"All the news that's fit to print."

WHOLE NO. 10437

### Born, Married, Died.

COOPER-At London, Synday, Feb. 7, 1897, Mary Delilah Wilkie, reliet of the late John Cooper, in the 51st year of her age, Funeral from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. R. E. Simpson, 494 King street, on Tuesday, at 3 o'clock; services at 2:30. Friends will please accept this intimation. LECKY-In this city, at 391 Oxford street, on Feb. 7. Mrs. Elizabeth Lecky, widow of the late Charles Lecky, aged 92 years and 11

Funeral from above residence on Tuesday, Feb. 9, to Byron, at 2 o'clock; services at 1:30. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept

LEWIS-On Feb. 7th. at the family residence, 124 Maitland street, Andrew, youngest son of John and Mary Lewis, in his 14th year. Funeral on Tuesday at 3 o'clock; services at 2:30. Friends will kindly accept this in-

### Amusements and Lectures

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EAR THE CELEBRATED IMPERIAL Quartet, Mrs. Gauld, Misses Roblin, Barnard, Hartson, Taylor and Walsh, Messrs. Gibson and Forsythe, at the Ladies' Auxiliary concert in First Congregational Church on Tuesday Feb. 9 Tuesday, Feb. 9.

ECTURE-FRIDAY EVENING, FEB. 12—"Canadian Poets and Poetry," by Prof. Thos. O'Hagan, of Georgetown Univer-sity, Florida; at Catholic Club, 355 Richmond street. Admission 25c.

ONDON VOCAL SOCIETY - W. H. ONDON VOCAL SOCIETY — W. H. Hewlett. conductor. Chorus of 65 picked voices, assisted by Miss Beverly Robinson. soprano, Miss Beatrice Langley, violinist; Mr. Lepriere Pringle, basso, Mr. Braxton Smith. tenor, and Signor Seppili, accompanist, Tuesday evening, Feb. 23rd, Andstorium. Subscription seats 75c. Lists in hands of members and at Rell Press was recovery. and at Bell Piano warerooms. Pian opens to subscribors only on Feb. 18th. 37uzx

GRAND CONCERT UNDER THE auspices of the Young Ladies' Auxiliary of the First Congregational Church, will be given on Tuesday evening, Feb. 9, 8 p.m. Single tickets, 15c; double, 25c. Big musical treat. Come.

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UCTION SALE-THURSDAY, FEB. 11 A -Farm stock, wagons, sleigh and implements, 25 dairy cows, 3 newly-calved cows, 18 steers, 1 and 2 years old, 10 heifers and farrow cows, sheep and pigs, 2 mows straw, at Thos. Henry's, lot 16. con. 4 (Marshall Farm), near Hellmuth College.

NENDERS will be received at the underb. 18, for the construction of 2,180 feet of 18 inch tile sewer on the Wharncliffe highway, and for 3,932 feet of brick sewer on King, Ridout and other streets. The lowest or any

ALD. E. PARNELL, Chairman Board of A. O. GRAYDON, City Engineer, London. 31h zxv

### CATTLE SHIPPERS

Interested in the Following Regulations.

Toronto, Feb. 8.-There are some new lauses in the cattle regulations which Canadian exporters should know of: getting them inspected, to state for what purpose they are intended, whe-

through the test for tuber-osis, and a certificate has All much cows and springers must to accompany them, showing that lastic agitation over the union of Crete they have been passed by a competent and Greece is reported from veterinary surgeon before they were town and village. The national shipped. Otherwise they will be quar- everywhere are urging that antined, and held for inspection to tans immediately proclaim prove that they are free from disease. with Greece. Seven hundred If they are diseased they will be con-fiscated and slaughtered by the United Island of Syria.

States authorities. John James Gilchrist, son of Mr. J. C. Gilchrist, of Woodville, Ont., was drowned on Feb. 1 at Chilliwick. He had been in British Columbia three CHADWICK & SON — REAL ES.
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Speculation. Call Room 2 Albion Building.

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Population of a Cretan Village | will accept the proposals, and that Wiped Out.

John Burns' Scheme tor a Trades Union Bureau,

Britain Has a Fleet of 40 Warships in Turkish Waters.

The Queen in Good Health-Lieut.-Gov. Kirkpatrick Improving Daily.

WILL RESUME WORK. London, Feb. 8.-Sixty-five per cent of the striking laborers voted yesterday in favor of resuming work, the remaining 35 per cent voting favorable to continuing the strike.

HAS THE GRIP. London, Feb. 8.-The Duke of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha (Duke of Edinburgh) has been suffering for several days with a severe attack of influenza, but is now somewhat better.

GRAIN TRADE REVIEW. London, Feb. 8.-The Mark Lane Express today, in its review of the crop situation, says: The sodden state of the land is damaging the autumn sown wheat. Reports from France say that Association of Ontario vs. the Attorthere is very poor promise for the growing wheat; but in Italy the outlook is satisfactory.

THE PLAGUE. London, Feb. 8.-The Governor of the Transcaspian Territories announces sharpened; guns, rifles revolvers and locks repaired. D. McKenzie & Co., 388 Richmond street. that the bubonic plague has appeared at Candahar, Afghanistan, A force of the Amu Daria River to prevent, if possible, the introduction of the dis-

ease in Russian territory. THE QUEEN'S INTENTION. London, Feb. 8 .- The Queen, through ner private secretary, Sir Alfred Bigge, has written to the mayor of

LIEUTEANT-GOVERNOR KIRK-

PATRICK. London, Feb. 8 .- Lieutenant-Governecessitated a surgical operation, which, happily, was so successful.

IMPORTANT NAVAL MOVEMENTS. London, Feb. 8.-A dispatch to the Times from Paris announces upon what is regarded as good authority that one of the objects of the visit of Count Muravieff, Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs, to Paris, was to arrange for an increase in the strength of the Russian and French fleet in Turkish waters in view of the fact that England had quietly assembled

forty vessels of war at Besika Bay. THE POPE IN GOOD HEALTH. Dr. Lapponi, the personal physician of the Pope, again positively denies that the Pope has been indisposed. Prince Henry of Orleans, after his audience with his Holiness, on Friday, previous to departing for Abyssinia, also declared that the Pope appeared to be in excellent health. Moreover, it is announced that the Pope will attend on Monday a requiem mass for the repose of the soul of the late Plus IX., in the Sistine Chapel, which is

a long and fatiguing ceremony. HOW THEY FELL. A dispatch to the London Times WANTED - 25 BICYCLE RIDERS TO get their low frames made high at planation of the downfall of the Portuguese Ministry: "The Premier, Ernesto R. Hintz Ribeiro, asked the King to appoint a number of life senators for the purpose of enabling him to carry on the Government. This the King refused to do and the Cabinet at once resigned. Luciano de Castro, who has undertaken the task of reforming the Cabinet, will select a purey progressist Ministry. Parliament has

oeen dissolved." THE CZAR.

A Berlin dispatch says the Czar, ever since he was a boy, has been subject to occasional fits. The seizures, which in his early youth took place about every four months, become more frequent, and of a more distinctly epilep-

AN AWFUL MASSACRE. Vienna, Feb. 8.-A Neue Freie Presse dispatch from Athens says 1,500 Christians, constituting the whole population of a village, the name of which is not given, have been massacred by

the Mussulmans. Most of the Christians of Canea and In shipping a car of mixed cattle, but-the archives of the consulates have there's and stockers, it is necessary, in been placed on board the warships. Over half the Christian houses have what purpose they are intended, whe-ther for slaughtening or for feeding jackets and marines are on duty in

the streets of Canea.

NO COERCION. Berlin, Feb. 8 .- There is the thority for the statement draft of the reform protoco

there is no reference therein to any possibility of a resort to coercion on the part of the powers to enforce them. The opposition of the Kaiser to any further consideration of the question of coercion to enforce the Turkish reforms may have the effect to neutralize the results of the ambassadorial ralize the results of the ambassadorial to counteract the perfect organization of the employers in the House of Comthat in deference to the wishes of the mons. Members of the Parlamentary other powers, Baron de Calica, Austrian ambassador and president of the conference, will be authorized to in- executive will oppose the formation of form the Sultan that the powers are a body which would oust them from prepared to enforce their acceptance their valuable prerogatives as lobbyand operation.

CELEBRITIES AT THE RIVIERA. London, Feb. 8 .- Advices from the Riviera record a season of unusual its adoption by the coming brilliance. Never was there so great Monte Carlo, Nice and Cannes. Among tion of the bureau, a new and potent them are included Lady Salisbury, Lord Rosebery, Sir C. Rivers-Wilson and in all questions affecting and Lady Wilson, Mr. Eustis, the lations of capital and labor. American ambassador to France; Prince Orloff, Prince Saltykoff, Dowager Duchess of Aosta, Christine Nillson, Mrs. Langley, Lord Shrewsbury Sir Arthur Sullivan, Mrs. Bernard Beere, Mrs. Cameron, the mother of Mrs. Gladstone.

THE BREWERS' CASE. London, Feb. 8 .- In dismissing the appeal of the Brewers' and Maltsters' iney-General (as mentioned in Saturday's Adventiser), the judgment handed down by the committee of the Privy Council says that their lordships are quite unable to discover any substantial distinction between the case of the Bank of Toronto vs. Lambe and the present case. The tax in this case was demanded from the very persons Cossacks will be sent to watch along that the Legislature had intended should pay it. The judicial committee also granted permission to appeal the fisheries' case between the Dominion of Canada and the provinces. Mr. Charles Fitzgerald, Solicitor-General of Canada, argued for the Dominion and Hon. Edward Blake, M.P., appeared in behalf of the Province of Ontario.

B / the News of Countess de la Ferronav's Downfall.

The Tragic Death of Her Husband Recalled-"The Evil Eye."

Paris, Feb. 8.—The news hat the And an Excursion Train Fell Into Countess De La Ferronay salon was one of the foremo. in Paris, had squandered her large fortune in Stock Exchange gambling, fell like a thunderbolk on Parisian society. She was a shrewd woman of the world. with birth, position and talent, and seemingly the last person to desire to gamble. She has retired to the provinces, where she will live on the pen-

sion of a friend. The incident recalls the tragic death of her husband, who was a friend of the Count De Chambord. One day, in arranging the invitations for a hunding party, the count suggested to De Laferronays to invite M. Bontaux. who was a celebrated engineer, and afterwards canducted a propaganda, which did the Royalists a great deal

of harm. "Do you not know that M. Bontoux has the evil eye?" Ferronays asked. "No, I have not heard the story," replied Chambord.
"Well, it is a strange fact that, whenever he has been present at any party, one of the members of that party has died the same day." "Invite him-invite him,

means," said Chambord, lightly. "Possibly he will turn his evil eye on me, "Rather upon me," said Ferronays. M. Bontoux was invited. When re turning from the hunt Count De Laferromay's dropped dead in Chambord's

### POLES IN LONDON

carriage.

In Great Distress - Many Foreign rs

Emigrating to London.

London, Feb. 8.—Germans, Italians and Poles are emigrating to Landon in great numbers. It is feared that the passage of the new immigration law in the United States will bring more tic type, but they were never particularly trying to his constitution until German workmen by the common peoafter he had become burdened with the ple that German workmen going along work and trouble inseparable from the the streets are often hissed. The rethrone. During the last year he has dundant population of Italy mist go had pronounced epileptic seizures about somewhere. The Italian Government once a month. His relatives are cannot care for it. The millions of understood to concur in urging the dollars which relatives in America Czar to give up most of his imperial have sent home are of great importants. duties to the projected new council ance to Italy, and the Government of state. been gradually increasing, also may be curtailed. France already has a aw for the exclusion of immigrants under certain conditions. There is great distress among the Poles in London. They are brought over under the padrone system. The padrone sells their labor for \$1.75 to \$2 a week, after he has persuaded them to emigrate by representing that England is a land flowing with milk and honey. The case the archives of the consulates have of the starvation of a family of Polish immigrants brought the matter to public notice.

### BURNS' SCHEME.

Establishment of a Permanent Trades Union Bureau Proposed.

London, Feb. 8 .- John Burns, M.P., to whom no one except some of his jealous associates of the trades union Furnessia. parliamentary committee denies honesty of purpose, recently asked the approval of that committee to the appointment of a permanent trades wn cabinet, but he seeks to disarm the opposition of the Parliamentary com-

cabinet to the control of that committee. The purpose of the new bureau is to interfere in the settlement of trades disputes and lockouts to secure trades disputes and lockouts, to secure from the various unions financial help for strikers, to initiate and watch labor legislation in Parliament, and generally to form the permanent ex-ecutive for all unions. Obviously such a body would effectively command the action of the trades' unions, and would supercede the most important functions of the Parliamentary committee. The men composing this permanent executive, if it be ever constituted, will occupy a position of exceptional power in politics. Mr. Burns says that it could do much in the way of lobbying committee, however, who are not likely to get a place on the permanent ists. Mr. Burns' scheme is now being considered by the respective trades' unions. He asserts that a majority of the unions will approve it, and that congress is certain. It may be that he a crowd of celebrities sojourning at does not eventually agree to the creaforce will operate in British politics and in all questions affecting the re-

# The Cretan Situation.

the Princess de Chimay, and Mr. and Report That Canea Is Being Bombarded.

> German Warship Sent to the Scene Demonstration in Athens,

Berlin, Feb. 8.-A special dispatch received here from Athens says it is rumored there that the foreign warships have commenced to bombard Canea, Island of Crete. No confirmation of the report can be obtained here. A German warship has been ordered to prepare to sail as soon as possible for

Athens. Feb. 8.-The Crete squadron on arriving at Canea, did not salute the Turkish flag. Official advices say that the Mussulmans are preparing a massacre at Re-The representatives of some of the powers have expressed to the Greek

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Sheffield, announcing her intention to open the town hall there in person in May next. This fact should disprove the wild rumors about the physical and mental prostration of her Majesty.

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### the manifestations. Trestle Gave Way !

the River. Marvelous Escape of the Passengers

The Engineer Scalded to Death.

Cumberland, Md., Feb. 8.-The breaking of an ice gorge weakened a trestle on the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad at Franklin Mine, Saturday night, causing the bridge to give way about midnight, while an excursion train was crossing it. The engine crossed safely, but the combination car and rear coach went over into the stream, which was unusually high, owing to a thaw. The fifteen passengers on board be came panic stricken, and men and women battled to escape. All eventually got out of the coaches, and probably reached shore in safety, though

owing to the darkness, this fact is a uncertain. Robt. Ross, the engineer, and John N. Howard, the fireman, attempted to jump from the engine, but Ross was a burned mouth. Motive not known. caught in the wreck and died yesterday from the effects of inhaling steam Howard was badly bruised, but will

### recover. \$7,000,000 INVOLVED.

The New Scheme for Applying Steam Power.

Anderson, Ind., Feb. 8.-Edward Bond. of this city, has retained attorneys, and served notice on the English syndicate not to pay George Bramble, of Sleepy Eye, Minn. the \$2,000,000 deferred payment for the patent machine which applies steam power direct. It is claimed the patent brought \$7,000,000. Bond invented and International Bridge to the new Fort asserts covered all the points in Bram- on to Crystal Beach. ble's invention. Capitalists were afraid, however, to take hold, and he forced

### himself into bankruptcy. GOLD FEVER SPREADS.

Prominent Niagara Falls Citizens Interested in Canadian Mines.

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 8.—A dispatch from Niagara Falls, N. Y., says: The Canadian gold mining fever has at last struck Niagara Falls, some of its very best citizens having taken an uniterest in ten very valuable claims in the Manitou district, in the celebrated Sein River district, where ex-Governor Flower and his Wall street and London associates have struck it rich in a 125-foot vein, assaying as high as \$200 a ton. The company will be capitalized at \$2,000,000. Rat Portage is the Mecca of the region.

### Steamship Arrivals. From Halifax Liverpool New York Southampton New York Bremen LaNormandie New York Havre Aurania New York Liverpool Furnessia New York Glasgow

STEAMERS ICEBOUND. St. John, N. B., Feb. 7.-The Allan Line steamer Carthaginian has abandoned her attempt to reach this port pointment of a permanent trades owing to the ice blockade, which exunion bureau. Mr. Burns has himself styled this bureau a trades' union sighted that station last evening and

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mail steamers are icebound at this port The steamer Nimrod has ap-

State of Georgia.

parently failed to find the missing

sighted off Cape Race this afternoon.

She was fast in an ice floe, without

The Nimrod was

### any other steamer in sight. Tragedy at Toronto

Wm, Herford and Wife Found Dead

As the Result of Escaping Coal Gas-A Dog Also Killed by the Same Means.

in Their Room,

Special to The Advertiser, via C. P. R. Toronto, Feb. 8 .- Cloud gas has claimed two more victims in this city. This morning Wm. Herford and his wife, whose residence is at 265 Broadview avenue, were found dead in their room. Death had evidently resulted from as-Government surprise at the fact that phyxiation, the strong smell of coal

### MISS HAMLEY DIED.

A Lucknow Young Woman Died While Visiting at Kincardine.

Kincardine, Feb. 8.— Miss Clara Hambly, of Lucknow, who arrived here Friday to spend a few days with her friend, Miss Sadie Brown, died Sunday evening at Mr. Brown's residence. Miss Hambly was an expert and enthusiastic skater, and spent an hour or two at the rink in the evening in the enjoyment of her favorite pastime, afterwards going home with her friend. She retired in apparently good health, but awakened during the night suffering great pain, which continued all day, with the above result. Her death is attributed to perforation

### of the stomach. REPENTED QUICKLY.

A St. Thomas Young Man Swallowed

Insect Poison. St. Thomas, Feb. 8 .- Charles Cruise, 22 years of age, son of J. E. Cruise, tailor, Talbot street, this city, made an attempt at suicide Saturday night by swallowing a dose of insect poison. Cruise soon made the fact known by his cries, and a doctor was summoned.

My Neighbor Told Me. About Hood's Sarsaparilla and advised me to try it. This is the kind of advertising which gives Hood's Sarsaparilla the largest sales in the world. Friend tells friend that Hood's Sarsaparilla cures; that it gives strength, health, vitality and vigor, and whole neighborhoods use it as a

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Iowa's State Fair will be open this

year on Sunday. The machinery will be idle and religious services will be

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Tuesday, Feb. 9.

Cooper, in the 51st year of her age,

months.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1897.

Wiped Out.

John Burns' Scheme for a Trades

Union Bureau,

Britain Has a Fleet of 40 Warships

in Turkish Waters.

The Queen in Good Health-Lieut.-Gov.

Kirkpatrick Improving Daily.

WILL RESUME WORK.

of the striking laborers voted yester-

day in favor of resuming work, the

remaining 35 per cent voting favorable

HAS THE GRIP.

London, Feb. 8 .- The Duke of Saxe-

Coburg and Gotha (Duke of Edin-

burgh) has been suffering for several

days with a severe attack of influenza,

GRAIN TRADE REVIEW.

London, Feb. 8.-The Mark Lane Ex-

press today, in its review of the crop

the land is damaging the autumn sown

wheat. Reports from France say that

there is very poor promise for the

growing wheat; but in Italy the out-

THE PLAGUE.

London, Feb. 8 .- The Governor of

the Transcaspian Territories announces

that the bubonic plague has appeared

possible, the introduction of the dis-

THE QUEEN'S INTENTION.

London, Feb. 8 .- The Queen, through

Bigge, has written to the mayor of

Sheffield, announcing her intention to open the town hall there in person in May next. This fact should disprove

the wild rumors about the physical and

LIEUTEANT-GOVERNOR KIRK-

PATRICK.

London, Feb. 8 .- Lieutenant-Gover-

ing daily. The report that he was

afflicted with cancer is wholly untrue.

It was a twist in the intestine that

necessitated a surgical operation, which, happily, was so successful.

IMPORTANT NAVAL MOVEMENTS.

London, Feb. 8.-A dispatch to the

Times from Paris announces upon

that one of the objects of the visit of

Count Muravieff, Russian Minister of

Foreign Affairs, to Paris, was to ar-

Turkish waters in view of the fact

that England had quietly assembled forty vessels of war at Besika Bay.

THE POPE IN GOOD HEALTH.

Dr. Lapponi, the personal physician

of the Pope, again positively denies

that the Pope has been indisposed.

Prince Henry of Orleans, after his

audience with his Holiness, on Friday,

previous to departing for Abyssinia,

also declared that the Pope appeared

it is announced that the Pope will

attend on Monday a requiem mass for

the repose of the soul of the late Pius

IX., in the Sistine Chapel, which

HOW THEY FELL.

from Lisbon gives the following ex-

planation of the downfall of the Por-

tuguese Ministry: "The Premier, Ern-

esto R. Hintz Ribeiro, asked the King

to appoint a number of life senators

Kling refused to do and the Cabinet

at once resigned. Luciano de Castro, who has undertaken the task of re-

forming the Cabinet, will select a pure-

ly progressist Ministry. Parliament has been dissolved."

THE CZAR.

A Berlin dispatch says the Czar, ever

since he was a boy, has been subject

to occasional fits. The seizures, which

in his early youth took place about

every four months, become more fre-

quent, and of a more distinctly epilep-

tic type, but they were never particu-

AN AWFUL MASSACRE.

tians, constituting the whole popula-

The warship Alphoes has been

the Mussulmans.

Vienna, Feb. 8.-A Neue Freie Presse

A dispatch to the London Times

a long and fatiguing ceremony.

to be in excellent health.

mental prostration of her Majesty.

ease in Russian territory.

situation, says: The sodden state of

to continuing the strike.

but is now somewhat better.

look is satisfactory.

London, Feb. 8.—Sixty-five per cent

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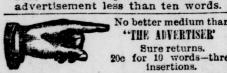
### Articles For Sale.

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Sure returns.

Feb, 7, Mrs. Elizabeth Lecky, widow of the late Charles Lecky, aged 92 years and 11 First insertion 1c per word. One-half Funeral from above residence on Tuesday, Feb. 9 to Byron, at 2 o'clock; services at 1:30. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept cent each subsequent insertion. No



20c for 10 words-three insertions. POR SALE-FIVE MILCH COWS-AP-PLY THOS. B. SCOTT, Vanneck. 36c OR SALE—100 VARIETIES OF FOREIGN stamps. Sc; agents wanted. GEO. Hicks,

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OR SALE—ONE 30 HORSEPOWER automatic "Brown" engine, built by Goldie, McCulloch & Co., Galt. Cylinder 10 inches, stroke 24 inches; can be run at 60 revolutions, or as high as 90 revolutions; also one tubuler explanet foed water heater. The contributer explanet foed water heater. GRAND OPERA HOUSE—THURSDAY, J. Feb. 11—The picturesque Irish Comedy-Drama, "The Bells of Shandon." Price, 25c, 50c, 75c. Seats now on sale. 37k tubular exhaust feed water heater. The engine can be seen at H. PORTER & Co.'s storage warehouse, Carling street, London, Ont.
6tf-3tf OTO SUNETARO-AUDITORIUM,

Thursday, Feb. 11—Presents the most de-lightful, original and mysuifying entertainment ever produced in this city. INWO MANUAL PEDAL ORGAN CHEAP —Also Decker Bros. (New York) upright plano. Heintzman & Co., warerooms, 236 Dundas street, H. W. BURNETT, Manager. SEE THE MARVELOUS JAPANESE BOX. A FEW SECOND-HAND STOVES-MUST be sold. At Keen's, Masonic Temple,

SEE THE WONDERFUL JAPANESE paper tricks. Market Square. PIANOS, PIANOS—NEW AND SECOND HAND, also a beautiful assortment of music and musical merchandise, and two good organs cheap. Anderson's Book Store, Nord-neimer's Piano Agency, 183 Dundas street. TEAR THE CELEBRATED IMPERIAL Quartet, Mrs. Gauld, Misses Roblin, Barnard, Hartson, Taylor and Walsh, Messrs. Gibson and Forsythe, at the Ladies' Auxiliary concert in First Congregational Church on Tuesday Feb 9 NE LARGE HOTEL RANGE AND SEV-ERAL small ranges to be sold cheap, at the Ark. Market Square,

UBBER STAMPS, SEALS — RAZORS sharpened; guns. rifles revolvers and locks repaired. D. McKenzie & Co., 388 Richmond street.

### Notice of Patent.

ONDON VOCAL SOCIETY — W. H. Hewlett, conductor, Chorus of 65 picked voices, assisted by Miss Beverly Robinson, soprano, Miss Beatrice Langley, violinist; Mr. HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT ALL persons infringing on my Improved Pant Hanger will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law. A. Hickling, inventor. N. B.— Lepriere Pringle, basso, Mr. Braxton Smith, tenor, and Signor Seppili, accompanist, Tuesday evening, Feb. 23rd, Auditorium. Subscription seats 75c. Lists in hands of members The genuine are each stamped "Patent applied

### Business Chances.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half GRAND CONCERT UNDER THE cent each subsequent insertion. No auspices of the Young Ladies' Auxiliary of the First Congregational Church, will be given on Tuesday evening, Feb. 9, 8 p.m. Single tickets, 15c; double, 25c. Big musical treat. Come advertisement less than ten words. A PROFITABLE AND ESTABLISHED business can be had very reasonably; only a small capital required to run it. Address Box 61, this office.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY-476
Richmond street. Classes meet: Gentlemen Monday evening; ladies, Tuesday evening. Ladies and gentlemen (advanced class),
Wednesday evening. Ladies and children,
Saturday afternoon, 3 o'clock. DAYTON & OENERAL STOCK FOR SALE-IN ONE por Kirkpatrick of Ontario is improv-T of the best towns in Canada. About \$5,000, principally staples and all seasonable goods; 65c on the dollar if sold at once; an exceptional chance for any one wanting to secure a live business. Address G. MacLean, Blenheim. PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY Mr. R. B. Millard, at his residence, 345

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Educational. First incertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. RING UP THE OLD RELIABLE—1121
—For general servants, cooks chambermaids, housemaids and girls for all kinds of MR. J. W. G. ANDRAS PREPARES pupils separately for all university and

### Wanted.

onal examinations, 808 Water loo street.

WANTED - 25 BICYCLE RIDERS TO W get their low frames made high at Hurchinson's, 651 Dundes street.

### Livery Stables.

STAR LIVERY-OPEN DAY AND NIGHT -Hacks, coupes, etc. Light livery a specialty. Thos. TREBILCOCK, 623-633 Richmond street. Phone 423. ILLEY'S LIVERY-NO. 619 DUNDAS street, East London, Ont. Telephone No. 666.

A UCTION SALE-THURSDAY, FEB. 11
-Farm stock, wagons, sleigh and implements, 25 dairy cows, 3 newly-calved cows, 18 steers, 1 and 2 years old, 10 heifers and farrow cows, sheep and pigs, 2 mows straw, at Thos. Henry's, lot 16, con. 4 (Marshall Farm), near Hellmuth College.

signed office up to 5 o'clock on Thursday Feb. 18, for the construction of 2,180 feet of 18 inch tile sewer on the Wharncliffe highway, and for 3,932 feet of brick sewer on King, Ridout and other streets. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. ALD. E. PARNELL, Chairman Board of

A. O. GRAYDON, City Engineer, London. 31h zxv

### CATTLE SHIPPERS

Toronto, Feb. 8.-There are some new clauses in the cattle regulations which Canadian exporters should know of: cent each subsequent insertion. No

> All much cows and springers must go through the test for tuber-culosis, and a certificate has been sent to deport refugees. En nusto accompany them, showing that fastic agitation over the union of Crete they have been passed by a competent and Greece is reported from every veterinary surgeon before they were town and village. The national leagues shipped. Otherwise they will be quareverywhere are urging that the Creantined, and held for inspection to tans immediately proclaim a union prove that they are free from disease. With Greece. Seven hundred refugees If they are diseased they will be con-

Population of a Cretan Village | will accept the proposals, and that there is no reference therein to any possibility of a resort to coercion on the part of the powers to enforce them. The opposition of the Kaiser to any further consideration of the question of coercion to enforce the Turkish reforms may have the effect to neutralize the results of the ambassadorial conferences, though it is understood of the employers in the House of Com-that in deference to the wishes of the mons. Members of the Parlamentary other powers, Baron de Calica, Austrian ambassador and president of the ly to get a place on the permanent conference, will be authorized to in- executive will oppose the formation of form the Sultan that the powers are a body which would oust them from

> and operation CELEBRITIES AT THE RIVIERA. London, Feb. 8 .- Advices from the Riviera record a season of unusual brilliance. Never was there so great a crowd of celebrities sojourning at Monte Carlo, Nice and Cannes. Among them are included Lady Salisbury, Lord Rosebery, Sir C. Rivers-Wilson and Lady Wilson, Mr. Eustis, the American ambassador to France; Prince Orloff, Prince Saltykoff, Dowager Duchess of Aosta, Christine Nillson, Mrs. Langley, Lord Shrewsbury, Sir Arthur Sullivan, Mrs. Bernard Beere, Mrs. Cameron, the mother of Mrs. Gladstone.

THE BREWERS' CASE. London, Feb. 8 .- In dismissing the appeal of the Brewers' and Maltsters' Association of Onitario vs. the Attortney-General (as mentioned in Saturday's Advertiser), the judgment handed down by the committee of the Privy Council says that their lordships are quite unable to discover any substantial distinction between the case of the Bank of Toronto vs. Lambe and the present case. The tax in this case at Candahar, Afghanistan, A force of was demanded from the very persons Cossacks will be sent to watch along that the Legislature had intended the Amu Darla River to prevent, if should pay it. The judicial committee also granted permission to appeal the fisheries' case between the Dominion of Canada and the provinces. Mr. Charles Fitzgerald, Solicitor-General of Canada, argued for the Dominion and her private secretary, Sir Alfred Hon. Edward Blake, M.P., appeared

in behalf of the Province of Ontario.

B / the News of Countess de la Ferronay's Downfall.

The Tragic Death of Her Husband Recalled-"The Evil Eye."

Paris, Feb. 8.-The news that the Countess De La Ferronays, whose salon was one of the foremost in Paris had squandered her large fortune in what is regarded as good authority Stock Exchange gambling, fell like a thunderbolk on Parisian society. She was a shrewd woman of the world with birth, position and talent, and range for an increase in the strength of the Russian and French fleet in seemingly the last person to desire to She has retired to the provnces, where she will live on the pension of a friend.

The fincident recalls the tragic death of her husband, who was a friend of the Count De Chambord. One day, in arranging the invitations for a hunting party, the count suggested to De Laferronays to invite M. Bontaux, who was a celebrated engineer, and afterwards canducted a propaganda, which did the Royalists a great deal "Do you not know that M. Bontoux

has the evil eye?" Ferronays asked. "No, I have not heard the story, replied Chambord. "Well, it is a strange fact that, whenever he has been present at any party, one of the members of that party has died the same day." "Invite him—invite him, by all means," said Chambord, lightly. "Pos-

sibly he will turn his evil eye on me, and I shall die." "Rather upon me." said Ferronays. M. Bontoux was invited. When returning from the hunt Count De Lafor the purpose of enabling him to ferronay' carry on the Government. This the carriage. ferromay's dropped dead in Chambord's

### POLES IN LONDON

In Great Distress - Many Foreigners Emigrating to London.

London, Feb. 8.-Germans, Italians and Poles are emigrating to Lendon in great numbers. It is feared that the passage of the new immigration law in the United States will bring more of them. So intense is the hatred of larly trying to his constitution until German workmen by the common peoafter he had become burdened with the ple that German workmen going along work and trouble inseparable from the the streets are often hissed. The rethrone. During the last year he has dundant population of Italy must go had pronounced epileptic seizures about somewhere. The Italian Government once a month. His relatives are cannot care for it. The millions of understood to concur in urging the dollars which relatives in America Czar to give up most of his imperial have sent home are of great importduties to the projected new council ance to Italy, and the Government fears that this large sum, which has been gradually increasing, also may be curtailed. France already has a law for the exclusion of immigrants under dispatch from Athens says 1,500 Chriscertain conditions. There is great distress among the Poles in They are brought over under the pation of a village, the name of which drone system. The padrone sells their is not given have been massacred by labor for \$1.75 to \$2 a week, after he has persuaded them to emigrate by representing that England is a land Most of the Christians of Canea and flowing with milk and honey. The case the archives of the consulates have of the starvation of a family of Polish immigrants brought the matter to Over half the Christian houses have public notice. been burned. Strong patrols of blue-

### BURNS' SCHEME.

Establishment of a Permanent Trades Union Bureau Proposed.

London, Feb. 8 .- John Burns, M.P., to whom no one except some of his jealous associates of the trades union parliamentary committee denies honesty of purpose, recently asked the approval of that committee to the ap-

e. The purpose of the new bureau to interfere in the settlement of trades disputes and lockouts, to secure from the various unions financial help for strikers, to initiate and watch labor legislation in Parliament, and generally to form the permanent executive for all unions. Obviously such a body would effectively command the action of the trades' unions, and would supercede the most important functions of the Parliamentary committee. The men composing this permanent executive, if it be ever constituted, will occupy a position of exceptional power in politics. Mr. Burns says that it could do much in the way of lobbying

mittee by nominally subjecting his cabinet to the control of that commit-

to counteract the perfect organization prepared to enforce their acceptance their valuable prerogatives as lobbyists. Mr. Burns' scheme is now being considered by the respective trades' unions. He asserts that a majority of the unions will approve it, and that its adoption by the coming trades congress is certain. It may be that he is over-confident, but if the congress does not eventually agree to the creation of the bureau, a new and potent force will operate in British politics and in all questions affecting the re-

## The Cretan Situation.

lations of capital and labor.

the Princess de Chimay, and Mr. and Report That Canea Is Being Bombarded.

> German Warship Sent to the Scene Demonstration in Athens,

Berlin, Feb. 8.-A special dispatch received here from Athens says it is rumored there that the foreign warships have commenced to bombard Canea, Island of Crete. No confirmation of the report can be obtained here. A German warship has been ordered to prepare to sail as soon as possible for

Athens, Feb. 8.—The Crete squadron. on arriving at Canea, did not salute the Turkish flag. Official advices say that the Mussulmans are preparing a massacre at Rerepresentatives of some of

try of Marine. There were continued cries of "Long live Crete," "Long live the Union." It is thought possible that a Ministerial crisis will result from

# Trestle Gave Way!

And an Excursion Train Fell Into the River.

Marvelous Escape of the Passengers

The Engineer Scalded to Death. Cumberland, Md., Feb. 8-The

breaking of an ice gorge weakened a trestle on the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad at Franklin Mine. Saturday night, causing the bridge to give way about midnight, while an excursion train was crossing it. The engine crossed safely, but the combination car and rear coach went over into the stream, which was un-

usually high, owing to a thaw. The fifteen passengers on board be-came panic stricken, and men and women battled to escape. All eventually got out of the coaches, and probably reached shore in safety, though wing to the darkness, this fact is a little uncertain.

Robt. Ross, the engineer, and John N. Howard, the fireman, attempted to He is out of danger, but suffering from jump from the engine, but Ross was a burned mouth. Motive not known. caught in the wreck and died yesterday from the effects of inhaling steam Howard was badly bruised, but will

### \$7,000,000 INVOLVED.

The New Scheme for Applying Steam Power.

Anderson, Ind., Feb.8.-Edward Bond, of this city, has retained attorneys, and served notice on the English syndicate not to pay George Bramble, of Sleepy Eye, Minn. the \$2,000,000 deferred payment for the patent machine which applies steam power direct. It is claimed the patent brought \$7,000,000. Bond invented and patented a machine in 1885, which he Erie Jockey Club's grounds, and thence asserts covered all the points in Bramble's invention. Capitalists were afraid, however, to take hold, and he forced himself into bankruptcy.

### GOLD FEVER SPREADS.

Frominent Niagara Falls Citizens Interested in Canadian Mines.

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 8.-A dispatch from Niagara Falls, N. Y., says: The Canadian gold mining fever has at last struck Niagara Falls, some of its very best citizens having taken an unterest in ten very valuable claims in the Manitou district, in the celebrated held. Sein River district, where ex-Governor Flower and his Wall street and London associates have struck it rich in a 125-foot vein, assaying as high as \$200 a ton. The company will be capitalized at \$2,000,000. Rat Portage is the Mecca of the region.

### Steamship Arrivals. ....New York...Southampton ....New York .....Bremen Feb. 7. At From LaGascogne. Havre. New York Weimar New York Bremen LaNormandie New York Havre Aurania New York Liverpool Furnessia New York Glasgow

STEAMERS ICEBOUND. St. John, N. B., Feb. 7.-The Allan Line steamer Carthaginian has abandoned her attempt to reach this port

### For Coughs...

WHOLE NO. 10437

==For Colds.

==For Asthma, ==For Bronchitis,

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### WHOLESALE BY

Cairncross & Lawrence, CHEMISTS AND DRUGGISTS, 216 Dundas St., London, Ont.

Branch-Corner Richmond and Piccadilly.

tia is still at Trepassy. The coastal mail steamers are icebound at this port The steamer Nimrod has apparently failed to find the missing State of Georgia. The Nimrod was sighted off Cape Race this afternoon. She was fast in an ice floe, without any other steamer in sight.

# Tragedy at Toronto

Wm, Herford and Wife Found Dead in Their Room,

As the Result of Escaping Coal Gas-A Dog Also Killed by the Same Means.

Special to The Advertiser, via C. P. R.

Toronto, Feb. 8 .- Coal gas has claimed two more victims in this city. This morning Wm Herford and his wife. whose residence is at 265 Broadview avenue, were found dead in their room. Death had evidently resulted from asthe powers have expressed to the Greek Government surprise at the fact that phyxiation, the strong smell of coal Greece has sent warships to the gas making it difficult for anyone to Island of Crete. Three thousand people took part yesterday evening in a was. A dog was also found in the manifestation in front of the Minis- house, which had died from the same cause. Coroner Powell has issued his warrant for an inquest.

### MISS HAMLEY DIED.

A Lucknow Young Woman Died While Visiting at Kincardine.

Kincardine, Feb. 8 .- Miss Clara Hambly, of Lucknow, who arrived here Friday to spend a few days with friend, Miss Sadie Brown, died Sunday evening at Mr. Brown's residence. Miss Hambly was an expert and enthusiastic skater, and spent an hour or two at the rink in the evening in the enjoyment of her favorite pastime, afterwards going home with her friend. She retired in apparently good health, but awakened during the night suffering great pain, which continued all day, with the above result. Her death is attributed to perforation of the stomach.

### REPENTED QUICKLY.

A St. Thomas Young Man Swallowed

St. Thomas, Feb. 8 .- Charles Cruise, 22 years of age, son of J. E. Cruise, tailor. Talbot street, this city, made an attempt at suicide Saturday night by swallowing a dose of insect poison. Cruise soon made the fact known by his cries, and a doctor was summoned.

### My Neighbor Told Me.

About Hood's Sarsaparilla and advised me to try it. This is the kind of advertising which gives Hood's Sarsaparilla the largest sales in the orld. Friend tells friend that Hood's Sarsaparilla cures; that it gives strength, health, vitality and vigor, and whole neighborhoods use it as a family medicine.

promptly on the liver and bowels. Cure sick headache.

HOOD'S PILLS act easily and

ground a force of men will start work on what promises to be a fine electric trolley railroad, to run from Bridgeburg, the Canadian terminus of the International Bridge to the new Fort on to Crystal Beach.

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

year on Sunday. The machinery will idle and religious services will be

New Spring Suitings

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cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words. terms of payment, two good improved farms of 75 acres each, in township Westminster. Apply WILLIAM F. BULLEN, Manger The Ontario Loan and Debenture Company, zwt

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NONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORT-GAGES, at 5 per cent; on second mort-gages and other security at low rates, at G. W. FRANCIS' loan office, 78; Dundas street, London Ont 18; Signed office up to 5 o'clock on Thursday. SOME MONEY TO LOAN ON MIDDLE SEX farm property at 5 and 5½ per cent and on city property at 5½ and 6 per cent. WEEKES & SCANDRETT, solicitors, 98 Dundas

Interested in the Following Regulations.

In shipping a car of mixed cattle, butchers' and stockers, it is necessary, in been placed on board the warships. getting them inspected, to state for Over half the Christian houses have what purpose they are intended, whether for slaughtering or for feeding jackets and marines are on duty in purposes.

fiscated and slaughtered by the United Island of Syria.

C. Gilchrist, of Woodville, Ont., was drowned on Feb. 1 at Chilliwick. He had been in British Columbia three or four years and was for some time or four years and was for some time in T. Eaton's, in Toronto.

Definit, Feb. 8.—There is the best aupointment of a permanent trades union bureau. Mr. Burns has himself styled this bureau a trades' union pleted by the ambassadors, is drawn upon the asumption that the Sultan opposition of the Parliamentary com-Berlin, Feb. 8 .- There is the best au-

## Winter Sports.

Remarkable Records Made at Montreal Skating Carnival

Stratford Turf Club Elects Officers Well-Known Horseman in Trouble -Hockey, Curling and Other

THE KENNEL CANADIAN DOGS DOING WELL. Henry Douglas, of Woodstock, has received the following message from his brother, George, who is attending the Boston dog show: "Havoc first all the way; Countess first; puppy Duke two cupa."

THE TANKARD TUSSLE. competition, one draw behind, and will to commit perjury. be contested as sharply as the main competition. The Granite curling rink, both rinks of the Victoria Club and be used for these matches. They will begin each day about 9 a.m. and 2 p.m.

A GREAT BONSPIEL. A great bonspiel was the gathering of the Royal Saledonian Curling Club on the loch at Carsbreck, Scotland, on Jan. 26. The ice was four inches thick and the weather frosty. match was north vs. south, the River Forth being taken as the dividing line, and over 2,300 players entered, a record for the club, but all were not present, 227 rinks a side making up the natch, which was won by the south by 906 shots. Over five thousand specators saw the great game.

AT OTTAWA. The Ottawas were defeated at hockey Saturday night by the Victorias of Montreal by four goals to two. The witnessed by nearly two

HOCKEY.

### BASEBALL.

GROUNDERS. Manager Irwin, of the Toronto club. has signed Frank McPartland, a pit-

Eastern League umpires are to get \$225 per month this season, but out of this they must pay their own railroad fare. As the jumps between stands in the Eastern League are very short, the umpires ought to have a nice sum left out of that amount, even after paying their car fares.

The Pittsburg Press says: Tom Delahamty is one of the most promising young players in the country. He will see better days, and the only question is whether they will come this season or during some other season. Connie Mack thinks Delahanty be the star second baseman in the Western League this year.

ATHLETICS. JIM MACE MAY COME TO LONDON Mace, the old English heavy-weight, ex-champion of the world, to give a sparring exhibition in the Opera. number of citizens lately, and as a and as he turned around found himresult Mace and Dick Collyer, champion middle-weight of England, who is traveling with him, will be made an offer. The former, if they come, will be met by Jack Stewart, exchampion of Canada, and Tom Lemmon will spar with Collyer, the winners to receive 65 per cent of the receipts and the losers to get the balance. When Mace arrived in New ance. When Mace arrived in New asked you for meat you wouldn't give it to us a willingly as you are given. York last November he was given a it to us a willingly as you are givwildly enthusiastic welcome. He belongs to the old English school, and is still in good form. His methods differ from those of modern fistic experts considerably. Today the fighting is much quicker than in Mace's best days. Although scientific, he fought long battles and had great staying his visit to London

JOHNSON'S RECORD. Charles Johnson, the famous pedesthen rest.

wants to know which was the ago, and isn't ended yet. At present Wyandotte street and the stores would Corbett is thought to be about forty usually be filled with customers, buy-

columns ahead. London, Feb. 8.—E. C. Breden, the champion of the London Athletic Club, was defeated in a 440-yard race Saturday by A. R. Downer, the Scotch cham-pion of the Scottish Felicans, of Edinburgh. Downer won by a yard and a

SKATING.

records were made on Saturday, the concluding day's meeting of the Amateur Skating Association of Canada, in view of the fact that a slight sleet, wind blew during the afternoon.

1,500 meters (international), world's record—J. J. Eden, Hamar, Norway, Feb. 23, 1895, 2:25 2-5—J. K. McCulloch, Winnipeg, 2:40 1-5, 1; Alfred Nass, Norway, 2:41 4-5, 2; Julius Seyler, Switzerland, 2:43 1-5, 3; John Davidson, Montreal 2:47 2-5, 4: Tom Moore, Montreal, 2:47 2-5, 4; Tom Moore, Montreal, 2:48 1-5, 5; C. E. Greene, Smith's Falls, 2:48 3-5, 6; W. H. Merritt, St. John, N. B., 2:57, 7; M. Lordahl, Norway, 2:52 3-5, 8; A. Lee, Montreal, 3:08 4-5, 9; A. E. Pilkie, Toronto, shoe burst and fell out. Half-mile, professional—J. Nilsson, Minneapolis, 1:17 1-5, 1; Harley Dav-idson, Montreal, 1:20 1-5, 2; Joe Donoghue, Newburg, 1:20 3-5, 3; H. P. Mesh-er, Storm King, New York, 1:22 4-5, 4; er, Storm King. New York, 1:22 4-3, 4 W. T. Letts, Hoboken, N. J., 1:24 4-5 O. A. Rudd, Minneapolis, 1:27 1-5, 6.

John Davidson, Montreal, 20:43 2-5, 3; C. E. Greene, Smith's Falls, 21:25 Five mile, professional-John Nils-

son, Minneapolis, 14:47, 1; O. A. Rudd, Minneapolis, 15:10 1-5, 2; Harley Davidson, Montreal, 16:30 2-5, 3; W. T. Letts, Hoboken, N. J., 16:45 4-5, 4; Joe Donoghue, Newburgh, 16:54, 5.

220 yards, amateur championship of Canada, Canadan record 20 1-5 sec-Canada, Canadian record 20 1-5 sec onds—D. Brown, Montreal, 1; W. H. Merritt, St. John, 2; A. E. Pilkie, Toronto, 3; W. Coldwell, Montreal, 4. Time, 21 4-5 seconds.

Half-mile, boys, 12 years and under, junior championship of Canada, Canadian record, 1:43 2-5—H. R. Henrichen, Montreal, 1; Lorne Smythe, Montreal, 2; S. Long, Montreal, 3. Time, 1:58 3-5. THE TURF

A HORSEMAN IN TROUBLE. Berlin, Feb. 8 .- Robert F. Kneebs, the American horseman, who was sentenced on Saturday to nine months' imprisonment and to pay a fine of 1,000 marks in addition to being de-Toronto, Feb. 8.—The competition to after having been convicted of racing the did which club shall compete against the winner of the tankard for tracks under the name of Nellie Kneebs, may have to stand trial again, on the charge of conspiracy

THE STRATFORD CLUB. At the annual meeting of the Stratthe Parkdale and Lakeview rinks will ford Turf Association, the following be used for these matches. They will officers were elected: A. F. McLaren, president; Joseph Walch, vice-president; J. Frank Palmer, treasurer; T. S. Tobin, secretary; executive committee, Wm. Boles, T. Gillespie, Chas. Stock, John Morris, John Dempsey, D. A. Dempsey, J. P. Mabee, B. S. Farrow, David Lang and Chas. Brothers; auditors, D. J. O'Connor and John Pullen. A resolution was passed to the effect that no horse owner, trainer or driver shall be eligible for election to the executive committee. THE WHEEL

> GIMM WON. Cleveland, Feb. 8.-The hundred-mile bicycle race at Central armory Saturday night between Louis Gimm and "Teddy" Hale for \$250 a side was won by Gimm by about 15 feet, the time being 5 hours and 56 seconds. Hale refused to set the pace except at the start, when he was compelled to do so, and during the last 40 miles he took it easy. On that account the victory of Gimm is counted all the more creditable. At the conclusion of the race the crowd broke down the railing around the track, rushed in, took Gimm on their shoulders, and carried him

### **Bold Bandits**

Held Up,

And Their Stores Robbed of Over \$200 in Cash.

Windsor, Feb. 8.-A bold robbery took place Saturday night in Walker-ville. Whiteside Bros', meat market and Luxford's grocery store being the scene of operations. About 8 o'clock the clerk in the meat market, a young Opera man named Askew, was cutting some House here, has been mooted by a meat, when he heard an exclamation long battles, and had great staying ance, as they toyed with the triggers power. Many of his warm admirers, of their revolvers rather carelessly. who in late years have lost all inter- One man kept him covered, and comest in the ring, are foremost among manded him to "shell out." The other who are particularly desiring proceeded to the cash drawer and put all the money in his pockets. He got \$180, all the cash there. After searching Luxford they backed to the door charles Johnson, the famous pedes-trian, says that he holds the record of volver through the door and covered trian, says that he about the from the consecutive thours, made at Boston in 1879. He challenges Morse of Jackson, or any the property out, and then both disappeared.

The police and provincial detections of the consecutive the property of the property out, and then both disappeared. other walker, and says he will try other walker, and says he will try ives were notified, and at once began against the 26-hour record (128 m/les, a vigorous search, but could find no made by Harriman), walking against trace of the bandits. The police have two men, each one to go 25 miles and no accurate description of them. Their faces were concealed by hand-Detroit Free Press: A correspondent pulled down over their eyes.

The boldness of the robbery was kerchiefs, and their slouch hats were prize fight on record. The Corbett-surprising. It occurred at an hour Fitzsimmons fight; it began three years when there were many people on

> ing their Sunday provisions. A Hamilton Woman Inherits Big Money

From an Aunt.

Hamilton Times: "Mrs. Truman, a grass widow, who resides at No. 56 dones street, communicated to the THE MONTREAL TOURNAMENT. police today that her aunt, Mrs. Flynn, Mentreal, Feb. 8.—Some remarkable of Loggie House, Dundee, Scotland. has died, leaving over £25,000 to be distributed amongst a few relatives.
Mrs. Truman said that her solicitor, Mr. W. A. H. Duff, received the good half snow and half rain, rendered the news this morning that she would fall ice extremely heavy, while a strong heir to a very large slice of the for-

an effort was made to stop the allowance by other relatives, but their efforts were not successful. Mrs. Truman does not live with her husband, who is now in Syracuse, N. Y."

Ladies ought never to appear wearing a watch when in evening dress. If some people would laugh more their doctors' bills would be less. A noted worthy on being told by a friend that the earth was always revolving on its axis, was heard to ex-10,000 meters, international, ama-etur race, world's record, J. J. Eden, Hamar, Norway, Feb. 23, 1895, 17:56— o' Sandy Tamson's; it's been there J. K. McCulloch, Winnipeg, 20:02 2-5, 1; since ever I mind, and deil a bit is it Julius Seyler, Switzerland, 20:42 1-5, 2; shifted yet."

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### Question of Heat Reforming Collegiate Institute and Its Furnaces.

Janitor McDonald Hits Back on His Critics With Vigor-What He Accomplished in Two Months.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: Would you kindly give space to a few remarks on the heating of the London Collegiate Institute? The Board of Education saw fit to make a change for a short time to see what could be done with the heating. I have been there for two months, and I have no hesitation in saying that I have heated the school. I give teachers and pupils as judges. At the meeting that reinstated Mr. Jury there were such unjust remarks brought in that I feel I would be doing myself an injustice did I not set myself right. It was said that I burned the hining off two of the furnaces. To that I say that the lining of mone of the furnaces has been burned, which still can be seen. That one of the furnaces refused to work is true; and as to its being out of order, I called Mr. Merchant's attention, as well as the teacher whose room it heated. Had Mr. Jury examined and potted the joints of said furnace in the summer, this would not have occurred, and we would have been saved the false accusation of burning the furnace. The furnace under Mr. Merchant's office is a fraud, and should not have been taken off the hands of the Smead, Dowd Co., as it never has been right, and never will do its duty until it is fixed as it ought to be. I always felt sorry that Mr. Merchant's office was s cold, but I could not help it. The gates of this furnace were burned out before I went there. I told Mr. Merchant of it. That I have not been treated right I feel. As a servant of the board, I had to do as I was told. That I have accomplished that which I was sent there for, I have no hesitation in saying. Had I been treated as my work deserved, I would not have to give way to one who in ten years proved himself a failure. And now I

in proper working order, with the furnaces now there, I will heat the high school satisfactorily, or forfeit one month's salary. Yours obediently

D. McDONALD.

Princess avenue school, Feb. 6, 1897. MOVING A MOUNTAIN.

make this statement, that if the fur-nace under Mr. Merchant's office is put

Done in a Hurry by the Use of a Hundred Thousands Pounds of Powder.

A great section of the mountain at San Diego overhanging Morena dam on one side was torn off recently by 100,000 pounds of powder, lifted several feet straight up, and then pushed bodover the mighty gorge below the dam, and then falling with an awful roar 125 feet, to remain hereafter for all time as the bulwark of the great dam being built to impound water for the

The dam is 43 miles east of the city. For two months or more preparations had been made for the monster blast, in common with another blast that is nearly ready. The plan was to cut tunnels into the side of the mountain at various points about the bed of the creek and to place in these tunnels, first, great stores of black powder, which ignites slower than giant pow-der and, therefore, has more pushing power and less shattering effect. On the surface and in places through the mountain side were placed big deposits of giant powder for the purpose of shattering the mass and lifting it up. According to plans the black powder when it exploded would hurl the mass straight forward, making a bridge of granite across the gorge and blocking

the stream. The plans were carried out with the greatest care. Danger was constantly feared from the great mines powder, but all went well, and the blast was finally ready. A lot of insulated electric wires, connecting with each deposit of powder and attached to exploders, were gathered into one circuit in a tunnel across the gorge and above the blast, where the foreman, John Duggan, stationed himself to press the button At 2:45 o'clock the signal was passed along that all was ready. The

workmen had posted themselves at a safe distance and eagerly watched to see the stupendous break in the hill-Foreman Duggan closed the switch, and a wonderful scene instantly followed. The side of the opposite hill, composed of great boulders and masses of granite in dikes, quivered, rose from its bed of centuries and shot out thousands of little squirming tongues of dust, that gave the whole hill a peculiar fuzzy appearance. This was for a fraction of a second. growl, like the angy diapason of the ocean, sounded deep down in the hill, and before the spectators recovered their equilibrium after the earthquake

the mass was falling. An incessant rattle of rock filled the air like a regiment of musketry. Dust arose in billows and hung over the wrecked hill for an hour. The falling of small rocks continued for almost as long. When the dust cleared away it was found that the blast had dislodge a mass of rock 400 feet up and down stream, and an average of 60 feet in height, completely bridging the canvon. The engineers estimated that the amount dislodged weighed 150,000 tons. The rock was thrown exactly as the engineers had planned.

The weekly issue of the Living Age, bearing date Feb. 13, is the monthly supplement number, and including the supplement, contains 96 pages. Among its most striking features are "All Souls' Eve in Lower Brittany," a delightful sketch of the customs of folklore of the Breton peasants; the first part of "The Land of Suspense," Mrs. Oliphant's latest story of the seen and unseen; a passage from Mrs. Steel's stirring story of the great mutiny, "On the Face of the Waters;" Herbert Spencer on "The Fallacies of Socialism;" a discussion of "Political Ideals and Realities in Spain," by Emilio Castelar, translated for the Living Age; and a paper by W. Holman Hunt on "Religion and Art." The "Monthly Supplement," giving readings from American magazines, Readings from New Books, and a list of the books of the month, adds a valuable feature to the Living Age, which its readers will be quick to appreciate, and with the translations from eminent conti-nental authors, on prominent questions of the day, fairly doubles the value of the magazine which, before these additions were made, was well

# Bad Boys.

The Curious New System of Isolation That Has Been Inaugurated in France.

French parents of wayward sons are experimenting with a new system of reform. The Government has placed at their disposal in the Institute le Peletier 200 cells where promising young rogues may be trained to be good—or may "harden" in their chosen wickedness, as the case may

The institute is situated at Montesson, in the Department of the Seine, and is managed on the plan of the old reform school called Petit-Roquette, with the difference that instead of harboring youngsters that are notorious criminals, it opens its doors to criminally-inclined boys who are too young for punishment, and to sons of respectable parents who have become unmanageable.

Inmates of the first class are treated with great consideration. To make them ashamed of their vicious habits their surroundings are made as pleasant as possible. The word "keeper" is tabooed, and all officials coming in direct contact with the boys are styled "teachers." The youngsters are examined as to their talents for acquiring knowledge or learning some sort of trade, and are instructed in those branches for which they show a leaning.

To curb the youngsters' inclination to cruelty, they are allowed to have pets, and each one is given a patch of garden to cultivate. They may keep birds, cats and rabbits. The unmanageable boys sent by un-happy parents to the institution are trained quite differently. Each is given a cell by himself, which he has to keep scrupulously clean. Under no

circumstances are the inmais be-

longing to this class permitted to converse among themselves or with the They have plenty of outdoor exercise, but neither in the grounds nor in the gymnasium, nor in the school room or chapel have they occasion to talk to their comrades. They are known by numbers only, and though not subjected to cruelty in any form, the discipline governing their management

from plotting, and also from making plans for the future by agreeing to meet after dismissal from the institu-The discipline even goes further. It

The privilege of conversation is nenled to them, in order to keep them

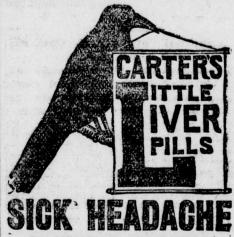
to go to the gymnasium, the playgrounds or to school. The school room, which at the same time serves as the chapel, is fitted with a row of cells or boxes forming forward 40 or 50 feet, trembling a semi-circle. The boxes, or stalls are open at the top, so as to permit the free circulation of air, and their doors are abbreviated below and above, so the inmate can see the teacher on the platform opposite. The teacher can watch the boys thoroughly, but the latter cannot see their neighbors nor make signs to them. This system of isolation in school, that centers the pupil's attention upon the lecturer, making it impossible for him to divide his observations by either seeing the pranks of comrades

> teresting experiment. The institute was opened only a few months ago, and it is impossible to say whether the novelties introduced will work successfully in the long run. The isolation system has developed one good point, however. It makes bad boys frightfully afraid of their loving parents' last alternative-Montesson. Stories of the rigid discipline and other corrective measures practiced there have struck a wholese terror into the hearts of many youthful offenders, and French parents generally are more than pleased with

or looking for such, is in itself an in-

the establishment, even when utilizing it only to frighten their sons. That the greatest number of boys needing reform might be accommodated successively, the French Government has ordered that boys under 16 years of age must not be kept longer than one month at a time at the institution. Boys over 16 years of age may be "accommodated" for the period of half a year, if necessary.

The February number of Table Talk opens with "The Lobster at Home," by Helen Louise Johnson, one of the most comprehensive and valuable articles written upon this subject, which is, at the same time, bright and entertaining. In addition to this and the regular departments of "House-keepers' Inquiries," "The New Bill of Fare," menues, regular and special— "Seasonable Receipts," Fashion and Entertainments (for a St. Valentine's party among others). Table Talk publishing Company, Philadelphia, Pa.



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Trains leave London—3:10 a.m., 7:40 a.m., 11:12 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 6:35 p.m. London, Huron and Bruce. Arrive at London—10:00 a.m., 6:30 p.m. Leave London—8:15 a.m., 4:45 p.m. St. Marys and Stratford Branch.

p.m., 10:35 p.m. leave London—7:15 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 2:40 p.m. L. E. & D. R. R. Going South—Trains leave London, 6:25 a.m., \*10:05 a.m., 2:30 p.m., \*7:00 p.m. Trains arrive at Port Stanley, 7:25 a.m., 3:38 p.m. Going North—Trains leave Port Stanley, 7:45 a.m., 4:40 p.m. Trains arrive at London, 8:45 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 5:40 p.m., 10:35 p.m. \*Go only as far as St. Thomas.

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ssued a writ against Wm. Corliss, of

the opinion that the disease is thor-

the farmers will only exercise a little

oughly stamped out, and says that if

On Thursday morning the dwelling

of John McVean, Tilbury East, was burned to the ground. There was no

person home excepting the boy, and

ne was awakened by a railway engine

whistling, the trainmen having stop-

ped to sound the alarm, but for which the boy would have been cremated.

It is only a few weeks since McVean's

Zone and East Kent Farmers' Insti-

tute will hold a meeting in the council chamber in the town hall, Bothwell,

will be discussed by prominent speak-

The following have been appointed

John Ogilvie, George Laing, Granville

Waechter, Daniel Sullivan, James Mc-

Leod; North Perth, George G. Mc.

Pherson, John Way, Henry Doehring; East Lambton, Wm. J. MacAlpine,

Wm. A. McIntosh, for South Essex,

day & Co., general store keepers, of

Chesley, was held Friday. The state

ment submitted by the firm showed

liabilities of \$10,000, and their offer of

a settlement on the basis of 70 cents on

the dollar to secured creditors and 50 cents on the dollar to unsecured, was

on the dollar. Mrs. Halliday will con-

The Huron Poultry Association has

Coleman, John Ward; Lucknow,

of Lambton county died on Tuesday

decided that the next show under the

Three weeks ago, at a

A meeting of the creditors of Halli-

Wm. Seaton, Thomas Kerfoot;

in place of Alanson Elliott.

tinue the business.

commissioners: East Elgin.

Haight; South Bruce, Andrew

ers, such as Thomas McMillan,

vited to attend.

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and hence the suit.

ger of another outbreak.

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The people of Chatham are paying 25 cents for water. In Windsor only

10 cents is charged. The Orange lodges of Perth county have decided to celebrate the 12th in Michell this year.

Mr. J. Murdoch, of the London asy-1um, has sold his farm of 100 acres in Caradoc to Mr. A. Luce, for \$3,500. Hicks, of Dresden, died Thursday morning, aged 87 years and 1 month. Flesherton Presbyterian Church has decided to call Rev. Mr. Thom, of Arthur, to the Flesherton and Eugenia

Mr. John C. Fletcher has bought the \_00 acre farm of Mr. Alex. Douglas. near Melbourne. The price, it is understood, was upwards of \$5,000. The many friends of Mr. S. Malcolmson, Goderich, of the Surrogate Court, were pleased to see him around again a three months' confinement to

An attempt will be made to unseat Benjamin Slate, councilor for No. 3 was extracted." ward of Essex, on the ground that he does not possess sufficient property qualification. Mr. and Mrs. James Dinsmore. old

the house.

and respected pioneers of Blanshard, subjects of interest to the farmers celebrated their golden wedding on Thursday. The presents were numerous, and many of them costly. At a meeting of the members of the Mason, W. W. Hilburn, T. Boon, G. R. Watford and Knox Presbyterian Langford. Ladies are specially in-

Churches held on Tuesday afternoon, a unanimous call was extended to the Rev. Robert Haddow, late of Milton. Miss Emma Small, the only daughter

of Mr. John Small, of Wallacetown, died on Thursday evening, after an illness of several months with consumption. She was in her 18th year. Chatham Planet: "The public school board met Tuesday evening and appointed Mr. Plewes, of London, to the principalship of the Wallaceburg schools on a salary of \$600. Mr. Plewes Wallaceburg will begin his work on the 15th of

The girls of the Essex high school have organized a basket ball club, with the following officers: President. Miss E. Kent; secretary-treasurer, Miss H. Arnald; captain, Miss A. Walters; committee of management, Misses accepted. McRae, Rose and Cosnell.

The Huron Medical Association has elected officers as follows: President, Dr. McKay; vice-president, Dr. Stanbury; secretary-treasurer, Dr. McGin-The next meeting of the association will be held at the House of Refuge, Clinton, in April, when many interesting cases will be presented.

The evangelistic services in the Glencoe Methodist Church will not begin till Sunday, Feb. 14, as the work in Thorold, where the Misses Hall are now engaged, has assumed such proportions that they have consented to remain another week. They are greeted by very large congregations wher-

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Leitch, of Lar- J. C. Lyons; Wroxeter, John Barnard. gie, lately lost two of their family with diphtheretic croup, and the other night a third passed away, depleting home of three children in less than two weeks. The last was a; bright child of 10 years. She was supposed to be recovering when she suffered a relapse.

A few days ago a suspension bridge on the farm of Mr. James Cartwright, brothers and two sisters living, viz., ing it, allowing him to fall on a floating piece of ice. Fortunately he was rescued without injury. The river at of Brownsville, Ont. Another brother, in France. Sir William Harcourt, Mr. have been drowned.

Over the Recent Utterances of Hicks-Beach.

The Chancellor's Words a Challenge to France and Russia.

Comments of London Correspondents of the American Newspapers.

London Feb. 7 .- "The mischievous Actors of the Supreme Tribunal at and dangerous language of menace and defiance towards France and Russia"-that is how Sir William Harpayment for the expedition is rather calculated to prolong than to shorten defects referred to are remedied by the our occupation. This season our troops legislative branch of the order.

will move forward from Dongola to Abu Hamid, afterwards possibly yound-how far I do not think it right to say. Meanwhile a railway will be run from Wady Halfa to Abu Hamid." He ended by moving a resolution call-ing for the amount of £798,000 to meet the total cost of the Anglo-Egyptian expedition to Dongola, including the maintenance of garrisons at Suakim and elsewhere in the Soudan and the WHITEWEAR, as we would rather you would call and see for yourselves.

Indian troops in Egypt, which Great British would pay. This was adopted by a vote of 169 to 57. Mr. George Curzon, speaking later, added the startling assertion that Italy first proposed the Dongola expedition. Much must be allowed for a Chancellor of the realism, the one protesting that all the party that all Edinburgh United Liberal Committee on "The Future of Liberalism," in British would pay. This was adopted by a vote of 169 to 57. Mr. George day of last week. Mr. Thomas Shaw, Curzon, speaking later, added the startling assertion that Italy first proposed the Dongola expedition. Much must be allowed for a Chancellor of the Englishment of the Englishment of the Englishment of the Store of the Liberal Committee on "The Future of Liberalism," in the Music Hall, Edinburgh on "The Future of Liberalism," in the Music Hall, Ed the Exchequer who is forced to pay the misfortunes of the Liberal party half a unillion sterling in the face of were attributable to its dealings with his own pledge that the expedition Socialism, and the other that it was his own pledge that the expedition Socialism, and the other that it was would not cost the British taxpayers not Socialistic enough, and should seek one flarthing. Sir Michael, moreover is to win the workingmen who desired suffering from bronchial catarrh, which change. He avowed himself one of may explain the aggressive manner of those who did not believe in Liberalsuffering from bronchial catarrh, which

> and common sense in the Cabinet. THE ERENCH PRESS.

continue to do so until both of those things as were approved and safe to powers resort to the sword. Dr. McEachran has made another La Libre Parole says: The replies with the full and avowed intention inspection of Essex county, and states to the Einglish challenge must be ac- of giving them in the end a measure that he did not find a single case of hog cholera in the county. He is of tion, not mere words.

AT BERLIN. Official and newspaper opinion in Germany regard the renewed strain a title and guarantee to receive the between France and England with full measure. complete equanimity, and the declarations concerning Egypt, made by Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, are attributed to that gentleman's knowledge that England has the support of Germany, Austria and Italy in regard to he

occupation of Egypt.

The Hamburg Correspondent, in an article on the subject, gives expressilon to the opinion generally enter tained in Berlin when it says that W. Southcott, of Exeter, who had France has no degal right to force Aradoc to Mr. A. Luce, for \$3,500.

been committed to Goderich on a England to evacuate Egypt, even if charge of having stolen goods in his all the great powers should back her the county up. But, the paper adds, the powers judge to answer to the charge. The prisoner admitted his guilt, asked for reason that they have no interest in mercy, and was remanded till Thurs- England's welfare, and even Russia, day, on which day he was sentenced though for reasons of policy she has to the Central Prison for six months. joined France in an entente, will go Word comes from Blyth that Doug- no further than she has already gone Concerning the attitude of Russia las Armstrong, a 17-year-old Morris boy, was firing off a revolver. One towards Egypt, the St. Petersburg shell missed fire, and while looking Novoe Vremya says that Rusdown the barrel, to locate the obstruc- sia imtends to confine herself to tion, he inadvertently turned the cy- placing the Suez Canal under interlinder around to a loaded shell, and pational control; otherwise she has no pulled the trigger. The bullet struck interest in Egypt. him in the front teeth, smashing two

Speaking of the of them, furrowed along the tongue the Austro-Hungarian Government, and lodged in the throat. The bullet the Pesther Lloyd, in an inspired communication from Vien presses regret that the line of the Franco-Russian entente menaces the concord of the powers at the very time when a perfect harmony is most ur-gently needed. "The effect will likely be," the paper adds, "to defeat a solution of the difficulties in Turkey, and we must now exert every effort to restore the harmony between France and Great Britain."

CORRESPONDENTS' VIEWS

London correspondents of the leading New York papers pay especial attention to the speech by Sir Michael Hicks-Beach. In his special cable I. N. Chamberlain says: "The Egyptian situation was at last put before the world in platin hanguage by the Chancellor of the Exchequer in his speech. announcing the intentions of the ish Government. He spoke with unconcealed contempt of the decision of the mixed tribunal, ordering the return to the treasury of the money advaniced for the Nille expedition, and forthwith declared that Great Britain was fully determined to take Khartoum. Moreover, he gave notice to the world, with significant emphasis, that when England made up her mind what was the right policy in regard similar meeting, the firm offered to settle with their creditors for 70 cents to Egypt, she would not be "worried out of it" by such difficulties as a refusial of money. His language is alcausing great arritation and much bellicose Canguage in various places on the continent, but whether it auspices of the association will be held have an unfavorable influence in Goderich. The following officers upon the agreement in regard to Turkand directors have been elected: Predelh affairs remains to be seen. The sident, A. McD. Allan, Goderich; first situation, as a whole, including the vice, A. J. Grigg, Clinton; second vice, Walter Taylor, Wingham; directors—for Goderich, Wm. Anstay, J. Fisher, est diplomatic skill, and perhaps C. A. Wills; Clinton, Lack Kennedy, Walter Coats, J. W. Ford; Hullett, sharp physical action within the next few days for its successful handling." Wm. Wallace, Wm. Carter, Fairservice Brothers, G. W. Irwin; Seaforth, John Harold Frederic in his special cable "Sir William Harcourt is not savs: Wilson, O. C. Wilson, H. Johnston, alone in the belief that it will be estimated as a downright defiance of France and will prove displeasing to Another old and esteemed resident Russia. This untimely utterance, which practically says 'hands off,' to France evening-John Hay, of Forest, age 72 however eleverly it may subsequently He was born in Perth, Ont., be softened and explained away, may and at an early age went to Warprove to have an upsetting effect on wick township with his father's fam- the conference of the ambassadors at ily, and lived there until 13 years ago, | Constantinople."

when he retired from farming and Isaac N. Ford says of the speech in moved to Forest. Deceased has three his special cable: "It was sober and terse, but courageous and firm. Alto-Hullett, built for their own convenience, Rev. Robert Hay, of Eaton, Que., late gether, it was a bold and resolute gave way while W. Argent was cross- of Watford; Rev. James Hay, of speech, with a sterling English ring, this point is quite deep, and he might Rev. Wm. Hay, of Scotland, Ont., died John Morley and Sir Charles Dilke last month. Mr. Hay was married in condemned it as dangerous and impu-John A. Robinson, solicitor for Wm. 1863 to Miss Mary Stevenson, of dent and provocative of evil results;

bated with great heat, the financial vote was carried by a rousing majority. The Government, with their great majority and petty policies, need courageous leadership like Sir Michael Hicks-Beach's, with its lucid common-Ferment in France sense and direct appeal to English

> The Conservative press are unanimous in their praise of Sir Michael's speech, in which he served notice on France that Great Britain proposed to remain in occupation of Egypt indefinitely, while the Liberal journals demounce the speech as a reckless and needless irritation of France.

> > KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Feb. 6.-The Supreme court, the responsible leader of the Tribunal, Knights of Pythias, closed Opposition, characterized Sir Michael its sitting here Saturday afternoon.

The matter presented for adjudica-Hicks-Beach's remarkable outburst in the matter presented for adjudication was the case of Philip Colgrove as supreme chancellor, and James R. certed effort to coerce the Sultan ten as presented at the Cleveland session times more difficult. "France, supported by Russia," he suggested in so many words, had influenced the mixed the cost of the Dongola expedition out of the reserve fund, but England was of the worried out of her policy by many words, had influenced the mixed seals to publish this so-called ritual court of appeal, to deny Egypt to repay for the use of the rank. It was desuch himdrances and difficulties. Next year, when the revision of the mixed tribunals falls due, it will be a grave question whether the tribunals shall be allowed thus to usurp authority.

"We are," he added, amid great Tory cheering, "in occupation of Bgypt. Our results of the suprement for the expedition is rather to the content of the suprement for the expedition is rather to the content of the suprement for the expedition is rather to the content of the suprement for the expedition is rather to the content of the suprement for the expedition is rather to the rundamental law of the order, and that it was therefore not legally a ritual of the order, and that it was therefore not legally a ritual of the order, and that it was therefore not legally a ritual of the order, and that it was therefore not legally a ritual of the order, and that it was therefore not legally a ritual of the order, and that it was therefore not legally a ritual of the order and that it was therefore not legally a ritual of the order and that the suprement for records and seals was not authorized to print and publish the same of the order, and that it was therefore not legally a ritual of the order and that the suprement for records and seals was not authorized to print and publish the same of the order. settles the question involved until the

### BRITISH LIBERALS' FUTURE.

Interesting Proposal by a Well-Known Scottish M. P.

Mr. R. B. Haldane, Q.C., M. P. for East Lothian, delivered the second lec ture of the series arranged for by the Edinburgh United Liberal Committee a Minister who has always been regard- ism standing still. What the Liberal ed as a strong element of moderation party wanted was that the country should lead them once more, There was talk of re-union. Don't let them THE FRENCH PRESS. try to effect reunion on the basis of the Paris press are greatly excited compromise. In conclusion, he advoissued a writ against Wm. Corliss, of South Dorchester. Under the will of the late Peter Woolley, the plaintiff claims one-quarter of the apples on lot 4, con. 8, South Dorchester. The defendant refuses to give up the fruit, and honce the apples to the control of the sound to be taken up.

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The Question of the Re-Imposition of Newspaper Postage.

The subject of the re-imposition of newspaper postage occupied a good deal of attention at the recent meeting of the Canadian Press Associa-Mulock, who addressed the association, and subsequently met a committee for conference, took the ground that there were evident abuses in conwith the free transmission which urgently called for abatement, many private persons and corporate bodies now sending masses of printed matter through the mails in obvious deflance of the original intention of the legislation of fifteen

Apart from the urgent need of the rectification by statute and administration of such outstanding abuses, the Postmaster-General said that the expense of the free carriage of even the significant fact was that the Governlegitimate newspapers had grown too ment, whose supporters number 489, great to be continued. He instanced only received votes of 296, 325, and 283 the fact that for a recent Christmas THE WOMAN'S FRANCHISE BILL. edition in a large city, a request had oeen made for 1,800 sacks, in addition | Franchise Bill in nowise means its to the usual number. These sacks adoption this session. The vote only each held some four bushels of matter, places it on a favorable position, and which represented as much as five box ously opposed, and has no chance of cars loaded with grain. It was stated becoming law. During the debate the that Toronto alone took advantage of remarks of the supporters of the measthe free postal facilities to the ex- ure were punctuated by the waving tent of 300 publications-many clearly entitled to no such privilege. Mr. Mulock stated that he would advocate no | minded women, and there were some without due notice, while the of the rate per pound would be reasonably considered. Mr. Mulock appeared to approve of a zone under which newspapers might transmitted free within a ceroderate local radius. The Minister suggested that it might be useful were a committee of the association appointed to confer with him from

The association, after consideration, though far from unanimously, declined to name a committee for permanent conference with the Postmaster-General, on the ground, first, that it was not prepared thereby to virtually admit the desirability or justice of a repapers, and, secondly, because the association, being mainly an Ontario organization, felt that it would be unfair to the newspaper publishers of would have been put into somewhat different shape. T resolution, such as it is, reads as follows:

"Resolved, That this association as a body take no action in regard to the endowment of a university will involve Postmaster-General's proposition to reimpose postal rates, except to send a copy of this resolution to every publisher in Canada, suggesting that should this question come before Par-liament, each Parliamentary representative should be asked to insist up-on the reduction or abolition of the above customs duties on publishers' materials as a necessary correlative to the re-imposition of postage.

"That, Whereas the removal of postage on newspapers fifteen years ago was not solicited by publishers, that value was given to the community at the time of the reduction of newspaper prices, and that since that the scale of newspaper expenditures has been graded to the existing conditions, and, whereas the fiscal system of this country recognizes the promotion of home interests and that newspaper publishers without receiving any proection themselves in any shape, save by the present postal law, are forced to contribute to the advantage of other manufacturers and interests, by the customs duties on type, printing presses, printing machinery of all kinds, type furniture, paper, ink, stereotype plates, newspaper cuts; in short, absolutely every product that enters into the manufacture of a news-

We think a mistake was made in not appointing a committee for further will readily find able and judicious publishers, both without and within the association, with whom to advise, and as able and judicious without the

During the various discussions, the question was once or twice raised as newspaper matter through the mails practically close all the roads against a force advancing upon London from the mouth of the Thames or any land-

venience and State policy than a question of morals, as might be said equalsimply one instance of many modern tendencies of doing things in common

The present situation, then, is as lowing ideas

age on newspapers and kindred pub- | ter's idea of a radius

lications has become necessary; how much, a question to be discussed; with

of Canada is invited in the work of ridding the mails of the burden of carrying free printed matter obviously not entitled on any public ground to the privilege of free trans-

(3) That within a certain local radius newspapers be still carried free follows: The Postmaster-General's through the mails. From what has mind trends in favor of the three fol- been learned, a considerable majority of publishers-failing a continuance of (1) That some re-imposition of post- general free postage—favor the Minis-

# Cabled Correspondence

British Education Bill Denounced--Home Rule Out of Sight--The Woman Suffrage Bill.

The Proposed Army Increase — Outcry Against Sending the Guards to Gibraltar — Recrowning the Queen-Prince of Wales Buying Land - A Year's Suicides at Monte Carlo.

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Educational Bill is hotly denounced by the Liberals as being a sop to the sectarian and distinctly unjust to the board schools. The defeat of the Conservative candidate, Mr. Dewar, by Mr. Woods (Liberal), in the election in the Walthamstowe division of Essex, Mr. Woods receiving 6,518 votes against 6,239 cast for Mr. Dewar, although the Conservative majority at to know exactly where to assemble it the last general election was 2,353. was largely due to the educational proposals. During the debate on this in a state of defense. measure in the House of Commons a

The second reading of the Women's after Whitsuntide it will be strenuladies' galleries were packed, and the of white handkerchiefs, while the oploud expressions of feminine disgust. The lobbies were invaded by strongamusing scenes of button-holing members until the latter were actually afraid to pass through.

HOME RULE OUT OF SIGHT. How completely home rule has dropped out of English politics for the moment is shown by the statement of Mr. Woods that he never mentioned this subject during the Waltham-stowe contest. Other Liberal candidates in bye-elections could probably say the same thing, though, if asked, they would readily pledge themselves to the Irish cause. The recent changes in the bye-elections will tend to bring it to the fore again.

THE SCHEME TO FORTIFY LON-

DON. London is to be fortified against possible invasion by forces landing on the southern coast. The plan of fort work dates as far back as the time of the Duke of Welington, but has been revised by Lord Wolseley and other military authorities, and adapted to the changes of modern warfare The Military Works Bill provides for the construction of a chain of forts works from the Southern Downs to the heights on the south of London on which the Crystal Palace is a conspicuous object. The scheme includes The cost, which will be something formidable for the treasury to face, will be met by advances from the consoliments extending over twenty years. THE PROPOSED CATHOLIC UNI-VERSITY.

The negotiations between the Government and the Roman Catholic bishops of Ireland, for the creation of a grant from the Imperial treasury of might be sent there. about \$5,000,000. The bargain is not finally effected, but there is reason to believe that a Catholic university will be introduced next session.

GLADSTONE'S ADVICE. the Greek Byron Society, advising a Servia and Greece, as that is the best solution of the eastern question. that he was far from despairing of the ratification of the arbitration treaty, for the wisest and most enlightened public opinion was the ultimate ruler in America. England's almost unanimous feeling is that a failure of faith would disgrace the English-speaking race in the eyes of the whole world.

THE ARMY INCREASE.

as explained by Lord Lansdowne, proves to be smaller than expected. The measure is sharply criti- | company. cised by military men, especially on the ground that the efficiency of the Guards remaining in England will be impaired for the sake of strengthening the garrison of Gibraltar. The war budget contains a vote of about \$500,-000, in order that thirteen central magazines, for which the land has already been bought, may be completed. In addition, to the buildings it will be necessary to make proper approaches and military roads by which to connect the various centers as links in a continuous chain. Of the three cen-ters already completed, two are on the south of London and one on the north. The vote now asked for is to complete ten other store-houses as points of concentration for the different brigades, all on the south, between Erith and Tooting. These will

London, Feb. 7.—The Government Brighton. Nothing like fortifications ducational Bill is hotly denounced will be constructed, but simply defensible store-houses, in which ing tools, camp equipments and munitions of war may be kept ready to teers and militia on whom the task of defending the positions would fall. Ultimately, the positions would have to be strengthened by earthworks, but these need only be thrown up when the danger of attack seemed imminent. The essential thing is for each brigade an emergency arose, and that it would be sure of finding the stores and material necessary for placing its position

LONDON'S DANDY SOLDIERS. The Government's proposal to increase the number of battalions of the guards and station part of this force at Gibraltar has caused a great outcry. It is declared that the step virtually means the ruin of the guards. whose present strength is only maintained by decreasing their standard of physique. The officers predict that the guards will cease to be a crack corps and that they will be reduced to the level of a line regiment. It is also asserted that there is no space at Gibraltar for properly training the guardsmen, and, moreover it is hinted that the smartest officers will resign if they are compeled to go abroad. ponents of the bill were greeted with as many of them are now able to sutheir property and estates in England, without interfering with their millitary duties; but they would be to continue so doing 4f to the Mediterranean. Society is also opposed to the transfer, as the absence of the young guardsmen would deprive the season of much of its eclat.

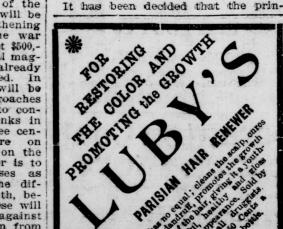
> THE CAMERON MEN. The proposal to add another battallion to the Cameron Highlanders is received with little favor among the Cameronians, who pride themselves upon being recruited from the heather, and the proposed addition would ment of a host of east end cockneys who have already made the other Highland regiments the butt of considerable chaff.

> THAT CANADIAN REGIMENT. The Globe expresses surprise that nothing has been said of the Canadian proposal to recruit a regiment of the line locally, and assumes that some hitch has occurred. The Globe adds: 'It would certainly be an enormous gain if all the colonies would undertake to contribute to the imperial defense on the lines suggested by Canadian patriotism.

CHANGING AMBASSADORS. The retirement of Sir Julian Paunce fote from the Washington embassy, barracks and other military works. and from the diplomatic service, will not take place until the Venezuelan arbitration reaches a more definite phase, and the last possible difficuldated fund, to be repaid by install- ties in the way of acceptance of the general arbitration treaty between Great Britain and the United States are over. The removal of Sir Philip Currie from the British embassy at Constantinople at an early period is Sallisbury is dissatisfied with Sir Philip, and that the Cabinet would concur in a Catholic university are on the verge his transfer to some other post. If a of settlement. The foundation and long period of diplomatic quiet be-endowment of a university will involve comes the prospect at Washington he

SOCIETY'S EXODUS. The sharp dose of winter that came with the end of January has driven most of the prominent members of so-Mr. Gladstone has written a letter to ciety to the south of France and they will not return until after Lent. On this account the more exclusive funcfederal union of Macedonia, Bulgaria, tions in connection with the diamond Sullivan. He presents a series of splendid tableaux, showing the rise and progress of the country and the since sixty years ago. Great efforts are already being made to om the Victorian era exhibition, to be held in London this summer. Stafford Northcote is chairman of the The proposed increase of the army, dustrial exhibits. He is turning to use in this direction his recent visit to Canada and the United States. The season will be enlivened by a series The addition slightly exceeds 7,000 of French plays by a strong Parisian

RECROWNING THE QUEEN.



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Druggists Say the People Are Asking for Munyon's Improved Homeopathic Remedies and Will Have Nothing Else.

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Latest and Best. HALF THE PRICE OF OTHERS. The name of the manufacturers is a guar tee of its quality. Agents wanted. The Williams Mfg. Co. Ltd., Montreal, P.Q. Chas. A. Colt. Agent, 314; Dundas street London, Ont.

shall be another great ceremony at ten years ago. It will probably be of the nature of recrowning of her Majesty before the most illustrious assembly of the world's rulers and great men which can be got together. The abbey will be closed early next month. when extensive preparations for the ceremony will be begun. PRINCE OF WALES BUYS LAND

cipal feature of the celebration in June

The Prince of Wales is buying large tracts of land in the Dartmoor districts, apparently intending to form an extensive deer forest and hunting re gion. To obtain the necessary purmoney he has, through his agents, disposed of South African and other securities. There are signs of the marked clearing up in the Prince's financial affairs. Any sums he owed to Baron Hinsch, Sir Albert Sassoon and others have been paid off. Thes debts never amounted to anything like the large sums generally reported. The Prince is now able to invest largely

WULLIAM GOING TOBOGGANING The Emperor and Empress, accom panied by the hereditary Prince of Saxe-Meiningen are going to Hirschburg, Silesia, on Feb. 19, where they will enjoy tobogganing on the numer ous steep sleigh tracks down the mountains. The snow there is ten feet deep.

NANSEN THE HERO OF THE HOUR. Dr. Nansen, the Arctic explorer, i already launched in the vortex of social engagements. He is over his ears in invitations to receptions, dinners jubilee will begin later than the popu- etc. and promises to be the lion of lar entertainments. The latter have the season, much as Henry M. Stan-Mr. James Bryce told the Hudders already started, suitably enough with ley was on his return from Africa field Chamber of Commerce last night a grand historical ballet at the Al- The Prince of Wales met Dr. Nansen was on his return from Africa. hambra, with muste by Sir Arthur and Mrs. Nansen at a small lunch party given at the thouse of Gen Stanley Clark.

> MONTE CARLO SUICIDES. The tragic end of the New York merchant, Mr. Lund, near Monte Carl has called attention to similar incidents occurring there, but which are carefully kept concealed. Inquiry shows that during the present Riviera season 65 cases of suicide connected with Monte Carlo doings have occurred. CABLE NOTES.

It is stated that on the occasion of the celebration of the Queen's jubilee the Marquis of Salisbury will be raised to a dukedom, which honor has several times been offered to him and de-

The United States ambassador, Thos. F. Bayard, has arranged to go to Italy for a short visit early in March. He delivered a speech at the dinner of the Skinners Company on Thursday, and dwelt upon the fact that there was no just difference between Great Britain and the United States. He said:
"I tell the public here and beyond
the Atlantic things that ought to bind the nations closer to each other."

When you feel a general lassitude and breaking down of the system, Angostura Bitters will work a wonderful change. Dr. J. G. B. Slegert & Sons, Manufacturers. Boast not thyself of tomorrow; for

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In February Is a Peculiarity of This Store.

# Winter Stuffs are Moving Out Rapidly.

Our quick march prices are giving them a speedy and wide circulation. We must have room. Our buyer is in Europe, and his purchases will be here long before the flowers of spring.

If you are selfish and don't want them you'd be tempted to buy to keep the gain from somebody else. See the beautiful double-fold goods we are selling for 19c, 25c, 35c, 40c and 50c goods that would be cheap at twice the price quoted.

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Our Mantle Department is too full of surprises to attempt anything like a detailed description of the many startling values we are offering. Leftovers in fashionable Jackets, Capes, Cloaks, Furs, Mantlings, etc. They must be cleared out at once. Go-quick prices on every one. Come quick and get

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We don't say much about them in the newspapers, but we are constantly thinking about them, and would remind them that in every article pertaining to a gentleman's outfit their best interests are conserved by trading here. Ulsters, Overcoats, Suits, Pants, Underclothing, Shirts, Ties, Hats and Caps, Socks and Braces at lower prices, very likely much lower prices than you have been paying elsewhere.

Is familiar with the merits of our great Staple Department, A boom here all the time, Many very special things just now in Linens, Cottons, Sheetings, Shirtings, Pillow Cottons, Towels, Napkins, Flannels, Flannelettes.

Come this month and see how easy it is to make money by saving it in trading at the People's Popular Progressive Drygoods House of

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dealer or clerk who does this cares nothing for your welfare. He simply wants your money. Do not permit yourself to be deceived. Insist upon having

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Hood's Pills easy to buy, easy to take,

# Commercial

Strong Advance in the Price of Standard Oil Stock,

Local Market. Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son. London, Monday, Feb. 8.

Oats, per bu ......16c to 20 1-2c Peas, per bu .. .... 36c to 42c Corn; per bu ......25c to 31c Buckwheat, per bu .....24c to 26 1-2c Rye, per bu ...... 22c to 28c Barley, per bu ......20c to 290 Beans, per bu ......25c to 40c

Very little business was done in this market today, owing to small receipts. demand for all lines was good, and though prices are purely nominal in most cases. The feeling showed that Saturday's figures correctly represent what today's prices would Quotations:

Wheat. white. zer 1001bs...... 125 to Wheat red per 100 lbs...... 1 25 to Wheat spring per 100 bc...... 1 25 to Peas per 100 .bs .... Rye. per 100 los..... Cheese, per 1b. Eggs fresh, basket, per doz.... Eggs, fresh, storel ots, per doz... Butter single rolls per lb...... Butter, perlb 1 lb rolls baskets. Butter per lb. large rolls or Butter, per lb, tubs or firkins.... Larg. per lb.

MEAT. HIDES, ETC
Beef, quarters, per lb. Live hogs. 360 to
Hides, No. 1, per lb. 5 to
Hides, No. 2, per lb. 5 to
Hides, No. 3, per lb. 4 to
Cal(sking green 4 to Calfskins, green. Sheepskins, each 50
Lambshins, each 60
Wool, per lb

Wool, per lb.
Tallow, rendered, per lb.
Tallow, rough, per lb. HAY AND SEED YOU CAN BUY the best oatmeal, germs, wheat flakes and buckwheat flour from us. One trial will convince. Put up in 10c, 26c, 25 pounds and half barrel lots, and delivered promptly

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The Oil Market. PETROLEA
Petrolea, Feb. 8.—Oil opened and closed at

English Markets. Liverpool. Feb. 6-12:45 p.m. Wheat—Spot steady: demand good: futures steady; near and distant positions, id higher.

Corn — Spot quiet: futures easy and un-

on-Steady: demand poor: Cumberland eut. 25 to 30 lbs. 26s; short ribs. 20 to 24 lbs. 25s; long clear light. 35 to 38 lbs. 25s; long clear heavy. 40 to 45 lbs. 24s 6d; short clear backs. light. 18 lbs. 24s; snort clear middles heavy. 45 to 50 lbs, 22s 6d; clear middles heavy. 45 to bellies, 14 to 16 ths, 27s.

Shoulders—Square 12 to 18 lbs. 25s 6d. Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs.. 39s. Tallow-Fine North American, 18s. Beef-Extra India mess, 61s 3d: prime mess,

Pork-Prime mess, fine western, 463 3d; me-Lard-Dull: prime western, 20s; refined in pails 21s 9d. Cheese-Firm: demand moderate: finest Amrican white (Sept.), 593; finest American

Butter-Finest United States, 90s; good, 55s. Turpentine spirits -20s 9d. Rosin, common-5s. Cetton seed oil- Liverpool refined, 15s 6d. Linseed oil-16s 3d.

trojeum-Refined. 6jd. Refrigerator beet-Forequarter, 4d; hind-Bleaching powder-Hardwood, f. o. b., Liver-Hops-At London (Pacific Coast). £3 15s.

Geo. McBean & Co. DEALERS IN FARM, MILLING AND DAIRY PRODUCTS

P. O. Box 807, Montreal.

THE RISE IN CHEESE. The Montreal Trade Bulletin, comcheese has recently been selling, says: The present sharp advances in prices is undoubtedly the result of the shortsome profit. It is understood, as fore-madowed in our last issue, that several re-sales of a portion of these cheese have been made at 12c. There is one lot of 1,000 boxes of finest westerns in this city, which shows the English biliousness and sick headache; 25c. firm made a profit of 15s per cwt, or about \$2 per box. The price of finest western today is 3c per in higher than sometimes attains the age of 400 years.

at this time last year, and the opinion is freely expressed that we have not yet seen the climax of the upward movement. A large exporter here said a few days ago: "I am pleased to see English buyers doing so well on their se as they ar

now realizing some handsome profits." American Produce Markets. CHICAGO.

CHICAGO.

Chicago. Ill., Feb. 6.—Wheat was weak at the opening on a decline in the Liverpool market. Within the first ten minutes, however, all weakness had disappeared, and from that time until the close the direction was upward, quite a flurry being witnessed just previous to the close. The exports for the week—3,168,000 bu—small shipments from Argentina during the same period, and the prospect of a cold wave on top of the recent rains in the winter wheat belt were of special importance as bull factors. Corn was firm, in sympathy with wheat. Cats dull.

The leading futures closed as follows:
Wheat—No. 2 Feb., 75ic; May, 77c; July, 72ic.

124c. Corn-No. 2 Feb., 221c to 221c; May, 241c to 241c; July, 251c; Sept., 261c to 261c. Oats-No. 2 Feb., 151c; May, 171c; July, 181c

to 18\frac{1}{2}c.

Mess pork—May, \$7 65; July, \$7 77\frac{1}{2}c.

Lard-May, \$3 80; July, \$3 87\frac{1}{2}c.

Short ribs—May, \$3 90; July, \$4.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour dull and unchanged; No. 2 spring wheat, 73\frac{1}{2}c to 76\frac{1}{2}c; No. 2 red, 84\frac{1}{2}c to 87\frac{1}{2}c: No. 2 corn, 22\frac{1}{2}c; No. 2 oats, 16\frac{1}{2}c; No. 2 rye, 35\frac{1}{2}c to 36c; No. 2 barley, 34c to 35c, nominal; mess pork, \$7 57\frac{1}{2}t to \$7 60; lard, \$3 67\frac{1}{2}t to \$3 70; short rib sides, \$3 75 to \$4; dry salted shoulders, \$4 25 to \$4 50; short clear sides, \$4 12\frac{1}{2}t to \$4 25.

Receints—

Receipts-Oats.....233,000 2,000 Barley ..... 86,000 Shipments-7.000 Wheat .....

Live Stock Markets. NEW YORK.

New York. Feb. 6.—Beoves—Receipts, 58 head; no trading; feeling firm.

Calves—Receipts, 37 head; barnyard calves and yearlings, \$2.85; western veals, \$7.12\frac{1}{2}.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2,218 head; sheep and prime to choice lambs, firm; medium to good lambs steady; medium to good sheep \$3.30 to \$4.25; heavy wethers, \$5.15 to \$5.60.

Hogs—Receipts, 3.686; steady, at \$3.60 to \$4.60 for good heavy to light hogs, and \$3.80 to \$4.20 for pigs.

EAST BUFFALO East Buffalo. Feb. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 82 cars through: 3 cars on sale: dull and slow; fair to light choice steers, \$4 to \$4 50; bulls, \$2 30 to \$3; veals, common to choice, \$4.70 to \$7; extra \$7.25.

### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

The Oxford County Council \$500 to the India relief fund. The training ship Melpomene is not do any work, nor did he intend ashore, in a critical position, near doing any. This closed the proceedings

Fred Colqubioun, of Waterloo, is gazetted collector of customs in place of R. Y. Fish, resigned. Mr. James Sutherland, M.P., is at tending the bedside of his sister, Mrs.

Little, who is not expected to recover. At 2 a.m. it was learned that Mrs. Ward Beecher's condition was Henry more favorable than at any time since Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher is re-

Wentworth county levied no county rate last year, and now has \$44,000 on hand, getting \$30,000 from the city

Richard Pope, deputy commissioner of patents, died on Sunday at Ottawa, after a brief illness. He was formerly clerk of the crown in Chancery. Thomas Doherty & Co., wholesale tea dealers, McGill street, Montreal, have suspended payment. The liabili-

ties are said to be in the neighborhood of \$56,000. Rev. Father Michael Dineen died at

and was educated at the Ottawa University, Ottawa, Canada. A San Francisco dispatch says: Matthew G. Upton, the veteran journalist and editorial writer, is dead. He had

been suffering from a complication of ailments for four years. Dr. C. W. Cooper, of New York, jumped overboard, Feb. 7, from the steamer Columbia, and was lost. Dr. Cooper had been in poor health for some time, and was extremely nervous

during the voyage. Samuel N. Barnett, Buffalo, has been sentenced to one year in the Erie County Penitentiary, for converting into cash a mortgage which had been entrusted to him. Barnett is a brother of Rowland Gideon Israel Barnett, who is said to have wrecked the Central

### BRIGHTON BRIEFS.

An Interesting Story.

A well-known Brighton lady tells what she thinks regarding heart trouble and how to cure it. Mrs. Stephen P. Ciapp, the estimable wife Consignments and Correspondence Solicited what Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills did for her. Mrs. Clapp says: "I have been a sufferer from extreme nervousness for years, and for the last two years my heart has troubled me greatly. I could not sleep soundly, and would often awaken with a start, together with a curious feeling menting on the high price at which as if my heart had stopped beating, and it would be some time before I could recover myself. At times I be came very dizzy, and a mist gathered age of production on the other side before my eyes. I have taken many of the Atlantic, and it remains to be kinds of patent medicines, but could seen how much higher prices will get nothing to relieve me. Finally I climb. Of course, the higher they go, the greater will be the falling off in Nerve Pills from Messrs. L. J. Austin consumption; but the extent of the ad- & Co., of this place, and am glad to vance up to the present shows that the English make must have been very short, in view of the full export movement from Atlantic ports, and the remainder of the authority of the full export movement from Atlantic ports, and the remainder of the authority of the full export movement from Atlantic ports, and the remainder of the authority of the ceipt of orders at the advance which been for years, cannot be filled owing to the disposal I recommend Milburn's Heart and of all stocks here, except what are held Nerve Pills very highly to those suf-on English account, which amount to fering from any trouble affecting the about 50 000 boxes, and show a hand- heart and nerves, for I know that

Laxa Liver Pills cure constipation,

A Letter From the Lord Mayor of London.

Asking That the Relief Movement b Inaugurated-An Employment Bureau.

Mayor Little has received a letter steps before he received the lord mayor's letter. 'The meeting in the City Hall tonight for that purpose was advertised in the city churches yester-

Inspector Sanders, of the Organized Charities' Society, requests all desiring help to register their names at his office, and he will send them deserving people. Very few girls apply to him for work, as domestic positions are eas-tly obtained, but he has a number of needy men on his list.

The gypsies were at the City Hall today pleading for more bread. One of their horses has gone lame, and this will further postpone their departure. It is true their provisions have run shot, but whether they have any money or not cannot be ascertained. They deny that they have a cent, and chaim they are nearly starving. They admit they have plenty of clothes. This soft weather keeps sewerage work back. The bricklaying is progressing, but excavating is dangerous.
The Board of Education committees meet this week for the first time.

Case Against Postmaster Campbell Closed,

Statements of Mail Clerks Austin and Dalton.

slow; fair to light choice steers, \$4 to \$450; bulls, \$2 50 to \$3; veals, common to choice, \$4 70 to \$7; extra \$7 25.

Hogs-16 cars through, 21 cars on sale; market fairly active and 5c to 10c higher than Friday's close; good Yorkers, \$3 70 to \$3 724; a few choice, \$3 75; mixed packers, \$3 60 to \$3 65; heavy and medium, \$3 60; roughs, \$3 to \$3 20; stags, \$2 25 to \$2 75; pigs, \$3 50 to \$3 55; a few choice Michigans, \$3 60 to \$3 65.

Sheep and lambs-2 cars through; 15 cars on sale; market active, and 10c to 15c higher; best lambs, \$5 35 to \$5 40; good to choice, \$5 to \$5 25; fair to good, \$4 50 to \$4 90; culls and common, \$4 to \$4 40; mixed sheep, good to choice, \$5 to culls and common, \$2 25 to \$3 25.

At the close-Cattle-5 cars on sale; market dull: most of the offerings were Canadas, which held over till Monday; Canada feeders of \$80 the sold at \$3 50; coarse beef steers, \$3 50; cows. \$2 25 to \$2 75; bulls, \$2 50.

Hogs-23 cars, all sold; closed steady; a few choice white pigs, \$3 60 to \$3 65; pigs generally sold \$3 50 to \$3 55; Yorkers, \$3 70.

Sheep and lambs-20 cars; active on short supplies at eastern and western points, and 10c higher for sheep, \$4 to \$4 25; fair to good, \$2 50; good to best mixed sheep, \$4 to \$4 25; fair to good, \$2 50; good to best mixed sheep, \$4 to \$4 25; fair to good, \$2 50 to \$3 75; nixed packers, \$3 10 to \$5 20; good to best mixed sheep, \$4 to \$4 25; fair to good, \$3 50 to \$3 75; nixed packers, \$3 10 to \$5 20; good to best mixed sheep, \$4 to \$4 25; fair to good, \$3 50 to \$3 75; nixed packers, \$3 50; good to best mixed sheep, \$4 to \$4 25; fair to good, \$3 50 to \$3 75; nixed packers, \$3 10 to \$5 20; good to best mixed sheep, \$4 to \$4 25; fair to good, \$3 50 to \$3 75; nixed packers, \$3 50; good to choice, \$5 10 to \$5 20; good to best mixed sheep, \$4 to \$4 25; fair to good, \$3 50 to \$3 75; nixed packers, \$3 50 to \$3 75; nixed packers to best mixed sheep, \$4 to \$4 25; fair to good, \$3 50 to \$3 75; no export demand. master-General granting him leave of absence. He said he then came up to West Huron, but did not do any work, except taking a couple of friends to the polls, and distributing some fly sheets at the church gate on Sunday before the election. Mr. Dalton said he came up but did

> of the investigation. IN A FIT OF ANGER.

Mrs. Cort Drowned Herself and Three Children.

Big Timber, Mont., Feb. 8.-In a fit of desperation, after a quarrel with her husband, the wife of Robert Cort. ported to be failing rapidly, and her a fairly well-to-do rancher, living five attending physician says that she can-not live more than a day or two longer. small children, rushed to the Yellowstone River, and threw the children and herself in. The current carried the bodies quick-

ly out of sight. Crowds have been working, but the bodies have not yet been recovered.

THE WAY OUT.

Bless the babies! We gouldn't get along without them. But how careful we have to be when we mention these little high mightinesses! Ayoung Philadelphian was laughing recently the absurd mistakes one is apt to fall his home in Little Falls, N. Y., of into when talking about the firstborn consumption. He was 33 years of age of the house to the newly-made maminto when talking about the firstborn

"Well," she said, "Jerome K. Jerome helped us out wonderfully in one respect. He said that when in doubt as to the gender of the little morsel of humanity one should carefully avoid referring to the child as 'he' or 'she,' and merely call it 'the little an-

That settles one side of the question. But suppose you are asked whether baby resembles papa or mamma? That is just as bad as the other, Well I found myself face to face with this latter question a few days ago, and the way I took of replying was so successful that I think woman should fortify herself with it—and the men, too, for they are just as often in this predicament.

"Do you think baby looks like his father, or like me?" asked baby's devoted mamma. I looked at the baby long and steadily and then replied:
"Plaiby looks like a cherub." The scheme was supremely successful, and baby's mamma sent me baby's picture in a silver frame.

Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminater is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

proportion to the population than in any other country. for Liver and Kidney complaint. I have doctored for the last three years with leading physicians, and have widow. taken many medicines that were recommended to me without relief, but after taking eight of Parmelee's Pills I was quite relieved, and now I feel as free from the disease as before I was troubled.' It is said that if the earth's at-

mosphere should be suddenly increased in thickness to 700 miles, the sun could not penetrate it, and the earth would soon be wrapped in ice. The great lung healer is found in that excellent medicine sold as Bic-kle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It soothes and diminishes the sensibility of the membrane of the throat and air passages, and is a sovereign rem-edy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness, pain, or soreness of the chest, bronchitis, etc. It has cured many when supposed to be far advanced in con-

Transfers of Farm Property - Evange listic Services Postponed

The annual meeting of the County brange Lodge was held on Tuesday last, and there was a large attendance of the members from all parts of the county. The reports from the various lodges show a large increase of members for the past year. The Manitobe school question was very little spoken from the lord mayor of London, ask-it. An invitation was received from ing him to aid in promoting the India the city of Port Huron to celebrate relief fund. Mayor Little had taken the next Twelfth of July there, but no action was taken. The following were elected officers for the year: County master, Thomas N. Talbot (reelected); deputy county master, Samuel Clare (re-elected); county chaplain, David Baskerville (re-elected); county recording secretary, Samuel H. Wood; county treasurer, John McDonald; director of ceremonies, John E. Showler (re-elected); lecturer, Joseph Murray; deputy lecturers, W. McRoberts, W. Talbot; delegate to the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of British America, the Grand Trunk at Bronte, has been T. N. Talbot, and to the Grand Lodge transferred to Ailsa Craig, and Mr. H. of Ontario West, Samuel Clare.

### WARDSVILLE.

Mr. W. Watterworth Surprised - Ice-

Cutting in Progress. Wardsville Feb. 6 .- Mrs. Charles Morrison and daughter Margie paid a short visit last week at the Rev. Mr. Russell's, Siloam parsonage. A surprise party from Glencoe ssion of the dwelling of Mr. Wellington Watterworth, on Thursday evening, and a pleasant time spent, the company leaving for their homes at an early hour. Several parties were cutting ice the pond here this week.

Miss Minnie Russell, of Siloam,

visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Sheppard. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Avery, of Strath-roy, paid a short visit to relatives here Miss Millie Snyder has returned after visiting friends in Thamesville. Mr. Judson Wilson, of Dutton, is a guest at his brother-in-law's, Mr. Josiah Lurk.

THAMESFORD.

Annual Congregational Meeting of

Andrew's Church. Thamesford, Feb. 8.-At the annual meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church (Rev. George H. Smith, M.A., pastor), the following report shows 153 families under pastoral oversight. Sixty persons were added to the roll making the number of communicants 239. The Sunday schools report altogether The St. Andrew's Sunday 246 pupils. school raised \$84, \$50 of which went as a scholarship to Point-Aux-Trem-bles. The W. F. M. S. has 57 members, its voluntary offerings for the year were \$104, besides a bale of clo-thing valued at \$55. The Ladies' Aid raised \$419, which amount was de-voted to church furnishings, The mem-Sons is 150; proceeds, \$49. The finan-somest railroad coaches of its day.

### DELAWARE.

Prospecting for Oil-A Liberal Rally on

Tuesday. Delaware, Feb. 6.-A meeting was held in this place last Thursday evening for the purpose of forming a company to prospect for oil. Considerable in paying quantities.

a short visit with her son, who is a to the trucks. successful druggist in New York city. heavy as an ordinary drawing-room
The West Middlesex Liberal Asso- car, each one weighing about 47,000 ciation will meet here on Tuesday pounds, while the train, without the next. Hon. David Mills and others are expected to be present.
"The Gleaners," the band of tem-

perance workers in connection with Dr. Henry J. Rolston, of Shelburne, the Royal Templars, have just com-pleted a week of very successful meet-way Company for \$3,000 for services ings in the town hall here. A strong Royal Templar lodge has been organized with nearly 40 members. We ized with nearly 40 members. heartily commend the Gleaners to the Parliament. On Saturday a motion good people of Wyoming, which place was made before Referee Cartwright they visit next.

### комока.

Going Around-Visiting Templars

Will Be Well Treated. Komoka, Feb. 8.-A singing school will be started here in a few days. Prof. J. Saunders, of London, will conduct it. It is expected that quite a number of the young people of this place will attend it. Mr. A. Barber, who has been lying seriously ill at his home, and is not altogether out of danger yet, has just

Church on Sabbath afternoon and speed of ten miles an hour. preached it vacant. The grip has again made a visit to this place. Mr. John A. McKellar and family are just recovering from an PRIZE FIGHT AT JOHANNESBURG

attack of the disease. Mount Brydges Council, R. T. of T., will pay a visit to Komoka Council on Tuesday evening first. A reception is being prepared for them.

Mr. G. Luckey, of Melrose, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist Church on Sabbath evening.

TWO SKATERS DROWNED. Jennings, Kansas, Feb. 8.-Ben Munson, and Albert, his 16-year-old bro-ther, were drowned while skating near here today.

AWFUL SUDDEN DEATH. In Italy there are more theaters in Toronto, Dec. 8 .- Jonathan Hemingway, aged 58, who resided at 25 East-THE MEDICINE FOR LIVER AND Taylor's safe works Friday. It was KIDNEY COMPLAINT.—Mr. Victor his duty to relieve the night watch-man of the works at 6 o'clock in the pleasure in recommending to the genand while talking to the regular watchman he fell back dead. Apoplexy was the cause of death. He leaves a

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### Railway Matters.

Dr. Rolston, of Shelburne, Sues the Huron and Ontario Railway Co.

Denial of Rumors in Re Doubling Up G. T. R. Freight Crews.

Mr. Wm. Aird has been appointed to succeed Mr. Wanklyn as superintendent of the Grand Trunk workshops at Montreal.

Superintendent Irvin, of the eastern division of the G. T. R., denies that more train crews were to be dispensed with by doubling them up. Wm. Bonskill and John Scott, of Toronto, have been appointed fuel inspectors, respectively for the west and east sections of the Ontario divisions

The longest regular daily run made without a stop by any railway in the world, has just been placed on the schedule of the Great Western Railway of England.

Mr. J. B. Hodgson, station agent for

the Grand Trunk at Bronte, has been A. Barroll, agent at Longwood, will succeed him at Bronte. The water tank on the engine holds 30,000 gallons, and when running at full speed there is a steam pressure of 160 pounds to the square inch, while

there is a heating surface of 1,561 square feet. During the run it is necessary to take water for the engine twice. This, however, does not necessitate any stop, as it is taken up from a trench be side the track as the train speeds

along at nearly a mile a minute. Employes on the Norfolk and Western have been notified that garnishee proceedings against the company well mean the discharge of the em ploye whose wages are garnisheed and that in adition the company will take from their wages any expense the company is put to in the proceed-

The engine which draws this essen-tially "through train" is a curious looking ponderous affair quite unlike any locomotive seen on American roads It has on either side a single huge driving-wheel seven feet eight inches in diameter, while what must be comparison be termed the small wheels of the engine, six in number, known as trailers, are four feet six inches in

Each day the run is made, the train leaving Paddington station at 10:25 o'clock in the morning, and it never fails to roll into St. David's station, in Exeter, exactly on time. The time allowed by the schedule for this run makes no allowance for delays of any kind. Even the time lost in going over the loop round Bristol, and the necessity of slowing down when going through cities is not allowed for. In an obscure corner of the yards of the Union Pacific car shops in Omaha, in a dilapidated and abandoned condition, stands a truly his- For the cu toric relic known as the "Lincoln Car." This car was built especially for Mr. Lincoln in the United States military car shops at Alexandria, Va.,

Daughters and builder, and was one of the hand-Sons is 150; proceeds, \$43. The final cial statement shows the revenue to be \$2,473, an increase of \$730 over 1895; balance on hand, \$401, besides a manse balance on hand, \$401, besides a manse of a request from Blanshard council, after the late Hayes inquest, arrived at the G. T. R. depot. St. Marvs, and have been placed in the freight shed until the frost permits their erection. They are constructed so as to commence to ring on an approaching train arriving at a point half a mile dis-tant either east of west of the cross-

ing, and will then continue ringing un til the train passes. This express train is composed of six capital has already been subscribed. long coaches, a tender and engine. Work is expected to begin in the An American would call it a vestibule spring. It is thought oil will be got train, but the English prefer to call pring. It is thought oil will be got train, but the English profession paying quantities.

Mrs. T. Boles has just returned from coaches," bogie being a term applied to the trucks. They are fully as engine and tender is 81 tons, making the total weight of the train as it rushes along on its long run, 221 tons. at Osgode Hall, to add A. M. Cameron, of Meaford; J. W. Curts, Port Perry; H. H. Miller, Hanover; M. Mc-Namara, Walkerton; and Andrew Mal-colm, Kincardine, as party defend-

Singing School to be Started - Grip ants in the action. Judgment was reserved. It is made between Paddington station in London, and Exeter, a distance of 194 miles, in 3 hours and 36 minutes, by what is known as the Corn-wall Express. It is remarkable, not so much owing to the time, as for the fact that not a stop is made from one end of the run to the other. There a stop, but they have been made hy special and not regular trains. The gone through an operation. Dr. Morrice, of Delaware, and Dr. Moore, of is 51.7 miles an hour, although, owing is 51.7 miles an hour, although, owing London, are attending him.

Rev. Mr. Talling, of London, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian train is obliged to slow down to a rain is obliged to slow down to a train is obliged to slow down to a

ATHLETICS. Johannesburg, Feb. 7.-In the prize fight between "Joe" Goddard, of Australia, and "Nick" (Dooley last night, the former won in the second round. THE CUE.

STUBBS CHALLENGES GUNN. Wm. Stubbs, champion pool player Dunn's Malted Rusk of Canada, is anxious to get on a match as soon as possible, and while Dunn's Lactescent Barley awaiting a reply to his challenge to Levesque, of Montreal, is desirous of arranging a game with Gunn, of London, whom he states had signified his willingness to play. Stubbs is satisfied to meet Gunn in any kind of game -either continuous or eight ball, any number of games or balls, the contest to be for not less than \$150 a side. Choice of table to be left to the London

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benefit to suffering humanity, I am willing to have it published. Yours with respects, M. HOCKETT, Motor, Rooks County, Kansas.
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### Commerce and Finance.

ADVANCE IN OIL STOCK. New York. Feb. 6.-On the street today sales of Standard Oil stock were made at 2704. This is an advance of about 84 points since the declaration of the dividend on Thursday last. acronto Stock Market. TORONTO. Feb. 8.

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Beil Telephone Company	15
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### COMMERCIAL.

Toronto Grain Market.

Toronto, Feb. 8.-Wheat-The farmers' deliveries have dropped off, there is very little wheat offering, and the olders are asking as high as 78c and toba wheat is steady; No. 2 hard sold north today at 81c; No. 1 hard there is quoted at 93c; No. 1 hard is quoted at 86c, Midland and Owen Sound; No. 2 hard at 84c.

Flour—There is a better feeling in Catholic Club, on "Canadian Poets the market, and prices are steady; and Poetry," lectured at Hamilton on cars of straight roller are quoted at Friday evening last to a very large

Millfeed-Steady, at \$8 to \$8 50 for Millfeed—Steady, at 48 shorts, and 37 for bran west.

Barley—There is little or no inquiry each night during the past week in Maitland Street Baptist Church. Rev.

Maitland Street Baptist Church. Rev. nominal, at 31c for No. 1 outside, 33c R. M. Cunningham, of Burgessville for No. 1 extra, 27c to 28c for No. 2, and 24c for No. 3 extra, and 21 1-2c to 22c for feed outside.

Buckwheat-Quiet, at 25c to 26c west. Rye-Steady; cars sold outside today ing. at 34c, and some holders are asking a -Mr. S. Potter assumed his duties cent or two more. Corn-Easy, at 19 1-2c for new yellow

Oats-Easy, at 17e for mixed west, and 18c for white. west at 40c today.

Latest Montreal Markets. GRAINS AND FLOUR.

Oats—In store No. 2 white, 24e to 24c. Corn—30c to 31. Feed barley—29c to 30c. Peas-47c to 4xc. Buckwheat—33c to 34c. Flour—Manitoba strong bakers, \$4 25 to \$4 75: spring wheat patents. 34 90 to \$5 05; winter do., \$4 45 to \$4 70; straight roller, \$4 20 to \$4 30, Feed — Bran. \$9 to \$10: shorts, \$11 to \$12. PROVISIONS.

Canadian short cut, clear, \$10 to \$10 50. Ham—9c to 10c. Bacon—8ic to 9c. Lard-Pure. 7c to 74c: compound. 54c to 74c.

PRODUCE.

Cheese—Nominal; no prices.

Butter—Good jobbing demand; creamery,
20c; roll dairy, 12c to 13c.
Eggs—Quiet; new laid. 17c to 18c; Montreal
limed, 12c to 13c; Western, 11c to 12c. Late English Markets. (Beerbohm's Report by Cable.)

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LIVERPOOL. Feb. 8.—Closing -4:15 p.m.,
Wheat—Spot steady; demand poor; No. 2
red winter, nothing quoted: No. 2 red spring.
6s 5d; No. 1 Manitoba, nothing quoted: No. 1
Cal., 6s 74d; futures opened steady, with near
and distant positions id higher; closed steady,
with near positions id to 4d higher, and distant positions id to 14d; business about equally
distributed; Feb., 6s 34d; March, 6s 44d; May,
6s 54d; July, 6s 4 1-2d.
Corn—Spot quiet: American mixed new,
2s 74d; futures opened easy, with near and
distant positions unchanged; closed quiet,
with near positions id to 1-2d lower, and distant positions unchanged to 4d lower; business

tant positions unchanged to 1-2d lower, and dis-tant positions unchanged to 1d lower; business about equally distributed; Feb., 2s 71d; March, 2s 71-2d; April, 2s 8d; May, 2s 8d; June, 2s 9d; July, 2s 94d. uly, 2s 94d.

Flour—Dull; demand poor; St. Louis fancy winter. 8s 9d.

Peas-Canadian, 4s 5d. American Produce Market. Chicago, Feb. 8.—Wheat opened easy, to lower than Saturday on Liverpool cables. Corn, quiet. Oats, easy. Provisions, dull but firm.

BUFFALO.

Buffalo, N. Y.. Feb. 8.—Spring wheat—Dull; No. 1 hard, old, 88½c; do, new. 88c; No. 1 northern, old, 864c; do, new. 85c. No. 2 northern, 82c to 83½c. Winter wheat—Higher: No. 2 red, 9ic on track; 91½c in store; No. 1 white, 93½c.

Corn—Higher; No. 2 yellow, 27c; No. 3 yellow, 26½c; No. 4 yellow, 26c; No. 2 corn, 26½c; No. 3 corn, 26c on track.

Oats—Firm: No. 2 white, 22c; No. 3 white, 20½c; No 4 white, 19½c; No. 3 mixed, 18½c; No. 2 white 22c in store.

white 22c in store.

DETROFT

Detroit. Feb. 8.—Wheat—No. 1 white cash.
88ic; No. 2 red cash. 88ic; May, 88ic; July, 76c. Tol.EDO.
Toledo. Feb. 8. — Wheat—Cash, 883c; May,

89%c; July, 754c. Corn—May, 244c. Oats-May, 18tc. NEW YORK. Flour—Receipts, 16,300 bbis: sales, 2,100 packages; state and western ruled steady but quiet. city mills patents, \$4 90 to \$5 15; city mills clears, \$4 80 to \$4 90; winter patents. clears, \$4 80 to \$4 90: winter patents, \$4 60 to \$4 75; winter straights, \$4 35 to \$4 40.

Wheat—Receipts, 80,125; sales, 1,070,000 bu; opened easier, on disappointing cables, but afterwards advanced on general covering by shorts; May, 824c to 834c; July, 79 9-16c to 804c.

Rye-Quiet. Corn-Receipts, 141,375 bu; sales, 30,000 bu; quiet but steady with wheat; May, 30c to 30{c. Oats-Receipts. 112,800 bu; dull; track white, 21c to 30c Butter-Receipts. 7,378 packages: steady;

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Coffee Dull.

Hops — Dull; state common to choice, '95 crop, 5c to 7c; '96 crop, 8c to 13c; Pacific coast, '95 crop, 31-2c to 7c; 96 crop, 9c to 13c.

Lead—Strong: bullion price, \$2 50; exchange price, \$3 20 to \$3 25.

Chicago Exchange. Following are the ductuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, Broker, Masonic Temple. 'Phone 1.278. CHICAGO, Feb. 8. Wheat-May ... Corn- May.... 757 243 254 174 184 7 77 7 85 3 85 3 95 3 95 4 05 7 62 7 80 3 80 3 92 3 92

MILWAUKEE.
Milwaukee, Feb. 8. — Wheat, eash, 75c;

-Miss Florence Gurd, of 544 Waterloo street, is visiting the Misses Risdon of St. Thomas.

-A new time table goes into effect on the Michigan Central today. It does not affect the local branch. -Mr. D. C. Mayhew, of the Canada

Advertising Agency, and bride are in this city on their honeymoon trip. -Walter H. Gurd, of the firm of market is firmer; red and white are Wm. Gurd & Co., has gone on a busl-quoted at 76c to 77c west, and some ness trip to the Eastern States. He will take in the New York Cycle Show, 80c, being encouraged by the advance and also visit the Columbia bicycle in the west the past few days; Manifactory at Hartford, Conn., while away.

-Mr. Thomas O'Hagan, professor of English at the Georgetown (Fla.) University, who is to lecture in this city under the auspices of the Young Men's audience. His lecture was a most edifying one.

spoke on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings. The meetings have been largely attended, and considerable interest has been aroused. The pastor preached yesterday morning and even-

as superintendent of the London street railway this morning, and Mr. John Break also began his work as roadmaster. Everything is in fine running order. Mr. Robinson, formerly assist-Peas-Steady; cars sold north and ant superintendent, will leave tomor-Seeds—Dull and unchanged, at \$1 25 him the best wishes for success of the point, counsel failing to agree.

Their lordships retired to consider the point, counsel failing to agree.

On returning their lordships and years.

> -Yesterday the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Leckey, widow of the late Charles Leckey, occurred, at the advanced age of 92 years and 11 months. Deceased had been living at the residence of her son, Charles, 391 Oxford street, and the funeral will take place from there to Byron tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. William, of the Dominion Express Company here, and David, of Kankakee, Ill., are also sons of de-

> ceased. -The regular monthly meeting of the London Dental Society was held Saturday evening at Dr. Fred Wood's lowing members were present: Drs. Bentley, Dawson, Davis, Harvey, J. N. Wood, Solon Woolverton, Fred. L. Wood (the secretary-treasurer), and Students Messrs. Deacon, and Windsor. On conclusion of the regular business, Er. Fred L. Wood was called upon, and read a paper upon the use and construction of "Crown and Bridge Work." Discussion of the paper was entered into by all present for an hour. The meeting adjourned until Saturday evening, March 6, at the rooms of Dr. L. McDonald.

-The first concert of the newlyformed musical organization the London Vocal Society, under the direc-tion of Mr. W. H. Hewlett, is an-nounced to take place in Association Hall on Tuesday, the 23rd inst., and promises to be of more than passing interest. In months past the society, which numbers nearly 100 members, has been hard at work in preparation of some superb choruses and part songs, and that their efforts are meeting with great success is evidenced by the enthusiasm of the members generally and the confident smile of the youthful conductor. The assisting artists are as follows: Miss Beverly Robinson, soprano; Miss Beatrice Langley, violinist; Mr. Lepriere Prin-gle, basso; Mr. Braxton Smith, tenor; Senor Sippili, and Mrs. Chadwick, accompanists. Such an array of talent should also insure a large attendance, and, coupled with the good work which the society is sure to give, it is not too much to expect that the capacity of the hall will be fully tested support of all music-loving citi-

zens is confidently anticipated. STILL IT COMES. Rev. Robert Johnston was this morning handed a check for \$100 by a gentleman who was present yesterday. This, together with other small sums contributed, brings the total amount subscribed up to \$1,371.

SCHEMES OF THE CHURCH. The following statement of the moneys received for the schemes of the Presbyterian Church of Canada, by Rev. Dr. Warden, up to the beginning of the present month, has just been

issued: Aged and infirm ministers' 2,313 28 1,418 71 3,851 84 THE LATE JOHN ANDERSON.

Mr. John Anderson, a retired farmer, of East Williams, died this morning at his residence, No. 129 Elmwood avenue, aged 86 years. Mr. Anderson came to East Williams from Inverness, Scotland, in 1832. Fifty-five years ago he married a daughter of Mr. James Ross, also of East Williams. He leaves, besides Mrs. Anderson, two sons, William J., district manager for the Home Life Insurance Company, Strathroy; Dr. James Ross Anderson, Ailsa Craig; Miss Helen Anderson, of the London public school staff, and Mrs. J. M. McEvoy, of this city. Mr. Anderson was a lifelong Presbyterian, time of his death; a staunch Liberal in politics, and characterized by sterling integrity. His demise will be deeply regretted by a wide circle of friends, as well as by his more immediate connections.

Q.—And with all the business you had and the hundreds of people you had to see, you remembered all those days that a letter was there for Watbeing a member of Knox Church at the

The Famous Case Re- Toothe, Dillon and Tracey opened This After-

noon.

Or Longer.

Again on the Rack.

It May Last Four Days Yet - Remarkable Stories About the Alleged Bribery.

A Mysterious Letter Which Was Handed to a McClary Workman -Watson Found \$5 in It-Toothe and Dillon Said It Only Contained a Letter-They Handed It Out, But Did Not Know Who Left It-Tracey's Trip With a Man Wanted for

Personating.

The now famous London election | come for money? trial resumed at 1 o'clock this afternoon. It was the nineteenth day of the celebrated case. One of the counsel was heard to casually remark that it would last four days longer. But -Detective Day was in the city to- predictions of this kind have been so often shattered that no credence can be given to them now. It is pretty safe to say that the court will sit all of this week-perhaps all of the next. It seems to be a Canadian coun-

terpart of Jarndyce vs. Jarndyce. The only change around the counsel table was the presence of Mr. A. B. Aylesworth, Q.C., the bland and bald Toronto lawyer, who has been engaged to help Mr. Hellmuth. All the other barristers were on hand. The court room filled up gradually. Mr. Hyman and Mr. Beattie were both in-

terested spectators. WITNESSES CALLED.

Mr. McKillop, then requested High Constable Schram to call the following witnesses: Thomas Higgins, Joshua Doty, Wm. A. Dwyer, A. B. Cox, Adam T. McMahon, Herbert Boyd, Frank Noulty, and Arthur McClary. None of them answered.

Mr. McKillop-All of these witnesses are under subpoena, and we may want them today. Their friends had better warn them.

COUNSEL DIFFER.

Mr. Aylesworth said that there were 560 charges on which no evidence had been given. A week ago Mr. Hellmuth had written to the other side, asking the order in which charges would be taken up, but the information was not forthcoming. Mr. Aylesworth com-plained that this was unfair to the

respondent.
Mr. Osler—We are not able safely to intimate particular cases. Whenever we do, off go the witnesses.

Mr. Aylesworth asked the court to made some offensive remarks, and row for Montreal, and will take with lay down an order of procedure. turned away. The witness, Sharkey, him the best wishes for success of Their lordships retired to consider and Pat Milligan, who were together, nounced that the most inexpensive way would be to let the petitioner go on with the charges on which he based his case without disclosing them to the other side. Then the defense could put in their evidence when they were

> ready. R. M. C. TOOTHE.

Mr. Toothe entered the box for the fourth time. He was called by the to answer the evidence Messrs. Noulty and Watson, the Mc-Clary employes, who swore they each received \$5 from Mr. Toothe. testimony, it will be remembered, was correlborated by Wm. Holmes. rooms. Dr. H. R. Abbott, the vice-president occupied the chair. The fol-he thought was Holmes, came to him about a month before the election, with a letter from Mr. Gunn, of the McClary Company. The letter asked witness to see if Watson had a vote. Watson came to witness at the Conservative Club; money was not men-tioned between them. Watson came again later on and asked if there was a letter for him. Witness said there was not. Watson came a third time a week later, and again asked if there was a letter for him. Witness replied. There had been a letter there for Watson for about a week. Witness had given it to Morris Dillon. Dillon thereupon handed it to Watson. Watson opened it and all witness saw was

a half sheet of note paper. Q.-Did you talk to him about voting or money? A.-No I supposed Watson was a Conservative. Mr. Gunn had written me to that effect

Q—Did you see Watson again? A—Yes; the evening prior to the election, at the Conservative Club rooms. "GO AND GET HIM!"

Q.—What occurred? A.—Watson said, "I think I can get you a vote for Mr. Beattie." I said, Mr. Osler to witness. "Go and get him." Q.-Did he return?

A .- Yes; he came back with John Noulty. I said to Watson, "Why, I've seen that man' before; I can't do anything with him, because he wants mo nev. Witness said Noulty pleaded with him to give him money. Witness said,

"It's no use, Noulty; I can't give you anything. Q .- Noulty says Tracey gave him money by your direction. What conversation had you with Tracey? A .- None whatever.

Q .- Did you authorize Tracey or any. body else to pay Noulty? ... A.-No. Witness said that he had seen Noul-

ty before. Noulty had come to the rooms twice before, offering to sell his vote. Witness had never paid Noulty Watson a cent. Q.-Do you know who left the envelope for Watson?

A.—No.
Q.—Do you know what the contents engine. A.-No.

THE MYSTERIOUS LETTER. Mr. Osler then went for Mr. Toothe. Q .- All you had to do with Watson vas to tell him he had a vote? A.—Yes. Q.—And then he came back for your

A.—Yes.
Q.—Do you keep a postoffice there? A .- A small one. Q .- You knew a letter was there for him?

letter?

Q .- And you don't know who left it Q .- And you knew Morris Dillon A.-Yes Q .- And he took it out of a locked

drawer? A.-I think he had it in a drawer. "STRANGER" LEFT IT. Q.—Then it wasn't in the postoffice there? Did a stranger leave it? A.-I think so.

Q.-Any stamp on it?

A.—No, only once.
Witness said he had never lent a Wm. Clarke any money in his life; Clark had never secured any money through witness. There were hundreds of letters left for people at the Conservative Club. Q.-Dillon's drawer was a sort of registered letter place? (Laughter.)

Q .- And it took you four times to

A .- Four times, I think.

refuse him!

(Laughter.)

MORRIS DILLON. Morris Dillon, secretary of the Conservative Club, said he remembered Mr. Toothe leaving a letter with him, addressed to Wm. Watson Witness remembered Watson coming for the letter. Watson opened it, read it, and put it in his pocket. Witness saw only

a piece of paper in this letter. There was no talk about voting. To Mr. Osler, witness said he did not know Watson at the time. Q.-Can you remember any other letter in that drawer prior to the election for a stranger?

Q.-How was it addressed? A .- Wm. Watson. Q.-Oh, you remember the William, do you? Was the William spelt in full?

A.—I think it was just Wm. Q.-Was it dotted under the "m"?

Witness would not say. THOMAS TRACEY. Thomas Tracey, the barber, Mr. Toothe's galloping mate, entered the box for the second time. Tracey said he saw Noulty in the Conservative Club the night before the election. He and Noulty had a talk near the telephone. Noulty said he had \$10 rent to pay next day and he had only \$5. He asked witness for the loan of \$5. Witness would not give it to Noulty, who then asked Hugh Sharkey for it.

followed Noulty to the door and there gaw Watson A QUEER EXPLANATION. Q.-Did you hear Watson's offensive

A.-No. Judge Robertson-How do know it was offensive, then? Witness looked confused, and said have attacked the arsenal there, and he judged they were offensive because Watson looked so mean and turned away. (Laughter.) Witness contend ed that Watson could not have seen him and Noulty in the room, as there was a bookcase between where Wat-

son stood and where Noulty stood. A TRIP WITH A PERSONATOR. To Mr. Osler witness said he went to Noulty's house a night or two before the trial started. He had known forms has produced a great political Noulty well for four or five years. agitation in Spain. Beyond doubt its Noulty well for four or five years. Noulty had been a customer of his prior to the last two years. Witness was at polling division 23 on election day. He did not know Wm. Bush. Witness was in a rig that day with Detective Graham, and with a man was was afterwards arrested. He did was was afterwards arrested. He did of revolt. The conspiracy against not know who this man was. He did Canovas is increasing, and only a not even know who the driver was. Q.-Did the stranger get out of the downfall.

A.-Yes. Q.-He got out because a constable was after him? A.-I saw a constable chasing him after he got out. (Laughter.) Q.-And he was arrested for im-

personation? A .- I don't know. Whitness contradicted himself, and said he did not see a constable chasing the man. Judge Ferguson expressed surprise, as he had understood the witness to say so. "Better start him again on

# A Pitch-In

the story," he said to Mr. Osler.

On the G. T. R. Between St. Marys and Stratford.

Engine and Several Cars Smashed-But No One Hurt.

(Special to The Advertiser, per C. P. R. Line.)

between Stratford and St. Marys, at 7:30 this morning, which resulted in the destruction of a van and three cars and considerable damage to an valued at £2,000. A way freight was standing on the

badly wrecked, and the van and three the village of Hitchin, one of the chief of the cars of the way freight were de- centers of the lavender industry, asstroyed. It is impossible to say who is re-

through freight, and it should not have come in. Fortunately no one was injured. The amount of damage would have been very little, only the stove in the van was overturned, and started a fire. No freight was destroyed, the three cars which were burned being empty. The through freight was coming down a steep grade as it approached the other train, and the rails being wet, it was doubtless impossible to con trol the train. There were really no close calls for life, as all parties had French plenty of time to jump.

-The truck of a freight car on the Stratford branch jumped the rails near Thorndale at 2 o'clock this morning. No damage resulted.

No man is a hero to his hired girl. Cecil Rhodes is a hearty supporter of the Salvation Army, and he has made Gen. Booth an offer of land in

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The Men Beaten and the Women In sulted-The Sheriff Searching for the Miscreants.

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 8.-superintendent Russel Harding, of the Great Northern Railway, has received a report from the agent at Shelby Junction, Montana, to the effect that the members of the Columbia Opera Company

were roughly treated by a gang of cowboys upon their arrival there As the train carrying the theatrical people pulled into the depot, the cowboys greeted it with a fusillade from their revolvers. After the tenderfeet had alighted, the cowboys proceeded to enliven them. For three hours the members of the opera company were terrorized, their tormentors firing revolvers, fighting with the men, and

insulting the women. When the station agent interfered, cowboys threatened to kill him, and he was compelled to hide in a warehouse near by. The sheriff was motified, and, armed with a warrant, is searching for the perpetrators of the

# The Flag of Greece

Raised by the Christians Around Canea.

The King of Greece Invited to Take Possession of Crete.

Athens, Feb. 8.-A displatch from Canea, received this afternoon, says that the Christians about Canea have hoisted the Greek flag, and have proclaimed the union of that island with Grece, and have invited the King of Greece to take possession of it. Rome, Feb. 8.—A dispatch received -mssny equ sass secure units and secure the control of the con mans of Heraklion, Island of Crete

### have carried off two thousand rifles. CUBAN REFORMS.

Their Publication Produces Great Agi-

tation in Spain. New York, Feb. 8 .- A special to the Journal from Madrid says: "The publication of the proposed Cuban reeffect is of the worst possible kind, especially in the camp of the Conservatives, where there is very great disgust among the Ministers, who, while appearing disciplined and submissive to Canovas, are in reality on the verge miracle is likely to save him from

FAILED TO FUND THE GEORGIA. St. Johns, Nfld., Feb. 8.-The steamer search of the missing steamer State of Georgia, was sighted from Cape Race last evening, working her way slowly and alone through the ice floe. It is evident, therefore, that the

Nimrod has failed in her mission. NEW YORK MONEY MARKET. New York, Feb. 8-Noon-Money on call, nominally 1 1-2 to 2 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3 to 4 per cent; sterling exchange steady, with "Just answer my questions!" said actual business in bankers' bills at 4.86 1-2 to 4.86 3-4 for demand, and at 4.84 1-2 to 4.84 3-4 for 60 days; posted rates, 4.85 and 4.87 1-2 to 4.88; commercial bills, 4.83 1-2.

PRECIOUS SWORDS. There are several precious swords in the world, but perhaps the most valuable one in existence is that belonging to the Gaekwar of Baroda, the hilt and belt of which are encrusted with diamonds, rubies and emeralds to the value of £220,000. Then the present Shah of Persia has a sword valued at £10,000, and which his father wore on the occasion of his first visit to Europe. The Czar of Russia and the Sultan of Turkey both possess jeweled sabres of great value, and there are several costly ones in India. It is be-Stratford, Ont., Feb. 8.—An accident lieved that the most costly one in occurred on the G. T. R. at St. Paul's, Britain is that which was presented by the Egyptians to Gen. Lord Wol-

LAVENDER is still used in English main line when a through freight linen closets, but the supply is threatengine of the through freight was ened with extinction. The growers in sert that owing to a succession of bad seasons the plant is dying out there. The station agent says and that, moreover, they cannot comsponsible. The station agent says and that, moreover, they cannot com-that the signals were up against the pete with foreign imitations of lavender water. The business of growing and manufacturing lavender is mainly in the hands of Quakers.

> DIED. ANDERSON-In this city, on Feb. 8. John Anderson, aged 86 years. Funeral from the family residence, 129 Elmwood avenue, to G. T. R. station, on Wednesday, at 9:33 a.m.

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erate price. 25c, 40c, 50c, 60c.

mmm "Supposing it were-it were some-

Miss Bostal shook her head deprecatingly. "My dear," she said, "I can see what as a fitting wife for a gentleman. it is. Stickes has been threatening to tell the detective that he can prove be more amused than annoyed by her you to be the thief, and you let yourself be frightened like that. Why, child, nettled also; and it was not without you forget that everybody in the place some malicious pleasure that she pres-knows he would give the world for a ently said softly: kind word from you; and they will know that he has made up this tale wife." out of revenge for your taking no The

Nell drew a long breath of relief. Then she stood up. "You have taken a great load off my mind," said she, in a low, thankful tion, and with a little sigh of acquies-voice. "I shall tell him when I see cence in the freaks of a mad world, him-What shall I tell him?" she asked, with a sudden change to a little

"I should tell him, if I were you, that what he has seen—if he has seen anything—is not your affair, but that of the police. But at the same time, Nell, I wouldn't be so unkind to the poor, young fellow, if I were you. I was quite touched this evening by the way in which he spoke of you. I believe he would give his right hand for you. I do really. And altithough it is that what he has seen—if he has seen anything—is not your affair, but that lieve he would give his right hand for "I wouldn't marry any man while you, I do really. And although it is all this dreadful trouble was hanging

thing about people who are not like your manners are good—very you. Jem has had plenty of opportugood; but for all that, I don't approve she almost stood alone.

—I most decidedly disapprove—of marcalling themselves Canadia. mitties to reform. It is by this own —I most decidedly disapprove—of marchoice that he idles about instead of riages between people who do not begoing to sea.' "But it is in order to be near you,

young man is in any sense your equal. "But I don't," persisted Nell indig-

wish he would go away from the place altogether; and if he has dared to say that I ever gave him the slightest en-"He has not he has not!" said the

old maid hastily. "He has never been anything but most humble and sub-"In your presence," added Nell significantly; "but when the is not with you he presumes to be rude, and even jealous! As if the had the slightest

right to be jealous!" she added angrily. Miss Bostal's lips tightened with dis-I see how it is," she said. "Poor Jem ds right. He complains that you have had your head turned by the young men who were here in the auturn. He says your head to the auturn. He says your head to the auturn. amn. He says you have never had a good word for him since the coming

of that particularly worldly and friv-olous young man who calls himself Clifflord King." Nell drew herself up. Miss Bostal saw the movement and understood

something of what it meant. "Of course, I know you are not so shiy as to believe all that an Adle young man says to a girl as nice-looking as you are, my dear Nell; but, on the other hand, there is always a danger-and a very matural one-that you should think he means a great deal more than he does. What he really does mean is to amuse himself for a few days at your expense, to try, per-traps, to make you think he really cares for you; but when he is once back in town among his own friends. and his own people, he certainly never gives another thought to the little

his holiday."
Then there stole over Nell's face a little malicious smile. "Mr. King has thought of me since he has been away, Miss Bostal," she said quietly, as she shot one mischievous glance at the prim lady, and then looked again demurely at the fire. Miss Bostal frowned and drew her She had long waited an opportunity of warning New against the flippant

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and worldly Clifford, but Nell had fought shy of the subject so neatly and so persistently that this was the first chance the elder lady had of making known to her protegee her very decided views on the matter of

She now assumed a tone and atti-tude of judicial gravity, as, pulling gently at the black silk mittens she re on her thin hands, she proceeded o address her young friend with sol-

mn warning. "I am sorry to hear it, my dear, very sorry," she said. Then, as Nell made no comment on this reply, she added, more severely than before: "He has not been writing to you, I hope?"

"Dear, dear, and you let him?", Miss Bostal's severity had become mingled with astonishment and hor-

"I couldn't help myself. If a person chooses to write a letter, and to put it in the post, directed to the person he wishes it to reach, that person can't

help herself."
"But did you wish to help it?" It needed a few moments for Miss

Bostal to recover the equanimity she had lost during this colloquy. At last "I gave you credit for more sense,

Nell-I did, indeed." Nell did not immediately answer. It took her by surprise, well as she knew the prim old maid, to find how much more seriously she took this trifle than she did the far more important matter of Jem Stickels' threat. Her conventions were so strict, her sense of what was "proper" was so strong. one you knew—and—loved—what that Nell began to feel how impossible would you say?" it would be to persuade her that an impkeeper's miece could, by any stretch of possibility, be looked upon Although the girl had the sense to "Mr. King has asked me to be his

The words were an electric shock to notice of him. You are a goose, child, the amazed lady, to whom her father, a little goose, to let yourself be worted by such a thing as that."

The words were an electric should the amazed lady, to whom her father, on second thoughts, had decided not to communicate Chifford's confession. She stared at Nell as if she could scarcely believe her ears; then she folded her hands with an air of placid resignaremarked stiffly: "And I suppose this is what is call-

ed progress?"
Neil looked up mischievously in her

you, I do really. And although it is no business of mine, dear, I really think you are neglecting your opportunities of doing good in a true sense, by not urging him to do better things. Your influence might turn him into a Your influence might turn him into a discusse to him?"

I met Mr. Pettit at the World's Fair, at Chicago. I would like to ask him if he saw any Canadians crouching at the feet of the Americans, or at the feet of any nation in the world. No other nation had such reason for homeous trailed in hor armide. In hor armide, the feet of any nation had such reason for homeous trailed in hor armide. In hor armide, the feet of the Americans of the feet of any nation had such reason for homeous trailed in hor armide. In hor armide, the feet of the Americans of the feet of any nation had such reason for homeous trailed in the feet of the Americans of the feet of the

long to the same rank in life. I consider them in the highest degree undepersisted the sentimental old sirable and dangerous."

"I don't mean to say that the And the little old maid drew herself

up as if she had been a queen decid-But I think if you really cared for ing some important matter of state.

"You mean," pursued Nell, more "But I don't," persisted Nell indig-nantly. 'I have never thought about the creature for a moment, except to which he would go away from the less. me, more proper and more desirable than a marriage between Mr. King and

> "I certainly do." Nell had to hide her face, for she could not repress a scornful little smile at this confession "No doubt, you laugh at me as oldfashfioned," went on Miss Bostal, with acerbity "but I cannot alter my principles at my time of life. I tell you. have seen the evils of these unequal matches, the wrangling and the quarreling which result from them; and I should be sorry, indeed, to see a "Mr. Kling has no near relations,"

said Nelli gently. "And he says he should not consult them about the choice of a wife if he had. He says he thinks the marriage of a man old enough to have seen a little of the world

"That is always the opinion of a class bellow that of Mr. King," retorted Miss Bostal, "but in my time it was not considered the proper opinion for a gentleman. for a gentleman. He was supposed to think of society as well as of himself; and he was supposed to have too much respect for his own order to marry out of it."

Nell said nothing to this. She was struck by the humorous side of the situation. Here was this little old maid, cast upon a barren shore, where "Society" never penetrated at all, forgotten by all the world, poor, without influence, without anything left but her pretensions to fairly good birth. laying down her narrow little laws for all the world, and expecting everybody to fit in his or her feelings to

this Procrustean bed. Foolish as ther talk was, however, she was so sincere so earnest, that Nell's spirit fell under her strictures; and although Miss Bostal did not succeed in convincing Nell, she sent the girl home very unhappy, and on the verge of teans.

The worst of it was, that the sentimental little old maid, under the pretext of curing her protegee of her unfortunate attachment, by diverting her ughts to a more appropriate chan-took Jem Stickels in hand herself offered him every assistance with Nell if he would promise to reform, and encouraged the fisherman to persecute the girl more than ever. It was she who persuaded Jem to woo with a less arrogant air, with offers to "turn over a new leaf for her sake," and similar blandishments.

Amd although Neil guessed who it was that had inspired this alteration, the girl was obliged to take a different attitude to her unwelcome wooer in consequence. It is easy to be haughty and studiously frigid to a presumptuous person, but when that person becomes meek, and almost servile in his endeavors to make himself useful when he insists upon chopping your wood and carrying your water, then it is difficult to maintain a properly

freezing attitude.

The climax came one afternoon when
Nell was invited to tea by Miss Bostal, and she was let in upon her arrival by the detested Jem. Nell looked quite shocked when, entering the house, she learned from the young man's lips that he had been invited, too.

To be Continued.

A Prominent Lawyer Sayst "I have eight children, every one in good health, not one of whom but has taken Scott's Emulsion, in which my wife has boundless confidence." Affection with a woman is an occupation; with men it is an amuse-

# The Farmer's Interest.

Young Fruit Trees.

A Middlesex Yeoman on the Situation in Canada.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: I call special attention to a resolution presented at a meeting of the Ontario Fruit Growers' Association: "Moved by Mr. E. D. Smith, seconded by ex-President M. Pettit, that as it is extremely important to pre-vent the utter ruin of Canadian nurserymen by the unfair competition of United States nurserymen driven to sell their stock at a frightful loss by the enormous production of the Southern nurserymen, and as a con-sequence of such ruin of Canadian nurserymen this country would be flooded by Southern-grown stock,

not at all suited for planting in this country, this meeting is of the opinion that the present duties should be maintained.' This is surely putting it pretty strong, "Extremely important! Utter ruin! Frightful loss!" Poor, little frightened Canadian nurseryman, protect him from the great and mighty Yankee! That does not sound like an energetic, independent, loyal Canadian.

which, though firm in appearance, is

But one of these poor little weaklings nursed in the lap of the deceased Government, now a helpless orphan. Yes, gone are the days when the shout of "the Old Man, the Old Flag, and the Old Policy" was heard in the land. Old man and old policy dead. Old flag gone home. Sir Donald Smith spugly reposing in its ways folds and snugly reposing in its warm folds, and poor Sir Tupper setting out in the cold, singing that beautiful but plaintive old song, "There's Nae Room for Twa."

Well, I had some adverse experience with one of these modest Canadian nurserymen, some years ago. I planted 100 apple trees, carefully labeled Baldwin. I had three Baldwins out of the 100. I planted 50 Spys, but not one Spy in the lot. I planted 32 R. Greenings, but did not have one Greening. The halance of the 400 trees planted was much about like those, everything but what you wanted. In relating my disappointment to many others, I find that they have had similar experience with Canadian nurserymen, and

nursery stock.

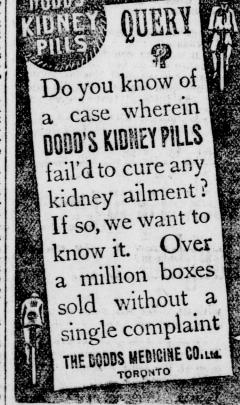
"Car admity not. I never suggested est pride. In ner agricultural and nor-But Nell frowned haughtily.

"You are so good yourself, Miss suppose own know, so one may as well own it at once you have been well educts. In timber and minerals she was in the front rank, and in fish calling themselves Canadians are ever cringing at the feet of the United States, pleading our Government to save them from utter ruin. And that, too, is the party which has prated about its loyalty. I say, shame upon such loyalty! If we can so successfully meet the world at the fairs, can we not also do it in the markets? The Laurier Government's policy is

a revenue tariff and reciprocity trade. Reciprocity is not possible with protection. If we wish to benefit by their market (and we do), then we must let them have the right to ours, The man or nation who tries to get something for nothing is dishonest. Another hindrance to reciprocity is eing set up. It is said we must not discriminate against Britain. gives us her market free. That is not a favor to us, but to herself. All other nations have the same favor that we have. That is her own interest, and we do not blame her. Neither will she blame us if we, for the advantage of trading with the United States, give in return some advantage them. Tariff reform cannot be final till Canada and the United States have taxation is much to be desired, but not even that is of so great import as freer markets. The old Tory Government built railways with one hand and built obstacles to trade with the other. The Liberal Government has reversed the order of things and is lightening the taxation and removing all obstacles to trade as far as the old burdens will permit.

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CLOUDY-SNOW OR RAIN AT NIGHT.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 7-11 p.m.—The storm center from the Southwest States, which passed south of the lake region on Saturday, is now over the State of Maine, causing rain in the Maritime Provinces. Another storm center over the lower Mississippi val-ley will probably move toward the

Minimum and maximum tempera-Esquimalt, 44-48; Calgary, 4 below-12: Edmonton, 16 below-zero; Swift Current, 2 below-12; Winnipeg, 6-10; Port Arthur, 20-30; Toronto, 34-36; Ottawa, 32-38; Montreal, 34-34; Quebec, 28-38; Chatham, 8-36; Halifax, 28-36.

PROBABILITIES. Toronto, Feb. 8-1 a.m.-Probabilities for 24 hours for lower lakes region: Cloudy weather, stationary or a little most places at night.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Saturday were 36 above and 30 above. On Sunday, 34.5 above and

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cuirer.) Do you ever get mixed up in spelling, With "physic" and "phthisic" and such? Will you, as a favor, please tell me

Why "t's" not inserted in "much"? It's no wonder that "much" should be jealous Of "t" in that crippleish "crutch"!

Did you ever take time to consider Why "programme" is spelt with an

It's stupid and senseless to some folks That "gnashing's" preceded by "g."
And roaches are right-ously jealous.
Of "a" in that cute little "flea."

I've thought and I've thunk till I'm And wondered what they were about Pronouncing that "route" in a manner As if 'twere defeat and a "rout." And what is that little "b" doing In a dubious wordlet like "doubt"?

I've sat up till two in the morning Ofttimes, before going to bed, To find out what business "a—i" had In a simple young wordlet like You "read"; when the volume is finished

You visit your tailor and tell him To measure your form for a "suit"; But you never could write to your shoeman

You then say the book you have

To send you a new style of "buit." And if you spelled "water" like "daughter," They'd call you a crazy galoot.

There are "dying" and "sighing" and 'guying," And "leavenous" and "treacherous" "sweet suite of rooms" and a

"O. K." and "obey" and "au fait." But-you can spell as you want to in future: As for me-I'll just spell my own

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-Mr. Wm. Robertson, city, has secured a position in the drygoods store of Mr. C. Pearce, Petrolea. -Job printing of every description turned out promptly at The Advertiser

Job Department. Estimates on all classes of work furnished. Hotel, who was fined \$50 by Squires Dillon; treasurer, Mr. Fred Darch.

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fined \$1 each at the Police Court today for leaving their drays and horses standing alone, and going on to the station platform. -Staff-Sergt. Bowes, Seventh Bat-

talion, was a guest at the annual banquet of the sergeants of the Thirteenth Battalion, Hamilton, on Saturday. He made a speech. -Mechanical Superintendent Austin of the L. E. and D. R. Railway, who

has been ill at London for several days, has recovered sufficiently to return to his home in Walkerville. -Mr. Andrew Greenlees, by virtue of his election as chairman of the Board of Education, becomes the pat-ron of the new L. C. I. Literary Soci-ety. Mr. Merchant has also been elect-ed by acclamation to the office of hon-

orary president. -Detroit Free Press: Fred Morand, of Sandwich East, who has been an inmate of the Bondon Asylum for some time, has returned home, cured of his malady. He was at one time a very prominent man in the township, and was reeve for some time.

-Mr. J. F. Mesmer, of the Alymer high school, has accepted the position of assistant classical master at the Institute here, to succeed Mr. Galbraith. The local Institute is losing two brilliant young men in Messrs. lection all day yesterday was devoted Galbraith and Stevenson. Their talents have commanded higher salaries

day and appointed representatives to from the Bible class. In the evening President A. M. Smart, Vice-Presidents sufficient was collected to swell the Col. Leys and Thomas S. Hobbs, Col. fund to \$1,260. This magnificent sum Lewis, James Brown, W. M. Spencer, was forwarded to Dr. Warden at To-

Col. W. M. Gartshore. -Mr. J. W. Plewes, of this city, has byterian Church in India.

The first Methodist Church has been appointed pricipal of the Wallaceburg public schools, at a salary of \$600 to begin with. Mr. Plewes is a popular and able young teacher, who has been highly successful in his previous posts. His friends here congratulate him on his advancement. -The Board of Works met Saturday afternoon for the purpose of con-sidering the purchase of stone. All the members were present. It was decided to call for tenders for 500 cords.

and also to offer \$2 per cord for drawing stone from Springbank, where ing London, by Gold Fox, dam by more terrible in its effects and entailfrom Mr. Wm. Collins, of this city, the bay gelding Hado, by Wilkes-

horses that ever crossed the water. -Mr. Silas Stewart, who for the past eighteen years had been a resident of London, died at the City Hospital on Saturday afternoon, after a long illness with consumption. Deceased was born on Burford Plains, Brant, on Oct. He was the son of Mr. James Stewart, who lived north of Scotland over forty years and was a tween their teeth. He thought it the gramdson of Silas Metcalfe, who died to bounden duty of people here to live on two meals a day and send the other He fleaves a family to mourn his loss. Mr. Stewart's funeral will take place

from 96 Charence street. -The death occurred yesterday of Mrs. John Cooper, King street, who has been adding for nearly a year past. The suffering millions out of the 287,-The deceased lady was the widow of the late John Cooper, who died several lection amounted to \$101, and will be years ago. Mrs. Cooper had been a sent to India. years ago. Mrs. Cooper had been a resident of the city for 42 years, and by her many worthy qualities won for

John W. Cooper. -St. Thomas Journal: "The threemile championship skating race Wednesday, at the open air rink, left the records for that event quite intact. There is still considerable speculation on the result if Bert Thomas and Crabbe, from London, came over and put the local skaters on their mettle, or metal. Stockton's recent race in London resulted in a foul, without in-London resulted in a foul, without indicating which possessed the speedier qualities. Devine and Stockton have been asked to enter for the second of the medal series in London, Tuesday, which, if they are wise, they will not do, for if Thomas is defeated by them the result would be to deprive the next race of its interest, while if the former wins easily the crowd would not take much interest in seeing him repeat the performance."

AT THE GRAND. The Wilson Comedy Company closed their successful engagement here on Saturday with two performances to large audiences. At the matinee, when "'Twixt Love and Duty" was given, the lower section of the Grand Opera House was actually packed. In the evening "Ten Nights in a Bar-room" filled both the galleries. The managers of the company have reason to be well satisfied with their re-ception in London. Certainly, good acting, when combined with popular prices, ought to win success

E. T. Essery, Mr. Beattie M.P. Warden Leitch, B. J. Nash, William Gray, and other prominent Conser vatives of London and the county. met in the city on Saturday for or-

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adopted by the Opposition. London and Middlesex county comprise what is known as section 19. The officers chosen were: President, Dr. W. F. is known as section 19. classes of work furnished.

-Mike Ward, of the Springbank Gilmour, M.P.; secretary, Mr. Morris The executive committee will include the president, vice-president and secretary of the Electoral District Association, presidents and secretaries of the township associations, president and secretary of the club, and the chairmen of the city wards.

## Stricken India

Handsome Sunday Subscriptions to the Famine Fund.

Andrew's Church Raised the Magnificent Sum of \$1,260.

\$300 Raised by the First Methodist Church -\$100 at the Auditorium Rev. Ira Smith's Apt Remarks on Cleaning

Walks.

The congregation of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church is a whole souled A call was made for \$1,000 for the India famine fund, and this met with a most liberal response. The colto this fund. In the morning it amounted to nearly \$900, and in the -The directors of the City of Lon-don Horticultural Society met Satur-Sabbath school, \$26 of which came George Taylor, J. D. Sharman and ronto this morning, and cabled by him direct to Dr. Smith, agent of the Pres-

raised \$300 for the same fund. A SPEAKER FOR CHINA. At the Auditorium yesterday afternoon about 350 men were present. The address by Rev. Murdock McKenzie, of Honan, China, was in the nature of an appeal to young men to become missionaries. He is a breezy, forceful and fluent speaker. He has been in China for the past six years. Mr. Fred Daly, vice-president of the association, depicted the sufferings of sociation, depicted the sufferings of the famishing East Indians very vivthere is about 200 cords now quarried. idly, and effectively proved the urg--Dr. J. D. O'Neil, V.S., this city, re- ency and justness of the call to Cancently sold to Mr. Wm. Wallace, of adians for assistance. He described Glasgow, Scotland, the chestnut geld-the Indian famine as something far Master Morgan, a rare good pattern, ed more suffering than the Armenian just the proper cut for the English outrages about which there was such market. The same buyer also took a furore of public sentiment recently. It was owing to the total failure of This is one of the best young in this country had raised from 50 cents to 80 cents a bushel. It was but

once in a lifetime that such an appeal would be made, and all should re-spond. Rev. Robert Johnston also pointed out the great need of the famine sufferers. He said, unless Canada, with other countries, went to the rescue, 70,000,000 people before next July would die because they would not have a crust to put belar would give a man there a meal a day for a month. Five dollars would tide them over the famine period. Mr. the suffering millions out of the 287,-000,000 inhabitants of India. The col-

A SOLDIER PREACHER. Sergt.-Major Schoof, late of the in his path. Bechuanaland Mounted Police, of her death with deep regret. She was the picturesque figure in the pulpit of a native of Massina, St. Lawrence the Dundas Street Center Methodist county, New York. Deceased leaves Church last night. Major Schoof gave three children—Mrs. R. E. Simpson, some of his personal history. He said King street Miss Ida L. Cooper and he was a native of Schleswig-Holstein, where his father owned an es tate given to his ancestors 300 years

with us. We will soon be taking stock, and we must reduce our worn goods, but new up-to-date

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ago by the King of Denmark, in reward for martial service. The speak er came to America in 1882, and spent six years on the western frontiers. He returned to Germany in 1888, but was exided because he refused to serve the usual four years in the armyslavery, he called it. In 1889 he joined the Bechuanaland Mounted Police. Major Schoof highly praised the work of Livingstone and Taylor in Africa. The Sabbath was now respected in Bechuanaland, and the temperance law enforced. This saved the natives from destruction. Drink was the speediest exterminator of the blacks. The speaker was, therefore, a prohibitionist, heart and soul. The mission-aries were hated by the traders, who

sought to promote the liquor traffic. Sergt.-Major Schoof will lecture tomorrow night in the school room of the Dundas Street Center Church, and will deal with the Jameson raid.

THE SIDEWALKS SHOULD BE CLEANED. yesterday morning the congregation was of sufficient size to warrant the pastor, Rev. Ira Smith, commenting favorably thereon. He thought that in view of the deplorable condition of the streets, the attendance was quite gratifying, and hoped that all house-holders present had cleaned off the sidewalk in front of their premises before coming to church, or if not that, on going home they would at once do so. It was time the citizens woke go hand in hand up to the necessity of having the sidewalks cleaned.

Rev. Thomas Wilson, of the King very large stock of Trunks and Street Presbyterian Church preached Valises; so for a few days we will another edifying sermon last night on the course of the many discount off all the "Condition of the earth during the Lately he has run down in health to the point of being regular prices of Trunks and Valises. They are not old shop are attracting considerable attention and creating much comment. There goods made by the finest makers in Canada.

Don't miss that journey you is nothing sensational in the series, every satement made being a plain proposition substantiated by the teaching of Christ himself. Last night standing room could not be obtained is nothing sensational in the series,

The special prayer services which have been conducted nightly in Adevalise when you can get a Trunk laide Street Baptist Church are felt with lock for \$1, or a large Valise to have proved productive of much good, and it has been decided to continue them for another week. Rev. J. G. Stuart, B.A., of Knox Church, leaves for Kingston this week to attend the annual alumni meeting of Queen's College, where he will read

> Experience proves the merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cures all forms of blood diseases, tones the stomach, builds up the nerves.

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CITY LUMBER YARD. Wholesale Purchase of Lumber by the City Probable-Sidewalks May be Laid by Corporation

Employes. At the next meeting of the special committee of the City Council, which will be called before the council meets, some recommendations of moment to lumber dealers will probably be decided upon. One of the proposed changes is that all lumber required for corporation use shall be purchased wholesale, to be delivered in car lots at the new storage yard as required. The speaker censured Henry M. Stan-ley, who, he said, had left destruction that all wooden sidewalks be laid and repaired by corporation labor, under the supervision of the city engineer's department. If these proposals carry, a very important step towards the fulfillment of the plan of day labor in all city work will have been taken. It is claimed that a great saving would be the result of these At the Talbot Street Baptist Church radical changes. The success which resterday morning the congregation attended the purchase of a gravel pit by the city has led to the idea of

wholesale purchase of lumber.

INJURY AND NEGLECT. He Failed in Health and Strength-His Kidneys Ached and He Took Dood's Kidney Pills.

Deseronto, Feb. 6.-Among business people here, and especially by his fellow workmen, great interest has been taken in the case of Mr. Jas. Stokes, who, for the past fifteen years, has

and strength, to the point of being compelled to quit work, and his recovery now, as the result of using Dodd's Kidney Pills, is the talk of the town. On seeing Mr. Stokes, he said: "From over-lifting and strain I suf-fered greatly from kidney trouble, being advised, after all else had failed, to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. From the first dose I got relief, and hundreds of people here can vouch for my

James Williams, Emma street. Chatham, took a hot brick to bed with him to assist in heating his feet. It did heat his feet, and also the bed-clothes, setting them on fire. The flames were extinguished before much damage was done.

cure."

Nine cases out of ten of ordinary colds can be cured in their early stage by a hot bath and drinking a glass of hot lemonade immediately before going to bed.