

## Births, Marriages, Deaths.

## BORN.

BYCROFT—On March 9, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. George W. Bycroft, of Woodbank, Ont., a son.

FITZGERALD—On Friday, March 7, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fitzgerald, 14 Arthur street, a son.

## DIED.

THORNTON—In this city, on Friday, March 7, 1902, William Thornton, aged 69 years.

Funeral from his late residence, 375 Melville street, on Monday at 2 o'clock; services at 2:30.

DAWSON—At Montreal, on Friday, March 7, 1902, Isabella Wallace, widow of the late William James Dawson.

Interment at Kingston.

DOUGLAS—Suddenly on Sunday, March 9, 1902, at his residence, 213 Wootley road, South London, Robert A. Douglas.

Funeral on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock; service at 2:30.

HERON—In this city, on Sunday, March 9, 1902, Margaret, third daughter of the late James Heron.

Funeral Wednesday, 12th inst., from her late residence, 283 Wolfe street, at 2:30 p.m.; services at 2 p.m.

PARKINS—In this city, on March 10, 1902, William Parkins, aged 66.

Funeral from his late residence, 556 Queen's avenue, Wednesday, the 12th inst., at 2 o'clock; services at 1:30. Private.

DUNN—In this city, on Sunday, March 9, 1902, Sarah, widow of the late Henry Dunn, aged 77 years.

Funeral from her late residence, 141 Ridout street south, on Tuesday, 8:30; service, 3 o'clock.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

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

## NEW GRAND EVENING.

The Sensational A Splendid Staged Melodrama.

**GAMBLER'S DAUGHTER**

Popular Prices.

## NEXT FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

WITH MATINEE SATURDAY.

50 PEOPLE. THE 50 PEOPLE.

## BOSTON LYRIC OPERA CO.

FRIDAY EVENING—IL TROVATORE.

SATURDAY MATINEE—THE BOHEMIAN GIRL.

SATURDAY EVENING—FAUST.

All opera sung in English.

Evenings, 7:15, 7:50, 9:00. Matinee, 2:00 and 5:00.

Seats ready Wednesday morning.

## ST. PATRICK'S CONCERT.

New Grand Opera House.

MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 17.

Hilma Jones, tenor; Hilma Richardson, violinist; Alice Calder, contralto; Irene Owen, A. Simley, cello.

Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c.

## THE CUNARD LINE SAILINGS.

As follows: Umbria, Saturday, March 8; Lucania, Saturday, March 8; Etruria, Saturday, March 22. For tickets apply to F. B. Clarke, agent Cunard Line, Richmond street, next Adelphi.

## PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING.

By E. B. Millard, 315 Pincus avenue. Special attention given to the waltz and two-step. Rapid teaching. Low rates. Lessons any hour.

## DANCING-BEGINNERS' NEW TERM.

open. Gentlemen, Monday; ladies, Tuesday evening; children, Saturday afternoon. Private tuition any hour. Day and McCormick.

## MALE HELP WANTED.

1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

BOY WANTED IMMEDIATELY. APPLY John Mills' Book Store.

WANTED-EXPERIENCED PORTER. Must be first-class. Apply New Daily House, Ingersoll.

WANTED-CATHOLIC YOUNG MAN. To act as collector. Address Murphy & McCarthy, Box 1191, St. Thomas.

MAN WANTED FOR FARM WORK. Apply John McPherson, Ilberton, Ont.

ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE. Death benefits and weekly indemnity; free medical attendance; financial assistance in distress; most liberal and cheapest protection ever offered; strong company; legal department with Dominion Government Agents; liberal commissions; permanent income to good representatives; exclusive control of territory. Our position is unequalled in the insurance field. Write immediately. P. R. Cunningham, secretary, 189 Broadway, New York.

## HEL: WANTED.

1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

POOREST WRITERS PAID 10 CENTS per hour copying testimonial letters at home. Send 10c (silver) for samples and particulars. Maritime A. Co., Moncton, N.B. 210c-xt

## DRESSMAKING.

DRESS-CUTTING SCHOOL-GARMENT cutting lessons daily. Pupils instructed until satisfied. Call or write for terms. 233½ Dundas street, London.

## DOMINION

Savings and Investment Society.

HIGHEST RATES Paid on Deposits and Debentures.

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

NATHANIEL MILLS, Manager

## FEMALE HELP WANTED.

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WANTED-GENERAL SERVANT, IN family of three; must be a good cook; no washing. Apply 613 Wellington street.

DRESSMAKERS WANTED. APPLY to Miss Brown, 745 Richmond street.

GIRL WANTED TO LEARN BOOK-BINDING. Chapman's Bindery, 91 Dundas street.

EXPERIENCED HOUSEMAID WANTED, by the beginning of April. Apply Mrs. Puddicombe, 296 King street.

DRESSMAKERS WANTED-SKIRT and waist makers. Miss Wright, 739 Richmond street.

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT-SMALL family; references required. Mrs. Chapman, 280 Dundas street.

WANTED-SERVANT FOR GENERAL household. Apply 384 Dufferin avenue, between 6 and 8 p.m., or 457 Osborne street.

TWO EXPERIENCED SALESLADIES wanted. Apply personally. Bay's, 712 and 714 Dundas street.

WANTED-A CHAMBERMAID. APPLY City Hotel.

WANTED-TWO EXPERIENCED SALESLADIES for the dry goods. Apply Whiskard's, Dundas street, London, Ont.

GIRLS WANTED. APPLY SUPERINTENDENT OF D. S. Ferrin & Co. 197.

WANTED.

1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

EGGS WANTED-HIGHEST CASH price paid. If you have any to offer, write us and we will quote you price. Market House.

WANTED-FAMILY WASHING. To take home; can be sent home rough dried or ironed. 309 Cheapside street.

COME AND SEE OUR NATURAL Pompadour. They are perfect. Combings wanted. Miller's Hair Store, 223 Dundas street.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST-THURSDAY AFTERNOON, a parcel containing lace and velvet. Please return to this office. 25c

PERSONAL.

LADIES' CONSULTATION PARLORS-Specialty, health and toilet remedies. Palmistry continued by request. Madame, 470 Ridout.

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

FOR SALE-40 EGG INCUBATORS. \$5. D. Greenfield, 59 Clarence street. 27n

FOR SALE-SAFE, NEARLY NEW. Apply 152 Carling street. 27n

BARRLED PLYMOUTH ROCK EGGS. \$1 per setting. 170 Bruce street. 28u

MEDICAL BATTERIES FOR SALE OR hire. Apply 562 Central avenue. 28g

FOR SALE-A BARGAIN-25-H.P. engine and boiler, almost new. Apply Standard Paint and Varnish Works, 1000 Queen's, for particulars apply to Leamington.

NEW BICYCLE TIRES, \$5.00 PAIR. Large stock of all kinds. Cunningham, 484 Dundas street.

EMPTY OIL BARRELS AND CASKS. London Soap Company.

FOR SALE-300 TO 400 PAGE NOVELS at 5c a copy; no old titles. R. Star News Company, 90 Dundas street.

F. B. CLARKE, BROKER, 416 RICHMOND street, next Adelphi-Foreign money exchanged, drafts issued, sterling exchange bought, money orders issued.

FOR SALE-TELEPHONE TABLETS, at a big discount. Originally sold for \$1.50 each, but now you can purchase one for 81c, express prepaid, or two for \$1.50. Apply at once to circulars etc., Box 5, Advertiser office. 28n-xvz

TWO ENGINES AND BOILER FOR sale, and one Laird brick and tile mill, with all the machinery. Apply to Charles Hales, Northwood, Ont. 23h

THE NOBBIEST THING IN GO-CARTS and Baby Carriages ever seen in London, at Keene Bros., 127 King street.

\$10 WILL BUY A SECOND-HAND GAS engine, 1st-class. Apply D. McKenzie, 10, 225 Richmond street.

F. S. O'NEILL, DEALER IN ALL KINDS of fresh, salt and smoked fish. Your patronage solicited. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 1,296.

FIRST-CLASS RUBBER STAMPS, 10c each. O'Connell, 1001 St. G. M. Haldane, Stratford, Ont.

THIS IS THE TIME OF THE YEAR that makes the people look for the best wood at the best prices. Ring up 1,122 and ask them about their different kinds of wood and prices. D. H. Gillies & Co., 673 Bathurst street.

STOVES-STOVES-STOVES-WE HAVE a large stock of stoves, comprising coal baseburners, hot blast and St. Lewis upright. Very cheap, at Keene's, 141 King street.

SNAP-GOOD PIANO, ROSEWOOD case, 71-3 octaves; in first-class condition, and guaranteed for 5 years. Only \$100, on easy terms of payment. Helms & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

FOR THE BEST HARD AND SOFT wood, apply to the best sawmill in the city, at 1130 per load, go to Green & Co., William street and G. T. R. Phone 1,391.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

RESPECTABLE, STEADY YOUNG man desires employment in wholesale or retail grocery; four years' experience; references if required. Address Box 4, Advertiser office. 28c

BROKERS.

WANTED-AGRICULTURAL and Canadian loan companies' stocks. John Wright, stock broker, London. Phone 683.

BUSINESS CARDS.

HODGSON & HOWARD, PAINTERS, paper-hangers. Estimates free. 410 Horton street. Orders promptly done.

WATSON & CO. HOUSE MOVERS-Steam boilers and safes a specialty. 54 Hamilton street. Phone 1,321.

## Harris Tweeds.

If it is something seasonable, nobby and almost everlasting in the clothing line that you are seeking for, try a Harris Tweed.

See our wide assortment.

Deeks & Munson, Tailors and Drapers, 393 Richmond Street.

## BOARDING, ROOMS, ETC.

1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

HEATED, FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED rooms, with use of dining room and kitchen, also bath central. Address Box 11, Advertiser. 27c

HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.

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COTTAGE TO LET ON DREANEY avenue, in good repair; large lot for gardening purposes; immediate possession. Apply A. Keenleyside, 500 King street.

TO LET-BRICK HOUSE, 8 ROOMS, all modern conveniences. 500 Adelaide street. 25c

TO LET-UNION FURNITURE VAN-Furniture carefully handled. John Flagg, Cathcart and Bruce, South London, late of London Furniture Company. Phone 210.

CALL UP FOREST CITY MOVING van. Residence, 46 Becher street. Phone 1,444. T. B. McKim, proprietor. 21bu

MOVING VANS-STORAGE WAREHOUSE, 97 Carling street. Phone 1,162 and 1,157.

REAL ESTATE.

1c per word first insertion, and 1/2c per word each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

FOR SALE-TWO STORY BRICK RESIDENCE, modern. 466 Piccadilly street.

FOR SALE-FINE 50 ACRES, CLAY loam, good buildings, near Watford. 110 acres new land, ready for crop; new buildings; only \$35 per acre. J. F. Sangster, 115 Masonic Temple.

HOUSE, NEARLY NEW, FOR SALE cheap. Apply H. N. Fleming, 43 Pall Mall street.

EXECUTORS' SALE OF VALUABLE real estate-Estate of Robert and Ann Smith, deceased. Properties on southern corner Ridout and King streets, London, and on Bathurst street east, near Maitland street. The complete building, manufacturing, facing Grand Trunk sidings. Auction sale, March 28, 2 p.m., at 383 Ridout street. Information and inspection permits may be had of the executors, Andrew McCormick and John A. Childs, or of their solicitor, G. N. Weekes, Hiscox building, London.

GROCERY STOCK FOR SALE-BEST stand in London South. Address Box 10, this office. 28c

TO RENT-BLACKSMITH SHOP AND tools; doing good trade; country village. No opposition. Address Box 23n Advertiser.

TO LET-STORE AND DWELLING-Adjoining Jenson's drug store, corner Horton and Wellington streets, one of the finest business locations in city. Apply 404 King street. 80tf

GROCERY BUSINESS FOR SALE-Good chance. Address Box 90, Advertiser office.

BAKE SHOP FOR RENT. INQUIRE at St. James P. O., London South. 62tf

AGENTS WANTED.

AGENTS-GOOD LINE, STEADY DEMAND, large profits. Write today. Sample, 5 cents. Adams, Toronto, Ont. 28v

AGENTS-WE START YOU IN BUSINESS. You can easily make \$25 per week. No capital required. Apply P. O. Drawer 82, London. 91tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

HOME FOR INCURABLES, LONDON, Ont.-The comforts of home, with nursing, for invalids, male and female, city or country. Apply to Mrs. Pattullo, secretary Women's Christian Association, London.

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a meeting of the Board of License Commissioners will be held at this office up to noon on Monday, 18th April, 1902, for the delivery of Indian supplies during the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1903, at various points in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories.

Forms of tender containing full particulars may be had by applying to the undersigned, or to the Indian Commissioner at Winnipeg. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. The tender must be signed by J. D. McLEAN, Secretary, Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa, 26th February, 1902.

N.B.-Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority of the Department will not be paid. 26v-zx

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

March 8-9. Reported at From

Princess Louise.....New York.....West Indies

Sylvania.....Boston.....Liverpool

Mongolian.....Glasgow.....New York

Kaiserin Maria Theresa.....Genoa.....New York

La Chamagne.....Havre.....New York

Prinzess Victoria.....New York.....Hamburg

L'Aquitaine.....New York.....Havre

Clitona.....Boston.....New York

Etruria.....Port Payal.....New York

Lake Michigan St. John.....The Tyne

Statenland.....New York.....Rotterdam

The quarterly target practice of the North Atlantic Naval Squadron cost \$175,000 for ammunition.

## 150 CHINESE DROWNED

Canton River Steamer Sunk by Collision.

Prize of \$20,000 Offered for Air-ship Voyage From London to Birmingham.

Santa Domingo Drops the Duties on Sugar-Features of the King's Visit to Plymouth-Hush to South Africa-Coercion for Ireland.

150 DROWNED.

Hong Kong, March 8.-It is reported from Canton that a river steamer plying on the Canton River ran down a native passenger boat, and that 150 persons were drowned.

THE KING AT PLYMOUTH.

London, March 10.-King Edward and Queen Alexandra participated in a number of inspections and ceremonies at Plymouth Saturday, including the distribution of China medals. Among the recipients was Admiral Sir Edward Hobart Seymour, who commanded the first Peking relief expedition. The principal ceremony was the launching of the battleship Queen and the laying of the keel plate of the King Edward VII.

Nothing happening in South Africa or at Westminster rivals the royal progress in Devonshire and the coming historic ceremony in the Abbey as a subject of public interest. What is proved wherever the King goes in England is the fact that the ornament or ceremonial side of monarchy has acquired a new lustre and glamor, and appeals to the imagination as well as to the loyalty of subjects.

The King and Queen will celebrate on Monday the anniversary of their wedding by a dinner party at Marlborough House. This is a quiet day in London.

BRITISH POLITICS.

The government grows more torrid as opposition languishes and weakens. The education bill, naturally, will be dropped as a most inconvenient measure, which can hardly fail to create a bad feeling among the educationists. Before the bill may also be deferred, as a contentious proposal which will only tend to unsettle what has been half settled. The education bill will be dropped as a most inconvenient measure, which can hardly fail to create a bad feeling among the educationists. Before the bill may also be deferred, as a contentious proposal which will only tend to unsettle what has been half settled.

COERCION FOR IRELAND.

Despite the premature announcement of the substitution of the coercion programme, there is reason to believe that the ministers have been frightened by the steady progress of the Irish land bill, and that a belated attempt may be made to grapple with it. The postponement of the education bill, and the few words of primary and secondary education will be discredited when the local authorities throughout the country are demanding evolution from chaos to order in the existing arrangements, but the reversion to the coercion of Ireland will be a failure. It seems incredible that Mr. O'Brien's power should be challenged by a few words of the coronation festivities, but the Unionist journals are already denouncing him as a frenzied fanatic, denouncing him as a frenzied fanatic, denouncing him as a frenzied fanatic, denouncing him as a frenzied fanatic.

SERIOUSLY DISTURBED.

The ministers, without doubt, are seriously disturbed by the condition of the island. Mr. O'Brien's organ taken advantage of the opportunity offered by the agrarian agitation. The Unionist ministry had supposed that it had brought the home rule movement to an end by establishing local government, and enabling landlords to sell out to tenants on reasonable terms. Purchase, where it had been arranged, had unsettled the districts where the landlords have been unwilling to dispose of estates, and a new conflict has opened, with the resources of the United Irish League behind the discontented tenants. It is a desperate situation, and the government is in a position to accept the principle that land reform has been carried so far that it must be taken further and purchase rendered compulsory.

A LETTER FROM KIPLING.

An interesting letter from Rudyard Kipling has been published here. Dealing with the Philippines, he replied to a Shanghai correspondent, who drew his attention to American methods in the islands, as follows: "All you say about the Philippines, the conflict between the Americans, military and civil, and the pigheadedness of the military and their habits of setting bulldozers to catch rabbits, is immensely cheering to me, because it is precisely what we are doing in South Africa. You cannot persuade a big country, ruled by a big people, that it does not know everything. When it has lost a few thousand sons and a few thousand millions sterling, it may, if unusually enlightened, begin to understand that it has taken hold of the wrong end of the stick. But, that is a great deal to hope for, and probably will not come in our time. I am very

glad to learn, on your showing, that the American seems to be constitutionally incapable of admitting himself wrong, and frankly putting himself in the right, because I did not like to think of the Americans as any more logical than ourselves. Of course, what a new country wants is a high-toned despot of unlimited powers and absolute integrity, but as America and England are both free peoples, we must just muddle along in the expensive, wasteful butchery fashion that attends our methods."

\$2,500 FOR A CLOCK.

After the sale of a Louis Seize clock for 500 guineas and a Dresden service for 570 guineas the Battle Abbey paintings were auctioned off at low prices, although Christie's rooms were crowded. Titian's sketch for the "Apocalypse of St. John" fetched 55 guineas, and Domenichino, Berchem, Poussin and other old masters were neglected. Sales of other articles illustrated the eagerness of taste in the open market. Opie's portrait of Hannah Moore in yellow and gray gown, with lace cap, sold for 10 guineas, and portraits by Romney, Holbein, Lawrence and Hals went begging. Stubbs's picture of the famous horse Eolipse, fabled to run up to 60 guineas, was a genuine sporting picture, and the old masters' religious subjects paled before it. Tenier's "La Roi Roi" commanded 400 guineas. The London collection of antiquities will be auctioned next week.

RUSH TO SOUTH AFRICA.

There is a very general impression that as soon as peace is declared there will be such a rush of immigration from all parts of Europe for the Eldorado of South Africa as has never been known in the history of the world. Business houses have their plans already made for the establishment of branches at Johannesburg and the other great towns of the late republic. Companies from the small "bubble" affairs to those involving millions upon millions of pounds, are ready to be launched as soon as there is the first announcement of a settlement, and hundreds of thousands of young men are talking of nothing but their impending departure for the south. On the continent, the far-seeing German looks forward to a time of affluence and prosperity under British rule in the land of the Boers, and even the home-staying Furia Frenchman is prepared to try his luck in the new land of milk and honey.

There will be at least five great news-papers started at various points, Johannesburg, Pretoria, Kimberley, Bulawayo, and Port Elizabeth. The Bulawayo has been contracted for the type is ready, and the editors have signed their contracts. The great steamship companies are looking forward to the first season of ships crowded with passengers in their staterooms, and with lower decks laden with immense tonnage of freight. Millions of estimates of a population of 5,000,000 inhabitants for Johannesburg in the not far distant future is accepted seriously by all sorts of people.

A LITTLE "PREVIOUS."

But it must all take time. The war is not yet over. No one knows to what extent the mines have been damaged or what the condition of affairs will be when industry and enterprise are ready to take over the task prepared for them by the big guns and the battalions of Kitchener. There has been incalculable damage and irreparable loss. It will be months after the speculators have their look in first. It will not be a good place for the careful man who cannot give his sum with which to risk his future.

PROGRESS OF THE LATEST CHINESE REBELLION.

The Kwang-Si rebels have reached Kai-Chou, 80 miles from Kwong-Chan-Yuan. They surprised the local mandarin, and captured the garrison, and released the prisoners, who joined the rebels. It is reported that the members of Triad Secret Society have joined the rebels, and are looting and burning villages.

LONDON TO BIRMINGHAM BY BALLOON.

Through the Aero Club, of London, C. A. Pearson, the publisher, has offered Santos-Dumont a prize of £20,000 for an airship voyage from London to Birmingham. No time limit is fixed. The distance is 100 miles. This will be the greatest feat Santos-Dumont has yet attempted. By request of Santos-Dumont the competition is open to all aeronauts.

NARROW ESCAPE.

During the trip of the channel squadron to this port, the battleship Campervictoria, in the Mediterranean, June 22, 1893, narrowly escaped sending the battleship Empress of India to the bottom. There was a dense fog during the whole trip. Soon after starting the Campervictoria sailed within a few feet of her sister battleship and only skillful maneuvering prevented a collision. Again, when off Kinshasa, the Campervictoria was almost in collision with the Empress of India when shouts of "For God's sake reverse," averted a disaster.

TROUBLE IN JEHOA.

Chinese officials are greatly disturbed over the conditions at Jehoa (Cheng Te), about 100 miles northwest of Peking, where bandit soldiery have captured a priest. An official of the foreign office declares that the Russians have already dispatched 500 troops to Jehoa from the Manchurian border. The trouble began over the settlement of claims of native Christians, and it resulted in a rioting between the Christians and the non-Christians. Brigands took advantage of these conditions to plunder the country, and the Russian telegraphic connections were incidentally cut.

MARY ANDERSON'S WARNING.

From the retirement of her country home, Mrs. Anderson (Mrs. Antonio de Navarro), has written a striking preface to Clara Morris' "Life on the Stage," which is on the eve of publication in England. In a glowing tribute to the American actress, Mary Anderson declares "she is the greatest emotional actress I ever saw," and adds the significant warning to stage-struck girls: "I hope she who writes this work will help to stem the tide of girls, who so blindly rush into a profession of which they are ignorant, for which they are untrained and in which dangers unnumbered lurk on all sides."

THOUSANDS OF BUILDINGS DESTROYED.

Baku, Russian Transcaucasia, March 10.-The official report of the committee which has been investigating the recent earthquake at Shamakha, shows that 146 villages, with a total of 1,904

houses, were included in the area of the disturbances; that 3,496 houses were destroyed and 3,943 damaged. Besides the dwellings, 1,158 farm buildings, 11 churches, 41 mosques, 11 factories and 3 schoolhouses were seriously damaged.

EXCITEMENT IN COUNTY CLARE.

Dublin, March 9.-The belief that the United Irish League is about to be proclaimed caused great excitement at Kilkesh, county Clare, today, and the arrest of two men named Crowley and Gustace, who were charged with moonlighting and with firing into the house of a woman who had purchased hay from a farmer who was under the ban of the league. Yesterday a man named O'Donnell was arrested and sentenced to one month in prison for trying to prevent this same farmer from selling hay.

NOTE TO TURKEY.

Constantinople, March 9.-The American legation here today presented to the porte the second note referring to the capture of Miss Stone. It is pointed out that as Miss Stone was captured and the ransom paid and the prisoners delivered in Turkey, the brigands must have been in the Turkish frontier, and should therefore be captured. The first note presented to the porte by the United States legation, Constantinople in the matter demanded the punishment of the guilty parties. The porte, in replying, repudiated responsibility and denied all liability.

CABLE NOTES.

The Republic of Santo Domingo has abolished the duties on sugar. It appears to be generally expected that the United Irish League will be proclaimed in the near future. John Patrick Sutton Redmond, John Redmond, M.P., inherits large but heavily encumbered estates in Ireland. The Spanish papers agree in declaring that a ministerial crisis is almost unavoidable.

Chinese merchants coming from Port Arthur declare they have been ordered to remove their families from Port Arthur, and preparations were being made there for a war with Japan.

For the last two days it has been persistently rumored here that the Colombian Government forces have sustained a severe defeat.

A dispatch from Berlin says that the Russian General Gribski, who was responsible for the massacre at Blagovestchensk, has been dismissed from the army. According to reports of the Blagovestchensk massacre, about 5,000 Chinese were driven by the Russians into the Amur River. Russian troops on the banks clubbed or shot any who attempted to land, and the river banks were strewn with corpses for miles.

A SECOND DISPATCH.

In a second dispatch, dated Sunday, March 9, Lord Kitchener says:

"Paris has come in at Kraaipan, with the remainder of the men. He reports that the column was moving in two parties. One, with the ox wagons, left Twebsch at 3 a.m. The other, with the mule wagons, started an hour later."



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# WHISKARDS

## THREE BUSY STORES,

### 228, 230, 232 Dundas Street, London.

# A MULTITUDE OF HAPPY BUYERS

Found the claims of our SPECIAL SALE were true in every particular. Many bargains have been snapped up. There are still many more.

### Blankets.

We have about 20 pairs of Heavy Blankets, for single beds, worth \$1.75. We clear the lot at \$1 per pair. They are nicely bordered, and a tremendous bargain at the price.

All colors in SHETLAND FLOSS during this sale 8c per ounce, full weight.  
All colors, but black, in Ball Crochet Silk, 25 yards on ball, only 5c each.  
Just in, special lines in Tortoise Shell Hair Combs, Hair Retainers, Side Combs, Pompadour Combs, etc.  
Beautiful Heavy Side Combs, 15c pair.  
Fine Heavy Pompadour Combs, 12½c, 15c, 19c each.  
Special line of Tortoise Shell Hair Retainers, 15c and 20c each.  
Special line of Hat racks, four double Hooks, regular 12½c, sale price 8c each.  
Special line of Ladies' Patent Leather Belts, 15c each.  
FULL WEIGHT BLACK FINGERING YARN, fine quality, only 50c full pound.  
One line of very fine Black Satana, for ladies' waists, regular 35c, sale price 25c yard.

### In Our Silk Department.

We are still selling a lot of Fancy Silks at sale prices, 20c yard.  
A beautiful wide width Black Taffeta Silk, regular 75c, sale price 50c yard.  
A special line of new Silks, in blue stripe and gray stripe, at 25c yard.

### White Apron Muslin.

Open worked and tucked, 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c yard.  
White Fancy Openwork Muslin, at 10c, 12½c yard.  
BLACK MUSLIN, stripe, open work, 15c yard.  
PLAIN BLACK MUSLIN, very wide width, only 12½c yard.  
Gray Stripe and Fancy Gray Gingham, regular 15c, sale price 10c yard.

### Your Last Chance

At these MOQUET RUGS at sale prices. See our large window for Rugs and Prices.

### Sale Continues in Our Ladies' Whitewear Department.

### SMALLPOX SCARE AT THE UNIVERSITY.

Eleven Hundred Toronto Students To Be Vaccinated—Smallpox Patients Want to Play Golf.

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Fureka Harness Oil

### STEAMER STRUCK BY AN ENORMOUS WAVE.

White Star Liner Majestic Had a Thrilling Experience En Route From Liverpool.

New York, March 10.—One saloon passenger and several of the crew of the White Star steamer Majestic were hurt on that craft during the trip from Liverpool, which ended Friday. The vessel reached its berth in the Hudson River eighteen hours later, with several of its main and promenade deck fixtures damaged, and with the loss of a lifeboat, which was wiped out of the forward davit by a terrific wave Sunday morning. The seas ran enormously high, reaching a crisis a week ago Saturday, when Capt. E. J. Goodrich was thrown down a companionway and had his head badly cut and his arms severely wrenched.

The sea that swept away the lifeboat, vented its fury on the Majestic, and the other deck fixtures were so great that it almost engulfed the craft. One of the officers classed it as a tidal wave, while it was one of the biggest waves that he ever saw. It was not of the cumulative variety.

### INTERESTING STORY FROM GALESBURG

Mother and Son Reunited by the Scalp of the Former.

Galesburg, Mich., March 10.—An incident in connection with a recent masquerade ball in this village borders very closely on the romantic. In the year 1866 Mrs. Catherine Sinclair, with her husband and infant son, were captured by the Sioux Indians while the former were crossing the plains with the intention of reaching California. Subsequently Mr. Sinclair and the little boy escaped, but the wife was unsuccessful in the attempt, and after suffering cruel indignities at the hands of the enraged savages, was scalped and left for dead.

The boy grew to manhood and subsequently enlisted in the regular army, serving in the west against the Indians, during which service he collected many mementoes of the age warfare. On the occasion of the recent masquerade Mrs. Sinclair, who was discovered by our troops, and who, under proper care, recovered from the injuries inflicted by the Indians as above narrated, was a spectator, at the age of 64. Incidentally she entered into a conversation with a middle-aged visitor in the village, who was, like herself, a spectator, and during this conversation it was developed that their names were the same. This led to further investigation, and today it has been verified that the twin are the mother and son so tragically parted thirty-six years ago, when the mother was given up for dead by her husband and all traces consequently lost. The identification was made complete by the fact that a woman's scalp among the Indian relics owned by her son exactly fitted the wound in Mrs. Sinclair's head.

### MICHIGAN WOMAN CLEARED OUT SALOON

She Wanted Her Husband, Who Escaped Through the Rear Door.

Durand, Mich., March 10.—Mrs. Ed Ware, resident of Midland, an engineer on an O. & W. coal train, was found dead in the cab of his engine near Cornwall. His skull was fractured, probably by looking out of the window. The train was running wild when the crew, alarmed by its speed, stopped it.

### PRINCE ENJOYING HIMSELF IN GOTHAM

Took a Rest on Saturday—Sent a Wreath for Grant's Tomb—Sunday Was a Day of Pleasure.

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## Majorities go Steadily Up.

Mr. Whitney and his friends were in a minority of 12 in the latest division in the Ontario Legislature. This is very unlucky for the Opposition. In the first division after the last general election, Aug. 12, 1898, the Government had a majority of 6. By March 23, 1901, the majority had increased to 8. Now, on the eve of a general election campaign, the majority is more than double what it was after the last general election. Persons who have been through the Province recently—men who are commercial travelers, with no very strong political bias—now assert that the feeling in favor of the Ministry is such that the majority will be increased to at least 20 when the next election is held.

## Canada's Population According to Sex.

Census bulletin No. 4, dealing with the population of Canada classified according to sexes, has just been issued. The bulletin also deals with the population in its relation to the social institution of marriage. The record of divorced persons has been taken in the last census for the first time in the history of the country.

The male population of the Dominion amounts at present to 2,751,473, which is an increase of 291,000 within the past ten years. The female population, which is now set down as 2,619,573, is an increase of 236,810 over the previous census enumeration. Of the number of males 1,747,622 are single, and of females the unmarried number 1,601,541. The statistics give 929,915 men as married and 905,081 women. The apparent anomaly here is explained away by the fact that in certain lumbering and mining districts married men were counted whose families at the time of enumeration were living in the United States, Newfoundland and other countries. The number of widows residing in the Dominion was, according to the last census, 150,766, and of widowers 73,597.

The stringent enforcement of our divorce laws is seen in the comparatively small number of divorced persons living in the Dominion. The total number under this head is 661, the proportion of the sexes being about equal in number. The figures given, we have reason to believe, are somewhat high owing to a misunderstanding on the part of some enumerators, who placed legal separation in the same category as divorce.

Coming to Ontario, the statistics of the sexes are in brief as follows: Males, 1,066,641; females, 1,068,306; unmarried men, 677,798; unmarried women, 632,694; men married, 387,777; women married, 383,668. The explanation of the excess of married men, already given, applies here. The number of persons classified as divorced is largest in Ontario, being 229.

The red tie is all the rage in the Commons nowadays. It is responsible for the life that some men are putting into the debates?—Kingston Whig.

The red tie is worn, no doubt, out of compliment to London's popular member, Mr. C. S. Hyman, who has this year been made chairman of the most important committee of Parliament.

Apocryphal of the question of clerical precedence on state occasions, which came up for discussion in the House of Commons recently, the Kingston News speaks as follows: "They (the clergy) should be willing to humble themselves, as their way-shower was when he was an unassuming citizen of this sphere. His motto was, 'Whoever shall humble himself as this little child, the same is greatest in the Kingdom of Heaven.'"

The Hon. Joseph Chamberlain has written the Secretary of State of Canada, asking the services of 40 Canadian lady teachers for the instruction of 3000 children in the concentration camps. The salary of each is to be \$500, and board, and house or tent accommodations. The British Government will pay traveling expenses both ways. As twenty of the teachers are to be secured in Ontario, there is an opportunity for twenty young ladies of this Province to undergo a novel experience, as well as double their incomes.

Four years ago, Dawson was a place unmarked on any map, a few tents, with goldseekers alone forming the place. Now it is a city with an assessment of \$12,000,000, electric lighting, telephones, public halls and handsome residences. And what is most satisfactory of all, it is claimed to be the best behaved city in the world. Nowhere, says Mr. Wade, the public prosecutor, is law and order more strictly observed. These facts are powerful advocates of the efficiency of the system of administration inaugurated and carried out by the Dominion Government and its hard-worked staff of officials in the Yukon.

According to Vanity Fair, the royal purple for the robes and mantle of the Princess of Wales is being woven at Braintree, in Essex, England. Her

Royal Highness, as befits Queen Alexandra's daughter-in-law, determined to have her coronation velvets entirely woven in England. The King's robe of cloth of gold is also being made at Braintree, and no more magnificent material has ever been seen on the weaver's loom. The cloth of gold is of dazzling radiance, and yet so soft that it can be crumpled up in the hand like the most pliable silk. The color of the royal purple, so far from clashing with the crimson of the robes of peers and peeresses, as some pessimists would have us believe, harmonizes beautifully, being of a ruddy shade, with nothing of the old harsh blue about it.

## Sketches at the Capital.

## IV.—THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF COMMONS.

The origin of these two legislative bodies may be traced to the remotest antiquity. Long before our Saxon ancestors came together in a witan gemote, or council of the wise, we have what might be taken as a semblance of the upper and lower parliamentary chambers, in the early annals of Roman history, when men were divided into patricians and plebeians. The plebeians were the common, everyday people—the masses; while, in a sense, the patricians were the prototypes of the British peers, or of our Canadian Senate. The personnel of the senate was made up largely of men advanced in years, as the name implies. Senate comes from a Latin word, meaning "an old man."

The Senate and House of Commons of Canada constitute the chief legislative bodies of the land. The two chambers have a central location in the main parliamentary building—the former being situated to the east and the latter immediately to the west. The dimensions of each chamber are 82 feet by 45. The seats are so arranged that the members of each party face those of the opposite party. Owing to the large Liberal majority in the Lower House, the accommodation to the right of the speaker is inadequate for them, a situation that is overcome by a number of Liberals occupying a couple of rows of seats on the left.

There is a large life-size picture of the late Queen on the right wall. This portrait has been keeping watch over the destinies of the nation, as they have been shaped by our representatives since Confederation. If this likeness were endowed with life and speech, what stories could it relate of orators who have poured forth their eloquence in the "green chamber" of D'Arcy McGee, the gifted legislator and poet; of the Hon. L. S. Huntington, the man with the beautiful voice; of the late Conservative chief, and of the triumphs of the present Liberal leader, Sir Wilfrid, of the silver tongue. Here it is, where the makers of Canadian history have held forth for over a third of a century.

A prominent figure is seated at the head of the long table covered by green baize. He is the clerk of the house—Sir John G. Bourinot. He is the best-known personage in the house, if not in Canada; for what schoolboy has not referred to "Bourinot" as an authority on some controverted point of procedure in connection with his collegiate debating society? There sits "Bourinot" at the head of this table, opposite to the mace—the emblem of temporal power, and the greatest living authority on parliamentary procedure. Sir John is a Canadian shaver, has a pronounced aquiline nose, which serves as a great convenience in keeping his monocle in place. He is a perennial member of the house, an integral part of it, in fact; for while the real members of parliament may come and go, Sir John Bourinot goes on, or rather, remains forever.

The business of parliament is conducted with the utmost regard for parliamentary usage, as the antiquity of this great institution would naturally demand. To the spectator the idea of freedom among the members seems to be carried to an extreme. The attention and order accorded an honorable member while addressing the house, or rather Mr. Speaker, for all remarks must be addressed to him, are not characterized by a churchly silence. If the subject be of sufficient importance, and the member of pleasing address and utterance, he can usually command attention. But it matters little to the speaking member whether he be heard by his conferees or not, for there are the Hansard reporters taking down his speech, copies of which he may scatter broadcast among his constituents, and in a small gallery behind the speaker are over 25 knights of the quill, purveyors of parliamentary utterances, who are taking down his speech from two points of view for the various newspapers they represent. As a reminder of a certain traditional independence, the members of parliament sit with their hats on or off, but on rising to speak the rule is to uncover the head.

The patricians of the "red chamber," who are now pretty evenly balanced as regards numbers, are taking a vacation until the 18th inst.

## A Kingston Prophecy.

[Canadian Freeman, Kingston.] It is expected that the Ontario Legislature will adjourn on Friday of next week and then the tug of war will commence. The date of the elections will shortly be announced and it is ten to one that Ross and his government will be returned to power by a big majority.

## THE ETRURIA SAFE IN PORT.

Her Rudder Gave Way Fourteen Days Ago.

Two Steamers Tried in Vain to Tow Her Along—All on Board Well—The Huronian Overdue.

Porto, Azores, March 10.—The Cunard liner Etruria arrived here yesterday in tow. All on board are well. She had a comparatively uneventful passage, except for the breakdown which occurred during the dinner hour of Feb. 25. When this occurred the Etruria had only just finished speaking by wireless telegraphy with the Cunard liner Umbria. The accident was discovered the Etruria called the Umbria wirelessly for one hour, but without success. Upon examination it was found that the ship's propeller had broken off outside the tube, and that the rudder had been carried away by the propeller. The Etruria then sent up rockets, which were seen by the British steamer William Cliff. The latter bore down and was alongside in 50 minutes after the accident. She stood by until daylight, when, after several attempts, she succeeded in passing a hawser aboard the Etruria. The tank steamer Ottawa arrived on the scene at this time. The William Cliff then attempted to tow the Etruria, while the Ottawa attempted to steer her. The hawser, however, snapped. The Ottawa stood by for two days, and then left for Fayal, bearing the second officer of the Etruria, to report the disaster and obtain assistance.

In the meanwhile the crew of the Etruria, after continued efforts lasting for two days, successfully adjusted a jury rudder. The passengers of the Etruria were satisfied they were in no danger, and they praise the conduct of the captain and crew of the vessel. After the accident the passengers amused themselves with the usual deck sports and concerts were held in the first and second cabins. Only those who were anxious concerning business matters chafed at the unavoidable delay.

The Etruria sighted the Italian mail steamer Sardegna, from Naples, Feb. 26, for New York, last Wednesday, March 5. The Sardegna stood by, but finding that she could be of no assistance, she proceeded on her course.

After the accident the passage of the Cunard was entirely uneventful. The Etruria will wait here for the arrival of the royal mail steamer Elbe, which left Southampton for Porto on Friday. The Elbe will carry the Etruria's passengers to England and the Etruria will then be towed home.

## THE HURONIAN OVERDUE.

St. John, N. B., March 9.—Great anxiety and fear are now being felt at the continued absence of the Allan liner Huronian, which left Glasgow for this port Feb. 11, to load hay and freight for South Africa. Strange to say, the big steamer, which was light, has not been reported by any craft. Some are of the opinion that the Huronian is lost, but the Allan people think she is disabled only.

St. John, N. B., March 9.—A steamer arrived tonight and anchored below Partridge Island. It is thought probable it is the Allan liner Huronian, which is long overdue. The only other steamer expected is the Parthenian, from Glasgow, Feb. 26.

## THE RAILWAYS

Route of the Temiskaming Road—Earnings of 34 Railroads.

Toronto, March 10.—The line of the Ontario Government Railway into the Temiskaming has been finally determined. The map showing the route has been laid before the House of Commons. The line commences at North Bay, on Lake Nipissing, and after running easterly and skirting Trout Lake, heads northwesterly direction through Widdifield township, crossing into Merrick at the boundary of Mulock. It then traverses Stewart, and Osborne, and the corner of Hamlet, and after a short interval of unsurveyed territory, enters the Temiskaming forest reserve. A little farther on it crosses the projected line of the Nipissing and James Bay Railway, near Redwater Lake, and parallels its line for a few miles. The

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route next touches the northeast and largest arm of Lake Temiskaming. It then runs almost due north, and after leaving the reserve enters the agricultural belt south of Buckle township, through which township it continues and reaches a few miles beyond the village of Thorne, in Diamond township, on the shore, and at the head of Lake Temiskaming.

New York, March 10.—Gross earnings of 34 roads for the four weeks ending February were \$7,187,752, against \$6,750,688 for the fourth week of February, 1901, an increase of \$437,064. Twenty-eight roads show a decrease in gross earnings. Since July 1 the roads referred to above earned \$241,092,054, an increase of \$19,990,185 over the \$221,101,869 reported for the corresponding period last year. For the longer period 33 show increases and one a decrease.

For the month of February 34 roads earned \$2,373,733, an increase of \$496,019 over the \$2,827,713 reported for the month of February, 1901.—United States Investor.

## MARKED VICTORY FOR NEW YORK PRINTERS

The Sun and "Big Six" Come to a Satisfactory Understanding.

New York, March 10.—"Big Six" and the New York Sun have again joined hands. It is reported that the struggle of many months was ended through Senator Hanna. This was tacitly admitted by both the business manager of the Sun and an officer of Typographical Union No. 6.

The printers, who spent over \$300,000 in prosecuting this fight, regard the result as a great victory for united effort to enforce trade union principles, said a prominent member of No. 6. "We owe a big debt of fraternal obligations to other labor organizations, and they will have our eternal gratitude."

The office is to be "unionized" with the understanding that the compositors in the Sun who took the places of the strikers might remain if they took out union cards.

## SHORTER HOURS.

Kalamazoo, Mich., March 10.—The local Papermakers' Union several weeks ago requested the management of five paper mills of this city to grant their employees shorter hours during the summer months. The Bryant Paper Company is the first to accede to this request, and on Saturday April 5 the mills of the company would be shut down from 6 o'clock until 7 o'clock on Monday morning during the warm months. This will mean a loss each week of several hundred dollars to the company. The management of the other mills have not as yet taken any action on the petition of the papermakers.

## CARS ATTACKED BY MOB.

Norfolk, Va., March 8.—After perhaps the most violent demonstration of the strike sympathizers since the strike began, last night, for three hours, at the corner of Main and Church streets, in which a mob of 1,000 to 2,000 men bombarded cars, beat non-union employees, and in a hundred other ways showed their feelings against the strike, the committee of the Norfolk Chamber of Commerce, having in charge the arbitration of the strike, made the report shortly after midnight tonight, having been in session for 56 hours. Their report stipulates that the employees shall be bonded as prescribed, that 80 per cent of the old employees shall be taken back to work and that 24 of the non-union workmen shall be retained, whether they become members of the union or not.

Several people were hurt tonight by the missiles thrown through car windows by the mob, non-union motorists being beaten and badly used, windows and electric lights in the cars that were run after dark were demolished and several men now rest behind the bars in the police station, having been arrested by the police and other officers. Corp. Walker Truxton had a hand-to-hand fight with a strike sympathizer on the rear platform of a car in view of a thousand people, and held his man, whose name was Lee Curtis.

## THE FISHERMEN'S STRIKE.

St. John, Nfld., March 10.—In the matter of the strike of the crews of the sealing fleet, numbering 3,000 men, the sealing merchants declined to accede to any of the demands submitted by the men. The merchants intimated that the price for seals would be at least \$20 per cwt., the same as last year, but declined to make any concession. The authorities say that the condition of the foreign markets renders an advance improbable. Regarding the strike, the merchants are of the opinion that the men for better accommodations and other minor concessions. It is understood the men next year will decline to alter existing conditions under threat of strike. The matter is now at a dead-lock and both sides are working hard to score a victory.

## THE BRIDGE WORKERS.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 9.—Local union No. 3 of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Ironworkers has unanimously decided to reject the proposition of the American Bridge Company, looking to a settlement of the difficulty over a wage increase for the coming year. About 1,200 men, members of the union, were present. About 2,000 men are affected.

## The Germ Theory of Cancer.

The theory of the germ origin of Cancer, which we have long upheld, is now being amply demonstrated by English and German scientists. Many scoffed at us at first and were inclined to be incredulous. Now, with hundreds of cures to our credit, there are very few indeed who will doubt the efficacy of our New Constitutional Remedy, which cures Cancer by getting at the root of the trouble—destroying the cancer germ and poisoning the blood. If you would like full particulars of this treatment, send two stamps to Stott & Jury, Bowmanville, Ont.

The white convicts employed on the breakwater at Cape Town are sending a loyal address to King Edward, praying his clemency on the occasion of the approaching coronation.

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In the Gulf of Mexico there is an island where the beaches change color twice daily with the tides. When the waves are sovereign purple, but the inflowing tide speedily transforms them to gold.

## More New Dress Goods.

Many new lines have been added to our Dress Goods Stock this week. Some late novelties in Dress and Waist materials just to hand. Shan Tung Silks at 50c and 75c. Novelty Dress Patterns, exclusive shades in Crepe de Chene and Silk Voiles at \$7, \$11 and \$15. Wool Voiles at 45c, 50c and 75c per yard. New Chiffon Applique in white, black and colors.

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| At \$1.00       | Crepe de Chene, Taffetas, Gloria Silks, Poplins, Soleils, Voiles in all the newest weaves and shades for coming season, per yard..... \$1.00       |
| Suitings 50c    | 52-inch Venetian, in grays, castor and brown..... 50c                                                                                              |
| Suitings 75c    | 56-inch Cheviot, heavy, in brown and grays..... 50c                                                                                                |
| Suitings \$1.00 | 52-inch fine Venetian Suitings, in all new shades for spring wear, will make up without lining..... 75c                                            |
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## HOW MORMONISM IS BEING SPREAD

Canada and Scandinavia Regarded as Good Fields.

The newspapers of Copenhagen say that the Mormons have energetically resumed their missionary work in Denmark, says a recent article in the New York Sun. There are now over a hundred Mormon missionaries in that country, their work being supervised from their headquarters at Copenhagen, where they publish a newspaper organ. Thousands of tracts and books are being continually sent out from this center to supplement the work of the missionaries. The Mormons in the United States have contributed an important sum of money toward the building of a Mormon church on a piece of property that has been purchased in Copenhagen.

The Mormons have always regarded Denmark as an exceptionally good field for their operations. For some years after our state department, in the days of R. B. Hayes, sent out the famous circular warning foreign countries against the efforts of Mormon missionaries, on the ground that they persistently violated the marriage laws of this country, all Mormon missionaries were excluded from Denmark. In the past few years, however, it being understood abroad that the practice of polygamy no longer characterizes the Mormon Church, the missionaries have been permitted to renew their labors. The never was a time when the Mormon Church put forth greater effort to win converts to its faith than at present. Bishop Joseph Binkley, one of the foremost Mormons in Utah, said in 1890 that at that time the church had 1,623 young men employed in various parts of Europe and America in Mormon missionary work. He said the church was engaged in the greatest missionary labor ever undertaken by a religious body. He said that the church expected in 1901 to have at least 2,400 missionaries busy in the field.

President Snow of the Mormon Church declared in the same year that by 1910 he expected that the church would have between 3,000 and 3,500 missionaries in the field.

One of the Mormon newspapers in Utah reported in December, last year, that the church had missionaries at that time in every country of Europe, excepting Turkey and Italy, in forty-four states of this country, and even in Australia, Brazil and South Africa. Canada and Scandinavia are at present regarded as the most promising fields for missionary activity. There are now over 300 Mormon missionaries at work in Canada, and there are about 10,000 members of the church in the Province of Ontario alone.

Every Mormon missionary is expected to proclaim loudly that today plural marriages are not sanctioned by the church. This fact is undoubtedly helping them to gain converts. In the early days of their proselytism abroad the missionaries tried to induce at least all the young converts to emigrate to Utah. They are not now so active in that direction, though they are very glad to have their church in this country reinforced by recruits from abroad. But their main idea now is to build up the church in all lands, so that it may take its place as one of the great churches, established widely in all parts of the world. They therefore do not care so much for large immigration to Utah or the other Western States in which their church is strongest, for they wish to have powerful

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centers of Mormonism in every state of the Union and in all the countries of the earth. This is the ambitious scheme to which their energies are now devoted, and it must be said that they appear to be meeting with at least as large a measure of success as that achieved by the missionary societies of other religious sects.

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vention or mediation, nor did he brood the question of the mule shipments to South Africa. His sole concern was with the concentration camps in South Africa. He told the secretary a pitiful tale of the sufferings of and mortality among the reconcentrados, the death rate among the children in the camps running as high as 50 per cent, according to his statement.

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Just hear it tear!  
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She doesn't speak!  
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**METEOROLOGICAL**

Toronto, March 9—8 p.m.—Light snow has been falling all today in the Maritime Provinces. Elsewhere in Canada the weather has been generally fair. It is very mild in the Territories and Manitoba, and mild conditions are indicated in all localities.  
Minimum temperature: Dawson City, 40 below-16 below; Calgary, 24-38; Qu'Appelle, 24-40; Winnipeg, 28-50; Port Arthur, 28-36; Pelly Sound, 24-28; Toronto, 30-49; Ottawa, 22-36; Montreal, 18-30; Quebec, 14-26; Halifax, 16-32.  
Local temperature: Saturday—Highest 37, lowest 32.5. Sunday—Highest 34, lowest 32.  
Today (Monday) the sun rose at 6:40 a.m. and sets at 6:16 p.m. The moon rose at 6:38 a.m. and sets at 7:17 p.m.

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**A LOCAL BUDGET.**

—Mr. S. W. J. grocer, 874 Dundas Street, has sold his business to his son, J. B. Wray, who will continue the business at the old stand.

—His Lordship Mr. Justice Ferguson has returned to Toronto after attending the funeral of his brother, Mr. Joseph W. Ferguson, of London township.

—A carload of first-class delivery horses, gathered up around here and St. Thomas by Dr. Gallanough, of Toronto, can be seen at the Fraser House here.

—Messrs. Cyril C. and Clarence Murray, of Detroit, spent Sunday in this city with their mother, Mrs. (Rev.) J. A. Murray. Mr. Cyril C. Murray and wife will leave shortly for Australia, where they will reside permanently, having accepted the position of representative in Australia of Park, Davis & Co., wholesale druggists, etc., Detroit.

—At the weekly shooting of the Collegiate Cadet Corps on Saturday, the following results were obtained, out of a total of ten shots: Lieut. Carling, 9; Sergt. Hamilton, 9; Lieut. MacArthur, 7; Capt. Barty, 6; Pte. Cameron, 6; Sergt. Hennigar, 6; Sergt. O'Grady, 6; Corp. Lawson, 5; Pte. Nickle, 4; Pte. Davis, 4; Pte. MacArthur, 4; Pte. Reid, 4; Pte. Hookway, 4; Pte. Johnston, 4; Pte. Greenlees, 4.

**DEATH OF MRS. DUNN.**  
Mrs. Sarah Dunn, relict of the late Henry Dunn, of Ridout street south, died yesterday morning after an illness of several weeks' duration, from a complication of diseases. She had been a resident of London for nearly 50 years, and was well-known and very highly respected. She was a member of St. James' Anglican Church, and leaves a family of three—two daughters and one son—to mourn her loss. Her husband died four years ago.

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Speaking of the call from the congregations of Blenheim and Guilds to Rev. Geo. Gilmore, of London Junction, the Blenheim News says: "Those who heard him when he was here a month ago were favorably impressed with his ability as a preacher, and if he comes to Blenheim he will have the advantage of commencing his work with the unanimous co-operation of the congregation. Mr. Gilmore is very popular in his own congregation, and has not as yet indicated his intention to accept or decline the call, which bears the signature of 142 members and is adherents."

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