control the mob. With a rush they boarded the car. The police swung their batons without effect. The dense crowd pushed the men in front forward until they were on the plat-The motorman was struck several times on the head, until, bleeding and senseless, he relinquished his grasp of the handles. On the rear platform two men pulled the trolley pole down and bent it until it broke. The car had obtained some momentum, and striking the switch, went off into the gutter. forces took to their trenches and out-lying positions. The prisoners in the when they found that they had accomplished their purpose, they with-

drew with cheers. The police arrested four or five of ment announces its intention of intro-ducing at the next session of the Co-lonial Legislature a bill making May 24 a public holiday to be known was hooted at, but no violence occur-

Nearly a dozen of the non-union men the company brought from out of town deserted after the attack on the second car. They were carried away in riumph on the strikers' shoulders. The indications are that if the company persists in running the cars the guards will have to be called out.

TINSMITH'S WAGES. Toronto, May 14.-The tinsmiths will ask their employers for an increase in wages and shorter hours today, having decided to send out a circular to that effect at the last meeting of the union. It is quite likely there will be no strike, as the amount of the increase asked for by the union is said to be reasonable. The men have given the employers until Friday to arrive at some definite decision. The union will hold an open meeting in Richmond Hall on Friday evening, when a special committee will bring in a report from the employers.

CONFERENCE IN WASHINGTON. Washington, May 14.-Conferences have been in progress here between President O'Connell, of the International Association of Machinists, and tin goods. They recently conducted President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, and officials of several of the metal working trades other than the machinists, considering the moral and financial support to be given the proposed strike of machinsts. President O'Connell said the outlook was very encouraging for a successful strike in many localities throughout the country. A number of the firms not now complying with the arrangement entered into between the

machinists and employers as to nine-hour day, signed today. IN NEW ENGLAND. Boston, May 13.—Business was lively about the headquarters of the striking electric linemen today. Up to noon Lowell, Ayer, Springfield and Fitch-burg linemen had gone out.

A THREE MONTHS' STRIKE. Cleveland, Ohio, May 14.-The strike of the marine engineers employed on the boats of the United States Steel Corporation, which has been declared at an end, was inaugurated Feb. 21.

TRAGEDY AT THE "PAN." Buffalo, N. Y., May 14.—One man was shocked to death by electricity, and two of his comrades who tried to rescue him from the sputtering wires were severely burned at the exposition grounds yesterday afternoon. The dead man is Martin Kiefig. The in-Kaisier Schultz, Andrew Coshsky. The men are all Poles and were engaged in wheeling dirt from beneath the manufacturers' and liberal arts building. From burns found on Kiefig's face it is evident that he was struck by a live wire. The shock stunned him, and as he fell forward he grasped several other wires and pulled them from their fastenings. Kiefig's comrades rushed to his assistance and their hands and arms were frightfully burned in their endeavors to release him. Their state is serious.

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Dr. Chase's Ointment

CRUSHED TO DEATH. Toronto, Ont., May 14.-Peter King, aged 50, of 80 Empress avenue, was crushed beneath a marine engine, which fell on him while he was at work at his bench this morning in the machine shop of the Polson Iron Works, and he died a few minutes

later in the ambulance. THE CIGARETTE PERIL Toronto, May 14 .- The Ministerial Association yesterday passed a resolution, in view of alarming statements of medical men as to the effects cigarette smoking on young boys, asking the government to prohibit the manufacture, importation and sale of cigarettes, and to make it a misde-meanor for any person to be found

with cigarettes in his possession. UNMUSICAL ROT! Federation of Musicians, in convention here, selected Buffalo, N. Y., for the next annual meeting, date not fixed. Resolutions were adopted characterizing "ragtime" tunes as "unmusical rot," and pledging members of the association to make every effort to sup-press and to discourage the playing and the publishing of such musical trash.

CANADIAN FRUIT TREES ABROAD Toronto, May 14.—The president of the Nova Scotia Fruit Growers' Association, writing to the department of agriculture, states that, following Ontario's example, they have recently appointed a San Jose scale inspector to examine nursery stock entering that province. He adds that so far no infected stock has been discovered, which is a tribute to the nurserymen of Ontario, who supply a great deal of the stock sent to the province by the

TIN WORKS AT POINT EDWARD. Port Huron, May 14 .- J. L. Board, of Chicago, and his associate, William Cummings, have organized a company capitalized at \$600,000, and will establish a plant at Point Edward for the manufacture of machinery for making a similar business in Chicago, but sold out to the American Tin Company the rights for the United States. Grand Trunk Railway Company have given them the lease of the old roundhouse at the Point, and a new build-

ing will be put up at once. EVERY HOME NEEDS a remedy that is adapted for use in case of sudden ac-cident or illness. Such a one is Pain-Killer. Avoid substitutes; there's but one

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#### J. M. YOUNG -STOCK BROKER-

New York and Chicago stocks bought and sold. KING STREET, MASONIO TEM PLE PHONE 707.

T	HE LOCAL MARKET.
A. M. I	HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT.
	London, Wednesday, May 15.
Wheat.	white, per bu
Wheat.	red. per bu65c to 66c
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Oats ne	r bu30c to 314c
Peas De	er bu
Corn. ne	er bu44c to 45c
Barley	per bu42c to 44c
Beans	per bu\$1 15 to \$1 40
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WEEKLY REVIEW. The receipts of grain this week were very light, and consisted almost entirely of oats and wheat, with prices very firm, particularly in oats.

Wheat brought \$1 10.

Oats sold at 90c to 95c.

One small lot of barley sold at 85c for

Corn sold at 85c per 100 pounds for feed, and 60c to 80c for seed, according to quality and variety.

No other kind of grain came in.

Dressed hogs sold at \$8.50 to \$9, and live

Receipts of dressed hogs were light and the receipts of live ones about as usual. Hay values have declined considerable. The range for the week was \$7 50 to \$9, and today's close, \$7 50 to \$8 25.

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Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	0	1 25	1
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HOGS.			1
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Hogs, singers 650	0		
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For Housekeepers. Butter, lb, large rolls or crock
Butter, pound rolls, retail
Butter, creamery
Lard, per lb WHOLESALE DEALERS' PRICES. Eggs, store lots, dozen....
Butter, lb rolls, baskets...
Butter, crock
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Butter, creamery, per lb... POULTRY.

Asparagus, per doz... Spinach, per bush.... Radishes, per doz.... FRUIT. 

MEAT, HIDES, ETC. Beef, per lb 5
Beef, carcass 500
Mutton, quarters, per lb 6
Lamb, quarters 10
Veal, quarters 5
Calfskins, green 5
Lambskins 25 Wool, washed, per lb....
Hides, No. 2, per lb....
Hides, No. 3, per lb....
Wool, washed, per lb.... Wool, unwashed, per lb ...

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TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

Toronto, May 14.—Wheat—Firmer; red and white wheat, on a 13½c freight to New York, was quoted at 68c to 68½c, and at 67c, middle freights; goose, 67c for No. 1, and 68c for No. 2, middle freights; spring, 69c to 70c for No. 1 east; Manitoba, 92c for No. 1 hard, 88c for No. 2 hard, and 79c for No. 3 hard, lake and rail, and 90½c for No. 3 hard, lake and rail, and 90½c for No. 3 hard, lake and rail, and 90½c for No. 3 hard, Toronto and west. Flour—Steady; 90 per cent patents, \$2 63 to \$2 65 in buyers' bags, middle freights; choice brands 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba flour is steady, at \$4 25 for cars of Hungarian patents, and \$3 95 for strong bakers in car lots, bags included, Toronto. Millfeed—Steady, at \$13 50 to \$14 for shorts, according to quality, and \$12 for bran west. Barley—Steady; No. 2 at 45c bid east, and 49c to 50c, fo.b. vessels, lake ports; No. 2 is quoted at 44c bid, middle freights, and No. 3 extra at 1c less. Buckwheat —Nominal, at 55c, middle freights. Rye—Nominal, at 49c, middle freights. Corn—Steady, at 42c for Canada yellow, and 41½c for mixed west; American No. 3 yellow is nominal, at 53c at Toronto. Oats—Good demand; firmer, at 31½c to 32c for No. 2 white, middle freights. Peas—Steady, at 62c north and west, and 66c middle freights. Butter—Dairy rolls are steady, at 12c to 14c for best large and pound rolls; low-grade, 10c to 12c; creamery, 18c to 19c for prints, and 17c to 18c for solids. Eggs—Steady, at 10½c to 11c for case lots. Live hogs—Receipts today, 500; prices ½c higher, at 7c for choice bacon, and 6½c for heavy and light fat. TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

TORONTO HAY MARKET. Toronto, May 14.—Baied hay—Choice timothy, on track here, \$10 to \$10.50; and two-ton lots, delivered, \$11. Straw—Steady; car lots on track, \$5.50 to \$6 a

ENGLISH MARKETS. The following table shows the quotations per cental for American products at Liverpool, as well as for the three previous market days. In each case the highest prices are given:

	May 10.		May		May		May 14.	
WHEAT-								
Red Winter	0	0	0	0.	0	0	0	0
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6	21/2	6	2	6	31/2	6	11/2
Walla	0	0	6	9	0	0	6	016
No. 1 Cal	6	21/2	6	21/2	6	21/2	6	2
March	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
May	5	1034	5	1056	5	111/8	5	1034
July	5	1034	5	934	5	914	5	934
CORN-		-					1000	
New	4	314	4	116	0	0	4	0
Old	1 4	41/4	0	0	4	11/4	0	0
Jan	0			0	0	0	0	0
March	0		9	0	0	0	0	0
May	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
July	4	014	3	1114	3	10 %	3	11
Sept	4		3	1136	3	10%	3	11%
Flour	19	3	19	. 3 .	19	3	19	3
Peas	5		5	71/2	5	8	5	8
Pork, prime mess.	62	9	63	0	62	9	62	
Lard	1		41		40	9	40	
Tallow			25	0	25	6	25	6
Bacon, light			40	0	42	0	42	
Cheese, white		0	47	0	47	0	47	0
Cheese, colored		0	46	0	48	0	46	6
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Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red western winter. 5s 11½d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 1d; No. 2 California, 6s 1½d; futures quiet; July, 5s 10¾d; Sept., 5s 9¾d.
Corn—Spot easy; American mixed, new, 4s; American mixed, old, 4s 1d; futures steady; May nominal; July, 3s 11d; Sept., 2s 11d, 4s 12d; Sept., 2s 11d, 4s 12d, 2s 12d, 2

Flour-St. Louis fancy winter, dull, 8s. Hops at London (Pacific coast)-Steady, Hops at London (Pacific coast)—Steady, 54 to 54 15s.

Peas—Canadian, steady, 5s 8d.

Peas—Easy; extra Indian mess, 61s 3d.

Pork—Dull; prime mess, western, 62s 9d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 pounds, steady, 46s 6d.

Lard—American refined, in pails, quiet, 41s; prim. 2 western, in tierces, quiet, 41s 9d. 10s 9d. Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 pounds,

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 pounds, quiet, 45s; short ribs, 16 to 24 pounds, firm, 44s 6d; long clear middles, light, 20 to 34 pounds, steady, 42s; long clear middles, heavy, \$5 to 40 pounds, steady, 40s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 pounds, steady, 40s 3d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 pounds, firm, 44s 9d.

Shoulders—Square, 11 to 13 pounds, steady, 36s. steady, 36s. Butter—Dull; finest United States, 88s; good United States, 66s. Cheese-American finest white, dull, 47s;



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unchanged; choice to extra, \$50 to \$75; fancy, \$6. Sheep and lambs—Offerings light, 9 leads; no change in basis of prices; lambs, choice to extra, \$5 to \$6 10; good to choice, \$4 75 to \$5; sheep, choice to extra, \$4 25 to \$4 50; sales, \$5 lambs, \$5 10; 96 sheep, \$4 40. Hogs—Offerings light; market active at the advance, heavy mixed, \$6; Yorkers, \$60 to \$5 00; stass \$5 75 to \$5 20; roughs, \$5 50 to \$5 60; stass \$4 40 to \$4 75; closed steady.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, May 14—Here, and of these American finest colored, quiet, 46s.
Tallow-Fine city, dull, 25s; Australian, in London, quiet, 26s 6d.
Cottonseed oil. Hull refined-Spot, steady, 22s 6d.
Turpentine spirits-Steady, 28s.
Rosin-Common, firm, 4s 4½d.
Petroleum-Refined, quiet, 7 1-8d.
Linseed oil-Firm, 34s.
Receipts of wheat during the past three days, 125,000 centals, all American.
Receipts of American corn during the past three days, 260,200 centals.
Weather bright.
SUGAR.

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London, May 13.—Beet sugar, May, 9s 54d. AMERICAN MARKETS. THE DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO, May 14.—The fall of needed rain weakened wheat today, and July closed %c lower, but the bull party managed to support corn, the July delivery closing a shade up. July oats closed %c higher and provisions a shade to 5c improved. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 45 cars; corn, 260 cars; oats, 106 cars; hogs, 31,000 head.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—May, 70%c; July, 71c to 71%c. Corn—May, 54c; July, 44%c; Sept., 44%c to 44%c. Oats—May, 27%c; July, 27%c; Sept., 26e. Pork—May, \$14 62%; July, \$14 77%; Sept., \$14 55. Lard—May, \$7 90; July, \$7 90; Sept., \$195; Sept., \$7 80.

Cash quotations: Flour dull. No. 3 spring wheat, 69c to 71%c; No. 2 red, 70%c to 71%c. No. 2 corn, 52c to 53%c; No. 2 vellow, 53%c. No. 2 oats, 23%c to 28%c; No. 2 white, 28c; No. 3 white, 28%c to 55c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 73%; No. 1 northwestern, \$1 73%. Prime timothy seed, \$3 to \$3.56. Pork, \$14 60. Lard, \$7 87%c to 75. Short clear sides, \$8 12%c to \$8 25. Eggs, 10%c. Receipts—Flour, 23,000 bbls; wheat, 52,000

½c to 10¾c. Receipts—Flour, 23,000 bbls; wheat, 52,000 hu; corn, 238,000 bu; coats, 335,000 bu; corn, 238,000 bu; coats, 335,000 bu; rye, 11,000 bu; barley, 30,000 bu.
Shipments—Flour, 28,000 bbis: wheat, 182,000 bu; corn, 311,000 bu; oats, 268,000 bu; rye, 33,000 bu; barley, 1,000 bu.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

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CHICAGO, May 14.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago
Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler,
broker, offices Masonic Temple. Phone 512.

Open. High Low. Close
Wheat—May... 71½ 72 70¾ 70¼
July... 71½ 72½ 71½ 71½ 71½
Corn—May... 52 54 52 54
July... 41¾ 45¼ 44¾ 44¾ 44¾

Oats—May... 27¼ 2734 14 70 7 87 7 87 7 85 7 80

DETROIT BEAN MARKET. Detroit, May 15.—Spot beans are not wanted, but there is some demand and a steady market for September and October. Quotations: Cash, \$1 70; September, \$1 35; October, \$1 40.

OIL MARKETS. PITTSBURG, Pa., May 15 .- Oil opened PITTSBURG, Pa., May 14.—Oil closed at \$1 07. OIL CITY, Pa., May 14.—Credit balances, \$1 07; certificates, no bid. LONDON, May 14.—Calcutta linseed, spot, 54s 6d; linseed oil, 32s 10½d.

spot, 54s 6d; linseed oil, 32s 10½d.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

TORONTO, May 14.—The delivery at the cattle market today was 93 loads, with 495 sheep and lambs, 590 hogs, 197 calves and 1,875 head of cattle. Although delivery continues heavy, prices are still firm, today's market showing no signs of weakening, with the exception of the sheep trade, which was dull, a few being left unsold. Good yearling grain-fed lambs, however, are not wanted at all. The export cattle trade is good, the supply not being more than sufficient to go round. Butcher cattle are steady and in demand. Hogs reached the \$7 mark today. W. H. Dean bought 4 loads of exporters, 1,502 to 1,400 lbs, at \$5 to \$5 12½. Jesse Dunn bought 3 loads of exporters; 1 load, 1,250 lbs, at \$5 20; 2 loads, 1,250 lbs, at \$5 25; odd lots at \$5. James Harris bought about 9 loads butchers and shippers, mixed, at \$4 to \$4 50. Henry Hunnisett bought a load of mixed heifers and steers, butchers, at \$4 35. Maybee & Zeigman bought stockers at \$2 80 to \$3 80. Lunness & Halligan bought about 7 loads of exporters, 1,200 to 1,350 lbs, at \$4 90 to \$5 25. B. Smith bought 18 butcher cattle, 1,000 lbs, at \$3 80. J. R. Collins bought about 4 loads of butcher cattle, 1,000 to 1,100 lbs, at \$3 80. Sinclair Levack bought 10 butcher cattle at \$3 80 to \$4, and export bulls at \$4 20. Wesley Dunn bought 120 sheep at \$4 50; 50 yearling lambs at \$5 75; 50 spring lambs, \$3 50 each; 70 calves, \$5 50 each.

Export cattle, choice, cwt...\$4 85 @ \$5 25 Export cattle, light, cwt.... 4 25 @ 4 65 LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

70 calves, \$5.50 each.

Export cattle, choice, cwt. \$4.85

Export cattle, light, cwt. 4.25

Butchers' cattle, picked 4.35

Butchers' cattle, choice 4.00

Butchers' cattle, good 3.60

Butchers' cattle, good 3.60

Butchers' cattle, medium 3.00

Butchers' cattle, medium 3.00

Bulls, export, heavy, cwt. 4.00

Bulls, export, hight, cwt. 3.50

Feeders, heavy. 3.75

Feeders, light. 3.25

Stockers, 400 to 800 lbs, cwt. 2.60 Stockers, off-colors and heifers. 200 @
Butchers' bulls 250 @
Light stock bulls, cwt 200 @
Milch cows 3000 @
Sheep, ewes, cwt 450 @
Sheep, bucks 300 @
Sheep, butchers, each 350 @
Lambs, each 250 @ Stockers, off-colors and heif-

 Lambs, per Red
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 Calves, per head
 2 00 @

 Hogs, choice, cwt
 7 00 @

 Hogs, light, cwt
 6 50 @

 Grain-fed lambs
 5 50 @

 Barnyard lambs
 4 50 @

nally firm.

CHICAGO, May 14.—Cattle—Stronger; prime stockers and feeders steady, \$3.25 to \$5.10; cows, \$2.85 to \$4.65; calves, 25c higher, \$3.75 to \$5; Texas fed steers, \$4.25 to \$5.40; do, bulls, \$2.75 to \$3.80. Hogs—Active; top, \$5.90; mixed and butchers, \$5.65 to \$5.87½; good to choice heavy, \$5.75 to \$5.90; rough heavy, \$5.60 to \$5.70; light, \$5.55 to \$5.82½; bulk of sales at \$5.75 to \$5.90. Sheep—Strong; clipped lambs, \$4.85; Colorado, \$5.35; good to choice wethers, \$4.25 to \$4.60; fair to choice mixed, \$4 to \$4.25; western sheep, \$4.30 to \$4.60; native lambs, \$4.15 to \$5.35; western lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.35.

EAST BUFFALO, May 14.—Cattle— EAST BUFFALO, May 14.—Cattle— Fair demand; market was full steady; supply of calves light; market nominally

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London, May 14.—Here and at Liver-pool, cattle are unchanged, at 11½c to 12%c per lb, dressed weight; sheep sell at 13c to 18½c; lambs sell at 14c per lb refrigerator beef is quoted at 9c per lb

CHICAGO, May 14.—Butter—Steady; creamery, 14c to 19c; delry, 11c to 16c. creamery, 14c to 19c; dairy, 11c to 18c. Cheese, 94c to 11c. CAMPBELLFORD, Ont., May 14. The first weekly meeting of Campbellford cheese board was held today; 600 boxes were offered. The following sales were made: Whitton, 235 at 8%c; Alexander, 215 at 8%c; Cook, 150 at 8 3-16c. INGERSOLL, Ont., May 14.—At the cheese market held here today, 557 boxes, all white, were offered; 55 sold at 8½c; balance unsold; 8.3-16c was bid for some lots and refused. Market quiet, on account of chilly weather.

count of chilly weather.

NEW YORK, May 14.—Butter—Steady; receipts, 10.488 pkgs; creamery extras. per 1b, 19c; do, firsts, 18c to 18½c; do, seconds, 17c to 17½c; do, thirds, 15c to 16c; state dairy tubs, fancy, 16c; do, firsts, 17c to 18c; do, seconds, 15½c to 16½c; do, tubs, thirds, 14c; western imitation creamery, fancy, 16½c to 17c; do, firsts, 14½c to 15½c; do; lower grades, 13c to 14c; western factory, large tubs, best, 13c; do, fair to good, 12½c to 12½c; factory or dairy, lower grades, 11c to 12c; rolls, common to prime, 11c to 13c; renovated butter, fancy, 16½c to 17c; do, common to choice, 12c to 16c; old creamery, 12c to 14½c; old western factory, 10c to 13c. Cheese—Receipts, 5,910 boxes, New—State full cream, small white, prime, 8¾c; do, colored, prime, 8¼c; do, fair to good, 7½c to 8c;

western factory, 10c to 13c. Cheese—Receipts, 5,910 boxes. New—State full cream, small white, prime, 8%c; do, colored, prime, 8%c; do, fair to good, 7%c to 8c; do, large white, prime, 8%c; do, fair to good, 8%c to 8%c; do, large colored, prime, 8c; do, fair to good, 7%c to 7%c; do, common, 6c to 6%c; light skims, small, choice, 5%c to 6c; part skims, prime, 4%c to 5c; fair to good, 3c to 4c; do, common, 2g to 2%c; full skims, 1c to 1%c. Old—State full cream, small colored, choice, 11c to 11%c; do, small white, choice, 11c; do, prime, 10%c; do, large fall-made, colored, choice, 10%c; do, large fall-made, colored, choice, 10%c; do, white, choice, 10%c; do, large, prime, 9%c to 10c; do, common to fair, 9c to 9%c; do, large fall-made, colored, choice, 10%c; do, white, choice, 10%c; do, large, prime, 9%c to 10c; do, common to fair, 9c to 9%c. Eggs—Slow and weak; receipts, 25,664 pkgs; state. Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected, 15c; do, average prime, 14c; western storage packing, 13%c to 14c; do, regular packing, northern sections, firsts, loss off, 14c; do, at mark, 12%c to 13c; do, ungraded, 11c to 12c; southern, 11c to 11%c; dirties, 10c to 11c; checks, 9c to 9%c.

HIDES, SKINS AND TALLOW. Toronto, May 14.—Hides—The hide mar-Toronto, May 14.—Hides—The hide market is quiet, offerings moderate, and prices unchanged. No. 1 green steers, 6c lbs and upwards, 7½c; No. 1 cows, 6½c, and No. 2 cows, 5½c. Calfskins—Unchanged; No. 1 green bring 9c; and No. 2 8c. Sheepskins—Dull; choice will bring \$1, and ordinary, 80c to 90c. Lambskins—Market, quiet, at 15c to 20c; pelts, 15c. Wool—Fleece is nominal, at 13c; new fleece is expected in a couple of weeks; pulled combing. 14c to 15c; unwashed, 8c to 9c; pulled supers, 17c, and extras, 19c to 20c. Tallow—Dealers are paying 5c to 5½c for rendered, and 1½c to 2¾c for rough.

#### WEATHER BULLETIN.

tighest and Lowest Temperatures at Prominent Points.

London, May 15-8 a.m. TEMPERATURE. Winnipeg..... Quebec..... Father Point.... FORECASTS.

Today-Light winds; fine. Thursday-Light winds; fine and WEATHER NOTES. High temperatures prevailed yes terday throughout the Northwest Territories and Manitoba, and there are now good prospects of some days of

fine warm weather in Ontario and Light frosts were pretty general in

#### LATE LOCAL ITEMS

-A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized in St. Thomas' Church, Granton, at high noon, Saturday, May 11 when Miss Jennie Carty, of Granton, eldest daughter of the late James Carty, was married to Mr. W. H. Harding, traveler for A. M. Smith & Co., of London. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. F. Brownlee. -The Wellington Street Epworth

League met as usual Monday evening. The meeting was opened by Miss Lottie Bryant, who also read a paper entitled "The Work of the Deaconess." The topic was in charge of Mr. S. Ellwood, who gave a very able talk on "Strangers Within Thy Gates."

STEAMERS ARRIVED. Reported at. From. New York.....Marseille Neustrea.. Potsdam..

Potsdam Rotterdam New York Graf Waldersee Cherbourg New York Sylvania Liverpool Boston
Devonian Liverpool Boston
Rathlin Head Father Point Barrie THE G. T. R. PRESIDENT. Montreal, May 14.—Sir Charles Rivers Wilson, the president of the

Grand Trunk, is expected to arrive here about the end of the week. Mr. Geo. B. Reeve, the general manager of the company, left tonight for New York and to meet Sir Charles. The Grand Trunk earnings continue to keep up. The earnings for the week ended May 7, 1901, were \$510,321, and for the corresponding month last year, \$467,728, an increase of \$42,593.

## A Terrible Cough.



If people would only treat coughs and colds in time with Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, there would be fewer homes

The severest coughs and colds, brenchitis and croup, and the first stages of consumption yield readily to this powerful, lung-

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Read what Mrs. Thos. Carter, Northport. Read what Mrs. Thos. Carter, Northport, Ont., says: "I caught a severe cold, which settled on my throat and lungs, so that I could scarcely speak above a whisper. I also had a terrible cough which my friends thought would send me to my grave. I tried different remedies but all falled to do me any good until I took Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and the contents of one bottle completely cared me."

### IN ONTARIO.

[Continued from page 1.]

black-leg" in Leeds and Renfrew, and is lumpy-jaw in Huron. Sheep are reported to be in particularly fine form. ambs are plentiful and vigorous. Swine ever before, owing to encouraging prices; but while litters have been large there have been heavy losses among these young pigs, and during the latter part of the winter many hogs suffer-ed from a form of rheumatism or "stiffening." which, however, appeared to wear off when the animals were turned out in the spring. In most parts of the ovince there was an abundance of fodder for live stock during the winter, although a few farmers are said to have been compelled to buy feed in order to supplement their supplies.

Farm Supplies .- Farmers differ more upon the question of supplies than up-on any other topic. A scarcity and a surplus are frequently reported by neighboring correspondents. While a number speak of a searcity of hay, the majority of correspondents are of opinion that there is more than enough for home demand; and so with wheat and oats, although there is not so much of the latter grain on hand as usual, it having been fed more largely than ever on the farm. What has been said of stuffs applies also to fat and store cattle. In the same districts a scarcity and an abundance are some times reported, although in the round-up it will likely be found that there are hardly as many of either class of animals to be disposed of as usual. Some correspondents claim that the bacon industry has somewhat lessened bacon industry has somewhat lessened the number of beef animals raised by Ontario farmers; yet it would also appear as if all classes of live stock are receiving better care than ever bereceiving better care than ever be-

FRUIT TREES PROMISE WELL. Fruit trees-In the western portion of the province, where most of the orchards are to be found, fruit trees have come through the winter in splendid condition. In the counties along the St. Lawrence, however, an "ice storm" in the spring had the effect of breaking off many of the branches and in some cases killing the trees. A number of fruit trees in the northern districts are also reported to have died, although the cause has not been given. Orchards were coming into bloom as correspondents wrote, and nearly every class of fruit was giving promise of a generous yield should frost and heavy rains keep off during the period of "set-ting," although some state that it will be a comparatively "off year" for apples. A number of correspondents in various parts of the province refer to the presence of the tent cat-erpillar, but this pest does not appear

to be as common as it was a year ago. Odd mention was made of injury to fruit trees by field mice. CROP LAST t'.Rgfkrdrcl..aa u ..6 Spring Seeding-Taking the province

ed as being about half-done on the 1st of May, although in a few localities it was claimed that the work was prac-tically completed by that time. Early sown grains found an excellent seedbed, more especially on high and welldrained lands; but a heavy snow and rain storm, ranging from the 19th to the 21st of April, gave spring operations a decided setback by flooding lowlying places and not only preventing further showing for a week or so, but in some instances drowning out a portion of the crop already put in. Not-withstanding this drawback, the prospects for spring crops are on the whole encouraging. A few correspondents miport potatoes as having been planted for that crop.

GODERICH NON-JURY ASSIZES. Goderich, May 15.—The non-jury sit-ting of the High Court of Justice opened ting of the High Court of Justice opened here yesterday before Hon. Mr. Justice MacMahon, with a docket of nine cases. Dancet vs. Scott was settled; Williams vs. Bogie, postponed: Babb vs. Babb, postponed for trial before the county judge; and Stewart vs. McMillan, settled. Murchison vs. Murchison, an alimony suit, was partly tried and was then settled, the defendant agreeing to withdraw all charges of insanity. Jewett vs. Jewett was a case of allmony from Bayfield. The defendant did not appear, and no evidence was offered for the defense, counsel relying on the special circumstances of the case as precluding a judgment for alimony. Judgment reserved until today. Williams vs. Babb, consent judgment for the plaintiff, \$2,479 50.

DESTRUCTION TO BUILDINGS. London, May 14 .- A parliamentary paper just issued shows that 634 farm buildings, mills, cottages and hovels were burned in the Orange River Colony and the Transvaal from June, 1900, to the end of January, 1901. FOUND DEAD.

Guelph, May 14.-J. W. Burgess, middle-aged man, was found dead in the Western Hotel stables this morning. It is not known how he met his

#### BASEBALL. LONG DESERTS GUELPH.

Guelph Herald: Nelson Long, who pitched and won his game for Guelph on Saturday, left yesterday to join the Portland team, of the New England League. Long signed with the Maple Leafs on the understanding that if a Portland contract and transportation arrived here he would leave on a week's notice. The necessary arrived Monday morning, and he there-fore had no alternative but to go. He was a reliable pitcher and would have done well here. The local man-agement was aware that he might leave them this week, and they had arrangements made with another pitcher, who will be with the team in

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The Delmer correspondent for the Tilsonburg Liberai, says: The Brownsville quarterly board met here on Tuesday afternoon, May 7, when Rev. D. E. Martin was invited to remain for another year. He has been a faithful man in our midst; a powerful preacher, full of faith and good works.

LAST YEAR WE INTRODUCED to the public the British Army Foot Powder and have heard nothing but praise of its healing and soothing qualities. Dusted into the stockings in the morning it allays all inflammation and prevents chafing. Sold in 25c boxes by Cairncross & Lawrence, 216 Dundas street, London.

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To feel tired afte exertion is one thing; to feel tired before is another.

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The Ponderings of a Spinster. Me'n Marthy Ann hez bin a-gittin

passel uv wimmin. tucked our knittin' an' a block uv crazy quilt inter them black alpacky rettycules uv ourn an' went airly, so's to git our things off an' hev th' heft uv th' arternoon fer a good ole fashioned visit.

Well, you never seen a surpprisder woman than th' one what ast us was, when we come down stairs an' let on how tickled we wuz. how tickled we wuz. We haint nobody's fools—me 'n  $\begin{cases} 22 & 10... \\ 22 & 10... \\ 22 & 10... \end{cases}$ Marthy Ann haint-nobody's 'ceptin'

our own. An' you jest bet it didn't | take us long tew larn th' reel state uv th' the mommyter. But both uv us | \$2 65, \$1 90. felt reel kind uv sorry fer th' man in Bu th' white wescut what 'tended the door-he wus so tickled; yit he didn't "To hum" onter a keerd, 'longside uv a woman's name, means that on that pertickerler arternoon she won't be

-feelin' no more to hum than you be. It means, tew, that you must git right away, quick, so's ter give th' thers a chance tew tell th' woman what's invited 'em how't they wouldn't a-gone to nobody's else's house but hern—they wus so all wore out a-'tendin' uv opperys 'n theeters an'

Oh, me 'n Marthy Ann is a-larnin' heaps uv things! ELVIRA HOPKINS, of Tompkins Corners.

BOY AND LION. The author of "In Dwarf Land" tells a wonderful story about a young Toro boy. The Toro people, it seems, stand greatly in fear of lions. A party of native hunters, returning in single file from their day's hunt after small antelope, were attacked by lions. The man at the end of the line was suddenly seized from behind by the lioness, and instantly killed and carried

away. The rest of the party made off with all speed, all but one little bey, the son of the man who had been killed He, amazingly plucky little fellow that he was, actually turned back, and armed with nothing but a small spear followed the bloodstained track through the thicket. After a little

while he came upon the lioness in the act of devouring his father. Without a moment's hesitation the brave little chap rushed at the huge beast, and the lioness, becoming aware of his approach, left her prey and sprang upon the boy. By a merciful providence the boy's spear struck its breast, and by the animal's own weight was forced into its body, piercing the heart. The great creature rolled over stone dead.

The boy was utterly unharmed. Rapidly withdrawing his little weapon he went and knelt by the mangled remains of his father, and while he was bending over him in his sorrow the male lion came roaring through the

The lad sprang up, and with almost superhuman courage rushed toward the second lion, waving aloft his bloodstained spear and shouting "Come on, come on! I'll kill you, too!' But the lion was so discomfited by the unexpected approach of the lad that he turned tail and fled, leaving his partner dead by the side of her mangled prey. The boy then went home to his village and called his friends to come and bring the dead lioness to the king, and this was done.

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Glasgow's population is 760,329, an increase in ten years of 142,277, a growth comparing favorably with that of American cities. In 1801 Glasgow con-tained 77,285 inhabitants.

## uv them "to hum" keerds from a hull SPECIAL EXCURSION TO-

Pan-American Exposition, Buffalo, Monday, May 20, Also Tuesday, May 28, 1901.

Special passenger train will leave as 

Special Excursion tickets are only valid going and returning on special trains on above dates.

Returning—The special train will leave Pan-American grounds, II p.m.
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So she began with her mother's death, and gave her an account of all that had occurred up to the time she had applied for her present position. She told how she had made Clifton's acquaintance, and how, gradually, they had become fond of each other, until he had finally won her promise to become his wife when he could make a home for her; she dwelt upon his devotion to her, his apparent truth and singleness of purpose, and her firm faith in him, in spite of the sudden terself had been grieved and wounded by his long-continued silence, she had not really doubted his fidelity to her until she overheard Miss Lovering speak of his attentions and prospective engagement to Miss Norwood, which had also been virtually confirmed by Mrs. Norwood's letter to Madame Marton.

Madame Waited until she would ring for Lady Wallace's maid if she wanted anything, she starteu vior the drawing-room.

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incredulity which gradually overspread her face as the tale progressed would have been a study for an artist.

"Humph! so you have never had a word of fault to find with the young man, aside from the interruption of his letters, until you overheard the news of tonight?" she thoughtfully remarked, when Shirley had finished.

"No," was the reply, accompanied by a heavy sigh; "he certainly seemed to be noble and true, and his letters were all that I could ask or expect, up to the time that they ceased coming, and then I imagined that the fault lay with the mails rather than with him."

"How long is it since you heard from him?" madame inquired.

"I have had only two or three letters "I have had only two or three letters from him since his arrival in Europe," Shirley answered, with a voice full of

Madame was silent for a few moments, and seemed to have fallen into a brown study; but a length she quietly observed:
"Well, child, it is my opinion that your young man is all right."
The positive intenation with which this was said caused the pretty face on the pillow to suddenly glow with mingled hope and astonishment, a circumstance which caused madame's compressed lips to relax with something of satisfaction.
"I have known love affairs to be interrupted by the trickery of women be-

"I have known-love affairs to be interrupted by the trickery of women before now." she continued, dryly; "so don't quite break your heart until we look into the matter a little deeper."
"Why, Madame Marton, what can you possibly mean?" Shirley exclaimed, as she lifted herself on her elbow and regarded her companion with unfeigned amazement at the suspicion thus implied, and which her honest heart had never for a moment entertained.
"Just wait and see," replied the woman, with a wise shake of her head; "be patlent, and possess your soul in peace. I know something of what Blanche Norwood is; I know what the whole family

dent or disease.

is, in spite of all their sweetness to me, and that when they especially set their hearts upon anything, they are bound to get it, by hook or by crook. Yes, yes, she added, musingly, "I thought Helen's letter was a trifle crafty when I read it, and I begin to think that it is rather a singular coincidence that the Lovering girl should have happened to receive such a newsy epistle while we are all here at Ivyhurst together. I'd give a five pound note to see the rest of it," she concluded, reflectively, and then she appeared to fall into another reverie, while Shirley, who was of a very confiding nature, wondered how she could be so suspicious, although she did not fully comprehend her meaning.

though she did not fully comprehend her meaning.

"How do you feel now?" madame suddenly inquired, as she leaned forward to get a view of the girl's face.

"Better, thank you," she replied, and she was really somewhat comforted by the woman's unusual interest in her and the hopeful view she had taken of Clifton's relations toward her.

At all events, she saw that she did not wholly credit the report that had been received from Paris that evening, and she was only too eager to clutch at this straw of hope regarding Clifton's faithfulness.

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"Do you feel able to be left by yourself for awhile?" madame continued.
"I've changed my mind, and I think I'd like to go downstairs for an hour or so."
"Oh, yes; do go, if you like," Shirley eagerly returned. "There is really no need of anyone staying with me; I shall not faint again. I never did so before, and I will go directly to bed, so that you may feel easy about me."

Madame waited until she had retired, then making her promise that she would ting for Lady Wallace's maid if she

the one below.

"Girls, girls, come upstairs with me, for I have a great secret to tell you," she heard Lurline Lovering exclaim, is cager but subdued tones, to her companions, Mary and Helen Montcalm.

"A secret!" cried the impulsive Helen; "I'm always ready for a secret, if it means a good time. Where will we go?" "Up in the alcove," said Lurline, "Come quickly, before we are missed."

There was an alcove, or large bay window, at one end of the uppper hall and over the entrance to the mansion.

Outside of this there was a balcony, surrounded by an iron railing, with long French windows leading out upon it.

Quick as thought, Madame Marton stole along the hall, gliding out upon the balcony and into the shadow of a huge bracket, which supported the hood above the window, just as the heads of the three girls came into view, as they tripped up the stairs, eager to talk of the "great secret."

"I reckon I shall not need to put out my five pound note to get the news," madame chuckled to herself as she drew my five pound note to get the news," madame chuckled to herself, as she drew

madame chuckled to best the news," madame chuckled to herself, as she drew close to the side of the house, as the trio seated themselves within the alcove, where she could hear every word.

"Now for your secret," said Helen Montcalm, with girlish enthusiasm, her face all aglow with anticipation.

"Ahem!" returned Lurline dryly; "maybe you will not feel quite so elated over it when you learn that it will prove your favorite the fraud which I have always prophesied her to be. I just want to read you something from a letter I received from a friend who is traveling abroad," she continued, drawing the missive from her pocket and unfolding it, "and who knows something about this immaculate Shirley Livingstone, as you believe her to be. Listen," she said, preparing to read. "'So you are going to spend a week with the Wallaces at St. Sauveur, and of course you will have a lovely time. I believe that his lordship's

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place adjoins the estate belonging to a kind of aunt of my father, although she is not really related to him by blood. She is a queer old bird, but has lots of money, and so, of course, we are extremely fond of her, ha! ha! Perhaps you may meet her in some of your perambulations, and

her in some of your perambulations, and you cannot fail to recognize her, for she always looks like a guy, and as if she might have been contemporary with Methuselah. Moreover, she is likely to be accompanied by a girl—her companion—whom she took with her from New York early in the summer, and who might pass for a certain type of beauty, as she has a trim figure, a clear complexion, golden hair and large blue eyes. She has rather a high-sounding name also—Shirley Livingstone—and, can you believe it! she aspires to the honor of becoming Mrs. Clifton Vining! Yes, she tried her best to win my lover away from me before she left New York, believing that he was infatuated with her, simply upon the strength of an act of kindness which he showed her some months ago. It seems that the girl is connected with a very low family in New York, who abused her—or that is her story—and Clif helped her to break away from them and to a better way of living. She has even presumed to write him letter after letter since he came abroad, but I am happy to tell you that he does not reply to her affectionate missives; and of late she has ceased to annoy him, probably because she finds her attentions unappreciated. If you should chance to meet her, and could, in a roundabout way, drop a word regarding my happy prospects, it might serve to nip in the bud all further aspirations on her part.'

#### KODAK CRANK KILLED

Wanted His Picture Taken Hanging Over a Cliff and Fell to His Death.

Rossland, B. C., May 15. - Edgar Petch, a printer's apprentice, engaged on the Rossland Miner, met death in a dramatic manner yesterday. With another young man he went out on a picture-taking expedition. Walking along Sheep Creek, Petch saw a projecting log from a cliff, 60 feet above, and, giving his kodak to his friend, said:

"I'll climb up there and have you take my picture. His companion agreed, and Petch quickly clambered up the cliff and made his way out on the log. Then he put his arms around it and hung over the chasm. His companion at once snapped the kodak, and then Petch endeavored to get back on the log, but he had not strength enough to do so. After a struggle Petch lost his hold and fell, landing on some logs sixty feet below. When his friend reached him he was stone dead, the top of his skull having been crushed in. Petch was

#### ANTICIPATORY ACTION.

17 years of age, and supported his

widowed mother.

"Hiram, I am considering a proposal of marriage, and, as you have been coming to see me for nearly six years I thought it would be no more than right to tell you of it." 'Why, Bella, I-I have always want-

ed to ask you myself!' "Why haven't you done it?"
"I-I haven't dared to. Will you marry me, Bella?"

"You dear girl!" (Pause properly filled up.) "Tell me, now, Bella, whose proposal of marriage were you consid-"Yours, Hiram."-Chicago Tribune.

Ireland has 408 able-bodied persons to 1,000 inhabitants; Scotland, 424, and England 432.

July Tournament of Western Ontario Lawn Bowlers.

Officers of Collegiate Institute Tennis Clubs-Pugilist Indicted for Manslaughter.

THE WHEEL. THE SCORCHER. "What is that, mother?"
"A scorcher, my child,
On his new high-gear bicycle,
Looking so wild.

"His nose is out west, And his coat-tails back east, And he darts at his victims Like some rav'nous beast.

"His object is speed, And he knoweth no goal, Unless it's a puncture, Or he stops in a hole.

"Though we stand in mute wonder To know how it's done, We can't say we fancy The son of a gun.

"Our dignity vanishes
When he comes along,
And we think of our family,
When he rings his gong.

"Oh! boy, may such mania Never be thine— With wheels in your head, And a kink in your spine."

BASEBALL. AMERICAN LEAGUE. At Baltimore 11, Philadelphia 5, At Boston 2, Washington 3, At Milwaukee 11, Cleveland 1, At Detroit 2, Chicago 6. EASTERN LEAGUE.

Montreal 3, Hartford 7. Rochester 10, Providence 9 NATIONAL LEAGUE. At Brooklyn 8, Cincinnati 7. At New York 3, Chicago 0. At Boston 4, St. Louis 3. At Philadelphia 2, Pittsburg 3.

The Orients have secured the St. John's Athletic grounds for practice two nights a week.

The J. H. Chapman & Co. team have ordered new suits. The firm is supply-The J. H. Chapman & Co. team have ordered new suits. The firm is supplying the material.

A game of ball was played on Tuesday between the West London Stars and Aberdeens, which resulted in favor of the Stars by 8 to 4. Batteries—Stars, Clark and Gibson; Aberdeens, Early and Wilson;

George Cooper, of the Toronto pitching staff, was in the city yesterday. TODAY'S GAME.

Killen, the new pitcher of the London team, reached the city yesterday, and may pitch against Woodstock in today's game. The London team leaves at 2:10 p.m. The team will number thirteen men, including Bell, Hutchinson and Carroll in outfield; McFadden at first; Sippi at second, and Ashplant at third; Lee, shortstop; Gibson and Gunn, catchers; Killen, Early, Wanless and Sheere, pitchers.

#### LAWN BOWLING.

A JULY TOURNAMENT. The Western Ontario Bowling Association held a meeting of the executive in this city yesterday afternoon. The following clubs were represented: Clinton, Goderich, London, Mitchell, Petrolia, Seaforth, Walkerton, Windsor, Woodstock, It was decided to hold the sixth annual tournament in July, commencing on Tuesday, the 23rd, at 2 o'clock, The interest in lawn bowling continues to grow terest in lawn bowling continues to grow rapidly, not only in London, but in all the towns of Ontario. Five or six new clubs have organized this year, all of whom will likely affiliate with the W. O. B. A., and this year's tournament, from the present outlook, promises to far exceed anything that has been held be-

THE WOODSTOCK CLUB.

The Woodstock lawn tennis and bowling club met on Friday night and elected officers for the year as follows: President, D. W. Karn; vice-president, Andrew Pattullo, M.P.P.: corresponding secretary, bowling, J. G. Wallace; corresponding secretary, lawn tennis, H. N. Orr; secretary-treasurer, H. A. Little; management committee, A. Gardner, James S. Scarff, E. W. Waud, G. R. Pattullo, jun.; patronesses, Mesdames O. G. Anderson, R. N. Ball, H. J. Finkle, S. B. Fuller, James Hay, D. W. Karn, Kerr, Milne, E. W. Nesbitt, McKee, W. T. Parke, S. D. Raymond, E. W. Waud, J. G. Wallace, John White. THE WOODSTOCK CLUB.

INDICTED FOR MANSLAUGHTER. INDICTED FOR MANSLAUGHTER.
London, May 15.—The grand jury yesterday found a true bill of manslaughter against John Roberts, the pugllist, who fatally injured Wm. Smith in a boxing contest at the National Sporting Club; the referee, Douglass; Manager Bettison, of the National Sporting Club, and others concerned in the fight. The recorder recommended this course, so that the court might finally decide whether such competitions are genuine contests for points or prize fights.

COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE CLUBS. COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE CLUBS.

The following are the officers of the London Collegiate Institute tennis club, elected recently: President, Mr. F. Riddell, B.A.; first vice-president, Mr. G. de C. O'Grady: treasurer, D. L. Graham; secretary, V. H. Williams; executive committee, J. G. Ingram, P. R. Ashplant, G. Carling.

The officers of the girls' club are: President, Mr. J. McCool, M.A.; secretary-treasurer, Miss G. Hodge; committee, Miss I. Love, Miss J. Spencer and Miss L. Abbott. Both clubs are practicing every evening, and some very proficient players are developing in both aggregations.

#### FIGHTING THE WHITE PLAGUE

(Continued from page 3.) the Canada Association for the Do-

A deputation waited on the govern ment on March 7, 1900, and was met with such unusual response that before the end of April a law had been unanimously passed by the lo-cal house, embodying every element needed, so that when the people move the municipalities to action, such action will have substantial aid from the government, both in the land and building and in the maintenance of

for consumptives erected in accordance with this law.

The provincial board of health thereupon decided to send a circular to all municipal boards of health and to all physicians, inclosing the act, with regulations arising out of the placing of consumption among the contagious diseases, and indicating the need of the co-operation of the people with the government and the municipalities in organizing to carry out the provisions of the act for the erecof sanatoria in or near every

patients in every municipal sanitarium

municipality. THE UNIT OF ACTION. It is of vital importance to understand that everything hinges on the erection of sanatoria in every municipality of group of municipalities. Every expert in the world now emphasizes this fact. Once it was thought necessary to go away to some special climate, but it has been demonstrated

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another climate to come home and or nearly one-third, were caused by suffer relapse on account of change tuberculosis. The remedying of this

of climate. We aim at twenty such sanatoria Councils have no power to aid for this province, with an aggregate of 1,000 beds. That will bring us to just where Germany already has risen. for improvements, the encouragement But that simply means that each locality will lift its own little part of the budren. If the city of London save the useful lives which are being and the county of Middlesex will un- destroyed. A work of education must dertake to start an institution somewhere in the country outside of the city, they can do it with ease, without very great outlay, and can add cot-

tages afterwards as they are needed. APPEAL TO LONDON'S CITIZENS. You are asked to petition for that surpose and to join the association which has for its object the completion of such an establishment, and the working together with the health authorities in order to make it a prac for necessary campaign expenses, and

valids: in order, eventually, to trans mit to posterity one contagious disease less than we inherited from the

The speaker closed his able and interesting address by reading a letter rom Dr. Bryce, of Toronto, provincial nealth inspector, in which the latter advocated the use of a tent hospital as a beginning in the treatment of consumptives.

Dr. English, secretary of the local Anti-Consumption League, told of the progress being made. Steps were being taken, he said, for the submission, at the next municipal elections, of by laws to provide funds for the erection of a sanitarium, and as the county council and many of the local aldermen had expressed themselves as favorable to the movement, it would probably go through. During the coming week Dr. Eby is to hold meetings at Strathroy, Glencoe, Lucan, Ailsa Craig, and other places.

Rev. J. G. Stuart inquired as to what success had attended the operation of the Gravenhurst Sanitarium, and Dr. Niven answered that statistics showed 30 per cent of cures and 60 per cent of arrested or improved

Dr. Cl. T. Campbell was called to the platform and spoke briefly. The voice of the local physician had been movement as the present. They were anxious to do all in their power to further it, even though it meant the decrease of business for themselves. treatment. The doctor referred to the startling proportion of deaths which occur a the most useful portion of the indivi-dual's life. Of 8,000 deaths in Ontario,

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Strathroy, speaks of the benefits she Strathroy, speaks of the benefits she derived from these Tablets, as follows:
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spend the money. Rev. Dean Innes, after expressing the opinion that the meeting was thoroughly in sympathy with the tenor of the remarks of the evening, moved a vote of thanks to Dr. Eby. It was unanimously carried. was then adjourned.

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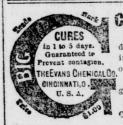
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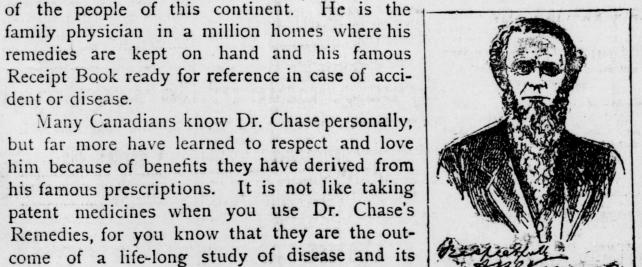
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It was moved by Mr. Currie that sympathy be expressed with the congregations in parting with Mr. Milloy, and that the presbytery would be gratified to hear that the congregation has taken some steps in the matter of a retiring allowance on account of the minister's long and faithful services.

Mr. Barnett was appointed moderator of the vacancy.

Mr. Stewart, Melbourne, who had been appointed to visit Wardsville, re-

been appointed to visit Wardsville, re-ported as to his visit on April 10. He elicited the following facts. 1. That a subscription list is made out each year,

and only good for a year. 2. That there has been a falling off in the subscription list. The reasons given for this decrease are that a number had left the bounds; that some were too poor to give, and that a certain disaffection existed on the past of a few

tion existed on the part of a few.

At the time of the visit there were

\$42 of arrears for 1900 and nothing has been paid for 1901.

Mr. Currie moved that a committee be appointed to confer with the minister, and the office-bearers of the congregation and report this office.

gregation, and report this afternoon.
The following committee was appointed
—Messrs. Stewart, Johnson, Currie, J.
McDonald, Henderson, Drummond,
ministers, and Messrs. Campbell, Rath-

ministers, and Messrs. Campbell, Rathburn and Bryan, elders.
Mr. John McLean, elder from Rodney and New Glasgow, and Mr. Eli Davis, from North Street Church, Westminster, were appointed as comparisoners to the Canaral Assembly.

missioners to the General Assembly.
Mr. James Meek, from Port Stanley;
Mr. Thomas Baty, Westminster; Mr. D.
A. McNab, from Chalmers Church, Dunwich, were also added to the list of commissioners.

Mr. Barnett reported as to the conference held of the young people's societies, and on motion it was received.
Mr. McGillivray reported as to the supply of Hyde Park and Komoka for 20 Sabbaths. Mr. Wylie is expected home this week. The total expense is \$130, and Mr. McGillivray expected to have about \$100 on hand.

The report was received and it was

The report was received, and it was decided that the congregations of Hyde Park and Komoka be asked to make

up the balances that may remain after all contributions from the sessions

throughout the Presbytery have beer

At 12:30 the Presbytery adjourned to the lecture room and were hospitably

entertained by the ladies of the Glen-

partaken of, on motion of Rev. W

J. Clark, seconded by Rev. Dr. John-

ston, a hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the hostesses.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Presbytery resumed at 1:30

Dr. Proudfoot made a statement as

to his resignation from the chair of homiletics and pastoral theology in

Knox College, referring to the fact

that he had spent his whole minister-

ial life in the Presbytery of London

He asked the Presbytery to apply for

permission to place his name on the

aged and infirm ministers' fund and

to retain his name on the roll of the

It was moved by Mr. Abe Hender-

son, seconded by W. J. Clark, that in view of the information before it, the

Presbytery receive and sustain Dr. Proudfoot's request to be placed on the list of aged and infirm ministers,

and forward the necessary papers in

Mr. Leitch made a statement in re-

gard to his work, the gist of which

was that the work at present under-

taken by him is too heavy. It was

Corners were approved as carefully

committee with Presbyterial powers be appointed to visit Wardsville and

The report was received, and the

recommendation adopted. The same

committee was appointed, Dr. John-

Dr. McCrae moved that the rule by

which commissioners to assembly are

exception which now exists, by which

ministers inducted in the year immedi-

ately preceding the meeting of as-

After a long discussion of the mo-

tion, it was unanimously agreed that

the matter should come up in Sep-

tember, together with a notice of mo-

tion by Mr. Currie in regard to regu-

lation 4, amending it by dropping out

certain words which would leave the

Presbytery at liberty to elect any of

The Presbytery committee was called to meet at Wardsville on Tuesday, May 28, at 2 in the afternoon.

Mr. Currie reported that the aug-

mentation grants asked for had been

attained, with the exception of \$12 asked for South Delaware and Tempo.

The Presbytery adjourned to meet

in First Presbyterian Church, London,

the second Tuesday in July, at 10:30

Canadian in the South.

The Atlanta (Ga.) Constitution of

the 10th inst. has the following refer-

ence to the daughter of Assistant Su-

perintendant Begg, of the G. T. R.

here: "Mrs. Epting's country home,

'Windblow Cottage,' Holton, Ga., was

a scene of beauty Friday night, when

appointed be amended by dropping the

connection with the request.

The minutes of Appin and

After lunch had beer

received.

o'clock.

Presbytery.

was duly carried.

voice the case.

ston to act as convener.

sembly are ineligible.

its members.

coe church.

of the vacancy.

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And when it should be chilly,
Why, it's clear and warm and nice;
August runs into October
In a lazy kind of way,
And we get our April weather
Along some time in May,
—Chicago Record-Herald.

-A London Old Boys' Association is to be organized at Stratford on Friday

n the employ of Mr. C. Beer, at Brantford, for a year or so, has returned to his old home here. -The quarterly board of Port Stan-

ey have given Rev. J. G. Fallis a unanimous invitation to return as pastor for another year.

the market square Monday evening, is not Frank McGuire, of Horton -The Milverton Sun contains copy of an address presented to Rev. T. B. Howard, of this city, by the Y. M.

C. A. of Milverton, in which they speak most eulogistically of him. -At Osgoode Hall on Monday, re Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway Company and Montague, Mr. E. R. Brown moved for order appointing a third arbitrator, the two arbitrators of the parties having failed to agree upon one. R. McKay for railway com- from the various societies were pany. Order made appointing Alexander Finkle, judge of the county of

Oxford, the third arbitrator. -Galt Reporter: Mr. J. H. Thompon has resigned the assistant superntendentship of the London Life Insurance Company, a position he has held for the past four years, having been for three years prior to that time an agent. Mr. Thompson has accepted a lucrative position with the second vice-president, Rev. Isaac Mc Singer Machine Company, of New Donald, Mosa; recording secretary, York, and will have head offices at Miss Maggie Murray, Wilton Grove: Hamilton. The vacancy in the London corresponding secretary, Miss Jessie Life will be filled by Mr. James Pat-

-The regular monthly meeting of the Congregational Club of the First Congregational Church was held in the school room last evening. After the business portion of the programme had been disposed of, views of China were given, accompanied by addresses by Messrs. Geo. Anundson, Albert Bock, Rev. Mr. Oakley and Miss Cora McNaughton. The views were interspersed with a duet by Miss Hance

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN. | Signing of certain disignormal by the moderator of presbytery. The discussion on Saturday morning next in the Y. W. C. A. will be upon

and Mr. E. Moule and a solo by Miss

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#### Meteorological.

tories, and the weather is fine from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces, with a good prospect of becoming warmer. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 68-62; Calgary, 42-76; Edmonton, 46-68; Prince Albert, 50-40; Winnipeg, 36-66; Port Arthur, 28-54; Parry Sound, 40-50; Toronto, 42-56; Montreal, 44-56; Que-

ENJOYABLE CONCERT.

Church, under the direction of Mr. F. G. Simpson, organist and choirmaster. One of the most excellent features of the programme was the singing of Grace Stuart, an eight-year-old Lucknow child. The programme was as foilows: Organ, first sonata, 1, Allegro; 2, Adagio; 3, Allegro (Mendelssohn), F. G. Simpson; anthem, "How Lovely Are the Messengers," choir; Scotch song, "I'm Far Frae My Hame," Miss Grace Stuart; duet, "Lead Me Gently, Saviour," Miss Templeton and Mr. Spence; reading, "The Prodigal Son," Miss Jessica Hambly; solo, "Hosanna," Miss Eva N. Roblyn; organ, (a), Bacarolle, (b), Marcia Villereccia, Mr. Simpson; solo, "The Heavenly Song," Mr. Stockwell; duet and chorus, "I Waited for the Lord." and chorus, "I Waited for the Lord," Miss Roblyn and McLeod and choir Scotch song, "The Land o' the Leal," Miss Grace Stuart; organ, Fantasie, Misses Roblyn and McLeod and choir; lected, Miss Grace Stuart; solo, "Serenade," Miss Roblyn, violin obligato by Mr. Elfiott; anthem, "Glory Be to Thee, O Lord," choir.

Mr. Currie's motion was J. G. Stuart and carried.

## THE LONDON

acted at Glencoe Meeting.

Fifth Annual Meeting of the Young People's Societies of the Presbytery.

Young People's Societies of the Presbytery of London was held in the Presrator opening the meeting, on Monday, at 2 p.m. The afternoon's programme consisted of reports from the various societies within the bounds, and necessign of \$4 44 per family: \$3,646 was sary business, and a paper on "Christian Service," by Miss L. McCord, Belmont; one on "The best results to giving to God for all his goodness, and be obtained by our Y. P. S., socially," by Miss K. McCallum, Dutton; one on "Character," by Miss Jessie Allan, Kintyre; and one on "How to interest and engage young people in church work," by Miss Maggie Murray, Wil-

In the evening a very large meeting was held. The retiring president, Mr. J. H. Barnett, Kintyre, delivered an address and introduced the new president, Rev. J. Wilson, Glencoe, who presided. A report of work during the year was given by Rev, W. M. Kay, Dorchester, and its reception was moved by Rev. John Currie, Belmont. Stirring addresses were given by Rev. A.

bers of presbytery were agreed that Glencoe is a good place to meet in.

The following are the officers for the ensuing year: Honorary president, the oned by Mr. Donald, Kelso, the remoderator of presbytery; president, Rev. J. Wilson, Glencoe; first vice-pre sident, Rev. Walter Moffat, London; Allan, Clachan; treasurer, Miss L. McCord, Belmont.

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#### Anderson's

'Dominion Certificates for Public School Teachers," not, as appeared yesterday, for "Bible teachers." Many interesting subjects will be presented during the convention, and all are invited to attend the meetings. A programme of each day's work will appear in the papers. This will be a wellattended convention, delegates coming from all the provinces of Canada.

The enjoyable concert was that given

## PRESBYTERY

Much Important Business Trans-

The Frank McGuire who figured in the police court yesterday morning as having taken part in a fight on the police court yesterday morning as having taken part in a fight on the papers, and highly creditable to their authors.

L. Geggie, Toronto; Rev. D. L. Mc-Crae, Westminster, and Rev. Dr.

Johnston, London. The conference was perhaps the most successful yet held, and the reports encouraging. Tea was furnished by the local society, and delegates and mem-

THE NEW OFFICERS.

The presbytery met for business on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, the moderator, Mr. R. McIntyre, presiding, Mr. A. Henderson, clerk.

The president in the list Grape Aut 1966 which a charm. My stomach had been failing to digest ordinary food, and my nerves were completely unstrung. I Mr. A. Henderson, clerk.
Revs. Horace L. Kinsman, John Mc-

al meeting had been called in his con-gregation. He had gone to it and in-formed the people that the meeting had been called unconstitutionally. He

was then asked if he meant to resign. He had some time previously informed the session that he intended resigning, of "Happy-Go-Lucky Papers," "The He had some time previously informed the session that he intended resigning, 

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signation be received and that the congregation be cited to appear for its interest at next meeting of presbytery. Several brethren expressed strongly the opinion that before the resignation be received an investigation be

Mr. Currie's motion was seconded by YEAR'S STATISTICS.

Mr. J. Courtenay presented the statistical report for the presbytery. There are in the presbytery 37 pastoral charges, comprising 56 preaching stations. Of these, 5 received aid from the augmentation fund, and 2, Chalmers Church, London, and St. George's, received aid from the First Church. London, and Knox, London, and St. Andrew's, London, respectively. There are no mission stations. The congregations are made up of 3,822 families, as against 3,873 in 1899, an apparent loss of 50 families. Communicants number 8,371, as against 8,215 in 1899, an increase of 156. There were added dur- and correctly kept. ing the year on profession of faith, 320; by certificate, 383; otherwise, 211; a mittee on the Wardsville case, that total of 722. Baptisms numbered 276— in view of the serious difficulties be-228 infants and 47 adults. There has fore us, it is recommended that a been an increase of 9 in the eldership, the number being 275, as against 266. The fifth annual meeting of the 11, the number returned being 437, as against 426. The church edifices ac-commodated 19,690 persons, an increase of 129 over the previous year. Total byterian Church, Glencoe, the mode- payments for all purposes by the presbytery amounts to \$110,610, an average contributed by Women's Foreign Mission Societies.

The committee recommended thanksthat in view of all we have received, we should endeavor to live out our thanksgiving by increased liberality. The report was adopted, and cordial thanks expressed to the convener for his careful work in connection with his report. It was decided that the

ministers of the presbytery. The resignation of Rev. Mr. Milloy, Argyle and West Lorne, was then taken up. The venerable clergyman is in his 80th year, and has always enjoyed the respect and affection of his brethren and people. Messrs. Duncan Campbell, David Johnson, Daniel Johnson, James Morrison and Daniel Hyman appeared as representatives from

the congregations.

Mr. Milloy stated that his chief reason for presenting his resignation was the fact of his age, and that his relations with the congregations for nearly thirty years had been of the most pleasant nature. The commissioners were then heard, and the highest possible respect was expressed by them for their aged minister, although they did not feel justified in opposing his resigna-

worth living, and that I was 'girded up

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Miss Epting and Miss Ventress received in honor of their guest, Miss Laura M. Begg, of London, Ontario AUTHOR'S SECRET whose literary talent is appreciated both in Canada and in the States. Food That Erought Back Zuoyant where she formerly made her home.

Health.

Kenney Market Research of Georgia, she made many friends here, who evinced Newspaper writers have a time of it much pleasure at her return, and it was a noticeable fact that the brilto get the right kind of food to nour-ish them. One of this profession who liancy of her conversation and reparwrites for a Boston paper says: "From the first Grape-Nut Food worked like tee has not been diminished by her sojourn in another clime. Miss Begg wore a creation of golden brown and yellow silk, which was eminently be Revs. Horace L. Ribban, are to be applied for by presbyteries to be received into the Presbyterian Church of Canada at the next general assembly, from American churches.

The parting but by a stroke of good began to feed me on Grape-Nuts. My began to feed me on Grape-Nuts. My became steadier day, by day, and I soon found I could do more office work with greater ease than ever before. coming to her vivacious beauty. Miss Epting looked dainty and demure in a gown of blue organdie, while the charming personality of Miss Ventress was enhanced by a gown of pale blue with black velvet trimmings. Among others who assisted to receive was Miss Winn, of Bolingbroke, looking very beautiful in pink silk. Some of those from a distance were Mr. H. Steed, of New York; Messrs. Marshall and McKenzie, of Montezuma, and Mr. W. Howard, of Atlanta."

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health. It is a fact that Grape-Nuts Food Seattle, Wash., May 15 .- The people does supply the brain and nerve centers with the elements necessary to reof southeastern Alaska are much exercised over a smallpox scare, and are present time was to press his resignation.

Mr. John Currie moved that the re
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### For \$1.00

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### At \$1.25

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