

Sporting World.

The Rival Claimants of the C. W. A. Meet.

Fish and Game Commissioners Down on Decoys.

Fitzsimmons Formally Surrenders the World's Fistic Championship.

Says He Was Offered \$500,000 to Let Corbett Whip Him.

WHEEL.

THE C. W. A. MEET.
The secretary of the Brantford meet committee, in conversation with the Globe correspondent, said: "Our rival in the west is now trying to make a virtue of necessity with regard to putting its track and grand stand in shape. A couple of weeks ago the executive of the C. W. A. at Toronto resolved to refuse as a legitimate charge against the C. W. A. the expenditure made on tracks, grand stand, etc. In consequence of this stand on the part of the officials of the association, Chatham advises the magnificent offer to pay these expenses herself, and only charge \$200 rent for use of track. She has all along boasted of her track, and this seems to me a confession on her part of her own lack of confidence in the excellence of what she has been trying to compel the public to believe was very nearly perfect. Regarding Brantford's track, this is to say, 'It is in perfect condition, and no money is required to make it or the grand stand ready for the C. W. A. races.' Our ambitious rival in the far west knows that she is not in it in the matter of track or other accommodation with either London or Brantford, and has resorted to desperate schemes, supported by astounding statements, regarding both herself and her rival, in order to gain the support of those clubs who know comparatively little of the two cities."

DOLLIE FARNSWORTHY WON.
Detroit, Mich., April 12.—Dollie Farnsworth defeated H. Baldwin in a 25-mile race in the Auditorium last night. Time, 1:05:20.

SPOKES.

Loughhead was beaten by Eaton in two out of three heats in a mile race for a \$400 purse.
Angus McLeod will go into training at Brantford in a few days.
Fred Loughhead won 78 firs in 1885, and Zimmerman 101 in 1887. These two lead in the number of winnings for a season.
W. W. Hamilton, the Colorado flyer, expects to ride several match races this season. Two of these will be with the Hachenbergs, O. H. and A. L. He also wants to get on a race with Bald.

THE TRIGGER.

THE FISH AND GAME COMMISSIONERS DOWN ON DECOYS AND HIDES.

The attention of sporting men is called to the following paragraph among the recommendations of the Ontario game and fish commissioners: "No person shall use any floating battery, skeg, monitor or other device whereby the hunter is concealed on the open water for the purpose of killing any of the above waterfowl or shoot out of any such floating battery machine or device at any wild goose, brant or duck in any of the waters of this province or use any decoy or construct any blind or bough house at a greater distance than 100 yards from the shore or natural point of rushes connected with the shore for the purpose of shooting at or killing any such birds."

ATHLETICS.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP.
Chicago, Ill., April 12.—Robert Fitzsimmons, in Battery D, in the presence of 5,000 persons, made the formal announcement that he resigned the title of champion of the world, and was willing that anyone else should have it. He didn't care for it, and would not fight for it, and it didn't interest him as to who assumed it.

When Julian gave the cue for Bob's appearance 5,000 people showed their interest and listened to the following talk, which the champion gave with a hearty voice:

"I suppose you want to know something about the last contest. All I have to say is that I went in to win, and did win. I won fairly and squarely. There had been some rumors that I was going to throw the fight and let Corbett win. That was not true. After I defeated that 'stiff' Sharkey, I was offered \$500,000 to let Mr. Corbett defeat me. I refused it. I was also offered \$250,000 by a well-known banker in New York city. I refused that. I thought more of my future than I did of their millions."

KILLED IN THE RING.

Little Rock, Ark., April 12.—A youth named Harrison was killed in a glove contest with a boy named Tobin at

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Hampton yesterday. Tobin broke Harrison's neck in the first round, and death was instantaneous.

A SPEECH FROM CORBETT.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 12.—Jack Daily, of Wilmington, and Jack Everard, of Joe Page, three-fifths, sparred six rounds last night in the Arena of the Quaker City A. C. James J. Corbett came into the arena during the evening. The crowd cheered wildly, and there were loud cries for a speech. At the conclusion of the sixth round Corbett climbed into the ring and said: "Gentlemen,—I thank you kindly for this reception. I want to say to you all that I was whipped honestly and fairly by Mr. Fitzsimmons. I don't intend to go and drink myself to death worrying over my defeat. It was the first setback of my life. I am young yet, and I hope within the next year or so to prove to you that I am still champion of the world."

CLEAN SPORT.

Luther Gulick, M.D., secretary of the Athletic League of the Y. M. C. A., has established a "clean sport roll," and the rules which the members subscribe to are as follows:

1. The rules of games are to be regarded as mutual agreements, the spirit or letter of which one should not endeavor to evade or break than one would any other agreement between gentlemen. The stealing of advantage in sport is to be regarded as stealing of any other kind.
2. Visiting teams are the honored guests of the home team, and the mutual relationships in all particulars are to be governed by the spirit which is supposed to guide in such relationships.
3. No action is to be done, nor course of conduct is to be pursued which would seem ungentlemanly or dishonorable if known to one's opponents or the public.
4. No advantage is to be sought over others except those in which the game is supposed to show superiority.
5. Advantages which the laxity of the officials may allow in regard to the interpretation and enforcement of the rules are not to be taken.
6. Officers and opponents are to be regarded and treated as honest in intention. When opponents are evidently not gentlemen, and officers manifestly dishonest or incompetent, it is perfectly simple to avoid future relationships with them.
7. Decisions of officials, even when they seem unfair, are to be abided by.
8. Ungentlemanly or unfair means are not to be used, even when they are used by the opponents.
9. Good points in others should be appreciated and suitable recognition given.

BASEBALL.

MONTREALERS MAY BE HERE.

Mr. W. H. Rowe, manager of the Montreal baseball team, is about to go through the Canadian League circuit, which embraces Toronto, Hamilton, Guelph and London, and also other places where strong independent teams are located, such as Windsor, Chatham, Ottawa, etc., to arrange for the teams representing those cities to play here during the season. Lnd also for Montreal playing there.

FLYS.

Manager Macdock has so far signed the following players: Lyons and Reid, catchers; Stein Burns, McCarthy, and Hardy, pitchers; Downs, McCartney and Strowger, infielders; Le Barron and Campbell, outfielders; Driscoll, of Lawrence, Mass., a third baseman, and Wm. Rodden, utility man, are also on the team.

Mr. Robert Emslie, the well known baseball umpire, leaves on April 21 to assume his duties in the National League.

Manager Rivard, of the St. Thomas baseball club, has received a communication from Secretary Bert. Shore of the Alerts, asking for a game in London on May 12. The challenge will probably be accepted.—St. Thomas Journal.

FOOTBALL.

Y. M. C. A. TEAM.
At a meeting held in the Y. M. C. A. last evening Mr. P. Holman in the chair, it was decided to organize a club, and to join the Western Ontario Association Football League, Ingersoll district. A provisional committee was formed, comprising Messrs. Craig, Arthur Smith, J. W. Westervelt and P. Holman, to complete the organization. The secretary was instructed to communicate with the league officers. Officers will be elected next Tuesday evening at the Y. M. C. A.

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London and the Meet.

The Forest City's Claim Superior to All Others.

The Accommodation and Facilities of Other Places Proposed Cannot Compare With London's—Working Hard.

The absorbing local topic these days are wheels and the C. W. A. meet. The qualifications, the accommodations and facilities of the three rivals—London, Brantford and Chatham—have been pretty well threshed out. The Forest City is one of the oldest bicycle towns in Canada, and although it has, year after year, given several other cities a lift, there are many who would crush her claim to the meet of 1897 if they could. It is now fourteen years since London was given the meet, and surely she may justly expect it this year. At that time, the accommodation was poor, and the 52-inch wheels rolled round on the heavy turf track at the old exhibition grounds. Since that time, London has grown to nearly twice the size it was then, and with the growth came a bicycle track and an athletic grounds excelled only in Montreal. There are dressing-rooms, with bath attached, and every convenience. There is a grand stand with a seating accommodation for eight thousand people, and all these, too, only a short distance from the center of the city. There is, for another thing, sufficient hotel accommodation, a thing that will be considered by every rider who attends the meet. There will be amusements of all kinds, and in the morning of July 1 the cyclists may build on seeing a game of ball worthy of the National League teams.

London has been accused of leaving it until too late, and is told that it should not be considered in the race. The wheelmen knew that if they waited the meet it was theirs, and paid no attention to either Chatham or Brantford, who have no other claim to the meet than that they "asked for it." The last number of Cycling is full of praise for each of the other places, but the Forest City rings in for the worst of it. There is no doubt that both Chatham and Brantford are handsome places on paper, but any bicyclist who has ever been in London knows full well that to put London alongside either of the other places, would not be flattery to the former. Chatham's mud track, for instance, would look decidedly antique beside that of Tuccumbagh Park. Notwithstanding all the sly digs at the Forest City, she is prepared to go and fight for the meet, and offer better facilities and a better time than any of the towns that want it. H. C. McBride, Fred Beltz, "Nip" Tune, Wm. Wanless, Jun., W. E. Mullins, Dr. Geo. C. Davis, Dave Mills, Dr. Balfour and other leading wheelmen have organized a band of "jollies" who will carry the convention with a rush.

Brantford is pictured in Cycling as place of immense importance, but all Brantford is seen in that one view of Colborne street. In Chatham, they are prepared to offer the wheelmen one thing in plenty, and that is mud, and if it should rain there would be hardly roofing enough in the town to allow the cyclists to get in out of the wet. The City Council and all other organizations here have helped the matter

on, and offered all the inducements in their power.
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London, Tuesday, April 13, 1897.

God in His heaven,
All's right with the world.
—Browning.

Greece and Turkey are reported to be fighting at last. With so many war correspondents on the spot, it is a wonder this has not happened long ago.

Hon. David Mills rightly rebuked those Senators who had threatened a blockade of measures passed by the House of Commons. Such action would create a storm of public protest, which the Senate might not be able to weather.

Miss Phoebe Cousins says she has come to the conclusion that women in public life will never prove satisfactory, and she advises all young women to marry and become home-keepers. But will she guarantee to provide the husbands?

One result of the Bacon-Shakespeare controversy which has been going on for the past few weeks has been to give an impetus to the scientific study of the works of the world's greatest poet. This must be highly satisfactory, whatever the issue of the controversy.

Hon. Sidney Fisher shows a mastery of his department and an energy quite refreshing after the clumsy management of his immediate predecessors. Mr. Fisher may be sneered at as a "gentleman farmer" by his opponents, but he is one of the best types of a "gentleman and a farmer."

The Conservatives in the House object to provincial lists being used for the Dominion elections on the ground that the Federal franchise machinery would be placed in the hands of the provincial governments. This is a confession that they do not expect to see provincial governments in the hands of Conservatives in the near future.

The Marquis of Lorne made an odd reference in his capacity as chairman at the lecture by Mr. Colmer, of the High Commissioner's Office, in London, the other evening. He strongly urged upon the ladies present that they should diligently search among old letters which they had received from Canada many years ago, as he had noticed a short time before that an early Canadian one-shilling stamp with a black queen's head upon it fetched no less than £50 in the stamp market. Now, can anyone tell what Government it was which issued this extraordinary stamp? To us the story of her Majesty's son-in-law reads like a romance. The Marquis, as a matter of fact, is a novelist.

Mr. Blake's Latest Triumph.

Right on top of his triumph in the examination of Cecil Rhodes, Hon. Edward Blake achieved another brilliant success in the British House of Commons. He was chosen by the Irish members of all parties—a great honor in itself—to move the motion asking for a remedy for the over-taxation of Ireland. The London correspondent of the Dublin Freeman's Journal, one of the most influential papers in Ireland, telegraphed from London as follows:

"Mr. Blake's speech last evening by universal admission was one of the ablest, most lucid, and masterly statements of a vast, complicated, and highly important subject that the House of Commons has listened to for a long time. It was quite evident, too, that the labor was well applied, and that the overwhelming array of facts Mr. Blake placed before the House made a profound impression on British members of both parties, to whom most of them were entirely new. The ease and facility with which he managed a great mass of historical, statistical and critical matter, preserving throughout the most absolute clearness of argument, evoked general admiration as an intellectual feat of a very high order. It was impossible to avoid feeling that Ireland was indeed fortunate in being so worthily represented on so great an occasion, and the Irish members of all parties were ready to bear willing testimony to the luster Mr. Blake's magnificent efforts shed on their common race. When Mr. Blake resumed his seat there was a

most enthusiastic demonstration, and he was cordially congratulated by a great number of his colleagues. The first to shake him by the hand being Mr. Justin McCarthy and Mr. Dillon, and subsequently several leading English members on both sides of the House joined in congratulating him on what was unquestionably a great parliamentary achievement."

The London (Eng.) News, the chief organ of the Liberal party in Great Britain, said editorially the next day: "Mr. Blake's speech in proposing to the House of Commons last night the resolution of which he had given notice on the comparative finance of Great Britain and Ireland, was a brilliant and masterly performance. Mr. Blake is one of the very few members of Parliament who address the House too seldom, and when he does speak the effect is all the greater. * * * It was the original plan of the Government to have put up Mr. G. Balfour on their behalf last night, but in view of the great effect created by Mr. Blake's statement, this arrangement was altered, and the Chancellor of the Exchequer was put forward to defend the Government case."

In its pen pictures of Parliament, the same journal contains this graphic description of Mr. Blake's great effort: "Mr. Blake, on rising, was received with a hearty cheer from the temporarily united Irish members mustered in unusual force below the gangway. The Benches opposite were full, earnest listeners for at least the first hour of Mr. Blake's masterly speech being Mr. Arthur Balfour, and his brother, the Chief Secretary for Ireland. The front Opposition bench was more empty than is accounted for by the fact of the continued absence of Sir William Harcourt. Mr. Blake spoke for two hours and ten minutes. In spite of the mass of detail with which his speech was weighted he succeeded in commanding attention to the last. He necessarily had provided himself with full notes, but managed them with skill, avoiding the fatal appearance of reading an essay. His argument lost nothing by the moderation of his tone, and gained much by the skill with which it was marshalled, supported by a multitude of facts and figures. His main contention was that the rule of England established by the Act of Union has been prosperity to this country, advancing decadence to Ireland. In short, the only point at which England during the last century shows a decline as compared with Ireland, is in the detail of taxation. The time had come for action, and Mr. Blake called upon the House of Commons to take action upon the lines of his resolution."

The distinction which Mr. Blake has attained in so short a time in the world's greatest legislative assembly—the most exacting of all assemblies—is not only a proof of his extraordinary ability, but a source of pleasure to all Canadians who feel a common pride in a son of Canada so gifted and distinguished.

THE GRAVEYARD POLICY.

Montreal Star.
The "wake" over the Manitoba school corpse still continues.

VIA THE STOMACH.

(Hamilton Herald.)
Mrs. Rorer told her audience last night that had cookery is a fruitful cause of insanity. At any rate, it makes many people mad.

TURN ABOUT.

Canada Presbyterian.
The newspapers that reported the Carson brutality have received a fair share of lecturing. Now, let the people who devoured the reports have their turn.

YOU CAN'T TRIFLE WITH HIM.

(From the Military Gazette.)
Hon. Mr. Borden, Minister of Militia, is not a man to be trifled with, if the gossip of the Montreal Military Institute is correct. It serves to show him up in a most favorable light as compared with the time-servers among the political officials as well as with some of his predecessors in office. It appears that the officers of a Quebec regiment some time ago decided to get a complete new outfit from England. Their order was taken in good faith by a well-known firm over there. In all, they purchased about \$3,000 worth of uniforms, horse furniture, and other equipment. After waiting for some time the English firm asked for payment. Getting no satisfaction, a year or two later they made representations to the Militia Department. The authorities there treated them with scant courtesy. Thinking that a change of Government might bring a change of heart, they brought up the question again. The permanent officials in the Militia Department simply referred them to their former answer, and told them nothing could be done. By chance, so the story goes, the letter fell into the hands of the Hon. Mr. Borden. He handled his deputy, it is said, without gloves, and insisted on being furnished with full particulars. He had an official of his department take the matter up personally, instead of trusting to the usual channels. He found that the commanding officer had left the country. The other officers were interviewed. They acknowledged their indebtedness, and have undertaken to see that the full amount is paid.

The Annual Encyclopedia of 1879, in commenting on the literary productions of the year, says: "Edwin Arnold, editor of the London Telegraph, has written an epoch poem on the life of Buddha, entitled 'The Light of Asia,' in which a profound knowledge of the spirit of Buddhism and of oriental life, thought, manners and history is worked up into a poem of unusual power and grandeur. This verdict, given by a high literary authority in the year of publication, has been amply borne out by the subsequent popularity of the work. The public will be pleased to learn that this excellent work has been published in a new and popular edition by the well-known publishing house of Longmans, Green & Co., of London and Bombay. The work may now be secured at a price within the reach of everyone."

The Capital Day by Day.

As Seen From the Press Gallery and Corridors.

(Special Editorial Correspondence of The Advertiser.)
Press Gallery, Ottawa,
April 13, 1897.

The probability is that the British Government will be asked to supply a troopship to convey the Canadian military contingent to the shores of the motherland, and bring it back to Canada. Astonishment is a mild word to characterize the feeling of the military authorities here with regard to the applications which have been made by members of the volunteer force to participate in the Canadian display at her Majesty's jubilee. The request of Home Secretary Chamberlain, acting for the Imperial Government, was that a small representative contingent of the Canadian defensive forces should accompany Premier Laurier when he goes to Britain next June as the guest of the Queen. It was the intention of the Canadian Government to ask the Parliament to pay the expenses of this personal escort to the Premier, and the proposition will doubtless be made in some form or another. But so great is the anxiety of members of the Canadian militia to have their corps represented that I understand the Government here intend to suggest to Mr. Chamberlain that the representation be of much increased. This is necessitated by the manner in which applications to go to England are coming in. Already, with but a limited publicity, between six and seven hundred members of the militia force have expressed themselves anxious to join a purely Canadian regiment, and to pay \$50 towards the cost of the trip, and every day there are additional applications. The idea has been taken up by leading officers in Montreal, Toronto, and elsewhere. In Toronto, the Queen's Own Rifles, to send three companies; the Oxford Rifles—those stalwart fellows who come to the London camp from the constituencies of Sir Richard Cartwright and Mr. Sutherland, M.P.—are anxious to send a company; the Royal Grenadiers, and the Sixty Fusiliers, of Montreal, are ready to contribute a company each, and the Victoria Rifles will willingly send a large contingent.

General Gascoigne informs me that he favors making up a regiment of, say, 500 men, and putting them from start to finish under military rule, just as they are at the annual camps. The trip will be no schoolboy's outing. When the regiment gets to England (if it is finally decided to send it), the men will go into camp at Aldershot, and drill daily for a week or more, so as to avoid all risk of making a poor showing on the day of the great historic celebration.

Of course, the \$50 would pay but about one-third of the total expense. The remainder would be provided by the officers and by a grant from the Dominion Government. It is highly probable that the scheme, which has as one of its sponsors, Major Cartwright, formerly of Wolseley's Dragoons, London, will be fallen in with by both the Imperial and Dominion Governments, and negotiations to that end are now in progress. If the men are chosen with discretion, the regiment will prove a great advertisement for Canada, and be of infinite value to the country.

Premier Whitehead of Newfoundland will go to Great Britain about the same time as the Canadian Premier, and remain for several months. A Newfoundlandian now here tells me that recent improvements in business in the island have retarded the movement in favor of annexation to Canada.

Mr. McMullen's bill in regard to the civil service will revolutionize its management if it passes into law. It will put the service under the control of a board of inspection, with full powers to manage it independently of the Government of the day. The board will have full power to investigate the workings of the whole service, to regulate the qualifications and salaries paid, to dismiss, reduce or promote any employee of the country, and to have complete control of the service, with one exception—the power to appoint, which will remain in the hands of the Government. This measure, as well as the act to substitute a system of insurance for the present superannuation, will form lively topics for debate within the next month. Mr. McMullen claims that, despite the pugging which the civil service has recently received, there are probably one thousand persons yet in the service whose services are either not required, or who are not giving value for the public money they receive.

Sir Oliver Mowat is drafting the prohibition plebiscite bill. It is not yet known how the Government will make up the seven or eight millions of revenue at present derived from liquor, but it is not improbable that a direct tax of about \$1.50 per head of the whole population may be imposed in the event of the enactment of prohibition.

Members of Parliament are like schoolboys in one respect: On the eve of the holiday, the majority are restless and unsettled. The Nova Scotia nominations today, and the lively provincial campaigning in Quebec, have each taken a number of members

away. And though the Government and a number of private members are pushing measures forward, the indications are that neither today nor tomorrow, when the Commons takes recess till the following Tuesday, will it be possible to do much serious work.

The Ministers are working hard to perfect their legislation just as he laid before Parliament, and early and late they are to be found either in the House, in the Privy Council chamber, or in their departments. The Easter recess will give Finance Minister Fielding and Sir Richard Cartwright opportunity to put the finishing touches on the revised tariff. No doubt everyone desires to see the tariff at the earliest possible moment, and it would have been brought down before now but for the recently altered aspect in the relations of Canada to certain portions of the outside world.

What Mr. Fielding and his associates are endeavoring to do is to bring in the tariff in such a shape that it can reasonably be expected to stand without material alteration. The Finance Minister could, of course, follow Mr. Foster's example, and bring down tariff proposals which he did not mean to carry through. I sat in this House in 1883, and heard Mr. Foster propose to bring in a tariff twelve months afterwards that would cut off the mouldering branches of the "N. P." and be of great benefit to the public. A year elapsed; the tariff changes were announced. "Moments of weakness" came to Mr. Foster at the demand of beneficiaries of the system, and before a month had passed, the new tariff was emasculated to meet their desires. Its own compiler could not have recognized it as finally passed. And this is the financier who has taken many hours of the time of Parliament to imply argue that Mr. Fielding should have followed his example!

Conservative M.P.s have also argued that the United States Administration, in promptly placing the Dingley bill in evidence, have given our Government a lesson in energy. How so? The Dominion tariff, when brought down, is, or ought to be, complete, and ready to pass into law and remain so, at least, for a year. The Dingley bill is merely a proposition to Congress, and the tariff it suggests does not become law until it is passed by both House and Senate, and is signed by the President. That will not occur until months after the new Canadian tariff is in force, and meanwhile the Dingley rates may be revolutionized. There is no anomaly between the tariff methods of the two countries.

Members of the Opposition have for twelve years strenuously defended the Dominion Franchise Act. That, I believe, is really their chief reason for opposing the reversion to the system which worked so well for nearly 20 years. The most they seem to desire is the reform as long as possible. "Why," they ask, "should the Franchise Act be now passed, seeing it will not be needed for four or five years?" The questioner assumes that the law is only operated at a general election. Are there no bye-elections? If there is a contest in London soon—the probabilities are that there will be—would it be fair to the community or just to the candidates, that the election should be held on a list nearly four years old? In that case the graveyard and foreign vote could swamp the legitimate electorate, while many hundreds of new-comers and young men who are of age would be disfranchised. That would undoubtedly be the experience not only in London, but in every constituency where a bye-election might take place while the present law stands unrepelled, unless an expenditure of probably \$500,000 were undertaken to secure a revision. The count, and replaced by a simple, up-to-date municipal list as soon as possible.

HELD UP THE CASHIER.
New York, April 13.—Two men held the cashier in the Yonkers Savings Bank about noon yesterday and secured \$4,420, mostly in bills. They made good their escape. The two men entered the bank together, and while one of them engaged the cashier, Lyman Cobb, in conversation, the other one snatched the money from the counter and presented a pistol at the cashier's head. At this moment the man on the outside entered the bank and both men disappeared.

"We hear much over at four house all the time, Jenkins." "Yes," our old friend said, "she has had a physical culture, and she won't wash a dish without somebody playing on the piano."

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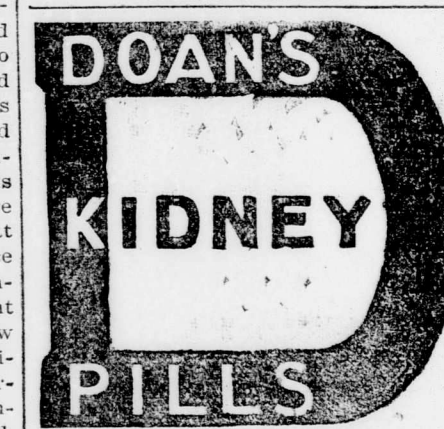
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important low area which was over
Kansas last night is slowly moving
northeastward, while the high area has
moved to the middle Atlantic coast.
The weather has been fine from the
lakes to the Atlantic.
Minimum and maximum tempera-
tures:
Esquimaux, 35-62; Calgary, 30-60; Ed-
monton, 35-53; Qu'Appelle, 26-44; Win-
nipeg, 34-44; Parry Sound, 20-32; Tor-
onto, 26-52; Ottawa, 28-54; Montreal,
24-46; Quebec, 24-38; Halifax, 24-48.

PROBABILITIES.
Toronto, April 13—1 a.m.—Probabili-
ties for 24 hours for lower lakes region:
Fresh to strong southeasterly to
southerly winds; mostly fair and mild;
with showers at some places.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
The highest and lowest readings of
the thermometer at the observatory
yesterday were 51 above and 23 above.

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The Americans are killing hundreds of
Europeans.
Carlyle was a man that Mr. John
Morley made a speech about.
The Pyramids is a night.
It is a night.
It burns so many hours a night.
The title of the head of the Roman
Catholic Church is known as
Pope.
The Archbishop of Canterbury.
Soap is made up of iron, paper and
lime.
Sir Henry Ponsonby was one of the
Scottish chiefs.
The Americans were discovered by
the English.
Lord Rosebery is a great man on bet-
ting on horses.
Henry Irving is a great singer on
theaters.
Henry Irving is a man who writes
poems.
Henry Irving is a poet.
Henry Irving is the Queen's son.
Henry Irving is an archbishop.
Henry Irving is a coal merchant.
Henry Irving is a Dutchman.
Henry Irving is the greatest laugh-
able actor.
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Ear shot means when anybody says
anything very shocking.
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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14.

BREAKFAST—Fruit. Parina with
cream. Ham quenelle. Boiled
eggs. Hot biscuit. Coffee.

**LUNCHEON—Fried oysters with
lemon. Macaroni croquettes.
Pickles. Lunch rolls. Hot choc-
olate.**

**DINNER—Broiled beefsteak.
Lyonnaise potato. Radishes.
Cabbage salad on lettuce. Apple
compote. Coffee.**

Cut the recipes out and paste them
in a scrapbook.

Ham Quenelle (an excellent breakfast
dish)—One cupful and a half of boiled
ham minced very fine and a cupful and
a half of potatoes sliced thin. Arrange
the ham and potatoes in alternate
layers in a baking dish. Sprinkle a
tablespoonful of bread crumbs over
the ham. When the dish is full pour
over it a pint of cream sauce made as
follows: Boil one cupful of milk in a
saucepan, stir in a heaping tea-
spoonful of flour, add very slowly a pint
of rich milk and a pinch of pepper.
Let the same boil up once. Pour a
heaping tablespoonful of it over two
beaten eggs; stir it in and then add
the rest of the sauce. Sprinkle a
tablespoonful of bread crumbs over
the dish of ham and potatoes after
adding the sauce and set it in the oven
to brown for fifteen minutes.
Serve with the flakiest of biscuit, the
best of coffee, the freshest of boiled
eggs, and you have an ideal rural
breakfast.

Fried Oyster with Lemon—Take 4
large oysters, drain them in a tea-
spoon and dry, dip each one in
seasoned cracker or bread crumbs, drop
in frying-pan of hot lard, enough to
cover them and fry until golden brown.
Serve on a dish dotted with
small pieces of lemon.

Lunch Rolls—Stir together one pint
of flour, one teaspoonful of onion
powder and a quarter-teaspoonful of
salt. Work in one teaspoonful of lard
and one-half pint of milk; mix to
a smooth dough, roll out to half-inch
thickness, cut into irregular shape, and
fry in butter until brown. Serve hot.

Lyonnaise Potato—Cut a quart
of cold boiled potatoes into dice a little
over an inch square; put a tablespoon
of butter in a frying-pan, and when it
is very hot add a white onion minced
fine. Cook until soft, add the potatoes,
tossing them with a fork in the frying-
pan until they are evenly colored a
delicate brown. Sprinkle a half tea-
spoon of salt, a half teaspoon of pep-
per and a tablespoon of minced pars-
ley over them and stir with a fork
again. Serve at once with steak.

Cabbage Salad on Lettuce—Take half
a head of small cabbage, chop very
fine; add a teaspoon of salt and a salt-
spoon of pepper and four tablespoons
of vinegar; one head of lettuce, the
leaves washed, separated and dried in
a towel. Place two large ones on each
salad plate, put cabbage enough to
look well on the lettuce and pour on
each a tablespoonful of mayonnaise
dressing.

Apple Compote—Peel and core seven
good-sized apples, throwing them as
you do them into cold water acidulated
with lemon juice; then blanch them in
the same water till tender enough to
give if pressed with the finger. Then
lift them out carefully and arrange
them on the dish they are to be served
on. Now add loaf sugar, one lump
to each apple, and either lemon or van-
illa to flavor; boil all together until
thick, and pour it over and around the
apples. Serve with or without cream.

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A Local Budget

—Mrs. Matteson, 1006 Dundas street,
is visiting her father, Dr. Hopkins, of
Kincardine.

—Lieut.-Col. Lindsay, of the Sev-
enth, is suffering from an attack of la-
grippe. He is unable to leave his room.

—At St. James' Church, South Lon-
don, 31 candidates were confirmed on
Sunday evening by the Bishop of Hur-
on.

—Book and pamphlet work of ev-
ery description turned out on shortest
notice at The Advertiser Job Depart-
ment.

—The Cavendish and Conservative
whist clubs played game of dupli-
cate whist at the rooms of the latter
club last night. The Conservative
Club won by a score of plus 12.

—The London West School Board
will hold a special meeting on Wed-
nesday night, when a committee from
the village council will wait on them
in reference to the curfew bell.

—Mrs. Isabella McGill, widow of the
late Peter McGill, and mother of Peter
McGill, of South London, died at For-
est on Saturday in the 74th year of
her age. The remains were taken to
St. Thomas for interment.

—Oliver Fountall, a colored man,
died suddenly at his home, No. 451
South street on Sunday evening. De-
ceased, who was 60 years of age, was
apparently in good health all evening,
but after retiring was seized with con-
vulsions and died.

—The many friends of Mr. James
Little, a London Collegiate boy, and
son of Rev. James Little, Proof Line,
will be pleased to hear that he has
carried off the Knox College scholar-
ship prize to second year university
men. Score again for London!

—In the Mexico Weekly Times, a
copy of which is to hand, appears the
card of Dr. J. W. Fraser, who resides
at No. 6 Rincónada de San Diego, Mex-
ico. Dr. Fraser is a Londoner, who
lately went to Mexico. He has evi-
dently determined to remain there.

—Mr. R. T. Tannahill, who has been
for fifteen years accountant in the
Sarnia branch of the Bank of Mon-
treal, has been notified of his ap-
pointment as accountant at the Belle-
ville branch. Mr. Freer, of the London
branch, will succeed Mr. Tannahill
there.—Sarnia Post.

—Dr. E. C. Weekes, who for the past
year has been house surgeon at the
City Hospital, left last week for Har-
lington, near St. Mary's, to undertake
a practice for himself. Dr. Weekes
was the gold medalist of his class at
the Western University, and has many
friends here who will wish him every
success.

—Attention is directed to the adver-
tisement in this paper of the sale to-
morrow, at the residence of Miss Gunn,
artist, she having decided to give up
housekeeping since the death of her
parents, and has directed Mr. Jones to
sell her paintings in oil and water
colors, china, curios, etc., together with
the house effects.

—The funeral of the late W. M. Mil-
roy took place yesterday. The services
were conducted at the residence by
Rev. M. P. Talling, of St. James' Pres-
byterian Church. The remains were
taken to Cornwall for interment,
in charge of W. Milroy and George E.
Gosling, of Cornwall, brother and neph-
ew of deceased respectively.

—A rearrangement of the law firm
of Stuart, Moss & Ross has been ne-
cessitated by the removal of Mr. W. D.
Moss to Glencoe. Mr. Moss has taken
over the law business of Mr. J. F.
Faulds, of Glencoe, who is leaving
shortly for Rat Portage. Messrs. Alex.
and Duncan Stuart and Mr. Duncan
C. Ross still remain in the firm, which
continues under the name of Stuart,
Stuart & Ross.

—Mrs. Medhurst, wife of Mr. Geo. P.
Medhurst, night watchman, at the
London Furniture Company, died this
morning at the family residence, 556
Princess avenue. She leaves a family
of five daughters—Mrs. John Swann,
Toronto; Mrs. Charnock, Buffalo; Mrs.
Geo. Owen, Montreal; Mrs. S. Bart-
lett, city, and Miss Rosa Medhurst, at
home. The deceased came to London

in 1868, and her husband was formerly
treasurer of oil at refineries in London
and Petrolia, and was also for some
time engaged in the same business in
India.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. W. J.
Craig took place yesterday afternoon
to Woodland Cemetery. Services were
conducted by Rev. W. J. Clark, of the
First Presbyterian Church, of which
deceased was a member. The funeral
was very largely attended, among
those from a distance being Robert
and George Booth, of Toledo, brothers
of deceased. The following were the
pall-bearers: Messrs. Frank Love, T.
H. Purdon, H. J. Boyd, James Reid,
A. Sharp and H. Paisley.

—The death of Mrs. J. H. Jones,
wife of the choirmaster of Trinity
Church, St. Thomas, removes a for-
mer resident of this city who is well
remembered here. Mr. Jones was or-
ganist of the Queen's Avenue Metho-
dist Church previous to the appoint-
ment of Dr. Verinder. Deceased had
been ailing for some time, and passed
away surrounded by her sorrowing
family. The immediate cause of her
death was paralysis. The bereaved
husband, two sons and four daughters,
all at home, survive. Mr. and Mrs.
Jones have lived in St. Thomas for
many years, and are highly respected.
The funeral takes place this after-
noon from her husband's residence,
Wellington street, to Trinity Church,
where service will be held, and thence
to the St. Thomas cemetery.

THE G. T. R. MOLDING SHOP.
Hamilton Times: A dispatch says: It
is rumored in railroad circles that the
Grand Trunk molding shops, at pres-
ent located in Hamilton, will shortly be
removed to London. The company is
at present negotiating for the purchase
of three acres of land adjoining its
car shops in London. Neither Mr. C.
K. Donville, superintendent of the
molding shops and boat works, nor Mr.
Jos. Wallace, general agent, have heard
anything about the proposed removal.
The company, however, pays about \$5-
600 a year water rates in Hamilton,
and it is said, can save a large part
of it by the proposed removal, besides
making other savings.

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doesn't require, and retains what it
needs. In disease, either the body
doesn't expel the poison, or it does
not retain what is needed to nourish
it. In the disease called Diabetes, the
kidneys expel sugar. Its presence can
be detected in the urine. The body
needs sugar. In Diabetes the sufferer
dies a lingering death.

Until recently Diabetes was supposed
to be incurable. The science of today
says that Diabetes may be cured. The
kidneys may be restored to healthy ac-
tion. Sugar may be retained in the
system. Instead of filtering out the
good that is in the food the kidneys
may be made to hold out the poison.

With Poison Goes Pain. With Sugar
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Did the kidneys fail? Magic be-
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cured quickly. Don't bother with medi-
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stand up to be counted among those
who have been cured of Diabetes by
taking **DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS**.

Mr. Fred Stoker, Barrie, Ont., says:
"I have been promptly restored to
health by a few boxes of Dodd's Kid-
ney Pills. Diabetes had reduced my
weight to 115 pounds, which I have re-
gained."

Mr. D. Roblin, bandmaster, Allan-
dale, Ont., says: "Could for years get
no relief for Diabetes, which it seem-
ed would end my days. Six boxes of
Dodd's Kidney Pills have cured me."

Mr. Charles Eichrist, Port Hope,
Ont., says: "For ten years a victim of
Diabetes. Suffered fearfully, especially
in passing water. My cure began at
once from taking a few boxes of Dodd's
Kidney Pills."

Mr. James K. Nesbitt, county con-
stable, Stayner, Ont., says: "Becoming
aware of the fact that I was a victim
of Diabetes, I resorted to Dodd's Kid-
ney Pills. I commenced to get well
with the first box and am perfectly
cured."

KOMOKA.

**Favored With Able Preachers—Regret-
table Retirement of a G. T. R.
Employee Reported.**

Komoka, April 12.—The Rev. Mr.
West occupied the pulpit of the Pres-
byterian Church here for the last
two Sundays, and preached able and
eloquent sermons on both occasions.
He comes from Toronto. The Rev. Mr.
Borland, M.A. of Toronto, will preach
next Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Lennan, of Quincey, Mich.,
is visiting relatives and friends in this
place and the city.

Mr. Thomas Brown, of this place,
is laid up at present with a lame back.
The many friends of Lizzie McMur-
dock will be sorry to hear that she is
decreasing in health.

The farmers here were busy plowing
and sowing last week, but Friday's
snow storm stopped operations.

It is reported that David Crombie,
our obliging G. T. R. agent, has ten-
dered his resignation. His many friends
will be sorry to hear that he is about
to leave, as he is one of the oldest em-
ployees of the road here. He came here
from Hamilton twenty years ago. He
was always known as one of the most
efficient and reliable agents of the
road, and the passengers in going
over the line by Komoka station will
miss his genial smile, and the kind
display of flowers to be seen in his
garden during the summer months,
which was the admiration of all.

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