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What Was Wanted.

Morley's Irish Land Bill Finds Great Favor.

Li Hung Sets Out to Negotiate Peace for China.

Wei-Wei Abandoned—The Japs Destroy the Forts and Leave—Serious Falling Off in the B. N. A. Dividend—Rosebery Better.

ROSEBERY BETTER.

LONDON, March 5.—Lord Rosebery's condition is greatly improved.

DEATH OF ACTOR ANDERSON.

LONDON, March 5.—James Anderson, the actor, who was a protege of Macready, and who frequently made tours of America, is dead, age 76.

THE QUEEN'S DRAWING ROOM.

LONDON, March 5.—The Queen held a drawing room at Buckingham Palace this afternoon. Though the weather was very cold, there was a good attendance.

NOTED ENGLISHMAN DEAD.

LONDON, March 5.—Major-General Sir Henry Creswicke Rawlinson died this morning. He was formerly British ambassador to Persia, and was a life member of the Council of India.

A BRITISH LIBERAL DEAD.

LONDON, March 5.—Sir Joseph Dodge Weston, member of the House of Commons for the east division of Bristol, died today. In politics Sir Joseph was a Liberal of advanced views in favor of Home Rule. He was a magistrate of Bristol and was mayor of that city in 1842.

IN SPITE OF PROTECTION.

LONDON, March 5.—The Bank of British North America's meeting today declared a dividend of 4 1-2 per cent for the year, as compared with 7 1-2 per cent last year. Mr. Whatman, the chairman, deplored what he described as the "business paralysis" in Canada. He denied that the smaller dividend was due to losses incurred in Newfoundland.

WEI-WEI ABANDONED.

YOKOHAMA, March 5.—The captured Chinese war ships have arrived here, and the reports of the Japanese commanders are favorable to the raising of the sunken war vessels of China at Wei-Hai-Wei. The Japanese have abandoned the Shantung peninsula, including Wei-Hai-Wei, after destroying the fortifications of the latter place.

John Wilde, alias Howie, the American who planned to blow up the Japanese war ships in a novel manner, and who was captured at Wei-Hai-Wei, after having previously been released on parole, has been brought to Japan for trial.

THE CHINESE PEACE ENVOY.

PEKIN, March 5.—Li Hung Chang telegraphed the detalis of the commission as Chinese peace envoy to Japan, saying that if they were unsatisfactory he would not start on his mission. Japan's reply was not given out, but it must have been satisfactory, as Li Hung Chang started for Hiroshima by way of Tien Tsin this morning. Wung Tung Ho, tutor to the Emperor, who has been regarded as a big stumbling block to progress has incurred the displeasure of the Emperor, and a number of other confidants have been dropped.

On the other hand Li Hung Chang met with especial marks of royal esteem and was granted five audiences with the Emperor and two with the Empress. On his peace mission he carries documents showing he has full power to effect a settlement.

Hon. John W. Foster, counsel for the Chinese peace commission, accompanied Li Hung.

NO DIFFICULTY.

Jacques St. Cere telegraphs from Paris to the New York Herald: I had an interview this morning with the highest employe of the French Ministry of Foreign Affairs, and asked him what truth there was in the reports relative to the trouble between the United States and France because of the San Domingo affair. The following was his answer: There is no difficulty between France and the United States about San Domingo, and there cannot be any. France has at present certain difficulties with San Domingo, which, however, are on the point of being amicably settled, for the rights of France are so evident that it is impossible to even discuss them. Besides, they concern only France, and the United States has nothing to do with them. The diplomacy of the United States has always been very courteous and straightforward, and not one word has been said here about the matter. The origin of these reports, it seems to me, is in the desire of President Hereaux of the Dominican republic to make Europe believe that he is supported by the United States. It is true that the representative of the United States in Paris has made certain representations to this Ministry, but they did not relate to San Domingo, but to the interdiction of the importation of American cattle into France.

THE IRISH LAND BILL.

DUBLIN, March 5.—The Freeman's Journal expresses the opinion that the Land Bill introduced in the House of Commons yesterday contains provisions of vast utility to the tenantry of Ireland.

The Independent (Parnellite) says the vital part of the bill is the question of improvements, which requires to be further explained, The voluntary agreement in regard to evicted tenants, it thinks, is a shameful submission to the Lords.

The Unionist Northern Whig (organ of Ulster farmers) accepts the bill as a fair and reasonable measure.

The cordial reception given the principle of Mr. Morley's Irish Land Bill by all political parties was emphasized by an article recently published from the pen of Mr. Thomas W. Russell, Liberal-Unionist member for Mid-Lincoln. "This is an issue," he said, "so straight, so plain and so unmistakeable, that discussion ought to be almost impossible. The issue I refer to is: Ought the Irish tenant who has built his own house, drained and fenced the land he tills—ought such a man to pay rent on his own expenditures? This, I submit, is a clean and clear issue. The landlord's contention is that the tenant has sufficient protection under the law as it stands. But by the official statement issued by the landlords' convention last month, they have gone a step further than this. In this document they defend what I must plainly describe as the confiscation of the tenants' property. I see no way out of a grave difficulty save by Parliament resolutely going back to the clear intentions of the act of 1881—by sweeping aside all legal casuistry, by declaring that while the landlord is entitled to a fair rent upon the land and its inherent capacities, he is not entitled to tax the tenant's industry."

POLITICAL MATTERS.

Laurier at St. Jerome—An Immense Meeting.

East Durham Liberals Decide Not to Nominate at Present—Notes by the Way.

CONSERVATIVE NOMINATIONS.

East Peterboro Conservatives met at Norwood on Tuesday and nominated John Burnham for Parliament. The fight in East Peterboro is between Mr. Burnham, for the Conservatives, and John Lang, ex-M. P., for the Reformers.

The delegates of the Conservative Association of South Wellington, at a convention held on Tuesday afternoon in Guelph to select a candidate for the House of Commons, nominated Christian Kloepfer.

North Perth Conservatives met in Milverton on Tuesday and nominated Alex. F. McLaren for the House of Commons.

At Orillia the nomination of Mr. W. H. Bennett, M.P., was a foregone conclusion.

WILL NOT BE BRIBED.

It is said that Hugh Graham, of the Montreal Star, has been offered a senatorship. The story goes that Mr. Graham interpreted the offer as partaking of the nature of an inducement for him to give the Conservatives his unqualified support in the coming campaign. Consequently, Mr. Graham declined the honor.—Toronto Telegram.

LAURIER AT ST. JEROME.

ST. JEROME, Que., March 5.—A meeting presided over by ex-Mayor Godmer presented an address to Hon. Mr. Laurier upon his arrival here today. The speakers were Hon. Wilfrid Laurier, H. Boureassa, R. Lemieux and Mr. Tarte. The town hall was crowded, and many could not obtain entrance. Great enthusiasm prevailed.

EAST DURHAM LIBERALS.

MILLBROOK, Ont., March 5.—The East Durham Reform Association met here today to select a candidate for the Dominion Parliament. There was a divided opinion as to the advisabiltiy of placing a candidate in the field, and it was decided to await the result of the Patron convention, which is to be held here next week. There are already two candidates in the field for this riding—a Conservative and a McCarthyite.

MR. SHARP WITHDRAWS.

The announcement that Mr. Sharp, the Conservative candidate, had, after being seven months in the field, peremptorily and without a word of warning, withdrawn from the canvass, created a sensation in Dresden.

NORTH BRUCE.

SOUTHAMPTON, Ont., March 5.—A large and enthusiastic Liberal meeting was held in the town hall here tonight. Mr. C. M. Bowman, president of the North Bruce Liberal Association, acted as chairman, and in a neat and pointed speech stated the object of the meeting, and referred briefly to the issues of the day. Mr. A. D. McConnell and Dr. H. A. Bonnar, the Liberal candidate for North Bruce, made short, effective speeches, and were followed by Mr. Charlton, who made the speech of the evening.

THE TROUBLE IN COLOMBIA.

WASHINGTON, March 5.—Disquieting advices continue to reach the Navy Department from Capt. Cromwell, of the Atlanta at Colon whose dispatches confirm the impression in official circles that the Colombian Government is utterly unable to cope with the revolutionists or maintain order. The Progressive party appears to be in the ascendant.

SHOT BY A POLICEMAN.

BUFFALO, March 5.—Stephen Gournek, aged 32, out of work, with a hungry wife and several small children, was shot, probably fatally, last night by Detective Mandell, of the West Shore Railway. He alleges that Gournek was stealing from the railroad, and resisted arrest, and that to save his own life he was obliged to shoot. Gournek is unable to make a statement.

CANADIAN KILLED IN BUFFALO.

BUFFALO, March 5.—Henry Hilts, who came here a few years ago from Humberstone, Ont., was yesterday caught in the belting attached to a buzz-saw frame and carried around several times, each time the body striking the ceiling with tremendous force until it was horribly mutilated. Hilts was 56 years old, and leaves a wife and several children. He had brothers, who resided in Toronto, Parkdale, Port Colborne and in Pinkerton, Ont.

HIGH LIVING.

NEWARK, N. J., March 5.—George A. Ballantyne, who has obtained a divorce in Paris, is the son of the late Peter Ballantyne, head of the great Ballantyne brewing interests. Six years ago he met Miss Mabel Lathrop, of Boston, in the Adirondacks. Their marriage took place in 1889. Mr. Ballantyne's bride was coldly received by his family, and the two went to Paris. Ballantyne applied himself to the study of architecture, his wife to enjoying life in the French metropolis. Ballantyne's income of $600,000 a year, it is said, was not sufficent to keep up the expenses.

PECULIAR HOMICIDE.

CINCINNATI, March 5.—A most peculiar homicide occurred in front of James Martin's residence on Dalton avenue today. Herman Wessling, a varnisher, was on his way to work, when without warning a pistol ball entered his chest and passed through his heart. Mrs. Martin says she was making up their folding bed in the lower front room and took the revolver from under the pillow and placed it on the mantelpiece. Just as she did so she heard a pistol shot, but did not know it was the one she was handling. Her husband rushed in from the back room to ask about it, and they found it was their pistol, and also found the hole where the bullet went through the wall.

PROVOST WYLIE, of Hamilton, Scotland, the respected father of the courageous young misionary, Rev. Jas. A. Wylie, who was brutally murdered by Chinese soldiery in August last at Leadigong, has forwarded £1,000, received from the Chinese Government as compensation, to the foreign mission secretary of the United Presbyterian Church, for the purpose of erecting a mission chapel and hospital at or near the place where his son labored and died. This act on the part of the bereaved father speaks eloquently of the deep missionary spirit of the family.

Late Canadian News.

David Edwards, of Montreal, Charged With Killing His Sister.

Mr. William Paterson, M.P., is confined to his room with a very severe cold.

In the Valleyfield, Que., murder case, the line of defense will be on the plea of insanity.

The Ontario Artillery Association has elected as president Major John S. Hendrie, Hamilton.

The Presbyterian Church at Glensboro, Man., was burned Sunday morning. Loss, $25,000.

It is stated in Ottawa that the Canadian Government is endeavoring to bring about free trade between Canada and Cape Colony.

Bradstreet's reports these assignments: W. Pomeroy & Co., merchants, Fullarton; E. Steele, general store, Ormsby; Conrad S. Ratz, general store, Rostock.

Escaping gas from a coal oil stove nearly resulted in the death of George Parrott, the sexton of the old Baptist Church at Winnipeg, and his wife on Sunday night.

David Edwards who murdered his sister on Monday at Outremont Que., was found guilty, but the coroner's jury was of the unanimous opinion that the prisoner was insane.

A tragedy happened about four miles back of Wellington Tuesday afternoon. A man by the name of Harvey Terry hanged himself in his own barn. Cause not known. He attended a funeral in the morning.

It is understood that an application will be made to change the venue in the case of Shortis, the Valleyfield murderer, from Beauharnois to Montreal, so that he can be tried at the June court of Queen's Bench in Montreal.

At Montreal on Tuesday Coroner MacMahon held an inquest on the body of Annie Edwards, who was killed by her insane brother, David Edwards, jun. The jury returned a verdict of murder and the prisoner will be committed to the Queen's Bench.

Samuel De Fries, Francis Tamblyn and John Mulligan, ex-Grand Trunk conductors, against whom true bills were brought in by the Grand Trunk at Montreal, were arraigned in court on Tuesday morning before Judge Baby, and pleaded not guilty. They were remanded for trial. John Stone, one of the conductors, is said to have gone to California.

Live News in a Line.

Edward Harrigan, the New York actor, is ill from grip. His condition is serious.

Martial law has been declared in the Province of Santa Clara, Cuba, as the result of the uprising of two insurgent bands.

D. Hack Tuke, M.D., F.R.C.P., LL.D., the well-known writer upon the subject of mental diseases, died in London on Tuesday. He was born in 1827.

Brokers on the New York Stock Exchange indulged in boyish demonstrations of hilarity at noon on Monday, shouting, "The fifty-third Congress is dead!"

Walter T. Webb, formerly a well-known temperance and labor advocate, of Port Colborne, Ont., lately engaged in Buffalo in the insurance business, died on Monday of pneumonia.

The smaller cities and rural municipalities of New York State elected municipal officers on Tuesday. Most reports are of Republican successes, and old Democrat majorities overthrown.

There was a serious clash between the freshmen and juniors of the Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, on Monday. Bloody noses and black eyes were given indiscriminately. Thomas Dudley Williams, son of Dr. P. C. Williams, of Baltimore, was knocked down and crushed into insensibility. It took ten minutes to revive him, and then he was sent home in a critical condition.

THE HYAMS CASE.

Mrs. Pillow Charged With Personating Harry's Wife.

MONTREAL, March 5.—John Mossburger Pillow and his wife were arrested here yesterday in connection with the Hyams insurance case. It is charged that they came to Toronto, and that Mrs. Pillow personated Mrs. Harry Hyams in an effort to obtain an $80,000 life insurance policy from the Equitable Life Company, while Hyams was in negotiation with George Broughall, the agent.

His former stenographer, Miss Latimer, came into the office, and learning that she was employed by Broughall Hyams discontinued negotiations. Previous to leaving Montreal a policy of $20,000 had been received from the Sun Mutual, in which Mrs. Pillow is also charged with personating.

Pillow was manager of the Crescent chemical works, owned by Harry Hyams. The pair will be sent to Toronto.

A later telegram says: J. M. Pillow and wife, of Montreal, who were arrested yesterday on a charge of conspiring with the Hyams brothers to defraud the insurance companies, were liberated this afternoon by order of Crown Prosecutor Curry, of Toronto, who had a long consultation with the prisoners, and who it is stated obtained a promise from them to go to Toronto and give evidence, on which condition they were released from custody.

THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE.

Caller (inquiring of hotel clerk at 9 a.m.—Is Mr. Jones up?
Clerk—Yes, sir.
Caller—Is he down?
Clerk—Yes, sir.
Caller—Ah, thanks; I'll step into the breakfast room and see him.

Hanged Herself With a Skein of Yarn.

LACONIA, N. H., March 5.—Mrs. Joseph L. O'Dell, wife of a prominent citizen of Lakeport and mother of Rev. Willis P. O'Dell, of Buffalo, committed suicide by hanging herself to a door with a skein of yarn. She was 60 years old and suffered mentally for some years.

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Elgin's Sensation.

One of the Most Important Trials in the County's History.

John Hendershott and W. D. Welter Arraigned for Murder.

Sensational Circumstances of the Tragedy and the Supposed Motive That Led to the Terrible Crime.

ST. THOMAS, March 5.—The spring jury sittings of the county of Elgin opened this afternoon at 1:30 before his Lordship W. R. Meredith, chief justice of the Common Pleas Division of the High Court. The most interesting case to be tried at this session is that of the Queen vs. Hendershott and Welter. It is claimed by the crown that the two men, John Hendershott and W. D. Welter, murdered W. H. Hendershott for his insurance as the result of a settled plot to realize upon his death. Mr. B. B. Osler, Q.C., will prosecute on behalf of the crown, while Messrs. Macdonald & Robertson, a firm of local barristers, will watch the case on behalf of the prisoners.

W. H. Hendershott, the victim of the alleged murder for mere pay, was a young farm laborer; the man who, according to present appearances, planned his murder was his father's brother; the supposed hired assassin was a young man, son of a highly-respected neighboring farmer, and the apparent object behind the crime was the swindling of the New York Mutual Reserve and the Galesburg, Ill., Covenant Insurance Companies of $11,000 insurance which had a few short weeks before been placed by the uncle on the life of the deceased.

THE VICTIM AND ACCUSED.

William Henry Hendershott was aged 24, a son of David Hendershott, of Walsingham Center. For the past two years he has been making his home off and on with John Hendershott, of Middlemarch. He had been working at Fingal until a couple of weeks before the tragedy, when he again took up his residence with his uncle at Middlemarch. On Sept. 7 last he took out a policy for $5,000 in the Covenant Mutual Insurance Company, of Galesburg, Ill. The policy was made payable to his uncle John. The uncle paid the first premium on this policy, $23 50, but claims that he then owed the deceased $25. On Nov. 23, a second policy for $6,000 was taken out in the Mutual Reserve Association of New York. This was also made payable to his uncle, who also paid the premium of $48.

William David Welter, charged with the murder, is a young man 24 years of age, and the son of Mr. Isaac Welter, whose farm is west of and adjoins John Hendershott's. Welter had made his home for a year and a half with John Hendershott, and paid marked attention to Mary Lily Hendershott, his fellow-prisoner's 19-year-old daughter, to whom it is said he was engaged. His parents objected to the attentions paid to the young lady, and an estrangement ensued, the young man going to live with Hendershott.

John Hendershott, uncle of the deceased, and the beneficiary of the insurance policies, is a man 44 years of age. He formerly kept the hotel at New Sarum. His wife, a sister of Charles E. Welter, and a cousin of W. D. Welter, died about a year ago. He has two daughters.

STORY OF THE TRAGEDY.

On Dec. 14 last, W. D. Welter appeared at the House of Charles Welter, a cousin, about a mile from Middlemarch, and reported that Hendershott had got in the way of a falling tree in Wardell's woods and been killed. His story was that the two had chepped and sawn a tree, and that as the tree was about to fall, Hendershott, who had left his coat, vest and watch on a log in line of the falling tree, ran to save his watch, stumbled on a knoll, fell, and he tree struck and killed him.

Charles E. Welter, farmer, Middlemarch, an uncle of the dead man, who was in the city in the afternoon, was informed of the occurrence and notified Dr. Gustin, coroner, who, from the statement made to him, having no ground for suspecting that deceased met his death by foul play, gave permission for the removal of the body.

SUSPICION AROUSED.

It was not long, however, before suspicions were aroused. Messrs. E. Wardell, R. Stevens, R. Curtis, R. Sanders and others, who went to the woods for the body, while awaiting permission from the coroner to remove it, discovered spots of blood on the leaves by the side of the fallen tree. Next day the fact of the heavy insurance became public. Others visited the woods that day and more blood marks were found, the only explanation given being that the blood might be that of a horse shot on Thanksgiving Day and lying in an adjoining field. The blood, it was said, might have been carried by dogs who devoured the horse. The fallen tree was examined at the point at which deceased's head lay under it, and it was the general opinion that if he had fallen as stated, and the tree struck him, his skull would have been crushed like an eggshell, and not wounded as it was.

THE ARREST.

These circumstances, indicating that murder had been committed, so excited the residents in the locality that the authorities were notified. The Attorney-General's department was notified, and Detective Murray was sent here. A few days later the two men were taken into custody. Since the arrest the officer has spent several weeks in the vicinity, and it is claimed has worked up a strong case against the accused.

HORSES DIRT-CHEAP!

How the Bottom Has Fallen Out of the Market.

TORONTO, March 5.—A neat little bay, apparently sound and in fair condition, sold for $15; a black ditto for the same price; a grey gelding, somewhat larger, knocked down for $15; a bay, a trifle thin but full of life, withdrawn without an offer.

This was the record made within ten minutes at Grand's auction rooms today. The bottom has fallen clean out of the horse market, and ordinary animals are scarcely wotrh the price of their hides.

Somebody Blundered.

NEW YORK, March 5.—The board of health refused this morning to record the certificate of the Castelaine-Gould marriage sent from St. Patrick's Cathedral because it had no date. It was sent back to the cathedral for correction.

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HOCKEY—AYR (WESTERN CHAMPIONS) vs. London, Wednesday, March 6. Game called 8:15. 32u

QUEEN'S AVENUE RINK—AYR CHAMPIONS vs. London. Exciting Hockey contest. Game called 8:30. b

WESTMINSTER RINK — SKATING afternoon and night. The Harpers Wednesday; grand fancy dress carnival Monday, 11th. 32tf

DON'T FAIL TO HEAR MR. DURWARD Lely, the great Scottish tenor, Wednesday evening, March 6. Popular prices, 25c., 50c. and 75c. 26td

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MISS WRIGHT, OF OTTAWA, WILL give an address on "Woman's Work" in Cronyn Hall, Friday, March 8, at 8 p.m. Collection. b

CENTRAL RINK—SKATING—HUSSAR Band Wednesday and Friday; Boys' Brigade drill Tuesday next; races on Wednesday next. 33g

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(Advertisements under this heading one cent a word each insertion.)

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THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE Women's Christian Association will be held in the "Y" rooms, on Thursday, March 7, at 3 p.m. b

QUEEN'S AVENUE CHURCH CHOIR and orchestral practice City Hall, Friday evening, 8 o'clock. J. W. FETHERSTON, Conductor. 33u

I. O. O. F.—DOMINION LODGE, NO. 48, meets this (Wednesday) evening. Initiation and consideration of proposed changes in benefits. Very important. Every member requested to attend. Visitors welcome. R. H. JOHNSTON, N. G.; THOS. D. HASTINGS, P. G., R. Sec. b

ST. GEORGE'S, 42, A., F. AND A. M., G. R. C., meets to-night (Wednesday), 6th inst., at 7:30 o'clock sharp. Third degree. Visitors welcome. JOHN A. NELLES, W.M.; A. ELLIS, secretary. b

MACCABEES—LONDON TENT 17 WILL meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday night, at Edge Block, Richmond Street. b

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE W. A. M. A. will be held at Bishop Cronyn Hall, on Tuesday next, March 5; litany service and holy communion at St. Paul's Cathedral, 10:30 a.m., and an address by His Lordship the Bishop. On Tuesday evening at 8 p.m., a public meeting at Huron College, addresses by Principal Miller and others; general missionary meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 p.m., at Bishop Cronyn Hall, the Lord Bishop in the chair; addresses by the Rt. Rev. J. A. Newnham, Lord Bishop of Moosonee, and others. Collection. 31c

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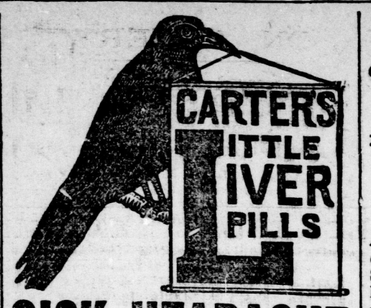
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TAKE NOTICE THAT THE MUNICIPAL Council of the Corporation of the City of London intends to construct a tile drain on Dean street, between Tecumseh and Duchess avenues, to drain land and cellars only, exclusive of sewage, and to assess the final cost thereof upon the property abutting thereon and to be benefited thereby, and that a statement showing the lands liable to pay the said assessment, and the names of the owners thereof, so far as they can be ascertained from the last revised assessment roll, is now filed in the office of the clerk of the municipality, and is open for inspection during office hours.

The estimated cost of the work is $470, of which $170 is to be provided out of the general funds of the municipality.

A court of revision will be held on Monday, the 18th day of March, at 7 p.m., at the City Hall, in the said city, for the purpose of hearing complaints against the proposed assessment or accuracy of the frontage measurements, or any other complaint which persons interested may desire to make, and which is by law cognizable by the court.

City Clerk's Office, Feb. 29, 1895.

27ux C. A. KINGSTON, City Clerk.

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The estimated cost of the work is $2,380, of which $925 80 is to be provided out of the general funds of the Municipality.

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City Clerk's Office, Feb. 27, 1895.

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WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION by J. W. Jones, at his rooms, Dundas street, London, on Friday, March 15, at 2:30 p.m., the stock of W. A. Maricle, Staples, consisting of

Drygoods	$ 650 00
Groceries	400 00
Hardware	300 00
Crockery	125 00
Clothing	344 60
Boots and shoes	150 00
Weigh scales, $150; shop furniture, $150	300 00
	$2,269 00

At the same time and place the stock of G. A. Maguire, Tilsonburg:

Drygoods	$2,647 18
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Clothing	629 60
Hats, caps and furs	293 42
Mantles and millinery	1,251 53
Shop furniture	190 50
	$5,489 52

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Dress goods	970 59
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Church of England Women Workers Meeting in the City.

Delegates From All Parts of Huron Diocese—Opening Session—The Officers' Reports.

The first business session of the Woman's Auxiliary Missionary Association (Anglican) of Huron Diocese was held in the Synod Hall yesterday afternoon. The following representatives of branches were present: Mesdames Baldwin, Boomer, Complin, Falls, Whitehead, Tilley, Smith, English, Moorehouse, Jewell, Hill, Wright, Hughes, Mackenzie, Pegley, Ridley, Edelstein, Holmes, Ward, Pollard, Richardson, Shanly, Shaw, Smith, Ardell, Crosby, Newton, Williams, Lenfesty, Salmond, Mackay, Turnbull, Downie, Farthing, Simpson, Wright, Misses Haskett, Marsh, Battersby, Wright, Bullen, Whitehead, Moore, Barclay, Hunt, Matheson, Diehl, Fish, Burritt, Bennett, Milligan, King, Hodgins, Morecombe, Rutledge and Hoyt, Mrs. Jarvis, Mrs. Thorneroft, Miss Jarvis, Miss Smith, Miss Fox, Mrs. Callott, Mrs. De La Hooke, Mrs. Code Poole, Mrs. Smith, Misses Reed, Mrs. David, Mrs. Wade, Miss Hunt, Miss Moore, Mrs. Thonger, Mrs. Webb, Mrs. Allerdyce, Mrs. Snow, Mrs. Flint, Mrs. Barter, Mrs. Wright, Mrs Steele, Mrs. Fitzgerald, Mrs. A. G. Smyth, Mrs. Logan, Miss Kerby, Mrs. Chance, Miss Wallersley, Miss Harding, Mrs. Hains, Mrs. Mackay, Mrs. Laycock, Miss Madden, Mrs. Hodgins, Miss Matthews, Mrs. Murray, Mrs. Pattullo, Mrs Burton, Mrs. Newton, Mrs. Lenfesty, Mrs. Leaves, Mrs. Robertson, Miss Salmond, Mrs. Pearce, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Mackay, Mrs. Howden, Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. Farthing, Mrs. Dawson, Miss Frizelle, Mrs. Zimmerman, Mrs. Suddaby, Mrs. Brock, Mrs. Parker, Miss Phillips, Miss Windram, Mrs. Burwell, Mrs. Garnet, Miss Paisley, and Miss Morgan.

After the minutes of the meeting of the board of management of the preceding evening had been reached the business arising from them was taken up.

The wish expressed by the board of domestic and foreign missions, that the Woman's Auxiliary should hand over their funds undesignated to the board, on the plea that the members of that board were the most competent persons to judge of the needs of the mission field, was discussed. A few delegates pleaded that to do this was the simple duty as an auxiliary, and that by refusing to do so the association simply constituted itself a board of missions, but the general feeling was that sending in the funds undesignated, instead of dispensing them, would greatly lessen the interest of the branches in the work; consequently it was moved by Mrs. Boomer, and seconded by Mrs. Hoyt, that the Woman's Auxiliary retain its privilege of disposing of its funds. With regard to the disposal of the thanks offerings, to be presented at the triennial meeting in September next, the delegates thereto were requested to use their own discretion. The report of the semi-annual meeting held last October in Stratford was adopted.

The report of the recording secretary showed marked progress in the work. It is much to be regretted that several branches have neglected to send in reports, but those sent show the number of senior branches to be 87, junior branches 41, senior membership 1,400, junior 1,000. Two new life members have been made.

The corresponding secretary in her report brought some pressing appeals before the meeting. The Dorcas secretary's report told of many bales sent to different mission stations.

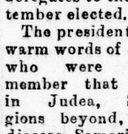
The treasurer's report showed a deficit in the sums promised to special pledges undertaken by the Woman's Auxiliary. The branches were urged to realize and remember that every branch is held to contribute to work undertaken by the Woman's Auxiliary at its annual meeting. The reports of the different committees were very satisfactory. The diocesan officers were re-elected by acclamation and delegates to the triennial meeting in September elected.

The president's address commenced with warm words of welcome to the delegates, who were asked always to remember that their mission work lay in Judea, Samaria and the regions beyond, Judea representing the diocese, Samaria the great northwest and the region beyond the foreign mission field. Mrs. Baldwin spoke in touching terms of the loss the Huron W. A. sustained by the removal of Miss Cross to the charge of the Deaconess' Home in Toronto. The result of the annual gatherings was in the reflex action. If work be merely human it will be miserably poor, but work done by God's help is imperishable. The power to work can spring only from the study of God's word and prayer. Christ looks at the quality not the quantity. In conclusion Mrs. Baldwin earnestly impressed upon all present the duty of setting aside a tenth of their income for the furtherance of work for God, quoting the assertion of Archdeacon Phair that we ought to ask ourselves not "how much shall I set aside for God," but "how little of my money can I use for myself."

The meeting then closed with the benediction by Mrs. Chance.

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THE SCHOOL QUESTION

Argued Before the Dominion Cabinet.

OTTAWA, Ont., March 5.—The argument of the Manitoba school case was resumed in the railway committee room of the House of Commons this morning. Mr. Ewart was present again for the Roman Catholics. Mr. D'Alton McCarthy proceeded on behalf of the Manitoba Government. He commenced by saying that the Cabinet was not sitting on the case as a judicial body, but as a Cabinet politically responsible for its acts. He then dealt with Ewart's arguments regarding there being a bill of rights on which the negotiations of minority were based—a clause promising separate schools to Manitoba. This Mr. McCarthy denied. He said that this fourth bill of rights was not heard of until 1890. He then proceeded to deal with the question as to whether the Cabinet was sitting in a judicial capacity or not, and finally Premier Bowell admitted that they were not sitting as a judicial body and were politically responsible for what they did.

The Cabinet adjourned at 1 o'clock.

Mr. McCarthy continuing his argument in the Manitoba school said that there was an appeal and they were here to obey the mandate. The case was there to be decided upon its merits, and upon its merits he proposed to ask them to leave matters as they are. There was nothing in the judgment, he declared, why this could be construed as in any way disposing this matter. All the Imperial Privy Council had been asked to say was whether the Privy Council here had jurisdiction to hear the appeal; but how they were to deal with it was not pointed out, but was a matter for them to deal with in their political capacity. He held that if the Dominion Government coerced Manitoba and imposed separate schools upon it, there was no power to remove the schools. For all time to come they would be bound upon the Province.

Mr. McCarthy had not finished when the Cabinet rose at 4:30.

ICE-BLOCKED STREETS.

Serious Condition of Affairs at Port Deposit, Md.

PORT DEPOSIT, Md., March 5.—The water has all left town but the railroad track for two miles is covered with ice from five to twenty feet thick. The town authorities are trying to cut a driveway through the streets. There is a fourteen-mile gorge at McCall's Ferry which may move at any time. No lives were lost. Several fishermen's families who did not abandon their homes in time were taken out of second story windows into boats. The doors and windows of warehouses near the shore have been demolished by the floating ice. Along the Columbia River the ice is piled up twenty feet high and all trains are stopped. The waiting-room of the station is filled with ice and debris.

DARING BANK ROBBERY.

Two Men Shoot Down the Inmates and Carry Off $15,000.

DES MOINES, Ia., March 6.—The Adel State Bank at Adel was robbed at 9:10 this morning by two men, who mortally wounded Cashier S. M. Leach and seriously wounded a customer named Bailey, who was standing at the window when they entered. The cashier had just unlocked the safe and vault and both Leagh and Bailey had their backs to the door when the robbers entered and opened fire. The desperadoes then entered the vault and carried away the entire contents, supposed to be $15,000, and jumped into a buggy at the door and drove west toward Redfield. The entire country is aroused. The robbers will probably be captured and lynched.

Thousand-Dollar Dog Dead.

CHICAGO, March 6.—Dwight Effie, one of the most valuable Gordon setters brought to the Mascoutah Club's bench show by the Dwight kennels, has died from the effects of broken glass given to her in food by unknown persons. The dog was valued at $1,000.

Mrs. William Vanderbilt Divorced.

NEW YORK, March 5.—Judge Barrett, of the Supreme Court, granted a decree of absolute divorce to Alva E. Vanderbilt against her husband, William K. Vanderbilt.

Mrs. Vanderbilt is to have the care and custody of her three children. Mr. Vanderbilt is to be allowed to visit the children at all proper times. It was understood by friends of both parties that Mr. Vanderbilt signed papers by which Mrs. Vanderbilt is to receive an annual income of $250,000 for the rest of her life and the use of the Fifth avenue and Newport houses during the minority of their children.

Death in Their Sleep.

CHICAGO, March 5.—Two sisters were suffocated by gas last night at 914 Ogden avenue, and were found dead in bed by their landlord today. Their names are: Maria Bohan, 22 years old; Anna Bohan, 20 years old. The young women were orphans and occupied a suite of rooms alone. When found today a gas jet in their sleeping apartment was turned on full. It is believed that death was accidental, as the girls had a fair income from a relative's estate.

Lady Aberdeen is Thankful.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 5.—Lady Aberdeen, wife of the Governor-General of Canada, stopped in Baltimore today on her way from Washington to Ottawa, and made a formal call upon Cardinal Gibbons, whom she thanked "with all my heart" for the great help given her by his eminence to make successful at the Chicago World's Fair the exposition of Irish industries. The Arundel Club gave a breakfast in honor of Lady Aberdeen, and to the guests later she explained her work for the advancement of the interests of the Irish peasantry.

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MIDDLESEX.

On Monday the case of fraud at Chatham on the Metropolitan Insurance Company was finally disposed of. Thos. B. McBride, of Port Dover, the young man convicted of forging the names to a spurious death certificate and the insurance company's check, was brought up for sentence and given one year in the Central Prison.

The Darlington (Wisconsin) Republican contains a feeling obituary notice of Mrs. Jane Levitt, a pioneer of the neighborhood, who died last month, aged 79 years and 7 months. She was laid to rest in the family lot in West Ella Cemetery beside her husband, Thompson Levitt. She leaves two sons and four daughters, three children having died in England. Her oldest daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Milestone, resides in Hull, Eng.; her second daughter, Mrs. Leonard Hughes, in Ilderton, Middlesex county, Ont.; her third daughter, Mrs. J. L. Scott, at Apple River, Wis., and her fourth daughter, Cynthia, at home. Her two sons, Thomas and Thompson, live in Wisconsin. Thirteen grandchildren and one great grandchild mourn her departure. Mrs. Levitt, whose maiden name was Hodson, was born in Walkington, Yorkshire, Eng., in 1815, on June 28, and was married to Thompson Levitt April 8, 1839. The family came to America in 1865, and settled on a farm in Monticello, Wis., where Mr. Levitt died April 20, 1891. Mrs. Levitt and daughter Cynthia remained one year after on the farm and then purchased a home in Apple River, where she died. Until about four months ago Mrs. Levitt enjoyed good health. Her chief companion was her Bible, which she studied with unfaltering faith. She was naturally a religious woman, and her confident trust in the merits of Christ's atonement was never dimmed. The funeral services were held in the M. E. Church in Apple River. Rev. Mr. Griswold preached an eloquent sermon over the remains. Rev. J. F. Williams, Alfred Mankey, Hans Lamont, Erastus Fardham, Thomas F. Hastie and Robert Irvine acted as pallbearers.

CANADIAN PILLS ABROAD.

A Specific Which is Obtaining a Foothold in Foreign Countries.

TORONTO, March 1.—Among the thousands of orders which weekly pour into the offices of the Dodds Medicine Company, Limited, in this city, are many from Austria, Great Britain, Germany and other countries. The curative properties of Dodd's Kidney Pills in cases of Bright's disease and concomitant ailments have been brought to the attention of friends abroad by patients who were cured here; they in turn have called the attention of their acquaintances to the marvelous effects resulting from the use of the pills, until now there is a steady and growing demand for the specific, and each foreign mail exhibits an increase in the orders.

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Hewson's Death.

Continuation of the Coroner's Inquest.

Testimony of Miss Tulett and Other Witnesses.

Deceased Had His Cane With Him When He Left His Fiancee's Residence—He Was "as Jolly as Ever" That Night—A New Loan.

As time rolls by and the more the death of Robt. Hewson is discussed, the deeper grows the mystery in regard to the tragic death of the young man. The coroner's inquest was resumed last night before several hundred spectators. Many of the developments were new, and while they are regarded as disproving the suicide theory, they reveal no clue to the possible murder of Hewson. It has been proven beyond a doubt, both by the young man's fiancee and her sister, that Hewson left the Tulett's house close on 11 o'clock on the night of the tragedy, and that he also carried a cane, which has not been accounted for. A searching examination (both of the deceased's late boarding house and of several witnesses) fails to reveal the whereabouts of the gold watch and chain. Hewson's money (and it has been shown that he had some a day or two before his death) has not been found, and these facts strengthen the opinion of Hewson's friends that foul play was the primary cause of "Corporal Bob's" death.

Before any witnesses were examined, Mr. McKillop addressed the jury, warning the members in arriving at a verdict to take into consideration only what was presented in evidence.

Mr. Hellmuth appeaed in behalf of the friends and relatives of deceased.

GEORGE A. KIPP.

George A. Kipp was the first witness. He had been at his brother's house, on Pall Mall street, on the night Hewson was killed. To get home he had to come down Adelaide street to Elias. Witness passed down the west side of Adelaide street with Mr. Dinsmore and Mr. Irwin about 11:40. Witness remembered passing a soldier at Central avenue, but saw no person else in the vicinity.

Wm. J. Dinsmore, a retired farmer, who accompanied Kipp, corroborated Mr. Kipp's evidence.

MISS ADA TULETT.

The young lady to whom deceased was engaged to be married next month was next called. To Mr. McKillop she said she first became acquainted with Hewson about six years ago, and was engaged to him for four years. He was always bright and cheerful. The evening of his death Hewson called on witness, and his conduct was the same as usual.

Mr. McKillop—Did you notice when Hewson went in whether he had his cane? A.—Yes, he had, and he took it away with him. I remember him holding the cane in his hand while we were standing at the door.

Q.—Did he have his watch with him? A.—He generally brought it, but I do not remember having seen him take out the watch that night.

Q.—You also knew the guard he wore? Miss Tulett replied that she did, and produced a photograph on which it was plainly shown. Witness could not state positively that she saw the locket that night, either, but thought she did. If Hewson did not have his chain witness would have been sure to miss it. She did not see him have a pocket-book the night of his death, but he had it the day previous, for she felt it in his coat pocket.

Q.—Nothing was said about money that night. A.—Only that he had written to his brother Frank asking him if he could make use of

$500 OR $600

for a little while, as he (Hewon) did not want to put it in the Postoffice Savings Bank.

Q.—Did he say where he had got the money? A.—He told me about two weeks before his death that he had received some money, but the amount was not named. "I know he had the money the day before his death," added Miss Tulett, "because we found a 10-cent piece on the floor, and Bob said it was not his; that his was in bills in there, and he pointed to his coat pocket."

The last night deceased was at Mr. Tulett's he asked his intended if she had seen about getting the house fixed and ready for occupation. Miss Tulett said she had, but no definite steps were taken to have the repairs made. She remembered the hour of Hewson's departure that night. It was about 11 o'clock, as "Bob" wanted to get a good night's sleep, because he intended to go to a Masonic reunion the following night. As the clock struck the hour Hewson put on his clothes, bade Mr., Mrs. and Miss Tulett good night, and went to the back door. "He had his cane in his left hand as he went out," said Miss Tulett. "and his hat in his right. We were not at the door more than five minutes."

HEWSON WAS NOT DEMENTED.

Q.—And when he was leaving you, did he act differently to what he generally did? A.—Not a bit; he was just as jolly as ever.

The witness remembered looking at the clock some time after she went into the house, and it was 11:20.

Q.—I believe your marriage with Hewson was postponed A.—Well, the date was never set. It was put off once because his sister died, again because my aunt died, and then he wanted to be away from the barracks before he was married.

To Mr. Hellmuth Miss Tulett said Hewson had stated that he had enough money to get a little home and some to spare. He never appeared short of cash. As to the time he left their house, Miss Tulett thought it was about ten minutes after 11.

HEWSON'S ALLEGED MARRIAGE.

Q.—Have you ever seen Mrs. Weston since Hewson's death? A.—Yes.

Q.—And you showed her a picture which she supposed was Robert Hewson's wife? A.—Yes.

Q.—And whose photograph was it? A.—It was "Bob's" sister, who has been dead three years. I was introduced to all the brothers and sisters as "Bob's" fiance, and none of them ever hinted that he was married.

Foreman Towe of the jury cross-questioned Miss Tulett and learned that Hewson had spoken to her about being a married man, but it was always in a joking manner. Hewson intended to go to St. Thomas to collect some money, and witness was going to drive down with him, but the man came to the Bernard House here and settled. This was a few days before his death.

Miss Mary Tulett corroborated the story of her sister Ada in all material respects. She had heard Hewson once say in a joking way that "that was the way his first wife did something."

BORROWED MONEY REPAID.

Fred Tulett, a brother of the two previous witnesses, had an engagement to go with Hewson to the Masonic reunion the night after the tragedy, and on reaching home on the Monday evening he received a message from Ada to meet deceased one hour prior to the commencement of the reunion. Witness often went out with Hewson, and had lent him quarters to save his (Hewson) breaking a bill. The money was always repaid.

Bartender Stewart remembered having seen Hewson in the bar room on the Thursday prior to the accident. Hewson complained about losing a letter, and also told witness the circumstances of his collecting the money from the St. Thomas party. Deceased bought a drink, and after pulling out a bill he laid his pocket-book on the counter.

SAID HE HAD $500.

Q.—Did Hewson say how much he got from the St. Thomas man? A.—Yes; he said it was about $500. He joked with me about the "gall" of the St. Thomas man wanting $5 to pay his expenses to London. Witness saw some bills in the pocket-book, but could not tell the amount.

THE DOCTORS' EVIDENCE.

Dr. W. J. Mitchell related the condition in which he found the body—almost severed across the abdomen, the chest uninjured and the left arm badly broken at the elbow. He thought the latter might have been caused by contact with the engine. There were no injuries to the head.

Q.—Was there anything to indicate that he had been knocked insensible? A.—None whatever.

To Mr. Hellmuth the doctor said the deceased might have given one shriek, but that would be all.

Q.—Did you examine the neck of deceased? A.—Yes, but found nothing wrong.

WAS HEWSON DRUGGED?

Q.—Could you detect whether Hewson had been affected by any drugs? A.—No; the stomach and other organs were completely destroyed.

Mr. Hellmuth also questioned the witness whether or not it would be possible for a man to receive a blow and be killed by effusion of blood internally, without any outward bruise being visible. Witness had never seen such a case, but he would not say it was impossible.

Ald. Frank Hewson was called to repudiate the story that his brother was married. "To make it short," said witness, "it is nothing but nonsense. He lived on the farm until he came to London about seven years ago, and if he had been married we would have heard of it." When deceased came to London he brought about $600 with him. He was to receive a share from the sale of his father's farm, which was to take place this summer. Deceased had never written the witness about a loan of money.

Mr. Hellmuth—Was your brother ever pressed for money? A.—Not that I know of. I borrowed $200 from him once, and he appeared in no hurry for its repayment.

NOT A RECKLESS YOUNG MAN.

Witness did not believe Robert was reckless in his living. He never had any trouble with his relatives, nor lost money by speculating. "Did he ever speak in a despondent way about the future? No, indeed. In a letter we received after hi return from Windsor in January, Robert said he would soon want us to come to his wedding," was the witness' concluding remarks.

Wm. Hewson, of Jarvis, testified to Robert having taken $600 with him when he left the farm. This had been placed in the Bank of British North America here, but had all been drawn in a year. Mr. Hewson had not received word from Ottawa whether or not deceased had placed it in the postoffice here. The sale of the farm this summer would realize about $500 to deceased.

HEWSON'S INSURANCE.

Mr. Henry Aikman, secretary of Court Dufferin, No. 4, I. O. O. F., stated that Hewson had joined the court in July, 1889, and took a certificate for $1,000 life insurance. It was made payable to Hewson's sister, but two years later was changed to Miss Tulett, the fiancee of deceased. Mr. Aikman had frequently met Hewson, who had paid his assessments regularly, and proved to be a man of his word. Hewson had attended the meeting of the court a few evenings before his death.

Bransby Burnand, one of the jurymen, and an ex-comrade of the deceased, gave evidence as to Hewson's habits and disposition, and which was merely corroborative of previous statements. Burnand also gave some new evidence as to Hewson's finances. "A few days before his death," said the witness, "Hewson told me that he had loaned $300 to a man in London or vicinity, and that he had received good security." Burnand had also been told about the St. Thomas loan of Hewson's, which amounted to between $200 and $300. Witness did not have any reason to doubt the truth of the statements. Hewson received clothing, board and about $20 a month when he was acting as canteen sergeant in "D" school, and "tips" beside. (Laughter.)

A Juryman—What did he spend a day?

The witness—Well, I never followed him up that closely. (Continued laughter.)

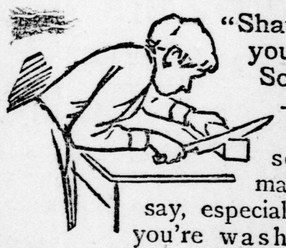
Burnand—I was at the asylum part of the time.

"But not as inmate," rejoined Dr. Flock, and the crowd laughed.

The inquest was then adjourned till Tuesday next at 7:30. Dr. Flock stating that no word had been received from Ottawa whether or not Hewson had an account in the postoffice savings bank.

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Going East.

Depart—	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.
London	4:15	8:00	4:35
Woodstock	5:03	8:55	5:20
Galt	6:00	10:00	6:17
Guelph	6:40	.....	7:45
Toronto	8:20	12:00	8:35
Peterboro	11:25	.....	11:42
	p.m.		a.m.
Kingston	4:40	.....	.....
Ottawa	5:20	.....	5:55
Montreal	7:55	.....	7:50
	a.m.		p.m.
Quebec	6:30	.....	3:00
Portland, Me	8:25	.....	8:10
Boston	8:02	.....	5:35
Halifax, N. S.	11:20	.....	.....

Trains arrive from the east at 11:25 a.m., 8:05 p.m., 11:40 p.m.

Going West.

Depart—	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.
London	11:35	11:40	7:00
Arrive—	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
Chatham	1:12	1:22	11:20
Detroit	3:00	3:10	.....
Chicago	10:15	10:50	.....
	a.m.	p.m.	
St. Louis	7:40	8:05	....
	p.m.	a.m.	
Kansas City	7:10	7:00	....

Trains arrive from the west at 4:10 a.m., 4:25 p.m., 6:45 p.m.

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MAIN LINE—Going East.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART
*Lehigh Express (B)	4:02 a.m.	4:07 a.m
Wabash Express	4:15 a.m.	4:20 a.m
Accommodation	.....	8:15 a.m
Atlantic Express (A)	12:17 p.m.	12:30 p.m
Day Express	10:15 a.m.	2:45 p.m
*Wabash Express (A)	4:25 p.m.	4:30 p.m
Mixed (C)	6:45 p.m.	7:20 p.m
Detroit Express	10:50 p.m.	.....

MAIN LINE—Going West.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART
†Chicago Express (A)	2:15 a.m.	.....
Accommodation	.....	7:05 a.m
Lehigh Express	10:45 a.m.	.....
Wabash Express (A)	11:15 a.m.	11:20 a.m
Accommodation	12:25 p.m.	2:25 p.m
†Pacific Express (A)	6:50 p.m.	7:00 p.m
Mail	9:50 p.m.	.....
Accommodation	.....	7:20 p.m

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE	DEPART
Lehigh Express (B)	4:02 a.m.	.....
Accommodation	8:55 a.m.	.....
Atlantic Express (B)	11:20 a.m.	.....
Accommodation	2:20 p.m.	.....
Mixed	5:35 p.m.	.....
Accommodation	7:50 p.m.	.....

Sarnia Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART
Chicago Express (B)	.....	2:20 a.m
Accommodation	.....	7:25 a.m
Lehigh Express (B)	.....	10:50 a.m
Accommodation	.....	2:35 p.m
Pacific Express (B)	.....	7:10 p.m

London, Huron and Bruce.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART
Express	9.45 a.m.	8:05a.m
Mail	6:25 p.m	4:30 p.m

St. Marys and Stratford Branch.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART
Mixed—Mail	11:10 a.m.	7:25 a.m
Express	2:05 p.m.	.....
Express	5:40 p.m.	2:40 p.m
Express—Mixed	9:15 p.m.	5:55 p.m

Toronto Branch.

Hamilton—Depart—

a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	.....	p.m.	p.m.
*6:45	B9:20	11:10	12:30	4:10	.....	B*6:55	9:20

Hamilton—Arrive—

.....	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.
.....	8:20	8:55	B 2:30	3:55	6:25	11:45

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Trains South.

Stations.	No 1	No 5	No 7	No 3
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Sarnia (G. T. R.)	.....	7:00	.....	5:10
Courtright	.....	7:42	.....	5:43
M. C. R. Junction	.....	7:47	.....	5:48
Chatham (C. P. R.)	arr	7:45	10:05	5:20	7:45
	dep	8:05	10:25	6:45	.....
Fargo		8:05	10:29	6:48	.....
Blenheim		8:15	10:40	6:00	.....

Trains North.

Stations.	No 2	No 4	No 6
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M
Blenheim	8:25	12:05	6:10
Fargo	8:35	12:22	6:20
Chatham (C. P. R.) arr	9:00	12:42	6:40
dep	9:10	4:15	.....
M. C. R. Junction	11:17	6:57	.....
Courtright	11:21	7:00	.....
Sarnia (G. T. R.)	11:55	7:35	.....

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY

LONDON TIME.

Canada Southern Division—Going East.

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Judge Wm. Elliot	Chief Justice Hagarty
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	Mr. Justice Falconbridge
	Mr. Justice Burton
	Mr. Justice Maclennan

I believe the great mass of the people do not believe that the way to alleviate distress is to impose taxation. The idea is illogical, and cannot commend itself to any reasonable mind.—Hon. Alex. Mackenzie in 1877.

—The Queen has now reigned longer than King James VI. did over Scotland, leaving only one predecessor to beat the record, viz., George III., and as he was demented during the later years of his reign, a considerable portion of it does not actually count. How wonderful has been the progress made since 1837 when Victoria ascended the throne.

—"While Nero fiddled," says a city contemporary, "Rome burned." Nero never fiddled while Rome burned for the all-sufficient reason that he had no fiddle to fiddle with. Fiddles were not invented in Nero's time.—Hamilton Herald.

It was a jew's harp that Nero played. What is the use of causing bad blood by quarreling over so small a matter?

—Finance Minister Foster asserts that under the high tax policy 90 per cent of those who go into business fail.

Does the National Policy make them rich?

Does the National Policy make their employes rich?

—In Peel and Welland the high tax candidates are men who were defeated while running a few months since for the Legislature. Winning candidates seem to be scarce in the ranks of the class law defenders.

—Is it not really nice that when "quality" becomes too plentiful on this continent there is always a needy old world individual with a handle to his or her name ready to carry it off? Thus is the law of compensation, so well defined by Emerson, kept in motion.

—It is now said that as a result of Mr. Emmanuel Thomas Essery's remarks about "knifing" at the last meeting of the London Conservative Association, the boots of every delegate will be searched at the ensuing Conservative convention to see if he has any razors concealed in them. Suspicion lurks everywhere since Mr. Essery announced that the man who "knifed" him would in turn be knifed.

—The late Dr. Tuke, F.R.C.P., LL.D., whose death is recorded by cable, was a distinguished authority on the treatment of the insane. He went round the world on a tour of inspection of asylums for the insane. Of the asylums in this Province he had nothing but praise. Ontario, he asserted, was in the front rank of states in the provision of proper means for the care and cure of this unfortunate class of the community.

—The Stellarton, Nova Scotia, Journal says that the Ferrona Iron Company made a profit of $110,000 in 21 months and yet have reduced the wages of their employes 25 per cent. The N. P. may have made the company rich, but what has it done for the employes? What has it done for the users of iron, who not only have to pay them a bonus, but have to pay a much higher price for their iron than would be necessary under a revenue tariff?

—Henry George, the distinguished political economist, who lectured in London last night, will not likely return to Canada for many years, despite the fact that his present tour has been a most successful one. He lectured in Toronto, in Hamilton, and in Oakville before he came to London. In Oakville his address was given in the Presbyterian Church and was on the religious aspect of the single tax. Some have represented Mr. George as an Anarchist and an irreligious man. Never was there a grosser misrepresentation. The champion of the single tax is a member of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the United States and a member of the Synod of New York, where he has his home. After Mr. George speaks in Leamington and Guelph, he returns to New York, where he will devote all the time he can to the preparation of his new book on political economy, which he expects to complete before next winter. He may visit England, as a result of pressing invitations from many quarters, during the ensuing summer.

"HECKLING."

"Heckling" a public speaker, as a means of gaining information, has been strikingly vindicated within the last few days. At Toronto, Hamilton and London, Henry George willingly answered questions put to him at the close of his address on the single tax. The address itself was an able presentation of the views of the distinguished economist. But the answers to queries propounded by the audience proved even more interesting. By this means many points that might have continued to puzzle the casual listener were cleared up, and fallacies which have done duty very frequently were brushed to one side by very strong argument. An extension of the "heckling" system to something like the extent that prevails in Great Britain would be of much advantage to Canadians as a means of gaining information or of revealing the unstability of the argument of the speaker. It would also render our audiences more tolerant. At present, in the average assembly gathered to listen to a political speaker, the rising of an elector to ask a question of the talker is almost invariably the signal for an outcry of "Throw him out!" and in Kingston, some time ago, an elector who adopted this course was actually arrested as a public disturber! This is all wrong. Nothing is more profitable or entertaining, as was proved at the George meeting, than the question and answer method of clearing up doubtful points.

HON. WILFRID LAURIER COMING.

The thousands of admirers of Hon. Wilfrid Laurier in this city and neighborhood will be delighted to hear that on the occasion of his trip to the West he will visit London and address a mass meeting of the electors on the questions of the day. The visit will be made on the 27th inst., and the address will be given in the evening.

Nothing need here be said of the enthusiasm with which the trade freedom leader will be greeted in the industrial and commercial capital of the West. The large majority of the citizens of London respect and esteem the most popular leader in the Dominion today.

THE KNIFE AND THE ABSENCE OF IT.

Our city contemporary simulates astonishment that the nomination of Mr. C. S. Hyman, M.P., as candidate for London has everywhere been received with approval by his thousands of supporters. There was so much talk of "knifing" among the political friends of the Free Press the other evening, when Mr. Essery, its favorite candidate for public honors, delivered himself of his volley of threats, that it is deemed wise to insinuate that the friends of Mr. Hyman are hypocrites—that they publicly to a man indorse his candidature, while privately they do not. A more foolish suggestion the Free Press has not brought forward since November last, when, on behalf of its leaders, it so zealously championed the candidature of Mr. Essery, of whose election it expressed itself cock sure. The electors of London, by a majority of 803, voted it a false prophet, and the majority of the electors of London, we are confident, will show by their votes what they think of its covert insinuations regarding Mr. Hyman and his supporters. The fact is that whereas the nomination of Mr. Hyman has never been questioned by any sane citizen of London, outside the office of our contemporary, it was necessary for his opponents to hold a preliminary gathering, at which Sir John Carling could be squeezed out, as a result of well-defined threats, before the high tax advocates could trust themselves to call a convention. Even yet, the talk of "knifing" is continued. On this family row Mr. Hyman's friends can look with indifference, knowing that no matter what its outcome the outlook for the popular choice of the Liberal and independent citizens of London never was brighter.

A CONFESSION FROM WEST MIDDLESEX.

"A. Seabrook," writing to the Free Press from "The Cedars, Komoka," on the 2nd inst., does not hold out much hopes for the return of Dr. Roome in the ensuing election, if he should remain in the field. He says:

"Judging by the past elections a Liberal-Conservative would not have the ghost of a chance to secure a seat, and to contest it again would merely be advertising their numerical inferiority."

This is an acknowledgement of the well-known fact that Dr. Roome only secured election in the past two contests by a "fluke," which the friends of tax reduction and of honest government are not likely to again permit. In ex-Warden Calvert, the champion of a tariff for revenue only and free raw materials for manufacturers, the electors of West Middlesex will have a reliable, an intelligent, a progressive representative, and we are glad to hear that the prospects are that he will be returned by a substantial majority, no matter what the opposition is that may be brought to bear against him.

It is something to have it confessed, from a man who ought to know what he is talking about, that the high tax candidate will not have "the ghost of a chance to secure a seat" in West Middlesex.

The country needs a change, and the great West will lead in bringing it about.

OLD AND FORGOTTEN.

An Aged Woman Burned to Death in a New York Tenement—Other Fires.

NEW YORK, March 5.—About 7 o'clock this morning fire was discovered in the five-story flat house, No. 370 Columbus avenue. All the tenants escaped with the exception of one helpless old woman, Mrs. Kennedy, 70 years of age, who was forgotten in the excitement, and after the flames had been extinguished she was found burned to death.

RIDGETOWN, Ont., March 5.—About 12 o'clock last night fire broke out in Higgs' frame hotel, Morpeth, leased by Mr. W. H. Harris, completely destroying the hotel and the two adjoining buildings, dancing hall and stables. Loss, $2,000; insurance, $1,000.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 5.—Mrs. Byron Birdsall, of No. 55 Hawley street, went away this morning, leaving her three children alone at home. Fire broke out in the house, and after it was extinguished it was found that one child was burned to death, the others being rescued by neighbors.



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ATHLETICS

COSTELLO VS. BILLY WOODS.

MONTREAL, Que., March 5.—Nearly 3,000 people gathered at Sohmer Park Monday night to witness the ten-round glove contest between "Buffalo" Costello, of this city, and Billy Woods, late of Denver. The men were evenly matched and the affair was decided as a draw in favor of Costello.

BLOWS.

In the Griffo-Leeds fight at Coney Island the decision was awarded to Griffo in the twelfth round.

Oklahoma will soon have a law legalizing prize fighting. The bill passed the Lower House without opposition and will probably pass the Senate.

The sporting men of Perry, O. T., have voted $25,000 for the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight in case it cannot be pulled off at Jacksonville, Fla.

HOCKEY.

AYR VS. LONDON.

The Ayr hockeyists, who play here tomorrow night, are a very strong team. They lost the championship to Trinity through Caldwell, then cover point, being ruled off the ice. And the big fellow was forced to sit and watch his opponent score the winning goals.

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Sadie Martinot, when she made her first appearance in San Francisco with Dion Boucicault, was, as she now is, as cunning and jolly a dame as ever pressed her red lips to a goblet of Pommery. Miss Martinot used to tell a good story about Boucicault. In the latter years of his life the great dramatist was very conceited about his personal appearance. His long hair was carefully dyed every day with a preparation he got from Paris.

One morning Miss Martinot said to Dion:

"Mr. Boucicault I want $500."

"Miss Martinot," replied the dramatist, "I cannot conveniently furnish you with that amount."

"I am sorry," said Miss Martinot, "but I hope, when I call later on, that you'll be able to find the cash for me."

Next morning when Mr. Boucicault arose and went to perform the ordinary duties of his toilet he found that his hair dye was missing. He knew that Miss Martinot was acquainted with the whereabouts of that important article. He also knew that it would take him at least two months to receive a fresh instalment from Paris in case his stock in hand did not turn up. At breakfast he said, very humbly:

"My dear Miss Sadie, did you see anything of my hair dye?"

To which that beautiful and gifted lady replied:

"I assure you, Mr. Boucicault, I found among my effects a mixture to change the color of the hair which closely approaches yours, so far as I can tell from the label."

"And what is the price of that mixture?" inquired Mr. Boucicault, blandly.

"Only $500," replied Miss Martinot, with a witching smile.

"How fortunate!" said Mr. Boucicault. "I've got a check for that exact amount in my pocket."

"And how fortunate, also," replied Miss Martinot; "I have the bottle in mine!"

Mr. Boucicault took the bottle, Miss Martinot took the check, and then over their black coffee they chatted about the weather.—News Letter.

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HUGH LOVELESS

Henry George.

The Famous Single Tax Champion Addresses a Fine Audience,

And Presents His Panacea for Economic Ills.

A Fusillade of Questions Readily Answered.

Mr. George's Theories and How He Would Apply Them — Single Tax, He Says, Would Settle Industrial Troubles—His Address Apparently Well Received.

A large audience, composed of thoughtful and observant men and women, greeted Henry George, the single tax apostle and writer on questions of political economy, at the Grand Opera House last night. It was an audience clearly composed of the "thinkers" of the city, and, from the number of questions asked the speaker at the close, it also included many many who were evidently a little doubtful of the efficacy of single taxation as a panacea for all human economic woes. The lecture was a rich intellectual treat, and was equally enjoyed by the ladies as well as the men. It was of an hour and a half's duration, but at the close of the lecture another hour was devoted to answering questions from the audience, which came faster and faster, until Mr. George had to draw the line and bid good-night to listeners who were unwilling to depart. Mr. Geo. C. Gibbons, Q.C., occupied the chair, and in briefly introducing Mr. George bespoke for him a fair and intelligent hearing, and for the audience a mental treat and a masterly elucidation of the principles of single tax.,

Mr. George was warmly received, and evidently began with the greater part of his hearers favorable to his theory. They applauded frequently, and once in a while an abstracted man, with his chin resting on his hands on the balcony railing, would give vent to an exclamation, such as "Ah! that's the point. That's so; that's so." and then draw back hurriedly as the audience would turn to seek him out.

TAXATION THE SUBJECT.

Mr. George's subject was "Taxation," and he began with characterizing taxation as the most important function of government, and the Government's power to tax only people living in certain areas controlled by it, and then went on to speak of the method employed in managing those large and many-storied buildings in the United States, where the landlords did not make all sorts of charges upon their tenants, such as for the use of elevator, for fire, for light, etc., but simply made one charge—for rent. "Now," said Mr. George, "what is best in that case, for the individual must certainly be best for the community, as a means of raising the largest revenue with the least cost, the least expense, and the last waste. This single charge upon the rental commends itself to individuals; why should it not to the community? There is certainly the simplest mode, the best mode, and the least wasteful mode or raising revenue. Now our Governments have not followed that plan. They raise revenue in various ways. For instance, in all civilized countries today a very large part of the revenue needed is raised by taxes upon imports. In some few cases there are also taxes upon exports. Now, that that is a most wasteful way of raising revenue is clear. Customs taxes are always liable to evasion. They always involve the keeping up of a great staff of officials, searchers and seizers. And even then they are not and cannot be fully and fairly collected. Yet the loss to the community, to the people, to the ultimate payers of the taxes, is much more than that which goes to the Government. There is not merely a loss of the expense of collecting, or trying to collect, those taxes; there is also the loss to the community of the expense incurred in trying to evade them, And their nature is of that

MOST WASTEFUL FORM

of collecting revenue—that of farming the revenue. The man who directly pays such taxes simply shifts them to the next hands. The importer pays to the Government, but the importer charges to the wholesale merchant not merely the cost of his goods, not merely the cost of toil and trouble involved in paying the taxes, but that tax itself, and the profit upon the tax. One thousand dollars' worth of goods costs in taxation $500. Then the importer must collect the profit, not upon $1,000 worth of capital, but upon $1,500 worth.. So the wholesaler must make such a charge to the retailer, a charge not merely on what he has bought, but on the profits on a larger amount, and when they are finally bought by the consumer he bears all those taxes. In the next place such taxes very much check production, very much increase the inequality of distribution. They fall with great weight upon those least able to bear them, they take much more than that which goes for the purposes of public revenue, and they foster all kinds of corruption, tend inevitably to corrupt the Government, to lessen the control of the masses of the people. Take the example which the United States shows. Here two Houses of Congress are at present elected upon a clear mandate of the people to reduce taxation. They have not done so. Almost the very last act is to impose again a tax of $5,000,000 upon the people of the United States for the benefit of a few Louisiana sugar planters, who had subscribed a million dollars. That is the history of pure legislation in the United States. (Applause.) Even after such a mandate we found it utterly impossible with this Congress to even do away with that robbery of the sugar trust, where millions of dollars are

TAKEN FROM THE PEOPLE

for no purpose whatever than to put millions into the hands of bribers and corruptionists. (Applause.) It has grown with our growth. It must continue so long as the present system of taxation is continued. And we never can get rid of it until the people clearly express their will that there shall be no more taxation customs houses. (Applause.) We must sweep the whole thing away. So it is in less degree the taxes which we levy for purposes of state and municipal revenue. The greater part of our local taxes are levied in a tax on real estate—land and the buildings upon it. Now, that part of the taxes which falls upon the buildings and improvements is not paid by the first payers of the taxes, unless they happen to be the users of the land or buildings that are taxed. That part which falls upon the buildings is necessarily and inevitably shifted by the payer of the taxes to the user, simply law—the law which applies to all forms of taxation, the law of competition. Where a tax increases the power of him on whom it falls to shift it, to levy it again upon someone else, it must always be paid by the user or consumer. It never rests upon the first payer. Those taxes choke production, promote corruption, and cost the people much more than the Government receives. Now, as a mere matter of collecting the largest revenue with the least cost, with the least evasion, with the least fraud or perjury, if the state were to resolve to adopt the plan which individuals have found the best way to collect revenue, by one single tax, or, rather, from one single source of taxation—the value of land—it could collect the largest revenue with the least cost and the least injury. No tax upon the products of labor, no tax upon the wealth in any of its forms, must check the

PRODUCTION OF WEALTH.

We all want more wealth. Why, then, should we kill the goose that lays the golden egg by taxing people for producing wealth? We may tax land values to their full amount. We cannot lessen the production of wealth. Land is not a thing of human production. Land is created, not produced. All the land there is is here; all the land there can be is here. No taxation upon the value of land will lessen the amount of land. No taxation upon land, upon land values, can fall upon the user of land; make it any more difficult to get land to use. For this reason: That the value of land, the rent of land—what is called by the economist rent—never can go to the user, always must go to the owner. By taxing land values we would make it even easier for those who want to use land to get land to use. For this reason: That when land yielded no profit to the mere owner, no one would want land upless he wanted to use it. And the temptation would be gone to get land and hold land without using it, in the expectation of profiting by the general growth of the community. And that monopolistic ownership, that speculative value in land, that puts that artificial value upon it, that acts precisely as an actual scarcity of land, would be gone. That is the simple, common-sense way of levying the taxes, a way that we call the single tax. What we mean by the single tax is that there shall be but one source of revenue, applied for purposes of raising public revenue—that value which the economists call rent. In its popular name it is known as ground rent. The value which attaches to rent, especially to improvements upon it, or the use to which it is put. But there is a deeper side to the question than this fiscal side."

Mr. George then devoted the second half of his address to a picture of the social evils of the present day, and explained how his method of single tax would remedy them.

A FUSILLADE OF QUESTIONS.

Mr. George then announced that he would answer any brief questions put to him. He took a chair and awaited them.

Dr. Bucke rose and asked: What steps would you take to transfer taxation from its present position to the position you indicate?

Mr. George—Very simply. Abolish as fast as we can all other taxation except that on real estate. Remove that which bears on buildings and improvements, and you have taxation on land values, which makes the single tax. (Applause.)

Dr. Bucke—What would become of the right of the owner at the present time?

Mr. George—He would still have the right to collect the revenue from other people, but our system would take a longer and larger portion, until finally the owner, as owner, would have nothing left. The owner as an owner is an utterly useless animal—a mere parasite.

Dr. Bucke—How will you make the people consent to the proposition?

Mr. George—By appealing to their intelligence. (Laughter and applause.)

A Voice—Is it not one of the general principles that taxation shall be equal?

Mr. George—Yes, we don't carry it out, though. (Applause.) The man who simply holds land without using it is more lightly taxed than the man who erects a building, or plants an orchard or a farm. (Hear, hear.) This is all wrong. I stopped one night at the Astor House, New York, and by mistake carried the keys around for three or four days. I was charged the use of the room all that time. I could not object to the bill on the ground that I did not use the room, for I knew the clerk would say that I prevented somebody else from using it. It is the same with the land speculator. He does not use his land, and he prevents somebody else from using it. (Laughter and applause.)

Mr. H. B. Ashplant put a series of questions. He asked how, as a wage earner, the single tax would affect him, as he received a fixed amount from his employer.

Mr. George—If what your employer gives you is not deemed a fair wage, why do you continue to work for him?

Mr. Ashplant said that was not the question. An employer had no right to put him in the position of taking half a loaf or starving. If he went elsewhere he would displace someone else.

Mr. George—If wages are less than a fair rate it is generally because of competition for employment. That is produced by shutting up all the natural opportunities for work. (Applause.) Mr. George referred to Mr. Ashplant's lengthy letter in the "Advertiser." He said he did not hold that all the benefit of increased production in modern times had gone to the land owners. A great deal had been absorbed by other monopolies, such as the tariff and patent monopolies, and the power that came from the aggregation of great capital. But even if these were swept away wages would not increase. All the benefit would acrue to the land owners, who would take all that was left except what was necessary to pay as wages, which with the lowest class of laborers would be scarcely enough to enable them to live.

Mr. Ashplant charged that his question had been evaded.

Voice—In this Province there has been open for settlement some 23 townships within a few days' walk. The land is free to those who will take it up. If your theories are right why this festering in the cities when land is free?

Mr. George—I was not aware there was any festering in the population here as yet.

Same Speaker—I refer to Toronto, where there is certainly much misery.

Mr. George—If people prefer festering to taking up this land there must be some difficulty about the land.

Another Voice—It's a pretty rocky country; people can't afford to open a gold mine. (Loud laughter.)

Mr. George—Wherever I have heard such stories the land referred to is unable to afford a living. There is plenty of good land lying idle near Toronto. (Applause.) Why send men to the outskirts of civilization? I know of no free land in my own country that can be used. Look at the rushes that were made when the Indian strips were opened for settlement. Men came thousands of miles and waited days for the lands to open. (Applause.)

First Voice—Your answer is satisfactory. (Applause.)

Voice—How much did you say in your book would be secured from land owners under your system?

Mr. George—I made no such statement, but Mr. Sherman, one of our ablest statisticians, has calculated that there would be more than enough to pay the public expenses of the United States, national, state, county and municipal, leaving an enormous surplus.

Mr. Ashplant—We want to know how to get the value of what we work for and not the work.

Mr. George—Because behind you there is a class lacking the opportunities to work. (Applause.)

A Voice—All men can't be farmers.

Mr. George—That is the one thing all men can be. (Applause.) All men can't be preachers, lawyers, doctors or tailors, but they can be farmers. That is what men were in the first place. (Laughter and cheers.) We don't propose that all men shall be farmers, though farming must always be the fundamental occupation. Does not the monopoly of land check the building trade (Applause.) So with other occupations. Show me the occupation that does not require land. All our work is the product of the union of labor, the active factor, with land the passive factor.

To Mr. P. H. Bartlett Mr. George said that single tax did not mean Government ownership of land. They proposed simply to take the rent in the form of taxation.

Mr. Bartlett asked if it would not be unfair discrimination to tax A, who was worth $10,000 in land, and exempt B, who had the same amount in stocks.

Mr. George said that if heretofore individuals had been suffered to take what belonged to the community it was surely no wrong to say they should not do it any more. As for being taken by surprise, they have warning already of what is coming. (Laughter and applause.) At the time slavery was abolished it was said to be a cruelty to the slave owners. The value of a slave was not what he had done, but what he was expected to do. (Hear, hear.) In abolishing slavery they merely deprived the owner of the right of using slaves any longer.,

Mr. Bartlett—But do you compare slave owners with land owners

Mr. George—Yes. (Laughter.) Industrial slavery is worse than chattel slavery. There are many men today who would rather sell themselves into chattel slavery than go down, and have their children go down, not merely to the death of the body, but of the soul. (Applause.)

Another questioner rose, but Mr. George said he had talked long enough. If they desired more light they could read up the system. He retired amid applause.

Mr. Gibbons called attention to the existence of the London Single Tax Club and their meeting nights. The big audience then dispersed.



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A Momentous Matter.

Huron College Needs the Practical Support of Its Friends.

The Women's Auxiliary Missionary Association Takes Up the Case.

Indications That a Liberal Response Will be Made to the Earnest Appeal for Help.

Last evening Huron College was the scene of a large and influential meeting at which the members and delegates of the Woman's Auxiliary Missionary Association from all parts of the diocese were present. The object of the meeting was to appeal to the Anglican women to use their influence to uphold and bring into more general notice and financially help Huron College, which has been for some time past gradually eating away its capital, and as its appeals to the public have hitherto been so feebly responded to, its future financial stability has lately become a matter of grave and earnest moment. The spirit of the meeting was enthusiastic throughout, and no doubt may be set down as an important forerunner of better things.

Principal Miller, who was in the chair, commenced the proceedings with a fervent and earnest appeal to those present—an appeal the force of which could only be accounted for by his true and loyal love to the institution and the grave features of its present financial crisis. He welcomed the influential association of ladies which extended its operations so far and wide in this land, and said that it had been his wish to bring the character of the college under their immediate notice. The principal went on to say that a great cloud of mystery seemed to hang over the college. Although it had been established for over 32 years, and had provided the Diocese of Huron with half its clergy, it was as little noticed as if it had been in the planet Mars, and of as little account as the person in that planet. "Is the influence of the college for good or for evil? If for evil let it be swept off the face of the earth," said the speaker. "It is a perfect mystery to me the way in which we are unnoticed, and the scanty result of the appeals. Allow me to give you the following story as an illustration of what I mean. An Eaton, a Harrow and a Winchester boy were in a room together. One of them languidly remarked 'Bring a chair for that lady;' the Harrow brought it and the Winchester boy sat down in it. Just so it is with us, somehow everything seems diverted before it comes into our possession. I will not speak of such a sordid question as money to night, but do give us your prayerful interest. We seem at present to meet with little but carping criticism and chilling indifference. If we have no right to exist, in God's name destroy us and let us give back the money to our founder—don't keep alive and at the same time keep weak. If we are wrong, put us right."

Mr. Miller then read some extracts from the inauguration address, and showed how when the college was founded, in the 133 towns in the diocese there were only 30 clergymen. Since then the college had put men all over the diocese, and the leading men of Huron today, together with two dignitaries in both Niagara and Montreal dioceses, were old Huron College men. The story of the past was not a bad one, the college was no party institution, controversy was never heard in its walls. The present building, and several trusts connected with it, were paid for and actually given by English money. The time had now come when the diocese would have to be asked the question, "Will you keep us or not?" He (Principal Miller) was sure the answer would be, "Destroy it not."

Prof. Burgess, of Queen's College, was next called upon to address the meeting. Although he has unfortunately just risen from a sick bed, he would do his best to say a few words in sympathy with the meeting, which he felt so keenly. Huron College would no doubt weather all adversity and blossom as the rose. When ladies were in the case it was bound to succeed, he was sure the near future would see brighter days.

Archdeacon Davis, an alumni of the college, next spoke fervently, enlisting the sympathy and support of the audience, which was composed of representatives of the W. A. M. A. from the length and breadth of Canada. He said not a parish had been left out, all had felt their influence for good, even in the Great Northwest their work had achieved great things, and he sincerely hoped the meeting tonight would excite a deeper interest in our beloved college. In this critical age, when higher criticisms were rife, and the public were a reading public, who formed their own opinions, it was essentially necessary for the men who were to be trained for the church to be well and thoroughly grounded in the grand doctrines of the atonement and justification by grace. Last year only $495 were collected from the whole diocese; out of 281 churches only 142 responded to the appeal. This should be remedied and at once.

Mr. Geo. F. Jewell next spoke in the interests of Huron College. He knew he was addressing an intelligent audience of ladies. He ventured to remark that if the college ceased to exist, it would be a very grave concern, and even our beloved bishop would be censured. But, of course, this would not happen. The "Garden of Canada" could well afford a little more, just to save the college, which was now eating up its capital at the rate of $1,500 per annum. To be complete in all its equipments, the Diocese of Huron would have to maintain its college and keep its efficiency. We must do our duty by the talent. Mr. Jewell begged the ladies to go home and give the matter their earnest attention.

The Rev. Mr. Merton-Shaw, followed by Mrs. Boomer, and the Rev. Mr. Rhodes and Mrs. English all spoke out boldly for the college, each in turn impressing the audience with their fervor and devotion to the cause.

The Bishop of Huron was the last to speak. He said the present distress was due to the building having been extended out of the college funds; that money must be replaced, and then the college would be able to flourish on its old footing. There were three uses to which the college was put: 1. To teach divinity, and he would pay the principal the profoundest compliment in saying he had the power, and was competent to teach it. The Bible was a tremendous book. It was most difficult to scale its illimitable heights and to plumb its infinite depths. 2. The college was absolutely necessary for the well-being of the diocese, for it sent forth men even beyond its pale and limits who would lift up the blessed Saviour and teach those who knew Him not. 3. It was necessary to the whole country, and not only to the diocese. Other Canadian colleges had sent men to the Arctic regions, and even to Japan, and a reflex blessing had come to them, and so he hoped it would be with Huron College, and that its work would be like a thermal wave rushing out into the cold water of the sea.

The ladies of Hellmuth College exhibited some of their highly appreciated talent by rendering songs and recitations between the speeches, which were heartily applauded. Among those present were the Bishop of Moosonee, Rev. and Mrs. Jeanes (Dungannon), Mrs. Fisher (Glanworth), Canon Richardson, Canon Smith, Mr. and Mrs. English, Mrs Baldwin, Miss Berkley (daughter of the late Bishop of Jerusalem).

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London Money Market.

LONDON, March 6—12:30 pm—Consols, 104 7-16 for money, 104 9-16 for account; Mexican 16¼; Mexican Central, 58½; St. Paul, 56¾; Erie, 9; Erie, seconds, 57; Pacific Central, 51; Reading, 4¾; Canadian Pacific, 42; New York Central, 99½; Illinois Central, 86¾; Bank of England rate, 2 per cent; open market discount, 1¼.

Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, March 6.

	Ask.	Off.
C. P. R.	40½	40
Duluth Railway, common	3½	2
Duluth Railway, preferred	6	5
Grand Trunk Ry., firsts	—	—
Grand Trunk Ry., seconds	—	—
Commercial Cable Company	146	145½
Wabash	—	—
Wabash, preferred	—	—
Montreal Telegraph Co.	160	158
Rich. and Ont. Navigation	97	94
Montreal Street Railway	189½	188½
Montreal Street Railway, new	187½	186½
Montreal Gas Company	192½	190
Bell Telephone Company	157	155½
Bell Telephone, new	—	—
Royal Electric	145	139½
Bank of Montreal	221½	218
Toronto Street Railway	76	74½
Ontario Bank	100	—
Banque du Peuple	114½	110
Molsons Bank	180	170
Bank of Toronto	245	239
Banque Cartier	—	—
Merchants Bank	166	163½
Merchants Bank of Halifax	—	—
Union Bank	—	101
Bank of Commerce	135	133½
N. W. Land Company	65	—
Montreal Cotton Company	120	116
Canada Colored Cotton Co.	45	35¼
Dominion Cotton Company	92	90

SALES—C. P. R., 50 at 40, 25 at 3¾; Mont. Street, 50 at 189; Mont. Street, new, 500 at 187; Montreal Gas, 1 at 191; Bank of Commerce, 63 at 135.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, March 6.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	222	218
Ontario	98	—
Molsons	—	—
Toronto	245	241
Merchants	166	163
Commerce	134½	134
Imperial	181	179
Dominion	275	270
Standard	163	161
Hamilton	154½	153½
British America	114	111½
Western Assurance	149¾	149½
Canada Life	—	—
Confederation Life	—	—
Consumers Gas	197	196
Toronto Street Railway	75⅜	75⅛
Dominion Telegraph	117	115
Northwest Land Company, com	—	—
Northwest Land Company, pre	70	—
Canada Pacific Railway Stock	40½	40
Commercial Cable Company	145⅞	145⅝
Bell Telephone Company	157	156
Bell Telephone Company, new	—	—
Dominion Savings and Investment	80	76
Farmers' Loan and Savings	110	—
Farmers' L. and S., 20 per cent	98	—
Huron and Erie L. and S.	—	164
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent	—	153
London and Canada, L. and A, x-d.	120½	118½
London Loan	—	102½
London and Ontario	—	111
Ontario Loan and Debenture	—	129½

SALES—Commerce, 20 at 134½; Western Assurance, 200 and 50 at 149½; C. P. R. Stock, 50 at 40½; Toronto St. Ry., 25 at 75½.

COMMERCIAL.

Local Market.

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WEEKLY REVIEW.

The receipts during the past week have been light. Till today the attendance was good and demand very good.

Oats sold freely from $1 01 to $1 03.

Wheat in fair supply at 98c to $1.

The bulk of the deliveries were oats and wheat, very little corn, peas or barley offering.

Dressed hogs in fair supply, with higher prices, selling now at $5 50 to $6 per cwt.

There was a full market of hay this morning; prices lower, selling freely at $9 to $10 per ton. Quotations:

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Wheat, white, fall, 100 lbs	$ 95	to	1 00
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs	95	to	1 00
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	96	to	1 00
Oats, per 100 lbs	102	to	1 05
Peas, per 100 lbs	95	to	1 02
Corn, per 100 lbs	90	to	1 00
Barley, per 100 lbs	85	to	90
Rye, per 100 lbs	90	to	90
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	70	to	90
Beans, per bu	1 00	to	1 20
HAY AND SEEDS			
Hay, per ton	10 00	to	11 00
Straw, per load	2 00	to	3 00
Clover seed, red, per bu	5 75	to	5 90
Clover seed, Alsike, per bu	4 00	to	5 50
Timothy seed, per bu	2 75	to	3 00
Hungarian seed, per bu	80	to	90
Millet seed, per bu	70	to	80
PROVISIONS			
Eggs fresh, single doz	22	to	25
Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz	20	to	23
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz	14	to	15
Eggs, packed, per doz	12	to	12
Butter, single rolls, per lb	20	to	20
Butter, per lb, 1 lb rolls, baskets	16	to	18
Butter, per lb, large rolls or crocks	14	to	18
Butter, per lb, tub or firkins	10	to	16
Lard, per lb	8	to	9
Ducks, per pair	40	to	70
Chickens, per pair	60	to	70
Turkeys, per lb, 6c to 7c; each	50	to	1 50
Honey, per lb	9	to	10
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.			
Apples, per bag	75	to	1 00
Pears	$ 75	to	1 00
Cauliflowers, per dozen	50	to	1 50
Potatoes, per bag	50	to	60
Carrots, per bu	25	to	50
Turnips, per bu	20	to	25
Parsnips, per bu	60	to	70
Pumpkins, per doz	50	to	1 00
Citrons, per doz	50	to	75
Beets, per doz bunches	20	to	20
Radishes, per doz bunches	20	to	25
Cabbages, per doz	30	to	60
Celery, per doz	35	to	40
Squashes, per doz	1 00	to	1 25
Onions, per bu	45	to	60
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef, carcass, per lb	4	to	5
Mutton, quarters, per lb	6	to	7
Veal, quarters, per lb	5	to	6
Lamb, quarter	7	to	8
Dressed hogs, 100 lb	5 50	to	6 00
Hides, No. 1, per lb	4	to	4
Hides, No 2 per lb	3	to	3
Hides, No. 3, per lb	2	to	2
Calfskins, green	50	to	70
Calfskins, dry, each	20	to	25
Sheepskins, each	2 5	to	5
Lambskins, each	25	to	50
Pelts each	00	to	00
Wool, per lb	15	to	17
Tallow, rendered, per lb	5½	to	5½
Tallow, rough, per lb	3	to	3
Wood, hard	4 00	to	4 50
Wood soft	2 50	to	2 50

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Petrolea Oil Market.

PETROLEA, March 5.—Oil opened and closed at $1 25.

Montreal Produce Market

MONTREAL, March 6.

FLOUR—Receipts, 700 bbls; market firm and unchanged. Quotations: Patents, winter, $3 40 to $3 50; do. spring, $3 80 to $3 90; straight roller, $2 90 to $3; extra, $2 60 to $2 70; superfine, $2 30 to $2 45; strong bakers, $3 50 to $3 75; Ontario bags, $1 30 to $1 40.

GRAIN—Wheat No. 2 Manitoba hard, 73c to 75c; corn, 56c to 58c; peas, 67c to 68c; oats, 40c to 41c; barley, 57c to 60c; rye, 51c to 53c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $1 75 to $1 85; cornmeal, $1 35.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, $14 50 to $15 50; lard, 7c to 9c; bacon, 10c to 11c; hams, 9c to 10c; cheese, 9c to 10c; butter, townships, 14c to 16c; Western, 12c to 14c; eggs, 18c to 20c.

Toronto Market.

TORONTO, March 6.

Market unchanged.

WHEAT—Car lot of red and white G. T. R. west in demand at 58c; and C. P. R. and Northern at 59½c to 60c; car lots of No. 1 hard sold west at 79c, and some grinding in transit offered at 82c.

FLOUR—Straight rollers, Toronto freights, quoted at $2 60 to $2 70.

PEAS—Holders of No. 2 ask 60c G. T. R points; buyers bidding 58c, but rather more would be paid.

OATS—White in demand 33½c west.

BARLEY—Feed 43c to 44c, outside; heavy No. 2 quoted at 47c to 48c; bright heavy No. 1 in demand at 52c to 53c outside, but very little offering.

CORN—Car lots of No. 2 yellow west quoted at 47c.

English Markets.

LONDON, March 6.
(Beerbohm's Report by Cable.)

Wheat, off coast steady; passage firm, less active; LaPlatta, sail shipment, March and April, 21s 9d; do, same shipment, 21s 6d; Russian, steamer shipment, March and April, 21s 9d; sales 3; English country markets firm; corn off coast quiet, passage quiet, steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firm, demand poor, futures steady; red winter, 4s 7½d March; 4s 8d April; 4s 8¼d May; 4s 9d June; 4s 9¼d July; corn, spot, easy; demand less active; American, 4s ½d; futures steady, 4s 1½d March; 4s 1½d April; 4s 1¼d May and June; 4s 1¾d July; 4s 2d Aug.; flour 15s.

LIVERPOOL, March 6.

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

	March 4.				March 5.				March 6.			
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Spring	5	3	5	4	5	3	5	4	5	3	5	4
Red Winter	4	8	4	9	4	8	4	9	4	8	4	9
No. 1 Cal	5	2	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Corn	4	1½	0	0	4	1¼	0	0	4	1½	0	0
Peas, per c.	4	11	0	0	4	11	0	0	4	11	0	0
Pork	52	6	0	0	52	6	0	0	52	6	0	0
Lard	33	3	0	0	33	6	0	0	33	6	0	0
Bacon, h'vy	28	0	0	0	28	0	0	0	28	0	0	0
Bacon light	29	0	0	0	29	0	0	0	29	0	0	0
Tallow	24	6	0	0	24	6	0	0	24	6	0	0
Cheese, wh.	48	0	0	0	48	6	0	0	48	6	0	0
Cheese, col.	49	0	0	0	00	0	0	0	00	0	0	0

Wheat firm, demand poor, holders offer sparingly; corn easy, demand poor.

Chicago Exchange.

Reported by C. E. Turner, broker, Molsons Bank Buildings. 'Phone 1078.

March 6.—1 p.m.

		Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—	May	54¼	54¼	53⅞	53⅞
	July	55⅜	55⅜	54⅞	54⅞
CORN—	May	44¾	44¾	44½	44¾
	July	44¾	44¾	44½	44¾
OATS—	May	29¼	29¼	28¾	29
PORK—	May	10 42	10 72	10 42	10 62
LARD—	May	6 52	6 57	6 52	6 55
S. RIBS—	May	5 37	5 47	5 35	5 42

American Markets.

DETROIT, March 6.

WHEAT—White, 57c cash; red, 55½c cash; 55½c May; 56½c July.

MILWAUKEE, March 6.

WHEAT—55c cash; 56c asked May.

TOLEDO, March 6.

WHEAT—Quiet; 55½c bid cash and March; 55⅞c May; 56¼c July; 43c cash; 44½c May.

OATS—31½c cash.

NEW YORK, March 5.

FLOUR—Receipts, 42,000 packages; exports, none; sales, 11,000 packages; steady. Winter wheat—Low grades, $1 90 to $2 30; do. fair to fancy, $2 35 to $2 75; do patents, $2 60 to $3; Minnesota clear, $2 25 to $2 60; do. straights, $3 to $3 25; do. patents, $3 25 to $4 10; low extras, $1 90 to $2 30; city mills, $3 25 to $3 35; do. patents, $4 to $4 15; rye mixtures, $2 20 to $2 60; rye flour steady, $2 55 to $3 10; buckwheat flour, $1 65 to $1 75.

BUCKWHEAT—50c to 55c.

CORNMEAL—Steady; yellow western, $2 70 to $2 80.

RYE—Nominal; western, 50c to 57c.

BARLEY—Quiet; western, 62c to 65c; No. 2 Milwaukee, 63½c to 64c.

BARLEY MALT—Nominal; Canada country-made, 85c to 90c; western, 65c to 75c; two-rowed State, 70c to 72½c; six-rowed do. 73c to 75c.

PEAS—Canada, nominal.

WHEAT—Receipts, none; exports, 94,000 bu; sales, 3,595,000 bu futures; 104,000 bu spot; spots steady; No. 2 red, store and elevator, 58⅞c to 59c; afloat, 60½c to 60¾c; f.o.b., 59c to 60½c; ungraded red, 57c to 62c; No. 1 northern, 68½c to 68¾c; options weak; No. 2 red, March, 58⅝c; May, 59½c; July, 59⅝c; Aug., 59⅞c; Sept., 60½c; Dec., 63⅝c.

CORN—Receipts, 17,000 bu; exports, 35,000 bu; sales, 390,000 bu futures, 33,000 bu spot; spots firmer; No. 2, 49c elevator; 49½c afloat; ungraded mixed, 49½c; steamer mixed, 48½c to 49½c; options steady; March, 48⅞c; May, 49c; July, 48¾c.

OATS—Receipts, 113,000 bu; exports, none; sales, 25,000 bu futures; 35,000 bu spot; spots easier; No. 2, 33½c to 33⅞c; No. 2 white, 36½c; No. 2 Chicago, 34½c; No. 3, 32½c; No. 3 white, 36½c; mixed western, 34c to 34½c; white do and white State, 37c to 41c; options lower; March and May, 33½c.

FEED BRAN—85c to 92½c.

MIDDLINGS—90c to 95c.

RYE FEED—85c.

HAY—Steady; 70c to 75c.

HOPS—Easy; State, 3c to 11c.

BEEF—Dull; family, $9 75 to $12; extra mess, $7 50 to $8 25.

CUT MEATS—Firm; pickled bellies, 5⅝c to 5¾c; pickled shoulders, 4¼c to 4½c; pickled hams, 7¾c to 8¼c; middles, steady; short clear sides, $5 87½.

LARD—Easier; western steam, $6 72½ bid; refined quiet; continent, $7 15; compound, 5¼c to 5⅝c.

PORK—Firm; mess, $11 25 to $12; extra prime, nominal.

BUTTER—Steadier; State dairy, 10c to 19c; do creamery old, 12c to 17c; western dairy, 8½c to 13½c; do creamery, new, 14c to 20c; do old, 10c to 17c; do factory, 8c to 12c; Elgins, 20c.

CHEESE—Firm; State large, 9c to 11½c; do fancy colored, 11½c; do white, 10½c to 11c; do small, 9 1-2c to 12c; part skims, 3c to 8½c; full skims, 2c to 2½c.

EGGS—Weaker; State and Pennsylvania, 23c to 23½c; western fresh, 23c.

TALLOW—Firmer; city, 4½c; country, 4½c to 4¾c.

PETROLEUM—Nominal; refined, $6 30; do in bulk, $3 75 to $3 80.

POTATOES—Firmer; Jersey, $1 37 to $2; New York, $1 50 to $2 25; Bermuda, $3 to $6 50; sweets, $1 50 to $2 50.

RICE—Firm; domestic, 4½c to 6c.

MOLASSES—Firm; 28c to 38c.

COFFEE—Options quiet; sales, 14,000 bags, including March, $14 85 to $14 90; April, $14 65; May, $14 50 to $14 55; June, $14 55; Sept., $14 50 to $14 55; Oct., $14 50 to $14 55; Dec., $14 50 to $14 55; spot firm, 16⅝c.

SUGAR—Firm; standard "A," 3 13-16c to 4c; confectioners' "A," 3 11-16c to 3¾c; cut-loaf, 4 7-16c to 4⅝c; crushed, 4 7-16c to 4⅝c; powdered, 4 1-16c to 4¼c; granulated, 3 13-16c to 4¼c.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 5.

WHEAT—Spring wheat—Quiet; limits firm; No. 1 hard closed 65½c to 65¾c; No. 1 northern, new, 64⅝c to 64¾c; do, old, 65½c. Sales: 6,000 bu No. 1 hard, 65½c; 5,000 bu do, 6½c over New York May; 4,000 bu No. 1 northern, 64½c to 65c. Winter wheat—Firm; fair demand. Sales: 8 cars No. 2 red, 58½c spot; 58c to 58½c to arrive; 4 cars No. 3 extra, 58c; 1,000 bu do, 57½c.

CORN—Quiet; steady. Sales: 4 cars No. 2 yellow, 45½c to 46½c; 7 cars No. 3 yellow, 46c; 2 cars No. 2 corn, 46c; 5 cars No. 3 corn, 45½c to 45⅝c spot on track; 10 cars No. 3 yellow, c. i. f., 46c to 46½c on track.

OATS—Dull; weak. Sales: 4 cars No. 2 white, 34½c to 35c; 3 cars No. 3 white, 34 1-2c to 34½c; No. 2 mixed, 32c on track.

RYE—Scarce; No. 2, 67c in store.

FLOUR—Steady; millers met this afternoon and prices will probably be advanced this week; quotations unchanged.

MILLFEED—Steady; good demand; unchanged.

Receipts—Wheat, 22,000 bu; corn, 38,000 bu; oats, 24,000 bu.

Shipments—Flour, 13,000 bu; wheat, 18,000 bu.

CHICAGO, March 5.

Wheat was governed by lower cables today and lost ⅜c to 1-2c. May corn closed unchanged from yesterday, with cash ½c to ¼c higher, owing to scarcity of offerings. Oats were a shade lower for May and ½c higher for cash.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 25 cars, corn 75 cars, oats 95 cars, hogs 39,000 head.

THE LEADING FUTURES CLOSED:

WHEAT—March, 52½c to 52⅝c; May, 54½c to 54⅝c; July, 55½c.

CORN—March, 43c; May, 44⅝c; July, 44⅝c to 44¾c.

OATS—May, 29c to 29½c; June, 29c; July, 27½c.

MESS PORK—May, $10 45.

LARD—May, $6 55; July, $6 67½.

SHORT RIBS—May, $5 37½; July, $5 50.

CASH QUOTATIONS:

Flour steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 54½c to 54⅝c; No. 3 spring wheat, 52c to 56c, by sample; No. 2 red, 52½c to 52⅝c; No. 2 corn, 43c; No. 2 oats, 28½c; No. 2 rye, 51½c nominal; No. 2 barley, 53c; mess pork, $10 30 to $10 50; lard, $6 40 to $6 42½; short ribs sides, $5 20 to $5 25; dry salted shoulders, $4 62½ to $4 75; short clear sides, $5 50 to $5 55.

Receipts—			
Flour	11,000	Wheat	19,000
Corn	139,000	Oats	118,000
Rye	4,000	Barley	37,000
Shipments—			
Flour	7,000	Wheat	5,000
Corn	36,000	Oats	192,000
Rye	6,000	Barley	11,000

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., March 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 28 cars through, 3 on sale. Market steady and firm for fat cattle; very dull and lower for fresh cows and springers, at $3 to $5 per head decline from last week's prices.

Hogs—Receipts, 33 cars through 25 cars on sale; demand fair for all grades; prices 5c lower for Yorkers, and light grades steady to firm for others. Yorkers, $4 25 to $4 30; mixed packers, $4 30; good medium, $4 30 to $4 35; choice heavy, $4 40 to $4 45; roughs, $3 60 to $4; stags, $3 to $3 50.

Market closed steady; all sold.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4 cars through, 40 on sale. Market steady, with a good demand for fat stock; dull and slow for common to fair grades. Extra to fancy lambs, $5 90 to $6 10; fair to choice, $4 50 to $5 75; mixed sheep, $3 50 to $4; fat wethers, $4 15 to $4 50; exports, $4 50 to $4 85.

Market closed firm; all sold.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,000 head; market steady; common to extra steers, $3 85 to $6 10; stockers and feeders, $2 60 to $4 50; cows and bulls, $1 50 to $4 50; calves, $2 50 to $5 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 31,000 head; market stronger; heavy, $4 to $4 35; common to choice mixed, $3 85 to $4 30; choice assorted, $4 10 to $4 20; light, $3 75 to $4 10; pigs, $2 75 to $3 90.

Sheep—Receipts, 14,000 head; market firm; inferior to choice, $2 50 to $4 65; lambs, $3 25 to $5 50.

NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 5.—Beeves — Receipts, 819 head; no trading; feeling firm; city dressed native sides, 7 1-2c to 9½c.

Calves—Receipts, 240 head. Market steady for veals, at $5 to $7 50; city dressed veals, 7c to 11c; country dressed, 6c to 9½c; little calves, 3½c to 5c.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2,135 head. Market firm; fair to prime sheep, $4 to $4 75; ordinary to prime lambs, $4 75 to $5 87 1-2; cull sheep and lambs, $2 50; dressed mutton, 6c to 8 1-2c; dressed lambs, 8c to 10c.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,401 head; market steady, at $4 40 to $4 70; country dressed, 5c to 7c.

TORONTO.
(Special to the ADVERTISER.)

TORONTO, March 5.—The offerings at the Western cattle yards were not heavy; 33 car loads of stuff came in today, which included 200 sheep and lambs and 800 hogs. Although there was a rather better feeling in butchers' cattle, the prices were no higher. Buying for Montreal was slow, and there was not much local demand except for the best butchers' cattle. Prices were too high for the men from Montreal. One or two head of picked cattle sold for 3½c per lb, but the ruling prices for best butchers' cattle were from 3c to 3¼c per lb, according to quality. Fair stock sold for 3c per lb. Rough cows and bulls brought from 2½c to 2¾c per lb. There were a few head of export cattle picked up today at prices ranging from 3½c to 4½c per lb. In milch cows and springers very few came in, and all sold at steady prices. Some of the poor ones were hard to sell, but the choice ones went well enough. Prices ruled from $20 to $40 per head. In sheep and lambs about 200 head offered and all sold. Lambs were about ½c per lb firmer, selling at from 4c to 4½c per lb, the latter for extra choice. Shipping sheep were steady at from 2c for bucks to 3 1-2c per lb for good shippers. Not many are wanted. Butchers' sheep are nominal at from $3 to $4 per head. In calves about 50 head offered, and all sold at steady prices; common sold at from $2 to $4 per head, and choice veals went up to $6 and $8 each. In hogs the offering was not quite so heavy today and the market is firm. Good long, lean bacon hogs sold from $4 10 to $4 35 per cwt. Stores light hogs were quiet at from 3¾c to 4c per lb. Other kinds are dull and unchanged as quoted.

Buffalo Barley Market.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 5.—Barley quiet; 6,000 bu in lots No. 2 western were taken at 60c, and maltsters declare they will not pay a fraction advance on this if they have to close up. No trades in Canada today. Sample lots were offered at 65c and 63c bid for No. 1; other grades neglected.

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CURLING.

The Forest City Curling Club (two rinks) returned from Detroit yesterday, highly delighted with the result of the match and with the hospitality accorded them by the Detroit club, whose members cannot be beaten socially. The score was:

DETROIT.	FOREST CITY.
Rink No. 1.	
D Wallace	A Talbot
R Williams	C Sterling
A W Baxter	C W Davis
J. Williams, skip....11	Dr. McDonald, skip.21
Rink No. 2.	
J Stevenson	J W McIntosh
F Weber	J D Balfour
J Buckwell	D Dewar
F Bamford, skip....14	W T Strong, skip...25

Majority for Forest City, 21.

THE GOVERNOR'S SIDE WON.

TORONTO, March 6.—Lord Aberdeen arrived in this city last evening and took part in the 7-rink curling match at the Victoria—the rinks being composed of the members of the club. His Excellency skipped a rink and his rink and side won.

THE TRIGGER.

ONTARIO R. A.

TORONTO, March 5.—The Ontario Rifle Association met yesterday afternoon at the Canadian Military Institute, Lieut.-Col. John I. Davidson presiding. The election of officers resulted as follows: Lieut.-Col. John I. Davidson, Forty-eighth Highlanders, re-elected president; Lieut.-Col. White, Thirtieth Battalion, first vice; Maj. Mason, Thirteenth Battalion, second vice; Maj. S. Hughes, Fourth Battalion, third vice, and Lieut.-Col. McPherson, director of stores, Militia Department, Ottawa, fourth vice.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

—The condition of Sir Frank Smith, who has been poorly for some days, was a little worse yesterday.

—The London West Council did not meet last night. Reeve Macdonald is absent in Toronto.

—Hon. Wilfrid Laurier, the eloquent Liberal leader, speaks at the Grand Opera House on March 27.

—The death is announced in Toronto of Mr. Andrew Thompson, well known in London and formerly a livery stable keeper here.

—Henry George was accompanied by his wife—a charming helpmeet. His lecture here was under the auspices of the London Single Tax Association.

—Mayor Little again assumed the reins of civic management this morning after a brief trip to Montreal, where he attended the funeral of Mrs. Little's mother.

—The team which will represent London in its match with Ayr tonight is: Goal, Becher; point, Southam; cover point, Brown; forwards, Lind, Macbeth, Beltz and Sippi.

—Carpenters are at work placing counters in front of the marketwomen's seats on the meat market veranda. Butter and eggs may now be sold over the counters instead of off the floor.

—The street railway company and No. 1 committee were to have a conference on electric matters today, but owing to the absence of some of the street railway people the meeting has been postponed until the call of the chairman.

—The Women's Music Club intend forming a sight reading signing class for young girls of 12 years and over, conducted by Miss E. L. Walker. Practices will be held twice a week at the club rooms. Information can be had at A. & S. Nordheimer's.

—Plumbers were working at the residence of Mrs. Firth, 411 King street, at noon today, and by some means they set fire to the house under the flooring. The brigade was called but the blaze was extinguished without assistance. Very little damage.

—The police magistrate was in a $2 mood today, and Wm. Burt, vagrant, and Charles Croft, drunk — although they both pleaded hard — were fined that amount, with the option of twenty days. They had no money and had to be content with the option.

—Mr. Frank Marshall, of No 95 Wharncliffe road, wishes his friends to understand that he is innocent of the charge of false pretenses made against him in connection with the purchase of some beef. Mr. Marshall, who is a well-known and respectable citizen, says he can easily disprove the accusation, which he thinks has unjustly been made public in advance of the trial.

—The death is announced of Elizabeth, wife of Mr. John Moore, contractor, London West, at the ripe age of 76 years. Deceased was a native of Devonshire, and came to London 22 years ago. She had since resided in London West. One sister is living—Mrs. Chute, of Detroit. Mrs. Moore is survived by seven daughters and three sons. One daughter is in England; two daughters and two sons are in California, and four daughters and one son (Mr. Wm. Moore, of the B. N. A. Bank) reside in and around London. Mrs. Moore was a lady esteemed for her many kindly virtues.

—Wm. H. Payne, the local second hand dealer, was tried before Judge Edward Elliott this morning on a charge of having received $200 under false pretenses from a widow named Ellen Johnston. On Sept. 6 Payne went to Mrs. Johnston and secured $200, giving as security a chattel mortgage on his stock, which he claimed was worth from $400 to $500. The stock was seized in January and an appraiser placed its value at $66, but at auction it only realized $48. The defense was not entered upon, Judge Elliott holding that the crown had not established to his satisfaction that the stock was not worth what the defendant represented it to be when the mortgage was given in September. Payne was thereupon discharged. Mrs. Johnston has received $49 on the mortgage. The money she loaned had been received from insurance on her late husband.

Growing Weaker.

While the workmen are tearing brick from brick on the ruins of his church Rev. J. W. Annis continues to sink and sink until it becomes but a very short time indeed until he, like the old church, passes away. He has been long unconscious and the watchers expect the end at any time.

Women's Morning Music Club.

The twentieth programme of the above club was rendered this morning chiefly from the words of Gluck, Henselt and Jensen as follows:

Offertory—O Savior, Hear Me....Gluck-Buck
Miss George (Mount Brydges) violin obligato, Miss Webbe.
Piano—Will-o'-the-Wisp................Jensen
Miss Ethel Homes.
Violin trio—Serenado...................Eichberg
The Misses M. Webbe, A. Smith and C. McIntosh.
Song (from Orfeo)—Che Faro...........Gluck
Miss Belle Browne.
Piano—Larghetto.......................Henselt
Miss E. Morphy.
Piano (from Tannhauser)—Evening Star...
...........................Wagner-Liszt
Miss F. Green.

The Seventh's New Home.

The officers of the Seventh Battalion are having the old McCue Hotel, at the corner of Richmond and Kent streets, remodeled and fitted up for a club house. The non-coms and privates are interested in the undertaking, and in a month or six weeks the battalion will have a splendid resort. Every room in the building, which is three stories high, is being repainted, papered and plastered, and a new furnace has been put in the basement. Bath rooms will be fitted up in the basement. The first floor will be divided into mess rooms for the officers and non-coms, while card, billiard and pool rooms will be furnished on the second and third floors. The officers are considering the advisability of having a roof garden. Mr. Henry Rollin has been appointed steward.

CHINESE OUT OF SIGHT.

LONDON, March 6.—A dispatch to the Pall Mall Gazette from Yokohama says that on March 2 the Japanese second corps occupied Anshong Heng on the Moukden road without opposition.

A VIGOROUS QUEEN.

LONDON, March 6.—The Queen experienced no fatigue from her presence at the drawing room yesterday. She drove out this forenoon and appeared to be in excellent spirits. Her Majesty will start for the continent on March 13, traveling incognito as the Marchioness of Balmoral.

MAUD'S MARRIAGE.

ROME, March 6.—The Prince of Naples arrived in Rome this morning from Florence. The assertion is again made by his entourage that he will shortly be married to Princess Maud of Wales, and the arrival of the Prince of Wales and other members of the British royal family is expected soon.

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SOUTH LONDON'S NEW PASTOR.

The Call From Knox Church to Rev. J. E. Stuart, of Toronto, Sustained—Takes Effect April 7.

Dr. Ferguson, J. Macpherson, T. Alexander and Rev. W. J. Clark represented Knox Church, South London, yesterday at the Toronto Presbytery, which met to consider the call from that church to Rev. J. E. Stewart, of St. Mark's Church, Toronto. Knox Church offered $1,400 yearly and four weeks' holidays.

Mr. Clark, in speaking to the call, said it was signed by 133 members and 44 adherents of Knox Church, and had been made unanimous. The charge was an important one, and it was doubtless a matter of gratification to the Toronto Presbytery that, in the face of the fact that the call extended to a member of the Presbytery last December was not accepted, a call should now be extended to another member.

Dr. Ferguson very strongly urged the claims of Knox Church to the services of so able a pastor as Mr. Stuart.

Mr. Macpherson told how the church was getting rapidly out of debt, the total indebtedness of the congregation being only $6,800. Mr. Stuart was not asked to come to a dead or decaying congregation, but one very much alive, and situated in a growing section of the city.

Mr. Alexander gave figures showing the liberality in contributions of the Knox Church congregation, which averaged over $19 yearly per member.

Members of Mr. Stuart's congregation urged his retention. Rev. Mr. Stuart said he had made many dear friends in the congregation of St. Mark's Church, and he felt that his duty there was a pleasing task, but that the church in South London opened up greater opportunities for work. He accepted the call, and hoped to fill the position worthily.

His translation was unanimously ratified, and a motion expressing regret at his departure was passed.

It was decided to release Mr. Stuart from the pastorate of St. Mark's on Sunday, April 7.

THE VALLEYFIELD MURDER.

Shortis Locked Up in the Beauharnois Jail—A Woman's Love.

BEAUHARNOIS, Que., March 6.—The murderer Shortis was safely lodged in jail here yesterday, having been brought from Valleyfield in a sleigh. Shortis is apparently unconcerned, and seemingly is more interested in his personal comfort and toilet than anything else. It is said that the Beauharnois jail will not hold him long, as a change of venue will be applied for and may be granted. Shortis will be very carefully watched, and Sheriff Leberge will not allow any one to see him unless by an order of the Attorney-General. A special guard will be asked for. The jail in which he is confined is a very old building, and during its existence there have only been two murder trials in it, in each case the accused being acquitted. Shortis will be fed on porridge and bread and water principally, though he will be allowed soup and meat for dinner on alternate days. Beauharnois is much excited over the fact that the celebrated murderer is at last in the neighborhood. The woman in the case, Miss Millie Anderson, is said to be quite ill today. Her attachment for the murderer has been quite pronounced, and she has sent him tender and loving messages since his incarceration.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

The Massachusetts House of Representatives has defeated the Woman's Suffrage Bill.

The city of Port-of-Spain, Trinidad, has narrowly escaped destruction by fire. The loss is nearly $4,000,000. Nearly 20,000 people would have been homeless but for the assistance of United States and British ships in fighting the fire.

A Boom for Manchester.

LONDON, March 6.—As one of the developments of the Manchester Canal it is stated that the North German Lloyd Steamship Company is about to run a service of fast steamers fortnightly between Brazil, Australia, China and the West Indies and Manchester. It is also stated that the service between Manchester and Quebec and Montreal will begin in April. The Wilson line announces the inauguration of a regular service of steamers between Manchester and Baltic Sea ports.

SILLY WOMEN.

NEW YORK, March 6.—The Count and Countess de Castellane sailed this morning for Southampton on the steamer New York. An eager, gaping, almost hysterical, crowd of women lined up along the pier and clawed and fought for the nearest places to the saloon gangway.

SUPPOSED TORONTO FIRE-BUGS.

TORONTO, March 6.—A citizen of good standing wrote to the mayor to say that he had heard two men on Sunday arranging to start a fire simultaneously at Eaton's and the exhibition buildings, so that the efforts of the brigade might be divided. The letter has been sent to the chief of police. The writer says he can identify one of the men, and there is no suspicion of a hoax in the matter.

Steamship Arrivals.

March 6.	At	From
Belgenland	New York	Antwerp
Paris	Southampton	New York
Teutonic	New York	Liverpool

TIDINGS FROM ZIONVILLE.

I suffered everything but death from indigestion during four years, and tried all sorts of medicine to no effect; at last I was advised to try Burdock Blood Bitters, and before finishing the second bottle I was as well as I could be, and have had good health ever since.

BENJ. STEWART, Postmaster, Zionville, N. B.

It is estimated that 200 tons of ostrich feathers have been exported from Cape Colony during the past 30 years, valued at $50,000,000.

Why will you allow a cough to lacerate your throat or lungs and run the risk of filling a consumptive's grave, when by the timely use of Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup the pain can be allayed and the danger avoided? This syrup is pleasant to the taste, and unsurpassed for relieving, healing and curing all affections of the throat and lungs, coughs, colds, bronchitis, etc.

Are you all tired out, do you have that tired feeling, or sick headache? You can be relieved of all of these by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

CRAZE FOR RAILWAYS.

The craze for mountain railways is still in full force. The Alpine Post announces that a railway to the summit of Mont Blanc is now in contemplation.

SICK HEADACHE.

A Simple Household Remedy for This Distressing Affliction.

Obtainable at a Cost of a Cent a Dose at Any Drug Store—Pills Prepared from a Prescription by Dr. Chase, Author of the Well-known Recipe Book.

Mrs. G. Bird writes from Harriston, Ont., under date Sept. 15, 1894: "While on a visit to Toronto, and taking in the sights of the Exhibition, I was taken very ill with sick headache and dizziness, a lifelong complaint of mine, and I thought I would have to take to my bed, as I have always had to do when my head is bad. I was also very much troubled with a very tired feeling when arising in the morning. Hearing of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, I thought I would try a box, and I must say 'tis indeed a wonderful medicine in pill form, for after taking one pill my head felt better, and before I had taken half a box was entirely cured, and had no return of stomach or head trouble." Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are put up in yellow wrappers, which bear the photograph and signature of Dr. A. W. Chase. None others are genuine. They are an honest remedy, and, as one man puts it, "are half a family medicine chest."

FOR SALE—THE DOUBLE BRICK TENEMENT next west to Congregational Church, on Dundas street; easy terms. Apply A. McCORMICK & Co. b

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The above firm give thanks for the patronage afforded them in the past season, and, in hope of a large spring trade, they have purchased an immense stock of superior and fashionable goods at the lowest cash price, and are prepared to sell as the market demands. They will, if favored with orders (which are most respectfully solicited), give good workmanship, good trimmings, good style. Good as the best. Cheap as the cheapest.

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Her Life's Love

He was sitting in his little, dingy office there, quite late in the afternoon, for he had some difficult accounts to make up, which he hated poor fellow! not having been blessed by nature with a talent for arithmetic; but it was Roderick's peculiarity that what he did worst he always worked hardest at, and what he particularly hated he always forced himself to do at once. His head swam, and his eyes were dazed, yet he still stuck bravely to those mountains of figures, alp after alp arising before his troubled brains, when he was startled by a little knock, and old Black, who he had thought had gone home two hours ago, presented himself with a beaming countenance.

"Busy? Ye're always busy. And so I thought, sir, I'd just come mysel' and be the first to give ye the good news. Laddie, laddie," with a slap on the back which contrasted oddly with the respectful 'Sir,' "Go your ways, man, and thank the Lord for all His mercies. Your wife's doing well; and ye've got a bairn."

"My wife!" Roderick sprung up like a shot.

"Ou, ay, she's fine; and it's a lad-bairn. She bade Janet come and tell ye. She wadna hae ye fashed about it till all was over. My certie! but she's a brave woman—a woman in a thousand, is young Mrs. Jardine."

The old fellow drew out his snuff-box, took several pinches, and blew his nose with great violence, deliberately turning his back upon the young man, as perhaps was the best.

"Thank God!" Roderick said at last, quietly and gravely. "Have I a son or a daughter? I forgot. I did not quite hear."

"A son, sir. Another Jardine of Blackhall. They tell me—I've been up at the house mysel'—that he's such a grand bairn that his mother is so proud of him."

"His mother—my son; how strange it sounds!"

Roderick put his hands over his eyes, vainly trying to realize that great change in a young man's life, when he has actually 'given hostages to fortune' and sees himself not merely as himself, but as the father of a race to come, who will carry down his name, laden with curses or blessings, to remote posterity. A certain momentary terror—or less terror than awe—came over him. Then as if accepting the responsibility which no good man need fear, and which most men in their secret hearts are rather proud of, he shook hands with Mr. Black, put his account books aside—luckily they were nearly finished—and prepared to go home at once.

It was a wet night, had been pelting rain all day; truly the small Jardine of Blackhall got but a weeping welcome into this 'wearifu' world.' But the young father never noticed it. He was fully and overpoweringly happy. The fear which half unconsciously had hung over him like a cloud for weeks was now changed into a delicious hope and joy.

Bidding a cherry good-night to Mr. Black ("By the bye, I had a line from your wife yesterday, but that's no matter now," said he, as they parted), Roderick walked rapidly up the brae—the familiar walk, with the light in the parlor window shining ahead all the way. It was dark now, but there was a faint glimmer from the room upstairs, his wife's room. His heart swelled almost to bursting as he looked at it.

"My son, our son. Another Henry Jardine. If my father had only known! And my mother, shall I write to my mother? Perhaps! No!"

Choking down the pain that would rise, turning resolutely from the ever-lurking shadow which no sunshine of joy could quite banish, the young man passed through the dark garden to the hall-door.

Faithful Janet was there to open it; only she. All was safe now, but it had been an anxious day. The house felt quiet—painfully quiet, its master thought, as he went into the empty parlor. They would not let him speak to his wife, but only look at her as she lay asleep, like a marble image. Her eyes were closed, but a sweet smile flitted about her mouth, and her left hand was extended outside the coverlet, over a small heap, a little helpless something. What a slender soft hand it seemed, with the wedding-ring shining upon it, and yet how strong it was!—strong and tender—essentially a mother's hand.

The young husband's eyes were dim, but he had self-control enough to obey orders and creep quietly down-stairs, not even asking to see his little son; in truth, just then he hardly thought of him at all as a human entity, but only of the mother, the precious life imperiled and saved. And he had known nothing—nothing, all this time. With what silent courage had she sent him away at breakfast-time, and kept him ignorantly content at his work, all that long day; that terrible day!

"Just like her. She never thinks of herself, but of me. My darling!—my only darling!"

By and by she awoke, and he was allowed to kiss her, without speaking; indeed, she made no attempt to speak, only smiled—her own ineffably peaceful smile. Then he settled himself in the parlor, which looked frightfully empty, all the more so that so many of her things were lying about—her garden-shawl and hat, which she had taken off when she came in the evening before, her work-box, her desk—carefully left open, with a little heap of addressed envelopes placed on the top of it, so as to save him all possible trouble. There was even the foreign stamps ready affixed to the Neuchatel letters. No one at home had been forgotten; neither Mrs. Grierson nor Lady Symington — not even Mrs. Alexander Thomson. At which Roderick again muttered, "Just like her." But there was no letter—how could there be—addressed to Mrs. Jardine.

"Best not," he said, with a thrill of anger, the sharpest he had ever yet felt; "we bore all our sorrows alone, we will not make her a sharer in our joy. It is nothing to her, and she is nothing to us now."

But even while he sat there, Roderick's heart melted. It seemed as if, now he was a father himself, he felt all the more yearning toward his mother—the mother who bore him. Nothing could alter that fact.

With a great sigh he sat down to his solitary supper, and prepared for an equally solitary evening.

He was slightly occupied, however, by the letters he had to write—in French or English—letters to those whom his wife loved and who love her, and would sympathize with her to the uttermost, he knew. Faithfully he fulfilled all her wishes, even writing a line to his sister Bella. But this, unlike the others, was brief and cold. As he did it, hot indignation, righteous indignation, flamed up in the young man's heart—he would not have been a true man else—a wrathful sense of all his darling had been made to endure—his innocent darling, whom his mother had never known nor taken any pains to know, and whom his sisters, following her lead, had as completely ignored as if she were no wife at all. But the storm did not last long—he was of too gentle a nature; and then he was so happy, so very happy. From his calm height of content that night he felt as if he could afford to look with placable and even compassionate eye on his whole family—on the whole world.

Until near morning he sat writing, and then, finding that all was well in the silent room upstairs, he went to bed, just looking out first upon the dim dawn—only one long yellow streak in the horizon—and thinking, if to-morrow happened to be a fine day, how pleasant all would be in his wife's room, where the sun shone almost all day long; how the hyacinths would send up their fragrant breath from the garden below, and the mavis, her own particular mavis, would sing his incessant song 'from morn till dewy eve' over his busy mate and newly-hatched young. All the world seemed full of life and joy and hope. He had to cover his ears ere he could get to sleep, for the birds were already awake and singing.

An hour or two's rest and Roderick was up again, half dizzy with his unbelievable new joy, and trying hard to talk business with Mr. Black, who had come to Blackhall himself to get the earliest news, and persuade the young father to escape from the ignominious position of total neglect which befalls all fathers under these happy circumstances, and take refuge in 'bachelor's hall.' Directly after there drove up the Symington carriage, with Lady Symington in it, who straightway disappeared upstairs.

When she came down her round, rosy face was pale and her manner painfully quiet. She offered no congratulations, but laid her hand on Roderick's arm.

"I have been seeing your wife. Have you seen her this morning?"

"Not yet. They would not let me."

"Quite right. Stop! You must not go to her just now. Instead, take my carriage and fetch Dr. ——"

Roderick in his turn became ghastly pale for this doctor was the most noted man in all the country-side, and he lived twelve miles off.

"Is there then such vital necessity? Is she in danger? Why did they not tell me? Oh, my God! my God!"

"Hush! we must not waste time in talking. It may be nothing, my dear"—the old lady's soft 'my dear' was more terrifying than aught else—"but we never know. The horses are fresh; they will go there and back without stopping. Bring the doctor with you—don't come without him. I will stay here till you return."

(To be Continued.)

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Ready to Learn.—Justice (severely)—How could you, sir, be so mean as to swindle people that put confidence in you? Prisoner—Well, judge, I'll make it worth somethin' to yer if you'll tell me how to work them as don't.

SHILOH'S CURE is sold onguaraantee. It cures Incipient Consumption. It is the best Cough Cure. Only one cent a dose: 25c, 50c, and $1 per bottle. Sold by W. T. Strong.

At the fortune teller's.—"That is a very dark future you predict for me, madame. "Why, sir, what could you expect for sixpence? Pay me a shilling and I'll see what I can do for you.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by W. T. Strong.

Every violent storm on the English Channel exposes an ancient buried forest, which is usually covered by sand and water. The location of this curiosity is near St. Malo.

THE MEDICINE FOR LIVER AND KIDNEY COMPLAINT.—Mr. Victor Auger, Ottawa, writes: "I take great pleasure in recommending to the general public Parmelee's Pills as a cure for Liver and Kidney complaint. I have doctored for the last three years with leading physicians, and have taken many medicines that were recommended to me without relief, but after taking eight of Parmelee's Pills I was quite relieved, and now I feel as free from the disease as before I was troubled."

The largest collection in existence of the smallest books in the world is said to be that owned by M. Georges Salomon, a Parisian amateur, of whose 700 little volumes none is larger than one inch wide by two inches high.

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

The Province of Buenos Ayres is insolvent; it is being sued for a debt of $20,000, which has been owing for four years. The budget of 1893 has been put in force for 1894.

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

The city built by Brutus, the semi-mythical discoverer of Great Britain, on the site of the present London, bore the name of Troja-Nova.

The use of Dr. Seigert's Angostura Bitters excites the appetite and keeps the digestive organs in order.

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Facts for Farmers

Emphasized at the East Middlesex Institute,

Held on Monday at Pond Mills—Hints About Breeding Cattle and Feeding Them—Value of Various Foods—The Manure Question—Proper Care of Milk.

(From the "Advertiser's" special correspondent.)

The East Middlesex Farmers' Institute met on Monday at Pond Mills under very unfavorable circumstances, notwithstanding which a surprisingly large number of farmers showed their interest in the work of the institute by being present and actively taking part in the discussion.

Mr. Thomas Baty, president, occupied the chair, and in his opening remarks as one of the delegates to the Central Institute gave a short account of that meeting, at which resolutions were passed in favor of the branding of cheese with the date of make and the name of factory; abolishing entrance examinations; lowering of officials' salaries; removing of quarantine on Canadian cattle in transit through the States, and reducing the number of county councilors.

Mr. J. D. Thompson gave a lengthy account of the business transacted at the Central Farmers' Institute.

Prof. George Harcourt, in an intelligent, interesting and instructive manner, addressed the meeting on stock breeding, showing its importance to the Ontario farmer. Cross breeding, between pure breeds, does not pay nor give good results, but ought to be pursued with common stock crossed with pure breeds. The prepotency of pure breeds causes their good qualities to be retained. Never use mixed breeds to improve your herd. They have no guarantee to transmit their desirable characteristics. Farmers should breed with a definite object in view. If for milk use a bull whose dam was a good milker. Don't run from one breed to another. The best Jersey cow in the tests at Chicago in 1893 gave a profit of $73 above the feed, while the poorest one gave $24. Most folks would like to own a Jersey, but the speaker would give them the advice of Jos. Lewis, of Wisconsin: "Take a common cow, feed her like a Jersey, and you will think that you have a Jersey."

Mr. James Anderson said that around Harrietsville the farmers fed chop to cows in addition to grass and find it pays. Without this the average income from a cow would be about $30 from the factory, but by feeding chop an income of $45 to $60 may be obtained, besides the extra manure and better condition of the cow for wintering.

Mr. Baty advocated the advantages of hard crops, for by so doing work is distributed more over the season, and the harvesting season is lengthened. Weeds are killed by preparation of the land in the spring, and after cultivation. They keep up the fertility of farms. Greater returns are received from these crops. In his experience the product of an average crop of four acres of corn and two acres of roots, with a feed of straw a day, will fatten twelve steers for five months, and keep four hogs and twenty hens, and he finds his stock do better on this than on hay and chop. The corn he prefers is the Longfellow.

Mr. F. Elliott prefers growing roots rather than corn. He considers they require less labor, are easier on the land, do not flavor the milk if the tops are not fed. He always grows the Sweede turnip. Tops of roots should be plowed under and not fed.

Prof. Harcourt gave the feeding value, according to chemical analysis, of corn as $4 23; clover, $15 90; carrots, $2 86; mangels, $2 48, and turnips, $2 40 per ton. But he considered the real value of roots to be more than this on account of their benefit to the system of the animal fed.

The next subject was the "Care and Handling of Manure," introduced by J. D. Thompson, Derwent, in a well-prepared and thoughtful manner. He considers farm-yard manure yet the most valuable to farmers, and should be handled in an intelligent manner to get the full benefit possible from it. The urine is the most valuable part of the excreta of an animal. Manure if left to rot in the common barn yard fashion loses one half of its nitrogen. On level land he prefers to draw out in the winter and spread on the clover sod and ground intended for roots. He finds no trouble in growing roots after a course of manure if it is plowed under very early in the spring and then plowed the second time. He considers fresh manure the best for clay land, but prefers the manure rotted for land of a light texture. He advises the use of gypsum spread in the stables to retain the ammonia.

Prof. Harcourt considers a ton of bran for manurial purposes, at the rate commercial fertilizers are sold, to be worth about $14. A good way to increase the fertility of a farm was to buy such feeds as oilcake, bran, etc., and feed to stock at a profit.

Mr. Wm. Thompson spoke for a few minutes on "Specialties," showing that this is beginning to be an age of specialties, and that farmers ought to devote their best energies to special lines.

EVENING SESSION.

In the evening the edifice was filled. Mr. Baty, president, complimented the ladies who were present in spite of the storm. Farmers' wives and daughters were farmers, since they had a share in the work. Canada owes much to the women of the farm.

Prof. Harcourt, after dwelling a short time on the progress of institutes since the year 1885, in which they were first started, and saying they promised to do better work in the future, addressed the audience on the "Care of Milk." To make proper cheese good milk must be furnished by the patron. Milk may be tainted (1) before it reaches the pail, by the animal breathing impure air, which passing into the blood through the lungs affects the products of the body; (2) through the water, 87 per cent of which is in milk; (3) by weeds, musty hay or ill-health of the cow. Dogs or boys should never run cows or use them roughly. (4) Milk in a pure atmosphere, for the odor of the air is absorbed, especially after the milk quits giving off heat. (5) Milk should be thoroughly aired rather than cooled for the factory by pouring or stirring, but the best way is to have a handle in a dish like a pan, and this forced down in a can of milk forces the full of it of oxygen through the milk. (6) Use only clean vessels well scalded to destroy germs; use a cloth above the strainer, this cloth to be changed frequently, or washed in strong soda water; use a brush rather than a cloth to wash cans. The success of our cheese depends upon each patron doing his duty.

The reception given to C. M. Simmons manifested that Westminster was glad to have present the reeve of Lobo. He took as the text of his remarks "Dairying," advising young men to follow his example and get a wife, educated in dairy matters, at the proper time. Dairying enabled people to be engaged at home. He advised them to educate themselves along their special line, and to make their families partners in the work. He showed the profit to be gained from a herd of good cows, properly fed, and recommended winter dairying.

The addresses of the evening were interspersed with choice selections of vocal music by Miss Maggie A. Murray, and Messrs. W. E. Greeve and Wm. Smith, accompanied on the organ by Miss Jennie Murray, while the bagpipes in the hands of Mr. R. Murray stirred the Scotch spirit of the neighborhood.

LOOKS LARGE ON PAPER.

Proposed Canal from Lake Erie to the Hudson River—To Admit Big Ships.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 5.—A bill is to be laid before the Legislature chartering a company to make a great water-way from the great lakes Atlantic Ocean. They propose to operate a canal from some point near the head of navigation on the Hudson River to a point on Lake Champlain; also a canal from some point near the head of Lake St. Francis to a point on the St. Lawrence River above Long Sault Rapids; also a canal from a point on the Niagara River to a point above the Niagara Falls, of such dimensions as to allow channels of at least 20 feet in navigable depth between the above-mentioned points, and sufficiently wide to allow vessels drawing 20 feet, passing each other at full speed.

The main purpose of the canal is to discharge the waters of Lake Erie, Lake Ontario, the St. Lawrence River and Lake Champlain into the Hudson River, not alone for the purpose of a shipping canal, but to supply the villages and towns along the valley of the Hudson with a pure, wholesome and inexhaustible supply of water.

Under the charter the company can construct, acquire and operate telegraph and telephone lines, widen and deepen the locks on the Champlain and Hudson Canal, and construct not more than ten locks between the Hudson River and Lake Erie to admit vessels 500 feet long, 60 feet wide and 26 feet deep.

Ten per cent of the capital stock is to be paid within five years after the passage of the act, and the canal must be finished within ten years, else its charter shall lapse.

LUCKNOW.

"Advertiser" Agent, W. H. Smith.

March 5.—The most successful carnival ever held in Lucknow took place on Friday night last in the new rink. The maskers were numerous and the costumes handsome. Mr. Al. Murdock, as Highlander, was awarded the first prize for fancy dressed gentleman, while Miss Lalla Berry, as Fairy Queen, obtained the same honors for fancy dressed lady, and Miss Lena Hamily as Fin de Siecle, received second prize in the same class. Mrs. J. W. Armstrong, jun., as Tambourine Girl, received first prize for character costume, and Miss Margarette Campbell, as Indian Princess, was awarded a special. Master Jim McCorvie, as Colored Dude, carried off honors for the best comic dressed boy, and his brother Archie, in the attire of a Colored Girl, secured the first prize for the best comic dressed girl. A special prize was given by Mr. D. E. McDonald for the best imitation tramp, and it was awarded to Master Charlie McLean. The special feature of the evening was an imitation of the Highland pipers, being composed of sixteen young men in Highland costume, under the command of Piper Major D. E. McDonald. Flash light photos of the Highlanders and masqueraders were taken during the evening by Photographer T. L. Treleaven.

Mr. Morden, of the Bank of Hamilton, Wingham, was in town last week, the guest of Mr. J. W. Armstrong.

Mrs. J. West is visiting friends at Bright.

Mrs. J. W. Armstrong entertained a few of her young friends on Friday evening.

Miss Pentland, of Dungannon, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Anderson.

WESTERN ONTARIO.

The Oxford Fat Stock Club has elected the following officers: John McLevin, president; H. J. Woodrow, first-vice; John Smith, second vice; M. S. Schell, secretary-treasurer.

Wm. Hall and Wm. McGee, charged with stealing a large Saratoga trunk from the house of Mrs. Scott, of Windsor, three weeks ago, were tried Monday before Judge Horne, of Sandwich. Hall was convicted and sentenced to four years in the penitentiary at Kingston. It could not be proven that McGee was guilty and he was discharged. Neither the trunk nor the contents which Mrs. Scott says were together worth $400 were recovered.

DRESDEN.

("Advertiser" Agent, Clifford Barber.)

March 5.—Mr. J. W. Sharpe, the Conservative candidate for Bothwell, has resigned.

Mr. Knox, of Chatham, will address the Young Liberals on Friday evening next.

Dr. A. W. Thornton has been elected president of the Methodist Young People's Societies of the London Conference district.

Mr. Caniff Fritz has gone to Detroit on business.

Mr. Frank Austin, of Grand Forks, Dakota, left for home today, having spent a couple of weeks visiting his parents here.

Mrs. E. Miller will give an "at home" in her residence on Brown street Thursday evening for the benefit of the Ladies' Guild.

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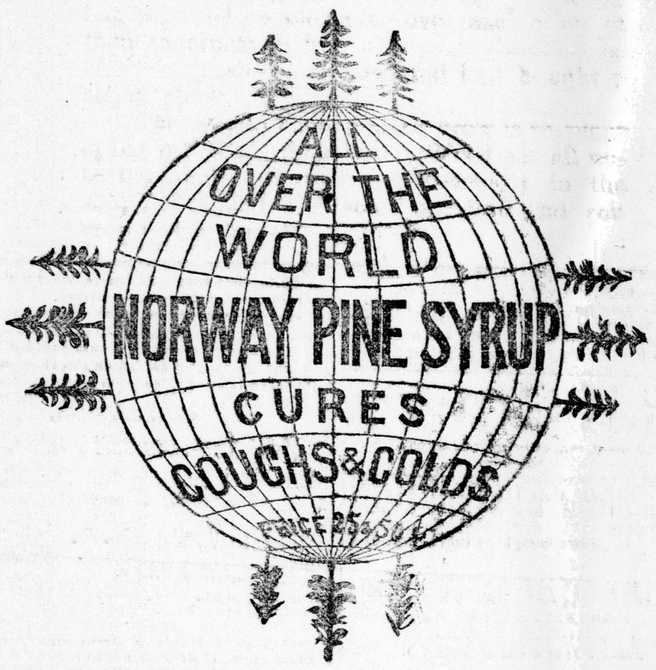
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M'QUEEN—M'DONALD—At Windsor, on Feb. 13, 1895, by the Rev. Father Scanlan, Joseph McQueen, of Detroit, to Miss Teresa McDonald, of this city.

DIED.

MOORE—At the family residence, 23 Maple street, London West, Elizabeth, wife of John Moore. Aged 76 years.
Funeral on Friday at 2:30 p.m. Service at 2 o'clock. 33u

M'LARTY—In this city, on March 6, Douglas Gordon, youngest son of John and Margaret McLarty, aged 1 year and 23 days.
Funeral will take place from 467 York street, on Friday, at 3 p.m. Services at 2:30 p.m.

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FAIR WEATHER, MILDER.

TORONTO, March 5.—11 p.m.—The depression over Massachusetts yesterday, after giving a moderate to fresh gale in the Maritime Provinces, has now passed off the Atlantic coast; higher pressure and fairer weather is now general from the lakes to the Atlantic. In the Northwest the weather is fair and temperature somewhat higher.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 14°—34°; Battleford, 4° below—24°; Qu'Appelle, 12° below—20°; Winnipeg, 14° below—16°; Parry Sound, 18° below—22°; Toronto, 2°—24°; Kingston, zero—22°; Montreal, 2°—16°; Quebec, 4°—16°; Halifax, 24°—40°.

TODAY'S PROBABILITIES.

TORONTO, March 6.—1 a.m.—Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far as Belleville) are: South to west winds; fair weather; higher temperature.

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A PLEASANT WELCOME

To Lady Aberdeen by the Ladies of Hamilton.

HAMILTON, March 5.—Several of the lady members of the local Council of Women, with Rev. S. Lyle, assembled at the G. T. R. station this morning to meet Lady Aberdeen on her arrival from Washington. Immediately on her arrival she was escorted to the Royal Hotel, where a magnificent luncheon was prepared, at which a hundred ladies sat down. The dining-room was gaily decorated for the occasion with choice flowers. The toast list included "The Governor-General and Family," responded to by Lady Aberdeen. "The National Woman's Council" responded to by Mrs. Hoodless, treasurer of the National Council; "The Local Council," responded to by Miss Calder; "The Educational Interests of Canada," responded to by Mrs. Ballard; "The Press," responded to by Mrs. Fessenden.

Immediately after the luncheon Lady Aberdeen was escorted to the Grand Opera House, where she delivered an interesting and instructive address to a very large assembly composed of ladies and gentlemen. Her Ladyship's visit was arranged and carried out entirely by the Local Council of Women.

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In this city, there were distributed this week samples of Williams' Royal Crown Pills, and we would direct our readers' attention to he merits of these marvelous little pills, which have proved of so great value to so many sufferers from constipation, bilious or sick headache and liver complaint; in such cases two pills should be taken at night, and continue taking one or two pills each night until relieved and the bowels are regular in their operation. As a dinner pill, one Royal Crown Pill should be taken immediately after a hearty meal and it will be found an excellent means of assisting digestion and preventing dyspepsia. Purify the system by taking a treatment of Williams' Royal Crown Remedy, the best and most economical medicine manufactured to-day.

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—Mrs. Henry Delang, William street, is visiting Windsor friends.

—Ex-Ald. A. B. Powell may appeal from the decision of the courts unseating him as representative of No. 2 ward.

—Major J. A. Hesketh, London, was yesterday elected a member of the executive commitee of the Ontario Artillery Association.

—The customs collections at the London custom house for February, 1895, were $49,701 30, against $43,223 16 in February, 1894, an increase for 1895 of $6,478 14.

—Rev. J. G. Stuart, of Toronto, has accepted the call to the pastorate of Knox Church, South London, and the Toronto Presbytery has sanctioned it. His pulpit in Toronto will be declared vacant on April 7.

—A Bay City (Mich.) dispatch says: "Assistant City Treasurer Gustin received a telegram today announcing the death of his mother at Denfield, Ont., at the advanced age of 93 years. Her husband died two years ago, aged 92 years.

—The rooms of Chorazin Lodge, I. O. O. F., in the East End Hall, are being enlarged. The lodge has entered into a new lease with the city, and, besides the old rooms on the third story, has secured the use of two large rooms on the second flat.

—While Mrs. W. Langridge was adjusting a picture at her home yesterday afternoon, the stepladder on which she was standing suddenly gave way and she was precipitated to the floor, suffering a severe sprain of the right ankle, which will necessitate her remaining at home for a couple of weeks.

—Mr. James Clarke received a telegram informing him of the death of his son-in-law, Mr. A. Doyle, of St. Thomas, formerly proprietor of the Novelty Pump Works in this city, and later in the same business in St. Thomas. His ailment was abscess of the liver, to which he succumbed after six weeks' illness. He leaves a wife and three children.

—The regular monthly meeting of the London branch of the Mission to Lepers in India and the East was held in Somerset Hall Monday afternoon. An interesting programme was presented by the president, Mrs. Robertson. The Bible lesson was conducted by Mrs. Boyd, and was especially appropriate to the occasion. An excellent essay on the Almora asylum was read by Miss Morris, and Miss Purdholm gave a very interesting account of the lepers of Robben Island. Owing to the stormy state of the weather the attendance was smaller than usual.

—A city correspondent writes: "A suggestion re City Hall alterations. Why not sell the old City Hall property out and out, which has outlived its usefulness, and build more modern buildings on a new site. The site I would suggest is that large property on the south side of Dundas street, between Wellington and Waterloo streets, where all those old scarecrow buildings are, which is an eyesore and a disgrace to our beautiful city. I understand that property can be bought cheap at present. Who will move in this matter?"

—The following list of patents recently granted to inventors residing in the Dominion of Canada, is reported for the ADVERTISER by P. J. Edmunds, international patent solicitor, London: Canada patents—J. W. Duncan, Montreal, bicycle driving gear; H. W. Howell, St. George, sleigh; W. A. Howell, M.D., Jarvis, band-saw guide. United States patents—Henry M. Childs, Montreal, egg case: Thos. Harold, Vancouver, B. C., miter box; Chas. L. Higgins, Montreal, footwear; S. Hughes, Lindsay, heater and ventilator; Jas. T. McCabe, Toronto, door-hangers (three patents); Walter Rowlands, Montreal, switch stand; Jos. A. G. Trudeau, Ottawa, electric current transformer.

—The entertainment to be given this evening in the Grand Opera House by Mr. Durward Lely, the famous Scottish vocalist, formerly Patti's right hand man, promises to be well attended. Mr. Lely has everywhere performed to crowded audiences. His entertainment "Song and Story," in which he is aided by his gifted wife, is most attractive. Not since the days of David Kennedy has there been a better Scottish singer in London, but Mr. Lely does not confine himself to Scottish songs. He sings English and Irish songs equally well, and he is an inimitable teller of stories.

Still Pumping.

The water commissioners held their regular semi-monthly meeting in the City Hall yesterday afternoon, with Chairman Cowan, Commissioner Judd, Secretary Ellwood, Engineer Moore and Inspector Plastow present. Mayor Little was absent in Montreal. Pumping Engineer Findlay presented his report for the two weeks ending March 4, showing that on eight of these days the steam, together with the hydraulic pumps, had been run. The following shows the amount pumped per day, with the depth of water in the reservoir:

Date.	Gallons pumped.	In reservoir—Feet.	Inches.
Feb. 19	3,019,556	11	0
Feb. 20	3,020,864	11	6
Feb. 21	3,019,524	12	3
Feb. 22	2,970,954	12	11
Feb. 23	3,058,286	13	3
Feb. 24	2,493,610	14	0
Feb. 25	2,185,836	14	0
Feb. 26	2,166,456	13	6
Feb. 27	2,2 6,724	12	9
Feb. 28	2,329,780	12	3
March 1	2,246,940	12	0
March 2	2,648,194	11	5
March 3	2,875,358	12	6
March 4	2,277,368	12	6

A communication from James Laut, manager of the London Plate Glass and Boiler Insurance Company, stated that the Springbank boilers were found to be in a very satisfactory condition. "We have no recommendations to make," read the letter. Tenders for supplies will be called for.

PATRONS IN CAUCUS.

Propose to Modify the Power of the Medical Council.

Mr. Howland's New Line of Attack on the Government's Municipal Policy.

(Special to the ADVERTISER.)

PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS, TORONTO, March 5.—Possibly the most important event of today was the caucus which the Patrons held in the pleasant room in the south-western corner of the building. It was important in that in it they decided upon the delay of their attack upon the Medical Council, Mr. Haycock's bill, which was put in in blank, being considered and got into shape. The bill will aim at depriving the council of its control over the examinations, which have been such a trouble to the soul of the medical student. Inasmuch, Patrons argue, as the matriculation examinations are made uniform and are under the management of a board on which the various medical colleges are represented, so the final examinations will be made uniform in the same way, and what they will propose is that they be left to a board composed of one member from each of the medical colleges, three from the council and be nominated by the Lieutenant-Governor in council. Furthermore the Patrons intend to strike off the power of the council to try charges against physicians and to have such charges tried before the ordinary courts; to that end they will press to have the term "unprofessional conduct" in the act defined. Finally they will move to have the council obliged to collect its fees from physicians through the ordinary courts.

The House sat this afternoon and listened for two hours and a half to Mr. Howland upon the budget. Without being too ill-natured it might be pointed out that Mr. Howland's views upon the purpose of the budget debate have undergone a considerable change in the last few days. A week ago he was arguing that it was a detailed audit of the Provincial Administration for which several days' possession of the public accounts would be needed, but today the point of his very elaborate introduction was that the debate was a general review of the Provincial Administration. Mr. Howland's speech was rather a departure from the ordinary run. It was very long for one thing and was a collection of his views upon a great variety of topics, and for another thing he surprised his friends by coming out with a glowing sketch of the success and progress of the Ontario Agricultural College at Guelph. The Liberals, scarcely believing their ears, cheered heartily at this tribute from a Conservative while the Conservatives sat in gloomy silence. Upon the timber policy he had nothing new to say, but he developed a new line of attack with regard to the Government's municipal policy, his theory being that the Government should exercise a supervision over municipal expenditure and was thus responsible for the high taxation in Toronto and for the boom.

There was no session in the evening, the speaker giving his first dinner of the session.

OFF AND ON.

Ten Thousand Miners Start a Strike—Three Thousand Idle Men Get Work.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 5.—Ten thousand railroad miners in the Pittsburg district struck today for an advance of 14 cents per ton, or 69 cents and the Columbus agreement.

WILMERDING, Pa., March 5.—After 7 months of an almost complete shut down the Westinghouse air brake works here have started up in full on double turn. Three thousand men from now on will find employment here steadily.

Mara's Special Announcement

The Snow Storm

Which struck this city on Monday, 4th March, prevented our customers from taking advantage of the "Great Bargains" which we advertised for that day. We will, therefore, repeat the same list on

Wednesday, March 6

This will give all an opportunity to supply their wants at prices that defy competition. Prices that in all our previous history have never been equaled.

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2nd—See our Art Muslins for 5c yard on Bargain Day.
3rd—58-Inch White Table Linen, on Bargain Day 20c per yard.
4th—Special line of Turkey Red Damask, on Bargain Day 25c per yard.
5th—Eleven-Quarter White Honeycomb Bedspreads, worth $1 50, on Bargain Day 95c.
6th—Special—White Linen Towels, on Bargain Day 5c per pair.
7th—12½c Check Muslins, on Bargain Day for 8c per yard.
8th—Heavy Bradford Skirting, on Bargain Day 9c per yard.
9th—Special line of Stair Oilcloth, on Bargain Day 5c per yard.
10th—3 pieces Worsted Pantings, worth 50c, on Bargain Day 25c per yard.
11th—Navy Blue Flannel for Boys' Blouses and Shirts, on Bargain Day 20c per yard.
12th—Special All-Wool White Blankets, on Bargain Day only $1 99 per pair.
13th—Best Chenille Table Covers, 1½ yards square, on Bargain Day 95c.
14th—Heavy Twilled Bleached Sheeting, 2 yards wide, on Bargain Day 20c per yard.
15th—28-Inch English Prints just opened out, on Bargain Day 5c per yard.
16th—Ladies' Silk Windsor Ties, in polka dot and plain colors, on Bargain Day 18c.
17th—Silk Lace Flouncings, on Bargain Day 20c per yard.
18th—The "Watchspring" Corsets, worth $1 50, on Bargain Day $1 05.
19th—Ladies' Heavy Ribbed Cashmere Hose, extra value, on Bargain Day 25c per pair.
20th—Fancy Net Veilings with Chenille Spots, on Bargain Day 8c per yard.
21st—Ladies' Fine Cashmere Hose, on Bargain Day 23c per pair.
22nd—Ladies' Fine Black Cashmere Gloves, on Bargain Day 12½c pair.
23rd—Ladies' Fancy Flannelette Skirts, on Bargain Day 45c.
24th—Ladies' Heavy Lined Quilted Skirts, on Bargain Day 75c.
25th—Ladies' Flannelette Night Dresses, embroidery trimmed, 80c.
26th—A large shipment of Fancy Aluminum Belt Buckles, 10c, 15c, 20c and 25c.
27th—Large variety of Breakfast Shawls, all shades, on Bargain Day 23c.
28th—Ladies' Cuffs and Collars, on Bargain Day 5c per set.
29th—Ladies' White and Colored Silk Handkerchiefs, on Bargain Day 10c.
30th—Ladies' Heavy Black Jerseys, on Bargain Day 48c.
31st—Black Opossum Muffs, worth $5, on Bargain Day $2 40.
32nd—Gray Persian Lamb Capes, 24 inches long and military cut, worth $30, on Bargain Day $20 50.
33rd—Silk Sealette Muffs, on Bargain Day $1 75.
34th—Fur-Lined Opera Cloaks, extra value, on Bargain Day $6.
35th—Ladies' Three-Quarter English Rough Serge Jackets, worth $5, on Bargain Day $3.
36th—Men's and Boys' Imitation Lamb Caps, on Bargain Day 25c.
37th—Men's Sealette Caps, on Bargain Day 69c.
38th—2 only, Men's Swamp Wallaby Coats, worth $25, on Bargain Day $18 50.
39th—Men's Coon Coats, worth $40, on Bargain Day $26 50.
40th—Plain and Figured China and Pongora Silks, on Bargain Day 20c per yard.
41st—11 pieces Colored Satins, all new shades, worth 50c, on Bargain Day 30c per yard.
42nd—7 pieces Art Silks for Draping, on Bargain Day 60c per yard.
43rd—150 pieces Fine All-Wool French Serges, in all the latest evening shades, on Bargain Day 20c per yard.
44th—3 pieces Black Mohair Luster, 44 inches wide, on Bargain Day 25c per yard.
45th—7 pieces Black Granite Cloth, 42 inches wide, on Bargain Day 40c per yard.
46th—16 pieces All-Wool Henrietta, 42 inches wide and all shades, on Bargain Day 45c per yard.
47th—12 pieces Crepon, 44 inches and the newest evening shades, on Bargain Day 50c per yard.
48th—54-Inch Tweed Dress Goods, worth $1, on Bargain Day 70c yard.
49th—2 pieces Rock Crepon, black and green, 46 inches wide, on Bargain Day 70c per yard.
50th—2 pieces Priestley's Black and Navy Serge, 54 inches wide and worth $1 25, on Bargain Day 75c per yard.
51st—Men's English 4-Ply Linen Collars, on Bargain Day 10c.
52nd—Men's Heavy Elastic Braces, on Bargain Day 35c.
53rd—Men's Unlaundered Shirts, on Bargain Day 35c, or 3 for $1.
54th—Men's Night Shirts, embroidered, on Bargain Day 49c.
55th—Men's Heavy Merino Socks, on Bargain Day 20c.
56th—Men's Black Sateen Shirts, on Bargain Day 69c.
57th—Boys' Black Sateen Shirts, on Bargain Day 59c.
58th—Silk Ties, both knots and four-in-hands, on Bargain Day 12½c.
59th—Men's White Laundered Shirts, worth 60c, on Bargain Day 37½c.
60th—Gents' Cashmere Neck Scarfs, worth 25c, on Bargain Day 12½c.
61st—Men's Fine Black Cashmere Socks, on Bargain Day 18c per pair, or 3 pairs for 50c.
62nd—Men's Fine Felt Stift Hats, latest American shapes, worth $3, or Bargain Day $1 50.
63rd—Children's Fine Blue Serge Suits, on Bargain Day $1 50.
64th—Boys' 3-Piece Tweed Suits, on Bargain Day $3.
65th—Boys' Heavy Tweed Ulsters, on Bargain Day $3 50.
66th—Men's Fine Blue Serge Suits, worth $7 50, on Bargain Day $4.
67th—Men's Melton Overcoats, fawn, brown and blue, worth $7 50, on Bargain Day $4.
68th—Excelsior Bread Knives, on Bargain Day 25c.
69th—Fine Note Paper, on Bargain Day 3c per quire.
70th—15 Bars Best Electric Soap on Bargain Day 25c.
71st—Mara's Laundry Soap, on Bargain Day 3c per cake.
72nd—Good Shoe Brushes with dauber attached, on Bargain Day 12½c.
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