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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1897.

WHOLE NO. 10488

Born, Married, Died.

DIED.
ANDERSON—In this city, on Feb. 8, John Anderson, aged 86 years.
Funeral from the family residence, 129 Elmwood avenue, at 10 a. m. R. station, on Wednesday, at 9:30 a. m. 35a

BEAUMONT—At Minneapolis, on Feb. 8, Frank, eldest son of William R. Beaumont, formerly of this city, aged 13 years. 35c

CRICKSHANK—On Feb. 9, 1897, at the residence of his brother, 375 Piccadilly street, John Crickshank, third son of the late John Crickshank, aged 53 years and 7 months. Funeral notice later. 35a

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per line each insertion.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—THURSDAY, Feb. 11—The pictures of Irish Comedy-Drama, "The Bells of Shandon." Price, 25c, 50c, 75c. Seats now on sale. 35a

SEE THE MARVELOUS JAPANESE BOX.
SEE THE HINDOO MANGO TRICK.

SEE THE WONDERFUL JAPANESE
paper tricks. 35a

AUDITORIUM—THURSDAY, FEB. 11
and 12. 35a

DUNDAS CENTRE CHURCH, TUESDAY,
Feb. 9, 9 a. m. Sergeant Major School will lecture "Life in Africa," showing large collection of curiosities. Admission 15c. Two for 25c. 35a

SEVENTH BAND TONIGHT—PRINCES
at Palace. Ice excellent. 35a

SPLENDID SKATING AT CENTRAL
 rink. Skating and evening. Band Wednesday night. 35a

DAISY RINK—CLARK'S BRIDGE
Over one and a half acres of ice. Skating morning and evening. Carnival Thursday. 35a

EAST END RINK, CORNER DUNDAS
 and Lytle—Good skating this afternoon. Evening. Music night. 35a

BLACKBERRY RINK—SPLENDID ICE
—Skating every afternoon and evening. 35a

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY—770
 Richmond street. Classes meet. Gents Monday evening; ladies, Tuesday evening. Ladies and gentlemen (advanced class) Wednesday evening. Ladies and children, Saturday afternoon, 3 o'clock. Dutton & McGovern. 35a

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY
 Mr. J. B. Millard, at his residence, 315 Princes avenue. Social, this evening, at the hall, two-step, waltz, two-step, waltz, and the cycle. Satisfaction guaranteed. Lessons any hour. 35a

OFFICIAL AGENT FOR ALLAN, REA-
 VEY, American, Red Star and Cunard, Atlantic lines. Red Star, Richmond street, next Advertiser. 35a

Meetings.

One cent per word each insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

ST. JOHN'S LODGE, NO. 20, A. F. and A. M. G. L. C.—A regular communication of above lodge will be held this evening, Feb. 9, in Masonic Temple. Visitors welcome. H. W. BLACKWELL, W. M.; M. D. DAWSON, secretary. 35a

SCHOOL OF COOKERY—WEDNESDAY
 afternoon, 2:30 o'clock. Admission 25 cents. 35a

NOTICE—THE ANNUAL MEETING OF
 East Middlesex Reform Association will be held in Young's hall, 100 Queen's street, London, on Saturday, Feb. 13, 1897, at 2 p. m. sharp. It is requested that a large representation of the rising will be present. By order (signed) E. IRONSIDE, president; W. H. SHAW, secretary. 24a 35a

Domestics Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED—HOUSEMAID—REFER-
 ENCES required. Apply Mrs. Dr. NIVEN, 45 Colborne street. 35a

REGISTER WITH OSBORNE INTELLI-
 GENCE Agency if you desire any kind of employment. We require good general servants, with references, 2 o'clock a day, dining room girls, in and out of city. Other situations for girls. Good references. Osborne Intelligence Agency, 55 Dundas street. Telephone 388. 35a

RING UP THE OLD RELIABLE—121
 A. For general servant, cooks, chambermaids, housemaids and girls for all kinds of work always on hand. 250 nurses and good housekeepers, always waiting reliable help. Dwyer's Employment Agency, 591 Richmond street. 35a

Male Help Wanted.

WANTED—GOOD SMART BOY—17 OR
 18. Must furnish good references. Apply Box B, Advertiser office. 35a

CITY CANVASSER WANTED ON
 salary, regularly for all districts. G. MARSHALL & Co., 238 Dundas street. 35a

WRITERS WANTED TO DO COPYING
 at home. Law College, Lima, O. 35a

WANTED—AN IRKA WHO CAN
 think of some simple thing to patent! Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth. Write J. W. WOODWARD, 1000 Patent attorneys, Washington, D. C., for their \$1.00 prize offer and list of two hundred in various patents. 35a

Lost and Found.

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FOUND—IN THIS CITY—A FUR GAUNT-
 LET. Owner call at Advertiser office. 35a

Notice of Patent.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT ALL
 persons infringing on my Improved Patent Hanger will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law. A. H. KILGORE, inventor. N. B. The genuine are each stamped "Patented for me." 35a

Wanted.

WANTED—25 BICYCLE RIDERS TO
 get their names on the list of names high at Hutchinson's, 651 Dundas street. 35a

TYPEWRITERS

We have a full line of typewriters at prices ranging from

\$150 to \$130

We have machines to rent by the hour, day, week or month. All manner of typewriting work executed at reasonable rates and with dispatch.

Wm. C. Ooo, Official Court Reporter,
76-DUNDAS STREET-76.

Agents Wanted.

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\$18 A WEEK EASY, YOU WORK
 right around home. A brand new thing. No trouble to make \$18 a week easy. Write to us quick; you will be surprised how easy it can be done. Send us your address anyway. It will be for your interest to investigate. Write to us. You can positively make \$18 a week easy. Address Imperial Silverware Company, Box L. C., Windsor, Ont. 35a

AGENTS NOT MAKING \$18 PER WEEK
 and not asking \$30 (no flatterers) write for particulars. J. L. NICHOLS & Co., 38 Richmond street, Toronto. 35a

Articles For Sale.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

No better medium than "THE ADVERTISER" for sure returns. 20c for 10 words—three insertions. 35a

FOR SALE—FAMOUS ACTIVE RANGE
 Nearly new, in perfect order; using gas only reason for selling. \$12 Piccadilly street. 35a

FOR SALE—FIVE MILCH COWS—AP-
 PLY THOS. B. SCOTT, Vanneck. 35a

HIGH CLASS MACHINE TOOLS FOR
 sale, lathes, planers, drilling and boring machines, lathe cutters, steam and power hammers, also large stock wood working machinery, engines, boilers, etc. Address H. W. FORD, adjoining Union Station, Toronto. 35a

FOR SALE—ONE 20 HORSEPOWER
 automatic "Brown" engine, built by Goldie, McCulloch & Co., Galt, Crimlar 100 horse, stroke 18 inches, can be run at 100 revolutions or as high as 500 revolutions; also one tubular exhaust feed water heater. The engine can be seen at H. FORD & Co. storage warehouse, Carling street, London, Ont. 35a

GAM CHANDELLERS AND BRACKETS
 and globes. SMITH Bros., 266 Dundas street. 35a

TWO MANUAL PEAL ORGAN CHAPS
 and Docket Bros. (New York) upright piano. Heintzman & Co., warehouses, 236 Dundas street. H. W. HICKS, Manager. 35a

A FEW SECOND-HAND STOVES—MUST
 be sold. At Keen's, Masonic Temple, Market Square. 35a

PIANO—EX-NEW—NEW AND SECOND
 HAND, also a beautiful assortment of music and musical merchandise, and two good organs cheap. Storen's Book Store, Nordmeier's Piano Agency, 133 Dundas street. 35a

ONE LARGE HOTEL RANGE AND SEV-
 ERAL small ranges to be sold cheap, at the Art. Market Square. 35a

DOMINION EXPRESS COMPANY
 money orders, Cheque Bank cheques. I have the most complete system for sending money by mail. FRANK J. CLAUKE, Richmond street, next Advertiser. 35a

THE LOCKED WIRE FENCE CO., LTD.
 307, Bathurst street, London, have for sale the famous Jones Locked Wire Fence, the prize of the Fair; also steel and galvanized roofing, siding, ceiling and wainscoting. 35a

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 sharpened; guns, rifles and revolvers and loaded. D. McKENZIE & Co., 288 Richmond street. 35a

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 family; central locality. Address "Boards," this office. 35a

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TO LET—PREMIER SUITABLE FOR
 coal and wood office; central business location; rent moderate. Apply at this office. 35a

TO LET—LARGE COTTAGE, 18 SYDEN-
 HAM street. Apply on premises or 95 Maple street. 35a

TO LET—STORE—
 Very central; best business stand in London. Rent \$500 per annum; no taxes. Also rooms suitable for sample rooms, offices, dressing rooms, etc.; rent low. Apply immediately. —A. A. CAMPBELL—
 Real Estate, Loans and Investments, Molsons Bank Buildings, Telephone 304 tyw 35a

TO LET—BRICK COTTAGE—SUITABLE
 for small family; in good order; rent moderate; good locality. Apply 504 Richmond street. Phone 422. 35a

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MR. J. W. G. ANDRUS PREPARES
 pupils separately for all examinations, professional examinations, 363 Waterloo street. 35a

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GENERAL STOCK FOR SALE—IN ONE
 of the best towns in Canada. About \$5,000, principally stocks and all seasonable goods for sale on the dollar if desired. An exceptional chance for any one wanting to secure a business. Address G. MacLEAN, Bismarck. 35a

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FOR SALE—
 Fine 100-acre farm, lot 70, E. T. G. R. C. Westminister estate of the late James Garrick; extra good house and buildings, orchard and much. 35a

For Exchange—Two stores (frame and brick)
 in the village of Springfield, on the Brantford and Port Huron Railway, for farm property in the London district. Full particulars of Geo. FRIEDLAND, 8 Main Lane. 35a

FOR SALE—QD FARM, 10 ACRES—
 South Dorchester; 1 mile from railway station and village cheap. For particulars apply J. W. WICKETT, barrister, 308 Richmond street, London. 35a

S. CHADWICK & SON—REAL ES-
 TATE AGENTS, 211 Bismarck street, London. 35a

Money to Loan.

\$100,000 TO LEND ON MORT-
 GAGES AND NOTES. 175c. Solicitors, notaries, 73 Dundas street, London. Branch offices, Glencoe, Bothwell and Alvington. 35a

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORT-
 GAGES, at 5 per cent; on second mortgages and other security at low rates, at G. W. FRANK'S loan office, 73 Dundas street, London, Ont. 35a

SOME MONEY TO LOAN ON MIDDLE
 SEX farm property at 5 and 6 per cent and on city property at 5 and 6 per cent. WICKES & SCANDRETT, solicitors, 36 Dundas street, London. 35a

Joshua's Journey

Doty Brought Harry Wellsman From Lobo to the Polls.

Charged With Having Paid \$5 for the Vote.

Thomas Tracey Describes an Impersonator's Escape.

Hugh Sharkey Performs a Remarkable Feat of Memory.

Remembers Noutly's Exact Words Eight Months Ago.

So Does Alfred Milligan and Swears to Them.

But Their Versions Do Not Exactly Agree.

Mr. Tracey Is Cornered—Says Noutly Used Offensive Remarks—But He Did Not Hear Them—Amusing Developments.

The election trial is dragging on at the court house.

This morning's session was remarkable for nothing but the second disappearance of Joshua Doty at the moment when he was wanted by Mr. Osler.

Doty, who is charged with bribing Harry Wellsman to vote for Beattie, has received \$13 in witness fees. A warrant for his arrest was taken out today, but the sheriff's officer could not locate him. Doty likewise made himself scarce at the first session of the court when wanted; but he reappeared when the court adjourned.

The time this morning was largely occupied with counsel's argument. If Mr. Aylesworth maintains the pace at which he has started, 1907 for another sitting of the court next week. He spoke nearly an hour on the Doty charge, ridiculing it as "himsy" and "trifling." Mr. Osler pointedly remarked that this could not be so, if its importance was measured by Mr. Aylesworth's prolonged attention to it.

The gratitude of every compulsory attendant at the trial is due to Mr. Osler for relieving its tedium by his wit and humor in examination. In serious argument, too, he is never tiresome. His style of address is less difficult than Mr. Aylesworth's or Mr. Helmut's, and his terse, epigrammatic way of putting things always rivets the attention. His dexterity in marshalling his arguments saves much valuable time.

The following is a continuation of Mr. Osler's cross-examination of

Livery Stables.

STAR LIVERY—OPEN DAY AND NIGHT
—Hacks, cabs, etc. Light livery a specialty. Phone 422. 35a

J. LILLY'S LIVERY—NO. 619 DUNDAS
 street, East London, Ont. Telephone No. 626. 35a

Monday Afternoon.

Frederick W. Leathorn, butcher, said that Wm. Watson worked for him on several occasions this winter. He remembered a letter coming for Watson said, "There's a fellow that has a subpoena on the election. He wants me to swear that I saw Tracy give him money." Watson said, "Did you?" Watson said, "No." Witness said, "Don't you. Will as is a pretty hot box to tell a lie in for any party." 35a

WATSON A TRUSTED MAN.

To Mr. Osler, witness said he trusted Watson, and looked upon him as a decent boy, but did not now. He had first known Watson (as George Heard, a grocer, near his place. Watson's memory was so remarkable that he remembered the exact hour and day at which Watson's shop, and Watson made the remark.

Q—And did you tell Heard the exact hour at which Watson passed?

A—Yes. (Laughter.)

Q—Aylesworth said this was all the evidence for the defense, excepting that with Noutly's evidence.

Mr. Osler said there would be some more witnesses for the petitioner. Argument was accordingly deferred.

GEORGE EDWARDS.

George Edwards, farmer, Lobo, said on Monday, June 22, Joshua Doty, came to witness' place to see Henry Wellsman, witness' employee. He said he wanted Wellsman to go to town. Doty gave witness \$4, with instructions to give it to Wellsman, when he came back from voting, and \$1 for witness, to make good Wellsman's time. Wellsman went to London that night with Doty.

Q—Who owned the rig Doty had?

A—I could not swear, but I believe it was Perkins's. (Laughter.)

Q—Did you hear Doty tell Wellsman anything about the money?

Witness said that Doty said the money was for voting for Beattie. Witness wanted Wellsman to go to London on the train next morning, but Doty said, "No, the other side will get him by that time." Doty was a man who had little money.

To Mr. Helmut, witness said he was a strong Liberal. He testified that he thought Doty's gift would help to invalidate Mr. Beattie's election. He had heard that considerable money was being spent in the city. Witness said he was unaware that it was an illegal act to accept the money to give to Wellsman. Witness said he was a man who had little money.

To Mr. Osler, witness said Doty was known as a Conservative.

HARRY WELLSMAN.

Harry Wellsman said he voted in London, and had been driven to the city by Joshua Doty. He corroborated Mr. Edwards' story of Doty's visit

Tracey, the barber. The report broke off last night in the midst of Tracey's recital of his travels with the supposed impersonator.

THE PERSONATOR ESCAPED.

Witness said he only saw the stranger get out at polling place No. 23, and then witness and Graham drove away to East London. They returned to No. 23, and Graham got the stranger into the rig again and they drove to McNell's, another polling division.

Q—And did he vote?

A—He never got that far.

Q—How far did he get?

A—He got out at Victoria Park, and I saw him running, with a constable after him.

Q—Can you swear what Noutly said after you refused him money?

A—No.

Q—You said he was offensive. How was he offensive?

"DON'T KNOW"—"CAN'T SAY."

A—I don't know.

Q—Did he act mean. How did he act?

A—I can't say.

Q—Helmut then asked witness if he could show how Noutly acted. Witness said he did not pay much attention.

Judge Robertson—You paid enough attention to say just now that he made an offensive remark.

Witness said he had not spoken to Tothie that night. Tothie had never given him instructions to give money to anybody. He had never before seen the stranger in the rig and never since.

HUGH SHARKEY.

Hugh Sharkey, the barber, said he was a half-brother of Tracey's. He repeated Tracey's story about Noutly's request for \$5. Witness had not the money or he must have lent it to him. Noutly said "D—the luck" and went out.

SHARKEY VISITED THE ATTIC.

To Mr. Osler, witness said he was in the gymnasium the day before the election. Chalmers was the only one he remembered seeing there.

Mr. Osler asked the witness to repeat the exact words Noutly said when he refused the money. Witness swore the exact words—"D—the luck, anyhow!"

Q—And you swear to those exact words?

A—Yes. (Laughter.)

Mr. Osler—Those are not the words you told Aylesworth. Are you sure about the "anyhow?"

A—Yes. (Laughter.)

Witness said he was driving the night before the election. Some one asked him to get into a rig driven by Mr. Crawford. They stopped near Callan's brewery, but not at the brewery; it was at a private house.

Q—And you don't know what you got into the rig for?

Q—Just taking the air?

A—Yes.

Witness, to Mr. Aylesworth, said he voted for Hyman. (Laughter.)

ALBERT MILLIGAN.

Albert Milligan, barber, said he was with Tracey and Sharkey when Noutly asked them for \$5. On being refused Noutly said "Q—d—the luck; everybody else is getting it and I'm not." Then Noutly went away.

To Mr. Osler, witness said he had not thought of the interview from June till December. Nothing had occurred to bring it to his mind till he was subpoenaed in December.

Q—Can you remember anything whose hair you cut that day? (Laughter.)

Witness could not.

Q—Can you remember any swear words that anybody else used that month?

A—No.

Q—And these are the exact words that Noutly used?

A—Yes. (Laughter.)

Q—What for words?

A—Yes. (Laughter.)

Q—And this was 9 o'clock?

A—Yes.

Q—And you saw Dillon?

A—Yes.

Mr. Osler—That's funny. Dillon says he did not get there till 10:30.

P. W. LEATHORN.

Frederick W. Leathorn, butcher, said that Wm. Watson worked for him on several occasions this winter. He remembered a letter coming for Watson said, "There's a fellow that has a subpoena on the election. He wants me to swear that I saw Tracy give him money." Watson said, "Did you?" Watson said, "No." Witness said, "Don't you. Will as is a pretty hot box to tell a lie in for any party." 35a

With his employer's permission, he drove that evening to London with Doty. On the way in, Doty asked him to vote for Beattie. Witness said he would vote for the best man. He spent the night at Mrs. Christie's private boarding house on Richmond street north, where Doty boarded. After breakfast he was driven to the polls by Doty, and he voted. He asked Doty to drive him home or give him his railway fare. Doty said he would see witness again. Later on in the day witness was given 50 cents by Mr. John McAdam, Everyman, which paid his fare home. The 50 cents had been sent through Doty.

Wellsman was rightly cross-examined by Mr. Aylesworth. He said that Mr. Edwards had not spoken to him about his vote prior to the night that Doty called. He did not consider it an insult to be offered the \$4; he thought it was very kind of them. Mr. Aylesworth could not shake witness in the main facts of his story.

ALBERT DENNIS.

Albert Dennis was allowed a seat in the box, as he was feeble and sick. Mr. Aylesworth asked to prove Doty's agency. Mr. Dennis said he was driven to the polls by Joshua Doty in Ben Nash's rig; at least, it looked like Nash's rig. He had attended to the rig two or three years before. Witness had always been a Conservative.

Witness said he was not spoken to by Mr. Helmut, witness said he was sick at election time, and sent for a rig. Doty was in the rig, and helped witness in and out.

WM. M. DWYER.

Wm. M. Dwyer said he attended some meetings in No. 2 ward in support of Mr. Beattie. He met Joshua Doty at these meetings in the room where division 8 met. Doty was a strong Conservative, like the witness.

Q—Was this committee meeting in London Lane?

A—Yes.

Q—That's where the beer was. Did you see any?

A—I had a little.

To Mr. Helmut, witness said that the meeting mentioned was called to arrange for the Tupper demonstration, and there were many there.

Mr. Osler read from Beattie's evidence. Mr. Beattie said he thought Doty a Conservative, and had spoken to him on election matters on several occasions.

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Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup, Whooping Cough,—and every other cough, will, when other remedies fail, yield to

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It has a record of 50 years of cures. Send for the "Curebook"—free.

J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

Like Soldiers.

Six Hundred Boys in Serious Danger,

But They Were Well Under Discipline and Escaped the Perils of Panic and Fire.

New York, Feb. 9.—The House of Refuge on Randall's Island caught fire early this morning. There are 600 boys in the institution. The keepers, however, had established such excellent discipline, that it took less than one minute to arouse the boys from their sleep, get them dressed, and have them marching out of the building, none being injured or permitted to escape.

The fire engines from the several institutions on the island quickly to work, and the fire was extinguished with damage not to exceed \$3,000; after which the boys were marched back to their cells and ordered to bed again. Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 9.—Fire last night destroyed property on Fifth avenue valued at \$100,000, insurance probably two-thirds. The buildings destroyed were owned by the Rock Estate, and occupied by Taylor Bros., furniture, and Rosenthal & Cohen, wholesale pants dealers. Evansville, Ind., Feb. 9.—The machinery department at Louisville, Evansville and St. Louis Railroad shops at Princeton, Ind., was destroyed by fire this morning. The loss will be \$200,000. Two hundred men will be thrown out of work.

LAKESIDE.

Another of Nissouri's Oldest Pioneer Settlers Gone.

Lakeside, Feb. 8.—Mrs. Eliza Mitchell, widow of the late Charles Mitchell, died at the residence of her son, Mortimer Mitchell, of Lakeside, on Jan. 31, aged 88 years, 11 months and 16 days. Mrs. Mitchell was born in Massachusetts. Her father was Capt. Joseph Parker, uncle of Theodore Parker, the noted American preacher. Her mother was Abigail Whittier, aunt to John Greenleaf Whittier, the late American poet. She moved with her family to Oswego county, New York, and thence to Canada in 1825, where she married Mr. Mitchell, who had preceded her but a few months. She lived in Dorchester a short time, her husband working in Mr. Putnam's mill. In 1827 they bought a small farm in East Zorra, where, in their humble log cabin, they entertained the first two Scotchmen that settled in that township. In 1833 they came to Lakeside, and settled on the banks of the little lake, where Mr. Mitchell died in 1887. Mrs. Mitchell was well known and universally respected. She was noted for her amiable disposition and her great kindness to the new settlers. She had quite a military spirit, and told with pride of the stirring scenes of 1837, when her husband served with the loyalists and she was left alone with four small children. She leaves a family of four sons and four daughters.

THEFORD AND FOREST.

Funeral of Mr. John Hay—Activity in Church Circles.

Theford, Feb. 8.—Mrs. Doran, sen., was taken with a stroke of paralysis recently, and is rather low. David Poultridge is also in a feeble condition, but we hope for his speedy recovery. Forest, Feb. 8.—The funeral of Mr. John Hay on Thursday, 4th inst., was well attended. He had been long known and highly esteemed as an earnest Christian, and a useful member of the Congregational Church here. Services were conducted by Dr. Hindley, of Forest, and Rev. E. C. W. McCall, B.A. The special meetings at the Lake Shore Gospel Hall are about to close, and to begin at the Gospel Hall in Forest. The union services held this past week in the Congregational Church were well attended. Scarlet fever was supposed to have

HANDS AND FEET GOT STIFF
As Though Paralyzed.

A grateful young lady is Miss Annie Shepherd, of North Pelham, Ont., who writes as follows: I had two very bad spells of it and was obliged to call in the doctor. My hands and feet would get stiff as though I was paralyzed. I had to quit work and tried doctors' medicine, but did not get any help until I got Manley's Celery-Nerve Compound. After taking five bottles I am restored to health again, and can highly recommend it to anyone who may suffer as I did. I am gaining in flesh and at work now.

"Cough Chaser" for Coughs and Colds. 10c, all Druggists.

run its course here, but this week another case occurred in Mr. John Fraser's family. Bruce is down with it, but under the careful attention of Dr. Hubbard, he is doing well, and we all hope for his speedy recovery. Milton George, of Kettle Point reserve, contemplates starting another summer resort on his father's farm, adjoining Jeff's place. He will perhaps get the Millikens to help him run it. The Indian choir are making money for themselves and the churches. They take half the door money and the churches have the rest.

Sparks From the Wire.

Death of the Liberal Member for Bonaventure, Que.

Suicide in Winnipeg Penitentiary—A Canadian Ordered Out of Buffalo.

W. Le B. Faure, Liberal member for Bonaventure, died of typhoid fever at Paspébiac, Que., Monday afternoon. Pierre A. Gagnon, eldest son of Hon. Judge Gagnon, and a Laval student, died at Chicoutimi, Que., on Monday morning.

Dr. Lammiman, of Bowmanville, aged 34, who has not been seen since Friday, was found dead in his office by his brother-in-law on Sunday.

Irving Smith, 20 years old, originally from Canada, was ordered out of Buffalo on Monday by Judge Kings, on suspicion of bigamy and larceny.

An insane convict suicided at the Winnipeg penitentiary on Sunday, by hanging himself in his cell with a pair of braces. His name is Jones, and he came from Regina.

Stewart Garrison, son of John Garrison, Morven, Ont., was killed in the woods on Friday while helping his brother Charles draw logs from the farm of Samuel Asseline. He was 23 years old.

President R. S. McConnell, of the Merchants' National Bank of Ocala, Fla., which failed on Jan. 14, was arrested yesterday on a charge of falsifying returns and embezzling \$80,000 of the institution's funds.

A young woman named Jennie Stewart died very suddenly Sunday night at St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton. She died in less than half an hour after being brought to the institution from the residence of Mr. R. S. Morris, a domestic in the house. Death was caused by inflammation.

The inquest on the body of the lad, Charles Bradbury, the Barnardo boy, who perished in the fire at York Mills, Ont., developed the fact that the throat of the lad had been cut, and that there were evidences that he was yet living with the wound inflicted when the place was being burned. This is held to bear out the theory that the lad committed suicide after setting fire to the farm buildings of his employers.

NOT FOR NEBRASKA.

The Lower House Votes Down the Woman Suffrage Bill.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 9.—The bill providing for a constitutional amendment giving Nebraska women the right to vote has been defeated in the Lower House of the Legislature by the decisive vote of 56 to 20. Populists were its principal supporters, the Republican minority showing almost unanimous opposition, and with them the Fusion leaders on the floor.

WARSHIPS IN A GALE.

Six Men Washed Overboard—Three of Whom Were Lost.

Charleston, S. C., Feb. 9.—The Fern, Dolphin, Maine, and Amphibia, tripartite have arrived. The flagship New York is expected at any time. The fleet encountered a severe gale Friday night 50 miles off Cape Hatteras. Six men of the Maine were washed overboard, three of whom were drowned. The others were rescued. The fleet behaved admirably.

IN WASHINGTON.

Sir Richard Cartwright and Hon. H. L. Davies Visit President Cleveland.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 9.—Sir Richard Cartwright and Mr. H. L. Davies, the Canadian Cabinet Ministers now in Washington, called on President Cleveland yesterday. The subject of trade relations between the two countries was so over with some detail. The President, in the course of the conversation, pointed out that his policy was to have the two countries merely awaiting the induction of his successor into office. The commissioners continue each day to see members of Congress and talk over with them the business which brought them here. They are received in the kindest manner, but have learned that nothing positive can be done at the present time in the way of formation of any trade arrangements. When they return to Ottawa the commissioners will recommend the appointment of a commission to sit with a similar commission representing the United States, to take into consideration the matter of trade relations between the two countries.

THE WALKERVILLE HOLD-UP.

Arrest of Robert Ritchie on Suspicion—An Old Offender.

Windsor, Ont., Feb. 9.—Robert Ritchie, supposed to be one of the two highwaymen who held up two stores in Walkerville Saturday night, has been arrested in Detroit in connection with the affair. It will be hard to prove him guilty. Both men wore handkerchiefs over their faces, and had their hats pulled down over their eyes. They went first into Whiteside Bros.' meat store, with revolvers drawn, obliging the senior partner, Fred Whiteside, to take 55 cents from a boy customer. Then they went into Luxford's grocery, next door, and made a haul of about \$300. They are supposed to have taken the street car to Windsor and then the ferry to Detroit. Provincial Detectives Camp and Mahoney, and Chief Griffith followed the robbers across the river. The police say that Ritchie served a year in prison for the robbery of Gunn's store, in Windsor, and six months for a job in Chatham. He was also arrested on a charge of highway robbery, but acquitted, although his friend, Paul Nelson, got four years. This Windsor police say they have strong evidence against him in the Walkerville case.

Spectacles and eyeglasses, in solid silver and nickel. Eyes scientifically tested free. Prices moderate. J. G. ADKINS, jeweler and optician. 375

Serious Runaway.

E. B. Eddy, the Manufacturer, Badly Injured.

And Seven School Children More or Less Hurt.

(Special to The Advertiser, per G. N. W. Line.)

Ottawa, Feb. 9.—E. B. Eddy, the well-known manufacturer in Hull, was driving through Aylmer yesterday in his carriage, when the horses became frightened at the electric cars, and ran away. Mr. Eddy was thrown out of the vehicle and badly injured.

The runaway team passed a street where the school children were at play, with the result that seven of the children received more or less injuries. None were fatally hurt. Some of them got scalp wounds, and others bruises. They had a marvelous escape.

TEN YEARS SINCE.

History of a Long Standing Malady Given in Lucid Words by Mrs. A. B. Armstrong, Hawthorn Row, Don Mills Road, Toronto, Ont.

Than Mr. and Mrs. A. Armstrong there are probably no better known or more respected residents of the city of Toronto. Mr. Armstrong, until lately was engaged in farming on the York town line between York and Scarborough, where he was born and brought up.

Mrs. Armstrong gives the following account of her heart and nerve troubles, their origin and results. We give in her own words the interesting account as she gave it to our representative. Said Mrs. Armstrong: "Ten years ago I was taken seriously ill with measles, complicated with inflammation of the lungs. Since that time my heart has been affected, and I have never felt strong. I was troubled with palpitation so badly that I could hardly draw a long breath. My heart fluttered very much, and I was often attacked by spells of weakness and dizziness, so that I was sometimes unable to walk. My eyes seemed to be covered as if with a mist, and I was subjected to terrible pains in the back of my head and through my forehead. Cold perspiration would break out on my hands and feet, and I lost my appetite."

"Mentally I became very despondent, having a constant dread unforeseen about to happen. My sleep was poor and disturbed with frightful dreams. In fact my nerves were completely unstrung. I could not bear even the slightest noise. It was while in this condition that I got a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, through the kindness of Mrs. Vanhorn, of this place, at Mr. H. W. Love's drug store, corner Broadway and Danforth avenues. Since taking them I have steadily and rapidly improved. The improvement is marked, indeed, for I feel daily getting stronger and better. My appetite is becoming quite healthy, my nerves stronger and steadier, and the heart trouble gives me scarcely any annoyance at present. More than that, I am thankful to feel cheerful in mind, and more confident in the future. In fact, I am stronger and better in every way. I cannot too highly express my appreciation at the marvelous change which Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills have effected in my case. They have truly helped me, and I am thankful to be able to give this testimony that others suffering similarly may receive benefit. (Signed) Mrs. A. B. Armstrong, Toronto, Ont."

FURTHER PROOF.

"My daughter has taken Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, which I procured for her at Mr. H. W. Love's drug store, corner Broadway and Danforth avenues, and they have done her a great deal of good. She has been wonderfully benefited in her general health since taking them, and I find that they are a magnificent tonic for the system, and a wonderful remedy for all nervous complaints. (Signed) Mrs. H. Davey, Don Mills road, Toronto, Ont."

MRS. BEECHER FAILING.

Stamford, Conn., Feb. 9.—Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher passed a restless night and this morning showed signs of weakening. The ability of the distinguished patient to live more than 24 hours longer is strongly doubted.

STRIKE AND FATAL FIGHT.

Bellevue, Pa., Feb. 9.—A riot occurred among the striking miners at J. H. Somers' Fuel Company mines which resulted in the death of William Bates and Boss Hauer Chas. Carman were shot and probably fatally wounded. A number of men at the works struck last Friday because the company refused to reinstate a hauler who had been discharged for reckless driving. A fight ensued with the result stated, each of the two men shooting the other.

A Mother's Story.

I WISH to tell you what MELLIN'S Food has done for my baby. I tried several different foods with unsatisfactory results. My baby was failing every day, and I was at my wits' end to know what more I could do. He weighed but ten pounds when three months old. At that time some kind friend recommended MELLIN'S Food. I tried it, and in three days' time I could see the change. Little Harry is now six months old and weighs 21 pounds without his clothes. I shall always be fond in my praises for MELLIN'S Food, for it is certainly a god-send to all who may use it. MRS. L. B. FOOTE, Lenox, Mass.

When an infant is fed with a proper food the response is immediate. In so short a time as three days Mrs. Foote saw a change for the better. MELLIN'S Food succeeds where others fail, because it is adapted to infant digestion, and contains the proper elements of nutrition in sufficient quantity to nourish and promote the growth of the child.

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Solicitor, G. N. Weekes, all of the City of London, Ontario.

200,000 shares of this stock were sold before the incorporation of the company. The 50,000 since offered are being taken up rapidly at 25c.

The sale of this 50,000 will leave HALF THE CAPITAL STOCK of the company still in the treasury—UNISSUED and not bearing dividends.

The company's manager, Mr. Powell, has been most energetic in the company's service, and has purchased many mining propositions, which cannot fail to bring the company ENORMOUS PROFITS.

The ELLA S. ROSSLAND BELL, WHITE FAWN and LANDERS are on Sheep Creek, about 12 miles from Rossland. This group is partially developed, and assays so far are very promising. DAISY ELK NO. 2 is in the South Belt, within sight of Rossland—a favorite location and very excellent surface showing. The FINANCE, BIG WHALE and ECHO, constitute the Finance group, and have been sold to the Finance Gold Mining and Development Company, our company making handsome cash profit on retaining more than half the shares in the Finance Company.

Development work is progressing favorably on the Big Whale, on a ledge no less than 28 feet in width. The mineral is growing rapidly richer as the shaft descends, and a rich strike of ore is expected any day.

GOLINE and JIM DANDY adjoin the Finance group. RICO and RAND are on the Salmon River. These four are undeveloped, but the surface showing is excellent. AWKRIGHT and ALKI are the latest purchases. Samples from the Awkright two feet below the surface assayed \$694 to the ton.

These two are silver propositions. They are on the famous Toad Mountain, near the great SILVER KING, HALL and WHITEWATER mines, of fabulous richness.

Mr. Powell has aptly named them the SILVER QUEEN GROUP. It appears from a telegram received by the president, Dr. Roome, on Feb. 7, that he (Mr. Powell) is about to bond this group to foreign capitalists at a sum which WILL NET THE COMPANY \$225,000 IN CASH. The telegram is published elsewhere in this paper. This enormous profit, if the deal be put through, and there is every prospect that it will, will be sufficient to pay DIVIDENDS OF NEARLY ONE DOLLAR PER SHARE on all the shares issued, and the stock will likely at once be withdrawn from the market.

Intending investors should not delay a moment. It is now intended to raise the price, which is now 25c a share, TO 30c ON FEB. 15, but it may be raised much higher than that.

A DIVIDEND is daily expected to be declared out of the cash profits of the Finance transaction. Still other sales are being negotiated, and there is every probability of regular and larger dividends from this time on.

INQUIRE PARTICULARS of the officers or directors. Stock may be had of J. F. SANGSTER, broker, 403 Richmond street London, or of A. A. CAMPBELL, broker, Molsons Bank Building, London, or of ISAAO UNSWORTH, Banker, Florence.

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George Burness, commercial traveler, London, Ont.
A. A. Campbell, managing director of the People's Building and Loan Association, London, Ont.
J. W. Butler, insurance agent, London, Ont.
Wm. Spittal, secretary-treasurer and director of the People's Building and Loan Association, and secretary-treasurer of the London Lumber Co., London, Ont.
Andrew Greenlees, barrister at law, London, Ont.
Robt. D. Millar, secretary-treasurer of the Advertiser Printing Co., London, Ont.
Walter Drew, merchant, Florence, Ont.
Isaac Unsworth, banker, Florence, Ont.
Solon Woolverton, D.D.S., mineralogist, London, Ont.

The tallest captain in the British army is Capt. Oswald Ames. He is a captain in the Second Life Guards, and stands well over six feet eight inches in height.

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In the window of Mr. H. S. Sanders, an exhibition of the process of and materials used in manufacturing MILLED TOILET SOAP by the London Soap Company, who have installed the necessary plant to manufacture that perfection of the soap-making art, Milled Toilet Soap. The brand exhibited is called "Butter Complexion Soap." Beginning with the edible fat or suet, and cochin carmine oil, there follow the live glycerine, witch-hazel, buttermilk, perfume of lavender, geranium, rose, caraway (patented), and then these combined into bars of white soap, then soap chips, soap in shavings or melted, then succeeded by a tremendous screw power into solid pole-shaped masses, which are then cut into little pieces that are then pressed by a stamping press into perfect cakes ready to be wrapped in elegant wrappings and boxed for sale. Altogether the exhibit is a most interesting one, and something never shown here before.

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Commerce and Finance.

Toronto Stock Market.

Toronto, Feb. 9.	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	22 1/2	22 1/2
Ottawa	22 1/2	22 1/2
Quebec	22 1/2	22 1/2
Calcutta	22 1/2	22 1/2
Bombay	22 1/2	22 1/2
Rangoon	22 1/2	22 1/2
Singapore	22 1/2	22 1/2
Manila	22 1/2	22 1/2
Cebu	22 1/2	22 1/2
Yokohama	22 1/2	22 1/2
Kobe	22 1/2	22 1/2
Shanghai	22 1/2	22 1/2
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Montreal Stock Market.

Montreal, Feb. 9.	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	50	50
Dominion	50	50
Quebec	50	50
Calcutta	50	50
Bombay	50	50
Rangoon	50	50
Singapore	50	50
Manila	50	50
Cebu	50	50
Yokohama	50	50
Kobe	50	50
Shanghai	50	50
Hankow	50	50
Peking	50	50
Tientsin	50	50
Harbin	50	50
Manchuria	50	50
Amoy	50	50
Swatow	50	50

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

New York, Feb. 9.—Money on call, nominally 1-2 to 2 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3-4 per cent; sterling exchange steady, with business in bankers' bills at 4 1/2-1/2 to 4 3/4-3/4 for demand, and 4 1/2-1/2 to 4 3/4-3/4 for sixty days; posted rates, 4 1/2-1/2 to 4 3/4-3/4 for demand, 4 1/2-1/2 to 4 3/4-3/4 for sixty days; commercial bills, 4 1/2-1/2 to 4 3/4-3/4.

COMMERCIAL.

Toronto Grain Market.
Toronto, Feb. 9.—Wheat—The of-
ferings are small, the demand is not

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active, and the market is steady. Cars
of red and white wheat, and offering
at 85c. Manitoba wheat is steady.
No. 1 hard is quoted at 85c and No. 2
at 84c. Midland and Owen Sound buy-
ers are quoting less.
Flour is quiet. Cars of straight roller
are quoted west at \$3.80, and patents
at \$3.90 to \$4.00, according to quality.
Milled is dull at \$3 for shorts, and
\$3.75 for bran west.
Barley is quiet, and prices are nomi-
nally at 31c for No. 1 outside, 32c for
No. 1 extra, 27c to 28c for No. 2, 24c
to 25c for No. 3 extra, and 21-1/2c to
22c for feed.
Buckwheat is steady at 25-1/2c to
26c outside.
Rye is steady at 34c to 35c outside.
Corn is quiet at 18c for yellow west.
A lot of 5,000 bushels of yellow was
sold. Yellow Canada corn was sold
in Detroit this week by a local dealer
at 24-1/2c, delivered there, duty paid.
This is the first lot of corn ever ex-
ported from this country into the
United States.
Oats are quiet at 17c for mixed, and
18c for white west.
Outmeal is quiet, and the market is
easier. Cars of bags are offering at
\$3.75, and barrels at \$3.85; broken lots
are quoted 15c higher.
Peas are steady at 40c, north and
west points.

Latest Montreal Markets.

Montreal, Ont., Feb. 9.
GRAINS AND FLOUR.
Oats—In store No. 2 white, 22c to 24c.
Corn—30c to 31c.
Feed barley—28c to 30c.
Peas—47c to 48c.
Buckwheat—32c to 33c.
Flour—Manitoba around bakers, \$4.25 to \$4.75;
spring wheat, \$4.30 to \$4.65; winter
do., \$4.40 to \$4.75; straight roller, \$4.20 to \$4.30.
Feed—Barley, \$2 to \$2.50; shorts, \$1.75 to \$1.90.
Canadian shorts, clear, \$10 to \$10.50.
Ham—8c to 10c.
Bacon—8c to 10c.
Lard—10c to 12c; compound, 5c to 6c.
PRODUCE.
Cheese—Nominal.
Butter—Local demand fair; 19c to 20c.
Eggs—Demand for small lots fair; new laid,
17c to 18c; Montreal lined, 19c to 20c; West-
ern, 18c to 19c.

The Oil Market.

Petroleum, Feb. 9.—Oil opened and closed at
\$1.82.

Late English Markets.

(Bertholm's Report by Cable).
Liverpool, Feb. 9.—Closing—4 1/2 p.m.
Wheat—Spot quiet, demand poor. No. 2
red spring, 6s 6d; No. 1, 6s 7d; futures
opened quiet, with near and distant positions
lower, but later reacted and closed steady,
with near and distant positions unchanged;
business about equally distributed. Feb. 9s
3d; March, 6s 4d; May, 6s 4d; July, 6s 1 1/2d.
Corn—Spot easy; American mixed new,
2s 6d; foreign, 2s 6d; futures, 2s 6d to 2s 7d;
distant positions 4d lower; closed steady,
with near positions 4d lower, and distant positions
4d to 1/2d lower, evenly distributed. Feb. 2s 7d;
March, 2s 7d; April, 2s 7d; May, 2s 7d;
June, 2s 7d; July, 2s 7d; August, 2s 7d.
Four—In store, 10s 4d; 10s 4d; 10s 4d.
American Produce Markets.
DETROIT.
Detroit, Feb. 9.—Wheat—No. 1 white cash,
85c; No. 2, 84c; No. 3, 83c; No. 4, 82c.
TOLDO.
Toledo, Feb. 9.—Wheat—Cash, 82c; May,
82c; July, 82c.
Oats—May, 17c; July, 18c.
MILWAUKEE.
Milwaukee, Feb. 9.—Wheat, cash, 74c;
May, 74c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Feb. 9.
Flour—Receipts, 14,900 bushels; sales, 13,000
bushels; state and western quiet and steady.
Wheat—Receipts, 12,800; sales, 110,000 bu; opened
easier on cables, but later recovered on
light offerings and a demand from shorts;
March, 82-1/2c to 83-1/2c; July, 82-1/2c to 83-1/2c.
Rye—Quiet; No. 2 western, 40c to 41c, c.i.f.;
No. 1, 41c to 42c.
Corn—Receipts, 123,800 bu; sales, 100,000 bu;
quiet and easy on cold weather news; May,
29c; July, 29c.
Oats—Receipts, 68,400 bu; sales, 5,000 bu;
dull; May, 21c; track white, 20c to 21c; No. 2,
19c to 20c; No. 3, 18c to 19c; No. 4, 17c to 18c;
state dairy, 10c to 11c; state creamery, 12c to
13c; western creamery, 12c to 13c; Eggs, 21c;
factory, 17c to 18c.
Sugar—Receipts, 6,025 packages; steady;
state large, 10c to 11c; small, 9c to 10c; full
skins, 5c to 6c; full skins, 3c to 4c.
Eggs—Receipts, 9,000 packages; 15c;
western, 15c; No. 1, 15c; No. 2, 14c; No. 3, 13c;
No. 4, 12c; No. 5, 11c; No. 6, 10c; No. 7, 9c;
No. 8, 8c; No. 9, 7c; No. 10, 6c; No. 11, 5c;
No. 12, 4c; No. 13, 3c; No. 14, 2c; No. 15, 1c;
No. 16, 1/2c; No. 17, 1/4c; No. 18, 1/8c; No. 19, 1/16c;
No. 20, 1/32c; No. 21, 1/64c; No. 22, 1/128c;
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The
Wooring of Nell.

The girl turned to the door of the dining room, where a small fire burned in honor of the occasion, to go in search of her hostess.

Jem, who was in his Sunday clothes, in which he presented a stronger contrast than ever to the refined, delicate, and somewhat awkward Miss Bostal, was about to leave the room, he suddenly found courage to place himself before the door.

"It's done a purpose," she drew it a purpose," he explained, growing more rustic in speech than usual under the pressure of his excitement, "so I might have a chance of speaking to you."

Nell was angry and anxious, but she looked him in the face with an expression which daunted him a little.

"She don't know what I want to say to you," he went on, in a hoarse whisper. "She thinks I want to ask you to marry me. As if I should be such a precious fool! No. What I want to say is that the chap Hemming is still hanging about. He's staying at the Bell at Strawn, and he's offered me a 45 note if I'll tell him what I told you. And I've refused. There!"

And, fairly overwhelmed by the contemplation of his own greatness of soul, Jem slapped his chest and made his eyes round.

Nell listened with fear and repulsion struggling in her breast. Should she brave the man, with the knowledge which she knew he possessed?

And as he spoke he took another step, threatening to fulfill this menace. But Nell was too quick for him; she was at the other side of the table before the words were well out of his mouth.

"Miss Bostal," she said, quietly, as if his proposition had been unworthy of remark, "advised me to let you make what use of your information you pleased. She says no one would believe you."

"And do you think that?" he asked, with an indecisively cunning leer. The sudden anxiety which overspread her face at the question showed him his opportunity.

"Look here," he went on, in a tone which was meant to be persuasive, but which to Nell was repellent in its coarse assumption of familiarity, "I don't want to rush you into anything. You know what I have to sell, and you know what the price is; if you don't care to pay it, well, you know how I can pay myself in coin of the realm."

Now, I'll give you till tomorrow night. If you'll see me tomorrow, down at your own garden fence, where you'll be quite safe, mind, for I mean quite fair and above-board; and if you'll speak me fair and be civil, I'll hold my tongue, and will discuss nor all the 'tins in Lunon' shouldn't make me peach. But if you don't choose to do this—and it's a precious small thing to make such a fuss about—why, then, I'll go off to Hemming and get the 45, and you can guess what'll happen, if you don't know."

As the man looked at her, with bloodshot, inflamed eyes, enjoying in anticipation the kiss which he felt she was bound to give, Nell's heart sank. He would not surely speak in this tone to her, if the proofs of which he had spoken were not very strong ones.

"You must give me time to think," she faltered, turning her head away to escape the gaze of the lustful eyes, but keeping a sharp eye on his movements all the time.

She felt keen resentment against Miss Theodora, who, in her amiable folly, had exposed her to this persecution. Luckily that lady herself appeared a few seconds later, and then Nell at once made the excuse of going to fetch the tea things to get out of the room.

Once outside the door, however, she went through the passage to the back of the house, slipped out into the

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garden, and ran home across the fields as fast as her little feet could carry her.

"Since she likes his society so much, she may enjoy a tete-a-tete with him!" said she to herself, not without a bitter feeling that her old friend and protectress had betrayed her in her eagerness to reclaim the prodigal.

Before she reached the Blue Lion, Nell had made up her mind what to do. She felt that she must have some advice of a more solid, more worldly kind than that of the kindly, sentimental, narrow-minded Miss Theodora.

So she wrote a little note, the first she had ever sent him, to Clifford, King, and sent it by a safe hand to Strawn to catch the night mail.

Her note was very short, containing as it did only the following words: "Dear Mr. King,—

"If it would not be too inconvenient to you to come down to Strawn tomorrow, I should be very glad of the opportunity of asking your advice upon a matter in which I do not dare to trust my own judgment, and do not care to consult my uncle."

With apologies for my audacity in asking such a great favor. Believe me, your sincerely,

"NELL CLARIS."

Then she passed a sleepless night, torturing herself by wondering what Jem Stickle would do, and whether Clifford would come—this she did not greatly doubt—and how she should tell him if he came.

And on the following evening, just when she had given up all hope of seeing him, and just when the door of the sitting room, walk into the bar.

Nell sprang up with a little cry, and Clifford, catching sight of her, dashed a deeper red than his walk had given him, and, going quickly through the bar and along the passage, pushed open the door of the little sitting room, and stood before her.

The girl had been so anxious for his coming that all her little mental arts of affected surprise, of indifference, of reserve were in abeyance; and he saw before him the girl he loved, with love confessed in her blue eyes.

For one moment he stood looking at her, a little awestruck, as a lover ought to be, at discovering how much more beautiful she was than he remembered her. Then, not unnaturally, taking her summons for just a little more than it was intended to be, he caught her in his arms, and, pressing her against his breast, covered her face with kisses.

Nell uttered a little cry; she thought it expressed consternation, alarm; but Clifford read the sound differently, and kissed her again.

"Oh, Mr. King," panted the girl, as soon as she could draw back her head far enough to be able to speak, "you don't understand. I sent for you to advise me, that's all."

"I quite understand," replied Clifford, calmly, not letting her see that he was far from being so; "and I am longing to put my professional knowledge at your service. But first—"

He stopped short, arrested in the middle of his speech by a violent start on the part of Nell, who was looking with eyes full of alarm at the door which led into the garden.

The upper part of the door was of glass, and she had suddenly perceived that a face was pressed close to the outer side.

"Who is it?" asked Clifford, as soon as he saw what had arrested her attention.

And without waiting for an answer, he sprang across the little room to the glass door. Nell sprang after him and clutched at his sleeve.

"Never mind. Don't go," she whispered, apprehensively. "It's only Jem Stickle. Don't open the door."

But as Clifford stopped, under the pressure of her earnest entreaty, the sound of a hoarse, guttural curse reached their ears; the face was quickly withdrawn, and the next moment, with a loud crash of broken glass, Jem's fist came through the upper part of the door and struck Clifford full in the chest.

Clifford was so entirely taken by surprise that he hardly realized, in the first moment, that he was hurt. The next he dashed open the door, and, one blow, and, finding Jem outside, coolly wiping his knife on the ivy which grew on the side of the house, he seized the fisherman by the throat with one hand, snatched his knife from him and fung it away with the other, and then hurled the man from him with such violence that the latter fell, and, striking his head upon the stone ledge of a window, lay motionless on the ground.

Then, suddenly overcome by a feeling of dizziness, the first result of his wound, Clifford staggered against the broken door and into Nell's arms.

"Oh, it is my fault! my fault! I ought not to have asked you to come!" moaned she, not attempting now to hide her affectionate concern for the people, who startled by the noise of the affray, now pressed into the room.

George Claris was among the first to enter, and he frowned angrily on seeing Clifford, of whose arrival he had not yet heard.

"So it's you, is it, Mr. King?" he exclaimed, smiling, on recognizing the man whom he looked upon as the origin of all his troubles. "And what have you been up to now, eh?"

"Oh, uncle, uncle, can't you see that he's hurt, badly hurt?" implored Nell. "Send for a doctor! Oh, someone pray go for a doctor, or he will bleed to death!"

George Claris hardly concealed the fact that that event would give him satisfaction rather than annoyance. He did not dare to interfere, however, when Nell gave orders to one of the men who had crowded in to go to Strawn for a doctor.

"Who did it?" somebody, not the landlord, presently asked.

(To be Continued.)

INJURY AND NEGLECT.

He Failed in Health and Strength—His Kidneys Ached and He Took Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Deerbrook, Feb. 6.—Among business people here, and especially by the low workmen, great interest has been taken in the case of Mr. Jas. Stokes, who, for the past fifteen years, has been shipper for the Rathbun Company.

Lately he has run down in health and strength, to the point of being compelled to quit work, and his recovery now, as the result of using Dodd's Kidney Pills, is the talk of the town. On seeing Mr. Stokes, he said:

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Western Ontario.

Hog Cholera Takes Its Appearance Around Watford.

Sad Death in Stratford of a Lady From Downie.

Essex county treasurer gets \$1,600 per year.

The Oxford County Council voted \$500 to the India relief fund.

The Guelph Central Exhibition will be held on Sept. 28, 29 and 30.

Mr. George Inglis has been re-elected chairman of the Owen Sound town board for the sixteenth time.

The Waubesa Council of Chosen Friends will hold their annual oyster supper and entertainment on Friday evening next.

Mr. J. G. Peters, barrister, fell on the icy sidewalk in front of his residence on Victoria avenue, Windsor, and fractured his left arm.

Cawthorp's mill, Ridgeway, will be running by April. It will be a 180-barrel mill. It will be the third mill in Canada to have the latest machinery.

Rev. Mr. Steeves, Baptist minister, Blenheim, has faredwell in that town to take a public tour of the West.

Mr. Steeves was well liked in Blenheim.

J. D. Ross, who was arrested at Watford and sent to the London Jail, was sentenced to 30 days in the same place.

The annual convention of the Woman's Auxiliary of Foreign Missions, of the Exeter district, will be held on Thursday, 18th February. Sessions will be held in Main Street Church. All are welcome.

The quarterly official board of Morpeth Methodist Church gave Rev. A. J. Langford a unanimous invitation to return next year. Mr. Langford expressed his appreciation and thanks, but wishes to attend college.

The Blenheim News says: "Joseph Mulharn, of McKay's Corners, went insane as the result of an attack of grip, which settled in his head. He was taken to London Asylum. It was found, when they got there, that the place was full, so he had to be brought home again."

The directors of the North Norwich Agricultural Society are much pleased with the result of last year's operations of the society. The show for 1897 are Friday and Saturday, Oct. 8 and 9. Mr. Wm. Fairley, who was secretary last year, has been appointed to the combined office of secretary-treasurer.

Thomas Yax, of Staples, who was arrested some weeks ago, charged with assaulting a 14-year-old girl, and who was charged before Judge Horne at Sandwich, was again sentenced Saturday, but when the case was called the judge announced that he had reserved his decision until Tuesday. Yax may be given the limit of the law.

J. G. Johnson, who has been the lessee and manager of the American Hotel at Port Huron, has purchased the property from Mrs. M. L. Ryan, of Dresden, for \$4,000, which price includes a cash payment.

As soon as warm weather comes Mr. Johnson will commence the work of putting a new foundation under the house, and will make other improvements.

Mr. James Shoultice, of Ellerslie, elected to be the first warden of Bruce, under the new order of things, is a native of Grey county, but has lived in Ellerslie almost all his life. He has taken a prominent part in municipal affairs since 1883, being deputy reeve for four years of that period and reeve the remainder of the time. He is 47 years of age.

The cold snap which marked the close of January put a stop to the trips of the car ferry between Port Huron and Port Dover. On Wednesday, however, the Shenango, No. 1, made another start from Port Huron, and the car ferry was back to work.

Mr. Hugh McEwen, of the Gore of Downie, died at the residence of her brother-in-law, Mr. D. McEwen, in Stratford, on Friday, the 6th inst.

Mr. McEwen was in the city nursing the child of Mr. D. McEwen, which was also being nursed by the children, the eldest of whom, Mr. Hugh Allan McEwen, C. P. R. operator at Broadview, N. W. T., and the youngest child of two years.

Sarnia Observer: Saturday Dr. A. Brown, Government inspector at the quarantine at Sarnia, received word from Ottawa to proceed to Watford and inspect a number of hogs in that locality that were supposed to be suffering from hog cholera.

Dr. Brown, in company with Dr. Gilleuddy, of Watford, made a tour of inspection of the district and found a number of hogs in the farm of John Smith, north of Watford, that were affected with the disease. These they had destroyed, and it is thought that the spread of the disease will be prevented. It has been reported that hog cholera exists in Arizona, and it is likely a visit of inspection will be paid to that locality.

SKATERS DROWNED.

Jennings, Kan., Feb. 2.—Ben Munson and Albert, his 16-year-old brother, were drowned while skating near here yesterday.

Poverty is the test of civility and the touchstone of friendship.—Hazlitt.

Your cough, like a dog's bark, is a sign that there is something foreign around which shouldn't be there.

You can quiet the noise, but the danger may be there just the same. Scott's Emulsion of Cod-liver Oil is not a cough specific; it does not merely allay the symptoms but it does give such strength to the body that it is able to throw off the disease.

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DRAMATIC SUICIDE.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 9.—Warren E. Linney read the soliloquy of Hamlet Sunday. Then he laid his body to the waist and thrust a dagger through his heart. His lifeless form fell forward upon the copy of Shakespeare he had been reading. Linney lived with his mother and brother at 732 West Adams street. He ate dinner with his relatives, and seemed quite cheerful. After dinner he retired to his room alone. He had a soliloquy, with a six-inch blade, which had hung in the house as an ornament. He was formerly manager of a furnishing goods store. He lost that position and had not been employed steadily since. It is intimated that a young woman was at the bottom of the suicide.

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COLDER.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 8-11 p.m.—The
storm center which was in Maine yes-
terday has almost disappeared, as has
also that which was over the Missis-
sippi valley. Higher pressure is spread-
ing to the lake region from the west.
Fair, moderately cold weather pre-
vails in Manitoba and the Northwest
Territories.

Minimum and maximum tempera-
tures:
Regina, 38-48; Calgary, 2-14;
Edmonton, 14 below-4; Qu'Appelle, 6
below-4; Winnipeg, 16 below-6; To-
ronto, 30; Montreal, 32-36; Quebec, 32-36;
Halifax, 32-38.

PROBABILITIES.
Toronto, Feb. 9-1 a.m.—Probabil-
ities for 24 hours for lower lakes region:
moderate to fresh westerly and north-
easterly wind; cloudy to fair, and a little
colder, with a few snow flurries.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest readings of
the thermometer at the observatory
yesterday were 53 above and 28 above.

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Newcastle, N. B., Feb. 8.—The scene of a Disas-
trous Fire.

Newcastle, N. B., Feb. 8.—This town
was the scene of quite a serious fire
yesterday. It started in the rear of
Mrs. Wheeler's premises about mid-
night, and before it could be checked
destroyed ten buildings. The burned
district extends from Creighton's to
the public wharf, and down to John-
son & Co's. The insurance will not be
over \$600, while the loss is esti-
mated at over \$30,000.

Those burned out are Mrs. Wheeler,
store and dwelling; H. Phinney, tin-
smith, store and dwelling; John T.
Clarke, saddler; Mrs. Demers, millin-
ery; the town look-up; Healey & Phin-
ney, stores, furnace etc.; store and
dwelling; Donald Morrison, store and
dwelling; Thos. Stewart, dwelling; P.
Regan, saloon and restaurant; James
Rundle, store; office of the Echo Pub-
lishing Company, owned by George
Stables. The large tire engine house,
which was nicely fitted up, was also
burned.

The best of all PILLS are BEECHAM'S.
Refinement that carries us away from
our fellowmen is not God's refinement.
—Becher.

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SYMPTOMS—Moisture, itching, itch-
ing and stinging, mostly at night;
worse by scratching. If allowed to
continue, tumors form, which often
bleed and ulcerate, becoming very
sore. Swayne's Ointment stops the
itching and bleeding, heals ulceration,
and in most cases removes the tumors.
All druggists, or by mail, 50
cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadel-
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A Local Budget

—Miss A. M. Doyle, city, has been
the guest of the Misses Watson, Strat-
ford.

—Rev. A. E. Vert, of Halifax, N.S.,
formerly of Delaware, is now on a
trip through Manitoba.

—Dr. Conrad E. Wettlaufer, formerly
of this city, is manager of the Uni-
versity of Buffalo hockey team.

—Books and pamphlets printed in
neatest design at The Advertiser Job
Department. Prices the lowest and
work the best.

—Mr. Luke Robinson left for Mon-
tré at noon today to enter upon his
duties as superintendent of the Park
and Island Railway in that city.

—Miss Josephine O'Brien has gone
to London to continue her pianoforte
studies under T. Martin, at the Sacred
Heart Convent, Hamilton.

—Miss Eva N. Robyn, London's ac-
complished soprano, assists Miss
Hinds, of New York, at her recital in
the Opera House, St. Thomas, this
evening.

—Lieutenant McKenzie, of Dufferin
Rifles, Brandon, has been very suc-
cessful during his course at Wolsley
Barracks. He has secured his certifi-
cate and returned home.

—A domestic in the employ of Mrs.
Hubert Ashplant, King street, while
walking in her sleep the other night
fell downstairs and strained the liga-
ments of her neck. Dr. Macarthur
dressed the limb.

—The orphan of Mount Hope had a
very pleasant sleigh ride the other
day, owing to the kindness of Mr. A.
B. Stoyan. The Sisters in charge sin-
cerely thank that gentleman for the
enjoyment thus afforded the little
one.

—Levi Lewis, of the Wharmcliffe
road, plaintiff in the South London
sewer nuisance case, has declined to
accept \$1,000 in settlement, and the
case will go to the Court of Appeal.
It is the first on the list, and will be
heard March 1.

—For the conversation at the
Western University on Friday even-
ing, the same ladies as last year have
kindly consented to give us a "Ladies
Festivities." Lady Carling, Lady Mer-
edith, Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. Little, Mrs.
Watkins and Mrs. Moorhouse.

—The many friends of Mr. A. Barber,
of Komoka, who has been for some
time seriously ill, will be pleased to
learn that the operation performed
by Drs. Morris and De la Motte, of
London, has been very suc-
cessful, and that Mr. Barber is con-
valescing.

—W. F. Boughner, the well known
gent's furnisher, is in London today,
completing arrangements to open out
a gent's furnishing store in the Forest
City. A few days ago he purchased
the stock of George Burns, and he will
continue the business in the store on
Dundas Street occupied by the latter.
—St. Thomas Times.

—Mr. George Raitton, of Bothwell,
was in town yesterday. He was at
one time town clerk of London, and
remembers when the population of the
place was 1,100, and when a bear was
shot where the old Sunbury mill, near-
est the city, now stands. Mr. Raitton,
though 83, is unusually active for his
age, and his friends were delighted to
see him.

—The following delegates from this
city will attend the convention of the
Grand Lodge, A. O. U. W., to be held
at Toronto on Feb. 17: Star Lodge No.
357, P. M. W. Stephen Grant; Fidelity
Lodge, No. 5, P. M. W. S. H.
Milling; London Lodge, No. 18, P. M. W.
C. Stephens; Woodbine Lodge, No. 331,
P. M. W. H. Nichol; Electric Lodge,
No. 402, P. M. W. D. L. De Hart; West-
minster Lodge, No. 404, P. M. W. O.
Billwood; Grant Lodge, No. 407, P. M.
W. Walter H. Morgan.

A dryman started the clerks of
R. C. Struthers & Co. yesterday morn-
ing. He rushed into the office and in-
formed them the building was on fire.
There was a stampede at once for the
street, and on looking up to the roof
the smoke was apparently curling
around the eaves. In the course
of a moment a fire engine arrived, and
a gang ascended to the roof with
buckets, only to find that the wind
was blowing the smoke from the chim-
ney along the roof, so that it looked
like a fire.

THE BENEFIT CONCERT.

The benefit society of the McClary
Manufacturing Company gave a con-
cert in the Grand Opera House last

Disappointed People

Are those who have failed to find re-
lief for a troublesome cough. To such
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Pancakes...

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Pancake Flour can be digested by
the weakest stomach. If you
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makes of pancake flour try Ral-
ston's. It is sure to please you.
No trouble to make. Already
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night that was an unqualified success
in every respect. The proceeds go to
reimburse the treasury of the society,
which has suffered a heavy and con-
tinued drain in caring for employees
who have been afflicted with protract-
ed illnesses. The house was packed to
the doors, and the large audience fully
appreciated the splendid programme,
which included 24 numbers (many of
which were encores), comprising quor-
tets, recitations, songs, medleys, danc-
ing, instrumental solos, whistling se-
lections and dialogues. Miss Ina Rid-
dle's dancing was a feature of the eve-
ning. Those who took part were, the
Imperial Quartet, Mr. Charles Perry,
Miss Aggie Templeton, Mr. James
Cresswell, Mr. H. R. Macdonald, Miss
Dunlop (Hamilton), Messrs. Hughes
and Williamson, Misses Lillian and
Bertha Shand, Miss Agnes Dunlop
(Hamilton), the London Zither Club,
Mr. H. St. George, Miss Ina Riddle,
Miss Myra Pickard, Miss Proctor and
Albin Denegre, the Misses Wilson and
Roselle Pococke, Mr. Fred Evans acted
as accompanist.

A DENIAL.

A story has been published to the
effect that Mr. E. Smith, of Doreches-
ter Station, mourns the loss of goods
to the value of \$100, which were
taken from the establishment of
Elliot, Marr & Co., in a unique way
by an unknown man a few days ago.

The story is that Mr. Smith, who was
starting business, made a purchase at
Elliot, Marr & Co.'s, consisting of
barrels of sugar, etc.; that he also
made a purchase of other goods, and
sent them to the warehouse, where
he would call for them; but before he
did so, that an unknown man called
upon him, and got them. This is
denied by the firm, who state that
part of Mr. Smith's goods were given
to another customer in error, who, as
soon as he found out his mistake, re-
turned the goods to the warehouse. Mr.
Smith was notified over a week ago.

The first day Mr. Smith lost nothing.

A BANK CASE.

Among the suits argued at the Win-
nipeg sittings of the Court of Queen's
Bench was the following: Re Commer-
cial Bank, Dr. Barkwell's case. This
is an appeal from an order of Mr. Jus-
tice Bain. It appears that at the time
of the suspension of the Commercial
Bank, Dr. Barkwell, of London, Eng-
land, was the holder of \$2,500 worth
of bank stock in the concern, and he
also had on deposit under a deposit
receipt \$500 sterling. Immediately
after the appointment of the liqui-
dators, a brother of the doctor, residing
in London, Ont., claimed the money,
producing the deposit receipt indorsed
to him by the liquidators. Dr. Barkwell
recognizes the claim on the ground that
the deposit receipt had the words,
"Not transferable," printed across it,
and Dr. Barkwell had, therefore, no
authority to assign the receipt with-
out the consent of the bank, and that
the liquidators might have a claim
on Dr. Barkwell for the double
liability on his stock which they could
not set off against the deposit receipt.

The case was argued on the 2nd inst.,
and the judge reserved his decision.
At the close of the arguments, judgment
was reserved.

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The Council Will Grant a Lib-
eral Sum

Mass Meeting to Back Up the
Aldermen.

Call to be Made to the Churches for
Funds—Concerted Action of the
Civilized World.

The mass meeting in the City Hall
last night unanimously resolved that
the board of aldermen should make an
appropriation of city funds towards
the relief of the famine-stricken suf-
ferers in India. Only a small num-
ber of citizens turned out, but those
present included some of the largest
taxpayers in the city, and the gather-
ing was truly a representative one.

All seemed fully alive to the great
need of starting a relief fund, and
the questions considered were as to
the best means of raising the money,
the manner of distributing it, and
explained that a number of citi-
zens had urged him to call this meet-
ing. He had also received letters from
the administrator of Ontario, in the ab-
sence of Lieutenant-Governor Kirkpat-
rick, and the lord mayor of London,
England, J. Paulett Phillips, requesting
immediate action of the city in this
respect. The latter's letter stated that
a district in India with 4,000,000 in-
habitants was now famine-stricken,
and another district, with 4,000,000
people was subject to distress, which
would in a short time become famine.
"As to the necessity of something be-
ing done," said Mayor Little, "I think
there cannot be two opinions."

Among those present were: Revs. J.
W. Pedley, E. B. Lancelley, Thos. Wil-
son, Ira Smith, W. T. Hill, Messrs.
J. Labatt, V. Cronyn, Thomas McCorn-
ick, W. Bell, George A. McMillan,
R. G. Fisher, John Campbell, A. G.
Chisholm, A. St. L. Macintosh, Wm.
Trafford, Alex. Murdoch, Jos. Bilton,
R. Elson, W. Carnegie, A. H. Bed-
dome, A. M. Stevely, Farnell, Johnston,
Cooper, Taylor, Hunt, O'Meara, Gerry,
Winnett, Turner, Bennett.

City Clerk Kingston was chosen sec-
retary, and read letters from the
Bishop of Huron, Revs. Robert John-
ston, W. J. Clark, and J. G. Stuart,
expressing regret at being unable to
attend. The Bishop of Huron will
shortly make an appeal to the people
of his diocese. Secretary Sayer, of
the Y. M. C. A., wrote, notifying the
mayor that \$1000 was realized at the
Sunday men's meeting. Messrs. John
Dearness, Bart. Cottam & Co., each
forwarded \$5 to show their sympathy
with the movement. Another letter
stated that Ina Riddle, the clever
little Scotch dancer, would give her
services free should a concert be held
to raise a relief fund.

Mr. Pedley said he was there in
sympathy with the movement, and
heartily indorsed the opening of a
subscription list, but suggested that
the various societies and churches in
the city be asked to co-operate.

Mr. V. Cronyn said the churches
were all moving in the matter, and
that in addition to the starting of
a subscription list the City Council
should give a liberal grant.

Mr. John Campbell thought it but

fair that the council should give a
grant, because, in that case, all citi-
zens give in proportion as they are
able. He thought it would be all but
unanimously sustained. It is an ex-
traordinary case, and one that has
the sympathy and would be the means of stir-
ring up other churches to similar ac-
tion.

Rev. E. B. Lancelley said that in ad-
dition to bringing the matter before
the churches, the various fraternal
societies should be asked to co-oper-
ate, and in all probability there would
be a very liberal response.

Mr. Cronyn spoke in support of the
motion, stating that the council would
probably want the sanction of this
public meeting before voting a grant.
Rev. T. Wilson was also in favor
of the motion. He thought it a very
noble thing for a city, as a city, to
do.

His own people were liberal
spirited, and would do the honors.
Messrs. John Campbell, Thomas
McCornick and J. Labatt heart