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LONDON, CANADA, SATURDAY, MAY 20, 1899.

WHOLE NO. 11,150.

What Is Going On In The Leading Churches Of The City.

ADELAIDE STREET BAPTIST Church—Pastor, Rev. Thomas S. Johnson. Services, morning, 11; evening, 7. Sabbath school, 2:45 p.m. Everybody welcome.

ASKIN ST. METHODIST CHURCH-Rev. Richard Hobbs will preach in morning; subject, Revelations Rev. John Morrison will preach at night. Music under direction of Prof. Phelp.

CENTENNIALMETHODISTCHURCH Rev. W. J. Ford, pastor. Morning, the pastor. Subject: "These Sayings of Mine." Evening, Rev. George Gilmore.

CHALMERS PRESBYTERIAN Church-Rev. Walter Moffat, pastor. 11 a.m., "Church Dissensions." 7 p.m., "Confessing Christ." Bible Class and Sabbath School, \$ p.m.

THRISTIAN CHURCH, CORNER OF Dundas and Elizabeth streets-Rev. C. Sinclair, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

COLBORNE STREET METHODIST-Rev. George Jackson, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST Church-Morning, Prof. Hammil, Sabbath School normal instructor. Evening, Rev. J. W. Bowman, M.A., B.D., pastor of Hanover Chapel, London, England. Morning—Solo and chorus, "Oh, Worship the Lord" (Watson); chorus, "The Magdalene" (Warren). Evening—Chorus, "Magnificat" (Tours); anthem, "The Radiant Morn" (Woodward): quartet Evening, Rev. J. W. Bowman, M.A., diant Morn" (Woodward); quartet,
"There is a Land" (Havens).

DUNDAS CENTER SCHOOL FOR Bible Study-Fifty classes, every class a Bible class. A cordial welcome to visitors and strangers. Musical service, 2:30; opening service, 2:45.

EMPRESS AVENUE METHODIST Church-10 a.m., classes. Rev. J. Mahan, of Dorchester, will preach morning and evening.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST (Scientists)—Duffield Block—Sunday services: Morning. 11 o'clock; evening, 7 o'clock. "Ancient and Modern Necromancy; or Mesmerism and Hypnotism." Testimonial meeting, Wednesday evening, 8 o'clock. Sun-day school immediately after morning service. All welcome. D. S. Robb, C.S., first reader; Mrs. Edna Robb, C.S., second reader. Residence 293 Princess avenue.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL - REV. J. W. Pedley, pastor. Morning, Rev. Alfred Day, general secretary Sabath School Association. 4:30 p.m., sermon to Sons of England. Even-"Substitutes for Christianity-Christian Science."

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH-Rev. J. V. Smith, D.D., pastor. Morning-Rev. Joseph W. Bowman, M.A., B.D., pastor of Hanover Chapel, London, England, will preach. Don't fail to hear this

eminent divine. Evening-Dr. Smith, the pastor, will preach. "Does the Church Deserve to be Stoned?'

KENSINGTON AND RICHMOND Street Branches—Reopening services. Kensington, 11 a.m., Rev. J. V. Smith, D.D.; 7 p.m., Rev. D. E. Martin. Richmond Street, 11 a.m., Rev. D. E. Martin; 7 p.m., Rev. R. Hobbs. Concert Monday evening at Kensington; Tuesday evening at Richmond Street. Collection at the door of 10 cents and upward.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH--Rev. W. J. Clark, pastor. Public worship at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by the pastor; 3 p.m., Society for Bible Study and Sabbath School.

HAMILTON ROAD METHODIST Church—Rev. J. G. Fallis, pastor. Rev. R. W. Knowles will preach at 11 a.m.; subject, "Paul's Testimony."
The pastor will preach at 7 p.m.; subject, "Choice."

KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN-Rev. Thomas Wilson. Morning, "The Christian Race." Evening, "Sins of the Saints of Genesis." Seats

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, South London-Rev. J. G. Stuart, B.A., pastor. Morning subject: "Jacob's Vision at Bethel." Rev. John Wilkie, returned missionary from Central India, will preach in the evening.

MEMORIAL CHURCH, WILLIAM street-11 a.m., Rev. Mr. Webb, of Calgary; 7 p.m., Rev. Canon Dann. All seats free.

REV. W. R. COLBY, AT K. OF P. Hall, Sunday, 7 p.m. Subject, "Progress." Spirit messages given. b SOUTHERN CONGREGATIONAL

Church—Rev. W. H. Claris, pastor. Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN

CHURCH. Rev. Robert Johnston, D.D., pastor. The pastor will preach at the morn-

ing service. 11 a.m.-"The Everlasting Gospel." 7 p.m.-Rev. Dr. Hammil will preach 2 p.m.-Sabbath School and Pastor's

Monday-Y. P. S. C. E. Wednesday-Prayer meeting. ST. JAMES' CHURCH, SOUTH LON-

Bible Class.

DON-Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN Church-Services at 11 a.m. and 7

p.m., conducted by the pastor, Rev. A. J. McGillivray, M.A. Visitors welcome. ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL-MORN-ING, "Venite" (Bucknell), "Te Deum" (Woodward), "Benedictus" (Wood-

(Woodward), Preacher, Rev. Canon Dann, B. A. Evening, "Magnificat" (Martin), "Nunc Dimittis" (Martin); anthem, "Rest in the Lord." Preacher, Rev. W. F. Webbe, Diocese of Cal-Holy Communion after 11 gary. Holy Communion after 11 o'clock service. Collection for poor

TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH -Rev. Donald Grant, B.A., of Montreal, will occupy the pulpit morning and evening. Services at 11 a.m. and

WELLINGTON STREET METHODIST Church—Rev. Joseph Edge, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Amusements and Lectures

Night of May 23, Tuesday, Annual Engagement OTIS SKINNER, and his excellent company,

Presenting the Criterion Theater (London, Hng.,)

"ROSEMARY."

Note-This dainty comedy deals with the coronation of Queen Victoria, and is the joint work of England's most celebrated playwriters, Louis N. Parker and Murray Carson. Prices—Lower floor, \$1; first two rows bal-cony, 75c; balance, 50c; gallery, 25c. Seats on sale Saturday.

Queen's Birthday, 1 Wednesday, May

Two Grand Performances.

Matinee - - 25c and 50c First Two Rows Circle-75c. Night = \$1, 75c, 50c, 25c

THE ONE AND ONLY COMPANY, Direct from Broadway Theater, New York presenting the comic opera hit

Seats on Sale Monday, May 22.

Sumptuous Scenic Production. Great Cast and 50

Baseball Championship

LONDON AND STRATFORD. Queen's Birthday, two games, Chatham Morning, 10:30; afternoon, 3:30.

RISH DENEVOLENT SOCIETY BANQUET, Tecumseh House, 23rd inst.,
Nicholas Flood Davin, Q.C., M. P. for Assiniboia West; Mr. J. F. Quinn, Q.C., M. P., St.
Anne's, Montreal, and other prominent speakers. A limited number of tickets can be
obtained from members of committee. T. W.
Scandrett, president; B. C. McCann, secretary.

DR. CARLYLE'S RECITALS-

The subscription lists for these unique and exclusive evenings are open at Carrie's, 417 Richmond street, and with Miss Greig. 206 Dundas street. The number is strictly limited to two hundred. First evening, Thursday, May 25, "Dickens."

CANTATA—"BELCHAZZAR'S FEAST"— has been postponed until Tuesday, May 30.

DETROIT RIVER ROUTE — GREY HOUND. City of Toledo and Darius Cole on the route May 20. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser. \$1.75 TO DETROIT - MAPLE LEAF Club excursion via Grand Trunk

Railway, Queen's Birthday. Two days. 46i ywtzy GO'NG TO WINDSOR!—CALL AND SEE I red. L. Howeli, the jeweler, 17 Ouelette

31 TO SARNIA—CHOSEN FRIENDS EX-CURSION via Grand Trunk, Queen's Birthday. Good for two days. 46i vwtzy A LLAN, BEAVER, AMERICAN, CUNARD, Anchor, Allan State and Red Star; tickets to or from the Old Country very lowest rates. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Adver-

SULPHUR SPRINGS BATHS - NOW open for the season from 6:30 to 9 o'clock. under the new management of Cole & Ed-

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The stoamers Persia and Ocean sail every Tuesday and Saturday; very low rate; single &6, return \$10, from Toronto. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser. YES! YOU CAN LEARN BICYCLE RID-

I ING or fencing at the Palace Dancing Academy; competent instructors; primary les-sons on violin and cornet; orchestra for pio-nics, etc. Dayton & McCormick, 422 Richmond

Religious Services

ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY—THE MEMBERS are all requested to attend S. O. E. church services tomorrow 3:30 p.m. E. T. Essery, President.

ONS OF ENGLAND SOCIETY - THE annual church services will be held in Congregational Church, Sunday, 2ist, Rev. J. W. Pedley, preacher. Every Englishman requested to be present. Meet at Chelsea Longe rooms 3:30 sharp; services 4:30. The Daughters of England and members of St. George's Society cordially invited to attend. Collection in aid of Protestant Orphans' Home. J. Cook, chairman R. Codwalladov services v. Cook, chairman R. Codwalladov services v. man; R. Cadwallader, secretary.

Meetings.

A NNUAL MEETING OF EAST MIDDLE-SEX Farmers' Institute in Court House, London, on Saturday, June 3, at 1:30 p.m. All welcome A. M. Munro, Sec. 50c ttx A o. F.—THE MEMBERS OF COURT NO 5660 are requested to meet at their hall on Monday, May 22, 1899, to receive report of Committee on Amendments to S. H. C. laws, H. G. Hardingham, C. R.; Jas. W. Woonton, O. F.-THE MEMBERS OF COURT NO

MASS MEETING SUNDAY-SCHOOL workers and friends, Auditorium, Monday night at 8 o'clock. Addresses by Professor H. M. Hamill and Alfred Day, international field workers into reviewed from great International field workers, just returned from great Inter-national Convention at Atlanta, and John A. Patterson, M.A. Conference of primary teachers and mothers of young children at 4 p.m.

HEADQUARTERTERS SIXTH FIELD Battery, London—The non-commissioned officers, gunners, drivers, of the Sixth Field Battery will assemble at the drill shed, on Monday night, May 22, 7:30 p.m., to complete arrangements for firing royal salute on May 24. By order C. O. Fairbank, major, commanding Sixth K R A. Sixth F. B. A.

Headquarters 7th Fusiliers, London, 18th May, 1899.

Regimental Order,
By Lt.-Col. A. M. Smith,
Commanding.

No. 1.—The regiment will parade for Divine Service at the
Drill Shed, on Sunday, 21st inst., at 10:15 a.m.
By order,
W. A. McCrimmon, Lieut.,
Adjutant

FOOTWEAR.

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MEN-OUR ILLUSTRATED CATA-ber trade in eight weeks, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ills." WANTED-FOUR OR FIVE GOOD ACTIVE boys, aged about 16 years, to work in bottling department. Apply to Carling

B. and M. Company. WANTED-MAN WHO UNDERSTANDS W the care of horses and would be willing to go to camp for dismounted service. Apply between 7 and 8 p.m., at 227 Queen's avenue. H. R. Abbots.

WANTED - BLACKSMITH - IMMEDI-ATELY. One with one or two years' experience. Apply A. McNab, Arva. 48c TINSMITH WANTED-AT ONCE-J. W. Chambers, 582 Richmond street. 48c YOUNG MEN WANTED IN EVERY YOUNG MEN WANTED IN EVENT county in Ontario to put in and take orders for electric bells, annunoiators, burglar alarms, telephones, medical batteries, etc. 8end for particulars. R. M. Millar & Co., 434 Talbot street, London, Ont.

Female Help Wanted WANTED-AT ONCE-GIRLS FOR FUR W manufacturing department. Apply to John Marshall & Co.

Domestics Wanted.

WANTED - KITCHEN GIRL. APPLY Fraser House, King street. 50c WANTED EXPERIENCED GENERAL Servant. No washing. Mrs. Isaac 49tf Waterman, 390 King street. WANTED - LAUNDRESS, TO HELP with upstairs work. Apply Mrs. Hume Cronyn, 580 Dundas street.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED TO TAKE charge of family of four, living six miles from London; no outdoor work; good home for the right woman. Apply box 200 this office. WANTED-EXPERIENCED GENERAL

W servant; small family; no up-stair work Mrs. Luscombe, 480 William street. 44tf Board and Lodging.

TO LET-TWO LARGE UNFURNISHED front rooms; also bearders. 175 Horton

Business Chances. FOR SALE-STEAM LAUNDRY-PLANT complete. Doing a live city business. Splendid opportunity. Satisfactory reasons for selling. Apply Jarvis & Vining, Solicitors, London. INVEST \$200 - SECURING EXCELLENT weekly income. Safe, conservative proposition. Second successful year. Investigation invited. H. Griffin, 1180 Broadway, New York.

Articles For Sale.

FOR SALE-THOROUGHBRED GOLDEN Wyandotte eggs, 50c per setting. Also brown and buff Leghorns. Apply 724 Maitland FOR SALE-GOOD WICKER CRADLE, cheap. Apply 476 Dufferin avenue. 50u

FOR SALE-VERY NICE GLADSTONE

-Pole, shafts. James Shaw, carpet works,
Wortley Road, South London.

49c

FOR SALE-UPRIGHT CHRISTY PIANO,
New York makes According to the control of the co New York make, owner leaving city, a bargain. Apply 511 Taibot.

STORE REFRIGERATOR FOR SALE—
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SLIGHTLY USED HEINTZMAN PIANO
recently taken in exchange and 20 bargains
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FOR SALE-BICYCLE-IN GOOD CONDI-TION, for \$14, 422 Princess avenue. 480 PIGEONS FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE "Homers' a specialty. Apply for particulars, Box 198, this office.

ENGINE, BOILER, SHAFTING, BELTS, and cross cut saws, with tables, etc., would exchange for wood. Apply W. G. Eadey, or Alex. Begg, London Postoffice.

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FOR SALE-SUMMER WOOD-AT THE sawmill East Rathurst street. Call or I sawmill, East Bathurst street. Call, or phone 1312, and try a load. D. H. Gillies & Co. 85 CENTS WILL BUY A CARPET SEAT and back veranda rocker worth \$1 50. at Keene Bros.' Cash Bargain Furniture Store.

BICYCLES, TIRES, CEMENT, GRAPH-D ITE etc., etc. First-class bicycle repairing at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Rich-

Agents Wanted.

WANTED-ACTIVE MAN TO TRAVEL for large manufacturing house and appoint agents. \$18 weekly and expenses. State age and reference. Address, Globe Co., 723 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa. 50c

Miscellaneous,

THE LONDON CARPET-CLEANING
Works—Carpets cleaned and relaid and
every carpet disinfected. Jas.S. Shaw. Phone
1308.

Houses, Etc., To Let. TO LET—STORE, 189 DUNDAS STREET, now occupied by W. Mann & Co. Possession Aug. 1. Apply R. Short, 673 York street.

TO LET-FURNISHED COTTAGE, PORT Stanley. Apply 422 King street. 50c TO LET-MODERN HOUSE, 469 COL, BORNE street; furnace, water closet bath room. Apply C. D. Johnston, 198 Dundas 42tf ywt TO LET-BRICK HOUSE, 27 PETER street, 8 rooms. M. H. Rowland, 468 Queen's avenue. 26tf eod

TO LET-FURNISHED ROOM - SUIT-ABLE for gentleman; use of bath. Apply 139 Fullarton. 130 Fullarton. TO LET-HOUSE OF EIGHT ROOMS— Garden and orchard and four acres of pusture close to city, Inquire 959 Colborn street. TO LET-COMFORTABLE HOUSE-NINE rooms, furnace and all mode were

rooms, furnace and all mode rn convenience, stable, etc.; central location. Apply J. R. Shuttleworth, 388 Clarence street. FOREST CITY MOVING VAN-LARGEST I in the city. 30 years' experience. 398 Talbot street. Joseph Brown & Co., auction cers, proprietors. TO LET-JOHN BIGGS, THE FURNITURE mover, 22 years with London Furniture Co., will do you a good job. Call phone 310.

Real Estate.

SEVERAL CITY BUILDING LOTS ALSO A nice garden property near Waterworks, \$3,500. Avery Casey, Barrister, 90 Dundas street, 50i M 20, 23, 27, 31, J 3

TO LET ORSELL—NO.69 BRUCE STREET, two-story brick house, newly papered. Apply 222 Piccadilly. 50c eod FOR SALE-THREE FINE TWO STORY I brick residences (nearly new) and up-to-date. If you want a nice home at a reasonable price and easy terms, call at once, for central

property is going up in value.

Also four modern cettages anging in price Also four modern cottages anging in price from \$1,800 to \$2,000.

A few more lots in the north end at a reduced price to parties who will build at once. For full particulars call at 403 Richmond street, wt. TOR SALE OR TO RENT—A 2-STORY
brick house, 12 rooms and cellars, large
barn, half acre of orchard and small fruits
South London, just outside city limits. In
quire T. Tambling, 200 Ridout street.
28tf vwt

120 ACRES CHOICE PASTURE LAND for horses and cattle; abundance of spring water. Apply W. T. Westby, 109 Dundas street. FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE - TWO houses, producing \$13 a month rent, for \$1,200 cash or brick cottage in suitable locality. For particulars apply to J. W. G. Winnett, barrister, etc., 420 Talbot street. FOR SALE-9 ACRES, SPRINGBANK

TOR SALE BRICK VENEER COTTAGE Last of city limits, situated on Homer street, near Hamilton road. Apply Lewis Clark, 358 Rectory street, or this office. FOR SALE OR RENT-2-STORY BRICK

veneered residence; modern conveniences.

Apply A. N. Udy, over C. P. R. ticket office. \$100 A YEAR WILL PURCHASE A fifty-acre farm in the township of Dawn, county of Lambton, or will exchange same for city property. Tennent, McDonagh Coleridge London

& Coleridge, London. IN ORDER TO CLOSE AN ESTATE The following properties are now offered for sale, viz.: Brick dwelling, No. 227 Queen's avenue; 3 frame houses, Nos. 229, 231 and 232 Queen's avenue; brick cottage, No. 350 Burwell street; 2 frame houses, Nos. 197 and 199 Mill street, and frame house, No. 1072 Dundas street, together with lands thereto belonging. Also a number of good building lots on Charlotte and Dorinda streets. For nartigulars inquire at Abbott's streets. For particulars inquire at Abbott's Carriage Factory. 29tf

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Maybe you want to build? Probably you would prefer an exchange? You prefer money to remodel? If so, perhaps you would find it to your advantage to call on us. Our lists are selected -Bargain Lists-and contain many extraordinary pick-ups. First comes gets his choice.

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P. Walsh's Bulletin.

30 acres lot 62, eon. 6, of Westminster, near Lambeth; price \$1,200. 6 acres near the Military School, \$750.

20 acres, 1½-story frame house, barn, etc., wo miles from the city. At a great bargain to two miles from close at once. 41 acres, 2-story brick house, frame barn, one mile from the city. For a bargain apply at

84-acre fruit farm, with splendid buildings, 2½ miles from Kincardine. At a bargain. 904 Waterloo street—A splendid brick cot-tage, 7 rooms, in good order, frame barn, lot ½ acre; price now \$1,100. Owner leaving the city. 652 Waterloo street, near Hyman street— 1½-story frame house, 7 rooms, in good order.

390 William street, near Dundas street-A splendid brick cottage, 7 rooms, in perfect order, lot 40x190 feet. At a bargain. 426 Piccadilly street—A new 2-story brick house, stone foundation, \$ rooms, finished in style, grand locality.

256 Dundas street-A 2-story brick house, 10 rooms, modern improvements, frame barn; at a bargain. Too large for the owner. 200 Cheapside street—A new 1½-story frame house, stone foundation, 6 rooms, in good order, large lot; price \$750. 1038 Brydges street, East London-Frame 7 rooms, in good repair, corner lot;

price \$700. As bricks are now down to the old-time prices building lots will be in greater demand. We have got lots in all wards of the city and to

suit all buyers. P. WALSH.

London Real Estate Agency. \$1,000 without interest buys good 6-roomed frame cottage, No. 629 Central avenue; \$100 cash, balance in monthly payments to suit pur-

at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond street.

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HAS TROUBLES

The Hospital Building Committee Continually in Hot Water-Architect Turned Down.

The hospital building committee spent another bad night last night. It was very restless and feverish. The symptoms were, however, not more alarming than usual. The members of and silky. the committee worry a great dealabout trifles often. Here is an instance: The clerk of the works was deeply offended recently because, when trying to point out to the architect the difference between "thin oil" and "liquid filler," the architect "spoke to him in a most sarcastic way, before the aldermen." Mr. Dodd told his trouble to the committee last night. Chairman Jolly also had many things to complain of. He said the kitchen walls were being finished in cement instead of wainscoting, and that the deduction in the contractor's price for the

Lost and Found.

STRAYED-INTO MY PREMISES, DOR-CHESTER station, about April 1, aged Berkshire sow. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses. A. R. Finch. STOLEN-ON APRIL 29, FROM PREMISES. black and white cocker spanisl, three months old. Reward for information towards

recovery. Alex. Robertson, 662 Dundas street. LOST-FRIDAY, ON SPRINGBANK LINE, a purse containing \$11. Reward on returning it to street railway office, Richmond

IMPOUNDED-AT QUEEN'S PARK—Dark bay horse, with white face and two white legs. If not redeemed by May 23 will be sold. Bryce McLeod, caretaker. London, May 15, 1899.

Situations Wanted

WANTED - EMPLOYMENT AS MALE w nurse, or care of an invalid gentleman, or to give baths to gentlmen at their own homes. Thomas Dougherty, 427 Wellington street. Good reference.

Wanted. WANTED-MEDIUM - SIZED HOUSE; W modern conveniences, with large barn attached. Address W. R., this office. 50n WANTED TO PURCHASE-PLEASURE Boats. Write giving description and price to Joe Ellison, Lake Pinafore, St. Thomas.

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLE MEN'S cast-off clothing. A. P. Sains bury, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to

EXECUTOR'S SALE -OF THE-Old Race Course Property.

THIS property, which adjoins East London, has been sub-divided into park lots of about five acres each, which will be offered for sale by auction on the premises on Friday, May 26th, 1899, at 4 O'Clock The lots are admirably adapted for ma

garden and residential purposes, having the advantages of the city with township taxes. They are conveniently situated, being within easy reach of the Dundas street and Hamilton road street cars.

road street cars. Easy terms of payment to suit purchasers; interest at 5 per cent. See posters for plan of lots and particulars of sale, or apply to FRASER & FRASER, Or J. W. JONES, Vendor's Solicitors. Auctioneer. 50c tyw

Notice to Creditors. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Jemima Evans, late of the City of London, in the County of Middlesex, widow, deceased. Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Revised Statutes of Ontario, Chapter 129, that all persons having claims against the estate of the said Jemima Evans, who died on or about the 27th of March, 1899, are required by the 15th June, 1899, to send to Messrs. Jarvis & Vining, of the City of London, solicitors for Christopher McLellan, the executor, their names and ad-

dresses, full particulars of their claims, and of the securities (if any) held by them. And further, that after such last mentioned and further, that after such last mentioned date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that the said executors will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such

Dated the 5th May, 1899.

JARVIS & VINING,
101 Dundas street, London,
Solicitors for said Executor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Chap. 110, R. S. O. 1897, that all persons having claims against the estate of the late Thomas Caldwell, late of the city of London, in the county of Middlesex, gentleman, deceased, who died on or about the 21st day of February, 1899, are required to deliver the same with full parare required to deliver the same with full par-ticulars thereof, to U. A. Buchner, No. 83 Dun-das street, London, Ont., solicitor for the executar, on or before the lat day of July next, and further take notice that after the said date and further take notice that after the said date the executor will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall have received notice. Thomas Bryan, executor. U.A. Buchner, solicitor for executor. Dated at London, this 15th day of May, A.D., 1899.

ANNUAL MEETING.

PURSUANT to the Act of Incorporation, notice is hereby given that the 29th annual meeting of the **ONTARIO MUTUAL LIFE** ASSURANCE COMPANY,

Town Hall, Waterloo, Ont., Thursday, May 25, 1899,

will be held in the

GEO. WEGANEST, Waterloo, April 20, 1899. Manager. 48c wtz

at 1 of the clock p.m.

Notice to Consumers.

Citizens are hereby notified that the hours for using the water from the City Waterworks system, for sprinkling lawns, yards or grounds

Monday, Wednesday and Friday-6 to 8 a.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday-6

to 8 p.m.

The water will be shut off from the premises of any person infringing this bylaw, and a fine of \$1 imposed.

O. ELLWOOD, secretary.

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wainscoting was not one-half what it shouls have been; that plain stair-posts were being used instead of paneled posts: that certain pine doors were accepted instead of oak doors, etc. general, he claimed, the committee's instructions were ignored by the architect, and that the clerk of the works had no say in the matter at all.

The architect said the clerk was against him every time. Ald. Graham and the mayor said cement was better in the kitchen than wainscoting. As to the other changes, the architect thought he was to be allowed some discretion. The changes were advisable, he contended. As to the deductions on contracts, they would be

considered later. These are but the high-lights of a three-hour discussion. On motion of Ald. Carrothers the clerk of the works was empowered to stop any work that was not according

to specifications. The mayor said present troubles arose out of differences of opinion between the architect and Mr. Dodd as to how the specifications should be carried out. It was just putting Mr. Dodd's opinion over Mr. McBride's. The committee had looked over the new building and was pretty well satisfied with it. It was going to be a fine hospital. No architect in the city could carry out the specifications of such a building in every detail. There had to be many changes. The committee should have confidence in their architect, or get

someone they would have confidence in. The architect said he was disgusted with the thing. Foundations for the engines and generators will cost \$398-extra. The contract was let to Messrs. Martyn &

BANQUET

Famous Club Celebrates Its

Fifteenth Anniversary. Most Successful Gathering in the History of the Club-End of a Prosperous Year.

The Baconian Club held its 15th annual banquet last night at the Tecumseh House. It was the largest and one of the most successful events in the club's history. Dinner was served in the large dining hall. The menu was excellent. At the head of the table sat President Jared Vining, and at the lower end the vice-president, F. E. Perrin. President Vining, in introducing the toast list, said that the year just closed had been the most successful the club had ever known. The Baconian Club, he said, should aim to stand for the best thought, and the highest culture of the community. The toasts

were responded to as follows: "Ourselves," Jared Vining, president;
"Our Master," F. E. Perrin, vice-president; "Our Country," C. B. Edwards; "The Hague Conference," John Stevenson; "Great Britain," S. B. McCready; "The Learned Professions," C. G. Jarvis (law), L. H. Dawson (medicine), Thomas Hayne (divinity); "The Slave Trades-Pedagogy," H. B. Beal; Press," Charles Smith; "The Ladies," J. F. Atkinson; "The Militia," T. J. Murphy. The speech-making was interspersed with recitations by P. E. Mackenzie, E. R. Dennis and J. A. Cottam, and music by W. W. Latournelle

and John O. Dromgole.

Among those present were: C. G.
Jarvis, G. N. Weekes, J. Vining, P. Mackenzie, F. E. Perrin, A. Casey, F. Darch, J. Heaman, James Colerick, M. W. Rossie, T. Hayne, D. C. McNaughton, Charles Smith, J. Foote, F. E. Lawson, E. R. Dennis, J. A. Cottam, John Stevenson, J. F. Atkinson, W. W. Latournelle, J. D. Spencer, Ed Hannah, J. O. Dromgole, R. A. Little, C. B. Edwards, Geo. A. McKie, H. B. McCready, U. A. Buchner, C. J. Campbell, T. J. Murphy, L. H. Dawson, J. E. Swinburne, W. J. Harvey, H. B. Morley, H. B. Beal, Wm. Govanlock.

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Tudges Will Divide the Counties-A Fair and Honorable Measure-Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Explanations.

Ottawa, May 20 .- Yesterday Sir Wilfrid Laurier brought down the longexpected redistribution act, to redress the outrage of 1882. After Sir Wilfrid had explained the redistribution, It was evidently the inspired cue of the opposition adversely to criticise every feature of the measure, which, in point of complete dissociation from partisanship, gives as fair and equitable a measure as has ever been

Introduced in the House of Commons. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who was received with cheers, explained that he had undertaken to introduce the bill himself, owing to the unavoidable absence of Mr. Mulock. "We deem that it would not be expedient at this time," he said, "to do more than undo so far as we can the most glaring violations of a principle which we have always held, and which has always been universally held by public opinion in this country to be a fundamental principle of representation in this country. We think it is a principle which will commend itself universally to public opinion that the basis of representation in this house should be the municipal county organization." (Cheers.) Sir Wilfrid pointed out that this principle was violated by the redistribution act of 1882, although previous to that the principle of maintaining county boundaries was held by both parties alike. Sir Wilfrid quoted the language of Sir John A. Macdonald when the first redistribution act was introduced in 1872. Sir John then said: "It is desired, as much as possible, to keep the representation within the county, so that each county that is a municipality of Ontario should be represented, and if it becomes large enough, that it should be divided into ridings. That principle is carried out in the suggestion I am about to make. That rule was broken in 1867 in three constituencies, namely, Bothwell, Cardwell and Monk; I do not think on the whole that the experiment has proved a successful

Sir Wilfrid quoted further to the same effect from Sir John's speech on occasion. The principle then laid down by Bir John was the guiding principle of the present act. "The first iple that we lay down," said Sir Wilfrid, "as I said a moment ago, is that municipal county organizations shall be the basis of representation, and the consequent principle of this one is that county municipal organiza-tion should not be interfered with, and that boundary lines should not be interfered with. If the population of a county should become so small, according to the population in other counties, as to no longer justify it to be represented by one man on the floor of the House of Commons, then we hold that that county should not be separated piecemeal, but that it should be annexed to the neighboring county, was done in several instances in this house-in Cornwall. In Stormont. Niagara and Lincoln, Three Rivers and St. Maurice, Chambly, Verchere, La Prairie and Napierville, and St. John and Iberville. In these cases county lines were not interfered with, but these counties were combined together form one single electoral district. We have thought that when such a case arises this is a precedent which we have already closely adhered to. This is a case which I believe is not likely to arise very often. A case that is more likely to arise is where the population of a county may become so large that it will be entitled to more than one representative. Under such circumstances it is provided that a county may be divided into two ridings on the principle we want to lay down, and which we do act upon. which is, that whenever counties have to be divided into ridings, whenever a county which up to that time is entitled to one member becomes entitled to two or three members, the division should take place by judicial decision and authority. This is the principle upon which we base the bill that we introduce to this house now." Cheers.) "After these preliminary observa-tions as to the guiding principles upon which we have acted. I will now proceed to give to the house the character of the bill which we have introduced. I may say at first, keeping in view the main observations with which I started, that it is not our intention to have a general redistribu-

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tion, but simply to undo certain wrongs which we think were done to the peo-

ple, and certain of the more glaring

violations which took place in regard to the principle we hold as sacred. (Ministerial cheers.) It is not the

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Mr. Bergeron-That will be three members for Kent? The Prime Minister—Yes, that takes out part of Bothwell. The bill proposes to restore county lines to the following counties: Brant, Bruce, Elgin Grant Haldington Ha gin, Gray, Haldimand, Huron, Kent, Lambton, Lanark, Middlesex, Norfolk, Ontario, Oxford, Peel, Simcoe, Well-and, Wellington, Wentworth and York. To give the representation the details would have to be as follows, taking the changes which I have just indi-cated: The electoral district of the city of London shall consist of the city of London, and shall return one member. The electoral district of the city of Hamilton shall consist of the city of Hamilton, and shall return two members. The electoral district of the city of Toronto shall consist of the city of Toronto, and shall be divided into four electoral districts, each of which shall return one member. counties of Dufferin, Haldimand, Lincoln, Peel, Welland and Wentworth, and the territorial district of Muskoka, and the territorial district of Parry Sound shall each be an electoral district, and shall each return one member. The counties of Brant, Elgin, courts. He declared there was nothing Lambton, Norfolk, Ontario, Oxford and Perth shall each be divided into two electoral districts, and shall each return one member. The counties of Kent, Huron, Bruce, Grey, Middlesex, Simcoe. Wellington, York, shall each be divided into three electoral districts, each of which district shall return one member. It is providedthis is the provision which we have inserted in the bill, in regard to the judicial division of the counties into ridings - that where under the foreis to be divided into more than one electoral district, such divisions shall consisting of at least three persons and each such county into the number of electoral districts by this act aseigned to them respectively. The letters patent appointing the commissioners shall request the commissioners in making the divisions to consider the distribution of population according to the last Dominion census, the public convenience and such divi sions as appear to them best calculated to do substantial justice. In case of the death or resignation or refusal of any or more of such commissioners to act, successor or successors shall in like manner be appointed. The commissioners shall complete such divisions within a time to be limited by said letters patent, and shall report such divisions to the secretary of state, making a separate report as to each electoral district so set apart by them, and shall set forth in such report the boundaries of the electoral districts to which such report refers, and the municipalities compromised therein, and assign an appropriate designation to the electoral district in question, and upon receipt by the sec-

city of Toronto and the respective counties shall have been divided as aforesaid, shall, subject to the provisions of section 18, of this act, become and be electoral districts as if the same had been so set apart and established as such by this act. Let me say this, that section 18 is simply to provide that this bill shall not come into force so long as the present parliamen't continues, but shall come into force only at the dissolution of this parliament. (Ministerial cheers.) Sir Charles Tupper-The last portion?

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electoral districts into which the said

The Prime Minister-The whole of this bill. This is section 18: "Nothing herein contained shall operate so as to change the constitution of the electoral districts as they now exist until the dissolution of the present parliament. Sir Charles Tupper-But the judicial

arrangement applies to this bill.

The Prime Minister—Yes, it is a part of this bill. Each report shall be signed by the commissioners, or, in case of disagreement, by a majority of them, and the report of the majority of the commissioners shall be the report of the commissioners. Each separate report shall be published by the secretary of state in the Canada Gazette forthwith after its receipt thereof by him. These are all the provisions in regard to this point.

Sir Wilfrid explained that in regard to the Province of Quebec, it is not proposed to make any alterations in the representation as it exists today, except in so far as it is necessary to bring back the different municipalities which had been transferred in the redistribution bill of 1882 from one county to another. (Cheers.) The premier then went on to explain the changes in Quebec, Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick. In Prince Edward there will be three electoral districts, re-turning five members. With regard to New Brunswick, no changes are contemplated with the exception of the city of St. John, which, as everybody knows, is in a peculiar condition. An elector in the city of St. John has two votes. He votes first for the city of St. John, and then he votes for a member for the city and county of St. John. It is proposed to do away with this anomaly, and to have two electoral districts—one for the city of St. John and one for the county of St. John.
Sir Wilfrid concluded by moving the
first reading of the bill, and sat down

amid prolonged cheers. SIR CHARLES TUPPER.

Sir Charles Tupper attacked the constitutionality of the act on the ground that a redistribution was not permissible until the decennial census was taken. He asked if the premier was afraid to go back to the electors who

er under very exceptional circumstances. The speaker then launched into a number of election issues, the first being the Manitoba school question. The Liberal policy on this, he said, was a Janus-faced one—no coercion for Ontario and coercion for Outpeer Sir Charles denounced the Quebec. Sir Charles denounced the new franchise act as the most corrupt, the most indefensible, the most scandalous system of obtaining a majority by local action. In the bye-election public money and public patronage were dispensed in a disgrace-ful manner. He had under his hand affidavits from 43 respectable men in a polling district in West Huron, that they voted for the Conservative candidate, and that there were only 30 ballots found in the poll box in his favor. It was by means of that kind, ministers of the crown, associating with the lowest political heelers—a brigade of ruffians, sent from one politing district to another throughout the Province of Ontario, and headed generally by ministers of the crown who ate with them and slept with them, and remained with them night and day while the contest was going on-that honorable gentleman opposite carried that election. Bir Charles charged that there had been similar corrupt practices in Brockville and West Elgin. The great sovereign principle recognized by the constitution of Canada and in its administration down to the present hour is the principle of representation by population. It does not matter whether it be important that an adjoining county or an adjoining polling district be added to another that will make it that. The great principle that underlies the present redistribution of seats in the whole redistribution of seats in the whole Dominion is the principle of representation by population. Does the honorable gentleman tell me he has any regard for that in this bill? asked Sir Charles. The more closely it was examined the more probable will it be that he had not misunderstood the objects and aims that the honorable gentleman had in view in putting, this measure before the house.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, speaking in re-

ply, declared he was not the least surprised at anything, however scandalous, Sir Charles might say. It was Sir Charles who at Winnipeg in 1896 introduced the race cry.

Sir Charles retorted that that slander had been ofttimes refuted. Sir Wilfrid, continuing, defied the Conservatives to go into the courts and prove bribery and corruption in one of the thirty bye-elections won by the Liberals in three years. In fact, the Conservatives were afraid of the laying the foundation-stone of the unconstitutional in a redistribution without a census, as it had been frequently resorted to in the case of individual constituencies. He declared, in conclusion, that all the Liberals desired was a fair appeal to the people

and let the best man win. Speeches were also made by Mr. N. C. Wallace, Col. Tisdale, Mr. Henderson, Dr. Montague, Dr. Sproule, Mr. Casey, Mr. Bergeron, Mr. McGregor, Mr. Bennett, Sir Richard Cartwright, and Sir Hibbert Tupper. Sir Richard going provisions any county or city said that in all the years he had sat in the house he had never before heard the Conservatives arguing in favor of be made by a board of commissioners, representation by population. They seemed to have got new light. (Laughter.) The late Sir John Macdonald had being judges of the supreme court of ter.) The late Sir John Macdonald had judicature for Ontario, who, for the always maintained that while the prinpurpose, shall divide the city of Toronto ciple of representation by population and each such county into the number was correct as between the provinces, it should not be applied to the constituencies in the separate provinces. The present bill merely redressed in-equalities which the Conservatives equalities which the had created.

The bill was read a first time.

THE GARRICK CLUB

Hamilton's Fashionable Entertainers Appear at the Grand Last Evening An Excellent Performance of

The Garrick Club, of Hamilton, probably the most notable amateur collection of entertainers in Canada, appeared at the Grand Opera House last evening, and gave an entertainment that was a credit to the club and to the city of Hamilton. While the audience was not large, those present thoroughly enjoyed the variety of turns on the programme, which was classed as a vaudeville performance. tories by such respective reports de- Recently the Garrick Club gave the entertainment at Hamilton, and a crowded house witnessed it. Several requests from London were forwarded to Hamilton to have the club come here, and to Miss Jeannette Lewis credit is due for the success of the entertainment in London. She arranged all matters, and showed by her ability that she shares the splendid executive faculty of her sister, Miss Julia Arthur.

The programme opened with a comedietta entitled "Old Cronies." Messrs. P. D. Crerar and F. H. Greening, as the two old bachelors, brought out the vicissitudes of single life, and their efforts to make a pro-posal of marriage. Miss Jeannette Lewis in the reading of "Polish Boy," gave evidence of rare elocationary power. She was the recipient of sev-

ral bouquets.

The operatic selection from "Il Trovatore," by Miss Josephine Pilkey and Mr. Frank Firth, received vociferous applause. The "Tinkers' Chorus," from "Robin Hood," participated in by several members of the club, was encoved Miss Levis in the char eral bouquets. cored. Miss Leila Lewis, in the character song of "Follow On," assisted

by a chorus, was recalled.

The comedicata, "Second Thoughts," acted by F. A. H. Sitwell, Miss Carrie H. Crerar, and Mrs. F. B. Greening, was performed with a dash that stamped the three performers as finished artists. Miss Josephine Pilkey

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clothed him with power. Sir Charles had to respond to her song with three claimed that Sir Wilfrid obtained powers. She has a graceful manner, and the selections were happily chosen. Mr. Frank Firth was greeted with hearty applause, and after he had sung a beautiful ballad, delivered in a manner that showed perfect control and close study, the audience recalled him. His second number was in Italian, and showed his baritone voice talian, and showed his barrione vice to perfection. He has improved wonderfully since leaving London, and now can enjoy the distinction of being one of the best singers in Canada. The entertainment closed with a cakewalk, produced under the directions of the best singers in Canada. The following the singer singular to the singular sin tion of Mr. John Hackett. The fol-lowing ladies and gentlemen took part: Miss F. Duluth Barnes, Miss Kate Counsell, Miss Jeannette Lewis, Miss Leila Lewis, Miss Beatrice Walker, Mrs. Norman Nicholson, Mr. W. Helborn, Mr. Harry Alexander, Mr. Norman Nicholson, Mr. A. Rodgers, Mr. W. Logan and Mr. J. Arthur Morgan. The walk showed careful rehearsal. and the many pretty and novel evolutions were warmly applauded. The entertainment closed with a satire on company, the cakewalk, by two of the which was extremely laughable.

The Garrick Club can congratulate

themselves on their initial appearance in this city. They are clever, and will be welcome again.

A BUSY WEEK IN OLD LONDON

With Brilliant Functions in Which Royalty Took Part.

Arrangements for the Celebration of May 24 at Windsor.

Invitation to New York Soldie s to Visit London Strikes a Popular Chord.

[Special Cable Letter to The Advertiser.]

London, May 20 .- Socially the week has been the busiest of the year. Queen Victoria's visit to London gave it a necessary enlivening. The ceremony of South Kensington Museum proved a highly successful pageant, and gave the people here an opportunity to indulge in a great loyal demonstration, while the state ball on Thursday evening gathered all the highest in the land at Buckingham Palace. It was a most brilliant function. The Prince of Wales, the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, Prince and Princess Christian, the Duke and Duchess of York, the Duke and Duchess of Fife, the Duke of Cambridge and the Crown Prince of Siam, Prince Chowfa Maha Vajiravudh, were among those present. The dancing commenced at 11 o'clock in the magnificent salon, and lasted until daybreak. The approaching ceremonies at Windsor will be most interesting.

THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY. Upon the occasion of her majesty's birthday, next Wednesday morning, the Queen will receive the congratulations of her family, and will then be serenaded in the grand quadrangle of the castle by a choir of 250 voices, to which the Queen will listen from the Oak Room, overlooking the quadrangle. At noon the Scots Fusilier Guards will march past the Queen on the east lawn and fire a feu de joie. A thanksgiving service in St. George's Chapel will follow. The Queen will then drive through Windsor, passing under a magnificent floral arch erected on Castle Hill, and in the evening 'Lohengrin' will be given by the opera company in the Waterloo Chamber. It is rumored that the Queen, in connection with her birthday, will again offer the Marquis of Salisbury a dukedom, which he refused at the time of

her majesty's jubilee. The Prince of Wales has ordered his racing cutter Britannia to be refitted as early as possible, but it is not considered she will be ready in time to be used in test races against the cup challenger Shamrock. Britannia will remain cutter-rigged, and will compete in the yacht racing during Cowes week.

STRUCK A POPULAR NOTE. Sir Charles Howard Vincent, member of parliament for the central division of Sheffield, and colonel of the Queen's Westminster Volunteers, struck a popular note in inviting a deputation from the Seventh New York Regiment o visit England. He wrote to Col. Daniel Appleton recently, asking him to send a delegation, if possible, to march with the Westminster Volunteers in Hyde Park, when the Prince of Wales will review all the London volunteers on July 8. The Westminsters are very enthusiastic about the idea, and it is evident they will be greatly disappointed if the New Yorkers are unable to accept the invitation to the review and arrange for a shooting match. The Westminster Volunteer Regiment is one of the strongest and finest volunteer corps in Great Britain. It is also a very popular regiment. Its members wear a smart gray uniform with scarlet facings. The regiment is composed of members of the well-to-do middle class of people. They have a splendidly-equipped headquarters nearly opposite the United States embassy, and the Duke of West-

minster is honorary colonel.
Sir Charles Howard Vincent is intensely enthusiastic over the idea. He said: "The invitation, though nominally from my corps, is from the nation, and although in my letter to Col. Appleton we limited the invitation to the Seventh New York Regiment we should like America to send a show-ing from all her regiments. A great reception awaits her sons from either service.

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between the two nations. I trust we shall be able to send a representation to America before long. If our invitation is accepted we will make England ring in honor of our visitors."

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WOULD WELCOME DEWEY. A representative of the Associated Press had a chat with Lord Charles Beresford with reference to the homecoming of Admiral Dewey from Manila. He said: "There is nothing we were would like better than to have Admiral \$5,400, and the usual scenes of enthusi-Dewey call at an English port on his way home. Every one of us would show him in true British fashion how Patti at Albert Hall on Thursday. The

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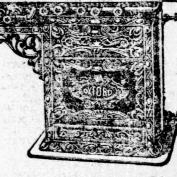
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competitors.
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BASEBALL. TWO GAMES.

The Hamilton-London game scheduled for yesterday was postponed on account of wet grounds. Two games will be played this afternoon beginning at 2:30 o'clock, and only one admission will be charged. The teams:

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STRATFORD DEFEATS CHATHAM. Chatham, Ont., May 20.-Stratford beat out Chatham yesterday in a close score. The pitching of Withers for the home nine was anything but satisfactory, and in the eighth he was replaced by McElvaine. The weather was bitterly cold for the season of the year, and the day was hard on the players and spectators. The exhibition of ball

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interesting. These teams play a doubleheader this afternoon. Score: R. H. E. Stratford00020320*-7 16 5 Chatham 2 0 1 0 1 0 2 0 0-6 11 2 Batteries-Stumph and Pickart; Withers, McElvaine and Sanders-Um-

pire—Dailey. The London-Hamilton and St. Thomas-Guelph games were postponed owing to the weather. Double-headers will be played today.

HIGHGATE DEFEATS GLENCOE. Highgate, Ont., May 20.-Highgate defeated Glencoe in a game of baseball here yesterday afternoon. Score, 15 to 7. Batteries: Highgate, Attridge and

Taylor; Glencoe, Depew and Michaels. EASTERN LEAGUE - FRIDAY. At Montreal-

Worcester 1 6 1 Montreal 1 7 3 Batteries - Viau and Yeager; Souders and Moran. Umpire-Gruber. The game was called at the end of the 12th to allow Worcester to catch a train.

At Toronto-Toron'to 7 11 Hartford 5 10 1 Batteries-Alloway and Rothfuss; Crate and Boyd. Umpire-O'Loughlin. Rain and wet grounds prevented the

other games. NATIONAL LEAGUE-FRIDAY. At Chicago-

Chicago 2 5 Batteries-Callahan and Donohue; Kitson and Robinson.

At Louisville-Louisville 4 7 Batteries-Dowling and Kittridge; Killen and Bergen.

At Cincinnati-Cincinnati 5 13 3 Brooklyn 7 13 2 Batteries-Taylor, Phillips and Wood; Kennedy and Farrell.

At Washington-First game-Batteries-Baker and McGuire; Tannehill and Bowerman.

At Washington-Second game-Washington 10 12 2 Pittsburg 2 8 4 Batteries-Weyhing and McFarland; Hoffer and Bowerman. At St. Louis-

St. Louis 9 16 3 Game given to St. Louis, 9 to 0, in sixth inning, owing to New York's kicking. Batteries—Wilson and Jones; Doheny and Meekin.

WESTERN LEAGUE-FRIDAY. At Minneapolis-Minneapolis 1, Col-At Milwaukee-Milwaukee 7, De-

troit 4. At St. Paul-St. Paul 9, Buffalo 3. THE TURF.

AT LOUISVILLE Louisville, May 20 .- Yesterday's re-First race, 6 furlongs, purse \$300-

John Bright 1, Little Jack Horner 2, Opaque 3. Time, 1:16½.

Second race, 4½ furlongs, purse \$300—Limacus 1, Lady Elite 2, Tommy O'Brien 3. Time, :57½.

Third race, 1 mile and 70 yards, sell-

ing—Isabey 1, Rifle 2, Monk Wayman 3. Time, 1:481/2. Fourth race. Juvenile stakes, \$1,250, 7 furlongs—Avenstoke 1, Barney F. 2, Ailanto 3. Time, 1:40½. Fifth race, 7 furlongs, selling—Tolstoi 1, Musket 2, Becky Ban 3. Time, Sixth race, 7 furlongs-Mr. Phinnizey

1, Josephine B. 2, Garrabrante 3. Time, WELL-KNOWN HORSEMAN DEAD.

Saratoga, N. Y., May 20.—George Ayres, a horse trainer, prominently known in racing circles throughot the United States and Canada, died suddenly during the night here. For 30 years he had charge of the late Erastus Corning's racing stables at Albany bany.

AT NEWPORT. Cincinnati, Ohio, May 20.—Ex-Jockey Perkins, was fined \$50 by the judges for fighting in the paddock last Wed-nesday. Yesterday's events:

First race, 6½ furlongs, selling-Infelice won, Surveyor 2, Alamol 3, Second race, 7 furlongs, selling— Mattie won, Irma S. 2, Cringe 3. Time,

Third race, 1 mile—Bon Jour won, Sue Nell 2, Vannessa 3. Time, 1:41%.
Fourth race, 7 furlongs—Myosotis won, Salverz 2, Col. Eads 2. Time, Fifth race, 4½ furlongs, maiden 2-year-olds—Gold D'Or won, Curtis 2, Honest Ruth 3 Time, :58.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 50 yards-Monadour won, Abergate 2, Eitholin 3. Time, 1:45. AT ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, May 20 .- Yesterday's re-First race, selling, 7½ furlongs—O'Connor won, Woodcut 2, Nellie Bell Second race, selling, 7½ furlongs—Ransom won, Rush 2, George Lee 3.

Third race, selling, 1 3-16 miles— Jackanapes won, Barbee 2, Clay Pointer 3. Time, 2:05. Fourth race, 5 furlongs, 2-year-olds

The Conqueror won, Grenock 2, Joe Wheeler 3. Time, 1:031/2.

Fifth race, selling, 6 furlongs—Kensington won, Eva Rice 2, Don't Skip Me 3. Time, 1:151/4. Sixth race, selling, 6½ furlongs—Rebel Jack won, Friendship 2, Montenedo 3. Time, 1:08. FISTIC.

WOLCOTT WON. New York, May 20 .- Joe Wolcott, the colored boxer, who has deserted the ranks of the light-weights to become middle-weight, knocked out Dick O'Brien in the fourteenth round of their fight at the Broadway A. C. last

AMUSEMENTS



OTIS SKINNER IN "ROSEMARY" AT THE GRAND TUESDAY NIGHT.

Something of the romance of bygone days, the sweetness of young and ingenuous love, the uncontrollable passion of middle age, the manners and quaint dresses of the time when Victoria was made Queen of England, and Charles Dickens wrote his first book, an absorbing and powerful story, with some great dramatic high lights, an abundance of good comedy, together with a complete production from the Empire Theater, New York, and a capital company of comedians, is what Otis Skinner promises to present in his comedy of "Rosemary." The play is the masterpiece of that interesting and talented pair of playwrights, Louis N. Parker and Murray Carson, who are producing more good plays than any authors in England today. Mr. Skinner has hitherto established and maintained a high standard in his field of professional labor, and he is not losing sight of the fact that the public expect him to offer the best in the way of plays and company. The sale of seats for Mr. Skinner's engagement is now open.



"THE HIGHWAYMAN." Reginald de Koven's music is popu-

lar wherever the strains of song are heard in the length and breadth of the land. The beauty of his everlasting song, "O, Promise Me," has been enshrined in every home; his wonderfully prosperous opera, "Robin Hood," prosperous opera, "Robin Hood," stamped him as the master of light and pleasing melody. No less has been the success that has attended his latest and deservedly greatest work, the comic opera "The Highwayman," comic opera "The Highwayman," which will be heard at the Grand on Queen's Birthday (matinee and night). The success of the piece is well enough known to warrant saying that no comic opera of today could have been secured by the management that will produce the pleasing melody to suit all sorts of tastes as does "The High-wayman." The atmosphere of the piece is old English, and the music is flavor-ed with such characteristic numbers

as a hunting glee, a chorus for a coaching party and for soldiers, a gypsy song, a delicious waltz duet, "Bread and Cheese and Kisses," a gavotte quintet of haunting tunefulness, "In London Town," a musical toast, sung by the highwayman, en-titled "In the Morning," and one of the sweetest bits of harmony ever written, an ensemble entitled "In Covert Deep." The comic numbers of the opera are many, including the following titles: "The Farmer and the Scarecrow," "A Sailor's Song and Hornpipe," "A Jack Tar's Life," and an Irish ditty, "Kitty O'Brien," and a catchy topical song, "We're on the Track."

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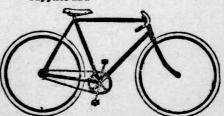
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Managing Director John Cameron

London, Saturday, May 20, 1899.

The Street Railway Situation.

The latest situation as to the street railway difficulty seems to be that each side has proposed arbitration to

But arbitration about what? As we understand it, the Company wants an arbitration as to whether or not it has kept the past understanding with the men; whereas, the men want an arbitration on all matters of present and future interest as well.

Particularly, the men want the question of the recognition of the Union to be included. The men have the idea that, no matter what the Company says, it is hostile to the Union, and wants to break it up. Yet according to the men, the Union is their only protection. If they do not hang together, they say, the Company would hang them separately-that is, would harass and dismiss Union men as opportunity offered.

It must be admitted that the Company's side has been adroitly presented to the public by the Company in such manner as to take possession, as far as possible, of public opinion, to the men's disparagement. This has been done partly by anonymous letters in the columns of contemporaries; and by paid columns of advertisements as pretended interviews, in question and answer style, in which the management easily scores a victory by preparing both the questions and the

As our readers are aware, The Advertiser does not admit anonymous letters to its columns, considering them unfair to those attacked, holding them exposed to the suspicion of being fictitious, and regarding them as an insult to readers who are intelligent and courageous. As to any such pretended interviews, paid for as such interviews can obtain insertion in The Advertiser for love or money.

While The Advertiser, without hope of reward or expectation of gratitude from any quarter, will endeavor in the future, as in the past, to present with fairness all sides of all controversies, it does not conceal that its general sympathies lie with the men rather than the Company. The men evidently strike the root of the situation when they assert that, were the Company to succeed in its endeavor to destroy the Union, they would be simply so many defenseless units confronting one of those corporations which, according to the proverb, are without

A Canadian Mint Not Needed.

There is no burning necessity for a anadian mint. No one pretends that it is demanded by our currency, the elasticity of which is one of the finest features of our banking system. Canadian banks at any time could, with perfect security, increase the volume of note circulation beyond any possible requirements of the country. The inflexibility of the American currency is notorious, and American bankers invariably hold up the Canadian system as a model. By the wise issue of bank notes, large and small, gold has been driven out of ordinary circulation in Canada, the people preferring paper for its convenience. It is different in the old country where the yellow coin circulates extensively, because the Bank of England is not permitted to issue notes of less than five pounds. This has been denounced as a stupid policy by financial experts, as the use of small notes would send the gold into the bank coffers, where it is most needed. Besides, a considerable quantity of gold must be lost every year by the abrasion of coins in circulation. It is easy to see that a Canadian mint would merely throw off gold coins to be swallowed up by the banks, while the temporary effect would be a derangement of the currency, for which the mere profit of operating the mint would not compensate. Advocates of a mint claim that if it were established at Vancouver it would attract returning miners from the Klondike, who wish to have their gold stamped as coin. But the miners know they can sell their gold at the highest rates to Canadian banks. Many of them prefer to exchange it for paper before they leave the Klondike.

The Galicians.

A good deal has been written, not always complimentary, by the Opposition press, in regard to the Galician settlers in the Northwest. It is true that these people of Central Europe were encouraged to locate in the Northwest when the Conservative party were in power in Canada, under precisely the same regulations as those now in force, but since a certain event in June, 1896, it has been deemed wise and patriotic by a portion of the Conservative press to denounce almost every agency adopted to promote the settlement of the prairles. The Galicians, however, are a class of immigrants that the United States, with all their recent stringent laws regarding new-comers, are inclined to welcome. We learn from the Evening Post that the officers of the Immigration Bureau at the port of New York assert that the Galicians are particularly satisfactory as immigrants, because, unlike the Italians, Poles and Slavs, they do not crowd into the large cities. The Galicians are farmers, and accordingly make at once for the country. This is the habit of those who come to Canada, and it is fortunate. Here we have plenty of city now who do not intend to go on the population. We need no immigrants

The Redistribution Bill.

The closing session of the Dominion Parliament, prior to adjournment for the Queen's Birthday recess, was made interesting by Sir Wilfrid's presentation of the bill providing for the undoing of the gerrymanders which on two occasions divided the constituencies with the deliberate intention and effect of giving the Liberals less than their fair share of representation in Parliament. We direct attention to the speech of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in another column. The principles of the bill can be very shortly stated:

1. County boundaries will not be violated. For example, what is now known as "West Middlesex," electorally, contains the township of Euphemia, which is a part of Lambton municipality. Hereafter any Middlesex constituency will consist only of Middlesex municipalities.

2. To show its fairness, and its lack of wish to replace one gerrymander (or unfair distribution) by another gerrymander, the Government, in its bill, simply decides the number of members to be allowed to each county, or city, leaving the task of fairly mapping out the actual constituencies to a commission of Superior Court judges.

Nothing could be more equitable than the plan proposed. Naturally enough, Sir Charles Tupper denounces the proposition, but experience teaches that, strike high, strike low, it is difficult for the successful Laurier Administration to please the wordy baronet, no matter how earnestly they attempt the difficult achievement.

Under the new bill, London will have one member for the whole city, as at present municipally constituted. London is almost populous enough for two members. If not today, our showing ought surely to be sufficient after the next census. Middlesex will furnish three ridings, but each riding will be composed only of Middlesex material.

It may be said, O, but the partisan Senate will throw the bill out! We do not think so. It has no legitimate reading advertisements by the line, no right to interfere with a redistribution measure relating to the other House, especially a measure so nonpartisan, one in which no attempt whatever to obtain party advantage can be shown. If the Senate throws such a House of Commons bill out, so much the worse for the Senate. But we do not believe it will do so.

The C. P. R.'s Nest Egg.

Few people who take into account the remarkable progress that has overtaken Western Canada are astonished to find that the stock of the Canadian Pacific Railway has risen above par for the first time in the history of that great national highway. Indeed, even the most sanguine, a few years ago, did not dare to hope for the steady and strong development judgment displayed in this one church witnessed in the last two years in of business throughout the country. The land is the backbone of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and the more prosperous the settler, the greater will be the influx of newcomers, and the more valuable the assets of the railway. The original grant to the Canadian Pacific Railway was 25,000,000 acres, but in 1886, when the terms were rearranged, 6,793,014 acres of this quantity were surrendered to the Dominion Government. This left 18,206,986 acres in the possession of the company. To this was added the Souris land grants of 1,-601,520 acres, making 19,818,506 in all. Up to Dec. 31, 1898, the company had sold 3,921,756 acres of these lands, leaving 15,896,750 acres of the C. P. R. land grants unsold. In addition to this, however, the C. P. R. authorities, having taken over the Manitoba and Southwestern Railway, have 1,069,-637 acres of land grant for its construction unsold. It has 187,792 acres, obtained for a similar purpose, for the Columbia and Kootenay, and it will receive through the British Columbia Southern Railway about 3,350,000 acres, or 20,504,179 acres in all.

It must be remembered that the 15,-896.750 acres of the original grant unsold consists of the choicest lands in Manitoba and the Northwest, for by its charter the company was given sections along the route of its line where the land was up to the standard, but it was also given the power to choose blocks elsewhere in all cases where it was not satisfied with the quality of the soil. As to the value of the land and the prospect of selling it at a paying price, the recent great increase in immigration into the Dominion has told in a marked degree on the disposal of the company's lands. The number of acres sold by the company out of its original land grant up to Dec. 31 last was 3,954,849, and of this 248,608 was disposed of last year, or almost double the quantity sold in 1897. The company has not raised the price per acre, being more anxious to increase its traffic by the effective settlement of its lands than to obtain fancy prices for them. The lands sold last year averaged \$3 22 per acre, as

against \$3 33% in 1897. Some idea may be obtained of the territorial possessions of the C. P. R. by contrasting them with the cultivated area of this great Province of Ontario. In this Province, according to the last report, there are assessed 22,174,899 acres, of which 12,671,851 are cleared, 7,264,167 acres are woodland, and 2,336,390 acres are swamp or marsh. From this statement it will be seen that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company has yet to sell good land to the extent of over 4,000,000 more than the entire area of cleared land in the Province of Ontario. This is a nest egg which will become more valuable as the years roll by, and shows how much reserve force the company possesses. It has been said that the C. P. R. is the largest landowning corporation in the world, and

the evidence seems to warrant it. It

is fortunate for Canada that the amount of good land available for settlement and ready to be given out in free grant lots in 160 acres to every adult male, far exceeds the possessions of the company. This will keep the price of the company's holdings at a moderate figure for many years to come. The company, indeed, as we have pointed out, is more anxious to sell to desirable settlers, who will cultivate the soil, and thus make traffic for the road, than to hold for a rise. In this view, we think, it exhibits wisdom.

Importing Pulpit Talent.

The Stratford Beacon protests against the practice of Canadian churches calling pastors from abroad. The Beacon has special reference to St. Andrew's Church, Toronto. The implication that no Canadian is strong enough to fill that pulpit is, it says, in striking contrast to the action of the people from the United States in seeking Canadian clergymen.

The Beacon is right in saying that there are ministers in active work and students coming out of our theological colleges capable of filling any Canadian pulpit, but we do not think matters would be improved by interfering with the free choice of congregations. The question is to be brought before the General Assembly by the Stratford Presbytery. We think this is a mistake. Were a religious body in the United States or Great Britain to put itself on record as opposed to the admission of foreign clergymen, the sentimen't would be regarded here as selfish and illiberal, and rightly so. The fact that our neighbors are always seeking Canadian pulpit talent shows that they are not animated by that spirit. Free trade is the proper principle; the Canadian ministry cannot demand protection at home while so many Canadian clergymen take advantage of the open door abroad. At the same time a congregation has no moral right to discriminate against native talent merely because it is native. There is often an unfounded preference for foreigners, but we do not think it is strong or widespread enough to work to the prejudice of the Canadian ministry. We never knew a Canadian minister of genuine power who was not in demand somewhere and who did not eventually reach his level.

The case of St. Andrew's is an isolated one. That congregation deserves little sympathy in its affectation of superiority. Its last imported pastor made the church a stepping stone to a higher salary in the United States. The people of St. Andrew's should have had some better warrant for calling him than the mere glamor of a reputation. Now they are again giving Canada the go-by and have lines out for an English celebrity. Still the illdoes not justify outside interference or dictation, or the assertion of a narrow principle such as the Stratford Presbytery evidently favors.

No Gerrymander.

The Redistribution Act is a remedial bill of the right sort.

The new Redistribution Act is based on Sir John A. Macdonald's first principles. But the Act avoids Sir John's later practices.

If the apple of discord is thrown among the delegates at the peace conference they will probably find it labeled Alsace-Lorraine.

From an artistic point of view the new electoral map of Ontario will be a distinct improvement. The act of 1882 left it like a crazy-quilt.

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What a freak the county of Middlesex is for Dominion purposes! It takes in a slice of Huron on the north, Lambton on the west and Elgin on the south. No decent fair-minded man can defend this butchery. The Government have done well to decree that the natural county lines shall be restored.

The Canadians we find a little hard to trade with, and a little close in a bargain, but it is good to have an English-speaking people, so much the masters of their destiny and affairs, close at hand, and in the main well disposed toward us .- Washington Star. The Americans we find almost impossible to trade with, and very close in a bargain, but it is good to have an English-speaking people close at hand who are at last well disposed toward the British race.

The late Prof. Drummond, the distinguished Scottish author, was a warm friend of the Earl and Countess of Aberdeen, and if we mistake not visited them in their vice-regal home at Ottawa shortly before his death. They have now received the sanction of the town council of Glasgow to place in the public gardens of that city a memorial fountain to the memory of the Professor. The fountain will have a profile of Dr. Drummond in bas-relief. This is a very appropriate memorial to set up in a thirsty city like the Scottish commercial metropolis.

The British Government have for the time being laid aside the question of providing old-age pensions, a matter which was much in evidence at the last general election. A royal commission has now been promised by Mr. Chamberlain, who was understood to be pledged to provide old-age pensions without further ado, and it may be expected to keep on considering the prospered from small beginnings, was

subject till after the next general election. In the House of Commons the other night. Mr. Asquith sarcastically charged the colonial secretary with breach of promise in having given the electors to understand prior to last general election that he had an old-age pension scheme ready for use as soon as his party was returned to power. Mr. Chamberlain replied, greatly to the amusement of the House, that he had not made a promise, only a proposal. How keen the member for Birmingham is at hair splitting when it suits his purpose!

What Others Say.

Quite Another Matter. [Detroit Tribune.]

It is easy enough to elect honest men to office as Gov. Roosevelt suggests; but it's often another matter to keep 'em honest after they're elected.

> A Tower of Language. [Toronto Telegram.]

Oh, why will not Sir Hibbert Tupper learn to briefly hit the Laurier Government on the head with the grievances which he now uses as a foundation for a babel tower of language?

> The Nine Points of Law. [Kingston News.]

The nine points of the law are thus concisely, if somewhat cynically given: (1) A good deal of money; (2) a good deal of patience; (3) a good cause; (4) a good lawyer; (5) a good counsel; (6) good witnesses; (7) a good jury; (8) a good judge; (9) good luck.

Light and Shade.

The Smiths.

Witner (shortly after the introduction)—I beg your pardon, miss—I didn't catch your name? Miss Smith
—That's strange. Why, it's epidemic!" -Brooklyn Life.

Cornish Wisdom. An old Cornish woman, who had

asked how she got on so well. "Ah, you see, sir," said she, "most people be allus thinking of what they do want; but I and my old man, we allus thinking of what we can do without."

His Measure.

"Pa," said little Tommy, "what does the paper mean by calling Mr. Jones an eight-by-ten politician?" "I think, my boy, it means he is not exactly square," replied Tommy's

An Old Habit.

"Why on earth," said the Billvills subscriber, "does the editor of a news-paper say 'we,' instead of 'I'?" 'I don't know," replied the managing "It is an old custom; but think it dates from the time when the first newspaper editor got married .-Atlanta Constitution.

Safest Plan for Hiram.

"Well," said the mother of the family, "the ball game must be over. Here comes Hiram through the back alley." "Through the back alley?" echoed he caller. "Then the club he belongs to must have lost the game."
"That's no indication. He always comes home that way. He's the umpire."-Chicago Tribune.

Not With Safety. Primus-Dynamite is the most wonderful invention of the age. Secundus-Why?

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Nicholas for Peace COLD WEATHER

Impressions

Gained From a Personal Interview With the Czar.

Agitation for a State-Owned Pacific Cable Carnegie's Big Dinner-Doings at The Hague-A Peaceful Spot.

The Hague, May 20.-William T. Stead, the noted journalist and author, Who has been accorded a personal interview with the czar, says: "So far from regarding war with the United States as the inevitable destiny of Europe, the czar expressed the utmost confidence that the American delegates will stand by those of Russia, France and England in securing the establishment or some definite, practical system of international arbitration for all disputes turning on questions of law, on interpretation of teachers or on investigation of questions of fact. The czar also believes the Americans will favor recognition of the principle of arbitration in all questions involving national honor and interest.

ARBITRATION. "The tribunal which it is hoped will issue from the conference for the settlement of questions 'du droit,' probably be found on the same principles as those which have worked so successfully in the postal telegraph and international railway bureaus at Berne, Switzerland. That is to say, & small body of jurists and practical men chosen from one or more of the minor powers would be authorized to

deal with such questions in the name

MODE OF MEDIATION. "The question of mediation to be proposed is simply an extension of the clause of the treaty of Paris whereby the powers agreed, in the case of the Turkish question, to invoke the mediation of other powers before fighting. By the establishment of this principle the powers would voluntarily refer serious disputes to arbitration and the mediation of such powers as they might choose. It will be proposed that each power name one of its highest court judges to act as permanent arbitrator, who shall always be at the service of the other powers when invited, thus effacing politics and other influences in the selection of members of the court of arbitration.

UNITED STATES OF EUROPE. "While the 'United States of Europe' is still far in the future, yet the czar's ideas are all tending toward that. He is in earnest about checking arma-ments, and he hopes for great beneficial results from the conference. It is Germany which is the stumblingblock on the limitation of armaments. France is thoroughly with Russia. Russia, America, Engiand and France will be able, I think, to rule the conference. WILLIAM T. STEAD." ference.

A PEACEFUL SPOT. London, May 20 .- The correspondent of the Standard at The Hague says: A more peaceful corner of the world it would be hard to find than that in which stands the palace where the conference sessions will be held. The octagonal hall lends itself to an admirable arrangement, the center aisle marked with the names of the nations alphabetically. The hour of assembling was 2 o'clock, and M. de Beaufort, followed by his Excellency Yang Yu, the Chinese representative, in a rich robe of peacock blue, was first to arrive. A little later came Sir Julian Pauncefote and Mr. Seth Low, whose views regarding Anglo-American arbitration encourage hopes of a wider scheme After them came Mr. Andrew White and Capt. Mahan, the latter wearing the dark blue uniform of the servic of which he is the literary expert. As the other delegates entered the steps the gavel opened the proceedings.

THE PROGRAMME.

The chiefs of the different delegations to the peace conference met yesterday to discuss the business to be transacted today. Three committees are to deal with the respective groups of questions proposed for discussion, namely, disarmament, laws of warfare and mediation and arbitration.

Queen Wilhelmina and the queenmother will arrive here on Tuesday evening, and will be received in great state. Her majesty will give a grand soirce on Wednesday in honor of the delegates to the peace conference.

THE ARMENIAN QUESTION. London, May 20 .- The Anglo-Armen-

Rheumatic

Torture

South American Rheu-

matic Cure Cures in

1 to 3 Days.

Solomon Woodworth, of Hope-well Hill, N.B., is rescued from a deplorably helpless condition, induced

by the agonies of rheumatism. Mr. Woodworth had contracted rheumatism of the severest form and in a very short time was incapacitated for

work—for weeks he could get no rest
—suffered the most violent pains in his
arms and shoulders—grew worse and

felt he could not live, so terrible were

his sufferings-his arms became per-

fectly helpless. He began taking South American Rheumatic Cure—

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relieve in six hours.

William T. Stead Gives His | ian Association, of which the Duke of Westminster is president, has memorialized the Marquis of Salisbury urging the desirability of the conference at The Hague settling the Armenian question. The association has also addressed an informal com-munication to Washington, "feeling assured that the close co-operation of the English-speaking nations in a work for the benefit of mankind is ardently desired on both sides of the Atlantic."

THE PACIFIC CABLE

It is understood that the representations of Lord Strathcona and the other agents-general to Mr. Chamberlain regarding the Pacific cable are almed at inducing the Imperial Gov-ernment to act on the report of Lord Selborne's committee in favor of a state-owned and state-maintained

The announcement in the Times from Ottawa that the Canadian Government has no intention of introducing a general insolvency law creates disappointment in Anglo-Canadian trade circles. CARNEGIE'S DINNER.

It is learned that Andrew Carnegie is preparing invitations to an antiexpansion dinner, to be held in London in June, to include Senator Hoare, Bishop Potter, Carl Schurz, Thomas B. Reed and others prominently identified with the opposition to colonial expansion by the United States.

EARL MALMESBURY DEAD. The Earl of Malmesbury, who was recently stricken with apoplexy, is dead. He was born in 1842. He was a Conservative, a retired lieutenant-colonel of the Royal Irish Rifles, the author of several philological works, and was employed as a diplomatist of the first rank at the courts of Madrid, Berlin, St. Petersburg, The Hague and Paris. He was formerly aide-de-camp of Gen. Sir John Mitchell, commandof, and with the authority of, the powers composing his conference. ing in Canada, in 1866, and later he was aide-de-camp to the Governor of Mauritius.

CHOLERA FOLLOWS PLAGUE. London, May 20.-It is announced in a special dispatch from Allahabad, capital of the northwest provinces, that a serious epidemic of cholera has followed in the wake of the plague. At Kurrachoo, the principal seaport town of Sinde, the dispatch adds, there were 64 deaths Thursday from cholera. AGREES WITH CANADA.

Sydney, N. S. W., May 20.-The cabinet here, after considering the Pacific cable propositions, has disagreed with the imperial proposals, and has agreed with the Canadian idea, that the cable should jointly be owned and not subsidized. This decision has been telegraphed to the other colonial governments.

THOSE JOHANNESBURG ARRESTS In the House of Commons, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, gave the names, and the identity of the men arrested at Johannesburg. All of them, excepting Tremlett and Fries, were former seaboard. non-commissioned officers in the British army. He added that President agent at Pretoria that there was no proof that the prisoners were British officers, and that in any case the incident would not be allowed to dis-(Cheers.)

CABLE NOTES.

An imperial ukase, just issued, dimust only meet every four years. The mayor of Southampton has preented to Capt. Watkins and the other officers and crew of the steamer Paris medals and gifts in recognition of their rescue of the crew, consisting of 22 men, of the British steamer Vindo-

bala, on Dec. 27 last, in mid-ocean. Nothing is known in Copenhagen as to the reported discovery of a letter written by Prof. Andree, the missing the northern coast of Iceland.

JOHN BURTON'S FUNERAL. Hamilton, May 20.-The remains of the late John Burton, New York re-presentative of the G. T. R., who died in Portland, Me., arrived here Thursday evening in a special car, and the funeral took place on Friday. Deceased's three sons, Harry, George and Walter, and John Little, of the G. T. R. freight department, Montreal, accompanied the remains. A large num-

funeral. A GREAT HELP. "It is cherishing our illusions that

ber of G. T. R. employes attended the

keeps us young." "Yes, especially if we hold on to the illusion that we are still young."-Chicago Record.

The Business Situation in Canada and Over the Border.

Wheat and Wool Command Higher Prices-Hardware Booming.

New York, May 20. — Bradstreet's weekly review says: Weather conditions have not favored Canadian trade this week, and Montreal reports business not as active as expected, with cold weather checking retail demand. Hardware, paints and building materials are all active, but the advance in woolens has checked orders. Toronto reports a fair business doing for a dull month. Wool is especially dull, 75 per cent of the year's crop still out of consumers' hands and the new clip smaller than a year ago. In the Maritime Provinces trade is slow. Victoria reports better returns from the sealing trade, and prices of skins rising. Business failures in the Dominion numbered 18, against 21 last week and 36 in this week a year ago.

Dun & Co. say: St. John reports business conditions satisfactory, especially in lumber, the mills being all busy and some working overtime. A new pulp mill goes into operation the first of next month, and another is to be Wolfgill, Hamilton; Mrs. G. W. Barberected. Unfavorable weather disturbs er, St. George; Mrs. J. G. Goble, Woodbusiness at Toronto, but hardware and metal trades are good, and the demand for building materials is increasing. General trade continues satisfactory at Quebec and Montreal, and the latter reports good collections, with ship-ments of dairy products commencing well. Hardware is active at Halifax, and on a better paying business than for some years. Grocery houses are doing well, and a good demand is reported for drygoods, clothing and boots and shoes. Jobbers note some improvement at Winnipeg, but most lines are yet slow, although the implement trade is active. Trade is quiet at Vancouver in retail and above average in wholesale for outside points. Wholesale trade is only fair at Victoria, but collections continue satisfactory.

ON THE OTHER SIDE.

New York, May 20.—Bradstreet's says: The feature of the trade situation this week is the renewed strength of wheat and other cereals, iron and steel, and last, but not least, raw wool. which has heretofore lagged behind other staples in a discouraging way. The price-making features in cereals are not entirely of an encouraging character, being chiefl, the less favorable reports as to the growing crop west and northwest, and advices of insect damage influencing western markets towards a higher plane, in face of a discouragingly small export business, caused in some degree by the continuance of the strike of grain handlers at Buffalo, checking the movement of large quantities of grain to the

Foreign wool markets continue above American companies. Heavy sales of had informed the British Australian wools for re-export are reported, and available supplies of this class of wool are nearly exhausted at Boston.

R. G. Dun & Co. say: Wheat has turb the friendly relations existing. been rising during the past week about Bill Watson, a notorious horse thief, 10,569,006, flour included, against 8,135,- escaped and another posse is in purrects that the Finnish Diet hereafter 124 last year. Better shipments were suit. expected after the opening of navigation, and there is really no sidering the statements of western spe-year-old son of the late Ward Leavitt culators and crop reports at this time. shot himself on Wednesday afternoon, No one can form a fair judgment at | His death was the result of a rifle shot, the middle of May regarding the out-put, which will be visible to everybody was wealthy, and had no trouble that in the middle of July. The best that his friends knew of. His father suicidcan be done is to accept the crop reports. official and otherwise, with al- throat. Arctic explorer, said to have been most indefinite allowances. Better found in a bottle early last month on shipments are expected after the opening of navigation, and are in fact day afternoon two fairly well dressed coming, the outward movement from men, strangers, were on the suspension Duluth alone in two weeks reaching bridge across the river here looking at rain in California has caused a large one of them either jumped, fell or was reduction in all estimates for that pushed by his companion off the bridge, state, and Pacific reports are decreas- and was carried away and drowned. ing, as holders are less ready to accept A woman asked his companion what current prices with the prospect of a had become of his friend. He replied been 147 in the United States, against 250 last year, and 17 in Canada, against 29 last year.

SECOND DAY'S

Of Baptist Women's Missionary Societies' Convention.

The Work in Foreign Fields—The Needs of India-Increased Thank-Offerings-The Officers,

Ingersoll, May 19.—The closing ses-sions of the Baptist Women's Missionary Society were devoted to foreign missions, Mrs. Booker, Woodstock, president of the W. F. M. S., presiding. Mrs. Booker, the president, gave her address, during which she thanked the ladies heartily for their prayers and sympathy. The reports of the work-

ers had been very cheering. The twenty-third annual report of the recording secretary was read. At the first meeting of the newly appointed board in May appropriations amounting to \$6,573 43 were passed.

An appeal was read from the confer ence in India, asking that two single ladies be sent out in the fall of 1899. The sum of \$500 had been offered towards the expense of one young lady. This would pay her salary for the first year, but \$350 would be required to pay her passage out. It was also reported that \$2,500 was needed for a new bungalow for the single missionaries. The amount was provided by Mrs. T. M. Harris at a subsequent meeting of the executive.

Miss Morrow, of Greenville, Que., was appointed as missionary to India. The corresponding secretary was ap-pointed a member of the committee of the world's missionary convention, and also to represent the society at the convention in New York in 1900. A decided increase in thank-offering contributions was reported. Eighty-nine circles contributed \$667 95, seven bands contributed \$31 14, other organizations contributed \$23 60, individuals contributed \$2; total, \$724 69, an increase over last year of \$123 57. Eight life members have been added during the year, making a total

The treasurer's report showed the total receipts to have been \$122 90, which had been expended in mission work in foreign fields. Returns had been received from 196 circles and 100

THE LINK. Mrs. Newman gave the report of the

Link. The receipts for the year were \$1,601 51, including a balance of \$199 81 from the previous year.

Expenses for the year were \$887 21. Miss Tapscott, secretary of the mission bands, reported that the work had been cheering. There were 112 bands, 100 of which had raised \$996 97 for the foreign missions this year, an in-crease of \$91 77, over last year; 73 bands contributed \$446 80 to home missions, an increase over last year of \$58 66, or a total increase of \$149 83. Mrs. H. S. Stark, of Toronto, read a very interesting and instructive

paper on Bolivia. Greetings from sister societies were then heard as follows: From Miss Baxter, on behalf of the Presbyterian Foreign Missionary Society; from Mrs. McCoughey, on behalf of the Episcopalian Society, and from Mrs. (Dr.) Williams, on behalf of the Women's Missionary Auxiliary of the Methodist Church. Greetings were also received from the Canada Congregational Board, China Inland, Eastern Convention of Ontario and Quebec, Manitoba and Northwest, the McAll Mission and the society in the Maritime Provinces. The closing address was given by Prof. J. H. Farmer on "Our Need, Personal and Impersonal," and was most eloquent and inspiring.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The nominating committee brought in the following report, which was adopted: Officers for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Booker; first vice-president, Mrs. I. M. Harris; second vicepresident, Mrs. Freeland; recording secretary, Miss Moyle; members of board, Mrs. Thomas White, Brant-ford; Mrs. G. Hill, Brantford; Mrs.

Mrs. Buchanan, the corresponding secretary, read an interesting report of the year's work. The report was adopted. The main feature of the afternoon session was an address by Mrs. J. A. K. Walker, of Paddapuram, India, on "Wives and Mothers," in which she told of the arduous and trying duties of the missionary wives and mothers in India.

RESOLUTIONS.

It was resolved "That, if a change in holding the general convention takes place, the date of this convention be changed to correspond, and that the next meeting of the convention be held in the fall of 1900."

It was also resolved "That we place ourselves on record as in perfect accord with that body in its efforts to preserve for Ontario the Lord's Day inviolate from labor and pleasure; also that we, as far as possible, will join with them in their campaign against the deadly cigarette, and in their efforts to secure for women equal suffrage with men; also, moreover, that we believe it to be the idea of the Master that men and women alike shall undertake the duties of citizenship."

A hearty vote of thanks to the ladies of Ingersoll for their warm welcome was also unanimously carried.

DR. ESMOND SHOT BY A THIEF

The Notorious Bill Watson Kills a Respected Citizen-Suicide of a Boy-Drunken Man Breaks His Neck.

SHOT BY A HORSE THIEF Wichita, Kansas, May 20.-Dr. Esmond, a member of a posse seeking 4 cents, nobody can tell why, although was shot and killed by the latter the exports in the past weeks have been northwest of Shawnee, Okla. The gang

BOY COMMITS SUICIDE. Vankleek Hill, Ont., May 20,-The 18ed three years ago by cutting his

MYSTERIOUS DROWNING.

St. John, N. B., May 20 .- On Thursnearly four million bushels. Lack of the seething water 100 feet below, when shortage. Failures for the week have that he had jumped in for a swim. The man then coolly walked away. BROKE HIS NECK.

St. Thomas, May 20 .- Albert Smith, teamster, fell down stairs in the Victoria block in the west end some time during the night, and was killed, his neck being broken. John Waldo, living in the block, opened his door to take the milk from the milkman, when the latter informed him that a man was lying at the foot of the stairs. Mr Waldo informed P. C. Palmerston, and the officer found that he was dead Smith was about 35 years of age, and was a heavy drinker.

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SHORT LIVED TRIUMPH. Ahemed Effendi, the former Turkish ambassador in Berlin, when entertaining company was in the habit of distributing sweets among the ladies present. On one occasion he gave a certain lady two or three times as much as the rest. She, vain of her triumph, got an interpreter to inquire the reason of his preference.
"Because her mouth is twice as large as that of the other ladies," was the reply.-Tid-Bits.

LIFE SAVED-Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice I procured the medicine. and less than half a bottle cured me; I certainly believe it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me good.

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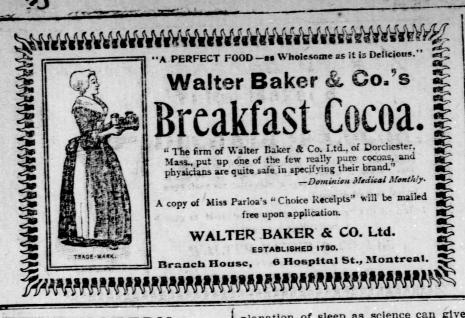
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The most wonderful events in the world are the most common. If the sun appeared, says Cariyle, only once in a long term of years, how excited everybody would be. But the miracle takes piace every day unregarded. The most wonderful thing that happens to man from the cradle to the grave is also a daily event, and it excites hardly any wonder or curiosity. The phenomenon of sleep. We go to bed at night and expect sleep, as a matter of course. It approaches us with no sense of surprise or apprehension on our part; we pass within the ivory gate with as little concern as we walk down the street, and yet sleep is as wonderful as death, to which not a few poets have likened it. Only the confirmed victim of insomnia realizes its beneficent influence, to the rest it is as commonplace as breakfast. And yet sleep is not only the protoundest mystery we know, but it is the result that the accompaniment of the most remarkable changes in our bodies, themselves also subjects of deepest wonder. These changes are described in a very interesting paper in the April number of Harper's Magazine by Dr. Andrew

Wilson. The first fact relating to sleep is that the sum total of our energy is reduc-ed; or, as Dr. Wilson puts it, "the living engine slows down, as it were, and banks up its fires, so that its pulsations are sufficient, not for actual labor, but for merely maintaining the passive flow of force within the organism."
Whether this reduction of the play of bodily force causes or merely accompanies sleep it might be hard to say. It is a beautiful thought in "The Ancient Mariner" that sleep is a blessed influence descending from above, but we suppose science will not listen to that, though it is not incompatible with the idea of the preparation for sleep by the bodily forces. The scientific state-ment would be that there is a general displacement and rearrangement of molecules, but that does not help us much, for the movements of molecules are unintelligible as an ultimate expression of why things are so and so. Then the work of the glands is slack-ened, they are not called on to secrete

from 6 a.m. to 10 or 11 a.m., increases at a slower rate from that time to 6 p.m., and then falls, reaching the minimum point at about 4 a.m. It is probable, by the way, that colds are often caught in bed at this last hour, especially by restless sleepers, who partially divest themselves of their bedclothes, and so are exposed at the very time when the body demands the greatest protection. At this hour, too, the tissue changes are reduced to a minimum. The pulsations of the engine are in a word at their feeblest gine are, in a word, at their feeblest. The brain becomes paler, the appearance of even the ruddlest people grows more pallid, the resemblance to death is more apparent, so that it seems natural to speak of the dead as asleep, and to say with Shelley in "Queen

> How wonderful is Death, Death and his brother Sleep!

A learned author quoted by Dr. Wilson attributes the real cause of sleep to "the changes which the nerve elements of the brain undergo as the result of fatigue." But Dr. Wilson himself holds that it is in the brain cells that we shall probably find such ex-

planation of sleep as science can give us. It is known today that the brain is composed of hundreds of millions of cells, each an independent unit, though all united in a greater and more com-plex unity. He suggests that this unity of action is accomplished by the trans-mission of impulses from one cell to another, by temporary contract of the fibres, and this would be the normal condition of things in what we may call "business hours," when the telephonic exchanges between the cells are in full operation. But, "when the business of the day is over, and the central telegraphic or telephonic extended the property of the longer occupied with its change is no longer occupied with its busy work, we can conversely imagine the withdrawal of the processes of the cells, and of their breaking their connections for a brief season, which is devoted to their recuperation." This season of recuperation is what we know as sleep.

This is an ingenious and interesting theory, and is, we suppose, quite in accord with the latest scientific investigation. It may be said, in passing, that there seems no reason why physiology should not devote more energy than it has done to the investigation of the problem of sieep, so much in regard to human health depends upon accurate knowledge of its conditions. If we could induce sleep without the use of drugs what a brighter world it would be for many who now suffer those prolonged and dreary tortures which only the sleepless know. We are, of course, aware that hypnotism and mesmerism are powerful agencies for putting patients to sleep; but even they sometimes fail, and they are as objectionable as drugs. If the problem lies in securing the quiescence of the brain cells, or, in the metaphor of Dr. Wilson, in the shutting off of the telephonic exchange, it ought not to be impossible for science to get at that part of the human organism, witness its condition and devise means for the breaking of the contacts which maintain brain activity.

But all this science, interesting and useful as it is, leaves the mystery where it was. We see clearly what physiological phenomena accompany physiological phenomena accompany sleep, but what of sleep itself, what of the human soul, lately so active, now buried in a repose as still as death? Does the soul itself, as it were, sleep? Does it, like the body, need re-What happens to the mental and moral powers of man when over-come by slumber? Is the mind liberated from the bonds of time and place, and can it visit then "worlds not realized"? What of the strange phenomena of our dreams, wherein ordinary and familiar secular events connected palpably with some of our daily experi-ences are either blended with others not so connected or are turned upside down, and are presented in an un-meaning fantasy which, nevertheless, normal conseems natural? Is our fu so many products from the blood.

The most striking fact is the change in temperature. The temperature of the human body rises at a quick rate the human body rises at a quick rate. Is out full format constitution of the dream could not be so incongruous and impossible. Yet a partial consciousness there must be, or we could not recall the dream in the morning. And what of those strangest, but well-atwhat of those strangest, but well-attested of all dreams, in which the dreamer sees with vivid intensity an event in the future: If the sleeping form held the complete and normal consciousness with the brain functions in the usual way, one would suppose the activity of the connected brain cells to be more than usually vigorous in the light of such an astounding exin the light of such an astounding experience; yet the very sleep in which the dream occurs depends, we are told, in the quiescence of these cells. Can it be possible, then, that in sleep, whatever the physical accompaniments, the soul loes become at least partly liberated, finding the cells for the time useless as functioning organs? In a trance is this liberation still more completely effected? And in death, is the liberation final and complete? We know nothing, perhaps we never shall know, but to us the problem of sleep can never be solved on any mere material ground. All the scientific problems lead up to the mysterious problems of spirit.

A man's head is apt to feel light when he has a heavy load on.

HOW TO USE A REVOLVER

Better Take a Club Uniess You Are an

[St. Louis Globe-Democrat.] When Samantha sends you down ceiwhen Samanus when samanus a burglar, do not go with a lamp in one hand and a revolver in the other. Of course, it is not likely that there is any burglar at all; but if there should be, he has every advantage, being on the alert and knowing just where to expect you, while you are fuddled with sleep and do not know where he may be. To carry a light is simply suicidal, for a man in pitch darkness can aim as accurately at a light as he can at a bullseye in the daytime.

A revolver is the most difficult of all firearms to master, and unless you have fired thousands of shots with one at targets till you have learned how to at targets, till you have learned how to at targets, the you have learned how to shoot straight, you had better rely upon a club. The best weapon for house defense is a short-barreled cylinder bore repeating shotgun (commonly called "riot gun"). With a charge of buckshot you are much more likely to hit an object in the dark than with a single bullet, and it gives a paralyzing, knockdown blow, whereas a pistol bullet seldom puts a man out of action before he can strike back. Fill the magazine with shells loaded with buckshot, but leave the chamber of the gun empty. Then it is safe to keep about the house, for if a child or ignorant person gets hold of it he cannot discharge the piece by snapping it, but must first throw the lever, which requires some the lever, which requires some strength. The gun is always ready for instant use by simply pumping a shell into the chamber from the magazine, and then you have several shots in reserve. To bag a burglar without lisk to yourself, open a window command-ing the yard, have your wife raise an outcry from the other end of the house, and when the criminal dashes out alm Never use smokeless powder except

strictly according to the maker's direc-There are three distinct classes of smokeless powders, namely, shotgun nitro, low-pressure rifle nitro, and highpressure rifle nitro. The first is intended for shotguns only. It is quick-burning, and on this account dangerous to use in rifles. Do not fancy that be-cause a rifle barrel is so much thicker than a shotgun barrel you can use any kind of powder in it. A charge of shot in the large bore of the shotgun offers much less resistance than a solid and tightly-fitting bullet, and it is not so much the amount of powder in a gun as the amount of resistance to its expansion that endangers its bursting. Smokeless powder is practically gun-cotton tamed down, its explosive principle being nitro-glycerine or a similar nitro product. The low-pressure variety is purposely reduced in strength so as to give the same pressure, under normal circumstances, as the same bulk of black gunpowder. It may be used in any rifle.

But high-pressure nitro is vastly stronger, and will burst an ordinary soft steel barrel. I have seen a heavy target rifle blown to fragments by it. although the barrel was more than half an inch thick around the bore. Highpressure powder is intended exclusively for special military and sporting rifles having barrels of nickel-steel, with a tensile strength of at least 60,000 pounds to the inch. Such guns are safe when properly used, but the ammunition is so different from the old black powder cartridges that you should not experi-ment in reloading it unless you have special training. So many guns of this description are now sold that a few words of warning will not be amiss.

Do not try to make expanding bullets out of the full-jacketed ones by filing off the points to expose the head. Britbefore the dum-dum bullets were manufactured, but it is a hazardous experi-

ish soldiers are said to have done this ment for the following reasons: The Because I seek Thee not, oh, seek Thou regular soft-point bullets now made by the cartridge factories have a tacket covers the base of the bullet completely, leaving the lead exposed at the point, but the hard mantle of a full-jacketed bullet is reversed, covering the point, but not the head. Consequently, if you file off the point of a full-jacketed bullet nothing is left of the mantle but a thimble covering the bearing surface. Now, when such a bullet is fired the charge of high-pres-sure powder drives it forward with tremendous energy, but the steel thimble is so hard, and the bullet fits the bore so tightly that great friction is generated, tending to hold the projectile The result of these two forces is that the lead core is likely to be driven through the thimble, leaving the latter sticking in the bore of the and if another shot is then fired the rifle is likely to burst. This would scarcely be the case with black gunpowder, which exerts a fairly uniform pressure, and would probably only drive out the thimble, ringing but not bursting the barrel. But smokeless powder is, as I have said, largely composed of nitro-glycerine. It will burn quiet-ly in the open air, and will explode moderately when subjected to reason able pressure, but when it meets sudden and firm resistance it detonates with terrific violence. The effect of bursting a gun barrel with smokeless powder is far more disastrous than that of bursting with an overcharge of black powder, the mere report being sufficient to crack a man's ear-drums and make him permanently deaf, even

TOADS ARE USEFUL

Farmers Should Whip the Lad That Kills 'Em.

That the toad is beneficial to the farmer, and particularly to the gardener, is admitted by everyone wno has observed its habits. Additional facts have been secured by recent observations of the Massachusetts experiment station, which show 11 per cent of the toad's food is composed of insects and spiders beneficial or indirectly helpful to man, and 80 per cent of insects and other animals directly injurious to cultivated crops or in other ways obnoxious to man. The toad feeds on worms, snails, sow bugs, common green-house pests, and the many legged worms which damage greenhouse and garden plots. It feeds to some extent on grasshoppers and crickets, and destroys large numbers of ants. It consumes a considerable number of May beetles, rose-chasers, click-beetles, or adults of the wire-morm, potato beetles and cucumber beetles. It is a prime destroyer of cutworms and army worms.

To all agriculturists the toad renders conspicuous service, but the gard-eners and green-house owners may make this animal of especial value. Every gardener should aim to keep a colony of toads among his growing crops, and the practice of collecting and transferring them to the gardens is a commendable one. While the sense of locality is strong in the toad, and it will often return over considerable distances to its original haunts, yet it may be induced to remain in new quarters if there is a sufficient food supply. Many farmers provide toads with artificial shelters, made by digging shallow holes in the ground and partially covering them with a bit of board or flat stones. In such places toads will often remain for many days,

owls, and, worst of all, small boys, who stone and kill many of them. Dr. F. C. Hodge states that he found 200 dead and wounded toads in a single day on the shores of a small pond on the grounds of Clark University. The loud cry of the toad at spawning time readily betrays its presence, and small boys, and sometimes those of larger growth, gravitate toward the pools as naturally as do the toads themselves. There have been excellent laws enacted to protect insectivorous birds. Why should there not be a stringent leg-islation against the destruction of toads?-American Agriculturist.

00000000000000000 The Poets.

The Stopping of the Clock. Surprising falls the instantaneous calm, The sudden silence in my chamber small:

I, starting, lift my head in half alarm— The clock has stopped—that's all.

The clock has stopped! Yet why have I so found An instant feeling almost like dismay? note its silence sooner than its

sound? For it has ticked all day.

So may a life beside my own go on, And such companionship unheeded Companionship scarce recognized till

And lost in sudden sleep And so the blessings heaven daily

grants Are in their very commonness forgot; We little heed what answereth our wants-Until it answers not.

A strangeness falleth on familiar ways, As if some pulse were gone beyond recall-Something unthought of, linked with

all our days—
Some clock has stopped—that's all. -Youth's Companion.

00 The Northwest Canada.

Oh, would ye hear, and would ye hear Of the windy, wide Northwest? Faith! 'tis a land as green as the sea, That rolls as far and rolls as free, With drifts of flowers, so many there

Where the cattle roam and rest.

Oh, could ye see, and could ye see The great gold skies so clear, The rivers that race through the pineshade dark. The mountainous snows that take no Sunlit and high on the Rockies stark,

So far they seem as near. Then could ve feel, and could ye feel

How fresh is a Western night! When the long land breezes rise and pass. And sigh in the rustling prairie grass, When the dark blue skies are clear as

glass.

And the same old stars are bright. But could ye know, and forever know The word of the young Northwest!

word she breathes to the true and bold. A word misknown to the false and cold, A word that never was spoken or sold, But the one that knows is blest.

-Moira O'Neill. Help Thou Mine Unbelief.

Because my lips are dumb, oh, hear

I do not utter as Thou passest by, And from my lifelong bondage set me Because content I perish, far from Thee;

Oh, seize me, snatch me from my fate, and try My soul in Thy consuming fire; draw And let me, blinded, Thy salvation see.

If I were pouring at Thy feet my tears-If I were clamoring to see Thy face, I should not need Thee, Lord, as now I need.

Whose dumb, dead soul knows neither hopes nor fears,
Nor dreads the outer darkness of this place-

Because I seek not, pray not, give Thou heed! -Louise Chandler Moulton.

A MAN OF BACKBONE

J. H. Loghead Tells How He Became Strong.

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"Quite Out of Order."

Bobbie to school," wrote the major from school."

Let me tell you all about your nice school."

For the next few days Bobbie felt counts he is getting more than you can the importance of the change in his manage; it would be different if I were at home, but unfortunately I have an-another year here at least. So look out a good school forthwith, Betty (mind Betty Travers had ensconced herself it is a good one—we must pay for it

somehow), and get the boy off.

"My best love to you, darling, and kisses to all our pets. Your loving husband, "JAMES TRAVERS."

The Indian mail had just come in to Dovebrook, the small village where Betty Travers had esconsed herself and family for the term of her husband's absence, and she now stood at the parlor window, in a glare of warm March sunshine reading the thin. March sunshine, reading the thin, precious sheets, and sometimes puzzling a little over the major's rather illegible

caligraphy.

The last sentence was plain enough, however, and in her joy at getting her letter, Betty was quite willing to carry out its injunctions.

"Yes lim is right" she said decid-

out its injunctions.

"Yes, Jim is right," she said, decidedly. "Bobbie does take advantage of me, and he really is very tiresome; besides, I believe, I firmly believe," a little dcubtfully, "the child would be happier at school with little companions. He shall go."

shall go."

The sound of a sixpenny trumpet blown by the unconscious 7-year-old son, in discordant blasts, put the finishing touch to his fate. It was excruciating, and, being followed by lusty crying from the nursery, indicated that it had awakened baby from his precious morning sleep. That means precious morning sleep. That means Betty must take charge of him and his two older sisters while nurse got on with her work. There never was such a child for mischief, thought the mother, and at that moment cook and mother, and at that moment cook appeared with a tale of further misdemeanors. "Master Bobbie had taken her clean teacloths to wipe out his rabbit hutch, and walked off with the milk she had set aside for the nursery pudding to regale his white mice."

Bobbie, the rosy-cheeked, curly-

Bobbie, the rosy-cheeked, curly-headed little rascal, received the intelligence with apparent unconcern, though his little face fell as his mother proceeded to dilate on the forder and discipline he must expect at school. "You will have to be a good boy there, Bobbie" she said

Bobbie," she said.
"Shan't!" replied Bobbie, stoutly.
"I wish I could go to school," said
Ethel, his next sister, a pattern little
girl, who never tore her pinafore, or

neglected to put away her toys.

"Oh, you; there is no need for you to go," retorted Betty, half contemptuously. Goodness is apt to be monoton-

ously. Goodness is apt to be monoton-ous, and in spite of all his faults, or more probably for that very reason, Bobbie was her favorite.

Clare House school offered so many advantages and inducements that one felt almost inclined to pity those un-fortunate children who could not be felt almost inclined to pity those unfortunate children who could not be sheltered under its roof. Betty went on a visit of inspection, saw the principal and his sister, was shown over the house, and refreshed with afternoon tea. All appeared most satisfactory, and in deciding then and there that her son should become a pupil of the establishment, Betty felt she was acting in a prompt and impartial manner, as befitted a soldier's wife.

When she got out of the train at

When she got out of the train at Dovebrook station she encountered a lady friend. "I have just been to Calmford to see about a school for Bobbie,' she said, with the tired, contented sigh of a woman who returns from a suc-

cessful shopping expedition.
"Oh, indeed; is Bobbie going to Yes, I have decided to send him; he

is getting too much for me," continued Mrs. Travers, with the anxiety of a doubtful mind to have its decision in-

"Poor little fellew!" was the unexpected reply. "He is going to be sent away from home early."

Betty pursued her way home less

exultingly. "It is all settled, Bobbie," she said, as the little man ran to meet "You are going away to school next week." The sunshine died out of Bobbie's

face. "Who will feed my rabbits?" he

"Oh-well-perhaps I will." Bobbie looked doubtful. Already he

had learned the amount of reliance to be placed on feminine promises.
"But the white mice, mother?" he added, anxiously. "You don't like them

cause of their tails." "No, I don't like their tails," said Betty, with a shudder, "but we will

"Aud they have to be cleaned out, mother, and the rabbits too." "Never mind your pets now, Bobbie.

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For the next few days Bobbie felt the importance of the change in his prospects, and confided it to all with whom he came in contact. The butcher said there was nothing like a good education. The newspaper boy, to whom Bobbie further enumerated the details of his new outfit, observed rather disrespectfully, "My eye! you will be a toff!" and the hairdresser, who gave his curly locks an extra clipping, ut-tered the mendacious statement that he

wished he was going to school.

But when it came to the eve of the eventful day Bobbie went about looking unusually sober. He surveyed mournfully, with his hands in his pockets, the tunnel in his garden which was to have communicated with the was to have communicated with the water butt and effect elaborate irrigation works for the benefit of his marigolds, radishes and "love-lies-bleeding."

He inspected his slug-trap sadly; no longer would it be his to catch slugs at ninepence a dozen; they would devastate the garden in his absence.

Trusty, the old fox terrier, stood at his little master's heels in a dejected attitude—he seemed to sniff parting in

the air.

So subdued was Bobbie when it came to tea time that his mother had to draw on her imagination to paint the charms of Clare House. By the time she had finished it would have appeared to a disinterested hearer that home was nowhere in comparison. But Bobbie his historical sadly, evidently, taking the bie listened sadly, evidently taking the majority of the statements cum grano salis.

grano salis.

Betty tucked him up that night with a pang at her heart. However naughty he might have been during the day, Bobbie, like all children, looked simply cherubic when asleep.

"Who would imagine to look at him now that Bobbie could ever be tiresome?" thought Betty, arranging the tossed bedclothes over his rounded limbs. "Dear little chap!" she murmured, stooping to kiss his fair flushed face.

ed face.
It was all bustle and confusion next day till the time of starting. Bobbie bore up like a man; he kissed his sisters and the baby with no sign of emo-tion, but returned from bidding fare-well to his pets and Trusty with sus-

Betty had had difficulty to swallow any lunch herself because of a tiresome lump that would keep coming into her throat.

She was glad when the first wrench of parting was over and they entered Dovebrook station. Here she encoun-

"Oh! so your little boy is going to a boarding school," she said. "I heard something about it in the village. I dare say you are right, Mrs. Travers, but I always think the home influence, you know-

"It must be pure cussedness on her part," muttered Betty, flying to get the tickets."

Clare House school stood up, large, white and formidable, when they reached Calmford.

"I don't see no garden," said Bobbie, looking disappointed. looking disappointed.

"No, but there is a nice playground," replied the mother, thinking rather drearily of the walled-in, graveled inclosure, with its swing and gymnastic appliances, "and a cricket field. But oh. Bobbie, you must try and talk better."

"How better?" saked Bobbie looking

"How better?" asked Bobbie, looking mystified. School had commenced that day, and as they mounted the front door steps they caught sight of several boys bend-

ing over their desks in a room in the basement. Betty thought they looked rather forlorn, but then basement regions always have a depressing appearance. They were ushered into the drawingroom. Miss Bligh, a tall, thin woman,

received them with chill graciousness, and her brother, the principal, patted Bobbie on the head and asked him his It was one of Bobbie's failings to be shy with strangers, and instead of answering and looking up brightly he stuck his chin in his neck and said nothing.

Betty feared he would make a bad impression, and murmured apologeti-cally something about her little boy

seldom seeing people.
"Shy, eh?" said the master, and though he smiled Betty fancied there was a look in his eyes as if he could be pretty severe sometimes. "We will soon cure him of that. We will make a man of him, eh, my boy?"

Bobbie shrank closer to his mother and got hold of a fold of her gown in his chubby fingers.
"I am afraid he is rather a spoiled

little man," remarked Miss Bligh, icily.

Betty smiled nervously. "You see, his father is away," she said, glancing half appealingly from one to the other. But she met no response to reassure her.
"I see," said Mr. Bligh; "it is high

time he came away from home, Mrs. "Perhaps he had better be shown his

quarters," said his sister, and she led the way upstairs.
"This is where he will sleep," throwing open the door of a large long room with rows of small beds like a hospital, and bare, barrack-like windows, "and

here is his bed." Bobbie gave a quick, frightened glance and his grasp tightened. "Come, you don't want to get into mother's pocket, do you?" laughed Miss "Excuse me a moment; I will Bligh. "Excuse me a moment; I will see if they know where to put his

When she had left the room Bobbie looked round ruefully. Then he said, in a timid whisper: "Mother, who will in a timid whisper:

tuck me up at night?" "Oh, I don't know—perhaps Miss Bligh," replied his mother, thinking of the contrast he would find between the chill touch of Miss Bligh's virginal fingers and her own motherly caress. "When will the holidays come, mother?" he asked, in a tight little

voice. "Oh, before very long," answered Betty remorsefully, conscious of being

a "lying prophet."
"What's that? Asking about holidays?" exclaimed the sharp, metallic voice of Miss Bligh at the door. "Why. we're only just beginning work; it is idle boys who want holidays directly." 'It's all so new to him," faltered

Betty.
"Well, Mrs. Travers, the little ones are going to have a game in the play-ground. Suppose I take Robert to join them, while you have a cup of tea before you leave. I think you said you must catch the 5:20 train."

"Oh, mother, don't go yet," whispered Bobbie, his eyes getting moist. Not just yet, darling. You go with Miss Bligh, and have a nice game," said Betty, disengaging the child's clinging "I won't go without saying

But Bobbie refused to go unless his mother went with him, and so, having gasps, her li landed him in the midst of a number of and drawn. aged you may be, write to Dr. Pierce for advice which he will send you free and which if followed, is bound to do you good.

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rather older, Betty was escorted back to the drawing-room. She felt as if her tea would choke her, and answered Miss Bligh's re-

marks on the eastern question utterly at random. Her heart was with the pathetic little figure in the playground, looking on at the games, in the condition likened by King Solomon to vinegar and nitre.

"I mustn't let you lose your train, Mrs. Travers," said Miss Bligh, presently. "The time," glancing at the clock, "is getting on. I will see where my brother has got to; you would like to speak to him again, I expect." Betty acquiesced. Left alone in the

large, handsomely furnished drawing-room, she felt ready to cry. "I hope I have done right," she murmured to

Just then her eye fell on a large Bible on a table at her elbow. She recalled the old-fashioned method of finding a text to settle a difficulty, and the hope of lighting upon some words to comfort her, she opened it at Job, as it happened, and saw these

"She is hardened against her young ones as though they were not hers."
She shut it again speedily, with a flush of dismay, as the principal and his sister returned leading Bobbie by

"Here is the little man come to say good-bye to his mother," said Mr. Bligh

"Oh, I can't go," thought Betty. Bobbie was pale and his lips quivered pitifully; he looked the picture of despair. A sudden thought struck Betty-a

lengthening by a few moments of the precious remaining time. "Mr. Bligh, may Bobbie-I ask it as a great favor-may he come to the sta-

"Oh, I think—" began Miss Bligh, in a deterrent tone. The principal looked annoyed. "It is

quite out of order, Mrs. Travers," he replied, "but I suppose I must say yes."
"Who is to bring him back?" asked his sister, in the manner of one proposing an insurmountable difficulty. "Oh, well, perhaps wou would ac-company Mrs. Travers, Helen?" was the reply.
"Very well. I shall overtake you di

rectly, Mrs. Travers. You go on with Betty needed no second bidding, and she and her little son left the house

together.

They had scarcely reached the station before the unwelcome figure of Miss Bligh appeared pursuing them "Mother, you won't forget to feed my rabbits and white mice, will you?" asked Bobbie, still holding tight to his

mother's hand. "No, oh, no, darling. Stand back, here comes the train!" Betty spoke in gasps, her lips were dry, her face white The train dashed in, there was a loud

throbbing and hissing of steam from the engine, and a banging of opening and shutting doors. Betty thought with dread of her deso-

late return journey—of home without Bobbie for thirteen dreary weeks. "Are you going on by the train, ma'am?" asked a guard. "Yes, yes," answered Betty. A wild idea had just seized her. Close by Miss Bligh was standing, all ready to

take possession of her brother's new pupil 'I have nothing to read," cried Betty. "Miss Bligh, would you mind-getting me a paper or a magazine—the Graphic or Illustrated?"

"I doubt if there is time, but I will try. Come, Bobbie."
"No, let him stay here," said Betty, feverishly. There was a look in her eyes as of a hunted animal. Miss Bligh hurried away, nearly

knocking over a porter in her haste. The man recovering himself, came up to where Betty was, holding the child's hands in her grasp. "This young gentleman going, ma'am?" he asked, his hand on the

carriage door. Betty was watching Miss Bligh's re-treating figure. She had reached the book stall; in a minute she would be "Yes." she said, in a desperate voice.

"Lift him in, please."
"But, mother, are I going?" asked
the little man, astonished, the tears
which had gathered stopping short. Betty breathed hard; she held the door handle firmly.

Miss Bligh had snatched the Graphic and was flying back along the plat-

"Don't let her get me, mother!" cried Bobbie; "please don't let her!"
"The guard shouted "All right!" the train began to move. Stay! was it going to stop again? Miss Bligh was waving wildly, but

Betty put her head out of the window. "It's all right," she shouted. "I have changed my mind; Bobbie is going She just saw Miss Bligh's face of thunder and surprise, and the platform receded from view. They were fairly off.

"My darling,my darling," cried Betty, clasping Bobbie to her heart. "I won't send you to school after all. Thank God I have got you safe, safe, safe!" she sobbed.

"Mother, don't squeeze me so tight!" gasped Bobbie. A gentleman in the farthest corner glared at Betty as if he fancied she might be an escaped lunatic, and at the next stopping-place he changed car-

"No, my dear little wife, I am too far away from you to scold you." wrote the major a few weeks later; "but I think you allowed yourself to be governed by your feelings. However, as you say you are very strict with Bobbie now, I hope no harm is done. You must

teach the boy to be obedient, and whatever you do-don't make a feather-bed soldier of him!"

00000000000000000 Boys and Girls.

What Should You Do? If you had a party for May day all planned, With nice things to eat and to And then it would pour all May day,

What should you do, do you think? Well, that is exactly what happened to me, And 'twas going to be lovely—oh!

And I thought I should cry till my tear-wells were dry, It was all so dreadful, you know. But before I had time for a sob, mam-

ma said (She is sweet at contriving things "You may ask them all here next week, dearie dear!" And that's what I'm going to do. -Youths' Companion.

000 What Grandma Sent.

Ralph Rogers was making a collection of birds' nests. He had become interested in watching the birds while studying about them in school, and when his vacation came he began looking for birds whenever he had an op-

portunity.

He learned a great deal about the habits of the different kinds, and how they constructed their nests. Then later in the season when the baby birds had learned to fly, and the nests were of no more use to the birds' families, he began his collection. He would cut down the small branches of the tree on which the nest was hung. or dig up the bit of sod or moss on which it rested, and in this way his nests made a fine showing. His collection was praised by the older members of the family, and by his teachers, until Ralph began to take a

great deal of pride in it. At the close of his vacation he wrote a long letter to his grandmother, who lived in the country, telling her how he had learned during the summer months.

Of course, one of the main things that he told her about was his collection of birds' nests. He described how he had thrown bits of string out on the lawn, and then had watched the orioles come and take them and use them to weave into their nest on the end of the elm tree boughs. Then

after the orioles had left the nest he had cut it down and kept it. Grandma always enjoyed letters, and she enjoyed this one especially well, because she knew at once she could give him a denghtful sur-

About a week later main received a letter from grandma, and in the same mail was a strong, square past-board box directed to nim. Ralph opened the letter, and this is what it said: "Dear Raiph, I was very giad to

receive your letter, and very much interested in your collection of birds' nests. And now I have a story to tell you about a bird's nest. One day in the early summer grandpa was out on the side porch having his hair cut. Ralph remembered what beautiful silvery white hair grandpa had. course, the wind blew the bunches of white hair out into the grass, and a little while afterwards we noticed that a pair of small birds were making frequent trips from a tree near by to the grass beside the porch. Then we saw that they were carrying away the bunches of hair, and we knew that they must be making a nest, and sure enough, as we found out afterwards, they were lining the nest with the soft white hair, to make it smooth and beautiful for their babies. Now, if you will open the package which I have mailed to you, I think you will like to add to you collection of nests.

"Your loving Grandma." Ralph opened the package pretty quickly after finishing the letter, and there, inside the box, attached to a small branch of a tree, was a little round nest, beautifully made, and the inside completely covered with soft, white hair, woven so that it formed a part of the dainty bird-

"It's grandpa's hair," Ralph exclaimed, as he ran to show the treasure to mamma. And do you wonder that all the members of the family considered that nest the chief treasure of all Ralph's

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After His Own Heart.

It would be interesting to discover how many men in the civilized world are in danger of having their sweet tempers thoroughly soured by means of badly constructed umbrella stands. A woman usually chooses the umbrella stand from an artistic point of view. This temper-trying toy is usually placed in one corner of the hall—as far out of the way as possible—and is filled with umbrellas and sticks belonging to the entire household. The man comes home in the evening after one of his "bad days" in town. He goes to the alleged umbrella stand and attempts to put his umbrella therein. As a matter of fact, the man has managed to get his umbrella inside of another one. If he happens to be very irritable, he gives it a business-like push, with the result that the end of his umbrella goes through the cover of the other umbrella. In the morning when he wants his umbrella again, and probably in a hurry, he finds that he has removed several other umbrellas at the same time. The best umbrella stand is one in which the umbrellas are visible. one hannens to get entangled in another, the mischief can be righted in half a second.

Sometimes a properly constructed umbrella stand is spoiled by being placed in a bad position. A favorite spot for it is underneath the hat or coat stand. The overcoats conceal the tops of the umbrellas. A man pushes away the coats in order to find his own umbrella. It has vanished. He searches diligently, and finally discovers the fact that when he held the coats on one side he included his umbrella with them. Another common fault to be found in a hali is the bad position of the pegs for the coats and hats. This is usually the outcome of having a hat stand that has been designed for the purpose of being ornamental, and nothing more. The pegs are nearly always too close together, so that when one hat is hung up another is knocked down.

A man wants a small table in the hall with a drawer to hold his gloves, coat brush and hat brush. The mis-tress of the house generally allows this drawer to be filled to repletion with numbers of pairs of old gloves that the man has discarded years ago. She appropriates the brushes to her own use, because she is never able to find her own when they are wanted. Therefore, the poor man does not get his brushes when he urgently needs them, and he wastes five minutes every morning in sorting out the bad gloves from the

Many women labor under the delu-sion that in order to give the hall an appearance of coziness they must hang up curtains in it, and fill it with knickknacks. The mere suggestion of such a thing makes a man shudder. The only curtains necessary to the hall are those at the window, and the cheap

knick-knacks should be burned. Finally, do not be afraid of having a large door mat. It may not be a very handsome article of furniture, but it is a very necessary one.

00 Bonnets Are the Latest.

A blue and white batiste morning frock is trimmed with ruffles of white dotted net, edged with narrow black lace, and there are blue ribbon bows galore. The right kind of a bonnet for this frock-for bonnets are the very latest and prettiest things-is of

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CHAPTER VI.

1. O, ye of little faith in remedies and

2. How shall ye be filled with the knowledge that the tortures of dyspepsia may be relieved in an instant. 3. Try Dr. Ven Stan's Pineapple Tablets, because they are prompt an cor-

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white chip with forget-me-nots in a great blue mass, and black velvet bows

and strings. Of a coarse, yellow straw, this same little bonnet is trimmed with large white daisies, with yellow centers, and black velvet strings. These bonnets are close and small on the head, the crowns high, the front in a flat scoop, awfully fetching. Sometimes the scoop lies low against the pompadour, in which case the trimming is all on top. Sometimes it flares up a little, when the flowers are distributed both above and below.

Little bonnets, and larger ones, too. of shirred black or white or colored tulle are enchantingly pretty, and are adorable when trimmed with paradise tails and sparkling buckles. Only the colored ones are flower-trimmed, the black ones being especially fetching with only steel or jet trimmings. They all have tulle strings, as do many large directoire hats of straw. The strings are wide on the large hats or bonnets, start from the back, are caught with slides or are knotted behind to keep them from spreading out over the hair; and hang loosely over the shoulder or are tied. Of white lace, they are very dressy, of course.

A Cup o' Tea.

Experience has taught every lover of good tea, that, aside from the merit or fault that may be accorded or swer. charged to the manner of making, the first of the steeping is the best, failing, as it does, to draw out certain properties of the plant that should not be extracted by long or severe cooking. This being conceded, I have no hesitation in giving an unqualified opinion and directions as to the best and simplest method of brewing. With small caddies of Japanese and Indian teas and a boiling kettle over an alcohol lamp the making and serv-ing may all be done on the table, guests being supplied with selections, made ultra or mixed, strong or weak, to suit the taste. Five minutes' steeping is ample, and the first cup should then be poured. This draws the infusion from the leaves and arrests the steeping just when the best brewing is attained. By this simple method of making one may have the second cup of tea, from the same pot, equal in all respects to the first. From my experience I would say that the perfection of serving is to first saturate the leaves with a little boiling water (using individual pots) and place before each guest. When intimation of readiness is given fill the pot with boiling water and draw the first cup immediately. The first wetting loosens the essential property known as thein, and the second drenching extracts it with the least possible amount of tannin. To get all of the one, have sone of the other, and to serve hot at the moment the guest wants it, is to cover the essential points in serving. Some prefer to sip through the meal, others to wait and take a good drink at the close, but all want it hot and at the proper time of steeping. In this way you have the chance to suit all 000

Some Dainty Dishes in Which

Aspic is Used. Aspic.-Cover a half box of gelatine with a half cup of cold water and soak twenty minutes. Put into a saucepan a tablespoonful of chopped carrot, the same of onion, a quarter teaspoonful of celery seed, two bay leaves, a chipping of lemon rind, a half teaspoonful of whole pepper corns, and cover with one pint of cold water. Bring to boiling point and boil five minutes. Then add a half teaspoonful of beef extract and the gelatine. Mix and strain. Beat the whites of two eggs lightly, stir them in the aspic, add the juice of one lemon and bring to a good boil. Allow it to stand a moment and strain through two thicknesses of cheese cloth which has been wrung from cold water. Add a teaspoonful of salt, and it is ready to cool.

Chicken in Aspic.—Remove the white meat from one boiled chicken and cut it into blocks. Line a mold with clear aspic. Have the lining about a quarter inch in thickness. The bottom of the mold may be garnished with truffles, mushrooms, or bits of green pepper. As soon as the jelly is hard and set, fill in the mold with the blocks of chicken that have been nicely seasoned. Pour over sufficient aspic to fill the spaces and stand away for at least two hours. When ready to serve garnish a round dish with lettuce leaves and turn the aspic into the center. Cut little radishes into tulips, arrange them around the base of the mold, and send it to the table they flung him into the inner prison at

in shape and put in a kettle of boiling water; add a bit of celery and four bay leaves. Boil rapidly for five minutes then simmer gently for one hour. Take out and cool, and when cold cut into slices; cut the lean meat into rounds and season with salt and white pepper. Have ready some white aspic, cool but not stiff; dip in each round of meat and lay aside to harden. At serving time heap in the center of a round chop dish a mound of mayonnaise of fringed or plain celery. Arrange the rounds of mutton around the base, and serve. The light tops of the cel-

ery may be used as a garnish.

Pieces of chicken or fillets of birds may be served the same. Both chicken and birds should be roasted.

0+0 Cut Flowers-How to Preserve Them.

Before placing them in vases, cut from the end of each stem one-sixteenth of an inch with a sharp penknife-scissors nip the pores together and prevent them absorbing nourish-

The vases should be carefully scalded and filled three-quarters full of water, into which should be dropped five or six drops of sulphate of am-monia. This can be obtained from any chemist, and five sents worth will outlast many bunches of flowers. During the day the vases containing flowers should be placed in the light away from the heat and gas.

At night the stems should be sponged off in clear, cold water, so as to remove any decayed matter which may have accumulated during the day, and all the withered leaves and jaded petals should be removed with a sharp pair of seissors. During the night they should be put into a vase containing a solution of soap and water and set in a cool place. In the morning cut the end of the stems again and leave in clear, cold water for two hours before returning them to the vases containing the sulphate

of ammonia. Rosebuds will fatten into large full-blown roses if placed in the icebox for 24 hours. White carnations can be tinted to almost any shade by putting dye in the water into which they are

Married Folks, Attention.

It is not good form in polished circles, among strangers, for married people to address each other, as at home, as William, Mary, husband, wife, or in any of the affectionate appellations of darling, love and dear. They should address themselves as they wish others to do, as Mr. and Mrs.—. American women are much ridiculed abroad for their display in public of tenderness and seeming submissiveness seldom manifested at their own firesides, where all the gentler virtues may with pro-

priety be practiced. I am moved to this suggestion, having recently dined with a wife, who addressed her husband in the parlor and across the table in the dining-room as "dear," ad nauseam to the tastes of other guests. There is something incongruous in calling a large, well-developed man, with ample moustache and whiskers, in high debate on the intricate questions of science, social ethics and constitutional law, by the pet name of "dear." Any woman of common sense should see the absurdity of such an appellation.-Elizabeth Cady Stanton, in Woman's Tribu e

000 A Straight Answer.

A young woman was recently asked by a young man to become his wife. He was a bright fellow and was accepted in general society because of the wealth and social position of his father, but whose habits were known to be bad. There were no evasion: her an-"You tell me." she said, "that I possess qualities that you must have in the woman who is your wife. I cannot say that I have them-but I can speak of habits that I do not have, and that I could not accept in a husband who did have them. I do not smoke. I never swear. I do not indulge in wine. I am not in debt. Not a moment of my nights is spent with questionable associates, and my days are not given to idleness or to walking the streets with silly, unthinking girls. Most nobling self and blessing the world. women avoid the indulgences I have mentioned, and do not welcome them who ask to become their hus-As you have them, or most of

I am not willing to become your wife. I am sure nothing but wretchedness could follow such a union." The answer was sharp and decisive. It is a pity all girls, under the same circumstances, are not as frank and sensible.

0+0 Kidney Omelet.

For kidney omelet, veal kidney may be used. The fat is removed, the meat chipped from the outside in small bits and the tubes and dark core rejected. The prepared meat is then finely chopped and cooked in a scant teaspoonful of butter until nicely browned, salt and pepper being added when nearly done. This is folded in-to the center of the omelet just before it is served.

HOW TO KEEP UP GOOD HEART. Sidney Smith said once, "I have gout, asthma, and seven other maladies, but—am otherwise very well." Said John Wesley, "I fell and grieve, but, by the grace of God—I fret at nothing."

Sings somebody: For every evil under the sun There is a remedy or there is none, If there be one, try and find it, If there be none, never mind it.

Writes Thomas Carlyle, "Wondrous is the strength of cheerfulness, altogether past calculation is its power of endurance. Efforts, to be permanently useful, must be uniformly joyous—a spirit all sunshine, graceful from very gladness, beautiful because bright."

Longfellow sings:

Tis always morning somewhere above
The awakening continents, from shore to shore,
Somewhere the birds are singing evermore. Robert Southey says, "I have told you of the man who always put on spectacles when about to eat cherries, in order that the fruit might look larger and more tempting. In like manner I make the most of my enjoyments: and though I do not cast my eyes from my troubles, I pack them in as small a compass as I can for myself, and never let them annoy others."

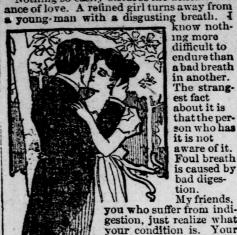
A blythe spirit, somehow, puts charm and color on the darkest troubles, as the sun does on the storm clouds.

Surely anybody can see that the one who has a heart in him, in anywise shining with

Have you ever marked, in your reading of the New Testament, the steadfast cheerfulness of the Apostle Paul? Somehow he was

with a good-sized boat of either plain mayonnaise or sauce tartar.

Mutton in White Aspic—Bone a rack of mutton and trim off the fat. Tie able girl with an offensive breath. turned with disgust from an otherwise lov-able girl with an offensive breath. Nothing so easily disturbs the delicate bal-



in another. The strangest fact about it is that the perit is not aware of it. Foul breath bad digestion. My friends, gestion, just realize what your condition is. Your food ferments and decays, filling you up with im-purities and noxious gases, which hasten for-

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Philippi, they clamped his feet in the stocks. but he would make the midnight even in such a place, melodious with praise.

GRAND FAILURES

Failures That Are Greater Than Success. (Frank Crane in Saturday Evening

Post.) "There's Kipling; how enviable his popularity! There's Hobson, Dewey, McKinley, Bryan: What can I do to become as much talked about as they? Or, How can I be as rich as Mr. Armour or Mr. Morgan?" Thus secretly, and sometimes audibly, meditates the youth. But a little sound sense shows

it in a new light. Why should you excel others? Why should you not be hanged? Have you any mortgage on prosperity? have no "rights" in the case. were certainly born for a purpose for "every man's life is a plan of God," but why should you assume that that plan is for you to get upon the top rung? Common, everyday tolk are just necessary as are the cream-tinted

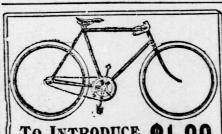
and monogramed. Fame and wealth simply mean to be "called great." Whoever strives for such prizes has in himself a seed of weakness. The scramble for them is a gambling game. There are no sure laws that govern them. are tossed about to this man and that by the blind goddesses Fad and Fortune. But to be great actually, in the sight of God, and of your own heart, is quite another thing, which anyone can attain unto if he will pay the price. This you may gain by mastering yourself, by keeping soul and body clean, by living for others, and not for self, and by doing your present work well. And if, having thus become in truth a great man, the fickle fates should throw to you the golden apple of popularity, of high of-fice or of vast fortune, you will feel less the sense of intoxication over your good luck than you will feel the weight of the responsibility thrust upon you. Did you never reflect that the man who climbs to the top only does so

by displacing some one else? All men cannot be superior or richest, or most famous, any more than all buildings in the city can be the highest. So long, therefore, as your aim is to outdo others it will be meretricious. It is this motive that embitters human life. Society should not be under the brute law of competition, each one of us striving to displace another; but it should be under the divine law of co-operation, each endeavoring to do his part the best he can, thus en-

Open your history and see whether you would be among the successes or failures of earth's story. Cain was the first conqueror. Others who "climbed" were Tamerlane and Genghis Khan, Alexander and Napoleon, Midas and Lucky Baldwin, Cortez, Herod and Caiaphas, and Madame Blavatsky. And then there are those who "failed" yet were indeed great: begging Homer, exiled Dante, accursed Savonarola, pauper Paliss, accurs-dered Regulus, leprous Damien. And the greatest worldly failure of all was He who was crowned with mocking thorns, condemned to death and crucified with common thieves; yet at the nadir of his shame and defeat, said, in calm triumph, to His disciples: "Be of good cheer: I have overcome

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Waterloo	. 914	. 9%
Cariboo Hydraulic	145	142
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Local Market.

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and activity, the attendance of buyers being large. Green stuffs were plentiful and sold freely. Asparagus and green onions are still scarce. They sold at 5c straight a bunch. Plants came in freely and sold at about 20c per box or \$2 per dozen boxes. The demand was good. Butter was firm when the market opened, but took a drop later on. It sold at first from 15c to 16c a single pound, but soon dropped to 13c and 14c per pound. Some crocks went at 12c per pound. The offerings were unusually heavy, on account of the light markets on Tuesday and Thursday. Eggs were firm at 11c per single dozen, or 10c in basket lots. Some spring chickens were offered at 75c per pair. Sales were slow. Watercress sold well at 3 bunches for 5c. Flowers were offered in large quantities, and were in fairly good demand. Seldom have so many ferns made their appearance. They sold at 5c per root, of 6 roots for 25c. Prices of young pigs remained unchanged. The offerings were The meat market was Mvely, with little change in prices. About 15 loads of hay came in and sold at from \$7 50 to \$8 50. Sales were slow. Odd baskets of apples sold at 15c and 20c. A few loads of evergreen and maple

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REVIEW Wheat, spring, per bu 790 to 710 Oats, per bu 324c to 324c remained unchanged from yesterday,

saplings were on sale.

Barley, per bu40%c to 50%e Deliveries of grain were quite large

today, and consisted mostly of oats and wheat. Oats predominated. Wheat sold at \$1 12 to \$1 15. Oats sold lower at 95c. Receipts were very heavy. A few loads sold at \$1 10.

Wool brought 13c washed, and &c unvashed. Receipts light. Hay was a little slow at \$7 50 to \$0. Quotations:

Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs. 1 15 Wheat, red. fall, per 100 lbs. 1 15 Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs. 1 15 Wheat, spring, per 100 tos. 1 12 Grant of the spring per 100 lbs. 90 Grant per 100 lbs. 95 Chese, per lb.

Chese, per lb.

Fgg, single dozen.

Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen.

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Butter, pound rolls, baskets.

Butter, ib, large rolls or crocks

Butter, per lb, tubs or firkins.

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Mutton, quarters, per lb... 6
Veal, quarters, per lb... 5
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WHEAT-		-				-	-	
Red Winter			0	0	0	0		11/2
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6	2	6	2	8	21/2	6	31/2
No. 1 Cal		4	6	4	6	4	6	4
May		8	5	834		11	0	0
July	5	6	6	058	5	73/8	5	81/2
Sept	5	578	6	01/8	5	7	5	7%
CORN-		28	235	1217	100			
New		6	3	6	3	6	3	61/2
Old		61/2	8	614		61/2	8	6%
May	13	532	3	51/8		6	3	5%
July	13	51/8	3	548		53/8	3	538
Sept		548	3	5%		5%	3	57/8
Flour	17	6	17	6	17	6	17	6
Peas	5	7	5	71/2	5	8	5	81/2
Pork	42	6	42	6	42	6	42	6
Lard	26	3	26	3	26	3	26	3
Tallow	124	6	24	6	24	6	24	9
Bacon, light	28	6	28	6	28	6	28	6
Cheese, white	101	0	51	6	51	6	51	6
Cheese, colored	. 50	0	149	6	149	6	149	6
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Liverpool, May 20—Closing.

Wheat—Spot, steady; spot No. 1 Cal., 6s 3d to 6s 4d; No. 2 red western, winter, stocks exhausted; No. 1 red northern spring, 6s 3d, nominal; stocks nearly exhausted; spot No. 1 red northern, Duluth, steady, 6s 2d.

Corn—Spot, firm; American mixed, new, quiet, 3s; do, old, quiet, 3s 6½d; futures, quiet; May, 3s 6d; July, 3s 5½d; Sept., 3s 5½d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 7s 3d. Peas—Canadian, 5s 8½d.

Beef—Dull; prime mess, 55s; extra India mess, 60s.

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Pork—Dull; prime mess, fine western, 45s; do, medium, western, 42s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., dull, 37s 6d.

Babon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 20 lbs., firm 30s: short ribs, 18 to 20 lbs, steady, 30s; long clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs, firm, 28s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm, 28s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 16 lbs, firm, 28s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 28s 6d.

Shoulders—Square, 18 to 14 lbs, firm, 22s 6d.

Lard—American refined, in 28-pound pails, steady, 27s 3d; prime western, in tierces, firm, 26s 6d.

26s 6d.
Butter—Finest American, nominal; good, 65s.
Cheese—Firm; American finest white, 51s
6d; colored, dull, 48s; ordinary, new, 48s.
Tallow—Firm; prime city, 22s 9d; Australian

Tallow—Firm; prime city, 728 51; Australian in London, steady, 25s.
Cottonsed off—Hull refined, June, Aug., firm, 15s 3d.
Hops—At London (Pacific coast), nominal, 24 10s to 24 15s.
Turpentine spirits—Firm, 25s 3d.
Rosin—Common, steady, 4s.
Petroleum—Refined, 6c.
Linseedoil—12s 3d.
Holiday in grain market.
Oil Markets.

Oil Markets. PITTSBURG, Pa., May 20.—Oil opened and closed today at \$1 13.

PETROLIA. May 20.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 40.

OIL CITY. Pa., May 20.—Oil opened and closed at \$1 13.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, May 19.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—No. 2 May. 72%c; July. 73%c; Sept., 73%c. Corn—No. 2 May. 32%c; July. 73%c; Sept., 73%c. Corn—No. 2 May. 32%c; July. 33%c; Sept., 33%c. Oats—No. 2 May. 32%c; July. 33%c; Sept., 38c. No. 2 May. 27%c; July. 23%c to 23%c; Sept., 21c. Pork—July. \$3 22%; Sept., 38 40. Lard—July. \$5 17%; Sept., \$5 37. Short ribs—July. \$4 70; Sept., 96 57. Short ribs—July. \$4 70; Sept., 96 65. Casn quotations as follows: Flour, quiet and firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 73%c; No. 3 spring wheat, 63c to 72%c; No. 2 red, 74%c to 75c; No. 2 corn., 33c; No. 2 yellow, corn., 33%c; No. 2 corn., 33c; No. 2 yellow, corn., 33%c; No. 2 corn., 33c; No. 2 yellow, corn., 33%c; No. 2 corn., 32c; No. 2 barley. 35 to 40c; No. 1 flaxseed, \$107%; Northwest, \$1 05; prime timothy seed, \$2 25; mess pork. \$8 15 to \$8 20; lard. \$5 10 to \$12%; short rib sides, loose, \$4 50 to \$4 80; dry salted shoulders, boxed, 4%c to 4%c; short clear sides, boxed, \$4 50 to \$5; sugars, cutloaf, \$6 02; granulated, \$5 50; clover, contract grade, \$6 10 to \$6 20; eggs, steady, fresh, 11%c.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 12,000 bbls; wheat, 20,000 bushels; corn, 67,000 bushels; oats, 177,000 bushels; sterley, 5,000 bushels.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 12,000 bbls; wheat, 7,000 bushels; rye, 5,000 bushels; barley, 5,000 bushels.

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Live Stook Markets.

TORONTO, May 19.—The arrival of cattle at the western cattle market this morning were light, there being Kidney Disease Kan's Leadliest Foe, 50 carloads, made up of about 300 cattle, 715 sheep and lambs, 10 calves, 75 milch cows and 180 hogs. The quality of fat cattle coming to hand is fairly good and the supply today included some choice exporters. Export cattle—The offerings of good to desirable grades of exporters were moderate, but the demand was good for choice shippers to prices ranging from \$4 60 to \$4 85 per cwt. A liberal supply of light met with a fairly good demand, and at steady prices of \$4 to \$4 50 per cwt. Butchers' cattle fairly active; offer-ings included some choice steers; prices

\$4 per cwt. A liberal supply of inferior grades were firm at \$2 75 to \$3 per cwt, stockers and feeders steady; arrivals light, but very good inquiry at times for good stock at prices ranging from \$4 to \$4 25 per cwt. A few lots of choice feeders and distillers were in good demand, bringing \$4 50 to \$4 65 per cwt. The quality was extra good, including some well finished steers. Sheep and lambs-Offerings were little heavier than expected, but trade was brisk and prices remained steady. The bulk of the supply was made up of yearlings, which were quoted at \$5 to \$5 75 per cwt. Sheep for export and butchers' (with wool) use were steady at \$4 to \$4 25 per owt. Clipped sheep were in liberal supply, at firm prices, or \$3 50 to \$3 75 per cwt; bucks were steady at \$3 to \$3 50 per cwt; choice veal calves brought \$2 to \$10 per head; good calves were scarce, and a few choice lots are wanted; prices for good | the proposal. veals were a little steadier. Hogs-A heavy run in the annex today met with a very brisk demand, and prices remained unchanged. The quality was very good; choice selections were quot-

steady prices or \$2 60 per cwt. steady prices or \$2 60 per cwt.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Beeves—Receipts, 2,551; demand brisk; firm; fair to choice steers, \$4 90 to \$5 50; choice to fat oxen, \$4 70 to \$4 90; culls, \$3 60 to \$4; extra fat do, \$4 60 to \$4 75; cows, \$2 40 to \$4 30; choice fat do, \$4 40. Cables steady. Shipments tomorrow, 840 cattle and 5,703 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 538; brisk; prices firm; all sold early; poor to prime veals, \$5 to \$7 50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,873; sheep slow; lambs firm; spring lambs steady; 2½ cars unsold; common to choice sheep, \$4 12½ to \$4 30; ordinary to good lambs, \$6 to \$6 60; no prime offered; spring lambs, \$7 75; common to fair, by the head, \$2 50 to \$3 75. Hogs—Receipts, head, \$2 50 to \$3 75. Hogs—Receipts, 1,622; easier, at \$4 15 to \$4 30.

EAST BUFFALO, May 19.—Cattle—In the absence of sale cattle the marhet was nominally unchanged; the feeling was steady; the supply of calves was light, only about 100 head; active demand and higher; choice to extra were quotable at \$6.75 to \$7.25; good to choice, \$6 25 to \$6 75. and lambs—The market today was generally active and 10c to 15c higher on lambs; the quality today was better than yesterday; lambs, choice to extra, were quotable at \$6.75 to \$6.90; good to choice, \$6 50 to \$6 75; fair to good \$6 to \$6 50; common to good, \$5 50 to \$5.75; sheep, choice to extra, \$5.25 to \$5 40; good to choice, \$5 to \$5 25; common to fair, \$3 25 to \$4 50; the offerings were 44 loads. Hogs—The market was in good position, with 45 loads on sale, and a fairly active demand; good weight hogs sold firm at the quoted prices and light weights steady; heavy were quotable at \$4 10 to \$4 15; medium, \$4 10 to \$4 15; mixed, \$4 10; Yorkers, \$4 02½ to \$4 10, mostly \$4 05 to \$4 07½;

pigs, \$3 971/2 to \$4 05, mostly \$4; roughs, \$3 40 to \$3 50; stags, \$2 65 to \$2 90. CHICAGO, May 19 .- The small supply of cattle today was quickly taken at strong prices; fancy grades brought \$5 50 to \$5 60; choice steers, \$5 25 to \$5 50 to \$5 60; choice steers, \$5 25 to \$5 45; mediums, \$4 80 to \$4 95; beef steers, \$4 50 to \$4 75; stockers and feeders, \$4 to \$5 25; bulls, \$3 to \$4 75; cows and helfers, \$3 to \$4 24; western fed steers, \$4 60 to \$5 40; Texans, \$4 to \$5; calves, \$4 50 to \$5 75. There was an active demand for hogs, and prices ruled fully 24 higher: fair to choice. an active demand for hogs, and price ruled fully 2½ higher; fair to choice, \$3 85 to \$4; heavy packers, \$3 60 to \$3 82½; mixed, \$3 65 to \$3 87½; butchers, \$3 70 to \$3 95; light, \$3 65 to \$3 90; pigs, \$3 35 to \$5 75. Trade in sheep and lambs was active at the recent advance; sheep, \$4 75 to \$5 55; yearlings, \$5 50 to \$5 65; shorn lambs, \$4 25 to \$6 25, and wooled lambs, \$6 50 to \$6 75. Receipts—Cattle, 2,000; hogs, 24,000; pigs, \$3 35 to \$8 75.

sheep, 9,000. OLD COUNTRY PRICES. Liverpool, May 19 .- Prices here and in London are steady; American steers sell at 10% c to 11% c per lb. dressed weight; live sheep unchanged, at 131/2c to 141/2c, dressed weight; lambs are 15c per lb; refrigerator beef is

84c per lb. The Dairy Markets. MONTREAL, May 19 .- Cheese, 9c to Butter-Townships, 16c to 17c;

western, 12c to 13c. WINCHESTER, May 19 .- Cheese registered on the board here this morning were 350 boxes colored and 129 white; for colored 9c was offered, and 9 5-16c for white; none sold; 75 boxes sold off the board at 9½c. The board meeting has been changed from Tuesday evenings to Fridays, at 11 a.m. PERTH, Ont., May 19.-The Perth cheese board opened here today with

only 400 boxes for sale; all were sold at from 94c to 9%c. Bissell and Webster were the buyers.

BRIGHTON, Ont., May 19.—At Brighton 420 boxes of white were boarded; 340 boxes sold at 9%c; Walkins, 200; McGrath & Co., 140. Five buyers were present.

CHICAGO, May 19.—Butter steady; creameries, 12c to 18½c; dairies, 10c to 16c. Cheese steady; creameries, 9c to

NEW YORK, May 19.—Butter weak; western creamery, 15c to 18½c; do, factory, 11½c to 13c; imitation creamery, 121/2c to 15c; state dairy, 131/2c to 171/2c; do, creamery, 15c to 18½c. Cheese easy; large white, 9½c to 9%c; small white, 91/2c to 93/4c; large colored, 9c; small colored, 91/2c to 93/4c.

OTTAWA, May 19.—The Ottawa cheese and butter board opened today, with a large attendance of sellers and a fair number of buyers. Fourteen factories boarded 104 colored and 275 white cheese. The bidding started at 9%c for white and 9c for colored. It gradually rose to 9%c for white, at which price the board was cleared, with the exception of one lot of 45, which sold at the last for 91/2e; the col-

ored cheese sold well at 9 1-16c. BRANTFORD, Ont., May 19 .- At the Brantford cheese market today 661 boxes of cheese were offered, of which 381 were sold; 300 at 8%c, and 81 at

IROQUOIS, Ont., May 19.—At the meeting of the cheese board held here this afternoon 687 boxes colored and 100 white cheese were offered; 9c was offered for colored; 9%c for white, inspection here, at which price Logan bought 376 colored and 50 white, and Bissell 50 white; the balance, 70 colored, unsold.

WORSE THAN YELLOW FEVER.

Dedd's Kidney Pills Its Only Cure.

Toronto, May 15.—"Yellow fever and smallpox combined, do not kill as man people as Kidney Disease does," was the assertion of a prominent Toronto physician recently.

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plaint, quite low compared to its If Dodd's Kidney Pills were used, in every case of Kidney Disease, there would be no deaths from it

UNFLINCHING

Will Not Entertain Propositions of the Filipinos.

Spanish Colony in Mexico City Predicts Another Cuban War.

Manila, May 20.—(10:45 a. m.)—Two military and two civil Filipino commissiouers appointed to co-operate with three citizens of Manila in regotiating terms of peace, arrived here at 8:15 a.m. today.

They have submitted no new proposition, but want an armistice pending the session of the Filipin Congress. Maj. Gen. Otis has refused to entertain

The party was closeted with Gen. Otis for more than an hour, but the interview was decidedly unsatisfactory, the commission having nothing definite to propose and being unempowered to negotiate terms. ed at \$4 75 per cwt, and light, which The commissioners brought a communicawere in heavy supply, brought \$4 371/2 per cwt. Thick fat were firm at \$4 25 per cwt, and sows were steady at \$3 per tion direct from Aguinaldo asking for an armistice, pending the decision of the Filipino congress as to what policy should be adopted. As before, Gen. Otis re-fused to entertain the proposition. The commissioners, after leaving the city hall, accepted an invitation to cwt. The supply of stags was light at visit the Oregon and the other vessels of the American fleet in the bay, and they were also granted permission to see their families before returning.

FIGHTING.

Manila, May 20-7:30 p.m.-The expedition up the Rio Grande River met with resistance at the outskirts of San Luis, where several hundred Filipinos were entrenched on the banks of the stream. The rebels retreated beyond Candaba, and the gunboats steamed ahead, all the way training their Gatling guns upon the banks and dropping shells wherever uniforms appeared on the shore. The gunboats dispersed the insurg-ents before San Luis. After they had passed, sharpshooters from trees across the river, a hundred yards distant, harassed the 17th Infantry which was marching by fours along the the narrow wooded road, from which the troops were unable to see the enemy. The members of one battalion laid on their faces in the road for a quarter hour trying to locate the riflemen and return their fire. Two Americans were wounded. The road wound close to the stream and was thickly settled. It was a picturesqe march; many groups of hundreds of natives were clustered under the trees on the opposite bank, displaying white shirts, towels, sheats or anything white on poles. Some shouted welcomes to the American soldiers, but most of them maintained a sullen silence.

An old man, in a carriage, met the troops two miles outside of the town. He said, "I have lived in England and I have told the people that Americans are like the English and that they need not be afraid." THEY HOPE SO.

Mexico City, May 20 .- The organs of the Spanish colony predict that the United States is on the eve of a long and costly war in Cuba as well as in the Philippines, basing their predictions on supposed inside information from Cuba.

RICE STORES RAIDED

As soon as Maj. Kobbe reached San Luis the natives raided the insurgent rice stores. All day a stream of half naked people emerged from the storehouse, in the manner of ants, rushing to their homes with bags of rice on their heads.

THE TORCH.

On Thursday night a body of rebels returned to San Luis and burned part of the town. Lieut. Cunningham, with a signal corps party engaged in running a telegraph line, was camped near the place. Maj. Kobbe sent the army gunboat Cordovange there and found the party today in the

CONTINUOUS EXODUS.

The Rio Grande, since Maj. Kobbe started, has been the highway for the exodus of the natives, and today there is a continuous procession of thatched cascoes with white flags, drifting down the river, and containing whole families of from 20 to 30 persons with their household goods and animals on board. Thousands of these boats have passed the army gunboats.

MANY DEATHS BY DROWNING

Whole Family Wiped Out by the Loss of a Yacht-Two Mail Carriers and Two Fishermen Perish-Schooner's Orew of 18 Missing.

TWO MAIL CARRIERS PERISH.

Winnipeg, May 20.—Word has just been received by the potoffice inspec-tor here from Fort Frances that the mail contractor, a man by the name of Mulhern, and his assistant, with

all the mail from Wabigoon, have been lost in Rainy Lake. TWO FISHERS DROWNED. St. Andrews, N. B., May 20.-Three

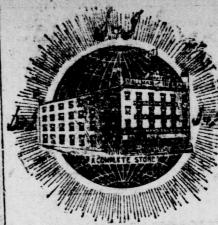
young men from here, Herbert Williamson. Thomas Mallock and Summer Mallock, went fishing at Chamcook Lake yesterday. The boat upset and Williamson and Thomas Malloch were drowned. ENTIRE FAMILY GONE

Vancouver, May 20 .- R. M. S. Miowera arrived yesterday from Sydney, N. S. W., Brisbane, Queensland, Suva, Fifi and Honolulu. In advices received from Melbourne it is stated that a dreadful fatality was brought to light by the discovery of the topmast of the yacht Queenie in water off the entrance to the Worribie River. The Queenie left Queen's Cliffe for Geelong. She was sailed by her owner, John Clark, manager of the Melbourne. Steamship Company's works at Williamstown. He was accompanied by his four sons, the eldest aged 22 and the youngest 12 years, and also by a youth named Reginald Johnston, son of J. B. Johnston, secretary of the Victoria Railway Service Municipal Association, and a man named Michael Allen, resident of Williamstown. All

were drowned. EIGHTEEN MEN MISSING Victoria, B. C., May 20.—Search is now being made among the islands of

the coast for traces of the schooner Werfa, supposed to have been wrecked with eighteen hands. The news reached civilization by means of a bottle found in the sea, and in which the one survivor of the wreck tells of the occurrence, and asks for assist-ance. He tells that he is on a desolate island, but his location is not defined, nor is anything further known of the schooner's fate.

TWO SUBJECTS FOR RADCLIFFE. Winnipeg, May 20.—Czuby and Guszekak, the condemned murderers, have only seven days more to live, their execution being fixed for May 26. Up to a week ago Czuby acted in a very wild and excited manner whenever any person went near him, but he calmer now and received visits calmer now, and received visits



Fair weather. Just

WEATHER PROBS:

One

In each thousand-perhaps more-may have a fancy that black doesn't become her-that she doesn't look well in it. If that one would but see the beautiful Blacks now being shown in our Dress Goods Section she'd be disposed to forget her fancy. Blacks are never out of style, and this year they are in great demand. Here are some:

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42 inch, 25c and 35c; 44 inch, 50c and 65c; 46 inch, 75c and 85c.

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POLKADOT BLACK LUSTER-For shirt waists-44 inch at 75c and 85c; 47 inch at \$1. BLACK EMPRESS CORDS-New goods-

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BLACK WORSTED SUITING -Bright finish, hard surface, in two makes, 47 inch at makes, BLACK BLENHEIM CLOTH-For suiting; pirle finish; will not spot or shrink; 47 inch at 95c.

BLACK CREPON-All pure mohair -44 inch at 65c.

BLACK CREPON-Bright finish, small patterns-42 inch at \$1. BLACK CREPON-Blister effect, bright finish,

lovely patterns, four to choose from -44 inch at \$1 25. BLACK BUNTING-For midsummer dresses-45 inch at 85c.

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from a priest. Guszekak still conducts himself with nonchalance.

LUMBER BOSS MURDERED. Fredericton, N. B., May 20.-News of a brutal murder at a place called Green Hill, about 30 miles from Fredericton, has been received here. The tragedy occurred yesterday morning at 5 o'clock. The victim was William McLean, a lumber boss for James Humble. He was unmarried and about 40 years old. The alleged murderer is Alfred Glover, who has a wife and family. Both men are said to have been under the influence of liquor at the time. McLean was stabbed. Glover is under surveillance.

THE FATE OF MARION BROWN

Letter From Rev. Dr. Johnston on the

Subject. To the Editor of The Advertiser:

Sir,-As so much publicity has been given to my action in the case of Marion Brown, I deem it but right, not for my sake, but for the sake of truth and for the sake of those who lent me their support in the matter, that the following statement should

be made: First-I never entertained the opinion that Brown was innocent of killing the policeman, Toohey; the identification and evidence of the crown was too complete to admit of doubt

in this matter. Second—I never asked for mercy for Brown, nor did I desire that he should receive such. On the contrary, so serlous was the crime and so aggravated by his previous and succeeding conduct that I desired only that he should receive the most severe and rigorous punishment provided by law for his offense. I am no sentimentalist, de-siring to see justice usurped by mercy,

in the administration of law. Third—The killing of Toohey by Brown I held to be manslaughter, as that crime is described by the statue. This I held, and still hold. And, without entering on the argument, let me say that in this view of the crime viz., that it was manslaughter, and not murder, I am supported by thous-ands of the most thoughtful persons in London, among whom are a majority of all the members of the legal profession in the city, leading members of the other professions, the medical, educational and clerical, a medical, educational and clerical, a large number of representative and prominent men in business and other callings, all of whom approve of the efforts made on Brown's behalf.

Fourth-The protest which I uttered on the morning of Brown's execution, I uttered quietly and calmly to the sheriff of the county while he was waiting in one of the rooms of the jail for the hour of execution to arrive, and after I had asked his permission, and been assured that there was no objection to my doing so. I neither asked for the presence of reporters nor desired their absence; but the dramatic effect so vividly described in the reports was apparent neither to myself nor to the sheriff whom I addressed. It was evidently the creation of the vivid imagination and facile pencils of men whose calling encourages them to add color to their pen pictures.

With regard to the ungenerous ascription of motives to me for my actions in this whole matter, I am not careful to make any reply. If my life is no answer to such, no words can avail. At every stage of the judicial system at which it was possible to stay proceedings and to secure a just punishment for a great crime, I did my utmost for the friendless and homeless wanderer. I have delivered my soul and my judgment is with my God. I am, Sir. respectfully yours, ROBERT JOHNSTON.

London, May 19, 1899.

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Liver Pills at last for a cure. MRS. JOSEPH TENNIER, Hopetown, Que., recently wrote as follows: "For several years I had been troubled with dyspepsia and sick headache, and could get nothing to do me any good, until I tried Laxa-Liver Pills. I had taken many remedies and was attended by different doctors without being cured, and had given up all hope of ever getting well, when a friend advised me to take Laxa-Liver Pills. I have used in all seven bottles, and they have made a complete cure. I have told hundreds of people that Laxa-Liver Pills are the best medicine in the world." Price 25c.

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Montreal		
Ontario		
Toronto	249	244
Merchants		169
Commerce	152	151
Imperial	213½	2121/2
Dominion	268	265
Standard		187
Hamilton	190	189
British America		12658
Western Assurance		1641/2
Consumers' Gas		230
Montreal Gas		200
Dominion Telegraph		130
Northwest Land Compan	ny, pref. 53	52
Canada Pacific Ry . Stock		96%
Commercial Cable Comp	any185½	184 1/5
Commercial Coupon Bon		104
Com. Registered Bonds.	1041/2	1047/3
Bell Telephone Compan	у	181
Richelieu and Ontario	11234	1123/8
Montreal Street Railwa	y	1161/2
Toronto Street Railway.	117	178
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Duluth, common 51/8	5
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Commercial Cable 185	1821/2
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Richelieu and Untario 1131/2	1127/8
Montreal Street Railway 3131/8	3121/2
Montreal St. Railway, new	/-
Toronto Railway	11634
Toronto Ranway	202
Montreal Gas Company2021/2	181
Bell Telephone	184
Royal Electric	-01
Bank of Montreal, xd	
Ontario Bank	
Molsons Bank	
Bank of Toronto, xd	168
Merchants' Bank ., xd	
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	••
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Bank of Commerce	170
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New York Stocks. Reported by F. H. Butler, 16 and 16 Masonic

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Close.	Open.	High.	Low. S	p.m.
Atcheson 1834	183/4	183/4	1834	1834
Atcheson Pfd 551/2	553/8	55%	54 1/2	55
N. Y. Gas 18334	1831/4	1831	180	181
Brooklyn Tran11534	1151/2	1163/	1145/8	115
Canada Pacific 9736	97	971/4	97	97
U., B. & Q1311/4	1311	1317/8	1311/8	13114
C. & N: W1531/2				
Chicago Gas 1195%	120	1201/3	1191/3	1191/4
Gen. Electric 11814	1183/4	11834	11834	1183/4
Jersey Central 112				
K. & T., Pfd 311/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	341/2
L. & N 661/8	663/8	661/2	661/8	661/4
Manhattan 1111/3	1103/4	1113/8	1101/2	1101/2
Metropolitan St 2231/	222	222	220	220
Mo. P 44	44	441/3	43%	431/2
N. Y. Central133	133	133	1321/2	1321/2
N. P. Ptd 17				
Ont. & Western. 253	251/4	25%	251/8	251/3
P. M 50%	501/2	511/4	501/2	51
R. I1111/8	111	11134	111	1111/4
Reading 551/2	553/8	553/8	55	50
St. Paul1235/8	12378	124	1231/2	1235/8
Southern Ry, Pfd 51%			::	
T. C. I 581/4	581/4	583/4	5814	5834
U. Pacific 76%	761/8	7638	761/8	761/8
W. U 915/8	911/8	92	911/6	92
TRUSTS:				
Lead 32				***
Leather 693/4	693/4	6934	693/4	693/4
Sugar1561/2	1661/2	159	1551/2	1567/8
Federal Steel 603/4	611/4	613%	601/4	103/8
Rubber 46	46	46	46	46
Steel and Wire 64	633/4	64 7/8	6334	64 7/8
Tobacco 1041/2	105	106	105	106
Continental	53	533/8	5134	52

Toronto Produce Market.

Tonroto, May 20.-Wheat-Steady, at 69c to 73c for red and white, and 64c to 65c for goose west; Manitoba wheat steady, at 83c for No. 1 hard, grinding in transit, and 78c at Toronto and west. Flour-Steady, at \$2 90 to \$2 95 for cars of straight roller in barrels west. Mill-feed—Firm, at \$15 to \$16 for shorts, and \$12 to \$12 50 for bran west. Corn -Steady, at 34½c to 35c for Canada yellow west, and 41½c for No. 2 American west. Oats—Firmer, at 32c ask-ed for white west. Peas—Steady, at 64c to 65c west. Eggs-Easier, at 11c to 111/2c. Butter-Steady, at 10c to 111/2c for large rolls, and 9c to 101/2c for dairy tubs; creamery, 161/2c to 171/2c for prints, and 161/2c to 17c for packed.

Chicago Exchange.

broker, Masonic	Onen	High.	Low	Close.
Wheat-July				
Sept				731/2
Corn-July	331/8	331/2	33	333/8
Sept	335%	34	335/8	337/8
Oats - July	233/	2374	235/3	233/4
Sept		21	201/4	20%
Pork-July 8		8 25	8 20	8 20
Sept 8		8 37	8 35	8 35
Lord-July 5		5 12	5 12	5 12
Sept 5		5 27	5 25	5 25
Ribs-July 4		4 70	4 70	4 70
Sept 4		4 85	4 82	4 82
Puts, 73. Calls				

American Markets.

CHICAGO, May 20—Opening—Wheat, July, 13%c to 73%c; Sept., 73%c to 73%c. Corn, July, 13%c to 33c; Sept., 33%c to 33%c. Oats, July, 23%c; May, 26%c. Pork, July, \$8 22% to \$8 25. Lard, Sept., \$5 37%. Ribs, Sept., \$4 85; July, \$4 70.

BUFFALO, May 20 .- Spring wheat, No. 1 northern, 81%c; winter, No. 2 red, 78c; No. 1 white, 77c, asked on track. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 39¼c; No. 3 yellow, 38¼c to 38½c; No. 2 corn, 38c. Oats-No. 2 white, 331/2c; No. 3 white, 81%c to 32c.

DETROIT, May 20.-Wheat-No. white, cash, 75c; No. 2 red and May, 76c; July, 75%c.

TOLEDO, May 20.-Wheat-Cash and May, 751/2c; July, 751/2c. NEW YORK, May 20 .- Flour-Recelpts, 20,842 bbls; sales, none; state and western dull, but fairly steady; winter straight, \$3 60 to \$3 65; Minnesota patents, \$3 90 to \$4 10. Rye flour-Dull; good to fair, \$3 to \$3 15; choice to fancy, \$3 20 to \$3 40. Wheat-Receipts, 165,575 bu; sales, 515,000 bu; options opened steady on covering, but experienced an irregular decline thereafter owing to heavy rains west and active selling by a big Chicago trader; May, 80%c to 80%c; July, 78 3-16c to 78%c; Sept., 77 7-16c to 77%c; Dec., 784c. Rye—Steady; state, 61c; No. 2 western, 66c, f. o. b., afloat. Corn-Receipts, 309,075 bu; sales, 30,000 bu; options advanced slightly by covering and prospects of a large visible supply decrease on Monday; July, 381/2c to 38%c: Sept., 387-16c to 38%c. Oats-Receipts, 177,800 bu; options dull; on track, white state, 34c to 39c; on white western, 34c to 39c. But-

ery, 15c to 18c; western creamery, 15c to 18c. Cheese—Receipts, 914 packages; dull and weak; large white, 9½c; small white, 9½c to 9½c; large colored. 9c; small do, 9½c. Eggs—Receipts, 8,924 packages; firm. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 4½c; refined firm. Coffee—Dull. Hops—Quiet. Lead—Dull; bullion, \$4 25; exchange, \$4 35 to \$4 50. Potatoes—Quiet. Wool—Steady.

Live Stock Monkate

Live Stock Markets. CHICAGO, May 20.—Hogs—Estimated receipts today, 18,000; tomorrow, 34,000; active, shade lower; mixed and butchers, \$3 70 to \$3 92½; good heavy, \$3 55 to \$4; rough heavy, \$3 55 to \$3 70; light, \$3 70 to \$3 90. Cattle—Receipts, 300;

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Latest Probabilities

Toronto, May 20-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours: Moderate to fresh northwest to north

winds, fair; not much change in tem-Sunday fair, with stationary or little higher temperature.

-Selling salmon trout or whitefish of less than two pounds weight is illegal. -The water commissioners were in consultation with Engineer Kennedy

-Mrs. Davidson, of Bruce street, accompanied by Mrs. Meade Adams and daughter Wilma, of Toronto, have left on a visit to Chicago.

-Miss Parsons, and Masters Eric and Stuart Parsons, Wharncliffe road, West London, have left for a visit to relatives in Harwich, Ont.

-South London, East London and West London will hereafter be included in the city at Dominion elections, according to the new redistribution act. -The remains of the late Captain Parsons were taken to Sarnia this morning, where interment will take place at Lakeview Cemetery tomor-

-Matthew, the infant son of Mr Matthew Dart, of Pottersburg, died this morning of inflammation of the bowels. The funeral will be held tomorrow to Webster's cemetery.

—The Children's Aid Society has rented the dwelling, No. 137 Fullarton street for a shelter, which will be opened next week. Mrs. Tanner, South London, has been appointed

-Judgment has been given against Walter Simmons, of Morpeth in the sum of \$459, for illegal manufacture of cigars. The seizure was made by Mr. Thomas Alexander, collector of inland revenue, of this city.

-The celebrated English reader, Hal Newton Carlyle, will begin his unique series of recitals on Thursday evening of next week, the 25th, with a recital from Dickens. Dr. Carlyle has created quite a sensation in Toronto.

-An interesting historic lecture was delivered on Tuesday, in the Central Methodist Church, by the pastor Rev. S. Salton. Subject—"William the Silent, Prince of Orange." The Crediton brass band gave several choice selections. Proceeds, \$16 50. Thanks were given the lecturer.

-Prof. Hamill, Normal School instructor, will preach in Dundas Center Methodist Church tomorrow morning. In the evening the pulpit will be occupied by Rev. J. W. Bowman, M.A., B.D., pastor of Hanover Chapel, London, England, and nephew of Mr. Wm. Bowman, of this city.

-Mr. J. C. Glashan, of Ottawa, is one of those named by the Provincial University for the degree of LL.D. Mr. Glashan will be remembered by many of the old boys as a leacher in the old Union School, and quite an athlete and gymnast in the days the old gymnasium, in connection with that school later.

-Engineer Kennedy will return to Montreal this evening. Superintendent Moore, after obtaining some further data will also go to Montreal to work out the details of a plan for the dam proposed at Springbank. From this it is evident that the commissioners are anxious to rush the work as quickly as possible. It is understood that Mr. Kennedy does not advise a very large expenditure

-In yesterday's Advertiser a paragraph appeared stating that the Lucan Enterprise had superseded the Lucan Sun. This is an error. The Lucan Sun is a popular and well-established paper, and will continue in the field under its present able management. proprietor and editor has never had the slightest intention of selling or withdrawing the Sun. The Enterprise is a new and separate journalistic venture.

-The Y. M. C. A. Mandolin, Guitar, and Banjo Club, of this city, held a concert at Crumlin last night. The club was ably assisted by Mr. Wm. Tambling, Mr. A. Keough, Dr. Walter Crawford and Miss Myra Pickard. The selections given by the club were well rendered, and Messrs. Tambling and Keough sang in good style and voice. Dr. Crawford, in his recitations, proved himself to be a very clever elocu-tionist, and Miss Myra Pickard received repeated encores for her good Mr. Wm. Ashplant acted as

accompanist. AN INDIAN MAIDEN'S WHEEL.

Before Squire Smyth yesterday an adjournment was made for another week in the case of David Logan, a Muncey Indian, charged with stealing a wheel from Almira McDougall, a Dundas and Wellington streets, Lonyoung Indian woman, who lives on the reserve. The crown requested the adjournment. The wheel has not been recovered. It was left by Miss McDougall at her home while she went to Glencoe for a few weeks to make baskets, and on her return she was told by Logan, who had been left in charge ter-Receipts, 5,692 packages; easy; of the place, that the machine must British state dairs, 13% to 17c; state cream-

yard. There is a constant inquiry for pieces of the rope with which Brown was put to death. The rope cost 46 cents, but about 200 yards of rope, purporting to have been that with which Brown was hanged, has been distributed. Some 47 pipes have been disposed of, all of which are solemnly declared to be the "last one" Brown

SUCCESSFUL CANADIAN INVENT

The following list of patents recently granted to inventors residing in Canada is reported for The London Advertiser by P. J. Edmunds, international patent solicitor, London, Ont.: Canada patents-E. P. Roden, et al., Toronto, dish mop; Wm. Crawford, Sudbury, The Hague, May 20.—The second sitpipe wrench. H. W. Collins, Cartwright, Man., bolt and nut lock; 1. R. Washburn, Harriston, roller sash lifter; A. N. Cameron, Perth, Ont., on Thursday. counter stool; C. E. Saunders, Ottawa, Baron De St filling machine; J. E. Kennedy, Montreal, garment hanger and sliding door for wardrobes; A. Marengo, Point St. Charles, Canada, cigar-making ma-

THE OLD TACTICS ARE STILL USED

Company Trying to Wear the Men Out by Controversy-Evading the Point at Issue.

There are no new developments in the street railway dispute. The company continues to publish alleged interviews, calculated to show that it has Ching Klang Railway by two Chinese treated the men fairly, and that the directors and the representatives of the treated the men fairly, and that the men have been causing the company great inconvenience by disregarding the rules. The company makes capital of the fact that a number of the men have laid off recently, and claims that they have done so without per-mission. A list of names is published.

In reply the employes' committee says the company's statement is false in some particulars, and misleading in all. Dealing with the list published, the committee point out that the names of Garnett, Westby, Crawford and Armstrong appear seven times. All of them are members of the employes' committee, and are off at this time in the men's interest. And all of them reported in the regular way, as provided by the old agreement. Other names published by the company are John Pickle, who is sick in bed, and who is under a doctor's care; Angus Kennedy, who is also sick; and Eli Daily, who had a nail run through his each of whom, the men state, reported in the usual way. The company says the absence of so many men shows the necessity of keeping a large spare list. To which the men reply that the company is thus admitting what it has all along strenuously denied, viz., that the spare list maintained is unusually

The committee say the company is eking to wear them out by a policy of quibbling and meaningless controversy, and to draw the attention of the public away from the real points at The company has made no reply to the men's plea for a genuine arbitration of all matters in dispute.

PRAYERS FOR PEACE

The Bishop of Huron Authorizes a Form To Be Used During the Conference.

Prayers have been authorized by the Bishop of Huron for use in the churches of the diocese during the sessions of the Peace Congress at The Hague, as follows: "The collect for the fifth Sunday after Trinity and that set forth by the Bishop of New

"Almighty God, who hast made of one blood all nations to dwell upon the face of the earth, and who teachest men to be of one mind in a house, we beseech thee that as thou didst prescribe in the council of the blessed apostles, so thy Holy Spirit may abide in and with those who are now convened to promote peace and good will among the nations of the earth. Enlighten their understandings; constrain their wills; touch and transform their hearts, and by thy mighty power make them to think and do the thing that pleaseth thee, so that by what thou mayest suggest, and they may devise, peace and happiness, truth and justice, may in all lands prevail, and thus the day be brought near when men shall beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruninghooks, until all thy children being taught of the Lord, great shall be the peace of all kindreds and nations and tongues to the everlasting triumph of thy law of love, and the glory of thy Holy Name, through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen."

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street, London, Ont. J. G. Shuff, Chemist, 540 Dundas street, London, Ont. H. J. Childs, druggist, 632 Dundas street, London, Ont.

C. McCallum, druggist, London, Ont. N. W. Emerson, druggist, 120 Dundas street, London, Ont.
N. I. McDermid, druggist, corner Dundas and Wellington streets, Lon-

don, Ont. W. S. B. Barkwell, chemist, corner don, Ont. Anderson & Nelles, druggists, 240 Dundas street, London, Ont.

Only 70 years have elapsed since the first railway in the world was finished. During that comparatively brief period 400,000 miles have been constructed, the British Empire accounting for about a

Important Position Accepted by Sir Julian Pauncefote.

New Marine Invention-Lighthouses to Automatically Warn Ships of Their Danger.

London, May 20 .- The Daily Telegraph's correspondent at The Hague says: The chairmanship of the arbitration section, I understand, has been offered to and accepted by Sir Julian Pauncefote, who, with the delegates of the United States and several of the minor powers, will insist upon a permanent court of arbitration, which will

ting of the peace conference this morning lasted 35 minutes. The president, Moore, Toronto, check book; S. M. Baron De Staal, read the reply of the Burnley, Brantford, washing machine; czar and Queen Wilhelmina to the telegrams sent to them by the conference

Baron De Staal further proposed that "Lullaby" (copyright, words and music); the Rathburn Co., Deseronto, Ont., cement (trade mark). United States patents—J. T. Kearns, Delhi, canject to the approval of the president. This was also adopted.

IMPORTANT MARINE INVENTION. London, May 20.—The early announcement is expected of the invention of an arrangement whereby vessel approaching rocks upon which a lighthouse is situated may be warned automatically of their danger in spite of, fog.

KRUGER AND MILNER. The announcement is made that the meeting between Sir Alfred Milner, Governor of Cape Colony, and Presi-dent Kruger, of the South African Re-public, will take place at Bloemfon-tein on May 31.

AGREEMENT SIGNED. Berlin, May 20 .- A dispatch from Pekin says that an agreement has been for the construction of the

Anglo-German syndicate.

SIMPLY A FAKE. London, May 20.-The Johannesburg correspondent of the Morning Post says that facts which have arisen since the arrests of the former British officers on a charge of conspiracy to promote a rising in the Transvaal leave oo doubt that the alleged plot was "engineed by Boer officials to divert attention from the real demands of the

TWELVE WORKMEN KILLED. Crefeld, Prussia, May 20 .- A building in course of construction collapsed today and killed twelve workmen.

THEY WANT **MORE MONEY**

wrist, and could not take out his car; Railroad Employes Will Make a United Appeal to the Grand Trunk

> Firemen left yesterday for Montreal, to the privilege of hearing it, but what join with those from other districts, and make a united request for increased pay. Speaking of the effort, an engineer said: "We think the time has come to obtain an agreement from Mr. Hays under which the engineers of the Grand Trunk Railway shall receive the same rates as are paid by the Canadian Pacific Railway. We intend to ask for an increase of the rate per 100 miles of running from \$2 75 to \$3, the rate paid by the Canadian Pacific Railway, and for extra rates in cases where trains are so large that we have to take them over the grades in two portions.

"The firemen want an increase proportionate to ours, and the trackmen, whose executive officers are at Montreal now to press their request for an increase, ask for the support of the engineers and firemen in their efforts. Matters in regard to the trackmen's request are reaching an acute stage. A circular which has been sent to Mr. Hays contains this sentence: committee are still in Montreal waiting your pleasure to deal with them, and will not be responsible for any trouble with the trackmen which may come of your refusal to treat with The trackmen have the two usual complaints, tong hours and small pay. They are paid at the rate of \$1 50 per day for foremen and \$1 per day for ordinary workmen, from which are deducted the insurance dues. They also claim that being taken away on extra work, they are forced at times to put in 15 to 17 hours per day, without receiving any remuneration for overtime."

FRIEND OF THE POOR

An Indefatigable Clergyman and a Good Citizen Was Rev. C. C. Owen.

To the new rector of the Memorial Church here the Winnipeg Tribune editorially pays the following graceful tribute:

"In the departure of Rev. C. C. Owen for London, not only does Trinity Church lose a devoted and indefatigable clergyman, but what is no less important, the city of Winnipeg loses a valuable citizen. Not only did he take a wide view of the duty of the church to the community, but he went further, and put it into practice. While other clergymen, after a hard Sunday's work, took a well-earned rest and talked social problems before a glowing grate, in an easy chair, Mr. Owen left Trinity Church to try and solve those problems in crowded meetings in old Trinity lodging house, which was not the most ideal place in the world to work in. He knew more about the poor and the outcast than any other man in Winnipeg, not excepting the city relief officer, and yet he was the most imposed on. His house was always full and could never quite make up its mind whether it was a hospital or a Gospel training school. He was only known to cheat one man, who was always busy and needed time to get up sermons. Nevertheless, though he pleaded not guilty, he stands convicted by a jury of his own townsmen (and women) that he preached good tidings unto the meek, bound up the brokenhearted, claimed liberty to the captive, and the opening of the prison to them that were bound."

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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Admiral Dewey has sailed with the Olympia from Manila to Hong Kong. James Marks, of Port Huron, has been bound over to the circuit court on the charge of murdering his child wife. Mr. Ethel Davis, Yarmouth Heights, passed away very suddenly Friday.

morning. He was in the 76th year of his age. James G. Harris, ex-treasurer of the Union Pacific Railroad, died at Cambridge, Mass., this (Saturday) morn-

The contributions in Colborne Street Methodist Church, Brantford, of which

Rev. J. R. Treleaven is pastor, increased over \$1,000 during the last year. I. Gardiner, government ranger, Rondeau Park, announces that he has a fine bevy of English pheasants, hatched. Altogether he has about 200

eggs hatching. G. D. Wilson, a former principal of the Glencoe High School, and for some time editor of the Brandon Sun, is now publishing an educational journal at

Brandon, Manitoba. A child about five years old was found astray on the farm of Melvin Washington, in South Buxton. She could not tell where she came from or

her parents' name. Eddie, the little son of Mr. Alfred Crowe, Glencoe, who fell on a piece of slate, which penetrated the windpipe, and was in a precarious condition for a few days, is now recovering.

The congregation of the West Presbyterian Church, New York, met and sustained their pastor, Rev. Dr. Anthony M. Evans, whom the board of directors, headed by Russell Sage, sought to oust because his pastorate was not financially successful. Mr. Gilbert Boyd, of Gravenhurst,

one of the best known deer hunters and all-round sportsmen in Muskoka, died at Toronto General Hospital on Friday, as the result of a cancerous growth in his jaw and neck, and the shock attending the operation.

The congregations of the Phillips Presbyterian Church and the Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church, New York, have decided to consolidate. The Madison Avenue Church will be sold, and will bring probably \$500,000. Two hundred thousand dollars will be devoted to rebuilding and enlarging the Phillips Church.

There was a very large attendance of teachers and others in-terested at the opening session of Management.

A deputation of Grand Trunk employes, including representatives of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Engi must have felt benefited.

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If the thousands of people who rush to so worthy a remedy as a last resort would go to it as a first resort, much misery and suffering would be spared. Mrs. John Fitzpatrick, of Gananoque, after being treated by eminent physicians for heart disease of five years' standing was discharged from the hospital as a hopeless incurable. The lady procured Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart, she declared as a last resort. One dose relieved a very acute spasm in less than half an hour,

and three bottles cured her.
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UNPLEASANTNESS IN TEXAS. Dallas, Tex., May 20.-Serious trouble is reported from Columbus, Colorado county. Two men were killed there on Thursday night in a renewal of the factional troubles of two months ago. The deputy sheriffs stationed on the bridge spanning the Colorado River by Sheriff Bufford had orders to arrest all men carrying pistols. Dick Reese, a brother of former Sheriff Reese, attempted to pass, and was ordered to halt. He drew a pistol and the deputies opened fire. Reese and Richard Grant were killed instantly, and several persons slightly wounded.

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MOUNT BRYDGES. Mount Brydges, May 20 .- The annual district meeting of the Strathroy district of the London conference was held in the Methodist Church on Wednesday and Thursday, of this week.

Wednesday. Rev. Mr. Kershaw, of Arkona, was recommended for superannuation, and Mr. Phillips was recommended as a probationer. In the evening a public meeting was held in the church in the interest of the Epworth League, when excellent

The ministerial session was held on

addresses were given by Rev. W. H. McAllister, M.A., Watford, on "Personal Power," followed by Rev. Jos. Philp, B.D., of Petrolia, on "A Half-Hour with Milton." The audience, though not very large, appreciated the brethren. The choir of the church gave a number of selections. THURSDAY'S PROCEEDINGS

On Thursday the lay delegates from several of the circuits were present, and read the schedules from their respective circuits, nearly all showing a large increase of membership, as well as finances. The laymen met at one o'clock, and elected the lay delegates to conference, after which the election of representative to the stationing committee took place, requiring quite 2 number of ballots, and finally resulting in the selection of Rev. W. G. H. Mc-Allister, of Watford, Rev. J. E. Holmes. of Mount Brydges, and Mr. Henderson, of Watford, were elected to the Sabbath

school committee. It was decided to hold the financial district meeting in September at Kerwood, and the next May district meeting in Watford. After passing a vote of thanks to the people of Mount Brydges for entertaining the delegates, singing the doxology and pronouncing the benediction, the district meeting adjourned to meet at the call of the

Mr. J. W. Torrance was elected lay delegate to the conference from the Mount Brydges circuit.

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GWYN.

Gwyn was sobbing on his breast, his strong arms around her. Whose child, then, is she?" asked barrister.

if that, sir, I'm ignorant to the preday. I tell you the sea gave her sea," remarked Lady Mary.

"Wil you not tell us how?" "Why not? Certainly. And you, darse, get it."

Mis wife evidently well understood bint the "it" signified, for she entered the bedroom while Daniel proceeded; Gwyn, with fond, speechless agony, gazing into his face.

"Fighteen years ago," said the fisherman, "I and my dame lived at St. Marys, in the Scilly Islands. I was a fisherman, then as now, One November might there was a fearful storm, accompanied by a dense fog, during which we heard the fatal boom of the minute-gun, and the faint ring of a bell. It was a ship in distress. We put off in our boats, but we were beat back. We couldn't get nigh enough even to see the ship. When morning broke, the sea was calm. Only bits of wreck washed ashore showed too plainly the fate of the ship. It had gone down with all hands. Still, we put off to see if life could be saved. No. As, however, I was putting back, I spied something dark on the waters. I rowed to it. It was a life-buoy, on which was lashed a wicker basket, wrapped well round with tarpaulin. Inside was a bab;, who could hardly have been a month old. The little dear was sleeping, evidently from exhaustion, for its cleek was tear-stained, and it sobbed its slumber. I took it home and

ave it to my wife." Did you find no clue to its parentage?" inquired the barrister. 'None that was of any good," said

the old man. "Evidently the poor mother who had saved her child p'r'aps hadn't had time, nor means, to write. The only thing we found was clasped round the tiny leg-a plain gold bracelet, with two filagree medallions upon

"Did you not advertise?" "We didn't, but the parson did. We made it known in every way we could, but nothing came of it. So, as heaven had denied us children of our own, we adopted her, and called her Gwyn.' Sir Merton had been leaning against the fireplace, his handsome face dark with anger and scorn. Now abruptly he

What was the name of that ship?" "None knew for certain," and Dantel's voice, which had softened towards Edward Pensleigh, hardened as he addressed the baronet. "Only, as the Firefly was due in London from India about that time, and she was never heard of after passing Cape Finisterre, it was suspected it must have been her."

Sir Merton had sprung erect, with a stifled ejaculation. Now, striding forward, he exclaimed in agitation: 'Great heavens! The Firefly was the ship in which my sister left India, and

bracelet Mrs. Rebna entering at that moment with the ornament, the baronet pluck-ed it from her, and, with shaking fingers, examined it. It was new to him; he had never seen it before. Yet those two medallions he was aware hid somethirs hair, perhaps; and while all, a prey to a terrible anxiety, watched, his

For the love of heaven, let me see the

trembling hands sought a spring. He was not wrong. At last he discovered it. But at first, so excited by emotion was he, that his pressure was too feeble. Again, with irritation, he tried. Abruptly both covers flew up together, disclosing beneath two miniatures, and inside each lid a lock of hair, clasped by a monogram of initi-

als he knew well.

An ejaculation of surprise bust from his lips. Awhile he gazed, with dilated eyes, upon the likenesses; then, tremulously addressing Gwyn, he said:
"Forgive me! Pardon me the past; for, if this is yours, then are you my sister's child!"

That sister had been his fondest love; and a tide of recollections rushing over him, his heart yearned to her daughter. Half-prayerfully, the proud man held his hand towards the girl; but, with a burst of tears, she threw herself on Daniel's neck. 'No, no," she cried, "I will not be-

Meve it; you alone are my father."
"Tut, tut, dear child," said the old fisherman, fondly. "Ever to you will I be what I am; but you belong to these, it appears."
"By birth," said Gwyn; "but to whom

do I owe every kindness, every care? The pure teaching you, my parents, have taught me. No-no, never will I leave you.

A soft hand was laid on her arm, a sweet voice sounded in her ear. "Dear Gwyn, my preserver and sister, can you not forgive? Will you have no pity for Rowland and Rowland's father? There is no barrier now."

It was Lady Mary who spoke. Gwyn's cheek had flushed crimson her eyes drooped before the gentle gaze;

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and when Rowland's faint, pleading voice again murmured: "Gwyn, my sea-maiden, will you not

come-will you not pardon me She allowed herself to be led to him. Fondly he passed his arms about her, pressing her to his bosom. Then, glancing up, he found that all had retired except the baronet and Lady Mary. "Dear Gwyn," he said, smiling into her eyes, "if you hesitate to accept Sir Merton as an uncle, will you not do so as your father? for as my wife, such he

tioned the baronet. Gwyn trembled as she timidly put her little hand in her uncle's. He drew her to him and pressed his lips to her fore-"Oh. Gwyn, love me," he said, "for your mother's sake. You know not how

"Will you not hear his prayer?" ques-

I loved her." "Lady Mary," whispered Rowland, hesitatingly, "how can I address you

"Apologize for your rudeness in rejecting me," she answered, with a bright laugh. "Please don't cry. When you hear all you will find I have not acted so unselfishly as you imagine. I have a secret to tell also."
"You," he said, looking vaguely at

her; and, as he looked, his expression grew more wondering. "But, Gwyn, where is she? I tell you, we may be passing her. I will go ashore. We are coming nearer-nearer!"

Lady Mary summoned the others quickly. The scene had proved, as was natur-

al, too much for him, and Rowland had suffered a relapse. The doctor was angry; but, after all, the evil brought good, for the baronet could not sit by his son's side without having constant opportunity of admir-

ing his new-found niece, whom he soon loved for her own sake, as well as for her mother's. It was a very merry and happy party which the coquettish Undine took back

to London. There, by the strangest coincidence, for which Lady Mary could not account, unless Lil, to whom she had written about Gwyn, had told him, Captain Jack Darnley, looking gloriously well and in exuberant spirits, met them; and on being invited to stay and dine, he got a few minutes' quiet talk with Lady Mary, which must have been satisfactory, for he was so remarkably cheerful afterwards.

No one said a word to Marian about. her duplicity, yet somehow she discovered all was known; and, enraged, ashamed to remain in town Gwyn, she persuaded Mr. Rylands to make a con-

Six months later two weddings were solemnized. The names of the bride and bridesmaids need not be mention-

Truly, "all's well that ends well," for none appeared to be the worse for the trials they had gone through. Rowland is now a cabinet minister; and Gwyn, or Lady Gower, holds her receptions and dinners. But when September comes every year they go down to no fashionable wateringplace, but to a charming little cottage, possessing even an excess of comfort, at Sidmouth, Gwyn's first gift to her adopted parents, Daniel Rebna and his wife. Her love never changed, and her happiness was always to add to theirs. While Rowland's joy was ever to please his beautiful wife, his greatest delight to wander along the quiet, moonlit shores, far away from the busy world, with his sweet "sea-maiden" - Gwyn.

[The End.]

BRYAN STYLED A TRAITOR. Kansas City, May 20 .- W. J. Bryan was denounced as a traitor by the 60 leading populists at the meeting of the National Reform Press Association at Kansas City on Wednesday. President Burkhill was loudly applauded when he said: "Mr. Bryan will charge the Republican party with entire responsibility for this great wrong (for-mation of trusts), but he will doubt-less withhold the fact that many of the statutes under which the robber combinations are chartered are the handiwork of Democratic politicians."

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Mr. John Read, Tilsonburg, Ont. writes: "For twelve years I suffered the untold agonies of itching piles. I tried almost everything, but could not get even relief from the horrible itching, and when scratched the skin be-came sore and ulcerated and I could get no sleep at nigths. The first application of Dr. Chase's Cintment gave relief, and after using one box I am positively cured. If anyone doubts this testimonial let him write direct to me.' Dr. Chase's Ointment has a record of cures unparalleled in the history of medleine. It has never failed to oure tich-

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BUFFALO STRIKE

Grain Scoopers Desperate-Action of the Chicago Board of Trade.

Montreal Molders Still Out - Steel Workers' Convention Figuring on a 15 Per Cent Raise.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 19.—Striking grain handlers to the number of about 3,000, met in a hall tonight on Elk street, and amid the wildest excitement passed resolutions, denouncing the officers of their union, Bishop Quigley and all others who had endeavored to bring about a peaceful settlement of the trouble. President MacMahon, of the Grain Shovellers' Union, was instructed to stop all negotiations with the contractors or the Lake Carriers' Association; rent an office on the docks and remain in it until the officers of the Lake Carriers' Association came to him, and said they were willing to cancel Mr. Connor's contract and deal directly with the men. The striking freight handlers also met and took similar action. BUSINESS PARALYZED.

The business of the port is absolutely paralyzed, and the strikers are becoming more and more desperate as the days go by. Hundreds of them are in absolute poverty. Led on by several outsiders, who have no interest in the strike whatever, except to gain a political advantage, the men are liable to do anything. The United Seamen's Union decided today that they would take a hand in the trouble. EFFECT IN CHICAGO.

Chicago shipping has almost reached a standstill as a result of the strike at Buffalo. The grain shovelers or "trimmers" at Chicago docks have been idle, and the strike in Buffalo has cut off the wages of hundreds of men. Every day the strike continues increases the distress, and is piling up

a monetary loss hard to estimate. The Chicago board of trade directors passed the following resolution and telegraphed it to the parties in interest at Buffalo: "Resolved, that it is the sense of the board of directors of the board of trade of the city of Chicago that the contract of Mr. Conners with the Lake Carriers' Association should be immediately abrogated, and that normal conditions affecting transportation on the great lakes and the unloading of cargoes at Buffalo should be instantly restored."

WANT MORE PAY.

The convention of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers is not prolific of news. The organization has unanimously voted to keep mum on everything and refuse point blank to give out news to the press. The majority of the delegates favor asking for a substantial raise, and it is intimated that an advance of 15 per cent minimum will be demanded. AT MONTREAL.

There is very little change in the Montreal molders' strike, which still drags along. Belangers' foundry, which employs fifteen men, agreed to the demands of the strikers, and the foundry is now running. The majority of the foundries still hold out.

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Premier Hardy spoke at North Wa-Gilbert Boyd, a well-known lumberer.

of Gravenhurst, is dead. John A. Bulmer & Co, lumber merchants, Montreal, have consented to as-

A colored man named Jenkins, is charged with robbing the safe at the Arlington Hotel, Winnipeg,of \$150. Radeliffe, the official hangman, is on his way to Winnipeg to conduct the execution of Guszczak and Czuby.

Little, if any, progress has been made today in getting the steamship Gailia off the mud bank below Sorel,

Michigan's returning soldiers met a warm welcome all along their line of travel yesterday. Detroit gave them a

grand ovation. The Americans are sending a board of officers to Batavia, in Java, to re-port on the means taken there to preserve the health of troops.

The Russian Government, under the czar's leadership, is considering the advisability of stopping the transportation of prisoners to Siberia.

Sir Frederick Bedford has hoisted his flag on the Crescent, and will start today to take command of the North American and West Indian station.

William Cane, late mayor of Newmarket, Ont., and president of the Reform Association, died Thursday after a long sickness, at the age of 75 years. Ex-Gov. Flower, of New York, is stated to have been worth at the time

of his death \$6,575,000, of which \$6,500,-000 is personal property and \$75,000 in real estate. The steamship Gallia still remains fast in the mud in the river below

Sorel, Que, while the water is receding and leaving the boat stand higher and drier.

The Winnipeg striking carpenters will not agree to the maximum wage of 30 cents per hour proposed by their employers. The bricklayers may go out in sympathy. It is stated that Mgr. Marois, V.G.,

will be promoted very soon to the episcopal dignity of coadjutor of his Lordship Archbishop Begin, cum futura successione. The 2-year-old child of W. F. Mc-Crea, Montague township, got pos-session of a bottle containing butter coloring, and drank a dose sufficient to

cause death in a short time. Owing to the enormous height of the new locomotives constructed by the Grand Trunk Railway and the lowness of the tubular span over the river at Ste. Annes the company is unable to

use the engines on that section. The Provincial University will confer the LL.D. on Dr. John Beattle Crozier, London, England; Dr. George M. Dawson, of the geological survey; Mr. J. C. Glashan, of Ottawa; Principal G. M. Grant, of Queen's University; Sir John Murray, F.R.S., etc., Edinburgh; Dr. William Osler, Baltimore, Md.

Almost half a million dollars' worth of property was destroyed Wednesday night by a flerce fire in the lumber district of Chicago. The flames were confined to the block bounded by Loomis and Gaffin streets and Twentyfirst Place and Twenty-second street. Gunderson & Son, who are chief losers, suffer to the extent of \$350,000.

Middlesex.

The Milton Standard ceased publica-

The Reform Association of Cardwell met at Caledon East on Friday. Levi Wright, of Amherstourg, lost three sows, all under six years of age, within a few days. Meningitis was

Charles Loomis, while at work rolling Atlantic Park, St. Thomas, was grabbed by a vicious stallion and shaken like a rat by a dog. He would have been seriously injured had not some fellow-workmen gone to his aid. The stallion seems to be a vicious brute, only the other day attacking a young

John Archibald, of Kingsmill, a guest at the Dake House, St. Thomas, had a narrow escape from death, when he went to bed he left his gas-jet full on, and the room soon niled with gas. Half an hour afterwards Amos Armitage noticed the smell of gas, and it with great difficulty, by the use of a broom through the fanlight, that Mr. Archibald was awakened. He was then in a partially unconscious condi-

Petrolia Advertiser: Last week, the Messrs. Woodward received a cablegram from London, England, ask ing them to secure six more drillers to go to Borneo for the Nederlandsch Indische Industrie en Handel Maatschappij, the Dutch company for whom so many of our boys are operating in the Pacific Islands. After a good deal of trouble they secured the following men: John Collins, Harvey Bevans, John A. Williamson, Chas. Keck, John Lambert and Henry Thompson, and they are already en route for England, where the final contracts will be

Ridgetown Plaindealer: Mr. Tyhurst, the peach king of Leamington, was in Ridgetown Tuesday, and in conversation stated that it is his belief that fully-three fourths of the peach trees in his district have been killed by the frosts of last winter. The extent of the damage is not even yet fully appreciated, for although the roots of the trees are dead there was enough sap in the trunk and branches to cause the trees to blossom and leaf out; as this sap is exhausted the trees wither. One grower near Leamington recently cut down a ten-acre orchard, every tree being dead, while Mr. Tyhurst himself cut down four acres, but five trees in the whole plot having escaped uninjured. He also reports the blackberry bushes, the strawberries and the grapevines badly injured.

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, May 19-8 p.m.-Pressure movements as a rule continue to be extremely slow, and the only marked change that has occurred since last night is the advent of a further low area into the Western States, attended another widespread rain area. Showers have occurred generally day along the St. Lawrence Valley, and also in the Northwest Territories Minimum and maximum temperatures: Arthur, 40-60; Parry Sound, 40-52; Toronto, 44-57; Montreal, 46-54; Quebec, 46-54; Halifax, 40-52.

Local temperatures.-The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory here on Friday, May 19, were: Highest, 53; lowest, 41 de-

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-Mrs. Fitzgerald, Waterloo street, is visiting relatives in Essex. -Mr. W. J. Element and daughter leave on Monday morning for a trip

to Washington, D. C. -Mr. William Moore, of William street, is recovering after a four weeks' serious illness.

-Auctioneer J. W. Jones sold the bankrupt general stock of D. J. Mc-Cosh, of Lucan, at 60 cents on the dollar, yesterday.

-Mrs. Stephen Blackburn and Miss Emily C. Blackburn, of Glencoe, sail today by the Vancouver, for England, where they will remain for the sum-

-Miss Edith Hance, soprano soloist, of the Colborne Street Methodist Church, city, will assist the choir of the Front Street Methodist Church at Strathroy tomorrow.

-The license of Oliver Scott, Boswell House, has been transferred to Mr. Harrison, of Chatham, and that of W. C. Ross, Ross House, to Robert Reid, of Nilestown.

-The popular excursion for the Queen's Birthday is the Woodmen's, on the Michigan Central. Every benevolent citizen will naturally patronize it. Fare, \$1 75, for two days.

-Among the preparations going forward for the Seventh Battalion outing at Port Stanley on the 24th, is the establishment on the beach of rifle ranges of 100, 200, 300 and 400 yards. There will be eleven targets. -Charles Cameron, of Fairfield Flats, between Brantford and Norwich, was before Police Magistrate Parke, charged as a drunk. Cameron is a deaf mute, with a wife and two little children. He had \$2 50 in his pockets. He was discharged.

-Capt. Fages, of the Royal Regiment, Canadian Infantry, Wolseley Barracks, has left for England, where he will take a course of instruction with the imperial army. He sails on the Vancouver, and will be accom-

panied by Col. Aylmer. The Rev. Joseph W. Bowman, M. A., B.D., pastor of Hanover Chapel, London, England, who is passing through the city on a tour of Canada and the United States, will occupy the pulpit of First Methodist Church tomorrow morning, and Dun-

das Street Center in the evening. -John Hall, an aged Indian missionary, is in the city begging for assistance to help him build a little home on the Muncey Reserve. He is 71 years old, and was engaged in missionary work among the Indians in the United States for 25 years. He returned to the reserve only lately. The president of the Irish Benevo-lent Society, Mr. T. W. Scandrett, has received word from Mr. N. F. Davin,

Q.C., M.P., and Mr. M. J. F. Quinn, Q.C., M.P., who are coming to London to be present at the society's banquet on the 23rd inst., that they will arrive in London on Tuesday morning

-On Wednesday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barney, 394 Ri-dout street, Miss Nellie M. Barnett, daughter of the late Samuel Barnett, was united in marriage to Mr. F. W. Chambers, of High street, South London. Rev. Joseph Edge, pastor of Wellington Street Methodist Church, officiated.

—Sergeant-Orderly-Room Clerk **D.** Hendry, R. R. C. I., Wolseley Bar-racks, leaves here about May 24, having been detailed for duty with Lieut.-Col. Kitson, who will command the staff ride which takes place be-tween the 25th and 27th of May. Sergt. Hendry will return to London for duty with the Second Infantry Brigade, and will proceed to Niagara on the 19th of June for duty with the Fifteenth Infantry Brigade.

-The many friends of Mr. Fred L. Howell, for some time in Mr. Thos. Gillean's establishment here, will be pleased to hear of his success in his new home at Windsor, where he has purchased the jewelry stock and business of B. J. Walker, on Ouelette avenue. Mr. Howell has been employed there successfully for some time as manager, and no doubt he will be even more successful as proprietor. -At the quarterly meeting of the official board of Colborne Street Methodist Church, held last night, the reso lution passed at a previous meeting, requesting the conference to appoint Rev. George Jackson to the church for the fourth year was confirmed by a unanimous vote. Spiritually and fin-ancially the church has had a very prosperous year. Mr. N. Tackaberry was elected representative to the financial district meeting, to be held next

-Kensington and Richmond Street Churches, which are branches of the First Methodist Church, having been refitted throughout in the interior—seating, papering and electric lighting, with many minor details-bringing them as much as possible in line with the larger churches, and in keeping with the times, by being made more comfortable, and also more attractive, will be reopened on the coming Lord's Day. See church announcement column.

—The special train which will leave here for Detroit at 7:15 a.m. on Wednesday, May 24, via Grand Trunk Railway, will be one of the finest excursion trains that ever left London. Arrangements have been made for a fast run, and excursionists can depend on everything being strictly up to date. patronizing this excursion the public will experience no tedious delays at junction points, and the number of regular trains returning via the Grand Trunk insures passengers ample accommodation for the next day, at the same time giving them two full days

the recent dental examinations in Toyoung men: Degree of D. D. S.-Class I.-Claude Brown, Class II.-E. C. Abbott, A. W. Winnett. Class III.-G. W. Humpidge. The following passed in anatomy and chemistry: R. Jarvis, S. M. Kennedy, F. P. Moore, A. E. Santo, E. P. Smith, L. Smith and C. Windsor. COUNCIL OF WAR.

Salvation Army officers stationed in Western Ontario will attend a council of war to be conducted in the citadel, Clarence street, by Major and Mrs. Mrs. Phillips, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday next. The following officers have been instructed to farewell on Sunday, and they will receive their new appointments on Wednesday: Ad-jutant Coombs, Brantford; Ensign Me-Harg, Windsor; Ensign Bale, Chatham; Ensign McKenzie, Berlin; Ensign Ottaway and Capt. Coe, Guelph; Ensign Scott and Lieut. Smith, Galt; Capt. Coy, Paris; Capt. Jarvis, Chatham; Capt. McCutcheon, Ridgetown; Capt.

McLeod, Wingham; Capts. Alcroft and Stickles, Forest; Capt. Gibson and Lieut. Burton, Sarnia; Lieut. Baird, Thedford; Capt. Hancock and Lieut. Hodgson, Goderich: Lieut. Jardinson, Essex; Capt. Berton and Lieut. Thompson, Leamington; Lieut. Crawford, Bayfield; Capt. Liston, Watford; Lieut. Beech, Mitchell; Lieut. Ringler, Wyoming; Capt. Bonney, Bothwell; Capt. Freeman, Ingersoll; Lieut. Burrows, Wallaceburg. None of the officers at present stationed in London are to be transferred.

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pany, and became a general favorite with music lovers. His glorious voice and artistic power captivated his audience last night, with his first num-ber, "The Bandalero." His rich voice was displayed to advantage in his solemnly sweet rendition of "The Mono-tone" and "The Sands o' Dee," and particularly in "The Armorer's Song." was recalled after every number, and generously responded. Mr. Shonert manipulated the keyboard with a master-hand, and won hearty applause by his artistic playing. He is a superb pianist. His "Hungarian Rhapsody" threw his audience into a state of rhapsody. His rendering of Gottschalk's Tremolo" was simply wonderful.

The recital, given under the auspices of the London Vocal Society, was one of the most charming and finished ever given in London.

One-Third of the City Council Named on a Deputation

To Wait on the Government in the Interests of the Proposed L. L. & L. H. Electric Railway-Taking Possession of the Contagious Pavilion.

Impressive harmony prevailed at the special meeting of the council last night. It was the sweetest, briefest meeting on record. With one voice the aldermen hummed that grand old incantation, "Put me off at Ottawa," and in 15 minutes six passes were issued. There was magic in it. Such a peaceful gathering of the city fathers heretofore seemed impossible. But last night SUCCESSFUL DENTAL STUDENTS. it was as though the party had already Among the successful candidates at set out on their agreeable junketing at the city's expense. The mayor presided. Ald. Greenlees, Malloch, McCallum. ronto were the following London O'Meara, Plant, Rumball, and Winnett were absent.

The following letter addressed to the mayor was received from Mr. M. Cameron, solicitor for the London, Lu-

can and Lake Huron Railway: "I have been requested by those interested in the building of the London. Lucan and Lake Huron Railway to ask you to appoint a small deputation from your council to visit Ottawa along with other gentlemen from the localities interested, to interview the government and endeavor to obtain a bonus to assist in building the road at an Southall, assisted by Staff-Capt. and early date. The line proposed runs north from London to Lucan, Exeter, and thence to Lake Huron. The building and completion of such a railway would be of immence value to your city, and I feel sure you will assist us in the way asked by sending a deputation to Ottawa at a date to be arranged later, when the government can receive us, I will advise the day as soon as I can get an appointment.'

Ald. Carrothers moved and Ald. Mc-Phillips seconded that the prayer of the petition be granted. Carried.

Ald. Garratt moved, and Ald. McPhillips seconded that Ald. Pritchard, Douglass, Carrothers, Garratt, Dreaney and Greenlees be a deputation for the purpose requested. It was then moved by Ald. Reed and

seconded by Ald. Graham that the deputation be the same as will wait on the government re the proposed ar-Ald. Graham moved, and Ald. Wilkey seconded, that Ald. McPhillips, Car-

rothers and Graham be the deputation. The original motion was carried with

out a murmur.

Ald. Jolly moved a formal resolution Edwin M. Shonert, gave one of the that the city take possession of most delightful musical treats of the the contagious pavilion of the Victoseason at the Auditorium last night, ria Hospital subject to any works not now completed by the contractors, ac-Mr. Gamble appeared in this city be- the mayor be requested to give possesfore, with the Pasquali Concert Com- sion of the pavilion to the chairman of

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the hospital trust, with the request that the trust vacate the two buildings that are to be taken down as quickly

as possible. The resolution was carried unanimously. By reason of it, the insurance on the building ceases being charged to the contractors, and is to be charged against the city in future.

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