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WHOLE NO. 10,809.

NELLES-On April 17, Thomas Parkinson, in fant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nelles. Funeral private.

Amusements and Lectures Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per

line, each insertion. HEAR MRS. HARVEY, MISS HUTCHIN-SON, Mr. Winnett, Mr. Alexander, Miss Margaret Gunn, Mandolin and Guitar Club, on Thursday, April 21, at Auditorium. Reserved seats 25 cents. Plan opens Monday at 7:30 p.m.

SACRED CONCERT IN ST. JAMES' Church, South London, tonight. Best local talent. Collection. BICYCLE RIDING TAUGHT AT PALACE Dancing Academy, 476 Richmond street. Full line of bicycles \$30 up. Call and see us. We want your patronage. Dayton & McCormick.

A LLAN STEAMSHIPS CONNECTIONS at Montreal with sailing of steamships are not excelled. Steamers sail every Saturday for Liverpool, calling at Derry at 9 a.m. instead of daybreak. Vessels wait for train leaving London at 4:20 p.m. Friday. You go direct aboard. No delay. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser. DRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY Mr. R. B. Millard, at his residence, 345 Princess avenue. Special attention given to the waltz, two-step, two-step Jersey and the cycle. Satisfaction guaranteed. Lessons any hour.

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WANTED-GOOD PLAIN COOK. REF-ERENCES required. Mrs. Anderson, 8k G ENERAL SERVANT WANTED-APPLY 546 Wellington street. EXPERIENCED GENERAL SERVANT wanted immediately; must have good references. Apply to Mrs. Gill, No. 2 Cartwright street.

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Male Help Wanted.

VIGAR PACKERS WANTED-JOSEPH ith, eigar marufacturer, 288 Dundas WANTED-AT S. TURNER'S, 347 RIDOUT street, a carriage blacksmith immediate-

Female Help Wanted.

GIRL WANTED TO LEARN PANT AND vest making. B. Gidley, Merchant 9u WANTED_THREE EXPERIENCED VV salesladies for fancy drygoods. Whisk-ard's, 230 Dundas street, London. 8c

Agents Wanted.

WANTED—CHRISTIAN MEN AND women to introduce "Glimpses of the Unseen," the most marvelous book since the publication of the Bible. Revealed religion demonstrated. Supernatural facts of the Bible no longer in doubt. Dr. Austin is the editor. Dr. Badgley, Professor of Philosophy, Victoria University, writes the introduction. The contributors are scholarly and devout men, among whom are Rev. Dr. Thomas, Judge Groo, Rev. G. W. Henderson, Rev. Wm. Kettlewell, J. H. Coyne, M.A., Chaplain Searles, Evangelist Crossley and many others. Contains experiences of Wesley, Mark Twain, Dr. Buckley, W. T. Stead and a host of similar men. The veil separating the spirit land is drawn back so that all may at least have a "glimpse." Full bound canvassing book 75c; worth twice that. Experience unnecessary. Books on time. Freight paid. Big commission. Sells on sight. Bradley-Garretson Company, Limited, Toronto. 9n

WANTED—FARMERS' SONS OR OTHER WANTED - CHRISTIAN MEN AND whom \$60 a month would be an inducement.

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W E WANT A MAN TO TRAVEL ON the road with physicians' supplies; no experience necessary; salary and expenses paid; must have references and \$250 cash. 31 Whitney Opera House, Detroit, Mich. 8u WANTED—FOR COUNTY OF MIDDLE SEX—A reliable, energetic district agent to represent an old line life insurance company. Liberal contract; both salary and commission. Address stating experience. commission. Address stating experience, Man ager, care Advertiser, London, Ont. 4n

Situations Wanted.

AS BOOKKEEPER, ASSISTANT OR Box 2, Advertiser. Good references. Address 8k

Wanted.

L ONDON CARPET CLEANING WORKS— Carpets taken up and cleaned by latest process. Carpets altered, refitted and laid. All work promptly attended to. Estimates given on application. James S. Shaw, 142 Wortley road. Telephone 569 or send a card. WANTED - THREE HUNDRED GOOD second-hand overcoats. Highest price paid. A. P. Sainsbury, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to.

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FOR SALE-STORE AND GENERAL stock: postoffice and dwelling attatched; good barns and outbuildings: splendid trade; good reasons for selling. Apply Mrs. A. Dark, Komoka, Ont. FOR SALE-STORE AND STOCK OF goods, dwelling attached, good stable and outbuildings, convenient to church and school, first-class farming country, good roads, in center of the newly-developed oil territory. Apply M. McDougall, Oakdale, Ont.

WANTED-PHYSICIAN-LICENSED IN Ontario, as partner in specialty practice.

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Massage Treatment. MISS SHUFF-GRADUATE OF DR. S.
Weir Mitchell's Hospital for Nervous
Diseases Philadelphia. Massage and Swedish
movements. 497 King street, London, Ont.
Phone. 502.

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O'NEIL HOUSE-CORNER TALBOT AND York streets; new and convenient; stables. Wm. Collins, proprietor. CITY HOTEL-LONDON-BEST \$1 A DAY tion. J. McMartin, proprietor.

THE ST. LAWRENCE HOTEL-MON-TREAL—Centrally located and first-class in every respect. H. Hogan, proprietor.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W. H. Bartram, 99 Dundas street. 667 THE RICHMOND"-CORNER OF KING and Richmond streets. James Fallahe, new proprietor. A call solicited. TECUMSEH HOUSE - LONDON, ONT.-Largest and best hotel in Western On-tario. No charge for baggage or sample rooms. Rates, 22 and \$2 50 per day. C. W. Davis, pro-prieto.

A Forgotten Five-Dollar Bill...

In the pocket of an old garment is a pleasant surprise. It's nothing to the surprises we have in store for you in the way of Fine Footwear.

Ladies' Chocolate and Kid Buttoned and Laced Boots, fancy Ladies' Brown Kid Oxfords, fancy A large variety of Ladies' Genuine Kid Oxfords, new toes, from 75c to.....

J.P.Cook

Articles For Sale. FOR SALE—TREES, FRUIT AND ORNA-MENTAL, flowering shrubs, all kinds cheap. Rose bushes, all kinds (climbers and dwarfs), plants, perennial, etc. Clematis, all colors, etc. Vines, all kinds, roots, bushes. Grafting done. C. Baker, Nursery, Ridout street, South London, or "Nursery Box," General Postoffice, London. 8c&bw HOISTING ENGINES-One double drum, Copeland & Bacon

One single drum, O. and S. build, both here H. W. Petrie, Toronto. MILL WOOD AND SAWDUST FOR SALE

The Columbia Handle Co., Adelaide
street. Phone 1,239. BICYCLESUNDRIES, RUBBER CEMENT,

cork grips, bicycles enameled and general repairing at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond street. KEENE'S, MASONIC TEMPLE, IS THE Large stock on hand. M UST MOVE—MAY FIRST—HAVE DE-now is the time to lay in your stock at reduced prices; big reductions to clear lots. P. Hender-shot & Co., 243 Dundas.

COAL AND WOOD-BES'T QUALITY-W G. Eadey, Bartlett & Parson's old stand 769 Dundas street. Phone 1134. vz FOR SALE-STWRABERRY PLANTS-Early, Timbrell, Jessic, Princess, Bederwood, Splendid, Beverley, Brandywine, Gandy, Warfeld, Bubach. Main & Collyer, South London. Phone 782.

Servet, Mehel's line, bath, furnace, electric light, gas, fruit and ornamental trees. Nice home for a small family; \$14 per month. Bart Octuam.

4. United States to leave the government of the island to its people. Cottam. 90bu tzx

BICYCLE SUNDRIES, CEMENT AND rubber. Bicycle repairing a specialty at Hutchinson's, 651 Dundas street. BATHS, SINKS, PUMPS, WATER-CLOSETS, steam and hot water boilers

C NANAS have commenced to arrive daily, Could give very low price on quantities (whole, sale or retail); lemons and oranges also. 306 Dundas street. Bicycle Liveries.

BICYCLE LIVERY — NEW STEARNS wheels to rent; afternoon or evening, 35c, all day 75c, tandems, half day, 75c. Telephone 1,223. Wheels delivered. J. H. Cunningham, 81f t. 1,223. Wheels deli 779 Dundas street.

Musical Instruction. MRS. AND MISS NOBLE TEACHERS OF 526 King street. Residence

R. FREDERICK G. SIMPSON —ORGAN
IST Askin Street Methodist Church.
Instruction in piano and harmony.
Accompanist. 199 Richmond street. N EZ ETHELYN SMITH—SOPRANO soloist, voice teacher. Visitors received Thursday afternoons. Studio, 443 Park avenue

W. H. HEWLETT-ORGANIST DUNDAS The Fire at Sutton, Que., Caused a Loss and theory. 563 Dundas street. J. T. WOLCOTT-ORGANIST FIRST Methodist Church, teaches piano, organ and composition. 5 Prospect avenue. ELOCUTION-MISS

SHELDON, teacher,

Jewelers.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO REPAIRING J. T. Westland, Engraver and Manufac-turing Jeweler, 340 Richmond street (up stairs), London, Ont.

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LILLEY'S LIVERY — NO. 619 DUNDAS street, East London, Ont. Telephone 666. THOMAS TREBILCOCK-STAR LIVERY etc. Light livery a specialty. Careful attention to orders. Phone 423. Open night and day.

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PAWNBROKER - LENDS MONEY ON diamonds, watches, jewelry, etc. Business strictly confidential. Highest prices paid for east-off clothing. Jos. Fox, 209 King street opposite fire hall.

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A N. UDY - INSURANCE AGENT - Office over C. P. R. ticket office. Telephone, 735.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY
James Adkins. Office, Adkins Jewelry James Adkins. Store, East London. L ICENSES ISSUED BY THOS. GILLEAN— Jeweler, 402 Richmond street. MARRIAGE LICENSES AT WESTON'S grocery, 64 Stanley street. Take a belt

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY J. G. Shuff, chemist, 540 Dundas street (corner William). Trolley cars pass the door. No

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suring with the **ONTARIO**

whose reserve last December was \$3,486,372, being \$158,583 more than the government standard. See a list of our investments.

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FOR SALE-RESIDENCE ON DUFFERIN avenue; residence on Queen's avenue; residence on Maitland street; residence on King street; residence on Edward street; residence on Elmwood avenue. J. F. Sangster, 403 Richmond street. SALE OR RENT — A TWO-STORY DE TACHED brick residence; twelve rooms 525 Queen's avenue; all modern improvements. Cronyn & Betts. SALE OR RENT-TWO-STORY FRAME house, five bedrooms, nice garden. Apply at once. Mrs. E. Mitchell, Thorndale.

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TO LET-COVERED MOVING VANS. Pianos and furniture carefully removed. Porter & Co., 97 Carling street. Phone O LET-BRICK HOUSE-8 ROOMS-27 Peter street. M. H. Rowland, 486 Queen's enue. 5tf eod

TO LET OR FOR SALE—FIVE ACRES OF good pasture just outside of corporation; good well and slaughter house; well-fenced and in good condition. Apply E. Perkin, 369 Dufferin TO LET-COTTAGE-EIGHT ROOMS-740 Dundas street. Apply Taylor's Central Hardware, 211 Dundas street. 7c

TO LET-BRICK COTTAGE-MODERN improvements, High street, south Wellington. Apply Wm. A. Gunn. 7tf 3. Use of the army TO LET-BRICK HOUSE-40 ASKIN necessary extent.

TO LET-213 QUEEN'S AVENUE-NEW 25 rooms, bath, furnace, electric light double parlors, etc. Apply to Dr. Kingsmill corner Park and Queen's avenues. OFFICE TO LET ON FIRST FLAT, MASONIC Temple Building. Apply to F. B. Leys, Masonic Temple. STORE TO LET-AT PRESENT OCCU PIED by D. McMillan, 120 Dundas street Apply to Arch. Sharp. TO LET-OFFICE ON FIRST FLAT IN Ontario Loan and Debenture Co. Building, corner Dundas street and Market Lane. Apply Wm. F. Bullen, manager. 77tf

Notice of Removal. PORK AND SAUSAGE ESTABLISH-MENT. Gavin Park has leased those ex-tensive premises corner Market Lane and Mar-ket Square; also retaining his old shop for but-ter, eggs, poultry, where he will be pleased ter, eggs, poultry, where he will be pleased to meet his old customers and hopes for many

Miscellaneous,

LADIES—E. MARSHALL'S FURNITURE
Polish gives the best satisfaction. Sold at
hardwares, etc. 15c and 25c. 8bk zxv A of the late John Turner, consisting of carriages, open and top buggies, phaetons, banner

FATEFUL FLAMES.

of \$200.000-Blaze at Almonte.

Montreal, April 18.—The loss by the Sutton, Quebec, fire is now placed at \$100,000 Almonte, Ont., April 13.—Saturday afternoon fire-started in John Fay's Messrs. Lorimer and Mann, of Illinois, SHELDON, teacher,
Classes of ten for the study of elocution are now being formed. Greatly reduced rates.

Apply at Conservatory of Music, 374 Dundas street, for particulars. Phone 1101.

Stable and storenouse and spread rapidly to surrounding buildings. From the barn fire was carried to Henry Lang's, nearly half a mile away, and to the dwelling of Mrs. David Miller,

or Demonstrate to the persuaded. The Demonstrate and Populists were a unit for the date and storenouse and spread rapidly to surrounding buildings. From the barn fire was carried to Henry Lang's, nearly half a mile away, and to the dwelling of Mrs. David Miller,

or David Miller, Mr. Bailey. The Democratic leader. on the next lot, a quarter of a mid further distant, and fully a mile from the original fire. This spread to their o'clock portended an excited session. John Fay, two-story frame building, stock of groceries, a small frame building, occupied as dwelling by W. Mc-Gregor; loss on buildings \$2,000, on stock \$700, on household furniture \$800. W. McGregor, loss by removal of furniture small; no insurance. John Malone, loss on dwelling, \$800; most of the furniture saved. J. McAuliffe, loss on ouilding, \$400. Jas. Little, loss on contents of stable, \$100; no insurance. John McLennan, loss on barn, \$300; no insurance. Henry Lang, loss on barns, outbuildings and farm implements, a valuable horse, considerable grain, \$5,000. Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, dwell-

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are guaranteed by any woman who takes Merrill's System Tonic. This marrelous medicine is specially adapted for women, because it supplies iron for the blood, cures constipation, strengthens the nerves, and by its blood-purifying and muscle toning properties, quickly cures all female ills; 50 pleasant-to-take doses, 50 cents. Sold at W. T. Strong's drug store.

Charm strikes the sight, but merit | side) wins the soul. If a man is worth knowing at all he is worth knowing well. FAGGED OUT.-None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency

Today's Doings Of Congress.

Democrats and Populists a Unit for the Senate Resolutions.

The House Strikes Out the Cuban Recognition Clause.

Newspaper Man Offered \$2,000, 000 in Cuban Bonds to Support "Recognition."

Spaniards Preparing to Leave the United States.

Two London War Correspondents Arrive in New York-Spain Apologizes for the Hostile Demonstrations at Malaga-Carlists Believe the Dynasty Is Doomed

THE SITUATION THIS MORNING. Washington, April 18 .- On Wednesday last the house of representatives, by a vote of 332 to 19, passed a resolution providing for:

1. Intervention by president at once to stop war in Cuba. 2. Establishment of a free, stable and independent government.

3. Use of the army and navy to accomplish purpose of resolution. This resolution went to the senate, which rejected it, and passed a resolution by a vote of 51 to 87 Saturday

night providing for: 1. Recognition of the Republic of Cuba. 2. Immediate withdrawal of the Span-3. Use of the army and navy to the

TODAY'S DOINGS. the Republicans, and there is every tilian honor." indication of a bitter and determined

fident of non-concurring. Mr. Lorimer (Republican, Illinois) at dous pressure that is being brought to of Genoa to the Carlists in the north of bear upon them." The opposition on the Republican

ent Cuban Republic, though small, was resolute. The juncture of this wagons, etc., also a number of second-hand buggies, etc., will be sold by auction, at 481 Richmond street, London, on Saturday, April 23, at 10 a.m. Terms, 3 per cent off for cash, or six months time on approved notes. T. Clark, auctioneer.

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might defeat the programme. The Republican leaders, however, confidently claimed that the defection would not be strong enough to succeed. Still both sides realized that the result was in doubt, and the two hours' breathing in doubt, and the two hours' breathing CARPET LAYING, ETC.—SEND CARD or call. J. Martin, 797 Dufferin avenue, east of English.

CARPET LAYING, ETC.—SEND CARD spell obtained by the fortunate parliamentary situation which compelled an adjournment till the senate met were adjournment till the senate met were utilized in hard work on both sides. The speaker summoned his lieutenants to his room in the lobby in the rear of the hall, and the situation was earnestly discussed. Every Republican who was likely to break over the traces was surrounded by a crowd of his colleagues and besieged with arguments and reasons why he could not be justified in joining the opposition at this Mr. Bailey, the Democratic leader, held several consultations with the "insurgent chiefs." Everything at 10:30 The motion which the Republican leaders have decided upon will be to concur in the senate amendments, with an amendment striking out the recognition of the existing Republic of Cuba. This motion will take precedence over all other motions. There was some objection to the fourth section of the resolution, which declares against an- extraordinary police precautions have nexation in any form, but the leaders been taken. So far few American residecided, in view of the fact that the dents have left Madrid. The police senate had unanimously adopted it, to have taken noticeable precautions to allow it to stand. The leaders are protect the United States legation and very confident their motion will pre- the private residence of the American

OUT.

Washington, April 18.-At 12:07 p.m. the senate resolution was received in the house. It was read, and the Democlause was read. Mr. Dingley stood during the reading of the resolution. He moved to concur with an amendment striking out

the recognition clause. Mr. Dingley then moved the previous question. Mr. Bailey asked if a motion to concur was in order. Mr. Reed said not.
Mr. Bromwell, of Ohio, moved to
concur. (Applause on Democratic Mr. Dingley's motion carried.

The Cuban resolution now goes to ed. the senate as soon as the clerks can prepare it, where it will no doubt be debated at some length. The personal statement of a promin- spondent of the Daily Telegraph, tele-Largest and best hotel in Western Ontario. No charge for baggage or sample rooms. Rates, and \$2.50 per day. C. W. Davis, propertor of Milliam). Trolley cars pass the door. No witnesses required. Residence, 390 Dundas street will do wonders in restoring health and light sample rooms for commercial men. Rates, \$1.00 and \$2.00 per day. M. C. Mears, propertor of the composition of Parmelee's required. Residence, 390 Dundas street will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandes pristor.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED AT Residence, 390 Dundas street will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandes are proceeding without interruption, and success is still possible. What I am success is still possible what I am success is still possible. What I am

on the dollar when independence was WAR CORRESPONDENTS ON HAND

New York, April 18.—Capt. R. L. MacHugh, of the First City of London Artillery, and special war correspondent of the London Daily Telegraph, accompanied by E. G. Le Sage, son of the proprietor of the London Daily Telegraph Telegraph, has arrived here. Capt. MacHugh at once left for Washington, and will make haste to be present, if possible, at the very first conflict, naval or land. Mr. Le Sage will stay in New York, and will cable reports of the situation from here to the Telegraph. THE MAINE DISASTER-SPANISH

REPORT. New York, April 18.-A special to the World from Madrid, Spain, says: "The report of the Spanish commission of inquiry into the Maine calamity will be printed in full in the Official Gazette. A synopsis of it, furnished by the minister of marine, is printed in the Heraldo. This abstract indicates that the report is strongly drawn up to show that the explosion could not have been caused by a torpedo or by a mine of any kind, as none of the phenomena usually produced was noticed in the port of Havana at the time of the disaster or immediately afterward and that no trace of anything was found that could justify the theory of an outside explosion.

TORPEDO FLOTILLA. New York, April 17.-A dispatch to the World from St. Vincent, Cape de Verde Islands, says: The torpedo flotilla, under the guardianship of the armored cruisers Christobal Colon and Infanta Maria Teresa, still remains anchored in the bay here, ready to sail, but without orders from Madrid. There has been no change in the fleet, no arrival, no departure. SPAIN'S TROUBLE IN THE PHILIP-

PINES. London, April 18.—A special dispatch from Singapore says that the steam-ship Leo XIII., from Manila, has arrived there crowded with Spanish of-ficials and well-to-do Spanish families, who are escaping from the rebellion, which is spreading rapidly in the Philippines. They report that Manila is

panic-stricken. DON CARLOS' FOLLOWERS. Venice, April 18.—Don Carlos, in an interview here, which is mainly a repedifficulty from the first. "She should have sought a casus belli a year ago," he said, "when the United States were unprepared, and should have had courage to bombard New York and to disembark troops upon the coast of Florida. The United States would then have given way. If Spain were now to Immediately upon the house conven- be vanquished, Cuba would share the ing at 10 o'clock this morning, Mr. fate of California, Texas and Louisiana, Dingley, the Republican floor leader, and be absorbed by the Anglo-Saxon moved an adjournment, which was element." In reply to a question as to carried. The regular session, there- what would happen to Spain after a fore, will begin at noon. The house disastrous war, Don Carlos said: "The adjourned for the reason that no mes- future is in the hands of God; but the sage could be received from the senate Spaniards would not be likely to rebel until that body was in session. The against the government which had feeling is very intense among some of known how to vindicate the old Cas-

contest. The Republicans who desire spondent of the Daily Mail says: "I London, April 18.-The Paris correto concur claim that they have enough hear from one of the most influential votes to carry the motion, and the followers of Don Carlos that the threat Republican leaders are equally con- of his chief to intervene in Spain and assume the throne if the present government recedes, is not an empty 10:30 a.m. said: "I know we have boast. The Carlists have established enough votes to concur in the senate several military depots, with material amendment. The only doubt on the enough to furnish an army. The greatsubject arises from the possibility that est store of arms and ammunition is Morning Post claims to know that if some of the men who have pledged in Milan, and arrangements are comthemselves may yield to the tremen- plete for transferring this stock by way

Spain." side in favor of recognizing the pres- for action, convinced that the present The Carlists in England are preparing dynasty is doomed. band of "insurgents," as they were Carlos, the Spanish pretender, headed UCTION SALE—THE STOCK IN TRADE called, with the Democrats for the acceptance of the senate resolutions ly preparing for emergencies. Every detail has been arranged to seize a propitious moment for action. The local Carlists are convinced that the present Spanish dynasty is doomed, and that Spain will be forced to choose between republicanism and Don Carlos. They add that the only chance of the present dynasty is a successful war against the United States, the possibility of which

is scouted.

SPANIARDS APOLOGIZED. London, April 18 .- The Malaga correspondent of the Daily Mail, in a late dispatch, dated Saturday night, says: 'By order of the government, the local authorities of Malaga waited on the American consul today, with an apology for the insult. The escutcheon has been stable and storehouse and spread rapidly to surrounding buildings. From lations between the two countries. Tonight, however, the popular demonstrations were again renewed, but the au-

thorities acted energetically." The government has telegraphed to the provincial authorities, not only to take stringent steps to protect the American consulate and American citizens, but also to repress disturbances quickly and sternly, as all symptoms and show of popular patriotic agitations are made use of by the radical parties for their own ends. In Barcelona, Valencia and Madrid,

minister at Madrid. RECOGNITION CLAUSE STRUCK Valencia, April 18.—Renewed demon-

strations occurred here last night. Barcelona, April 18.-Although Sunday morning passed quietly here, there painless. It relieves promptly. was a demonstration yesterday evencrats applauded when the recognition ing, when the crowds in front of the newspaper offices read the announcement of the action taken by the United States Senate in regard to Cuba. There was a scene of the greatest excitement and patriotic shouts were raised on all sides. When the students heard the news, on leaving the theaters, they paraded the streets, cheer- advice, I procured the medicine, and ing for Spain, and made an attempt to reach the United States consulate. The authorities, however, had taken precautions, and the crowds were dispers-

HOPING FOR PEACE London, April 18 .- The Madrid correHazeline

An Exquisite Toilet Article of Wonderful Merit.

Removes Every Facial Blemish.

Hazeline is unexcelled for the face and hands, gives health, vigor and beauty to the skin. This new and dainty toilet lotion is a true skin-food. It is the peer of all remedies for the complexion; cures all roughness, redness and chafing, and restores to the complexion the natural

delicate freshness of youth.

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under conditions which will tend to be extremely favorable to peace with honor for both sides. It is then that the marked moderation of the Spanish Government will bear fruit. The idea of armed intervention by Europe is absurd and unfounded, not one power is disposed to support such a ques-

The Rome correspondent of the Times says: In Vatican circles the opinion is still held that an outbreak of war may yet be prevented, and a rumor is affoat to the effect that the pope is endeavoring to persuade Spain to recognize the independence of Cuba.

BELIEVES WAR INEVITABLE. London, April 18.—Gen. Marcelo De Azearraga, former minister of war and prime minister, has arrived at the Spanish capital in order to attend the meeting of the cortes. He is quoted as declaring that war is inevitable. The dispatch adds that many Swedish, Brazilian and other foreign officers are offering their services to Spain. The next meeting of the Spanish cabinet, the dispatches further say, will discuss tition of his manifesto, has declared the question of privateering. Leaflets inciting a popular demonstration have

been seized at Madrid. MUST GIVE UP CUBA. don, April 18.-The Rome correspondent of the Daily News, telegraphing on Sunday, says: According to news received at the Vatican, the queen regent agrees with the pope as to the necessity of doing everything to avoid the risk of a war in which Spain has all to lose and nothing to gain. Still, it is very difficult to find a formula to allow Spain to renounce sovereignty over Cuba. The pope has renewed his efforts to convince the Madrid Government that although it may be painful to abandon the island, it is not dishonorable, Spain yielding to superior force. At the Vatican it is asserted that Austria and England have acted on the same lines, encouraging Spain to submit to the inevitable and abandon Cuba. They cite the recent example of Greece, which rejected the disinterested advice of the powers.

Archbishop Ireland cables that renouncing the island is the only possibility of avoiding war. lution which has passed the House of Representatives, Senor Polo y Bernabe will not be recalled from Washington, the government believing that the powers will still find an issue out of the

SPAIN IS STIRRED. A special to the New York World from Madrid says: The American Senate's adoption of a resolution demanding that Spain withdraw from Cuba caused a profound sensation here. The decisive moment will arrive when United States Minister Woodford is instructed to place before the Spanish Government the American demands. Strangely enough, it is still expected in diplomatic quarters, and by some of the ministers, that those demands will afford a last chance for a mutual understanding. The Liberal wrathfully demands resistance to the "American pre-

tensions," and immediate action to pre-(Continued on page 6.)

TOOK 1,012 BALLOTS. Portsmouth, Ohio, April 18 .- The Republican convention of the tenth Ohio congressional district, held here, has adjourned, after the 1,012th ballot, and being in session 31 days. It is believed that Congressman Fenton or A. R. Johnson will be nominated.

were no changes on the ballots taken during the past three days. INDIAN GHOST DANCE. Guthrie, O. T., April 18.—Nearly 1,000 Cheyenne Indians are gathered on the bank of the North Canadian, many miles from the agency, holding a ghost dance. It is feared that the Indians, incited by their medicine men, will take advantage of the absence of troops to start an uprising to secure more beef rations, and in return for the enforcement of the territorial polygamy law which has caused great

discomfort to the tribe.

A Rare Chance To cultivate a calm, hopeful spirit lies in the use of Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. It never fails. It makes no sore spots on the flesh, and is therefore

LIFE SAVED.-Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas Eclectric Cil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this less than half a bottle cured me; 1 certainly believe it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any

other remedies do me good. What the very young man don't know he thinks he knows, and it answers

In Sporting Gircles.

Saturday's Ball Games Were [this city will be represented the com-Well Attended.

Rowdyism at New York-Umpire Snyder Mobbed.

Hamilton Golf Players Defeated by the London Club.

Port Huron's International Team in Good Form-A Bad Day for Jockeys -Various Sporting Events.

BASEBALL.

SATURDAY'S NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

New York, April 18 .- The opening flay in Baltimore for the national game was all that could be wished for as far as weather was concerned, and 6,518 people passed the turnstiles. R.H.E. Baltimore5 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 *-8 17 5

Washington ...000100110-381 Batteries-McJames and Clarke; likely to be made. Weyhing and McGuire. Philadelphia, Pa., April 18.-Over 16,-

000 persons saw Brooklyn defeat Phila-Philadelphia ...0 1 0 3 1 0 0 1 6-6 7 3

Kennedy and Ryan. New York, April 18 .- The game besingle. A throw by Warner to catch Hamilton went over Davis' head, and Hamilton started for third. Quickly Van Haltern got the ball and threw to Hartman, who nailed the runner near the bag. Umpire Snyder said it was safe, and the crowd howled and Joyce went in to argue the, matter with the umpire. Gleason showed his displeasure by throwing his glove down and kicking it viciously. The "Kid" was put out of the game. The game continued with Gettig at second, in Gleason's place. A grounder to Gettig was fielded to Warner to catch Hamilton, and in a close decision the umpire called the runner safe at home, and when Duffy came home on Stahl's two-bagger the spectators went mad. Approaching the grand stand to rehim, Umpire Snyder met with a fusilthe hardest efforts of the club officers and police that the crowd could be quieted. After the game was over thousands of persons surged about the

New York0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0-2 5 5 Batteries-Nichols and Bergen; Doheny and Warner. Louisville, Ky., April 18.-The Pittsburgs won Saturday's game in the t inning. Attendance, 3,500. Score: Pittsburg3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 8 3 Louisville000001000-162 Batteries - Rhines and Chriver; Dowling and Dexter.

Cincinnati, April 18 .- Both pitchers did good work. Attendance, 5,641. The Cincinnati000010000-1 6 0

Cleveland2 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 *-3 7 3 Batteries-Hill and Peitz; Powell and O'Connor. At St. Louis-Game stopped on ac-

count of fire in the baseball park at end of first inning. Other games Saturday: Toronto 3, Newark 2; Yale 7, Springfield 4; Montreal 5, Paterson 4; Rochester 12, Cor-

NATIONAL LEAGUE-SUNDAY. At Cincinnati-

and Criger. At Louisville-Pittsburg 5 8 0 ouisville 4 12 1 Batteries—Tannehill and Schriver; Fraser and Wilson.

At St. Louis-

A GREAT PITCHER DEAD. Philadelphia, Pa., April 18.—A private telegram received here announces the death in an institution near Baltimore of Bobby Matthews, the great base-ball pitcher. Matthews was about 45 years old, and retired from the profes-

PORT HURON'S CLUB. A dispatch from Port Huron says: The baseball situation in this city is very promising, and the lovers of the national game are beginning to warm up. An association with a subscribed capital of \$2,000 has been organized, with Fred J. Dixon as president and George W. Moore as treasurer. The club will be on a sound financial basis from the start. Manager J. A. Murphy has signed nearly all the members of the team, and they will report for practice at Battle Creek, April 20. He considers his team the peer of any in the league, and gives assurance that



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ing season by something besides tailenders. The team will be made up as follows: Catcher, Boland, of the Texas League; pitchers, Countryman, of the Texas League; Habel, of the Abbotts. Detroit; Frisk, of Marquette, and Connors, of this city; first base, McLarren, of Astoria, Ill.; second base, Bean. of Terra Haute; shortstop, Miller, of last year's Saginaws; third base, Quinn, of Bay City, or Hadley, or Rochester; outfielders, Carnahan, of Galien, Ohio; Devlin, of Sault Ste. Marie, and Murphy.

ST. THOMAS VS. LONDON. St. Thomas Times: Cal. Davis, secretary of the International League, has forwarded a new schedule to the different clubs which will be adopted. St. Thomas will open the season at London on May 5, 6 and 7, and the Cockneys will come to St. Thomas for three games on May 9, 10 and 11. St. Thomas then Jumps to Hamilton for May 13, 14 and 15. Saginaw will be here for the 16th, 17th and 18, Port Huron 19th, 20th, and 21st, Bay City 23rd, 24th (a. m. and p.m.), St. Thomas plays Port Huron on May 26, 27 and 28. Some of the clubs are asking a few concessions before they adopt the new | point. The score: schedule, but no material change is

GRAND STAND BURNED St. Louis, Mo., April 18.-The second game of ball between the St. Louis Browns and Chicago, at Sportsman Brooklyn00301120*-7 7 6 Park on Saturday afternoon, was stop-Batteries-Donohue and McFarland; ped at 4:05 p.m., at the beginning of the second inning, by the breaking out of a fire, which destroyed the entire grand tween the New Yorks and Bostons on stand pavilions, one of the bleachers, Saturday ended with a disgraceful and the club offices and residence of scene. Boston was ahead until the Christ Von der Ahe, who loses everyseventh inning, when a base on balls, thing. The total loss is estimated at followed by two three-baggers, brought about \$60,000, with \$35,000 insurance two runs across the rubber. In the Four or five thousand spectators were eighth Hamilton was safe on Hart- present. Several persons were severely man's error of his grounder, and the burned and many injured by jumping runner advanced to second on Tenny's from the upper portion of the stand, but no one is reported likely to die.

> Bay City beat Grand Rapids by 9 to 8 on Saturday. At Paterson, N. J., on Sunday, Montreal defeated the home team, 6 to 2. President McArron, of the new International League, has announced his staff of umpires as follows: Daly, of Detroit; M. F. McNerney, of Pittsburg, and William Davis, of Strathroy. John Sutthoff, pitcher, of Cincinnati, is the first of the St. Thomas baseball players to report. The Toronto News says "Sutt" was one of the Toronto

FLYS.

Eastern League twirlers, but was let Fitzsimmons-Corbett fight, is lying go because Irwin had too many on his very ill at Hot Springs. He is a vicstring. The other players are expected tim of appendicitis. to arrive today. Approaching the grand stand to a move a spectator who had offended farmed out in 1898 after April 15, the death. Fitz says he will cancel several of his dates unless the little one No National League player can be simmons is hovering between life and Glenalvin says that he is in better improves. shape than he has been for four years,

and prepared to play the game of his life.—St. Paul Pioneer Press. umpire, and the police were obliged to League will be the next one to start Boston0 1 0 0 0 0 0 3 0-4 8 2 until Sept. 20. The Atlantic League drops in line April 25, and winds up its affairs Sept. 10. Both the Eastern League and the Western Association opens April 28, the former closing Sept. 10, while the Western Association decides the pennant ownership Sept. 18. In the the New England League hostilities commence April 30 and finish Sept. 10, while the New York League runs from May 12 to Aug. 15, and the Indiana League is expected to live from May 15 to Aug. 15. The International League schedule is to be made over. Hamilton Times: Three more members of the Hamilton baseball club have reported. They are James Dean, second baseman, and P. Loftus, pitcher, who came from Scranton, and Zeke Moore, catcher, of Camden, N. J. Dean looks better than ever, and Loftus is a very likely-looking young man. Catcher Billy Baker is home again. He and Pitcher McGinnis were sold to the Brockton club, but Baker may wear a

Hamilton uniform before the season is over. Sammy Gillen, like numerous other Batteries—Hawley and Peitz: Kelb ern League pay-day is better than no pay-day at all, and will join the St. Paul team.

Mahoney, the new St. Louis first baseman, is the pitcher for Georgetown University, who has also tried his hand for Boston and Washington. He is over six feet tall, and weighs over 200. Were there not portentous war clouds overshadowing the country, the Hughey, Daniels, Carsey and Clement leading baseball organizations of the

county could not possibly be better. Indeed, it is doubtful if they were ever so good. From every city comes reports of a revival in interest The Baltimore Herald says of the Canucks: "Arthur Irwin's men showed a knowledge of the fine points of the game as was natural with such an able instructor, but they were a little deficient in execution, and made many

Three of the "kicking" Baltimore players, Kelly, Jennings and Keeler, have come to time. Pitcher Joe Corbett was offered an increase of \$300 over his salary last year, but he wants fund is to be applied to the purchase \$600 more. His contract calls for \$2,100. of a town clock. They purpose erect-Toronto World: Doc Sippi, the wellknown player, late of the Londons, is now resident in Toronto, and may be seen in the Island League this season. They are all after him, and it is only a matter of choice which team he will be

After two months of fruitless efforts to raise money enough to purchase the Chicago baseball club, Anson has at last given up the attempt, and, in all probability, the team will remain under the present management until the expiration of the National League's lease of life, four years hence.

HOMING PIGEONS. A WOUNDED BIRD.

T. E. Moran, of 72 Orchard street, Detroit, picked up a homing pigeon in the river yesterday afternoon, that had been slightly wounded in one of its legs. On the silver ring round the leg was the name Stuart, and the

Cincinnati, April 18 .- As a result of two bad accidents at Newport Saturday race horse is dead, and two others probably permanently crippled. The jockeys that were hurt are Ross, Murray | performed the ceremony. and Gormley. Murray's and Gormley's had his back severely wrenched. Ross Windsor fences, had a difference over and Murray were hurt by their mounts falling in the second race, and Gormley to fire blank cartridges and beat them got his fall in the fourth race. The accident to Ross and Murray occurred while the field was passing the first quarter pole in a half-mile dash. Ross was on Hermion and Murray on Ernest bush, Goderich township, Friday af-Ernest Wiles to go over him. Dressier | near losing his whole hand. While he

her rider under her. Her leg was com- | struck his hand between the knuckles killed directly in front of the grand three inches. stand. Starter "Curley" Brown put her to death with a single shot. Hermion and Ernest Wiles will not likely are busily engaged in sowing grain.

AT MEMPHIS-

Memphis, Tenn., April 18.-Saturday ended the first week of the most successful trotting meeting in the history of the Memphis Lockey Club. Winners: Lieber Anton, Banished, High Jinks and Kemp.

AT BENNINGS. Washington, April 18. - Favorites took three of the five events at the Bennings track Saturday. Winners: Plantain, Prestidigitatrice, Haswell, Tyron and Mars Chan.

AT OAKLAND.

San Francisco, Cal., April 18.-Saturday's winners at Oakland were: Daily Racing Form, Malay, Don Luis, Traverser, Earl Cochran and Miss Rowena. GOLF

LONDON DEFEATED HAMILTON. Golf is now becoming a most popular pastime, and London Club golfers are proving themselves no novices at the game. Hamilton club played here on Saturday, and London won by 11 holes up. A week ago Toronto lost to London by 22 holes. Mr. H. E. Gates, as usual, made the highest score, but his opponent, C. Ferrie, did not secure a

Hamilton. Holes. London Holes. T. Pattison..... 2 Brown 0 P. D. Crerar..... 0 Inglis 4 John Crerar..... 0 Betts 4 G. E. Bristol..... 3 Cronyn 0 C. Ferrie..... 0 Gates 9 T. C. Haslett 0 McDonald 5 H. E. Brown 0 Hellmuth..... 6 H. Crerar..... 0 Patterson 0 Greening..... 6 Richardson 0

Majority for London, 11. ATHLETICS.

AT TORONTO. Toronto, 'April 18 .-- Jim Popp, the champion lightweight of Canada, easily defeated Dan Kelly, the instructor of the Toronto Athletic Club in an elevenround bout before 1,700 people in the ed into the ring and stopped the fight. is known to infest orchards. Kelly being completely outclassed. In a six-round go between Andy Ward, of Sarnia, and Kilty, of this city, the referee declared the bout a draw in the sixth round. Jim Smith, of this city, knocked out Mask, of Buffalo, in less than a round. NOTES

Dan 'A. Stuart, the manager of the The five-months-old son of Bob Fitzeral of his dates unless the little one

Brown University will soon have a new athletic field. The corporation of the university has presented a site and a \$10,000 grand stand will be erected. The running track will be half a mile long. The grounds will be located one mile north of the campus.

CHESS

CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIP. Toronto, April 18. - The Canadian Chess Association's tournament came to an end at the Athenaeum Club, Saturday, when the championship in the senfor and intermediate class was won by J. E. Narraway, of Ottawa, and A. T. Stephenson, of Orillia. In the senior competition there were 20 entries, and Mr. Narraway won for the second time. In the intermediate class Mr. Stephenson had the championship in hand from the second round. There were

* WESTERN ONTARIO *

six prizes in each class.

The farmers of that vicinity are getting interested in the probability of a pork factory in St. Marys. Mr. Morrow, in one shipment recently,

shipped 2,400 dozen eggs from Goderich, and he is making frequent shipments of over 2,000 dozen. The annual spring horse show of the

on Thursday, April 28. John Matthews, who had been collector of customs at Simcoe for a great many years, and who was well and favorably known, died Saturday morn-

Messrs. Brown & Parnell, Windsor, have purchased from John Schmault of Detroit, the steam yacht Ida M. She will be put on the route between

Leamington and Pelee Island. John Holmes, of Winchester, met a large bear on his way home from Ormond. The bear occupied the path and looked quarrelsome, so Mr. Holmes returned to Ormond and went home in the morning.

Seaforth had a jubilee celebration which netted the town \$495. ing a clock with an illuminated dial, at a cost of \$800.

The aggregate age of three deaths recorded in the last issue of the Watford Guide-Advocate is 266 years, as follows: Alex. Kelly, Watford, age 87 years, 3 months; Henry Utter, Arkona, years; Sampson Brown, Wyoming, 90 years, 6 months.

Joseph Bailey, Richwood, Oxford county, is certainly entitled to honors for his district as an egg eater. On Sunday morning for breakfast it took no less than 25 to appease his appetite, the truth of which is vouched for by his employer, J. Given.

The marriage of Henry McDonald and Miss Lena Utter took place at Ridgetown. The ceremony was performed by Rev. James Williams, Miss Slingersmith, of Orford, acting as bridesmaid, while the groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Frank Mc-

On Wednesday evening a fashionable wedding took place at the home of George Johnston, Amabel township, three jockeys are in the hospital, a when his only daughter was joined in wedlock to Robert Rathwell, of Amabel township. The Rev. W. Henderson

Two of the lions of Mlle. Pianka, the collarbones were broken, while Ross lady whose scantily-clad pictures adorn a chicken supper. Their mistress had with an iron bar before they made a

"break-away."-Windsor Record. What might have been a terrible accident happened in Mr. David Burn's Hermion stumbled, causing ternoon, whereby Harry Williams came

pletely broken off, and she had to be and the wrist, cutting into it about

be able to race again. The winners The soil was never in better condition were Rockwood, Normay Taylor, Deer-foot, Shinfane, His Brother, and Little ing made. Notwithstanding the recent severe weather, the fall wheat is looking well.-Watford Guide-Advocate.

> Jacob Wilhelm, V.S., of Shakespeare, has entered an action against the South Easthope Mutual Fire Insurance Company, claiming \$15,000 for false imprisonment and malicious prosecution. in connection with the recent burning of his barn in North Easthope, for which he was arrested and charged with arson.

The new postmaster, Mr. E. Christie is one of the oldest residents of Exeter, a staunch Reformer and a genial fellow. He has held a seat at the council board, and always takes an interest in public matters. The appointment has not yet been confirmed by the department, but Mr. Christie feels confident.-Exeter Times.

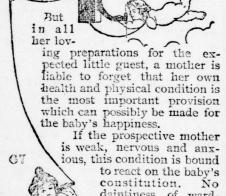
A Thamesford correspondent says that Miss May Clipperton, a popular member of the Fourth Line Church choir, will leave for Nelson, B. C., this week in company with Miss Walley, of Ingersoll. Miss Clipperton is to be married to Mr. Fred Walley, of Nelson, upon arrival at that place. The members of the choir presented Miss Clipperton with a silver tea service at a reception tendered her at the church on Friday evening.

A bad accident happened to George, son of David McCutcheon, of the 12th line, McKillop. He was cutting Wood in Kelly's bush, and was carrying a saw on his left shoulder, and when going by Arthur Layburn, who was splitting wood, he fell, and to save himself put out his right hand on the block he was splitting, just as the axe was descending, which cut the E. Ferrie...... 6 Turnbull 0 first and second fingers clean off and nearly severed the third.

The officers of the Ontario Government have burned 40 plum trees in East Flamboro township, near Hamilton. Curiously enough, the trees that were destroyed produced so heavy a crop last summer that their limbs broke down under its weight. diseased stock was the Japan plum, and imported from New Jersey. A repetition of this procedure will be impossible now that the Dominion Gov-Auditorium on Saturday night. In the the importation of nurse y stock from eleventh round, Kelly's seconds jump- all countries where the San Jose scale

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Cattle Stampede and Find Trouble-Quick Work in Rescue.

[Topeka State Journal.] One hundred head of cattle frightend and in a stampede rushed toward the Rock Island Railway bridge on Monday. In less time than it takes to tell it, 50 of the animals were helpless on the bridge, with their legs dangling under the ties. A half dozen were crowded off and fell into the water,

fifteen feet below. The cattle belonged to the Union Stock Yards of North Topeka. The proprietors, Dary & Crow, had sold they were driven out of the yards to Island freight depot.

Men were lined up on either side of the animals, and the forward ones of chute that led into the cars by men with long, sharp spikes in their hands. As the herd became more compact by those from behind being forced against the leaders some of the sides refused to go farther. They turned and started south toward the bridge. Two boys on horses tried to turn them back, but failed, and in a moment the

whole herd was rushing directly toward ry little suffering. Baby is seven weeks the bridge. Several men made an ineffectual attempt to stop the frightened animals, who paid no attention whatever to their shouts. The first of the animals to get onto the bridge was a large red steer. He

went from tie to tie until he was half across the first span, when down he went and hung helpless between the imbers. One that followed him went through before he had gone ten feet on the bridge, and he was helpless indeed, for one of his front legs and one of his hind ones were broken by the fall. As the cattle crowded each other on the dangerous bridge a large spotted steer was forced off. Down he went head first and struck the water with a where he fell, and he disappeared under the water, but when he came up he struck for the bank, and soon landed unharmed.

By this time the bridge was almost covered with cattle. A few reached the end of the second span, but then they fell through. One which was near the end of the second span got tired of the perilous footing and jumped into the river. About midway of the span a heifer fell through. She struggled to free herself and in thrashing around broke two of her legs. But in her struggles she managed to free herself and dropped into the water. With her legs broken the poor animal could not swim, and was carried down the river by the current for two blocks and was then hauled out by ropes.

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It was a startling sight. The north span of the bridge was covered with a Arlington span of the bridge was covered with a squirming, helpless mass of cattle. The rest of the herd which came up did not attempt to cross the bridge, for there was no longer any room. In five minutes' time 50 cattle were

fastened on the bridge, besides the halfdozen that had jumped or fallen into the water. The work of rescuing was begun at

After they were lifted off they were led off the bridge on the temporary plank In an hour from the time the first one had been taken off. Five of the cattle could not walk, for their legs had been broken, and these were dragged off with ropes.

DEADLY BRIGHT'S DISEASE

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The Spanish Feeling Said to Be "Firmly Warlike"-European Powers Give Up the Idea of Mediation-Rioting at Malaga and Barcelona.

ACTION OF THE U. S. SENATE. Washington, April 18.-The action of the senate leaves the Cuban resolution in the following status: The house heading, number and enacting clause, the senate preamble, resolution, the Turple amendment, and a fourth paragraph proposed by Mr. Davis, in full, as fol-

Joint resolution for the recognition of the independence of the people and republic of Cuba, demanding that the Government of Spain relinquish its authority and government in the Island of Cuba, and to withdraw its land and naval forces from Cuba and Cuban waters, and directing the president of the United States to use the land and naval forces of the United States to carry these resolutions into effect.

Whereas, the abhorrent conditions which have existed for more than three years in the Island of Cuba, so near our own borders, have shocked the moral sense of the people of the United States, have been a disgrace to Christian civilization, culminating, as they have, in the destruction of a United States battleship, with two hundred and sixty-six of its officers and crew, while on a friendly visit in the harbor of Havaña, and cannot longer be endured, as has been set forth by the president of the United States in his message to congress of April 11, 1898, upon which the action of congress was invited;

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States in America, in congress assembled: 1. That the people of the Island of

free and independent, and that the Government of the United States hereby recognize the Republic of Cuba as the true and lawful government of that island.

2. That it is the duty of the United States to demand, and the Government of the United States hereby does demand, that the Government of Spain at once relinquish its authority and government in the Island of Cuba, and withdraw its land and naval forces from Cuba and Cuban waters. 3. That the president of the United

States be and hereby is directed and naval forces of the United States, and to call into the actual service of the United States the militia of the several states to such an extent as may be necessary to carry these resolutions into

4. That the United States hereby disclaim any disposition or intention to hotly, but he held his peace. exercise sovereignty, jurisdiction or control over said island, except for the THE RESULT.

"If the pending resolutions as amended to provide for the recognition of the insurgent government in the Island of Cuba are added by the senate the president of the United States." This declaration made with great emphasis and in an impressive silence, was delivered by Senator Hale just ten minutes before the senate at 9:15 Sat- of the contending parties, and restored

from Maine was promptly accepted, and at midnight the leaders on both sides and in both houses were gravely considering what the effect of the action taken will be upon the pregnant crisis with which the nation is now

brought face to face.

Will the house yield? The leaders
of the Populist branch of the National Legislature declared in the most positive terms that under no circumstances would they accept the senate resolutions if they provided for the recognition of the insurgents.

"If the troops are moved on Monday," said one of the most prominent members of the house committee on foreign affairs, within a half hour after the passage of the senate resolutions, "it will not be because of final action on the part of congress. No ship will sail for Havana, and no soldier will leave American soil within the next 60 hours."

A MEMORABLE SESSION. Saturday night's session of the senate will be memorable in the history o country. All day long, the debate which lasted continuously for nearly twelve hours, held the close attention of galleries crowded to suffocation, while 200 members of the house occupied chairs on the floor and eagerly drank in every word. When the hour arrived for the first vote on the resolutions, the tension increased visibly. The galleries, which previously had manifested varying emotions as their sympathies were touched or antagonized by speakers, became absolutely silent, while senators spoke with trembling voices and quivering lips.

A TEST MOTION. Senator Davis' weak falsetto voice, usually hardly audible, was carried distinctly to every corner of the chamber as he announced that the vote would be taken on the first amendment, that of the minority of the for-Cuba are and of right ought to be eign relations committee, referred to as the Foraker-Turpie amendment. This motion was regarded as a test, and the stillness and suspense were almost painful as the roll was called and senators answered to their names. Before it was completed a majority had been recorded in favor of the amendment, and when the last name had been responded to, the proposition to recognize the insurgents stood indorsed by the vote of 51 to 37.

Senator Morgan arose quickly and demanded sharply that a vote be taken on his resolution declaring a state of war to exist between the United empowered to use the entire land and urged the venerable Alabaman to withdraw his proposition, but he refused and the roll was again called, this time on a motion to table the Morgan amendment. When it announced that the belligerent resolution had been killed by a vote of 83 to 5, Senator Morgan's face flushed

Senator Teller then presented a resolution declaring it to be the sense of pacification thereof, and asserts its de- the senate that the United States, in termination when that is accomplished whatever military operations it might to leave the government and control of undertake, disclaimed any intention of establishing or asserting its sovereignty over the island of Cuba, which was agreed to by a viva voce vote.

NOTABLE UTTERANCES. Mr. Burrows, of Michigan, supported this body will stand deadlocked with the president, and argued against the recognition of the present republic of Cuba. In concluding his speech Sen-

ator Burrows said:

government of your choice,' and when I the vote was announced, and in trempublic of Cuba becomes a sovereignty in fact as well as in name, peace and order restored, the United States Government will withdraw her forces and welcome into the family of nations the the approving judgment of the world. With this end in view I shall cheerfully vote for the recommendation of the president to be clothed with power to intervene in the Island of Cuba with the land and naval forces of the United States to the end that a stable government may be formed within her borders, by her own people, capable of obtaining peace at home and assuming the obligations of international life. To the consummation of this high purpose we ought to move with united effort. There should be no discordant notes. As we opened our treasury to feed the Cuban poor, and without a dissenting vote expressed our confidence in the executive by placing \$50,000,000 in his hands to prepare for national defense, let us not now, when the moment for action comes, and we are ready, weakships and unnumbered legions. Neither party spirit nor personal ambition should find a place in this high transaction. They belong to other times and other occasions. Let us sustain the executive and the army and navy ward on land and sea to establish peace, order and good government in the Island of Cuba, and set her star in the galaxy of nations." Mr. Platt, of Cincinnati, was accorded a half hour's time and devoted it

to a strong and eloquent expression of his hope for peace and a defense of A strong appeal for the recognition of the independence of the present Cuban Republic was then made by Mr. Bacon, of Georgia.

THE PRESIDENT IS MISUNDER-

Mr. Wellington argued that the message of the president had been wholly misunderstood, that instead of an appeal to congress to sanction war it was exactly the reverse, but the war frenzy was abroad and congress was rushing hopelessly into hostilities. The president, I believe, in his heart feels that war is not necessary." Mr. Turpie, of Indiana, in order to make perfectly clear the resolution reported by the minority of the foreign relations committee, offered an amendment to insert after the word "independent' the following: "And that the Government of the United States hereby recognize the Republic of Cuba as the true and lawful government of that

Mr. Cafferty entered upon a discussion of the Cuban situation, declaring that it was manifest that the Cuba. Mr. Caffery maintained that recognition was an executive and not a legislative function. "The adoption by legislative function. "The adoption by the senate of the resolutions reported by the minority of the foreign relations by the minority of the foreign relations by force of arms an internal execution by the minority of the foreign relations are provided by the minority of the tify ourselves, and the president would NO DESERTERS.

Mr. White, of California, in a magnificent peroration, said: "Those of us who dissent from the majority do so from dictates of conscience, but whatever resolution is passed pledging this country to a declaration that history will have to decide whether right or wrong you will find no deserters in the We have our opinions deeply camp. rooted, perhaps, and firmly set, but we are all Americans. When that judgment is rendered, there is but one action that can be taken. Shoulder to shoulder, hand in hand, we will march forward with equal step to vindicate the conduct of the government, which we believe to be the best that Almighty God has permitted, in all times and on the morrow when this crisis shall have come upon us from every house top in the United States let there be flung lican) welcomes the senate's decision, the Stars and Stripes."

Mr. Pasco, of Florida, spoke in favor of recognition of the independence of the Cuban Republic. He believed too that when our troops were landed in Cuba, they ought to act in concert with the forces under Gen. Gomez. The other senator from Florida, Mr.

Mallory, said none desired war if that calamity could be averted, and he regretted that the president had susdiplomatic negotiations, for and the autonomists in Cuba. through them war might have been

Mr. Faulkner, of West Virginia, thought that only one of two courses was open to this country-either to submit to the indignities, insults and crimes of Spain, or that the American Congress should make such an utterance as would remove every doubt about our intention to present the question for arbitrament by the sword. LESS RHETORIC AND MORE

RAMS. Mr. Wilson spoke in favor of the majority resolutions. "We want less oratory and more powder, less rhetoric and more rams," he said. "Patriot-

STIRRING SCENE.

house resolutions be considered as being arrived at between the Spanish lying before the senate in committee and American Governments. The votes of the whole. Instantly the signifi- of the Senate and the House of Reprecance of this move was seen by the conservatives, who realized that to lyze both the mediation of the pope and amend the action of the house rather the friendly interference of the Eurothan to pass resolutions of its own was a distinct challenge from the upper to the lower body of congress. Then it was that Senator Hale declared that the action suggested by Senator Davis would deadlock the senate with the house and with the president.

Hardly had the words left his lips when Senator Wolcott sprang up and amid great excitement called the senator from Maine to order, demanding ernment has reasons of its own for the to know by what right he spoke for the president and the house when he States. notified the senate that both were opposed to senate resolutions. Senator Wolcott called upon the vice-president to rule the senator for Maine out of dreaded. It destroys ambition, and life becomes a burden. These weak men tive and by the other house of conaction to be taken by the chief execugress upon a matter then before the

In a conciliatory tone the vice-president urged Senator Hale to proceed to order, after a section from Jefferson's parliamentary manual had been read. The senator then proceeded, urging the senate to vote down the pending resolu-

MINORITY REPORT ADOPTED. Senator Davis, who sat impassively n his seat during this exciting scene, then moved to strike out all of the house resolutions after the enacting clause, and substituting the senate resolution as amended by the audition of the Foraker-Turpie provisions. The yeas and nays on Senator Davis' mo-tion followed. When it was finished, sixty senators had voted to reject the port of the majority of their own foreign relations committee in favor of

this shall be accomplished, and the re- bling tones declared that the senate had stultified itself by affirming an untruth in declaring the insurgents in the Island of Cuba free and independent. "The senate," he said, with impressive emphasis, "has directed the army Republic of Cuba. We will have thus and navy of the United States to be and escaped the criticism and secured the rebel chief, for that is what it the rebel chief, for that is what it means to land an armed force on the soil of a free and independent nation, either that or an act of war against the insurgents themselves."

The senator's words evidently stirred the galleries deeply, but cries of "Vote! Vote!" on the floor brought Senator Davis to his feet with a demand that the senate in committee of the whole rise and report the resolutions to the full senate. When this had been done he again called for the yeas and nays, and the resolutions as amended were finally adopted by a vote of 67 to 21. Then at 7:15 the senate adjourned until Monday at 12 o'clock.

WHAT WILL FOLLOW. It is difficult to forecast the action of the house in view of the senate's course in throwing down the gauntlet, but certain points are tolerably clear. When the resolutions passed Saturday to, possibly without the formality of ing. part of the house appointed. How long the resolutions will remain in conferences can not be prophesied, but action | continued Saturday evening. The genis hardly expected on Tuesday. In the meantime the army will gather along the gulf coast and the warships at

Key West will swing at their buoys with springs on their anchor cables. THE TURPIE AMENDMENT. The Turpie amendment is as follows: "Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in congress assembled, that the people of the Island of Cuba are and of right ought to be free and independent, and that the Gov-ernment of the United States hereby recognizes the Republic of Cuba as the true and lawful government of the

DECLARATION OF WAR VOTED Mr. Morgan's substitute for a declaration of war was laid on the tableyeas, 83; nays, 5. The nays were Messrs. Mason, Morgan, Pettigrew, Turner and Wilson.

THE PRESIDENT'S COURSE. There is still considerable difference of opinion among well-informed men here as to whether President McKinley will veto a resolution recognizing the ment. It is stated that a majority of the cabinet officials believe the president would feel it his duty to prevent of Spain was slowly dying in a resolution recognizing the Cuban Government from becoming effective, though he would be extremely reluctant to take any steps at this time calculatcommittee," he declared, "would stullution of congress, but he seems to be in doubt as to constitutionality of congressional action with reference to the recognition of the independence of any foreign colony. As an offset to the discouragement which some congressmen may feel at this statement of the president's attitude, his friends are emphasizing the declaration that the chief executive expects within the course of a few weeks that the people of Cuba will have organized a government which will comply with the require ments of international law, and which may then be recognized as the government both de facto and de jure.

WARLIKE FEELING IN SPAIN. Madrid, April 18.—The usual Sunday bull fight absorbs the populace, over-shadowing the action of the United States Senate as a topic of discussion. The general tone of the press is firmly warlike. El Liberal (Moderate Repubalthough it is more hostile, since it helped to disentangle the situation, which is becoming insupportable to

the Spaniards, as shown by the outburst at Malaga and elsewhere. The journals which comment on the senate resolutions consider them a further proof of America's scheme of annexation. Government circles feel that the resolutions are a fresh obstacle to the union of the insurgents The official Gazette will shortly publish the report of the Spanish commission of inquiry into the Maine disaster, demonstrating that the explosion was of internal origin.

SPAIN DETERMINED. London, April 18.—The Madrid correspondent of the Times, telegraphing on Friday, says: Throughout its recent negotiations with the United States with reference to Cuba, the Spanish Government has never taken a firmer stand that at yesterday's council. If President McKinley, by issuing his last message, has set his seal upon his country's claim to intervention in Cuba, so do the Spanish ministers reism," said he, "was higher than busi- spond by finally setting their seal upon ness interests, love of country dearer this country's flat rejection of that

The Madrid correspondent of the Standard says: The vote in the senate At this juncture Senator Davis an- has caused a most unfavorable impresnounced that no more amendments sion in Madrid, as rendering it imposwould be urged, and asked that the sible for an understanding of any kind sentatives are considered likely to parapean powers in the interests of peace. The Madrid correspondent of the Daily Mail says: The news concerning the deep interest taken by Queen Victoria, her earnest desire for peace, and her personal endeavors in favor of its preservation, has been read here with the greatest interest. Public opinion, however, expects nothing from Engmoment for siding with the United

NO CHANCE OF MEDIATION. London, April 18.-The members of the diplomatic corps in this city have now abandoned all hope of effectual mediation upon the part of the powers between the United States and Spain. The Spanish and Austrian ambassadors, however, cling tenaciously to the delusion that they will be able range at the last moment a compromise which will avert war. RIOTING AT MALAGA AND BAR-

CELONA. London, April 18.-The Malaga correspondent of the Daily Mail, telegraphing on Saturday, says: About 10 o'clock last evening (Friday) a large group of young people, who had already met in another part of the town for the purpose of organizing a demonstration, arrived in front of the American consulate and began to cheer for Spain. The chief of police endeavored to disperse them, but only succeeded in driving the crowd from the front of the consulate. Another group posted themselves opposite the American consulate.

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was at the height of its frenzy a ladder was brought, and a man, getting night reach the house at 10 o'clock to- hold of the American escutcheon, threw it to the ground, amid immense cheera reference to the foreign affairs com- a trophy through the streets, and ultimittee. A conference with the senate mately carried to the crowded streets, will be asked, and conferees on the where its appearance caused great enthusiasm. Malaga, April 18.—The rioting was

darms charged the mob frequently, and the rioters returned their attacks with volleys of stones. Many persons were bruised and numerous arrests were made.

AT BARCELONA. The Madrid correspondent of the Daily Mail says: In Barcelona the students have renewed their rioting. They invaded the beautiful botanical gardens and denuded many of the trees of their branches and flowers, which they carried, entwined with the Spanish colors, as banners, parading the streets. They smashed the windows in the university building. In Valencia things seem quieter. Woodford is now keeping aloof from official centers.

MORE DEMONSTRATIONS. Madrid, April 18.—Saturday evening demonstrations were made in several of the provincial capitals. The American shield has been replaced at the American consulate in Malaga, amid the tumultuous protests of the crowd. A force of gendarmes continue to pa-

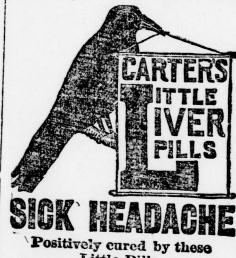
trol the streets. The Epocha (Conservative), referring independence of the Gomez Govern- the provincial towns, counsels the govto the outbreaks of popular feeling in ernment to deal gently with the rioters, considering the provocation re-ceived from the American public and parliament, and even from the president. The Epocha says that only students took part in the demonstration

SPANIARDS LEAVING FOR CUBA. Washington, April 18.-The Spanish charter for an American steamer of the Plant line, which will carry practically the entire Spanish colony of Tampa, Fla., to Havana. The Spanish party will number 408, most of them being young men who have offered their services to the Spanish army in case of war.

COAL AS CONTRABAND.

Washington, April 18.—Senators of all shades of opinion on the Cuban question regard as very important the announcement that Great Britain has decided to treat coal as contraband of war in her West Indian possessions in case of a war between this country and Spain. While the decision is apparently impartial, the senators say that the effect necessarily will be entirely in the interest of the United States because of the fact that this country is so near where the seat of war will be, and therefore will not be compelled to ask favors of other nations, while Spain will have only her store at Porto Rico to draw upon.

PORTO RICO THREATENED. Senators generally think that one of our first attacks in case of war will be upon Porto Rico. They expect that point to be captured early in the war, and think this capture will have the effect of soon terminating hostilities. With England treating coal as contraband, even the most conservative senators think it will be impossible for Spain long to maintain a conflict in waters so far removed from her base of supplies.



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foreign relations committee in favor of the minority report, while only twenty-eight had stood firmly up for action requested by the president.

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urday night, by a vote of 31 to 57, ad- peace as far as that party is concernopted the original Foraker-Turpie re- ed, there is nothing remaining for the solutions providing for armed interven- United States to do but say to the intion and directing the president to re- surgents and the inhabitants of Cuba; cognize the insurgent forces as the You, too, must keep the peace, restore government de facto of the Cuban re- order in this island, return to your public. The challenge of the senator | farms, rebuild your homes and have

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The second act of the drama was the passage by the lower house of Congress, or House of Representatives, of a resolution authorizing the President to intervene with the full naval and military force of the nation to restore peace and order in the distracted and oppressed island.

The third act was the passage, on Baturday, at Washington, by the Senate of the United States, of a resolution demanding the withdrawal of the Spanish forces now in Cuba, and authorizing the use of the American army and navy to enforce the demand.

Accompanying this is a resolution recognizing the present insurgents as the independent Cuban republic.

The latter point is that wherein the of Representatives disagrees

The point of difference is important. It can only be settled by a joint conference of the Houses of Legislature. That joint conference is now in progress.

The President and the conservative elements in both Houses are opposed to the immediate recognition of the present insurgents as an independent The President of the United States sways a wide prerogative. His individual powers of delay and veto

There are two main reasons for the Presidential unwillingness to act precipitately as to recognition of independence. The first is that it would make it more difficult for Spain to back down or get out of her lown motion. The second is the fear that the United States would incur serious indirect international liabilities to an unknown extent by recognizing as independent a body of insurgents who may not, after all, possess the confidence of the majority of the Cuban people. In a word, what is proposed by the United States Senate, in immediate recognition, is the recognition of an entirely unknown

So that is the controversy at present on at Washington between the President and a majority of the House of Representatives on the one hand, and a

majority of the Senate on the other. This week the Spanish Parliament assembles at Madrid, an event which adds to the interest and gravity of the

And so unrolls a great historic panorama, the last scene in which will inevitably show the disappearance of Spaffish rule from this western hemi-

The Duty of the Hour and the Fate of the Senate.

The Dominion Senate has done great dis-service in rejecting the bill to provide a speedy all-Canadian route to the the Government of Canada in abandon- rivers as the Ohio and the Mississippi. ing all attempts to secure the trade of the region and to maintain its authority in that distant portion of the coun- debate.

The Senate is a body of considerable have ventured to denr this, but the of Windsor! facts testify overwhelmingly against the denial. The House of Commons for without opposition from the majority of never miss 'em. the senators. It adopted an indefensible franchise act, from which party advantage was hoped for. It disregarded county boundaries in the spirit last week that it was printed in minion and the motherland can scarceestablishment of the constituencies in red, white and blue. a manner wholly unknown in the mother county, and in a way strictly forbidden in many constitutions of the dian imports to increase during the lic. To all these proceedings by the vertiser, and exports, too. Conservative majority in the House of Commons the Senate said "Ditto." Were the Senate in the wrong? We hoped for the expression of an indepen- clever. In other words, "we must have dent opinion based on equitable prin- peace if we have to fight to get it." ciples and non-partisan considerations. If it had not said "Ditto," we would have attached more value to its action, battle they will have no bagpipes like though by doing so it might have put the Highlander to inspire them. But tself into antagonism to the House of they will have any amount of campaign Commons.

The question, then, of antagonism between the two Houses, though serious, is not primarily one for the public

In the rejection of the Yukon bill we | Montreal rate is too high. think the Senate were altogether in the wrong. We think so because the measure was a matter of urgency. Imme- the great cities of the United States ship to accomplish. diate action in the interests of the Sen- have passed resolutions advocating reate was called for. There were grave ciprocity with Canada. The preferen- Some talk has taken place about the Emoked and Fresh Meats.

But we do not propose to tear up the | world

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constitution because the Senate majority has committed a very grave politi-Senate makes obvious is the necessity for reform in that chamber; but what is immediately to be desired is that the assent of the Senate should be given to some measure, not unreasonable, which will enable the Canadian Government to maintain the authority of Immense Benefit to Canada of Canada over the Yukon country, to secure to the people of this country its commerce and the prompt settlement of British Columbia, along the highway by which ingress and egress is to be obtained.

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Two citizens of Chatham-Messrs. Henry Smith and D. R. Van Allanhave written to the Planet of that city advocating a novel scheme which they assert would put an end to the periodical flooding of the Thames at various points below this city as well as avert the filling up of the river month with mud. The expedient advocated is to find a new channel for the Thames, permitting its surplus waters to flow into Lake Erie from a point near Middlemiss, at the southwest corner of Middlesex county. Mr. Van

Allan, in advocating the scheme, says: "Remember that it is only fourteen or fifteen miles, all told, from the river to the lake at or near Middlemiss: that the river there is 30 to 40 feet above the level of the lake; that the banks of both river and lake are very through these banks, being the outlet of streams emptying in the river and lake, and you can see for yourself that ber of the representatives, has really cut deep enough to connect these streams and admit the water from the river running to the lake, could not by any possibility cause an overflow of the lands along the cut. The right of way would of course have to be purchased or expropriated, where the as a length not exceeding eight miles of cutting would be required, and that cut only at first deep enough to get the water started through-take my word for it, there would be such a orators take a new tack, and say, "You through this artificial channel that all further cutting would be unnecessary. So what would the cost be. ountry from London to the mouth of

Mr. Van Allan urges the Chatham Council to at once invite the co-operation of all the municipalities affected by these floods, with the view of procuring the services of a competent civil engineer to thoroughly investigate probable cost, so that something tangible may be secured to lay before the holds these governments jointly liable to contribute to the cost of this cut, filling up of the bar at the mouth of the river, which is caused by the great floods meeting the dead waters of Lake St. Clair and depositing the mud where carried down by them, necessitating the cost of dredging it out by the Federal Government. The Thames and its tributaries drain fully onefourth of the province, and therefore the Ontario Government should bear the remaining cost of the cut.

Whatever benefit the proposed diversion of the stream would confer on municipalities below London, if it were proved feasible, we doubt if it would prevent an occasional season of high water opposite London's western suburb. Nevertheless we can see no Hay or straw knives .. 35 project by a competent engineer. If Farm rollers the Government at Ottawa were duly Road or field rollers ... 30 the Government at Ottawa were duly memorialized, we have no doubt that Horse powers 30 the services of an expert could be ob- Portable engines 30 tained for the purpose. Whether or not anything is done to mitigate the occasional overflow of the stream, there is reason to fear that the Grain crushers 35 trouble will not become less in the future. The experience of all countries is that as the forests are cut down, the speed with which snow thaws and the water makes its way to the great lakes or to the sea increases the danger from floods becomes greater. The troubles from high water in the Thames, however. are a mere bagatelle compared with Yukon, but the rejection will not justify those occurring from floods on such

'A pneumatic tire-The windy budget

What a contrast between the lots political feeling. Some of the senators of the widow of Spain and the widow

eighteen years governed this country United States a hundred ships, and

Our esteemed contemporary, the Bay nership which the Laurier Govern-City Tribune, was so full of martial

The Chatham Planet expects Cananewer states of the neighboring repub- next three months. So does The Ad-

President McKinley's euphemism. "enforced pacification," is decidedly 35 35

When the American troops march to

In Montreal they tax bicycles at \$2 each. It is proposed to raise a fund to consider. The question is, Which of from bicyclists in this city, to be apprenticed that the great mass of the population of this

Chambers of commerce in several of had not the constructive statesman- Pure Lard. commercial and political considerations tial tariff has opened their eyes. Never public expenditures. Undoubtedly the Bologna and Sausage. which demanded that there should be before has Canada commanded such new needs of the country have necessi-

Peculiarities of the Recent Debate on the Budget.

the New Trade Policy.

Far-Reaching Effects in Canada's Favor.

Attained Power.

[Special Correspondence of the Adver-

tiser.] Ottawa. April 19 .- The debate on the House on the propositions made by the Finance Minister. It did not formulate a distinctive resolution against great ocean port of Canada, where it the general fiscal policy of the Admin- could obtain connections with all the istration. Sir Charles Tupper, the railway lines, and get a fair share of Conservative leader, set the example the traffic. Surely these expenditures to his followers of railing in good set terms against the Ministers and all hope, will soon see his policy vindicattheir works, and let it go at that. The ed by results. This country cannot afhigh there; that deep ravines exist result of the debate, unduly lengthened by the longwindedness of a numproved how little room there is for legitimate criticism of the policy of the Administration, so far as enunciated and carried out. "You favored complete free trade, and the country cut was to be necessarily made, and supported you-why don't you enact it?" is one of the stock queries of the Conservative grumblers. Brought face to face with the Liberal platform, the promised untaxed implements for the farmer-why don't you provide them?" compared with that of the annual in- Again challenged to get proof for their

undation of London and the whole contention, another sharp turn is made, and it is alleged that Sir Richard Cartwright, and not the Liberal platform, made the promise. Fortunately when this statement was made in the House, the Minister of Trade and Commerce was in his place, and he promptly rose and denied it. He had the feasibility of this cut and its high duty levied on agricultural implements by the late Government should taken place since the general elections be reduced, and it was reduced to 25 per cent by the new tariff. It is need- thirty contests the Liberals have been less to say that the Conservative orator victorious in 28, and the Conservatives pursued this branch of the subject no in 2. The supporters of Sir Wilfrid further. The explanation, however, Laurier have won enough seats to doushould be unnecessary if the Opposi- ble the Liberal majority in the tion were inclined to stick to facts for eighteen months that have intervened

more striking examples:

regard to the preferential tariff. But the great fact established is that while ferential tariff for eighteen years and accomplished nothing, the present Administration in a brief year brought a preferential tariff into practical polities, and established a new era in the history of the Dominion and the motherland that is destined to bring untold benefit to the people of both countries. Under the preferential tariff, Canada will benefit directly by an increase in profitable trade. Great Britain is buying more from us; and Grandma Victoria could lend the we find it to our advantage to buy more from her. But the great and abiding advantages which the Dominion must derive from the new partment has established between the Doly be over-estimated. If Canada had gone to Britain in a huckstering spirit, and demanded that the trade policy of the heart of the empire should be revolutionized before she would consent to treat the motherland with something like the fairness that has been extended to this country, we would be fated to long years of inaction. And the loss to the Dominion in increased trade, in gilt-edged, world wide advertising, in British sympathetic friendship towards us, in population for our vacant lands, now flocking to us, could hardly have been counted in millions. The Opposition leaders are shortsighted not to recognize this fact, and lend their aid to make the new and better era as sucplied towards building paths, but the country will not follow them in their ungenerous detraction of their opponents for doing what they themselves

example, this year \$396,000 is required to pay for the administration of the Yukon gold mining region. Two years ago, the Yukon was practically an unknown land. The necessities of the situation required prompt and intelligent action. The expense of the administration of justice and of maintaining law and order in the Yukon will continue to be very large. They will be vastly added to by the action of the Senate in killing the measure intended The Pro-British Tariff. Will Have to provide a comparatively cheap, all-Canadian route to the territory. Then, the estimates provide that \$210,000 shall be paid for rental of a railway to bring the Government Intercolonial line to Bye-Election Results Since the Liberals | Montreal, and \$560,000 to operate it. Here, again, intelligent public policy demanded the expenditure. The Intercolonial line had been run at great loss to the taxpayers of Canada many years. It paid not a budget ended at half-past four on and there were yearly deficits of many cent of interest on its original cost, Saturday morning. The Opposition thousands in running expenses. Hon. not challenge a division of the Mr. Blair soon found that if the line was not to continue a burden to the taxpayers for all time, it must be brought from its rural terminus in Quebec to the

tures have taken place, there are substantial decreases in other respects. 20 84 It is amusing to read the stories sent out from Ottawa intended to keep heart in the Opposition rank and file. Two months after the general election in 1896 I heard Sir Charles Tupper assert that the new Government would not last six months, and that another general election must take place within a year. Here we are with the Laurier Government in power eighteen months, and with every bye-election showing the Administration to be stronger in the country than when returned to power This was demonstrated in a marked degree in Prince, P. E. I., the other day, when the new Liberal M. P. was elected by a majority over three times as large as that given to his predecessor. of June 23, 1896, and I find that in the their arguments. Hon. Mr. Paterson, since the Liberals took office, while the Minister of Customs, in his recent ad- | Conservatives have not gained one Libdress showed that the duty on 50 im- eral seat. In face of this record, it is plements of agriculture had been re- highly comical to read of the Administraduced. The following are a few of the tion as "tottering." The Government has but to keep on in its progressive, yet cautious programme, not only to last till the close of the term of Parliament in 1901, but for years there-

to note that while those new expendi-

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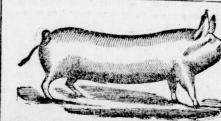
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Local Market.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.] London, Monday, April 18. Wheat, white fall, per bu....83c to 84c Wheat, red fail, per bu......83c to 84c Engineer Leonard Jones, of St. Thomas, Oats, per bu.....32c to 33c Peas, per bu.....54c to 60c Barley, per bu38½c to 50c Buckwheat, per bu36c to 381/20 Beans, per bu......40c to 60c

The receipts were light this morning. No change from Saturday. is pleasant and profitable

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The Oil Market.

PETROLIA, April 18.—Oil opened and closed American Markets. CHICAGO, April 16.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—Dec., 79%c; May, \$1 09; July, 85%c; Sept., 79c. Corn—May, 30%c; July, 27%c; July

Receipts—Flour, 9,000 bbls; wheat, 54,000 bushels; corn. 206,000 bushels; oats. 379,000 bushels; rye, 6,000 bushels; barley, 39,000 bushels. Shipments—Flour, 7,000 bbls.: wheat, 212,000 bushels, corn, 521,000 bushels, oats, 359,000 bushels; rye, 127,000 bushels; barley, 6,000

English Markets Ruling prices for the past four market days— The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest

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Wheat—Spot, firm; No. 1 Cal., 8s 2½d to 8s northern spring, 8s 4d. arn spring, 88 4d.

—Spot firm: American mixed, new.
do, old. nominal; April, firm, 3s 5½d;
h, steady, 3s 3½d; May, firm, 3s 5d; July,

Peas—Canadian, 55 4d. Beef—Extra India mess, 68s 9d; prime mess, Pork-Prime mess, fine western, 51s 3d. Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, dull, 30s; long clear heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, 30s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, 30s; long clear light, 30 to 35 lbs, 31s; short ribs, firm, 29s; clear belies steady, 32s 6d. Hams—Steady; short cut, 32s 6d. Lard—Prime western, 27s.

Lard—Prime western, 27s. Butter—Finest United States, 85s; good, 75s. Cheese—American finest, white, 38s; colored, 403. Tallow-Fine American, city, 19s 6d.

Turpentine spirits—24s 9d. Rosin—Common, 4s 4½d. Petroleum—Refined, 5½d. Linseed Oil—16s 94.

Linseed Oil—168 94. Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs., firm, 26s. St. Thomas Market. St. Thomas, April 16.—Wheat, per bu, \$4c to 85c; oats, per bu. 33c oats, rolled, per cwt. \$1 20; peas, per bu, 45c to 50c; barley, per bu, 40c; corn, per bu, 40c; beans, 60c to 80c. Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, April 16.—Cattle—Fed western cattle selling badly all week, closed 15c to 35c lower than a week ago. Hogs-Light weights, \$3 65 to \$3 871/2; heavy hogs, \$3 70 to \$3 721/2; pigs, \$3 to \$3 80. Sheep and lambs-Wooled Mexicans, \$5 50 to \$5 621/2; shorn flocks, \$4 to \$5; sheep, shorn, \$3 50 to \$4 30. Receipts -Cattle, 200; hogs, 17,000; sheep, 500. EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., April 16 .-Cattle—Receipts, only 2 cars; market dull and slow, with no demand for take heavy steers, and only a light demand tery, West Nissouri. other grades, and the outlook for all kinds is anything but favorable, owing to the continued state of affairs in regard to the threatened war and the refusal of the American lines to take stock, which curtails the demand. Hogs-Receipts, 120 loads and 8 loads that held over; market slow and draggy, and prices for light grades and pigs lower, with others easy; good to choice Yorkers, \$3 95; prime selected light, \$3 90 to \$3 95; mixed packers' grades and medium weight, \$3 95 to \$4; heavy hogs, \$4 to \$4 05; roughs, \$3 40

Master Frank Quance is his Easter holidays at home. heavy hogs, \$4 to \$4 05; roughs, \$5 40 to \$3 60. Sheep— and lambs—Receipts, 23 cars fresh argivals and 18 loads holding over mar- Quarce a few days with Rev. Mr. Is doubtless due to his soldier instinct expressing a genuine admiration for finely-planned work so admirably expressing a genuine admiration for finely-planned work so admirably expressing a genuine admiration for finely-planned work so admirably expressing a genuine admiration for finely-planned work so admirably expressing a genuine admiration for finely-planned work so admirably expression and the finely-planned work so rivals and 18 loads holding over; market very dull and slow for all grades, with prices on the few handy sheep and lambs barely steady; native lambs, choice to extra, \$5 70 to \$5 85; fair to first vice-president, Mr. J. H. Hicks; holding over; market very dull and slow for all grades.

The result of the Tuesday evening first impulse, and a second, which is equally illuminative, was to at once first vice-president, Miss Rosa Davey; for himself a week's shooting in Scot-

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tle, 672 sheep and 1,403 quarters of beef. Calves-Receipts none; city dressed veals, 71/2c to 10c. Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 1,159;slow and lower; unshorn sheep, \$4 50 to \$5; clipped do, \$4 121/2 to ; exports, \$4 50; shorn lambs, \$5 50 to \$6 %; clipped do, \$4 60 to \$5; spring lamibs, \$2 to \$5. Hogs-Receipts, 3,488; no sales; nominally at \$4 to \$4 25. LONDON LIVE HOG MARKET.

Paid Drovers Off Cars.

Lean, long singers..........\$4 60 per cwt Light, fat and heavy.......\$4 20 per cwt The Dairy Market. NEW YORK, April 16.—Butter easy; vestern creamery, 15c to 19c; factory, 2c to 15c; Elgins, 20c; imitation cream-

ery, 14c to 15c; state dairy, 14c to 18c: creamery, 15c to 19c. Cheese, steady; large white, Sept., 8c; small white, ept., 81/2c to 83/4c; large colored, Sept., ; small colored, Sept., 8½c to 8¾c; irge choice, 71/2c to 71/4c; small choice, 4c to 81/4c; light skims, 51/4c to 61/4c; part skims, 4c to 6c; full skims, 2c to

CHICAGO, April 18.—Butter-Market weak; creameries, 14c to 18c; dairies, 11c to 16c. Cheese, quiet, at 8c to 84c.

Fatal Collision.

On the G. T. R. Near Tilsonburg Loop Line Station.

Killed-Cars Eurned.

[G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser.] Tilsonburg, Ont., April 18.—There was collision on the G. T. R. this morning about 4 o'clock, a west-bound freight running into a train which was standabout one-eighth or a mile east of the Tilsonburg loop line station.
Engineer Leonard Jones, of St.
Thomas, was instantly killed. The locomotive is completely wrecked and four or five cars (empties) were burned. The track will be cleared by 12 o'clock.

Canada's Position

Must Be Governed by the Colonial Office-Warships May

Ottawa, April 18.—The decision of to work the coal and iron deposits in congress to wage war against Spain that province. brings up the question of the relations of Canada to the combatants while the conflict is in progress. The attitude of this country will be entirely governed by instructions received from time to time from the colonial as 26. 81 23 4. Prime timothy seed, \$2 85. Mess pork, \$9 80 to \$9 85. Lard, \$5 17 4. Short rib sides, \$5 to \$5 35. Dry salted shoulders, 4%c to of coal and similar supplies to war of coal and similar supplies to war vessels of either Spain or the United States in Canadian ports must be governed by the decision of the imperial authorities. If coal is declared ontraband of war by the colonial office the ruling will apply to Canada as well as to Jamaica and other parts of the West Indies. It is not expected that there will be any difficulty experienced in maintaining strict neutrality, although in the event of naval operations in the North Atlantic the warships of both countries might be compelled to use the harbor of Halifax at times. If war is long continued and Spain goes into the business of preying on American commerce, Montreal and Halifax should become for the time the most important sailing points for European traffic. Even if the Spaniards should be beaten in pitched battles at sea and their navy scattered, there will be a disposition, so long as hostilities last, to send passengers and freight by a neutral port as well as by vessels flying a neutral flag. In the event of the Spanish fleet defeating the American—a thing by some authorities at Ottawa considered quite possible New York and other important harbors would be blocked, and Montreal, Halifax and St. John would be called on to handle the trans-Atlantic trade.

MIDDLESEX.

Squire Patrick has extended another lease of his hotel at Ilderton to Mr. John Stilson. The many friends of the latter will be glad to hear of this, as the hotel under Mr. Stilson's care has

Prof. Dean makes the very satisfactory announcement that butter sent rom the creamery at Thorndale, marketed in Manchester and London, commands 2 shillings more per 100 pounds than the best Danish butter. W. H. Hutchins, ex-M. P. for North Middlesex, is very ill, and his recovery is thought impossible. His friends are at his bedside waiting for the call. He is suffering from Bright's disease, together with other omplications.

The death occurred at Thorndale Saturday morning of Edward Lee, who was injured in a runaway accident in village Good Friday. Deceased was driving with his mother when the horses took fright and ran away. Both were thrown out, and Mrs. Lee sustained serious injuries as well. was hoped that a fatal termination could be averted, until a short time before death ensued. The deceased was in his 29th year. He was a young farmer residing a short distance from Thorndale, and was well known and respected. Mrs. Lee is recovering. deceased was a nephew of Mr. Edward Lee, of the inland revenue department, and also of Mr. Wm. Lee, clerk of Nissouri. The funeral will place Monday to Brown's Ceme-

LAMBETH.

Lambeth, April 18.-Mrs. (Dr.) Routedge has been visiting friends in Strathrov. Mr. C. Dresser, who has been visiting at Leamington, returned home hardly have entered into his calcula-Wednesday.

Messrs. J. W. Cornell and K. Dolye, our expert paper hangers, are doing a politest resources of his telegraph code in petty messages to the victorious gen-Master Frank Quance is spending eral and to the Queen. Much of this

good, \$5 50 to \$5 55; culls to common, \$5 to \$5 50; yearlings, fair mixed to choice wethers, \$5 to \$5 25; clipped lambs, \$4 25 to \$5; heavy do, \$4 65 to \$65; native sheep, choice to selected wethers, \$4 90 to \$5; good to choice mixed sheep, \$4 75 to \$4 90; common to fair, \$4 35 to \$4 65; culls to common sheep, \$3 50 to \$4; clipped sheep, \$3 15 to \$4; clipped sheep, \$4 15; clipped sheep

Mr. Ed. Caldwell, of Strathroy, has returned after visiting his uncle, Mr. John Kelly. Mr. Fred Hicks, of Talbotville, paid his brother, J. H. Hicks, merchant tailor, a short visit. Mr. Frank Woodhull, of Kilworth,

spent Sunday with friends in this vicin-Mr. Clark Warren, school teacher, after spending his holidays at his home in Belmont, will reopen school here to-

The best annual report of the Methodist Sunday school yet received was given yesterday afternoon showing the school to be in a prosperous condition, with Mr. B. J. George as superintendent and Geo. Bennett secretary-treasurer, besides a full staff of good teachers.

Mrs. Wm. Baker has so far recovered as to be able to attend church Sunday morning, after an absence of 15 months. We hope the fine weather will enable her to attend oftener.

REV. DR. BELL DEAD. Toronto, April 18.-Rev. George Bell, LL.D., died Saturday evening, at the ence of his son, Mr. George Bell, St. George street. Dr. Bell was the youngest son of Rev. Wm. Bell, who Perth, Lanark county, in the same year his alma mater afterwards conferred

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came to Canada in 1817, and was one registered student and the first graduof the first Presbyterian ministers in this country. Dr. Bell was born in He took the degree of B.A. in 1845 and that his parents arrived, and was upon him the honorary degree of

Important Concessions.

in Shan Si

Are to be Worked by an Anglo-Italian Syndicate.

Germany Now Wants to Control the Samoa Islands.

The Turks Warned to Evacuate Thessaly-Cecil Rhodes' Victory.

IMPORTANT CONCESSION. spondent of the Times says: Subject to further regulations the governor of Shan Si Province has granted a con-

HENRY AT PEKIN. Pekin, April 18.—The Emperor of China has consented to treat Prince Henry of Prussia on a footing of equality. His majesty has agreed to return the prince's visit, and will sit at the same table with him in the summer palace, where his royal highness will be the guest of honor.

THE SEARCH FOR ANDREE. Berlin, April 18.—Prof. Stadling, of Stockholm, who has been appointed to conduct the search for Prof. Andree, the balloonist, who started last year in

Constantinople, April 18.-The ambassadors of the powers have preernments, setting forth that it is a village. requisite condition of the Greek indemnity loan being fulfilled that the evacuation of Thessaly by the Turks should be effected within a month after due notification, and, further, that delegates appointed by the powers shall oversee the evacuation.

GERMANY ON THE GRAB. London, April 18.—The Berlin correspondent of the Times says: importance is attached to the an-rouncement of the Correspondenz (National Liberal) that Germany meditates the eventuality of a stronger display of power at Samoa, the end in view being to enable Germany to assume exclusive sovereignty in the islands. The idea is that the engagements of the United States and Great Britin elsewhere present a favorable opportunity, but looking to the probable outcome of such an action it is difficult to take the announcement as seriously as the German press seems to do, considering that Germany has her hands full in China, and, as the Frankfurter Zeitung observes, that Samoa is not worth such a display of power and expenditure.

SUCCESS IN THE SOUDAN. London, April 18.-General Sir Herbert Kitchener's victory over the dervishes in the Soudan exactly fits in with Mr. Rhodes' plans, and has been received with an outburst of applause, in quarters where hitherto the forward French march and expedition is most warmly welcomed. But the most notable fact of all is the kaiser's telegram of congratulation on Kitchener's success, and the appreclative references in the German press. Everyone remembers another little kaiser telegram two years ago-the one to President Kruger, which sent Anglo-Saxon-dom into paroxysm of anger. Today all talk is of the real unity of took fright at a bicycle and ran away. in foreign affairs, if only they would take pains to understand each other the head. a little better. Indeed the congratulation of the kaiser, following on recent developments in China marks another distinct stage in the Anglo-German rapprochement.

WILLIAM WORSTED. London, April 18.-Commenting on the recent victory in the Soudan, a correspondent says: To the glory won by Gen. Kitchener in the Soudan may be added a conquest in Europe which can is doubtless due to his soldier instinct,

China's Coal and Iron Deposits | land after making tentative arrangements for the Cowes regatta week. Atbara has wiped out, not only Mahmoud, but Kruger, and has restored William to his yachting suit in the

THE COLLIERY STRIKE. scured by the war fever in both the process of economy, can pledge them- battleships Italia and Lepanto, and cost London, April 18.—The Pekin corre- to extinguish the fires of the ships at res to pay, and practically threaten \$4,500,000 apiece. a critical moment when England may need them the most.

RHODES' VICTORY. London, April 18.-Mr. Cecil Rhodes has scored another cisive victory. Next Thursday the sha holders of the South African Chartered Company will re-elect him, and Messrs. Beit and Maguire to the board of the company, and Mr. Chamberlain has already intimated that no opposition will come from the government. The only factor now remaining

in South Africa in opposition to the dream of painting the whole half of the continent red, as British territory, is President Kruger, and now that the Orange Free State is showing an emphatic inclination to leave Kruger and nine vessels now finished. The cost of the balloonist, who started last year in an attempt to cross the Arctic regions in a balloon, has decided to proceed to beyond all question of failure. Mean-predecessors the three new battleships the Klondike, owing, it is said, to the fact that geographers give credence to the report that Andree has been heard dition to the empire of a province as 1800. fact that geographers give credence to the report that Andree has been heard big as mid-Europe, fully equipped with big as mid-Europe, fully equipped with the machinery of industrial civilizathe report that Andree has been heard big as mid-Europe, funy equipped with from in those latitudes. He starts on the machinery of industrial civilizative machinery of the longtion. The firstfruits of the longtalked-of gold wealth of Rhodesia will be brought before the public this week pared notes, which they will present capital of \$1,500,000. Mr. Rhodes to the porte upon the arrival of in- has shut himself away from the world with his sister in a quiet Surrey

CABLE NOTES. Viscount Oxenbridge is dead. He was born in 1829, and was a Liberal whip in the House of Lords. The condition of Mr. Gladstone remains unchanged. A well-known oc-

ulist has been summoned to Hawar-The Peninsula and Oriental steamer China before reported ashore on Azalea Reef, Perim, Island of Perim, is in a bad position, and it is now very doubtful whether she can be saved from a complete wreck.

LITTLE CHANGE.

Prayers Requested for England's Grand Old Man. Hawarden, April 18.-On Sunday Mr. Hadstone passed a less comfortable tended service in Hawarden Church in the morning, Rev. Stephen Gladstone As indicating the gravity of Mr. Gladstone's condition it is noted that the officiating clergyman requested the prayers of the church for his father. He also requested the prayers of his congregation that "peace might in quarters where hitherto the forward Christian countries, the United States

FATAL ACCIDENT

To a Walkerton Farmer-His Horse Scared by a Ficycle.

Walkerton, Ont., April 18.-When Charles Rolston, a farmer, living about a mile from Walkerton, was driving Mr. Rolston and his son were thrown from the wagon and seriously cut about They were carried into a neighbor's house, where, though Dr. Stalker was called in immediately, the father died shortly afterwards without recovering consciousness. The son will probably recover. Rolston leaves a wife and several small children.

EXILED TO SIBERIA. London, April 18.—Russian Privy Councilor Deroonoff and his 20-year-old daughter have been sent to Siberia for life, charged with selling military secrets to Austria. Others implicated received smaller sentences.

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[From the New York Sun.] With the putting into commission of the Illustrious, the Majestic class of battleships, the most formidable de vised by British constructors, has been completed, and the nine vessels composing it have been added to the British navy in the space of three years. They are the Caesar, Hannibal, Illus-London, April 18.—Had it not been ob- Mars, Prince George, and Victorious. trious, Jupiter, Magnificent, Majestic, east and the west, the Welsh colliery strike would have been the topic of has a draught of 27½ fet, has triple Each vessel is of 14,900 tons burthen, the day. All the so-styled associat- expansion engines of 12,000 horse powed pits, whose annual output together er, giving a speed of 17½ knots, and is amounts to some twenty-seven mil- propelled by twin screws. The main lion tons, have stopped work, and this armament consists of four 46-ton wireat a moment when the admiralty sup- | wound 12-inch guns that are almost plies of coal are running short and quick firers, twelve 6-inch quick-firing orders are pouring in from the north guns, five torpedo tubes, and 38 small orders are pouring in from the north guins, nive torpedo tubes, and is small of less nurt, one of them beyond re-world. The men ask as a minimum and maxim guins. They are the largest covery. The wagon and harness are wage that which owners, by no war vessels affoat, except the Italian a total war vessels affoat, except the Italian at total war vessels affoat at the Italian at I

They and the Italian ships, too, will be surpassed, however, by the three vessels whose construction has just been begun by the British Admiralty the Formidable class, described as improved Majestics. The keels for three f these battleships have been laid, that f the Formidable in the Portsmouth lock yard, that of the Implacable at evonport, and that of the Irresistible at Chatham. They are 400 feet long, ten feet longer than the Majestic; of the same beam, but of nine inches less draught, and of a displacement if 15,000 tons. The engines will be much more powerful than those of the Majestic class, indicating 15,000 horse power and the fact that ex-President Cleveland insuring a speed of 18 knots, an in- was to be a guest at the meeting of armament will be the same as for the predecessors the three new battleships should be in commission by the end of

MURDERED BABE

Found in a Box on Pelee Island Beach. Windsor, April 18.-A newly-born female child was found packed in a box on the beach of Pelee Island. It had been born alive, according to the doctors, but immediately after birth its lamy, the famous author, who came skull had been crushed in by a heavy from his home in Massachusetts last and hand-stitched, and not of the kind that is used on the island. Detective Campeau thinks the box was deposited on the ice at Toledo or Sandusky, and drifted over to the island.

AVALANCHE VICTIMS. The Chilcoot Pass Disaster Resulted

in 52 Deaths. Vancouver, B. C., April 18.-News brought by the steamer Park Shan from Dyea yesterday was that the first reports of the Chilcoot avalanche were exaggerated by nearly 200 per cent. Instead of 150 people losing their lives the number of now supposed to be 52. His doctors say there has been and the corrected list of dead up to little change in his condition during that time has been issued, save with past week. Mrs. Gladstone and respect to twelve men who were missing. The ill-fated party, who were composed entirely of people returning from the summit, it now appears, reached the summit at a critical moment. Had they been a very few moments earlier or later they would not have been caught in the slide.

Water, Crackers and Gruel. is the usual dyspeptic bill of fare. There are no sausages, no banquets, no little suppers and no fun. Take Merrill's System Tonic and get a healthy stomach lots of vigor, and then eat mince pi and cabbages with the rest of us. System Tonic is par excellence, the most perfect tonic cathartic known; 50 pleasant-to-take doses, 50 cents. Sold by W. T. Strong, the druggist.

Grasshoppers attain their greatest size in South America, where they grow to a length of 5 inches, and their Catarrh Cured for 25 Cents.

I suffered from Catarrh for years, and have found Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure the best that I have used, and gladly recommend it to sufferers. Yours truly. HARRY STONE. Rainham Center, Ont. 5c, for 25c yard.

In old times card playing was regarded as essentially a Christian pastime, and a statute of Henry VII. forbids card playing save during the Christmas holidays. A DINNER PILL.-Many persons suffer excruciating agony after par-

taking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a the stomach, and instead of being a healthy nutriment, it becomes a poison to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions, and convey the food partaken of into healthy. CELERY KING POWERFUL Rich, red blood—essential to perfect health—this gists. 25c. a package. woodward medicine co., tives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions, and connutriment. They are just the medicine to take if troubled with indiges.

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Oh. the difficulty of fixing the attention of men on the world within them!—Coleridge.

Fatal Accident Near St. Marys.

Spirited Team Dash Against a G. T. R. Train.

A Farmer Named Isaac Ferris Instant ly Kilied-Thomas Fulcher Injured.

[G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser.] St. Marys, Ont. April 18.-Thomas Fulcher and Isaac Ferris were coming to town this morning on top of a load of hay, driving a spirited team of horses. When near the G. T. R. crossing west of the junction station they stopped to allow a west-bound freight train to pass. The horses, lowever, became unmanageable and ran against the side of the passing engine, overturning the wagon load.

INSTANTLY KILLED Mr. Fulcher was badly, but not seriously injured. Both horses were more Coroner Rankin, of Stratford, is expected here today, when an inquest

SHUN MR. CLEVELAND. The Cleveland Presbytery Thinks He

Ought Not to be a Guest of the Denomination. Cleveland, Ohio, April 18 .- At the meeting of the Cleveland Presbytery here the ministers decided by resolution to withhold approval of all educational institutions whose officials lend influence to the support of sathe Presbyterian Assembly at Winona, Ind., next month, and that he had favored the sale of liquor at Princeton Inn. They decided that one who favored the sale of liquor under suck

circumstances ought not to be invited to such a gathering. FAILURES FEWER. New York, April 18.—Bradstreet's report says: Failures have been renarkably small for the week. have been 254 in the United States against 207 last year, and 18 in Canada against 30 last year. EDWARD BELLAMY IS DYING.

skull had been crushed in by a heavy blow. The body had been wrapped up in a towel and packed in a box a foot health, is dying of consumption. He in a towel and packed in a box a foot long, eight inches wide and four inches is very low, and the end is believed THE SPRUCE LOUSE Toronto, April 18.—Mr. Thomas Southworth, of the forestry commis-sion, received information Saturday from Stratford that a grove of spruce

> which appears to be spreading northyard, and that fir trees are more or less infested. TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. druggists refund the money if it fails to

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has been attacked by the spruce louse,

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200 at 79½; Com. Cable, 50 at 167½, 25 at 167½, 50 at 167½; Rich. & Ont., 75 at 91½; Mont. St. Ry, 25 at 253½, 50 at 253½, 25 at 253; do, new, 25 at 251½; Merchante Bank, 3 at 178½; Bank of Commerce, 15 at 135. Toronto Stock Market.

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SALES-1 p.m.—Imperial, 5 at 192½; Mont. Jas, 25 at 182¼. 11:30 a.m.—Commerce, 4 at 137½; Western Assurance, 5 at 164½, 50 at 164. New York Stocks.

London Loan.... London and Ontario... Ontario Loan and Debenture....

Reported by F. H. Butler, 15 and 16 Masonic Cemple, for The Advertiser. New York, April 18. Saturday's Open. High. Low. Close.
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COMMERCIAL

Toronto Produce Market, Toronto, April 18.-Wheat-Not much offering; in good demand and steady, at 90c for red west; Manitoba wheat firm, at \$1 12 for No. 1 hard at North Bay; \$1 15 to \$1 16, grinding in transit, and \$108 to \$109 at Owen Sound. Flour-Quiet; cars of straight roller in barrels west at \$4 20. Millfeed-Steadl, at \$12 50 to \$13 for shorts, and \$10 50 to \$11 for bran west. Corn-Steady, at 31/2c for Canada yellow west, and 37c to 871/2c for American at Toronto. Oats-Steady, at 30c to 301/2c for white west. Peas—Steady, at 55c to 571/2c west. Baled hay, \$8 to \$8 50 for cars on the track here. Baled straw, \$4 50 to \$5 here. Seeds-The home trade is about over, and prices are unchanged, at \$3 45 to \$4 60 for timothy; \$5 to \$6 for red clover, and \$5 to \$8 for alsike. Eggs-The receipts are about sufficient to meet the demand, and the market is steady, at 91/2c. Butter-The receipts are fair and the market is steady, at 161/2c to 17c for large rolls; creamery in good demand and steady, at 20c to 21c

for prints and 19c for tubs. Montreal Produce Market. Montreal, April 18.-Grain in store-Oats, 34c; peas, 66c; rye, 58c; barley, 45c; buckwheat, 48c; red wheat, 90c; white do, 92c. Flour—Manitoba bakers, \$4 90 to \$5; spring patents, \$5 40; winter do, \$4 75 to \$5; straight roller, \$4 30. Feed-Manitoba bran, \$14; shorts, \$15; Ontario bran, \$13 50; shorts, \$14 50. Provisions-Canadian pork, per bbl, \$16 50 to \$17; ham, 11c to 12c; bacon, 12c Jackson. to 121/2c; lard, pure, 8c to 81/4c; compound, 5% to 6c. Produce-Eggs, fair J. W. Pedley. demand, at 9c to 9½c. Beans—Quiet, at 80c; hand-picked, 70c. Honey—Slow; white clover comb, 11c to 12c; dark do, Sc to 10c; white strained, 6c to 7c; dark, to to 5c. Maple product-Active, at %c to 5c per lb in wood, and 45c to 50c in tins for syrup; 6c to 64c for sugar.

English Markets. Liverpool, April 18—Closing.

Liverpool, April 18—Closing.

The state of the state -St. Louis fancy winter firm, 10s.

mess, 68s 9d; do, medium, western, 48s 9d.

Hams—Firm; short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 35s 6d.

Bacon—Firm; Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs., 32s 6d; short ribs, firm, 20 to 24 lbs, 31s 6d; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, steady, 23s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, steady, 29s; short clear middles, heavy, 45 to 50 lbs, no stocks; clear bellies, firm, 12 to 14 lbs, 32s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, firm, 29s.

Shoulders—Souare, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 25s 6d.

Lard—Prime western, dull, 27s 9d.

Butter—Finest American, 34s; good, 60s. Butter-Finest American, 84s; good, 60s. Rosin-Common, steady, 4s 3d. Cheese-American finest white and colored asy, 3s 6d. Tallow-Prime city, firm, 19s.

Cottonseed oil-Liverpool refined, steady, 15 Furpentine spirits—Firm, 253.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), dull,

0 £4 10s Imports of wheat into Liverpool for the week
From Atlantic ports, 61,400 quarters; from Pacific ports, none; from other ports, 27,000 quarters.
Imports of corn into Liverpool for the weekrom Atlantic ports, 102,000 quarters.

American Markets. CHICAGO, April 13.—Opening—Wheat. Dec. 78%; May, \$109%; Sept., 78%c; July, 86%c to 86%c. Corn, Sept., 32%c; July, 31%c; May, 30%. Oats, July, 23%c to 23%c; Sept., 22c; May, 23%c. Pork, May, \$9 72%; July, \$9 87% Lard Sept, \$5 30. Ribs, July, \$5 20 to \$5 22%; Sept. \$5 27% to \$5 30.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Flour—Receipts, 15,083 bbls; sales, 2,800 pkgs; state and western quiet and barely steady; city mills patents, \$5 75 to \$6; city mills clear, \$5 50 to \$5 65; Minnesota bakers, \$4 25 to \$4 45; winter patents, \$4 85 to \$5 25; winter straights, \$4 55 to \$4 70; winter extras, \$3 65 to \$4 10; winter low grades, \$2 90 to \$3. Rye flour-Steady; \$2 75 to \$3 20. Wheat -Receipts, 109,150 bu; sales, 2,560,000 bu; options opened steady and advanced sharply on covering, but lost it all under bearish crop news and disappointing cables; May, \$1 06 to \$1 07%; July, 91½c to 92%c; Sept., 83%c to 85c; Dec., 83%c to 87%c. Ryequiet; No. 2 western, 59½c, c.i.f., Buffalo. Corn—Receipts, 599,625 bu; sales. 80,000 bu; options active and stronger on the enormous visible supply decrease; May, 354c to 354c; July, 36%c to 36%c. Oats—Receipts, 169,200 bu; options quiet and steady with corn; track white state and western, 32c to 38c. Butter-Receipts, 9,401 pkgst, easier; state dairy, 15c to 18c; Elgins, 18c; factory, 13c to 151/2c; state creamery, 15c to 18c; western do, 15c to 18c; imitation do, 15c to 17c. Cheese—Receipts, 194 pkgs; firmer; large white, 8c; small white, 81/2c to 8%4c; large colored, 8c; small colored, 81/2c to 83/4c; large choice, 71/2c to 73/4c; small choice, 73/4c to 81/4c. Eggs-Receipts, 10,634 pkgs; steady; State and Pennsylvania, 10%c to 10%c; western, 10%c; southern, 9%c to 10%c. Sugar-Raw quiet; fair refining, 3 9-16c; refined steady; refin-

ing, 3 9-16c; refined steady; crushed. 5 5-16c; powdered, 5 7-16c; granulated, 5 3-16c. Coffee—Steady; No. 7, 5%c. Hops-Quiet; state common to choice 96 crop, 7c to 8c; 97 crop, 15c to 17c; Pacific coast, 96 crop, 8c to 9c; 97 crop. 15c to 17c. Lead-Quiet; bullion price, \$3 50; exchange price, \$3 60 to \$3 65. BUFFALO, April 18 .- Spring wheat, No. 1 hard,\$1 11; No. 1 northern, \$1 1034; winter wheat, No. 2 red, 98c; No. 1 No. 3 yellow, 35c; No. 2 corn, 34%c; No. 3 corn, 34%c, on track. Oats—No. 2 morning, having come from his home in No. 2 white clippped, 32c in store.

Detroit, April 18. - Wheat, No. 1 white cash, 961/2c; No. 2 red, cash and May, 981/2c; July, 34%c. TOLEDO, April 18.—Cash, \$1 021/2; May, \$1 011/2; July, 85c. Corn-Cash and May, 314e; July, 321/2c. Oats-Cash, 271/2c; May, 261/2c.

MILWAUKEE, April 18 .- Wheat -Cash, \$1 031/2; July, \$1.

Chicago Exchange. CHICAGO, April 18. Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1,278. Wheat—May...1 10

July.... 86%

Sept.... 79 Corn-May Oats-May. Pork-May

July....5 20 Puts-85½. Calls-88½. Manicure

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EXCHANGE OF PULPITS. On May 8-Where the Different Ministers Will Conduct Service. The following is the draft by the Ministerial Association for the annual

exchange of pulpits on Sunday morning, May 8: Knox Presbyterian-Rev. E. Middle-King Street Methodist-Rev. J. G.

Askin Street Methodist - Rev. Ira Talbot Street Baptist-Rev. R. Hobbs. Wortley Road Baptist-Rev. A. G. Harris.

West London Methodist-Rev. M Walker. First Presbyterian-Rev. E. B. Lan-Dundas Center-Rev. W. J. Clark. First Methodist--Rev. Robert John-

St. Andrew's-Rev. Dr. Daniel, borne Street Methodist-Rev. T. S. Johnson. Adelaide Street Baptist-Rev. Geo. Wellington Street Methtodist-Rev. First Congregational-Rev. A.L. Rus-

Southern Congregational-Rev. J. G. Hamilton Road Methodist-Rev. W. H. Claris. Centennial Methodist-Rev. Thomas King Street Presbyterlan-Rev. W. J.

Ford. Disciple Church-Rev. George Gilmour. Chalmers Presbyterian-Rev. C. S. G. Maitland Street Baptist -

LATEST WEATHER FORECAST Toronto, April 18-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours: Moderate to fresh north and northeast winds; fair, with a little lower temperature. On Tuesday, strong east winds and fair to cloudy weather.

Around the City

-Dr. Towle, of Kintore, was in the city today.

-The West London kindergarten opened this morning at Albert Hall. -Mrs. Chas. Kennedy and Miss Sadie Keys, of Ingersoll, are visiting friends in this city.

-Miss Kate Dodd has gone to Toronto to reside, where she has accepted a good position. -Mrs. C. F. Rowley, of Berlin, who has been visiting friends in the city, has returned home.

-Malcolm Macarthur has been summoned to appear at the police court for breach of the market bylaw. -Mr. Chas. Pugh, letter carrier, of 487 Ontario street, lies at his home in

-A chimney blaze at the Temperance House, kept by Mr. Robert Chariton, was the cause of a run by the fire department a few minutes before 1 o'clock today. No damage. -Freddie Betts, Wharncliffe road, South London, the lad who broke his

leg at the thigh about two months ago, was able to be out yesterday, with the aid of crutches, for the first time. -It is Mrs. Annie B. Jury, not Miss Jury, who will sing with the Lyceum company that appears at the Auditori-

um on Friday next. Mrs. Jury is a native of London. The concert promises to be one of rare merit. -Ald. Sam. Stevely has just returned from New York. He says the great city is in a fever of excitement, which is proving very disastrous to ocean passenger traffic. The populace, he

says, is very eager for war. -The Stanley baseball team have won two out of three games so far this season, and are open for challenges from any club in the city; average age, 15. Address all challenges to E. Weston, 64 Stanley street, South London.

LUTE JOHNSON HERE.

The Popular Pitcher the First of the Londons on the Ground-Other Players Expected Daily.

Lute Johnson is the first of the London baseball club to arrive for the seawhite, 98c. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 35½c; No. 3 yellow, 35c; No. 2 corn, 34%c; No. 3 yellow, 35c; No. 2 corn, 34%c; No. white, 311/2c; No. 3 white, 31c, on track; | Cohocton, N. Y. His familiar face was a gladsome sight for the enthusiasts, who are longing for the opening game. Lute looks just as happy and jaunty as ever. The added responsibility of an 1898 stock of curves to befool the latest A Couple of Bicyclists Fined \$2 batters seems to sit lightly upon him. Fresh arrivals are expected daily, and the entire club will probably be here before the end of the week.

THE "REDS" REORGANIZE. A meeting of the "Reds" baseball club was held on Tuesday last, and it was decided to reorganize for the coming season. The following officers elected: Manager, W. Taylor; captain, E. Jackson; secretary-treasurer, W. Johnston. The Reds are now open for challenges from any team with ages averaging 17 years. dress W. Johnston, 471 Maitland street,

ACTORS WEDDED.

Mr. John L. Clark and Miss Ella Cameron the Contracting Parties. At Schenectady, N. Y., last week, Mr. John L. Clark, a London boy, who has met with a large measure of success behind the footlights, was happily wedded to Miss Ella Shaw (known in theatrical circles as Miss Ella Cameron), of Brooklyn, who has also distinguished herself on the stage. Rev. Father Riley performed the ceremony. Mr. Clark had been with Campbell's "White Slave" company, which closed the season at Wheeling, W. Va., a week ago, and Miss Cameron is playing a leading part with the Bennett-Moulton Dramatic Company, now at Schenectady. She will remain with the company until her engagement terminates at the close of this week. Two years ago, when Mr. Clark was managing a dramatic company of his man, came to America a short time ences, on several occasions, Miss Cameron was his leading lady. Mr. and Mrs. Clark will make then home in London, having a charming residence at the corner of St. James and Alma streets.

GRAND TRUNK CHANGES.

Mr. McHattie of London Promoted-Goes to Montreal-Other Translations.

Mr. Thomas McHattie, locomotive has been promoted to the position of Montreal, vice Mr. J. W. Harkom, resigned. Mr. McHattie's successor here is Mr. A. A. Maver, formerly erecting shop foreman at Stratford. Mr. J. McGrath, formerly repair shop foreman at Toronto, succeeds Mr. Maver at Stratford, and Mr. W. Turnbull becomes Mr. McGrath's successor. ect on Saturday. By the promotion of Mr. McHattie, London loses a most estimable citizen. However, his many friends will be greatly pleased to learn of his well-deserved success.

America's greatest medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla, which cures when all other preparations fail to do any good what-The secret of success is constancy of

purpose.-Thackeray. Why will you allow a Cough to lacerate your throat or lungs and run

Look twice to see accurately. Look only once to see beautifully.-Amiel. Worms cause reversancess, moaning Rev. W. and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasGive Holloway's Corn Cure a trial.

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Normal School.

Contracts Soon to be Asked for Its Construction.

The Question of Site Receiving the Consideration of the Minister.

Principal of Ottawa Normal Highly Praises London Teachers.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, April 18.-I interviewed Hon. George W. Ross with reference ation, and that contracts will soon be called for. Though the front elevation plan recently shown in London was hibit ill-humor because European powthat of an exceedingly handsome ers and papal mediation have not a critical condition. The cause is pneu-structure, it will be gratifying news for Londoners that it is intended to improve upon it. The building will have a central tower, and will not be the plain, squat structure that some

imagined it would be. The question of a site has been exercising the minister. When he visited London, the other day, he inspected the various available sites, and from among these he will doubtless be able to make a selection. I saw Dr. McCabe, the principal of the Ottawa Normal School, at the teachers' convention last week. He says that the institution of which he is the head is situated on a lot five acress in extent, but of this two acres are taken up with a playground for the model school. The possession of a large lot has enabled the Ottawa Normal School principal to add Arbor Day enthusiasm to the principles inculcated into pupils and embryo teachers. The celebration of Arbor Day by suitable tree planting is one of the events of the year at the Ottawa Normal School. By the way, Dr. McCabe pays a very high tribute to the ability of the Western Ontario teachers who received their higher training in the institution of which he is the head. In particular, he mentioned Misses Spittal, Winnett and Vining, and Mrs. Althouse, of the London public school staff. Though acknowledging the propriety of recognizing the educational needs of the west, Dr. McCabe says that the Ottawa Normal School will miss the vigorous intellects that Western Ontario has been in the habit of sending to the Dominion capital.

Wife Fined \$50.

Lawrence Fralick Threatened His Landlord and Was Bound Over in \$200-Drunks Sent Down.

Police Magistrate Parke this mornlate of the Waterous Engine Works, Brantford, who pleaded guilty to the charge of keeping a disorderly house. On Friday Betts protested his inno-He was severely reprimanded and sentenced to three months in the common jail at hard labor. Edith Betts, his alleged wife, was allowed to go on the charge of being an inmate, but was fined \$50 for selling ale without a license, or in default three months. Her solicitor said the fine would be paid, whereupon the court ordered the

woman to leave town. Lawrence Fralick, a Frenchman, was charged by Geo. T. Gibson with threatening his life. The latter said he wished Fralick to leave his house on, William street north, as it was being used for immoral purposes. When he had asked Fralick for the rent, his tenant had abused him, threatened to shoot him and burn down his house. Fralick was bound over in \$200 and committed until the sureties are secured. Harry Gibson and Fred. Yelland, two drunks, who were found in West Lon-

don yesterday, were fined \$2 or ten Roderick McLeod, a young Scotchown, which delighted London audi- ago, but can get nothing to do, and was charged as a vag. He said he was disgusted with the country, and asked for another chance. He was shown out of town, and will go to Toronto

Two cyclists were each fined \$2 for breach of the bicycle bylaw, and two were allowed to go on suspended sen-

************************** CITY HALL NOTES.

There is plenty of material for a big foreman of the G. T. R., of this city, meeting of the city council tonight. One has been promoted to the position of of the chief items will probably be the acting master mechanic of the eastern attempted deposition of the tax collectory. In the chief items will probably be the acting master mechanic of the eastern attempted deposition of the tax collectory. In the chief items will probably be the acting master mechanic of the eastern attempted deposition of the tax collectory. In the chief items will probably be the acting master mechanic of the eastern attempted deposition of the tax collectory. In the chief items will probably be the acting master mechanic of the eastern attempted deposition of the tax collectory. In the chief items will probably be the acting master mechanic of the eastern attempted deposition of the tax collectory. In the chief items will probably be the acting master mechanic of the eastern attempted deposition of the tax collectory. In the chief items will probably be the acting master mechanic of the eastern attempted deposition of the tax collectory. In the chief items will probably be the acting master mechanic of the eastern attempted deposition of the tax collectory. In the chief items will probably be the acting master mechanic of the eastern attempted deposition of the tax collectory. In the chief items will probably be the acting master mechanic of the chief items will probably be the acting master mechanics. In the chief items will be acting the chi division, with his headquarters at tor. The estimates are also to be dealt with, and there is a large number of minor items on the bill of fare. It is doubtful if all the business will be disposed of, and another special meeting seems probable. The inference given by those on the inner circle is that the atmosphere is charged with electricity, All the above changes went into ef- and a "lively" time may be expected. ** ** **

H. Freeland and S. Sercombe have each taken out building permits to erect a brick veneer dwelling on the south side of Lorne avenue between Ontario and Quebec streets. ** ** **

Contractor Brown began work on the north end sewer today.

The water commissioners meet this afternoon to prepare estimates.

** ** ** the risk of filling a consumptive's satisfactory. Splendid progress is begrave, when, by the timely use of ing made by the classes, and the ladies Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, the pain can be allayed and the danger Prof. Speedie. The cast includes over avoided? This syrup is pleasant to the taste, and unsurpassed for relieving.

The classes for the minuet, Christopher The classes for the minuet, Christopher Chri healing and curing all affections of Colombo and African cake walk will the throat and lungs, coughs, colds, meet at the city hall tomorrow night, after which no more additions to the number of performers will be made. There will then be all that the stage

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Today's Doings

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vent the completion of the American preparations for war, which, it says, is all the presidential policy aims at. The Globo, the Correspondencia and to the new Normal School for London. | the Correo are despondent. They have little hope of any solution of the crisis The minister says the working plans that will preserve Spanish rule in Cuba, are now in a forward state of prepar- unless the president vetoes the resolutions of congress. The Heraldo and the military papers, and all the other opposition organs, ex-

> checked the aggressive policy of America. SPAIN WILL SAY "NO." London, April 18.—The Madrid correspondent of the London Standard says: A decisive turn in the relations between Spain and the United States is expected to be reached toward the end of the week, when resolutions having been finally adopted by the Senate and House of Representatives. President McKinley will lay the American pretensions before the Spanish Govern- Parkdale on Saturday morning. ment, demanding a reply on the principal points for settlement in the Cuban question, and a cessation of all naval and military reinforcements, which will imply a possibility of a renewal and prolongation of the struggle in Cuba. All such pretensions are sure to meet with protest and a firm refusal on the nothing aggressive in reply, as the government and nation are determined to fix upon the United States the whole responsibility of provoking war against this country, which will make every honorable concession to preserve peace short of a surrender of its rights and territory.

GETTING READY TO GO. Washington, April 18 .- Under instructions from Minister Polo Spanish consuls are arranging for the departure of Spaniards in their localities. had to quit work owing to the scarcity FIGHTING IN CUBA.

Havana, April 18, 9 a. m.-Further fighting has occurred in Pinar Del WAR NOTES.

Spanish fours closed on the London stock Exchange at 411/8, net loss of 11/4 from Saturday's closing quotations. A HOT TILT.

hot tilt between the speaker and Mr. Bailey after thhe vote, ending in the latter denouncing a statement of the speaker "as absolutely false." The vote on Mr. Dingley's motion, Hernandez, the leader of the rebell striking out the recognition clause of the senate's resolution was 173 to 152

THE PRESIDENT'S COURSE. Attorney-General Griggs, Secretary Fortitude of Long, Secretary Sherman, and Assisant Secretary Day had an hour's conference with the president this morning. It is believed that the meeting ing passed sentence upon Geo. Betts, had special reference to the Cuban resolutions. From reliable sources, however, it is learned that in all probability, if the recognition resolution is retained by the senate, the president will return the resolution without his cence, but has since changed his mind. approval. This, it is said, he will be compelled to do in order to maintain the prerogative which he holds is clearly his under the constitution. Up to this time nothing has done in the way of formulating an ultimatum to Spain, nor has anything been received from Minister Woodford. or through other sources, which in any way changes the situation.

WAR ALMOST CERTAIN. No one in official circles doubts that a hostile resolution will be passed by congress within the next day or two, and that war will certainly follow. Whether the president's veto in case such action on his part was made necessary would seriously delay matters, cannot with any certainty be foretold.

Lively Discussion

On "The Bible, Its Meaning and Supremacy."

Ministerial Association in Session-Rev. W. J. Clark's Address-A Letter From Dr. Balfour.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ministerial Association was held in the Y. M. C. A. parlors this morning at 10 o'clock. The meeting was opened by reading of the Scriptures by President Claris (in the chair) and prayer by

Members present: Rev. Messrs. W. H. Claris, E. Middleton, J. G. Stuart, W. Gilmour, George Jackson, E. B. Lanceley, A. G. Harris, Robert Johnston, A. Stewart, Mr. Lloyd, T. Sawyer and George Fowler.

Rev. Mr. Clark took the subject for the meeting, from Dean Farrar's recent work, "The Bible, Its Meaning and Supremacy." The speaker opened the discussion by a review of the work, in which, while expressing high admiration for Dean Farrar, he characterized the work as dangerous to the faith rather than helpful, because of its apparently antagonistic attitude toward the authority of unity and Scripture. A vigorous discussion took place, in which nearly all the members took part.

A letter was read from Dr. Balfour. superintendent of the city hospital, re the matter of holding service in the hospital on Sunday morning. The hospital trust recommended that the Ministerial Association consult with the Clerical Association, with a view to arranging for such a service. Rev. Messrs. Fillian, Keith (of Montreal), R. Johnston and E. B. Lanceley were appointed a committee to meet the Clerical Association, with a view to arranging for this service. The secretary will correspond with the Clerical Association and arrange for a meetiny. Adjourned at 12:30.

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TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

Peter Chantler, of Woodstock, committed suicide by hanging himself. Arthur Pettet, an 11-year-old lad, was killed on the railway tracks at

Hon, Robert M. McLane, former United States minister to France, died at Paris at 6 o'clock this (Saturday) morning. The dynamite factory at Ironsides

exploded and the shock broke a number of windows in Ottawa, six miles part of Spain, who will, however, do distant, besides shaking the parliament buildings. Robert Purvis, the well-known abo-

litionist and last surviving member of the original American Anti-Slavery Society, which organized in Philadelphia in 1833, is dead, aged 88. Pilot W. D. Clark, just in from the Grand Rapids of the Athabaska, reports that he was successful beyond expectations in removing seven of the worst boulders from the channel. As a result boats can now be run with

of dog feed and the water rising on FELL IN BATTLE.

their cargo, and six days' hard work

can be accomplished in two. Clark

Death of Joaquin Crespo, President of

Venezuela New York, April 18 .- A special to Washington, April 18.—There was a the Evening World from Caracas, Venezuela, says President Joaquin Crespo, of Venezuela, was killed Saturday while engaged in a battle with

Turkish Soldiers.

An English surgeon, Dr. Ryan, while serving with the Turkish army in the campaign of 1877-78, saw a marvelous exhibition of the fortitude that resists pain and sustains with cheerfulness a violent physical shock.

The surgeon's first capital operation was performed on a Turkish soldier whose knee had been shattered by a shell. He refused to take chloroform, and the surgeon took his leg off above the knee.

He never groaned nor uttered an exclamation, but smoked a cigarette during the operation. When the Turkish captain came around with his note-book to take down the name, age and regiment of each wounded man, this patient answered quietly all questions, though the surgeon was stitching up the flap of skin over the stump. At the first battle of Plevna, Dr. Ryan worked all day among the wounded. In his book, "Under the Red Crescent," he records that in all

known men to exhibit such fortitude under intense agony as did these Turkish soldiers. The recovery of the wounded, considering the unfavorable conditions under which they were treated, filled him with wonder. Their injuries were terrible, but their splendid physique, unimpaired by intemperance, enabled many of them, after a few weeks in the hospital, to resume their places in

his surgical experience he has never

the ranks. "I never saw a private soldier under the influence of liquor during the whole time that I was in the country," writes Surgeon Ryan. "There were many of these men whose lives I could have saved if I could have persuaded them to take stimulants; but it was impossible to get them to touch alcohol, even as medicine. "The principles of their religion forbid the use of alcohol, and the humble Turk clings so tenaciously to his religion that he would rather meet death itself than violate its precepts." Many of the wounded lost their lives owing to their religious belief that the loss of a limb would prevent them

from entering Paradise. They refused to submit to amputations, preferring to die rather than to live maimed." THE COMMERCIAL CABLE, New York, April 18 .- The Commercial Cable Company this morning sent out notice that the Japanese land wires

are now in working order. Messages for Japan accepted without restriction. THE BERING SEA AWARD. Washington, April 18 .- The senate has under discussion a bill to pay the Bering sea awards, amounting to \$473,151, in settlement of the claims of Great Britain against the United States.

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The Puzzling Pretty Widow

She was mad, desperate, with grief. She felt that it was more than she ears. could bear; that the remorse gnawing at heart, the more bitterly for the pleasure of the morning, had reached a having to be so rude, but I won't lispoint where it became intolerable, where the strength of a woman must against your friend."

And then, when she had crawled out of the room, with smarting eyes and merely glared at her through her longaching head, and found the way up to her own shabby, gloomy room, with

periods of the most brilliant speaker in tered just before the cab drove away towards the United States. the universe could have conveyed to with the stranger,poor unhappy Dorothy half the solace of these inelegant words. She began to smile, all red-eyed as she was, and to feel that there was something worth in the world after all. And your mind?" when she had bathed her face, and lain dewn for a little ease to her aching head, she was able presently to look out with an impulse of pleasure at the bright green of the lawn, where the "Oh, yes, yes. I must tell you n long, and to listen to the sound of confide in Mrs. Dale's little dog." young voices talking and laughing, and feel that there was something left

in life after fl. Mabin and Rudolph. The vicar's son ought to go away, and not stay in the Wherever the sails of peace are seen, visitor was with her. The him that Mrs. Dale was engaged, but tend to like and admire Mrs. Dale so tend that England in this attitude is that Miss Rose was in the garden, and much? he had lost no time in going in search of the latter.

He was surprised to find her in a can you be astonished, after the warnstate of great distress, shedding furtive ings you have had? tears, and trying to hide a face elo-'May I ask what's the matter?" he when she had begun to talk "that you would take her part."

"Oh, I don't know whether I ought "Well, look here. I'll go as far as the too! wall that shuts in the kitchen gardenthat's on the other side of the house, lent. you know-I'll walk very slowly, and if I find any caterpillars on the gooseberries, I'll pick them off. That will give act meanly!" you a long time. And when I come back I shall expect you to have made excuse." up your mind whether you can tell me or not. Only," added he, wistfully, "I

No, they don't say that," said Mabin cantankerously. "Women are much less curious than men, really; I would not have heard what I did for worlds if I could have helped it. And you are 'dying' to know it!"

"Well, I won't argue with you," re- val. plied Rudolph, philosophically, as he walked slowly, according to his promise, in the direction of the kitchen gar-

Mabin watched him, drying her eyes, and asking herself whether there would be any harm in confiding in him. She felt the want of someone of whom she could take counsel, in this extremely embarrassing situation for a young girl to find herself in. If only Mrs. Haybrow had been at hand! She was a motherly woman, whose sympathy could be as much relied upon as her advice. Not once did it occur to the girl to write to her stepmother, who would have consulted Mr. Rose, with results disastrous to the reputation of poor little Mrs. Dale; for it was not to be supposed that a father could allow his daughter to remain in the house of a lady about whom there was certainly

more than a suspicion of irregularity of some sort. She was pondering these things in helpless and bewildered fashion, anxious to do right, and not quite certain where the right lay, when she heard a firm step on the gravel path, and, looking round, saw the austere-looking lady

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who had descended so abruptly upon Mrs. Dale, coming towards here. Mabin would have liked to run away, Is shown by your grocer in giving you "SALADA" it is only because he has some inferior article that leaves him a larger profit, and any dealer that has his customers, interest at heart will cheerfully give person she had to deal with was not to be put off in that manner.

"Stop!" she cried, in such an imperi-ous voice that Mabin obeyed at once. 'I want to speak to you." Mabin glanced up at the hard, cold face, and her heart rose in rebellion at Reciprocates the Friendly Feeling the thought that the severe expression was for poor Mrs. Dale. She drew up her head with a flash of spirit, and waited patiently for what the elder lady had to say.

"What is your name? And where do you live?" asked the lady. At first, guessing that this vixenish Sealed lead packets only. By grocers everywhere. 25c, 30c, 40c, 50c her friends about the desirability of woman wanted to communicate with oving her from The Towers, Mabin telt inclined to refuse to answer. But a moment's reflection showed her that t would be easy for the lady to get the information she wanted from the servants, so she said:

ther is on his way to Geneva." "And how did he become acquainted with-" she paused, and added in a Mabin shortly.

"You had better write to him, and # \$\delta\$\delt ask him to take you away," said the lady. "There are circumstances-But Mabin put her hands up to her

> "Not a word," cried she. "I won't hear a word. I beg your pardon for ten to you; I own't kear a word She was prepared in her excitement for some sort of struggle. But the lady handled eye-glasses in disgust, and.

creetly incurious, was standing by the and co-operation for the benefit of the "I don't care," Mabin was saying to gate, to open it for the visitor to go trade of both countries. some unseen person among the yew out. But the lady paused to enter into ment there is in England a friendlitrees; "I don't care what she's done, conversation with her; and Mabin was ness of feeling towards the United She is a sweet woman, and I love her filled with indignation, believing, as States such as heretofore has never all the more for having to be preached she did, that the stranger's motives existed. The newspaper press in Eng-No elequence, no smoothly-rounded caught the words which the maid ut-

> "Well, have you had time to make up She started and turned quickly. He

was surprised to see that all traces of tears had disappeared, and that her shadows of the tall elms were growing If I didn't, I should have to go and "Oh, yes, yes. I must tell you now! "Well, I promise to be quite discreet." "That cab that you saw drive away And the Star Spangled Banner unfurl had in it a woman who came here to The voices, as she knew, were those of see Mrs. Dale, and who told me taht I

"Well? Is that all you have to say? therefore, had informed 'Aren't you disgusted? You who pre-

Mabin looked at him with wide-open eyes. "I thought," she said rather coldly, about the flowers and the trees in a "Yes, so I will; so do I. But I don't rather broken and unmanageable voice. feel quite sure whether you ought to." "And why not? Why, since I like and

pity her, too, shouldn't I take her part, For a few minutes Rudolph was si-"You're a girl," said he at last.

"But that's no reason why I should "Ah, well, if it's not a reason, it's an "I don't think so. I like to stand by my friends. I haven't many; I haven't do hope you will make up your mind any I like better than Mrs. Dale. So, that you can, for I'm 'dying of curios- whatever it is that she has done, I shall stay with her as long as she wants me, and do all I can to prevent these stories getting to papa's and mamma's ears." Rudolph looked at her fair face, which was aglow with generous enthusiasm, and smiled in hearty appro-

(To be Continued.)



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The Anglo-American Relations.

A Cordial Letter by an American Newspaper Correspondent

Towards America in England.

The Cause He Says Not Entirely Selfish -No Gush or Sentimentality About the Briton-The Interests of the Two Countries Mutual.

Robert P. Porter, the clever London (England) correspondent of the Pittsburg Dispatch, in his latest letter to that admirable journal says: I found on arriving in London that

"My name is Mabin Rose, and my fa- minds of all Englishmen at the presthe two questions uppermost in the ent time are the relations of the United States with Spain and the probabilities of war and the critical conpeculiar tone, as if the name stuck in dition of the British interests in the Far East. The newspapers seem to "They were neighbors," answered alternate, and one day the Spanish-American question takes precedence, and the next the problems confronting England in the Pacific. In spite of all reports of the crisis having at last been reached, of pending ultimatums and the certainty that congress will take matters out of the against Spain, there is a strong underin London that there will be no war moment she feels she has enough with Spain. On the other hand, there scattered all over the world, but she seems to be a unanimity of opinion among all intelligent Englishmen with whom I have discussed the is-Englishmen and also to secure access into as many her own shabby, gloomy room, with staggering feet, there came to her ear from the garden the sound of a fresh jestically back towards the house.

Onited States and England to John hands in some sort of alliance which shall have for its object the further interests. ance of English-speaking interests

"Very well, my lady."

I have no doubt that English exthe strongest and most important country in the world in matters reare fairly understood at home. The attitude of the London Times is one of unusual friendship, and you may imagine how we all felt in London on reading the effusion from London on by our protective tariffs. reading the effusion from the poet able to keep pretty well up in this laureate, published in the Times, competition and is willing to take all which stamps this sentiment to the English mind with eighteen-karat approval and enables us all to sing:

Now, fling them out to the breeze,

wherever the War-wind blows.

"There is no pretense in it. I do like and admire ver very much. But how only actuated by selfish motives; that she finds herself in an embarrassing position in the Far East, and that an alliance with the Twited Control alliance with the United States will aid materially in holding together the trade of that part of the world which Russia and Germany are trying to wrest from her. This is the version which some of our Irish friends are giving, but, unless I am very much mistaken, the sentiments, so far as the people of England are concerned, are genuine, and rise above what may be termed mere shop-keeping instincts. The Englishman, when reminded of the Venezuelan incident, frankly declares that he never regarded that as a very serious matter, little ill-feeling at the time, the mother country looked upon it as a parent timents, and without accepting them regards the rather indiscreet expresion the spirit in which I believe they are sion of a son, who had set up in business for himself and thought he was very much bigger than the firm of which he was once a partner. The United States is young, they said, and like a young bear, its troubles are all before it. This Spanish question is one of these troubles, and may develop into a real trouble. But as the attitude of the United States on that question is right in the interests of aumanity, of Christianity, of liberty, and of progress, the time has now do you know of Lord Wolseley?" was come when those countries which be-lieve in these sentiments should stand a minister of Henry VIII., who extogether and fight for that which the claimed, If I had served my God as Anglo-Saxon race has fought for since it became a power in the history of the world. This idea is well set forth between Wolseley and Wolsey is perin these two verses of Alfred Austin's:

message to bond and thrall to wake, tice.—New York Tribune. For wherever we come we twain, The throne of the tyrant shall rock and quake,

And his menace be bold and vain; For you are the lords of a strong young land, and we are lords of the main. Yes, this is the voice of the bluff March gale,

We severed have been too long. But now we have done with a wornout

The tale of an ancient wrong, And our friendship shall last as love doth last, and be stronger than death is strong.

* * * * The Englishmen with whom I talked on this subject go much deeper into the question than mere trade relations, and for this reason, no matter what may be the results of our present differences with Spain, I think it is a mistake for the United States not to meet these expressions of good will in the spirit in which I believe they are intended. The Englishman as a rule, is not emotional, and this sentiment toward the United States is not mere gush, nor is it prompted by any fear which England has relative to her own commercial sterests. As I have said, they go back of an this sort of thing and take the ground that the general policy of the nations which are opposing the Anglo-Saxon idea of ent to what actuates the Englishspeaking races. They quote, for example, the Dreyfus affair, and say that
no other nation save England, her
colonies and the United States care a rap about the fact that in this case and in this age, a prominent man has been condemned to a fate worse than that of death, namely, placed in an iron cage on a tropical island, without the evidence of the crime which it is alleged he has committed being made public. The real fight for justice for this one single individual, they say, has been made by the English and American newspapers. Then they discuss the conditions of Europe at the present time and clearly show that the tendency of nearly all of the European nations is toward an evalusiveness nations is toward an exclusiveness which means that certain European force, if necessary, to take every possible advantage for themselves in all parts of the world where possibilities exist in the development of territory or the civilization of new countries.

They contend that whatever may be

force, if necessary, to take every possible advantage for themselves in all parts of the world where possibilities for cost of customs and mailing only, 31 one-cent stamps; or, cloth-bound 50 stamps.

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said of the selfishness of England on the continent of Africa, it is the only country which is willing to be fair and just to other countries, both in the protection of life, of property and of trade interests. They point to India, and say that while the history of England's action in that great country has had its dark spots, that upon the whole the government of India today is as good as is possible when the character of its population is taken into account. And, lastly, they take the ground that England asks for nothing in China and the Far East but absolutely free ports. In support of this, they point to the fact that the

ports in that part of the world, which may be regarded as British, are open and free to all nations for trade purposes; that they are willing to accept open competition, and if other countries, by fair and just means, can secure the trade, they are welcome to it. On the other hand, they vigorously contend that is Russia or Germany or France or any other European country that instead of allowing free access and open competition, they will simply, by fair means or foul, hold whatever trade there may be for the conquering country, and either allow no opportunity or as little as possible to other nations This seems to be the attitude of England at the present time, and in seeking the cc-operation of the United States, the reason given would seem to be a plausible one, namely, that we are the only nation which can subscribe, at least in a general way, to the doc trine herein laid down. We want no new territory to add to our already large domain, but we do want-and this we want badly-all the new marhands of the president and declare war kets possible for the products of American industry. England does not obcurrent and belief in financial circles ject to the territory, although for the

does want to retain all that she has,

new markets as possible.

It must not be supposed in making this alliance that England underestimates the importance of American competition just now in many of her heretofore strongest industries. She has watched with something akin to alarm the great progress which we have made in the last few years in all matters relating to engineering, especially electrical engineering. has noted the tables turned in what was once her favorite and strongest industry, namely, iron and steel, and lating to the heavier branches of the by our protective tariffs, she has been consequences which may result from holding up the hands of her great commercial and industrial rival, so long as such an alliance may be effectively used to prevent the encroachment of what may be called her great naval and military rivals. With the United States, England feels that she would have an open chance for comfor new trade, whereas, with Asiatic territories seized and held by nations like Germany and Russia, she would have no chance whatever. This, as far as I am able to get at, is the real attitude of England and of the English people at the present moment toward America. While reasons for self preservation do undoubtedly enter nto the problem, they would seem to be such just and fair reasons, that it would be a mistake for us to accept ese proffers of friendship in any other light than that they are made ith honest intent and cannot fail to in the end beneficial to both coun-

tries and to the world at large. Whatever may have been our differences with England or our future complications from a trade point of view, it is exceedingly difficult for garded that as a very serious matter, a patriotic American to be suddenly and that while it may have caused a landed, as I have been, in London, given. Without being guilty of gush or sentimentalism, though our countries are twain, we are at the bottom a tthe manse, Strathroy, on Wednesbut one people.

ROBERT P. PORTER. A POST-MORTEM SPEECH. The London Journal of Education publishes some genuine schoolboy answers to examination questions: "What I have served my king, I should not have been beheaded." The confusion haps not remarkable, but a post-mortem speech of this kind deserves no-

I abhor war, and view it as the greatest scourge of mankind .- Thomas Jefferson.



the doctors. When a womar and burning, dragging down sensations, the average physician will attribute these feelings to heart, stomach or liver trouble. For years, possibly, she takes their prescriptions for these ailments without receiving any benefit, then, in final disgust, are opposing the Anglo-Saxon idea of free government, free speech, just and fair trade relations, is radically different to what actuates the English-speaking races. They quote, for example, the Dreyfus affair, and say that no other nation save England, her colonies and the United States of the distinctly feminine organism. There is an unfailing and inexpensive cure for all troubles of this description. It is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It acts di-Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It acts directly on the delicate organs concerned making them well and strong. It heals all internal ulceration and stops debilitating drains. It takes the pressure off the nerves and makes them strong and steady. Under its marvelous merits thousands of women have been made healthy, happy and robust. The "Favorite Prescription" restores weak, nervous, pain-racked women and makes strong, healthy, capable wives and makes strong, healthy, capable wives and mothers. With its use all pain and suffering disappear. All good medicine stores sell it and have nothing else "just as good."

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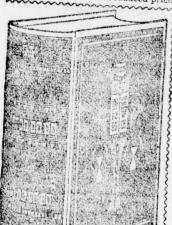
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quietly asked him to remove his head-"No, sir!" he responded, in a loud "You have no right to make a man take his hat off. This is a free "Certainly it is," rejoined the at-

tendant, "but you can't get books at this library if you don't observe its "I'd like to know why not!"

"Because it's the rule. That is suffi-You insist on my taking off this hat?" asked the man, in a still louder May 1. The road will be in running

voice.
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38-54; Edmonton, 34-52; Qu'Appelle,

30-44; Winnipeg, 26-54; Port Arthur.

32-50; Parry Sound, 32-48; Toronto, 40-62; Ottawa, 42-64; Quebec, 32-58;

Halifax, 40-58; Kamloops, 42-54; Mon-

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-The Misses Elsie and Madeline

-Misses Mary and Grace Claypole,

visit with Mr. and Mrs. Freer, Four-

street, has returned home after spend-

-The Misses Hall, the lady evan-

-Rev. Dr. Medd, of the Queen Street

Epworth League sermons at the Ham-

ilton Road Methodist Church yester-

has agreed to retain her position as or-

ganist for the Adelaide Street Baptist

-The street railway company started

a gang of men at work this morning

repairing the Springbank road, which

a few weeks ago.

order on May 24.

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-The government gunboat Petrel

-Three elders were elected at the

First Presbyterian Church yesterday.

They are Messrs. Harry M. Lay, John A. Levie and Thomas Bryan. They

-A class of fifteen candidates (ten

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firmed at St. James' Church, South

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-St. Thomas Times: The first of the

new boilers for the electric railway ar-

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-Woodstock Sentinel-Review: After

the next meeting of the town council

we will probably see the system of ward

appropriations abolished and the ex-

penditure of money for street improve-

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of works. The board sat until a late

hour last night and discussed the question in all the different bearings.

tion in favor of the abolition of the

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-Miss Florence O'Brien, of Horton tion of the world. -Mr. W. A. Hunton, of Norfolk, ing her Easter holidays with Dr. and Virginia, delivered a special address to men in the Auditorium yesterday afternoon. There was a large attendance gelists, began evangelistic services in and much interest was manifested by those present. Mr. Hunton is an elothe First Methodist Church yesterday, and will continue each evening this quent speaker, and gave a thoughtful and conscientious address. Mr. G. N. Cooke, of Cleveland, sang a solo in 13-inch breech-loading rifles, supple-Methodist Church, Sarnia, preached livered in the Askin Street Methodist Church by Mr. Hunton in the evening. —At the unanimous request of the board of managers, Miss Nellie Rendell

Y. M. C. A. JOTTINGS. The board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. held a dinner Saturday night, at which W. B. Miller, New York; W. A. Hunton, international secretary, of Norfolk, Va., and W. H. Symonds, of Somerville, Mass., were the guests of honor. The following directors also sat down to the depictive set and appetizing down to the daintily set and appetizing spread: President W. R. Hobbs (in the chair), Wm. Spencer, F. W. Daly, J. A. Brown, R. H. Little, J. W. Westervelt, F. H. Heath, John Bowman, R. Kirkpatrick and Secretary Sayer. After the dinner a short meeting was held and arrangements made for the special financial campaign, which opens today. The clergymen's class played basket ball and a number of other games this morning in the gymnasium. The athletic grounds will be decided

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while the remaining twelve, also behind six inches of armor, are divided into two batteries-four amidships and one well forward on each side. Splinter bulkheads of steel an inch and a halfthick separate the gun stations one from another, and heavy shields prevent the admission of shot through the ports. These guns will have an individual rate of fire of five aimed shots a minute, each shot weighing 100 pounds and capable of piercing, undeformed, through a trifle over eight inches of

steel 1,500 yards distant. A secondary battery, consisting principally of sixteen 6-pounders, is disposed advantageously on the main deck well forward, on the berth deck well aft, and upon the superstructure and bridges where promising the most effective service against torpedo craft and the exposed position of an enemy's decks. These guns can be fired quite

ten times a minute. Protection to the hull is provided by water at normal draft-reaching from abreast the after-turret to another has a maximum thickness of 161/2 inches -thence it tapers gradually to 4 inches at the stem. At each end of the heavy belt athwartships bulkheads of hardened steel 12 inches thick reach from side to side and oppose raking fire. On top of these walls rests the main body of the protective deck, 2% inches thick. A continuation of this protective deck, 3 inches thick, runs slantingly to the bow and to the stern, to points below water. Above the water-line belt, throughout the range of its heaviest part, the sides are reinforced by 5½ inches of steel, reaching up to the upper deck, also running athwartships like the thicker belt; and it is through this armor that the amidship 6-inch guns and the two torpedo-tubes on each side are worked. A complete band of corn-pith cellulose binds the ship from bow to stern just above the line of the water-

There are two armored fighting positions, the forward one being just below the pilot-house and abaft the bow turret, the after one just abaft the mainmast and up in the superstructure. The forward one will be 10 inches thick, and there the captain will control his ship in action, and the after one will be 6 ches thick, and a position for either the admiral or the signal officer during

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rets and all ammunition hoists, while a supplementary plant will furnish the energy for electric signals and the great searchlights. Wood has been used sparingly, and all of it will be fire-

proofed The ship that can live against that minute's broadside of 8,440 pounds of hardened steel, hurtled by any one of these vessels, and well aimed, must be stronger than any of those yet fashioned.-Harper's Weekly.

THE DEAD PRELATE.

Quebec, April 18 .- Crowds of people flocked up Fabrique street to the entrance of the palace where the remains of the late Cardinal Taschereau lay in state, to such an extent that the electric cars had to stop on both sides of the crowd and transfer their passengers from car to car. It is estimated that from about 10,000 to 15,000 people must have visited the palace Sunday. The city hall is heavily draped outside,

