Czar Delays Sending Reply; Japan Cool, but Determined

emptory Note to Russia.

Events Expected to Move Rapidly When Note Is Received.

Japanese Expected to Forward an Ultimatum Before Striking-Edward Strives for Peace.

Tokio, Feb. 2. - The Russian note is still undelivered, and the Government and people of Japan do not possess any definite information concerning the time of its arrival or its contents. Russia's delay, coupled with the announcement of continued movement of reinforcements into Manchuria increase the strain of the tension, while it diminishes the already slight prospects for peace. The Government has was reached by which, each in their been urged to dispatch a peremptory note to St. Petersburg, threatening to to secure a pacific adjustment; but declare war if refused immediate satistics this related to the former condition, faction in the way of a reply to its when the Japanese note was pending. previous note, but still the Government is patient, although it is manifest if the delay is much more prolonged it will act energetically. Events will move rapidly when the note is finally received, if it is materially unsatisfactory, and the prospect for additional negotiations is slight, although probably Japan will dispatch an ultimatum before striking.

JAPAN IS CALM. and England before recent wars are far east.

BALFOUR HAS INFLUENZA

The Premier Unable to Attend the No Warrant For Charges Against Opening of Parliament.

no complications.

FOR NEW ONTARIO

ity of Brantford.

Preston, M. P. P., has brought their free grants might be arranged, but not ing to west and northwest Wednesday.

A PITIFUL TRAGEDY

Mother Fatally Injured.

sen, ranging in age from 5 months to court in the Northern Securities' case 11 years, and probably fatally burned has, it is hoped, been frustrated

daughters and a son were asleep. She interview with Chief Justice Fuller and said that a syndicate was formed to flames and she could not enter. Mrs.

Christiansen ran into the street and raised an alarm. Neighbors turned in had sent an agent, armed with money this was the only fire in the house.

DATE SET FOR REPLY

Receive It Feb. 6. Paris, Feb. 2. - Views have been

exchanged between the United States, France and Great Britain on the subject of Russia's reply. The concessions therein go beyond general exsions therein go beyond general ex-pectation and illustrate the sentiments officers of the Northern Securities of equity and loyalty actuating the

"If, in spite of the very large satisfaction Japan will receive," continues a possible leak. The justice who the dispatch, "the issue of the crisis a possible leak. The justice who southern Railroad, which left Denver writes the opinion will do so with his

WAR IN URUGUAY.

Buenos Ayres, Argentina, Feb. 2.

Mikado Urged to Dispatch Per- witnessed. There are occasional deout of the ordinary in the disposition and behavior of the people. There is, the however, an undercurrent of desperate day. length and breadth, more imposing in many ways than a demonstrative mo-

> ERITAIN NOT INTERFERING. office authorizes a denial of the report of the ability and zeal with which the printed in New York and emanating British interests had been advocated. from Paris, to the effect that the French and British Governments had agreed to exert pressure on Japan for the acceptance of the coming Russian reply. It is specifically asserted that no exchanges relating to the Russo-Japanese situation have occurred between the French and British Governments for more than ten days. Some time ago, while reports of mediation were current, a general understanding own way-Great Britain at Tokio, and France at St. Petersburg-would seek Since then there has been on agreement and no negotiations towards an agreement concerning the coming Rus-

New York, Feb. 2. - A special to the Herald from London, says: No fewer than four King's messengers have been dispatched from this country to St. Petersburg within the last four days, an absolutely unprecedented re-

This may be taken as evidence of The Japanese show a remarkable out-ward calm, similar to those in America into play to prevent hostilities in the

CLEARS THE HOTELMEN

St. Marys Hotelkeepers.

ANOTHER STORM EN ROUTE

100 Families to Go From the Vicin- This One Is In Lower Michigan, but Is Coming This Way.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 2. — Two years New York, Feb. 2. — The local Kurino, the Japanese minister to man was hurt.

Russia into a window embrasure, Later reports state the storm raging ago a party of Americans, originally weather bureau has received the fol-farmers, came to Brantford and took where the two talked earnestly for narmers, came to Branctord and took lowing from Washington: Southwest half an hour. This incident attracted seen for some time. The velocity of up the work of mechanics. Now they lowing from Washington: destre to take up land and farm. T. H. storm warnings are ordered 11 a.m. case before the Government asking for from Norfolk to New York. Storm free grants and free transportation for their families, about 100 persons in all, to New Ontario. The Premier said the high southwest winds tonight; shift-

A BRIBE GAME BLOCKED

Five Children Burned to Death and Syndicate Sought Securitie's Decision

Washington, Feb. 2. - An effort to Council Bluffs, Iowa, Feb. 2. — Fire in a house this morning burned to death five children of Peter Christian-

Mrs. Christiansen was awaked by through the prompt action of Chief smoke and flames which almost filled Justice Melville W. Fuller. a fire alarm and tried to enter the enough to bribe all secretaries to the But the small wooden house justices and stenographers or clerks of burned rapidly, barring entrance. The the court who might be vulnerable, house and the children was consumed This information would mean millions before firemen arrived. Mrs. Christian- to the members of the syndicate, it sen is terribly burned about the face was expected, for if the decision was and body. When she went to bed against the Northern Securities Comthere was a low fire in the kitchen and pany, the stock of that concern would go down many points, while of course the reverse would be the case should the decision be in its favor. The broker who "peached" said he

had endeavored to get into the syndieate, but had been refused; hence French News Agency Says Japan Will his wish to break up the game. Chief Justice Fuller was incredu-lous, but nevertheless, had the matter thoroughly investigated, with the result that he learned the broker's story to be true in every detail. The agent

Company. In view of the discoveries the greatfaction Japan will receive," continues est precautions are to be taken against senger train on the Colorado and

to learn what the opinion is. ROCKEFELLER RESIGNS.

video. Uruguay, say it is officially ad-mitted that 1,500 Government troops, feller had tendered his resignation as three cars from the track. operating against the insurgents, have a director of the United States Steel

Cashel Goes to Gallows; The Story of His Crime were controlled only after several houses had been destroyed. The damage to buildings throughout Colorado and Wyoming were extensive. In Denver live wires killed two men.

Cashel, murderer of Rufus Belt, was cashel, murdered him. In the trial hanged this morning. The drop fell at 8:06.

Ernest Cashel, known as the "Kansas Desperado," and who was the son of a widow, living in that state about a year ago, was convicted of forgery and sentenced to Stoney Mountain Pentientiary. After he had been there a couple of months, the body of a couple of months,

THE KING'S THANKS

Royal Approval for Those Who Handled Boundary Question.

London, Feb. 2. — A white paper, giving the correspondence respecting the Alaska boundary, beginning with the monstrations and outcroppings of late Lord Salisbury's proposal, July 1, popular feeling, but the casual visitor to the larger cities can see but little tion, with the award of the tribunal, and the reasons for the judgment of the commissioners, was published to-The contents are already his-

determination running the nation's tory.

length and breadth, more imposing in The paper closes with a letter from Clifford Sifton, Canadian Minister of tion. The people have counted the cost and made final preparations so Britain in the Alaskan boundary questhat if forced to fight they are capable of waging and sustaining war in a manner that will surprise the world. Paris, Feb. 2. — The French foreign office authorizes a denial of the report

PREACHED LYNCH SERMON

Pastor on Trial Before the Presbytery of Newcastle.

Newcastle, Del., Feb. 2. - Fifty-seven preferred against Rev. Robert A. Elof the Olivet Presbyterian wood, Church of Wilmington. The proceedings were behind closed doors. The trial of Mr. Elwood is the result of a ermon preached by him on the topic, Should the Murderer of Miss Bishop Be Lynched?" On the following day George White, the negro assailant and murderer of Miss Helen Bishop was taken from his cell in the Newcastle County workhouse and burned at the Two hundred witnesses will be examined.

RUSSIAN COURT BALL

Lamsdorff and Kurino Have An Earnest Conversation.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 2. - The court ball at the winter palace last night was mick, wife of the American ambas-

general attention. A grand supper, at the wind with the snow makes it im-which 3,000 guests sat down, was laid possible to see more than a yard

152 BODIES RECOVERED

Mine Disaster.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 2. - Work was practically suspended yesterday morning at the Harwick mine, the scene of last week's explosion, and the day was given up to memorial services and funerals. In the early morning hours two more bodies were brought up from the mine, making 152 recovered. Of these recovered 111 have been identi-

ENGLISH GIRLS COMING

Metropolis.

Montreal, Feb. 2. - The first detachment of the large party of skilled working girls and women being sent to Canada by the United British Emigration Society, London, arrived in the city yesterday. The party is composed of nine women, who were thrown out of work by the depression in London. Among them are skilled skirt, candy, and confectionery makers. Positions for all have been secured here by A. Marcotte, provincial immigration agent. One of the party stated that if employment can be procured many hundreds of Eng-

BIG STORM IN COLORADO

in the next couple of months.

was found and he is said to be the It Overturns a Train and Unroofs a Cathedral.

> Idaho Springs, Col., Feb. 2 .- A paspassenger were injured - one of the trainmen probably fatally. The train

olic Church was torn out by the wind, and other buildings were damaged. At Fort Collins the gale attained a velocity of 90 miles an hour. Fires for a time threatened the entire city, and were controlled only after several

BIFF, BANG SMASH

Revolver Battle on New York Street in Which Windows Suffer.

New York, Feb. 2. - After a revol ver battle with three policemen and two known as "Monk" Eastman, leader of an east side gang, and a companio Christopher Wallace, were arraigned in court today, having been apprehended last night, it is said, in an attempt to hold up in West Forty-second street, a wealthy man, whom the detectives were shadowing, but to whose assistance they came when he was attacked. Re-volvers were used, and the police, at-tracted by the shots, joined in the fray. After the seven men had emptied their pistols, Eastman and his companion were captured. No one was hit in

A PRINCELY SCANDAL

Relations of German Prince and Princess Get Into Court.

Dresden, Feb. 2. - A singular lawsuit will result from the divorce of Prince Schoenbergh-Waldenburg, in which their six-year-old son, Prince Charles, will appear as plaintiff. The prince claims the boy is not his son, and consequently has caused a suit to be instituted in the boy's name against the collateral line to establish his right to the titles and rank of the family. The case will go to the Saxon supreme court, the family's princely rank en-titling them to this precedence and to the avoidance of the lower Princess Alice was granted a divorce in December. The princess was reported some time ago to have eloped with her coachman, but this report

MANITOBA STORM BOUND

Big Blizzard Causes Railroad Wreck Near Fannystelle

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 2. - A tail-on collision occurred near Fannystelle yesterday morning, but only meager de-London, Feb. 2. — Premier Balfour's attack of influenza is following its normal course. He will be unable to attend the reassembling of Parliament A. bulletin issued by his physician says Mr. Balfour passed a fair night, that his refusing to supply food to customers made against two St. Marys hotelkeep-march with Lady Scott wife of the social season. The Czar led the grand fierce storm which is raging all over march with Lady Scott wife of the Southwestern Manitchea Dalland and the imperial family met the guests in the white marble saloon. The Czar led the grand fierce storm which is raging all over the most brilliant event of its kind tails have been received here, owing Balfour passed a fair night, that has refusing to supply took to easily an over emperature is lower and that there are made against two St. Marys hotelkeep- march with Lady Scott, wife of the Southwestern Mahitoba. Driving snow escorting the Czarina. Mrs. McCor- the passenger train to distinguish freight train ahead of his engine, and sador, was escorted by Grand Duke near Fannystelle the passenger crashed Cyrille. The Czar did not dance the into the caboose. The caboose was Russian mazurka, the feature of court badly wrecked, and several of the cars balls, but he moved about and conversed with the diplomats.

Russian mazurka, the feature of court of the freight left the rails, but did what a large place the colonies are passivity.

been changed from the active association indicates been changed from the diplomate of the D. R. O. Samuel Thompson. This is the first result of the prosecutions During the evening Count Lams-dorff, the Foreign Minister, drew M. passenger train was evidently over-turned, for it was thought the baggage-

Funeral of Victims of the Harwick Will Likely Be Appointed Inspector General of the Army.

London, Feb. 2. - The customary dinners to their supporters were given by the parliamentary leaders in London last night. The Marchioness of Lansdowne, wife of the Foreign Secretary, also gave a brilliant reception at Lansdowne House, where Mrs. Jos-eph Chamberlain was prominent among the friends and supporters of her husband. Among the diplomats at Lansdowne House was United States Ambassador Choate. Owing to his retirement from the cabinet, the Duke of Devonshire omitted his usual the house. She left the baby in bed and rushed to a room where her three York came to Washington, sought an One Batch Already Settled at the being confined to his bed with influenza, was unable to preside at his

own dinner. It was reported that Premier Balfour has been diligently studying strategy and military matters under the guidance of a well-known army coach, with the view of fitting himself against competition from the United for his important duties under the reof the defense committee.

A further consideration of the army reforms recommended by the Esher commission has provoked some criticism of the drastic nature of the Some Interesting Developments Pro- which was being sent from Monte evidence of the returning officers was proposed changes, which involve the removal of some of the ablest It is reported that the office of inspector-general will be fered to Lord Roberts, and that the Duke of Connaught, as well as Sir George Clarke, the latter a member of inder the new plan.

WEATHER BULLETIN

TOMORROW-FAIR AND COLD. London, Tuesday, Feb. 2.

Sun rises. 7:34 a.m. Moon rises. 7:06 p.m.

Sun sets... 5:28 p.m. Moon sets... 7:56 a.m.

Toronto, Feb. 1—8 a.m.

This evening the cold extends from should be war, Japan will incur the whole responsibility, and find herself morally isolated." The reply, the Hovas agency says, only awaits its final drafting and will be presented Feb. 6.

Writes the opinion will do so with his own hand, as also will he who writes the dissenting opinion. The papers in the case will not be taken to the capital the day the decision is to be announced, and no stenographers or clerks will be given an opportunity to learn what the opinion will do so with his own hard, as also will he who writes the dissenting opinion. The papers in the case will not be taken to the capital the day the decision is to be announced, and no stenographers or clerks will be given an opportunity to learn what the opinion will do so with his own hand, as also will he who writes the dissenting opinion. The papers in the case will not be taken to the capital the day the decision is to be announced, and no stenographers or clerks will be given an opportunity to learn what the opinion will do so with his own hand, as also will he who writes the dissenting opinion. The papers in the case will not be taken to the capital the day the decision is to be announced, and no stenographers or clerks will be given an opportunity to learn what the opinion will do so with his own hand, as also will he who writes the dissenting opinion. The papers in the case will not be taken to the capital will be given and express car were blown over and damaged. Four trainmen and one weather has been generally fine and the cold extends from the cold extends from the case will not be taken to the dissenting opinion. The papers in the case will not be taken to the dissenting opinion. The papers in the case will not be taken to the dissenting opinion. The papers in the dissenting opinion. The papers in the case will not be taken to the dissenting opinion. The papers in the case will not be taken to the dissenting opinion. The papers in the case will not be taken to the case will not be taken to the case will not be taken to the case will n in Nova Scotia, while in Ontario the will be made in a day or two weather has been generally fine and either Philadelphia or New Minimum and maximum temperatures

was at a standstill waiting for the wind to subside, when the gale lifted the three cars from the track.

In Georgetown the roof of the Catholic Church was torn out by the wind, wa, 5 below-8; Montreal, 2 below-2s; dated Company. Mr. Worthington is Quebec, 2-2s; Hallfax, 24-42, Forecasts. Tuesday, Feb. 2-8 a.m.

Today-Light snow; high northwesterly winds tonight.

Wednesday-Fair and decidedly cold. Temperatures. 8 a.m. Min. Calgary 20
Winnipeg -22
Parry Sound.... - 6

King Edward Opens British Parliament; Ceremonies Marred by Rainy Weather

private detectives Wm. Delaney, better in a Drenching Rain the Gorgeous Cortege Proceeds to House of Lords—In Speech From Throne His Majesty Refers to Far East Crisis, Boundary Decision, Thibet, the Cotton Situation and the National Expenditure.

> opened Parliament today with all the brilliant diplomatic uniforms, com- attended with a large measure of succeremonial that has been in vogue on the his majesty's accession to the house of Commons, King Edward to the satisfactory character of fortish the satisfactory character of fortish the satisfactory character of fortish the satisfactory character of the satisfactory charact throne. Early in the day occurred the read the speech from the throne. throne. Early in the day occurred the fine the throne. Touching on the Alaska decision, the time-honored search of the vaults of the Houses of Parliament for conspir- the verdict was favorable to the Brithle Lustration of the Anglo-French arbitration agreement, as being "a happy like the Houses of Parliament for conspir- the verdict was favorable to the Brithle Lustration of the friendly feelings of the ators, and later came the crowds un- ish claims, and on others it had been two countries," and refers to the

eign, and an escort of household cav- usefully render towards the promotion The Prince and Princess of of a pacific solution will be gladly afalry. The Prince and Princess of Wales had a small procession of their forded." own from Marlborough House.

THE KING'S SPEECH. After entering the House of Lords their majesties were robed and passed ton, as follows: "The insufficiency speech. Many peeresses were present, try depends, has inspired me with deep gestion of a legislation concerning Ireand their feathers, jewels and bright concern. I trust the efforts being made land was contained in the King's dress, with the vari-colored robes of in various parts of my empire to in- speech.

JOE PINS FAITH ON THE COLONIES

Mr. Chamberlain's Fiscal Policy Gives a Large Place to the Dominion.

London, Feb. 2. — The first batch of inquiry forms sent out to all British manufacturers by Mr. Joseph Cham-with him. Still, their attitude has berlain's tariff commission indicates been changed from the active assist- of conspiracy laid against him and intended to occupy in Mr. Chamber-

where the two talked earnestly for on the praries is worse than has been their trade, which question, presumably, is not to include colonial competition. There still seems to be doubt as to whether colonial manufacturers would be subject to import duties proposed on foreign manufacturers or "BOBS" NOT TO STEP OUT whether the British preference will cover manufactured goods as well as Hundreds Reported Killed and two are dead, and fifteen swear they food products from the colonies. Another question which will elicit attention is the extent of Canadian as well as the foreign dumping of iron

attention is how the Canadian tariff njuriously affects the British export trade, and the manufacturers are asked to state what reduction of outside tariffs, such as Canadian, would enable them to compete successfully in Canada and elsewhere. The effect of the Canadian preferential tariff will also be ascertained, and the extent of foreign competition which the British manufacturers' experience

in Canada and other countries will receive consideration. the general readiness of the Canadian manufacturers to continue the British preference if Canadian industries are by the steamer Cherokee from New being required each day. Durance sufficiently safeguarded, any increase York. in duties being directed especially

THE SOO CASE

mised for the Near Future.

rumors of reorganization in connection with the Lake Superior Consolidated Company. Of late the Philadelphia newspapers, which are more or less closely in touch with the finanpublishing optimistic statements in showing a distressing condition of afconnection with the matter, with the fairs in San Domingo and Haiti. Busresult that the preferred stock of the iness is declared to be almost at a defunct organization has been steadily standstill, in both countries, and forrising. The visit of Attorney-General Gibson to New York last week was with reference to this matter, although no details of his visit have been vouchsafed. Yesterday B. F. Fackenthal, receiver of the Sault properties, in behalf of the National Trust Company, city while on his way to New York. It refuse to show the slightest concern of St. James with the honors of a sisis probable that some announcement will be made in a day or two from

where the capital interested is chiefly Worthington, of Sault Ste. Marie, auditor of the Lake Superior Consolithe accounts has been very useful. His visit to Toronto is for the purpose of consulting with legal gentlemen here as to certain portions of the accounts which, it is learned, require explanation. Interesting developments may he looked for in the near future, unless light can be thrown upon certain

London, Feb. 2. - King Edward the legislators of the Upper House, and crease the area of cultivation may be

hen's, there was no novelty introduced, and the effect was sadly marred by removed from the field of controversy. A BIG EXPENDITURE. equerries and outriders, Yeomen of the of the peace in those regions could not Guard exercising their ancient right but have deplorable consequences. Any

> THE COTTON SITUATION. Another point of interest in the the necessities of

der a forest of umbrellas, but their adverse. Much as this last circumstance maliland expedition and to the Maceranks were thinned by the inclement less be a matter for congratulation, weather. In the passage of the royal that the misunderstands, in which an amelioration, so sorely needed, of those procession along the troop-lined route cient boundary treaties made, in ig- unhappy regions, will be carried out from Buckingham Palace to St. Step- norance of geographical facts, are so during the present respite in the dis-

the drenched appearance of the cortege. The crisis in the far east is touched upthalf a dozen state carriages with the
suites preceded the ornate coach of lows: "I have watched with concern
Chinese Government, has entered Thistate, drawn by eight cream colored the course of the negotiations between Hanoverians, and bearing the King the Governments of Japan and Russia observance of conventions," saying that and Queen. The procession was sur- in regard to their respective interests a Chinese official had been dispatched rounded by the usual retinue of in China and Korea, and a disturbance from Pekin to meet this mission, and expressing trust that an arrangement Guard exercising their ancient right but have deplorable consequences. Any to be in close attendance on the sover- assistance which my Government can the constant source of friction, the speech concludes with the warning that although the estimates have been framed with the utmost desire economy, the burden imposed by King's speech was a reference to cot- military defense, is "undoubtedly seriof ous," and mentions some of the proin procession to the chamber where the lords had assembled to hear the King's the great cotton industry of this coun-

SOMALILAND CAMPAIGN Abyssinians Accused of Forming an Alliance With Mullah.

Rome, Feb. 2. - The situation in

Somaliland is growing more serious It has been learned that the Abyssinian army sent out to fight the Mullah did not proceed beyond the point where the water wells ended, and it is known that the Mullah sent emmissaries to the Abyssinians, who seem to have succeeded in inducing them not to fight against their own race. It is

Manufacturers are asked to state the effect of foreign competition upon IN SAN DOMINGO

Business Paralyzed.

Showed No Concern When Pushed Three controller by Foreign Creditors-Claim the

St. Thomas, D. W. I., Feb. 2. - Ad- S. W. Burns. Thompson, the D. R. O., vices have been received here to voted at the poll as No. 11. The crown the effect that the revolutionary general Jiminez was at Monte Cristi, actly the No. 11 stub. Thompson was Much satisfaction is expressed at yes- Jan. 29, and preparing to resume not present, terday's Canadian cablegram showing the contest, having received a large ing produced that he is ill. The case

Monte Cristo on Jan. 27 and ex- Burns was next taken up. Toronto, Feb. 2. - There are renewed Monte Cristi and Santiago de Los into the box. Cabelleros, hundreds of men have been killed and business is paralyzed. Washington, Feb. 2. - Official advices have reached Washington from San Domingo and Port au Prince To Be Placed in English Church eigners have well-nigh exhausted their patience in endeavoring to maintain friendly relations with the natives. San Domingo has "a great and good tion of the Indian Princess Pocahontas

TORONTO'S BIG BALLOT SCANDAL

Several Sent for Trial On Conspiracy Charge-Sensational Evidence.

that this Abys- clerk at subdivision 9, ward 4, has is the first result of the prosecutions in the civic election scandal. The evidence given before Magistrate Denison occupied him most of the day. The most serious evidence was that about ten minutes to 5 p.m. Ald. Starr's scrutineers swore that no one voted after them; yet the poll-books showed twenty-four names entered people can be found to have voted; the board of education were returned as declined. One of these fitted the stub of the last ballot torn off, and the British markets below the cost price. The third question which will elicit attention is been also below the cost price. The third question which will elicit attention is been also below the cost price. were marked by the same hand, according to Writing Expert Staunton. ballots gave three votes for Richardson, and one for Loudon, the remaining twenty-two giving four votes for Richardson. The twenty-five aldermanic ballots were attorney found that one of these 25 was adjourned until today, and will was defended by W. D. McPherson, An armed schooner appeared off and Thompson by D. O. Cameron. The charge against ex-Controller W. changed shots with the shore, the charged with voting more than once; revolutionists firing first. The schoon- in fact, four times. In one poll the er is still off Monte Cristi, She book was proved wrong, leaving two cases to be examined. In these the seized a lighter load of provisions books tallied with the ballots and the Cristi to a small town on the coast. taken and corroborated the record of the books. The case was adjourned There has been hard-fighting around till Wednesday, when Burns will go

MEMORY OF POCAHONTAS

Where Princess Is Buried.

wood brought from the forests of Virginia is soon to be placed in St. George's With the defiant declaration that Church, Gravesend, in commemorafriend" in the United States, accord- who is buried in the chancel, Kingsley ing to the report from the Dominican in "Westward Ho" erroneously states copital, the officials of Santo Domingo that after being received at the court when pushed by foreigners for the ter sovereign Pocahontas ended her payment of the ir debts. In Haiti, it is days in wretchedness in some Wap-declared, similar confidence in the ping garret. Her death took place in friendship of the United States is Gravesend when about to embark for ocated.

Another visitor to the city is C.

Worthington, of Sault Ste. Marie,

Note the Capital interested is chiefly shown by the authorities, who point to the Venezuelan incident as an inditive of her burial, March 21, 1616, still is preserved in the register, which fordo in case foreign governments at- tunately was saved when the church

who has been retained, and his services in connection with the investigation of Gets Six Months in Prison

Toronto, Feb. 2. - Prince Archibald plied by London police. He had been Edward Stuart, who claimed to be the convicted of bicycle stealing at Il-

BUSY Whiskard's DUNDAS STREET.

Before Stock-Taking

Prices have been sacrificed to this end, and a substantial saving lies in your every purchase.

From the Ribbon and Lace Department

White Taffeta Ribbon (4 inches wide) only 121/2c yard. Taffeta Neck Ribbon in maize shade (4 inches wide), regular 25c, for 10c yard. Special line Black Taffeta Ribbon (4 inches wide), extra quality, regular 25c, for 19c yd. Cash's Frilling (suitable for underwear trimming), regular 10c, for only 5c yard. White Lace Insertion (pretty patterns), special at 5c and 10c yard.

Linen Lace Insertion, only 7c yard.

Silks.

Special Line Black Taffeta Silk (23 inches wide), only 50c vard. Japan Taffeta Silk (23 inches wide), fine quality, in shades

of black, white, cream, rose, mauve brown, cardinal, gray and purple, only 39c Japan Taffeta Silk (all shades), at 25c yard.

Millinery.

Silk Chiffons (double fold), in shades of pale blue, pink, brown, gray, cream, castor, cornflower blue, cardinal, nile green, mauve and black, regular 39c and 50c, to clear at 25c yard.

Silk Chiffons (12 inches wide), in shades of pale blue, pink, mauve, green and white, regular 25c, for 8c yard.

Curtain

Parliament-Liberal Hopes.

quired. Any attempt to rush the cour

CUBA'S TOBACCO OUTPUT

45,800,000 Cigars Sent to America;

92,000,000 to England.

Havana, Feb. 1. - El Tobacco pub-

ported was 303,116, valued at \$12,124,640,

The United States took 45,800,000

UNREST IN RUSSIA

Anti-Government Disturbances Caus-

ing Great Alarm.

Yarn and Wool Department.

Baldwin's Beehive Yarn in shades or navy, brown, garnet and bronze, to clear at half price, 5c skein. Saxony Yarn in black, gray, brown, navy and light blue and bronze, regular 10c, only 5c skein.

Coarse Fingering Yarn, in shades of navy, brown, purple and green (1/4-1b skein), only 10c each. Berlin, Zephyr and Andalusian Wools, in odd shades, to clear at only 3c skein.

Gents' Furnishings. Gents' Fancy Wool

Hose, regular 49c lines, reduced to clear, half price, 25c pair. Gents' Merino Hose,

Special line of new Prints just in, good patterns, only 10c and 12 1-2c yard. Wrapperettes, fancy

Prints.

Muslins. Swiss Curtain Muslins, 27 inches wide, small, medium and arge spot, patterns, regular 10c and 121-2c only 10c yard. Swiss Curtain Musat 8c and 10c per terns), wide wiath, at 12 1-2c yard. yard.

No News From Relief Column in Signs of An Early Dissolution of

BERLIN IS ANXIOUS

Southwest Africa. Berlin, Feb. 2. - Nothing has been | London, Feb. 1. - Some of the most heard for weeks from Col. Leutwein, convinced tariff reformers consider the the Governor of German Southwest main lesson to be drawn from the re-

the Governor of German Southwest main lesson to be drawn from the re-Africa, who was making a long march cent bye-elections is that much patient from the Warmbad region toward his practical educational work is yet rebeleagured forts northward. The natives who have besieged all try has already been disclaimed by the outlying stations are supposed to the most eminent of them all. be in force between Windhoek and A prominent member of the tariff Colonel Leutwein's column, of less than commission, referring to this, said: 300 men, which was returning from "Although an immediate appeal to the the campaign against the Bondelzwarts country may not be desired, it is not in the territory 450 miles south of to be regarded as out of the question.

No runner has passed Various currents of opinion on the through the lines.

point are to be noted among supportIt is feared that Col. Leutwein may ers of the Government, and the politihave been unable to force his way cal situation at the present time is through the hostile tribesmen and so curious that dissolution might come that he has been obliged to entrench at any moment after Parliament rehimself and await for the arrival of assembles by an accidental combina-

a rescuing expedition. tion of circumstances. It may be gath-The idea that he has been over- ered from the conversation of a group whelmed is rejected officially; but this of Liberal M. P.'s that the general apprehension is expressed in the news-papers. election may come sooner than ex-pected, and the Liberals assume they

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Mahoney City, Fa., Feb. 1.—Five rock men were instantly killed late Saturday night in the Maple Hill colliery of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company, by an explosion of powder in a steel cage in which they were being hoisted. The explosion ripped the cage apart, and the mangled forms of the workmen fell 300 feet to the bottom shaft. The head of one of the men was blown off.

London, Feb. 1.—The correspondent of the Times at Moscow says there is no sign of improvement in conditions in the Caucasus. The news of an attack upon the residence of the Governo of Tiflis is confirmed. The recent anti-Government demonstrations are reported to have alarmed the Government at St. Petersburg considerably, in view of the positions occupied by the demonstrators. It appears true

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THAMESFORD.

Thamesford, Feb. 2.—The snow still continues to fall, and certainly this vicinity has its share. It is nearly impossible to get around with any degree possible to get around with any degree of comfort.

The East Nissouri Agricultural Society held their annual ball and supper on the evening of Jan. 29. The oyster supper was a very nice feature of the function and the dance afterwards added spice, and all seemed to enjoy themselves heartily. Total receipts about

Mr. A. Morrison, a merchant of this village, has sold out his stock and business to Mr. Mower, who comes from near Owen Sound. Mr. Mower will continue to carry on business in the Palace Store, and will add to the stock a quanity of hardware and stoves. We wish

Southern-Innes Company are getting a break put in just above the dam, for the purpose of arresting the logs that are to be rafted down the river in the spring from points north on the Thames Mr. Asa Day was home over Sunday last. He is looking well, and reports Komoka and vicinity as having a full share of the very plentiful snow.

Thomas Abbott and family have returned from their visit in Belmont and other points.

ther points. Edwin McLeod, harness merchant, of this village, has gone to the farm on the 7th line, East Nissouri, lately owned and worked by Mr. John Lovatt. We were sorry to lose Mr. McLeod, as we thought he had come to stay; we, how-ever, wish him success in his new enter-

dent of this vicinity for some time, and who has become quite widely known through threshing, shredding and teaming, is soon to take his departure for the Northwest. Henry takes with him the and widely known as a man of integrity and sterling character, and will be very much missed by those with whom he was acquainted. He was nearly 89 years of age. His family and friends have the sympathy of the entire community.
Mr. John Kippen, of the Forest City, attended the funeral of his uncle, Mr.

McKay. Mr. Taylor, traveler for the Fleming Mr. Taylor, traveler for the Fleming Manufacturing Company, was in Thames-ford in the interests of the company on Jan. 28.

Mr. Henry Golding, jun., had the misfortune to lose a \$20 bill one day last week. Anyone finding it will be suitably rewarded on returning it to Mr. Golding.

MELBOURNE. Melbourne, Feb. 1.—Miss Vida Bennett entertained about 75 of the young people of Melbourne and vicinity on Wednesday Miss Wynnie McLeod spent a few days ast week with friends in London and

Mr. Bruce Wellman left on Saturday for Chicago, where he has secured a Mr. Tom Wheeler, of London, paid felbourne a business visit last week. Mr. Allan McGugan, of the Forest City

Business College, spent a few days at his home on the 4th concession of Ek-A number of young people were enter-tained by Rev. and Mrs. Shearer at the manse on Monday evening, Feb. 1. A most enjoyable evening was spent.

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Miss Barbara M. Stanford, Hamilton, Ont., says: "For over a year my health was in bad condition, and I became very weak and much depressed in spir-its. My troubles arose from poor and watery blood and imperfect circulation. My appetite was almost gone, and I was afflicted with insomnia. After several will have a majority sufficient to place their recognized leader in power. A doctors had done all they could for section of the party favor the Duke of Devonshire for Prime Minister, and began to treat me, and my family became anxious about my condition. A neighbor advised my mother to have bery says that, contrary to society gossip, the ex-Premier has never taken a single step in the direction of plotting against. Sir Henry Campbell- each night. I had so much faith in the each night. I had so much faith in the me use Paine's Celery Compound. Bewonderful compound that I continued with it until I was perfectly cured. I thank you with all my heart for such a medicine; it saved my life when other medicines failed."

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A Strange Sect of Crazed Religionists in Russia.

Moscow, Feb. 1 .- A dispatch from Orenburg says that a new "secret sect for obeying the laws of the Living God" is spreading, and that a number of murder cases, so-called, are now found to have been acts of fanatics that killed themselves and their families in the hope of achieving "the crown of martyrdom." The new sectarians are Mormons, and it is their chief aim to perform some extraordinary deed that places their London, Feb. 1. - The correspondent

by the demonstrators. It appears true that cries of "Down with the Autocracy!" were uttered in a hall where there were assembled a large number of industrialists and technical men. These Russian "intelligents" all over the empire are now manifesting anti-Government tendencies with more than usual candor. Many people say that Russia would not dare to go to war if these classes keep her hands full at the sawalanche descended upon the fanatics, it saves believe the construction himself and family for three days and as many nights the peasant led his wives and children out into the fields. At the top of a little hill they gathered and secured a vast mass of snow, in such a way as to make it possible to turn it into an avalanche.

Then the family knelt down, and while all were engaged in prayer the father pulled at a rope attached to a log that held the snow in place whereupon the avalanche descended upon the fanatics, it saves believe the construction of the breast or are only partially fed on breast milk, Lactated Food will build them up and keep them well and strong. Lactated Food is a preventive of constipation, the construction of the breast or are only partially fed on breast milk, Lactated Food will build them up and keep them well and strong. Lactated Food is a preventive of constipation, the construction of the breast or are only partially fed on breast milk, Lactated Food will build them up and keep them well and strong. Lactated Food is a preventive of constipation, the constitution of the breast or are only partially fed on breast milk, Lactated Food in breast milk, Lactated Food in breast milk, Lactated Food on breast mi by the demonstrators. It appears true that after starving himself and family

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SELL CONGO FREE STATE?

Leopold's Visit to Berlin Starts Speculation.

London, Feb. 1. - The Continental best wishes of the community.

The late D. McKay, who was buried on Wednesday, Jan. 27, had quite a large funeral, considering the state of the roads and weather. Mr. McKay was well ally against the powers which are pressing him to break up the monopoly that is crushing the natives in the Congo Free State. The Spectator throws out a specula-

ion as to what would happen if King Leopold tried to sell the Congo Free State to Germany, which would aturally be tempted by the prospects of such a vast fertile dependency, but concludes that the change would probbly be too great to be attempted. It seems certain, however, that when hore pressing great issues are settled the matter of the Congo Free State will be taken up. For some time past there has been a steady working up of public opinion by means of articles in the newspapers and questions in Parliament, and King Leopold has been considerably perturbed thereby. would probably be willing to shift the trouble to other shoulders if he could get his money back.

SAVING WESTMINSTER

Prof. Church Checks Decay in Stonework of the Chapter House.

London, Feb. 1 .- The decayed stonework of the Chapter House of Westminthe decay was due to the failure of particles of stone to adhere, the mischief in many places going to the depth of two or more inches. This was due to the effect of the sulphuric acid in the London atmosphere.

Professor Church found that repeated spraying with baryta water reconstituted the stone, and repeated sprayings and painting hardened it from the back and not merely at the surface. No appreciable consolidating effect was produced on the worst portions of the surface un-til it had been sprayed at least four times, while the deeper parts were found to have been already hardened. The stone thus reconstituted is little suscep-

GIVE UP SMALL FEET

Chinese 400 Breaking Down the Cus tom of Centuries.

London, Feb. 1. - Things certainly go by contraries in the Orient. A few days ago it was announced that the women of progressive Japan were giving up European dress and going back to the picturesque costume of their ancestors. Now we learn that the women of conservative China are giving up the maiming of their feet. An imperial edict has been promulgated requiring all officials to warn people against the effects of footbind-This has been followed by simlar exhortations from provincial gov-ernors. In Hunan the governor, in addition, threatened punishment for non-

observance, but in Fulieh no penalties were inflicted. Yuan Shi Kai, the governor of Chi-Li, has not only ordered that the feet of his own little daughters shall not The grand reputation which this great kidney medicine has made for itself is due to no small extent to the thousand, would yield \$12,516,507. There

> "We often notice," the letter continues, "that daughters are taller than their mothers, owing to the discontinuance of foot-binding. Chinese women naturally have slender feet, quite as beautiful as their hands and fingers. which are exquisitely shaped."

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will be celebrated in the Catholic if he would sacrifice to idols. Blaze churches of the city, and as is the cus- "You are welcome. I have long extom on that day, the faithful will ap- pected you.' proach the altar rail, where their throats will be blessed by the priests. In St. Peter's Cathedral and St. Mary's known that Blaze was in the city, in Church the pretty ceremony will take prison, than everyone who was sick place immediately after the masses in hurried to him to be cured. Among

the vesper service. come a Christian in Rome was the only relieved the child, but promised to As a youth St. Blaze was known far throat and appealed to him. next thing to becoming a martyr. and wide for his extreme piety and This was in 316 A. D., but ever godliness. When he became of age to since that time the Catholic Church choose a profession, he studied medi- has observed the feast of St. Blaze, cine, which he always practiced with and the saint is invoked at the bless-the fear of God before his eyes and ing of the throats in behalf of many with untold charity. Finally he became children who are suffering from scarlet a priest and then a bishop. But after this, by an inspiration from God, he also by grown-up people whose throats retired to a mountain, where he lived are afflicted, and by those who wish in solitude, having no companions save to keep a sound throat and a sound the wild animals, who became as gen- voice. tle as lambs with him. If any of them met with accident or were ill they came | when he blesses the throat on the third to Blaze, who always healed them, Agricola, the governor of Cappado- blessed candles, crossed, while cia, at this time came to Sebaste to makes over the throat the sign of the find out all the Christians, in order cross, it may be interesting to state to torture them until they denied their that St. Blaze said to the woman faith or put them to death. To do tals whose child he cured in the prison:

Origin of a Church Feast That caresses his master. Astonished, they went back to the governor and told him what they had found. guessed that the one who could thus tame savage beasts was a Christian, for he had often seen the lions lick the hands and feet of Christians in the Coliseum in Rome: therefore he told Wednesday the Feast of St. Blaze them to bring Blaze to him, and see followed his captors willingly, saying:

When Blaze refused to sacrifice to idols the governor ordered him to be put in prison; but no sooner was it the morning, in the afternoon at 3 little son, strangling from a fisabone, o'clock, and also in the evening after which he had swallowed, and from which no one could relieve him. With The story of St. Blasius, or "St. many tears she besought him to deliv-Blaze," as he is now commonly known, dates away back to the time when to Blaze, praying fervently to God, not

cure all who might be afflicted in the

To those who may ask why the priest, day of February, holds to it two according to the ways of Rome he sent "Offer, every year, a candle in memory

here they found Blaze, surrounded by STORAGE AND MOVING VANS. them, but perfectly safe, and even sword after having, it is believed, per-**ASSORTED RUMORS**

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navy. A St. Petersburg dispatch dated Feb. 1, says: Prices on the boerse de-

at Nagasaki says, in a dispatch, that

Japanese refugees from Port Arthur, Port Dalny and Harbin report the arrival of one Russian division on the thought right in England to place Yalu River. From Tokio a correspondent of the Daily Mail cables that the Seattle line rangement of ways, etc., is concernsteamship service of the Yusen ed, for the negligence of any per Kaisha will be resumed Feb. 10. According to the Seoul correspondent of the Times reports have been in the act, in the performance of that received from Ping Yang, Korea, saying that armed soldiers have guilty of robbery and public breaking swerable at common law, had there, and the missionaries declare the anti-foreign feeling to be increasing. St. Petersburg, Feb. 1. - In spite of the expressed hope of the Russian authorities that the present crisis will be passed and that a pacific solution of the Russo-Japanese negotiations will be reached, it is no longer concealed that Russia is practically pre-PRIVATE FUNDS TO LOAN-LOWEST pared for eventualities. Today the serves was announced. It has been well known for months that Russia has been steadily strengthening her army liable, he has his remedy over against and navy in the far east, to meet the preparations which Japan was openly making. The available warships were

dispatched to the far east, and the last THE LONDON STUDIO OF ELOCU-TION, Vocal and Physical Culture. Miss Mydra I. Lent, 288 Princess avenue. Indicate the control of division, which left the Mediterranean should keep pace with those diplomatic adversary. The feverish activity of Japan during the last few of her ultimate intentions, and the Russian authorities have been pushing their precautionary measures more vigor. It is understood that six or seven military trains daily have been going east of the Siberian road and the charters of some ships' cargoes for the Pacific have been considered too slow. The authorities now feel that the situation is secure should Japan reject the efforts the Czar is

making to avoid war. The draft of Russia's reply probably will be submitted to the Czar Assurance is given that it will be pacific, and should "lead" to settlement. The informant reiterated what he said a few days ago: mutual companies, life, fire and accident. have conceded much already and we Office, Room 107, Masonic Temple. 'Phone are ready to concede more; but some things we cannot grant. From our standpoint the Manchurian question was settled by Russia's circular not to the powers recognizing all the Chinese treaties. Why should Japan de

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Justice Teetzel, sitting as a divisional court in the appeal in the Hamilton case of James Markle against Donaldson & Patterson, of that city.

upon which Markle was supporting himself gave way and he fell, receiving serious injuries. London, Feb. 2. - The Tokio corres- The trial judge, Mr. Justice Fergupondent of the Times cables that an son, dismissed his action, but the divisional court holds that the cleat was a part of the ways, works, etc., war pay of men in the army and of the premises used in the business of his employer within the meaning of the workmen's compensation act. and have granted Markle a new trial, saddling the firm with the costs of

the last trial and of Markle's success-A correspondent of the Daily Mail ful appeal. In their judgment the judges say: "The Legislature intended to place upon the employer a higher duty toupon him, and to make him answerable, as far as the condition of arson, whether in his service or not, to whom he intrusts the duty mentioned duty, in the same way and to the same been extent as he would have been an-

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abashed plea for municipal govern- greatest genius of British Imperialism in the claims made for radium. It will ment on party lines. It advances the today is Lord Cromer, the maker of cure cancer and hydrophobia, restore familiar argument that the system modern Egypt. He has governed Egypt youth and gray hair, cure nervous makes the aldermen more amenable to and has raised the once lowly and op- zines of ships at a distance, "revolupublic opinion because the party to pressed fellaheen into light and free-tionize"—big, easy, meaningless word which they belong will be held respon- dom and comparative prosperity. There everything, and expire in a great splutsible for their conduct. If a Conser- are terrible chapters in the early his- ter like all the other sudden wonders vative council does something which tory of British rule in India, but Great of the world within the next year or displeases the ratepayers the latter Britain is grandly atoning for the past, two. will visit their displeasure upon the She is irrigating the desert, building But one more assertion is made for it that goes beyond any previous ex-Conservative ticket at the next muni- bridges and railways, enforcing just Conservative ticket at the next municipal election. The Citizen cites a case and equal laws, and working with an It is to determine sex. There is every in Hamilton, where the city council, as eye single to the welfare of the nain London, is the appendage of a party

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tives. There are no finer heroes than

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tives. There are no finer heroes than organization. Some influential firms wanted railway switches laid on certain streets, so that freight cars could ing heroic in the performance of their of large, windy stories to widen the servants of the British Government agents. It is overdone and overworked. It is said to have a thousand uses, but its chief use is in the construction of large, windy stories to widen the tain streets, so that freight cars could ing heroic in the performance of their eyes of the unsophisticated people and be shunted up and loaded at their duties. Kipling, in his story, "The make their mouths hang open. warehouses. A majority of the alder- Bridge Builders," shows us this type men were pledged to support the of hero in Finlayson, C. E.: "For three liable as astronomical stories promisscheme, but the Citizen claims that years he endured heat and cold, disap- ing showers of leonids, shoals of comservative party. The Citizen says: great Kashi bridge over the Ganges had full of

that does not exist under the happybe in no manner of doubt on whom to visit the responsibility at the next

This is very plausible, but there is more to be said about this particular case. The Citizen admits there was a "general protest of the ratepayers" against the building of the switch. A Hamilton paper says that petitions against the scheme were circulated and signed by thousands of citizens. Is it likely that even a non-partisan council would have forced through such a measure in defiance of an aroused public opinion? Certainly not. The Hamilton instance proves nothing except that the ratepayers had their own way. The Citizen complains that the Ottawa City Council refuses to banish the lumber piles which make that city a fire a private influence on the aldermen; and it thinks that if a political party was responsible for the council, the ratepayers would know where to fix the responsibility. The citizens of Ottawa do not feel very strongly on the question or they would soon bring the council to its knees. The very doubtful advantages of the party system in this respect would not compensate for its admitted evils. The sole purpose of the introduction of party politics into municipal affairs, as in Hamilton and London, is to acquire municipal patronage. Each party in this country finds patronage one of its chief weapons. The party in office has the power of rewarding its supporters; the party in opposition has the prospect. The system may not be the ideal one, but we are discussing existing conditions. The party organization which can control a municipal council has a limited amount of patronage at its disposal, which can be used to satisfy the jobbers are unscrupulous, as in some large cities of the United States, they may pad the corporation pay sheet or has reduced this to a science; a man must pay a regular price to get a job. and a regular price to keep it. In the City of Hamilton, Ont., there is something approaching this system. The Hamilton Times says that a candidate for the council must contribute to the may have to lower it." party exchequer before he can get a place on the party ticket. It is probable that in London the system has perity, and there is no reason why the not yet reached this stage of develop-

ship would have a new element of dan- not sharing the general prosperity to ger if civic affairs were under party the same extent as others because of control. The party organization would inequalities in the tariff. The woolen have a wider field of patronage, and in and cotton manufacturers are the printhe operation of public services the cipal applicants for relief. They are take precedence over the interests of exclusively, and any increase in the President J. A. Dodge delivered an adthe ratepayers. Municipal government tariff on cottons and woolens would dress on "The Money Value of Techis a question of spending taxes to the necessarily hit the British textile in- nical Training." He maintained that best advantage, and there is no whole- dustry. The difficulty of reconciling such training greatly improves one's some or rational reason why the rate- the interests of the British manufac- chances of income. In the course of his payers should divide as Grits and turer with those of the Canadian manu- address he considered the actual prog-Tories. The separation is artificial and facturer crops out in these two in- ress of four groups of men working in arbitrary and can have no excuse ex- stances. It is the great obstacle to the the mechanic arts-the class of unskillcept the sirister one of patronage. The Chamberlain scheme as originally pro- ed labor, the shop trained or apprentice

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Nile, erected at a cost of \$12,000,000, has endangered by British or foreign comincreased the value of the land by \$25,- petition, the Government will no doubt

will double its value.

the sword by just and enlightened rule. cases. The myriad millions under the British Partyism and Municipal Affairs. flag are loyal to it, because they have been convinced of the moral purpose The Ottawa Citizen makes an un- of British civilization. Perhaps the affairs. As we have on the girders of the three middle piers pointed out on previous occasions, it affords a means of impressing alder-his bridge, raw and ugly as original men with their responsibility and sin, but 'pukka'-permanent-to endure makes them amenable to the direct when all memory of the builder, yea, action of public opinion in a manner even of the splendid Finlayson truss, go-lucky system of individual repre- had perished." In these prosaic tasks statements that the grand lama intends If that Hamilton measure the humble civil engineer is building to obstruct the advance of the King's had gone through the public would better than he knows. He is unconers of the Empire he will not be forgot-

> A striking tribute to the colonial by Poultney Bigelow, the American au-

gian atrocities in the Congo. He writes: "I venture to think that if today or Great Britain should find it worth her while to declare all Africa Table Mountain to the Desert of Sahara would range himself under her flag at the first sight of a British standard-bearer. Here again I am dealing with a proposition that cantiment at many points of Africa, north and south, and wherever I have done of the British column may be accomso I have found that among the blacks panied by some severe losses. the name of Great Britain was the same as justice and honesty. Germany has no such hold upon her 'Uncle Sam' has no such hold upon his brown-yellow fellow-citizen of Luzon. France needs two army corps to keep peace in Algeria alone, and as for the Congo, it is only through terrorism that the King of the Belgians can keep his position. This article is not written for Belgian or German journalists, for it boots little to address arguments to men who are writing to order. But That quivers through thy piercing notes have been suckled and reared on hatred of Great Britain, and it may make such people pause and revise their opinions.

Tariff Legislation Foreshadowed. Recent speeches by two or three

duced at the ensuing session of Parclaims of party workers, or keep them liament, or at the latest the first sesin loyal expectation. If the patronage- sion after the election. It is not expected the revision will be a general one, as there is nothing in the condigive needless employment to voters to tion of Canadian industry at present influence an election, at the expense or likely to arise calling for heroic Ah, no! the living oak shall crash, of the civic taxpayer. They may also treatment. The new Minister of Inland The rock shall rend its mossy base Revenue. Hon, Mr. Brodeur, in a And thunder down the hill, do a brokerage business by assessing Revenue, Hon. Mr. Brodeur, in a municipal office-holders. Tammany speech at Mariesville, Que., on Saturday, said that some changes would The mystic story of the maid have to be made in the tariff, and the Government was prepared to consider all legitimate demands. "We may have to raise the tariff in certain cases," he said, "and in other cases we

Nearly every class of industry in the country is enjoying unexampled pros-Government should interfere in such cases; but a few manufacturers have The extension of municipal owner- persistently claimed that they were interests of a political machine would exposed to British competition almost can Society of Mechanical Engineers,

policy opens the door to the shocking abuses which prevail in many cities giving protection the chief place in his technical school class. By means of a across the border where municipal programme, and the preferential fea- chart he showed the reasonable expeccouncils are the tools of corrupt wire- ture is receding to the background. tation of men of each class through pullers who keep in the background This development makes an easier sit- term of years. Of the first three classes, and are in no way responsible to the uation for this country. If Mr. Chamberlain can convince the British people maximum of wage at a comparatively that protection is the best policy for the United Kingdom, they will be less concerned about colonial tariffs. In his earlier speeches a tariff was to be imparted the maximum of wage at a comparatively early period, maintaining it afterward for different lengths of time, as long as they were able to work efficiently. He held that the technical school graduate was able early in life to outstrip the kept by the sword is posed by Great Britain on foreign im- others by virtue of his higher education tly applicable to the British ports as an equivalent for tariff concessions to British manufacturers by the colonies. But if protection is a good of workmen. "Every man pays for the been carved out by the sword, but it the colonies. But it protection is a good of working. Description amount or percentage of bossing he rehas been preserved by the arts of now argues, the mother country should wages increase in proportion to his abil. peace. Some aspects of British Imper- adopt it, regardless of what the coltalism have an ugly look, but these onles may offer her. The urgency of a himself and others. The lower the are fading into history. There are hard and fast bargain disappears. The wage rate, the greater the amount of watching and directing constantly remany aspects which the British race many aspects which the British race freer hand in dealing with the Canamay regard without moral misgivings dian tariff, if Great Britain chose to and with a thrill of just pride. Egypt tax imports in her own interests and just now is in the world's eye as a not as a condition of imperial prefer-

000,000. The results and the outlook are feel free to give it equality of treatso satisfactory that the dam will be ment with other industries. This can raised to a height which it is believed be done without raising the tariff all along the line or increasing the burden The Empire owes much to its sol- of taxation. It may be, as Mr. Brodeur diers, but more to its great pro-consuls, says, that any increases in the tariff

AIR CASTLES ABOUT RADIUM.

[St. Louis Globe-Democrat.] We recognize all our old, noisy friends in the interests of the Egyptian people, prostration, explode the powder maga-

Stories about radium are quite as re-

the party organization compelled them pointment, discomfort, danger and distance it was apparent ease, with responsibility almost too already more than half discredited, and ets, signals from Mars and other foolthat if the deal went through it heavy for one pair of shoulders; and is as dangerous as it is useful. But we would be very prejudicial to the Con- day by day, through that time, the looking gentlemen with their gripsacks "For this happy outcome of the case the citizens of Hamilton have stood his bridge before him in the sunto thank the political system in light, lacking only a few weeks' work of salt.

> THE MOVE AGAINST THIBET. [New York Post.]

Latest reports from the British expedition to Thibet carry out the earlier troops. He has sent one of his suborsciously playing a grand Imperial role, dinate lamas to inform Col. Younghusless dramatic than that of the soldier, band, in command of the expedition, but no less useful. Among the build- that if he does not at once fall back, serious consequences will surely follow. The dispatches do not indicate that the British commander is disposed to heed the warning, for it appears policy of Great Britain is that penned that he is persisting in preparing for a definte advance into the Thibetan ter thor and traveler, in an article on Bel- ritory through one of the most difficult betans are meanwhile gathering their forces and are encamped in a position from which it is possible for them to strike a severe blow. There is no men within her sphere, she might rest tion of the numbers on either side, but assured that every black chief from the dispatches indicate that Thibetan reserves are being hurried to the scene from all parts of the country. It would be interesting to know just how many Russian officers are now in this sernot be put on the scales and weighed, nor can I base it on a statistical footnote. But I have sampled fais sentiment of many friend has never tasted liquor since the sampled fais sentiment of many friend has never tasted liquor since taking your remedy. It has proven all

> [Oliver Wendell Holmes.] I love to hear thine earnest voice. Thou testy little dogmatist. Thou pretty Katydid! Thou mindest me of gentlefolks-Old gentlefolks are they— Thou say'st an undisputed thing In such a solemn way.

Thou art a female, Katydid! I know it by the thril So petulant and shrill Beneath the hollow tree Do Katydids drink tea?

Oh, tell me where did Katy live, And what did Katy do? And was she very fair and young, And yet so wicked, too? Did Katy love a naughty man Or kiss more cheeks than one? I warrant Katy did not more Than many a Kate has done

Dear me! I'll tell you all about So often down the lane. And all that tore their locks of black, Or wet their eyes of blue-

Before the little Katydid

Peace to the ever-murmuring race! Shall fold in death her feeble wings Beneath the autumn sun, Then shall she raise her fainting voice And lift her drooping lid, And then the child of future years Shall hear what Katy did.

[Cleveland Leader.]

Elderly Woman (in the department store)-Where's the pin counter? Floor Walker-What kind-hat, hair

MONEY WORTH OF EDUCATION.

[Boston Herald.] At the late meeting of the Ameri-

WRIGHT'S MISTAKE. [New York Telegraph.] Whitaker Wright's grave error lay in

Life is worth living when one can awake after a good night's sleepready for anything the day may bring.

Eye clear; tongue clean; liver active; stomach right; hand steady and every nerve vibrating with that splendid sense of the power of perfect health.

Too few enjoy this enviable morning awakening but

can always be depended upon to restore the system to its natural condition and keep you in good sound health. A gentle laxative it belps nature to rid the system of poi tones up the digestive organs. At all Druggists asc. and 6oc.

DEAD, AGED 102. Brussels, Ont., Feb. 2.-John Elder died early this morning after three days' illness in his 102nd year. Until a few days before his death Mr. Elder was quite smart, his eyesight and hearing were good and he was able to carry on an intelligent conversation.

ROUGH ON WHISKY.

Discovered Samaria's Power to Save When All Hope Was Lost.

Hamilton, April 5, 1901. Dear Sir,-I received your letter of the first in reference to your remedy. As my father was going to Toronto, I got him to call and get two bottles of vice, or how far the Thibetan force the remedy, and both bottles are taken. you claim, but I can truly say that your remedy saved his life, as he has been drinking for the past six years. I will take the great pleasure of recommending your remedy wherever it is needed, as I have discovered its power to save where we thought all

> You may publish my letter if you wish, but please do not publish my name. You may give my address to anyone doubting these words. I remain, yours sincerely, Miss L. M. W. Inclose stamp for free sample and pamphlet to Samaria Remedy Com-pany, 25 Jordan street, Toronto. Also for sale by W. T. Strong & Co.

YOU NEED NOT COUGH all night and disturb your friends; there is no occasion for you running the risk of contracting inflammation of the lungs. or consumption, while you can get Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. This medicine cures coughs, colds, inflamma-tion of the lungs and all throat and chest troubles. It promotes a free and easy expectoration, which immediately relieves the throat and lungs from viscid phlegm.

Dr. S. D. McConnell, who is widely known as a broad churchman, declares that the time will come when the very names of leading denominations will be forgotten, and "Christian" only will

With Itching, Burning, Scaly Humours

Find Instant Relief and Speedy Cure

In Cuticura Soap and Cuticura **Ointment**

When All Other Remedies and the Best Physicians Fail.

Instant relief and refreshing sleep for skin-tortured babies, and rest for tired, fretted mothers, in warm baths with Cuticura Soap and gentle anointings with Cuticura Ointment, the great skin cure, and purest of emollients, to be followed in severe cases by mild doses of Cuticura Resolvent. This is the purest, sweetest, most speedy, permanent and economical treatment for torturing, disfiguring, itching, burning, bleeding, scaly, crusted and pimply skin and scalp humours, eczemas, rashes and irritations, with loss of hair, of infants and children, as well as adults, and is sure to succeed when all other

remedies and physicians fail.

Millions of the world's best people now use Cuticura Soap, assisted by Cuticura Ointment, for preserving, purifying and beautifying the skin, for cleansing the scalp of crusts, scales and dandruff, and the stopping of falling hair, for softening, whitening and soothing red, rough and sore hands, as well as for all the purposes of the toilet, bath and nursery. Thousands of women recommend Cuticura Soap, assisted by Cuticura Ointment the great skin cure, for annoying irritations, chaings and weaknesses, or too free or offensive perspiration, for ulcerative conditions, and for many sanative, antiseptic purposes which readily suggest themselves.

Prices Do All the Talking

SKIRT, COSTUME AND COAT SALE

ONTINUATION of our Great January Clearing Sales brings about great price-reducing events in our Ladies Skirt, Costume and Coat Departments. This is a wonderful money-saving event-like prices for same qualities have never before been made. Absolute clearance is necessary.

Ladies' \$6 Skirt, \$4.

Sale price.....

In black and white, with trimmings of black \$4.00

Ladies' Black Homespun Skirts, Trimmed with straps and buttons, regular \$4.00

Black and Navy Homespun Skirts. Finely finished, fancy trimmed, extra good quality, regular price \$5.

Ladies' Oxford Gray Skirts.

Ladies' Skirts, In Oxford gray, 12 rows of tailor stitching saround bottom, regular price \$3.75, sale price \$2.50

Ladies' \$17 Costumes for \$6. Colors of green and white, brown and white, blue and white, and black and \$6.00 white. All must be cleared out.....

Ladies' \$7 Coats for \$5. In wool frieze, made in all the latest \$5.00

Fine Black Beaver Coats,

Monte Carlo styles, lined throughout, regular price \$13.00, sale price \$9.00



KINGSMILL'S.

PROF. DORENWEND

The Greatest Hair Goods Artist in America

IS COMING to LONDON Will be at GRIGG HOUSE

ON MONDAY, FEB. 8. LADIES-If you appreciate the added charm and pearance lent to the face by having beautiful hair, do not fail to see the grand assortment of SWITCHES, BANGS, POMPADOURS, WAVY

FRONTS AND WIGS, which Prof. Dorenwend will have with him. Consultations entirely free and demonstrations given regarding these beau-GENTLEMEN WHO ARE BALD.—Even though you are bald or partially so, you can regain your former appearance by wearing DORENWEND'S WIGS AND TOUPEES. They are made to match any

shade of hair. They are a protection to the head and a cure for chronic cold in the head and catarrh. They are perfectly fitted to the head Prof. Dorenwend will take measure-

DON'T FORGET THE

DAY AND DATE. Monday, Feb. 8

national English dish, was first made by the very poor of Huguenot refugees THERE IS MONEY IN IT! from France, after the revocation of

the edict of Nantes, because ox tails then had no market value. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup
has been used for over FIFTY YEARS
by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their
CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, with
PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES the
CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS, ALLAYS
all PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC and is
the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold
by Druggists in every part of the world.

man with modern ideas and gool so
publicity training, to take charge of the Advertising Department
of a large retail clothing store.
To the right man a salary of selection and the selection of the world.

Address, Eox, 64, Herald, uptown."

by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's." Hotel Rates Reduced. Travelers and visitors to Toronto are pleased to hear that rates of the Queen's Hotel of that city are now from \$2 50 per day up—or with bath from \$3 per day up. The Queen's is

convenient to the business section and trains, as well as quiet and homelike. THAT ALLEGED NEGLECT Toronto, Feb. 2.—The license department

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

CASTORIA.
the Kind You Have Always Bought CASTORIA The Kind You Have Always Bought

"Wanted - Young advertising

The above is a sample of many similar advertisements which appear daily in our city papers for advertising specialists. The I. C. S. advertising course gives the necessary training for filling such a position. If you are dissat-isfied with your present income you should look into our course in ad writing, because THERE IS MONEY IN IT.

Further particulars from T. J. 40 Further particulars from T. J. 60 has instructed J. S. Coppin, of Mitchell, inspector, to investigate the charges of neglect made by Toronto and London travelers against two St. Marys hotels, the Windsor and Grand Central.

Further particulars from T. J. 60 Sullivan, London manager International Correspondence School (of Scranton, Pa.), 180 Dundas street, London. Telephone 1727.

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Animals have a language made up of signs or inarticulate sounds expressing impressions, sensations, passions, but never ideas. So this language ex-cludes conversation and is limited to interjections or signs or movements expressing joy, grief, fear, anger, all the passions of the senses, but never

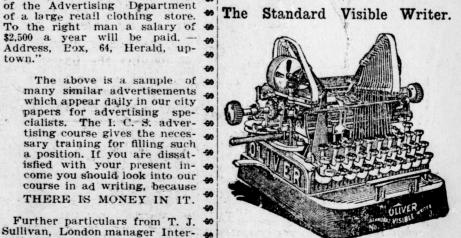
PREVENT DISORDER .- At the first PREVENT DISORDER.—At the first symptoms of internal disorder, Parmelee's Vegetable Pills should be resorted to immediately. Two or three of these salutary pellets, taken before going to bed, followed by doses of one or two pills for two or three nights in succession, will serve as a preventive of attacks of dyspepsia and all the discomforts which follow in the train of that fell disorder. The means are simple when the way is known.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine

Syrup Oures Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Moarseness, Croup, Asthma, Paln or Tightness in the

Chest, Etc. It stops that tickling in the throat, for pleasant to take and soothing and healing to the lungs. Mr. E. Bishop Brand, the well-known Galt gardener, writes:-I had a very severe attack of sore throat and tightness in the chest. Some ments and demonstrate the merits of his times when I wanted to cough and could not I would almost choke to death. My NORWAY PINE SYRUP, and to my surprise I found speedy relief. I would not be without it if it cost \$1.00 a bottle, and I can recommend it to everyone othered with a cough or cold. Price 25 Cents.

> The ..TYPEWRITER..



Its faultless features demon-

strated daily by the local agents. The A. A. Langford Co Office Outfi.ters and Systemizers. 436 Richmond St. - LONDON

Low-Priced Feathered Goods.

Feather cushions, 50 cents each; down cushions, tea coseys, feather pillows, in art tickings. Feathers sold by

The latest and most improved dye in Been the line kind for ham always Bought Bright, Entertaining and Instructive.

The Four-Track News for February.
Only 5 cents at nearest newsdealer's.
Only 5 cents at nearest newsdealer's.

The World. Will dye wool, cotton, silk, jute or mixed goods in one bath. Ask your druggist, Cairneross & Lawrence, 216 Dundas street; H. J. Childs, 632 Dundas street; T. H. Janes, Wortley road, for a sample.



Blue Ribbon Ceylon Tea is "par excellence" the quality tea

Made from the most delicate leaves of the tea plant-cured by strictly scientific processes.

The taste is always the same-rich and almost thick-the bouquet odorous and aromatic-a tea for the most exclusive function at a moderate price.

Blue Ribbon Ceylon Tea.

KING'S IRISH TRIP

SAVED BY A BOOK

Will Likely Be Entertained by the Bullet From Unknown Source Hits Duke of Manchester.

the slightest doubt that the King and Wm. Renaud, a motorman on the Ouel-Queen will visit Ireland in April. Ar- lette avenue car line, on Saturday rangements for such visits have to be made a long time beforehand, and it is impossible to keep them secret owing to the inquiries for accommodation necessary to the "King's horses and men." Twenty-five horses will be takto win one of the chief events at the Punchestown races. This popular

for a few days, and even with the Zimmerman millions to draw upon. There are amusements to be provided daily, a special telegraph wire has to be installed in order to keep the King in tion.
touch with affairs of state, a large
number of extra servants have to be
The

Windsor Motorman,

Windsor, Ont., Feb. 1. - A book in his waistcoat pocket saved the life of night. A bullet from a revolver crashed through the front window of Renaud's car, and penetrated Renaud's clothing until stopped by the book. Renaud was unhurt. The identity of the man who fired the shot has not been

CATARRH THAT CONTAIN MERCURY.

world can so many beautiful women be seen in one inclosure.

After the Punchestown races the King and Queen will visit the young Duke and Duchess of Manchester at their new and magnificent nouse, Kylemore Castle, county Galway. The young Duke and Duchess of Manchester will find it a very expensive thing to entertain the King and Queen, even to enter the damage the city will receive less cash for the damage the city will receive less cash for the damage the city will receive less cash for the city

RELEASE FROM CATARRH

Dread This Vile Disease No Longer--- It Can Be Driven From the

System By Fragrant, Healing Catarrhozone---

Nature's Cure, Safe and Sure.

Catarrhozone you stay cured for ever.

employed, and railway officials and po- estimates that there are 1,871,619 dogs as follows: licemen must be presented with hand- in the country-one to every score of

BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY A SI TO FRONT WITH NEW OFFER is always the fore-

ton streets.

NAMING THE STEAMER.

The recommendation of No. 3 com

Finally on motion of Ald. Greer the

clause was referred back to allow the

as you are now

man, and you know it."

Mr. Pearce was an energetic and pains-

City Engineer Graydon reported at

water. He stated that a permanent

breakwater to date. During the past

the foresight of Sheriff Cameron.

been placed on the work through

Mr. Graydon's report also showed

been spent by the city on the break-

The report concluded as follows:
"What I desire to point out to the

council is that some \$4,000 has been

ernment were paying and would pay

Mayor Beck astounded the member

Judd to the chair and then handing

discussion was squelched until the

The mayor, however, explained that

not. The directors of a banking hous

or other business institution did no

hire their clerks or other help, but left

next meeting.

W Il Pay the City \$2,500 a Year tition of W. E. Saunders, et al., for a Trinidad Pitch Lake Asphalt pavement

for Five Year Franchise.

Move to Give New Chief Full
Control of Fire Department.

City Has Spent Nearly \$6,000 on Breakwater in Five Years—Changing Name of Engine.

Changing Name of Engine.

Trinidad Pitch Lake Asphalt pavement on Clarence street, between Dundas and York streets, being sufficiently signed, be advertised as required by law.

"Your committee begs to confirm its former recommendation. That the petition of G. E. Coombs, et al., for a Trinidad Pitch Lake street asphalt pavement on William street, between William street, between Dundas and York streets, being sufficiently signed as required by law."

As soon as Chairman Wyatt had finished reading the clauses, Ald. Judd promptly called the mayor's attention to the fact that the committee had

The City Council held a snappy, spicy, two-hour session last night, and got through with quite a grist of business. At times the meeting threatened ply reaffirmed its previous action, and to develop into a farce comedy through had brought in the clauses which the ness. At times the meeting threatened the pointed witticisms of Ald. Garratt, council at its last meeting had thrown aimed for the most part at Ald. Cooper, Ald. Garratt being in especially fine of the report out of order, and as a fettle and alarmingly emphatic at result the committee must now bring times. A row was never in sight during the meeting, though Ald. Garratt pavement to be put down on the initiatook the greatest delight out of his tive plan. announcements to Ald. Cooper that he was out of order, or to "cut it short."

For some reason or other the com
street, between Maitland and Wellingtreet, between Maitland and Wellingnunication from the city solicitor regarding the judgment recently handed down in the high court re the suit of poles, wires, etc., on streets upon possible. London vs. The Street Railway Com-pany, was not handed in, and though some inquiries were made by the alder- was found possible to do so, was adopt-

men as to what the city proposed to do now, the matter was not discussed. NEW TELEPHONE OFFER. The most important matter to come before the meeting was an offer of the Bell Telephone Company for an exclusive franchise in this city. The letter had been received by Ald. Judd late in the afternoon and, of course, it was new to the aldermen. It was company and read as follows: 'Joseph C. Judd. Chairman Finance

"Dear Sir,-I beg to submit the following proposition:
"For a five-year exclusive franchise en over, and the King has bought an BEWARE OF OINTMENTS FOR we will pay in cash or free service to the City of London \$2,500 per year, and feel as to allowing the name of the late chief to go on the engine, and also to charge present rates for present Blake service, with \$5 per year extra for Punchestown races. This popular as mercury will surely destroy the sense elements in Irish society, impecunious and otherwise, and nowhere in the world can so many heartiful women.

This popular as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the proposition of the Canadian Telegraph and Telephone Company the public will pay more in the aggregate for ser-

ine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co., Testimonials free.

Sold by druggists. Price 75c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The council brought the board The council brought the board of

pavement petitions. Clauses three and The British Board of Agriculture four of No. 2 committee's report read "Your committee begs to confirm its

runner of colds, grippe and pneumonia. When the snow is followed by severe cold the conditions are still worse. We can say confidently that no other remedy to the fact that the committee had not acted in accordance with the instructions given by the council, which were to the effect that the committee so strengthens and should report to the council as to the fortifies the body best class of pavement to be laid on the above-mentioned streets, but had simagainst these attacks as Scott's Emulsion. Mayor Beck at once ruled the clauses Thirty years prove it.

one Sunday in eight, and that the men The committee also reported progress should be given more Sundays in or-King der that they might be enabled to attend church once in a while. The mat-Ald. Garratt's motion to have all committee to work out the problem, which permanent pavements are to be laid, placed underground, as far as it

REPORT ON PUBLIC BUILDING. The report of the special committee re the public buildings of the city was read by City Clerk Edwards, and was then sent to No. 3 committee. dealt with the Grand Opera House, to allow the name of the new London Opera House, Auditorium, Mcsteam fire engine to be changed from the "Phoenix" to the "John A. Roe," out of respect to the memory of the late chief, drew forth a lengthy discussion. Some of the elders of the chief. cussion. Some of the aldermen object- ple's Home and the Home for Incuraed because the old volunteer "Phoenix" bles.

firemen might feel slighted, while oth- The report showed that some of the simply read and referred to No. 1 ers thought that as the late chief had buildings were absolutely without indied in harness while trying to save ternal fire protection, and even lacked the property of the citizens it was only fire escapes. In all of them improvefair to his memory to change the name ments are suggested for the protection of the new steamer to the "John A. of the public

BELLS AT CROSSINGS.

The motion of Ald. Becher, seconded committee to ascertain now the family by Ald. Cooper, that the matter of electric bells for railway crossings be referred to No. 2 committee to make find out if it will not be possible to report to the council at its next meeting, was carried.

On motion of Ald. Garratt, the city steamer, and place the name "John A. engineer and the chairman of No. 2 mmittee were instructed to secure all

for the tickets himself, and the mayor Wellington street on the public high-"You were not always as economical you are now."
"Yes, I was," retorted Ald. Cooper, posed of the members of No. 1 commit-"but this man Pearce is an expensive tee and the chairmen of Nos. 2 and

committees, the same as last year, The aldermen thought, however, that MANY THINGS ASKED. A communication was received from nature of his work he should not be the secretary of the Union of Canadian asked to pay for the tickets. Upon a Municipalities, asking the city to conthe secretary of the Union of Canadian wote being taken, Ald. Cooper's motion tribute \$152, being the proportionate share of a sum of \$5,000 which is being BREAKWATER ABOUT COMPLET- raised to carry on the work of the union. Referred to No. 1 committee.

The following communications and petitions were also received and dealt ength on the London West break- with, as indicate: From G. T. Robinson and other resiroadway had now been constructed dents of Brydges street, asking for im-there for a distance of 1,147 feet, and that 300 feet more needed but a top No. 2 committee.

coating to be finished, making about From Jarvis & Vining, re injuries 1,500 feet of roadway built on the received by Wm. Duncan, of Westmin-From Jarvis & Vining, re injuries ster, through alleged defective condiyear 326 feet had been completed by tion of roadway on York street, near the city with the aid of the labor of Thames. Referred to the engineer to tion of roadway on York street, near report upon.
From George Hodge and others, the prisoners in the county jail, who

against the construction of a sewer on Queen's avenue, between Park avenue and Wellington street. No. 2. From W. A. McKenzie, for permission to place a circular sign on Richmond street, between King and Dunthe nostrils. It reaches every part that is affected, and creates work. In 1903 the city paid \$1,646 45 an atmosphere in which germs cannot live, thus driving the tions of the timber breakwater that From Patrick Carney and others, for

the watering of Clarence street, ween Hill and Grey streets. No. 2. From Bertha Christie and others, for and Waterloo streets. No. 3. From Roy Dengate and others, for an

committee. From A. Y. McCormick and others against the glue factory near the corner of Richmond and Simcoe streets From Rev. Father Aylward, re the taxation of a certain property on Hill | street for local improvements, which was now exempt, as it was in use for school purposes. Referred to No. 1

Catarrhozone will cure catarrh in any part of the system; it is clean, pleasant, and convenient to use, and is more highly recommended by physicians than any other preparation on the payment by the passed to Sheriff Cameron by the passed to Sheriff Cameron by the Heart Palpitated. Be sure you try Catarrhozone. It drives Catarrh right perintended the work and looked afout of the system, and is the only remedy acknowledged to the prisoners, and that a commit-FAINT AND DIZZY SPELLS. be quite safe to use, and absolutely certain to cure. In the and try and induce the Legisla throughout thousands of chronic cases it has been successful, and that is tenance of the breakwater. This mo

FELT WEAK AND NERVOUS.

COULD SCARCELY EAT.

TWO BOXES OF MILBURN'S **HEART** and NERVE

Bored Mrs. Edmond Brown, Inwood, Ont., when she had almost given up hope of ever getting well again.

PILLS

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60c Corset Covers,

Wednesday 40c. Marguerite Corset Cover, made of fine cambric, four rows of lace insertion in front, sleeves and neck trimmed with and beading with colored baby ribbon, value 60c, Wednesday

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Wednesday 23c. Ladies' White Cotton Drawers, in two different styles, large frills, with hemstitched tucks, made of fine lonsdale, special, Wednesday, at 23e C'nly a few dozen.

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Ladies' White Underskirts, full gored, made of fine lonsdale, 16inch double flounce, with two cluster tucks, five tucks in cluster,

6-inch linen lace on bottom, taped waist band, value \$1 25, Wednesday 790 Ladies' Underskirts,

Wednesday \$1.00. Ladies' White Cambric Skirt, 14-

\$1.50 Underskirts,

inch flounce, with two rows valenciennes insertion and 5inch lace, deep dust frill, sizes 38 to 42, value \$1 50, Wednesday \$1 00

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Wednesday \$1.50.

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Ladies' Gowns, Wednesday 50c. Ladies' White Cambric Gowns, yoke made of cluster tucks, neck and sleeves trimmed with fine linen lace, full skirt, special, Wednesday 50e

mstitched Handkerchiefs, value 5c, Wednesday, 2 for .. 5c

50c Gowns, Wednesday 35c.

Ladies' White Gowns, with yoke made of cluster tucks, full gathered skirt, cambric frill around neck and sleeves, box-pleat, with

\$1.00 Gowns,

Wednesday 75c. Cambric Gowns with lined yoke, in back and front yoke, made with six cluster tucks and four rows of insertion, fine embroidery frill around neck,

\$1.25 and \$1.50 Gowns Wednesday 90c. Two or three different styles in Ladies' Gowns, with lace and tucked yokes, deep frill around sleeves, made of tucks and lace, some in Empire style,

value \$1 25 and \$1 50, special front and sleeves, full skirt, value \$1 00, Wednesday75c Wednesday at900

\$1.75 Gown, Wednesday \$1.25. Fine Lonsdale Gowns, made with square neck in Grecian style, front made of cluster tucks and three rows of fine insertion, broad beading around neck with ribbon, deep frill of fine embroidery around neck, sleeves and over shoulder, value \$1 75,

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was made when he was 18 years of age. He can trace descent from the ancient Kings of Leinster. An economic census of the Town of York, England, showed that 23,000 out of the 70,000 inhabitants live habitually

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Catarrh of the Throat

proof of what it can do for you. Remember the name and insist on having only Catarrhozone, ratt, carried.

Catarrhozone is a vegetable antiseptic that is inhaled at the mouth, and after passing that since 1899 the sum of \$4,034 47 had

exciting cause of the disease from the system. Once cured by had rotted away.

through the air passages of the throat, bronchial tubes and lungs, is exhaled slowly through been spent by the city on the break-

Miss Winter, who resides on May Another case of chronic catarrh that at the next meeting of the council h street, Topeka, Kansas, was cured of street, in Hartford, Conn., was cured was cured quickly by Catarrhozone is will move that fire bylaw No. 758 be masal catarrh after twenty years' suf- of throat trouble by Catarrhozone, that of Mr. G. I. Luce, of 1700 Navasota amended so that the chief of the fire I owe to Catarrhozone an immense and speaks of her recovery in the fol- street, Austin, Texas, Mr. Luce says: department shall be allowed to en debt of gratitude. It cured me of the lowing words:

the market.

tor it is the best Catarrh medicine money can buy.

Nasal Catarrh Cured

fering by Catarrhozone. She says:

System Overrun by Catarrh

Mrs. E. P. Fairbanks, of Durham, writes: "I suffered continually from

cured me perfectly."

after doctors without number had pronounced my case incurable. My breath is pure and my respiration suffered more or less every spring cines, etc., but they didn't do me much regular, and I do not cough any more and fall. Catarrhozone was the only good. since using Catarrhozone. It has

Almost Poisoned by Catarrh

Mrs. E. P. Fairbanks, of Durham writes: "I suffered continually from catarrh, which affected my throat. My nostrils were usually inflamed, and I was greatly bothered with droppings in the throat, which made me sick at my stomach. I had a bad taste in my mouth and ringing in the ears. I commenced to use Catarrhozone. In a few days it helped me more than I expected, and in two weeks most of the disagreeable symptoms disappeared. I continued the Catarrhozone did me wonderful good. Catarrhozone did me wonderful good. In my experience Catarrhozone is the only cure."

"No one has any idea of how catarrh writes A. L. Dupuis, of Camden. "It first got strind of catarrh," writes A. D. De tarrhozone. Tused everything the first got Catarrhozone. This is the clean string of catarrh is such matters in the hands of the manager, who was responsible to them. It was the same with the fire brigade were string the interests of the city and of the interests of the city and in two was rank, and my head ached continually. The first application of the interests of the city and of the interests of the city and of the interests of the city and in the care in the prize that the interests of the city and in the was rank, and my h "No one has any idea of how catarrh

Four Years of Catarrh

Catarrhozone is soothing and healing, a powerful germical expended in a permanent breakwater and I was informed by ex-Ald. Olmsted that the Minister of Public Works had

mucous tissues to a healthy condition. Catarrhozone imme- promised him that the Ontario Gov-

diately stops dropping in the throat, cures the cough and a certain proportion of moneys ex-

headache, and clears the throat and nostrils by one breath struction of permanent breakwaters,

taken through the inhaler. The immediate effect is magical, so wherever it was shown such moneys had been expended, and I would suggest that application be made to the

"Then I tried Catarrhozone, and to attain efficiency in the fire depart-

Vilest Catarrh Cured

'I tried for four years to get rid aldermen objected vigorously, but as "Repeated colds finally resulted in of nasal catarrh, used salt douches, it was only a notice of motion, a catarrhal condition, from which I atomizers, tablets, stomach medi-

remedy that relieved and cured me.
I recommend it as a specific for received relief in a few hours. If ment. The chief should be responsible cured in a week, so that I never had a to the council and he should say who recurrence of my former trouble."

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STOCK MARKETS. H. C. Becher, broker, Bank of Com-merce building, received the following by private wire from Bartlett, Frazier & arrington today: New York, Feb. 2-Noon.-There has

en a listless air about the stock market during the forenoon session, and it is now in a rather indetermined state. There have been hard spots in the market, but the undertone has been nothing more than steady, and at times a reactionary element has been introduced into the situation. The market started off Wabash, com... Wabash, pref... brayely enough, and some of the maniputheir specialties. London was sufficiently firm to account for the firmness here. There was some bullish talk, but it was more or less localized. The strength of Copper was a favorable influence also, and that stock acted rather wild at it was well maintained for a time, and during the last half-hour sagged rather easily. The selling of Copper of late that is, within the past 40 minutes, has been due to some extent to profit-taking. Realty was marked up in the dealings, but no aggressive following was created. Pennsylvania, Missouri acific, St. Paul, Reading, Wabash and Baltimore and Ohio were firm at the pening, and for a time during the morning session. Southern Pacific and Union Pacific and Atchison held strong. The Steel stocks held firm for a time, and then eased off. The market hold steady,

were 224,000 shares MONTREAL. Montreal, Feb 2. 1183/

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Toledo Railway. SALES: C. P. R. 1 at 119½, 50 at 118%, 75 at 119, 25 at 118%; Montreal Railway, SALES: C. P. R. 1 at 119½, 50 at 118%, 75 at 119, 25 at 118%; Montreal Railway, 25 at 204, 25 at 204%, 25 at 204½, 175 at 205, 50 at 205½, 200 at 205, 50 at 205½, 50 at 205½; 50 at 205½, 50 at 61½, 25 at 60½, 25 at 61, 150 at 60¾, 50 at 61; Twin City, 25 at 91½, 25 at 91½; Power, 50 at 71¾, 25 at 72, 25 at 72, 50 at 72½; Iron common, 20 at 8¾; Toledo 72¼; Iron, common, 30 at 8¾; Toledo Railway, 50 at 21; Ogilvie, preferred, 10 at 122; Montreal Cotton, 15 at 105; Northwest Land. 50 at 175; Merchants' Bank, 4 at 151.

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The distance prione considered, than that on last week's markets. Prime beeves sold at 4½c to 5c per lb, but some of them were very chice; good mediums sold at 4c to 4¼c; ordinary mediums about 4¼c and the common stock at 2½c to 3½c per lb; nearly all the calves were young veals; the best calf sold for 37, or about 5c per lb; sheep sold at about 4c, and lambs at about 5c per lb; sheep sold at about 5c per lb; good lots of fat hogs sold at about 5c per lb; good lots of fat hogs sold at about 5c per lb; achoice lot bringing and, applying it to the surface beneath which the pain lies, rub briskly. If the NEW YORK. orted by F. H. Butler, stock broker, asonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

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Wisconsin Central LOCAL MARKET. London, Tuesday, Feb. 2. In point of numbers the attendance at today's market was one of the smallest in several weeks. Even the market gardeners failed to put in an appearance.
All told there were not a score of sleighs on the square during the fore-At 11:30 o'clock half a dozen loads of hay had been sold; sales were brisk, at \$7 to \$9 per ton, according to quality.

91c per cental. One load of wheat went at \$1 30 per cental. About 20 carcases of dressed hogs were on sale and prices were considerably higher than those quoted here on Satur-day. The local retail butchers were day. The local retail butchers were anxious to replenish their stock, which accounted for the spirited bidding; sales but shows no indications of aggressive were made at \$6.90 to \$8 per 100 pounds; strength for the afternoon. Sales to noon load of light hogs.
There were no butter, eggs, poultry,

A couple of loads of oats were sold at

apples or potatoes offered

CHICAGO EXCHANGE Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser. Chicago, Feb. 2

Wheat—May 90%
July 82%
Corn—Mav 50%
July 48%
Oats—May 44%
July 38%
Pork—Jan 12 20 Wheat-May13 20 13 20 S.Ribs—Jan 7 40 7 37 7 52 7 37 May.... 6 72 6 80 6 69 6 7) PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO. Toronto, Feb. 2.-Wheat-Steady, at 82c bid for No. 2 red and white, west, and 83c asked; Manitoba, 93c for No. 1 hard, 91c for No. 1 northern, 87c to 87½c for No. 2 northern, and 84c for No. 3 northern, at Georgian Bay ports, and 6c more grinding in trasit. Flour—Steady, at \$315 for 90 per cent patents in hypers, here. for 90 per cent patents in buyers bags, middle freights; choice brands are 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba, \$4 65 to \$4 90 for for second patents, and \$4.25 to \$4.50 for strong bakers, bags included, on the track at Toronto. Millfeed—Steady at \$17 for cars of shorts and \$15 for bran in bulk, east or middle freights; Manitoka and \$15 for bran in bulk, east or middle freights; Manitoka and three times only in the state of the second patents, \$4.50 for \$4.50 for second patents, and \$4.25 to \$4.50 for January was a one, and three times only in the second patents, and \$4.25 to \$4.50 for January was a one, and three times only in the second patents, and \$4.25 to \$4.50 for January was a one, and three times only in the second patents, and \$4.25 to \$4.50 for January was a one, and three times only in the second patents, and \$4.25 to \$4.50 for strong bakers, bags included, on the track at Toronto. Steady, at \$4.10 for cars of bags, and \$4.35 for barrels on the track at Toronto, and 30c more for broken lots. Peas— that the month may be sai Firmer, at 63c for No. 2, high freights been, bright, clear and cold. west. Butter-Receipts lighter; better demand for dairy rolls and firmer, at 15c 17c for choice pounds, and 15c to 16c for large rolls; other grades unchanged. Eggs-New-laid, 33c to 35c; selected fresh,

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30c; cold storage, 28c; limed, 27c to 28c.

DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO. Chicago, Feb. 1.-Butter-Firm; creameries, 15c to 22½c; dairies, 13c to 20c Cheese-Steady, 10c to 10½c. ELGIN.

Elgin, Ill., Feb. 1.-Butter ruled firm on the board of trade today at 23c per lb, an advance of 1c from last week's quotations. Several lots were offered at 25c, and not sold. Sales in the district for the week were 430,000 lbs. OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG. Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 1.-Oil opened at FLAXSEED. Chicago, Jan. 30.-Flaxseed-Northwest, \$1 161/2; southwest, \$1 10; January, \$1 10;

OIL CITY. Oil City, Pa., Feb. 1.-Credit balances \$1.85; certificates, no bid; shipments, 145,-

PITTSBURG. Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 1.-Oil closed at

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

MONTREAL. Montreal, Feb. 1.—About 1,000 head of cattle, 40 calves and 150 sheep and lambs were offered for sale at the east end abattoir today. The butchers were out strong, and trade was brisk, but the prices were considerably lower, quality considered, than that on last week's mar-

calves, \$25 to \$7. Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; market steady to strong; mixed and butchers, \$475 to \$5; good to choice heavy, \$475 to \$505; rough heavy, \$475 to \$496; light, \$430 to \$470; bulk of sales at \$455 to \$485. Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; market steady; lambs steady to strong; good to choice wethers, \$4 to \$465; fair to choice mixed, \$375 to \$410; native lambs, \$4 to \$550.

TORONTO. Toronto, Feb. 2.—The run of calves was light with a strong demand for good veal calves; butchers' cattle were selling fairly well, and export cattle were a slow trade; milch cows were steady at the prices quoted, with good milkers in demand. Quotations:

Export cattle choice, cwt. 475 @ 490 Export cattle medium....... 440 th 455

reeders, short-keep 400 reeders medium 375 Export ewes, cwt..... Export bucks . Lambs

4 75 @ BEAN MARKET. DETROIT.

Detroit, Feb. 2.—Beans—Cash and February, \$1 77; March. \$1.76. FLAXSEED. Chicago, Feb. 1.—Flaxseed—Northwes 1 06; southwest, \$1 08; May, \$1 11.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

NEW YORK. New York, Feb. 2-Noon.-Flour-Receipts, 31,187 bbls; sales, 5,700 pkgs; firm, at old prices. Buckwheat flour-Dull. Rye flour-Firm. Wheat-Receipts, 67,275 bu; sales, 860,000 bu; wheat was firm this morning on good cables, active bull sup-port at Chicago, and lower consols; May 2 15-16c to 9314c; July, 875c to 877c. Rye-Firm. Corn-Receipts, 54,825 bu; corn firm, reflecting better cables and cover ing. Oats-Receipts, 33,000 bu; track white, 47c to 52c. Suga-Raw steady; refined quiet. Coffee-Firm; No. 7 Rio, 91/20 Lead-Easy, Wool-Firm, Hops-Firm state, common to choice, 1903 crop, 30c to 38c; 1902 crop, 24c to 28c; Pacific coast, 1903 crop, 27c to 35c.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL. Liverpool, Feb. 2.—Wheat—Spot nominal. Futures quiet; March, 6s 4d; May, EVERY FALL OF SNOW ADDS TO Liverpool, Feb. 2.-Wheat-Spot Co.n.—Spot, American mixed, new, quiet, 4s 2½d; do, old, firm, 4s 6½d. Futures quiet; March, 4s 2d; May, 4s 2%d. Peas—Canadian steady, 5s 5½d. Flour-St. Louis fancy winter dull,

Hops (at London)-Pacific coast firm.

f6 10s to f7 10s.

Beef—Steady; extra India mess, 63s 9d. Pork-Easy; prime mess western, 65s. Hams-Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm. 44s 6d. Bacon-Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs quiet. 35s: short ribs. 16 to 24 lbs. quiet. 35s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, quiet, 37s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 ibs, quiet, 37s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, dull, 35s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 45s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs. dull, 32s. Lard-Prime western, in tierces, quiet,

\$7s; American refined in pails, quiet, 36s. Butter-Nominal. Cheese-Quiet; American finest white, 51s; do, colored, 53s.

Record Breaker.

lowing interesting figures for that city and for the Province regarding the cold cars of Hungarian patents, \$4.35 to \$4.60 spell and snowfalls of the month of January, together with the compara-"The month of January was a cold in bulk, east or middle freights; Manitoba, \$20 for cars of shorts and \$18 for bran, sacks included, Toronto freights. Barley—Steady, at 43½c for No. 2, 41½c for No. 3 extra, and 39c for No. 3, east. Buckwheat—Steady, at 48c for No. 2, middle freights. Corn—Steady, at 37½c for Canada mixed, and 38c for yellow, fell was heavier than for 63 years. The snow that fell was heavier than for 63 years. No. 2 yellow in car lots on the track at Toronto. Oats—Firm, at 31½c to 32c for No. 1 white, and 31c to 31½c for No. 2 white, east; No. 2 white, 30½c to 31c, middle freights west. Rolled oats—face 87 hours during the month, which was eight hours above the average, so that the month may be said to have "The month of January had a mean temperature of 16.0 in 1856, 12.7 in 1857, 16.0 in 1875 and 16.0 in 1884. In 1888 it was 15.0, and in 1893 it

COMPARATIVE FIGURES.

"Monday, Jan. 4, registered a mean of additional trackage, under the judg-Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions and the lowest point reached was 15 bought and sold for cash or on margins. below. This, compared with the cold below. This, compared with the cold over 35.000, the last municipal census posal, but he had doubts as to its sucof previous Januarys is interesting. giving the city a population of 40,143, cess at the council board. Those alderof previous Januarys is interesting, giving the city a population of 40,143. In 1857 the mean temperature of the It appears, however, that the company coldest day was 14.4 below zero; in 1859 it was 8.6, in 1866 it was 9.5, in 1882 the taking of the census was not auit was 10.2 and in 1893 it was 7.9." thorized by bylaw, being a work simply "The coldest day experienced in To- performed as a sort of side-line by ronto was in 1859, when the mercury Assessment Commissioner Grant, and went down to 26 below. The coldest his staff. Consequently, in order to be day in 1840 was 19 below zero; in 1849 ready for all emergencies, should the who is not. was 14 below; in 1881 it was 13 be- case be again appealed by the comlow; in 1852 it was 11; in 1856 it was pany, the mayor suggests that another 12; in 1857 it was 20, and in 1859 it census be taken, authorized by bylaw. went 6 degrees lower. The next cold Of course, if the case is again appealed day was in 1861, when it was 11 be- it must go to the supreme court, and low. In 1863 it was 14, and that was in such event it might hang fire for not reached again until 1866, when the a year or more, so that all the council coldest day registered 14. In 1871 the would have to do would be to pass a thermometer registered 13, and in 1873 bylaw authorizing Assessment Commisit was 18. In 1882 it was 17 degrees below, and in 1884 13 below. In 1885 ly taken by him when assessing the it again went down to 16, and the next city mometer at 12 below, and in January, 1892, it went down to 10 below. The coldest day in 1893 was 16 below. in 1890 it was 15 below.

court has greatly strengthened the city's hands and has also given the city OUTLOOK COLD. "There is no break in the cold weaof additional track.

It will continue, it is thought,

Manager Carr, of the Street Railway the matter of providing electric bells at ther. It will continue, it is thought, until the 20th of February. Tonight will be cold, and tomorrow will be very cold. In the morning it will be several degrees below zero. The low-several degrees below zero degrees below zero. The low-several degrees below zero degrees d ing was at White River, where the reading was 44 below. It is raining to-day in the Province of Quebec and in the Maritimes Province of Education would do in the matter.

Solicitor's return, what the company would do in the matter.

Mr. Peter Cameron, 785 Queen the Maritime Provinces. Elsewhere the weather is cold, with prospect of con-

tinuing so. "The records of the snowfall for the month of January have not reached the Observatory yet, but the snowfall

OFFERS OF PHONE COMPANIES TO COME UP AT A SPECIAL MEETING

years.

Aldermen Appear To Be Completely at Sea as to What Course Should Be laken.

A special meeting of the finance committee of the city council has been estly pror called for Friday, evening next at . o'clock to consider telephone matters. now franchises before the committee one from the Canadian Telegraph and Telephone Company, offering \$1,000 for a franchise to do business in this city, and the other from the Bell Telephone Company offering \$2,500 for an exclusive franchise. Both companies offer rates practically the same, with the exception of the rate for com ness and house 'phones, the new com-pany in this particular cutting deep into the rates of the Bell Company. Regarding the proposals the aldermen appear to be completely at sea. All appear to regard the Bell pro-position as a remarkably good one, and many of the city fathers would be in favor of accepting it forthwith were it not that the city is under more or less of an obligation to the new com pany for bringing the Bell people to time, and increasing their offer franchise 150 per cent. Just what will be done by the council in the matter s as yet a mystery.

WANT TO BE FIRE CHIEF. Today is the last day upon which applications for the position of fire chief are to be received. The list of applicants is not a very imposing one, fire chief. and undoubtedly the outside applications give promise of no better material than is to be had right in London. Richard T. Gates, of Toronto, is not years, and who leaves his superiors fireman, but he has been a soldier eld a commission in the British army. gade on a sound footing. He promises discipline of the boiler iron variety if appointed. Thos. Sargent, also of Toronto, cil.

Trunk West of This City-

Branch Lines Open.

months have resulted in the snow be- and followed them into the city.

line and branches-were running be- the time made by trains was slow.

hind time today. Early in the morning A dispatch from Palmerston

with the cold, and the snowstorm in pleased with the treatment handed out

progress at the time, made a rapid by the Grand Trunk, for a resolution

No. 7 express, due here at 3:30 from the provisions made for their comfort.

Street Railway Company Refuses to Recognize the Assessors' Figures as Official.

amend the fire bylaw, so as to allow the chief of the fire department to hire and discharge his men, is a complete vindication of the policy of Ald. Greenlees, who all along has fought to leave

THE CITY MAY BE COMPELLED

sors' Figures as Official.

At the council meeting last night

proposal was made by the mayor re-

garding the city's troubles with the

London Street Railway Company, which

may yet be acted upon, though nothing

the city is now entitled to two miles

ment handed down at Toronto-that is,

one mile for each 2,000 of population

dispute the validity of this census, as

thorized by bylaw, being a work simply

sioner Grant to take the census usual-

the right to demand a full two miles

Wellington street. Today the engineer pointed out that there was no smoke bylaw in London, and that the alder-

men had simply wasted time in pass-

ing the resolution

done last night. It appears that

would scarcely make an im- be blocked.

would like to be chief of London fire brigade. He is at present assistant foreman of Hook and Ladder Company, No. 5, and has seen 20 years' service. He incloses a bundle of refer ences as thick as a roll of carpet. F. N. Westmore, of Brantford, is fireman in the Telephone City, and has had nine years' experience. He modnises to do what is right if

made chief. Fred Smith, of Port Perry, Ont., is county constable of that place, At present there are two offers for and apparently from his application is modeled after the busy-bee-improveeach-shining-hour-plan, for he combines the duties of fire chief with those of constable. He has had ten years' experience as a fireman:

> years a fireman, and four years assistant chief. J. R. Wodley, of Brantford, has had eleven years' experience as a fireman. thinks he would make a good chief. He is now foreman of the

John Sands, of Kingston, is assist-

A. S. Ross, of Stratford is working as a millwright, but has had nine years' experience as a fireman in Northampton, Eng. He has also reason to believe he is just what this city is looking for. S. G. Finch, of Brantford, has had nine years' experience as a fireman. He is also an electrician, and offers to

make all necessary repairs in the de-S. H. Craig, a veteran fireman and well-known lumber merchant of Lon- brought to a stop, she said that when don, also applies for the position of she heard the brakeman go through the Then there is the application of the present acting chief, John Aitken, who

has been on the force a great many to judge for themselves whether he is and appears to be a stickler for dis- fit for the position. Assistant Chief He is an honorary lieutenant. Aitken is a believer in discipline, and n H. M. land forces, and at one time if chosen he promises to put the bri-The appointment will probably be made at the next meeting of the coun-

six hours late when it reached here.

tically compelled to recommend, refused

to vote, and allowed the slate to go

through without difficulty, as far as he was concerned. That the mayor's motion is a move in the right direction all

the aldermen who have not axes to grind

agree, and Ald. Greenlees today stated that he was pleased at the major's pro-

hall to make friends for themselves, wil

undoubtedly vote against any amend

exercise of a "pull" out of their hands, and the vote, when taken on the proposal, will pretty well show who is in

favor of efficiency in the fire brigade and

The board of health have at last de

termined to again appeal to the provin

cial health authorities to stop the al

cial health authorities to stop the al-leged nuisance said to be caused by the Arscott rendering works on Trafalgar street. The residents of the section af-fected have been so persistent in their appeals to the board that the city will now ask the provincial authorities to take the matter in hand and try to force the county to cause the alleged nuisance to be abated

The board of health have also taken up

the petition against the new glue fac

tory on the old Labatt property on Richmond street south, and it is likely that

the next meeting of the board of health

At last night's meeting of the council

Mr Peter Cameron, 785 Queen's

avenue, some time ago had his finger

To Cure Fever Chills And such complaints as "Shivers"

and ague we recommend Nerviline very

a motion was put through calling upon

will be a very intertesting one.

be abated.

gineer Graydon to enforce the smoke bylaw of this city, and prevent an alleged smoke and prevent an alleged smoke smoke bylaw of this city, and prevent an alleged smoke smoke

leged smoke nuisance, alleged to be caused by the C. P. R. at the head of

Tenight the last meeting of the board of education will be held, and tomorrow the inaugural meeting of the new chills, but knocks out the disease com-

ering.

ment to the bylaw which may

HAD NOT TRAVELED MUCH

Woman Jumped From a Moving G. T. R. Express Train.

Hurriedly Responded to Brakeman's Announcement of "London."

The crew of a Grand Trunk express train from the east had an experience recently with a woman which they will not soon forget.

The woman resided near one of the large towns between this city and Hamilton, and she was coming to London to visit with friends. Her actions on the train would have satisfied an observer that she was not in the habit of traveling very extensively and an act committed ant chief of the fire brigade of the by her when the train was midway be-Limestone City. He has been fifteen tween East London and the city depot was more than sufficient proof of this fact

The brakeman had just gone through the train and announced London as the next stopping-place, when the woman gade, and has held this post for five picked up her bundles, walked into the vestibule of the car and jumped. She was seen by a number of the other passengers, and when the train was stopped and members of the crew went back to ascertain if the woman was hurt, they found her picking up her parcels and preparing to walk to the first street crossing. She was not hurt, although she was badly shaken up.

Asked why she did not wait until the train reached the city station and was car and announce London, she thought that the train had slowed up as much as it would.

"You know, I am not in the habit of traveling a great deal," she volunteered. "I seldom leave home for any purpose, and it is a rare thing for me to get or a train.'

The trainmen did not dispute her word They were thankful that she had landed in a pile of snow, and wished they had a kodak,

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS DIFFICULTY OF MOVING TRAINS

-Misses Jessie and Bell Lees, of Ay! Traffic Tied Up On the Grand Suspension Bridge, was late reaching city. Bruce Smith also spent Sunday the city, and it was delayed until 9:30,

when the stalled freights were pulled -Miss Annie McLean, of this city, into London. No. 4 express, due here who has been the guest of Miss from the Tunnel at the same time Cairnes, Light street, Woodstock, reas No. 7, had a triple cause for being turned home today.

The condition of affairs on the rail- behind time. The snowplow was operways has now reached such a state that every half inch of snow adds to behind it and was held until the plow tack of appendicitis.

The snowplow was oper removed to St. Josep Atlanta on the line near Mandaumin, and left the rails. The express was behind it and was held until the plow —John Abbott, col he difficulty of moving trains.

was placed on the track. The express got as far as the stalled freight trains, chester, has sold his farm to Hiram FANNY McGARVEY TAKEN. Yorke and Edward Rogers. coming solidly packed between the is again partially tied up. The train Yorke gets the south part and Mr. The London, Huron and Bruce branch Rogers takes the north part. The total

rails, making it necessary to have the for the north pulled out about the price realized was \$6,825. ice removed in many places with picks. schedule time, but there were drifts at HEAVIEST FOR 63

YEARS

The last week or ten days, ending the last week or ten days, end about over, and is the largest that has been gathered in some years. A strong wind on Saturday began to break up the ice, which it is said has this season of the expressed her than the days of the severity of the weather of the street of the days, end about over, and is the largest that has been gathered in some years. A strong wind on Saturday began to break up the ice, which it is said has this season of the expressed her than the intervention of the expressed her than the days of the severity of the weather of the street of the severity of the weather of the street of the saturday of the severity of

til the next fall of snow, when the was prevailing around Stratford, and Owing to the severity of the weather space would get packed in again so there was every indication that the firmly that the flange on the engine branch lines running out of there would and the bad condition of the grounds. pression, causing the danger of derail- On the London and Port Stanley line ment to became the greater.

Trains on the Grand Trunk-main though the road was very heavy and row, will not be held until the first Wednesday in March.

DEATH OF MRS, SPARKS. Mrs. Thomas Sparks died yesterday a number of freight trains stalled on day tells of a meeting held there by the main line, between this city and G. T. R. passengers who were delayed at her late residence, 179 Simcoe street. The funeral is to take place tomorro Komoka, tying up traffic for many owing to the blockade of the branch afternon to Woodland Cemetery. hours. The traffic was heavy, and this, lines. The gathering was evidently FUNERAL TO EARLY TRAIN.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Margaret opening of the line an impossibility. was passed thanking Supt. Jones for Powell, who died at 7 Cynthia street, Sunday, took place at 7:30 o'clock this morning to the G. T. R. station. The

TO TAKE ANOTHER CENSUS SOON DEATH AT LAMBETH.

Seneca township.

On Sunday the death of Mrs. Sarah Neno, wife of John Neno, Lambeth, took place. She was in her 64th year and was well known. The funeral service will be held at 2:30 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon, at the English Church, Lambeth.

lees, who all along has fought to leave such matters in the hands of the fire chief. When the new men were recently appointed, Ald, Greenlees, disgusted with the sight of the aldermen voting for a set of men of whom they knew nothing, and whom the late chief had been practically compelled to recommend, refused HIGHLY APPRECIATED. proved a great success in spite of the arose, and the company have had to stormy evening. The hall was filled to go to court to prove their right to the its utmost capacity. The leading fea- commission, if they have a right, and tures of the evening were the drills decision was reserved by the junior given by the young ladies; but the judge.

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please the cook!

In the first place, it left the Tunnel behind time. The snowplow was operating on the line near Mandaumin.

—Miss Jermyn, of this city, daughter nymn, Lead, kindly Light, Sung by 12 of John Jermyn, of Chatham, has been removed to St. Josephs' Hospital from young ladies, was without doubt the chatham. She is suffering from an at--Miss Jermyn, of this city, daughter hymn, "Lead, Kindly Light," sung by -John Abbott, con. 6. North Dor- be alone worth the price of admission

Fanny McGarvey, who killed he uncle. Patrick Upton at Strathroy, and who was acquitted on a charge of -The ice harvest at Port Stanley is murder, was taken to Hamilton Insand

The street railway sweeper frightened a team of horses at the corner of Richthe monthly shoot of the Springwood mond and King streets this morning Gun Club, which was set for tomor- They started down the street, swerving the sleigh almost into Stevely's window, but got a few feet farther. Mr. Frank Butler was coming up, and as the horses turned on to the road again he made a jump for them and succeeded in putting a stop to what might have

Y. M. C. A. TEAM WILL TOUR The boys' executive committee of the Y. M. C. A. held a meeting last night and decided to send the basketball team on an eastern tour. Mr. Eamon is at present corresponding with the association the widow of the late Joseph Powell, of Peterboro, Montreal and Ottawa towards arranging matches. The trip will start Good Friday. Among other important matters the boys' meeting was discussed, and it was decided to advertise and make the meeting more

DIVISION COURT CASE. In the division court this morning the Western Real Estate Exchange sued John Moore, of Westminster, for The Gazette Review, Parkhill, of Jan. \$100 commission on a farm. The plain-28, under the heading, "A Great Suc- tiffs were to get 2 per cent commis cess," says: The entertainment of the The trouble was, however, that the Methodist Sunday school, under the di- valuator for the company bought the rection of Miss Amy L. Doty, London, property himself. A legal technicality

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BIG CROWD AT COLLINGWOOD.

GUELPH DOUBLED BERLIN'S

SCORE.

Guelph, Ont., Feb. 1. - The W.

CLEAN AT WATFORD.

ors. The referee, Jack Brown, of Lon-

ser, goal; Pebbles, point; Bricker,cover

NEARLY A SHUT-OUT.

itors defeated the home team by 5 to

1. At half-time the score stood 1 to 1.

MARKHAM WON.

Uxbridge, Ont., Feb. 1.-The second

intermediate O. H. A., to decide the replaced games of Jan. 6, between

Markham and Uxbridge, tonight, re-sulted in a score of 7 to 2 in favor of

BRACEBRIDGE 4 to 1.

mediate O. H. A. match played here tonight between Burks Falls and

Burks Falls, Ont., Feb. 1.-The inter-

Port

The score stood in the first half 1 to 0 junior O. H. A. match here tonight be-

in favor of Aylmer, but Glencoe suc- tween Cobourg and Port Hope, the vis-

and hardest game of the season, before a crowd of 3,000 people, Stratford won Bracebridge resulted 4 to 1 in favor

IN PLAY FOR ONTARIO TANKARD

LONDON CLUBS NOT REPRESENTED

3 in Midland's favor.

Taken Four Games and Lost None—Three Teams in Junior League Have Clean Sheet.

The race in the Senior and Junior City Hockey Leagues is steadily be-

In the senior, the Aberdeens have clean sheet, having won all of the

four games played, and it will only be

an awful slump in their work if they

do not win the trophy. There are now

five more games to play, and as the

of the Aberdeens, there does not seem to be much possibility of the latter falling down so hard as to finish any-

The Y. M. C. A. has won two games

and lost one, and the St. John's A. C. has won one game and lost three. The Seventh has been playing in hard luck, having three losses to its credit, and no victories. The Y. M. C. A. and the

which was protested by the Y. M. C

They are the Lornes, Aberdeens and

Waterloos, the Lornes and Aberdeens

having two victories, and the Water-

loos ne, without a loss. The L. C. I.

has won one and lost two, and the

Imperials have lost two and won none.

The Aberdeens went up a peg by winning their last games, and the Insti-

tute went back a notch. The Waterloos one, without a loss. The L. C. I.

tie, and the Imperials and the St.

John's A. C. also have a tie to play.

HORTONS VS. LEADERS. The Hortons meet the Listowel team

omorrow night at the Jubilee Rink. The Listowels are the leaders in the

race for the junior championship in

game may be expected.

the western district, and a hard-fought

Tonight the Rambler Club and the

Shamrocks meet at the Jubilee Rink.

THE ABERDEENS' RECORD.

In the Senior W. O. H. A. series, the

Aberdeens have played three games,

bilee rink by a score of 3 to 0. The

GLENCOE WON OUT.

SHUT-OUT FOR GALT.

Preston, Ont., Feb. 1. The W. O. H.

and Galt resulted 11 to 0 in favor of

MARLBOROS DEFEATED

Toronto, Feb. 1.—Waverleys defeated Marlboros in intermediate O. H.

A. tonight by 6 to 5, but lost the round

FIERCE GAME AT STRATFORD.

Out of Competition in Prim-

aries-Junior Skating.

the winners in all of the groups -

both eastern and western - will be

on hand. The play attracts the atten-

Province, for the prize is the best that

they have the privilege of competing

for. London will not be represented in

the playing, both the Thistles and the

Londons having been put out of the race in the primaries. And strange

as it may appear, both clubs were

beaten by Galt, which convinces the

Londoners that the town in Waterloo

TO BE PLAYED NEXT WEEK.

matches will not be played at the This-

tle Rink this week. It was expected

that the play would be on Thursday

and Friday of this week, but Secretary

will be more convenient for many of

WON FROM THE LONDONERS.

London.

G. Backus,

o. H. Talbot. W. Galbraith

Stevensor

B. Wilcox, C. McAlpine, J. W. Couse,

Sergt. Hopkirk, D. Frazer, W. Smith, J. A. Carrick,

skip

P. Evans, skip..... F. McVean,

Little, C. Trebilcock,

Glover has decided not to call the

The Western Ontario Colts' League

must be their hoodoo.

the curlers.

A. Tory, M. E. Holden,

f. Duncan, C. E. Sterling, A. Evans,

Stratford, Ont., Feb. 1.-In the fiercest

the district and carried the victory of Bracebridge,

ceded in winning out.

League have not suffered a defeat, game here tonight by 7 goals to 6.

coming more interesting.

where but first.

thy. "Indeed, if you excite yourself Y. M. C. A. are not within three games further, I should not answer for the of the Aberdeens, there does not seem

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Vera's Love Affair

"But," not heeding him, "though something always warned me to avoid you, though some good angel urged me always to distrust you, I never in my wildest moments believed you capable "The solicitude you show for my welfare is truly delightful," says Mr. Dysart, raising one of his delicate hands. "but I cannot afford to part with you

would have known this pale, passionate, indignant girl to be the gentle Verg of everyday life. As for Seaton, a longing to compel her into a recognition of the falsity of her opinion of him is the one powerful false. him is the one powerful feeling that possesses him; at this moment it seems face and stares at her in a way that to him that he hates her as she stands there before him, defiant, contemptuous
—beautiful. The loose sleeves have
slipped back from her, leaving her exquisitely molded arms bare; arms soft
and rounded, and white as the moonand rounded, and white as the moon-steely eyes so mercilessly bent upon across the polished boards-to catch the hem of her gown and so steal up-she says evenly enough, though her wards to her perfect face. Such a lovely thing she seems, one very meet for love's demands-and yet how cold, how unwomanly in that scornful mood! "You do me too much honor when you take the trouble thus to analyze me," he says with a bitter smile. "Of the confess, however, I hold myself guiltNo answer.

"Do you? I think not," says she, "Someone out of your past life, of course. That is understood, as you had no opportunities here of making a correct acquaintance with anyone. I am right in my surmise? It was a friend from out your past?"

"Hardly that, I think," regarding her curiously. "The balance there is not even. And as to you allusion to 'filthy like against her will.

or his question there is none.

"Someone out of your past life, of course. That is understood, as you had no opportunities here of making a correct acquaintance with anyone. I am right in my surmise? It was a friend from out your past?"

"No," says Griselda, slowly, and as if the answer is dragged from her, against her will. even. And as to you allusion to filthy against her will.

without a fortune. For a moment she regards him curi-

perty to you father," she says slowly, he left it purposely unentailed. Your father then, were you to cross his left, penniless. To avoid that, you would fall in with any of his views. You would even so far sacrifice yourself as to marry me!" Oh, the contempt

There is a long pause. Then Seaton, the mustriding forward, seizes her by both to you arms and turns her more directly to the light. The grasp of his hands is as a -and afterwards-it seemed to her that he had involuntarily, as it were

shaken her slightly.
"How dare you!" he says in a low. constrained tone. She can see that his face is very white, and that it is with difficulty he restrains himself; she is conscious too, perhaps, of feeling a

and turns away. "Pshaw, you are not worth it!" he says, his manner full of the most in tense self-contempt.

Then he puts her quickly from him

CHAPTER XXI.

There cannot live a more unhappy creature than an ill-naturad old man, who is neither capable of receiving

"He has sent for me to go to the library. What on earth shall I do? I'm regularly in for it! Vera, you must e, too," says Griselda, who is evidently in the lowest depths of despair. "I don't see what good I can do," says Vera, recoiling from a second interview with her uncle. "You can. Every good. Your very presence will restrain him. And if it is

to be a case of assault and battery, you will be an invaluable witness. Even through all her honest fright she cannot refrain from making a miserable little attempt at a joke. "Anyhow, I won't go alone," vehemently. "Wild horses sha'n't draw me." She sits down with all the air of one determined to take up her position for life on this 'Come, I'm ready," says Vera, with a sigh.

'I'm a wretch," cries Griselda, penitently. "There, stay where you are; I'll face the old dragon alone! He an't do more than murder me, and I dare say I'll be no great loss. Oh, Vera," as Miss Dysart shakes her head, and declares herself willing to see her through with it, "it is too much to ex-

"The longer he is kept waiting the more unpleasant he will be," Vera reminds her sensibly, and together they go down to the library. "I hardly expected the pleasure of your company," says the old man, lifting his half-closed eyes to Vera—a vicious light in them. "I do not remember that I even solicited it."

"You did not. I have come because Griselda wished it," coldly.

"Does Griselda control this house—"

nold? Are we all to be guided by her? My nerves are not in a fit state this morning to give audience to more than one at a time. I feel thoroughly un-

himself."
Under cover of this burst of anxious concern Griselda makes a careful slide to make good her escape, but to evade the argus eyes of Mr. Dysart one would have to be born with that happy old knack of growing invisible at will.
"The solicitude you show for my wels." wildest moments believed you capable for just one moment or two. Don't be afraid: I shall not injure myself, I trust, and I feel as if there was a word

consequences. We will both go away. By-and-bye-next week or so-you can let me know what I am to do for you.

Try to persuade him, Vera, to spare

clearly see you. Thanks."

heart is quaking.

"Yes. In one of my age it is to be deplored, no doubt, but I confess I am consumed with curiosity to know who was the friend with whom you were on such lively terms of intimacy yester-No answer. Poor Griselda flushes a

painful crimson, but other recognition of which they have lost two. of his question there is none: still have three to play. One of these

yourself remarked just now, you are to believe that this—friendship of yours average age is 12 years. was contracted here-since you came

ously, as if a little struck by the ability displayed in this careful misunderstanding of her words.

"H—I have met him," begins the girl, in a breathless, stammering fashion, utterly daunted by the poverty of her words.

"When my grandfather left this processes, and the cruel brilliance of the case, and the case, and the case, and th into my house?" searching eyes brought to bear on her.
"So much I know," pitilessly. "You met him yesterday, for example, That wishes, could leave you, as I have been I witnessed for myself. What I am desirous of learning is, how it, was you first arrived at a knowledge of his existence. You will excuse my persistency, I am sure," with abominable the mutual friend who introduced him

> Dead silence. [To be Continued.]

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taken hold. The safeguard against la grippe is a good stomach: the best and most lasting cure for la grippe is a good stom-Thousands of people will tell you that out of their experience, and those thousands haven't got la grippe either. Marie Ann Bujold, of Maria Cap, Bonaventure county, Quebec, says:
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The Louisiana leper colony will be

moved from Indian Camp, which is 80 miles above New Orleans, to a point Yes-yes. You really do look very near that city.

> skip..... J. E. McNee, J. W. McIntosh, B. W. Glover, Purdom, skip..... C. E. Preston, Davis, Burnett,

Burnett,
Swift,
V. Fulton,
Talbot, J. H. Brownlee, H. S. Blackburn, Dr. McDonald,

skip... Sergt. Farnsworth, W. A. Thrasher, G. B. Harris, T. Gillean, Majority for Thistles, 35 shots. SMITH WON SECOND HEAT.

Mustill, Stewart, Webb, Platt and Smith went away at the signal from the starter, and for a time the former kept the lead. He was overtaken and passed by Webb, however, who looked like a winner until the last lap, when The playing for the Ontario Tankard Smith came to the front and retained the lead to the finish. begins at Toronto this morning, when Smith's victory means that another heat will have to be skated, as the

of any person until it is won twice by him. Friday night has been fixed for

tion of every curler throughout the CARPETBALL

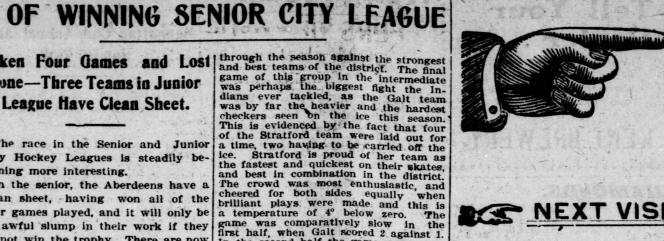
EXCELSIOR WINS ANOTHER. In the A. O. F. carpetball competition last night, Court Excelsior defeated Court Stella by a score of 35 to 22. WRESTLING.

JIM PARD WON. Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 1.-Jim Parr, the well in his winter work. English heavy-weight champion wrestler, defeated Jack Munroe, of Butte, Mont., at the Olympic A. C. tonight. Parr won two straight falls in 21 minutes and 40 seconds and 15:20, the first second a combination back-hammer and leg hold. The conditions of the games until next week, as that time match called for the best two in three falls, catch-as-eatch-can, strangle hold barred. Al Limerick, whom Munroe put out in Boston, challenged the Butte

miner for another bout. Menroe agreed Half a dozen rinks of the London to give him another chance. Curling Club crossed over to the north to give his end last night and played a friendly **BOXING.** match with the Thistles, on the latters FORBES KNOCKED OUT. rink. The ice was keen, and the game was much enjoyed. Of the half dozen

rinks, five of the Thistles finished up, with leads of from three to thirteen shots, and one of the London rinks, skipped by Tom Gillean, led. The Thistles won by 35 shots. The scores: ther-weight championship of the world at 126 pounds before the West End S. Screaton, A. C. McPherson, F. G. Rumball, speed and clever work. Forbes not only outjabbed Attell, but has him on the defensive for four fast rounds. tell tried to mix with Forbes in the second, but was beaten off and com-cricket and football. T. Andrus, W. M. Govenlock, pelled to cover up. In the third round Forbes jumped in aggressively and put two hard jabs to the face and tried

PUGS HAVE MIXUP. St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 1.—Puglist Bob Fitzsimmons and Tom Corbett, brother of ex-Champion Corbett, had an exciting mixup in the Planters' Hotel cafe. Bad blood has prevailed between the men, but mutual friends tried to bring them together. Fits was willing enough, and At the Westminster Rink last night, the second heat of the junior skating adding some insulting words. Fits championship of the city was wan by squared off, and so did Corbett. Then



NEXT VISIT

game was comparatively slow in the first half, when Galt scored 2 against 1. In the second half the game was a per-In the second nair the game was a perfect whirlwind, it being most difficult at times to follow the puck. Some very brilliant shots were made, and had it not been for the good work of the goal-keepers the score would have been higher, but the Indians finished up with 3 to 2, amid tremendous applause. The lineup was:

CAN. friends jumped in and separated the men. They were led from the cafe by opposite doors. Trouble is feared should they meet again. CANADIAN WON.

was:
Galt—Goal, Whitney; point, Clifton;
cover, Lane; forwards, Twaits, Preston,
Watson and Robson.
Stratford—Goal, Woods; point, Clifton; New York, Feb. 1.—Arthur Marcotte, of Quebec, the Canadian amateur champion billiardist, defeated J. De Mun Smith, of St. Louis, by a score of 300 having three losses to its credit, and no victories. The Y. M. C. A. and the Seventh have each played four games, although only three appear in the standing, the executive having ordered them to play one game over again, which was protested by the Y. M. C. A. and the standing, the executive having ordering the control of the control o to 258 in the opening game of the amateur billiard championship tournament, which was begun tonight in the music room of the Liederkranz Club of New York. Each man played 77 innings, with the following result: Marcotte, total 300; high run, 35; average, 3 69-77. Smith, total, 258; high run, 31; Wingham, Ont., Feb. 1. — Mount For- 3 69-77. Smith, test defeated Wingham in a N. H. L. average 3 27-77. BASEBALL.

> MUST NOT TEMPT PLAYERS. Collingwood, Ont., Feb. 1. — Before a crowd of 1,800 spectators tonight, Collingwood defeated Midland in an Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 1.-The American Association has barred all negotiations in the future by association teams or representatives of association teams with intermediate O. H. A. match to the tune of 5 to 4. Half-time score, 4 to player signed by or under contract with other association teams. The agreement has been included in the new constitu-tion. Any team attempting to negotiate for a player of another associati the fine is not paid in ten days the club H. A. match between Guelph and Ber-lin tonight was in the first half a will be expelled from the organization. Players violating this agreement are liable to the same fine. At the same time, the reserve players for each team both sides, the score at half-time be-ing 3 to 2 in favor of Guelph. The are increased from fourteen to eighteen.

> second half was rough, with plenty of slugging on each side. Final score, Guelph 10, Berlin 5. MAY SELL NATIONALS. New York, Feb. 1.-President Pulliam, of the National League, has been suddenly called to Boston, where, it is said, the veteran magnates, Soden, Conant and Watford, Ont., Feb. 1. - One of the Billings, have decided to get out of base-ball because of the successful opposition fastest and cleanest games of hockey ever played in Watford came off here of the American League club in that tonight, when the local team won out city. At the meeting of the National in group No. 11 by defeating St. Marys League last month it was openly stated in group No. 11 by deleating St. Marys 6 to 3. The half-time score was: Watford 2, St. Marys 1. The play was largely on St. Marys 2 goal in the second Nationals had lost \$100,000 in two years. half, and Fraser's splendid work in Conant his partner was anxious to sell, goal saved many a goal for the visit- and because of differing with Soden on this point, would not come into the league conclave. With the winning of the world's series by Boston Americans, came the last straw, and Soden. Conant don, gave excellent satisfaction. Only two men were ruled off during the game. The line-up: St. Marys-Fraand Billings, with a weak team repre-senting the Hub in the National League, senting the Hub in the National League, point; Causey, rover; Stricker, Robinson and Chapman, forwards. Watford—Fowler, goal; Rogers, point; Caldwell, cover point; Beech, rover; C.
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> senting the Hub in the National League, are said to see that further competition is hopeless, hence a decision to get out of the game by selling the franchise.
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> Just what Pulliam can do in the report-Roche, T. Roche and Clare, forwards. ed emergency, baseball men are unable to say. If the Boston club sells it will not be at all surprising if the Cincinnati club goes over to the American League

> > THE TURF. YOUNG CORBETT'S LUCK San Francisco, Feb. 1.-Young Corbett, track on Saturday, and camehome with

> > all the money he could carry. The little man's pockets fairly bulged with gold, and his pocketbook looked like a pillow, it was so full of bills. His day's winnings amounted to \$12,000. Up to Saturday he had lost about \$6,000 on the races. MEET HELD BY WOMEN. Janesville, Wis., Feb. 1.-With the ther-

mometer 15° below zero, four of the young society ladies of Janesville held an informal race meet at the speedway built sport, which is rapidly disappearing first time there, captured the on the Rock River, a half-mile from this in America, is extremely popular in fornian stakes, valued at \$3,000. city, the other afternoon. Three heats of the "Land of the White Bear." A new a half-mile each were trotted in exceptionally fast time, and Mrs. J. T. Nichols Odessa and the meetings at Warsaw RAMBLE THROUGH WOODS clared the winner.

All of the ladies are experienced whips, and all own the horses they raced. The judges, timers and starters were women, and the majority of those who witnessed Both Thistles and Londons Put Smith. There was a field of five, and afternoon would be at a mass meeting. the race throughout was very close.

CLONMELL A FAVORITE. A horse that has suddenly jumped into favor for the Epsom Derby is Richard Croker's b. c. Clonmell, it was apparent that on that occasion 2:20, 2:21 and 2:24. at Sandown Park Clonmell was some fifteen pounds a better horse than the son of Gallinule. During the season Santry showed, a few times, as good form as St. Amant, the present derby favorite, so it will be seen that the 'outsider" is rather an important condidate. Clonmell is a big one over all, has speed and staying power, and is just the class of animal to come out

DUKE OPPOSES GAMBLING.

The Duke of Portland, who has won two derbies, one 2,000 guineas, two 1,-000 guineas, four Oaks, two Legers. by a leg and half-Nelson hold, and the and has St. Simon, Carbine and St. Serf in the stud at Welbeck, recently opened a branch of the Y. M. C. A. far as to assert that it was an absolute sin to bet, but he was strongly of the opinion that it was an extremely foolish thing to do, and no one but Europe. a simpleton could imagine that it was possible to make money in that way. St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 1. - After having He had been closely connected with the the better of four rounds of fighting, turf for the past twenty years, and Harry Forbes, of Chicago, tonight was had met with a considerable amount 9 to 5; knocked out in the first part of the fifth round by Abe Attell, of San Francisco, in a 20-round fight for the feather the sport; but he was certain if he had the sport; but he was certain if he had been a betting man, he would not have experienced half the enjoyment. Club. In the four preceding rounds, the contrary, he would have had a Forbes surprised the spectators by his great deal of worry and anxiety. He the contrary, he would have had a strongly urged young men not to put At- makers, but to interest themselves by

THE WORK OF A YEAR. The American Trotting Association Forbes has the better of the meetings during the year, with an creased value was considered compultime. Forbes has the better of the round by far. At the opening of the fifth Forbes rushed at Attell viciously, the latter sidestepping and allowing Forbes to fall against the ropes in such Dec. 31. At these meetings \$1,433,980 Arnold, a fairly well supported second that landed on Forbes' ear and Forbes other claims, and thousands of dol-rolled to the floor and was counted lars in claims and suspensions settled directly between members and horsemen through the efforts of the

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mously in recent years. the flat were 2,031. There were 145 Charawind, was ridden by McHugh. were extended. The number of horses which performed last year in Russia the largest individual money-winner

RACE FOR \$1,000. public and beat a big field in a com- Central Canada Racing Association in mon canter. In this race he defeated their match race for \$1,000 a side. The Santry, by many considered to be the Toronto mare drew the pole position

best colt of the year, and at the finish and was never headed. Time of heats, TOMORROW'S MATINEE.

horses for the Wednesday matinee at Queen's Park: bird, Shirk-Indrum. Class B, Grocery Boy, Lulu Mac, Ada B., Lady Black. ford Bill, Baldy, Superior.

CRESCEUS' BROTHER SOLD. New York, Feb. 1. - George Ketcham, of Toledo, O., the owner of the trotter Cresceus, returned today from a two months' trip abroad. Mr. Ketcham announced that he had sold to at Mansfield, Nottinghamshire. He Louis Weinans, of Brighton, England, took occasion to deal with betting and The Hangman, a full brother to Cresgambling. He said he would not go so ceus, for \$23,000. The horse will be entered in trotting events on the continent. Mr. Weinans is the owner of Wig Wag, the champion trotter of and there some warm spring below

At New Orleans-Velos, 25 to 1; Arch woods the rolling lots were white, with Oldham, 2 to 1; Dusky, even; Ostrich, only here and there a black cedar to 9 to 5; The Messenger, 8 to 5; Big Ben,

TO INCREASE CUP VALUE. The Saratoga Racing Association has decided to increase the gross cash and juncos were hiding from the storm value of the Saratoga Cup this year to \$10,000. The stake will close on March blackberry vines, and when disturbed 7, but there will be a supplementary tossed themselves into the air and closing day on July 1. The Saratoga Cup will be the championship event at the Spa this year, as the Saratoga Champion stakes has been abolished. The latter event was considered superfluous in view of the first running of the Saratoga Derby and the Great Reto fix it up. Attell beat him off. In had 612 members in 1903, located in 36 public stakes. The Saratoga Cup is a the fourth Forbes again rushed at At- states and territories and British weight for age race at 134 miles. It tell, and and they mixed it lively for a America. These members held 602 was so popular last year that the in-

a position that he could not regain his was offered in stakes and purses for choice, landed the star number of to- boulders and a few gnarled and twistfeet quickly. While on the ropes, with trotting and pacing horses. During the top rope holding his head up, Attel started a wild overhand right swing to members for unpaid entrance and the started as which the started a wild overhand right swing to members for unpaid entrance and ner. Jockey Walsh was the star rider at hind a stone wall .- Forest and Stream.

Last year | Los Angeles on Saturday, bringing there were running races for 311 days, three horses under the wire first. The while the number of events decided on winner of the Englewood handicap, steeplechases and no fewer than 251 At the Oakland track on Saturday, hurdle races. This latter form of Cap and Gown, which started for the sport, which is rapidly disappearing first time there, captured the Cali-

ON A WINTER'S MORNING.

The mercury stood below zero just was 1,519, divided as follows: Two- before daylight, and in the dull sky no year-olds, 380; three-year-olds, 471; feding stars were to be seen. Keen four-year-olds, 334; five-year-olds and upwards, 344. Irish Lad, the three- and bitter as was the cold, the air was the race were society matrons of promi-hence. The race was arranged at such a year-old son of Galtee More, which still. After it grew light the intense hence. The race was arranged at such was exported to Russia in 1898, was cold, congealing the moisture in the last year. Irish Lad won nine races, atmosphere, began to sift it down in speeders. The race was the result of a including the Moscow Derby and the light fine snow, which, as the moments wager made at an afternoon card party. Warsaw Derby. The total amount of passed, fell more and more thickly, money which Irish Lad won was over until it was hard to see across the home lot from the house to the gate. Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 1.—Gypsy Girl to- Warm and cheery as it was within the Florizell II., out of Terror. As a two-day defeated Looking Glass in three house, strings were tugging towards year-old Clonmell appeared once in straight heats over the tracks of the out of doors, and before the morning had half passed, the feathery whiteness of the undisturbed snow was broken by a trail leading from the house. Though the snow lay deep, it was so light that walking was not laborious; and, though the cold was Following is the classification of sharp, rapid exercise made the blood course swiftly through the veins. Down in the "run" all was white save Class A, Klondike, Lithopolis, Black- where the gray stems of alder, or the thicker trunk of swamp maple rose above the snow, and standing by the brookside the ripple of the water as Class C, Brown Billy, Deutrot, Strat- it poured over stones and tinkled against the shell ice was heard be-Class D, Dan, S. G., Bett, Doc, Gold neath the white covering. The weeds stand high in the old corn lot beyond, but a multitude of migrants have long ago stripped them of seeds, and no a bird was visible until the border of the woods was reached. Then, from a bunch of ragweed a white-throated sparrow sprang into the air, paused for moment on an alder twig, and plunged into the woods. Half a mile of winding walk through

forest showed nothing alive. The swamps were frozen, yet here had melted a hollow in the icy covering, so that it broke easily with a resounding crash. At the end of the interrupt the view. The wind had risen now, snow-flakes were falling thicker than ever, and whirling about in the fashion of a true western blizzard. Along the road song sparrows among the tangled cat briers and were whirled away to some other nook where comfort might be found. In another strip of woods the winter chopper had been at work, and great chestnuts and white-barked beeches lay prostrate on the ground, partly cut up now into neatly-piled cordwood. On the hillside at the border of the wood the warm spring, open even in this sharp cold, looked dark and deep, and somewhere down below a multitude of frogs were sleeping in its oozy bottom. From the undulating meadow which crowns the hill, dotted with conical cedars, with great erratic

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-Mr. Finlay Marshall, of 191 Mili street, is seriously ill in Victoria Hos-

-It would puzzle the Groundhog-or The surplus of the Western Union Mr. Bruin either-to see his shadow to--Mr. and Mrs. Barkwell, Indian parts. Head, are visiting Mrs. Barkwell's GIFTS TO THE HOME. sister, Mrs. Anderson, 674 Dufferin

-The London and Western Trusts Company has been appointed adminis-trator (with will annexed) of the estate of the late Matthias Hovey, of St.

-His Lordship Bishop McEvay, ac-Dr. Chase's Ointment companied by Rev. Father Aylward, left yesterday for St. Augustine, north The typewriter is more largely used of Goderich, to dedicate a new Catholic in Mexico than in France.

The best walking is where the work of the spowplow (which leaves a little make a grateful acknowledgment of the stoyeler, who squares off the of the snowplow (which leaves a little snow on the pavement) is supplemented by the sloveler, who squares off the would

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get a quantity of mortar in his eyes, and for a time it was feared he would lose his eyesight. An operation has been performed, however, and Mr. Downey is progressing nicely. -Miss Bessie Francis, of this city, is among the visitors in Hamilton this

-Mr. T. H. Smallman is confined to his home at "Waverly," South Lonion, suffering from the grip. -Fred J. Parsons, formerly of Lobo and now of Los Angeles, Cal., is no the Fred Parsons who figured in the Caradoc cattle-stealing case. SERGEANTS DINNER.

The sergeant-major and sergeants of the Seventh Regiment Fusiliers will hold their annual dinner at the Te-cumseh House on Friday evening, Feb.

NOTHER GUESS. Mr. Joseph Heighington, the wellknown Toronto lawyer, will be appointed to the county judgship at London, which has been vacated by the retirement of Judge Elliot. FORMER LONDONER DEAD.

Mr. Phil Hart, one of the best-known Queen's avenue, near the Princess coming from points several miles dis-

INVESTIGATION ORDERED. Mr. J. S. Coppin, of Mitchell, license vestigate the charges of neglect made by Toronto and London travelers pleasing. The toast to "The Garden-against two hotels of St. Marys—the ers of London District" was responded Windsor and Grand Central. to by Messrs. Charles Dengate, Geo. DEATH AT MELROSE.

The death of Mrs. James O. Clare took place at Melrose yesterday. The deceased, who was in her 35th year, was the only daughter of William Tuckey, Lobo. The funeral will take place tomorrow at 1:30 p.m., with service at Melrose church. NEW POSTOFFICE BOX FRONT.

The London postoffice public lobbylooks quite spruce with its brand-new lock boxes and lock drawers. With new boxes and new keys, the convenience of the public and the efficiency of the service will be promoted, at the same time that the appearance of the public lobby is much enhanced.

A POSSIBLE CANDIDATE. The Toronto News of Monday says:

Mr. Thomas Smallman, of London, will uniting like the dairymen of Ontario offered the Conservative nomination for that city in the coming Dominion It is understood Major Thomas Beattie, ex-M. P., may have the nomination if he desires it; but it is understood he is unwilling to ac-

HARTLEY REMANDED. James J. Hartley, who was arrested yesterday charged by the Singer Sewing Machine Company with stealing, was arraigned in the police court this morning, but was remanded a week before being asked to plead. A young fellow who stole his brother's coat was

escent Home on Monday, the treasurer reporting that she had been enabled to pay the contractor's account for the repairs to the home, all but \$48. She desired to acknowledge gratefully the following sums received since the last meeting: Mr. and Mrs. Adam Beck. \$5; Mrs. John Puddicombe, \$5; collected by Mrs. Edge, \$7; Mrs. Cronyn, second do-

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The gardeners of London district had a sociable gathering last night as guests of the progressive firm of seedsmen, Messrs. Darch & Hunter, of this city. The banquet was held at a downresidents of Brantford, who for 24 years town restaurant, and the speeches were had been connected with the inland marked by a desire for co-operation and revenue department there, is dead. He advancement. The supper was an exas 52 years of age, and was born in ceedingly deligniful one, and the at city, at one time residing on tendance was surprisingly large, some

At the conclusion of the menu, the inspector, has been instructed by the Mr. A. G. Stephens gave a well-received provincial license department, to in-song, and a number of selections by the Kenwick Male Quartet were very Ditch, George Poad, F. Talbot and Pn'l-"The Fruit Growers" were ip Jean. epresented by Messrs, W. C. Blinn, N. Belyea, C. W. Baker, Brooks and Ful-Those who answered for Florists" were Messrs. Wm. Gammage Fred Dicks and C. Bennett, while to the toast of "The Market Gardeners' Association" the following responded: Messrs, A. C. Johnston, president; Thomas Wistow, secretary; Thomas Ball, James Davis, Moulton and Mills. The tenor of the various speeches, which were most creditable efforts, was that

good work could be done by united effort in the association. All had expressed their appreciation toast was drunk to Messrs. Darch & Hunter, with cheers. Mr. Hunter and Mr. Darch replied, the latter pointing out to them how co-operation in industry meant success, and advocating It is stated upon good authority that the gardeners, florists and fruit growers

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the Prize Winners and Also Those in Costume.

The Manhattan Club carnival, held at the Jubilee Rink last night, was a brilliant affair. The rink was handsomely decorated with flags, bunting and Chinese lanterns, and Tony Vita's well-known orchestra furnished excellent music all evening. The selections were from well-known operas, etc., and received liberal applause. The ice was in grand condition, and the hundreds of skaters, in every kind of cosleorge Black, and they awarded prizes Park.

Leudemann; best dressed girl, Gladys Pinch; best comic costume, C. John-ston; best "Weary Willie," George

Redford.

Among those in costume were the following: Miss Ames, Red Riding Hood; A. Keene, Spanish Prince; Mr. Chapinali, a matter at the worked with him, was at the brewery on the Sunday and that the Hood; A. Keene, Spanish Prince; Mr. deceased did not indulge in intoxi-Bowlby, Duwe of Burgundy; Alfred cants.
Leudemann, Louis XVII.; Gladys
Pinch, Dolly Varden; C. Johnston, fat ness. I woman; George Redford, Weary Willie;
H. Snider, Robin Hood; F. Irwin,
Weary Willie; E. Reynolds, flower
girl; F. Lotten and W. Roberts, Two Little Girls in Blue: A. Leudemann, Prince Alfred; J. Ball, Queen of Stars; F. Whitton, page: W. Needham, Weary Willie; R. Burgess, Red Cross nurse; M. Heatherfield, prince; M. McIntyre, yellow girl; Miss Perkin, Red Riding Hood; L. Harrison, Canada; Miss Smith, Spanish Maiden; Miss Karn, spring; Mr. Dean, Uncle Sam; Harry Smith. Boss, Charlie Ross; T. Moore, VIII.; W. Pratt, policeman; Mr. Finch, court jester; W. Lorne, clown; N. Nopper, colored gent; F. Rumball, Weary Willie; J. Armstrong, clown; George Redford, general nuisance; W. Avey, French count; W. Wilson, Man from Algoma; Austin Orendoff, King William; J. Miles, Romeo; A. Philpott, tramp; A. Poulton, Turk; George Howell, sailor; W. Tibbe, policeman; W. Dixon, baseball player.

FOR LICENSE REDUCTION

On Westminster Council.

Want Number of Hotels Reduced

A delegation composed of Messrs. toast list was taken up, Mr. Fred John Macpherson, Charles Talbot and minster Township council, to ask for South London should bring pressure to bear upon the license commissioners to fighting equipment, for it was always for tenders for supplies. To him were

have the licenses reduced.

The council further intimated to the deputation that if they had any guarantee that the license commissioners were likely to cut off the two hotels referred to by Rev. J. G. Stuart, they would have no hesitation in agreeing to reduce the number of hotels to four The deputation will, it is understood, wait upon the license commissioner at once, as suggested by the council.

All had expressed their appreciation of their entertainers and a hearty THE GROUNDHOG LEGEND

Origin of the Notion Which is 2,000 Years Old.

The weather-wise people profess to belive in the groundhog and his prophesy ing power. They avow with great solemnity that this little animal emerges from the nest at the bottom of his winyears I searched everywhere to find a ter quarters on the morning of Feb. 2, specific for rheumatism. For nearly 20 and takes a look about him. If on that years I worked to this end. At last, in Germany. my search was rewarded. I found a costly chemical that did not dis-

drawing names whereby single men obtained wives was widely prevalent. The feast was in honor of fertility, and it was thought that unions formed on that was thought that unions formed on that day were particularly fruitful ones.

When Europe became Christianized the masses of the people were determined to keep up their feasting on these two great days. But the religious leaders saw that it would not do to let them pay reverence to heathen gods, so they hit upon a happy expedient. In the place of Februus' day they appointed a feast of the church called Candlemas, and Lupurcalia was changed to St. Valen-

Lupurcalia was changed to St. Valentine's Day. The people, however, still persisted upon processions and burning candles on that day, and the drawing

Injured On C. P. R. "That the said Charles Temple, of the Township of London, came to his of January. He left the city station death by being struck and dragged along the track by an engine on the Canadian Pacific Railway in the said Township of London, about half a mile west of O'Brien's crossing, while

mony. Wm. Chapman, a maltster at Carl-

through to London, swore he knew the deceased, and had seen him going deceased, and had seen him going along the C. P. R. track back of the brewery about half-past five. He had heard an engine, but it was probably after 6 o'clock.

The next witness was James McAl-

lister, an engineer on the C. P. R., who recollected going west on the 24th a few minutes after 6 o'clock. They just had an engine and tender, going backward. Nearly two miles west of the station, witness struck deceased about 6:15, so that they were not going very fast. Witness had not seen deceased on track, as there was a storm wards the fireman, Seeing it was not the fireman witness shut off steam. Best dressed couple, Miss Ames and A. Keene; best dressed lady, Miss Westhead; best dressed boy, Alfred Leudemann; best dressed boy, Alfred Leudemann; best dressed girl, Gladys son corroborated Dr. English's testiwhich could have been mistaken for a headlight. Witness always looked for anybody or anything on the tracks,

Fireman Frederick Howay concurred with the engineer's evidence. Thomas Gatecliffe was the next witness. He had seen deceased leave the brewery Sunday, Jan. 24, between 5 and 5:15 p. m. Deceased had been very steady.

The testimony of Philip Groves and James Prince, Hyde Park, was taken. They had seen the blood on the track about 5 o'clock that day, but did not know there was an accident until the Jonah McKittrick, whose duties were to light the lamps on the C. P. R. ed their verdict as above.

Urged by Mr. Pocock-Use of be laid for \$50,000 or \$60,000. If an ac-River Water Advocated by Commissioner Jones.

lay a second main to Springbank. Mayor Beck is not willing to have laying a second main.

Commissioner Jones said that the this done until it is found that there

falling-off, but the mayor is willing to have another examination of the he did not care to take the responsiprings.

Commissioner Jones goes farther. He slaughter. is willing to have a second main to FAVORS RIVER WATER.

tion, but suggested that the people of cock held that it was more important ployed to take measurements.

The Scriptures say that forty days after the birth of Christ the Virgin Mary took the infant Jesus to the temple, and Simeon took the child in his arms and prophesied that he "should be a light unto the Gentiles and the glory of Israel." Taking Christmas as the births What May Happen If He Sees day of Christ, the day he was brought to the temple would have been Feb. 2. The church chose to celebrate this temple would have been seed to the temple would have been seed to the church chose to celebrate this temple. The church chose to celebrate this temple visit rather than keep a heathen goddess' festival. The new feast day was variously called St. Simeon's Day, Wives' Feast Day, Presentation Day, Purification Day and Christ's Presentation. Gradually these were superseded by the name which yet prevails in Cathon



Mayor Beck agreed that it was important to have a safe supply of water from a sanitary as well as a fire point of view. Their position today, however, was that a second main was Water Commissioner Pocock wants needed, if there was a supply, but it the board to take immediate steps to was felt that the water would have to be got from another source, in which case they would not be justified in people were to vote on several schemes and they should consider this matter Engineer Chipman's report showed a first. Commissioner Pocock repeated that

cident occurred to the single main he

bility of an accident, which might re-

Springbank, if the people vote for it, | Chairman Jones then came out emby the advocates in preference the phatically in favor of river water, using of river water, against which said the quicker the people recognizmissioner Pocock is directly op-led it as the only effective and proper scheme the better. .This is the situation on the water | In reply to this, Commissioner Pocommission board, which met last cocke was as emphatic in opposing

The engineer was instructed to call

The average pumping for January

The news from Quebec is that Mr. Monk still suffers from cramps caused by trying to digest Tarte,

DOSEN'T LIKE THE DOSE.

[Toronto Star.]

WHY SCREEN HIM. [Hamilton Times.] So Gamey should, in the Mail's opinion, be free to go into the constituencies and make foul and disgusting references to the judges and the female press should not give the public a hint of the kind of campaign they are conducting through him. The Mail says that reporting its tool's language "is a breach of the first principles of decent journalism. It is an exhibition of brutality and falsehood, happily not paralleled in Canada outside of the columns of the organ. The folly of the hing is more noticeable than its guilt."

Why should the press aid them in their indecency by hiding from its readers the facts? February Number Four-Track News.

The Globe did right. The public are

entitled to know the use to which the

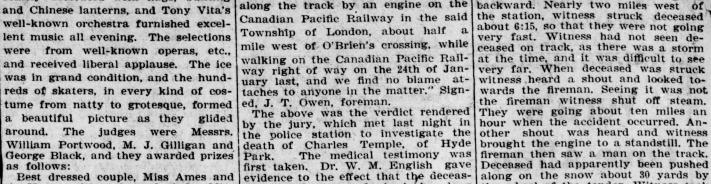
reature is put by his masters the Tory

An interesting magazine. Only 5

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE. Windsor, Ont., Feb. 1. - Wm. Parish an old British army pensioner, of this city, lies in a critical condition at the Hotel Dieu as a result of attempting suicide. Parish drew a razor across his throat twice, inflicting two gaping wounds, and may not recover. The man had been drinking heavily.

A child of 5 should weigh 41 pounds, be 411/2 inches in height and have a chest girth of 231/2 inches. Panama ranks fifth in population and seventh in area among the states of the Colombian Republic.





THE EARLY LAYING OF A SECOND WATER MAIN TO SPRINGBANK

did not care to take the responsibility.

s a sufficient supply of water there.

Darch presiding. Between the speeches Mr. Cameron, representing the people weening at 5 o'clock. In introducing a river water and offered to pay himself Mr. A. G. Stephens gave a well-received of South London, waited on the Westlaid from the east side of the north was not enough spring water. He was branch in London to the Springbank willing the people should vote on it a reduction in the hotel licenses of the pumping station similar to the present soon.

township. After hearing the deputation, and that construction be begun.

The motion was not passed, it being tion, the council promised considera- early in the spring, Commissioner Po- agreed that another engineer be em-

possible to secure assistance from referred complaints from St. Andrew's other towns, but if the water supply and Dundas Center Churches as to were cut off the city would be at the charges. mercy of fire. The present main had been down 25 years and the receit was 3,000,000 gallons a day.
break, he said, was likely the first of On motion of Commissioner Poccel a series of catastrophes. Double the water was pumped now as compared for better terms than three per cent.

with a decade ago. A new main could As at present received.

of names, but from that time on the days had new meanings.



