

AMUSEMENTS AND LECTURES.

FOR ALL—TWO CENTS PER WORD
each insertion insures a good paying home
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MEETINGS.

**BOARD OF TRADE—A SPECIAL GEN-
ERAL MEETING** of the London Board of
Trade will be held at their rooms, Canadian
Savings and Loan Company's building, Rich-
mond street, on Thursday, Feb. 20, at 7:30 p.m.,
for the purpose of considering the proposed
amendment to the rules of the Board, and
other business. A large attendance is requested.
T. H. BARNES, president; J. A. WILSON,
secretary.

**KING SOLOMON LODGE NO. 378, A. F. &
A. M., G. R. C., London, W. C.** meets to-
night (Wednesday) at 8 p.m. at the residence of
Brother W. M. Smith, 240 Dundas street,
East. A large attendance is requested.
W. M. Smith, W. M.; W. M. Smith, Secy.

MEETING AT WESTMINSTER ALE-
Good tea. Admission—Ladies 5c; gen-
tlemen 10c.

AT LAST—ELEGANT ICE SKATING
Queen's Avenue, Richmond street, 7 to 10
p.m. (Thursday) evening.

CITIZENS WILL REMEMBER THAT
advancement under this heading cost
but one cent a word for each insertion.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

PREACHING AT HORTON STREET
Church at 7:30 p.m. evening. All invited.

DOMESTICS WANTED.

WANTED—A GOOD COOK BY THE 1st
of March; references required. Apply
Mrs. John Lamb, 572 Queen's avenue.

**WANTED—DINING-ROOM GIRL—AP-
PLY AT GRIGG HOUSE.**

HOUSEMAID WANTED IMMEDIATELY
on short notice; \$300 a year; 6 p.m. at
501 Piccadilly street.

**WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A GEN-
ERAL SERVANT.** Apply to Mrs. Wm.
Stevenson, 328 King street.

**A GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—AP-
PLY TO Mrs. J. A. NELLES, 24 Prospect**
avenue.

WANTED—A NURSE—APPLY TO
Mrs. WOLFE, 240 Dundas street, East.

**WANTED IMMEDIATELY—AN EX-
PERIENCED LAUNDRESS.** Apply to
Grey street.

**WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL SERV-
ANT.** Apply to No. 280 Dufferin street.

**LADIES, IF YOU REQUIRE GOOD DO-
MESTIC help, I am prepared to fill ap-
plications on short notice; \$300 a year; a num-
ber of good situations on hand for girls. A call
solicited. W. W. OSBORNE, intelligence office,
40 Dundas street.**

BOARD AND LODGING.

PLEASANT FURNISHED ROOM WANTED
by gentleman who is absent during the
week. Address: B. J. J., this office.

WANTED—ROOM BY GENTLEMAN—
With or without board; use of bath-
room. Address Box 25, this office.

LADY AND GENTLEMAN BOARDERS
can be secured by advertising under this
heading. Fifteen words will cost you only 50
cents for six insertions.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—18th INST.—ON STREET CAR OR
Dundas street, gold spectacles. Finder
sincerely requested by leaving at C. McAL-
LISTER'S drug store.

LOST—ON THURSDAY, 17th—BASKET
containing a black and white dog. The
finder had name of owner on them. Reward by
returning to this office.

LOST—A SCOTCH TERRIER PUP, WITH
a small round neck, 4 months old. Found
on 517 Dundas street will be rewarded.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A SUITABLE PERSON AS
matron for the Aged Women's Home.
Applications, with references, received up to
Feb. 22, 1900. Address: Cherry Wood, 10
Clarendon, 679 Talbot street.

HUNDREDS OF WOMEN WANTED TO
learn that this is the place to look for
situations.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

BOOKKEEPER—WANTED—SITUATION
as bookkeeper; 12 years' experience; best
of references. Address: BOOKKEEPER, AD-
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SITUATION WANTED FOR A BOY AGED
16, good education, in an office or whole-
sale warehouse. Address Box, this office.

WANTED.

WANTED TO RENT—A SMALL DWELL-
ing with bath attached, within 15
minutes' walk of postoffice. Apply
this office.

100 MEN WANTED TO LEARN THAT
they can find a place to live for only 50 cents
for six insertions for fifteen words.

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NEW FURNITURE JUST ARRIVED AT
Geo. FARRIS; bedroom sets, sideboards,
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GEORGE LEWIS & SON, PAINTERS, GRAIN-
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and 613 Richmond street.

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N. Y. Steam Cleaning Works
has fitted, and have them made equal to new,
by cleaning, dyeing, repairing, binding, etc.
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THE LONDON DISPENSARY—FREE TO
the worthy poor, will be open on Oct. 7,
and every day thereafter, from 2 to 3 o'clock in
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427 Waterloostreet, first door north of Dundas

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MISS EDITH SLIGHT IS PREPARED
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lessons at his pupils' residences this season.
Address 308 King street.

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Vocal and instrumental music, 50 William
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under this heading. Only \$1 per word for one
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FLOWERS! FLOWERS! IF YOU WANT
choice cut flowers, funeral or wedding
flowers, baskets, plants or any kind of table
decoration go to Mrs. WOLFE. Made up
shortest notice and very best. Ladies, call and
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WANTED—1,000 PAIRS GENTS
second-hand trousers; highest price
paid. Parties on city who wish to
wearing cast of clothing to SAINSBURY BROS.,
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THE ORIGINAL PAWNBROKER.
Ladies' money on diamonds, watches,
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Orders promptly attended to. 373 Clarence
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SECOND-HAND CLOTHES DEALERS
can advertise under this heading at a
reasonable rate. It pays to keep your name
before the public.

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THREE-PLY CARPET, NEARLY NEW—
cost \$1 25 per yard; sell for 60c. at T. BARN-
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num for twelve words or over.

TO LET.

TO LET—TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE—
rooms, 114 Colborne street. Apply at
house.

TO RENT—FINE NEW DETACHED
brick residence, 238 Dundas street.
five doors east of Dundas Street Center Church;
ten rooms and bath, cellar and laundry, city
and soft water, hot air furnace; possession 1st
April. Apply next door to WILLIAM MAHER.

STORE TO LET, 33 RICHMOND STREET
—Good business stand. Apply CHAS. G.
CHURCHMAN, American House.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

FOR SALE CHEAP, IF SOLD QUICKLY—
40 acres good improved land, suitable for
market garden, near the Mount
Cassidy estate, near Komoka station; also 87
acres, highest, best, and most fertile
fair buildings, good bearing orchard, flowing
well, clay loam; gravel roads; terms easy. Ap-
ply to W. F. DUFFY, manager, American House,
and Debutante Company, London, Ont. 341
Dundas street.

FOR SALE—ONE ACRE OF LAND ON
corner of King and Rectory street. Apply
Mrs. Cox, 400 York street.

FOR SALE—THAT DESIRABLE NEW
four-story brick residence, 122 Richmond
avenue, London, Ont.; double parlors, four
bedrooms, convenient closets and pantries, good
bath, 100 sq. ft. lot; will be sold at bargain. Ap-
ply to D. McALPIN & CO., 1091 Dundas street.

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word for each insertion, or 75 cents for
six insertions of fifteen words.

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REV. FRANCIS L. CHECKLEY WILL
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terms liberal, highest testimonials; has been
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WILSON'S ONTARIO SHORTHAND
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days, evenings, and special classes, Mondays
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Hon. D. Miller, loan at 5% and 6% per cent.
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Offices, opposite City Hall, Richmond
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at lowest rates.

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WELLS & BOWMAN—BARRISTERS,
solicitors, etc., Offices, London, 90 Dun-
das street, near Main street. EDWARD
WELLS, J. M. BOWMAN.

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Dundas street, London. Money to loan on
real estate at lowest rates.

I. LOY & BIGNAN—BARRISTERS, ETC.,
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LOVE, R. H. BIGNAN.

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TERS, solicitors, etc., Offices, 10 Dundas
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FRED HENRY, P.L.S., ARCHITECT—
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painless extraction of teeth.

McDONALD—DENTIST—REMOVED
his office to Union Block, over Gurd's
guitars, 18 Dundas street, London. Office
for painless extraction of teeth.

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restored by application to G. H. HARRIS,
gentleman. Every dentist should have his
card in this column.

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THE GRANT HOUSE, HAVING RE-
cently been enlarged and improved
has now accommodation for ten gentlemen
boarders, on first, second and third floors;
any number of day boarders can be accommo-
dated.

THE HUB, LATE HAWTHORN'S HOTEL
has been enlarged and improved
has now accommodation for ten gentlemen
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**RICES HOTEL FORMERLY THE MAD-
ISON—Corner Jefferson avenue and
Hartford street, opposite the Biddle House,
Detroit, Mich.**

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TION—THOS. NO. 9 and 62 Dundas street,
A. JEFFRIES, proprietor.**

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London, Wednesday, Feb. 19.

The nearer Quebec one gets, the more do

the Tory papers poke fun at D'Alton Mc

Carthy. Here is how the Ottawa Citizen

views his crusade against the French-speak

ing population:

Mr. McCarthy's panacea for the whole

production of patriots is to make them talk

English, and he proposes to accomplish this by

paying \$400 or \$500 per annum on what may be

termed sentimental contingencies in North-

west expenditures.

And he hints if he cannot effect his pur

pose peacefully he will become Commander-

in-Chief of an army to enforce his views by

the agency of bayonets. But no matter what

happens, Mr. McCarthy tells us that he

will never desert the Tory party. He must

still be on the outlook for fat retainers.

History, in a great measure, repeats

itself. The eccentric Peppy, whose quaint

"diary" of events occurring in the latter

part of the seventeenth century has afforded

much instruction and amusement to us of a

later generation, dilates on the danger of a

mild winter, and the universality of a dis

ease that prevailed in the winter of 1661,

and which very much resembled the grippe.

After recording in August, 1661, "a sickly

time both in the city and country every

where (of a sort of fever) that never was

heard of almost unless it was in a plague

time," he makes on the 15th of January,

1662, the following remarkable entry:

Jan. 15, 1662.—A fast day ordered by the Par

liament, to pray for more reasonable weather.

It having hitherto been summer weather, that

is both so warm and every other thing

just as if it were the middle of May or June,

which do threaten a plague (as all men think)

to follow, for so it was along the last winter

and the whole year after has been a very sickly

time to this day.

The fast day was duly observed, but it is

recalled that the observances did not

prevent the fearful plague which decimated

London a few years afterwards.

Men are not usually saved from the re

sults following their infringement of the

laws of nature.

It is said that Dom Pedro, the deposed

Brazilian Emperor, yet believes that he

will be recalled to his late empire. He re

fuses to economize, and his expenditures

are alarming his friends. We suppose it

is hard for a man like the Emperor, used

all his life to obtain everything that he

could desire, to come down to hard pan. It

is a part of human nature, indeed, to fall

in with the idea that where one can get

something for nothing there is really no

need to economize. Our Dominion rulers

are men of that stamp. Take,

for example, the irresponsible Sena

tors, who are appointed for life,

and get \$1,000 a year and 10 cents a mile

traveling expenses to and from Ottawa, no

matter how little playing at reviving House

of Commons laws they may undertake.

These men, or their friends around the

Chamber, seem to regard the expenditures

on "contingencies" as unworthy of notice, as

the quantity of "fixings" paid for their use

last year shows. There are but 78 of these

old fellows in the Chamber, yet the

Auditor-General tells us that they con

sumed, among other things, the following

suggestive list of articles:

312 pairs of scissors.....\$214

202 paper weights.....107

120 envelope openers.....36

106 pocket tapes.....82

58 thermometers.....82

58 packets visiting cards.....67

120 pinettes.....17

512 pieces of India rubber.....40

25 lbs. tea.....17

8 tea cloths.....14

5000 towels.....17

6 pudding dishes.....6

1000 crackers.....6

4 quilts.....6

1 pair bedcovers.....6

1000 napkins.....6

1000 handkerchiefs.....6

1000 pieces of cloth.....6

1000 pieces of paper.....6

1000 pieces of string.....6

1000 pieces of thread.....6

1000 pieces of soap.....6

1000 pieces of sugar.....6

1000 pieces of salt.....6

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He refused to explain for what, but he said

he had lost it, and it was a debt of honor,

and it wouldn't do for the family name to

be disgraced.

John Orpington was almost heart-broken.

It was too cruel. His son, his only son was

going to bring them all to ruin again. If he

ran through the money at this rate now

what would he run through in a couple of

years? Some stop would have to be put

to his extravagances or it would end in

disaster.

John refused the check. Then there was

a furious scene. The young man declared

that he would get a check and sign his

father's name to it, and he must take the

consequence.

With that threat he left the room,

packed his portmanteau, and without bid-

ding good-bye to his father or sisters went

up to London, telling the servant to say

that he didn't know when he should be

back.

That night John Orpington lay awake

and worried himself into a fever of anxiety

over the scapegrace who had come to mar

everything. The next morning he went up

to London, determined to see his son and

bring him back to his senses. He was

determined to prevent further mischief at all haz-

ards.

He knew the hotel his son stayed at, and

he drove to him at once.

He entered the hotel and asked for Mr.

Orpington.

The waiter looked at him and went for

the manager.

The manager came forward at once.

"You wish to see Mr. Orpington—are you

a friend of his?"

"Indeed, then I am very sorry to inform

you that your son was arrested here this

morning. The police will probably give you

any further information you may require.

I know nothing of the matter."

III.

As soon as John Orpington had re-

covered himself sufficiently from this terrible

blow, he left the hotel. He felt like a man

in a dream. He could not realize the aw-

ful truth.

He went to the Scotland Yard. An In-

spector saw him, and in reply to his queries

told him that the young man had been ar-

rested in consequence of a communication

from the Canadian police.

"What for?" asked the unhappy father,

his voice trembling with fear.

"For attempted murder. He is accused

of—"

The Inspector got no further. John Or-

pington uttered a low cry and fell heavily

on the ground. A doctor was called. He pro-

nounced the attack to be an apoplectic fit,

Hired Help on the Farm.

H. Cooley Greene, of Vermont, writing on

the above subject in the Country Gentle-

man, touches some vital points which Can-

adian farmers cannot afford to ignore. He

says:

"The money element is often the chief

element in the account, and in too many

cases it seems to be the only one considered;

but no problem was ever solved by the con-

sideration of a single factor. In thousands

of cases—and may the number increase—

there are other points involved that entirely

overshadow the money element. In how

many instances have we come under my

notice can I recall the ruin of character and

the blasting of hopes among farmers' boys

and girls, traceable to the pernicious influ-

ence of some deluded employer? Desomine,

as hired men necessarily must with most

farmers, part of the household, if viciously

disposed the evil is peculiarly hazardous.

This is so apparent that I am inclined to

credit the farmer who employs such help

with his full share of moral obtuseness or

stupidity rather than a willful disregard of

the welfare of his children. One of the

greatest mistakes I remember my father to

have made in my boyhood was the hiring of

a single man, past 30, for a year. While

this man was well dressed, agreeable in con-

versation and a splendid worker, he was as

vile as the pit—a moral leper. I presume my

father never heard an improper word from

his lips, for no man, ever so rough, would

use an oath before my presence. But as

soon as the keener instinct of my mother

discovered his true character he was sum-

marily dismissed. My father did not need

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Bawled forth the tuneless youth;
And every word he uttered showed
He spoke the awful truth.Ald. Skinner is out again. He has been
ill for several weeks with grippe.Mr. Geo. Drummond, London, Ont., is at
the Windsor.—[Vancouver News-Advertiser.]The Liberal Minstrels had a splendid
rehearsal at the practice rooms. The last re-
hearsal before going to Toronto takes place to-
morrow evening.Mr. Thos. Merritt, of T. & H. K. Merritt,
Toronto, general managers of the Mutual
Life Insurance Company of New York,
was in the city yesterday.J. Gouinlock & Co., wholesale dealers in
hats, caps and furs, Toronto, formerly of
this city, have gone into liquidation. The
firm obtained a settlement at 60 cents on
the dollar last July.Miss R. Robinson, daughter of Judge
Robinson, and Miss Brunsell, sister of
Mrs. H. M. Poussette, Sarnia, have passed
their examinations as trained nurses at St.
Luke's Hospital, Chicago.There are about fifteen or twenty young
men, of the southern part of the city,
organizing an amateur minstrel troupe,
having been fired with enthusiasm by the
Young Liberal performers.Bailliff English left for Toronto to-day
with seven prisoners for the Central
Prison. They were: Jas. Walker and
Andrew Rutledge, J. Vanslake, A. Carly,
R. Hyman, F. Smith and one from St.
Thomas.Mr. William Bayly, of Toronto, died of
apoplexy at that city last evening. He
was a son of the late Rev. R. Bayly, of
Ipswich, and brother of Mr. Richard Bay-
ly, Q.C. He formerly resided here, but
has since his youth been a resident of
Toronto.A copy of a new song by William
Thomson, of London, England, has been
received by the ADVERTISER. It is
dedicated to the women of England and
America and will no doubt become popular."Dr. Mead, a well-known character in
these parts, was sent down as a vag on Fri-
day last. He claims to be 92 years old, and
it was his choice to go to jail, as he had
no friends nor cash. Kent is sadly in
need of a house of refuge. We are pleased
to know the Local House is taking hold of
the matter.—[Dresden Times.]The managers of the Montreal Protestant
Insane Asylum, of which Dr. Burgess,
formerly of the London Asylum, is now
superintendent, have discarded the title
asylum, and the institution is now known as
the Montreal Protestant Hospital for the
Insane. The reason given for the change is
that these institutions do not now partake
so much of the character of places of mere
detention or confinement of the insane, as
they do of places for treatment and cure,
with detention as merely incidental to the
main object.**Mr. Fred Henry, Architect.**
In this issue is published the card of Mr.
Fred Henry, who has started business as an
architect in the rooms occupied by the late
Geo. F. Durand. Mr. Henry was a student of
the above-mentioned gentleman, subsequently
occupying the position of assistant engineer,
which office he resigned in 1888 to accept a position in the office of
J. C. Cady & Co., architects, New York,
leaving to be assisted to Mr. Geo.
F. Durand, which office he held until the
death of that gentleman. His many
friends join in wishing Mr. Henry success.**A Daring Thief.**
Constable Campbell noticed a man crawling
into the cellar of Neil Cooper's auction
room, Dundas street about midnight last
night, and, of course, took immediate steps
to inquire into the matter. The suspicious
individual got his eye on the policeman as
the latter was peering around the
back of the store. He had opened the
back door, however, and so the officer ran
in and nabbed him. He had taken some
razors and other articles and had them in
his pockets. He was an English young
man and gave his name as John Bloom.
He was one of the lodgers at the police
station the evening previous. He was
locked up and the Magistrate will deal with
him.**Religious Training in Public Schools.**
A Winnipeg dispatch says Rev. Mr.
Grant, Baptist minister, formerly of Lon-
don, will publish a letter on the SeparateSchool question, denouncing as fanatical
the action of the Protestant clergy, who in-
sist upon having religious training in the
State schools. Rev. Mr. Grant says the
schools will not be national, but Protestant,
and just as indefensible as denominational
schools, inasmuch as Jews, agnostics and
infidels cannot conscientiously attend. Rev.
Mr. Grant demands the complete secular-
ization of the schools, or asks that the
present system be continued. It is under-
stood that a regular agitation is to be com-
menced at once in favor of the complete
secularization of the schools, and it is
likely that a public meeting will be held
shortly to discuss the matter.**Some Improvements Contemplated.**A meeting of No. 2 Committee of the
Board of Education was held last evening.
Present: Casselman, Turner, Trustees
Childs, Craig, Brady, Durand, Woodward,
Jellery, Principal Woods, Inspector Boyle,
Secretary Abbott and Engineer Tracy.
Chairman Turner stated that the object of
the meeting was to consider the matter of
the matter of plastering the room of the
College Institute. It was decided to
plaster the room, put in a match ceiling
and floor the room above. The matter of
the cloak room at the same school was then
considered. The committee decided to
remove the partitions, and leave further
improvements to the Chairman.Board, Engineer Tracy and Chairman
Turner. Trustee Brady moved that in
future all accounts be rendered every six
months. The motion was carried. Engi-
neer Tracy was instructed to prepare plans for
the proposed extensions at the north
Waterloo street school, the Talbot street
school, the Hamilton road school and for
extensions in Ward No. 5, and present the
same at the next meeting of the Board.**THE RAILWAYS.****Opening of the Suits Growing Out of the**
St. George Disaster.The trial of Martin vs. G. T. R. Company
and the sixteen other actions arising out of
the St. George bridge accident was begun
at 10 o'clock this morning before Mr.
Justice Rose and a jury. Mr. Lount,
Q.C., Mr. G. T. R. Blackstock and Mr. Walter
Read appeared as counsel for the plaintiff,
and Mr. John Bell, Q.C., Mr. Oiler, Q.C.,
Mr. Aylesworth and Mr. Wallace Nesbitt
for the defendants. Mr. Blackstock opened
the cases to the jury in a two-hours' speech,
and the examination of witnesses on behalf
of the plaintiff proceeded. The trial
will no doubt continue for a couple of
weeks.The Wisconsin Central Railway has
given notice of withdrawal from the Inter-
State Commercial Railway Association.Officials of the Northern Pacific Railroad,
in Baltimore, acknowledge that the
Northern Pacific is negotiating to secure
control of the Baltimore and Ohio Com-
pany, thus making in connection with the
Wisconsin Central, which is controlled by
the Northern Pacific, a complete through
line from ocean to ocean.**Boodlers Beware.**WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The Senate has
ratified the British extradition treaty with
a few unimportant amendments. In ad-
dition to those crimes specified in the treaty
of 1842 the following are extraditable: Man-
slaughter; counterfeiting or altering money,
or putting the same in circulation; embe-
zzlement; larceny; obtaining money or
goods under false pretenses, or re-
ceiving the same knowing them to be
stolen.It has been wrongfully obtained;
fraud by bailee, banker, agent, factor,
trustee, director, member or officer of any
company made criminal by the laws of both
jurisdictions; perjury or subornation of per-
jury; rape; abduction; child stealing; kid-
napping; burglary, piracy by the law of
nations, mutiny at sea, wrongfully sinking
or destroying a vessel, or attempting to do
so, as well as the high seas crimes and
offenses against the laws of both countries
for the suppression of slavery and slave
trading. Extradition is not to be made for
political offenses, nor can any person be
tried for any other offense than the one for
which he was extradited. The treaty shall
not apply to any crimes committed be-
fore its ratification.**Uncle Sam's Claims Unfounded.**VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 19.—Justice
Drake, of the British Columbia Supreme
Court, has rendered a decision which de-
clares that the Government of the United
States has no jurisdiction over Behring Sea
outside of the marine league limit. The
question came before the court in a civil
suit brought by Henry Baxter, of Seattle,
Wash., against Solomon G. Cook, of Victoria,
for violation of a sealing contract. The
defense held that the contract was not valid,
as sealing in Behring Sea is outside of the
United States and called Mr. Johnson, of
Port Townsend, as a legal expert, to estab-
lish in court, the American law relating
to the question of the jurisdiction of the
United States in Behring Sea outside of one
marine league from shore of American terri-
tory. It was held that the law existing
when the contract was made is in no bear-
ing in court. Both defendant and plaintiff
are American citizens and the schooner is an
American vessel.**"La Grippe" or Lightning Catarrh.**MR. EDITOR.—"La grippe," or Russian
influenza, as it is termed, is in reality an
epidemic catarrh, and is called by some
physicians "lightning catarrh," from the
rapidity with which it sweeps over the
country. Allow us to draw the attention
of your readers to the fact that Nasal Balm,
as well as being a thorough cure for all
cases of the ordinary cold in the head and
catarrh, will give prompt relief in even
the most severe cases of "la grippe" or
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ally clear the nasal passages, allay irrita-
tion and relieve the dull, oppressive
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catarrh are peculiarly liable to attack
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