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LONDON, CANADA, MONDAY, MAY 28, 1900.

WHOLE NO., 11469.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED. ASHTON-At Toronto, on Sunday, May 27, 1900, Mary Jewell, third daughter of the late

John Ashton, aged 70 years.

Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery from G. T. R. station, at 11:15 a.m., on Tuesday, 29th inst.

Amusements and Lectures

100 per line, or 2c per word, each inser-A GNES KNOX - BLACK - McDONALD Auditorium, May 29.
Plan open at Y. M. C. A. Tickets, 25c. Reserved, 35c.

Foremost

PERRY PICTURE EXHIBITION IN studio of Woman's Art Olub, over Public Library, May 28 to June 2, from 4 to 9:30 p.m., Saturday, 9 a.m. to 9:36 p.m., Admission, 10 ceats. Pictures for sale.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS—NOTICE IS hereby given pursuant to R. S. O., Chap. 122. Sec. 33. that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Major John Williams, late of the city of London, in the county of Middlesex. Inland Revenue Officer, who died on or about the 24th day of Junc. A. D. 1899, at the said city of London, are required to deliver or send by post prepaid to the undersigned Fred M. Williams, No. 1 Waverley Place, London, Ont., on or before the 5th day of Junc, A. D. 1899, a statement in writing of their addresses and full particulars of their claims and the nature of the securities (if any), held by them. And notice is further given that after the said 18th day of Junc, A. D. 1890, the undersigned Executor of the estate and effects of the said deceased, will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have then been received and the said Executor will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim or claims notice shall not have been received. Fred M. Williams, No. 1 Waverley Place, Central averse, London, Executor. London, May 1, 1900.

Gen. French at Johannesburg

His Intrepid Troopers Said to Have Entered the Town.

Gen. Rundle's Men Drive the Enemy Out of Senekal-On Sunday Roberts' Advance Force Was Only 77 Miles from Pretoria—The Main Body of the British Army is North of the Vaal.

Cape Town, May 28.-It is rumored an excuse thus being given them for here that Gen. French has entered the destruction of property. The Johannesburg.

ENEMY DRIVEN OUT.

Senekal, Sunday, May 27.—Gen. Rundle, with artillery, the yeomanry and the Walts, Middlesex and Leicester Regiments, under Major Dalbiac, has occupied Senekal, whence the Boers were driven by a few shells. A field cornet and a number of other Boers were killed. The British casualties numbered eleven. The Boers are believed to be concentrating near Bethlehem.

go to the Boers from Lorenzo Marquez, and that foreign recruits for the Boer army proceed from the same point. ROBERTS' ADVANCE.

London, Monday, May 28-3:20 p.m.-When Lord Roberts wrote his first against it. dispatch on Transvaal territory yesterday (Sunday), shortly before 2 miles from Johannesburg and 77 from Pretoria. His immensely superior forces had passed the Vaal River, their last great natural obstacle, at three points. The Vaal forms a office has received the following from curve of 80 miles from Parys on the Lord Roberts: west to Zand Drift on the east. The concave of the curve is toward the threatened points. The Boers retreated almost without a show of defense. Gen. French and Gen Hamilton apparently did not fire a shot. Of Lord Roberts' immediate force, 11 men belonging to the 8th Mounted Infantry were the first to ford the river. They came upon a Boer patrol looting at Viljoens Drift, and a skirmishing, lasting ten minutes, followed. Two hundred Boers tried feebly to hold the Vereeniging colliery, but they were dislodged. The Boer rear guard is at Moyerton, ten miles north of Vereeniging. Their main body is moving toward the Klip River hills, to the south side of Johannesburg.

PRETORIA. While Lord Roberts' 30,000 infantry, 20,000 horse and 150 guns are moving on Johannesburg and Pretoria, through a parched and deserted country, the situation at the Transvaal enzo Marquez yesterday: "The situation, both from a military and political point of view, has become very critical. President Kruger admitted for the first time that matters are very grave. The Boer determination is to trust everything to a last stand on the Gatzrand mountains, to the north of Potchefstroom, where Kaffirs are digging trenches. To that point every available man and gun has been sent. The whole of the western border of the Transvaal from end to end is defenceless, and Gen. Baden-Powell can march in when he likes. Lord Roberts, on the other hand, will encounter the greatest resistance. The Boer endeavor is to point. lure the British into appearing to threaten Johannesburg with attack,

Spiritualism.

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TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS will be received up to Saturday, June 2, for the erection and completion of three brick residences. Plans may be seen at the office of H. C. McBride, architect, 213 Dundas street. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received at the office of the undersigned until the 2nd June, for the crection of additions and alterations to the Woman's Refuge and Children's Home, St. James street. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS, marked: "Tenders for D Brough's Bridge," for two concrete abutments for bridge over the north branch of the River Thames on the Proof Line road, will be received by the undersigned until 12 o'clock, noon, Saturday, June 2, 1990. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the Bridge Commissioner of the County of Middlesex, on and after May 29, and at St. John, on Monday, June 4. A marked check of 2½ per cent of tender made payable to the Township Treasurer, together with the names of two solvent sureties must accompany each tendere. Checks to be returned to unsuccessful tenderers. That of the successful one to be retained until he and his sureties have signed bonds for the due completion of the contract. The lowest any tender not secessarily accepted.

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JAMES GRANT,

Tewnship Clerk, London, Ont.

destroy the mines or property without an excuse.

DYNAMITE.

Much dynamite has been sent down the line, and 160 cases lie ready at Zuerfontein, near Johannesburg. Gen. Botha and Gen. Lucas Meyer have pleaded for the preservation of private property. Both are large landed proprietors, and fear confiscation, but they have not received satisfactory replies from President Kruger. Meanwhile many French and German adventurers have come forward with schemes and inventions for blowing up the British troops. Some of these have received a tacit permission of experiment. One German invention is for use on a rail-way, where it lies perfectly concealed A BOER BASE OF SUPPLIES.

London, May 28.—Advices received weight of a passing train explodes the charge. Gen. Lucas Meyer says surrender would be at here assert that supplies continue to once proposed by the Boers, but that everyone fears the ignominy of being the one to make the proposal. He declares that he is assured that his men will not stand. President Steyn and Mr. Reitz, the Transvaal State secretary, are strongly opposed to peace, but Mr. Kruger is not so much

President Kruger, according to a special dispatch from Newcastle, has iso'clock in the afternoon, he was 51 sued a proclamation asking the Transval burghers to notify him whether they desire to continue the fight or sue for peace.

ALL ACROSS.

"Vereeniging, Sunday, May 27.—1:50 p.m. — We crossed the Vaal this Free State. Thus Lord Roberts, ad- morning, and are now encamped on hon reported, only suffered two casvancing along the railway, was in a the north bank. The advance troops position to strike any part of the cres- which crossed yesterday, were only cent by shorter lines than those by just in time to save the coal mines which the Boers could reinforce the on both this and the other side of the river from being destroyed. Our casualties were four.

> BADEN-POWELL REPORTS. "Baden-Powell reports that the railway between Mafeking and Buluwayo has been restored, and that supplies are being brought into Mafeking. He says the Canadian artillery joined Col. Plumer from Beira with incredible rapidity.

> TAKEN PRISONER. "Lieut. Webber was taken prisoner at Heilbron a few days ago. He went

> there on telegraph duty. It was not known that our troops had been tem-porarily withdrawn." HAMILTON'S COLUMN.

Kroonstad, Sunday, May 27. — Gen. Hamilton has invaded the Transvaal, having crossed the Wonderfontein Drift. Maseru, Basutoland, Saturday, May capital, as it was last Friday, is thus 26.—Four squadrons of colonials capdescribed by an observer, who sent tured 150 Boers with ten wagons of his message by private hand to Lor- grain near Ficksburg, where they also captured a Maxim constructed by a

local inventor. THE BOERS.

Barkly West, May 26.—It is reported that the Boers have reoccupied Kruman, and that large laagers are cated at Rietfontein and Daniel's

Kuli. A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Lorenzo Marquez says it is reported that the Boers, being alarmed lest the British should reach Koomatipoort and blow up the bridge there, thus cutting railway communication between the Transvaal and Delagoa Bay, have sent a commando of 500 men to that

Irresistible.

STEADY PROGRESS NORTHWARD. Grootvlei, 23 miles south of Vereeniging, Sunday, May 27.-Lord Roberts' northern advance force steadily continues, and today the Transvaal hills were sighted. Gen. French has secured an excellent flanking position on the northwest. There is something irresistible about this advance. The troops have been splendidly handled and the Boers, completely outmaneuvered, have been forced to abandon their positions at the first appearance of the British flanking force which has made a determined resistance at the Vaal impossible. Many Transvaal burghers are now trekking homeward, and it is safe to say that the most irreconcilable Transvaal officer at last recognizes the hopelessness of the struggle. This section has been flooded with false tales of British cruelty, reports of the burning of farm houses and the eviction of women and children, in the hope of inducing the burghers to remain with the commandos; but the evidence all points now to the existence of a permanent

FEELING OF ENMITY between the Transvasiers and the

Free Staters, each accusing the other of treachery and cowardice. It is regarded as unlikely that the Transvaal Government will go to Lydenburg, where food is scarce. A body of Boers, mostly on foot, is tracking hard to-wards Vereeniging from the direction of Helibron. The condition of the British troops continues excellent, although the cold nights are very try-They are able to march three

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miles an hour. The Boers have de-stroyed every bridge and culvers.

Mafeking.

HONORS TO THE DEAD.

Mafeking, May 27 .- The entire garrison paraded this morning to the thanksgiving service. Col. Baden-Powell addressed the men, saying: "We have been unable to fire a volley over the graves of our killed, being fearful of drawing the fire of the enemy's guns." Today the garrison paid the last honors to the dead, assembling in the graveyard, and bidding good-bye to their fallen comrades. After sounding the last post, the garrison attempted to sing the National Anthem, but could hardly be heard as the men choked with emotion. Col. Baden-Powell was deeply affected, and ad-dressed each unit separately. He told the town guard that those who wished would be permitted to return to their civilian avocations. To the Rhodesian column, in a characteristic manner, he said: "We've kicked out

the Boer protectorate." The Boers who were routed here rallied a few miles east of Polfontein. well within the British border. is no sign of the enemy to the north. Col. Plumer's linesmen have received a wire, saying that a train will arrive

tomorrow. A system of daily runners to the south has been organized. CASUALTIES IN C BATTERY. London, May 26.-In the advance to the relief of Mafeking, C Battery, of the Canadian Artillery, though in thick of all the fighting and "renderualties. Both men were wounded slightly. They were Gunner Patton, 4th Field Battery, Hamilton (he is a son of Mrs. A. J. Patton, of that city), and Gunner W. McCallum, of the Roy-

al Artillery (a son of R. McCallum, Fort William, Ont.) TWO DEATHS. Pte. De Rochejocqualain, of Cleve-

land, Ohio, a member of A Squadron, Canadian Mounted Rifles, died at Springfontein of enteric fever. Pte. J. Rasberry, and a member of C Company, Royal Canadian Regiment of Infantry, succumbed to enteric fever at Bloemfontein.

CHOSEN BY ROBERTS. Kingston, Ont., May 27.-Maj Hudon, C Battery, at the Relief of Mafeking, writing home from Cape Town, prior to sailing for Beira, says: "My tery was chosen for this expedition by special request of Lord Roberts, who

said he wanted this Canadian battery

to go to the relief of Mafeking."

TROOPER ROBERTS COMMENDED London, Saturday, May 26.-A letter to the Daily Telegraph from Tha-banchu, dated April 30, describes an engagement near Wakkerstroom, during which Winston Churchill, with some scouts, got within 40 yards of the Boers. The latter fired at the scouts, who jumped on their horses and galloped off. Churchill's saddle turned and his horse bolted. Churchill shouted for help, and Trooper Roberts returned and took him up behind him on his horse, both miraculously escaping the hail of bullets. Neither of them was touched, but the horse was wounded in the neck. Roberts has been recommended for the Victoria

CINCINNATI GRAND STAND

BURNED. Cincinnati, Ohio, May 28.-The grand stand of the Cincinnati baseball club was almost totally destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning. Only a part of the stand was saved. loss is about \$15,000. The Cincinnati and Boston game scheduled for this aftermoon will have to be postponed. As the Cincinnati team goes on a long eastern trip Tuesday, the stands will be rebuilt by the time they return from the trip.

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Old World Topics

Discussed by Cable Correspondents-The African War Situation-Rapid Advance of the British-Boer Envoys' Mission Evokes Little Comment -Effect of Recent Bye-Elections in England-Rosebery's Plan of Campaign-Don't Go to Paris for a Situation.

South African war situation, says: The reported recapture of Heilbron by ts a tendency to doubt the accuracy of the Pretoria telegram. If, however, the Boers really occupied the place, Gen. Roberts should not have much difficulty in turning them out again. Although the federal troops have been retreating so rapidly from their posi-Mons in the Free State, it is considered highly probable that they will make at least one big effort to maintain their possession of the Rand.

THE BRITISH ADVANCE. The news from the front comes slowby when there is only a single wire from Gen. Roberts' cart to Kroonstad and Cape Town, and all details of the campagn have to pass over it. Whenever the cart halts, after a long day's march, this wire brings the comman-der-in-chief into touch with Newcastle,

Ficksburg, Bloemfontein, Kimberley, Vryburg and Mafeking, and the com-plex business of every branch of the service is transacted through it. Naturally, the special correspondent can make little use of it for press messages, and Gen. Roberts himself counts his words in communicating with the

A QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY EVENT.

For these reasons there are few details of the British advance across the Vaal. The passage of the river was first made on the Queen's birthday by the left wing, consisting of French's mounted force. Two cavalry brigades and a body of mounted infantry had taken the Potchefstroom road from tions with the control of th Kroonstad, turned the Boer position on the Rhenoster River, diverged from the main road eastward, galloped through Vredefort, and crossed the Vaal on Thursday near Parys. The occupation of Vredefort is confirmed officially from Pretoria, but Gen. Roberts' bulletin carries French's troopers nine miles further and over the Vaal into President Kruger's territory.
There is no evidence that the passage of the river was seriously opposed by the Boers. Lord Roberts, with two infantry divisions and a mounted force, had been following the railway from the Rhenoster River, and early on Saturday morning was at Wolve Hock, fifteen miles from the Vaal, while his scouts were at Viljoen's Drift. Gen. Hamilton, with Broadwood's cavalry brigade and an infantry division, had been advancing steadily on the right from Hellbron, on the road to Heidelberg, and yesterday (Saturday) was at Baschbank, a place identified with difficulty on the maps, but apparently not far from Bosch Kop, in the Transvaal. From Pretoria there is an official report that Dewet has reoccupied Heilbron. This bulletin, if correct, proves that the Free State comman-does have not retreated across the Vaal with Kruger's burghers, but are hovering on the flank and rear of the British right wing, and seeking to capture convoys. Gen. Roberts' own report is that the Boers are no longer south of the Vaal.

HEADING FOR JOHANNESBURG. A summary of the situation places Gen. Roberts' center at Viljoen's Drift on Saturday, heading directly for Johannesburg, 40 miles distant, with Gen. French in the Transvaal to the west, threatening Potchesstroom, and turning the Boer position at Veereniging, and Hamilton to the west, menacing Heidel-

Dispatches from Pretoria refer to a British advance upon Schoenmans Drift, but this was clearly a feint, as Vaal was crossed further east. near Parys. The burghers of Potchefstroom and elsewhere were reported to be arming in defense of their homes. and this was an indication that there would be severe fighting before Jo-hannesburg could be taken. Three hannesburg could be taken. Three rallways—from Laings Nek, Viljoens and Potchefstroom-offer the Boers fachities for massing their commandos in front of Johannesburg, and there will probably be a battle next week the possession of the Rand. Roberts' concentrations are unknown, but he must have called up a considerable body of reserves for holding Kroonstad and guarding his extended lines of communication. Methuen's division is somewhere on the left flank. and Gen. Rundle, in the east, has occupled Ficksburg, and is slowly approaching Bethlehem.

LAING'S NEK. There is no change in the situation at Laing's Nek, and nothing fresh from Natal, except Col. Bethune's account of the reverse near Vryheid, which he Goff in attacking an entrenched com-

Commandant Snyman is reported as halting ten miles east of Mafeking, and attempting to block the road to Pretoria, over which Jameson's raiders

There are fresh accounts of dissensions and panic at Pretoria, but reports that President Kruger is suing for peace on any terms obtainable are obviously premature. The Transvaal burghers have made too plucky a fight to surrender without a brave stand somewhere in their own territory, and President Steyn will probably suc-ceed in holding his scattered commandos together in the Free State until his allies are defeated.

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London, May 28.-Isaac N. Ford, public reference to American affairs cabling yesterday morning upon the There have been few comments upon the reception of the Boer delegates in Washington, and neither President the Boers is not confirmed, and there McKinley nor Secretary Hay has been plimented. There are no illustons England respecting President McKinley. He is associated with the protectionist tariff which bore heavily against English industries in Bradford, Sheffield, Cardiff and else-where, and is identified with American policies in the most uncompromising character. He is respected here in consequence of the high character of his administration, but no well informed Englishman ever speaks with any enthusiasm of him, as was the general habit respecting President Cleveland before the Venezuelan affair. Shopkeeping England will never be convinced that the author of the McKinley act is anything but a downright and aggressive

ELECTION TALK.

American bent upon maintaining the

economic independence of the United States and indifferent to English in-

There are many rumors in the air today, but no decision in regard to a dissolution of parliament has been reached by the ministers, nor will there be one until Roberts is in Pretoria. Even if the war be brought to a close by the middle of June, as the most sanguine military authorities are now expect-ing will be the result, July seems to be out of the question as the date of a general election. A far more probable time is October, the Houses of Parliament being simply adjourned toward the end of July, and not pro-

Several important personal ques-tions will have to be settled before the Unionists appeal to the country. One of these is Lord Salisbury's own preference for retirement from public life. It has been rumored many times that he would not remain in office af-ter the dissolution of the present parliament, and it is known that he was deterred only by a strong sense of public duty from retiring under the pressure of his bereavement and his ill-health. The close of the war in South Africa and the strength of the Unionist party in the country will offer a most favorable opportunity for bringing his successful leadership to an end when it has been crowned with honor. His retirement will render necessary the reorganization of the military ministry, and this is not a task to be undertaken lightly when it is a coalition government, with a statesman of inordinate ambition like Mr. Chamberlain struggling to obtain supremacy.

It is not by any means certain that Mr. Chamberlain is anxious to wind up South African controversy, especially when it is likely to prove a most harassing and thankless business. would probably be readily reconciled to the elevation of Mr. Balfour to the peerage, with the honors of prime minister and the labors of the foreign office, provided he himself became either first lord of the treasury or chancellor of the exchequer, with the leadership of the House of Commons, but there will be a search ing of hearts and not a little Highland profanity among old Tories if these changes are brought about.

BRITISH BYE-ELECTIONS. Another correspondent cables: The events of the last few days have brought the internal politics of Great Britain once more to the fore. This is especially traceable to the bye-elections which took place in the Isle of Wight division of Hampshire and in South Manchester, at which the Conservatives so enormously increased their majorities. The latter election is described by Mr. Joseph Chamberlain as being "a splendid victory for the imperial forces." It is learned that it was an imperial victory in more senses than one, for the defeated Liberal candidate, Mr. Lief Jones, was opposed not only by the Unionist machinery, but the strenuous efforts of that se of his own party, which is led by Lord Rosebery, and known as the Liberal Imperialists. In fact, Lord Rosebery and those who pin their political faith to the ex-premier, regarded Manchester as the crucial point of their struggle to turn the party to their own way of thinking. The Liberal candidate had pronounced anti-war views, and had been successful it would have sounded the death knell of Lord Rosebery's chances of ever again leading the party and might have forced him either to permanently retire or form a separate organization.

LIBERALS HOPE FOR POWER.

Lord Rosebery's followers are privately jubilating over the Unionists' sweeping victory, to which they conattributes to the impetuosity of Capt. tributed by sending to Manchester confidential envoys. It is now believed the bulk of the Liberals must see in Liberal-imperialism the only plank whereby they can hope to return to power. The vast majority of Englishnen, regardless of party, are evidently strongly in favor of the war. This sentiment, Lord Rosebery believes, can manipulated so as to give the Liberals a fighting chance at the next election. South Manchester and the Isle of Wight have greatly strengthened the hand of Lord Rosebery's followers, and have made the Liberal leader's return to active political life an almost certainty. There is no truth in the reports that Lord Rosebery will form a coalition with Mr. Joseph Chamberlain. What Lord Rosebery has had in mind during the last few The English press is discreet in its months has been an active campaign

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ness in waging the war and a sweeping agitation for common sense reform of the army. This, combined with expansion of the empire and the social economic planks which always distinguished the party, would, he believes, give him a fair chance of leading the now disintegrated and discredited party to victory.

AUSTRIALIAN FEIDERATTION. In parliament itself the most important event of the week was the settlement of the Australian federation difficulty, which Mr. Chamberlain announced as a compromise, but which the delegates privately claim as a complete concession of their demands. Mr. 'Tim" Healy's remark during the debate on the second reading of the federation bill is much commented on, and bids fair to live as one of the tersest and cleverst statements of Ireland's case. "Must Irishmen," he asked, be transported before you will trust them with self-government?" The bill enabling women to serve as alder-men and councilors of London, though it has passed its second reading, will not come up again, as it has little or no chance of becoming law, in spite of the vociferous rejoicings in the ladies' gallery, which so horrified the sergeant-AS TO A GENERAL ELECTION.

While the bye-elections have elated the Roseberyites and depressed the so-called "little Englanders," they have also caused the Conservatives to speculate upon the destrability of an early dissolution. In spite of previous rumors to the contrary, it has been tacitly understood among the cabinet ministers that the general election must await the practical end of the war, if not the pacification of the Transvaal. Now, however, they find they are able to get such large majorities from the constituencies that it has become a serious question if it would not be better to make hay while the sun shines, so strong is this feeling that, granting Lord Roberts makes fair progress within the next month, it is quite likely a dissolution will occur at the end of that period, though nothing definite has yet been agreed upon. In parliament itself the most important event of the week was the settlement of the Australian federation difficulty, which Mr. Chamberlain announced as a compromise, but which the delegates privately claim as a complete concession of their de-

MAFEKING REJOICING.

The Mafeking rejoicings have caused the weekly papers to print serious articles on the increase of hysterical outbursts in England, and they ask the question if the race is really losing its characteristics. A curious feature of the demonstration was the enormous number of buttons bearing Baden-Powell's and Roberts' photographs. The public here has taken up the button fad with an energy equal to anything in its history in America. The bulk of these buttons was imported from America, and the shrewd manufacturers have secured photographs of British officers likely to become popular.

Major-General Baden-Powell, by the way, is now suffering the fate of all heroes, in being engaged, by rumor, to several young women in various parts of the country. Like Kitchener, he will probably live down the rumors. DISAPPOINTING.

A Paris correspondent says: Now that all the national pavilions in the Rue des Nations have been opened to the public, a comparison of the artistic

effect of the American building with that of its neighbor is undoubtedly unfavorable to the former. White the general external appearance is a mat-ter of architectural taste, the nudity of the interior elicits the hardest criticism. Seldom is a word in praise of it heard from visiting Americans, and the building has been already christened various uncomplimentary nicknames. Many officials recognize the disparity, and the present condition of the pavilion will be much improved. The bareness of the first floor will be relieved by the erection of a centerpiece of palms and flowers, which will be encircled by an upholstered settee; the floor itself will probably be renewed, brighter-tinted carpets placed on the stairs and the balustrades covered with velvet, and other decorative modifications will be taken with a view to lighten the general effect. It is but fair to explain that the present structure was not the original idea of Archi-tect Coolidge, who submitted plans of an entirely different character for the pavilion, which was rejected. YOUNG AMERICANS OUT OF

WORK. A number of unfortunate cases of suffering are coming under the notice of the American officials in Paris. Many bright, energetic young Americans, having just means enough to transport them here and being anxious to see the exposition, came with the idea of finding some small occupation, which would provide them with the means of existence during their stay, some also hoping to strike open-ings which might develop remuneratively. There is no false pride about them, and they are willing to accept even menial employment, such as sellng newspapers, blacking boots and hawking exposition tickets. They have, however, met with unexpected obstacles, against which all their pluck and vim are unavailing. Instead of the freedom of labor which obtains in America and which insures success to the willing, intelligent worker, they find every outlet hedged about with red tape regulations or prejudice against the employment of foreigners. Newspaper stands are accorded only to pensioners and a license for bootblacking is practically unobtainable, owing to the interminable period occupied by the preliminaries

of the application. DON'T GO TO PARIS. Some boys attempted to gain a pittance by selling exhibition tickets at a profit of two cents each, but their efforts were stifled by the interference of their French competitors, who are able to draw all intending purchasers except Americans and Englishmen by proclaiming the Americans as foreigners. These unfortunate experiences should warn venturesome American youths, against setting forth in hopes of finding employment here. Neither the embassy or the consulate have funds to be used in giving assistance in such cases, and the youths will be obliged to get home as best they can.

NORTH WATERLOO CASE. Toronto, May 28 .- Mr. L. J. Breithaupt, the unseated member of the Leg-islature for North Waterloo, proposes to fight his appeal now entered in the court of appeal. His counsel filed reasons for the appeal, the chief being that the trial judges, Osler and R. Meredith, allowed an inspection of the ballots, and then placed voters on the stand and asked how they voted. This Mr. Breithaupt contends, is another violation of the secrecy of the ballot.

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IN THE WORLD

London Ball Team Loses to Saginaw-Racing Events at the Woodbine.

BASEBALL INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE. Grand Rapids.....

SAGINAW DID THE TRICK. The unexpected has happened, and The unexpected has happened, and the glorious uncertainty of the game has again been demonstrated. The Saginaw aggregation of ball-tossers, who were easily turned down in two games on Thursday, ran up against the home team in great style on Sathanana the same of the same statement of t urday, and at the end of the game the score stood 13 to 3, with London hugging the small end of the tally. There was a good crowd of fans in attendance, and the weather was beautiful. The visitors started in as if they were the best men and couldn't miss the ball if they were paid to. They hammered Seiver, the local slabartist, all over the patch, and in the second in-ning had a lead of four runs. The locals died with great ease in the first two innings, and in the third scored one tally, and things looked good for a couple more, when Mohler flew out to short and Seiver was doubled at first. The visitors kept their batting gait up, and dropped on Seiver with many heavy thuds, and it is safe to say that a number of the London fielders lost considerable in weight from chasing the ball. Twenty-two hits, and most of them to the outfield—that's the figures that tell the story of London's awful slaughter. The Saginaws piled up the runs by twos and threes, until in the eight inning the score stood 13 to 3 in the visitors' favor. Robb pitched a great game for the Saginaws, and got the snappiest kind of support. The six bits secured off Smith. Attendance 300. Time, 2 hours.

a few. Jones drove the ball to center and went to second. Radcliffe followed with a triple, scoring Jones; Cope secured a pass and Pickard singled. Schontzke missed an easy one, leaving the bases filled. Things looked good for several runs, with only one man gone, but Mohler popped to Fehler, and Lohman did the same thing to Guise, and the agony ended. The Guise, and the agony ended. SAGINAW. Guise, 1b. 5
Fehler, s.s. 5
Eddy, r.f. 4
Robb, p. 6

of support. The six hits secured off his delivery were well scattered. The

visitors are the strongest team that have played here this season. In the seventh inning it looked as if the locals were going to open up and tally a few. Jones drove the ball to center

NOTES.

London was never in the game.
"What happened to Jones?" He made only one scratch hit.

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Seiver was hammered hard, but, then, all good pitchers have an off

Gudse, the visitors first baseman, was spiked in the third and cut, but after a few minutes pluckily resumed

Charley Jones' knee was injured in the fifth inning, and Cooper ran the bases for him. Hemphill, who was slightly under the weather, saw the game from the

The home team accompanied the Baginaws to that town on Saturday

night, where they play a series of three It was the unlucky thirteenth. London has played 12 league and 1 exhibi-

CLOSE GAME AT HAMILTON. Hamilton, May 26.—Better ball than Grand Rapids and Hamilton put up today was never seen here. Pitchers Freeland and Lindley were very effective. In the second, three good hits after two men were out, gave two runs, and two two-baggers gave one in the eighth. Grand Rapids got one in the sixth on a base on balls and a sacrifice. The wisitors might have made things interesting in the ninth. Birmingham opened with a single; Gleason went out, and Holly made a fine three-bagger, but Birmingham got caught nap-ping at first before the three-bagger

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Two-base hits—Sheehan, Cockman, Coville. Three-base hits—Holly. Sacrifice hit—Boyle. First on balls—By Freeland 4, by Lindley 7. Hit by pitcher—By Lindley 1. Struck out—By Freeland 6, by Lindley 4. Double plays—Boyle to Birmingham. Left on bases—Hamilton 11, Grand Rapids 7. Umpire, F. W. Popkay. Time, 1:35. AT CHATHAM.

Chatham, Ont., May 26. - Today's game between Port Huron and Chatham was remarkable for run-getting, and the pounding of 15 hits by both sides. Chatham started it, and during the third inning the home team registered 12 runs. Hale, in the fifth inning, was permitted to stay on the bench for the balance of the game, and Thompson finished. No more runs were scored by the visitors, but Chatham managed to score five more, and during the game succeeded in finding Barrett safely for 15 hits and 17 runs. There was a reg-ular merry-go-round in the third. Um-pire Smith succeeded in raising the dander of Manager Flaherty, and Flaherty managed to elevate the umpire in a way that to say the least was not gentlemanly. It looked as if there was going to be a scrimmage, with Smith as leading man, but matters cooled down, and Chatham won out, though the score was a tie in the fifth. It is a very serious question whether Chatham will again play under Smith's umpiring. Port Huronites are disgusted, and certainly the Saginaw club was much disappointed in his work. The time has arrived when a firm umpire is required; the players seem to run things in their own way under Smith's umpiring. Score by innings: R. H. E. Chatham ...0 0 12 0 0 0 1 4 *-17 15 8 Port Huron. 2 0 3 4 3 0 0 0 0 -12 15 4 Batteries - Hale, Thompson and Clock; Barrett and Lohbeck. Umpire,

VICTORS VS. PRIMROSES. A friendly and interesting game of baseball was played on the Oxford street commons on Saturday morning, between the Primroses and Victors, resulting in favor of the latter, the chief feature of the game being the splendid work of the Victors batteries. Score:

Victors 9 5 0 and Evans. Primrose, Stewart, Fitzgerald and McNaughton. SUNDAY BALL IN THE INTERNA-

TIONAL. Grand Rapids, Mich., May 27 .- Only 400 people turned out to the game to-day, although it was a glorious Sun-day, and one on which the old Western League team would have drawn 3,000. The day was a good test for the popularity of international ball, because if the fans would not go on a day like today they never will. Manager Mitts hopes, however, to get them into line as the season grows older, and he pluckily says he will give them an article of ball which will draw them. The home team won easily today through the inability of the visitors to hit Hagerman. The score by innings:

Chatham 000210001-4 6 0 Batteries-Hagerman and Holmes; Habel and Klock.

Two-base hits—Coveil, Boyle, Glea-son 2. Three-base hits—Saunders. Home run-Boyle. Umpire-Popkay. RAIN-NO GAME.

Port Huron, Mich., May 27 .- The expected clash over Sunday baseball did not materialize today owing to the grounds being too wet to permit of playing. The Hamilton players arrived this noon, but as it had rained nearly all morning, the game was declared off without the teams going to the grounds.

SUNDAY GAMES. At Montreal— R. H. Toronto 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 - 3 7

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Providence ..2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1-3 8 3 Hartford1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0-2 10 8 Batteries-Friend and Leahy; Meller and Steelman. Umpire-Egan. At Milwaukee-Milwaukee, 9; Min-

neapolis, 6. At Detroit-Detroit vs. Cleveland, game postponed; rain. At Cincinnati-

Cincinnati 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1-2 7 2 Pittsburg 4 0 0 2 4 0 0 0 0-10 16 1 Batteries-Hahn, Breitenstein, Philips and Peitz; Waddell and Zimmer. Umpire-Swartwood.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

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TURF. THE TORONTO CUP.

Toronto, Ont., May 26.-Wm, Henappearance of the season in the To-ronto cup, the feature event of the card at Woodbine Park this afternoon. From his showing today . Martimas 6:45 sharp. The following are the looks to be a much-improve horse over last year. He ran a good race and in a fighting finish won by a neck from Procession. Ballard, who was up on the Hendrie horse, rode a weiljudged race. Although he made his own pace. Martimas was kept well within himself by his rider, who heid something in reserve for a final effort at the end. The race was for 3-yearolds and upward, at a mile and a furlong, and seven of the thirteen carded accepted the issue. Martimas carried 129, and was conceding weight to everything in the race. He was always the choice, and was well played by his stable. When the flag fell he quickly shot to the front, but before he had gone a sixteenth he was joined by Alice Farley. The pair ran head and head down the back stretch until rounding the far turn, when the mare dropped back, beaten. Turing into the stretch, Martimas had a clear lead of a length and a half, and looked like an easy winner. Procession, which Lewis had gradually worked up to the leaders, made his run in the last eighth. Under a vigorous ride he got to Martimas at the sixteenth pole, but hung there and could not get his hung there, and could not get his nose ahead of Ballard's mount. Ballard also won on The Provost, with Lewis on the one that got the place. The third day's racing at the Wood-

bine attracted a big Saturday crowd. Following is the summary: First race, Grand Stand purse, \$400, for 3-year-olds, 6 furlongs—Cobourg, 110 (H. Lewis), 7 to 5, won; Spring-wells, 112 (Powers), 12 to 1, second; Gibraltar, 119 (Gardner), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:17. San Durango, Annie Lauretta, Nick White, Hall Bell also ran. Second race, Woodbine Nursery stake, for 2-year-olds, sweepstakes, with \$500 added, 5 furlongs—Frank Morrison, 110 (Landry), 15 to 1, won; Flatterer, 113 (Flynn), 10 to 1, second; Bill Massie, 118 (Powers), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:01. Sinfl, The Copper, Montreal J. Mattinson, also ran. Sinfi in this race started at 1 to 2, and was regarded as a sure winner, but finished fourth with three lengths between the first and second

Third race, Toronto cup, sweepstakes, 11% miles-Martimas, 129 (Ballard), 2 to 1, won; Procession, 112 (Lewis), 3 to 1, second: Compensation, 117 (Sullivan), 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:57. Alice Farley, Reguile, Topmast, Royal Sterling also ran.

Fourth race, Red Coat steeplechase, sweepstakes, 2½ miles—Thorncliffe, 175 (Moxley), 3 to 1, won; Quicksilver, 170 (Brown), 5 to 1, second; Mystic Shriner, 170 (Crocker), 15 to 1, third. Time, 6:181/2. Prince Mark, Emigrant, Maid of Erin, Abbotsford, Reiff, Arezzo also

ran. Fifth race, Breeders' stakes, sweepstakes, for 3-year-olds, foaled and owned in Canada, 11/2 miles-The Provost, 122 (Ballard, 6 to 5, won; Magog, 117 (H. Lewis), 20 to 1, second; Opuntia, 119 (Powers), 20 to 1, third. Time,

2:031/2. Bringloe, Silver Locks also ran. Sixth race, Strathcona purse, \$400, for 3-year-olds and upwards, 11-16 miles—Chopin, 110 (A. Weber), 7 to 2, won; Captive, 112 (Nelson), 5 to 2, second; Ein. 109 (McQuade), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:521/2. Alfred Vargrave, Flag

of Truce, Jack Carey, Prince Zeno, Top Gallant also ran. SATURDAY'S WINNERS. 'At Brooklyn, N. Y.-Contestor, Blue

Away, Golden Age, Kinley Mack, Van Ship, Tonicum. At St. Louis, Mo .- Sir Philip Sidney, Queen Dixon, Elderium, Yellow Tail. Miss Mae Day, Sam Phillips, La Josephine At Newport, Cincinnati-Horace, Kilt,

Drogheda, Faume Taylor, Gid Low and King Dellis. 'At Lakeside, Chicago-Little Peggie, Money Miss, Molo, May Beach, Sidbow and Icon.

DERBY WEEK. London, May 28.—Seldom has Derby week opened with so much uncertainty regarding the race which, it is now admitted, is unusually open. The Prince of Wales' Diamond Jubilee remains the favorite, but only by a narrow margin. Forfarshire, Chevening and Disguise II. have plenty of backers. Mr. James R. Keene's horse, Disguise II., will be ridden by Tod Sloan. The only other American jockey taking part is L. Reiff, who rides Bona Rosa. There will be about 12 starters. Lord William Beresfore is receiving much sympathy on the probable inability of Democrat to run, owing to the horse's bad form. None of the horses competing is regarded as up to the general Derby standard, but everything points to a close race and a brilliant attendance.

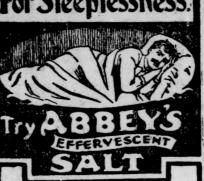
FISTIC Glen's Falls, N. Y., May 28.—Tommy Butler, of Troy, and Delard Duval, of Cohoes, met here Saturday night in a 20-round contest. Butler knocked Duval out with a left-handed hook on the

Chicago, May 28.-Jack O'Brien was given the decision over young Mahoney at the end of six rounds Saturday night. The fight took place at the Dearborn A. C.

FOOTBALL.

LONDON WINS FROM WATFORD. The London Association football team went to Watford Saturday afternoon and won out by a score of 5 to 0. Hartley had three goals to his credit, Armstrong 1 and Johnson 1.

The game was nearly so one-sided as the score would indicate, as several of the London goals were obtained in a somewhat easy fashion. For Watford, the two Caldwells, at back and center half respectively, played a splendid game. While Roche on the forward the played a fast game. The London For Sleeplessness.



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team missed the full-back, Jackson, but Couse, though new to the posi-tion, played a good game. Bryant tion, played a good game. Bryant played as he always does, while Hen-derson, at half-back, shows a big improvement in his play. The forwards at times worked in a very fair combination, centering from one wing to the other, puzzling the Watford defense. Daly, a new man on the for-ward line, makes a big improvement Toronto, Ont., May 26.—Wm, Hendrie's 4-year-old Martimas, winner of always in the right place, and the best man in the league in this position. the Futurity in 1898, and a candidate best man in the league in this position. for this year's Suburban, made his first The return game, it is expected, will

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WATFORD.	POSITIONS.	LONDON,
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LAWN BOWLING

Six rinks chosen by President A. H. Beddome and Vice-President John Weld played a friendly game on the green of the London clab on Saturday afternoon. It was the first big match of the season, and as a lot of new blood was on the various rinks much interest was manifested. President Beddome's rinks won by a score of 144 to 93, a majority of 51 shots, the only rink on the vice-president's side to have a lead over its opponents being the sixth, of which Mr. H. Finchamp was skip. The score:

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W. A. Young, M. H. Rowland, E. N. Hannah, C. B. Hunt, George Powell, T. Alexander, T. Blakeney, E. Weld, skip......24

skip......18 Rink No. 3-William Lind, John Pritchard, skip.....21

skip..... Rink No. 4-F. H. Coles, C. E. German. J. H. Brown. skip.....

A. McPherson.

E. Paull A. Parfitt. skip......14 Rink No. 5-E. Masuret. James McDougall,

C. Weld,

H. C. Screaton, John Stevenson, skip......26 Rink No. 6-John Lochead. James Bell. J. K. Spry,

skip......12 W. J. Blackburn, Geo. Sutherland, S. J. Radcliffe, H. Finchamp,

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The Quasi-Republic.

When the supreme power in a state centered in an individual, there is constant danger of that power being abused. This abuse of power is the great evil connected with absolutism. To obviate the evil nations have had recourse to forms of government known as constitutional monarchies and republics. It has been taken for granted that though an autocrat may Which He Claimed as His by Right o tyrannize over a nation, a nation will not tyrannize over Mself. Too much has been assumed. It is true that there is as a general thing less danger from aggression, yet the tyranny of the majority may be the worst form of tyranny. Perfection in forms of government is not easily attainable, and many come to say that "whatever is best administered is best." The fact that the Boer community of the Transvaal has been dubbed "republic" has excited more or less sympathy for it from other nations which are under republican forms of government. It s only another indication of the tendency to be deceived by a name. It is so much easier to assume that all republics afford equal rights to all, than It is to discriminate between the true and the false.

The Transvaal community is a republic in name only. "In reality it is one of the worst oligarchies that ever existed. Equal rights were unknown in this quasi-republic. Roman Catho-Mcs and Jews were excluded from political and military offices, and were not allowed to send their children to the free state schools. A section of the Transvaal constitution declares that all persons not Christians can be arrested without warrant. This was almed at the colored natives only, but President Kruger made it apply to Papel for many to the colored natives only to the District of Lake Michigan." President Kruger made it apply to Jews as well.

four years ago as Methodist missionary bishop to Africa, declares that President Kruger represents only an extreme faction of the Transvaal, and that the Boers have been led by him to take a wrong position. Owing to

1900, contains an interesting article on this subject, which at the beginning Is advisable to have this matter dealt | coat. with apart from party politics.

The writer makes this assertion: "Neither party is entitled to any spe-cial credit for their treatment of these branches of the poor law reform, but perhaps the wildest proposals with regard to the unemployed have been made by the Home Rule party, while the most dangerous schemes for old ege pensions have been advocated by Unionists." He quotes from Mr. territory. Murphy apparently suffer-Lecky a statement to the effect that ed from the blows, but the first oppor-Unionists." He quotes from Mr. the word "pension" is misleading and dangerous. He draws from reliable statistics the view that "The aged and deserving poor are relatively few and are decreasing in numbers," and by far the greater number of these are receiving out-door relief. He then asks the question, Would a state pen-Isms as a whole?

To answer this we must note the causes of this evil; evidence given before the Aged Poor Commission showed that these were "moral, economic and local, but chiefly moral." As a rule it is lack of thrift that brings people on to the rates. "Sailors of the royal navy are hardly ever to be found in a workhouse, and this is equally true of teetotallers." The economic causes are insufficient wages, flerce competition, the diseases due to operate where "comfortable infirmaries" attract people who are not really destitute, or where, as at Brighton, the presence of many rich people draws a number of idle loafing poor from London. The writer points out the difficulties in the way of state pensions to aged poor people. Schemes have been tried in other countries, and have been given up, hence he thinks that "we are left face to face with the old alternates of self-help, charity and the poor law; and it is by a combination of these three that we shall be able eventually to solve most of the difficulties connected with this and other branches of the question.

One hopeful feature is the increase of self-help. The savings of the working class at the present time amount, according to Mr. Brabrook, to no less a sum than £278,000,000 sterling. Of this no less a sum than £25,000,000 is claimed by friendly societies, which still have a great future before them. This is a vast movement, and by reliable figures can be proved to be increasing at a great rate. Leaving to another article remarks on the principles of poor law administration, we note with pleasure the increase of selfhelp among the workingmen of the old land, as this tends to diminish pauperism, white artificial systems of ald increase it and aggravate the problems they are meant to solve.

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Discovery-Bloodshed Resulted, but the Invaders Come to Grief.

Chicago, May 26 .- Chicago was invaded at 1 o'clock this morning by the army of a hostile state, numbering army of a hostile state, numbering 13 men—the "District of Lake Michigan." The invasion ended in a farce comedy, but came near to being finished in deadly earnest. The casualties include one boy shot in the leg, and one horse killed. Five of the invaders were arrested and the balance were allowed to escape. The trouble was precipitated by Capt. George W. Streeter, a squatter, who has from time Streeter, a squatter, who has from time to time created much trouble and litigation by his efforts to seize land along the shore of Lake Michigan. The land which he has for some time claimed to be the "District of Lake Michigan" consists of made land on the shore of Lincoln Park, part of it including one of the main park boulevards. The courts have decided against the squatter again and again, but he has been persistent in his efforts to grab the property. He claims that made land along the Illinois shore does not belong to the State of Illinois, but is in-stead public domain, free to whoever settles upon it. Streeter organized the force which made the descent upon Lincoln Park today, but was not with them in person. The transport con-taining the "troops" arrived off Lin-coln Park soon after midnight, and without difficulty they made a landing

Rapid-fire guns, it is alleged, were on the transport decks ready to cover, Bishop Hartzell, who was appointed if necessary, the landing of the troops, our years ago as Methodist missionary but the shores were unprotected and without opposition the men made their way through the surf, rallied around their leader, "Commandant" William Niles, and hoisted an American flag in

the center of the invaded district.

The police were notified, but took to take a wrong position. Owing to the unusual opportunities of the bishop for studying both the British and the Boers in South Africa, his testimony is valuable. He declares, furthermore, that the great moral wrong of the Boers is not so much in their ill-treatment of the outlanders, as in their opposition to all missionary effort among the blacks. Hence he sides with the British, who represent the missionary spirit, and give the natives a fair chance for their rights.

Decling: With the British Poor. no immediate action beyond consult-The Quarterly Review for January, 14 years of age, who was one of the crowd of curious onlookers. The ball struck his right knee, inflicting a serious wound. Another bullet passed makes the very true statement that it through the lapel of Detective Hiatt's

> While the onlookers fell back and the excitement gave way to a panic, the vehicle, a man of the name of Murphy, and his 10-year-old daughter, did not seem to realize the gravity of the situation, and the man pressed his horse forward. Niles did not be-gin shooting, but, clubbing his rifle, he attacked Murphy with the weapon and forced the horse back from the tunity whirled his horse about, glad enough to escape without bloodshed.

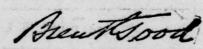
SQUATTERS MUST GO. The conference in the office of Acting Mayor Walker was long, but it was determined that the squatters should be driven out at any cost. The plan was to have the Lincoln Park police the Streeter forces to disband, asks the question, Would a state pen-sion curb the evil of old age pauper- Wickersham, of the Lincoln Park board, call upon the sheriff. The sheriff was to repeat the demand and call upon the police to disperse them if there was further resistance. In this way there would be no question as to the jurisdiction.

As soon as the conference had con-cluded, Chief of Police Kipley began to use the telephone. The co-operation of Fire Marshal Sweenie was secured and the fire tug Illinois was detailed to carry 40 men with rifles down the river to approach the district from the All reserve forces under Inspector Hartnett at Harrison street, In-

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SHOE SENSE

Is best shown before buying your Shoes, though often learned after. It's best to look closely at the make. Consider the styles, make sure of the fit, and be satisfied with the price before experimenting. A look at our lines will help you.

Women's Laced and Button Boots, fine Dongola; flexible soles, new last and dressy styles, all sizes, \$1 50.

Boots, hand-turn and sewed flexible soles, or round toe with toecap; special value \$150. new American styles; special \$2 00.

Women's Vici Kid Laced Boots, new toe, fancy vamp and foxing, very dressy shoe; what gives you foot comfort. Many styles, our special price for \$1 90.

Men's Fine Dongola Laced Boots, new round toe, extension Goodyear-stitched soles. black and colored, regular \$2 50, \$2 00.

Men's Cordovan Laced and Congress Women's Vici Kid Laced and Button Shoes, standard screw soles, plain wide toe

> There's quality, style and fit in our \$3 00 Shoes. That's what makes them wear so well; that's what makes them sell so well; that's

EXTRA SPECIAL

150 PAIRS Women's Button and Lace Boots, Oxford Shoes and Trilby Button Shoes, some \$1.25

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The special lots we offer from day to day hardly get a chance for second telling. They're snapped up quickly. It proves that we are living up to our preach—that we are giving values that are unmatchable, and that you appreciate.

Men's Fine Scotch Tweed Suits, light gray and medium | light brown shades, double-breasted vest, tailor-made trous- cial make and finish, \$4 50 and \$4 90. ers, finest trimmings, \$12.

Men's Fine Clay Worsted Suits, fast black and navy. fine trimmings, sizes 34 to 42; special price \$6 95.

45 pairs only Men's Fine West of England Worsted Dealing With the British Poor. fell dead, and one of the shots, having Trousers, neat hair line stripes and fancy stripes; regular 14½, 16, 16½, 17, 17½ only; regular \$1, 65c. \$3 and two or three pairs were \$5, \$2 50.

25 only Boys' Fast Color Blouses, neat frill collar and all sizes, special value, 50c each. ront, sizes 22 to 27; regular 75c, 50c.

Boys' Fine Imported Tweed Three-Garment Suits, spe-

Shirt Specials.

6 dozen Men's Fine Regatta Shirts, neat patterns, sizes

10 dozen Fine Double Thread Balbriggan Underwear,

Natural Wool Underwear, 75c up.

Men's Linen Collars, 5c 40 dozen only, fine cotton, straight bands and linen points, regular 15c.

Grocery and Grockery Department.

7-lb Pails of Assorted Jams, per pail	.55c1
11 lbs of Redpath's Standard Granulated Sugar, for	.50c
13c Bar of Hard Soap, 3 lbs for	
2-lb Tins of Bartlett Pears, in heavy syrup, for, tin	
20 dozen of Assorted Butter Pads, for, per dozen	.20c
J. & G. Meakin's Gold-Traced Cups and Saucers, for, per dozen \$	1 00
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6-inch Tea or Breakfast Plates, per dozen.....800 Covered Vegetable Dishes and Platters to match. 10 dozen of Painted 4-inch Fruit Saucers, in assorted colors, dozen....30c

The Runians, Gray, Garrie Co.

208, 210, 2101, 212 Dundas Street, London.

spectors Calas and Shea at Desplaines KILLED HIMSELF WITH A RAZOR street, and Inspector Heidelmeier at By 3 p.m. street cars and the coming

and going of sixteen patrol wagons had collected 800 policemen at the East Chicago avenue police station. At the same hour Chief of Police Kipley had a telephone message that 200 officers were on their way from Hyde Park by way of the Illinois Central Railway to the north side.

A FIASCO.

The impending conflict ended in a flasco about fifteen minutes after 3 o'clock. When "Judge" Niles and his four men, all that was left of his army, heard that they were to be ousted they sent word to Capt. Baer requesting a men surrendered and were escorted to the East Chicago avenue police station. the way there the police attempted to disperse the members of the "army," and the efforts of the squatters to retain their rifles created some commo-

After his rifle had been taken from Niles and while he was on his way to in the Tower of London is now com-the station, he was struck several pleted all but a few repairs to a turtimes by men in the crowd that pressed around him. Once he endeavored to ant's lodgings are finished. snatch his rifle from the officer who

and a grandiloquent proclamation his wife had used it for a throat written after the style of the declaration with the best results. Acting

ordered to rendezvous at the latter station. Then orders were issued to bring up the police battery, consisting of one Gatling gun and two smooth-bores. committed suicide in his studio here Saturday, by cutting the arteries in his wrists with a razor. He left no note to explain why he committed the deed. Wiziarde wrote a curtain raiser for Julia Marlowe, the actress, which has been put on by her with some of her plays during the last season, and he claimed to be engaged in writing a melodrama for her which he expected to have ready to submit early this

FAGGED OUT .- None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They sent word to Capt. Baer requesting a feel as though there was nothing to parley. Upon his appearance the five live for. There, however, is a cure one box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dande-lion are two of the articles entering into the composition of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills.

The restoration of the Bloody Tower in the Tower of London is now comret, and the repairs to the Lieuten-LIFE SAVED .- Mr. James Bryson

snatch his rifle from the olicer who carried it, intending to shoot a man who had just hit him, but he was quickly subdued by the police.

Streeter caused to be circulated by the men who took possession of the police.

Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that the police wife had used it for a throat written after the style of the declaration of independence. in which he stated at great length that the land did not belong to the State of Illinois, nor anybody else, and was the property of whoever settled upon it. He is now threatening legal procedure against everybody.

trouble with the best results. Acting on the advice I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, and I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me good."

WITH A WHISTLE

A Woman Scared Away a Trio of Bank Burglars-There Was More Than \$100,000 in the Safe.

South Berwick, Maine, May 26 .-Three bank burglars, armed and mask-ed, made a raid here last night. After gagging a pedestrian who came along while they were at work, they forced the door of the South Berwick National Bank and blew open the safe, but were frightened away without getting any of the bank's property, by the sound of a policeman's whistle, given by a woman.

The bank office was wrecked, and the

heavy door of the safe blown nearly across the room. The inner door of the vault, however, was unharmed, and more than \$100,000 in cash behind it was safe. The burglars escaped.

ITS FAME SPREADING.

A New Remedy in General Use in Mani toba and the Northwest.

Winnipeg, May 28.—The effects of the regular waves of sickness which sweep over this portion of the Dominion in the spring are noticeable in the increasing amount of the druggists' sales. There has been quite a run on the kidney remedy now so well known under the name of Dodd's Kidney Pills. The recovery from Bright's Disease of Mr. Arthur Coley, of Somerset, through their use, an account of which appeared in the papers, gave a considerable impetus to the sale, and the remedy has become indispensable in many Manitoba households, its fame having penetrated into the remotest parts of the province and Northwest Territories.

FAIR PROSPECTS

For Business Throughout the Dominion.

Toronto, May 28.-Bradstreet's trade review, weekly summary: Wholesale trade at Montreal the past week has been fair. The mills and factories are very busy, and most of them are working up to their full ca-

pacity. Remittances are fair, and it is likely they will improve. Trade in Toronto has been a little more active in sorting lines for the summer, owing to the more favorable weather. The prospects are certainly more promising for a larger movement. A good deal of fall business

has been effected this month. Collections are fair, the demand for money is active, and rates are firm. At London sales have been larger, the weather having created a better demand for various kinds of light goods. The conditions of the crops in

this neighborhood are very fair. Payments show some improvement. Business up to the middle of the month was rather dull at the Pacific coast cities, but during the week it has improved.

At Winnipeg the trade situation is very satisfactory. A great many wellto-do settlers are coming into the province this season. With favorable crop conditions and the acreage planted, the production of cereals this year should show a very large in-

There were 500,000,000 fowls in the United States last year, and the number of eggs said was estimated at about 1,450,000,000 dozen, or 27,400,000,-000 eggs. The value of these fowl and their product is set down at \$420.

"Example is Better Than Precept."

It is not what we say, but what Hood's Sarsaparilla does, that tells the story. Thousands of testimonials are examples of what Hood's has done for others, and what it will do for you.

Dyspepsia — "I was weak and had fainting spells. Dyspepsia and indigestion in severe form troubled me. Five bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla made me well and strong." Mrs. William Vanvalkenburge, Whitby, Ont."

A Good Medicine — "We have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla in our family as a spring medicine and used Hood's Pills for biliousness and found both medicines very effective. For impure blood we know Hood's Sarsaparilla is a good medicine."

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Never Disappoints Hood's Pills cure liver ills; the non-irritating and

only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

THE MARKETS

Local Market.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT.
London, Monday, May 28.
Wheat, white, per bu63c to 660
Wheat, red, per bu 63c to 66c
Wheat, red, per bu65c to 66c
Oats, per bu33c to 34c
Peas, per bu
Corn, per bu
Barley, per bu381/20 to 381/20
Rye, per bu56c to 560

Receipts were light. No change from Saturday's quotations.

Tested SEED Corn. We have all the varieties that have droven of advantage in this section of country. See our stock!

A. M. HAMILTON & SON. 373 Talbot St., near King.

St. Thomas Market. St. Thomas, May 26.-Wheat, per bu; 69c; oats, new, 32c to 34c; peas, 80c to 90e; barley, 45c to 55c; rye, 60c.

The Oil Market. PITTSBURG, Pa., May 28.—Oil opened at \$131; closed at \$131. OIL CITY, May 26.—Oil—Credit balance \$131; certificates, no bids. English Markets.

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

WHEAT-		lay		lay		lay 25.		ay 6.
Red Winter		-		_		-		
No. 1 Nor. Spring	0	0	0	0	0	0		11
Walla	5	91/2	5	91/2	5	91/2	5	91/2
No. 1 Cal	5	11	ō	11	5	11	0	0
Mo. I Cal	6	2	6	2	6	2	6	2
May	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
July	5	81/2	5	83/8	5	81/2	5	814
Sept	5	8	5	81/8	5	83/8	5	7%
				- 1			mg.	1720
New	200	0	4	1	4	31/4	4	034
Old	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Feb	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	U
March	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
May	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
July	3	95%	3	97%	3	10	3	95%
Sept	13	10	3	103/8	3	1034	3	934
Flour	18	3	18	3	8	3	18	934
Peas	5	8	5	71/2	5	714	5	71/2
Pork, prime mess	66	3	66	3	66	3	67	6
Lard	35		35	6	35	0	35	6
Tallow	25		26	6	26	6	26	6
Bacon, light	42		42	0	41	6	41	6
Cheese, white	53		58	0	52	6	52	6
Cheese, colored	53	6	53	0	52	6	52	6

CHICAGO, May 26.-The grain markets ended a stagnant session today in a rather weak condition, wheat shade, corn %c to 1/2c, and oats 1/8c to 1/4c under yesterday. Provisions closed 1/4c to 12/4c down. Primary receipts 581,000 bushels, compared with 652,000 bushels last year. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 503 cars against 275 last week and 662 a year ago. receipts were 27 cars, none of con-tract grade. Clearances in wheat and flour were equal to 797,000 bushels. opened at 671/4c to 67%c to 671/8c; declined to 66%c and closed a shade under yesterday at 67c. Estimated refor Monday-Wheat, 50 cars; corn, 565 cars; oats, 375 cars; hogs, 33,-

corn, 565 cars; oats, 375 cars; hogs, 33,-000 head.

The leading futures closed as follows:
Wheat. May. 66%c; July, 67c. Corn-May, 36%c; July, 35%c; Sept., 37%c. Oats-May, 21%c; July, 21%c; Sept., 20%c. Mess Pork-July, \$11 32%. Lard-July. \$6 82%; Sept., \$8 82%. Short ribs-July, \$650; Sept., \$650. Cash quotations-Flour, dull steady; winter patents, \$3 60 to \$3 70; straights, \$2 90 to \$3 40; clears. \$2 70 to \$3; spring specials, \$2 80 to \$3 90; spring patents, \$3 to \$3 40; straights, \$2 60 to \$2 90; bakers, \$2 to \$2 40. No. 3 spring wheat, 62c to 65%c; No. 2 red wheat, 72c to 72%c. No. 2 corn, 37c to 37%c; No. 2 yellow corn, 37%c to 37%c. No. 2 oats, 21%c to 22%c; No. 2 white, 24c to 24%c; No. 3 white, 23%c to 24%c; No. 2 red coling barley, 36%c; fair to choice malting, 87c to 40c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$180. Prime timothy seed, \$2 45. Mess pork, \$10 30 to \$11 35. Lard, \$6 70 to \$6 82%. Short rib sides, \$6 40 to \$6 95. Dry salted shoulders, 6%c to 6%c. Short clear sides, \$6 95 to \$7 05. Sugar, unchanged; cut loaf, \$5 98; granulated, \$5 42; confectioners' A, \$5 38; off A, \$5 23. Cloverseed, contract grade, \$7 50. Eggs, steady, fresh, 11%c.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 12,000 barrels; wheat, 841PMENTS—Flour, 7,000 barrels; wheat, 811PMENTS—Flour, 7,000 barrels; wheat.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 7,000 barrels: wheat, 2,000 bushels; corn. 29,000 bushels; oats, 146,-

The Dairy Markets. NEW YORK, May 26.-Butter-Re ceipts for this week aggregated 46.713 okgs, and shipments nil. Cheese, 27,-

721 cases, and shipments 20,126 cases for the week.

CHICAGO, May 26.—Butter steady; creameries, 15c to 19½c; dairies, 13½c to 17c. Cheese steady, at 81/2c to 85/8c. COWANSVILLE, Que., May 26 .- At the board today 49 factories offered 1,598 boxes of cheese; 277 boxes went to H. F. Ferguson for 9 3-16c; 302 boxes to H. F. Ferguson for 9%c; 317 boxes to J. Gibson for 93-16c; 60 boxes to H. H. Hibbard for 93-16c; 274 boxes to J. Burnett, jun., for 93-16c; 478 boxes

boxes of cheese boarded; 9%c bid; no males on board; later on street all sold at these figures.

BELLEVILLE, Ont., May 26.-Twenty factories offered today 1,195 boxes white and 35 colored cheese; sales, 420 white at 9½c, and 100 white at

CORNWALL, Ont., May 26 .- At the Cornwall cheese board today 958 boxes white, 43 colored and 41 American were boarded; Alexander got 122 white at 97-16c: Ayer got the colored at 97-16c. American at 94c, and 152 white at 9%c; all the rest sold at 9%c, Loveli and Christmas getting 493 and Hodg-

WATERTOWN, N. Y. May 26.-Sales

of cheese on board of trade today: 5,000 boxes at 8%c to 91-16c for large; bulk sold at 9%c; about 1,500 boxes for Montreal at 9%c.

CANTON, N. Y., May 26.—Eight hundred and thirty large cheese, 9c; 475 twins at 9c; ruling, 9c. Butter—Five hundred tubs at 20c.

NEW YORK, May 26.—Butter steady; western creamery, 16½c to 20½c; do, factory, 14c to 16c; imitation creamery, 15c to 18c; state dairy, 16c to 19c; do, creamery, 15½c to 20½c. Cheese easier; fancy large white, 9½c; do, colored, 9½c; fancy small white, 8½c to 9c; do, colored, 8½c to 9c.

LONDON DAIRYMEN'S EXCHANGE London, Saturday, May 26.-Thirteen actories boarded 895 boxes today, and of these 530 boxes were sold, the prices ranging between 9%c and 9%c. These figures are an advance upon those paid at the same time last year. The bid-ding was as follows: Proof Line, 9c; Payne's Mills and Blanchard, 9c to 9½c; Elgin, 9c to 9½c, Thompson's, Westminster, Belmont, Mapleton, 9½c to 9 3-16c; North street, West Nissouri, 9½c; Gladstone and Glanworth, 9½c to 91/4c; Kerwood, 9 1-16c to 9 3-16c. The sales: Payne's Mills, 40, at 9½c; Thompson's 40; Mapleton, 115; and Kerwood, 45c at 93-16c; West Nissouri, 104; Elgin, 32; Gladstone, 65; and Glanworth, 60 at 9½c. The offerings were:

	DUAGE
Payne's Mills	40
Thompson's	4
North Street	
West Nissouri	
Westminster	7
Belmont	
Elgin	
Manleton	
Mapleton	
Gladstone	8
Glanworth	6
Kerwood	5
Blanchard	10
Dword Tier	10
Proof Line	5

Live Stock Market. NEW YORK, May 26.-Beeves-Re-NEW YORK, May 26.—Beeves—Receipts, 960; none for sale; nominally steady. Cables firm. Exports, 540 cattle and 4,960 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 140; nominally steady. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 637; steady; no lambs on market; medium to good sheep. \$4 50 to \$4 87½; good to prime yearlings, \$6 25 to \$6 50. Hogs—Receipts, 1,389; no sales; nominally steady.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., May 26 .-EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., May 26.—Cattle dull; no calves on sale; nominally \$6 to \$6 25. Sheep and lambs—Lambs, shade higher; lambs, choice to extra, \$6 25 to \$6 40; good to choice, \$6 to \$6 25. Sheep—Choice to extra, \$5 to \$5 25; good to choice, \$4 75 to \$5. Hogs steady; heavy and mixed, \$5 50; Yorkers, \$5 40 to \$45; light Yorkers, \$5 35 to \$5 40; pigs, \$5 to \$5 05; roughs, \$3 75 to \$3 80; stags, \$2 70 to \$3 90.

CHICAGO, May 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 300; nominally steady; good to prime native steers, \$5 10 to \$5 70. Hogs—Receipts, today, 10,000; tomorrow, 33,000; left over, 1,500; generally 5c lower; top, \$5 35; mixed and butchers, \$5 05 to \$5 35. Sheep-Receipts, 2,000; sheep and lambs slow; good to choice wethers, \$4 90 to \$5 25.

Soldiers of the First Canadian Contingent Struck Off.

Lieut. Rasbery, Who Enlisted in the First Contingent, Dies of Enterio Fever.

was received Sunday South Africa announcing the death of Pte. John Rasberry, R. C. R., son of Wm. Rasberry, of North Wentworth. Deceased had been ill with fever at Bloemfontein, Orange Free State, for some time. He was an officer in 77th Regiment, but enlisted in Hamililton, joining the first Canadian contingent. He was an employe on the Grand Trunk Railway at Hamilton

STRUCK OFF. Fred. Hamilton, the special correspondent of the Toronto Globe with the first Canadian contingent, writes from Bloemfontein under date of April 14. as follows: On March 30 the following appeared

in orders: The following men, having been invalided to England, are struck off the strength of the battalion from the dates mentioned of sailing of the ship from Cape Town:
Per SS. Winfirda, Feb. 27—Pte. Mitchell, C Company; Pte. Hartwell, H

Company. Per SS. City of Rome, March 2 .-Pte. Burgess, H Company; Pte. Kirk-patrick, D Company; Pte. McDonald,

patrick, D Company; Ptc. McDonaid, D Company; Ptc. Bingham, C Com-pany; Ptc. Taylor, H Company. Per SS. Moravian, March 6—Staff Sergt. Hoad; Corp. Wallace, G Com-pany; Ptc. Walker, D Company; Ptc. Lockwood, H Company; Ptc. Cairns, D Company; Ptc. McLeof, G Company; D Company; Pte. McLeod, G Company; Pte. Cox, B Company. Per SS. Greek, March 15—Sergt. Utton, F Company.

Per SS. Pembroke Castle, March 16 -Pte. Clark, D Company; Pte. Holland, D Company; Pte. Hol-company; Pte. Paddon, B Company; Pte. Day, B Company; Pte. Anderton, A Company; Pte. Peters, D Company. Again on April 9 the following appeared: The undermentioned men having been invalided on SS. Downe Castle on March 24, are struck off the strength of the battalion from that date:

Corp. Baugh, E Company; Pte. Mc-Laughlin, C Company; Pte. Ward, C Company; Pte. Kennedy, C Company; Sergt. Peppiatt, F Company; Pte Andrews, A Company.

Once more, on April 11, orders said in the now familiar strain: The un-der-mentioned men, having been invalided per steamship Oratara on the 31st, are struck off the strength of the

battalion:
7,020, Pte. Battison, A Company:
7,527, Pte. McAuley, D Company:
7,392, Pte. J. Sutton, C Company:
7,156, Corp. J. Smith, B Company.

LIEUT. MCLEAN.

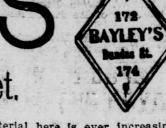
On April 10, orders contained a notice of a diminution of strength arising from a less melancholy case. The official words are: Lieut. C. W. Mcwords are: Lieut. C. W. Mc-Lean, having been appointed to a second lieutenancy in the royal artillery, is struck off the strength of the bartalion from the 3ist ult. It has been understood for some time that he was going into the service, and he to J. Hodgson for 91-16c; all sold.
Board adjourned to June 2.

OGDENSBURG, N. Y., May 26.—
Fourteen hundred and seventy-seven

Gen. Sir Henry Colville, our divisional commander. At present Lieut. Mc-Lean takes the air in a cab, as he has been kept from doing duty by an annoying sprain of the knee.

INCREASES Increases come as well as diminu-tions. Of late Lieuts. Laurie and Willis have rejoined from hospital, and with them have come several non-commissioned officers and men-Sergt. Sippi, B company, and Ptes. Baugh, B company; Adams. H company; Duncafe, A company; Leavitt, G company; Hen-Like tight boots. Nothing removes nessy, B company; Gifford, G company; With such certainty as Putpany; Kidner, C company; Forester, nam's Painless Corn Extractor. Becompany, and Green, B company. ware of poisonous substitutes. Ask

For Bicycle or Street,



Our special offer to ladies purchasing material here is ever increasing in popularity. When we say we will make, fashionably and well, bleyele or street skirts for 50c, that's just what we mean. They are not thrown together or skimped or slighted, but properly made, fitted and finished, and many hundreds of ladies are testifying to the thoroughness of our work, a better and more lasting advertisement than newspaper talk.

Extra Special Offer Commencing Today. Only 25 Cents.

We have laid out for smart and quick selling 100 ends of Dress and Skirt we have laid out for smart and quick selling love ends of Dress and Skirt lengths, oddments of the season's selling. We want to make sharp and quick work of these remnants; some were 75c, \$1 and \$125, and we pledge our word not one has been sold for less than 50c. The question with us is to close out short ends, and they will go, while they last, at the wonderfully low rate

Of 25 Cents.

The lot is composed of Plains, Semi-Plains and Fancies, the best of the season, or they wouldn't be ends; suitable for street or bicycle wear, and to add to the bargain we will extend our making offer on this lot. They're a grand bargain, and will command ready purchasers. Be on time.

Millinery.

Special prices on all ready-to-wear Hats and Bonnets. See our leader, pretty and stylishly trimmed, at \$150.

Blouse Waists.

Our Waists have a distinctive newness about the styles; new sleeve, new cuffs, new back, perfect fitting, and made in exclusive and stylish materials. See our new White and Colored Muslin Waists.

Bayley's

Adams, Gifford, Duncafe, Leavitt and Green also figured on the casualty list of the Sunday fight, while Pte. Kidner was hit on Feb. 20 outside the laager. News comes of some of our sick. Capt. Peltier, after leaving Paardehers was seriously ill and will Paardeberg, was seriously ill, and will probably have to go to England. Lieut. Wilkie also had a sharp illness, and is now convalescing. He may have to go to England, but hopes to see more service here in some capacity or other. Lieut. Mason is doing excellently, has taken over duty at Green Point, and may be back again. So may Lieut. Caldwell, who also had an illness, but

who is now much better. Some changes in the non-commissioned ranks may be noticed. Color-Sergt. Davies, of B company, goes to D company, to take color-sergeant's duties, while Lance-Corp. D'Orsennes, F company, who was erroneously reported a prisoner, becomes full cor-

THE CANADIAN POSTAL CORPS

Highly Praised by the Head of the De partment in Cape Town.

Ottawa, May 28.-The following correspondence concerning the Canadian postal corps in South Africa is interesting:

Army Base Postoffice, Cape Town, April 25, 1900. Honorable the Postmaster-General,

Ottawa: Sir,-It is now two months since the Canadian postal corps arrived in this colony, and I desire to acknowledge the timely and valuable assistance which your government has been so good to place at my disposal. Owing to the great and rapid inin the number of troops dispatched here from home and the corresponding increase in the size of the mails, the staff at first provided proved altogether inadequate, and it has been necessary to increase the strength of the army postoffice corps fourfold, and to provide much greater accommoda-

The Canadian staff, under the supervision of Captain Ecclestone, has proved very efficient, and besides relieving me of all work in connection with the Canadian troops, has rendered valuable assistance in the work generally. Sergt. Johnston and Jees. Murray and Bedell are now with the field postoffice at the front. Capt. Ecclestone and Pte. Lallier attend to the distribution of the correspondent at the base

postoffice here, and the work is performed in a very satisfactory manner, reflecting every credit on the Canadian postoffice department. With the expression of the fullest ap-preciation of the services of the Can-

adian postal corps, I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant, (Signed) G. W. Treble, major, commanding army postoffice corps. POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S REPLY.

Ottawa, May 23, 1900.-Sir,-Permit me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th ult., in which you express your appreciation of the services rendered by the Canadian postal corps in Africa. Though not surprised, I am nevertheless gratified to from your communication that the of-ficers of this department who were selected to assist in the postal work in connection with the campaign, have discharged their duties in a manner to merit the good opinion so kindly expressed in your letter. Yours faithfully, (Signed) W. Mulock, postmaster-

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A creamatory is to be built at Mon-

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CHINESE TROOPS

Missionaries Must Withdraw Into the Interior.

Hon. Herbert Asquith on Safeguards of Condition Very Serious-Ashanti Trouble Spreading.

Pekin, May 28.—The diplomatic corps have decided to ask the Chinese foreign office to define explicitly the measures which the government intends to take in dealing with "Boxers."

Shanghai, May 28 .- Reports received here indicate that affairs around Pethe defeat of the government troops by the "Boxers." It is now regarded the way in which the teaching profession to Pekin to protect the legation is considered by many to be a not be discouraged over seeming fallsont to Pekin to protect the legation is considered by many to be a not be discouraged over seeming fallnot be discourag kin are extremely critical owing to sionaries from the interior is consid-

ered imperative. Tien Tsin, May 28.-The "Boxers" burned the Liulino station in the Luhan Railway, 29 miles from Pekin last | night. They also wrecked the track, destroyed a number of cars and murdered several Chinese employes. The Belgian engineers in charge of the work are safe at Fingtai. The "Boxers" are marching on toward Pekin. Later.—The British and Belgians have left Fingtai, and the "Boxers" are expected there today. A relief train is bringing the refugees to Tien

Tsin. Train service between Pekin and Tien Tsin has been suspended since noon today. The United States cruiser Newark and a French man-of-war have arrived

at Taku. MRS. GLADSTONE WORSE. London, May 28 .- The illness of Mrs. Gladstone is now reported to be more

serious. Her strength is gradually failing, and the members of the family have been summoned to Hawarden.

THE ASHANTEE RISING. Accra, May 28 .- It is reported that three European officers were killed and Capt. Ahlin and 100 Haussas were wounded in a recent effort by the Lagos Haussas to break the investing lines of tribesmen at Kumassie. The Ashanti loss is reported to have been great, as the Haussas had three

Maxims engaged, although them-Ashantis are said to have been killed in a previous action. The rising is still spreading. PERMANENT PEACE.

London, May 28 .- In a speech at the City Liberal Club the Right Hon. Herbert Asquith, formerly home secretary, after paying tribute to British and Boer valor, referred to the settlement of the war. He deprecated the premature talk about the annexation of the Transvaal and the Orange Free State, and said: "We have learned so much during the war which was unknown or even suspected at its outbreak, of the character and extent of the dangers by which possessions in South Africa are encircled, that we would be blind indeed if we did not provide in the future adequate safeguards for permanent peace." He insisted, however, that it was necessary to remember that equal rights to all whites must be provided. The only way to do this was to establish self-government in matters of internal concern, followed by free and willing co-operation in matters of imperial concern. WANTS NO PROTECTORATE.

Auckland, May 28.-The King of the Tonga Islands objects to the clause of the treaty between Great Britain and the island government relative to the Our Vegetable Cancer Cure is a con- British protectorate. The king desires a protectorate only against foreign powers, and insists upon the kingship of himself and his descendants. Commissisoner Thompson refuses to make any concession, and a deadlock is the result, but hopes are entertained that a solution of the difficulty will be

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ORGANDIFS

81 pieces of Organdies and Dimities, "mill ends," cleared out at a very low price. They will be on sale Tuesday

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The Equipment Of the Teacher.

Mr. Barnes, public school inspector for East Lambton, gave a very inter- trust a teacher has placed in his puesting and profitable lecture to the pils has restrained and conquered evil students at the Normal School Friday afternoon, on "The Equipment of the sets. There must be sincerity in words,

mean all qualifications, natural and acquired, which shall shape and moid the characters of his pupils, and fit them for the preparation of life. Every thinking person must have felt that the fate of empires depends on the education of the youth. Consequently the teacher's influence may set in action a power which cannot be measured, just as a pebble, thrown into the stream, sets in motion currents, which bound and rebound, never ceasing; so our influence, as teachers, goes on from generation to generation. great aim, therefore, of the teacher's work, should be "deeds, not words." By precept and example he His external influence should be to cherish and unfold the seeds of immortality, and to develop the faculties wherewith God has endowed each one. The teacher must, in order to accomplish the best results, know his subject thoroughly. His scholarship must be broad and accurate, in order to present his work from its various standpoints. for lack of scholarship usually results in poor and imperfect work.

The teacher should read different authors and keep in touch with the educational questions of the day. must be a student in order to teach successfully, for only by constant, daily study do we become thoroughly qualified in any branch of work. Some attention must be given to the text book. He must know the text book, and his knowledge he adapts to the capacity of the pupils. Before presenting his work the teacher should ask: "What to do? How to do this? and what to do next?" The end of the lesson must be seen from the beginning, and when the text book is used it must be preceded, accompanied and followed by oral instruction. There must be daily and particular prepara-tion on the part of the teacher. By this the mind is kept fresh and vigorous, worry is lessened and enthusiasm aroused; hence the teacher is better enabled to see what dimculties are involved, and how to avoid them; also the value of each lesson as an educa-The main requisite of a successful

teacher must be aptitude to teach. Many successful scholars are poor teachers, while, on the other hand, backward or "slow" scholars have proven to be splendid teachers. He must power to arouse interest, and the curiosity of his pupils; to foresee difficulto know what help is required, and how this is to be given. This ability may be aided by the experience of others. It is our duty to gather up and assimilate as much of these experiences as is possible. Another qualification necessary for success is tact. To a teacher possessing this quality, government is easy. Though it is difficult to exactly state what is meant by we all are familiar with the method of exercising it. Sometimes a look, a word, or even the tone of voice, has an influence reaching, it may be, to eternity. All can acquire it by patience, diligence and attention. The greatest work of life is the formation of a high moral character. Hence it is indispensable that a teacher be true mor- throat and lungs, coughs, colds, etc. ally. The lessons of early life are never entirely obliterated, and in the formpure heart, else the final regult will vided by the Musical Society Band be one of harm, for no one can meas-

ure the power which the teacher's character has upon his pupils. In the administration of his work there must be firmness, patience, gentleness, confidence and truth. To be effectual, training must be consistent. confidence in your pupils and they will become trustworthy. How often the

fidelity in actions and honor in life. ony, with but small compensation, hope, the good influence will go on forever, and the pupils will look back This, however, is not so. There is no calling more honorable in its utility, its happiness and the well-being of its accomplishments. On account of its accomplishments. On account of its accomplishments on account of its accomplishments. On account of its accomplishments on account of its accomplishments. On account of its accomplishments of account of its accomplishments. On account of its accomplishments of account of its accomplishments. On account of its accomplishments of account of its accomplishments. On account of its accomplishments of account of its accomplishments of account of its accomplishments. On account of its accomplishments of account of its accomplishments of account of its accomplishments. On account of its accomplishments of account of its accomplishments of account of its accomplishments. On account of its accomplishments of account of its accomplishments of account of its accomplishments. On account of its accomplishments of account of its accomplishments of account of its accomplishments of account of its accomplishments. On account of its accomplishments of account of its accomplishments of account of its accomplishments of account of its account great importance and wide-spread in-fluence, the teaching profession de-mands careful preparation. By the "equipment" or a teacher we

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If that mirror of yours shows a wretched, sallow complexion, a jaun-diced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin, it's liver trouble; but Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the liver, purify the blood, give clear skin, rosy cheeks, rich complexion. 25c. For sale by W. T. Strong & Co.

Spend Tuesday night at Springbank and enjoy the breezes from the water. and listen to the sweet music provided by the Musical Society Band.

Color photography will, doubtless, in time be of great use for reproducing the medical and surgical aspects of disease Mr. Ives has experimented upon this

subject with his "kromskop." The American Government corral at Manila has been quarantined. There are four suspected cases of bubonic plague among the teamsters, who are living in filthy dwellings, which will

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Sugar114	114%		331/4	34
Pederal Steel 84%	34%	3414		287
Bubber	2816	28%	2838	
Steel and Wire 34%	84	34%	34	34%
Tobacco 92%	921/8	925%	9014	91
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See Report of May 14

from superintendent of "Rob Roy" Mines. He says Company can take out ore when they like, and work for work. "Rob Roy" shows better than "Silver Cup" or "Nettie A. E. WELCH, 207 Dundas St., London, Ont.

Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, May 28.-Wheat-Demand slow, market dull; cars of red and white are quoted at 65c asked west, and millers are quoting 1/2c to 1c less; goose, 67c west; spring wheat, 65c ask-ed east; Manitoba, 77½c for No. 1, prompt shipment west; at 781/2c to 79c, grinding in transit, and 734c at Goderich and Midland. Flour-Dull; cars of straight roller or Ontario patents are quoted in barrels at \$2 80; Manitoba, \$4 to \$410 for patents, and \$870 for strong bakers in car lots here. Milifeed-Steady, at \$14 50 to \$15 for shorts and \$13 for bran west. Barley-Dull, nominal; No. 2, 40c west. Buckwheat -Dull, at 50c west. Rye-Steady, at 50c west. Corn-Steady, at 39c for Canada yellow west: No. 3 new American is quoted at 45c at Toronto. Oats-Steady; mixed, 26c; white, 26c on the C. P. R., and 261/2c on the G. T. R. west. Peas-Dull, at 57c west. Butter -Receipts fair; market quiet; pals and tubs, 12c to 13½c. Eggs-Steady,

English Markets

Wheat—Spot, dull; No. 1 Cal., 5s 1d to 6s 2d; No. 1 northern spring, 5s 9½d; futures, steady; July, 5s 8½d; Sept., 5s 7½d. Corn—Spot, quiet: American futures, quiet; May, nominal; July, 3s 94d; Eept., 3s 94d.

Peas—Canadian, 5s 8d.
Plour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 7s 3d.
Hops—At London (Pacific coast), steady, £215s Beef-Dull; extra India mess, 80s; prime mess,

Pork—Dull; prime mess, fine western, 67s 6d.
Lard—Dull; prime western, in tierces, 35s;
American refined, in pails, 36s 9d.
Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 1bs, easy, 48s.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 1bs, dull, 43s; short ribs, 18 to 22 1bs, dull, 42s; long clear middles, light, 30 to 35 1bs, dull, 41s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 1bs, dull, 41s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 1bs, dull, 37s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 1bs, steady, 40s 6d.
Shoulders—Equare, 12 to 14 1bs, dull, 37s.
Butter—Finest American, nominal; good, 76s.
Checse—Easy, American finest white and colored, 52s.

Cottonseed oil - Hull refined, June-Aug.,

Tallow—Dull; prime city, 25s 6d; Australian in London, 27s.
Turpentine spirits—Steady, 45s.
Rosin—Common, steady, 5s.
Petroleum—Refined, 7s.
Linseed oil—36s 6d.

The imports of wheat into Liverpool for the

last week were: From Atlantic ports, 37,900 quarters; and from other ports, 95,000 quarters. The imports of corn into Liverpool from Atlantic ports for the week were 78,100 quarters. American Markets

NEW YORK, May 28 .- Flour-Receipts, 22,170 bbls; sales, 3,450 pkgs; state and western inactive and a shade easier with wheat; Minnesota patents, \$3 60 to \$3 80; winter straights, \$3 35 to \$3 45; Minnesota bakers, \$2 65 to \$2 95; winter extras, \$2 55 to \$2 75; winter to \$3.85; winter low natents. \$3 60 grades, \$2 25 to \$2 40. Rye flour-Quiet; fair to good, \$2 90 to \$3 15; choice to fancy, \$3 25 to \$3 50. Wheat—Receipts, 119,800 bu; sales, 1,450,000 bu; options



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market was weak and lower in face of boad drought news, being influenced by weak cables, large northwest receipts and fine crop talk from Kansas; July, 7113-16c to 725-16c; Sept., 72%c to 73%c. Rye—Dull; state, 59c c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 62½c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 239,800 thus sales 120,000 bus contion market linear the fall print and the choir of the First Presbyterian Church. bu; sales, 120,000 bu; option market was dull and easy under bearish crop news and weak cables; July, 41%c to 4113-16c; Sept., 42c to 42%c. Oats—Receipts, 174,800 bu; options quiet and easier with corn; track, white state, 28c to 34%c; track, white western, 28c to 34%c. Butter—Receipts, 13,643 pkgs; market firm; state dairy 18c to 18c. market firm; state dairy, 16c to 19c; state creamery, 16%c to 20%c; western do, 16½c to 20½c; factory, 14c to 16c; imitation do, 15c to 18c. Cheese—Receipts, 4.894 pkgs; market weak; fancy large white, 9½c; fancy large colored, 9½c; fancy small colored, 8½c to 9c; fancy small colored, 8½c to 9c. Eggs -Receipts, 17,592 pkgs; firm; state and Pennsylvania, 14c to 14½c; western, loss off, 13½c to 14c; southern, at mark, 10½c to 12c. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 4c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4½c; molasses sugar, 313-16c; refined firm; crushed, \$570; powdered, \$540; granulated, \$530. Coffee—Steady; No. 7 Rio, 780 7%c. Lead—Dull; exchange price, \$3 97½ to \$4 02½; bullion price, \$3 80. Wool—Dull; domestic fleece, 25c to 28c; Texas, 15c to 18c. Hops—Steady; state common to choice, 1899 crop, 11c to 14c;

RUFFALO, May 28.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 71%c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 74%c. Corn—No. 2 corn, 42%c; No. 3 corn, 41%c; No. 3 corn, 40%c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 27%c; No. 3 white, 27%c; No. 2 mixed, 26c, through

Pacific coast, 189 crop, 10c to 13c; old,

DETROIT, May 28.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 73%c; No. 2 red, cash, 73%c; May, 73%c; July, 72%c. TOLEDO, O., May 28.—Wheat—Cash, 74½c; May, 74½c; July, 72¾c; Sept., 72c. Corn—May, 39c; July, 37½c. Oats

Chicago Exchange. Chicago Exchange.

CHICAGO. May 28.

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

Open. High. Low. Close.

Wheat—May... 65% 66 65% 65%

July.... 36% 67½ 66% 66% 66%

Corn—May... 36 36% 37 36% 37

Oats—May... 21 21% 21 21%

July... 21% 21 21%

Pork—May... 11 15 11 20 11 15 11 20

July... 11 17 11 32 11 17 11 30

Lard—May.... ...

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Lard — May 6 75

Ribs — May 6 47

July 6 45

LEADERS

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Latest Probabilities.

Toronto, May 28-10 a.m.-Probabili-ties for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region: Moderate to fresh easterly winds; mostly fair today; some local

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

-At present there is only one female prisoner in the county jail here. -- About \$90 was collected yesterday in the Askin Street Methodist Church for the Indian famine fund.

-Mr. T. R. Turner, of Guelph, has returned home after spending a few days with Miss Lizzie Davidson, of St. James street, city. -Mrs. Chas. Chambers (formerly

Mrs. A. M. Denniss) will be at home to her friends on Wednesday and Thursday, May 30 and 31, at 566 Maitland -It was Rev. Mr. Holmes, of Askin

Street Methodist Church, not Ven. Archdeacon Davis, as stated, who officiated at the funeral of the late Mrs. Hogg. -Mr. James Winslow, formerly night operator in the C. P. R. telegraph

office, is lying dangerously ill with spinal meningitis at Beaver Dam, near Port Arthur. -Treasurer Pope has received a letter from the secretary of the relief committee at Hull, acknowledging with

thanks the receipt of the draft of \$399 recently sent from the city. -A cablegram was received this morning at Wolseley Barracks from Major Denison, of Lord Roberts' staff, saying that he had completely re-covered from a recent attack of enteric

fever. -Mrs. Corcoran, of Sarnia, representing Lily of the Valley Lodge, No. 16, L. O. B. A., arrived in the city on Saturday, and will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ben Campbell, 290 Hill

street, during her stay in the city. -At the police court this morning. four wheelmen were fined \$1 each fast riding, and one was fined \$2 for using the sidewalk. Two drunks were discharged and another who was also charged with disorderly conduct was

-The seventh annual session of the L. O. B. A. will be held at Society Hall, Dundas street east, today and tomorrow. The R. W. G. M. of To-ronto is the guest of the W. M. of No. 2 Lodge, Mrs. A. Perkin, of 639 Dufferin avenue, city, during the sessions of the grand lodge.

-Mr. David S. Robb, C. S. B., of Princess avenue, who has been visiting in Richmond, Va., for the past two or three weeks, organized a church there on Sunday, May 20, to be known as First Church of Christ, Scientist, Richmond, Va. Mr. Robb leaves Richmond for Boston, where he will attend the annual meeting of the mother church, also the communion service, in June.

-The grand organ recital and sacred concert to be given at St. James' Pres-byterian Church tonight, promises to

Wedding Gifts. Large assortment of Mantel Clocks. Silverware and Novelties. The right goods for weddings.

ADKINS, East London. Marriage Licenses Issued,

-The California Independent, published at Los Angeles, has the following complimentary notice about Rev. Dr. Wild, formerly pastor of the First Congregational Church, city: "We congratulate the Rev. Joseph Wild, D.D., upon his entrance to the fourth year's pastorate of Plymouth Congregational Church. The past three years God has graciously blessed the church with prosperity, heace and harmony.

-In Europe, as in America, the name of Agnes Knox-Black is synonymous with all that stands for excellence elocution, and for sympathetic inter-pretation of selections. She is famous not only because of her great ability and pleasing appearance, but also because it has always been noticeable that her programmes are so utterly dis-asimilar to those of a majority of elocutionists, in that they comprise selec-tions, classical or otherwise, that appeal to her audiences as much for their greatness of thought as for their beauty of expression. It will be in such a programme that this ever-popular en-tertainer will be heard at the Auditorium tomorrow night.

THE ECLIPSE. A few minutes before 9 o'clock this morning the partial eclipse of the sun was clearly visible in this city. The sky was heavily clouded all morning and it was feared that it would thus be obscured. At the time mentioned. however, a break in the clouds occurred and the sun was seen with a shadow covering about three-quarters of its surface.

A BIG BELL. presented to the trustees of the church. The bell, which was made at Baltimore, Md., weighs 4,000 pounds. will have cost when in position \$1,500 or \$1,600. It is the largest bell in the city, and elso is the first to be erected in a local Methodist church.

From the Late Pte. W. G. Adams

The following interesting letter has been received by Sergt.-Major Adams, of the police force, from his son, Pte. W. G. Adams, whose death occurred shortly afterwards. It is dated Bloemfontein, March 16.

"Dear Father,-You will see by the heading where I am now. We arrived here yesterday afternoon, after a month and a few days of hard marching, sleeping in rain, without tents. Col. Otter told us yesterday that the march we made would be historical, as it was a wonderful feat we had accomplished in the time. I will tell you about the report of me being missing. We left Coffeefontein at 6 o'clock at night to march 22 miles, as we thought, to another camp. At 10:30 o'clock we stopped, and the officers told us that we could sleep for two hours while the mules were being fed. My place was seven feet from the main body, as I was a link between them and the cross flank; so, when we laid down, I. like the rest, went to sleep, and I was so tired from long marching that I slept soundly. When the regiment moved off they did not arouse me, in the dark, sleeping, and they went right When I woke up there was not a soul or a sound around. You can imagine my feelings. I followed around about two hours, discharged three shots, and then laid down again till daylight. When I got up I found a horse. I made a bridle out of my knife strap and rode back toward the camp we left, fourteen miles away. I found the Highland Light Infantry on the way to meet Cronie's supports. and reported my plight to the sergeantmajor of one of the regiments. I marched with them, and was under fire with that brigade from 8 in the morning until 9 o'clock at night. captured three laagers. I am told that their loss was 200 killed and 171 wounded. Our casualties were 300. We then rested for three days, and then went into the trenches. We made a night attack on the 26th. Cronje surrendered on the 27th, when the first part of his arms were laid down to the Canadians." In another letter from Capt. Chaplain

J. Almond, R. C. I., Major Adams was told that his son had been ill for a few weeks, but his condition had im proved, so that it was expected that he would soon be with the regiment again. He wrote: "Lieut.-Col. Otter is most kind, and sees himself that every comfort is extended to the Canadians in the hospital. Your boy is very cheerful and plucky through his

Capt. Stuart also wrote about the He said: "He did not young soldier. die on the battlefield, but he went vicinity today and prevented anything through the battle with the Highland but the most incomplete observations Light Infantry, which he joined after being separated from his comrades, being anxious, and, indeed, determintary honors in the Bloemfontein cememen of the bravest and best brigades magin the world—the Guards and the the Highland brigades. All the officers and and the eclipse was over.
men of B company followed to the Wadesboro, N. C., May 28.—The men of B company followed to the grave, sorrowing over a good soldier your boy in the folds of the flag he died for. A letter of sympathy was also re-

ceived by Major Adams from Rev. Thomas F. Fullerton, chaplain, R.

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Everybody was delighted with band concerts provided by the Musical Society Band on Saturday at Springbank. This popular musical organization will give another concert at the River Park on Tuesday night, and the street railway company have made arrangements to handle a large crowd.

ST. LOUIS STRIKE

Four Persons Have Been Slain and Twenty-Two Wounded - Fifty or More Injured in Various Ways.

St. Louis, Mo., May 27.—This is the 20th day of the street railway strike, and the end seems as far away as ever, both the Transit Company and its employes standing firm. Not a car on the Transit Company's system has been run since the strike began, without po-lice protection. The list of casualties shows four persons shot and killed, 22 wounded by builtes and 50 or more injured in other ways. Two of the killed were innocent bystanders, the others being a striking motorman and an emergency policeman. Several of the wounded are in a critical condition and may die. It is said by the strikers that less than 50 of their number, 3,325, who struck, have returned to work, and that at least 50 of the imported men have joined the strikers. All the points of issue between the company and its striking employes have been agreed to except that of reinstating all the men who went out in their old positions. The company refuses to displace the men hired since the strike began, while the strikers decline to sign any agreement that does not give all the old men their places again. STRIKER KILLED.

St. Louis, Mo., May 28.-As a result striking and working employes of the transit system, three men were shot, one being fatally and the others ser-tously wounded. As Philip Sullivan, Jas. Sullivan and Patrick O'Connell, strikers, were passing through Lafay-ette Park, they were approached from the rear and fired upon by three men bystanders imagining it was a delib-

BY A CLOSE VOTE

Conference of the Episcopal Methodist Church Continues the Ban on Cards, Dancing and the Theater.

bitterness anything yet heard during the session, the Methodist General Conference practically decided Saturday to make no change in the attitude of the church in regard to card playing, dancing, theatergoing and forms of amusement, which since 1872 have been under the ban of the

Preceding the vote to accept the minority report recommending no action, the conference at times was in a state of wild disorder, due mainly to attempts to amend the section of the book of discipline under discussion. Some exceedingly sharp language was indulged in by the angry delegates before the vote was taken.

A long list of standing committees

of the church and a committee to select delegates to attend the Ecumenical Congress in London in 1901 were agreed to by the conference. A resolution was also adopted allowing all officers of the general conference who were not reelected one-half their salaries until the meeting of the annual conferences. Chicago, May 28.-The Methodist

general conference today took unexpected action in regard to the committee reports on card-playing, dancing and other prohibited amusements. The official vote by which the minority report was accepted recommending no action was announced as 333 aves and 290 noes. Then, to the surprise of the large audience, on motion of Dr. Buckley, the minority report was laid on the table by a vote of 256 to 253. Bishop Fitzgerald then ruled, however, that the question was no longer before the house. It is extremely improbable that the matter will again be taken up for action, so the standing of the Methodist Church for the next four years in regard to forbidden amusements will be unchanged.

The report of the committee on temperance was then presented. The minority report contained a strong arraignment of President McKinley and Attorney-General Griggs for their attitude on the anti-canteen law, and over this point the conference debated all morning.

SOL'S ECLIPSE

Furnished a Beautiful Spectacle at Fortress Munroe, Va., and Other Points.

New York, May 28.-Heavy clouds obscured the sky in New York and of the eclipse of the sun.

Fort Monroe, Va., May 28.—The sun was totally eclipsed at 8:53 o'clock in ed to do his share in keeping safe his a cloudless sky. The period of totalcountry's honor. The seven weeks of ity was about 30 seconds, during hard marching, without tents, and the which time a tiny star hung just beduring exposure, told on him so that when low the magnificent corona which sickness came he could not throw it glowed around the inky disc. Twioff. * * He was buried with mili-light settled on land and water, and the skies took on wonderful aftertery, side by side with the officers and summer tints. Then, as though by men of the bravest and best brigades magic, a star of fire blazed out on southern boundary of the disc,

eclipse was viewed here this morning and loved comrade. I had a photo-graph made of the funeral, showing Observations were made by scientists from the Smithsonian Institution at Washington, the English Astronomical Society of London, Yerkes Observa-Princeton University, Charlston, S. C., Military Institute, and a representative from the Toronto Astronomical Society, was also at work. The eclipse formed a beautiful sight, and the observers united in pronouncing the conditions perfect. Prof. Barnard, of Yerkes Observatory, stated that the totality period was slightly shorter than calculated, which proved the moon tables to be slightly incorrect. All the principal work was photographed, and the progress was completely carried out.

London, May 28-3:38 p.m.-The conditions in London for observations of the sun's eclipse were fair. The day was somewhat cloudy, but at 2:47 p.m. the sun shone out brightly and the circular shadow over the disc was re-markably clear cut. The sun was intermittently obscured, but the observers had ample opportunity to obtain valuable results.

Washington, May 28.-The success attending the eclipse observations here was highly gratifying.

The weather man predicts hot weather. Springbank is the place to get away from it. Band concert Tuesday night by Musical Society Band. Charles G. Grant, trick bicycle rider, will ride down a ladder from the top of the pavilion on Saturday night.

Not Yet

Balfour Hasn't Heard of Any Peace Negotiations.

Berliners Believe the Boers Are Tired of the War-Mafeking's Siege Casualties Total 803-Review of the

London, May 28.-In the House of Commons today the government leader, Mr. A. J. Balfour, said he had no information in regard to the reported negotiations for peace with the Trans-TIRED OF WAR.

Berlin, May 28.—The latest news from South Africa received here is generally interpreted as showing the Boers are tired of the war, and are only looking for a decent pretext to make peace.

MAFEKING CASUALTIES, 803. London, May 28.-A dispatch from of an encounter last night between the Mafeking, dated May 23, says the total casualties since the commencement of the siege were 803. Among the white combatants out of 44 officers, 22 were killed, wounded or missing, and 190 men out of 975 were killed, wounded or missing.

DOUBTFUL OF RESISTANCE. Early this morning workmen commenced to put in position in the tower of the First Methodist Church an immerse bell that has been procured by a number of individual members and presented to the trustees of the church.

The rear and fired upon by three men said to be in the company's employ. One of the bullets passed through the federals are said to be preparing for strong resistance at the Klip River, those who have most closely followed the progress of the war since the British and Boer armies early this trustees of the church. came in touch at Brandfort, are very skeptical as to the burghers seriously bystanders imagining it was a deliberate attempt at assassination on the present company's new employes, while others aver it was nothing more or less than a pitched battle between the two factions. The three unknown men had made good their escape by the time the police arrived on the scene. Skeptical as to the burghers seriously disputing Lord Roberts' advance even Klip River, the safety of the guns at Laing's Nek will be seriously imperiled, for there will be nothing to prevent Lord Roberts from seizing the Johannesburg-Laing's Nek Rallroad. Indeed it is reported that the railroad has been cut, and it is quite possible that the first official news will record

the occupation of Heidelberg.

Lord Roberts may be forced at the
Paal River to repair the bridge and get his guns and transport across, but the mounted men will not be delayed, and it is said in high quarters that Chicago, May 28.—By a close vote, the speedy announcement of the ar-and after a debate which exceeded in nesburg will not surprise the war of-

JULIAN RALPH WOUNDED. New York, May 27.—The Sun has the following special: London, May 26.—Julian Ralph, the well-known newspaper correspondent, arrived in London today, invalided through injuries re-ceived in South Africa. He will probably lose one of his legs.

A London dispatch to the Sun on Feb. 3, said that Mr. Knight, a wounded correspondent of the Morning Post, who had arrived there, reported that Mr. Ralph had been wounded in the abdomen at Belmont by a spent shell. Another dispatch this week said that 21 war correspondents have been killed or have died of disease during the war. The London Daily Mail, this dispatch said, had been particularly unfortunate, as ten of its correspondents had been put out of service by death or illness.

LIVES LOST

By the Collapse of a Cold Storage Building.

Fifty Workmen Buried in the Ruins-Several Killed and Others Fatally Mangled.

Southampton, May 28.-The concrete piles of the new cold storage premises in course of construction at Southampton docks collapsed this afternoon, and the structure fell, burying 50 workmen, several of whom were killed. Others were fatally mangled, and others are still missing.

Telegraphic Briefs.

Prince William of Herz is dead in Berlin. Tammany is now talking of Dewey for second place.

Prussia's ministry orders stricter supervision of saloons to check drun-Gen. de Galifet has cashiered some French army officers for discussing the

Dreyfus case. The failure of Seymour, Johnson & Company has been announced on the New York Stock and Cotton Exchange. Grants to France are alleged to have been made by the late grand vizier without the knowledge or con-

sent of the Sultan of Morocco.

A 13-year-old son of Mr. Powell, of Stockdale, accidentally shot himself in the abdomen with a re volver. His condition is critical. Mr. H. H. Fuller, member of the Legislative Council of Nova Scotia,

and head of a wholesale hardware firm in Halifax, is dead. A special from Thompson, Utah, says: "A cowardly assassination oc-curred Saturday afternoon, when Sheriff Tyler, of Grand county, and Jas. Jenkins, a cattle owner, were shot

and instantly killed by outlaws. In a row in an Italian boardinghouse, on Coleman street, New London, Conn., in the suburbs of the city, early this (Monday) morning, Robert Riconi was shot and killed, and his supposed murderer, Franco Blanco, is dying from several stabs with a stili-

LYNCH PRESIDENT OF I. T. U. Indianapolis. May 27.—Returns received from the canvassing board of the International Typographical Union indicate now that Donnelly is defeated by Lynch for president by from four to five thousand. For first vice-president the returns received are not sufficient to decide the result, so close is the race between Hayes and Hawkes

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From Near-By Places.

Belmont Times: The bylaw for commuting statute labor in the township of North Dorchester is being cir-culated. Many of the ratepayers of Westminster are anxious to see this old relic of barbarism abolished and have similar bylaw passed in that township. Statute labor has been and always will be an imposition, and the sooner the other townships follow the example set by North Dorchester the Even at the extremely rate of forty cents per day, which is the sum charged by North Dorchester, more and better work can be done than by having a gang of men "soldiering" on the road from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., when the whole idea of the men is to put in time. Again, the roads would often be better if no statute labor were done than to throw up a lot of mud out of the ditches, often where the ditches should never

be deepened. The annual meeting of the North Middlesex Conservative Association will be held in the town hall, Ailsa Craig, on Wednesday, May 30, at 1 p.m.

CAPITAL ECHOES

Sending to Detroit for Men to Take Hamilton Strikers' Places.

[Special to The Advertiser per C.P.R.] Ottawa, May 28.-Mr. A. T. Wood, M.P., received a telegram from James Dixon and Ed. Williams, of Hamilton, stating that the packers of Lawry & Co. were out on strike, and that the firm were engaging men in Detroit to take their place. Mr. Wood called on the premier and gave him the tele-gram. Sir Wilfrid said that he would attend to the matter.

The premier stated today that he

would give the names of the commission appointed to investigate election frauds either today or tomorrow. The bill to amend the Dominion election act, which Mr. Fitzpatrick has of, provides among other things that the Northwest Mounted Police and members of the permanent force will not have votes. derstood that these clauses of the bill will be dropped. One of the principal provisions of the bill is to place the Northwest Territories in the same posltion as Prince Edward Island in regard to voters' lists. This will effect a great

saving. CLIMBED SULPHUR MOUNTAIN. Banff, Canadian Rockies, May 28 .-The ascent of Sulphur Mountain, in the Canadian National Park, was made Saturday by Prince Kalamanola, of the Hawaiian Islands, under the charge of the Swiss guides stationed at Banff. The summit was reached in three hours, the last part of the climb being made through deep snow. The prince, who is en route for the Paris Exposition, has left for the east.

Steamship Arrivals

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The delicate features of the lady expressed surprise and disappoint-

I believed that the Tempests had placed you here to share my impris-onment. I believed that you were my own daughter, but I am mistaken, she said. "Who then, are you?"

"I am only Rosy Jarvis, daughter of Mr. Tempst's head gardener." "Old Janvis! I remember him well. So he is still alive? He must be a

ery old man now. Yes, he is very old and feeble, but he loves Cedarhurst so dearly that Mr. Tempest says he shall keep his place as long as he lives." Then, with some of her native vivacity returning, Vix-

looked at the lady, and said: "You asked me how I came here, and who I was. May I not ask you "Come with me." The strange lady

led little Vixen through the suite of bare rooms to one that was luxuriously furnished, and had a small lamp purning on a stand. She pushed Vixen into the only chair the room contained, and, locking the door, sat down herself on the edge of the bed.

"I will tell you who I am," she said bitterly. "I am a wronged and wretched woman, defrauded of my inheritance, torn from a beloved husband and babe, and imprisoned here for fifteen years by that fiend in human shape, Mr. Tempest!" Involuntarily Vixen clasped her

white hands and cried: "Does he know? Mr. Tracy Tempest, I mean.

'No, I do not believe that Tracy knows of his father's sin. He believes that I am dead—that I died abroad fifteen years ago while he was a Mttle lad. But, my child, why this trange interest in Tracy Tempest. What is he to you?"

The dim and blue eyes of the prisoner searched the girlish face suspici-

ously, and Vixen's lashes fell.

"He is nothing to me, madam. I have known him but two days. But he looks noble and good. I do not beeve he would stoop to anything so wicked," she said falteringly.

"Perhaps not, but I cannot tell. He a Tempest! He has his father's bad blood in his veins, and my curse has been uttered against the Temproot and branch. Child, beware of Tracy Tempest's wiles! He is too high and rich and proud to stoop to his gardener's daughter."
"Oh, I know that well, lady. I have
never—never dared to dream of such

a thing. Do not say any more about it, please. It—it—pains me!" cresting her little head proudly.

"Very well. I will not. Indeed, I must speak to you of other things.

My child. You must help me to escape from this place." "Only tell me how," Vixen cried eagerly, and the lady answered ex-

"We must think, we must plan torether. This is the first chance I have had in fifteen years to speak to a stranger, and it almost seems as of heaven itself had sent you to help me. Oh, if I could get away from this place tonight; if I could only escape and seek out my loved and lost ones!"
"I will help you if I can!" Vixen exclaimed, ardently. "Oh, what a bad, cruel man Mr. Tempest must be to

treat you so." fiend," said the beautiful prisoner. "He hates me, and it is a wonder he has not murdered me ere now to remove me from his path. Oh, I have begged him on my knees to let me go free, but he only spurned my prayers. I believe he hoped I should die of my long despair and hope de-ferred; but life has been strong within my breast-life and hope. Heaven helping me I shall escape yet and punish him for his sins."

Impulsive Vixen wept for sympathy. Her young and tender heart went out in love and sympathy for the perse-

cuted prisoner. "I did not know that such things ever happened in real life!" she exclaimed. "I thought such bad, wicked people only existed in romance. I'll tell you what to do, madam. We can tear up the bed clothes and plait them into a long rope that will reach to the ground; then we can facten it tightly to something inside and slide down to the ground."

"A happy thought! Let us set about It at once, my dear, and when the moon goes down we can try our plan,' exclaimed the prisoner, imbued with some of Vixen's eager confidence.

They set to work with busy hands and hopeful hearts, Several hours were consumed in the task; but when the heavy rope was finished, it was thick and long, and quite capable of bearing a woman's weight.

The moon had gone down, and by that sign they knew that it was mid-night. The prisoner took from a little trunk a traveling suit, dark and of rich material, although of old-fashioned make.

"It is the suit I was brought here in," she said. "You are smiling, my dear, at its quain," appearance. Never mind, I am se glad to ge care nothing for that. I shall make straight for the depot and take the night train that shall bear me far away from Sunny Side before morn-ing. God forever bless you, my noble girl, for your help and comfort! I shall never forget you; and, if I live, you shall soon hear from me

Vixen had rolled the massive old

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commenced feeling better with the first bottle, and kept on improving. Now I am so greatly improved in health my friends often speak of it. I most heartily recommend those medicines to all suffering as I was."

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bedstead to the window, and fastened the rope securely to one of the thick rosewood legs. She held up her sweet face brightly for the prisoner's grate-

ful caress. Shall I not go first and try the strength of the rope?" she asked, bravely, pushing up the window-sash and throwing her rope down over the branches of ivy, and listening for the thud upon the ground of the small iron poker she had fastened to the

The prisoner gently pushed her back. "No, my dear; mine shall be the first risk. If-if-anything happens to me, it will only end a wretched life; but if I get to the bottom safely, I shall hide in the shrubbery and wait for

She clambered up into the window with Vixen's assistance and swung herself over the sill by the ald of the stout plaited rope. A minute, and she went slipping down, down, down, the three stories that intervened between her and the ground. Faint with anxiety, Vixen leaned over the sill, trying to pierce with her blue eyes the thick

How long the time seemed, counting it by eager, fluttering heart-throbs; but soon there came a faint thud on the ground that brought a low, startled cry from her lips. She waited breathlessly, and presently a single word floated up to her:

"Safe!" Then silence.

It was the signal she had been waiting for, an da prayer of thanksgiving went up from her heart to Heaven. The rope had not failed them; the poor persecuted prisoner was free from her cruel enemy.

And now it was her own turn to try the strength of the impromptu rope. With a quickened heart-throb she sprang into the window, grasped the rope with her eager hands, and went slipping down, down, as the other had done, tearing her dress and her face on the bristling ivy leaves, bruising her hands, but reckless of all in the eager desire for liberty.

A masculine footstep rang upon the pavement beneath; the sub-tle odor of a fine cigar floated up to Some one was walking along beneath the window. She was more than half way down when, startled by the sound, her hands relaxed their hold upon the rope, and a cry of fear shrilled over her lips as she tried to regain it. In vain! The momentum was too great. The rope, the ivy, both eluded her frantic clutches, and she went whirling downward with a swiftness that took her breath away, and dropped, with a sickening thud, upon the hard pavement at the very feet of Tracy Tempest, who stopped short in his promenade and looked down in horror at the white heap huddled on the pavement.

"Great Heaven! what it this?" he exclaimed, throwing away cigar and bending over the still figure, from which came a moan of pain.

[To be Continued.]

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Why Do Americans Hate Great Britain?

what D. B. Stewart Has to Say About not apparent on the surface. It in the New York Tribune.

The following interesting letter was written to the New York Sunday Tribune by D. B. Stewart:

To the Editor: The Question, "Why do Americans hate Great Britain?" has often been discussed and is generally answered with a dehial. sometimes asserted that only the Irish and the Germans are hostile, but close observers must admit that deep N. Y. "I had severe attacks of down in the American heart there is headache and dizziness with cold a feeling of hostility, otherwise it would not be a paying game for the politicians to be continually twisting the lion's tail.

Take the present war, for instance. The politicians have been trying to outdo each other in their denunciation of Great Britain, and if some of had their way the country might have been in great danger ere this of being plunged into war with Britain. And why?

We have repeatedly asserted that happenings in the old world have no particular interest for us. Our righteous indignation did not boil to such a pitch a few years ago when the Turks were butchering Armenians by the thousand. Russia may drive out the Jews and despoil them of their property, deprive the Finns of the rights guaranteed them by the oath of the ezar, rights so dear to them that they suffer expatriation rather than give them up, and we make only a very lukewarm protest, if any.

Yet no sooner is Britain involved in a war than we cry out for intervention, and that, too, in face of the de-claration of the British Government. that it will accept intervention from no quarter. In such a case intervention meant a declaration of war.

Supposing that we went so far, what would happen next? We could not possibly land a single soldier in South Africa. All that we could do would be to attack Canada, a country which has been, on the whole, a very good neighbor, and we would be involved in the greatest war in the annals of

Britain would never submit to the conquest of Canada while she had a man left or a dollar to pay him, and if we succeeded in the end in conquering Canada, it would only be after a war which would cost a million lives, and which would leave the two countries exhausted. After was over and the two countries had time to count the cost we would probably find Russia the master of Asia, and France and Germany established in Central and South America.

It would mean that the markets which we can at present enter on equal terms with our opponents would be closed to us by a hostile tariff. It would mean a set-back of 100 years to our ideas of liberty and constitutional government.

Merely as a matter of policy, is it advisable for us to remain in this position of almost open hostility? It was this policy that alienated Canada from us and drove her into the arme of Britain, and made the Canadians more British than the British themselves. In the rebellion of 1837, the two Fenian it was possible, we gave countenance, and almost open aid to Canada's enemies. In our tariff, too, we have shown St. John, but my trouble became worse our hostility, and passed many a measure which hurt ourselves, and for no chased three bottles of Clarke's Kola other reason than that we thought it

would hurt Canada more. Probably we thought we could drive Canada into the union by these means, but we might have known that men of our race are not to be driven. The history of the United States from first last has been a proof of that. Driven out of the American markets, the Canadians were forced to look elsewhere, and it was our own fault that they found a new market in Britain, a market which they expect will prove far more remunerative than that of the United States.

Had we cultivated trade relations with Canada and shown her that her Interests lay with us, rather than with a nation on the other side of the world. we might have induced her to cast in her lot with us. Britain would never have objected to a peaceable annexation had we always shown ourselves friendly to her. It may be too late now to reverse our policy, but it might be worth trying.

There are other purely material reasons why we should cultivate friendly relations with Britain. She is our best trade customer, and more than half of all our exports are bought by her. What would we think of the business qualities of a merchant who took every opportunity of showing his dislike of his best

"Britain is a land-grabber," some will say. True enough, but has not this country done a little in that line herself? Do not our school books glory in the amount of territory we took from Mexico? Have we not become a world power of late years by our annexations in Asia and the West Indies? And if there was an opportunity of grabbing Canada and the British West Indies without much risk, would not nine Americans out of ten hold up both hands purities in the blood. Hood's Sarsa- for it? Why, then, should we condemn parilla purifies the blood. People who John Bull for a fault that is common to the breed, a fault, if fault it is, that we have inherited from him? Why should we condemn Britain alone for a fault that she possesses in common with France, Germany and Russia?

We are not consistent. It should not be forgotten that every foot of territory that comes under the British flag is open to our merchants and manufacturers as much as to the British themselves. Britain imposes no tariff discriminations, seeks for no advantage for her own merchants in her own territory. The other European nations, on the other hand, keep their foreign possessions as trade preserves, and restrict foreign competition as much as possible. They have promised not to do this in China, the greatest market in the world, but how long will they keep their promise? Just as moment longer. With that portion that with that only, can we count upon a fair field and no favor.

It is true that Britain has no friends among the great powers of Europe, but that is because she has followed the line of policy laid down by George Washington for the United States, the avoidance of entangling alliances. Britain has made alliances for special purposes, but as soon as these have been served she has retired once more into her "splendid isolation," and so has been the arbiter of the destinies of Europe during the most critical periods of her history. Today she would be welcomed into the driebund or the zweibund, and whichever side received the accession of her enormous navy and unlimited resources would be irresistible in old world affairs, but

such is not her policy.

There is only one alliance that would be welcomed by the British people, an alliance with the United States, and as there is no prospect of that, she is contented to go on her way alone, depending entirely upon her own

strength and that of her colonies. American hostility may neutralize her influence, but would the world at large be any gainer by that? If there is any other purpose that can be served by us going out of our way to oppose her in everything she undertakes, it is D. B. STEWART.

TAMMANY'S BOSS **GOES FOR BRYAN**

Croker Thinks the Nebraskan Will Beat McKinle 7.

New York, May 28 .- The Journal and Advertiser prints an interview with Richard Croker, obtained in London by Wm. T. Stead. Mr. Croker declares emphatically that he is for William Jennings Bryan for president, and he believes Mr. Bryan will beat McKinley on election day. He says he thinks Bryan is right in sticking to the 16 to 1 silver issue, but declares that in his opinion trusts and imperialism will be the principal issues of the campaign. He says Admiral Dewey is not in the running for the presidency, though he might do for a running mate.

The Evening Post says: "Ex-Senator David B. Hill and ex-Senator David Murphy had another talk with Elliott Danforth, chairman of the executive committee of the Democratic state committee, at the Hoffman House, He has conferred with the leaders of Tammany Hall and of the Kings county Democracy, and it was announced authoritatively that the programme for the state convention had been agreed upon by all parties concerned.

The features of the programme are: First, the convention will indorse the candidacy of Wm. J. Bryan and recognize him as 'our national leader:' second, the Chicago platform will not be affirmed; third, the delegates to the national convention will not be instructed. One of Mr. Hill's lieutenants, who spoke for him, gave this ex-

planation to a reporter:
"'We are all agreed that Mr.
Bryan's renomination is a certainty, and that all we can do is to fall into line, but we cannot swallow the whole Chicago platform, and it is not necessary to do so. The Kansas City convention may modify that platform; so that we can indorse Bryan and declare that we will support the platform of our party. It is customary to instruct delegates to the national convention only when New York has a candidate. It has no candidate this year. We will go to Kansas City as Bryan men, but we do not care to be so committed that we cannot ask for a modification of the Chicago platform."

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WOMEN OF THE PRESS. Detroit, May 28 .- A rare literary test is anticipated for this week in the coming to Detroit of many noted wo-men writers connected with the Women's International Press Union. The event which calls them together is the third annual meeting of the association. Germany, France, England, Sweden, Canada and the United States each furnish delegates to this assem-Women will be present from all departments of journalistic work. The congress will open Wednesday morning and continue until Friday in the convention hall of the Hotel Cadillac.

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AN ENGLISH COLONY ON LONG ISLAND.

New York, May 28 .- Negotiations have been carried on between several wealthy Englishmen and Long Island real estate men for some time with a view to forming an English coloi. on G. Sby Long Island, similar to the settlement in Tennessee. Joseph C. Willis, of London, and Enderby Dunsford, of Torquay, Devonshire, are said to be the prime movers in the scheme. They have recently closed a contract Charles F. Smith, of St. James, for the purchase of 1,000 acres of land on Long Island for \$75,000, securing the property in the interest of about 50 wealthy young Englishmen, who intend forming a colony at this place for the purpose of carrying on scientific farming. The colony will be run on a syndicate plan as far as the earnings The settlement will are concerned. only be open to bachelors at present. Mr. Smith, who sold the property, said he understood that twelve to fifteen farmers will stay at the colony throughout the year, but the majority the colony of the young men interested will stay in America only for a few months each

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, May 27-8 p.m.-The pressure is decidedly low in the Northwest Territories and high over Lake Superior and in the lower St. Lawrence Valley. Local showers and thunder-storms have occurred in the lake region; elsewhere the weather has been generally fine. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 48-54; Calgary, 32-52; Qu'Appelle, 48-92; Winnipeg, 46-80; Port Arthur, 46-62; Toronto, 50-74; Ottawa, 56-80; Quebec, 50-58; Halifax, 42-74.

Local temperatures.-The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory here on Saturday, May 26, were: Highest, 80°; lowest, 49°. On Sunday, May 27: Highest, 66.5° lowest,

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-Mrs. Geo. G. Dixon, and daughter Madeleine, of Detroit, are visiting in this city.

-Lieut.-Col. Munro, of Embro, will be on the staff at the divisional camp -Miss Booth, of this city, sang in the Methodist Church, Learnington, on

Sunday evening. Specialties College, preached at Christ Church, St. Thomas, yesterday. -Mrs. (Rev.) W. J. Clark, of this city, is visiting her parents, Rev. Dr.

and Mrs. McMullen, at Woodstock. -Messrs. John and Frank Hobbs returned Saturday from a trip to the old country, having had a most en-

-The Anglo-American Gazette says: Mr. and Mrs. Chester Glass of London, Ont., are registered at the Riviera

Palace, Nice, Italy. -Toronto Star: Miss Dart, the Queen's plate candidate, belonging to Mr. Adam Beck, has gone lame as a result of Thursday's race.

-Mr. H. Coon, Miss Edna Coon, Mrs. J. C. Shaw and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Pettit and Miss Pettit, of Norwich,

spent the holiday in London. -Mr. Fred Spittal, of this city, has purchased a tot at Port Stanley from Mr. Miller, of St. Thomas, and will

erect a summer cottage thereon. -Large crowds went to Springbank on Saturday afternoon and evening. Band concerts were given at both times by the Musical Society Band. -Miss Marie Winterbottom, who was recently run over by the patrol wagon. is recovering slowly. She will not be able to resume her work until autumn.

-Niagara Falls Review: We regret that the exigencies of the G. T. R. require the removal of Mr. H. Wismer, to London. He will remove his family shortly. -Rev. W. H. Crews. M.A.

Thomas, preached the anniversary sermons of the Colborne Street Epworth League yesterday. Special music was provided. -Yesterday morning the Bishop of

Huron held a confirmation service in St. George's Church, West London, and in the evening he held one in St. James' Church, South London. -Mr. G. Hodgins, of this city, will

take the position of Mr. Simon Long, dispatcher at the G. T. R. station, at Stratford, who has been in the employ of the company for 30 years. -The Windsor board of works has awarded the contract for concrete sidewalks to P. L. Marden & Co., of

this city. They tendered on 3 square feet, at 3½ cents per sot. They tendered on 30,000 -Walter Eldridge, a worl an employed by Burnett & Sons, at the Masonic Temple, fell a considerable dis-tance from a ladder on Saturday afternoon. His injuries are not serious. -Yesterday afternoon Bishop Mc-Evay laid the corner stone of the new church at Dublin. He was assisted

Logan, and Father McCabe, of Sea--Mr. Solomon Day, the well-known sewing machine agent, of St. Thomas, dropped dead in a doctor's office in Thorndale, last Friday. He was a mem ber of Court Maple Leaf. I. O. F., St. Thomas. A wife and family survive

by Rev. Father O'Neil, of Kinkora; Fa-

ther Fogarty and Father Downey, of

him in Bay City, Mich. -On Saturday, Mrs. Young, of Dreaney's Corners, was found guilty by Squire Lacey, of selling liquor on Sunday. Inspector Bailey made the charge, and his evidence convicted her, although she denied the charge. The courts costs amounted to \$5 10. This

was Mr. Bailey's first prosecution. -Right Rev. Bishop McEvay, of this city and about 15 priests were present on Friday at the funeral of the late Rev. Dean Murphy, of Irishtown. The pall-bearers were chosen from among the priests present. Rev. Dr. Kilroy, mon, and before going to the cemetery, the Right Rev. Bishop McEvay addressed the congregation. Vicar-Gen-51h-z eral Bayard, of St. Thomas, sang high

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-The excursion to Guelph that is to be held on Friday, June 8, under the auspices of the East Middlesex Farmers' Institute promises to be very largely attended. The visitors to the farm are always given every attention.Lunch will be served to them at noon. The G. T. R. have arranged for an exceptionally good service on that day. Spetrial trains on this line will stop at all stations in East Middlesex, from Denfield to St. Marys, via London, also

from Dorchester Station. -The Chicago British-American of Saturday contains the following references to the annual meeting of the London Old Boys' Association, to be held here on July 2: The present member-ship of the Chicago association has more than doubled since 1899, and the prospects are bright for a continued in-crease in the number of members. Last year 425 left Chicago on the Old Boys' special train for London to join in the reunion, and it is confidently expected that more than three times that number will leave in August next. Arrangements are well under way for reduced railway fares, Chicago to London and return, good for 30 days. The qualification for membership in the London Old Boys' Association is: Birth or former residence in London or Middlesex county. The secretary will be pleased to receive the names and addresses of all London's Old Boys who have not yet joined the association. Address William A. Small, secretary, 6,147

Woodland avenue, Chicago. THE ORANGE GRAND LODGE.

On Wednesday the Orange Grand Lodge of British North America will hold its annual meeting in this city. An important matter that is to be considered is the notice of motion made last year that would bar from membership all persons engaged in the man-ufacture of liquor. It is understood that Hon. N. Clarke Wallace will stand for re-election for the grand sove-reignty. The Grand Black Chapter will meet tomorrow.

AT PORT STANLEY. The fishing from pound nets is very

light now Master Harold Jones, son of Purser Jones, of D. G. S. Petrel, is very ill.

Dr. Hutchinson, of London, has his yacht Nancy fitted out ready for busi-Reeve John Beasley is around securing advertisements for a labor paper,

and is having good success.

Mrs. (Capt.) H. Deming has arrived home after a long visit to Buffalo. In all probability the captain will move to Buffalo, where he will go into the fishing business. Port Stanley in losing Capt. Deming, loses one of its best citizens.

The Shenango arrived at Port at 11 o'clock Saturday night with 25 cars of coal, loaded and 25 empties and left again for Conneaut.

DARING CYCLIST

Rides From Tops of Buildings and Collides With Street Cars.

Charles G. Grant, the champion trick bicycle rider of the world, gave an exhibition of his riding on Dundas street, in front of Reid's hardware, on Saturday night, and attracted several thousand people. The crowd became so great that the police had to stop the exhibition, as traffic was completely blocked. Grant then proceeded to the Market Square and performed numerous tricks. He jumped over boxes, boys and chairs, and did many other difficult feats. He also rode up on the fender of several moving street cars, and did the balance act. This cars, and did the balance act. This nervy cyclist rides from the tops of bridges into the water, also from the tops of steamers into the lake, being buoyed up by life preservers. He rode down the chutes at Boston, being the only man in the world that ever attempted it. He will remain in London about a week, and goes from here

SONS OF ENGLAND

Attend Divine Service at the Wortley Road Baptist Church-Eloquent Sermon by the Pastor.

The rain that had fallen for some hours before the hour set for march interfered materially with the success of the Sons of England church parade yesterday afternoon. So muddy had physicians, and though they are slow to the roads become that the idea of marching to the Wortley Road Baptist ings in indorsing and recommending Church, in South London, where the Dr. Chase's Ointment as the most sucservice was to be held, was abandoned, and, without a band, some represent-atives of the order and of St. George's Society, to the number of 100, walked on the sidewalks to the church. The pastor, Rev. W. M. Walker, preached from a text chosen from the first verse of the first chapter of Hebrews. He besought them as members of a great brotherhood, to consider Jesus, and to ponder upon the great blessings that might be derived from membership in that greater body, the brotherhood of the sons of God. In considering Jesus, who was greater than the temple or the priesthood, the greatest of all sacrifices, the true High Priest of God, they would find that in him there was beauty and help and strength for each. While they, as Sons of England, might well be proud of their hearing of Dr. Chase's Ointment I name, there was a greater name, that of the sons of God, and one brotherhood was greater, the brotherhod of Jesus. This implied a common fatherhood, and when men got away from God they got away from one another. It was the conception of the divine fatherhood of man that was drawing men together today. Christ was the ideal brother, and in considering him they should consider his love and kindness and selfsacrifice.

In a reference to the Order of the Sons of England, he spoke of their patriotism, and laid stress upon the fact that great blessings involved great responsibilities. It was his belief that one of the great reasons why power was being taken away from the republies in South Africa was because they did not recognize their great responsibilities, and instead of raising the heathen all about them, they crushed them

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The traffic returns of the Canadian Pacific Railway for the week ended May 21, 1900, amounted to \$594,000, as compared with \$529,000 for the corresponding week of last year, an increase of \$65,000 in 1900.

Timothy Blackstone, formerly president of the Chicago and Alton Railroad Company, and one of the oldest railroad executive officers in the country, died suddenly at his residence in Chicago on Saturday.

Follow are the official returns of traffic on the Grand Trunk Railway for the week ended May 21, 1900, as compared with the corresponding period last year: 1900, \$429,305; 1839, \$401,904; increase, \$27,401. In this return the Chicago and Grand Trunk earnings are omitted.

Mr. James Young, who has held the position of foreman on the M. C. R. section at Comber for years, has been promoted to the foremanship of the Windsor yards. This promotion carries with it an increase in salary and free house rent, and is the result of years of faithful work on the part of

The officials of the M. C. R. are making extensive improvements at the station at Hagersville. The building has been raised considerably, new platform will be constructed, the grounds filled in, the depot painted and possibly entirely remodeled. The appearance of the building will be greatly imroved.

Superintendent J. B. Morford and Solicitor Montgomery, of the M. C. R., were in Dutton on Friday and bought strip of land from D. McAlpine, where the cattle yards now are on the south side of the M. C. R. track. The piece purchased is 185 feet wide along the railway and extends to the road allowance to the south. The price paid was \$350.

Two Detroit men have just been appointed to important positions in the freight department of the Michigan Central Railroad. J. A. Ferguson, who for some time has been the agent of the West Shore line in Detroit, goes to Milwaukee as commercial agent for the Michigan Central. F. W. Ten Winkel, formerly of Detroit, who is promoted to a newly-created position-that of commercial agent for the Michigan Central at San Francisco.

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Mr. F. G. Harding, retired farmer, living at Nilestown, Middlesex county, Ont., writes as follows: "I have been troubled with bleeding and itching piles for four or five years, and suffered intense agony at times, I had tried almost everything, but could get nothing that would give relief. On procured a box, and it only required part of it to cure me. I am recommending it to all afflicted as I was.' Dr. Chase's Ointment is sold by all dealers in every part of this continent, and is recognized as the one positive cure for piles and itching skin diseases. 60 cents a box. By mail, post paid, on receipt of price by Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

BEHIND THE BARS.

Canal dynamiters were locked benind prison bars at 8 o'clock on Saturday night. They were driven to the penitentiary in cabs. Though they failed in their attempt to blow up the canal, one of the men said, more successful work would be done by others.

Springbank has many charms for the tired worker these hot days, and a ride down in the open cars in the cool of the evening is a genuine treat. Band concert Tuesday night by Musical So-

He Made A Mistake

He had some money in his pocket. He bought a \$15 hand-me-down suit, warranted to fit like the paper on the wall. The warrant was no good, neither was the suit—HE HAD STRUCK A MISFIT.

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Western Ontario.

The annual meeting of the Exeter Conservative Association will be held in the town hall on Monday evening, May 28, at 8 p.m.

Charles, the mine-year-old son of Fred Cowley, M. C. R. conductor, St. Thomas, nearly lost the sight of an eye on Thursday when shooting off firecrackers. F. P. Boutellier, of Belle River, had a narrow escape from burning to

death. His house caught fire when he was lying sick in bed, and some of the neighbors rescued him just before the walls fell. Miss Marjorie O'Connor, who was for many years principal of St. Al-

phonsus' school, has returned to Windsor after seven months illness at Asheville, N. C. She has entirely recovered, and will resume her teaching duties after the holidays. Reports from Essex and Kent counties indicate that the fall be only about half a crop. In the latter county the farmers are plowing

up the wheat and sowing the ground

with beans. From present indications there will be an abundant crop of The following Methodist ministers in Essex county, will be removed to new pastorates this year: Rev. Charles Barltrop, Harrow; Rev. W. H. Shaw, South Woodslee; Rev. G. A. Gifford, Essex; Rev. J. C. Reid, Gesto; Rev. E. Armstrong, Windsor mission; Rev. Andrew Bond, Pelee Island.

Mrs. Elizabeth Tuckett, widow of Thomas B. Tuckett, of St. Thomas, died Saturday after two weeks' illness at her residence, 15 Jessie street, aged 66 years. Deceased had lived in that city for 27 years. Mrs. Wm. Strand, Burwell's Corners, is a daughter; Robert Tuckett, Thorndale, and Philip Tuckett, Milwaukee, are sons; Mrs. W. Johnston and Mrs. T. Hunter, of Dorchester, are sisters, and Wm. Stevenson, of Nilestown, and James Steven-

son, of Putnam, are brothers. A couple of accidents happened to mar Thursday's proceedings at Aylmer. Mahlon Matthews, one of the Boer forces, was shot in the face, re-Suffered Intense Agony ceiving most of the active part of a blank Enfield cartridge, leaving a number of grains scattered about his face. A young couple just returned from enjoying the day, and having some fireworks in their rig, had a firecracker light among the contents of their buggy, resulting in seriously burning the young lady and throwing her out of the rig, when she received a very severe concussion on the head. The lady's name is Miss Hilborn, from St. Thomas.

MULTUM IN PARVO

of Belleville, died Friday in Montreal,

Homer W. Taylor, a former resident

The Governor-General and Lady Minto have left for Ottawa, after spending a very busy week in Toronto. J. B. Dixon has been appointed clerk of the surrogate court at Brampton, in succession to the late Mr. Aus-

Philadelphians, in a monster mass meeting, asked the mayor and chief of police to clear themselves of blackmail charges made by John Wanamaker or vacate their jobs at once.

The liabilities of Price, McCormick & Co., New York, may be even greater than originally stated, but indications are that assets will pay at least 75 cents on the dollar. The firm was capitalized at \$1,500,000. The death occurred at Halifax Sat-

C., head of the wholesale firm of H. H. Fuller & Co., aged 72. He was one of the leading citizens of Halifax and a prominent Liberal. The Presbyterian General Assembly, which has been holdling its 112th an-Kingston, Ont., May 28.-The Welland nual meting in St. Louis, Mo., during

urday evening of H. H. Fuller, M. L.

the past ten days, concluded its deliberations and adjourned sine die, to meet next year in Philadelphia. Fire in the big warehouse of Tellier Rothwell & Co. chemical manufacturers, on St. Lazier street, Montreal,

on Sunday, caused a loss of \$30,000. The fire was confined to one warehouse, which was totally destroyed. Mrs. S. B. Rohrer, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, has attacked the validity of the Will of Mrs. M. B. Tousey, of New York, leaving ever \$1,000,000 to the

Methodist denomination. She says her aunt was insane and that fraud was used in gaining the will. The question of the admission

of members of secret societies to membership in the United Presbyterian denomination has been referred to a committee at their general assembly in Chicago with instructions to advise a course of action. The dynamiters, John Nolin, John Walsh and Karl Dullman, left St.

Catharines Saturday morning for Kingston, to spend their lives in Kingston Penitentiary. Dullman was in a very savage humor, and did not like being manacled to Walsh, but the officers took no risks. Motorman Gilbert, of the St. Thomas Street Railway Company, had a narrow escape from losing an eye Friday, being struck by a missile from an air

gun on the eyebrow, raising a large

lump. Half an inch lower and his eye would have been gone. A boy named Oatman fired the gun. John Ridley and Archie Carter, both negroes, were shot down by a colored companion about midnight Saturday, at Niagara Falls, N. Y., presumably because of a disagreement over a crap game. Phillip Patton was arrested on suspicion, and a revolver, with three empty chambers, was found in his possession. Ridley was shot through the mounth and Carter

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