WHOLE NO., 11452.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

DEAN-In this city, on Tuesday, May 8, 1900, at the residence of her son, Charles, 579 Richmond street, Johanna Dean, relict of the late William Dean, in her 68th year.

Funeral from above residence, on Thursday, at 3 o'clock; services at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

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ST. JOHN'S LODGE, NO. 20, A., F. AND A. M., G. R. C.—A regular communication of above lodge will be held this (Tuesday) evening at 7:30, in Sherwood Hall. Visitors welcome. R. A. Bayly, W.M.; M. D. Dawson, Secretary.

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George street—Two brick cettages; all mod-Property Bichmond street—Two-story brick dwelling opposite the park, Oxford street—Nice frame cottage, large lot, stable. Central avenue—Good brick cottage; easy Waterloo street—New 1%-story brick house

Boers Retiring

Except at Mafeking and on the Natal Frontier.

Nothing Formidable but Distance Between Warrenton and Mafeking-Boers Driven Out of Fourteen Streams-Capture of Winburg and Smaldeel Part of a Great General Movement-Gens. Hunter and Paget Unite

Forces-More Praise for the Canadians.

The Boers are everywhere retiring be- not been discovered the army would be leaving in its rear the material, in fore the British, except on the Natal men and arms, for a dangerous movefrontier and at Mafeking, to the ment among the inhabitants. All along the railways, the culverts, wherever inner circle of their defense. They appear determined not to fight until detour in some cases, and in others the Kroonstad hills are reached. Lord they will fill up the gaps. Three of the four spans of the Vet River bridge and it Roberts is expected to do another have been utterly destroyed and it forty or fifty miles and then to wait will be necessary to make a temporforty or fifty miles, and then to wait ary for a time in order to bring up supplies and to repair the railway. There are one or two hints in the dispatches | northward. from the front that he may rest for a

few days at Smaldeel. Fifteen thousand British are now operating on the western frontier of the Free State. As the deadlock at Warrenton has been broken and the left thirteen killed and wounded on Boers are retreating, there is nothing the ground, and we captured several formidable except distance between Warrenton and Mafeking. The most hopeful advices from Mafeking on Mayrick. April 22 were that the garrison would be barely able to hold out for a month. At that time the fever was spreading.

ENEMY GATHER AT LADYBRAND. According to advices from Maseru, Basutoland, several thousand Free Staters are north of Ladybrand. THE PARTY HARBORING THE DOG of Mrs. Singer, 339 kidout street, had better return at once and avoid further trouble. b

WILL THE GENTLEMAN WHO FOUND this office and receive reward?

BICYCLE FOUND—OWNER CAN HAVE same by calling at Willmot's jewelry.

Where they have collected great herds. The district is rich in food for men and horses, and the Boers seem resolved not to move northward, but to be preparing to resist where they are. If they are let alone they will menace the line of communications after the main British army has passed into the Transport. where they have collected great herds. The district is rich in food for men the main British army has passed into the Transvaal. Lord Roberts and Lord Kitchener personally directed the artillery in the Vet River engage-

Queen Victoria will send a signed photograph to Col. Kekewich, the hero of Kimberley. Six thousand four hundred and fifty-eight troops are now at sea on the way to South Africa. No others

are under orders to go except as re-cruits to fill up the losses of regiments at the front. DELAREY COMMANDED THE

BOERS.

A Smaldeel dispatch, dated yesterday, says: Smaldeel, midway be-tween Bloemfontein and Kroonstad, was occupied by the British today without opposition. Several Boer railway officers remained to surrender The director of the Boer commissariat pointed to two great sheds, which he said contained stores for Transvaal and Free State burghers. The two republics maintain separate stores and use different trains. Four trains with Boers went north yesterday. A train from the north brought a Creusot gun, but it arrived too late to be of any use, and was taken back again to Zand River. Gen. Delarey commanded the Boers here.

A GREAT MOVEMENT.

Smaldeel, Sunday, May 6. - The movement that culminated in the capture of Winburg and Smaldeel was of a great general movement, extending from Gen. Hunter on the west to Gen. Rundle on the east. Lord Roberts' admirable strategy resulted in placing everywhere British to one Boer. Out of what appeared the inextricable confusion of divisions and brigades order was quickly evolved; and the Boers were compelled to meet Lord Roberts under unfavorable conditions. What is more important is that the British are now able to wait. Their front and strong positions are safe in the knowledge that their flanking columns will advance and outflank the Boers. Yet the Boers held a really strong position, from which earlier in the campaign they could only have been forced by hard fighting. Gen. Hamilton's arrival at Winburg, although not directoutflanking the Boers, made their position extremely uncomfortable. Gen. Hutton's movement on the left even more successful than at imagined. Forty Boers were first The march today was short, but Gen. Pole-Carew's division marched fifty-eight miles in four days. Gen. Tucker's division is marching on our left today and Gen. Maxwell's brigade is to cross the river before night. Lord Roberts has been very strict in his examination of the farms, with result of disclosing the fact that nearly every house is A MINIATURE ARSENAL Mausers, Martinis and abundant am-

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VIAVI ROYAL—SPECIAL TONIC FOR singers, students, clerks, aged; sole agent, 547 Talbot street.

AUCTION SALE Household Furniture, on Wednesday

May 9, at 194 Clarence Street. CONTENTS of cottage, comprising in part handsome secretary and bookcase combined in oak, Encyclopedia Britannica, 25 vol. and guide, cost \$60; handsome brass bedstead, cost \$125; parlor suite, mahogany finish; couch, oak sideboard, extension table and chairs, baby carriage, bedroom suites, dinner set, sewing machine, baseburner. Happy Thought range, kitchen utensile; sundry other articles. Sale at 19:30. NEIL COOPER, Auctioneer. 50u ty

London, Tuesday, May 8-4:20 a.m.- | munition being found. If these had of any size, have been utterly destroy-ed, but the engineers hope to make a this afternoon, showing that more culverts and bridges are being destroyed

London, May 7 .- 7:20 p.m. - The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Roberts, dated

prisoners. Our losses were slight.
"Hunter speaks in high terms of the gallantry of the yeomanry under Col.

"The enemy have retired from the front of Thabanchu, and the exceedingly strong position they held is now occupied by Rundle's division."

BOERS DRIVEN OUT. Warrenton, Cape Colony, May 7 .- The teen Streams, and the British are now encamped on the north bank of the

Mafeking

IS ALL RIGHT.

April 22. as follows: "The situation is unchanged. The garrison is depressed at there being no sign of relief, but is as determined as ever to deprive the Boers of a crowning triumph on the western border.

"A case of whisky realized £108 at a raffle, and a pound of flour was sold at auction for 2 guineas."

The Lorenzo Marquez correspondent of the Times says Commandant Sny-man is so alarmed at the prospect of having his retreat cut off that he has appealed for permission to retire northward from Mafeking to intercept Col.

Plumer. Commandant-Gen. Botha has been in the Free State with the object of rousing the burghers to a sense of their duty and responsibility, but he is disheartened and disgusted with their apathy. He openly told some of his friends that the Free Staters were so completely demoralized that it was

MASSACRE OF NATIVES.

London, May 8.—A dispatch from of the seamen and officers, and then Lobombo, dated Thursday, May 3, says Mr. Goschen individually introduced the Queen of Swaziland has ordered them to the Prince of Wales, who the Swazis to hasten their harvesting shook hands with them and said a and assemble for weeping for the dead king. A Malagana chief and nine wo-men and children have been killed at the Princess of Wales, and the brigade Malagana's kraal, and the plains are strewn with the skeletons of murdered eon, preparatory to marching through natives. Kreough, the Boer administ the city. After the men sat down to trator of Swaziland, has been recalled

to Pretoria. BOERS REINFORCED.

Lorenzo Marquez, Sunday, May 6. A dispatch received here from Col. Plumer's camp, bearing date of April 26, states that the Boers around Mafeking have been gradually reinforced, and that their strength is estimated

Col. Plumer has succeeded in com-municating with Mafeking by means of carrier pigeons, and is endeavoring to communicate with the southern relief column.

The Canadians WIN HIGH PRAISE.

London, May 7 .- The Morning Standard's correspondent, describing the capture of Bloemfontein, refers to the entry of the Canadians: "They are fine, strapping fellows, broad-shoulder-ed, clean-limbed and blue-eyed. They swing past with an easy stride and a fine gait, conscious of the strength and pride brought with them from the lakes and mountains of Canada. Their boots were out at the toes, stockings undarned, breeches torn, then mended and torn again, but every tatter and every

stain was an honor to these sons from

over the sea, who have marched shoulder to shoulder with regiments of long and great tradition." CHALLENGE COMPARISON The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Daily News, describing "Greater Britain at the front," says: "To Can-ada we take off our hats. She has sent us, besides other worthy representatives, a regiment that wins admiration from every soldier for marching, en-durance or fighting. It can challenge comparison with any battalion in Lord Roberts' army, and that is saying a

ILL. The war office has been notified by cable from Cape Town that Pte. A. Therrault, of the 9th Battalion, and in A company, who was wounded in the contract Paardeberg, was seriously ill.

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The reason why Oriental Rum and Quinine Hair Tonic is far superior to all others is because of its power to promote healthy action in the hair-bulbs; because of its power to deal directly with the very seat of life of the hair.

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Only 50 cents bottle.

Prescription Chemists, 216 Dundas St., London, Ont. Pte. Agassiz, who went out with the second contingent, is also seriously ill. Pte. Sutton, of Hamilton, who was

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one of the first contingent sent to South Africa, and was wounded, was discharged from the military hospital at Woolwich on Saturday, and will sail for home on Wednesday. It is likely he will be tendered a public reception on his arrival home. Major Dent, the British army officer who was sent out to Canada to pur-

chase horses for the imperial army,

has bought 500 horses in Montreal for British cavalry mounts, and has passed 120 mounts for Strathcona's Horse. TIRED OF HIS JOB. Halifax, N. S., May 8.—"I hope to be relieved of my command of the Halifax provisional regiment on May 10, and I am glad of it," were the words of Col. Vidal on Saturday. He theyidently tired of the command. There were 22 prisoners, including one deserter, in the guard room when he spoke. The deserter is from company H. There are 60 members of the regiment

THE BLUEJACKETS

in hospital, chiefly suffering from colds and chest troubles. Fifteen men are to

be sent home, as physically unfit for

Naval Heroes of Ladysmith Get a

Grand Reception. London, May 8.—The scenes which yesterday marked the reception given the officers and crew of cruiser Powerful were unparalleled for effusive enthusiasm. The whole route of the march was a floating mass of color, and the enthusiasm displayed was of the most frantic demonstration. House the Mansion Around the Jackies' admirers were clustered in such numbers that all business was suspended. Hundreds of policemen London, May 8.-Lady Sarah Wilson struggled to clear the way for the dewires from Mafeking, under date of fenders of Ladysmith. But from all parts of the country men and women had come, and they were determined

to get a glimpse of Capt. Lambton and the trusty tars. Every point of vantage was crowded with cheering sight-seers, and there was one continuous roar of greeting, waving handkerchiefs, flags and hats as the naval brigade, with the khaki colored guns, marched from the depot to the Horse Guards' parade, where the Prince of Wales, accompanied by the first Lord of the Admiralty, Mr. George J. Goschen, and a number of high military and naval officers in-spected the blue jackets. They were surrounded by thousands of privileged guests, who warmly applauded the de-fenders of Ladysmith, but whose reception of the sailors in no equaled the intense enthusiasm dis-

played in the streets.

After the inspection by the Prince of Wales, the parade formed a square, hopeless to expect to do anything with with the officers in the center, and the first lord of the admiralty Prince of Wales spoke briefly in terms of admiration of the work and valor shook hands with them and said a few words to each. The Prince of Wales introduced Capt. Lambton to was afterwards entertained at lunchluncheon the Prince of Wales, the Princess of Wales. Mr. Goschen, and others, traversed the rooms, and were heartily cheered.

In the evening the brigade returned to Portsmouth, after receiving one of the greatest ovations ever tendered by the people of London to the British navy.

A BOY CUT IN TWO.

Comber, May 8.—Amer Loyst, the 16-year-old son of Andrew Loyst, boarded a moving freight train here at noon, and in jumping off fell between cars, the wheels passing over his body. Death was instantaneous. The body lay there until discovered by some children returning home from Sunday

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WESTMINSTER.

Council met at Odell's Hall, May 1.

All the members present.

Mr. J. C. Coughlin applied for grant of gravel on road south of Glanworth.

Referred to commissioner of the ward.

Mr. J. Adair was paid \$1 for chain on

The clerk was instructed to notify the chairman of the board of works of the city of London that this council is

willing to build half the sidewalks on

the boundary of the Wharncliffe road.

Mr. Boler applied for aid for Mr. J.

Fortner. Council voted \$20.

Bylaw No. 585 was read the third time and passed, appointing township officers. The council will get the Muni-

cipal World for the year 1990. Next meeting of council first Tuesday in

June. Court of revision will be held

Birr and Byanston Sessions To

Be Associated.

Changes in the Commission to the As-

sembly-Mount Olivet Wants to

Organize a Congregation.

The Presbytery of London met in

the lecture room of the First Presby-

terian Church, London, at 9 a.m. to-

day. R. Stewart, moderator, in the

chair. In the absence of the clerk, Mr.

Johnston, through illness, Rev. Mr.

Rev. J. Steven, Dutton, gave a report

Galt, was invited to sit as correspond-

Mr. Little asked permission to as-

sociate the Birr session with the session

In place of John Robb, Wallacetown,

Mr. W. Gauld, missionary to Formosa,

land, who resigned his commission to

Mr. Peter Stevenson, Fingal, also

having resigned his commission to as-sembly, the Kintyre session was au-thorized to appoint an elder in his

place, and in case of this failing, the

The Presbytery of Minnedosa sent a

ommunication to the effect that they

would apply to next general assembly to receive Rev. R. Gow, a minister of the Presbyterian Church of the Unit-

ed States. The Presbytery of Westminster indicated like intention in regard

Messrs. McEvoy and Buchanan were

heard in support of a petition from 28

heads of families living at Mount Olivet, Caradoc township, requesting the Presbytery of London to take the ne-

cessary steps to organize a congregation in connection with the Presby-

terian Church in Canada. Mr. Leitch

was also heard. The petition was re-ceived, and it was resolved that a com-

mittee be appointed to deal with this matter and to report a deliverance at

the afternoon sederunt. Rev. A. J. Mc-

Gillivray, convener; Rev. S. Lawrence, Rev. J. Courtenay and Mr. I. Rath-

burn, elder.
Mr. Gilmore presented a petition

don Junction, stating that the grant

November, and asking that a commit-

tee be appointed to consider the finan-

cial position of St. George's, and ad-

named: Rev. W. J. Clark, Rev. A. J. McGillivray, Rev. Dr. Johnston, Rev.

months' leave of absence.

A communication received from

Mr. Lawrence was granted leave to moderate in a call to Lobo and Cara-

doc if necessary.

The committee appointed re Mount

Olivet reported in favor of the ap-

pointment of a commissioner to or-ganize a congregation at as early a

date as possible. In the meantime the congregations of North Caradoc and South Caradoc to be notified, and if no valid objections be offered then that

organization be proceeded with. This report was adopted.

The session records of St. George's

Church, London Junction, were certified as correctly kept.

The following commission was ap-

pointed: The moderator of presbytery, Messra. McGillivray. Wylle and Isaac

remit on May 22.

The presbytery adjourned at 12:30.

To be good and disagreeable is high treason against the royalty of virtue—

Rathburn, elder, The commission to

would cease in

was granted three

from St. Andrew's

act as convener.

Gilmore

was laid on the table

cessity of the reduction.

to Rev. Mr. Gray, of Centralia.

next session in order be asked to ap-

was appointed in place of Dr. Suther-

clerk pro tem.

yesterday.

ng member.

of Bryanston. Granted.

place, was appointed.

the general assembly.

on same date. George Riddell, clerk.

clerk and commissisoner.

INTERNATIONAL BASEBALL LEAGUE SCHEDULE FOR 1900.

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Going On

Boers Have Wrecked the Railroad North of Winburg,

But the British Advance Is Not Checked.

Optimistic Messages From the Brave Defenders of Mafeking.

London, May 8.-The following dispatch from Lord Roberts has been received at the war office:

"Smaldeel, May 7 .- The railway from Brandfort to this place has been considerably damaged, and the bridge over the Vet River has been hopelessly wrecked. This delays supplies coming up. Every few yards charges of rackarock had been laid under the rails. This might have created loss of life, but was fortunately discovered by

a West Australian infantryman. "Winburg is occupied by the Highland Brigade.

In spite of these wrecked railroads,

BRITISH ADVANCE GOES ON steadily. Lord Roberts' outposts are apparently about twelve miles north lows: of Smaldeel. Gen. Brabant has joined Gen. Rundle at Thabanchu, whence they are moving forward. The country is all quiet in that direction. A reconnoissance made by Gen. Rundle of the Boers' recent positions at Thabanchu resulted in their being pronounced impregnable, and their evacuation is re-ported to have been due to the receipt of an urgent

MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT STEYN.

The Boers are said to be moving northward, but their immediate destination is not known. The whereabouts of the British cavalry, under Gen. French, is still a mystery, while Gen. Kelly-Kenny's and

accounted for. A dispatch from Cape Town, dated today, says: "Lord Roberts' phenomenal advance is not only utterly demoralizing the Boers, but is striking ter-ror into the rebel colonists. The relief of Mafeking is expected at any mo-

Gen. Chermside's divisions are also un-

SLIGHTLY OPTIMISTIC:

The Cape Town correspondent is slightly optimistic as regards Mafe-king. Judging from the direct dispatches, the British forces south of Mafeking are still nearly 200 miles from their objective, while the latest advices from Mafeking itself, dated April | through the private bills committee to-29, show little amelioration in the condi-

The dispatches say: With the exception of a little rifle fire at the outlying trenches, everything is quiet. *The slight epidemic of typhoid is abating, as a result of the medical precautions. The enemy's ar-tillery, with the exception of two fivepounders, has apparently been with-

BOERS REFUSE TO OBEY THEIR OFFICERS.

** was learned April 24 that the en-emy intended to attack, and the garrison stood to its arms. When day-broke, Col. Baden-Powell took up a position on the lookout, and the heavy rattle of musketry and the boom of four guns convinced us that an attack was about to occur. But it beapparent that the Boer officers could not persuade their men to advance. Through glasses we saw the officers vainly urging the infantry forward. The enemy reformed and re-tired. Our men fired a shot in the hope of inducing the enemy to come

The native distress has been allevlated, some of them slipping through the Boer lines. The men of the garri-

ter the bombardment on April 24 all was comparatively quiet."

Sensational Report.

London, May 8.-The Standard hears that information has been officially received of a plot to assassinate Lord

Roberts; that the latter was warned, and that telegrams are now passing between the Cape authorities, Lord Roberts and the home authorities on the

FROM THE "SNEEZY" STAGE

To the Chronic and Deep Seated Catarrh -Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder Relieves Quickly and Cures Pemanently

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VOICING THE PEOPLE'S THANKS

A Cable Message From Sir Wilfrid Laurier to Lord Strathcone The Paper Shortage.

[Special to Advertiser per C. P. R.] Ottawa, May 8.-Sir Wilfrid Laurier has cabled Lord Strathcona, Canada's r in England as fol

"Ottawa, May 7, 1900,-The generous contributions for the relief of the Ottawa and Hull fire sufferers which have been poured in by the people of Great Britain, headed by her majesty, have evoked a deep feeling of gratitude in the hearts of the Queen's Canadian subjects. I am confident that I am anticipating their wishes in asking you to give public expression to their heartfelt thanks.

LAURIER." "(Signed) PRINTING THE DEARTH OF

PAPER. The proprietors of newspapers parliament and others interested in newspapers who are not in the senate or House of Commons had a conference today in regard to the increased cost and great difficulty in obtaining newspaper printing paper, owing to the burning down of the E. B. Eddy paper mills and later on those of the Laurentide Pulp and Paper Company, Que-They arranged to have an in-

with a view of having the duty removed so as to afford relief. The Toronto Hotel Company's bill, which is for the purpose of building a hotel in Toronto, the capital of the company being put at \$1,500,000, was put

terview with the minister of finance

and other members of the government

Sir Louis Davies objected to the powers asked for by the bill for banking corporations chartered by the Dominion Parliament to take stock in the hotel, as this was a dangerous power. The committee held that this was a special

case and the bill was reported. The bild for the application of divorce by Edwin James Cox, Montreal, was

Township Councils.

EKFRID.

Council met in the town hall, Appin, on Tuesday, April 24, 1900. All the members present. The petition of Neil McAlpine and others, praying for the division of school section No. 4 into two sections, was taken up. A large number of ratepayers were present and addressed the council. Communications from Geo. W. Adams and Angus Grant, asking to withdraw their names from the petition, were read; also petitions for and against the said change. The council resolved to take no action. H. McFarlane was appointed commissionon forego their sugar ration for the er for the letting and construction of benefit of the women aind children. AfOf Consumption.

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THE BISLEY TEAM

Official List of the Canadians Who Will Go to England.

Ottawa, May 8 .- The following is an official list of members of the Canadian Bisley team of 1900:

Pte. L. A. Langhsoth, 74th Battalion, Sussex, N. B.; Sergt. W. Swaine, 14th P. W. O. R., Kingston; Staff-Sergt. J. C. Carruthers, 4th Hussars, Prescott; Gunner A. Fleming, 5th R. C. A., Vic-toria, B. C.; Capt. A. T. Kirkpatrick, Q. O. R., Toronto; Lieut. A. A. Smith, 59th Battalion, Cornwall; Lieut. D. J. C. Munro, 4th Battalion, Phorold; Bto P. Chill. Pte. R. Tink, G. G. F. G., Ottawa; Staff-Sergt, H. Marris, 13th Battalion, Hamilton; Lieut. J. McVittie, 48th Hamilton; Lieut. J. McVittle, 48th Highlanders, Toronto; Lieut. W. A. McCrimmon, 7th Fusihiers, London; Lieut. John Ogg, 1st B. F. A., Gueiph; Sergt. J. C. Smith, 48th Highlanders, Toronto; Pte. J. Milligan, 14th P. W. O. R., Kingston; Lieut. H. C. Bfair, 78th Battalion, Truro, N. S.; Sergt. R. Corrigan, 59th Battalion, Cornwall; Lieut A. D. Crooks O. O. R. Toronto. Lieut. A. D. Crooks, Q. O. R., Toronto; Sergt. C. E. Morse, 69th Battalion, Wolfville, N. S.; Corp, W. J. Annand, 43rd Battalion, Ottawa.

HANGED AT LAST

After Death Sentence Had Been Stayed Six Times.

New York, May 8 .- Edward Clifford, the railroad detective, who shot Supt. Wattson, of the West Shore Railroad in March, 1895, was hanged in Jersey City at 10:14 a.m. today. According to the evidence at his trial Clifford began drinking when he received a reward Henderson, of Appin, was appointed for the capture of Oliver Curtis Perry, the train robber, a few months before the murder of Wattson. His share of of the young people's convention held the reward was \$1,500, and it is said that Clifford was never sober from the time the reward was paid until he was in the Hudson county jail for the mur-

der of Wattson. After repeated warnings Supt. Wattson discharged Clifford. On the after-noon of the murder Clifford went from who has resigned his commission to the a saloon to the superintendent's office assembly, D. C. McKellar, of the same and demanded that he be re-instated. Supt. Wattson refused and asked Clifford why he had not turned in his reports for a week past. Clifford drew from his hip pocket a revolver, and with the remark, "These are my reports," shot the superintendent. Wattson tried to rise from his chair and as he did so Clifford shot him again in the back. The shooting was seen by

Mr. Wattson's private secretary. Clifford when arrested said he had no ecollection of what took place after entered the superintendent's office. A hard fight was made to save the detective's life. The execution today was the carrying out of Clifford's seventh death sentence, there having been

A DOMESTIC EPISODE.

A Cautious Wife Prevents a Sour Stomach Disturbance.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets to the Rescue -They Cure Sour Stomach or Acid Dyspepsia and Thus Prevent Suicide in Many Cases.

"Ugh! I've been tortured by a sour from St. George's congregation, Lon- stomach ever since dinner, and it has made me utterly good for nothing," grumbled the head of the family, as he sat down with the evening paper after his day's work. "Papa, what does 'sour stomach'

The following committee was mean?" questioned his young heir, "Don't bother me!" growled his fa-

T. Wilson and elders of the congrega- ther irritably. tions of these minsters, Mr. Wilson to "Let papa alone," cautioned the wife and mother, who knew what "papa's" disposition was on occasions like this,

when he was suffering from "sour Knox College re Mr. Robert Campbell Now, if the father had known that the disease which the doctors name Mr. Currie reported that the amount Acid Dyspepsia is hidden under the comparatively harmless name "sour of augmentation to Delaware and comparatively harmless name "sour stomach," he would have taken means was decided that Messrs. Currie, Clark to check and cure it. To do this he and Henderson be a committee to wait

would, of course, have used Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, for nothing else can on the congregation and explain the General approval of the principles of the remit concerning the scheme for aged and infirm ministers was expressed, and certain ambiguities in the circular issued were pointed. the circular issued were pointed out for the benefit of the convener of the which drives hundreds of persons to

suicide every year.

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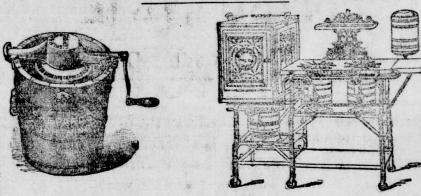
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LABOR MATTERS

THE TORONTO TEAMSTERS. Toronto, May 8.-When the roll call was made at the meeting of the striking teamsters yesterday morning in Temperance Hall, 30 of those who went out did not answer to their names. All the absentees had returned to work, and commenced driving drays again. There are still about 185 men out, and it is their intention to

continue the strike. They speak hopefully of the situation.

The companies claimed yesterday that they had nearly all of their teams at work again.

The union cigarmakers will have no trouble with their employers this year, their demands having been willingly granted. What they asked was mere y a revision of the scale, being an increase in some grades and a reduc-tion in others. The new scale went into effect yesterday morning in all the shops and harmony prevails.

MACHINISTS STILL OUT. The Toronto machinists, to the number of about 125, met in Cameron Hall, as usual, yesterday morning, and talked over routine business. They say that they will not return until their demands are granted. None have returned to work in their old shops, but several have secured employment elsewhere.

The Horseshoers' Union have not yet

decided when to present their new scale of wages to their bosses. A STRIKE OVER.

Sydney, C. B., May 8.—The strike at the General Mining Association's mines at Sydney Mine, is over. The drivers resumed work yesterday, the matter in dispute having been amicably adjusted. BOY SHOT BY A CONDUCTOR.

St. Louis, Mo., May 8.—John Kohring. 16 years old, who was in a crowd in Park avenue, was shot and seriously wounded by Conductor Geo. McClellan in charge of a car on Park avenue division. The boy was removed to the Clty Hospital and Conductor McClellan was arrested.

The Railways.

Grand Trunk Railway earnings, April

Island Railroad by the Pennsylvania alysis, epilepsy, and all diseases of the Railroad Company, there is, it is benerves and blood. 50 cents a box, at lieved, a stupendous plan for the deleter, or by mail, from Edmanyelopment of terminal facilities that son, Bates & Co., Toronto.

includes the construction of tunnels connecting not only New York city with Long Island, but with Jersey City, and perhaps a tunnel connecting the Grand Central station with the Long Island Railway system.

A damage suit against the St. Clair Tunnel Company for \$25,000 is threatened on behalf of William A. Duncan, a survivor of the awful accident which cok place in the tunnel in November, 1898, by which three lives were lost. Duncan, who was the fireman of the train, was left in a pitiable condition, and has not recovered.

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Mrs. S. Dempsey, Albury, Ont., vrites: "My, little granddaughter nine years old, was pale and weak, she had no appetite, and seemed to be gradually growing weaker. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food proved invaluable in her case, restoring health and color and making her strong and well." 22 to 30, 1900, \$498,545; same period in 1899, \$459,282; increase in 1900, \$39,262. Chicago and Grand Trunk earnings omitted.

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V.—Two pieces Linen finish White Sheeting, 90 inches wide, fine and close weave, worth 50c; on Wednesday, 35c yard. VI.-Six pieces Fine Circular Pillow Cotton, 46 inches wide; on

Wednesday, 15c yard, worth 20c. VII .- Sixty only Lunch or Five o'Clock Tea Cloths, with drawn work and knotted fringe, 45 inches square, only 75c on Wednesday. VIII.-One dozen White Toilet Quilts, 11-4, satin finish, really worth

\$4 50; on Wednesday, only \$3 35. IX .- Two dozen White Toilet Quilts, suitable for single beds, a grand

-Twelve dozen 2 by 3 yards Linen Breakfast Cloths, with red borders, a bargain at \$2 50 on Wednesday.

XI.-Two dozen Linen Lunch Cloths, plain or colored border, 28 inches square, only 25c each. XII .- Five pieces Colored Dress Goods, double fold, neat design, for-

mer price 35c, on Wednesday 14c yard. XIII .- Ten pieces Colored Wool Dress Goods, French manufacture, fine goods, worth 50c and 60c; on Wednesday your choice for 25c

XIV.—Five pieces Black Wool Dress Goods, former and regular price 65c, on Wednesday 35c yard. XV.-We continue the sale of Black Cashmere Hose, all sizes, Chil-

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Lacrosse Club Meeting Tonight -International Schedule Adopted.

> BASEBALL. NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Pittsburg— R. H. Pittsburg0 1 1 0 1 1 0 2 0—6 10 Chicago0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 1—4 9 R. H. E. Batteries-Leever and Zimmer; Garvin and Donohue. Umpire, Hurst. At Brooklyn-

Brooklyn1 1 0 3 1 1 5 1 *-13 17 1 Batteries-Piatt and Douglas; Ken-Welland Canal, and the latter with nedy and Farrell. Umpire, Emslie. being an accomplice, was resumed at At Boston-

Boston5 3 0 6 4 0 0 0 *—18 18 8 New York...2 1 2 0 0 2 2 2 0—11 12 6 Batteries-Chambers, Dineen, Clemand Warner. Umpire, Connolly. nati game was called at the end of the attempt was made. Walsh and Nolin third inning; rain, with a score of 3 were traced on the day they exploded to 0 in Cincinnati's favor.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. At Detroit—Detroit 2, Indianapolis 11.
At Cleveland—Cleveland 5, Buffalo 7.

dynam away. At Kansas City-The Chicago-Kan-

EASTERN LEAGUE. Batteries-Lamar and Keenan; Foreman, Wall and Phelps. Umpire, Hunt.

At Worcester— Toronto3 0 0 1 2 0 3 0 1—10 11 Worcester ...0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 3 5 2 Klobedanz and Kittridge.

Providence...1 1 1 6 1 0 0 0 0 1-5 11 3 from it when the explosions took Montreal ... 0 0 0 0 3 0 1 0 0 0 4 7 1 place. Batteries-Braun, Leahy and McAuley: Souders and Moran.

At Hartford-Rochester3 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 7 Hartford0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 2 5 Batteries-Bowen and Smink; Donovan and Sheehan. Umpire, Griffin.

AMOS RUSIE DIVORCED. Indianapolis, Ind., May 7. - Amos Rusie, of the New York baseball club, was the cause of some very lively pro-ceedings in Judge Allen's court room

The divorce proceedings instituted by Mrs. Rusie were on, and the charge was made that the big pitcher was under the influence of liquor and armed with a revolver. On complaint of Mrs. Rusie, Amos was disarmed and or-dered out of the court room. Judge Allen granted Mrs. Rusie a divorce and \$1,000 alimony.

INTERNATIONAL SCHEDULE. Port Huron, Ont., May 7.-The international League executive met here tonight and adopted the schedule of

Montreal, May 7.-At a meeting of darkness." the Amateur Lacrosse Association here on Saturday, a number of important amendments were made to the constitution. A motion was proposed by Toronto to have an hour and a half playing time divided into four quarters of fifteen minutes each, with a ten minutes' rest between each quarter, was adopted. The goal net was also adopted, and it was decided that all the clubs should use goal nets during the approaching season. BRANTFORD OR PARKHILL, ON

MAY 24. At tonight's meeting of the London lacrosse club the members will be asked to decide whether the team shall play in Brantford or Parkhill on May Flattering offers have been receiv-

d from both places. Practice grounds have been secured, and the twelve will be out for active work this week. WHEEL.

New York, May 7.—Frank Kramer, the amate, ir cycle champion of '98 and '99, made h'is debut as a professional at the Vails, urg, N. J., board track yesterday, and scored a victory in the open half-mile 1 ace against Freeman, of Portland, Ore; Mertens, of St. Paul; Walthour, of Atla via: Thomson, of Toronto; Fisher, of Chicago, and Jay Eaton. Summary:

Eaton. Summary: Quarter-mile, novice -Won by Jas. Kenyon, Brooklyn; Charles Frederick, Red Bank, 2; Charles Neu zer, Newark, 3. Time, 33% seconds.

Fly-away half-mile, hand cap—Final heat won by C. C. Embleton, 60 yards, 2. Harry

Goechter, 45 yards, 3; L. R. Lake, 35 yards, 4. Time, 59% seconds.

yards, 4. Time, 59% seconds.
Inaugural, open, half-mile, professional—Final won by Frank Kranuel, East Orange, N. J.; Freeman, Portland, Ore., 2; Jay Eaton, Elizabeth, 3; J. T. Fisher, Chicago, 4. Time, 1:12%.
Five mile amateur handicap—Final won by J. B. Jacobson, scratch; J. F. Caldwell, 100 yards, 2; George H. Collett, scratch, 3. Time, 12:37%.
Success stakes, 2 miles, professional handicap—H. B. Freeman, scratch, 1; Pas Hadfield, 120 yards, 2; Hardy Downing, 90 yards, 3; Jay Eaton, scratch, 4. Time, 4:27.

FISTIC. THE BIG FIGHT.

New York, May 7.—Prize fighting having been declared legal in this city by a recent ruling of Magistrate Meade in the test case of the Broadway Athletic Club, interest of the followers of pugilistic events is now centered in the championship bettle between Jemes 1.

Jeffries and James J. Corbett, to take place at Coney Island on Friday night. Jeffries and Corbett have been training for the last two months, and now announce that they are in perfect phy-sical condition for the event. TUR .

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS. At Morris Park, N. Y.—Oreada, Far Rockaway, Magnificent, Hesper, Ap-proval and Maximo Gomez. At Louisville, Ky.—The Auditor, Sam-ovar, Likeness, Grayless, May Eitho-

PROVOST NOT IN SHAPE.

Toronto, May 7.-The backers of the Hendrie stable were ill at ease this morning for a well-founded rumor was circulating to the effect that The Provost, the plate candidate, had gone wrong. In the paddock he was seen walking lame, and an hour afterwards, according to rumors, he had everything from a splint to a dislocated shoulder. Trainer Whyte has watched this plater since he was foaled, and knows all about him. He says that the horse is all right, that the trouble was all a little spreading of the hoof, and that The Provost will be seen on the track as soon as the blacksmith fixes him up with another shoe. Dalmoor has another rival now in Miss Dart, the London plater. She ran a mile yesterday, with Lendrum up, in 1:50, and did it with just as much ease as Dalmoor showed in his last work at the Wood-She is by Grand Falconer, and her dam, Kitstring, won the plate in

SPORTING NOTES. CANADIAN SPORTSMAN'S AN-

NUAL. Published at the Canadian Sportsman office, 105 York street, Toronto, contains the National Association trotting rules, the running rules, trap shooting rules, all the American and Canadian turf records, a complete list of Canadian 2:20 trotters and pacers, the fish and game laws of the different provinces, and a large amount of other valuable records.

LOCK 24

Strong Evidence Against Nolin and

Walsh the Alleged Dynamiters. Welland, May 8 .- The hearing of the three prisoners, Walsh, Nolin and Dullman, the two former charged with attempting to blow up lock 24 of the being an accomplice, was resumed at the court yesterday. At the hearing last Monday the crown presented a complete chain of evidence, proving the three were in company at Buffalo, Niagara Falls, N. Y., Niagara Falls, Ont., and Thorold, where they were seen viewing the lock, two be-At St. Louis-The St. Louis-Cincin- ing shadowed for some time before the the dynamite from the Falls right to the lock, and were seen lowering the dynamite in the lock and running

W. G. Thompson, superintendent of sas City game was postponed; wet the Welland Canal, was the first witness yesterday. He said that if the explosion had carried away the lock At Springfield—
R. H. E. gates there would have been liberated between eleven and twelve million cubic feet of water, which would have gone down the narrow rock cutting toward the Grand Trunk station, and would have caused loss of life. Wm. Wainright, Thorold, heard the

explosion, and met two men. He identified Walsh and Nolin as the men. Batteries — Alloway and Roach; Seven men and two women gave their testimony, fully identifying the vicinity of the lock and running away

Wm. Dinan, chief of police, Niagara Falls, N. Y., said: "I recognize parcel shown here as given me by Officer Maloney, of the police force, April 22. 1 I took it to Officer Mains, of the Ontario police force. The parcel contain-ed fuses, etc. It was found in the room occupied by Walsh and Nolin at the Dolphin House, Niagara Falls, N. Y."

Other witnesses testified to the pursuit and capture of the prisoners, who were remanded until May 17. SHOT BY A SENTRY.

Welland, May 7 .- No. 5 Company, 44th Battalion, were protecting the bank at Port Robinson Sunday night, and one suspicious character or spy has been disposed of. Ptc. Edward Robinson, who did the shooting, says: "Between 11:30 and 1 o'clock I saw a man crawling on his hands and knees, coming from behind a wood pile, southeast of the lock. I waited to see him move, and then challenged him. I cried halt twice, but he came on. The third time I challenged he rose, and as he turned to run I shot. Before I could tell what effect the bullet had he disappeared in the

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Is a Big War Impossible? M. Jean de Bloch, whose book on The Conditions of Modern Warfare" recently created a great stir, has writ-Transvaal War," in which he mainthe old scale impossible. This gentlewell as continental officers could have he admits that the British were unprepared, he points out that most nations are found to be unprepared when they rush into a big war. He further shows that the army regulations are all out of date. They have not been re-written and adapted to the changed conditions of modern warfare. will not admit that the course of the wer has been explained from any of these points of view. It may suit the temper of continental critics to rejoice in the inferiority of British troops, but House of Commons today. Sir Wilfrid they are, in his opinion, cherishing a Laurier announced that the commisdelusion which may some day cost them dear. The chief explanation from his standpoint is the superiority of the defense when well entrenched and armed by modern rifles. This super-tority was revealed at Plevna, where the Russians lost 36 per cent in the first attack, 21 per cent in the second and 20 per cent in the third onslaught.

Mistelies of course may have been breed claims in the Northwest had also been instructed to investigate the claims for script of the halfbreed scouts who served during the rebultion of Mr. Gillies, favoring the reduction adjourned after Sir Henri Joly had quoted statistics showing that the consumption of Canadian tobacco had Mistakes, of course, may have been made in Natal and elsewhere, but the made in Natal and elsewhere, but the creased. Mr. Casey's bill dealing increased difficulty of attacking strong with the question of drainage across positions armed with modern artillery railways was referred to the committee and the latest pattern of quick-firing rifles, is the great explanation. It

This seems to be a plausible theory, and there are certainly many the position that this would deprive facts given in support of it. Hence the government of the valuable ser-M. De Bloch thinks that great wars of graduates of the R. M. C. and will be rendered more difficult and become finally impossible. "But when I to the election act providing for the speak of war, I mean, as every rea- use of the Macdonald voting machine. speak of war, I mean, as every rear use of the shadown and voting machine is on the principle of the penny-in-the-slot machine. The voter places a ball in state by the inhabitants of another, a slot opposite the candidate's name, but an armed conflict undertaken or the deputy returning officer turns a accepted from motives not prima crank, which allows the ball to pas facie unethical, and carried on accord- then through a tube to the returning ing to certain international laws for officer. an end attainable at the cost of sacrifices not utterly disproportionate to fices not utterly disproportionate to inces pass permissive legislation for feeling of exhaustion that is the cause it." According to this view the very perfection of the arts and arms of chines they chose. war will make it necessary for any nation that values its life to keep out of war, and those who husband their and it seemed to him likely to work as resources in time of peace will be able to make a strong stand even against a powerful foe. The gentleman who propounds this theory admits that the nations are slow to learn, and that the military experts will not allow that their professional training and tactics are played out, but he has confidence that before long they will have to accept the stubborn fact.

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Police Magistrate Love's expressed determination to deal severely with boys, youths or young men brough before him charged with congregating on the streets and annoying citizens by the use of profane or obscene language, is a move to be commended. If such ebullitions of rowdyism were checked in their incipient stages, our jails and other prisons would have fewer inmates, and there would be more useful citizens. The carrying out of the magistrate's intentions will be a distinct benefit, not only to the citizens at large, but to the offenders themselves.

London's Cow.

In this land, where a comparatively small population is scattered over a large area, we are all within easy access to the products of the farm. In this we should find great cause for thankfulness. A Canadian correspondent, speaking of a poor district in South Africa, where only troops were traveling, referred to the scarcity of milk. There, a cup of milk was a precious thing, and no doubt many of the boys thought of the pailfulis of the rich fluid at home in distant Canada. It is a contrast of another kind to turn to the great metropolis of the British Empire, and note how five million people are daily supplied with this nutritious fluid. A recent writer has given interesting information on this head. Milk is one of the few articles of food which is still produced in London itself, as the London cow-keepers still supply from seven to eight million gallons a year, which is enough to supply a city of half a million inhabitonts. A few years ago it was shown that the railways brought in forty million gallons of milk per annum, and probably another million finds its way into the great city by road. This means an annual supply of about fifty

million gallons. The great part of this vast supply comes from the home and midland counties, and the farmers of this district have had to give up almost entirely butter-making in order to meet the great demand for milk. At the middle of the present century there were from twenty to thirty the sand cows kept in London; but the Inderwhich swept through the cowheds in the next two decades made larger supplies from the country absolutely necessary. This caused the railways to improve their service.

Now it looks as if the London cow-

keeper would disappear, unable to compete with a superior article from the country, and hampered by the rising standard of sanitation in London, which increases the stringency of the County Council regulations for cow-

In this connection there are two curious points to be noted. The London cowkeeper is generally a Welshman who is trying hard to keep up the old trade under difficult circumstances and against flerce competition. The cowkeeper is likely to survive in ten an article on "Some Lessons of the East London to minister to the needs of the Jews! "Kosher" milk must be tains his former statement that the milked direct into a jug or vessel, and change in arms has rendered war on not mixed with other milk, so that the local cowkeeper will probably long be man commends the bravery of British a familiar figure in Whitechapel. Thus soldiers, and maintains that on the the supply of one of the commonest whole British officers have done as articles of food is linked to the economic conditions of the city, and done under the circumstances. While is influenced by the religious views of one great community.

Ottawa, May 7 .-- Good progress was made with private business in the sion appointed to settle the halfbreed claims in the Northwest had sumption of Canadian tobacco had quadrupled since the duty was inon railways and canals after a spirited debate.

Mr. Lewis (Albert, N. B.) introduced shows how it was that the Boers did a bill respecting the Salisbury and not make headway when they out-

Sir Wilfrid Laurier moved the six numbered the British, and how it is so months' hoist for Mr. Davin's bill to gress when they outnumber the Boers. The bill provided that all offices in the police should be filled by promotion from the ranks. Sir Wilfrid took

Mr. Britton moved his amendment through a registering mechanism and

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that while he did not care much for these fancy voting machines he had seen this one, well as any machine could; but he did not see that it would work any better than the present system.

The bill stood over. Mr. Davin's bill amending the land titles act, 1894, was passed.

Mr. Gilmour's bill to amend the companies clauses act received its second reading.

Mr. MacLaren's bill to amend the criminal code stood. The house adjourned at 11:20 p.m., having gone through the order paper so far as private members' business is concerned.

Mr. Puttee on Wednesday will ask whether the government has given attention to the matter of the scarcity and extremely high price of printing paper, and whether the government will take into consideration the wisdom and necessity of transferring printing paper from the dutiable to the free list.

Mr. Fielding this evening gave notice of the introduction of bills to amend the bank act and the civil service act

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Bubonic plague quarantine has been

Rich quicksilver finds are reported near Tehena, Texas.

Mr. C. M. Hays, general manager of the Grand Trunk, has gone to London. Mr. W. D. Dyer, of Oshawa, was killed at the Raglan crossing of the

There is great financial trouble Jamaica, W. I., owing to shortage in the sugar crop.

Hon. Thomas Ballantyne, of Stratford, has just returned from a month's visit to Hot Springs, Ark. The fourteen-months-old boy of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. C. Laing, of Center-

ville, was burned to death. The summer villa of William Wells, of New York, at Newport, R. I., was totally burned Sunday night. Loss

estimated at \$200,000. The resumption of the West Elgin election investigation was delayed Monday by the late arrival of his Honor Judge Moran, one of the members of

A petition is being circulated and largely signed in North Grey asking Hon. Wm. Paterson, minister of cus-toms, to again be the Liberal candidate

in the next election. The creditors of Stinson's Bank at Hamilton have been notified to file their claims with Hon. Charles W. Bishop, special master, Chicago, within six menths from April 1, 1900.

John Sims, accused of committing a murder 30 years ago, has lost his mind in Pana, Ill., where he was a re-spected and unsuspected citizen until an accomplice confessed a few days

Two Niagara Falls boys, Beverley Hawley and Fred Clarke, were supposed to be lost on Sunday afternoon till late on Monday, when they were found crushed to death under a fallen. pile of lumber.

At Yarmouth, N. S., Mrs. Porter Stoddard, while cooking breakfast, had a fainting spell and fell backwards, striking her head on a table. When picked up it was found her neck was broken and she was dead. Otis Cochrane, the only son of D.

Cochrane municipal clerk of Ridge-town, died Thursday, in that place. The young man was attending the School of Pharmacy in Toronto when taken ill some time ago, and never recovered.

At the Napanee essizes the Bell Telephone Company paid Mr. Shanks 6600 for himself and 2,250 for his son, who was terribly hurned by upsetting a portable forge used by the company's men on the highway near Smith's Falls.

Senor Alberti, editor of the Don Clar-idades, at Gibara, Santiago de Cuba, was shot and killed instantly by an unknown assassin at the theater Sun-day night. Alberti was an active poli-tician, and his paper recently has been criticising the action of the American

Professor J. H. Harris, paleographer of the Cambridge University, England, considered one of the greatest authorities in the world on Biblical manuscripts and inscriptions, ridicules the stories of the alleged newly-discovered correspondence between Jesus Christ and Agrippa.

Mr. W. Marlatt, farmer, Johnstown, died suddenly Sunday afternoon. He had been ailing with Bright's disease, but was in St. Thomas on Friday. The deceased was a son of the late George Marlatt and was born and lived all his life at Johnstown. He leaves a wife and five children. Two daughters live in Toronto, a son Jesse is employed in the M. C. R. shops, St. Thomas, and two younger children live at home.

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body needs cleansing and builing up.

Gas has been struck at Ruthven by the Standard Oil Company. A good flow was found at a depth of 1,140 feet. A. J. Peterson, an old resident of Berlin, Ont., aged 76, died there Monday as the result of a paralytic stroke which overtook him Sunday.

paper from the dutiable to the free list. A meeting of newspaper proprietors will be held tomorrow to discuss the matter. Sarnia council has given the old

Before Chief Justice Meredith at Toronto on Monday, Mr. Arnold moved for an order to wind up the Imperial woolen mills, of Streetsville. The application is made on behalf of certain employes of the company, whose wages are in arrears. The hearing was adjourned for a week.

The following appeal has been entered for hearing by the court of appeal at its next sittings, which will begin on the 15th inst.: Oatman vs. Michigan Central Railway, appeal by Michigan Central Railway, appeal by in the crowd that gathered on the of Chief. Justice Armour and a jury at the trial of the action last March at Woodstock, awarding Darius Oat-man, a South Norwich township farmer, \$800 damages for the burning of his barns, caused by sparks issuing from the Diamond smokestack of engine 371

of the defendant company. The wife of Mr. Charles Munroe, for-merly proprietor of the Commercial Hotel, Embro, died very suddenly at the home of Mr. Hector Sutherland on Friday. Mr. Munroe recently purchased the Wilkinson farm near Embro, and on that day was to move to the new place. He had gone for a horse and buggy to drive his wife to her new home, and while he was gone Mrs. have wanted to boss the business by, and are always getting into ble. In London, with which the land's to wait for her husband. She had just got in the house, when she sat down and suddenly expired. She was only 35 years of age.

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White Corded Pique, good quality, special, at......12½c and 15c White Muslin, in checks and stripes, special for Wednesday...... 61/2c 17 pieces Scotch Gingham, in stripes and plaids, fancy corded effects, in pinks, blues, reds, greens, etc.; worth from 15c to 25c yard, special for Wednes-

day......12½c

CRETONNE SPECIALS.

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LINEN SPECIALS.

Linen Huck Towels, size 18x38, special for Wednesday, per pair......20c Linen Huck Towels, size 21x43, special for Wednesday, per pair......25c 162 yards Tea Toweling, 29 inches wide, pure linen, special for Wednesday, per yard......71/2c

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we get is as plentiful as ever, and there is not the slightest diminution in the pressure. There is in my opinion an abundance of natural gas over there for the use of this community for a long time to come. I should be surprised to see any indications of exhaustion within the next 15 or 20 years."

NOT A WHEEL IS TURNING

On the Street Railway in St. Louis-2,600 Employes Strike-Cigarmakers in Stratford and Woodstock Go Out.

St. Louis, Mo., May 8.-The executive committee of the Street Railwaymen's Union at midnight decided to recommend to the employes of the Transit Company that a strike be declared forthwith. At 2 o'clock this morning a mass meeting of 2,600 employes, with not a dissenting voice, decided in favor of the strike. The company controls all but one of the street car lines in St. Louis, and at 6 a.m. not a wheel was

turning.
St. Louis, Mo., May 8.—As far as could be learned, 3,300 of 3,600 men em-ployed by the St. Louis Transit Com-

streets. New York, May 7.—Samuel Gompers, president of the Federation of Labor, addressed the striking cigarmakers in Bohemia Hall today, and advised them to disregard the injunctions issued by

from picketing or attempting in any way to deter others from taking their places, and enjoins sympathizers from giving financial aid for the purpose of continuing the strike. Stratford, Ont., May 8.—The cigar-makers of the city are on strike for

are out. The employers say that the men can go out and stay out, that they ly, and are always getting into trou-ble. In London, with which there is most competition, the wages are one-half what they are here. Before going out on strike the local rollers inter-viewed the committee of the Lorenz viewed the committee of the Internacional Union and received its sanction. Woodstock, May 8.—Five men of Jones Bros, cigar factory went out on strike yesterday morning with a view to enforcing their demands for an in-crease in wages. The Woodstock Un-ion is under the same jurisdiction as Stratford, the cigarmakers of which city are also out. Jones Bros. told an Express reporter that they expected Company, says, concerning the report-ed giving out of the supply of natural gas from Essex county: "The supply the union.

GAVE UP HIS BARE.

New York, May 8.—Fire early yes-terday destroyed the Mallory pier in East River, entailing a loss estimated

wife. The child perished before aid

Mrs. Winslow's Southing Syrup. at \$1,000,000, and costing the life of a 3-months-old babe. The fire spread to the barge Sherwood. Capt. Charles Lochs, wife and baby daughter jumped into the water in an effort to escape. Mrs. Lochs became exhausted, and the captain let go of the babe, hoping it would be rescued by someone else, and devoted his efforts to saving his

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A greater pedal pressure may be exerted, because of the directness of the action which results from narrow-tread constructions. Besides, Stearns models are locally-guaranteed Nationa

Wheels, and the local guarantee is often of even more importance in case of accident than the narrow tread. Price of Stearns roadsters, \$50.

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us sale of Beecham's PMs has been achieved without the publication onials, the fact being that Beecham's PMs recommend themselves. Sold everywhere, in boxes, at all Druggists.

ceipts, 4500; opened slow but firm; more active later; closed steady; all sold; steers, \$4 50 to \$5 60; buils, \$2 50 to \$4 25; cows, \$2 25 to \$4 20. London cables quote state cattle higher, at 124c to 12%c per lb; tops, 13c. Exports, 750 cattle, 1,150 sheep and 4,650 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 4,727; active; 75c higher than last Friday; all sold; veals, \$4 50 to \$7; little calves and veals and bulls, \$3 to \$4. Sheep and lambs—Receipts. 11,020; sheep weak; lambs 10c to 15c lower; common stock 25c lower; spring lambs wanted and steady; all sold; common to fair unshorn sheep, \$4 75 to \$5 40; common to good clipped do, \$3 90 to \$5 12½; clipped culls, \$3; choice and export wethers, \$5 50 to \$6; unshorn lambs, \$7 to \$7 75; clipped do, \$5 50 to \$7; clipped culls, \$5; southern spring lambs, \$7 to \$7 75; clipped do, \$5 50 to \$6; unshorn lambs, \$7 to \$7 75; clipped do, \$5 50 to \$7; clipped culls, \$5; southern spring lambs, \$7 to \$7 75; clipped do, \$5 50 to \$7; clipped do, \$7; clipped culls, \$7; clipped do, \$7; clipped culls, \$7; clipped do, \$7; clipped culls, \$7; clipped do, \$7; clipped do, \$7; clipped do, \$7; clipped do, \$7; clipped culls, \$7; clipped do, \$7; clipped do, \$7; clipped do, \$7; clipped culls, \$7; clipped do, \$7; cl The Non-Irritating Cathartic

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loads of oats, wheat and hay offering. Oats sold from 98c to \$1; wheat at \$1 10

per cental; hay, \$850 to \$950 per ton,

Quotations.			
GRAIN			
Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs.	1 05	0	1 10
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 ibs	1 05	6	1 10
Wheat, spring, per 100 lps			
Oats, per 100 lbs	98	•	1 00
Peas per 100 lbs	1 00	0	1 27
Corn per 100 lbs	80	0	80
per 100 lbs	80	ě	1 10
or 100 lbs	1 00	0	1 00
blickwheat, per 100 lbs			1 20
Beans, per bu	100		1 35
PROVISIONS			
Cherse, per lb	12	0	13
Eggs, single dozen	12	@	124
Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen	115	0	11
Butter, lb. large rolls or crocks	16	@	18
Butter, pound rolls, retail	15	(4)	17
Lard, per lb	8	0	19
Lard, 20 lb. lots	. 7	@	8
WHOLESALE DEALER	S' PR	ICH	S.
Figgs store lots doz	10	0	101

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work. Call at 417 Talbot street, or write for circular.	lings, \$3 75 to \$4; calves, good color
John S. Pearce, Western Agent, LONDON, ONT.	stock, \$4 75 to \$5; Jersey stockers, \$2 75
Common Contract, London, Ont.	to \$3; stock heifers, \$3 75 to \$4; stable
LIVE STOCK.	fed cows, choice to extra, \$3 65 to \$4 60;
Beef, per 1b 3 @ 4	fresh cows, choice to extra good bags,
Hogs, light, per 100 ibs 5 75 9 5 75	\$48 to \$55; springers, good to extra,
Hogs, singers 5 90 @ 6 00	\$40 to \$45; cows and springers, com-
Hogs, heavy, per 100 lbs 3 00 @ 5 00	mon to good, \$20 to \$27; calves, choice
Pigs, young per pair	to extra, \$5 75 to \$6 25; good to choice,
Ducks, per pair 75 @ 90	\$5 25 to \$5 50; heavy fed calves,
Chickens, spring, per pair 50 @ 90	\$4 25 to \$5 50; straw stockers, \$3 to
Hens, per pair 30 @ 80	\$3 75. Sheep-Basis was lower, and at
VIIGHTABLES.	the decline the market was active;
Potatoes, per bag 50 @ 60	lambs, choice to extra, \$6 50 to \$6 65;
Turnips, new, per bag 20 & 39 Gabbage, per doz. 50 6 69	good to choice, \$6 25 to \$6 50; mixed
Beets, per bag	sheep, choice to extra, \$4 75 to \$5;
Onions, per bag 125 @ 125	wethers, \$5 25 to \$5 50; ewes, \$4 50 to
Darrots	\$4 75; yearlings, \$5 50 to \$5 85. Hogs-
Parsnips 30 @ 40	fairly active; heavy, \$5 45 to \$5 50;
Artichekes, per bag 75 @ 100	mixed, \$5 40 to \$5 45, mostly \$5 40;
Savory and Sage, per doz 15 16	heavy Yorkers, \$5 25 to \$5 35, mostly
Parsley, per dez 20 30	\$5 30; pigs, \$5; roughs, \$4 85 to \$5 05;
Lettuce, per doz	stags, \$4; close steady.
MEAT, HIDES, ETC	OLD COUNTRY PRICES.
Beef, per lb	
Damb, quarter 10 @ 11	London, May 7. — Here cattle are
Lamb, carcass 8 @ 9	higher at 121/4c to 123/4c per lb, dressed
Drassed hogs, 100 lbs, selects 6 50 @ 7 00	weight; at Liverpool prices are 11%c
Dressed hogs 100 lbs, heavy . 5 00 6 6 00	to 121/4c per lb. Tops are quoted at 13c
Hides, No. 2, per 15	per lb. Sheep are steady at 14c per lb.
Hides, No. 2, per 15 6½ 6 6½ Eides, No. 3, per 15 5½ 6 5½	Refrigerator beef is unchanged at 8%c
Calfskins, green 8 @ 8	per lb.
Wood, washed, per lb 15 @ 16	DITTED FOCA
Wool, unwashed, per lb 10 @ 11	BUTTER. EGGS.
Tallow, rendered, per lb 4 @ 5	
Purkeys, per ib	We will pay highest cash prices for any quan
FRUIT.	tity of choice butter and eggs. Write us when you have any to offer.
Dried apples, per lb	
	Abbott Produce Co.,
Apples, ser bag	172 King Street, London. Phone 1238
Hay per ton 8 50 @ 9 50	The state of the s
Straw, per load 300 @ 300	Dairy Markets.
Straw, per ton 6 00 @ 6 00	MONTREAL, May 7.—Cheese, 11c to
Cloverseed, alsyke, per bu 0 00 6 0 00 Cloverseed, alsyke, per bu 0 00 6 0 00	12c. Butter—Townships, 17c to 19c;
Cloverseed, alsyke, per bu 0 00 @ 0 00	westown 150 to 100

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The Oil Market. PITTSBURG. Pa., May 8.—Oil opened at \$1 44; closed at \$1 44.
OIL CITY. May 7.—Oil—Credit balances, \$1 44; certificates, no bid or offer.

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

WHEAT-	May 3.		May		May 5.		May 7.	
Red Winter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6	0	5	111/2	5	11%		111/2
Walla	6	0	6	0	6	0	6	0
No. 1 Cal	6	41/2	6	4	6	4		4
May	5		5	91/2	0	0	6	0
July		91/2						
	5	91/8		81/4	5	87%		8%
CORN-	0	0	0	0	5	91/4	5	91/8
		91/		•				
New	4	31/4	1 4	2	1 4	2	14	2
Old	0	0	0		0	0	0	0
Feb	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
March	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
May	4	3	4	2	4	21/8		6
July	4	13%	4	03%	4	01/8	4	03/4
_ Sept	4	11/4	4	03/4	4	03/8	4	034
Flour	18	3	18	3	18	3	18	3
Peas	5	9	5	9	5	9	5	9
Pork, prime mess	57	6	57	6	57	6	57	6
Lard	37	6	37	3	36	3	35	9
Tallow	28	0	27	6	27	0	27	6
	41	0	41	0	41	0.	40	6
Cheese, white	59	0	58	6	58	0	58	0
Cheese, colored	63	0	62	6	62	6	62	6

CHICAGO, May 7.—Board of trade markets were dull today. Wheat was depressed by lower cables and heavy world's shipments, but the tone was fairly steady, July closing 4c down. July corn closed 4c lower, and July oats %c to %c reduced. Provisions closed weak, from 5c to 7%c down in lard, to 17%c dower in pork. Primary receipts were 533,000 bu, compared with 408,000 bu last year. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 354 cars, against 551 last week and 319 a year ago. Local receipts were 34 cars, 9 of contract grade. July opened 4c to %c under Saturday, at 67%c to 67c; sold between 67%c and 67c, and closed 4c down, at 67%c. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 73 cars; corn, 360 cars; oats,

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat May, 85%c; July, 67%c. Corn—May, 88%c to 38%c; July, 39%c to 39%c. Corn—May, 88%c to 38%c; July, 39%c to 39%c. Sept., 39%c. Oats—No. 2 May, 22%c; June, 22%c; July, 23%c. Mess Pork—May, 811 65; July, 811 72%. Lard—May, \$6 72%; July, \$6 77%; Sept., \$6 80. Short ribe—May, \$6 50; July, \$6 55; Sept., \$6 52%. Cash quotations—Flour, steady. No. 3 spring wheat, 62c to 65%c; No. 2 red wheat, 69%c; No. 2 corn. 39c to 39%c. No. 2 coats, 23%c to 24c; No. 2 white. 27c; No. 3 white 25%c to 26%c, No. 2 rye, 53%c to 54c. Good feeding barley, 36c to 37c; fair to choice maiting. 39c to 43c. Flaxseed, \$1 80; No. 1 Northwest. \$1 80. Prime timothy seed, \$2 40. Mess pork. \$10 60 to \$11 65. Lard, \$6 60 to \$6 75. Short rib sides, \$6 40 to \$6 65. Dry saited shoulders, 63%c to 7c. Short clear sides, \$7 05 to \$7 15. Sugar, cut loaf, \$6; granulated, \$5 44. Cloverseed, contraot grade, \$7. Eggs. steady, fresh, 11c to 11%c.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 12,000 barrels: wheat, 7,009 bushels; corn. 197,000 bushels; oats, 215. Sultenders, 26,000 bushels; rye, 5,000 bushels; barley, 26,000 bushels. 300 cars; hogs, 21,000 head. 18heis. SHIPMENTS—Flour. 14.000 barrels; wheat, 1.000 bushels; corp. 264.000 bushels; cats, 184, bushels; rys, 17,000 bushels; barley. 5,000

Live Stock Markets NEW YORK, May 7.-Beeves-Re-

IN THE VAN.

The Canadians Camped Last Wight Ten or Twelve Miles Beyond Winburg.

Smaldeel, Orange Free State, Monday, May 7.—Gen. Hutton's advanced camp of the colonial regiments is tonight settled at Lodgelegen (Weigelegen) Siding. Francisco Siding

According to reports the Boers intend to make a big stand near the Zand River.

The railroad has been repaired to the south side of the Vet River, and the engineers are busy making a deviation

REV. JOHN ROBBINS

CHICAGO, May 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 14,000, including 250 Texans; steers, 10c to 15c higher; butchers' stock active,

10c higher; best on sale today, 9 car-loads western and Angus at \$5 60; na-

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., May 7.— Cattle opened active, and with sellers asking higher prices. The supply of

calves was light here, and lighter in New York than for some time; the

demand was active and prices 4c high-

er than last week; good to best smooth, fat export cattle, desirable

quality, \$5 20 to \$5 50; good to best, \$5 to \$5 25; export bulls, \$4 to \$4 25; good to choice butcher steers, \$4 60

to \$4 85; good to best butcher steers, \$4 50 to \$4 75; good to best fat bulls, \$3 75 to \$4; feeder bulls, \$3 25 to \$3 50;

common to good bolgona bulls, \$3 50 to \$3 50; to \$3 75; good to best fat heifers, \$4 50 to \$4 50; fat cows, good to best, \$4 to \$4 50; medium fat cows, \$3 25 to \$3 75;

fat cows, common to fair, \$2 50 to \$3;

feeding steers, choice to extra, \$4 60 to \$4 75; fair to good, \$4 to \$4 25; Canada stock steers, \$4 50 to \$4 85; stock calves, choice to extra, \$4 85 to \$5 15; stock bulls, \$3 to \$3 50; fancy year-

western, 15c to 16c.

CHICAGO, May 7.—Butter steady,
creameries, 14½c to 19½c; dairies, 13½c
to 16c. Cheese dull, at 9c to 11½c.

NEW YORK, May 7 .- Butter firm; western creamery, 16c to 20c; do, factory, 13c to 15c; imitation creamery,

14c to 17c; state dairy, 15c to 19c; do,

cneamery, 16c to 20c. Cheese—Market unsettled; fancy large white, 10%c; fancy large colored, 10c to 11c; fancy

small white, 9%c to 10c; fancy small colored, 9%c to 10c.

small white at 91/2c; 9 lots of 584 boxes

sold on commission. Total sales, 22 lots, 2,644 boxes. Butter—Creamery, 51 packages sold at 18c to 18½c.

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Ill health and disease, pain and suffering, soon make the youngest feel old while with solver beautiful.

old, while with robust health the man

or woman advanced in years feels

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hairs and wrinkles and breaks up the health like kidney disease. Backaches, headaches, limbaches, and a thousand

other miseries due to poisons circulating in the system, that ought to be eliminated by the kidneys—these are the things that tell on the system and bring old age before its time.

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There is nothing like them for taking the ache and pain out of the back, curing every form of kidney ailment and restoring the good health and est

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Mrs. Walter Scott, of Owen Sound,

Ont., in a letter she wrote recently, speaks of Doan's Kidney Pills as follows: "I must say that Doan's Kidney Pills are a grand medicine. They are a positive cure for backache, and

make a person feel ten years younger than they are. They have done this for me, and I shall highly recommend

them to anyone I hear complaining of backache or kidney trouble."

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tives, good to prime steers, \$4 90 to \$5.75. Hogs—Receipts today, 27,000; tomorrow, 18,000; estimated left over, 3,500; 5c to 10c lower; top, \$5.45; mixed and butchers, \$5.10 to \$5.40. Sheep—Steedy to strong to 10c. Newly-Elected Moderator for Church of Scotland in England a Former Steady to strong; lambs strong to 10c higher; good to choice wethers, \$5 25 to \$5 60. Resident of Middlesex County-Was a Glencoe Pastor.

Rev. John Robbins, who has recenty been elected moderator of the Church of Scotland in England, was at one time pastor of the Presbyterian church in Glencoe, Out. Mr. Robbins was born in England, and came to Canada as a minister of the Methodist Church. While here he united with the Presbyterian Church and entered its ministry about twelve years ago, the first charge to which he was appointed being Glencoe. Here he remained about two years, when he went to Trure N. S. Albert five or six years to Truro, N. S. About five or six years ago he returned to England, where his able use of his talents rapidly advanced him in church circles, until his attainment of the honorable office he today holds. Mr. Robbins was possessed of great power as a pulpit orator and was highly esteemed by his congregation when in Glencoe.

U. S. METHODISTS

Changes in Church Government Proposed-A Scandal Complained of and Will Be Stopped.

Chicago, May 8 .- Methodists at the general conference here will this week receive a report from their constitutional commission advocating changes in church government, but counseling retention of denominational doctrines in their purity and as they now stand. Bishop James M. Thoburn has a plan for raising an army of 100,000 workers to become evangelists, and by systematized efforts gather in two million souls and \$20,000,000 before the close of the century.

Dr. A. B. Leonard caused a sensa-tion. He demanded to know by whose authority the Daily Christian London, May 7. — Here cattle are higher at 12½c to 12½c per lb, dressed weight; at Liverpool prices are 11¾c to 12½c per lb. Tops are quoted at 13c per lb. Sheep are steady at 14c per lb. Refrigerator beef is unchanged at 8%c per lb. Advocate, which reports the doings of the conference, had been hawked about per 1b. Tops are quoted at 13c per 1b. Sheep are steady at 14c per 1b. Refrigerator beef is unchanged at 8%c per 1b.

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the streets on Sunday like any secular Sunday paper. It was sold, he declared, with much vigor, at the very door of the Auditorium, while the Methodists were entering to attend divine services. "I want to put a motion right here," said the delegate from Cincinnati, "that hereafter our paper be not sold on the Sabbath and that the proper authorities be a sunday paper. It was sold, he declared, with much vigor, at the very door of the Auditorium, while the Methodists were entering to attend divine services. "I want to put a motion right here," said the delegate from Cincinnati, "that hereafter our paper be not sold on the Sabbath and that the proper authorities be a sunday paper. It was sold, he declared, with much vigor, at the very door of the Auditorium, while the Methodists were entering to attend divine services."

D. D. Thompson, manager of the paper explained that the papers sold were back numbers; that the sale was not authorized and that it would not occur again.

YUKON'S POPULATION IS 16,500. Dawson, May 2.—The Yukon Territory census has been completed. The total population is 16,500; men, 13,000; women, 2,000; children, 500; British subjects, 4,500; Americans, 9,500; Indians, 350.

LITTLE FALLS, N. Y., May 7.— Cheese—Forty-two lots of 1,752 boxes large sold at 9%c to 10c; small sold at 9%c. Butter—Very little offered; sales The April outbound mails are held at Selkirk. The mails are stopped until navigation opens. The ice is dangerous.

ANGLO-SAXON ALLIANCE. Germany, England and the United States, as representing the dominant industrial nations of the globe, having a vast number of common interests, coming from the same race stock, and representing much the same type of UTICA, N. Y., May 7.—Cheese—Two lots of 68 boxes large white at 10c; 5 lots of 204 boxes do, at 10½c; 3 lots of 104 boxes large colored at 9½c; 22 lots of 1,116 boxes do, at 10c; 2 lots of 90 boxes do, at 10½c; 8 lots of 405 boxes small colored at 9½c; 1 lot of 40 boxes small white at 1½c; 9 lots of 55% boxes civilization, will come together in the formation of a joint policy for the control of the world.—Boston Herald.

CRUSHED IN THEIR BEDS. St. Louis, Mo., May 8.—By the collapse of a house at 1,430 North Eighth street, Cora Everson and Milvina Nelson (colored) were killed and seven others, who are now at the city hospital as a result of their injuries, nar-rowly escaped death. The women were suffocated. The building was a dilapidated structure that had been con-demned. All were asleep when the accident occurred.

"YANKEE" ROBINSON DEAD. Philadelphia, Pa., May 8.—James A. Robinson, well known throughout the country in connection with circuses and theatricals, is dead in this city, aged 50 years. From 1864 until 1889 aged 50 years. From 1864 until 1889 Mr. Robinson was at various times connected with every circus of prominence in the country as advance agent, the last ten years of his active circus career being spent in the service of the Barnum and Forepaugh circuses. BRINGING THE CRIME HOME.

Lexington, Ky., May 8.—Much new evidence in the Goebel assassination conspiracy case was brought out at the hearing for bail of William Culton, the principal points being the implication in the conspiracy of Gov. Taylor and the testimony of witnesses strongly tending to show that H. E. Youtsey, if he did not kill Goebel, could tell who did fire the fatal shot. LAURENTIDE COMPANY'S LOSS

EXAGGERATED: Three Rivers, Que., May 8.-Early reports of the fire which occurred on Sunday at Grande Mere, having grossly exaggerated the amount of damage and loss, the following is given out to the press from an authoritative source: The fire at the Laurentide paper and pulp mills did not extend beyond the old mechanical pulp building and some minor structures. The new and very expensive works of the company were not injured. The fire will involve a

stoppage in the manufacture of paper of about twelve days, and the loss is

about \$80,000. Stamshir Arrivals. FromGlasgowHavreRotterdam Antwer Mentreal

THE WEATHER TODAY—Showery; warmer.

Special for Ladies

Exceptional Opportunity to Secure a Beautiful Saxony Plaid Skirt at a Very Low Price....

Those beautiful Saxony Plaids that we sold in skirt patterns only at \$4.50 and \$5.00, we will offer for speedy clearance at \$2.95 each. These make levely summer skirts, are handsomely designed, and are of the newest colorings. Those who are prompt enough to secure one of these lengths at this price will always be satisfied with the purchase. Remember the prices were \$4.50 and \$5.00. Now..... \$2.95

7 pieces Fancy Plaids for Blouses, all different patterns, extra value, reduced to 39c

beautiful Dress Patterns, in small checks, light shades, make handsome dresses, were sold at 95c yard, to clear now at...... 65c 3 pieces extra heavy Homespun, 54 inches wide; helio, gray and brown, sold at \$1.25 per yard, while they last 2 pieces extra heavy Homespun, in fawn and gray, no lining required; regular \$1.25 a

A counter of odd pieces of Dress Goods. You may find what you want among them from Every piece is a bargain. 40c to \$1.00 yard.

HOUSEKEEPERS !---PURE CASTILE SOAP, 15c DOZEN.

We have made a very large purchase of Pure Castile Soap, the kind that we have been selling right along at 24c a dozen cakes. While the present stock lasts we will sell at 15c dozen. This is the biggest bargain in standard soap ever offered to Londoners. Secure some while it lasts.

Summer Dresses

Another shipment to hand of those elegant Mercerized Satcens so much in demand. In the lot to hand are new blue and white, and black and white. They make up like silk, and you have a choice of light patterns. Though worth more they are selling at, per yard...... Three pieces Poplin Effect, very choice and rich goods, and popular; colors-pink,

new blue and blue-gray; per yard....., Lace Effect Mercerized Finish Zephyrs, in pink, yellow, helio, and white and black, light weight, soft finish and very pleasing effect; per yard..... Novelty Zephyrs-Great range in checks and stripes in choice colorings and patterns, new and stylish goods; from......10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c to 45c

Flannelettes

Light and Dark Flannelettes, in stripes and polka dots, summer weights; Very Pretty Plaid Wrapperettes, variety of colorings, extra nice and very A choice lot of Fine Twilled Wrapperettes, smooth surface and light-weights, among them being navy blue

Ladies' Mercerized Underskirts.

Just received another lot of those Black Mercerized Underskirts, with blue, gold, helio or white metallic Better Quality Cloth, with white or helio stripe, 38 to 42 inches long, with 15-inch double flounce; each ... \$1.25 Of Extra Quality Plain Black Mercerized Cloth, 38 to 42 inches long, three-corded frills around bottom, full ep and light in weight; good value, at\$2.75 and \$3.00

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Canadian Rubber Company's Keystone Hose Pumped Up to 450 Pounds Pressure.

An interesting test of the strength of hose was made at the fire hall yesterday afternoon, when the Canadian Rubber Company's celebrated Keystone brand, wax and gum treated hose, was put to the most severe test. A pressure of 450 pounds to the square inch was applied, causing a tremendous strain, but the result was entirely satisfactory in every way. On the strength of this test the city council, at their meeting last night, placed an order with the company for 1,000 feet of this hose. Mr. J. C. Nicholson, the popular representative of the company, superintended the test. The preparation of the jacket of this "gum-treated" brand is the company's exclusive patent. Its advantages are its absolute waterproof qualities. Each thread is run through a mixture of melted wax and gum; the fibers are then cabled into a collection of practically waxed ends. These cables are then woven into the fabric in independent "plies," and lined with the highest grade of Para gum. This hose absorbs no moisture, and after use can be hung up and "brushed off," so to speak, without the long drying process of the ordinary cotton hose, saving time and money, and adding years to the life

A BABY DROWNED AT BELLE-VILLE.

Belleville, May 8.—A baby wagon, with the 3-year-old daughter of Daniel Stapley, ran into the river near the railway bridge this morning. The wagon did not go far, but the child was carried down stream nearly a mile, and when recovered was dead.

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial, It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has done it will do again. Life is fruitful in the ratio in which it is laid out in noble action or patient perseverance.—Liddon.

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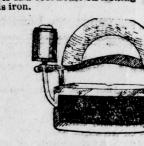
This is a double-surfaced iron. Heats in two minutes. It is an ideal iron, insuring comfort and saving time, labor and expense. No more



Burns 2 feet of gas per hour. 2c per day. All parts of these irons are interchangeable, and they may be used either with gas or wood alcohol. Made in all sizes and for all purposes.

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Must be seen to be appreciated. It is simple in construction, perfect in every way, never gets out of order. Always ready for use in 3 minutes from time of lighting. No hot fires in summer. Will not explode. Enjoy the comforts of a cool home on ironing days by using this iron.



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Middlesex.

At Ailsa Craig on Saturday morning a slight accident occurred, caused by a truck on one of the cars of a freight train breaking and throwing the car off the track. The auxiliary was called out from Sarnia, which caused considerable delay.

Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessess during sleep. Mothern Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you. A man's best friends are his ten fin-

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Toronto Stock Market. TORONTO, May 8. amerce..... Imperial 221 Standard
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Consumers Gas
Hontreal Gas 183
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Canada Pacific Ry, Stock 954
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New York Stocks. Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Te-umseh House, for The Advertiser: Yesterday's Close, Open, High, Low, 2p.m.

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To see something of immense interest re the ROB-ROY MINES, Scottish-Canadian Mining Co., call or send to office and get copy of Ferguson "Eagle."

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Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, May 8.-Wheat dull, easier, red and white, 641/2c to 65c; goose, 69c to 70c, west; spring, 65c, east; Mani-toba wheat, 78c for No. 1 hard, Toronto and west; 79c grinding, in transit; 731/2c to 74c, Goderich, and 731/2c to 74c Midland; cars of straight roller or tario patents, \$2 75, west. Flour steady, at \$4 to \$4 10 for patents, and \$3 70 for strong bakers in car lots here. Millfeed unchanged, the same at \$16 to \$16 50 for shorts, and \$14 for bran, west. Barley dull; No. 2 is quoted at 41c, west. Buckwheat steady, 50c to west. Rye unchanged, at 52c. west. Corn steady, 39c for Canada yellow, west; American, 47c for new No. 3 yellow, Toronto. Oats steady; mixed, 26c; white, 27c, west. steady at 60c, west. Butter—Supply liberal, demand fair, steady, at 11c to 13c for large and pound dairy rolls; creamery is quoted at 18c for prints, to 18c for packages. 111/2c to 12c. Live hogs-Receipts today, 2,100; prices steady, unchanged; choice bacon, 64c; heavy, 5%c; light,

English Markets.

Wheat — Spot, dull: winter, firm; No. 1
Cal., 6s 3%d to 6s 4d; No. 2 red western winter,
6s 11%d; No. 1 red northern spring, steady, 5s
11d; No. 1 red northern Duluth, 5s 10%d;
futures, steady; July, 5s 8%d; Sept., 5s 8%d.
Corn—Spot, American mixed, new, steady,
4s 1%d; do. old. nominal, 4s 3%d; futures, quiet,
May, 4s %d; July, 4s; Sept., 3s 11%d.
Peas—Western, 5s 8d; Canadian, 5s 9d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 7s 8d;
Minn., 7s 9d.
Beef—Prime mess, firm, 73s 9d; extra India
mess, firm, 80s.

mess, firm, 80s.

Pork - Firm; prime mess, fine western, 68s 9d;
60. medium western, 42s 6d.

Lard - American refined, in pails, steady, 36s
6d; prime western, in therees, steady, 35s 6d.

Hams-Ehort out, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 46s 6d.

Bacon-Cumberland out, 28 to 30 lbs, dull,

FOR COLD LUNCHES-



Jellied Tongue, Pigs' Feet. Pate de Fole—ready for use. Taste like dain-tiest home-made. Ask your grocer distinctly for them, or

42s; short ribe, 18 to 22 lbs, dull. 41s 6d; long olear middles, hight. 30 to 35 lbs, dull. 40s 6d; long olear middles, heavy. 35 to 40 lbs, dull. 40s; short clear backs. 16 to 18 lbs, dull. 36s 6d; elear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, dull. 59s.

Shoulders—Square. 12 to 14 lbs, dull. 35s.

Butter—Finest American and good, nominal. Oheese—American finest white, dull. 58s; colored, steady, 62s 6d.

Tallow—Prime city, steady, 27s 6d; Australian in London, steady, 28s.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), steady, 23 5s to 43 15s.

Outtonseed oil — Hull refined May-Ang. Oottonseed oil - Hull refined, May-Aug.. firm, 24s 3d.

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Turpentine spirits—Firm, 44s 6d.
Rosin—Common, steady, 5s.
Linseed oil—35s 3d.
Petroleum—Refined, 7½d.
Receipts of wheat for the past three days
were, 193,000 centals, including 169,000 American.
Receipts of American corn during the
past three days, 197,700 centals.

American Markets NEW YORK, May 8.—Flour—Recepts, 37,298 bbls; sales, 3,300 pkgs; state and western neglected and rather easy on most grades of spring and winter. Rye flour—Quiet. Wheat—Receipts, 283,050 bu; sales, \$30,000 bu; option market opened easier under foreign selling, but recovered on news from the Northwest and firm continental cables; May, 72%c to 72%c; July, 72%c to 72 15-16c; Sept., 73 7-16c to 73%c. Rye—Dull; state, 56c to 57c, c.i.f., New York, car lets; No. 2 west-cern 51c, for headert. Corn. Receipts ern, 61c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 356,400 bu; sales, 65,000 bu; options market opened weak with cables and declined further through local liquidaton; May, 441/4c to 441/2c; July, 441/2c to 44%c; Sept. 44%c to 45c. Oats—Receipts, 51,500 bu; options slow and barely steady; track, white state, 29c barely steady; track, white state, 29c to 34c; track, white western, 29c to 34c. Butter—Receipts, 5,021 pkgs; firm. Cheese—Receipts, 7,819 pkgs; quiet; fancy large white, 10½c; fancy large colored, 10c. Eggs—Receipts, 20,368 pkgs; market steady; state and Pennsylvania, at mark, 13½c to 14c; storage western, at mark, 13½c to 14c; regular packing at mark 12½c to 12½c. gular packing, at mark, 124e to 124c; southern, at mark, 114c to 13c. Sugar -Raw steady; fair refining, 3 15-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 47-16c; molasses sugar, 3%c; refined quiet. Coffee-Steady; No. 7 Rio. 7%c. Lead—Easy; exchange price, \$4 40 to \$4 50; bullion price, \$4 20. Wool—Dull. Hops—Quiet.

Mitcheltree as organist, and of Mr. Ed. Gardiner, late of St. James' BUFFALO, May 8.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 72%c. Winter wheat—Nominal. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 44½c; No. 3 yellow, 44½c; No. 2 corn, 44c; No. 3 corn, 43%c, asked on track. Oats-No. 2 white, 294c; No. 3 white, 284c; No. 2 mixed, 264c, on track.

731/2c; May, 731/2c; July, 731/4c. TOLEDO, O., May 8.-Wheat-Cash, 73%c; May, 73%c; July, 73%. Corn-May, 39%c. Oats-May, 24%c.

CHICAGO, May 8.—Opening—Wheat, July, 67%c to 67%c; May, 66%c to 66c. Corn, July, 39%c to 39%c; May, 38%c to 38%o. Oats, July, 23c to 23%c. Pork, July, \$11 50 to \$11 65. Lard, July, \$6 70 to \$6 72%; Sept., \$6 70 to \$6 72%. Chicago Exchange.

Chicago Exchange.

CHICAGO, May 8,

Fellowing are the fluctuations on the Chicago
Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler,
broker, Tecumseh House. Phone 1278.

Open High. Low. Close.

Wheat—May... 65½ 66½ 65 65½

July... 67½ 67 67 67½

Corn—May... 38½ 33% 37½ 38½

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Live Stock Market. medium, \$4 10 to \$4 75; stockers and feeders, \$3 75 to \$5; cows, \$3 to \$4 60; heifers, \$3 25 to \$5 10; canners, \$2 40 to

\$3; bulls, \$2 80 to \$4 35; calves steady, \$4 60 to \$4 65; Texas fed steers, \$4 to \$5 25; Texas bulls, \$3 25 to \$3 75. Hogs -Receipts today, 18,000; tomorrow, 25,-000; left over, 2,475; mostly 10c lower; mixed and butchers, \$5 to \$5 30; good to choice heavy, \$5 15 to \$5 30; rough heavy, \$5 to \$5 10; light, \$4 90 to \$5 20; bulk of sales, \$5 10 to \$5 25.

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600000000000000000000000000 Latest Probabilities.

Toronto, May 8-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the next 24 hours in the lower lakes region: Fresh to strong south-erly, veering to westerly and northwesterly winds; showery today. Wednesday fair and cool.

-D. C. Fraser, M.P., is in the city. -Miss Ada Mack, city, leaves tomorrow for Milwaukee. -Mr. R. A. Jones, of West London,

is confined to his house through ill--Mr. John S. Pearce, city, is spend-

ing a few days with Mr. Thomas Pearce. Tyrconnel. -Mr. Robert Bowie, of Gunn street,

West London, and two of his children have scarlet fever. -A sitting of the ninth division court was held yesterday morning be-fore Judge Edward Elliott.

-The officers of the inland revenue division of London have sent \$42 to the Ottawa and Hull fire relief fund.

-Mr. C. Vass Thomson, of No. 7 Company, Tilsonburg, Oxford Rifles, is taking a course of instruction at Wolselev Barracks.

-An Aylmer correspondent writes: The cricketers have secured their first date of the season, the London club coming here on June 4.

-In the suit of Cullen vs. McGregor. the master in chancery has awarded the plaintiff \$245. The amount claimed was \$477 50. Fraser, for plaintiff; McEvoy, for defendant.

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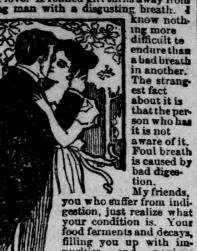
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turned with disgust from an otherwise lov-able girl with an offensive breath. able girl with an offensive breath.

Nothing so easily disturbs the delicate balance of love. A refined girl turns away from a young man with a disgusting breath. I



you who suffer from indigestion, just realize what your condition is. Your food ferments and decays, filling you up with impurities and noxious gases, which hasten for-

gases, which hasten forward age and decay. Any practised eye recognizes your condition by your dull eyes, with their yellowed whites, your muddy skin and pimples, unwholesome lips and fetid breath. Try Karl's Clover Root Tea, and see if you will not feel new hife surging in your veins! Your eyes will brighten, the whites clearing up and the iris sparkling; your headache and your pimples disappear—and why? Because you are all clean within!

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GENTLEMEN: I used three packages of Karl's Clover Boot Tea with eminent success. My face was covered with red pimples, my complexion was yellow and skin oily, caused, I believe, by long chronic constipation. I entirely recovered, and now have a clear, brilliant complexion.

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We gnarantee results, for we refund money if you are not satisfied. Sold throughout the United States and Canada, 25c, and 50c., and in England, 1s. 6d. and 2s. 8d. of their son, Pte. Wm. G. Adams, who died of enteric fever at Bloemfontein. -The rector and churchwardens of the Church of St. John the Evangelist have secured the services of Mr. Thos

Church choir, as choirmaster. -The members of different I. O. O. F. and C. O. O. F. lodges in St. Thomas marched to the Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, where their annual sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Sowerby, of this city. There was DETROIT, May 8.—Wheat—No. 1 a large turnout of members, white, cash, 73½c; No. 2 red, cash, of the friends of the lodges. a large turnout of members, and also

-The Western Fair officials have repeatedly warned bicyclists from using the race track at Queen's Park for training purposes, and intend to pros-ecute some of them if the custom is not abandoned. The bicycles make the track too hard for speeding purposes. -Rev. Thomas Wilson received from Philadelphia yesterday a number of views for his lecture on "The South African War," such as the surrender of Cronje, relief of Kimberley and Ladysmith, our Canadians in the fight, and in the hospital, wounded, etc. The lecture will be given in King Street Church tonight.

-The trustees of the Convalescent Callard. orange marmalade; Dundas Center Methodist Church, cut flowers; Mrs. Graydon, reading matter; Mrs. Labatt, six pounds of butter a bag of potatoes, eggs, dried apples, canned vegetables, preserves, cocoa, milk pail CHICAGO, May 8.—Cattle—Receipts, and milk daily; Mrs. Bullen, rhubarb and lettuce; Mrs. Coutler, basket of parsmips; Mrs. (Dr.) English, basket of prime steers, \$4.90 to \$5.70; poor to of rhubarb; Mrs. Meredith, useful articles; Mrs. B. A. Mitchell, flour and eggs; a friend, eight yards of muslin; Mrs. Long, reading matter; Easter offering, Mr. George Robinson, three dozen hot cross buns and two dozen william Watson, for having a of fried cakes; Mrs. Boomer, Mrs. Calat large; S. S. Armitage, for having a lard, Mrs. Flock, a bag of hot cross cow at large, and John Hopper, for confections of the classical large, and John Hopper, for a large, and John Hopper, for the classical large, and the classical large dozen hot cross buns and two dozen buns each; Mrs. J. G. Boomer, confectionery; Mrs. M., \$20; the Ministering Children's League of the Memorial Church, \$5, from their sale of work; Mrs. Lashbrook, \$1; collected per Mrs. Lashbrook in East London, \$195; Mrs.

FUNERAL OF A. W. WOODWARD. The funeral of the late Albert W. Woodward took place yesterday afternoon to Mount Pleasant cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. G. B. Sage, of London West. The pall-bearers were R. A. Carrothers, Wm. D. Mills, Maurice Dillon, P. J. Watt, Frank H. Coles and Wm. H. Chittick. The funeral was private. DEATH OF GEORGE McCABE.

George McCabe, an old resident of London, died this morning of general debility at the Home for Aged People. He was about 70 years of age. Mr. McCabe kept a hotel on Stanley street about fifteen years ago, and was well known in London and Woodstock, where he lived before coming The funeral will take place about Friday, after the arrival of his son from Duluth. THE JUNE CAMP.

Lieut.-Col. Holmes, D. O. C., has recommended to the authorities at Ottawa that the annual summer camp be started on June 19 this year instead of June 5, as customary. The former date would accommodate a number of lawyers, who are militia officers, better than the present one, because about June 5 they are attending the courts. In other ways, also, it would be an improvement. It is not known as yet which date has been decided upon.

HIGH COURT. At the weekly sittings of the high court of justice, held yesterday, before Judge Falconbridge, the only case heard was that of Tennant vs. Lunness, adjourned from Chatham assizes, where the plaintiff's case was heard. Plaintiff sought to recover for seven loads of hay sold to defendant. who alleged that hay was of inferior quality and refused to pay the amount The action occupied all day asked. yesterday and this morning, and was dismissed with costs.

NEW CARS FOR THE LEHIGH.

Several fine cars, en route to Buffalo, from the Pullman carworks, Pullman, Ill., laid over night at the G. T. R. station here. The cars were built at the Pullman works for the Lehigh Valley Railway, and will run on the famous Black Diamond Express from Buffalo to New York. They are said to be as fine specimens of car-building as were ever turned out of the Pullman shops, being complete in every detail, magnificently finished, and containing all the latest improvements went east on No. 16 at 8:10 a.m. ODDFELLOWS TO AID.

of the line, and they expect a liberal response from their American bretn-

ren. DEATH OF MRS. DEAN.

To many friends in this city and in the county of Elgin, the announcement of the death of Mrs. Johanna Dean, relict of the late William Dean, which occurred this morning, at the residence of her son Charles, 579 Richmond street, will cause sincere sorrow. Mrs. Dean was born in Yarmouth, Elgin county, in 1833, and removed to this city some 40 years ago. For many years she was a member of the Talbot Street Baptist Church. About three weeks ago she became ill with paralysis, which resulted in her death. The surviving members of the family are Albert, James, Edward, Robert, Charles, of this city; George, of Lobo, and Mrs. Alfred Jackson, of Toronto. The funeral will be held on Thursday to Woodland cemetery.

FROM THE FRONT. The following is an extract from the letter of J. J. Brierley, city, with the second Canadian contingent. The letter was dated Bloemfontein, April 5: "It is terribly hot here. We are right in the front. There are 100,000 soldiers here, and we expect a big fight tonight about three miles out. I will have to take a gun the same as the rest. The Boers cracked up to be. There are no farms.
I wish it was over, so that I could get square meal and a good drink. haven't seen any of the first contingent yet, as they are 50 miles farther on. It is 12 o'clock and they are starting to muster."

PRESENTATION TO SERGT. BEAU-

Color-Sergt. Harry Beaumont, of No. Company, R. C. R. I., who recently purchased his discharge, left today to he will engage in. As an evidence of the high esteem in which his late comrades held him, he was recently pre-sented with a magnificent mantel clock, on which a beautifully engraved inscription sets forth that it was given to Sergeant Beaumont with the good will of his associates in the sergeants' mess. Officers and men alike regret his departure. His record has been a most creditable one. For sixteen years he has been connected with the service and during that time has not had one black mark against his

name. POLICE COURT.

At the police court this morning William Elliott, a private at Wolseley Barracks, was arraigned on a charge of stealing, and was remanded till ing of the act. Friday. Elliott, though only at the ternoon he broke into the storeroom, put on a suit of civilian's clothes belonging to another private, and made his way over the commons. He was missed, and a number of the men gave chase, capturing him on Elias street. He was then handed over to the police. Elliott's home is in Forest.

George Alexander was charged by Alex. Harvey with trespassing on his property near Oxford street, and tak-ing gravel from the river bed. The magistrate reserved his decision for a

obstructing the sidewalk by tying a horse near it, were all allowed to go on suspended sentence.

sidewalk wheelmen were fined. one \$2 and the other \$1, while a female rider, charged with the same offense, was discharged.

A STRONG BACKING.

Commissioner of Wickham, N. B., Civil CourtsMak es an Important Statement.

Wickham, Queen's County, N. B., May 7 .- Mr. G. L. Worden, commissioner of the civil courts here, is em-phatic in his indorsation of the great medicine, Dodd's Kidney Pills.
"Dodd's Kidney Pills," he says,
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suffering with my back and kidneys I am well. Not the least painful part of my trouble was the pain, frequency and poor success in urmating. After using Dodd's Kidney Pills I enjoy the natural, comfortable feeling in particulars above referred to. I feel like a young man, though 76 years of age. I recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to sufferers, as they do as they are advertised to do."

BASEBALL. ST. JOHN'S A. C.

The annual meeting of the St. John's Athletic Club was held last night, when a number of gratifying reports were presented, and the following officers elected: President, Mr. A. B. Cox; vicepresident, Mr. R. Cowan; treasurer, Arthur Woolley; secretary, Bert Glover. It was resolved to put a strong ball team in the field, and the members unanimously decided to appoint Mr. Glover manager and captain. The selection of players and arranging of games is left in his hands. The Ivy baseball nine will amalgamate with the St. John's boys. The grounds for practice will be put in shape as soon as possible, probably for the early part of next week. The team would like to arrange a game with some city nine for May 24. Send communications to Manager Glover.

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DDFELLOWS TO AID.

LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the expect to raise from \$15,000 to \$20,000 lungs, and was given up by physicifor the relief of the Ottawa-Hull fire Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that sufferers. Grand Master McLurg has his wife had used it for a throat sent out circulars to each of the lodges in Ontario, asking for contributions to on the advice I procured the medicine, the fund, and the lodges of New York, and lilinois have also been certainly believe it saved my life. It asked to aid the sufferers. The Odd asked to aid the sufferers. The Odd-fellows of Canada sent aid to the suf-ferers through the Chicago, Memphis and other big fires on the other side

Spring Requirements

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City Hall Notes.

Before long the alderman-trustee embroglio will be in almost the same stage as it was immediately previous to the rejection of the school board's estimates, with this difference, that the council will have three propositions to consider instead of two. In studying the situation, Solicitor Hellmuth discovered a technicality that might have provkilled 700 in this same place before. I had only two meals in two days, and they consisted of four hard biscuits the date asked for by the council. At and a pint of coffee. We travel in cattle cars and sleep on the ground. It is enough to kill a dog. If I ever get through this, it is all the soldiering I Oliver. The statutes say that the board want. I wouldn't care to live here.
It's too hot. There are no factories here, and the place is not what it is application. Pursuant to the requirements, a resolution was passed to have I a set of estimates prepared and pre-sented for the period covering June, 1900, to June, 1901. These estimates will be submitted to the council, which will then have the choice of granting the original estimates, the issue of debentures, the supplementary estimates, or of pursuing the present course.

At Monday night's council meeting, at Ald. Jolly's suggestion, No. 1 comjoin his family in Toronto. He has mittee was given power, if, in accordance with the statutes, to prepare a bylaw fixing a graded scale of increase upon unpaid taxes, instead of charging a straight 5 per cent extra, as at present. The efficacy of such a scheme, in securing returns more rapidly than by the present mode, is doubtful. The law has been arranged to enforce immediate payment. As it stands, there are inducements, by way of liberal discounts, for prompt payment before Nov. 30. If, after the following May 1, the taxes are not paid, the law says that the city treasurer shall add 10 per cent. While the rolls remain in the collector's hands, the tardy ones save that percentage. The plan, it is considered, should not be to make payments as easy as possible. The proposed arrangement would virtually be al-lotting to the city the powers of a loan company, which is not within the mean-

Home acknowledge with thanks the following donations for March and April: Memorial Church, cake; Mrs. tired of the service, for yesterday after the following donations are the service, for yesterday after the following donations for March and Barracks for five weeks, had evidently Monday night that should commend the tired of the service, for yesterday after the following donations for the service for yesterday after the following donations are the following donations for March and Barracks for five weeks, had evidently monday night that should commend the following donations for March and Barracks for five weeks, had evidently monday night that should commend the following donations for the following donations for March and Barracks for five weeks, had evidently monday night that should commend the following donations for the following donation donations for the following donations for the following donation donations for the following donation donation donations for the following donation donation donations for the following donation aldermen, but because of the objections made to it by Ald. Jolly, it was ruled out of order. The former wished to have the old order of things, when it was permissible, for the chairmen of committees to sign checks in payment of accounts. The inadequacy the existing method has been brought home to a number of the aldermen reently, by the fru tractors in need of funds, to obtain payment for completed contracts. The matter will doubtless be considered at a future meeting of the council.

> City Engineer Graydon will have his "Don't Spit" signs put up throughout the city in the near future. He is to be commended for his perseverance in his crusade against all that tends to uncleanliness on the city streets.

> COLD HURTS THE WHEAT CROP. Toronto, May 8 .- George C. Creelman, superintendent of Farmers' Institutes, returned from the east yesterday and reported that the wheat crop had been considerably set back by the recent cold weather, but may be saved by good warm rains. Goose wheat is being extensively raised in the east. It is too dark for bread, and is shipped in large quantities to Italy, to be converted into macaroni. wheat will grow anywhere in Ontario.

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'PINOS ATTIACK UNCLE SAM'S

MEN. Manila, May 8.-A force of rebels, May 2, attacked 20 men of Company I of the 44th Regiment, stationed at Barotic, Iloilo Province, on the Island of Panay. Three of the Americans were killed and seven were wounded.

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THE TRIUMPH

CHAPTER XIX.

"You are speaking falsely," cried Lady Beatrice. "What does this play-octing, this absurd ranting mean? You are surely mad. Lady Violante Selwyn-the low-born woman who inveigled my noble husband into marrying her-is dead. I saw her dead; I saw her buried; she lies far away in

interrupted the clear voice. whe is here! Look well at me; do you know my face? Do you not know my voice? Do you want further proof?

Then, with calm, quiet hands that had ceased to tremble, she removed the widow's cap, the false hair that had so effectually disguised her, and then, when Beatrice saw the soft golden curls clustering, short, and wavy, she uttered a low ery, as though she stood face to face with the specter. "Have you risen from the dead?" she

"The dead never return," was the grave reply. "Do you believe me now, that I am Violante Selwyn?"

But Beatrice waved her away with outstretched arms.
"You are Violante Selwyn," she cried; "and I—oh, Heaven, what am

"A murderess in heart and in deed," said Violante. "Listen, and in a few words I will tell you why I did what

In her dark dress, with the short, clustering, golden curis, her face flushed until all her youthful beauty seemed to return to it, she looked like an avenging angel. So thought the guilty woman crouched at her feet.

"I speak to you before Heaven. I accuse you before Heaven, that you, Beatrice Leigh, drove me to madness and despair. You taunted me, you sneered at me, you persecuted me; you held me up to the ridicule of friends and foes; you deliberately set to work and stole my husband's heart from me; you took it quite away, and he ceased to care for me; you made him ashamed of me, you thrust your beauty, your wit, your thousand accom-plishments before him, and contrasted them with my ignorance; and you won my husband's love. I knew it. I saw him kiss you, and then I went mad."

A cold sneer on the white face, a wicked gleam on the dark, angry eyes. "You drove me to despair, Beatrice," she continued, "and my sorrow was so great that it confused my notions of right and wrong. Sneer if you willit hid from me the face of the Most High. I dared not kill myself; but I resolved to go away forever from my husband's sight—to relieve him from what I believed to be a burden to him -my presence. You can guess how it happened. I fled, and sent my maid on first to England. She was killed at You can guess how it Sedi, while I had sought shelter in a little village not far from Florence.

When I read in the papers that was dead, and my husband mourned for me," she continued, "a temptation came to me and I yielded to it. I allowed the world to believe me dead! God knows why-he understands-man never will. In this disguise I have lived ever since; but my heart ached so to see my husband and son that I came here. I could not help it."

"An infamous story—an infamous plot to disgrace me!" cried Beatrice." "Nay; not so! it was an error—a woman's error. I forgot right or wrong. I forgot the probability that my husband would ever marry again

-it never occurred to me. You did it all for this one hour of vengeance and of triumph," said

"It is not so! You have tried to kill my son, and my heart is full of indignation, of sorrow, and of anger; but believe me, for the disgrace I have unthinkingly and unconsciously brought down upon your head, I am

sorry-sorry with my whole soul. I would kneel to beg your forgiveness for it; I would do anything to atone for it." "Disgrace!" cried Beatrice. heaven, that any living woman should use that word to me." Her tall figure was drawn to its

utmost height, her dark eyes flashed "I have to thank the plotting, lowborn daughter of a country attorney that I, Beatrice Leigh, am disgraced!" she cried; "that I have lived for six years with the man I love, yet am not his wife; that I have borne a child

who has no right to his father's name! It is to you I owe it!" The fair head drooped before her in unutterable sorrow.
"It is all my fault," she replied "Would that I could bear the

punishment alone." "It is your fault," said Beatrice. She drew herself up with the hauteur of a queen. She raised her bare, white arm as though appealing to the highest tribunal. "Listen," she cried. "You

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have outwitted me. You have tri-umphed over me. I curse you! I curse the fair beauty of your face: I would fain trample it out. Sleeping, waking, eating, weeping, laughing, I curse you. Violante Selwyn, and I hate you with the hate of hell."

Violante made no attempt to stay the passionate torrent of words.
"I must return to my child," she said. "Beatrice, Rupert's life trembles in the balance; the least excitement will kill him. Let us keep this secret yet a little longer-until tomor row evening, cost what it may, I will tell my husband myself, then go out of his presence for evermore. Will you keep my secret until then?"
"As you will," was the sullen re-

"And, Beatrice, I have something to forgive. You have tried to kill my son; I will pardon you," pleaded Violante gently. "I will pardon and forget if you will forgive me the wrong

The proud, implacable face, full of angry resentment, was turned to her. was the bitter reply; "I would not forgive you, Violante Selwyn, if an angel from heaven asked me. I will curse you, and hate you; but forgive you, so help me heaven, I never will!"

"You will keep my secret until tomorrow?" said Violante, humbly.

"If by the raising of my finger," said Beatrice Leigh, "I could stretch you dead at my feet, I would lay you there. Better, Violante Selwyn, to have made yourself any other enemy. You shall not triumph in the end." And so defiant, so proud, so wicked was the face turned to Violante, that she shuddered as with a mortal cold, "Remember," Missed Beatrice, as she passed her, "my last word to you was

She swept from the room without another look at the unhappy woman she left behind.

Then Violante replaced her cap and her disguise; she took the bottle from the table and hastily quitted the room. She flew rather than walked down the corridor—all was silent; that terrible interview had not been overheard. Rupert lay wide awake.

Where have you been?' he asked, "I was just getting frightened."
She looked at her watch. It was half-past twelve. Then, pouring out the medicine into a glass she held it

to his lips. He drank it eagerly, as he did everything she offered to him. "Now," she whispered, try to sleep." And the eyes that had so long been hot and sleepless closed at last—not in weariness, but in slumber—closed, and the limbs relaxed; a faint color crept into the cheeks, a faint moisture came on the hot brow.
[To be Continued.]

FATAL FIRE

American Hotel, at Genesee, N. Y., Burned-Two Men Suffocated-The Guests Lose All Their Belongings.

Geneseo, N. Y., May 8 .- The American Hotel here was destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning. There were about 30 guests in the hotel at the time, and most of them barely esthe time, and most of them barely escaped with their lives. After the fire had been gotten under control, the dead bodies of Lafayette Carney and Sherman Deboray, of West Sparta, were found on the third floor. The men had evidently been suffocated by the smoke. It is thought that a woman also lost her life, but her identity is unknown, and the body has not as yet been found. The cause of the fire

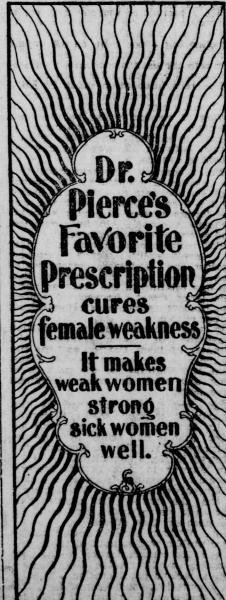
is said to be incendiary.

Many of the guests had narrow escapes, and most of them lost every thing except their night clothing. Miss Skidmore, a niece of the proprietor, jumped from a veranda, and was quite seriously injured. James Sweety jumped from a second story window and sustained a broken ankle. Others of the guests were slightly injured. estimated between \$15,000 and \$20,000.

SMALLPOX IN WINNIPEG. Winnipeg, May 8 .- A third victim has been added to the smallpox list of deaths. Nurse Lynch, of the Winni-

peg General Hospital staff, died at the smallpox hospital. Another lady, Mrs. Thomas Lyons, is in a critical state. REV. DR. EASTON AND NETHER-. SOLE.

Washington, May 8.-Rev. Dr. Easton, who has been sued by Olga Nethersole for alleged slander, made this statement from his pulpit on Sun-day evening: When I quoted the words, 'lewd actress' in speaking of Miss Olga Nethersole in the role of 'Sapho,' I had reference not to her personal character, of which I have no knowledge, but to the character of the role she is playing. I had not the slightest intention of denouncing Miss Nethersole's personal character, but that of the persons she impersonated, involving as it does, a widespread and pernicious influence upon society. This explanation is given so as to be as public as the original discourse."



April Figures Illustrate the Old Country's Prosperity.

A Turning Point in the History of England's Established Church.

BRITISH TRADE RETURNS. London, May 8.—The statement of the board of trade for the month of April shows increases of £3,264,900 in imports and £3,187,600 in exports. ASSASSIN MISSED GEN. ALFARO. Guayaquil, Ecuador, May 8 .- An un-

successful attempt was made Monday to assassinate President Alfaro. This is the third attempt made to kill Gen.

MAD KING OTTO NEAR DEATH. Munich, May 7.—It is stated that mad King Otto, of Bavaria, is in a critical condition, and likely to die within a few hours or days at Fuerstenried Castle.

CHURCH AFFAIRS. London, May 8.—The archbishops' decision on the revocation of the ele-ments of the sacrament is regarded by the religious press as a turning point in the history of the English Church. The judgment utterly disallows the practice which ritualists consider of vital importance, and this is done on legal grounds, because the matter was settled at the time of the reformation, and the decision has never been reversed. It is not yet lear whether a strong minority of irreconcilable extremists will decline to obey the bishops, but the great ma-jority of high church clergy will be bound by the decision whether with or without constraint of conscience, CABLE NOTES.

Colombian rebels are said to have secured a torpedo boat.

Thirty-eight persons were hurt in a railway collision between Severs and Chaville, France, on Sunday.

The national porture has be birther

The national party has been highly successful in French municipal elections, competing with republicans and

Sunday's gorgeous festivities in Berlin closed the celebration of the crown prince's 21st birthday. Em-peror william attended mass in St. Edwig's Church and later a Lutheran Madam Sarah Bernhardt and Cou-

line, it is announced, will make a tour of the United States, to last six months. The actors will leave for Mount Vesuvius has been in a state America at the end of October. of eruption for the last three days, and explosions within the crater have thrown lava and masses of rock to a

great height.

Advices received from Samoa announce that the United States flag has been hoisted over the Island of Tuituila amid great native rejoicing, and that the chiefs have made a formal cession

IN MANCHURIA

Serious Friction Between Bussians

London, May 8 .- The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Times says: Reports have reached here of serious riction between the Russians and the Chinese in Manchuria on the Russian railway construction route. case a detachment of 35 Chinese soldiers shot the Russian captain of ten Cossocks who were doing police duty. The Cossocks attacked and pursued the Chinese, cutting them down. The Russian Government sent a complaint to Pekin, demanding the punishment of the highest Chinese officials of the district. China complied. There have been several murders and mutilations of Russian engineers by Chinese bri-

A premeditated attack was made upon two camps of the Wei Hai Wed boundary commission, May 5. Major Penrose and four men of the Chinese regiment were wounded. The attacking party were repulsed with the loss of thirty men killed. The disturbances are due to Chinese officials working on the credulity of the natives

BOER VOLKSRAAD

For 1900 Inaugurated by President Kruger-He Says They Have Plenty of Money and the Sympathy of the

Pretoria, Monday, May 7.—The offi-cial closing of the 1899 Volksraad, which broke up unofficially in September last, occurred this morning. The vacant seats of Gen. Joubert and Gen. De Kock and others were filled with flowers. The hall was crowded, a large number of ladies being present. After prayer the raad adjourned to the afternoon, when the session of 1900 was inaugurated. President Kruger, in his speech opening the session, alluded feelingly to the vacancies. Referring to Gen. Joubert, he said: "Future generations will be able to judge the work of the deceased, whose demeanor inspired the enemy with respect, and whose humane and brave conduct gave fame and importance to the state among civilized nations." He was profoundly struck, he said, by the proof of sincere friendship given by the people of the Free State, who had fulfilled their obligations to the Transvaal under the treaty. They had realized that a united front was required, as an attack upon the inde-pendence of the Transvaal meant a threat against the Free State. He had implicit confidence in the future of the Afrikander nation. He was pleased to say that the relations of the Traansvaal with foreign states, with the exception of Great Britain, were good.

After referring to the peace proposals of the presidents of both republics and Lord Solichur Braid. Lord Salisbury, President Kruger sald: "We proved by legislation and our dealing with Great Britain last year that it was our desire to preserve peace; and now that war has broken out we will do everything to restore

After alluding to the deputation now on a mission to Europe and the United States, he said he was pleased to see that the sympathy of the world was on their side in the war; that ambulances had been sent, and that their friends were united in endeavoring to alleviate the distress caused by the struggle

After reference to alleged violations of the Red Cross convention and to the consequent protests of foreign powers, President Kruger continued: Knowing the difficult circumstances, I am glad to say that our finances will enable us to bear the great expenses of the war, and that the mines are

The president concluded with

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ference to the Free State loan, and suggested that the session be not pro-longed, and that only matters of importance be dealt with. In a moving peroration he invoked the blessing and help of the Almighty. Fifty out of a total of 60 legislators were present, several of them still suffering from wounds.

FOURTEEN TORNADOES Kansas City, Mo., May 8.—No less than fourteen tornadoes are reported to have been seen Sunday in Central Kansas, ranging through Saline, EMs-worth, Rice, Barton and Pawnee counties. As far as learned, Wm. Helfrick and wife, who lost their lives in the destruction of their home, north of Ellsinwood, were the only people killed. Over twenty people were reported slightly injured.

FATAL RUNAWAY ACCIDENT. Tilsonburg, May 8.—In North Nor-wich Saturday night a young farmer of that place, named Fred Brearley, lost his life by a runaway accident. The deceased was driving a pair of colts that he had been working all day, when they took fright and ran away in a lane near the house. The young man was found lying on the ground where the horses started, with his head in the fence. He had a rib broken and several cuts about the head. The patient did not rally from the anaesthetic given him and died at 3 o'clock Sunday morn-

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, May 7, 8 p.m.—The depressions mentioned last night are now moving into the lake region, and general rains are indicated for Ontario and Quebec, accompanied by higher temperature. The weather is fine and warm in the Territories and Manitoba, and fine and cool in the Maritime Provinces. Sharp frosts occurred last night from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 48-58; Kamloops, 50-72; Calgary, 38-70; Qu'Appelle, 48-70; Winnipeg, 52-80; Port Arthur, 26-60; Parry Sound, 24-62; Toronto, 30-54; Ottawa, 28-60; Montreal, 30-50; Quebec, 20,48; Halifer, 26,46 Quebec, 20-48; Halifax, 36-46.

Local temperatures—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at

the observatory on Monday, May 7, were 67 and 27.5 degrees.
Today (Tuesday) the sun rose at 5

.m., and sets at 7:27 p.m. The moon rose at 1:50 p.m., and sets at 1:56 a.m.

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-W. E. Gunn, city, left this morning for London, England. -Mr. Byron Parker spent Sunday with friends in St. Thomas.

-Mr. John Daniel O'Neil, of this city, has been appointed a notary public. -Mrs. George Bishop, wife of Rev.

George Bishop, of Toronto, spent Mon-day with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Will Leng, London East postoffice. -You may want some printing-letterheads, statements or billheads. Send your order to The Advertiser Job Printing Department, and it will re-

ceive prompt attention. -Mr. Ed. C. Effner, a popular young Londoner, left this morning for Buffalo, N. Y., where he has secured a

splendid situation. Ed's many friends will wish him every success. -The appointment of Alfred Bailey to be license inspector for East Middlesex, and Arthur Walters to be a license commissioner in West Middle-

sex have been officially gazetted. -John Carrell, a tinsmith, East London, had his face burned on Saturday by the explosion of a copper tank. His injuries are very painful, but he was able to resume work shortly after the accident.

-Mr. George Bartley, formerly of this city, is now the editor of the Independent, a weekly paper, published in Vancouver in the interests of the wageearners of British Columbia. He is a brother of Mr. Henry Bartley, of this

BIG CONVENTION IN JUNE.

On Tuesday, June 19, there will assemble in London the delegates to the annual convention of the Metal Polishers', Buffers', Platers' and Brass Workers' Union of North America, to the number of over 200. Last year the city council invited the convention to hold its meeting for 1900 in London, promising to make the occasion an en-joyable and memorable one for the delegates. The invitation was accepted, and accordingly June 19 will witness an influx of delegates from all over the United States and Canada. COUNTY CLUB OFFICERS.

The members of the County Club held a successful meeting at the Tecumseh House last night, when the following officers were elected for 1900: Honorary president, Sir John Carling (re-elected); S. Lawrence, Vanneck; W. Wyllie

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FUNERAL OF THE LATE ANDREW DENHOLM

The funeral of the late Andrew Denholm took place yesterday afternoon to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. The services were conducted at the First Presbyterian Church, where a large number had assembled to pay a last token of respect to the deceased. The pastor, Rev. W. J. Clark, made a touching reference to the faithfulness and zeal of the deceased, and spoke of him as having died in harness. In the carriages which followed the hearse to the cemetery were many prominent citizens. The pallbearers, representing the session and managers of the church, were: Messrs A. McPherson, W. J. Craig, A. M. Hamilton, Thomas Bryan, John Cameron and John Mills.

Transact Considerable Business in a Short Time.

How a Horse Fell Into a Hole-C. P. R. and G. T. R. Billed for Broken Hydrants-New Mains To Be Laid.

The regular meeting of the water commissioners was held yesterday afternoon. Those present were Chairman Jones, Mayor Rumball, Engineer Moore and Secretary Ellwood.

Mrs. Fowler, of No. 9 Caroline street, London West, wrote, inclosing a bill for repairs to road the ground gave way beneath her horse and he was engulfed, breaking the shafts of the vehicle. The engineer debentures be issued.

Ald. Plant spoke in

will report. hydrant at the corner of Talbot and Simcoe streets be moved to the outside of the walk. He also asked that the hydrants at the following corners be moved to allow the watering carts to be filled from them: Maitland and Princess, Maitland and Central, Waterloo and Pall Mall, William and Piccadilly, William and York, Maitland and

Oxford. Recommendation adopted. Walworth Manufacturing Company, Boston, offered to supply lead pipe at 51/2 cents per pound, on board cars at Pittsburg. Letter filed.

A. J. Morgan wrote, accepting the proposition of the commissioners re re operating the merry-go-round at Springbank Park this year. Mr. Mor-gan will pay \$25 for the exclusive privilege, and will place his merry-goround wherever the engineer may

The city solicitor wrote that he had been served in the suit of Saunby vs. London water commissioners, to heard at the non-jury sittings in June. The G. T. R. wrote, disclaiming liability for \$7 for the repair of a hydrant at Bathurst and Wellington streets. at Bathurst and Wellington streets.
The hydrant is used by cattle drovers to water stock. The key has been taken from them several times, but they ken from them several times, but they have made. They will be asked to pay for the breakage of the hydrant, and advised to have a water service supplied for their stock.

The C. P. R. wrote, denying liability for repairing hydrant, said to have be broken by their employes at Pall Mail and Wellington streets. The engineer

says it was last used by the C. P. R. men, and the company will again be asked to foot the bill. City Engineer Graydon recommended that a four-inch main be laid on Johnston street, estimated cost \$150, and on the Pipe Line road, from Orchard street to Johnston street, estimated cost The recommendation was adopt-

The trustees of Wellington Street Methodist Church will be refunded \$13, which they paid over average bill owing to a leak in the pipe.

Engineer Findlay reported that the amount of water pumped for the week ending May 6 was 19,603,980 gallons.

PRESBYTERIAN Y.P.S.

Meet in Annual Convention in London -Officers Elected.

Yesterday afternoon and evening the fourth annual conference of the Young People's Societies of the London Presbytery was held in St. Andrew's church. There were about 100 delegates in attendance.

The chair was occupied by Rev. J. Steven, of Dutton, the president, and Miss M. A. Murray, of Wilton Grove, acted as secretary. In the afternoon a number of gratifying reports were received. A number of five-minute papers were

read by delegates. The following officers were elected: Honorary president, the moderator of London Presbytery; president, Rev. J. R. Barnett, Kintyre; first vice-president, Rev. J. F. Scott, Rodney; second vice-president, Rev. A. Wilson, Newbury; recording secretary, Miss M. A. Murray, Wilton Grove; corresponding secretary, Miss Jessie Allan, Kintyre; treasurer, Miss L. McCard, Belmont; executive committee, Revs. J. F. Scott, Rodney; George Gilmour, London Junction; J. Currie, Belmont; H. W. Reid, St. Thomas; W. M. Kay,

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The Matter of Ward Reduction in Abeyance

And the School Board's Claims Referred to a Committee -Buying New Hose-Street Watering Must Be Properly

The city council held a lengthy session last night, and it was nearly 12:30 o'clock when adjournment was made. It was expected that the matter of ward abolition would be discussed, but such was not the case, as Mayor Rumball considered it was too important a matter to be dealt with on such short notice. There is yet a possibility that the board of education's tre may be soothed, as the com-munication of its solicitors anent the proposed suit was referred to commit-

tee for consideration.

Very little of importance outside of the regular committee reports was up for consideration, but these were lengthy, and their discussion prolong-

ed the meeting. The city engineer's communication, re the removal of garbage from householders' premises was referred to the board of health; one from W. H. Bartram, re the removal of alleged obstacles on Beech street was sent to committee. One was from Mr. J. R. Gray, notifying the acceptance by the Allied Trades' convention of the council's invitation to meet in this

THE SCHOOL BOARD'S CLAIMS. Mr. I. F. Hellmuth notified the council of his instructions to take legal proceedings to compel it to comply with the request of the board of education for the amount of its esti-mates unless some other than the

present plan is adopted.

Ald. Cooper and Winder, moved that the communication be filed. Ald. Winnett thought it would be her wagon shafts. She wrote that as wise to go slow in this matter. The she was driving along the Wharncliffe city would lose in either case. If the matter were reconsidered he would be willing to again move that \$20,000

Ald. Plant spoke in a similar strain. He believed it would be more judicious to refer the matter to No. 1 commit-

The purchase of 1,000 feet of 21/2-inch ored the latter and some the former. A satisfactory test of the "Keystone" was made vesterday afternoon. Ald. Winnett believed that as the



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Hyde Park; J. G. Stuart, South Lon-At the evening session the new pre-sident was introduced. An address on

tee. An amendment to this effect carried.

NEW HOSE. hose for the fire department occasioned discussion. Two brands were offered, the "Keystone," two-ply hose, of the Canadian Rubber Company, at 85 cents per foot, and the "Paragon, of the Gutta Percha and Rubbe Manufacturing Company, at 90 cents per foot. Some of the aldermen fav-



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'Paragon" had always been satisfactory, it would be unwise to make a change. He also referred to the statements made last year that the agents of the manufacturers of the Keystone" hose had approached officials and aldermen on previous occa-sions with a view of influencing their

votes by money bribes.

Ald. Ross and Ald. Plant flavored the purchase of 500 feet of each kind. As an amendment, this suggestion was thrown out. The amendment that 1,000 feet of

"Paragon" hose be purchased was lost on the following division: Yeas— Ald. Pritchard, Brener, Winder, Winnett, Malloch, Bartlett, Gerry and Barned. Nays-Ald. Jenkins, Jolly, Stevenson, Ross Cooper, Garratt, Dreaney, Plant and Wray. The motion to purchase the "Key-

stone" brand was carried on the same division, with the exception of Ald. Gerry, who voted for it.

WARD ABOLITION. of Ald. Ross. Mayor Rumball said that at the last session of parliament an act was passed that gave notice of motion to committee's report referring No. 3 cities of 40,000 and under to elect aldermen at large. This would apply here if a bylaw were passed by July 1. It was a matter of serious import, as to whether or not it would be advisable to reduce the number of wards to four or follow the plan of electing aldermen The act gave the city power to change the number of alder-men. A notice of motion will be made in regard to this matter at the next

meeting of the council.

MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS. The council was notified that the city engineer had fined George McNeill \$15 for not carrying out his street watering contract in a proper manner. Sworn declarations from Mr. McNeill and the employe concerned were read, in which the statements of the inspector were contradicted. The latter's report was borne out by Ald. Gerry. The report was referred back to the committee. Architect McBride will be asked for

a final certificate to the effect that the Victoria Hospital is completed according to his plans. This is necessary in order that the city may obtain the \$15,000 promised by the county council. A discussion was occasioned by Ald Stevenson's motion that cement walk inspectors be paid the scale of wages adopted by the Builders' Laborers' Union, and the relative merits of bricklayers and laborers as judges of cement were debated. The matter goes

No. 1 committee was given power to prepare a bylaw, if in accordance with the statute, abolishing the present plan of charging 5 per cent on all unpaid taxes, and substituting a charge of 1 per cent for each month after November, and 5 per cent after April 30. The recommendation made in No. 2 committe's report that a number of sufficiently signed petitions against the

filed was

laying of cement walks be

to committee.

adopted, after a long discussion in regard to a block on West Edward street, between Elmwood avenue and Duchess avenue. No. 2 committee recommended that the resolution adopted by the council that no accounts be paid until passed by No. 1 committee be rescinded, and the former system of paying accounts be again adopted. Ald. Jolly objected,

and it was ruled out of order. The recommendation that a number of insufficiently signed petitions against the laying of cement walks was carried, with the exception that the one relating to the block on north side Grey street, between Waterloo and Colborne streets, was referred back

Winnett, Malloch, Bartlett and the engineer be empowered to visit Ham-ilton and Toronto for the purpose of inspecting brick and other permanent The council was informed by the department of public works, in regard to its communication re cigarette to-

bacco, that it had power over manu-

consisting of Mayor Rumball, Ald.

was decided that a deputation

facturers only. The notification was referred to No. 3 committee. In answer to Ald. Plant's inquiry re cement crossings, such as are laid on Queen's avenue, Ald. Winnett stated that the engineer had assured him that they were durable, and could be laid cheaper than others.

Hon. William Mulock, acting minister of public works, notified the council that its communication re the new armories would receive the depart-ment's serious consideration. Filed. A deputation, consisting of Rev. Dr. J. V. Smith and Secretary C. R. Sayer, asked for a remission of the taxes on

erty is assessed for \$24,000. Granted. Mr. J. H. Ferguson, on behalf of the Real Estate Owners' asked for 25 copies of the minutes of last meeting. No. 1 committee. The request of John Peance and Nancy Fisher for admission to the Aged People's Home was referred to

the relief inspector and the mayor, with power.

Ald. Stevenson's motion to have the property between the city and Springbank taken into the city limits was carried.

No. 2 committee's recommendation that the engineer be empowered to purchase 100 "Don't Spit" signs, at 26 cents each was adopted. The city will lay a three-foot cross-ing on Bathurst street, between Col-

borne and Waterloo. Contractor Chambers will be paid in full for his work at Victoria Hos-No. 1 committee's report and that of

the legislative committee were adopt-Ald. Plant moved for a report as to whether or not rates were being paid by the property owners interested, for the sewer on Horton street, between

Richmond and Talbot streets. Carried. A large number of bylaws for the laying of cement walks were given their first reading.

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