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"STORM-BOUND."

One of the Most Damaging Snowfalls Ever Seen.

New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania Suffer Seriously.

Streets Blockaded—Telegraph and Telephone Service Paralyzed—Communication Cut Off—Incalculable Damage

...NTON, Pa., Jan. 26.—The most de...e snow storm in years fell last ...and this city is storm-bound. The ...W, and phone and telegraph wires, ...bbed ...ning the streets were im... One huge pole in front of the ... Union office was broken off short ...nusual strain, and service was en... ...t off. The storm also extended to ...s of Wilkesbarre and Carbondale.

THE WORST IN YEARS.

...BETH, N. J., Jan. 26.—The storm ...been the most disastrous in years. ...graph service has never experienced ...sterruption. All communication is ...interrupted. The Western Union ...s closed to customers, and employes ...a holiday.

HOPELESSLY BLOCKED.

...ATERSON, N. J., Jan. 26.—This city ...erday found itself back in the last cen... in some respects. The heavy weight ...wet snow on the hundreds of overhead ... that stretched over the principal ...s pulled down scores of poles all over ... Of the seven horse car lines in the ...y two ran any cars. The rest are ...sly blocked by fallen poles and ...

A MILLION DOLLARS DAMAGE.

...INGHAM, Conn., Jan. 26.—One of ...t damaging snowstorms that ever ...his section of the State began early ...y morning, and lasted until 10 o'clock. ... snow fell, and as it was very wet ... to the telegraph and telephone ...uch quantities that it destroyed ...ncipal lines completely. The re... of the Bay State Telephone Com... ...hich passes through this place ...nects Boston and New York, is ... Several of the big poles were ...d off even with the ground and the ...are in a complete tangle. This same ...y had its main line destroyed only ...day by storm. Electric wires are ...o. No communication with any ...de has been had since Saturday ...ais is the fourth storm here in the ...eeks. The damage to the com... ...m this series of calamities will ...ly $1,000,000.

BEYOND DESCRIPTION.

...RK, N. J., Jan. 26.—There is no ...expressive enough to describe the ...ion of things in this city. The wires ...ll in trouble, and the city is in a ...gle of wires, fallen poles and branches of ...es. Ten years ago, on Jan. 23, the tele...aph poles encountered a storm of ...et which did more damage than any ...at had preceded it, and they thought ...at nothing like it could ever excel in ...wer of destruction. The storm of yes...day morning eclipsed it entirely, how... and there was no frozen sleet on the ...s either. The same conditions exist ...sey City and other places near by.

IN NEW YORK.

...ORK, Jan. 26.—A storm set in on ...ight in New York and continued ... noon, which was the severest ...sted of any since the great bliz... March, 1888. All wires are de... and the destruction is great.

THE WORLD OF WORK.

Hands of Unemployed Men in Want Couple of Strikes Settled—Labor Reforms Proposed.

...ots were caused by the railway strikers ...Greenock and Perth on Saturday night.

The lockout of the stonecutters at Chicago by the cut-stone contractors has been settled by concessions on each side.

The coke producers in Pennsylvania and their employes are preparing for a prolonged struggle over the wages question.

The Ohio miners in convention at Columbus adopted unanimously a resolution favoring the enforcing of the eight-hour system after May 1 next.

The North British Railway Company has lodged an arrestment of the funds of the Scotch Railway Servants' Society, claiming £20,000 damages from the society for causing the present strike.

General Manager Tucker, of the Chicago and Erie Railroad, announces a settlement of the strike. By the terms of the agreement Train Dispatcher Scott is not to be reinstated or re-employed, but all other employes are to be allowed to resume work.

Four thousand unemployed people of Hamburg held a meeting to-day (Monday) to consider matters looking to an amelioration of their condition. It was resolved to send a petition to the Senate, asking that landlords be prohibited on the next quarter from evicting tenants.

The bulky report of the committee having in charge the Labor Bill has been distributed among the members of the German Reichstag. It provides for the enforcement of Sunday rest, rejects fixed hours in all trades, increases the protection of women and children who labor, and prohibits the retention by employers of more than one week's wages in the event of a breach of contract by workmen. The general feeling of the House is in favor of the bill.

A Bad Upset.

ST. CATHARINES, Jan. 27.—Sunday evening Miss Smith, of Pelham, and two young men were driving down St. Paul street hill, when, on turning a corner, the seat of the carriage gave way, throwing the occupants to the ground. Miss Smith was seriously injured, her shoulder being dislocated and her collar bone and three ribs broken. A young lad named Wright had his skull fractured and was otherwise injured.

A Sleep of Nine Months.

DIXON, Ill., Jan. 26.—Miss Grace G. Ridley, of Amboy, Ill., who went to sleep about nine months ago, awoke Friday afternoon for the first time. She wandered about the house but did not speak a word. At tea time she took her accustomed seat at the table, but could eat nothing, and when some of the family attempted to assist her she motioned them away with a guttural sound, but no distinct word was spoken.

Killed by a Michigan Central Train.

STEVENSVILLE, Ont., Jan 26.—Yesterday at 3:30 p.m. Mr. Irvin Teal and Mr. Ezra Moore of Ridgeway, while driving across the M. C. R. track southward were run into by a special westbound train. The engine demolished the buggy, and Mr. Moore was thrown a distance of 40 feet, while Mr. Teal was more fortunate in consequence of having a hold of the lines. Mr. Moore died at 9 p.m. Mr. Teal was badly bruised, but not fatally. Mr. Teal states that the engineer did not ring the bell or blow the whistle until the engine struck his rig.

BATTLE AT WEYMOUTH.

Serious Collision Between Civilians and Soldiers.

Artillerymen Refuse to Obey the Orders of Their Officers.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Sunday evening a number of artillerymen at Weymouth became involved in a fight with civilians. The disturbance attracted a crowd of citizens, and also brought reinforcements to the soldiers. Finally the fight became general, and the soldiers, to the number of 70 or 80, drew their sword bayonets and charged through the crowd and down the street, slashing or prodding anybody in their way. The civilians, panic-stricken, fled in all directions, leaving a number of wounded upon the ground.

When the news of the distubance reached the officers in charge of the artillery barracks they ordered the buglers to call the men to quarters. Though the riotous artillerymen heard the commands they refused to obey, and for hours spread terror through Weymouth. Eventually the soldiers sobered down and straggled back to their quarters, where they were arrested. All the rioters are to be court-martialed, and may also have to answer to the civil authorities.

DYNAMITE SCARE.

The British Authorities Increasing Their Vigilance—Detectives Swarming in the Principal Ports.

LONDON, Jan. 26.—There is another dynamite scare among the authorities, who have received information from their agents in America that the dynamite section is actively preparing to resume operations. The headquarters are said to be in Philadelphia and Kansas City. The authorities are increasing their vigilance and detectives swarm at Queenstown, Liverpool, Southampton and other ports. The police guards have been increased around the public buildings, and the authorities are considering the advisability of issuing orders for a closer inspection of the baggage of passengers arriving from the United States, which was stopped a few months ago.

Hugh King was found at his residence yesterday evening, and said to a reporter: "No Irish party is mixed up in it any way. Though opposed to such methods, I am interested in the cause and my acquaintance with the party leaders is such that I am kept pretty well informed as to what is going on. Of course some crank—even two or three of them—may have some train of their own laid, but you cannot control every individual Irishman. I am sure there is nothing more in the story than that."

French and German Sailors in Conflict.

PARIS, Jan. 27.—A scrimmage took place at Bordeaux yesterday between a number of French and German sailors. Knives were drawn and two Germans were seriously wounded. Several Germans and Frenchmen were slightly wounded. It is expected one of the Germans will die.

British Parliament.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—In the House of Commons the Attorney-General for Ireland, replying to a question by T. W. Russell, member for South Tyrone, in regard to priests acting as agents at polling booths, especially in the North Kilkenny election, said that without pronouncing an opinion upon the facts he was indisposed to add so controversial a measure to the Government programme as the introduction of a bill on the subject would entail.

Tuberculosis Treated With Lymph.

BERLIN, Jan. 27.—Prof. Schnibler yesterday exhibited at Vienna a patient suffering from tuberculosis of the larynx who had been treated with Koch's lymph. The patient's condition improved under the treatment, but tubercular swellings developed on his nose which reached an unprecedented size.

A Paris dispatch says: Drs. Bertin and Picq, of the Nantes faculty, recently injected fifteen grains of goat's blood into the muscular tissues of the thighs of two patients suffering from tuberculosis, and they assert that cures can be wrought by renewing such injections every ten days.

Buried in Snow.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 26.—Terrific snow storms have prevailed throughout the southeastern portion of Russia, and whole villages and numbers of isolated houses have been almost buried in snow. The railroad tracks are entirely useless from the piles of snow resting upon them, and the only means of communication between the villages and town is by sleighs. Numbers of people are already known to have been frozen to death, and it is feared that as the snow disappears there will be further loss of life revealed. The city of Charkow (or Kharkow), the capital of the Government of Kharkow, on the Kharokay, is so completely isolated by snow that the only way of communicating with its inhabitants is by telegraph. Charkow is a city of about 200,000 inhabitants, and should its isolation continue for any length of time there will be terrible suffering, owing to the scarcity of provisions among its poorer classes.

The Lymph.

BERLIN, Jan. 26.—An English bacteriologist, who is notable as the discoverer of tox albumens, and who is now studying the Koch method at the hygienic institute, announces that he has discovered a remedy for anthrax. Prof. Bollinger, of Munich, reports the result of his experiments with the lymph on tuberculosis cows. He states that in cases where large injections were used a reaction similar to that noticed in human beings was seen. Two sound bulls treated with the fluid showed no reaction, and on being killed their tissues were found to be in a normal condition. Prof. Bollinger concludes that the highest value of the lymph is to be found in the diagnosis of cattle suspected of having tuberculous diseases.

Interest in the Koch treatment is abating. The Ministers are still delaying the presentation to the Landtag of a bill for the endowment by the Government of a hospital for the treatment of patients by the Koch method. In the opinion of many medical men the exact value of the remedy is doubtful.

CURTLY CHRONICLED.

News of the Day Without Note or Comment.

Arrest of a Notorious Housebreaker at Woodstock—Death of Brigham Young's Eighth Wife.

CANADIAN.

Mr. C. A. Dansereau has been appointed postmaster of Montreal, vice G. Lamothe, superannuated.

During the absence of Messrs. Mercier and Shehyn in Europe Mr. Garneau will act as Prime Minister of Quebec.

A contractor named Andrew Little is dying at Orillia, and inquiries are made as to the whereabouts of his friends.

The Minister of Agriculture has decided to send 400 bushels of "prize prolific" barley to England to be made into ale in one of the leading breweries, with a view to testing its quality in that direction.

Sir Hector Langevin told an Ottawa deputation that he would absolutely prohibit the laying of tracks of the electric street railway along Wellington street in front of the Parliament buildings.

Jim Butler, a notorious housebreaker, was arrested at Woodstock Saturday night on a charge of escaping from the Jackson, Mich., jail. Butler fifteen years ago escaped twice from Kingston Penitentiary.

A man named Galbraith was caught in the belting yesterday at Brook's woollen mills, Simcoe, and narrowly escaped instant death. A portion of flesh was torn from his face, while his body and one arm were badly bruised. It is thought he will recover.

Rich & Robinson, the wholesale boot and shoe dealers who absconded from Bradford, Pa., are now confined in the house of a sheriff's officer at Hamilton, instead of the county jail. It is said Rich & Robinson have offered to settle with their creditors for $18,000, but the creditors ask $50,000.

At Ottawa, pestilential emanations are driving people out of their houses in Lower Town on King, St. Andrew, Church, St. Patrick and Cumberland streets. The nuisance was so unbearable on Friday and Saturday evenings that many houses had to be kept with the windows opened all night. The bad smell comes from the residue of the manufactured product from the gas house, which finds its way into the King street sewer.

UNITED STATES.

The Hamburg distillery at Pekin, Ill., was burned yesterday. Loss, $105,000.

Lucy Decker Young, eighth wife of Brigham Young, is dead. Only seven are left.

Rev. W. W. Carson conducted the first services in his new offices as pastor of the Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian Church, Detroit, on Sunday.

The Behring Sea case did not come up at the Supreme Court at Washington yesterday, as case under argument on Friday is not yet disposed of.

A collision occurred on the Northern Pacific, near Butte City, Montana, on Sunday, killing H. W. Lord, formerly a Congressman from Michigan.

A Chicago jury has awarded Stephen S. Young $7,000 damages against the Grand Trunk for injuries received in the Junction Cut accident near Hamilton.

George H. Snyder, one of the wealthiest citizens of San Maco, Ga., and agent for the Southern Agricultural Works, of Atlanta, Ga., shot and killed his wife yesterday.

The U. S. revenue cutter Bear is being fitted out for sea at San Francisco. Significant changes are being made in the way of strengthening the spar decks and putting in gun carriages for two four-inch rifles.

FOREIGN.

Mrs. John Thompson, granddaughter of the poet Burns, has just died in Glasgow.

Dispatches from Chili say the rebels have bombarded Coronel, and several persons were killed and wounded.

Volcanic disturbances in the sea between Genoa and Spezzia culminated on Sunday in a submarine volcanic eruption.

Spain has accepted the proposal of the United States for the negotiation of a reciprocity treaty relating to American trade with Cuba.

A railway carriage took fire between Niezzunk and Kruta, Russia, Monday and was completely destroyed. One person was killed and four others were terribly injured.

Buenos Ayres advices say the British Minister to Chili is acting as mediator between the Chilian Government and insurgents. President Balmaceda offers to resign.

The steamer Lero, from Baltimore Jan. 7, for Rotterdam, is aground near the latter place and is expected to become a total wreck. Part of her cargo may be saved. The crew landed safely.

Dr. Tanner has withdrawn his libel suit against Mr. Parnell. The latter admitted that his charge that Dr. Tanner murdered Joseph Ronan, of Cork, was indefensible and groundless. Dr. Tanner said he was sorry he was so abusive during the Kilkenny campaign.

Bej. W. Patton, of Globe Village, Mass., says: "Having sold WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY for many years, and used it in my family with the most satisfactory results, I can with confidence say that in my estimation it is the best remedy in the market for coughs, colds and throat and lung diseases."

Hailstones should be classed as shamrocks.

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has done once it will do again.

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TORONTO LETTER.

A Bookkeeper Missing—Stabbing Affray—The Belt Line Railway.

TORONTO, Tuesday, Jan. 27.

Lafayette F. Wilson, who has occupied the position of bookkeeper for the Grange Supply Company on Colborne street, left town suddenly about ten days ago, and it has since transpired that he took with him considerable money belonging to his employers. Mr. Manning, manager of the company, states that Wilson was correct in all his dealings up to December, since which time it has been found that he pilfered several registered letters, his last act before departing being to abstract $245 from a money package.

A committee of the City Council to-day decided that the compulsory weighing of coal was not practicable.

Raphelo Dimacio, an Italian, serving a year in the Central Prison for a stabbing affray, stabbed another convict named Geo. Mulholland while they were working together in the broom factory on Saturday. Mulholland will recover.

Col. J. M. Gibson was elected president of Toronto Military Institute at the annual meeting last night.

The "At Home" of the Legal and Literary Society, of Osgoode Hall, last evening was the society event of the season. More than 1,000 people were present.

The Belt Line Railway Company have contracted with Mr. Wm. Hendrie, of Hamilton, to complete the road by Sept. 1 next.

The annual business meeting of the Toronto branch of Imperial Federationists was held last night. J. H. Mason was elected president.

Dr. W. Beattie Nesbitt returned from Berlin on Saturday and brought with him two phials of Dr. Koch's lymph. Each of the phials contains a quantity sufficient for about 4,000 injections.

Thomas Mulholland, one of the old settlers of York township, has died, leaving a will disposing of property worth $115,000. The estate, which is composed of farm property, is bequeathed to various members of the family.

Lost 108 Cattle.

MONTREAL, Jan. 27.—The steamship Grasbrook, from Boston to Glasgow, with 269 head of cattle, lost 108 head during heavy weather. The cattle were shipped by Mr. Bickerdike, and were insured in the British and Foreign Western and Live Stock Insurance Companies. The Grasbrook arrived in Glasgow on Friday, but Mr. Munderlot, agent of the Hansa Line in Montreal, has received no official word of the loss.

A Slate Pencil Driven into His Brain.

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Four-year-old Patrick McCarthy, whose parents live at 439 East 121st street, was seated on a footstool in the dining-room, with a slate in his lap and a slate pencil in his hand yesterday afternoon. His mother called to him from the front room, and he ran to her, holding the pencil in his hand. He stumbled and fell over the sill of the parlor door, and the pencil penetrated the brain through the inner corner of the right eye. The child was sent to the Harlem hospital, where he died.

Fatal Accident in a Lumber Yard.

DESERONTO, Ont., Jan. 27.—An accident in the Rathburn Company's sash shop yard here yesterday resulted in the killing of George Bulker and injuring of four others. A car of lumber which was being loaded for the dry kilns fell on the unfortunate men. The names of the injured are: James Asselstine, shoulder dislocated and badly cut about the head; Wesley Marks, shoulder dislocated and otherwise badly shaken up; Robert Milligan and Wm. Grant, badly cut about the face and otherwise slightly injured.

A Month Without Food.

NEW BERNE, Ill., Jan. 27.—The 30th day of the strange fast of George Harris has almost exhausted his wonderful vitality, and it is now only a question of hours instead of days until his unnatural desire to die will be gratified. All his relatives and near friends took occasion to visit him Sunday and spent considerable time with him. His attendant, Shell Wilson, who is his brother-in-law, said that Harris has grown very much weaker in the last 24 hours, and that he had spells of restlessness, in which it was necessary to change his position every few minutes.

Blaze at Simcoe.

SIMCOE, Jan. 27.—A disastrous fire occurred yesterday morning at 4 o'clock in Arthur's block, which was entirely consumed. Some of the occupants barely escaped with their lives, as they were all asleep at that early hour. The principal losers are: C. A. Arthur, buildings, $4,000, a complete loss; insured in the Queen's for $2,300; J. W. Armstrong's photograph gallery, nearly total, loss $1,000; insured in the Royal Canadian for $400; Rounds, groceries, $800, total loss; insured for $400 in Mercantile; F. Stevenson, tailor, $2,500; also total loss; insured in Mercantile for $1,100, in Fire Insurance Association for $500, and Marshall, pork store, and the Battersby Hotel were both slightly injured. Cause of fire a defective chimney.

The Homeliest Man in London,

as well as the handsomest, and others are invited to call on any druggist and get free a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, a remedy that is selling entirely upon its merits, and is guaranteed to relieve and cure all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Large bottles 50 cents and $1. ywt

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Sewing machines of all kinds repaired, umbrellas mended with dispatch, saws and cutlery sharpened. T. P. COMISKEY, 383½ Talbot street. yt

POLITICAL POINTS.

Date of the Ontario Liberal Convention Changed.

Final Decision in the Hamilton Election Case.

Stinson Unseated—Latest Rumors Regarding the Dissolution of Parliament.

Owing mainly to the difficulty in getting halls for evening meetings, the dates of the Ontario Liberal convention at Toronto, have been changed from Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 17 and 18, to Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 18 and 19. On the evening of the 18th, the first day of the convention, public meetings to be addressed by the Liberal leaders will be held in Association Hall and the pavilion.

SOUTH NORFOLK.

Complete returns from South Norfolk materially increase Mr. Charlton's majority The majorities now stand:

	Charlton.	Morgan.
Woodhouse	59	..
Charlotteville	38	..
South Walsingham	9	..
Port Dover	1	..
Port Rowan	32	..
North Walsingham	..	58
Houghton	..	4
Total majority	97	..

NORTH WELLINGTON REFORMERS.

At the annual meeting of the North Wellington Reform Association the following officers were chosen: President, L. Brisbin, Harriston; first vice-president, Dr. Allan, Arthur; second vice-president, R. Philp, Amaranth; secretary, A. G. Campbell, Harriston; treasurer, John Harcourt, Arthur. A resolution was unanimously passed expressing confidence in Mr. James McMullen, Reform member for the riding in the Dominion House. It was also resolved: "That we, the Reformers of North and West Wellington, desire to express our satisfaction with the manner in which the Hon. Oliver Mowat has so ably conducted the affairs of this Province in the past, and we tender him our congratulations on the successful result of the recent general Provincial elections." Also "That this convention desire to express their appreciation of the efforts made by the Reform party in the direction of more extended trade relations with the outside world."

DECISION IN THE HAMILTON ELECTON CASE.

TORONTO, Ont., Jan. 26.—Judges MacMahon and Ferguson gave judgment on the reserved point in the Hamilton election trial this morning at Osgoode Hall. The point reserved was as to whether there was sufficient evidence of the prevalence of corruption to vitiate the election. From the evidence regarding Goering and other agents of the Tory candidate, the judges reached the conclusion that corruption was generally prevalent. Stinson was therefore unseated.

Another account says: "Before judgment was delivered, Mr. Meredith, for Mr. Stinson, made a motion to put in an affidavit that would open the evidence and permit the hearing of the Salvation Army Captain McMillan, and Band Master Hooper, to whom Collier had given money. The court declared that as there had been an opportunity for hearing of these men during the trial at Hamilton the motion could not be allowed. The question of costs was reserved. Mr. Osler made a motion for a summons to be issued for Fitzgerald, Goering and Loney for corrupt practices, and it was granted. The time of the trial will probably be at the forthcoming chancery sittings at Hamilton. The judgment threw out the Collier charges, but went strongly on the alien voters' charges, holding that Fitzgerald and Goering must have known that their actions were corrupt. Further, the judgment declared that the position of Goering in the Central committee rooms suggested that there might have been more undue influencing of alien votes than was proved at the trial.

TALK OF DISSOLUTION.

A dispatch from the Capitol says: The dissolution talk has given way to a well-defined impression that Sir John has either decided to postpone an appeal to the people, pending the result of the trade negotiations, or has decided to meet Parliament in March. A leading Conservative who has been seeking inspiration says the Premier emphatically talks about a session, with an election in October, after a short session.

MONTREAL, Jan. 26.—The Gazette this morning deals with the question of dissolution of the Canadian Commons in an editorial written by R. S. White, member of Parliament. It neither affirms nor denies that such an action is contemplated, but says:

Whether or not an appeal to the electors will be made before another session is held is, we believe, a matter which the Government has not considered, but in respect of which a decision must necessarily be shortly made known. There are ample precedents both in England and Canada for a dissolution of the Commons before the natural expiration of the Parliamentary term. The popular idea has been that the present Parliament would run until after the taking of the census in April in order that a redistribution of seats might be made before another election occurs; but we may explain that, contrary to a widespread belief, there is no need of a second election after the census, should one be determined upon now. It is not difficult to imagine circumstances which would make delay in giving increased representation to the Provinces entitled to it a grave injustice, but unless such a one should arise there is nothing to prevent a Parliament elected a few months hence running out its term before the redistribution of seats occurs. Meanwhile, we repeat that no decision as to immediate dissolution has been arrived at.

The Mail's Ottawa dispatch says: "The latest news to-night with regard to the intentions of the Government leaves little room for doubt that the general election will take place in March. The definitive fixing of the date will probably not be done until the Premier returns from his Toronto visit. It is positively stated that he will ask the country to indorse him in entering into negotiations with the United States looking to reciprocity. His supporters here speak of that with exultation as a larceny of the thunder of the Opposition. There is a decided excitement here. Nothing else is talked about. One evening paper states that Sir John Thompson, Sir Adolphe Caron, and Messrs. Chapleau and Costigan are opposed to dissolution. Others state that the subject upon which they are recalcitrant is that of the retention of Sir Hector in the Cabinet."

OTTAWA, Jan. 26.—The talk of an early dissolution of Parliament still continues. Sir John leaves to-morrow for Toronto where he will confer with his supporters, Sir Adolphe Caron has gone to Quebec to look over the field there. It is reported that he will abandon Quebec county to seek re-election in Saguenay. The Cabinet met this morning.

A HITCH.

OTTAWA, Jan. 26.—It is reported in Government circles this afternoon that the Dominion Cabinet has approached the Governor-General and asked his sanction to have a dissolution of Parliament decreed. Lord Stanley is said to have refused his sanction, in view of the fact that Parliament has yet a year of life, because the voters' lists have not been revised for two years, and because the census and redistribution of seats should take place before another election is held. Correspondence is now going on with the Imperial authorities.

NOTES.

Annual meeting of the Conservative Association of Bothwell at Dresden on Friday, Feb. 6.

The Liberals of South Huron will gather at Brucefield on Tuesday, Feb. 3, to name delegates to the Liberal convention at Toronto.

South Essex Liberals will meet at Kingsville on Friday, Feb. 6, and select delegates to attend the Provincial Liberal Convention.

West Huron Liberals will meet in convention at Goderich on Wednesday, Feb. 4, to choose delegates to the Liberal convention at Toronto.

The South Renfrew Reform Association will hold a convention at Renfrew on Monday, Feb. 2, and select delegates to the Toronto Convention.

The annual meeting of the South Oxford Liberal Association will be held at Mount Elgin on Thursday for the purpose of electing officers and selecting delegates for the Toronto convention.

The North Victoria Reform Association will meet at Fenelon Falls on Wednesday, Feb. 11, for the purpose of appointing delegates to the Provincial Reform Convention to be held in Toronto.

A special meeting of the South Victoria Reform Association will be held at Lindsay on Saturday, Jan. 31, for the purpose of appointing delegates to the forthcoming Provincial Convention which is to be held in Toronto.

Among the Ottawa rumors is one to the effect that Sir John Thompson, the Hon. John Costigan, and the Hon. J. A. Chapleau have intimated a desire to resign should the intention to dissolve Parliament be persisted in.

Mr. Magwood's majority in North Perth was declared by the returning officer to be 46.

An Ottawa press dispatch says: The Ministers are constantly holding council meetings, but so far no agreement has been reached.

The Liberals of Peel will meet at Brampton on Feb. 2 to elect officers for the county association and choose delegates to the Toronto convention.

It is expected about 600 guests will be present at the annual banquet of the Club National in Montreal Wednesday. Hon. Mr. Laurier, Mr. Mercier and most of the Quebec ministers are expected to be present.

A meeting will be held at Brantford on Thursday evening to organize a young men's Liberal club, at which addresses will be delivered by Hon. A. S. Hardy, Mr. Wm. Paterson, M.P., and Mr. H. H. Dewart, of Toronto.

Sir Hector Langevin refuses to allow the Ottawa electric street railway to run along Wellington street, in front of the Parliament buildings, his chief reasons being that the viceregal carriage would have to cross the rails going to and from the buildings.

The Liberals of North Simcoe will meet in convention at Stewart's Hall, Stayner, on Wednesday, Feb. 4, at 1 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the general convention to be held in Toronto, as well as for organization in view of the near approach of the Dominion elections.

Wellington meetings—Meetings for the appointment of delegates to attend the Reform convention to be held in Toronto on Feb. 17 and 18 will be held in the south riding of Wellington as follows:

Town Hall, Aberfoyle, on Tuesday, Feb. 3, at 2 p.m. Erin township and village—At the Town Hall, Erin village, on Friday, Feb. 6, at 2 p.m. Guelph township—At the old City Hall, Guelph, on Saturday, Feb. 7, at 2 p.m. Eramosa—At Town Hall, Center Inn, on Monday, Feb. 9, at 2 p.m.

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CENTRAL AVENUE RINK—GOOD ICE skating every afternoon and evening; between Adelaide and William; open air rink.

GRAND CARNIVAL AT CENTRAL avenue rink. 47k

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DANCING ACADEMY—255 RICHMOND street—Classes, gentlemen, Mondays, at 8; ladies and misses, Thursdays, at 3:30. Advanced class for ladies and gentlemen, Thursdays, at 8 p.m. Private lessons any hour. Music for balls; calling cards. DAYTON & MCCORMICK, members of the National Association of Teachers of Dancing.

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THE LIBERAL ASSOCIATION OF THE city will meet at the Young Liberal Club rooms, on Monday Feb. 2, at 8 p.m. Election of officers and appointment of delegates to convention in Toronto. All Liberals welcome. By order of President. 46k tywt

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word

SMART GIRLS WANTED—TO LEARN tailoring. Apply 900 Queen's avenue. 46c

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—APPLY MARTIN House. J. W. MARTIN, proprietor. 47c

WANTED—A COOK AND DINING-ROOM girl at the Bernard House at once. 47n

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT —three of a family. Apply to Mrs. BLINN, 116 Mill street, between 6 and 8 p.m. 47tf

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WANTED — A PLAIN COOK IMMEDIATELY. Apply to Mrs. SIMPSON SMITH, South London. 43tf

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—FOR A small family. Apply Mrs. CLARKE, 32 Craig street, over Victoria Bridge, South London. 41tf

GIRLS, GIRLS, GIRLS—IT IS SURPRISING how easy good girls can secure situations at Osborne's intelligence office, 56 Dundas street. You save time, trouble and expense by going there; 35 girls wanted immediately as general servants, cooks, kitchen girls, housemaids, nurse girls, laundresses, etc.

WANTED — TWO EXPERIENCED dining-room girls. Apply at Grigg House. 24tf

WANTED.

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WANTED IMMEDIATELY—COMFORTABLY furnished rooms, with board, for lady and daughter; centrally situated. Address Y. Z., this office. 46c

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word.

NATURAL FLOWERS EMBALMED — Orders by mail promptly attended to. Mrs. BUTTERY, 559 Colborne street.

FLOWERS! CHOICE FLOWERS!— wedding and funeral designs, plants for sale or rent; cut flowers, baskets, table decorations made up on shortest notice. By S. S. WORTMAN, successor to Mrs. S. WOODLIFFE, 250 Dundas street, one door east of old stand.

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word

WM. JENKINS — REMOVED TO 377 Clarence street. Lends money on diamonds, watches, jewelry, etc. Cash paid for cast-off clothing; orders promptly attended to. ywt

SAINSBURY BROS., 90 KING STREET, pay the highest cash price for ladies', gents' and children's cast-off clothing. Orders by mail promptly attended to.

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LONDON ACADEMY OF MUSIC—WM CAVEN BARRON, formerly professor a Hellmuth Ladies' College, late of Leipsic Germany, director. Greatest attention paid be ginners; references given; terms moderate diplomas.

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word.

C. S. TAMLIN, VETERINARY SURGEON —Office, 359 Talbot street; residence, 366 Oxford street. Telephone (office) 422; telephone (house) 129.

J. H. WILSON & SON—OFFICE, 99½ KING street, London. Residence, 846 Richmond street. Telephone.

J. H. TENNENT — VETERINARY SURGEON—Office, King street, opposite Market House; residence, corner King and Wellington. Telephone. J. H. TENNENT.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word.

THOMAS GILLEAN, JEWELER—ISSUER of marriage licenses without bondsmen. 402 Richmond street, south of Dundas; residence, 512 Dufferin avenue.

MARRIAGE LICENSES AT J. G. SHUFF'S Drug Store, 634 Dundas street east, or at residence, northeast corner Dundas and William streets. No witnesses required.

MARRIAGE LICENSES AT CHAS. F. Colwell's Popular Music House, 171 Dundas street, London, or at residence, 489 Princess avenue.

ELOCUTION AND VOICE CULTURE.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word

TRAIN YOUR VOICE TO OBEY YOUR will; highest testimonials. For circular address A. C. MOUNTEER, B.E., London.

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word.

H. H. NELLES—DENTIST—NEW MODE fillings and plates; painless extracting. Over Fitzgerald's grocery.

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word.

FOR SALE—NO. 483 PRINCESS AVENUE —Cheap and on easy terms of payment. Apply to THOS. G. DAVIS, inland revenue, or 515 William street. 41n zxvywt

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word.

SHIPPING TAGS AT BOTTOM PRICES— ADVERTISER Job Department.

ACCOUNTANTS.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word.

ALFRED A. BOOKER—ACCOUNTANT— No. 437 Richmond street (up-stairs). Telephone. 126. P. O. box 20

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word.

ART STUDIO—240½ DUNDAS STREET— Miss L. WILSON, gives lessons in oil, pastels and crayons.

J. P. HUNT, ARTIST—STUDIO 187 DUNDAS street, over Caddy & Rowe's

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WELD & O'NEILL, BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, conveyancers, notaries public, etc. Office, 90 Dundas street, London. Money to loan. Branch office Lucan, Ont. EDMUND WELD, J. D. O'NEILL.

MEREDITH, CAMERON AND JUDD— barristers, solicitors and notaries. Robinson Hall chambers. E. MEREDITH, Q.C., J. C. JUDD. E. R. CAMERON.

ALBERT O. JEFFERY, LL.B., D.C.L., Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public. Office, Ontario Loan Building (upstairs), Market Lane, London.

ELLIOT & JARVIS BARRISTERS, Solicitors, Notaries, etc. 7 Robinson Hall Chambers, London.

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TENNENT & MACBETH—BARRISTERS, solicitors, notaries, etc. D. H. TENNENT, HERBERT MACBETH, 78 Dundas street, London.

MILLS & WEEKES—BARRISTERS, ETC., London, Ont., office corner Dundas street and Market Lane. HON. DAVID MILLS, Q.C., G. N. WEEKES. Money to loan on real estate at lowest current rates.

PARKE & PURDOM — BARRISTERS — Offices, opposite City Hall, Richmond street. E. JONES PARKE, Q.C., T. H. PURDOM.

HUTCHINSON & McKILLOP—BARRISTERS, solicitors, etc., Courthouse, London. CHARLES HUTCHINSON, JAMES B. MCKILLOP.

W. H. BARTRAM—BARRISTER— Solicitor, notary public, conveyancer. Money to loan on real estate at lowest rates. Office, 99 Dundas street west, London.

LOVE & DIGNAN—BARRISTERS, ETC.— 418 Talbot street, London. FRANCIS LOVE, R. H. DIGNAN.

GIBBONS, McNAB & MULKERN—BARRISTERS, etc., London. Office, corner Richmond and Carling streets. GEORGE C. GIBBONS, Q.C., GEO. MCNAB, P MULKERN, FRED. F. HARPER.

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DR. JONES HAS REMOVED HIS residence and office to 739 Richmond street, nearly opposite his old stand. Telephone 287.

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JOHN M. MOORE, P.L.S.,
ARCHITECT AND CIVIL ENGINEER, Albion Building, - - - London, Ont.

PETERS JONES & McBRIDE—ARCHITECTS, Surveyors and Civil Engineers, 215 Dundas street, London, Ont. S. F. PETERS, C. A. JONES, P.L.S. and C.E., H. C. MCBRIDE.

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WILKINS, THE BARBER, HAS REMOVED to his new shaving parlor a few doors east, 264 Dundas street. A call solicited.

J. G. CONSTABLE—GRIGG HOUSE Barber Shop — First-class workmen; baths in connection with shop

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word.

QUIET, COMFORTABE ROOM ON Dufferin avenue, well furnished, with self feeder, will be let to gentleman; only a few minutes' walk from Postoffice; no other lodgers; references exchanged. Addres McD., ADVERTISER office. 28tf

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word

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Advertisements under this head a cent a word.

W. A. FRASER—PROPRIETOR OF THE Hub restaurant, 203 to 205½ Dundas street. European plan, choice liquors and cigars.

THE OLD RELIABLE CLARENCE HOUSE —Next to central fire hall; $1 per day. HARRY RYAN, proprietor, London, Ont.

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METROPOLITAN HOTEL (FORMERLY Horsman House), corner Dundas and Wellington streets, has been remodled and is now one of the leading houses in the city. JAMES FRAWLEY, proprietor.

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A. T. CORP, PAINTING, GLAZING, paper hanging and house decorating. 183 Oxford street. Telephone, 758.

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GEO. LEWIS & SON, PAINTERS, GRAINERS, glaziers, paper hangers, etc., 611 and 617 Richmond street.

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Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of "The London and Petrolea Barrel Company" has been dissolved as of the 1st of January, 1891. The business will be continued by the undersigned Wm. Hockin and John Forristal, under the same firm name. Dated Jan. 13, 1891. Witness (signed) Geo. C. Gibbons. (Signed) W. HOCKIN, JOHN FORRISTAL, E. V. TAYLOR. 45n

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BY W. M. MOORE, at his rooms, Richmond street, London, on Friday, the 30th day of January, at 3 p.m., the stock of R. G. Balmer, London, in one or two parcels to suit, as follows, consisting of:

First parcel—		
Ready-made clothing	$5,846 71	
Shop furniture	152 00	
		$5,998 71
Second parcel—		
Tweeds and cloths	3,458 31	
Tailors' trimmings	1,133 69	
Gent's Furnishings	1,915 99	
Shop furniture	283 00	
		6,790 99
Total		$12,789 70

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We are not going to advertise that we do the best tailoring in London—that is generally conceded—Neither shall we announce a "Great Reduction Sale," so common among merchant tailors. We are constantly buying new patterns, and at no time are we burdened with unseasonable goods. Low prices, good fabrics and perfect fit, and satisfaction guaranteed to every customer. Will use up our stock as fast as required and give place for new goods.

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We have now in stock one of the finest assortments of Heavy Single and Double Harness, Carriage, Coupe and Phaeton Harnesses made of the best oak tanned leather; also a full line of Trunks, Valises, Bags and Traveling Equipments of every description. It will prove to your benefit to give us a call.

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356 RICHMOND STREET,
SIGN OF THE "BIG WHIP."
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RAILWAY TIME TABLES

CORRECTED TO JAN. 1, 1891.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.

LONDON TIME.

Canada Southern Division—Going East.

	Leave London.	Leave St. Thomas.
North Shore Limited (daily)	8:30 p.m.	11:00 p.m
N. Y. Express (daily)	8:30 p.m.	3:05 a.m
American Express (except Monday)	9:50 a.m.	11:15 a.m
Atlantic Express (daily)	9:50 a.m.	1:50 p.m
Mail (except Sundays)	2:25 p.m.	3:15 p.m
Limited Express (daily)	8:30 p.m.	2:05 a.m
N. Y. and Boston Express (daily)	2:25 p.m.	5:05 p.m
Accom'd'n (except Sunday)	8:30 p.m.	7:00 a.m

Canada Southern Division—Going West.

North Shore Limited (daily)	8:30 p.m.	7:23 a.m
Chicago Express (daily)	8:30 p.m.	5:05 a.m
Chicago L't'd Exp. (daily)	9:50 a.m.	10:55 a.m
American Express (except Mondays)	9:50 a.m.	1:35 p.m
Mail (except Sundays)	2:25 p.m.	3:10 p.m
Pacific Express (daily)	2:25 p.m.	5:45 p.m
Accom'd'n (except Sunday)	8:30 p.m.	7:40 a.m

[NOTE.—No trains to or from London on Sundays.]

JOHN PAUL, City Ticket and Passenger Agent, 395 Richmond street.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Going East.

DEPART—			
London	4:05 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m
Woodstock	4:55 a.m.	8:50 a.m.	6:28 p.m
Galt	6:02 a.m.	9:50 a.m.	7:30 p.m
Guelph	9:20 a.m.	11:05 a.m.	8:40 p.m
Toronto	8:15 a.m.	12:00noon	9:55 p.m
Peterboro	11:38 a.m.	......	12:13 a.m
Kingston	......	......	......
Ottawa	5:45 p.m.	......	6:00 a.m
Montreal	7:55 p.m.	......	8:15 a.m
Quebec	6:30 a.m.	......	3:00 p.m
Portland, Me	9:30 a.m.	......	8:35 p.m
Boston	8:10 a.m.	......	8:50 p.m
Halifax, N. S.	10:35 p.m.	......	......

Trains arrive from the east at 11:25 a.m., 6:50 p.m., 10:00 p.m.

Going West.

DEPART—			
London	8:15 a.m.	11:35 a.m.	7:00 p.m
ARRIVE—			
Chatham	11:55 a.m.	1:05 p.m.	8:50 p.m
Detroit	......	2:45 p.m.	10:40 p.m
Chicago	......	10:15 p.m.	7:20 a.m
St. Louis	......	7:45 a.m.	6:15 p.m
Kansas City	......	6:10 p.m.	9:20 a.m

Trains arrive from the west at 4:00 a.m., 12:15 noon, 5:25 p.m.

E. M. PEEL, City Ticket and Passenger Agent, No. 1 Masonic Temple.

GRAND TRUNK—Southern Division

MAIN LINE—Going East

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Limited Express (A)	4:15 a.m.	4:35 a.m
Mail		6:00 a.m
Atlantic Express (A)	11:05 a.m.	11:30 a.m
Day Express	10:50 a.m.	2:20 p.m
St. Louis Express (A) (D)	4:20 p.m.	4:25 p.m
Mixed—No. 28 Freight (C)	5:45 p.m.	6:50 p.m
Erie Limited	11:20 p.m.	11:40 p.m

MAIN LINE—Going West.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Chicago Express (A)	5:10 a.m.	5:30 a.m
West End Mixed		6:45 a.m
St. Louis Express (A)	11:20 a.m.	11:25 a.m
Erie Limited	12:05 p.m.	
Accommodation	12:45 p.m.	2:15 p.m
Pacific Express (A)	6:50 p.m.	7:10 p.m
Mail	9:45 p.m.	
Accommodation		7:20 p.m

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Limited Express (B)	4:30 a.m.	......
Atlantic Express (B)	11:25 a.m.	......
Accommodation	2:15 p.m.	......
Accommodation	8:45 p.m.	......
Erie Limited (B)	11:35 p.m.	......

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Chicago Express (B)	......	5:20 a.m
Accommodation	......	7:35 a.m
Erie Limited (B)	......	12:10 p.m
Accommodation	......	2:30 p.m
Pacific Express (B)	......	7:00 p.m

London, Huron and Bruce.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Express	10:15 a.m.	8:05 a.m
Mail	6:45 p.m.	4:25 p.m

London and Port Stanley.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Mail		6:40 a.m
Accommodation	7:20 a.m.	9:30 a.m
Mail	2:10 p.m.	2:50 p.m
Accommodation	5:35 p.m.	7:00 p.m
Mixed	6:50 p.m.	
Mail	11:15 p.m.	

St. Marys and Stratford Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Mixed—Mail	11:20 a.m.	7:35 a.m
Express	5:40 p.m.	2:15 p.m
Express—Mixed	9:20 p.m.	6:00 p.m

Toronto Branch.

Hamilton—Depart—							
a.m. *7:00	a.m. 9:15	a.m. 10:50	p.m. 12:25	p.m. 4:10	p.m. 5:40	p.m. B*7:00	p.m 9:25
Hamilton—Arrive—							
a.m. †12:30	a.m. 8:45	a.m. †9:00	p.m. B†1:45	p.m. 4:00	p.m. 6:25	a.m 12:30	

* These trains for Montreal.
† These trains from Montreal.
(A) Runs daily, Sundays included.
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ERIE & HURON RAILWAY.

Trains South.

Stations.	Exp	Exp	Mix	Mix
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Sarnia (G. T. R.)	....	5:10	7:40	....
Courtright	....	5:45	8:20	....
M. C. R. Junction	....	....	8:22	....
Chatham (C. P. R.) arr	....	7:45	10:35	3:20
Chatham (C. P. R.) dep	7:45	....	10:40	4:40
Fargo (M. C. R.)	8:10	....	11:05	5:20
Blenheim arr	8:22	....	11:20	5:35

Trains North.

Stations.	Exp	Exp	Mix
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Blenheim dep	8:30	2:30	5:40
Fargo (M. C. R.)	8:43	2:45	5:55
Chatham (C. P. R.) arr	9:08	3:20	6:20
Chatham (C. P. R.) dep	9:13	4:40	....
M. C. R. Junction	11:20	....	....
Courtright	11:25	7:05	....
Sarnia (G. T. R.) arr	12:00	7:40	....

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Interesting Meeting in Victoria Hall—Rejoicing Over the Recent Victory—Appeals Made for Signatures.

At 4:15 p.m. Sunday, the time announced for the commencement of the mass meeting in the cause of national prohibition, every available seat in the auditorium and gallery of Victoria Hall was occupied, benches and chairs being freely brought into requisition to accommodate the large crowd.

The proceedings were of an interesting nature, combining a general thanksgiving over the recent success of the license reduction bylaw and a presentation of the object in view—that of aiding the prohibitory petition to be laid before the Dominion Parliament. St. Andrew's choir was present in full force, and, assisted by others, rendered the musical portion an agreeable one, the audience joining in heartily. Mr. Charles Wheeler presided at the piano. Among those on the platform were Rev. Messrs. Boyd, Speller, Clark, Carr and Siple, Mr. John Cameron and others.

Rev. Geo. Boyd presided, and after prayer and a Scriptural reading by Rev. G. Trotter Carr, delivered a brief address. "We are here," said he in opening, "not so much for the purpose of glorying in our victory as to give thanks to God in answering our prayers and aiding our efforts. He has brought this city so far into line with his teachings and his care upon this subject. I take it that what we want more than ever is to keep God before us in this great matter; to recognize that all the strong and opposing influences can go and shall go before the mighty power of the God of Jacob. We are glad to be here to-day because the recent election has brought out the union of all the churches in the city on this question as never before; for I am led to believe on good authority that there is not a church in London that had not some part in the success over which we to-day rejoice." The speaker referred to the purpose of procuring 1,000,000 names to be attached to a petition for presentation to the Government, asking a prohibitory statute, in the furtherance of which documents had been circulated throughout the various churches, to which he urged his hearers to attach their signatures. "I have referred to the work which has been done by the city churches," concluded the reverend gentleman, "but it seems right to recognize specially the efforts of our sisters associated with the W. C. T. U. who so heroically, persistently and successfully carried out that which they undertook in connection with the recent vote."

Rev. H. C. Speller followed with a few vigorous remarks. The position of the Baptist Church on this matter, he said, had been sometimes misunderstood. He would point out that the late convention, held in Woodstock, by a unanimous vote pledged itself to support any effort in the line of prohibition. He cited the expenditure in the liquor traffic, and dwelt graphically upon the results from it accruing. "The enormous amount of $30,000,000 is annually wasted in this business in Canada. It causes 90 per cent. of the crime of the country, and 8,000 people are sent to their graves through it every year—and what death-beds! It creates widows and orphans; it brings a large proportion of your land into the most beggarly condition; it increases the suicides, murders, and every crime upon the calendar that you can possibly conceive of. This condition of things is the result of the expenditure of the $30,000,000 of your money from year to year. I have only given you a faint conception of this great evil in fair Canada; yet we are in a sense personally responsible for this condition of affairs. * * * God is patient and long suffering, but there is a time in his dealings with man that he lays the axe to the root of the tree and says, 'Thus far shalt thou go and no farther.' We have tried every means in human power to keep this traffic within some bounds, and yet violation after violation, as the court books will show, have taken place. We have tried the Scott Act, the Crooks Act, and local option; but we know that just as long as liquor is manufactured there will be the same violations, will be concerted action against the law. The traffic will continue to darken our homes and take the best of our young men as victims. The only thing to do is to lay the axe at the root and never desist until the tree falls."

Rev. W. J. Clark was the last speaker and presented some logical arguments in a stirring manner. "Let us look at some of the elements which contributed to our success in the recent victory," said he. "First there is 'God's power.' Every right impulse in our hearts is due to him. Then I think we should remember with gratitude the work of the W. C. T. U. It is wonderful what women can do when they put their heads together, they have so much capacity for self-sacrifice, and the carrying of the bylaw was no doubt largely due to their earnest, persistent and faithful work. Another element, I believe, was the moderation of spirit and expression in the speeches that were made in our previous meetings. I am glad and thankful, also, that one of our city journals has placed itself strongly on the right side on this question. We preachers only have a chance to talk to people twice or thrice a week, but a daily paper, to use a college phrase, can 'Whack away at it every day!' and I am very thankful to that journal for the stand it took. However, we must not despise those who voted against that bylaw; they have their opinions as well as we. I may roughly divide these people into three classes. There are those, I am sorry to say, who deliberately act with an impulse born of the devil. They deliberately rejoice in iniquity. To take hold of a young man and ruin him body and soul is certainly a work which may be ascribed to the prince of evil. There is another class—a large one—who condemn as heartily as anyone the evils of the liquor traffic, while at the same time they are not ready for prohibition. They say that we are going too fast. They believe a man may take a glass without doing himself any harm—perhaps they think it will do him good. They say you have no right to take away his liberty. The only way is to make them see, as did St. Paul, that if they permit their example to be a stumbling-step in the way of any persons weaker than themselves they are not practicing that self-denial which is often a Christian duty. The most God-like attribute is that which is ready to sacrifice self for the good of another. To this last class I will say this: That the work is God's, and therefore some time (though we cannot say when) it will come to a successful issue. Let us see to it that we help, not hinder; that our speeches and arguments are strong, moderate, and such as will bear the light of reasonable investigation. This great petition for prohibition may have the intended effect on Parliament or it may not. I know there are a great many people who are interested in the number of votes going to be made at the next election, and if they see the party who do not desire temperance legislation will be carried into power, they will do their best to please the liquor party. We must make it plain to our legislators that it is a question that is going to effect votes. It is a magical power, that little paper on which you set your cross." Mr. Clark concluded by pointing out the duty of all temperance people to fight on regardless of temporary success or defeat, emphasizing this closing point of a fine address by reciting a few stirring stanzas from Lord Tennyson's poem, "The Revenge," in which Sir Richard Grenville's single ship fought a dozen Spanish men-of war, for God and England.

Rev. Geo. Boyd closed the proceedings with a few remarks in which he appealed for signatures to the petition. He was met with a liberal response, a large number affixing their names. Miss Gilmour contributed a well reserved solo during the meeting.

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BELSHAZZAR'S FEAST.

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The Handwriting on the Wall—"Accept of Christ and be Saved"—Characteristic Discourse of Dr. Talmage.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Jan. 25.—Dr. Talmage preached the following sermon this morning. His text was Daniel, v., 30: "In the night was Belshazzar, the king of the Chaldeans, slain." After the sight of Babylon had been selected, 2,000,000 of men were employed for the construction of the wall and principal works. The walls of the city were 60 miles in circumference. They were surrounded by the trench, out of which had been dug the material for the construction of the city. There were 25 gates of solid brass on each side of the square city. Between every two gates a great watch tower sprang up into the heavens. From each of the 25 gates, on either side, a street ran straight through to the gate on the other side, so that there were 50 streets, each fifteen miles long, which gave to the city the appearance of wonderful regularity. The houses did not join each other on the ground, and between them were gardens and shrubbery. From house-top to house-top bridges swung, over which the inhabitants were accustomed to pass. A branch of the Euphrates went through the city, over which a bridge of marvelous structure was thrown, and under which a tunnel ran. To keep the river from overflowing the city in times of freshet, a great lake was arranged to catch the surplus, in which the water was kept as in a reservoir until times of drought, when it was sent streaming down over the thirsty land. A palace stood at each end of the Euphrates bridge; one palace a mile and three-quarters in compass, and the other palace seven and a half miles in circumference. The wife of Nebuchadnezzar, having been brought up among the mountains of Media, could not stand it in this flat country of Babylon, and so, to please her, Nebuchadnezzar, had a mountain, 400 feet high, built in the midst of the city. This mountain was surrounded by terraces, for the support of which great arches were lifted. On the top of these arches flat stones were laid; then a layer of reed and bitumen; then two rows of bricks, closely cemented; then thick sheets of lead, upon which the soil was placed. The earth here deposited was so deep that the largest trees had room to anchor their roots. All the glory of the flowery topics was spread out at that tremendous height, until it must have seemed to one below as though the clouds were all in blossom, and the very sky leaned on the shoulder of the cedar. At the top an engine was constructed, which drew the water from the Euphrates, far below, and made it spout up amid this garden of the skies. All this to please his wife. I think she must have been pleased. In the midst of this city stood also the temple of Belus. One of its towers was one-eighth of a mile high, and on the top of it an observatory, which gave the astronomers great advantage, as, being at so great a height, one could easily talk with the stars. This temple was full of cups, and statues, and censers, all of gold. One image weighed 1,000 Babylonish talents, which would be equal to $52,000,000.

All this by day, but now night was about to come down on Babylon. The shadows of her 250 towers began to lengthen. The Euphrates rolled on, touched by the fiery splendors of the setting sun; and gates of brass, burnished and glittering, opened and shut like doors of flame. The hanging gardens of Babylon, wet with the heavy dew, began to pour, from starlit flowers and dripping leaf, a fragrance for many miles around. The streets and squares were lighted for dance and frolic and promenade. The theaters and galleries of art invited the wealth and pomp and grandeur of the city to rare entertainments. Scenes of riot and wassail were mingled in every street; godless mirth and outrageous excess and splendid wickedness came to the king's palace to do their mightiest deeds of darkness. A royal feast to-night at the king's palace. Rushing up to the gates are chariots, upholstered with precious cloths from Dedan and drawn by fire-eyed horses from Togarmah, that rear and neigh in the grasp of charioteers, while a thousand lords dismount, and women, dressed in all the splendors of Syrian emerald, and the color-blending of agate and the chasteness of coral, and the somber glory of Tyrian purple, and princely embroideries, brought from afar by camels across the desert, and by ships of Tarshish across the sea. Lift the banners. Fill the cups. Clap the cymbals. Blow the trumpets. Let the night go by with song, and dance, and ovation; and let that Babylonish tongue be palsied that will not say, "O, King Belshazzar, live forever!"

All parts of the earth had sent their richest viands to that table. The signal is given, and the lords and ladies, the mighty men and women of the land, come around the table. Pour out the wine. Let foam and bubble kiss the ring. Hoist everyone his cup and drink to the sentiment: "O, King Belshazzar, live forever!" Lord shouts to lord, captain ogles to captain. Goblets clash and decanters rattle. There come in the vile song, and the drunken hiccough, and the slavering lip, and the guffaw of idiotic laughter, bursting from the lips of princes, flushed, reeling, bloodshot, while mingling with it all I hear; "Huzza! huzza! for great Belshazzar!"

What is that on the plastering of the wall? Is it a spirit? Is it a phantom? Is it God! Out of the black sleeve of the darkness a finger of fiery terror trembles through the air and comes to the wall, circling about as though it would write, and then, with sharp tip of flame, engraves on the plastering the doom of the king. The music stops. The goblet falls from the nerveless grasp. There is a thrill. There is a start. There is a thousand-voiced shriek of horror. Let Daniel be brought in to read that writing. He comes in. He reads it: "Weighed in the balance and found wanting."

Meanwhile the Assyrians, who for two years had been laying siege to that city, took advantage of that carousal and came in. Massacre rushes in with a thousand gleaming knives. Death bursts upon the scene; and now there is nothing there but torn banners, and broken wreaths, and the slush of upset tankards, and the blood of murdered women, and the kicked and tumbled carcass of a dead king. For "in that night was Belshazzar, the king of the Chaldeans, slain."

When God writes anything on the wall, a man had better read it as it is. Daniel did not misinterpret or modify the handwriting on the wall. It is all foolishness to expect a minister of the Gospel to preach always things that the people like or the people choose. Young men, what shall I preach to you to-night? Shall I tell you of the dignity of human nature? Shall I tell you of the wonders that our race has accomplished? "Oh! no," you say, "tell me the message that came from God." I will. If there is any handwriting on the wall, it is this lesson: "Accept of Christ, and be saved!" Jesus never flattered those to whom he preached. He said to those who did wrong, and who were offensive in his sight, "Ye generation of vipers! ye whited sepulchres! how can ye escape the damnation of hell?" Paul the apostle preached before a man who was not ready to hear him. Did he say, "Oh, you are a good man, a very fine man, a very noble man?" No; he preached of righteousness to a man who was unrighteous; of temperance to a man who was the victim of bad appetites; of the judgment to come to a man who was unfit for it. Hugh Latimer offended the king by a sermon he preached: and the king said, "Hugh Latimer, come and apologize." "I will," said Hugh Latimer. So the day was appointed; and the king's chapel was full of lords and dukes, and the mighty men and women of the country, for Hugh Latimer was to apologize. He began the sermon by saying, "Hugh Latimer, bethink thee! Thou art in the presence of thine earthly king, who can destroy thy body. But bethink thee, Hugh Latimer, that thou art in the presence of the King of heaven and earth, who can destroy both body and soul in hell fire." Then he preached with appalling directness at the king's crimes.

Another lesson comes to us: There is a great difference between the opening of the banquet of sin and its close. Young man, if you had looked in upon the banquet in the first few hours you would have wished you had been invited there, but you look in at the close of the banquet, and your blood curdles with horror. The King of Terrors has there a ghastlier banquet; human blood is the wine, and dying groans are the music. Sin has made itself a king in the earth. It has spread a banquet. It invites all the world to come to it. It has hung in its banqueting-hall the spoils of all kingdoms and the banners of all nations. It has gathered from all music. It has strewn, from its wealth, the tables and the floors, and arches. And yet how often is that banquet broken up; and how horrible is its end! Ever and anon there is a handwriting on the wall. The knees of wickedness knock together. God's judgment, like an armed host, breaks in upon the banquet; and that night is Belshazzar, the king of the Chaldeans, slain. Here is a young man who says, "I cannot see why they make such a fuss about the intoxicating cup. Why, it is exhilarating! It makes me feel well. I can talk better, think better, feel better. I cannot see why people have such a prejudice against it." A few years pass on, and he wakes up and finds himself in the clutches of an evil habit which he tries to break, but cannot. How bright it was at the start! How black it was at the last!

I learn further from this subject that Death sometimes breaks in upon a banquet. Here is a young man just come from college. He is kind. He is loving. He is enthusiastic. He is eloquent. By one spring he may bound to heights toward which many men have struggled for years. A profession opens before him. He is established in the law. His friends cheer him. Eminent men encourage him. After awhile you may see him standing in the Senate, or moving a popular assemblage by his eloquence, as trees are moved in a whirlwind. Some night he retires early. A fever is on him. Delirium, like a reckless charioteer, seizes the reins of his intellect. Father and mother stand by and see the tides of his life going out to the great ocean. The banquet is coming to an end. The lights of thought, and mirth, and eloquence are being extinguished. The garlands are snatched from the brow. The vision is gone. Death at the banquet!

I have also to learn from the subject that the destruction of the vicious, and of those who despise God, will be very sudden. Are there any here who are unprepared for the eternal world? Are there any here who have been living without God and without hope? Let me say to you that you had better accept of the Lord Jesus Christ, lest suddenly your last chance be gone. The lungs will cease to breathe; the heart will stop. The time will come when you shall go no more to the office, or to the shop. Nothing will be left but death, and judgment and eternity. Oh! flee to God this hour! If there be one in this presence who has wandered far away from Christ, though he may not have heard the call of the Gospel for many a year, I invite him now to come and be saved. Flee from thy sin! Flee to the stronghold of the Gospel! Now is the accepted time; now is the day of salvation.

Good night, my young friends! May you have rosy sleep, guarded by him who never slumbers! May you awake in the morning strong and well! But, oh! art thou a despiser of God? Is this thy last night on earth? Shouldst thou be awakened in the night by something, thou knowest not what, and there be shadows floating in the room, and a handwriting on the wall, and you feel your last hour has come, and there be a fainting at the heart, and a tremor in the limb, and a catching of the breath, then thy doom would be but an echo of the words of the text: "In that night was Belshazzar, the king of the Chaldeans, slain."

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London, Tuesday, Jan. 27.

WILL THERE BE A DISSOLUTION?

The ADVERTISER has been for six months urging upon the Liberal party the duty of being prepared for the general elections. A dissolution of Parliament seemed more imminent a few months ago than it now is, and particularly when the Premier and a number of his colleagues took to the holding of public meetings in various parts of the country. But although they are giving no outward sign now there is no assurance of dissolution being abandoned. The trade question is growing more awkward and unwieldable to the Government every day of its existence, for no one can doubt that converts to unrestricted trade with the United States are being made every day. Farmers are not alone in the desire to strike off the N. P. shackles. Merchants, manufacturers, workingmen and the great body of consumers generally are demanding continental free trade. This is the case in Ontario, where Sir Richard Cartwright and Mr. Charlton have been holding a series of successful meetings. It is the case in the Maritime Provinces, where Mr Laurier has recently completed a tour. It is the case in Quebec, where men of every occupation are witnessing the disastrous operation of the McKinley tariff. And, needless to say, it is the case in Manitoba and the North-west Territories, where the people are a unit for free buying and selling with their neighbors.

But Sir John Macdonald and his colleagues are also impressed with the progress which the movement is making in the United States, where men of the highest positions in the Government and in Congress have declared themselves in favor of reciprocity with Canada. They have also read the signs of the times as revealed in the fall elections, in which the McKinley tariff was the chief issue, and naturally enough they dread a like revulsion against high tariff in Canada when the first opportunity comes to the people to pronounce upon it. Added to all these circumstances is the confession of the Conservative press that an offer for enlarged trade has come to the Government of Canada from the Government of the United States, and the rumor that the Imperial Government is urging the settlement of all complications between the two countries on the basis of reciprocity. Within a year the situation has so changed that the members of the Government at Ottawa hardly know which way to turn. They feel that they are hunted, and should they turn to bay by dissolving the House we shall not be surprised, no matter how unjustifiable such a move might be.

It is the duty of the Liberals, however, to be prepared for any emergency, and we would again urge their leaders and workers in every constituency to be up and doing. Meetings ought to be held in every electoral district within the next three weeks for the selection of delegates to the Provincial convention, and these meetings ought to be large and representative and the opinions of the party on public affairs ought to be clearly expressed.

The present is a time for showing beyond peradventure where the Liberals stand, and on the trade question there is only one attitude for them to assume. Let us have public opinion and organization at the same time, and we shall be ready for the dissolution of Parliament, come when it may.

ON TEACHING ENGLISH.

Of the value of a thorough teaching of English it is a good thing to recall what Dr. Arnold once said. "What a treat it would be to teach Shakespeare to a good class of young Greeks in regenerate Athens; to dwell upon him line by line, and word by word, and so to get all his pictures and thoughts leisurely into one's mind, till I verily think one would, after a time, almost give out light in the dark after having been steeped as it were in such an atmosphere of brilliance." It is in this way the best teachers instruct in Greek and Latin. Why should it not also be the way of instruction in English? If our teachers would only take up a play of Shakespeare, or part of a play, and drill their pupils in it in the very thorough way Dr. Arnold would drill a class of young Greeks in regenerate Athens, we would have in our young men and women a much more complete mastery of the English language than is possible under the prevailing practice of cramming them with the literature of any other tongue, dead or living.

—Many school boards in Ontario are excited over the large number of children of school age who absent themselves, and thus are left uneducated. The compulsory appointment of truant officers is spoken of. In Stirling, Scotland, the magistrates have come to the rescue of the school authorities by sanctioning the employment of the police to look after truants.

THOUSANDS OF LIVES SACRIFICED.

The Canada Health Journal reaches the conclusion from the return of the mortality in 29 of the principal cities and towns of the Dominion, that if the same rate prevails throughout the whole of Canada, and medical men generally believe it does, 20,000 more human beings die in this country every year than would die if the mortality in it were reduced, by proper education of the people and sanitary administrations, to the average mortality rate in England. There appears to be room for reform in the sanitary surroundings of the people all over the country. After all what the people need to be taught, and taught continually, is that to prevent disease is far better than to invent means for its cure. The Health Journal tells of a dissipated, broken-down young man who when he consulted a celebrated French physician from whom he received some good hygienic advice, said: "Any idiot would know he'd get well if he did that which you advise, but I don't want to do that; I want to do just as I have been doing and have some medicine to cure me." This, as the same authority points out, is just the way with the general public. They want to live on in their unnatural, unhygienic ways—to live as they please—luxuriate, dissipate, as their disordered tastes dictate—eat bad food and breathe worse air, to have something injected under their skin, no matter what, to kill or cure them. The same public are now dancing with delight in the hope that they can live on in their evil ways and need not even try to avoid the "great white plague," consumption; that when they contract the disease they can get cured of it by a few drops of Koch's lymph. Koch was a great man and so was Jenner, who first applied vaccination to the lessening of the mortality from smallpox. But it is no longer doubted that if notification isolation and infection had been practiced in Jenner's time as they can be and are now, the mortality would have been greatly reduced without the aid of vaccination. Koch is too great a physician to hold that the strongest preventive measures will not be as much needed in the future as in the past. Though his lymph may aid in relieving those who become afflicted with consumption the fact remains that "pure air, sunlight, wholesome food and temperance in all things" will continue to be the best antidotes to disease of all kinds.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

—Brown stone fronts are going out of fashion in New York city. Good brick houses are now regarded as quite fashionable.

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—Counting Mr. Campbell, of East Durham, as an Independent, Hon. Mr. Mowat has now a majority in the Legislature of 19, with two bye-elections yet to fight, and reasonable prospects that a Liberal member will be elected in one or both of them.

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—The Jamaica Exhibition will be opened to-morrow by Prince George, son of the Prince of Wales. It is expected that the exposition will be a success. In point of exhibits, the Dominion stands first, with 10 courts. England has 8, Austria 5, Italy 4, Germany and the United States 3 each and France 2.

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—In promptly meeting and resolving to be well represented at the Provincial Liberal Convention in Toronto on Feb. 18 and 19, the East Middlesex Liberals have shown a good example to the friends of good government throughout the West. There should be a full representation from every section of the Province.

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—A Philadelphia father, by stroking the head of his child, and gazing at her with his piercing black eyes, hypnotised her. The child slept for 36 hours, and then a doctor was sent for, who brought her out of the sleep. One trial of this method of securing domestic harmony will be enough for this stern parent.

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—The Presbyterian Church of Canada has made enormous progress since the union of the several branches of the body in 1875. This fact is shown, in more ways than one, by the Presbyterian Year Book for 1891, which is ably edited by Rev. George Simpson, of the Canada Presbyterian, and published by the Presbyterian Printing Company, No. 5 Jordon street, Toronto. Take, for example, the statistics of the church's progress in Manitoba and the Northwest, while in 1871 there were but nine congregations in that country, there are now 510. The communicants have increased from 1,355 in 1882 to 8,218, and the contributions from $2,000 in 1871 to $129,535 at the present time. Many of the congregations are now self-supporting. The Year Book also contains full statistical information regarding all branches of the church, a list of its ministers, and a biographical sketch and fine portrait of Rev. Dr. Laing, the present moderator of the General Assembly. It must be invaluable to every member of the denomination.

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—At a Liberal dinner in Toronto on Saturday night, Sir Richard Cartwright pointed out that the men in power at Ottawa are deliberating most anxiously "not whether they should violate the constitution—that would not trouble them much—but whether they can violate the constitution to their own private advantage in this particular instance." This reference to the dissolution scheming is timely. Sir Richard said the tide of public opinion had turned from high taxation in favor of reciprocity, and that not even gerrymanders, franchise acts, or half million subsidies could stem the current. He pointed out further that the Reformers of the Dominion had before them two notable examples of what union and effort could do. One was that of the United States, where the people had risen, even against as great odds as faced the Liberals of Canada, and had declared themselves by an overwhelming majority in favor of greater freedom and against the trade restrictions which had been imposed upon them. The other was the case of the Ontario Government. "We have in Mr. Mowat," he said, "an example of what can be done by an honest man whose hands are clean, whose heart is clean, a man who has always studied, and has compelled his opponents to admit that he has studied the welfare of his country." Premier Mowat was happy in the consciousness that what Sir Richard said was the truth, and that he had a popular majority in the Province of over 15,000 at his back. In his speech he counseled unity of endeavor in the coming campaign. As the issues were greater in the Dominion than in the Province, so the exercise of energy and intelligence should be greater.

OTHER NEWSPAPERS.

NO CLOSER RELATIONSHIP.

Brantford Expositor.

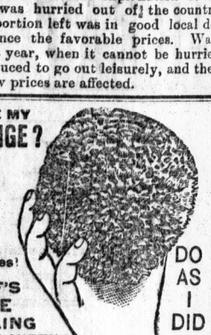
The ex-Premier, Hon. A. Mackenzie, while declaring himself to be an advocate of unrestricted reciprocity, has announced himself as opposed to commercial union. In this respect he stands upon the same platform as the great majority of Reformers. In fact, the leaders of the party, in Parliament and outside of it, have always repudiated any closer relations with the United States than would come with unrestricted reciprocity.

THE PRICE OF BARLEY.

Winnipeg Free Press.

The Toronto Empire says that the price of barley in Ontario has been maintained in spite of its exclusion from the United States by the McKinley tariff. "This is all the more remarkable," it continues, "from the fact that so much of this grain was hurried into the United States market in anticipation of the McKinley Act becoming law." Instead of making the fact more remarkable it affords a natural explanation of it. So much was hurried out of the country that the portion left was in good local demand, hence the favorable prices. Wait until next year, when it cannot be hurried out or induced to go out leisurely, and then tell us how prices are affected.

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SQUAD NUMBER ONE.

W. J. Watson	0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1—9
John Smith	1 0 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 0—7
J. W. Campbell	0 1 1 1 0 1 1 0 1 1—7
W. Oldershaw	0 0 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1—7
G. M. Fulton	1 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 1 1—6
D. A. Fulton	1 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 1 0—6

SQUAD NUMBER TWO.

J. Wheeler	1 1 0 0 1 1 1 1 0 1—7
W. Paul	1 1 0 1 1 0 1 1 0 0—6
E. Jessop	1 0 1 1 0 1 0 0 1 0—5
W. Hollingshead	1 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 0—4
W. N. Renick	0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 1—4
E. E. Doyle	1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—3

SQUAD NUMBER THREE.

S. Glover	0 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1—8
John Parker	0 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 0 1—7
A. Forest	0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0—7
J. A. Sutherland	0 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 0—7
J. Lockard	1 0 1 1 0 1 1 0 1 1—7
J. E. Thompson	0 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 0—7

SQUAD NUMBER FOUR.

W. Edwards	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1—10
Redpath	0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1—9
Jaynes	0 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 0 1—8
Scane	0 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 0—8
Cameron	0 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 1—6
Leitch	1 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 0—6

EVENT NUMBER ONE.

$25 cash, guaranteed—Entrance, $1 50, including targets; 10 Keystones; rapid firing. Prizes: 1, $5; 2, $5; 3, $5; 4, $5; 5, $5.

The first three prizes in this event were won by S. Glover, C. Scane and M. Ward:

W. Oldenshaw	0 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0—7
D. A. Fulton	1 1 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 1—8
G. N. Fulton	1 0 0 0 1 1 0 1 0 1—5
W. N. Renick	0 0 1 1 0 1 0 1 0 1—5
D. Leitch	1 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 0 1—7
John Smith	1 1 0 1 1 1 0 1 1 1—8
W. L Cameron	1 1 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 1—6
A. Forest	1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1—9
C. Scane	1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1—9
M. Ward	1 1 1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1—8
J. W. Campbell	0 1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 1—7
J. W. Watson	1 1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 0—7
Redpath	0 0 0 1 1 1 1 0 1 1—6
J. Lockard	0 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—4
E. Jessop	1 1 0 0 1 1 1 0 1 1—7
W. Edward	1 1 1 0 1 1 0 1 0 1—7
J. Wheeler	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1—10
S. Glover	0 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 1—4
C. Doyle	0 0 1 1 0 1 1 0 0 0—4
J. Parker	1 1 0 1 1 1 0 1 0 1—7
J. Duffy	1 1 0 1 1 1 0 1 0 1—7
W. Hollingshead	0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 1—3
J. A. Sutherland	1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0—3
J. R. Jaynes	1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 0 1—7
J. Paul	1 0 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1—8
A. H. Brown	0 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 1—5
H. C. Fly	1 1 1 1 1 0 1 0 0 1—7
E. Andrews	0 1 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 0—6
W. Grigg	1 0 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 1—7
E. Grigg	0 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—4
J. K. Evans	1 1 0 1 1 1 0 1 1 1—8
Teekay	0 1 0 0 1 1 0 1 1 1—6
J. E. Thompson	1 0 0 1 1 0 1 1 0 1—6
Mack	1 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 0 1—6
Windsor	1 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0—3

EVENT NUMBER TWO.

$25 cash, guaranteed—Entrance, $1 50, including targets. Prizes: 1, $5; 2, $5; 3, $5; 4, $5; 5, $5.

Messrs. Teekay and D. Miller headed the list in this shoot, each making 9 out of their possible of 12:

Doyle	1 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 1—5
Locker	1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 0—5
Glover	0 0 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0—8
Mack	0 0 0 6 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0—2
Forest	1 0 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 0 1 0—6
Evans	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 1—5
D. Leitch	1 0 1 0 1 1 1 0 1 0 1 1—8
C. Scane	1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 1 0—6
H. C. Frey	1 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—5
Renick	1 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 1—5
Teekay	1 0 1 0 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1—9
G. N. Fulton	1 0 1 0 1 0 1 1 1 0 1 0—7
W. J. Campbell	0 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 0—4
John Smith	1 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 1 1—7
J. E. Thompson	1 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 1—6
E. Grigg	0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0—3
W. Grigg	1 0 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 0—8
W. Hollingshead	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0—2
Redpath	0 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 0 0—4
Duffy	1 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0—6
Edwards	1 0 1 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 1 0—8
Sutherland	1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 0 0—5
E. Andrews	1 0 1 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—4
W. L. Cameron	0 0 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0—6
J. R. Jaynes	1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 1 1 0—7
W. S. Nichols	0 0 1 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 1 0—4
Miller	1 1 1 0 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 1—9
Ward	0 0 1 0 1 1 0 0 0 1 1 0—5
Paul	0 0 1 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 1 0—5
J. Watson	1 1 1 0 1 0 0 1 1 1 1 0—8
Oldershaw	1 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 1 0 1 0—8
Jessop	0 0 1 0 0 1 1 0 0 1 0 0—4
Parker	1 0 1 0 1 0 1 1 1 1 0 1—8

EVENT NUMBER THREE.

For cash prizes guaranteed to the amount of $25—Entrance, $1 50 (including targets); 10 Keystones from 5 unknown traps. Prizes: 1, $5; 2, $5; 3, $5; 4, $5; 5, $5.

The shooting in this contest was not equal to what many of the spectators expected, but three of the many competitors making their possible—Messrs. Overholt Glover and Edwards. First money was accordingly divided among them. A still greater sub-division was necessary in the distribution of the second money—Messrs. Smith, W. Grigg, Teekay, Parker and D. Miller, each getting nine birds. The following score will show how the others fared.

J. E. Overholt	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1—10
S. Glover	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1—10
N. Edwards	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1—10
Teekay	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1—9
E. H. Smith	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1—9
J. Parker	1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1—9
W. Grigg	1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1—9
D. Miller	1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1—9
W. Oldershaw	0 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1—8
J. E. Thompson	1 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 1 1—8
W. Paul	1 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 1 1—8
D. Leitch	0 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1—8
E. Andrews	1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 0 1—8
J. W. Campbell	1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1—8
J. K. Evans	0 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1—8
A. Smith	1 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 1 1—8
A. Forest	0 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1—7
Redpath	1 1 0 1 1 1 0 0 1 1—7
J. Lochard	1 1 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 0—7
W. Avey	1 1 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 0—7
C. Scane	0 1 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 1—7
Bowran	1 0 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 0—7
General Grant	0 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 0 1—7
G. M. Fulton	1 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 1 0—6
C. Forsythe	0 1 0 1 1 1 1 0 0 1—6
Mack	1 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 1 0—6
W. L. Cameron	0 1 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 1—6
A. Ralph	0 1 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 0—6
J. A. Sutherland	0 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 0 1—5
Elliott	0 1 1 1 0 0 0 1 0 1—5
H. C. Frey	0 1 0 1 0 1 1 1 0 0—5
W. N. Renwick	0 1 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 1—5
F. Sawdon	0 1 1 0 0 0 1 0 1 1—5
W. S. Nichols	0 1 1 1 0 0 1 0 0 0—4
Chandler	1 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 1—4
E. Grigg	1 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1—4
Geo. Margetts	0 0 1 0 1 1 0 0 1 0—4
W. J. Watson	1 0 1 0 1 1 0 0 0 0—4
M. Ward	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1

EVENT NUMBER FOUR.

For cash prizes guaranteed to the amount of $25—Entrance $1 50 (including targets); 6 singles and 3 pairs from 3 unknown traps. Prizes: 1, $5; 2, $5; 3, $5; 4, $5; 5, $5.

Three of the shooters in this event—Messrs. Evans, Leitch and Glover—made their possibles and were content with a division of the first prize money. E. Andrews shot in the squad following the leaders, and after breaking his first eleven birds, allowed the last one to escape him, and thus secured second money to himself. Messrs. Edwards, John Brown and E. H. Smith divided third prize, as each secured ten birds. The scores were:

J. P. Evans	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1—12
D. Leitch	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1—12
S. Glover	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1—12
E. Andrews	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0—11
John Brown	1 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1—10
W. Edwards	1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1—10
E. H. Smith	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 0—10
H. C. Fray	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0—9
W. S. Nichols	1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 0 0 1—9
C. A. Damon	1 0 1 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 1 1—9
Margetts	1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 1—9
J. W. Campbell	1 1 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 1 1 1—9
J. E. Thompson	1 1 1 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 1 0—9
J. Duffy	0 1 0 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1—9
E. Jessop	1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 1 1—9
A. Forest	1 1 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 1—8
W. Renwick	1 0 1 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 1 1—8
H. Elliott	1 1 1 0 1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1—8
W. Paul	1 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 1 1 1 1—8
J. W. Wheeler	0 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 0—8
C. Scane	1 1 1 0 0 1 0 1 1 1 1 0—8
M. Ward	0 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 0—7
J. Parker	0 0 1 0 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 0—7
W. Avey	0 1 1 1 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 0—7
W. Hollingshead	1 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 1 1 1—7
F. Chandler	0 1 1 1 0 0 1 1 0 0 1 1—7
D. A. Fulton	1 1 0 1 0 0 0 1 1 0 1 1—7
W. Grigg	1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 1—7
J. Lockhart	0 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 1 1 0 0—6
Teekay	0 0 1 1 0 1 1 0 1 1 0 0—6
E. Grigg	0 1 1 0 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 0—6
Redpath	0 1 0 1 0 1 0 1 1 0 0 1—6
Mack	1 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 1 1—6
General Grant	0 1 1 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 0—6
W. J. Watson	0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 1—5
W. Oldershaw	0 0 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 1—5
W. L. Cameron	0 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—4
— Hamilton	0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—3
W. Eustes	0 1 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0—3
C. Wingfield	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1—2

EVENT NUMBER FIVE.

For cash prizes guaranteed to the amount of $50—Entrance fee, $2 50 (including targets); 20 Keystones; rapid firing. Prizes: 1, $10; 2, $10; 3, $10; 4, $10; 5, $10.

The shooting in this event was remarkably close, all of the prizes being split up into quarters and even smaller portions, the first falling into the hands of no fewer than six. The scores were:

Leitch	1111011110	1111111111—18
S. Glover	1111011111	1111101111—18
J. W. Campbell	1110111111	0101111111—18
J. Brown	1011011111	0111111111—18
E. Andrews	1111111111	0111011111—18
Teekay	1111111111	0111101111—17
E. H. Smith	1111101111	1111011110—17
Overholt	1111111011	1111010011—17
J. Wheeler	1111111111	1111111110—17
A. Forest	1110111111	1111111110—17
W. Edwards	1111011111	1101011111—16
H. C. Frey	0011111101	1101111111—16
W. Grigg	0011111101	1101111111—16
C. Scane	1111111110	1111011001—16
J. Smith	1111111111	1011010101—16
W. Oldershaw	0111101011	0111111110—15
G. Margetts	0111001111	0111011111—15
J. Duffy	0111111111	1101110100—15
J. R. Jaynes	0111111010	1110111011—15
M. Ward	1011001111	1011110110—14
Redpath	1111111100	1111001100—14
Evans	1110111111	1010001101—14
A. Smith	1011111110	1000011111—14
J. Lockhart	0101010101	1111011110—13
F. Soden	1110111010	0000111111—13
W. Paul	1010011110	0110110111—13
J. A. Sutherland	1101010111	0111111000—13
John Parker	0101111110	1111000101—13
H. Elliott	0111010111	1101001001—12
Watson	1100101101	0001101110—11
Renwick	0101100101	0011010111—11
A. Ralph	0001110101	0111100011—11
D. Miller	0110100111	1101100010—11
W. J. Nichols	1101101111	0000101001—11
C. Forsythe	1110000001	1011011011—11
J. E. Thompson	0010111010	0010011111—11
W. Eustus	1010000101	1111001001—10
W. L. Cameron	1011101110	0010010010—10
General Grant	1011100100	1010000111—10
W. Hollingshead	1010101000	1001001000—8

THE RING.

Dr. Quinlan, the head of the benevolent and protective Order of the Elks at Cincinnati, has suspended the prize fighter, John L. Sullivan, as a person who is unworthy to associate with gentlemen, and whose conduct has brought shame and discredit upon the order. Sullivan gained admission to the order at Newark, N. J., where he was received as an actor. Dr. Quinlan has forbidden any lodge to admit Sullivan.

SKATING.

Moses Rubenstein, brother of the figure-skating champion, in speaking of speed skaters, says of Irwin, the Canadian amateur: "On short tracks, from twelve to sixteen laps to the mile, he can fairly fly. He is the best of our amateurs in Canada." Comparing him with other skaters, he says: "When Frank Dowd was an amateur (and he was then at his best) I do not think the man ever lived who could beat him on our rinks. He was a skater all through. He had heavy limbs and a very light body, the advantages of which you can easily apply in speed skating. He never was extended as an amateur, and it was only when he ceased to take proper care of himself that he met defeat as a professional. He had wonderful judgment, and never made a race hard for himself. I think Irwin ranks very near Dowd, and now that he has strength he is a very hard man for any one to beat."

CHESS.

There is a great likelihood of a special chess match of three games being arranged to be played in Toronto between Steinitz and Gunsberg, before the Hungarian's return to London. Both masters are willing to enter upon such an encounter, but as yet they have not been able to agree upon the terms.

THE TURF.

The Windsor Driving Park meeting this year will be the largest one held in Western Canada and Secretary W. A. Hanrahan is receiving daily a number of inquires in regard to it.

Messrs. Cornwall & Cook, of Norwich, have just purchased from the Claireview Stock Farm, Detroit, the bay mare Teen, for within a trifle of $1,000.

The horse Fenelon, now running at Guttenberg, was sold at one time for $200, and has been retired half a dozen times, being considered broken down and worthless. He comes up a winner every now and then. On Thursday he won a $1,000 purse at Guttenberg, beating Objection, Tipstaff and others.

FOOTBALL.

The Detroit Football Club will join the Western Association of Ontario. The club elected the following officers on Saturday night: Dr. J. S. McKay, president; J. M. Eedson, vice-president; J. B. Buchanan, secretary and treasurer; Wm. M. Kay, captain; match committee, Capt. Kay, chairman; John McKendrick, Duncan McMillan, Wm. McKendrick, J. B. Buchanan.

Miss Russell, the dam of Maud S., 2:08¾, has produced eighteen foals, two of which died young. Of the six living foals four are in the 2:30 list, two in the 2:20 list, one with a trial in 2:26½ and four producers of 2:30 performers. Seven of her grandchildren are in the 2:30 list, three of them being 3-year-olds.

BASEBALL.

Manager Frazer, of Syracuse, has sold Second Baseman Childs of last year's Syracuse Club to the Boston Association Club. The consideration is said to be $2,000.

Louis Bierbauer, the crack second baseman of the old Athletics, and who played with the Brooklyn Players' League team last season, has been signed by the Pittsburgh National League Club for 1891, receiving an ample slice of advance money.

If the old International League were reorganized this season it is doubtful if a club would be formed here. Baseball has always been a losing speculation here; the directors behind the club not only lost their money, but they were abused if the team did not stand at the top, and it would be hard to get any one interested in it.—[Hamilton Spectator.

President Young, on Friday, issued the first baseball contracts of the year. Philadelphia has signed Thompson, A. Myers, W. Gleason, C. Esper, T. W. Clements, John F. Shultz, W. T. Graham, H. Mayer, W. A. Sunday and W. R. Hamilton. Brooklyn has secured Tom Daley, Collins, Lovett, O'Brien, G. T. Smith and Pinkey. A quartet of league players have appended their signatures to contracts to play at Cleveland. Among them being T. D. Young, W. C. Alvord, J. C. Virtue and G. S. Davis.

THE KENNEL.

Manitoba Belle, Tom Johnston's champion dog, which won first prize at the Chatham and New York bench shows, is dead.

HOCKEY.

A hockey match took place at Chatham on Saturday between a team from the Merchants' Bank and a combined team from the Montreal, Commerce and Standard Banks, which resulted in six goals to nothing for the Merchants'. The following composed the teams:

Merchants.	Position.	Combined Banks.
West	Goal	Cameron
Oliver	Point	Lawford
Macgowan	Cover point	Kispin
Baxter	Forward	Nafted
Taylor	Forward	Wright
Scarff	Forward	Nourse

THE WHEEL.

A number of local 'cyclists took a spin to Lucan and return, and reported excellent roads. The snow fall will doubtless change the order of things for a while.

Between 25 and 30 members of the Forest City 'Cycling Club purpose visiting St. Thomas shortly to astonish the people there with a fancy skating exhibition.

CURLING.

The bonspiel at Whitby for a place in the tankard contest closed in favor of Bowmanville. The score was as follows: Bowmanville 41, Oshawa 27; Bowmanville 38, Lindsay 33; Bowmanville 40, Whitby 30.

The curling match played at Chesley on Saturday between Wiarton and Durham clubs in the primary competition for Ontario Tankard in group 14, resulted in a victory for Wiarton—42 to 28.

ATHLETICS.

Dennis Gallagher, of Buffalo, and R. N. Harrison, of Toronto, wrestled a match in the Olympic Gymnasium Monday for the police championship of America before about 200 spectators. The conditions called for three bouts—Græco-Roman, catch-as-catch-can and side-hold, the winner of two to be declared winner of the match. Gallagher won the first and second falls, and the match.

Found Dead!

ST. MARYS, Jan. 27.—Charles Ready was found dead in this place yesterday afternoon.

Mothers

Castoria is recommended by physicians for children teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation; its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste and absolutely harmless. It relieves constipation, regulates the bowels, quiets pain, cures diarrhœa and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mother's friend. 25 doses, 35 cents.

The largest amount of wild honey ever taken from one tree was reported from Oregon recently. A farmer took 700 pounds from one cottonwood tree in which one swarm of bees had stored up the annual accumulations for many years.

Among the pains and aches cured with marvelous rapidity with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, is ear-ache. The young are especially subject to it, and the desirability of this Oil as a family remedy is enhanced by the fact that it is admirably adapted not only to the above ailment, but also to the hurts, disorders of the bowels, and affections of the throat, to which the young are specially subject.

There is said to be such a strong tendency in Bengal among the educated Bengalis to neglect their mother tongue for the study of English that it has been found advisable for some Bengalis to start an institution for the cultivation of Bengali by graduates and undergraduates.

We have no hesitation in saying that Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial is without doubt the best medicine ever introduced for dysentery, diarrhœa, cholera and all summer complaints, sea sickness, etc. It promptly gives relief and never fails to effect a positive cure. Mothers should never be without a bottle when their children are teething.

Insufficient Accident Insurance.

The payment of a lump sum at death or a weekly allowance in case of temporary disablement, as given by other accident insurance companies, is found to be insufficient. The policies of the Manufacturers' Accident Insurance Company, of Toronto, insure, in addition to death and weekly allowance, a sum equal to the death benefits in the event of the loss of sight of both eyes, or the loss of both hands or both feet, or one hand and one foot. b

W. T. Strong, druggist, has secured the agency for Hasley Bros.' Homœpathic Remedies. These celebrated remedies have the largest sale on the continent, and can be had at W. T. STRONG'S, 184 Dundas street. 14-tf

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WESTERN ONTARIO.

Two of Tara's churches are lighted with electricity.

Miss Minnie McGuire, of Penetanguishene, has charge of the junior division, No. 7, Tay, this year.

Mr. Levi Annis, a Victoria county young man, is teaching in Washington. He seems to prefer Uncle Sam's country.

Owing to the construction of the double track the Michigan Central Railroad has discontinued the night office at Maidstone.

Miss E. Blanchard, on leaving No. 7, Tay, was presented with a dressing case and an address by the pupils of her division.

Richard Fairman, of Woodville, a former teacher of Lambeth, has gone to Carberry to take charge of the intermediate department there at $800 a year.

Simcoe county is following other counties in introducing uniform promotion examinations. The examination in East Simcoe takes place early next April.

George, son of John J. French, of Dresden, while chopping ice around a well, slipped and went in head first. He managed to grasp the side and keep above water till his mother came and drew him out with the well hook.

Temple Sinclair, the young son of a Ridgetown clergyman, who has been missing from home for some time, has been found near Iona, where he was working for a farmer.

Daniel Dunmore was released from Sandwich Jail Saturday morning after having completed a 30-day term for chicken stealing. He was immediately arrested by Chief Baines on the charge of stealing 50 pounds of tobacco. He will be tried Feb. 2.

Mayor Read, of Brantford, has determined to give no official dinners, believing that the occasion would be more honored in the breach than the observance. Instead of the dinner the mayor will bestow the amount that would have been so spent upon public charities in the city.

The annual meeting of the Blanshard Reform Association will be held in the Township Hall, McIntyre's Corners, on Friday, Jan. 30, for the election of officers and the appointment of delegates to the convention in Toronto. Mr. James Trow, M.P., will be present and address the meeting.

Detective McKee, of Windsor, who has been at Walpole Island investigating the recent death of the Indian doctor, Barfoot, has found that the doctor was drowned in United States waters. McKee will now report to the United States authorities, so that they can investigate. It is thought that Barfoot was drowned by a man who was in a boat with him.

Richard Ralph, a teamster, met with a serious accident on Saturday afternoon while trucking logs at Morris' lumber camp in Sombra township. Three logs were being loaded on his trucks, when the top log was pulled too far over, falling on Ralph and carrying him over backwards, injuring him severely. His lower limbs are paralyzed. The doctors in attendance cannot as yet say whether he has any chance of recovery, as internal injuries may prove to be very serious.

Pullman vs. Canada Company came up for adjudication at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, on Monday. Judgment in two actions, brought respectively by Ann B. Pullman and Joseph M. Pullman, and tried together at the Stratford Assizes without a jury. Actions for damages for trespass and illegal and excessive distress, etc. Judgment in favor of the defendants against Ann B. Pullman, dismissing her action with costs, and on the counter-claim for recovery of land with full costs of counter-claim. Judgment for the plaintiff Joseph M. Pullman against the defendants for $99 with County Court costs, and for defendants on their counter-claim against him for recovery of land with full costs of counter-claim. Judgments to be entered on and after the 5th February next. Mabee (Stratford) and Gearing (Stratford) for the plaintiffs; Idington, Q.C., and A. C. Macdonell for the defendants.

Springfield.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Card, from Napanee, are visiting at W. R. Johnson's.

Quarterly meeting in the Methodist Church next Sunday.

Rev. Mr. McLaren preached his farewell sermon here last Sunday afternoon to a large audience. He has been here for about seventeen months and was well liked by his congregation. He goes to Columbus at an advanced salary.

The Patrons of Industry meet in Kilpatrick's Hall once a week. There is a slight division as regards their modus operandi, but in all probability they will formulate a satisfactory policy soon.

Mr. Jas. Crocker, leader of the Presbyterian choir, was in his usual place on Sunday afternoon after an absence of four months. He had been sick for that time with typhoid fever.

John Yoder has just got back from his annual holiday trip in Uncle Sam's domains. He is a strong advocate of unrestricted reciprocity.

Mr. Ben Haggan, from Aylmer, was in the village one day last week and reports good prospects for the spring trade.

Lambeth.

The annual entertainment of Trinity Church Sunday school, Lambeth, was held at the residence of Mr. L. M. Vandermade, on the evening of Saturday. The programme rendered on the occasion was par excellence, and this church is becoming famous for the excellence of its entertainments, and anyone wishing an evening's enjoyment is sure to be satisfied with what they give. Among those who took part in the programme were: Mr. and Miss Poole, who are too well known to need any words of praise. Suffice it to say that they acquitted themselves in their usual style in solos and duets. One solo of Miss Poole's, "Carrick Dances," and "Comrades," rendered by Mr. Poole, were deserving of special praise. The church choir never appeared to better advantage and will compare very favorably with many of the city choirs. Miss Mary Smith, assisted by the other members of the choir, rendered an exquisite song, "Touches of Little Hands." Mr. Albert Herald gave some excellent harmonic selections, receiving a well-deserved encore for each selection. Mrs. Gerrard rendered some instrumental solos which would put many a younger musician to shame. Mr. Alexander told some amusing stories for the children and read a couple of comic pieces. His rendering of the "Scotch Tailor" was particularly good. But what brought down the house most was the violin selections of A. Routledge, accompanied on the piano by Mr. W. B. Woodhull. Mr. Routledge is an excellent violinist and rendered his selections with the enthusiasm of a true lover of music. The most interesting part of the programme, however, was the distribution of presents to the children and the presentation of an easy chair to Mrs. Gerrard by the Sunday school, and of a gold-headed cane and pair of gold-rimmed spectacles by the choir and congregation to Mr. Harry Poole, accompanied by suitable addresses. Both made pleasing replies, the latter remarking that although he had been caned many times in his life, he had never been so handsomely caned when he so little deserved it. With this, however, the people did not agree.

Dutton.

Mr. Jas. McDougall has purchased A. J. Leitch's stock of groceries, boots and shoes, etc., and will continue the business.

Mr. Harris, while working at Taylor's stave factory, had his foot smashed by one of the logs rolling on it.

H. Glance has resumed business again in the Jackson Block.

Drumbo.

The Royal Templars have decided to reorganize in this village.

Messrs. Mackie and Taylor expect to have their sawmill in running order this week. A large number of logs have already been drawn.

Services were conducted in St. Peter's Church on Sunday. An able discourse was delivered.

Mr. F. P. Burgess sold a valuable span of carriage horses lately, the price paid being large.

West Nissouri Council.

The first meeting of the council for the present year was held at Thorndale. The usual declarations of qualification and of office being made and filed, the reeve called the council to order and requested the members to appoint one of their number as deputy reeve. Moved by Mr. Taylor, seconded by Mr. Elgie, that Wm. Elgie be deputy reeve. Moved by Wm. Elgie, seconded by Wm. Taylor, that Wm. Taylor be deputy reeve. Moved by Edward Booth, seconded by John Hobbs, that John Hobbs be deputy reeve. Moved by John Hobbs, seconded by Edward Booth, that Edward Booth be deputy reeve. The reeve declared William Taylor elected. The reeve appointed Joseph Wheaton auditor and Wesley McGuffin was appointed by the council. James McVey was paid $4 66, payment for one sheep worried by dogs. The following were appointed as members of the local Board of Health for 1891: Reeve and clerk, Thomas Fitzsimons, George W. Keast and Robert Patterson. Moved by William Elgie, seconded by William Taylor, that the deputy returning officers be paid their fees for holding nominations at late election—A. W. Brown, R. H. Harding, James Woods, Samuel Moore and James Stuart, $3 each. The matter in dispute between R. A. Brown, George W. Keast and others about a quantity of gravel taken from lot 33, con. 4, was laid over until next meeting. William Colbert was paid $1 for repairing bridge at lot 14, con. 2. The reeve was instructed to apply to the county commissioner for plan and specifications for a wooden bridge over the Thames at lot 25, con. 20. The time for the return of the collectors' roll was extended until Feb. 11. The reeve was instructed to ascertain the additional cost of use of the hall for holding magistrates' courts when required. Adjourned until Feb. 11.

North Dorchester.

The council met at the township hall Jan. 19. All the old members elected and present. The reeve and councilors having signed the declaration of qualification and office the reeve appointed Frank Kunz auditor, and the council appointed George Neely. Thomas Irwin, A. A. Brodie and Richard Venning were appointed members of the Board of Health. P. H. Rickard was elected first deputy reeve, Wm. Woods elected second deputy reeve. Eighty dollars was granted to gravel a swamp on the east township line, opposite con. 1 and 2, provided Dereham Council will expend a similar amount. The appropriation for each ward is $100, to be expended by the commissioner of the ward. In case where the people put on gravel or furnish money for the same the council will grant $1 50 for every dollar, or 1½ cords for every cord as the case may be as long as the funds permit. The following accounts were ordered to be paid: John Shannon, $3 for one sheep worried by dogs; Levi Myrick, $2 50 taxes; Mrs. Wilson, 63 cents taxes; James Smith, 68 cents taxes uncollectable; Strachan & Bros., $18; the clerk, $4 expenses; B. Madole, $6 12 for 408 feet of timber for station bridge ordered by John McFarlane, overseer; J. Gilmour, $6 expenses in Day vs. North Dorchester and West Nissouri; Wm. Woods, $2, in same suit. Wm. Uglow was appointed assessor and collector at a salary of $190. Bylaw No. 284 was passed. The commissioners for the different divisions, in conjunction with the reeve, have power to ask for and accept tenders for gravel in places where the people have been putting on the same free. The regular meetings of the council will be held on the last Monday in each month, except December.

The Boy and His Father.

A student of human nature says:—"At ten years of age a boy thinks his father knows a great deal; at fifteen he knows as much as his father; at twenty he knows twice as much; at thirty he is willing to take his advice; at forty he begins to think his father knows something after all; at fifty he begins with much deference to seek his advice; and at sixty—after his father is dead—he thinks he was the smartest man that ever lived."

A Despiser of Masculine Minds.

Ethel—Jack Winthrop is such a talkative boy—he'll tell you all he knows before he has been with you five minutes.

Edith—Well, after all, it doesn't take most men as long as that.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

A young woman of Pomona, Cal., drove a herd of 100 wild Arizona steers from the depot to her father's stock range in the San Jose hills recently. She managed the whole drive alone.

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South Brant Liberals.

BRANTFORD, Jan. 27.—The South Brant Reform Convention met Saturday afternoon in Wickliffe Hall with a splendid representation present from every part of the riding. Burford and Oakland townships, although gerrymandered out for the Commons, justly consider themselves a part of South Brant, and sent a strong delegation to show their continued interest. Vice-President Wm. Roddick called the meeting to order. Archibald Harley, ex-M.P., moved, and ex-Mayor C. B. Heyd seconded a resolution calling attention to the death of the late esteemed president, Mr. John Harris, and expressing the sincere sorrow and regret of the convention. The resolution also made mention of the valuable services rendered the Liberal cause by Mr. Harris. This resolution was carried by a unanimous vote. It was decided to elect one set of officers for the Local and Dominion ridings, although different townships constitute them. C. B. Heyd was unanimously elected president. Mr. Wm. Roddick was chosen vice-president. Vice-presidents for municipalities were elected as follows: Brantford township, Thomas Brooks; Burford township, Archibald Harley; Onondaga township, John M. Hamilton; Oakland township, William Devlin; town of Paris, Michael Ryan; Brantford city, Wm. Buck; Tuscarora, James Styers. Wm. Watt, jun., was elected secretary and Jos. N. Shenstone treasurer. Arrangements were made for the selection of delegates to the forthcoming Liberal convention at Toronto. At the earnest call of the meeting Mr. Wm. Patterson, M.P., took the platform and gave a forcible and practical address. President Heyd announced that a meeting would be held Thursday, Jan. 29, in this city for the purpose of forming a young Liberal club.

OLD WORLD GOSSIP.

Sir Charles Tennant has received offers of £15,000 and £20,000 consecutively for Sir Joshua Reynolds' "The Fortune Teller."

Cluny Macpherson, of Cluny Macpherson, has again let Cluny Castle to Mr. Andrew Carnegie for six months from the middle of May.

After 59 years of labor, Barthelmy Saint-Hilaire has finished his translation of Aristotle, a work in 35 volumes. For the last twenty years the translator has also been very active in politics as secretary to Thiers, Minister of Foreign Affairs, and Senator.

Prussian school officials have administered this sharp reproof to the Jew-baiting teachers in Cassel: "It has come to the notice of the Government that many Gentile school children ridicule their Israelitish comrades as well as adult Israelites, and that many teachers encourage, directly or indirectly, this sort of abuse. Such behavior on the part of the teachers is most thoroughly condemned and must cease. Teachers must also punish children guilty of the indecency in question."

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COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

Latest Financial News by Mail and Telegraph.

London Money Market.

LONDON, Jan. 26—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 97 3-16 for money, 97 3-16 for account; U. S. 4s, 122½; U. S. 4½s, 105½; St. Paul, 53¾; Erie seconds, 101; Erie, 20; Pacific Central, 53; Reading, 16¾; Canadian Pacific, 76¾; New York Central, 103½; Illinois Central, 101½; bank of England rate, 3½ per cent.; open market discount, 1⅞ to 1¾.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 26—1 p.m.—Stock market steady; American Express, —; Canadian Pacific, —; Canada Southern, 48¾; Delaware and Hudson, —; Delaware and Lackawanna, 135¾; Lake Shore, 106¾; Michigan Central, —; Northern Pacific, 26½, preferred, 69¾; New York Central, 100¾; St. Paul, 51⅛; preferred, 109; St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, —; Union Pacific, 42; Western Union, 78½.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, Jan. 26.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	224¾	222
Ontario	113¾	112¾
Molsons	160	—
Toronto	222	217
Merchants'	142	140
Commerce	126¾	126¼
Imperial	—	151¼
Dominion	—	226¾
Standard	—	146¼
Hamilton	155	152
British America	106	103½
Western Assurance	143¾	143
Canada Life	—	—
Confederation Life Association	—	—
Northwest Land Company	74¾	74⅝
C. P. R. Grant Bonds	—	—
C. P. R. Stock	72¾	72¼
Farmers Loan & Savings	—	120
London and Canada L. & A.	—	—
London and Ontario	—	—
Huron and Erie	—	158
Dominion Savings and Loan	—	—
Ontario Loan and Debenture	—	—
Canadian Savings and Loan	130	125
London Loan	—	—

SALES—Commerce, 4 at 126½; Northwest Land, 17 at 74¾; C. P. R. Stock, 25 at 72¾.

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COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Monday, Jan. 26.

The receipts were light, as is usual on Monday. A few loads of grain, hay and straw were offered. No change in prices. Quotations as follows:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, per standard bush	$0 92	to	$0 92
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 52
Wheat, Democrat, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 55
Wheat, Clawson, per 100 lbs	1 45	to	1 50
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 55
Rye, per 100 lbs	1 00	to	1 05
Buckwheat	1 00	to	1 05
Oats	1 28	to	1 31
Corn	1 10	to	1 15
Pease	1 10	to	1 20
Beans, per bush	1 00	to	1 25
Barley, per 100 lbs	98	to	1 20
PROVISIONS.			
Eggs, retail	22	to	24
Eggs, basket	20	to	22
Eggs, store lots	18	to	19
Butter, pound rolls, basket	12	to	18
Butter, crock or large rolls	12	to	18
Butter, tub or firkin	8	to	12
Cheese	9½	to	10
Lard	10	to	10
Dressed hogs	5 75	to	6 00
Turnips, per bush	25	to	52
Carrots, per bush	20	to	35
Potatoes, per bag	70	to	80
Parsnips, per bush	50	to	50
Onions, per bush	50	to	70
Apples, bag	80	to	1 00
Beef, per lb	4 50	to	6 50
Mutton, per lb	6	to	8
Lamb, per lb	8	to	9
Veal, per lb	0	to	0
Chickens, per pair	40	to	70
Ducks, per pair	60	to	1 00
Turkeys, each	70	to	2 00
FLOUR AND FEED.			
Patent roller flour, per 100 lbs	2 75	to	3 00
Roller flour, per 100 lbs	2 40	to	2 50
Stone flour, stone	2 25	to	2 40
Buckwheat flour	2 00	to	2 50
Oatmeal, standard	2 40	to	2 50
Oatmeal, granulated	2 40	to	2 60
Oameal, rolled	2 70	to	2 80
Cornmeal	2 00	to	2 25
Bran, per ton	18 00	to	20 00
Clover seed, per bush	4 00	to	4 80
Alsike, per bush	6 00	to	6 50
SKINS AND HIDES.			
Hides, No. 1, per lb	4	to	4
Hides, No. 2, per lb	3	to	3
Hides, No. 3, per lb	2	to	2
Wool, per lb	18	to	18
Calfskins, green, per lb	5	to	6
Calfskins, dry, per lb	0	to	0

Montreal Market.

MONTREAL, Jan. 26.

FLOUR—Receipts, 1,100 bbls; sales reported none. Market quiet; prices nominally unchanged. Quotations: Patents winter, $5 00 to $5 25; spring, $5 25 to $5 50; straight roller, $4 40 to $4 60; extra, $4 10 to $4 20; superfine, $3 00 to $4 00; strong bakers, $4 50 to $4 75; Ontario bags, $1 50 to $2 00; city bags $4 90 to $5 00.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 hard Manitoba, 96c to 97c; corn, 72c to 73c; peas, 72c to 74c; oats, 43c to 46c; barley, 50c to 70c; rye, 60c to 62c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $4 75 to $5 00; cornmeal, $3 25 to $3 25.

PROVISIONS—Pork, 15½c to 16c per lb.; lard, 8c to 9c; bacon, 10c to 11c; hams, 11c to 12c; cheese, 8½c to 10c; butter, townships, 18c to 20c; Morrisburg, 17c to 20c; Western, 14c to 16c; creamery, 20c to 23c; eggs firm, limed, 22c to 23c; held fresh, 23c to 24c.

Toronto Market.

TORONTO, Jan. 26.

WHEAT—Manitoba hard, No. 2, 97c to 97c; Manitoba hard, No. 3, 86c to 87c; spring, No. 2, 90c to 91c; red winter, No. 2, 97c to 98c; fall, No. 2, 95c to 96c.

BARLEY—No. 1, 63c to 63c; No. 2, 58c to 58c; No. 3 extra, 54c to 55c; No. 3, 51c to 52c.

PEAS—No. 2, 66c to 68c.

OATS—No. 2, 44½c to 45½c.

CORN—61c to 62c.

FLOUR—Extra, $3 95 to $4 00; straight roller, $4 15 to $4 20; superfine, $3 40 to $3 50; fine, $3 00 $3 25.

Market steady. Sales—No. 2 fall wheat outside at equal to 91c here; No. 2 spring outside at equal to 88c; No. 3 hard Manitoba 88c; oats, to arrive at 45c and outside at 41c; No. 2 barley, on track at 57c; peas, outside at 62c to 63c.

English Markets.

Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LONDON, Jan. 26.

Floating cargoes—Wheat and corn quiet.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat and corn quiet.

Mark Lane—Wheat quiet, steady; corn American steady, Danube quiet; flour quiet, steady.

French country markets firm.

Weather in England mild; Continent milder.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firm; corn slow; No. 1 Cal., 7s 11d—½d dearer; Walla, 7s 5½d—unchanged; corn futures rather dearer.

India shipments of wheat to United Kingdom, 45,000 qrs. To Continent, 15,000 qrs.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 26.

The quotations for the past three market days are as follows:

	Jan. 23.				Jan. 24.				Jan. 26.			
	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.
Spring	7	7½	7	8	7	7½	7	8	7	7½	7	8
Red winter	7	6½	0	0	7	6½	0	0	7	6½	0	0
No. 1 Cal.	7	9½	0	0	7	10	0	0	7	11	0	0
Corn	5	6½	0	0	5	6	0	0	5	6	0	0
Peas, per c.	5	7½	0	0	5	8	0	0	5	8	0	0
Pork	51	6	0	0	51	6	0	0	51	6	0	0
Lard	30	6	0	0	30	3	0	0	30	3	0	0
Bacon, s. c.	28	0	28	0	28	0	00	0	28	0	00	0
Bacon, l. c.	28	0	00	0	28	0	28	0	28	0	28	0
Tallow	25	0	00	0	25	3	00	0	25	0	00	0
Cheese, wh.	51	0	00	0	51	0	00	0	51	0	00	0
Cheese, col.	51	0	00	0	51	0	00	0	51	0	00	0

Wheat strong, demand poor, supply poor; corn firm, demand poor.

American Markets.

OSWEGO, Jan. 26.

WHEAT—Unchanged; white State steady at $1 04½.

CORN—Market dull; No. 2 yellow at 63c.

BARLEY—Dull; No. 1 Canada at 81c; No. 2 Canada at 86c; No. 2 extra Canada at 91c. No receipts or shipments.

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.

FLOUR—Quiet.

WHEAT—Spot higher; very dull; No. 2 red, $1 07½ to $1 08; elevator; No. 1 northern, $1 12½; No. 1 hard, $1 16½; options advanced 1⅛c to 2⅛c; No. 2 red, Jan., Feb. and April, $1 06⅞; May, $1 04⅜.

CORN—Spot higher; quiet; scarce; ungraded mixed, 61½c to 63½c; options firmer; higher; very dull; Jan., 62c; Feb., 61½c; March, 60⅝c; May, 59⅝c.

OATS—Spot dull; higher; options quiet; stronger; Jan., 51½c; Feb., 51⅞c; May, 51⅞c; spot, No. 2, 52c to 52½c; mixed western, 50c to 54c; white do, 53c to 60c.

SUGAR—⅛c to ¼c lower.

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.

LEADING FUTURES CLOSED:

WHEAT—Jan., 92c; May, 98½c; July, 92⅞c.

CORN—Jan., 49½c; Feb., 49⅞c; May, 52⅜c.

OATS—Jan., 43⅞c; May, 45⅜c; June, 45c.

MESS PORK—Feb., $9 85; May, $10 35.

LARD—Feb., $5 70½; March, $5 85; May, $6 12.

SHORT RIBS—Feb., $4 75; March, $4 92½; May, $5 20.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

No. 2 spring wheat, 92c; No. 2 red, 94½c to 95c; No. 2 corn, 49½c; No. 2 oats, 44c; No. 2 rye, 71c; mess pork, $9 85 to $9 85½; lard, $5 70 to $5 72½; short ribs sides, $4 75 to $4 80; dry salted shoulders, $4 05 to $4 10; short clear sides, $5 to $5 05.

TOLEDO, Jan. 26.

WHEAT—97½c cash, $1 00½c May, 92c bid July, 90⅝c Aug.

CORN—51c cash, 53½c May.

OATS—46c cash, 47½c May.

DETROIT, Jan. 26.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, 98c cash; No. 2 red, 98c cash, $1 00½ May, 92c July, 90⅞c Aug.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 26.

WHEAT—Easier 86⅞c cash, 90⅞c May 88⅞c July.

Petrolea Oil Market.

PETROLEA, Jan. 26.—Oil to-day $1 30.

Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—Hogs—Receipts, 34,000 quality not so good; left over, 1,500; market active; all parties buying freely; prices, 5c to 10c higher. Sales ranged: $2 80 to $3 55 for pigs, $3 40 to $3 70 for light, $3 50 to $3 60 for rough packing, $3 55 to $3 75 for mixed, $3 65 to $3 85 for heavy packing and shipping lots.

Cattle—Receipts, 12,000; quality fair; market active on packing and shipping account; prices 10c to 15c higher on better qualities. Quotations ranged: $5 to $5 50; for choice to fancy shipping steers; $4 25 to $4 90 for good to choice do, $3 25 to $4 10 for common to fair do, $2 75 to $3 60 for butchers' steers, $2 25 to $2 50 for stockers, $2 10 to $2 70 for Texans, $2 70 to $3 25 for feeders, $1 25 to $2 75 for cows, $1 50 to $3 for bulls, and $3 to $5 for veal calves.

Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; quality fair; demand active; prices steady. Quotations ranged: $3 50 to $5 for Westerns, $3 75 to $5 10 for natives, $4 75 to $6 for lambs.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 26.—Cattle—Offerings, 215 carloads. Owing to difficulty in way of communication with eastern markets trade here was rather unsettled. Ample supply of export cattle; $4 35 to $5 for fair to extra select; butchers' quiet and rather inclined to weakness, except for very choice. Best heavy butchers', $4 25; best mediums, $4 to $4 20; best handy butchers', $3 75 to $3 90; mixed, good to best, $2 50 to $3; common to fair, $2 to $2 35; heavy green cattle, $2 50 to $3 10; stockers and feeders out of season, and there was an overplus of this class of stock; the supply of yearlings especially large and quoted at $1 60 to $2 90; feeders quotable at $2 50 to $3 15. Bulls quiet and a shade lower. Good supply of common cows; very limited supply of choice milch cows and springers; choice to best, $30 to $35; common irregular and varied in prices from $12 for ordinary to $25 for good calves; quite a good demand for heavy fed at $2 to $2 50; veals, extra, worth $7; good to choice, $6 to $6 50.

Sheep and Lambs—Offerings, 40 cars; trade responded to light supply, though affected by absence of eastern reports; best sheep, $5 25 to $5 40; good to extra, $4 75 to $5 25; best lambs quotable at $6 50; good to choice Canadas, $5 50 to $6 25.

Hogs—Offerings, 100 cars; fairly active and higher; most of the choice heavy, medium and mixed sold at $3 85; top grades, York weights, sold at $3 90; light to mediums, $3 80 to $3 85; pigs, $3 75 to $3 85; roughs, $2 90 to $3.

MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Q., Jan. 26.—About 500 head of butchers' cattle, 10 calves and 50 sheep offered at the East End abattoir to-day. Good beeves were less plentiful, but there was a large supply of rough stock, especially oxen and bulls; these were dull of sale at rather lower prices. It looks as if farmers are selling off their surplus stock without waiting until they are fat enough for profitable killing, as there has been more rough and inferior beef critters offered on the market here lately than was the case probably ever before in midwinter. Four good steers and heifers weighing 1,160 pounds, sold at 4c per pound, and several others brought about the same rate. Pretty good stock and fat bulls sold at from 3½c to a little over 4c per pound; common dry cows and rough oxen, at from 3c to 3½c do., with the leaner beasts at from 2½c to 3c per pound. The few calves offered were not of extra quality, and sold at from $3 to $7 each. Sheep, selling lots, at from $4 50 to $5 25 per head.

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LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

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The young man spoke up eagerly,
"For better or for worse," said he.

—Schubert Quartet Concert at Victoria Hall to-night.

—Several new street watering carts will be purchased by the City Council for the coming season.

—Mr. J. V. Teetzel, of Hamilton, who has been in the city since Saturday, returned home yesterday afternoon.

—Constable Logan, of the G. T. R., is around again after a few days' illness. Mr. J. Allinson, jun., has been relieving him.

—Evangelist Macdonald addressed the young men's meeting in Victoria Hall Saturday evening, and made a splendid impression.

—The Hospital Trust have decided to leave the use of the Koch lymph to the discretion of the medical superintendent, Dr. Balfour.

—Mr. William Payne, of South London, left yesterday for New York en route (via Inman Line fast express steamer City of Berlin) for Liverpool.

—A bulldog belonging to J. Malin is alleged to have attacked and bitten a little girl named Ryan, living on Burwell street. Police proceedings were threatened, but Malin had the dog hung to prevent trouble.

—Wm. Fulton was arrested by Detective Graham on Saturday on a charge of stealing timber from Hugh Morrison. The defendant was released by Squire Jarvis on his own bail. Both parties are from London township.

Sold for Taxes.

The sale of county lands for taxes took place at the Court House yesterday at noon. Following were the results: Ekfrid—Part of lot 2, con. 3, 1 91-100 acres, sold to C. P. R. Company. Lobo—Part of lot 13, con. 4, three acres, belonging to Thos. Croakley, $11 44 taxes, sold to H. McIntyre. London—Parts of lots 31 and 33, Oliver survey of lot 11, con. B., sold to Charles Honister. Lots 1 and 2, Marshall survey of lot 13, con. 3, sold to Wm. Patrick. Westminster—Ross survey, part of lot 19, in broken front concession, sub-lot 9, south of Princess street, sold to D. McAlpine, $385; sub-lot No. 10, ditto, sold to W. Scarrow, $385; ditto No. 11 to W. Strong, $385; No. 12, T. Tambling, $385; Nos. 13 and 14, W. Strong, $385 each; No. 16 to Jas. Cahill. North of Whitehead street—Lot 1 sold to D. McAlpine, $385; Nos. 2, 3 and 4 sold to W. Strong, $385 each; No. 5 sold to W. Scarrow, $385; No. 6 to H. McIntyre, $385; 7 and 8 to J. Cahill, $385 each. Village of Ailsa Craig—Lot 1, north of Main street, sold to Hay & Harris for $1,356. Newbury—South half of lot 1, block I, Tucker survey, sold to Chas. McGuire for $530.

THE TORONTO EVANGELIST.

Mr. David Macdonald at St. James' and King Street Presbyterian Churches.

Mr. David Macdonald, of Cook's Presbyterian Church, Toronto, who will conduct evangelistic services in King Street Presbyterian Church every night this week, occupied the pulpit of St. James' Church on Sunday morning, thus relieving the pastor, Rev. M. P. Talling, who is suffering from a severe cold. From the words, "He is risen," Mark, xvi., 8, Mr. Macdonald delivered a forcible narrative of the events leading up to and following after the resurrection of the world's Saviour. The speaker commenced his sketch with the birth of the child Christ, and followed him minutely from the time of his boyhood until his crucifixion, his resurrection and ascension into heaven. He depicted in a striking manner the anxiety, the hopes and the fears of the disciples and the exultant spirits of the enemies of Christianity, which were displayed while the Saviour was still under the power of death. He claimed as a proof of the scriptural narrative's truth the fact that the disciples forgot their Master's promise to rise again, but that his enemies, who had everything to fear from his rising, were fully alive to the necessity of having the mouth of the sepulchre guarded. The many coincidences that marked the life of Christ with the known works of the Father God were brought out clearly, as was also the triumphant resurrection of Christ, which gave rise to the words: "Oh, grave where is thy victory; oh, death where is thy sting?"

In the evening Mr. Macdonald opened the series of special services in King Street Presbyterian Church by a stirring address, and characterized it throughout by a deep earnestness, of which he is undoubtedly the possessor. He chose as his text I. Timothy, i., 15: "This is a faithful saying and worthy of all acceptation that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am chief." The joy manifested by criminals upon receiving notice that they were liberated from some impending punishment was in the first place illustrated by the speaker, who said that men would do anything in this world to secure pardon from a judge, but when God freely offered pardon to the sinner on the brink of destruction he would not trouble himself to secure it. The speaker compared the sinner to a man heaping up combustibles, which as soon as they came together would cause an explosion, entirely consuming the builder. The self-righteous man, the speaker said, would argue that God was too merciful to fulfill his threat of sending him to perdition when he committed no grevious sin, but as a single link in a chain breaking would precipitate a man to the bottom of a pit, so would even one transgression on the soul keep it out of heaven. He concluded his remarks by an earnest appeal to the unsaved to awaken to their need at once, as no time but the present was guaranteed them of making their peace with God. The large congregation listened attentively to Mr. Macdonald's remarks, and showed their appreciation of his efforts by remaining to the after meeting, which he also addressed. If the interest thus far manifested in the meetings may be taken as an indication of the results which will follow Mr. Macdonald's visit to the city he will accomplish considerable good. Meetings will be held every evening during the present week, when it is expected large numbers will avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing the noted evangelist.

Steamers Arrived.

Jan 25.	At.	From
Polynesian	Halifax	Liverpool
La Normandie	Havre	New York

Good for All Three.

The greatest good for the greatest number is the mark aimed at by all reformers, and to reach it secures the greatest acclaim of fame that can be had. It is a good thing for the consumer, for the manufacturer, for the newspapers, when an article of merit is put upon the market, is made known by newspaper advertising, and, through a series of years, proves its worth to lesson labor in millions of homes, profits the newspapers, and gives its makers a fair living. Pearline, the great washing powder manufactured by James Pyle & Sons, New York, has done all this. If it is not making labor easier in your home, it is your fault. Something of its history is made plain in an advertisement in another column. bd&w

KENT'S COLORED MEN

Take Steps to Form a "Civil Rights League."

FLETCHER, Jan. 27.—The mass meeting held by the colored citizens of the county of Kent in Victoria Hall at Chatham on Friday was fairly attended considering the short notice given. About 100 persons were present, representing the towns of Chatham and Dresden, and the townships of Dover, Chatham, Raleigh and Tilbury East.

Mr. J. C. Richards (chairman of the Committee on Calls, appointed by the Literary Association of Chatham) called the meeting to order and briefly stated the object of the meeting as follows: "To consider a course to be adopted for the uniting of the colored people of the county of Kent into a league for their mutual protection and advancement."

After all the members of the committee had spoken, they left the matter in the hands of the meeting. Mr. A. V. Thompson was called to the chair, and Mr. R. W. S. Johnson was elected temporary secretary.

In a few moments the house was in wild confusion. Men stood on the floor shouting at the top of their voices to the chairman, each trying to get his attention. The chairman got confused and said that he was at sea, amid loud laughter and cheers. Order was finally restored and the meeting settled down to business.

It was moved by Mr. R. W. S. Johnson, seconded by Mr. N. Murray—

That we, the colored citizens of Kent county, in meeting assembled, do hereby assert that we are in favor of the forming of a civil rights league among the colored citizens of the county of Kent, and that a call be made to the colored citizens of said county to meet in convention in the town of Chatham, at a time hereinafter agreed upon, for the purpose of forming said league.

This was carried.

After a lengthy and heated discussion, a committee of five was appointed to make a call to the colored citizens of said county for a convention to be held in Chatham on Saturday, Feb. 7, to fix the number of delegates for each division to attend the convention for the purpose of forming the league. There were several speeches made urging the people to action.

The committee met on Saturday at 10 o'clock in Murray's block, King street east, and issued the call to all parts of the county, fixing the number of delegates in towns at five and in rural districts at two in each school section. Meetings will be held in every division in the early part of the week to appoint delegates. It is believed that every right thinking man who has any race pride will do his endeavor to bring about a better state of affairs.

A CRISIS IN THE U. S. SENATE

Likely to Culminate Shortly—Strong Opposition to Closure.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 26.—Report has it that the crisis in the Senate will be reached to-morrow, when it is expected that the advocates of the Election Bill will force a vote and secure the adoption of the Closure Bill. The Closure rule out of the way, early action on the Election Bill will be an easy matter. Senators Stewart, Teller, Wolcott and probably Senator Jones, of Nevada, will vote against the Closure resolution, but it is thought they will not assist the Democrats in breaking a quorum. Senator Washburn, who has expressed himself in opposition to the Election Bill has voted with the Republicans on questions connected with the discussion of closure resolution, and it is believed he will vote for its passage. Taken altogether, the situation in the Senate is critical, and this week will probably bring matters to a head.

VOICES OF THE PEOPLE.

A Bridge Question.

To the Editor of the ADVERTISER:

Now that the county has been relieved from one-half the maintenance of the three bridges over the Thames, which by the annexion of London South are now altogether in the city, the erection of a bridge over the Wharncliffe highway connecting this ward of the city with London West would perhaps meet with the approval of the County Council. When the petition was made for it seven years ago the excuse was that the county could not afford it. Now, the county would only bear one-half the cost. As the County Council will sit this week, something ought to be done at once. I desire you, Mr. Editor, to draw the attention of his Worship the Mayor and the new City Council, particularly the aldermen of this ward, to the matter. It is perhaps too much to expect the Council of London West to move promptly or effectively, but that body will no doubt give their approval, and then non-resident representatives in the County Council will gladly seize the opportunity of doing something for a portion of their constituents.

No. 6 WARD RATEPAYER.
Wharncliffe Ave., South London, Jan. 26.

Impracticable Theories.

Impracticable theories grow out of thought without knowledge or lack of conscience. The man who wishes to help the world must bear a part in the world's interests and occupations. Thought without knowledge and lack of conscience accounts in a large measure for the numerous patent nostrums which the public are requested to buy. The makers of these vile compounds do not for a moment think of the terrible after results of their hurtful remedies. The great discovery of Prof. Phelps, known as Paine's Celery Compound, was given to the sick and suffering only after years of profound thought, experiment and research. It was first used among the brave and suffering soldiers who fought for the abolition of negro slavery. Many hundreds of these brave men, from exposure, overwork, nervous debility and great physical and mental strain, were almost helpless in hospital or on tented field. Paine's Celery Compound to them was life, strength, energy and new vigor. This grand preparation was afterwards given to the world generally, and has been the means of saving thousands of valuable lives. It is a true nerve and brain food for the weak, sleepless, overworked, brain-tired and dyspeptic victim. It brings new life, rest, peace, joy and contentment to all.

Morning wraps were the invention of the man who wakes up hotel guests for the early train.

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Mr. Job Scales, of Toronto, writes: "A short time ago I was suffering from Kidney Complaint and Dyspepsia, sour stomach and lame back; in fact, I was completely prostrated and suffering intense pain. While in this state a friend recommended me to try a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery. I used one bottle, and the permanent manner in which it has cured and made a new man of me is such that I cannot withhold from the proprietors this expression of my gratitude."

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MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC.

Jottings of Interest to the Amusement-Loving Public.

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The Schubert Quartet are booked for St. Thomas, London and Brantford only in Canada.

M. A. Scanlon, an actor, and brother of W. J. Scanlon, died on Jan. 12 of consumption, aged 22.

Sig. Liberati has sailed for London, where he is to fulfill an engagement as solo cornetist at the Alhambra Place, London.

Evans & Hoey in "A Parlor Match" are doing a still larger business, in this their seventh year of the above named comedy.

"Good Old Times" is the bill at the Grand to-night. It is stated by Toronto critics to exceed "Silver King" in worth and popularity.

"Chuchillo," which Wm. Redmund produced here last week, is a revised version of "Redeemed," originally produced at Providence, R. I., Aug. 19, 1889.

Harrigan in his new play "Reilly and the 400" at his new theater, New York, is drawing crowded houses. The play is pronounced as one of Harrigan's best yet produced.

In accordance with the wish of the late Emma Abbot, her maid burned her wardrobe on the day of the diva's death, Jan. 5. The maid stood by the door of the furnace until all the articles were consumed.

Grimes' "Cellar Door Company," of which Mr. W. H. Birrell, formerly of this city, has an interest in, is doing a large business, according to reports received from a member of the company by a party in this city.

Manager Chas. H. Pratt will reorganize the Emma Abbott Opera Company and open in New York on Jan. 26 or Feb. 2 for a month. If the experiment proves a success he will take the company on the road.

New York couldn't stand the loss of "The Old Homestead," and Denman Thompson has decided to return it to the stage of the Academy on Monday evening, with its original cast and scenic surroundings supplemented by a number of new features. An idea of the hold the remarkable play has upon the playgoers of the big city may be gleaned from the fact that on the day the announcement was made of its contemplated return the advance sale of seats amounted to over $3,000. Its temporary withdrawal was to afford Mr. Thompson and his company a relief from the fatigue necessarily incident to the uninterrupted enacting of the same roles for so many consecutive seasons at the Academy.

William Mestayer, one of the two "Babes" in the pantomime of "Babes in the Wood" at Niblo's, withdraws from the cast at the end of the New York engagement. The management intend to replace him with a certain Thespian, confessed to be the leanest, tallest, lankest and most hungry-looking being connected with the stage of this country. This will make a nice contrast to the 350 pounds of avoirdupois known as George K. Fortescue. The pantomime has proven so successful at Niblo's that Manager Gilmore has been encouraged to negotiate the for production at his house next season of "Beauty and the Beast," the latest London pantomime.

There have been composite photographs, composite stories and lectures, and now there is a composite play. "A High Roller," the new spectacular farce comedy to be sent on tour next season by E. G. Gilmore, part owner and manager of the Academy, New York, and Alex. Comstock, business manager of that house, will have four authors, each of whom has been more or less successful in the construction of this class of stage offering. The piece is to be staged in the most extravagant manner and will embrace a company of 50 people.

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Local Option Work in Brant.

BRANTFORD, Jan. 26.—The temperance people are agitating for the submission of the local option law in Brant county. Meetings have been held at various points, and the council will in all probability shortly be petitioned in the matter.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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London, Tuesday, Jan. 27.

Desperate Remedies

By Thomas Hardy,

AUTHOR OF "A PAIR OF BLUE EYES," "THE TRUMPET-MAJOR," ETC.

She slightly moved the door. The interior of the brewhouse was wrapped in gloom, but a streak of light fell towards her in a line across the floor from the inner or workshop door, which was not quite closed. This light was unexpected, none having been visible through hole or crevice. Glancing in, the woman found he had placed cloths and mats at various apertures, and hung a sack at the window to prevent the egress of a single ray. She could also perceive from where she stood, that the bar of light fell across the brewing copper just outside the inner door, and that upon it lay the key of her bedroom. The illuminated interior of the workshop was partly visible from her position between the two half-open doors. Manston was engaged in emptying a large cupboard of tools, gallipots, and old iron it contained. When it was cleared he took a chisel, and with it began to withdraw the hooks and shoulder nails holding the cupboard to the wall. All these being loosened he extended his arms, lifted the cupboard bodily from the brackets under it, and deposited it on the floor beside him.

The portion of the wall which had been screened by the cupboard was now laid bare. This it appeared, had been plastered more recently than the bulk of the outhouse. Manston loosened the plaster by some kind of tool, flinging the pieces into a basket as they fell. Having now stripped clear about two feet area of wall, he inserted a crowbar between the joints of the bricks beneath, softly wriggling it until several were loosened. There was now disclosed the mouth of an old oven, which was apparently contrived in the thickness of the wall, and having fallen into disuse, had been closed up with bricks in this manner. It was formed after the simple old-fashioned plan of oven-building—a mere oblate cavity without a flue.

Manston now stretched his arm into the oven, dragged forth a heavy weight of great bulk, and let it slide to the ground. The woman who watched him could see the object plainly, it was a common corn-sack nearly full and was tied at the mouth in the usual way.

The steward had once or twice started up, as if he had heard sounds, and his motions became more cat-like still. On a sudden he put out the light. Anne had made no noise, yet a foreign noise of some kind had certainly been made in the intervening portion of the house. She heard it. "One of the rats," she thought.

He seemed soon to recover from his alarm, but changed his tactics completely. He did not light his candle—going on with his work in the dark. She had only sounds to go by now, and, judging as well as she could from these, he was piling up the brick which closed the oven's mouth as they had been before he had disturbed them. The query that had not left her brain all the interval of her inspection—how should she get back into the bedroom again—now received a solution. Whilst he was replacing the the cupboard, she would glide across the brewhouse, take the key from the top of the copper, run upstairs, unlock the door and bring back the key again; if he returned to bed, which was unlikely, he would think the lock had failed to catch in the staple. His thought and intention, occupying such length of words, flashed upon her in an instant, and hardly disturbed her strong curiosity to stay and learn the meaning of his action in the workshop.

Slipping sideways through the first door and closing it behind her, she advanced in the darkness towards the second, making every individual footfall with the greatest care, lest the fragments of rubbish on the floor should crackle beneath her tread. She soon stood close by the copper, and not more than a foot from the door of the room occupied by Manston himself, from which position she could distinctly hear him breathe between each exertion, although it was far too dark too discern anything of him.

To secure the key of her chamber was her first anxiety, and accordingly she cautiously reached out her hand to where it lay. Instead of touching it, her fingers came in contact with the boot of a human being.

She drooped faint in a cold sweat. It was the foot either of a man or woman, standing on the brewing copper where the key had lain. A warm foot, covered with a polished boot.

The startling discovery so terrified her that she could scarcely repress a sound. She withdrew her hand with the motion like the flight of an arrow. Her touch was so light that the leather seemed to have been thick enough to keep the owner of the foot in entire ignorance of it, and the noise of Manston's scraping might have been quite sufficient to drown the slight rustle of her dress.

The person was obviously not the steward; he was still busy. It was somebody who, since the light had been extinguished, had taken advantage of the gloom, to come from some dark recess in the brewhouse and stand upon the copper. The fear which had at first paralyzed her lessened with the birth of a sense that fear now was utter failure; she was in a desperate posttion and must abide the consequences. The motionless person on the copper was, equally with Manston, quite unconscious of her proximity, and she ventured to advance her hand again, feeling behind the feet, until she found the key. On its return to her side, her finger-tip skimmed the lower verge of a trouser-leg.

It was a man that stood there. To go to the door just at this time was impolitic, and she shrank back into an inner corner to wait. The comparative security from discovery that her new position insured resuscitated reason a little, and empowered her to form some logical inferences.

The man who stood on the copper had taken advantage of the darkness to get there, as she had to enter.

2. The man must have hidden in the outhouse before she reached the door.

3. He must be watching Manston with much calculation and system, and for purposes of his own.

She could now tell by the noises that Manston had completed his re-erection of the cupboard. She heard him replacing the articles it had contained—bottle by bottle, tool by tool,—after which he came into the brewhouse, went to the window, and pulled down the cloths covering it; but the window being rather small, this unveiling scarcely relieved the darkness of the interior. He returned to the workshop, hoisted something to his back by a jerk, and felt about the room for some other article. Having found it he emerged from the inner door, crossed the brewhouse, and went into the yard. Directly he stepped out she could see his outline by the light of the clouded and weakly moon. The sack was slung at his back, and in his hand he carried a spade.

Anne now waited in her corner in breathless suspense for the proceedings of the other man. In about half a minute she heard him descend from the copper, and then the square opening of the doorway showed the outline of this other watcher passing through it likewise. The form was that of a broad-shouldered man enveloped in a long cloak. He vanished after the steward.

The woman vented a sigh of relief, and moved forward to follow. Simultaneously, she discovered that the watcher whose foot she had touched was, in his turn, watched and followed also.

It was by one of her own sex. Anne Seaway shrank backward again. The unknown woman came forward from the further side of the yard, and pondered awhile in hesitation. Tall, dark and closely wrapped, she stood up from the earth like a cypress. She moved, crossed the yard without producing the slightest disturbance by her footsteps, and went in the direction the others had taken.

Anne waited yet another minute—then in her turn noiselessly followed the last woman.

But so impressed was she with the sensation of people in hiding, that in coming out of the yard she turned her head to see if any person were following her in the same way. Nobody was visible, but she discerned, standing behind the angle of the stable, Manston's horse and gig, ready harnessed.

He did intend to fly, after all, then, she thought. He must have placed the horse in readiness, in the interval between his leaving the house and her exit by the window. However, there was not time to weigh this branch of the night's events. She turned about again, and continued the trail of the other three.

(To be Continued.)

Their Name is Legion.

There is no lack of so-called cures for the common ailment known as corns. The vegetable, animal and mineral kingdoms have been ransacked for cures. It is a simple matter to remove corns without pain, for if you will go to any druggist or medicine dealer and buy a bottle of Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor and apply it as directed the thing is done. Get "Putnam's," and no other.

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Mr. J. R. Allen, upholsterer, Toronto sends us the following: "For six or seven years my wife suffered with Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Inward Piles and Kidney Complaint. We tried two physicians and any number of medicines without getting any relief, until we got a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery. This was the first relief she got, and before one bottle was used the benefit she derived from it was beyond our expectation."

An English court has decided that the chime of bells in the village of Deptford must not be sounded because the noise is offensive to the majority of the property owners of the vicinity.

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LATEST SCOTTISH NEWS.

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Rev. John Robertson, McCrie-Roxburgh Free Church, Edinburgh, has intimated to the Presbytery his acceptance of the call from the Gorbals congregation, Glasgow.

Colonel F. J. Jackson, who has just relinquished the command of the Royal Scots Fusiliers in India, has been given a five years' command of the 21st Regimental District at Ayr.

On the last Sunday of last year Rev. Mr. Dougall, Langloan Free Church, surprised his congregation by simply reading three small portions of Scripture and then dismissing them without explanation.

The directors of the Highland Society have had before them a proposal to establish a Chair of Forestry in the University of Edinburgh, and resolved to make a public appeal for subscriptions for this purpose.

The School Board of Ardchattan and Muckairn (Argyll) have threatened to resign in a body because the Education Department had resolved to give a Government grant to a school taught in the Episcopal chapel at Bonawe.

Greenock Town Council have passed a resolution of congratulation to Sir Thomas Sutherland, M.P. for the burgh, on the honor just conferred upon him by her Majesty the Queen in creating him a Knight Commander of the Order of St. Michael and St. George.

Official figures published as to the attendance at the University of Edinburgh show that during the past year the total number of matriculated students was 3,503, as against 3,602 in 1889, 3,160 in 1880 and 1,768 in 1870. Of this total 940 were enrolled in the Faculty of Arts, 116 in the Faculty of Divinity, 468 in the Faculty of Law, and 1,979 in the Faculty of Medicine.

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TORONTO, Jan. 26—11 p.m.—The pressure is comparatively high along the St. Lawrence Valley and in the Southern States, and below normal elsewhere. Light falls of snow have occurred in Ontario, Manitoba and portions of the Northwest Territories. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 12°—42°; Winnipeg, 12°—24°; Toronto, 20°—35°; Montreal, 4°—26°; Quebec, 4° below—26°; Halifax, 22°—32°.

Local temperatures—Highest, 32°; lowest, 29°.

TO-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.

TORONTO, Jan. 27—10 a.m.—The indications for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville) are: Moderate winds; partly fair; comparatively mild; light local falls of snow or sleet.

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—Valentine Day falls on Saturday this year.

—The Schubert Quartet will appear tonight at Victoria Hall.

—Mr. Newton W. Rowell, of this city, preached at a union service in Hyde Park Methodist Church on Sunday.

—Cora Smith, charged by Thomas Partridge with assault, was remanded for a week by the police magistrate yesterday morning.

—Mrs. J. H. E. Jones, formerly of London West, died recently in Australia, where she had gone in company with her husband.

—The assessors' assistants are Messrs. D. Murray with Commissioner Grant, W. M. Peel with Mr. Toll, Thomas Browne with Mr. Fairgrieve.

—Feb. 9 is the date fixed for the entertainment and ball in the East End Hall, under the auspices of "A" Company of the Seventh Fusiliers.

—Mayor Taylor and about 25 local brethren will attend the institution of a new Knights of Pythias lodge at Petrolea this evening.

—Rev. A. C. Courtice, of this city, and Rev. R. J. Treleaven, of St. Thomas, exchanged pulpits Sunday. Rev. Mr. Treleaven was formerly pastor of the Queen's Avenue and Askin Street Methodist Churches here.

—The case of murder that has been pending for some time against Bob Murray, of Port Huron, formerly of this city, has been nolle prosequied at Lapeer.

—Large numbers of Canadian and United States sportsmen are registered at the various hotels They are interested in the London Gun Club's shooting tournament.

—Messrs. George A. Somerville and W. F. Bullen, of this city, have been chosen members of the executive committee of the Land Mortgage Companies' Association of Ontario.

—C. W. Henderson, who died at Jackson, Mich., on Jan. 7, and was stated to be a former Londoner, was in reality from Wingham, Ont. His parents are now residing in that place.

—In the absence of the rector the Dean of Huron conducted the morning service in the Memorial Church on Sunday. The Bishop of Huron preached in the evening, the church being crowded to the doors.

—The newly-added electric lights were in operation Sunday night, and shed their bright beams on many localities that have hitherto been left in comparative darkness. The improvement was much needed, and it was decidedly noticeable.

—Rev. J. G. Fallis, of Warwick preached two excellent sermons in Queen's Park Methodist Church Sunday. Rev. W. Hayhurst, the pastor, occupied the pulpit of the Warwick Methodist Church, where special educational services were held.

—The non-coms. of the Seventh have secured rooms in the Ontario Loan and Debenture building, and are fitting them up in order that their mess may have cozy down-town quarters. The new apartments will be opened shorting with a smoking concert.

—The Bristol horse show turned away a couple of hundred people on Saturday afternoon, and standing room only could be obtained quite a time before the performance began. There was also a big audience in the evening. The organization went from here to Toronto.

—Meritt Bean, of London, Ont., is visiting his cousins, Mrs. J. E. Gilmore and Mrs. John McMillian, of this city. Charles E. Taylor and sisters, Carrie and Gladys, have gone to London and Parkhill, Ont., on a six weeks' visit with relatives and friends.—[Port Huron Times.

—John McInerny, a Buffalo young man, is said to have raised a racket on a G. T. R. west bound train Sunday, while drunk, and was handed over to Constable Allison upon its arrival here. The police magistrate remanded him until to-day, when the conductor will be present to give evidence.

—At Ottawa Saturday night the Royal Military College Graduates' Society elected officers as follows: President, Capt. S. A. Denison, London, Ont.; first vice-president, Major Perry, Prince Albert; second vice-president, J. Houliston, Three Rivers; secretary-treasurer, F. W. White, Ottawa.

—Dr. A. Gebean, of Alfred, county of Prescott, has been fined $50 and costs for practicing medicine without being registered under the Ontario Act. The case was heard before Mr. P. W. McDonald, of Plantagenet, and W. Webb, of this city, Provincial detective for the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario, prosecuted.

—Mrs. Tilley, of London, organizing agent of the W. A. M. A., in the diocese of Huron, will address a public meeting in Holy Trinity Church, North Chatham, next Tuesday evening, for the purpose of organizing a branch in connection with that church. Mrs. Tilley will also address a meeting of the King's Daughters the same day at the rectory.—[Chatham Planet.

—Charles Fruiter, the Caradoc youth who was found in the city Saturday with a horse and rig that did not belong to him, was allowed to go by the magistrate yesterday on the representation of his employer, Mr. Thomas Burns. Fruiter did not intend anything wrong, but in the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Burns possessed himself of the turnout to convey his best girl to a tea meeting. Finding her away from home he took a notion to drive into London on a visit to his sister. Mr. Burns said he would take back the boy, who, though peculiar sometimes, was a fairly good youth.

—The death of an old resident of London, Mr. James Ward, is reported from Toronto. Mr. Ward came to London in 1846 when quite young, and lived here until about six years ago. He enlisted in the Hundredth Regiment and had served about seven years when he obtained his discharge. He afterwards carried on the tailoring business for some years. The deceased was a lifelong Reformer, and was of a genial and kindly disposition. His death will be much regretted by many of his old friends in this city.

—The funeral of the late Miss Jessie Conning took place from her mother's residence on Adelaide street Saturday afternoon to the Presbyterian Cemetery. Rev. J. Allister Murray conducted the services and was assisted by Revs. W. J. Clark, Walter M. Roger and James Gordon. The floral offerings were numerous, and included a magnificent anchor from the teachers and officers of King Street Presbyterian Sunday school, where the deceased had been a teacher until a short time before her death. Messrs. John Cairncross, John Marr, S. G. Gibson, Robert Morrison and Charles Somerville acted as pall-bearers.

The Children Enjoyed It.

The annual social of the South London Baptist Sunday school, held the other evening, entertained a large audience. The interested parents supplied a bountiful tea for the children at 7 o'clock, which was served to the entire satisfaction of the young people. Having done justice to the hearty repast, a short intermission of social chat was indulged in by all present. The superintendent, Mr. H. W. Sutherland, who occupied the chair, called to order the gathering and opened with prayer, followed by singing of the school. The chairman then read the annual report, which showed a very satisfactory standing of the school, both in attendance and financially. An excellent programme was furnished, in which many of the children participated, doing thorough justice to their talent, that manifested itself in the numerous readings, recitations, solos and duets. Thus the audience was delighted until the chairman was compelled by the lateness of the hour to inform the children, to their regret, that it was time for them to seek their nests. The doxology being sung the happy gathering separated.

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The United States Government has decided that sago flour is dutiable at the rate of 2 cents a pound, as starch.

The remains of Mr. Alex. Mercier, brother of Hon. Mr. Mercier, were buried in the family vault on Mount Royal to-day (Monday).

At Brussels a thaw has set in and floods have resulted. The River Senne, which flows through the city, has overflowed its banks for miles.

Although defeated in the North Perth election contest, Dr. Ahrens is being congratulated by his friends upon becoming the father of a fine, healthy daughter, which was born on Friday.

John Mitchell, editor of the Hanover (Ont.) Post, met with a serious accident Saturday. One of the job printers was running the hand-press when something got loose, which Mr. Mitchell attempted to fasten. In doing so his left hand was lacerated and pressed almost out of shape.

While fire engine No. 1 was going to a fire Saturday evening at Jersey City and while crossing the railroad track an express train dashed into it, killing Driver Dinan and both horses. Two barrels of turpentine exploded in the cellar of the burning building, killing Chief Engineer Farrar, who died from suffocation. Several firemen were seriously injured. Hoseman McDonald's condition is critical.

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The Hatter and Furrier,

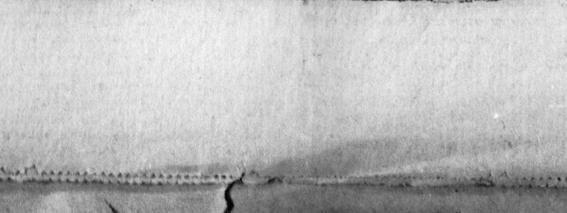
143 DUNDAS STREET.

Beaver Caps & Collars

A FEW LEFT.

LADIES' STORM COLLARS BOAS AND MUFFS

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COTTON SALE

—AT—

KINGSMILL'S

COTTONS

20 YARDS YARD WIDE
For $1.
Only 20 yards to a customer.

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16⅔ YARDS YARD WIDE
(BETTER)
For $1.
This is a coaxer.

COTTONS

14½ YARDS YARD WIDE
(Good and Heavy)
For $1.
Come and see this.

COTTONS

12½ YARDS YARD WIDE
(Extra Heavy)
For $1.
Special Finish for Bleaching.

COTTONS

12½ YARDS 40 INCHES
(Extra Close)
For $1.
This Will Speak for Itself.

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Styles the Newest,
Qualities the Best,
Prices the Lowest.

A Call Will Convince

While we are anxious to sell Winter Goods, and willing to let them go at a great sacrifice rather than carry them over, we have interests ahead which we have to look to, interests which are YOURS as well as OURS, which prompts us to make this announcement: That we are selling

THE CHEAPEST COTTONS IN CANADA.

At the present time there is more leisure for making up your spring and summer garments than in the ensuing months. We have received during the past two weeks the largest stock of Cottons, Shirtings, Denims, Cottonades, Skirtings, Prints, Cambrics, Sateens and Sheetings ever opened by any dealer in this city, bought before the recent amalgamation of the Canadian manufacturers and consequent rise in prices. We have also received an immense stock of English and American Prints; 34,000 yards to select from.

COTTONS

14½ YARDS Good Bleached
For $1.
Good for the Money.

COTTONS

12½ YARDS Good Bleached
For $1.
Combining Cheapness and Quality.

COTTONS

11¼ YARDS YARD WIDE
(BLEACHED)
For $1.
Conceded to be Unequaled Value.

COTTONS

10 YARDS YARD WIDE
(Extra Fine Bleached)
For $1.
Can't Be Beat.

COTTONS

8 YARDS Extra Heavy
(BLEACHED)
For $1.
Specially for Fine Work.

PRINTS

We admit of no superiors and acknowledge no equals in our magnificent display of new spring styles.

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