WHOLE NO. 16224.

Births, Marriage

DIED.

HODGSON-At Lobo, on Wednesday, March 20, 1901, Nathan Hodgson, in his Funeral will take place from his late

residence on Saturday, March 23, at 1 p.m. Interment at St. George's Ceme-tery. Friends and acquaintances kindly GUNN-On Wednesday, March 20, 1901, at the residence of her son-in-law, A. M. Smart, 142 Kent street, London, Ont.,

Eliza Maria Blinn, widow of the late George Mackenzie Gunn. Funeral on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock; service at 3:30. In kindness please omit flowers. 24u

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MORE TROOPS ORDERED OUT!

Situation at Tien-Tsin Is Still Regarded as Serious.

We are now selling Men's. Germany Expects England to Yield---Japan Mobilizing Her Fleet and May Clash With Russia --- Modified Terms Regarding Manchuria.

> DEMANDS BRITISH APOLOGY. the Occident. The Novosti apparently London, March 21 .- "Gen. Wogack | has refused to accept Count Von Waldersee's arbitration at Tien Tsin," says the Pekin correspondent of the Daily Mail, wiring yesterday, "and demands that the British not only withdraw, but apologize for removing the Russian flag. Gen. Barrow refuses to do either, and in so refusing has the support of the British Government. British reinforcements are being sent."

UNDER ARMS. A Tien Tsin dispatch says: In addition to the Australians, outposts from the lines of communication are coming in to be ready in case of necessity. The British are under arms to prevent the settlement being rushed, but they do not anticipate such

ENGLAND EXPECTED TO YIELD. A Berlin dispatch says: In German official circles it is asserted that British and Russian guards still occupy the land in controversy at Tien Tsin, and that a satisfactory adjustment of the matter may be expected. press does not consider the Tien Tsin incident vital. All the papers express belief that Great Britain will yield. The Vossische Zeitung says that England cannot now afford to engage in a serious conflict with Russia.

RUSSIAN PRESS OPINION. St. Petersburg, March 20.-The Russian press is not alarmed about the Tien Tsin affair. There is no mention of it in the official agency's dispatches, but the London correspondent of the Novoye Vremya characterizes the dispute as unimportant. Another London correspondent quotes French diplomat as saying that an Anglo-Russian war is impossible, as Russia need only threaten to support the Boers in order to bring Great Britain upon her knees. The Novost advocates a Russo-Japanese alliance which will assure Japan her present pessessions and a large market for her industrial products in Russian territory, where they will be protected rendered China by the intervention of against Anglo-German competition. In England, the United States and Japan, conclusion, the article declares this alliance is as important in the Orient as the Franco-Russian alliance is in

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP to March 31 for the drawing of milk from lot 19, con. 7, Westminster, to the city of London, for a term of 6 or 12 months. The quantity will be from 1,000 to 1,500 pounds a day. S. C. Mill-son Clarysorthe.

Tenders for Cordwood

Tenders will be received at this office up to 5 o'clock on Wednesday, 27th March, for supplying relief wood for the city: also for 100 cords of wood to be delivered at city storage yard. Specifications and form of tender on ALD. S. STEVELY,

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License District of the City of London.

Notice is hereby given that applications will now be received at this office from persons desirous of obtaining license for the sale of liquor in the City of London for the license year 1901-2, which commences on the first day of May next. Applications for licenses for premises not now under license must be accompanied by a certificate signed by a majority of by a certificate signed by a majority electors entitled to vote at elections for the Legislative Assembly in the polling sub-division in which the premises sought to be licensed are situated. No application can be received after the first day of April. R. HENDERSON, Inspector. License Commissioners' Office, No. 629 Talbot street.

To his Worship Mayor Rumball:
We, the undersigned ratepayers of the City of London respectfully request your worship to call a meeting of the ratepayers of this city to be held on Thursday and operating and opera Application to the Legislature

regards the Russo-American under-standing as permanent, as the paper does not mention America's competition in Russian territory, which is stronger than the Anglo-German competition

FACTIOUS FRENCH TROOPS. Pekin, March 20 .- The British reinforcements, consisting of 90 marines, which arrived at Tien Tsin last night from the Taku forts to replace the Indian guards on the disputed lands, are explained as due to a fear lest any incident arising out of the Russo-British land question should cause the French troops, whose conduct has given much trouble, to precipitate a collision. The British commanders desire to have enough troops in Tien Tsin to preserve order in the streets. Gen. Bailloud left here this morning to inquire into the conduct of the French troops at Tien Tsin. At today's conference of the foreign ministers general matters only were discussed and no conclusions were arrived at.

JAPANESE FLEET MOBILIZING. Shanghai, March 20.-A dispatch to the China Gazette from Tokio, March 20, says that all the Russian warships in Japanese waters have sailed for Corea, and that the Japanese squadron is mobilizing for an immediate departure to the Corean coast.

OPENLY AGGRESSIVE. London, March 21 .- "Russia's proceedings in Corea," says the Kobe correspondent of the Daily Mail, "are now openly aggressive, and it is believed that she is about to make further demands in connection with Ma San Pho. RUSSIA'S MODIFIED TERMS. London, March 20.-Dr. Morrison, wiring to the Times from Pekin, says:

'Prince Ching received me today, Russia's modification of the Manchurian convention. The Chinese minister at St. Petersburg officially reports that Russia has agreed to eliminate the clause granting her exclusive privileges in Mongolia and Turkestan, and also to modify various other clauses objected to by China. Prince Ching warmly appreciates the assistance but he is not optimistic concerning the return of the court to Pekin. The Russian amendments do not seem to modify sensibly the character of the convention as creating a permanent protectorate. The amendment clause. giving Russia the right to construct railway joining the Manchuria line to the Great Wall, declares that the concession of the railway between Shan Hai Kwan and Niu Chang to a foreign company was a breach of a previous agreement between China and Russia. No agreement has hitherto been published with which that concession could conflict, and it is evident there have been a series of such secret agreements, beginning with the secret treaty which Li Hung Chang negotiated during his mission to Russia in 1896. I questioned Prince Ching concerning this treaty, and he assented to my suggestion of its existence without the slightest demur. I have reason to believe it originally promised China protection only against Japan, but was modified by China's request to include protection against | bread aggression by all foreign powers. The Chinese invoked its provisions after

Germany seized Kiao Chou, but Russia turned a deaf ear. JAPAN WATCHING RUSSIA. London, March 19.-In an interview oday Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister to Great Britain, said that Japan did not regard with pleasure the Russian operations in Manchuria, but, he added, there would be no cause for complaint if Russia adhered to her avowal that she had no intention to permanently occupy that ter-If, however, she did occupy it and then turned her active attention to Corea Japan would take ac-

A LONDON EXPOSITION

King Edward Said To Be Planning a World's Fair for the British Capital.

London, March 20 .- The Daily Mail says this morning: "It is said in high circles that King Edward contemplates a big exhibition in London on the lines of the Paris exposition, the idea being to inclose the Thames from Westminster bridge to Albert bridge, including the whole of Battersea Park."

FLORALWELCOME FOR MCKINLEY San Jose, Cal., March 19.-Five thousand acres of land in Santa Clara county have been planted with sweet peas to be used in the decoration of San Jose for the visit of President Mc-

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THE BYE-ELECTION Liberal Majority in East Queen's 371—The

Conservative Elected in North Bruce.

Halifax, March 20.—A special from from Charlottetown says: The election in East Queen's today resulted in the triumphant return of Mr. D. A. McKinnon, Liberal, over Mr. Alex. Martin, Conservative, the same candidates as at the general election. The contest was quite vigorous, the candidates holding joint meetings from the beginning to the end of the campaign. Sir Louis Davies took an active part, speaking at large meetings in the principle centers. From the outset Mr. McKinnon's success was confidently predicted by his friends, while less hope was felt on the opposition side. Great interest was felt in this city, where the members of the Legislature awaited the result. When the telephone brought the tidings from the first ture awaited the result. When the telephone brought the tidings from the first polls they showed considerable Liberal gains. Later returns confirm Mr. Mc-Kinnon's election by 371 majority, with nine polls to hear from. The aggregate vote of the nine polls at the general election gave Mr. McKinnon 484, Mr. Martin 533. The voters who came to the city state that the McKinnon vote was increased considerably. Liberals contend that when the full returns are in Mr. McKinnon will have four hundred majority. Many of the polls not heard from are distant from telephone offices.

IN NORTH BRUCE.

IN NORTH BRUCE. Wiarton, March 21 .- Returns of yesterday's Dominion bye-election in

fied) give Halliday, Conservative, 14 ma-OUT OF THE MINE

Striking Convicts in the Lansing Mines

Are Back in Penilentiary. Leavenworth, Kan., March 20 .- Two convicts of the Lansing Penitentiary were wounded last night by the guards who went down into the penitentiary mine to subdue the 284 prisoners who entered the colliery Monday, and refused to come out until their demands for better food should be granted. All the convicts were run down in various parts of the workings by a heavy detail of guards who descended the shaft shortly before midnight. A volley was fired when the bottom was reached, with the intention of intimidating the mulineers. It is suposed that stray bullets hit two of the convicts. were seriously hurt, however, and the volley effectually subdued the others, who were almost famished, and ap parently glad to get off so easily. They scattered through the workings, leav ing the fifteen guards whom they had overpowered and held as hostages. The latter were quickly hoisted to the surface and the work of rounding up the convicts began. So fast as they were caught they were taken up and before their cells at the penitentiary. had been practically without food for 24 hours, and at daybreak were given only a cup of coffee and a few slices of

THIRTEEN SAILORS PERISH. Antwerp, March 21. - The steamer Chemnitz, of the German - Australian Steamship Company and British steamer Tay collided last night in the Flushing roadstead. The steamer Tay

sank and thirteen of her crew perished. WELL-NOWN MINISTER DEAD. Chicago, March 20 .- Rev. Arthur Edwards, D.D., editor of the Northwestern Christian Advocate and widely known in Methodist Episcopal Church circles, died tonight at his residence in this city, aged 66 years, of heart trouble. He leaves a widow and two

daughters. TOOK LAUDANUM AND DIED. Syracuse, N. Y., March 20.-William Gleselman last night, at a friend's house, poured an ounce of laudanum into a glass of milk, drank it and rushed out of the house. Efforts to locate him were unavailing until this morning, when he was discovered lying upon a pool table in a saloon. The ambulance was summoned, but the young man died on the way to the hospital. MICHIGAN SUFFERS FROM BLIZ-

ZARDS. Grand Rapids, Mich., March 20 .blinding blizzard of sleet and hail, in the midst of which trains were power-less and trainmen with hands and large trainment where he has took up medicine. He attended Long Island College Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., where he has took up medicine. He attended Long large trainment with hands and large trainment where he has took up medicine. He attended Long large trainment with hands and large trainment with faces bleeding from the effects of the blasts were forced to cover, raged all last night and this morning throughout northern and western Michigan. The railroads were absolutely helpless and the railroad men say the storm was worse than that of last week, which tied up all northern roads, and that this series of storms makes this winter the most disastrous in the hisand all throughout the length and tory of this section. It was impos-breadth of Santa Clara the fields are sible to send aid to any of the passenwaving a welcome to the nation's ex- ger trains which were stalled, and for ecutive. Fifty tons of tweet peas will over twelve hours no one had any be used in decorating the city. In addition there will be carloads upon carloads of roses, carnations and other dowers, tropical plants and evergreens.

WILL MOVE THEIR MILLS.

Michigan Lumbermen Decide to Locate in Canada.

Toronto, March 20.—The lumbermen of Michigan about eight months ago entered a suit in the Canadian law courts to have the Ontario government regulation preventing the export of logs declared ultra vires. The suit has dragged until new the lumbermen have decided to discontinue the suit recognizing the imcontinue the suit, recognizing the impossibility of success. They further state that in many cases their mills will be removed to Canada, because the prices now paid for wood work in the states will pay them to do so, in spite of the duty on such work.

For Busy Readers.

Brantford's rate of taxation is 20 mills on the dollar. W. L. Perkins, of North Bay, Ont, has taken a 10-year lease of the Crawa ford House, Windsor.

ford, was chosen as Conservative candidate against Dr. McKay, at a convention in Mount Eigin. The Empire Tobacco Company pur-

Mr. Donald Sutherland, North Ox.

chased 2,000,000 pounds of tobacco in Essex county last year, paying for it The report from Toronto that a railway mail clerk, running between Eganville and Ottawa, had been quarantined, on account of smallpox, is

The private car of General Manager Fitzhugh of the Central Vermont Railroad was badly smashed on Monday in the G. T. R. yards at Windsor while being shunted onto the car ferry. Fortunately General Manager Fitzhugh was not in the car at the time.

TO SUPPRESS STRIKERS. Paris, March 21.-Two thousand soldiers have gone to assist the authorities in the suppression of the troubles incident upon the strike at Marseilles. BUBONIC PLAGUE REACHES

ENGLAND. Southampton, March 21 .- A steward of the British troopship Simla, from Table Bay, Feb. 18, is suffering from the plague and has been isolated. Twenty persons who had been in contact with him have been placed under observation.

SUICIDE IN A WELL Atlanta, Ga., March 20 .- A special from Yorkville, S. C., says: John R. Ashe, president of the York Cotton Mills. committed suicide by throwing himself into a well. It is believed the deed was committed under temporary aberration, caused by a failure to finance a debt on his mill amounting to \$30,000. SANDWICH MUST PAY. Windsor, March 20.-The town of

Sandwich built a public wharf

1899, calling it "The Queen's Dock."

Last summer George Thompson un-

it collapsed, the bricks going into the

river. Judge Horne gave Thompson

\$166 damages. Yesterday the common

loaded 34,000 bricks on the dock and

pleas divisional court at Toronto, with Sir William Meredith presiding, gave judgment dismissing the appeal by the town. TWO MEN BLOWN TO ATOMS. Kokoma, Ind., March 20 .- By the premature explosion of 50 pounds of dynamite on the farm of Isaac Marlowe, three miles southeast of here, today, Marlowe and William Stamm were blown to atoms. Fragments of their bodies wers lodged in tree tops nearly half a mile

distant. DR. DUNCAN DUFF DEAD. Detroit, March 21.—Heart failure caused the death yesterday of Dr. Duncar ed the death yesterday of Dr. Duncar Duff, at his residence, 612 Gratiot avenue. Two years ago, when there was a fire in his residence, he attempted to secure some clothing before leaving the building, and was overcome with smoke, and his heart never recovered from the shock. Deceased was born in the Province of Nova Scotia, and received his education at Dalhousie College, Halifax. It was his intention to study for the ministry, but, as he was to be drafted for foreign misonary service, he left the college and

four children, survives him.

ON STOCKS AND BONDS. LOWEST RATES.

London Loan Company LONDON, ONT.

G. T. R. TRAINMEN COME TO LONDON

Only Two Freight Train Crews Remain in Windsor-The Married Men Complain.

Detroit Free Press: The scheme to remove the trainmen from Windsor to London by the Grand Trunk Railway, which was inaugurated at the time the Wabash secured running powers over the former road, has been gradually put into force, until today there re-main but two freight train crews in Windsor. The last conductor to be removed to London is John Forbes, and he will report to the superintendent in that city today. One of the remaining crews run on the mixed, or local freight, train, and cannot be removed, but it is not known how soon the other crew will join those already in the Forest City.

its intention of making London the the center for the eastern and western divisions, the trainmen of Windsor obed by the change have not removed not only without a rival as a painter their families to London, and have been of historical scenes, but is also dethey are unable to save any money all Americans.

from their wages. When the Wabash commenced running over the Grand Trunk, many of the trainmen from the latter road were employed by the Wabash and they have received rapid promotion. Other Windsor trainmen who have

REMORSE-THEN SUICIDE. Boston, Mass., March 19.—Remorse, complicated with a love affair, led Mrs. Nora P. Phillips, one of the most beautiful women in Boston, to shoot herself in the right temple yesterday afternoon in the lodging house at 961 Clarendon street. She died tonight. CANADA'S ONLY FEMALE EM-

BALMER DEAD. Ottawa, March 20.-Mrs. Myrtle Hamon, the only female embalmer in Canada and a member of the Embalmers' Association of Ontario, died today, aged 42. She graduated from the Massachusetts College of Embalming

a year ago. She leaves a husband in VALUABLE CARGO ASHORE. St. Johns, Nfid., March 19. — The French barkentine Aquitaine, from Bayonne for St. Pierre, with a cargo of wine, spirits and general fishery supplies for the French bank fishing fleet, is ashore off Cape La Hune, on the south coast of Newfoundland, 23 miles east of Burgeo. Her crew escaped. The ship is badly damaged and the coast folk are looting her. Customs officials

to recover the property salvaged. AMALGAMATE MEDICAL

ing times are expected in the endeavor

SCHOOLS. Toronto, March 19.—Dean Geikie, of Trinity, this morning sent to the joint committee, which is seeking to arrange terms for the amalgamation of Trinity and Toronto Medical School as a part of the confederation movement, a report stating that while Trinity is in favor of amalgamation, the proposed basis is not acceptable. It is stated that the federation of Trinity University with Toronto depends on the successful issue of these negotia-

Diphtheria and scarlet fever cannot spread where Vapo-Cresolene is used. All Druggists.

EMULATED ST. PATRICK

And Cleared Out a Veritable Paradise of Snakes.

Armed with dynamite they blew up will be considered in a spirit of conrocks and the face of sandstone bluffs, ciliation as far as possible, in the best uncovering colonies of snakes. Hun-dreds of snakes were killed by shock of the explosions, and hundreds more, just recovering from winter lethargy, fell easy prey to the hunters.

EDWIN A. ABBEY

When the company first announced The Well-Known American Artist to Paint the Coronation Scene.

New York, March 20 .- A dispatch their homes, and at present prices of Windsor real estate they could not dispose of their possessions at satisfactory prices. General Manager Hays was interviewed by the Windsor Board of Trade and the matter was dropped for the time. Since then, however, various crews have gone to London, until nearly all now make that place their headquarters. The married men affected by the change have not removed. under the expense of paying for their board there and keep up their homes in Windsor, and they complain that

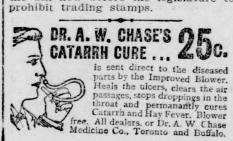
Amusements.

FREDERICK WARDE.

Mr. Frederick Warde, who appears been kept in the employ of the Grand at the Opera House on Saturday after-Trunk have tried to secure an ex-change to the Wabash, but as they are "The Duke's Jester," is a sterling all old and faithful servants of the former their aplications have been refused. The understanding between the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more than the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more are the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more are the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more are the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more are the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more are the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more than the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more are the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more than the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more than the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more than the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more than the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more than the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more than the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more than the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more than the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more than the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more than the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more than the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more than the pearance in London in such good companies is that no more than the pearance in London in such good companies is the pearance in London in such good companies in the pearance in London in such good companies in the pearance in London in t two companies is that no men are to be taken by the Wabash unless the Lawrence Barrett. He is supported by Grand Trunk is agreeable and the employes of the latter road will have to continue at London or resign their polynomials. The company is equipped superbly with scenery and costumes, and a fine representation is promised of Bulwer Lytton's "Richeieu" in the afternoon and of "The Duke's Jester" in the evening. The latter play is said to be one of fine literary merit, and an important piece of dramatic writing. The name of "Rich-elieu" is its own commendation. An inthrilling four-handed duel by expert swordsmen. The great interest taken here in the engagement of Mr. Warde is shown by the large demand already for seats. The plan opens today (Thursday) at 9 a.m.

DON'T OVERLOOK. Col. Marsh is in town arranging for the appearance here of the Clara Ma-thes New Big Comedy Company's en-gagement at the Opera House all next week. The company have a big scenic production ,a quartet of sweet singers, graceful dancers, pretty music and the top-notchers in the merry world of high-class vaudeville entertainers.

AGAINST TRADING STAMPS. Toronto, March 20 .- Two large deputations, one favoring, the other opposare being hurried to the scene. The ing, the trading stamp system, waited cargo is unusually valuable, and excitmittee of the city council yesterday afternoon and fought over again the question that occupied the council's attention for an hour at its last meeting. The anti-trading stamp forces won this time, for the committee approved without dissent a resolution favoring the bill now before the legislature to



The Fishery Question.

Col. Leys, the local member of the Ontario House, is home here on private business. He reports that licenses for net fishing have been issued along Iuka, Ill., March 19. — The spirit of St. Patrick seized the people of Iuka yesterday, and a snake hunt was organized. The region of the spirit of satisfaction on that account, as it was unfair to permit the fight. yesterday, and a snake hunt was organized. The region along the Sillet Fork River has long been regarded as a paradise for "rattlers," "copperheads," and "blue racers." More than 200 men joined in the hunt.

The region along the Sillet between Cashmere dam and the rivermouth to catch all the fish, while those living on this side of the dam should not be able to obtain any. We trust that whatever may be necessary to be done will be considered in a spirit of coninterests of all concerned.

Questions Answered.

PROMISSORY NOTE .- A, owing B \$1,000, gives five notes of \$200 each. But it was stipulated on back of last note maturing that if all the other previous notes were paid before that one came due, that \$100 be thrown off last note. If A pays part of the former notes, renewing for the balance, and when last note is due is prepared to pay the balance on the former note, must B throw off the \$100, or does the renewing of one or more of the former notes give B a legal right to collect the full amount of last note? A and another witnessed the agreement on back of last note. Ans.—Upon the facts stated B can legally collect the last note in full.

DOCTORS GAVE HIM UP.

Hospital Treatment Also Fails to Cure -Dodd's Kidney Pilis Score Another Great Victory.

Barnaby River, March 18.—Few cases of illness and recovery have excited the interest in this community that has the kidney trouble of Mr. Cornelius Crottie.

Mr. Crottie's treatment by the doc tors at home and in the hospital, and the fact that they absolutely gave him up as a case beyond all hope, is well known. His subsequent restoration by

and on with Kidney Trouble. Last fall I had an attack, from which the doctors had little hope of my recovery. I was obliged to go to the hospital for treatment, but it did me no good, so I came home, given up by the doctors. A friend suggested Dodd's Kidney Pills. From the first box I improved. Now I am at my work every day."

ANOTHER NEGRO LYNCHED. Terry, Miss., March 21.—J. Bell, a negro 25 years old, charged with attempted robbery and assault, was lynched her last night. Another negro, Charles Hol-

FORETOLD HER DEATH. New Haven, Conn., March 18.—Miss Ella Graham, aged 39 years, a proofreader in a printing establishment in this city, just one week ago yesterday called on two friends and asked them if they would be pallbearers at her funeral. She said she would be dead in a week. Two days later she was taken suddenly ill with what developed into pleuropneumonia. She died on Thursday afternoon last and was buried yesterday.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS' RATES REDUCED.

Montreal, March 20.-The Dominion ceived a letter from Mr. Robt. Kerr. general traffic manager Canadian Pacific, stating that the rates for commercial travelers would be reduced to three cents a mile for the section of the Canadian Pacific beyond Canmore and MacLeod, after the 1st of April.
A reduction is also expected to be made between Sudbury and Port

60 SPECIALISTS ON THE CASE.— In the ordinary run of medical practice greater number than this have treated cases of chronic dyspepsia and have failed to cure — but Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets (60 in a box at 35 cents cost) have made the cure, giving relief in one day. These little "specialists" have proven their real merit. For sale by C. McCallum & Co.-72.

Prince Edward Island Farmer compelled to stop



them and backache often follows. P.E.I., has to say about what Doan's Pills have done for him:

right side and I could not stoop over.

Feather and Down Cushions 50 Cents Each.

Leave London at 7:15 p.m., Arriva New York10:00 a m. Follow-

This can only be accomplished by getting your tickets over the great New York Central from the Michigan Central agent, who will secure you a berth and sell you tickets. Fare same as by other lines when tickets pur-

Electric Turkish Baths.

"The value of our lives, my friends, Is measured by the good we do The amount of good the Turkish Baths are doing is enormous. Nothing

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Children Cry for CASTORIA. Children Cry for CASTORIA. Children Cry for



than that of the farmer-yet as a rule farmers work too hard. They toil early and late, through the broiling sun in the sum-mer and the blizzard blasts of the winter, and they have to suffer for it because the kidneys cannot stand the strain put on is what Mr. Job Costain of Mininegash,

"In the Spring of 1900 I started to clear up a piece of land, but had not worked many days before I was taken with a very lame back, and of course was compelled to stop work. The trouble seemed to be down in the centre of my back and my got a box of Doan's Pills and before I had taken the whole box I was completely cured and was able to proceed with my work, and I take great pleasure in recom-mending them to all farmers who are troubled as I was."

SPECIAL NOTICES

Large stock of Pillows and Mat-tresses, Iron and Brass Bedsteads. Pillows and Cushions filled with feathers on the shortest notice. Large assortment of Staves at Hunt & Sons' Bed and Mattress Cleaning factory 593 Richmond street. Telephone 997.

ing Day.

chased in Canada.

can surpass them in purifying the blood and relieving nervous pressure and thus producing good health. 320 Dundas street.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

CASTORIA.

THE WEATHER TODAY-Unsettled, with occasional light snow. Store closes at 7 p.m. Saturdays. Customers are respectfully requested to shop before this

New Spring Costumes

You will want a natty, up-to-date spring costume for Easter. You have decided that point, but you don't want the trouble making two or three visits for fittings, etc. We can obviate all that -can show you garments all ready to put on. Perhaps you have admired them in the window Already our Ready-to-Wear Costume Department is bristling with the latest novelties in Tailer. Made Garments.



throughout; velvet binding and belt to match. Price for Style 1,000.





Homespun Serge: coat Russian blouse with turned # stock collar; front. collar and cuffs of coat prettily trimmed with Taffeta strappings: flounce skirt with silk stitching and Taffeta strapping; lined throughout, Price\$18 00



Style 2,000.

Newest Colored Dress Goods

An early inspection will avail much. Of course, every piece is stylish, but some color or pattern that you have set your desire on may not be here if you delay.

44-inch Crapeleine, entirely new, light-weight, beautiful colorings of brown, turquoise, castor, pearl gray, rose,

In addition you have the satisfaction of knowing that you have the choice of the nicest and best goods.

2-clasp Fine Mocho Gloves, pique sewn, in gray.

2-clasp pique sewn Mocho Glove, silk lined, in

BOAS AND NECK RUCHES

Furs will soon be set aside and something to take their place will be necessary. We direct attention to the following new arrivals:

Direct from Paris—A beautiful assortment of Neck Ruches in silk, with chenille trimming; in black,

SMALLMAN & INGRAM

AT GIBRALTAR

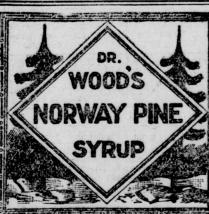
Steamship Ophir, With British Royal Tourists. Has Arrived There.

Gibraltar, March 20.—The steamship Ophir, on which the Duke and Duchess Portsmouth, March 16, on a tour of the world, entered the harbor about 9 clock. All the ships in port had previously been dressed, and the royal yacht approached through the fleet, fully manned, and with guards of honor and bands paraded amidst salvos guns, the firing of a royal salute and the strains of the National Anthem. The Ophir entered inside the Mole, and shortly afterwards the governor, Gen. Sir Robert Biddulph, and the admirals officially visited the ship. The duke and Duchess, with their suites, will land at

noon. Decorations at the landing stage and along the streets were universal, and large crowds have gathered. Gibraltar, March 20. — The steamer Ophlr, which arrived here this morning with the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York on board, reports that while crossing the Bay of Biscay seas invad-

DETROIT CANADIANS WANT

LAND GRANT. Toronto, Ont., March 18 .- Col. J. P. McMillan, who is leading the agitathe veterans of 1866 and 1870, today sent a petition to the government from the Canadian Veterans' Association of Detroit, signed by 36 members, asking to be included in the grant. John R. Wood, the president, says that a number in the event of obtaining the grants will settle on the land and in the case of those who from age and infirmity are incapable, their sons



If you have a hard hacking cough that no other remedy seems able to cure, try a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. There is nothing to equal it for loosening the phlegm, allaying the irritation and healing and strengthening the lungs and

Miss M. Bradshaw, Wesleyville, Ont., "My brother was troubled with a very bad hacking cough, which stuck to him in spite of everything we could do, but after using three bottles of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup he was completely

There are so many spurious "pine" preparations on the market that you should always be careful to get Dr. Woods's, the original and genuine.

CARRIE ATTENDS THE LOVE FEAST

And Wages War on the Conference-Calls

the Women Brazen Things. Topeka, Kan., March 18.-The ministers and their wives who are attending the State Conference of Methodists were bitterly denounced by Mrs. Car-rie Nation last night in one of her vigorous speeches. She attended the love feast of the conference as an uninvited guest, and seizing upon lull in the proceedings addressed the She declared that the ministers act-

ed like schoolboys who, having learned their lessons, had come there to recite them. She said that with a dozen fearless women at her back she could do more good for her state than all the inactive ministers in it.

To the ministers' wives she said: 'You are a lot of brazen things. You dress your poor bodies in jewelry and the feathers and bodies of poor inno-cent birds, and pretend to be Christians. Why, if Jesus were on earth, he would horsewhip you from the churches. You are not fit to set an example before Christian youths and girls. Try to help men and women's souls instead of bedecking your poor bodies in rags which are calculated to make them envious. You must change your ways of living if you.

want to do good in the world.' Mrs. Nation's speech was unanswered, because her listeners were struck dumb by her remarks, and remained speechless until she had departed. "At

BIG CATCH OF SEALS. 6,500 seals, and is the first of the fleet to return home. The Southern Cross reports the fifteen remaining ships of the fleet to be off the Labrador coast, among the seal herds. All are doing well and likely to get full cargoes. This is the best record for seal fishery of modern years.

ONTARIO FARMERS GOING WEST. Toronto, March 19. - The prospects large numbers of Ontario farmers and others leaving for the Northwest at noon today. It required three trains to accommodate those who took advantage of the colonist rates. This evening two trains with those settlers effects left the Union station. A special train of immigrants came up from Montreal this morning, many of them going through to the Western States. The remainder of them are distributed through Western Ontario. A few remained in Eastern Ontario.

ESSEX NATURAL GAS. Detroit, Mich., March 19.-John C. Donnelly, attorney for the Natural Gas and Oil Company, who has just returned from Ottawa and Toronto,

Middlesex.

The trade in dairy cows is becoming quite brisk of late. A carload of 25 cows was sold by auction by Mr. J. McClary at Derwent on Monday last, at an average of \$40 per head.

Cures Create Confidence

That Is Why Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills Have Won the Confidence of the People of This

Continent-Read These Letters. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills have the largest sale in Canada of any treatment recommended for diseases of the kidneys. They have won the confidence of the people by actually curing the ailments for which they are intended and are known in nearly every home in the land. Scores of hundreds of people could write just such letters as these that follow: Mr. James Clark, Consecon, Prince Edward county, Ont., states: "Eleven years ago I was taken with pains in my back, settling in my hips and ex-tending up my spine. The pain was very severe and at times almost un-endurable and many days I was not able to do an hour's work. My weight was reduced from 190 to 160 pounds. and, though I had consulted many first-class physicians and tried several

advertised medicines, I could get no

"At this time my father-in-law told

me to try Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills and said he knew they would St. Johns, Nfld., March 19. — The sealing steamer Southern Cross has arrived here. She is loaded with 26 500 seals and is the first of the fleet. en about four boxes, which made me a sound man, and I also regained my usual weight, 190 pounds. I say too much in favor of Dr. Kidney-Liver Pills which have done so much for me. I have recommended them to a number of my friends, and have never met with one case where they did not meet with good success.

My daughter, Mrs. Charles Phillips, has also been cured of a severe stomach trouble by the use of these pills."

Mr. Geo. Cummings. Barrie, Ont., one of the best-known engineers on one of the best-known engineers on the G. T. R., and whose run is be-tween Toronto and Barrie, writes: "For years I suffered from kidney disease brought on by railroad life. The doctors called it railroad kidney," but could give me no permanent re-lief. A friend recommended Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, saying they had cured him. A few boxes of this grand medicine completely cured me, putting an end to the dreadful pains in the back and greatly strengtening the kidneys. I am a well man today, thanks to Dr. Chase.

There is no uncertainty, no experiment about taking Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. They have cured such a variety of cases, and have been so thoroughly tested during the past quarter of a century that you can be absolutely sure of being benereturned from Ottawa and Toronto, says there is plenty of gas left in the Essex gas fields, and, that the company expect to be selling natural gas in Detroit ten years from now. The United Gas and Oil Company will spend \$50,000 this summer putting down new wells and increasing its supply. Mr. Donnelly says the Dominion Government officials show no disposition to interfere with the company or its vested rights.

Hell about the convey-Liver Pills. They have cured such a variety of cases, and have been so thoroughly tested during the past quarter of a century that you can be absolutely sure of being benefited by their use. If you have been disappointed with other remedies you will all the more appreciate the genuineness of this sterling remedy of Dr. Chase: one pill a dose, 25 cents a box. At all druggists, or Edmanson, Bates Co., Toronto.

London and district that we will open our New Drug Store on Saturday, March 23rd, and we extend a cordial invitation to all to visit and inspect our new premises and stock. Our store is beautifully fitted in quarter-cut oak and is a dazzling splendor, with its numerous mirrors, glass show cases and chandeliers. Our stock is entirely new, and it is with confidence that we

invite your inspection on Saturday, March 23rd.

Kennedy's Pharmacy

E take pleasure in announcing to the people of

Kennedy's Pharmacy

228, 230 and 232 Dundas Street.

FAIR EXCHANGE

That's the rock that honest, up-to-date merchandising rests on. No store can permanently succeed by giving one jot less than full and complete value for the money spent. Circumstances sometimes make it possible to give more than a fair exchange, but no circumstance or combination of circumstances should tempt a store to give less than a just equivalent. Preaching principles is one thing, and practising them is another. We invite you to investigate us and see for yourself how closely our practice follows our preaching.

Another Great Value-Getting Opportunity

LADIES' TAILOR — MADE DRESS SKIRTS AND OTHER MAKES, COST NOT CONSID-ERED, THEY MUST GO.

BLACK SERGE LADIES' Skirts, tailor-made, worth \$3 75, our price \$2 75 each.

LADIES' BLACK Skirts, worth \$3 50, for \$2 49 each. LADIES' NAVY BLUE SERGE Ladies' Wrapper Bar= Skirts, worth \$3 75, for \$2 75. LADIES' FINE BLACK LUS-TRE, worth \$2 75, for \$1 97.

LADIES' FINE BLACK FIG-URED LUSTRE, worth \$3 50, for LADIES' FINE BLACK FIG-

URED LUSTRE, worth \$2, for LADIES' NAVY BLUE AND BLACK COSTUME CLOTH skirts, worth \$2 50, now \$1 97 each. Ladies' Gray and Fawn Costume Cloth Skirts, worth \$2 25, now

\$1 89 each. These prices are for Friday, Saturday and Monday only.

Dress Goods Department

Does the selection of materials for that NEW DRESS worry you? Let us show you what we have to

Special line of BLACK FIGURED GOODS, regular price was 69c, we are selling this line at 39c yard. One piece of Fine Silk and Wool Black Dress Goods, was \$1, now

Navy Blue and Black Serges, fine goods, 42 inches wide, worth 50c, for 39c yard. HEAVY SUITING SERGE, 54 inches wide, in NAVY BLUE AND BLACK, at 50c and 75c yard.

PLAIN BLACK LUSTRE, 25c. 39c, 47c yard. NAVY BLUE LUSTRE, 29c, 35c yard. Fine Costume Cloth, in black, navy blue, gray and brown, 54 inches wide, worth 45c, now 29c

gain-Sale Continued

Every woman likes a comfort gown, by whatever name it is called—one she can slip on wear in her room or about the house. They can be neat, becomirg and attractive, or they can be quite the reverse. You can get the pretty sorts here—lots of them just as pretty as can be, and less than you can get them made for. Four lots to choose from, \$1 10, 97c, 89c, 69c each. 'Come and get your choice.

Curtain and Rug Department

Ambition knows no rest. This department is growing, and all because of its underselling and out-

Spot Ruffled Muslin Curtainings, at 20c, 25c yard. Nottingham Curtains, 3 yards, 43 inches wide, regular 75c, for 50c Fine Nottingham Curtains, regu-

lar \$1 25, for \$1 pair; 31/2 yards long. Fine Nottingham Curtains, spe-lal at \$1 25, \$1 50, \$1 75, \$2 00, \$2 50, \$3 50 pair. See our window for beautiful

Rugs and Prices. It will pay you to buy your Rugs at the "THREE BUSY STORES."

JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

KOMOKA

Komoka, March 19.—Rev. Mr. Kay, of Dorchester Station, preached in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday afternoo Mrs. Campbell is on the sick list.

The regular prayer meeting and Bible study will be held on Thursday evening Mrs. James Lince has returned home

from a very enjoyable visit to relatives and friends in Petrolia. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday next, conducted by Rev. Mr. Watson, of Thamesford. Preparatory services will be held in the church on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

MELROSE.

Melrose, March 19 .- The Melrose Methodists held their anniversary servies on Sunday and Monday, March 17 and 18. On Sunday Rev. James Husser, B.D., preached most excellent sermons to large audiences. On Monday evening a splendid tea was served by the ladies. After tea a good programme was given in the church. Appropriate addresses were delivered by Rev. Messrs. Hambly, Lawrence and Husser, and choice solos were sung by Miss Decker, Miss Pearl Brooks and Miss Miller. The organist, Mrs. R. H. Tuchey, was made the recipient of a purse and an address from the congregation, as a token of the high esteem in which she is held, and as a mark of appreciation of her valuable services. Mrs. Cooper thanked the audience on her behalf. The choir rendered excellent singing on Sunday, and the anniversary on the whole was one of the pleasantest ed most excellent sermons to large auon the whole was one of the pleasantest in the history of the church. Rev. W. H. Cooper, the pastor, presided, and ex-cellent order prevailed. Proceeds, nearly

LOBO.

Lobo, March 20 .- The many triends of Mr. Alex. McArthur (who has been soldier in South Africa for some time) will be pleased to hear of his return home and to see him looking none the worse of difficult battles he had to come through. His visit home is but a short one, as he leaves Tuesday for Toronto.

Mr. McCallum, con. 12, is quite ill

Mrs. McClurg, con. 7, is also on the Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Campbell, Ivan, called on relatives in Caradoc recent-

A large surprise party from Duncreif

Don't Wake the Baby.

Vape-Cresolene is sold by druggists everywhere.

A Vape-Cresolene outift, including the Vaporizer and
Lamp, which should last a life-time, and a bottle of
Cresolene, complete, \$1.50, extra supplies of Cresolene 25 cents and 50 cents. Illustrated booklet containing shysicians' testimonials free upon request. VareCR. SOLENE Co., 120 Fulton St., New York, U.S.A.

spent a pleasant evening on Friday last at the residence of Mr. Duncan Campbell, Caradoc.

Anniversary services were held en Sunday, March 17, in the Melrose Methodist Church, and were largely attended. On Monday evening a teameeting and concert was given, when the church was packed to its utmost

Mr. Oliver Gray, who was badly hurt from the upsetting of a load of wood, is able to be around again. Miss Linna McFarlane and Miss Anna Gunn who have been the guests of their cousin, Miss Minnie Campbell, returned home on Tuesday.

Mr. Neil Campbell, con. 6, is spending a few weeks visiting friends in Inniskillen and Sarnia. Mrs. Anderson, Oil City, is at pre-

sent home on a visit.

Mrs. Duncan A. Campbell, of Ivan,

ARKONA.

Arkona, March 19 .- Mr. Arthur Lampman is home from Granmora, Mich., where he has been spending the George Adamson called on Arkona

friends one day last week.

Miss Lynn Waterman, of Sarnia, is visiting her parents on the 4th line, Warwick

Mr. S. Frank Eastman, of Portsmouth, Ohio, Sunday school missionary, and his aunt, Mrs. Eastman, of Strathroy, called on Arkona friends Friday and Saturday. Capt. George Trimble, who has been visiting in the "Ark" for a few days, left on Tuesday for Tonawanda, where

his boat has been laid up for the winter season. Mrs. Wm. Mustard has returned home from Whitby, where she was Mr. and Mrs. Huffman, of Cass City,

Mich., are visiting friends in the 'Ark" at present. George Pierce leaves for England on Mr. J. G. Brown was in the city a

couple of days this week. Remember the lecture, which will be given in Fuller's Hall, April 2, by Rev. R. F. Irwin—"Your Tongue, Its Use and Misuse." Also a maple taffy social. Singing by Mrs. Towns, Dr. Brown and Mrs. Humphries, Adelaide. Admission, adults, 25 cents; children,

TOWNSHIP COUNCILS. EAST WILLIAMS.

The council met in the hall, Nairn, on he 18th inst. After reading and signing the 18th inst. After reading and signing of minutes of previous meeting, a communication from the Canadian Order of Woodmen was ordered to be filed, and the clerk instructed to let the society know their offer would be gladly accept-

the Baby.

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ASSASSINS AFTER RUSSIA'S CZAR

Two Recent Attempts to Take His "Life Have Been Frustrated.

King Edward Doesn't Like Frock-Coated Deputations—A Chamberlain Libel Suit-Italian Town Flooded-Troublesome Turks.

Berlin, March 20. - The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Tageblatt says he has learned of two separate conspiracies to assassinate the czar. The first attempt was planned to be made on the occasion of the jubilee ball of the naval cadet corps, which the czar had promised to attend. Nicholas was ready to start, and was awaiting his carriage, when Gov.-Gen. Kleigels arrived at the palace and informed him that he must not go, several suspicious persons belonging to the revolutionary party having been arrested at the Nicolai bridge with arms and forged passports.

The second affair occurred in the middle of January, when the czar, accompanied by his mother, visited the ceramic exhibition. When entering one of the rooms the members of the committee who were escorting the im-perial party suddenly noticed an unknown man hurriedly approaching the czar. Several of the czar's party has-tened to meet nim to lead him away. Thereupon the man thrust his hand in his pocket. He was instantly seized. When he was searched a bomb was found in his pocket.

NO FROCK-COATED DEPUTATIONS London, March 20. - At St. James' Palace this afternoon King Edward, wearing a field marshal's uniform, received between 40 and 50 deputations from various parts of the kingdom, bearing addresses of condolence and congratulation. His majesty replied to all together, except the Free-masons and the deputation from Trin-College, Dublin, which received separate replies. To the Duke of Connaught, who presented the Freemasons' address, the King expressed his great regret at relinquishing the grand mastership, and promised, as protector, to continue watching over their interests and to rejoice over their prosperity and growth. He also announced his great satisfaction that one near me in blood and united in as his successor in the grand mastership.

King Edward is becoming more exacting concerning the formalities. Recently he asked the lord, chamberlain what dress a certain deputation would wear, "Frock coats, your majesty," replied the lord chamberlain.

"Let it be for the last time," said King Edward. "In the future uniform, or court dress, must be worn. This is not a republic."

LOST BY LAND ACT. London, March 20. - In the bank-

ruptcy court at Burton-on-Trent today, Lord Waterpark appeared for examination, and declared his bankruptcy was due to the compulsory sale of his property in Ireland under the late Mr. Gladstone's land act of 1881. He said he had thereby lost The liabilities of the debtor amount to £26,000. His assets are NO LIQUOR FOR MINORS.

London, March 20 .- The House of Commons today passed the second reading of the bill prohibiting the sale or delivery of intoxicants to persons under sixteen years of age. The vote stood 372 to 54.

ITALIAN TOWN FLOODED. Verona, Italy, March 21.-In consequence of a sudden torrent, destroyed a dam, the town of Colognola, in the compartmento of Ventia, was flooded yesterday. A number of the houses have fallen, and it is feared

that the victims are numerous. Troops

have left to render assistance. FIELD MARSHAL SHOT AT. Budapest, March 20.-Field Marsha De Centzyorgy, chief of the gendarmerie department of the ministry of national defense, was shot at in the street this afternoon by a man who offered him a letter, which the field marshal declined to accept. Two passers-by seized the would-be assassin, who gave the name of Johan Gal, a former lieutenant of the gendarmerie department. The prisoner said he had been dismissed for no reason and wished to kill the field mar-

shal out of revenge.

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duly organized by the Federalists and a gathering of citizens. The Ililo Prov-ince is prepared for organization, and the other provinces, it is believed, will be ready by the time the commission shall return from the south Panay is nearly pacified. The Ladrones are the

only insurrectionists remaining in Mas-INDIA'S BIG RELIEF BILL. London, March 20 .- In addition to the enormous toll in lives levied by the famine in India, the budget statement shows that the disaster cost the government in 1900 and 1901, £5,647,000, of which amount £4,227,000 was expended in direct relief. Apart from the fore-going, £2,740,000 was advanced to states for famine relief, and £947,000 went for special agricultural

FRENCH TROOPSHIP AFLOAT. Paris, March 20 .- A dispatch received by the minister of marine from Singapore says that the French troopship Vinhlong, which went ashore March 18, near the entrance to the port, has been floated uninjured.

MEMORIAL SITE CHOSEN. London, March 20 .- The site for the Victoria memorial has been definitely chosen. The committee having the matter in charge decided to have the memorial placed in front of Bucking-ham Palace. Their decision was submited to King Edward, who has signified his approval of it. A meeting has been convened at the Mansion House, the official residence of the lord mayor, for March 26, to initiate an appeal for funds to build the memorial.It is understood that parliament will not be asked to contribute any thing for the purpose, but that the offerings will be entirely voluntary. TO STUDY AMERICAN RAIL-

WAYS. London, March 20. — The Midland Railway Company is sending Engineers Dooley and Wolliscroft to the United States to study American methods, including the adaptation of electricity to railroads

ANNOYED BY TURKS. Constantinople, March 20.-Much annoyance is felt in diplomatic circles here at the presence of Turkish spies in the vicinity of each embassy dur-ing the last few days. The foreign ambassadors are making representations to the Turkish authorities on the

A STATE RECEPTION.

Paris, March 20 .- The minister of foreign affairs, M. Delcasse, gave luncheon today in honor of Earl Carrington and the other members of the British mission appointed by King Edward to announce officially to the French Government and to other governments the death of Queen Victoria and his majesty's accession to the throne. The British ambassador, Sir Edmund J. Monson, and the staff of the British embassy, the representatives of France at the Queen's funeral and the officials of the foreign office

were present. Earl Carrington and the British mission were received by President Loubet at 2:30 p.m. In the court-yard of the palace an infantry band played "God Save the King." Earl Carrington presented an autograph let ter from King Edward in a short speech, during which he expressed congratulations in the name of the government and the people of Great Britain at the cordial relations between the two countries. M. Loubet replied briefly, expressing the hope that the ties would be further strengthened under the reign of the new King. CHAMBERLAINS SUE FOR LIBEL.

London, March 20 .- The libel actions sympathy with the fraternity" (the Duke of Connaught), had been chosen Leader by Mr. Arthur Chamberlain brother of Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, and Mr. Neville Chamberlain, a son of Mr Arthur Chamberlain, in connection with war office contract, was begun today in the King's bench court, fore the lord chief justice, Lord Alverstone. The plaintiffs claim damages for serious attacks on their commercial integrity. Including the statement that they have stooped to improper means in order to obtain con-tracts against the interests of the publie service. The defendants pleaded that their articles did not libel the plaintiffs, and were fair comment on matters of public interest. The case of Mr. Arthur Chamberlain was taken up

GERMAN OPINION ON THE CANAL

TREATY. Berlin, March 20.—Discussing Great Britain's refusal to accept the amend-ments of the United States Senate to the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, the Kreuz Zeitung says: "It remains to be seen whether America will have the effrontery simply to brush aside England's claims and to ignore what England in that case could do through the superiority of her fleet. England could probably prevent the Americans from building the Nicaragua Canal, or she could build the Panama Canal, thus making the other worthless." The paper refers to the selfishness of the Americans in making no concession to a sister nation where self-interest is involved, after so much talk about the Anglo-Saxon alliance.

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Toronto, March 19 .- The investigation conducted by Coroner Gibson, Sault Ste. Marie, into the death of Arthur Little, whose dead body was found on March 8, has been concluded. The jury found that Little came to his death by freezing, and that Allan Macklin, the foreman, who compelled him to leave the lumber camp heavy snowstorm, was personally responsible for his death. The crown attorney has directed that an information be laid against Macklin, and that the necessary instructions be given to the prosecuting attorney at the Michigan Sault to make every effort to effect his arrest. If captured, he

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His Last Contribution.

Benjamin Harrison's last contribution to the North American Review was on the subject of "The Status of Annexed Territory and of Its Free Civilized Inhabitants." It did not purport to be a even England was outgrowing them, legal argument, but set out to consider and becoming so pacific that contithe questions in a popular rather than nental statesmen used to say she had a professional way. Still it took its joined the Peace Society." Burnside color from the fact that it was from is quoted as saying that the natural the pen of one well versed in interna- taste for war was "utterly extinct." tional law. He shows that it is admit- Justin McCarthy speaks of "The comted that the Government can in accordance with the constitution make war | England was done with great wars." and acquire territory by conquest or Herbert Spencer writes that during treaty, but the ticklish point is, what is the political status of those who are sentiment became such that 'soldiercitizens of the territory thus acquired? ing' was spoken of contemptuously, According to the constitution, "All per- and those who enlisted-habitually the sons born or naturalized in the United | idle and dissolute-were commonly re-States are subject to the jurisdiction garded as having completed their disthereof, are citizens of the United grace." Similar expressions of senti-States." But is Porto Rico a part of ment were quoted from American the United States in this sense? A writers. Yet strange, and, as we newspaper heading had this statement | think, sad to relate, the last half cen--"Porto Ricans Not Citizens of the tury has been full of great wars. In United States Proper." Whereupon Mr. less than ten years from the attack Harrison asks, "Are they citizens of the United States improper or improper citizens of the United States?" He goes on to show that this is a very complex question, as indeed it is. He shows that if the provisions and safeguards of the constitution do not apply to such territories, then their inhabitants have no legal basis for their freedom. It is true that the president in his instructions to the Taft Philippine commission gave them such liberties "until congress shall take action," but Mr. Harrison's contention seems to be that if the constitution is not construed to grant these people the privileges and duties of citizenship as a right, they practically do not possess them at all. To possess them on the "benevolence"

He then discusses the question of taxation, and shows that in acquiring new territories the American people have also acquired some ticklish problems. We cannot now enter into a lengthy discussion of these matters. We merely refer to them now in connection with the passing away of one who served his country well, and who was a man of whom any countrly might be proud. This closing paragraph shows his fears as to the consequence of the expansion the service, but not from the love of his country, must be pardoned if he finds himself unable to rejoice in the acquisition of lands and forests and mines and commerce at the cost of the abandonment of the old American idea that a Government of absolute powers is an intolerable thing, and under the constitution of the United States an impossible thing. The view of the constitution I have suggested will not limit the power of territorial expansion; but it will lead us to limit the use of that power to regions that may safely become a part of the United States, and to peoples whose American citizenship may be allowed. It has been said that the flash of Dewey's guns in Manila Bay revealed to the American people a new mission. I love rather to think of them as revealing the same old mission that we read in the flash of Washington's guns at Yorktown."

of the president is to hold "these price-

less gifts under a revocable license."

God forbid that the day should ever come when, in the American mind, the thought of man as a "consumer" shall submerge the old American thought of man as a creature of God endowed with for his own and others' good, of man's "unalienable rights!"

Is the San Jose Scale a "Chinaman ?"

Canadian fruit growers, who have been much exercised over the San trees, will be very much interested in the work done by Mr. S. J. Kuwana, which is discussed in a very interesting way by Prof. Kellogg in the last number of "Science." The insect, which is recognized as one of the most formidof Canada, but in 35 of the adjoining States and Territories. It spreads in spite of every precaution taken to limit its ravages, and Prof. Kellogg states that in his belief the only way to check its ravages is by importing one or more of its natural

- y-bird beetles. Though the insect was undoubtedly brought into Canada oy means of infected nursery stock, it is now deemed certain that it came to the States from Japan, though probably its original home was China. This is the view of Mr. Kuwana, who spent all last summer in Japan, in which empire he found it widely distributed, though in few places is it a serious pest. The natural enemies keeping it down Mr. Kuwana found to be three species of lady-bird beetles and one moth, the larvae of which feeds on the -what indeed it was by the genius scale. It is urged that the importation of the beetle would check the ravages and temperament of the race," of the San Jose scale in this country, and perhaps it might be well worthy of trial, provided always that the beetle had no bad habits that would bring disaster to the husbandman in some

The Recrudescence of War.

The New World for December, 1900, contains a striking and instructive article are sorry to say that this is the last number of this "Quarterly Review of Religion, Ethics and Theology." It ingly well fitted for the posts to which seems a pity and, to us, a strange thing, that such a journal cannot be maintained by a great university like Harvard. However, so it is. An effort to get an endowment for it having failed, it passes away, and by sad coincidence the death of its senior editor, Prof. Everett, is recorded and

commemorated in the final number. The article to which we refer shows that 50 years ago the prophecies of peace on earth seemed almost to be fulfilled. Before that S. C. Hall says the Englishman was taught on his father's knee to be a good boy, to love his mother and hate the French. "But at the middle of the century, about the Parliament Buildings is the monly accepted understanding that "the 40 years of peace the popular on Fort Sumpter, these wars, according to Mulhall's statistics, had destroyed nearly fourteen hundred thousand lives, giving an annual average much higher than the usual estimate for Napoleon's. According to the same authority, the direct financial cost was nearly six billions of dollars. In spite of this many people

are ready to go to war in a lighthearted fashion. This writer brings a strong reproach against the ministers who ought to preach the gospel of peace. With regard to the Venezuela scare, we think it can fairly be said that many of the leading ministers exerted their influence for peace. However, we must agree with the essayist that there has been a great deal of dangerous jingoism about lately. He thinks the immense cost and danger of war will eventually tend to stop it, and he closes with this laudable hope: "For Christianity, too, is doubtless destined to advance, however slowly; and we may still hope that Jesus' teaching of brotherhood and peace will in time prevail in heathen lands and be accepted in Christendom." We hope so. but the last condition must come first.

The Story of Chartism Retold.

saddest chapters of political history

of the Victorian era. It is the old

of the disadvantage of being mands of the Chartists were looked upon as un-English and revolution-The most important of these have been practically embodied in the The Chartist It had its tragic stages and it ended in a farce. The famous six points of the charter were annual voting districts, abolition of the property qualification for Parliamentary vote by ballot, and payment of mem-The charter adopted in 1876 was to be brought about by peaceful means. These, we are told, were not to be regarded as ends in themselves. but as steps towards the free exercise intellectual, moral and active powers. But the historian goes on to inform us that "goaded on by the spectacle of wide-spread distress among the working classes, as also by the Whig declaration that the act of 1832 was a 'final and irrevocable' (hence Lord John Russell's sobriquet of "Finality John'), the bolder spirits in the Chartist movement voted the moral force programme much too angelic for this world, and prepared for aggression." Some of them wished to go further of moral force was "to shake our opout letting them "drop in." Violence wounded rioters. The whole movement to Parliament. Peel, by his budgets. reduced the distress and so reduced that upon which agitations grew. When Feargus O'Connor led his proession to Kensington Common, the workingmen who should have been in

Is there any particular reason why no New Brunswicker was allowed a mmission in the Baden-Powell force? -St. John, N. B., Sun.

or perhaps falling in with the special

constables. The war between classes

in England was fast dying out. The

course of politics in England was to

Better ask the Governor-General. As

and we presume he chose the men he thought most suitable. If he did not, it was doubtless an error of judgment. Apart from this sectional objection, however, will our contemporary allege that the officers chosen are not exceedthey have been assigned?

Glimpses from Press Gallery.

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********** Ottawa, March 19, 1901. For quiet work, when one needs to get away for an hour from "the murmur of the world," the best place library-a singularly beautiful structure; lofty, well-lighted, architecturally graceful in the extreme. For

many years it was admitted by tourists to have few rivals, though, as to contents, there are many larger bodies of books. The Parliamentary Library at Ottawa, might be termed, as Macaulay termed Westminster Abbey, the temple of silence and reconciliation; of silence, because that is the necessity and charm of a great library; of reconciliation, because here, in every alcove, and gallery and shelving, are to be found in tolerant companionship, volumes of the most opinion. In this library the members | gions. have many privileges, in which the duly accredited representatives of the Press Gallery share. In fact, as a bright confrere expressed it, members in most of the privileges of the House as the members - except the in-

The House of Commons has been launched into a long discussion on the preferential tariff, on the opportunity of an amendment when going to supply. Mr. Borden, the Opposition for a recognition of the union Laurier replied; Hon. Clarke Wallace followed; Dr. Russell, M. P. for Hants, next took possession of the floor. Before the debate concludes, a good many members will have joined in the wordy warfare. Mr. Borden spoke connectedly and sensibly, but really without fire or magnetism, as if his heart was not in it-in marked contrast with the Government leader, who answered

Mr. Clarke Wallace gives you the position's strongest men. He is more than slightly lame, needing a stick shade; tolerably stout; pretty good He is not what one could call a polished Parliamentary speaker; rather of the rough-and-ready type; yet with a certain underlying strength of intellect, and purpose, and no small capacity for holding the attention of a crowd in front of a hustings. Like Mr. W. F. Maclean, of the Toronto World, he was of the opinion that Ontario having furnished the largest quota of Conservative representation in the late general election, Ontario should also have furnished the leader. Mr. Clarke Wallace thinks the name of the Opposition leader should start with a W.; and Mr. W. F. Maclean thinks there are many worse letters to begin a leader's name with than the letter M. The two men have a joint grievance in the shape of hone deferred and ambition unrealized. They are allies and co-workers, and together make a team by no means to be ignored. At present, however, they cause more apprehension to the remainder of the Opposition than to the Government side of the House. They are like a couple of lively sharks in the vicinity of a smallish boat; no one can tell when they may next appear; nor what they may do next.

It is not easy to see any good tactical reason for introducing a mo tariff, for that is what Mr. Borden's motion comes to; and it may be taken for granted the shrewder heads of the Conservative side indulge in a good many inward anathemas. What is the explanation? The true explanation probably is that Mr. Maclean and Mr. Clarke Wallace are practically forcing the fiscal policy of the Opposition; and that the majority of the Opposition follow, though reluctantly Take it as a matter of tactics. It is too early-even if there is anything in it. It is too far from a general elec-

tion. Sir John Macdonald was press ed to introduce his National Policy resolutions a year earlier than he did. But Sir John was too shrewd to do so. He knew that to shoot a gun off too soon is as bad as to shoot it off

There is a sufficient answer to all this talk about having Great Britain the time ever comes when Britain is able and willing to give an advantage to Canada's products. Canada is not such a fool as not to welcome it. Till that time arrives, it is the mind of Britain that needs to be changed; not the mind of Canada. What Mr. Maclean and Mr. Clarke Wallace ought really to do is to devote the recess to stumping England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland.

Mr. Russell's speech was capable. a British official, not as Governor-Gen- He is a rapid and logical speaker, and

eral, he has had the matter of granting is well known as a very able lawyer. Grand commissions entirely in his own hands. In a former letter, a few weeks ago, reference was made to the rather re- Millinery markable average ability of the mem- Opening bers of Parliament from the Maritime Provinces. A cynical friend remarks Next Week. that it grows out of the fact that the Maritime Provinces, not having so much other business, have more politics to the acre than the other provinces, and thereby obtain a certain facility in politics, through constant practice, much on the principle contained in the rhyme in Alice in Wonderland:

"In my youth," said his father, "I took to the law, And argued the case with my wife, And the muscular strength which it Has lasted the rest of my life."

Apart from all pleasantry, however, the fact remains that the Maritime Provinces have sent to Ottawa since Confederation a very creditable number of unusually capable men on both sides of politics.

WILL FLOOD THE MINES

Terrible Calamity Will Befall Pennsylvania Mines If a Strike Is Called On.

Shamokin, Pa., March 19. - A terrible calamity will befall the mining interests at once if a strike is ordered, according to the statement of Secretary George Hartlein, of district No. 9. He says two strike calls will be sent out together one to miners and the other to engineers, pumpmen and firemen.

Hazleton, Pa., March 19.-Whether or not there will be a strike is greatly worrying the business men of this city diametrically opposite character and and of every other town in the coal re-

be until it becomes certain that there will be no strike. There is hardly a drummer in town and the hotels are almost deserted. The Slavs, Polanders of the Gallery have the same share and Italians feel sure that a strike is coming and are leavingfi the region by the hundreds to get work elsewhere. Wilkesbarre, Pa., March 19. - The board of trade has sent the following appeal to T. D. Nichols, president of district No. 1 of the United Mine Work-

"The board of trade of Wilkesbarre calls upon you in your capacity as president of district No. 1 of the union to resist to the extent of your ability a strike in the anthracite coal region leader, made the motion, Sir Wilfrid purely technical point, which will bring widespread havoc and disaster to the miners and business interests of the anthracite coal regions.'

MURRAY HALL'S WILL

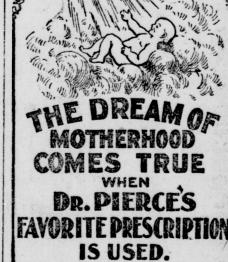
New York's Man-Woman Provides a Monument for "My Deceased Wife."

New York, March 21.-The will of the was filed for probate yesterday. It speaks of his "deceased wife." It was O'Donnell, both of whom resided at ter. The will runs:
"I, Murray H. Hall, of New York city,

being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and considering the uncertainty of life, do make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament, as follows, hereby revoking all other and former wills by me at any time made:

"First - After my lawful debts are paid, I give, devise and bequeath all my property, both real and personal, and wherever situated, to Imelda A. Hall, and especially request that at my death the said Imelda A. Hall shall cause to be erected a suitable headstone over the grave of my deceased wife, Celia F. L. Hall. I hereby appoint Imelda A. Hall to be executrix of this my last will and testament.'

ACCIDENTALLY KILLED. Westport, Ont., March 20.-Harry W. McNally, a prominent business man, and a member of the firm of McNally Bros., was accidentally killed this norning seven miles from her.e He leaves a family. Mr. McNally, with another named Stevens, was near the pottom of the mine shaft fixing the pump apparatus, when in some way the rod displaced a plank at the mouth of the shaft, and it fell 25 feet, striking McNally on the back of the head. crushing in his skull. Stevens sustained an injury to one of his hands.



Mrs. Axel Kjer, of Gordonville, Cape Girardeau Co., Mo., writes:
"When I look at my little boy I feel it my duty to write you. Perhaps some one will see my testimony and be led to use your 'Favorite Prescription' and be blessed in the same way. I took nine bottles and to my sur prise it carried me through and gave us as fine a little boy as ever was. Weighed ten and one-half pounds, He is now five months old, has never been sick a day, and is so strong that every body who sees him wonders at him. He is so playful and holds him-



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Ladies' Underskirts.

5 only Black and Colored Silk Skirts, small sizes, were \$7 50 and \$6 50, Fri-12 only, Blue and Gold, Yellow and White, and Pink and White Mercerized

Striped Skirts, full sizes, were \$1.88 and \$1.25, Friday only98c 15 only, Mercerized Striped Skirts, full sizes and very handsome stripes, were \$3 50, \$2 69, \$2 50, \$1 90 and \$1 75, for

Smallwares Section.

Bone Hairpins, regular 5c and 7c each, Friday only, 2 for 5c 36 pairs only, Side Combs, special value at 8c per pair, Friday, special

price, 2 pairs for 50 Highly-Finished Horn Side Combs, regular 10c and 15c, Friday 5c 36 only, Leather Belts, tan, brown and green, special for Friday, only, each 5

18 pieces, Black and Colored Veiling, with chenille spots, regular price 10c and 12½c, special, Friday, yard 5c

Ladies' Black Umbrellas, plain and fancy handles, steel rod, paragon frame, silk and wool cover, regular price \$1 00, special Friday only82c Children's School Umbrellas, Black Cover, fancy handles, and strong, durable frame, regular price 50c, Friday, special price

Carpets.

Your choice of three nice patterns of our regular 65c Tapestry Carpets,

Groceries and Crockery.

One cask of Printed Cups and Saucers, in 3 colors, regular \$1 20 per doz 900 97-piece Printed Dinner Sets, in brown, green or pink, regular \$7 50, for, 10-piece Printed Toilet Sets, in assorted decorations, regular \$2 50 for, per Fancy Glass Two-Bottle Table Castors, assorted colors, with stand for each 25c White Stone Meat Platters, each, 10c, 15c and20c Printed Dinner, Tea and Soup Plates, for, each 20 pounds Redpath's Granulated Sugar for\$1 00 6 pounds of Roller Oatmeal and 6 pounds of Gold Dust Cornmeal, for 250 1 pound of Our Cook's Delight Paking Powder, and 1 nounds of Soluble

1 large bottle of Tomato Catsup and 1 large bottle of Mixed Pickles for 25c executed on April 9, 1900, in the pres- Figs, 5c pound; Prunes, 5c pound; Dried Apples, 5c pound. ence of Louisa Perkins and Esther 1 pound of Rice Cakes, 1 pound of Tea Biscuits and 1 pound of Crisp Gin-

ger Snaps for 145 Sixth avenue. The value of the estate, which is small, is not given. All

Staple Department.

25c Unbleached Table Linen for .. 21c 25c Unbleached Table Linen for .. 25c 35c Unbleached Table Linen for .. 28c 50c Unbleached Table Linen for .. 39c 50c Unbleached Table Linen for 79c Bleached Table Linen for 98c Bleached Table Linen for ... \$1 50 Bleached Table Linen for .. \$1 00 \$1 50 Table Napkins for \$1 20 \$2 00 Table Napkins for \$1 65 \$3 25 Table Napkins for \$2 25 \$3 50 Table Napkins for \$2 50

Anniversary Sale.

FRIDAY CLOTHING ITEMS. 22 Boys' Two-Garment Suits, Nor-Piece Suits, sizes 22 to 30, regular price \$3 75 and \$4; Friday

Friday Shoe Sale.

All kinds of Women's Shoes at reduced prices. Our regular \$3 welt and turn sole, Women's Shoes; all one price Fri-and Button Boots, new spring styles, regular \$2 25 to \$2 75; Fri-No. 3-Women's Assorted Lines, \$1 75, \$1 90 and \$1 50 goods; Friday, special price\$1 25

Colored Shirts.

Assorted Lot, Fine Cambric Shirts. some with separate cuffs, regular value \$1, sizes 14½, 16 and 16½, 17, 17½ only; Friday for, each ... 58c Assorted Lot Colored Shirts, all sizes in the lot, regular \$1; Friday, sale price

Colored Dress Goods.

54-inch All-Wool Homespun Suitings, in grays and browns, regu-suiting, regular \$1; Friday, per Heavy Twill, regular 50c; Friday,

for wearing or bicycle skirt, regular 30c; Friday, per yard 52-inch Broadcloth Suiting, in all

colors, new goods, regular \$1 50; ..\$1 35 lar 5c and 6c yard; Friday, per

Value of Endorsement.

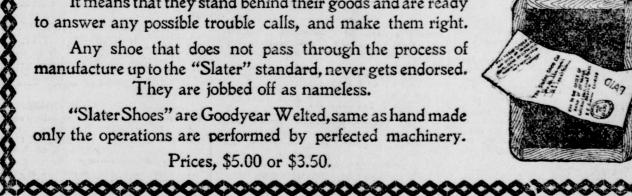
Every "Slater Shoe" is endorsed on the sole by the makers with their name and shoe's price in a slate frame.

The Slater Shoe Co., are just as responsible for this endorsement as they are for their cheques.

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For Sale Only THE SLATER SHOE STORE, Dundas St.

The Fire Record.

Louisville, Ky., March 19.-Within the past week there has been an epidemic of fires, which wiped out several small towns. The first was at Cloverport, Ky., in which 300 persons were rendered homeless. Last night Memphis, Ind., was practically destroyed, the loss being about \$150,000. This morning Crandall, Ind., was fired, but the loss was only \$25,000. This afternoon the town of New Liberty, near Carroliton, caught fire and, when telegraphic communication was cut off, seemed doomed to destruction. It

is a town of about 1,500 inhabitants.
Payne's Mills, March 20.—The house
of George Nichols, section foreman M. C. R., was destroyed on Tuesday. The family had just sat down to din ner when the fire was discovered. A number of neighbors were soon on the scene and were able to save the greater part of the contents. The fire originated in the attic, and was well under way before discovered. Loss about \$150. No insurance.

FEARS FOR THE SEALING FLEET St. Johns, Nfld., March 20. - A furious blizzard has been sweeping the whole seaboard since last night. morning the sealer Southern Cross, which arrived here yesterday, was forced into the Harbor of Pelican in danger of swamping on account of the heavy load of 26,500 seals on board. Much anxiety is felt for the remainde of the sealing fleet, which must have felt the full fury of the gale. In such event, with over 400 men scattered about the ice fields, disaster might ensue, as only too frequently rappers. The anxiety will not be relieved until another steamer shall arrive with later

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but does not press the abdomen. in every line. See that it is branded:

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LOST DIAMONDS AND DIED. Paducah, Ky., March 19.-The sudden death of Mrs. Mary Tedder, a bride of two weeks resulted from the loss of her diamond rings. She store when she discovered the loss of two large diamond rings from her finger. She at once fainted, and only

moments elapsed before her

RHEUMATISM CURED QUICKLY And surely with Trask's Magnetic Oint-ment. 25 and 40 cents at C. McCallum & Co.

The United Kingdom has colonies and possessions whose area is equal to more than 27 times her own size.

MRS PALMER'S PIN MONEY. Chicago, March 19 .- Mrs. Potter Palmer, if current reports are true, will hereafter enjoy the most liberal allowance of pin money of all the wo-men in Chicago. Potter Palmer, it is

said, has made over to Mrs. Palme for her exclusive use and enjoymenthe profits of the Palmer House, which are between \$225,000 and \$250,000

Languor and weakness, due to the pleted condition of the blood, are ov-come by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the gr The per capita of money in circula was \$26.93. On July 1, 1878, it was \$15.32

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Because purely vegetable-yet thorough, prompt, healthful, satisfactory-Mood's Pills

AROUND THE CITY.

From Yesterday's Last Edition.

-A. R. McDonald, Indian agent of Duart, is in the city. -Deputy Sheriff Watterworth has returned from Kingston, whither he went to take Vincent Latimer to the

penitentiary. -City laborers are loosening the packed snow and ice on Dundas street and throwing it on the car tracks, where it quickly melts.

-John Caesar, a man of 58 years, died in this city yesterday, and the re-mains were taken from Clark & Smith's undertaking warerooms to Wiarton for interment.

-Ex-County Councilor Alex. Mc-Kellar, formerly of Lobo, and now storekeeper at the Penetanguishene Reformatory for Boys, is visiting friends in this city.

-Several county prisoners, under the superintendence of Turnkey Robert Marsh, are scrubbing out and clean-ing the court room to fit it for use after the completion of the recent im-

-Last night Court Forest Queen, A. O. F., held a very interesting meeting, when matters were brought up and discussed, among them being the proposed act now be-fore the Ontario Legislature to empower the High Court to control all money and property belonging to the local courts under its jurisdiction. There was a hot time, and a petition was circulated protesting against any such scheme, and was signed by all the members present. During a short intermission a musical programme was carried out. A committee was named to arrange for a programme of music, for next meeting. All the members should make it a point to be in

PRISONERS RELEASED.

James Taafe, Charles Farmer and Leo Dowling, three of the boys sent to jail for being drunk on Hill street three weeks ago (supposedly on whisky stolen from Ed Shea's), were released from jail yesterday after serving 20

SMITH AGAIN ARRESTED.

Constable Wm. Sadler yesterday arrested Edward Smith on a charge o stealing chickens from George Arthur of con. 2, Westminster, last summer Smith was already out on bail on charge of assaulting and wounding John Mair. Sadler brought his pris oner before Squire Smith, who remand ed the accused till Tuesday next, March

ON SUSPENDED SENTENCE.

Warren Jenkins, who has been languishing in jail since last fall, on one charge of assaulting his former partner, John McDowell, and another of obtaining money by false pretenses by negotiating a copy of a note for \$10 infore Judge Wm. Elliot, this morning, He pleaded guilty on both charges and was let go on suspended sentence.

JUVENILE COURT.

charged in juvenile police court this morning with vagrancy. He was arrested yesterday by P. C. Robt. Robinson. The boy says he comes from Picton, and the authorities think he has run away from home. He was remanded for two days and meanwhile his parents and the Picton police will be communicated with.

THE ANNUAL CAMPS.

The militia department expects to arrange shortly the date and places of the annual camps. It is considered essential that a rifle range should be convenient to each camp, but there is none at London, and this may necessitate the removal of the camp for No. 1 district to some other point. The for the troops in the Ottawa and Kingston districts is likely this year to be held at Deseronto, where there is a fine shooting ground. Camps as usual will be held at Niagara, La Prairie, Levis, Aldershot, N. S., and

BICYCLE CORPS FORMED.

A meeting of the officers, non-commissioned officers and men of No. 1 Company, R. C. R. I., was held last night at Wolseley Barracks, and a bicycle corps organized, with the following officers: Honorary president, Lieut .-Col. Hemming; honorary vice-president, Lieut.-Col. Denison; president, Sergt. Cranston; secretary. Corporal O'Connor; captain, Corporal Taylor; bugler, Bugler Walsh. The corps' col-ors will be those of the company, red, black and yellow. Weekly runs will be held during the cycling season.

ST. GEORGE'S LITERARY SO-

The St. George's Literary Society. West London, held their usual weekly His induction will take place some meeting in the school house last evening, at which a debate was held. The subject, ably handled by both sides, being. "Resolved, that the execution of King Charles I. was unjus-The affirmative was taken Miss G. Gahan and Mr. M. Fowler, and the negative by Miss A. Garrett and Mr. W. Kennedy. The judges, Misses E. Ruse and E. Ludig and Mr. C. Milligan, decided in favor of the affirmative.

A MINISTER SURPRISED.

On Friday evening last a social gathering under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E., was held in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian Church, Wilton Grove. The audience room was crowded to the doors. A fine programme was rendered. McCrae gave a very bright address. Among those who took part was Miss Daisy Little, of London. Mr. Hutchinson presented Dr. McCrae with a well-filled purse, on behalf of young people. Dr. McCrae, in his reply, said that the kindness received amongst them had been simply unbounded.

KING VS. BURNS. This case came up at the court of appeal, Osgoode Hall, before Justices Armour, Osler, Maclennan, Moss and Lister. Following is the judgment (R.) on motion by the prosecutor for leave to appeal under sec. 744. Crim. Code, as amended by 63-64 Viet. (D.), ch. 46, from the decision of the police magistrate for the city of London, acquitting defendant who had elected to be tried summarily, of perjury and re-

fusing to reserve for the opinion of the court of appeal for Ontario the fol-lowing questions: (1) Whether there was corroborative evidence of the prosecutor in any material particular (2) whether the magistrate exercised a legal discretion under sec. 791 of the Crim. Code in deciding to adjudicate summarily upon the case, and had jurisdiction to try defendant, who was and is a client of the county crown attorney in the absence of counsel for the crown. The prosecution arose out of evidence given by the defendant as secretary of the Crescent Mill and Timber Company, in an action in a division court of Ratcliffe against the said company. Held, that leave to appeal should not be granted. If the magistrate had no jurisdiction to try summarily (as to which an opinion is not expressed) he had jurisdiction to take the information, to bring the de-fendant before him, to hear the evidence on the part of the prosecution, and if he thought the evidence suffici-ent, to commit for trial, or if not to discharge defendant.. W. H. Bartram (London) for the motion. No one

THE RIGHT MAN.

The Toronto Star's Ottawa correspondent says: Mr. C. S. Hyman, the last speaker on the Liberal side in the debate Friday, is one of the most popular occupants of the government benches. Mr. Hyman is young, of fine able entertainer, and an orator of no mean talents. He does not often crave election, man represents one of the warmest polof every one of which he has come up time. With him politics is a secondary consideration. He did not desire a nomthe Liberals of London nor the government would take no for an answer. As a result Mr. Hyman was nominated, and after a short, sharp campaign, in which his opponent, Major Beattie, the quondam eight-hour-aday champion, imported the then leaden of his roots and Dr. Martin leader of his party and Dr. Montague to give his campaign a boost, was elected by a decisive majority. That night the Liberals of London burnt red fire by the bushel and brooms by the cartload, and some of them, it is state the best mode of encourage-whispered, have not done celebrating ment was by means of bounties, which

HOME MISSIONS

Presbyterian Committee Meeting in Toronto -Reports and Claims Presented.

Toronto, Ont., March 20.-The annual meeting of the mission committee of the Presbyterian Church was opened yesterday mornng in Knox Church. Rev. Dr. War-

len occupied the chair. In the morning the committee passed claims for the past half year amounting to \$33,500. In the afternoon Rev. Dr. Jas. Robertson gave an account of his visit to Britain and Europe in connection with home mission work. He reported that there was a stead of the original, was brought be- prospect of obtaining from 25 to 30 men to come to Canada to

the home mission field. Dr. Reid presented a report of his vork as a medical missionary among Duokhobors and Galicians in the A lad under 16 years of age was Northwest. The number of Galicians now was 30,000 and Doukhobors 8,000. The foreign population was in about 50,000. Three schools had been organized among the Galicians, with from 20 to 30 pupils in two of them, and good prospects for the third. A small cettage hospital had been built at Sifton, through private donations. Largely through the aid of Lady Minto a supply of \$600 worth of drugs had been obtained. A lady in Montreal had offered to build a second cottage hospital, and a request was made therefore, for a second medical mis sionary. The cost per annum for the maintenance of the hospital would be between \$400 and \$500. Dr. Warden, speaking of the funds, said that from the promises made by ministers throughout the western section, it was hoped that the deficit would be materially reduced, but that an effort must still be made by all the members of the committee in their respective districts, in order to meet the assembly free from debt.

WM. F. CHANNING DEAD.

Boston, Mass., March 20.-Dr. William F. Channing, son of the philosopher, Dr. William Ellery Channing, died at the Perry Hospital today, aged 81 years MICHIGAN SENATORS WELL PAID. Lansing, Mich., March 19.—Senator Helme has made the interesting compu-tation that during the 75 days the senate as the average man's day's work, Helme figures that his time-killing associates are being paid at the rate of \$37 a day.

WILL BE DEAN OF OTTAWA. Montreal, March 18.-Rev. Henry Kittson, rector of the Church of the Advent, Westmount, has been pointed rector of Christ Church Cathedral, Ottawa, by Bishop Hamilton. The appointment carries with it the deanery of the Diocese of Ottawa. time in May next.

THE SMALLPOX. Toronto, March 19 .- Another case of smallpox is reported. A mail clerk running between Ottawa and Eganville has been taken off his train and quarantined. He was boarding in a hotel in Eganville. He had not been handling any mail. There is also a suspected case near Lindsay. Sarnia is taking strict precautions against the invasions of the disease from across the river at Port Huron.

Spinal Fains.

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DOMINION PARLIAMENT

Subject of Discussion.

Mr. Bennett Shows Up Clarke Wallace, and Proves the Benefit From the Preferential Tariff.

Ottawa, March 19.-The budget debate was continued today by Messrs. Russell (Hants), Kemp (Toronto), Guthrie (South Wellington), Bennett (East Simcoe), Heyd (South Brant) and Roche (Marquette). Mr. Charles Marcil moved the adjournment of the debate, and the house rose at 11 p.m. MR. RUSSELL CONTINUES THE DEBATE.

Mr. Benjamin Russell (Hants) was heartily applauded on rising to continue the budget debate. He began rests with Gen. Botha and by stating that he had confidential in whom he had consulted. Thi formation that it had been arranged presence and genial manner, a hospit- by the opposition councils to send Mr. Wallace to North Bruce for the byebut connections had failed, the indulgence of the members, and and Mr. Wallace was thrust on the consequently, when he does speak he house and compelled to turn on the gets an attentive, and from the Lib-erals an enthusiastic, hearing. Mr. Hy-who had no speech on the budget, nothing to say on preferential trade, itical centers in Canada, the city of delivered a speech full of those char-London. He has been in the political acteristics of mildness, breathing that game for some time, and is, figuratively spirit of sweet reasonableness with speaking, a battle-scarred veteran, the which he so frequently delighted the which he so frequently delighted the hero of many fights, in some of which he has been defeated, but at the close allusions to the premier, so free from anything in the nature of unpleasant placid and smiling. Mr. Hyman is a business man, first, last, and all the charity of which Mr. Wallace was so charity of which Mr. Wallace was so excellent an exponent. On the question of preferential trade Mr. Wallace had thrown much heat but no light. He had not shown how we were to get any preference in the British markets. This imperial preferential trade was There was nothing in nothing to it, under present cir-

> Mr. Russell maintained that if the principle was admitted that any industry should be encouraged by the it is state the best mode of encouragefell upon the entire population of the country, who were benefited by the establishment of such industries. Gentlemen opposite complained that the debt now was \$63.33 per nead, whereas Sir Leonard Tilley had left the finance minister's portfolio with a debt of only \$35 75 per head. That being so, Mr. Russell said, it was a severe reflection upon the Conservative finance ministers who followed him. Mr. Foster had in previous parliaments discussed the budget speech from the standpoint of a financial critc of experience, and he had figured out that if the Conservative government had increased the debt by \$118, 000,000, they were able to show a capital expenditure of \$142,000,000 for it, and therefore it was justified. cepting that as the basis of calculation, the Liberal government would their opponents any cause for fair had only been some \$7,000,000, and if they deducted the \$2,000,000 of debts

it, Mr. Russell ridiculed the contention, and as a sufficient answer pointed to the gratifying growth of Canadian trade with the mother country as absolutely due to the proceedings taken by this government on St. George's Day, 1897. (Cheers.) Mr. Kemp (East Toronto), who followed Mr. Russell, spoke for an hour

and a half, dealing with the fiscal

policy of the country.

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ncrease of debt was that much lower.

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government had blundered into

IN THE EVENING. In the evening Mr. Guthrie resumed the debate, and said the discussion had given great disappointment because the addresses of the opposition speakers had not succeeded in raising the discussion to the dignity of what a budget debate ought to be. The traditions not only of the Canadian Parliament, but of the Imperial Parliament were that the discussion upon the budget should be be upon the broad principle of fiscal questions, and not in the rambling discussion of details of government. The amendment which the leader of the opposition submitted to the house was a sort of emergency ration, born of no financial condition in the country, and justino particular condition which existed. Replying to the reference by the opposition to the increase in the exports of the United States, Mr. Guthrie said the exports in which the United States exports have increased are chiefly those lines which Canada does not yet produce, but which he hoped she soon would, such as steel. He could assure the gentlemen that the farmers of the country are satisfied with the tariff, and do not ask for a change in the present policy of the government, which would not be justified by anything in the be justified by anything in the

existing condition of affairs, commercial or financial. Messrs. Bennett, Heyd and Roche also spoke during the debate, and the house adjourned at 10:55.

DIED OF LOCKJAW.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 20.-Bruce F. Dunbar, aged 15 years, is dead in this city, from lockjaw. The young man beame ill Sunday night. Tetanus deeloped and death followed. It is beieved that tetanus germs were inocuated into his blood, with the vaccine

GIFT OF A HOSPITAL BUILDING. Hamilton, March 19.-Mr. John Bill- transportation system in America are ngs, honorary secretary of the city good. hospital board of governors, has decided to erect a building at the hospital for outdoor patients, at a cost of \$5,000, in memory of his late wife, who was well known as "Fidelis Holland." an active interest in the hospital, and was one of the leaders in the Duffield the life of many a sufferer in the hospital. The board of governors had door patients, but had not the funds. and now Mr. Billings has generously undertaken to do so.

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THE BOER WAR WILL CONTINUE

Mr. Fielding's Budget Still the And the Responsibility Will Rest on Botha and Those Whom He Consulted.

> New York, March 20 .- In making the announcement that the peace negotiations with Gen. Botha had been broken off, a dispatch from London to the Tribune says, Mr. Chamberlain spoke in a conversational tone, without accentuating the importance of it by tone or gesture. He also spoke guardedly and carefully, so that no false inference could be drawn from his admission that the negotiations had failed.

not disposed to recommend to the other Boer leaders. The responsibility for the continuance of guerilla warfare to the bitter end consequently whom he had consulted. This was the impression which Mr. Chamberlain clearly meant to convey. The fact that he made the expression proved that Sir Alfred Milner rather than Lord Kitchener has been attempting to negotiate with the Boer leaders, since otherwise Mr. Brodrick would have been loth to announce the unpleasant news.

The ministerialists accepted Gen. Botha's answer philosophically as a proof that the war must go on until the Boer leaders are captured, and that the chancellor of the exchequer might as well pigeonhole his more favorable budget and warn taxpayers to prepare for the worst-the sugar duty as well as the increased income

London, March 20.-The Westminster Gazette this afternoon, makes pessimistic 'comment on Gen. Botha's refusal to accept the peace terms offered by Lord Kitchener, and connects this refusal with the situation in China. The Gazette says the powers are at sixes and sevens in the far east, and that any day may see the com Mr. Wallace had condemned the givmencement of a struggle from which the Boers may recover their own. The ing of bonuses on iron and steel, but failure of these peace negotiations means that the military position in South Africa is not yet decisive, it

SPORTING NEWS.

A Bowling Tournament Proposed—The City Hockey League Contest-Victoria Team's Captain Heard From.

BOWLING. Wm. J. Josephy, proprietor of the London bowling alley, 197 King street, is promoting a bowling tournament, to take place next month, and for which the entries will close April 1. Eight to to by those now in the field, and the of nearly twelve teams, with five men to a team, are expected to enter. The Montebello upon an expenditure of \$11,000,000 on dal to be competed for, and Mr. Josephy Company will donate a handsome mecapital account be entitled to increase the debt by \$9,102,008 before giving opening of Mr. Josephy's alley the sport of indoor bowling has received criticism or exceeding the record of quite an impetus, and many wellthe Conservative government. As a known citizens are availing themselves matter of fact the increase of the debt of it. Mr. Josephy wishes that as teams

HOCKEY. INTERESTING TO THE L. C. L. TEAM.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: Re the city hockey league controversy. Allow me as captain of the Victoria hockey team to say this after the first game of the semi-finals wherein the M. A. C. and the Victoria team was a tie, the Victorias gave way and said the finals could go on between the L. C. I. and the M. A. C., the secretary, Mr. Wooley, fied Mr. Smith that the L. C. I. refused to play the M. A. C., as they were a tie with the Victorias and that the time must be broken and then the L. C. I. would play the winners. This we agreed to. We had been port that the "ultra-imperialist" handicapped by having our best formier received from Quebec is the ward, Mr. Sippi, laid aside with a answer to Mr. Bourassa's vaporings, broken leg, nevertheless we beat the M. A. C., the strongest team in the latter gentleman has once more been league and intend to stand by the so unmistakably reproved by friends arrangements made by the secretary and foes alike, that he will subside with Mr. Smith, and will be upon the and make better use of the talents ice tonight prepared to contest the final game with the L. C. I. team. Mr. Smith has full authority, we understand, to put the game on to suit his rink, and as the ice is in good condition our team will line up, and if the L. C. I. fail to, it remains for the sporting public to judge as to whether it is cowardice, etc., that balks the final game. If the L. C. I. do not show up and play we shall claim the cup, as the L. C. I. have not the Victorias this season, neither did I, as captain of the Victorias, refuse to play any game with the L. C. I. Yours, etc.,

P. R. BRADDON, Capt. V.H.C. London, March 20, 1901.

GEORGIAN BAY CANAL

Big Rothschild Syndicate to Finance the Work as a Private Enterprise.

Toronto, March 19. - The largest up of the bankers of London and revenue; truly an interesting story. Paris, headed by the Rothschilds, has exploitation company in England, made secured control of the Georgian Bay Canal Company, and will go on with the work at a private enterprise if it cannot induce the Dominion Government to guarantee the \$20,000,000 of bonds, the money to be spent on the work of construction.

the Georgian Bay and Ottawa River Canal the largest and cheapest grain EAGER FOR STOCK

Montreal, March 19. - Owing to the issue of the preferred stock of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company the writer. Mrs. Billings took having been nearly three times subscribed, the directors, who met had considerable trouble in Flower Mission, which has brightened allotting the proportion of shares to the applicants. The majority of the applicants received 25 shares, and the talked of erecting a building for out- stock has thus been distributed amongst a large number of small holders.

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THE WEEK'S DOINGS AT THE CAPITAL

Important Matters Brought Before the House.

Bourassa's Proposals Fell Flat-Sir Wilfrid Laurier at His Best-Salient Points of the Budget-Biggest Surplus in the Dominion's History.

Ottawa, March 16.-The week just passed has been the most interesting of the present session thus far, the Lord Kitchener was credited with of-fering terms which Gen. Botha was events of more than ordinary moevents of more than ordinary moment-the presentation of the budget, the discussion on Mr. Bourassa's "stop-the-war" resolution in the commons, and the debate on Sir Mackenzie Bowell's motion to appoint a committee to investigate the Cook charges in the Senate.

First in point of time came the Bourassa resolution, on Tuesday afternoon. In itself the motion did not merit the amount of attention it re ceived, for the position of Canada in this question has been unmistakably and emphatically recorded, and the declaration of sympathy with and support of the imperial government in its policy in South Africa, has been stronger and more unanimous at each repetition. Public interest, however, was very manifest on the present occasion, and the galleries were crowded. the hundreds present being amply rewarded by the magnificent speech of the premier-declared by one of the leading Tory papers to be "one of the best, if not the best," he ever delivered-and by the sturdy patriotism of the half dozen others who followed him on either side of the house.

BOURASSA'S PROPOSALS FELL

Mr. Bourassa presented three propositions in his resolution: (1) That there was no need to send further contingents from Canada to South Africa, (2) that enlisting for the South African constabulary should not be allowed in Canada, and (3) that the imperial government should forthwith conclude peace, giving the conquered republics their independence again. He supported these contentions with a two hours' speech, which, however did not once arouse the faintest indication of approval in the house THE PREMIER AT HIS BEST.

The rising of the premier to reply

was the signal for a marked change in this respect, and the cheers which greeted him were repeated at frequent intervals during the delivery of his splendid speech. Having disposed of the first proposition agreeing that no more Canadian troops were needed, because the closing up of hostilities could be attended second by the observation, that he knew not on what principle the government could interfere with any loyal Britisher volunteering to serve his King and country if he so desired, the premier proceeded to vindicate the imperial policy by as admirably a complete and concise retrospect of the events which lead to hostilities and had marked their progress, as could well have been presented. Sir Wilfrid carried his audience with him enthusiastically, and the result was a foregone conclusion. But one feature of the incident has not received the attention it merits. If Mr Bourassa had any justification at all for taking up the time of the house with this matter, it was as being representative of the people of Quebec. He claimed to was overwhelmingly indorsed in Quebec last November, took issue upon this very point, as he did before the elections and during the campaign. The unwavering and increased supmier received from Quebec is the best which he undeniably possesses. THE BUDGET.

It used to be said of William Ewart Gladstone that he was one of the very few men who could make figures interesting, and that great financier's budget speeches were accounted among the events of the parliamentary session. In the same way the annual budget speech of Canada's chancellor of the exchequer has come to be looked forward to, for with perhaps the single exception of their first budget, the details of which were a legacy from their Tory predecessors, rathe than of their own producing, the country's balance sheet has been invariably satisfactory, and grows more so every year. Increased revenue in every direction, growing home trade growing foreign, growing customs re ceipts, growing excise receipts, more business in the postoffice, more business in the savings banks, bigger circulation of currency, an end to the deficits and a continuance in the series of surpluses, a cutting down of taxation and yet an increase in the and he must be phlegmatic indeed who did not feel his spirits rise, and his pulse quicken, as he listened to it. It is scarcely possible to more than briefly scan the details in this column, but one or two figures may be quoted. The total revenue of the country had been \$51,029,994, and the total expendi-Its representative, who is now in this ture \$42,975,279, leaving a credit balcity, says that the chances of making ance or surplus of \$8,054,714. THE BIGGEST SURPLUS

in the history of the Dominion. Moreover this is the third successive surplus, and adding to it the surpluses of 1898-99 and of 1897-98, and deducting the deficit inherited Tories in 1896-97, the total surplus to the credit of consolidated account for the four completed years of Liberal financing ending June last is \$14,095,-

It is frequently claimed that the Liberals have not reduced the tariff, but are continuing the old N. P. tariff which they so much deprecated in the past, and it is also often contended that a government has no business with a surplus, for if it is receiving money than it is spending, it is taxing the people just that much more money than it has any right to do. Mr. Fielding answered both these objections simply and concisely, vincingly. The tariff is not the old N. P., for had no changes been made the revenue would have been over \$4,000,-000 more than it is. The government "ALWAYS THE BEST OF EVERYTHING FOR THE LEAST MONEY"

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cedented and phenomenal.

As an example of this take the condition of trade—the aggregate foreign trade of Canada for the fiscal year 1899-1900, amounted to \$381,517,000; is an actual increase over that of 1898-99 (itself the biggest up to that time)

ONE YEAR, found in every direction, and the finance minister quoted figures which materials. Many citizens intended enabled his hearers and the country to readily appreciate this fact. 1890 to 1895, the circulation of the notes of the chartered banks decreased \$2,-000,000, from 1895 to 1900 it increased 1900; savings bank deposits increased ent is well occupied. \$3,000,000 from 1890 to 1895, and \$9,000. The same activity 600 from 1895 to 1900; chartered bank represent them, and their alleged hos- deposits \$54,000,000 from 1890 to 1895, tility to imperialism. Sir Wilfrid, who and \$95,000,000 from 1895 to 1900; the is also generally accepted as a repre- exports of Canadian produce grew sentative French-Canadian, and who \$16,000,000 from 1890 to 1895, and \$67, 000,000 from 1895 to 1900; imports for home consumption actually decreased \$7,000,000 from 1890 to 1895, but increased \$75,000,000 from 1895 to 1900; and to cost more than \$10,000. finally the total trade of Canada increased \$6,000,000 only from 1890 to 1895 while it increased \$157,000,000 from 1895 to 1900. Verily prosperity has perche upon our banners since those banners

> An interesting item of information introduced by Mr. Fielding in course of his budget speech was that having reference to the Yukon. It had been the policy of the government, h said, to make the Yukon pay for it self, and this it had done standing the abnormally heavy expenditures required to open up so tant and inaccessible a territory. During the four years of its history, since came under the control of the de partment of the interior the revenues have totalled \$4,376,673, while the expenditures have been \$4,248,165, including capital expenditure on permanent improvements and public works. This leaves a small credit balance, and as Ontario by bringing from Toronto Chief a result it has been decided to reduce the royalty from 10 per cent to 6 per

MINERS MUTINY

Prisoners in Kansas Penitentiary Coal Mine in Rebellion.

Leavenworth, Kan., March 19.-In the Kansas State Penitentiary coal mine at Lansing, 284 prisoners, who imposed on Youthful Lead Pipe Thieveswent down into the mine on Monday morning have mutinied, and are holding 15 guards as hostages. They refuse to let the guards come to the surface until Warden Tomlinson proses to give them better food. They threatened to kill the guards if their demands are not complied with. The mines are worked by the worse class | plumbers' brass thieves, who pleaded of convicts, and among those who guilty to three charges of stealing and have mutinied are twenty life pris-Many complaints have been made by the prisoners because of the grade of food furnished them, and to dissatisfaction have been added allegations of mistreatment. No outbreak was attempted, however, until the men who had entered the mine refused to return until their demands should be granted. They killed the mules used in the mines, and are living on this meat. Serious trouble is apprenended if it shall be found essary to send deputies into the col-There was great consternation this afternoon among the families of the guards who are held by the convicts. All the penitentiary shops have been closed, and the convicts have been locked in their cells in order to have all the guards in readiness for emergency to handle the convicts should they attempt to rush the mine.

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BUILDING ACTIVITY

Many Private Residences To Be Erected This Season-Lower Cost of Materials.

In conversation this morning, several architects and builders said that the SIXTY MILLIONS INCREASE IN outlook for building operations in London this spring is very promising inwhile the toal increase in the eighteen deed. The number of private resiyears of Tory administration from 1878 to 1896 was only \$66,000,000. Evidences large, especially when compared with of this marvellous improvement are to the number built last year. The reason for this is the change in the price of as to prepare plans and call for tencirculation of money for example from ders, but when the latter came in the cost far exceeded the estimate. On that account many orders for houses were canceled or laid over. Since then there \$19,000,000; the circulation of \$1 and \$2 have been decreases in the prices of Dominion notes increased \$400,000 from nearly all the necessary materials, and 1890 to 1895, and \$3,000,000 from 1895 to architects say that their time at pres-

The same activity is apparent in places near London, and several local architect remarked upon the number of stores throughout the city that are being remodeled. In the list of new residences soon to be begun, is one for Mr. Samuel Sterling, on Dufferin avenue, east of Colborne. It is estimated

SUMMONS GRANTED

have been borne aloft by Liberal ad- Mr. Bartram's Charge Against Ed. Meredith, K.C., Will Be Ventilated.

> Mr. W. H. Bartram appeared before P. M. Love this morning to learn the latter's decision in the matter of granting a summons against Edmund Meredith, K. C., on the charge of wilfully perverting and obstructing the course of justice by quoting falsely from Mr. Bartram's examination, in the latter's suit against the Bell Telephone Company. The magistrate said he would issue a summons, returnable Friday, March 29, but he declined to interfere with the whole machinery of the law in Justice Falconbridge and Mr. Justice Street to give evidence, until he has dence if their presence is necessary.Mr. Bartram says he will insist on his rights, and will not close his case un til their evidence has been secured and

SEVERE SENTENCES

Receiver of Stolen Property Also Punished.

Joseph Coughtry and Joseph Roberts, the two youthful lead pipe and were convicted on a fourth, were sentenced by Police Magistrate Love yesterday to four years in Kingston penitentiary on each charge, the sentences to run concurrently. In passing sentence, the police said the seriousness of the offense, and the proportion of damage done in relation to the value of the property stolen, demanded a severe sentence, and it was in the interests of the public that the offenders be punished adequately, while it was in the interests of the boys themselves that they be sent where they could learn a useful trade. Far from being affected by the severity of their sentence, both boys on hearing it laughed recklessly till called to order by a police officer. Albert Flitton, who was convicted

of receiving some of the goods stolen by the younger boys, was sentenced to two months at hard labor in the common jail.

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Oats. per bu
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tended; prices generally the same as on
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higher, caused by light supply \$8.50 was paid for No. 1 stuff. GRAIN.

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Pigs, young, per pair. 550
Gows, per 100 lbs. 550
Dressed, 100 lbs, selects. 825
Dressed, 100 lbs, heavy. 775
Light, per 100 lbs. 575
Singers, per 100 lbs. 575

HAY AND SEEDS.

For Housekeepers. The market was rather slimly attended this morning, and trade was not brisk by any means. This was particularly the case in the butchers' stalls, where

the case in the butchers stalls, where the demand for dressed meats was almost nfl. Prices were unchanged. The supply of butter was quite sufficient for all requirements, and what sales there were were made at prices that varied little from those in effect last Saturday. In other lines prices remain as quoted, PROVISIONS.

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Parsnips
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MEAT, HIDES, ETC. Beef, carcass Matton, quarters, per lb... Calfskins, green Wool, washed, per lb..... Hides, No. 1, per lb..... Hides, No. 1, per lb..... Hides, No. 2, per lb..... Hides, No. 3, per lb..... Wool, unwashed, per lb... Tallow, rendered, per lb...

New Zealand Oats. The heaviest yielder gown HAMILTON'S, Near King St.

York, and at 65c to 65½c north and west; goose at 65½c to 67c on a low freight to New York for No. 1, and 66c to 65½c, middle freights; spring easier, at 58½c to 69c for No. 1 east; Manitoba easier, at 98c for No. 2 hard, 98c for No. 2 hard, and 81c to 82c for No. 3 hard, grinding in transit, and all rail, North Bay, prices are 97c for No. 1 hard, 92½c for No. 2, and 80c for No. 3 hard. Flour—Steady; cars of 90 per cent patents, in buyers weather threatening receipts, 33,800 bu; sales, 1,375,000 bu; option market was stronger on war rumors, local covering and fair European acceptances; May, 80½c to 31c; July, 807-16c to 80½c; Sept., 79½c to 79 15-16c. Rye—Steady; state, 56c to 57c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 61c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 68,250 bu; sales, 1,375,000 bu; option market was stronger on war rumors, local covering and fair European acceptances; May, 80½c to 31c; July, 807-16c to 80½c; Sept., 79½c to 79 15-16c. Rye—Steady; state, 56c to 57c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 61c, f.o.b., sales, 1,375,000 bu; option market was stronger on war rumors, local covering and fair European acceptances; May, 80½c to 31c; July, 807-16c to 80½c; Sept., 79½c to 79 15-16c. Rye—Steady; state, 56c to 57c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 61c, f.o.b., sales, 1,375,000 bu; option market was stronger on war rumors, local covering and fair European acceptances; May, 80½c to 31c; July, 807-16c to 80½c; Sept., 79½c to 79 15-16c. Rye—Steady; state, 56c to 57c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 61c, f.o.b., sales, 1,275,000 bu; option market was stronger on war rumors, local covering and fair European acceptances; May, 80½c to 31c; July, 807-16c to 80½c; Sept., 79½c to 79 15-16c. Rye—Steady; state, 56c to 57c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 61c, f.o.b., sales, f.o.b., sal n transit, and an are 97c for No. 1 hard, 93½c tor and 80c for No. 2 hard. Flour-Steady; cars of 90 per cent patents, in buyers bags, \$2.60, middle freights; choice brands are 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba flour is steady, at \$4.25 for cars of Hungarian patents, and \$4 for strong bakers, bags included, at Toronto. Millfeed-Offerings light; firm; cars of shorts, \$15 to \$15.50, and bran at \$14 to \$14.50 west; some mills are asking \$1 more. Barley-Steady, at 14½c; fresh creamery, 16c to 22c; held creamery asking \$1 more. Barley-Steady, at 14½c; imitation creamery, 14c to 18½c. Cheese-Receipts, 657 pkgs; market was strong; fancy large colored and white, 11½c. and bran at \$14 to \$14 50 west; some mills are asking \$1 more. Barley—Steady, at 42½c to 43c for No. 2, middle freights, and 1c less for No. 3 extra. middle freights. Buckwheat—Steady, at 52c to 52½c, middle freights. Rye—Steady, at 48½c to 49c, middle freights. Corn—Higher; Canada yellow, 40½c to 41c; mix-ed, 40c west; American No. 3 yellow at 47½c at Toronto. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white is quoted at 29c, middle freights. Peas—Steady to firm, at 63c north and west, and at 62½c to 64c, middle freights. Butter—Market is slow and easier, at 15c to 16c for the best class of large and dairy pound rolls, but extra choice giltedged farmers' lots of pound rolls would probably bring 15c; creamery, 18c to 19½c; faetory, 10c to 14½c; imitation creamery, 16c to 1

probably bring 15c; creamery is weaker, at a decline of 1c. with solids quoted at 20c to 21c, and prints at 22c to 23c. Eggs.—Slow and 16c lower, at 12c to 124c.

TORONTO HAY MARKET. Toronto, March 20.—Baled hay—Steady; choice timothy, on track here, \$10 25 to \$10 50; two-ton lots, delivered, \$11 to \$11 25; Straw—Car lots of straw, on track here, \$5 50 to \$5.

THE OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 20.-Oil closed PITTSBURG, Pa., March 21.-Oil opened OIL CITY, Pa., March 20.—Credit balances, \$130; certificates, no bid. Petrolia, March 20.-Petrolia crude, \$1 61, et; Oil Springs crude, \$1 50, net; refined, bulk, 11½c to 12½c; refined, in barrels, ½c to 15½c.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, March 20-Closing. lid; American mixed, old, 4s ¼d; dures quiet; May, 3s 10¼d; July, 2s 10d;

Peas-Canadian steady, 5s 74d. Flour-St. Louis fancy winter steady, Hops (at London)—Steady.
Beef—Easy; extra India mess, 61s 3d.
Pork—Steady; prime mess western, 63s.
Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm,

Lard-American refined, in pails, strong,

Bacon-Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, strong, 45s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, ****

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Shoulders—Square, 11 to 13 lbs, firm, 25s 9d; clear bellies, 14 to 15 lbs, firm, 25s 9d; clear bellies, 14 to 15 lbs, firm, 25s 9d; clear bellies, 15s 9d heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm, 49s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, firm, 29s 3d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, strong, 45s.

Shoulders—Square, 11 to 13 lbs, firm, 25s 9d.

Butter—Dull; finest United States, 90s; good United States, 68s.

Cheese—Dull; American finest white and colored, 48s.

Tallow—Prime city dull, 24s 6d; Australian (in London) dull, 26s 6d.

Lambs, 34 65; lambs, 36 lb 10 3d 5c.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Beeves—Receipts, 2,66f; steers nominal; bulls and cows firm to 10c higher; oxen and stags, 32 to 34 25; bulls, 33 15 to 34 25; cows, 32 10 to 33 50; extra fat do. 34 25; cows, 32 10 to 33 50; extra fat do. 34 25; cows, 32 10 to 35 50; extra fat do. 34 25; cows, 32 10 to 35 4c.

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Tallow-Prime city dull, 24s 6d; Austra-llan (in London) dull, 26s 6d. Cottonseed oil-Hull refined, spot firm, us ed. Turpentine spirits—Quiet, 27s. Rosin—Common steady, 4s 6d. Petroleum—Refined steady, 7%d. Linseed oil—Dull, 24s.

AMERICAN MARKETS. CHICAGO, March 20.—Rumors of a clash between English and Russian troops alarmed wheat shorts today, and contrialarmed wheat shorts today, and contri-buted to the strength engendered by other bullish news, May closing %c to %c higher. A sharp advance in May pork, which closed 62%c over yesterday, was a feature of the day on 'change. Corn closed unchanged, oats a shade higher, and lard and ribs 5c to 7%c improved. Exporters reported 15 loads taken. Sea-board clearances in wheat and down were

Exporters reported 15 loads taken. Seaboard clearances in wheat and flour were equal to 278,000 bu, while primary recelpts reached a total of 585,000 bu, compared with 696,000 bu last year. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 278 cars, against 327 last week, and 554 a year ago. Local receipts were 61 cars, none of contract grade. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 85 cars; corn. 230 cars; oats, 155 cars; hogs, 20,000 head.

The leading futures closed as follows: Cars; nogs, 20,000 head.

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Wheat—No. 2, March, 75%c; April, 76c;
May, 76%c to 77c. Corn—No. 2, March,
40c; May, 41%c; July, 41½c. Oats—No. 2,
March, 24%c; May, 25½c. Pork—May,
\$16.90; July, \$15.40. Lard—May, \$7.87½;
July, \$7.87½; Sept., \$7.95. Ribs—May, \$7.70;
Sept., \$7.67½.
Cash quotations: Elements

July, \$7 87½; Sept., \$7 95. Ribs—May, \$7 70; Sept., \$7 67½.
Cash quotations: Flour steadier. No. 3 spring wheat, 69c to 73½c; No. 2 red. 75¾c to 76¾c. No. 2 corn, 46¼c; No. 2 yellow, 40¼c. No. 2 oats, 25¾c to 26c; No. 2 white, 28c to 29c; No. 3 white, 27¼c to 30c. No. 2 rye, 53c. Good feeding barley, 40c to 46c; fair to choice malting, 47c to 57½c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 54; No. 1 northwestern, \$1 55. Prime timothy seed, \$4 10 to \$4 15. Pork, \$16 75 to \$16 80. Lard, \$7 85 to \$7 87½c. Ribs, \$7 60 to \$7 75. Dry salted shoulders, 65½c to 6¾c. Short clear sides, \$8 to \$8 12½c. Clover, \$10 65 to \$10 75. Eggs dull; fresh. 11¾c. Sugar unchanged.
Receipts—Flour, 77,000 bbls; wheat, 186,000 bu; corn, 372,000 bu; oats, 419,000 bu; rye, 12,000 bu; barley, 33,000 bu.
Shipments—Flour, 40,000 bbls; wheat, 49,000 bu; corn, 196,000 bu; oats, 381,000 bu; rye, 40,000 bu; barley, 4,000 bu.
NEW YORK, March 20.—Flour—Re-

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

Toronto, March 20.—Wheat—About steady; red and white, 66c to 66½c, middle freights; 67½c on a 13½c freight to New York, and at 65c to 66½c north and west; goose at 66½c to 67c on a low freight to New York for No. 1, and 66c to 66½c, middle freights; spring easier, at 58½c to 66c to narket was a little better in tone, but still held above buyers views. Rye flour—Dull; fair to good, \$2 80 to \$3 15; choice to fancy, \$3 20 to \$3 45. Wheat—Receipts, 33,800 bu; sales, 1,375,000 bu; option market was stronger on war rumors, local covering

No. 1 northern, old, 86c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 79c: No. 1 white, 78c asked. Corn—No. 2 vellow, 45½c; No. 3 yellow, 45; No. 2 corn, 44½c; No. 3 corn, 44½c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 31½c; No. 3 white, 30½c; No. 2 mixed, 28¾c, on track. DETROIT, March 20.-Wheat-No.

DETROIT BEAN MARKET. Detroit, March 20.—The bean options show an advance of 2c; the cash deal is

firm at the former price; cash, \$183; April, \$180 bid; May, \$177, nominal. CHICAGO EXCHANGE. CHICAGO March 20. Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, broker, offices Masonic Temple. Phone 512.

Open. High Low. Close 41% 41% 41% Oats-March .. WOOL MARKET.

Toronto, March 20 .- While the situation the United States and in Great Britain is improving, and prices appear to have touched the bottom, and there is more business being done, prices are practically no higher. There is certainly more busi-ness being done, but, according to deal-ers here, it is the result of holders accepting the situation and making price concessions, which have resulted in in-ducing buyers to come into the market. There is no demand for Canadian fleeces or export, and prices are unchanged. leece—The market is dull and prices are ominal, at 14c to 15c for Canada 1900 lip. There is a little more movement in unwashed, and prices are steady, at 80 to 9c. Pulled wools—The demand from the home manufacturers is slow, and the market is dull. Prices are steady, at 16c to 17c for supers and 20c for extras.

THE DAIRY MARKETS. NEW YORK, March 20.—Butter—Market firm; fresh creamery, 16c to 22c; factory, 10c to 14½c; creamery, 13c to 19½c; imitation creamery, 14c to 18½c; state dairy, fresh, 15c to 2ic. Cheese—Market strong; fancy large colored and white. 11c to 11½c; fancy small colored, 12½c; fancy small white, 12c to 12¼c. CHICAGO, March 20.—Butter—Market dull; creamery, 15c to 21c; dairies, 11c to 18c. Cheese—Market fairly active, 16c to

LIVE STOCK MARKETS. CHICAGO, March 20 .- Cattle-Receipts CHICAGO, March 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 16,000, including 300 Texans; good to prime steers, \$4 85 to \$6; poor to medium, \$3 70 to \$4 89; stockers and feeders steady, \$2 85 to \$4 65; cows strong, \$2 70 to \$4 40; heifers, \$2 75 to \$4 65; canners, \$2 to \$2 65; bulls steady, \$2 65 to \$4 30; calves steady, \$4 50 to \$6; Texas fed steers, \$4 50 to \$5; Texas grass steers, \$3 40 to \$4; Texas bulls, \$2 50 o \$3.75. Hogs—Receipts, 20,000; mixed and utchers, \$5.75 to \$5.97½; good to choice eavy, \$5.90 to \$6; rough heavy, \$5.75 to \$5.5; light, \$5.75 to \$5.95; bulk of sales at

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587½ to \$590. Sheep—Receipts, 14,000; good to choice wethers, \$480 to \$5; fair to

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LONDON, March 20.—The trade in American cattle was firm, and prices show an advance of ½c since this day week; choice sold at 12½c, and sheep were strong, at 15c. LIVERPOOL, March 20.-The Market displayed some strength, and prices for Canadian cattle show an advance of ½c per lb, with sales of choice at 11½c; there were no sheep on the market.
A private cable from Liverpool quoted American cattle at 12c; sheep at 15½c; lambs at 16c, and Canadian cattle at

EAST BUFFALO, March 20.—Cattle—Steady. Calves—Demand fair on the basis of \$7 50 for choice calves; choice to extra, \$7 25 to \$7 50; good to choice, \$7 to \$7 25. Sheep and lambs—Offerings, 41 loads; the basis on top lambs was \$5 85; choice to extra wool lambs were quotable at \$5 75 to \$5 85; good to choice, \$5 50 to \$5 75; sheep, yearlings, \$5 to \$5 25; wethers, \$5 to \$5 25; clipped lambs are coming along now, and quotable on the basis of \$5 to \$5 25. Hogs—Market opened strong, with 15 loads total sale for the day; heavy opened at \$6 to \$6 15; mixed Yorkers, \$6 10 to \$6 15; pigs, \$5 95 to \$6; roughs, \$5 95 to \$6; stags, \$4 50 to \$4 75; the offerings were cleaned up quite actively, and the close EAST BUFFALO, March 20.-Cattle-

cleaned up quite actively, and the close was \$617 on Yorkers and pigs. OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, March 20 .- Here and at Liverpool Canadian cattle are not quotably changed. Prices are 10½c to 12c per lb, dressed weight; sheep keep steady, at 12½c to 13c; lambs, 14½c per lb; refrigerator beef is higher, at 8½c to 8¾c per lb.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Highest and Lowest Temperatures at Prominent Points.

London, March 21-8 a.m. TEMPERATURE. WEATHER Montreal. Quebec..... Father Point. *Below zero.

COLDER-SNOW. Forecasts-Strong southwesterly and westerly winds, becoming colder, with occasional snow flurries. Friday-Northwesterly winds and

WEATHER NOTES. Since yesterday morning the storm has remained almost stationary over the lake region, rain fell during yesand the Maritime Provinces. The temperature this morning was 2 below at Winnipeg and 6 below at Minnedosa. Storm signals are display-

ed in the Maritime Provinces.

THE ONTARIO LEGISLATURE.

Proposition to Kill the County Council Act

Defeated by a Majority of Ten-Opposition Leader Would Repeal It at Any Price.

Toronto, March 21 .- The legislature yesterday debated at length a bill introduced by Mr. Tucker to repeal the present county council act, and ultimately the motion for its second reading was defeated by a vote of 38 to 28. The present act is comparatively new, and the feeling of the members of the government was that a full expression of opinion should be had from the county before such drastic action be taken.

PROVINCIAL AUDITING. The premier introduced a bill to amend the act providing for the better auditing of the accounts of the prov-This simply provides that in the absence of the auditor through illness the head clerk may act in his

stead. Hon. Mr. Stratton, in reply to Mr. Fox (West Victoria), gave details of the step taken by the provincial board of health to deal with the outbreak of smallpox in the lumber camps and the present centers of the disease.

WILL SELL THE TIMBER. Hon. Mr. Davis, replying to Mr. Beatty (Leeds), said it was the intention of the government to dispose of the timber in the reserve known as Temiscaming Park at such times as appears to be in the public interest, and under such regulations as would secure a permanent reserve.

ELECTION OF COUNTY COUNCILS Mr. Tucker's bill to amend the municipal act proposes that county councils consist, as under the old system, of the reeves of townships and villages and mayors of towns not separated from the county, instead of being elected by popular vote, as is the The bill further provides that members of councils shall have votes in proportion to the number of

people they represent.

Hon. Mr. Davis said the measure would repeal the county council act. Mr. Kidd (Carleton) said the act should be repealed. The old system had worked well; the present act was a failure, and had led to the introduction of politics in municipal affairs and other evils. Mr. Russell (East Hastings) was of

opinion that the present act worked very well. There was no desire for a change in his part of the country. Dr. Barr said the only people who did not desire the change were the county councilors themselves. Hon. Mr. Dryden said that, speaking for himself, he was in favor of reducing rather than increasing the number of councilors. He considered that the clause regarding the voting powers of councils was one that should be condemned. It would sim-

ply place the power in the hands of

a few members of council who represented the largest number of electors,

and that might lead to great evils. Mr. Monteith (South Perth) briefly expressed approval of the bill. NOT RIPE FOR A CHANGE. The attorney-general thought that the house should not act spasmodically. The proposed change was a constitutional change, and that being

choice mixed, \$450 to \$480; western sheep, \$480 to \$5; yearlings, \$485 to \$510; native lambs, \$465 to \$545; lambs, \$510 to \$545. it would be an easy matter to make full inquiry into the workings, and amendments could then be made if found desirable. It could not be denied that the act had produced one good result, namely, the reduction of unwieldly bodies, meeting for several days and spending much time ove minor busines, to smaller and more businesslike methods of working.

Mr. Tucker read several newspaper extracts reporting county council meetings at which changes to the act had been suggested.

Mr. Hislop (East Huron) did not think that the present system had any effect on the quality of men elected to the councils; they were just as able as those who were successful under the old act. As to the introduction of politics into county councils, that was no new question. Politics had always played a part in such elections in his county, and this was no doubt the case in other constituencies.

REPEAL AT ANY PRICE. Mr. Whitney expressed surprise at what he termed the half-hearted de-fense by two members of the cabinet of the county council act. For his own part he (Mr. Whitney) was not in favor of the clause in the bill as to votes of members of the council, but he was willing to vote for that if the measure could be passed and the county council act repealed. The in-quiry as suggested by the attorneygeneral would, he believed, result in the repeal of the act.

HASTE DEPRECATED. The premier reminded the house that the question at issue was whether the committee. To do that was to accept the principle of the bill. The county councils suffered by the change. If

After some further discussion the secnd reading was lost on the following

division:

Yeas—Allen, Barr, Beatty (Leeds),
Brower, Carnegie, Carscallen, Colquhoun,
Crawford, Dempsey, Duff, Elber, Fox,
Jessop, Joynt, Kidd, Little, Marter, Matheson, Monteith, Morrison, Macdiarmid,
McLaughlin, Powell, Pyne, Reid (Durham), Tucker, Wardell, Whitney—28.
Nays—Auld, Aylesworth, Barber,
Beatty (Parry Sound), Blezard, Breithaupt, Briddgland, Brown, Burt, Caldwell, Carpenter, Charlton, Conmee,
Davis, Dickenson, Douglas, Farwell,
Gibson, Graham, Gross, Guibord, Harcourt, Hislop, Holmes, Latchford,
Loughrin, Lumsden, Malcom, Munro. livision:

Loughrin, Lumsden, Malcom, Munro, Mutrie, McKay, McKee, Pattullo, Pres-ton, Richardson, Ross, Russell, Stratton—38.

The following were paired: Messrs.
Dryden and Hoyle, Harty and Foy,
Ferguson and Reid (Addington), Bowman and McDonald, Pardo and Jamieson, Hill and Gallagher, Pettypiece and
Boyd, Taylor and Robson, Pardee and
Lucas, Clarke and Fallis, Smith and
Kribs, Leys and Thompson, Truax and
Miscampbell.

SECOND READINGS. A large number of public bills were given their second reading in order that they may be considered in committee at an early date. Mr. Carnegie's bill respecting county boundaries was lost on Mr. Graham's bill giving municipalities authority to allow or disallow trading stamps was referred to a small special

committee of the house.

The house adjourned at 6:30.

DOMINION

Resolution to Impose a Duty on Lumber Under Discussion.

Needs of the Northwest-Free Lumber Cne of the Settlers' Greatest Helps.

Ottawa, March 20 .- The house devoted this afternoon to a discusison of Mr. Bennett's resolution calling for duty on American lumber. The question was under discussion at 6 o'clock, and as the order changed after dinner the resolution lies over indefinitely. This evening the house sat for fifteen minutes. THE DOUKHOBORS PETITION.

Replying to Mr. Wilson Mr. Sifton said a petition was received from the immigration commissioner at Winnipeg, under cover of a letter, dated July 10, 1900, purporting to be signed by 29 of the Doukhobors, making certain objections to the land, marriage and registration laws. The depart-ment sent a copy of the letter to Mr. Maude, in order that he might communicate with the signers of the petition and remove their misapprehension in regard to Canadian laws. The department is not aware that the Doukhobors had issued an appeal to all the nations of the world, asking if they would be given a refuge from Canadian tyranny. The department is informed that a Russian (not a Doukhobor) named Bojianski undertook to make trouble with the Doukhobors. He got up the original petition referred to, and has now caused to be printed a document, to which reference is made in the question, in a Winnipeg paper known as The Voice. The department has no reason to believe that the utterances of Mr. Bojianski represent the views of the 7,500 Doukhobors who are settled in the Northwest, or any substantial portion of them.

LUMBER DUTIES PROPOSED. Mr. Bennett moved: "That in the opinion of this house duties shall be levied upon lumber imported into Canada corresponding with those now existing upon lumber entering the United States." In support of the motion Mr. Bennett dwelt upon the importance of the lumber industry to the Dominion. It had been, he said, a source of satisfaction in Ontario that the lumber trade was materially benefited by the action of the Ontario Government requiring logs to be manufactured in the province. The result has been that many mills that had been closed have been reopened, and

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new ones have been established, and many men obtained employment. Our umber trade had been benefited very largely in this way, but we were having a direct invasion of lumber from the United States, owing to the fact that we have no duty upon lumber, while there is a high duty upon lum-ber entering the United States from Canada. The Government of the United States being determined to harass the Canadian lumber trade with a duty of \$2 on Canadian pine, the time had come when the government should levy a duty on lumber entering from the United States. The lumber trade was not in that promising condition in which it should be, and the lumbermen were justified in asking that the duty be made equal to the hostile duty of the United States.

MR. DAVIS. Mr. Davis (Saskatchewan) could not bill should be sent to the municipal agree with Mr. Bennett that the Province of Manitoba and the Territories had arrived at such a stage that they an experiment. There was under the old act a large over-representation in old act a large over-representation in in councils for the duties they had only people who can be welfare of the Northwest and to perform. He did not think the edu-cational advantages of the county Manitoba, and proved a great factor in promoting settlement, there were changes needed the house that country lumber was needed for could readily amend and modify the every building which the settler had to act, as they did other laws, but it was erect. Under the present government act, as they did other laws, but it due to the dignity and steadiness of the timber limits were put up for said, the house that they should not proceed the country benefited. A few years ago, the country benefited. A few years ago, in the good old Tory days, men who had hardly a \$10 bill got hold of a tim-ber limit through some manipulation and became lumber kings. The greatest good should be done to the greatest number, and it was the mass of the people who benefited from free lumber. To place a duty upon the house and

barn of the settler would tend to drive settlers out of the country. MR. CHARLTON FAVORS A DUTY. Mr. Charlton declared himself in favor of an import duty on lumber, at least, to the extent of the American duty. He pointed to the results of the Ontario policy, which had established a number of sawmills on the north shore of Lake Huron. These manufacturers naturally felt that, having brought their industry into Canada, they were entitled to some consideration. Their competitors on the American side sent manufactured lumber in to Canada free. The Canadian mills did not fear the competition in highgrade lumber. There was a plethora of low-grade lumber in the States. This was dumped into Canada to the serious danger of the lumber in-

navigation returns to show that Mani-toba and the Northwest only received 48 per cent of the lumber imported free of duty, and that Ontario imported a large quantity. The value of lumber showed that the free lumber which the Northwest provinces imported was of the cheapest kind, valued at \$12 50 per thousand feet, while that which Ontario imported was much more valuable. It would be outrageous to tax the lumber of the settler of Manitoba and the Northwest who was trying to establish himself upon the land. Mr. Puttee made a plea for cheaper lumber for the settlers. He showed that \$45,000 of dressed lumber had been imported by Manitoba and heavy duties. duties paid upon it, and argued that instead of duties being levied upon the whole value it should be collected only upon the increased value given by

Messrs. Edwards, Scott, Cargill, and Holmes also spoke to the resolution. At recess the speaker left the chair and the debate was adjourned indefin-

In the evening the house sat for only 15 minutes. Among the bills read a second time was one presented by Mr. Hyman respecting the McClary Manufacturing

Company. TO REBUILD WILSON BRIDGE. Toronto, March 20 .- The bill granting the city of St. Thomas power to issue debentures without the submis sion of a bylaw to the people to rebuild the Wilson bridge of steel on stone abutments passed the private bills committee of the Ontario Legis-

lature this morning. B. C. RAILWAY SUBSIDIES. Victoria, B. C., March 20.-At a large public meeting last night resolutions were passed asking the government to give a subsidy for the Coast-Kootenay Railway to Victoria, B. C., Vancouver and Eastern Company and indorsing the Crow's Nest Southern Railway to the head of the island Hon. Mr. Turner spoke, saying that subsidies would be given for the lines named, and that the Victoria, Vancouver and Eastern had offered to build the Coast-Kootenay line on better terms than the former proposition.

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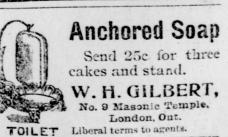
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OLD LADY BURNED IN HER BED. Ogdensburg, N. Y., March 20.-Margaret McQuade, 90 years old, was burned to death yesterday. Her daughter's family, with whom she resided, had gone to church, leaving the old lady in bed. She attempted to light her pipe, and set fire to the bed.

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IT MAY BE only a trifling cold, but neglect it and it will fasten its fangs in your lungs and you will soon be carried to an untimely grave. In this country we have sudden changes and must expect to have coughs and colds. We cannot avoid them, but we can effect a cure by using Bickie's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, the medicine that has never been known to fail in curing coughs, colds, bronchitis and all affections of the throat, lungs and chest.

a moment, while he held her hand us. for a moment, while he held her hand in his.
"I have startled you. I should not have the upon you so suddenly, but they told me you were all here, and I came that it leaves no room for personal attachments or regrets. We shall miss her far more than she will us." le spoke in his usual quiet, pleasant nes, but a happy light shone out on the eyes that looked at her so

sain to her cheek as she saw the expression of his face, "or did the know of it?"

"I do not think it will surprise her to find me here," said Stephen quiedy. He sat down with her on the fallen log from which she had started at his coming, looking in her radiantly beautiful face with the protecting tenderness that could not fail to calm all flutter of the nerves. But, oh! not for worlds would he have missed the involuntary revelation of that slight tremor!

They were sitting side by side, talking in quiet, friendly fashion when the old farmer drove up with Clara, and, whether the meeting were unlooked-for or not, nothing could have been heartier than the greeting on all sides.

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ness in her eyes which quite covered the lack of words.

"How you do notice everythin' Doctor!"
Mrs. Wheeler remarked when the others had gone upstairs, and Stephen asked in his hearty, friendly fashion if he should congratulate Nancy. "Whatever made you think she was engaged?"

"Oh, I don't know," with a smile. "You know we doctors get in the habit of noticing little things, and, when I was here last, I happened to observe—well, to spare Miss Nancy's blushes. I will only say that I thought matters had taken a more favorable turn since then."

"To think of you're bein' a bachelor, and takin' notice of such things!" remarked Mrs. Wheeler, with uplifted eyes. "Not that Nancy'd be engaged now if it hadn't been for Mrs. Amory. She took a fancy to the girl and spoke a word for Charley that went right to father's heart. She seemed to know just what a hankerin' feelin' that poor feller was carryin' away with him. Well, I suppose enough men have been in love with her, poor souls! but it's odd to me that she should know just how they felt about it."

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The doctor smiled, but said nothing. It was, perhaps, in consequence of Mr. Wheeler's shrewd discovery and the confidence thereupon to his wife, that, on the next morning the little household seemed to have pressing affairs demanding their presence anywhere rather than on the next with the doctor sat in the ham. percit where the doctor sat in the ham-mock talking to Clara. Mrs. Wheeler shut herself in the remote regions of the the darmyard and eyeing Gladys, who stood at a window dangerously near the professional pair, holding her little girl on radiant with relief as Gladys assented, and, taking the child by the hand, followed him up the stope, "but there's a purty of it agen before you go—I donno as I ever did think of it before, either."

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Then, as they were now out of hearing from the house, he added, lowering his voice to a gruff, confidential whisper, "I hope I didn't put you out, marm? I reckoned the two doctors'd find enough to say till you come back."
Gladys smiled, amused by the old man's sly expression. "No, I am glad to go. Mr. Wheeler. I should be sorry to miss any of the pretty spots here, for I shall always look back on our summer in this place as one of the happiest of my life."
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"It is hard to make plans so long be-forehand," replied Gladys. "There may be many changes for us all before that "Wal, yes, that's so," said the old farmer, with a chuckle and a glance at the piazza, "and some of 'em isn't hard to see comin'."

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The outlook proved so pretty that Gladys lingered there with little Amy after Mr. Wheeler, delighted with the success of his strategy, had gone back to the farmyard. The trees, fast thinning as they were, hid the house from sight, but there was a lovely view of the interval on the other side of the road, and a soft blue mist lying low on the mountains. The squirrels ran fearlessly up and down the trees about her, or darted, across the green carpet under her feet, and the shrill tap of the woodpecker resounded through the grove. There resounded through the grove. There was a quiet happiness in Gladys' heart that made the intense solitude grateful. She stooped and lifted her little girl in her arms, covering her dimpled cheeks with kisses. "Darling," she said, "would you be happy, too?"

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A voice beside her broke the stillness, but this time she did not start, though the approaching footsteps had made no sound on the soft moss.

"So Mr. Wheeler deserted you, after luring you up to the sugar-maples," said Stephen, merrily.

"It was a ruse," said Gladys, smiling; "Aid you not suspect it? He fancied me

"did you not suspect it? He fancied me in the way of your professional talk with Clara."

Clara."
"Clear-sighted farmer!" said the doctor, in the same tone. Then, more gravely, "Dr. Martyn has been telling me that she is to return to Memphis this refused to say where he was from. autumn. It was no surprise to me, for knew she felt that was her field so any of the States at the first census in | ing and he will sign.

soon as she could leave the hospital in safe hands, but I had not thought of her going so soon."
"I cannot bear to think of it," said *********

Gladys.
"She does not look upon it as a sacrifice." said the doctor, cheerfully. "She feels that she owes her time and talents to her birthplace, and, warm as is her affection for her northern friends, she will have no heart-ache when she leaves for a moment, while he held her hand

"Do you think so?" said Gladys, with a sigh. "Ah! Clara is a noble woman. But there are few people who really know her-she does not wear her heart on her sleeve."

"We did not know you were coming are, though Dr. Martyn told me you tail a sailed. Or," the color mounting sain to her cheek as she saw the expression of his face, "or did the know of the color amount of the know of the color was sailed. Or," the color mounting the looked a little wonderingly, at Gladys' tearful eyes. She was still holding amy in her arms as they walked on the color was sailed.

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Mr. Wheeler eyed them in his ruminating fashion as they returned through the woods to the roadside where Stephen had left his buggy.

"I'll take Mrs. Amory and the nurse in the wagon," said the old farmer twinkle in his eye towards Gladys, "if you two doctors will jes' drive along ahead." Then, as the dusty buggy-top bobbed up and down the road in front of them, the good man turned ponderously toward Mrs. Amory, and said,

"It is not," said Gladys, raising her head, so that she could look into her lover's eyes, as they sat side by side on a mossy bank, "it is not because you love me, Stephen; it is not because I fancy or only because it is sweet to feel that my life will never again be lonely, wrapped round with your tenderness and care. There is no other reason but that I have come to the knowledge that I do love you with all my heart and soul!"

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ahead." Then, as the dusty buggy-top bobbed up and down the road in front of them, the good man turned ponderously toward Mrs. Amory, and said, with a slow smile overspreading his tanned vistage.—"Now I want to know! I never had the fust idee!"

It was a pleasant evening; the simple country people with their hearty welcome of the treasured guest, Stephen with his easy, kindly adaptation to all sides of human nature; Clara, with unwonted animation of talk and repartee, made a lively atmosphere. Gladys was very silent, but there was a happy brightness, in her eyes which quite covered the lack of words.

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RUFFLED A COWBOY

And He Sends Two of a New York Crowd

to Hospital.

New York, March 20.-A revolver and a typical cowboy, just from the plains, sent two men to Hudson street Hospital as the result of a fight started in a Park Row saloon. The western man, who afterwards gave his name Grant, dressed in a blue flannel shirt, and wearing the sombrero, entered the saloon. Some jocular remarks on his appearance began the row, and the stranger was roughly handled. He drew a revolver and began shooting. Kane, the bartender, fell with a bullet hole in his shoulder, and Bohan, the proprietor, was shot in the left arm. Mopping his face the cowboy put pistol in his pocket and walked calmiy out. The shots brought a crowd together and an attack was that murder had been done. The cowboy held the mob at bay until the po-lice arrived and locked him up. He

Virginia has the largest population of

THE WORLD OF SPORTS

Two Hockey Teams Claim the City Championship.

Betting on the Queen's Plate at Toronto-Baseball Talk-Other Sporting Matters.

HOCKEY.

TWO TEAMS CLAIM THE CUP. At the Jubilee Rink last night the Victorias assembled to meet the L. C. team, but the latter did not put in an appearance. They had been awarded the cup by the executive. The Victorias lined up, and were given what was declared the "final" game, winning the championship. Harry Peel was referee. THE SECRETARY'S STATEMENT.

League writes: "In the London City Hockey League the past season, there present. being too many clubs for each team to play a game with each other, it was decided to divide the teams into two groups, known as group 1 and group 2. In group No. 1 the L. C. I. proved themselves too much for the other teams, having won six games without being defeated. The Victorias, in group No. 2, won four games and lost two, and the Memorials won three and lost three. Then it was decided that the L. C. I. and Victorias should play off, but as the nights set aside for these games to be played were invariably changed and the ice season drawing to an end, the exec-utive decided that the L. C. I. should have the championship and hold the C. W. Smith challenge cup until next season. The above, no doubt, will explain to the public, that the executive committee of the L. S. H. L. were perfectly justified in awarding the championship and the challenge cup

to the L. C. I. hockey team. BEAVERS VS. WATERLOOS.

The London Beavers (juniors) and last night. The Waterloos had the advantage in size and years of the Beavers, but the plucky play of the latter, with their clever combination work, resulted in a tie at time. Five minutes additional play gave the Waterloos the game-1 to 0. The line-up was as follows:

Rogers..... .. Goal. Kennedy Clark.....Point Fraser.....Cover Point.. Marshall .. Evans .Forward ..H. Marshall Nichol..... Forward Sanborn Reed......Forward ... McConkeyForward Towe Simon. F. C. B. C. VS. VICTORIAS.

The Forest City Business College hockey team last night defeated the Victorias by a score of 9 to 3, at Jubilee Rink.

TURF.

BETTING ON QUEEN'S PLATE. The first Queen's Plate quotations Even, Seagram stable; 2 to 1 the sill, drew near and bashfully asked if he might show her that clump of maples where he got his finest sugar.

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> AT NEW ORLEANS. New Orleans, La., March 21.-All the favorites were beaten yesterday. First race, 6 furlongs, selling-Momentum 1, Curtsey 2, Black Ford 3. Time, 1:181/2:

Second race, 1 1-16 miles, selling-Nannie Nolan 1, Wood Trice 2, Eitholin 3. Time, 1:54%. Third race, 1 mile and 70 yards, handicap-Frangible 1, Senator Beverage 2, Little Duchess II., 3. Time, 1:5114.

Fourth race, Cotton Exchange handicap, 1 mile—Cluster 1, Thurles 2, Dissolute 3. Time, 1:46. Fifth race, 7 furlongs, selling-Dr. Carrick 1, Elsie Dell 2, Free Admission Time 1:33%. Sixth race, 6 furlongs, selling-Sue

Johnson 1, Ciales 2, Judge Magee 3. Time, 1:18. Seventh race, 11-6 miles, selling-Saline 1, The Sluggard 2, Brown Vail

3. Time, 1:55.

BASEBALL. ZIMMER OUT OF IT.

President Charles Zimmer, of the Players' Protective Association, who last year played with the Pitts-burg National League Club, announces his retirement as a professional baseball player. It is understood that the dissatisfaction and unfavorable com ment expressed by many players over Zimmer's actions at the recent meeting of the National League led him to take the step. Zimmer says he has returned his contract for this season to the Pittsburg club unsigned. FLYS.

The Western League has decided upon an eight-club circuit. This leaves Louisville and Indianapolis out in the

"Patsy" Donovan and the Messrs, made on Grant, on the supposition Robinson had practically made up their minds to sign Breitenstein. But McPhee has come to the conclusion has tendered the St. Louis boy a con-Pitcher Crystal, formerly of Wood- of Aurora, Ill.

stock, and who was with Worcester last season, is in Toronto. He has a number of good offers.

Napoleon Lajoie, the leading second baseman, has signed a contract with Manager Mack to play with the Phil-adelphia American League baseball

LAWN TENNIS.

CHATHAM CLUB. At the annual meeting of the Chatham Lawn Tennis Club, held on Mon-day afternoon, the election of officers resulted as follows: Honorary president, Wm. Bail; president, W. F. Mal colmson; vice-president, J. S. Turner; secretary-treasurer, Dr. George Musson; general committee, Misses F. McCosh, Ball, Rose and McLean, Messrs. Gunn, Creighton, Willoughby, Coate, Massey, Rispin and Fraser; ground committee, Rispin, Coate and Gibson. It was decided to hold the annual ball immediately after lent.

WRESTLING. TOM JENKINS VS. THE TURK. New York, March 21 .- Nouroulah, the Turk, and Tom Jenkins, of Cleveland, have been matched to contest a wrestling match at Madison Square Garden on the night of May 7 next. The contest is to be decided on two The secretary of the City Hockey count, and all holds to go. The style of wrestling was left open for the

FISTIC.

A "GO" AT NEWCASTLE. Newcastle-on-Tyne, March 21.-In 20-round contest at catch weights, in the Standard Theater, in this city, last night, "Jack" O'Brien, of Philadelphia, cleverly knocked out "Jack" Thomp son, of Newcastle in the second round The American outclassed his oppon-

THE LABOR GAZETTE

The March Number Reports Very Few Strikes in Canada.

Ottawa, March 21 .- The March number of the Labor Gazette contains the following observations on labor dis-putes: "During the month of February the number of trade disputes reported to the department was exceed ingly small, there being in all but four the Waterloos played a well-contested in the Province of Ontario and two in game of hockey at the Princess Rink the Province of Quebec. Of the former three had commenced during the month of January, and of these two were concluded during the month of February without concessions having been granted to any of the parties o strike. The other two disputes in the Province of Ontario were still unsettled at the end of the month. The two disputes in the Province of Quebec were both unsettled at the end of the month. One is in the nature of lock-out, in which 20 men are inolved, and it resulted from the contractor refusing to make the changes in the rates of wages and the method of payment demanded by the men. The other is a strike which took place among some of the employes in a local factory in Montreal from reasons much the same."

LOST FIFTY POUNDS

A Lady in Nova Scotia Nearly Dies of Dyspensia, But at Last Finds a Remedy.

Mrs. M. Sears, of Lochaber, N. S., am in my 70th year. I forme weighed 186 lbs, but through the pains and starvation of Chronic Dyspepsia, I had run down to 136 lbs. I was a great sufferer. I had severe pain in the pit of my stomach. I could eat

"I tried all kinds of pills and advertised medicines for Dyspepsia, but all to no account. I even used a stomach mp, but nothing I could do seemed

help me in the least. "I went away to Newfoundland for some months, in the hope that a change might help me, but to no purpose. I had almost given up all hope of a cure, when I read an advertise ment of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. "I bought one box and they relieved me a little, so I got five more, and I must say that I never had such relief in my life. I had doctored and done everything possible, but found a true doctor only in Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. I am now cured. I am gaining in weight, health and strength, and I am sure I will soon

be myself again."

Mrs. Sears and her family are am ong the best known and most highly respected people in Lochaber. Her illness and wonderful recovery can be vouched for by anyone in the neighborhood. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets will do for anyone what they did for Mrs. Sears.

WELL-KNOWN ST. THOMAS LADY DEAD.

Mrs. Jennie Cruise, mother of Mr W. G. Mackintosh and Mrs. H. S. Scott, of Detroit, died at the home of another daughter, Mrs. C. M. Arkell, in St. Thomas, Ont., Sunday afternoon, after an illness of four months. The deceased was 64 years old, and was born in Huntington, Mass., but she had resided in St. Thomas since 1855, where she had been a leader in musical circles. Since the death of her husband a year ago, Mrs. Cruise had resided with Mrs. Scott. in that "The" is still serviceable and Detroit, but was taken with her last illness while on a visit to her daughtract to continue with the Reds. The figures in it are to Breitenstein's liking and he will sign.

ter in St. Thomas. Another daughter and son are left—Mrs. C. F. Mackintosh, of Chicago, and Charles Cruise,

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SCROFULA FROM BIRTH.

Dr. Radway—Dear Sir: It is with pleasure that I take my pen in hand to inform you of the great cure effected by your medicine called Sarsaparillian Resolvent. I have a girl 3 years old last September, who has sunered with corefula ever since she was two years old. In fact the doctor told us she was born with it. We had our best local doctors with her, and it seemed like all hope was gone, for they told us if the disease settled on her lungs she could not be cured. This frightful disease scated or seized upon her lungs severely. I began to think that our little girl could not live very long; our physician's medicines doing no good. In the meantime I received a copy of your medical publication called "False and True," which you sent me. After seeing the accounts of so many cures effected by your freatments I at once resorted to them, and by the time she had used one bottle she was well. The ulcers that were making their appearance on her body are entirely gone, her lungs almost healed, or, at least, she has quit coughing. She has begun on the second bottle, and I believe by the time she uses all of it she will be well. She had a very bad cough. I am yours with respect, SAMUKL S. BARKER.

Flat Top, Mercer county, W. Va.

"LIFE A BURDEN."

Dr. Radway—Dear Sir: For a long time past I have been suffering in a most distressing manner from a long train of symptoms which have bafiled the skill of all the medical mendown here, and which I fear, if not arrested in their progress, would terminate in the total prostration of my strength. Loss of appetite and desire of stimulating and artificial means of sustenance at irregular times, want of healthy sleep and consequent depression on arising in the morning, rendered life quite a burden to me, until a friend induced me to try your medicine. So I got a bottle of Radway's Sarsaparillian and a box of Radway's Pills, and toek them according to directions. I soon found relief. I got three boxes and three bottles more, and I am better in health than ever before. I remain your humble sevent.

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FROM CHOKING

Brantford Boy Dies From Effects of Being Roughly Used.

Brantford, Ont., March 20 .- A very sad death occurred yesterday, when Gordon, the 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Moore, passed away. About the middle of last summer the little one was playing in the street, when a good-sized boy grabbed him by the neck and choked him hard. A short time afterwards the little fellow was taken sick with abscess of the neck, as a result of the rough treatment received. He continued to grow worse until his condition became alarming. About two months ago the abscess had spread to such an extent that food and drink could not properly pass down his throat. The spine was affected, and the unfortunate child gradually sank, until death came.

FOUND ON THE TRACK.

Little Lad Terribly Injured by Falling From a C. P. R. Train

Vancouver, March 20 .- News has reached here of a shocking accident on the C. P. R., near Revelstroke. A lady passenger from the United States with her three children were on the train returning to Cecil, Pa., after a visit to Nanaimo. Shortly after the train left Reveistroke one of the children, a bright little fellow, aged ten years, was missed by his mother. search of the train was at once instituted, but without success, and the poor woman became frantic. At the next stopping place a telegram was received by the conductor, stating that a child had been found on the track a short distance from Revelstroke with both legs horribly mangled. The boy evidently walked out on the platform of the coach and fell off. When found he had crawled the distance of 16 telegraph poles. It is not expected that

200 SHEEP SHOT.

Delta, Col., March 20 .- Trouble has broken out between cattle and sheep men in this section. Today five masked men shot two hundred sheep belonging to A. C. Perkins, which were in territory claimed by the cattle men as exclusive grazing ground for cattle.

CONSERVATIVE CONVENTION. Toronto, March 20.-The con engion of the Conservative Association of Cntario opened this morning at Victoria Hall, with some 200 decents in at-tendance, and proceeded to consider the scheme of organization and repre sentation outlined at the preliminary meeting in January. Dr. Beattie Nesbitt was in the chair, and Mr. J. P. Whitney, M. P. P., was present and took an active part in the discussion Permanent officers were elected as fol-lows: Honorary presidents, Sir Mac-kenzie Bowell, R. L. Borden, M.P., J. P. Whitney, M.P.P., and R. Shaw-Wood; president, J. J. Foy, M.P.P.; vice-presidents, Dr. Beattie Nesbitt, G. F. Marter, M.P.P., Richard Blair, M. P. Brampton; secretaries, A. W. Wright and T. W. H. Leavett; E. B. Osler, M.P., was elected chairman of the executive committee.

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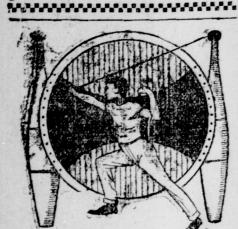
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Squires, of Shaw Place, Toronto, writes ! to Supt. Martin, requesting the polic to locate her husband if he is in De troit. Squires is 22 years of age. Hi wife says he left home on Oct. 8, after selling all the family furniture, leaving her and her little child without means of Victor street, is prostrated with a ciety of Ontario. These gentlemen of support.

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Meteorological.

Toronto, March 20-8 p.m.-The cener of the storm which was approach-ng the lake region last night has during today remained almost stationary over Lake Michigan. Rain has fallen throughout Ontario and light snow in ortions of Quebec. The weather has come much milder in Manitoba and

he Northwest Territories. Minimum and maximum tempera-ures: Victoria, 38-54; Kamloops, 40-62; Calgary, 26-52; Edmonton, 32-46; Prince Albert, 12 below-28; Winnipeg, 8 below-24; Port Arthur, 4-14; Toronto, 24-40; Ottawa, 12-30; Quebec, 10-24; Halifax,

Local temperatures: Highest, 44 bove; lowest, 25 above. Today (Thursday) the sun rose at 6:19 .m. and sets at 6:30 p.m. The moo ose at 6:38 a.m. and sets at 8:24 p.m.

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-Mrs. John Dockstader, of Bothwell,

-Mr. G. Forrestal is recovering from

-Mrs. W. J. Craig and family are

-Miss Lottie Daggert has returned

-The Western Fair directors meet

his afternoon to consider several mat-

-The clever pitcher of last year's

-The old-time residence of the late

-J. W. McLaren, railway mail cierk,

John Hunter, adjoining the Public Li-

moved to London on Tuesday.

the effects of a fractured ankle

visiting friends in Blenheim.

rom a visit to Buffalo, N. Y.

ohn, N.B.

GRAHAM BROS

ers of importance.

MacKay in Hamilton.

brary, is being taken down.

was here yesterday. A LOCAL BUDGET. od of his enlistment.

-Ten and a half stacks of books are in the public library and only two of these hold fiction. Last year \$2,500 was spent for new books, and of this sum only \$400 went for fiction.

go an operation while in the city.

-Sir John Carling has resumed his late buyer for the Chapman Company clothing establishment in London, has the guest of Mrs. R. H. McBride, To--Miss Beatrice Richardson is the opened about April. 1. guest of Mrs. Hellmuth, Spadina road,

-Mr. John Foot left on the Grand runk yesterday afternoon for St.

London team, Seivers, is laid up with a -Mrs. John E. Smallman, South Lon-

> Church Men's Association received a visit from Rev. Dr. Bethune, Prof. fessor Bowman, Professor Harrison, Mr. J. H. Dearness and Mr. Brown, of the Entomological Sobrought with them several microscopes, and revealed to the members of the association many of the beauties and wonders of nature. Dr. Bethune also

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-Miss Tillie Connors, of Seaforth, is risiting Mrs. Adams, Richmond street. -Mrs. Brook, of Toronto, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Pring, 16 Walnut street, West London.

-A petition is in circulation in East London asking the city council to investigate the alleged smallpox cases

-The Seventh Regiment is preparing for the ceremony that is to attend the formal presentation of colors to the

-Mr. Robert R. Tatham, of Saginaw (brother of Mr. C. H. Tatham), is here attending the funeral of the late Mrs.

-Mr. and Mrs. Henry, of Chicago, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. T. C. Richardson, Mill street, left for home on Monday. Stratford Herald: of London, assisted St. Joseph's Church

choir on Sunday, and contributed a solo very pleasantly. -A song and piano recital will be given in Somerset Hall, Saturday, March 23, at 4 p.m., by pupils of Eva N. Roblyn and W. H. Hewlett, Public

-Mr. Alex. McKellar, storekeeper, of he reformatory at Penetanguishene, and an old member of the Middlesex county council, from Lobo township,

-Ryde, Leamington, the deserter from Woolseley Barracks, has been sentenced to 40 days in the cells, and he will also have to complete the peri-

-The St. Catharines Star says that Mr. W. H. Caverhill has resigned his school near London, and will, early in April, commence work there as assistant general agent for the Confederation

-Mrs. E. G. Shannon, of Walkerton, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. Argo Lind, of 35 Bruce street, South London. Owing to an affection to one of her ears, Mrs. Shannon will under-

-Chatham Planet: George Meynell, leased the store formerly occupied by H. K. Ridley & Co., and is having it handsomely refitted. The store will be

-Vancouver Daily World: W. T. Oliver, of the Bank of B. N. A. staff, -Mr. William Butcher, watchman, of the Bank of B. N. A. staff, of Rossiand, has been transferred to and not until last night was community to be book at London Ontered with the bank at London, Ont., and will leave shortly for his new quarters. He sulted from the drifting and packing is now on a farewell visit to the of the snow. Near Harriston, a plow, coast prior to his departure for the

-Messrs. George C. Gibbons and R. Bayly, London; Alfred Wilkes, Brantford; Alfred Henry Clarke, Windsor; Donald Guthrie, Guelph; John Iding-ton, Stratford; William Douglas, Chatham, are among the retiring members of the Law Society eligible for re-election. The outside bar are renomination, is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. B. ing their present representatives.

-On Tuesday evening the Memorial

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-- Hamilton Post: The London Tobacco Company, of London, Ont., writes to the Morning Post denying that their company has been swallow ed up by the American trust, and also asserting that their tobacco is all union made, and has been since De-cember 1st, 1900. The Morning Post has assigned a man to investigate this matter, and the tobacco company will receive full justice.

-At Hartford, Connecticut, the Kilties had a grand reception. both performances little Eugene Lockhart, of this city, who is the regiment al dancer, so pleased a wealthy lady of that city with his singing and dancing that she gave him a beautiful solid gold diamond ring, and the committee gave him a splendid basket of rare roses. The band had Eugene's photo taken with the roses.

MAY OPEN AGAIN.

LEASE.

The liabilities of the Stevens Manufacturing Company have been reduced \$25,000 by the sale of goods, and it is understood that there is a good prospect of the factory opening again. THE PORT STANLEY RAILWAY

In accordance with a request made by the Real Estate Owners' Association, Mayor Rumball has called a public meeting, to be held in the city hall tonight, for the purpose of discussing the question of extending the Port

Stanley Railway lease. GOOD PRICES FOR HORSES.

The bidding was lively at yesterday's horse sale, held at the Bernard House stables, and about twenty good horses were disposed of, prices ranging from \$50 to \$100. Horses are bringing twice the figure they did four years ago, the demand having increased largely since that time. The

The death occurred in Hamilton, on Tuesday, of James P. Johnston, agent erton. of the Canadian Express Company in that city. He had been ill for eleven days with pneumonia. He leaves a widow and two young sons, who have the sympathy of a large circle of friends in their bereavement. Three brothers, Robert and Albert, railway express messengers, and John T., of Stratford, and one sister, Mrs. Hen drie, of Sarnia, also survive him. Mr. J. H. Moore, express agent here; Wm. Strong, Dr. Locheed, William and James Main, of Hamilton, are brothers-in-law.

A DECIDED SUCCESS. In yesterday's report of the anniversary services at the First Congregational Church on Tuesday evening, Bergin, the following names of those who took The Boers occupying Wolman part were omitted: Sopranos, Misses A. Moule, Wrighton, Emery, Richman and Anthistle; alto, Miss E. Moule. Many numbers were encored, among which was a chorus of men's voices, "Stroke by Stroke the Axes Fell," and a solo by Miss Burnip, with obligato by the choir, are deserving of special mention. Preceding the cantata the anniversary tea meeting of the school was held, tea being served at 6:30 to he scholars, and evidently much en-oyed by the young people. Both the cantata and the tea were a decided

success. MRS. TATHAM'S DEATH. Touching references are made by the Woodstock papers to the sudden death of Mrs. C. H. Tatham, the young wife of the district superintendent of the London Life Insurance Company, a well-known Londoner. The Sentinel-Review says: "The bereaved husband but recently lost both his father and mother by death, and has now the sincerest sympathy of the community in this his third and greatest loss." The Express says: "Mr. and Mrs. Tatham (both Londoners) had been living in Woodstock for over two years, and made many friends, by whom the death of the deceased will be deeply regretted. The sympathy of a wide circle of friends will be extended to

HEAVIEST SNOW OF THE SEASON The northern counties were visited on Tuesday by the heaviest snowstorm of the season. The Grand Trunk Rail. way had a great deal of trouble with their trains. The L., H. and B. was for a time closed beyond Wingham. cation opened. Several run-offs resulted from the drifting and packing pushed by two locomotives, ran into a side drift that was eight feet deep and packed so solidly that the plow and one engine were derailed. Another plow, when near Gowanstown, northeast of Listowel, was derailed in much the same manner. An engine was partially derailed at Belgrave by snow and ice, and an auxiliary was sent out from London. Rain yesterday in the affected districts prevented further

THIRTY OLD BOYS

Will Attend the Toronto Association's Banquet-Will Go in Special Car.

The local executive of the Old Boys'

Association met at the city hall last night to complete arrangements for the trip to Toronto next Monday. There was a large attendance, and Ald. Gerry presided. Secretary Bell submitted 30 names of gentlemen who will attend the Toronto association's banquet, and it is expected that this number will be larger yet. The mayor and several aldermen will go. A special car has been placed at their disposal by Supt. Egan, whose kindness in this regard is much appreciated. It will probably be attached to the Atlantic express, which leaves at 10:25 a.m. Ald. Parnell will arrange with the Iroquois Hotel management for the visitors, who will be escorted to the Temple Cafe by the Foresters'

BOTHA'S BROTHER KILLED!

And His Two Sons Wounded in an Action With British Troops.

Gen. Meyers Captured and His Commando Dissolved-Active Skirmishing Reported-Another Canadian Force of 600.

London, March 21 .- A dispatch from Cape Town, dated March 20, says that Commandant Philip Botha was killed in the recent fighting at Lydenburg. KITCHENER'S REPORT.

London, March 21 .- A dispatch from Lord Kitchener, dated at Pretoria, March 20, says:

"Phillip Botha, brother of the Boen commandant-general, was killed on the Doornberg. His two sons were wound-

"The Boers of the Orange River Colony have disbanded and scattered. Dewet is in the neighborhood of Heil-

MINES RESUME London, March 21 .- A Johannesburg dispatch says: One mining company has restarted crushing ore and four others are preparing to begin. Sir Alfred Milner, governor of the Transvaal and Orange River Colonies, ex-

pects to stay here three months. DUAL LANGUAGE. Cape Town correspondent of the Daily Mail says he learns on good authority that the British Government will almost certainly adopt the dual language system in the new colonies a decision which, he adds, will cause

disappointment in Cape Town. HEAVY FIGHTING REPORTED A Durban dispatch says: Owing to the Klip River being flooded Gen. Campbells column has been unable to re turn to Standerton, from which point it went to bring away the garrison at Vrede, which the British evacuated. The column had heavy fighting going to and coming from Vrede. Gen. Campbell has about 200 sick and wounded. There are many bands of roving Boers in the neighborhood of Stand-

A COMMANDO DISSOLVED. Durban, Natal, March 20.-Boer Commandant Meyers has been captured and his commando dissolved. He declared he had heard nothing of Lord Kitchener's proclamation in regard to burghers who came in and

BOERS MADE PRISONERS. Cape Town, March 20 .- A number of British dispatch riders have captured five Boers and 40 horses near Bedford, Cape Colony. Sixty Boers occupy the hills overlooking the town. The Waterberg Rifles have had a slight skir-mish with a Boer force 20 miles south or rkastad. The burghers were apparently dispersed. The Boers admit having lost 50 killed and wounded in their recent attack on Lichtenberg. ish attack on that place. Many Boers regularly slept on the veldt, and several of them who were returning to the town in the morning walked into the arms of Gen. Methuen's advance party, and were made prisoners.

BOER MISSION A FAILURE. The Hague, March 19.-Henry Rochefort editor of the Paris L'Intransigeant, who has introduced his pro-Boer propaganda here, is not meeting with the success he anticipat-The people of Holland receive the pro-Boer mission with extreme reserve, believing that Rochefort's sentiments are wholly inspired by French

political motives. A FACTORY EXPLOSION Durban, March 20 .- An explosion occurred yesterday in the thorite fac-tory at Dundee. A few persons were injured. The building, which was set

on fire, was destroyed. DEPORTING BOERS. Durban, Natal, March 19 .- Over 800 Boer prisoners of war have been de-

ported by the Portuguese authorities IT IS THE WAY YOU USE IT.

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produce a landscape, another man with same pen and ink may not be able to write his own name legibly. It is all in knowing how. It is equally true in the use of medicines. The same remedies we have today have existed for thousands of years, but if their existence was known

the knowledge of how to use them They became valuable to the human race only when experiment and science

showed the way to use them to get re-The grip is an old disease with a new name; it is really catarrhal in char-acter and the usual symptoms are those of acute catarrh, but the oldtime catarrh powders, salves and sprays do not cure it, neither does the application of antiseptics through an inhaler give anything more than relief

for a short time.
The antiseptics are all right; they will kill the germs of catarrh and grip if they are applied rightly, but their local application to the nose and throat avail little because the germs are in the blood and through the whole

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ANOTHER CANADIAN FORCE. Toronto, March 20.-Major Hamilton Merritt, second in command of the Governor-General's Body Guards, who served in Brabant's Horse during the earlier part of the war, and who returned to Canada a few weeks ago, has caused it to be announced that, subject to the consent of the Canadian government, the war office has accepted his offer to raise a mounted regiment of 600 men for service in South Africa. The preliminary arrangements as made between Major Merritt and the war office provided that the Dominion government should make arrangements for recruiting and should attend to the fitting out of the regiment, the war office undertaking to recoup the Canadian exchequer. Another feature was that Major Merritt should nominate the officers of the regiment. Major Merritt is at present in New York on private business, but will return very soon and resume consideration of the matter with the government.

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