Minister of the Interior Objects to Educational Clause in Northwest Autonomy Bill.

SAYS LEGISLATURE SHOULD CONTROL SCHOOL FUNDS

[Special to The Advertiser.] ton, Minister of the Interior, has re- they say, creates a special system of signed his position as a minister in the Government of Sir Wilfrd Laurier in consequence of the introduction of maintain the present system, and that the educational clause in the North- the bill does not contemplate anything

It is understood that Mr. Sifton considers this clause establishes a dual furthermore, seeks to divert a portion of a very large fund which will arise from the sale of school lands in the Northwest Territories. This fund con-Parliament for public schools.

Mr. Sifton declines to support any proposition for the diversion of this | Minister and the Minister of the Infund from the control of the Legislature of the Province. It is not known what action the Government will take in view of the resignation, which will be announced this afternoon.

Clause May Be Changed. The general opinion here is that the educational clause of the autonomy bill will be changed, so as to include nothing more or nothing less than is contained in the Northwest territorial act in regard to education. If this is done, the Northwest Liberal members will support it. At any rate, this was what they suggested doing before the bill they suggested doing before the bill longer laboring under suspense. He was introduced. If they do, the bill will had finally made up his mind to pursue

What the western members object to Ottawa, March 1 .- Hon, Clifford Sif- is the wording of the clause, which

schools On the other hand, the supporters of the clause say that the intention is to

There are others here who say that the bill will be dropped for the present session. It will take a day or two be yond that which is at present established in the Northwest Territories, and opponents of the Government are taking some comfort from what is now

Conferred With Premier.

The air in the House of Commor all yesterday afternoon was charged stitutes an endowment provided by with electricity. In some manner the report that Mr. Sifton was resigning had got abroad, and it spread like terior went off together and had prolonged conference in the former's room seemed to give color to the report. The conference between Wilfrid and Mr. Sifton was interrupted by a division in the House, but immediately after the vote had been taken the Premier motioned to his colleague, and the two went back once more to Sir Wilfrid's sanctum. They emerged again about 5:30, and then it was seen that Sir Wilfrid wore a serious expression of countenance. On the other hand, on Mr. Sifton's face was to be seen an air of geniality, almost of gaiety. Mr. Sifton's cheerfulness did not seem to be forced. Mr. Sifton's good humor seemed to be such as would be engendered in a man who had crossed the rubicon, who was no

go through. KENT COUNTY FOUND FATHER OUT OF FEED

Serious Problem Facing the Startling Discovery Made by Farmers to Keep Cattle From Starving.

Chatham, March 1. - The question of securing feed for stock is becoming street school, was found dead in bed a serious problem with the farmers in his home, 461 Quebec street, this a serious problem with the farmers morning. Last night he retired com-of Kent County. There are very few plaining that he did not feel well, His farmers in the whole country who lillness did not appear serious, however, have feed for sale, and these can find and nothing was thought of it. This enough purchasers among their own father was not about as usual, she neighbors. Matters are rapidly assuming a serious aspect. Farmers dead. who are unable to purchase feed are The deceased was a well-known charforced to sell their stock, and others have barely sufficient feed to carry Nissouri about fifteen or twenty years them over the remainder of the winter. ago, and during ten years of this time Baled hay is also being shipped into he had been the janitor of the Quebec the city from the east, and is greedily purchased by the farmers.

Saturday a farmer was in the city from Chatham Township asking the authorities to take action in regard to the livestock of a colored man. His by a widow, who is an invalid, and one horses starved to death, and the cattle daughter, who is also in delicate are ravaging the neighbors' forage. The authorities are at a loss how to deal with the case.

JAMMED HIS HEAD

in a Toronto Warehouse.

house of the W. R. Brock Company been sent to Brock's on an errand. of his duties, and Arthur Dalgleish boy could be extricated, and he died will resume duty, as he is a valued before he reached the hospital.

Daughter of Quebec Street School Janitor.

Wilson Hall, janitor of the Quebec went to his room and found him

acter about town, and was 68 years of street school. He also sold fruit in the summer months from a small handcart, selling his wares from door In some instances reports have come to door, Born in County Armagh, Irein of cattle starving to death. Only land, he came to Canada 45 years ago, and settled in Nissouri, where for many years he was a member of Purple Hill Loyal Orange Lodge. He is survived

> The funeral, which will probably be held under Orange auspices, will take place Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to Woodland Cemetery. Rev. Mr. Cox, of St. Matthew's Church, will officiate.

Messenger Boy Killed by Elevator CHANGES ON THE POLICE FORCE. A number of changes have taken place on the police force during the past week. P. C. Fair has handed in Toronto, March 1.—Harvey Hughes, his resignation. He joined the force aged 14, was killed in the new warehe has been in poor health, and has this morning. He was employed as a been off duty a great deal, P. C. Daw-messenger for W. P. Roger, and had son was dismissed for alleged neglect He stood on the third floor waiting for off duty also for the time being. Dalelevator, when he put out his gleish has, unfortunately, had serious head into the shaft, which is not quite trouble with one of his eyes, and has finished. The elevator came down and not been fit for duty for some time. jammed his head. Part of the door When he produces a certificate to the had to be choped away before the effect that he is again physically fit, he

FELIX DOYLE WILL BE CHARGED WITH MURDER OF AGED MOTHER

Brantford, Feb. 28. - The coroner's a visit of Felix Doyle to their house jury in the Doyle case tonight re-turned a verdict to the effect that the aged woman had been murdered, and helpless. He must not leave her alone. that in view of the evidence submitted, as he was afraid she would fall down they believed that the deed was com- and get hurt. mitted by her son, Felix Doyle, Crown Attorney Wilkes at once ordered Doyle's arrest, and he was immediately taken in custody by Provincial Detective Greer. After a preliminary hearing before Squire Cox. Doyle was

inquest was given over to the examinstion of witnesses, who had called at the home after the body was dis- Felix sign the two names, but was covered. The old lady's will was uneasy as to the legality of it. About spoken of, and in it Felix is mentioned a week ago he went to the Doyle house have declared after the murder, that the mother about it.
he intended to sell everything and "Don't see her today," responded

ture on a note held by Harry Cox for \$10s, told that Felix Doyle had asked him to witness him sign his morning's sitting of the Doyle name and his mother's name. wanted to get money to buy lumber for repairing the house. He saw as the sole heir. The son is said to and suggested to Felix that he see

pay his debts and go away. One or two witnesses described Felix as a man whose intellectual qualities were not bright, and one who was an easy prey to implement agents.

Mrs. Southwick, a neighbor, told of Mother is hard to get along with sometimes; wait till she gets over it."

Felix Doyle had told two different versions of the finding of his mother's body in ten minutes.

MILNER TO LEAVE

Premier Billeur Confirms the Reports of His Intention to Resign.

London, March 1. - Premier Balfour informed the House of Commons to day that Lord Milner, the British high missioner in South Africa, had, to his regret, announced long ago that he would not remain in South Africa, thus confirming his resignation announced months ago in these dispatches..

SHELLING POUTILOFF HILL

HON, CLIFFORD SIFTON,

Minister of the Interior,

Who has resigned because of educa-

tional clause in Northwest

autonomy bill.

Meet Him at Station.

ERY FEW OFFICERS PRESENT

Crowds in Street Cheer Him, But

There Was Nothing in Nature

of Popular Demonstration.

St. Petersburg, March 1.-Lieut.-Gen.

morning from Moscow. A quarter of

an hour before his train was due it

ooked as if not more than a hundred

persons would be present to welcome

the defender of Port Arthur, but their

number augmented rapidly, and when

the train steamed into the depot sev-

eral hundreds, chiefly women, crowded

at the warm welcome accorded him. It

was remarked that the general's hair

In the reception room Gen. Bogdano-

ritch welcomed Gen. Stoessel. In so

doing he referred to the internal troubles, saying that when Gen. Stoes-

sel left Russia calm prevailed, while

now an internal enemy was en-

deavoring to undermine the prestiga

Replying, Gen. Stoessel said he had

heard while at Constantinople of the

he had traveled in South Russia, had

disorders in Russia, and since then

spoken to the people and had noticed

their tranquility of mind, especially

their loyalty to the Emperor. He was

confident that the people would remain

loyal and that Russia would issue vic-

When the reception ceremonies were

over the general and his wife entered

an open carriage and drove through

the Nevsky Prospect to the residence of Lieut.-Gen. Prince Viazmsky, a

member of the imperial council, where

he will stay. The crowds in the streets

The absence of military and naval

fficers from the platform was very

and no naval officers excepting Ad-

miral Zillotti were present. A large

force of police surrounded the railroad station, while the route to Prince

Viazmsky's residence was patrolled by

Altogether the general's welcome was

ov no means in the nature of a popular

monstration, and lacked genuine en-

thusiasm. Two months ago all Russia

as singing the praises of the defender

omparatively few people assembled to

TARTE MAY HEAD IT

Tariff Commission.

Montreal, March 1. - The report that

Hon, J. Israel Tarte was appointed

chairman of the tariff commission,

which is likely to be appointed by the

Government during the present session

of Parliament, is regarded in some

quarters as likely to be true. The an-nouncement that Mr. Tarte has taken

a house in Ottawa is taken as lending

color to the report. The ex-minister's

son, Louis J. Tarte, said he had re-

ceived no information respecting the

Esquimalt Formally Abandoned by

the British Commander.

ture, the only remaining cruiser,

leaves for the China station. The sloop Shearwater will remain in order to do patrol work in Behring Strait. The survey steamer Egeria will remain

to do another season's hydrography in the North Pacific, the cost of which will be borne by the Canadian Govern-

ment. All naval departments of the station have closed. Commodore Good-

rich and his wife will return to Eng-

land via the United States.

matter.

merous detachments of Cossacks and

noticeable. Only a few military me

torious from the present crisis

lustily cheered the general.

stile demonstrations.

had turned quite white.

of the state.

Jap Blg Guns Open Terrific Fire On Important Point.

Sachetun, Manchuria, March 1, 5 p.m.—The Japanese have opened a tremendous fire with field and siege guns against Poutiloff (Lone Tree) Hill. Columns of white smoke envelopened the hill on two sides. The bom-bardment of the right flank continues. POOR WELCOME HOCKEY PLAYER ARRESTED

Few Hundred Women to Loney, who Struck Blow That Killed Survivors of Texas Relate Lawrin, in Jail.

> Alexandria, Ont., March 1.—Early this morning A. Loney, of Maxville, the hockey player who struck the blow that killed Alcides Laurin, of this place, in a match at Maxville on Friday last, was arrested at Maxville by a constable from Alexandria, and taken direct to jail at Cornwall on the advice of Crown Attorney Dingwall.

COMPANY IN TROUBLE

Stoessel arrived in St. Petersburg this The Cumming Company of Renfrew Said To Be Hopelessly Insolvent.

Toronto, March 1. - The N. R. Cumming Manufacturing Company, Limited, of Renfrew, according to the admission of its directors, is hopelessly insolvent. The company was capitalized at \$75,000, of which stock was the platform. War Minister Sakharofi issued for \$43,000, the stock being sold and Admiral Zilotti, in behalf of the in blocks at \$1 a share. The liabilities admiralty welcomed Gen. Stoessel, who will exceed \$70,000, and the Ontario Bank is a creditor for \$13,600. Other creditors include the Merchants Bank vas loudly cheered and presented with credi and the Bank of Ottawa, to which the After receiving the personal congratulations of friends, the general, looking bronzed and in good health, passed through the cheering crowd to a receptive form. It is morning at espode Hall. They ion room, stopping now and then to ask that the private accounts of the shake hands with admirers. Behind president, P. R. Cumming, be investithe general came Mrs. Stoessel, lean- gated. The company was formed to ing on the arm of a military officer. manufacture wooden hardware.

She looked to be even more bronzed than her husband, and smiled happily ASK IMPERIAL CONFERENCE

British Chambers of Commerce Want Fiscal Matters Discussed.

London, March 1.- The conference of the Association of Chambers of Com-merce of the United Kingdom now sitting in London, today discussed fiscal reforms, and ultimately decided by the vote of 42 chambers against 21 that "Changes in the fiscal system are essential to provide against unfair competition, and an imperial conference should be called to discuss the question.'

The Mining Institute

Montreal, March 1. - The annual stitute opened here today, with a busi- for two years. ness session this morning. The meetings will continue three days. The intitute now has 480 members between President Eugene Coste and the council over the sendng of two sets of ballot papers was amicably settled.

LORD MILNER,

Premier Balfour confirms reports of his resignation from South African

Their Terrible Experience.

TWENTY-TWO OF CREW PERISH

When Rescued Had Drawn Lots to Decide Who Should Be Killed

for Food.

New York, March 1.-Captain J. A.

Minot, of the steam dredge Texas, which foundered at sea with a loss of 22 lives, was brought here today on the steamer Rotterdam from Rotterdam and Boulogne. The other survivors of the Texas were landed at Waterford several weeks ago, having been rescued by the brigantine Mercedes, after a terrible experience with hunger, thirst and cold in an open boat. The Texas, which sailed from Dantzic for Galveston in December, foundered at midnight on Christmas Eve. men sank immediately, and all its occupants were drowned. 'In the second boat the survivors drifted fourteen days, the last six of which they were absolutely without food or water. One man died from exposure, another became insane, and the remaining twelve were on the verge of hysteria when help came to them. They had drunk sea water and their bodies were covered with boils. When taken on board the Mercedes one of the survivors said that they had just drawn lots to decide which one should be killed to furnish food for his fellows.

OVERLAND TO GOLD FIELDS

The Mounted Police to Open Up a Route From Edmonton.

Regina, N. W. T., Feb. 28. - About forty members of the Northwest Mounted Police are preparing to leave on March 10 to open up and permanently maintain an overland route to the Yukon via Edmonton and Peace River. Inspector Constantine is to be eeting of the Canadian Mining In- in charge. The men are volunteering

New Quebec Minister. Quebec, March 1. - Hon. Nemese

Garneau was sworn in this morning as Minister of Agriculture in the Provincial Government.

ARABIAN INSURGENTS WHIP TURKS AND SURROUND YEMEN'S CAPITAL

life gaurds apparently in expectation of Constantinople, March 1. - The pres. south the towns of Aab and Hidjeh, ent insurrection of Yemen Province, Arabia, appears to put in the shade four guns are surrounded, and on the Arabia, appears to put in the shade all previous revolts. The center of the tory of Feb. 1. when it was officially of Port Arthur, yet when he came home ince), and already there are signs of its extension to the Province of Assyr. The insurgents have again surrounded Sanaa, and a stubborn fight has been in progress for five days. Many of Name Mentioned as Chairman of

THE WEATHER.

Tomorrow-Fine and Cold. Wednesday, March 1.
Sun rises. 6:55 a.m. Moon rises. 4:03 a.m.
Sun sets...6:05 p.m. Moon sets...1:58 p.m.
Toronto, Feb. 28—8 p.m.

Toronto, Feb. 28—8 p.m.
A few light local snowfalls have occurred today in the Maritime Provinces. Elsewhere in Canada the weather has been fair, and in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories continued very mild.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Victoria, 46—54; Calgary, 30—56; Prince Albert, 32—40; Medicine Hat, 32—64; Winnipeg, 28—38; Port Arthur, 18—24; Parry Sound, 18—24; Toronto, 17—28; Ottawa, 16—28; Montreal, 16—26; Quebec, 2—22; St. John, 8—32; Halifax, 12—30. THE FLAG HAULED DOWN

FORECASTS. Wednesday, March 1-8 a.m. Fine and cold today and on Thursday. TEMPERATURES.

8 a.m. Min. Stations. Calgary ... Winnipeg Parry Sou Victoria, B. C., Feb. 28.-Esquimalt naval station was formally abandoned Ottawa today when Commodore Goodrich Father Point.... hauled down his flag. The Bonaven-

The sign - indicates below zero. WEATHER NOTES. During last night a pronounced cold wave moved into the Lake Superior region from the northward, bringing colder weather again over Ontario and Quebec. In Manitoba and the Territories the fine,

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Tuesday were: Highest, 30°; lowest, 20° above.

movement is at Saada, northward of announced that the Turkish forces had Sanaa (capital city of Yemen Prov- routed the rebels investing Sanaa and Hodeida, Yemen Province, and had relieved the besieged garrison of Sanas turns out to have been an insurgent Turkey's defective transportation delays the dispatch of reinforcements. The object of the insurthe Turkish troops refuse to resist rection is believed to be the creation further, and are deserting. In the of an autonomous Arab state.

> Montreal, Feb. 28. - G. H. Smith promoted to the position of assistant to Vancouver to become assistant general freight agent there.

C. P. R. Promotions

Nan Patterson's Case

New York, March 1. — After hearing argument on the writ of habeas corpus nd certiorari, having for their obects to secure the release of Nan Patterson from the Tombs prison, where she is awaiting trial for the murder of Caesar Young, Justice Gaynor, in the upreme court in Brooklyn today reserved decision. Miss Patterson was not in court.

Alfonso's Choice

Viena, March 1. — Reports have been current recently of the approaching betrothal of King Alfonso of Spain to the Archduchess Gabrielle, daughter of Archduke Frederick, but it is impossible to obtain any official confirma-tion of the rumors. On the other hand they have been unofficially denied.

Mistook Poison for Salts.

Belleville, March 1. - Mrs. Harry Diamond, of Queensboro, a young married woman, 25 years of age, took a dose of poison yesterday morning, supposing it to be salts. She died analyzed. An inquest will be neid this which he is a billiant include, as to how the move will be met by Mr. as to how the move will be met by Mr. Government on the fiscal question.

GEN. KUROPATKIN HITS BACK WITH HARD COUNTER-ATTACK

Hurls an Army at Oyama's Left Flank and Beats Off Assault On His Center.

THE FIGHTING GENERAL ALONG A 100-MILE FRONT

Associated Press dispatch from Muk- which is yet silent. den transmitted at noon Tuesday in-Kuropatkin appears to have taken a Pass and Toumadzi southeastward. leaf out of Field Marshal Oyama's The Japanese have effected a cross better for the Russians than the best supports came up and stopped the of General Gripenberg, the Russian vanguard being established at mand of the latter heard the Russians the outskirts of Sandiapu. At the cry out that their cartridges were exsame time General Kuropatkin delivered a blow against the Japanese cen- incautiously, and received a volley at ter, seizing a railroad bridge across Shakhe River. These reports, therefore, give a more hopeful aspect to the situation, as the Russian army, though driven out of Da Pass, appears to have stopped, at least for the moment, the further advance of the Japanese eastward and beaten off the

attack on the center. The effect of yesterday's developnents on General Kuropatkin's reported intention to withdraw from the Shakhe is problematical. Retirement in the face of any enemy, which is extremely hazardous under any cirumstances, is doubly dangerous when the armies are grappling in a general engagement; but if General Kuroki succeeds in rolling up the Russian left much further the perilous expedient may become necessary. The counter strokes on the right and center may possibly be intended to cover the withdrawing of trains and stores. If, however. Gen. Kuropatkin is determined to stand and fight out the battle on the lines which he has held during the winter, and if he should be able to administer a vigorous check to Gen. Kuroki, he has secured a good position for his second move in the great

Russian Headquarters, Huan Moun- try and a body of sharpshooters, with tain, Manchuria, Feb. 28. - The Ja- full complements of guns. The prinpanese attack was renewed at dawn yesterday along the whole eastern Tsinkhetchen, where the Russians held front, and Da Pass was taken, after strongly defended entrenchments. The fighting of the most stubborn char- Russians left 203 dead on the field Two of her boats were launched, but one containing the chief officer and 21 was in progress on the front, extending almost 20 miles from the extreme 2,000. left, eastward of Kannolesan, where The Fight for the Bridge. the Japanese opened a heavy artillery fire, to the district of Laolinzan, where they advanced in great force, meeting with stubborn resistance.

The capture of Da Pass opens the 'lie Pass, but the Russians are gath. ering a strong force to meet threatened attack on their line of com- The Japanese are using heavy siege armunications. The Japanese attack

St. Petersburg, March 1, 1:50 a.m. was supported by a strong force of Last evening's news from Manchuria artillery, a reserve of seven batteries is of the most important nature, the being discovered east of Kandolesan, The Japanese army now holds a line dicating that a general battle was be-ginning along the 100 miles of front through Shahopao, along the Shakhe occupied by the two armies. General River to Vanupudzi, and thence to Da The Japanese have effected a cross book, and replied to General Kuroki's ing of the Shakhe at Kanupudzi, and attack on the Russian left by a counter attacked the Russian center under attack on the Japanese left, in which cover of darkness, Feb. 26, driving General Kaulbar's initial success is back the Russian advance posts. But

Japanese advance. The officer in comhausted, and they thereupon advanced point blank range, losing heavily. General Kuroki's Headquarters, Feb. 26, via Fusan, Feb. 28.—The Japanese

yesterday (Saturday) achieved a sig-Lieut.-General Rennenkampff. While this victory is important itself, it is more so because of the strategie advantage gained by the Japanese. The fighting was mountainous country between 30 and 40 miles east of Yentai, which is about 15 miles northeast of Liao Yang. Gen Kuroki's infantry again displayed remarkable qualities as hill fighters, and proved their superiority to the famous cavalry of the Russians. The right of the Japanese winter positions has been near Ponchi, extending toward the scutheast on the south of the Shakhe River, and west of the Taitse River. In yesterday's movement a body of Japanese troops, which had been advancing from Ponchi, swung around toward the northeast and swept the Russians before them. The Japanese now hold strong lines extending from southwest to northeast and partly eastward of the Taltse River, threatening the Russian flank. General Ren-nenkampff commanded a division and a half of cavalry, a division of infancipal engagement was northeast of

Mukden, Feb. 28-10 p.m.-The seizure of the railroad bridge across the Shakhe River was the occasion of a The capture of Da Pass opens the sharp combat. The Russians surprised road to Fushun, east of Mukden and the Japanese brigade guards, and reinforced, beat off all attempts of the the Japanese to regain possession of it. Continued on page 5

WINDSOR TEACHER WILL SATISFY HAS ACCEPTED ALL PARTIES

Position of Assistant Science Master.

Mr. A. W. Keith, assistant science master at the Windsor Collegiate In- year-old Charley Burridge, of Riverstitute, has accepted the position of view avenue, South London, who sucassistant science master at the London cumbed yesterday as the result of in-Collegiate Institute, to succeed Mr. juries received while at play with a Stuart, promoted to the position va- companion named George Fox, will be cated by Mr. S. B. McCready.
Mr. J. A. Taylor, of the Dutton High School, was first chosen for assistant science master, but he notified the chairman of the board of education

that the Dutton trustees would not consent to his removal before a certain date, which was unsatisfactory to the local board. The position thereupon reverted to Mr. Keith, who accepted. Hardly had Mr. Keith's acceptance been received, than Mr. Taylor called Principal Radcliffe, of the Collegiate, on the long distance telephone, point of capitulating. The alleged vicinformed him that he was ready to come to London. It was too late, however, and Mr. Taylor will have to remain in Dutton.

> MARRIED IN SCOTLAND. Miss Emma McPherson, fourth daugh- death. John Murray, uncle of the bride. Mr. in the other instance referred to.

Mr. A. W. Keith Will Take the Investigation Regarding Death of Charlie Burridge To Be field.

An inquest touching the death of 13opened at the police station this evening by Coroner Ferguson.

The inquest was decided upon today by Crown Attorney McKillop. There are no new developments in the case, but the crown attorney is of the opinion that it will be more satisfactory to all parties to have the inquest and have an official record of all the facts. This will prevent the circulation of foundationless stories regarding the affair in the future.

Several years ago, two boys were at play in a western town, when an accident occurred which cost one of the boys his life. At the time it was decided that an inquest was unnecessary. but several weeks later stories were it circulation that the death of the box was not due to accident. The body was The wedding took place in Edin-burgh. Scotland, at 2:30 p.m. today of the result being a verdict of accidental The authorities here do not N. Johnstone, of Corstorphine, near death of Charley Burridge was purely Edinburgh. The ceremony took place accidental, but nevertheless it is felt at the Wardie United Free Church, that if the statements of eyewitnesses and the bride was given away by her and others are taken under oath, their chief clerk to W. R. MacInnes, freight brother. Mr. John McPherson. After-traffic manager of the C. P. R., is to be ward the guests were received at time, should any person feel disposed "Challenger Lodge." the home of Sir to cast any insinuations, as was done general freight agent at Calgary, in John Murray, uncle of the bride, Mr. in the other instance referred to. succession to W. C. Bowles, who goes and Mrs. Johnstone will reside in The jury was secured this afternoon Scotland. Dr. Johnstone takes an ac- They will go to the Burridge home totive interest in the geological work. night, and after viewing the remains which is under the supervision of Sir will adjourn to the police station. No

BALFOUR SIDETRACKS FISCAL? WHAT WILL CHAMBERLAIN DO?

esting developments, and there are fairs, is resented keenly by the Chamseveral indications of the intention of the Government to sidetrack the fiscal creased by a letter from Premier Balcontroversy.

the Chamberlain section of the Union- mier says: "Important as are the issues ist party to compel Lord Hugh Cecil to thus raised, we must not let them obresign the parliamentary seat for Greenwich, but Cecil politely declined to quit, and in that determination resigns of the times, the policy of home ceived unexpectedly strong support rule only awaits the advent of the from Sir Alexander Acland-Hood, chief Radical party to power to become Government whip, who, in a public active militant and perilous."

letter, declines to "act unfairly to
This letter is interpreted as showing about noon. Dr. Harrison, of Madoc, wards a man who has rendered most took the bottle of poison to be valuable assistance to the party of analyzed. An inquest will be held this which he is a brilliant member, sim-

London, Feb. 28.-The political situa- This letter, which virtually accords tion is undergoing some rather inter- to all Conservative candidates comfour to the Conservative candidate in Buteshire, in which, with reference to An attempt was made on the part of changes in the fiscal policy the Pre-

WOOD AND RAY **GREAT FAVORITES**

TO BE ORGANIZED

LADIES' BRANCH

Put On Very Catchy, Neat, Clean Farmers' Wives and Daughters Act at the Vaudeville-Moving Pictures at Grand. an Institute.

A'very fair audience were well pleased with the splendid vaudeville bill at the London last night. To those who have not visited the theater this out that there are eight turns on the bill, besides the moving pictures, the illustrated songs and the catchy overtures of Prof. Stevens' orchestra. Ray-is a whole show in itself. Miss Wood is a young lady of a refined, winning presence, and Mr. Ray is also an actor of the gentlemanly school. They carry with them a bunch of jokes that are jokes, and they hand them to the audience in a manner cal-culated to reach an ossified man and In the a make him laugh. If Mr. Bennett had but this one turn on the bill the show he should visit the theater and disabuse his mind of the illusion. As a tivated. matter of fact, never a week goes by A. P. Donaldson, of Fort William, that from two to five acts are not can-Mr. Bennett always has a good show-investment. The bill at the London is trees. a good one and is worthy of liberal

drew a large audience last night and to this end, Mr. Sheppard advocated for the most part the firms were splen-did. The programme was not, however, up to the standard of the night before, but as a whole the entertain- interest in the farm. ment was excellent, and had it not been for a slight accident, which has since been remedied, the people who were present would have had no cause to complain. A complete change of pic-Last night some very fair illustrated songs were sung, and the audience loudly applauded them.

best of all tonics and tissue-builders. | dock will again be present. The average life of a tar-worker is 86 The mortality is 80 per cent tions were rendered during the day

in East Middlesex Will Have

Meetings of the Farmers' Institute of East Middlesex were held in the I. O. F. Hall of Ilderton, yesterday week it may be of interest to point afternoon and evening. President A. O. Telfer, of Telfer postoffice, took the chair in the afternoon, when there was an attendance of about 80. In the One of the turns-that of Wood and evening, Mr. A. B. Scott, of Vanneck, structions to sell those South Indian presided, and over 300 farmers and their wives were present. The secretary, Mr. James Wheaton, issued a large number of membership tickets. The institute is indeed in a flourishing

In the afternoon, Mr. Fred Sheppard, of Queenston, gave an instructive address, dealing with clover, corn and would be well worth the price of ad- roots. The subject was well chosen, mission. But there are half a dozen as it is at present attracting a great other turns, each excellent in its line, deal of consideration. The speaker combining to make up a recommended the growing of clover magnificent vaudeville bill. If any- for the good of the soil, and corn as one is under the impression that the ar excellent feed crop. The advantages fured by the canceling of a lew acts. much tonnage per acre, and is a destroyer of weeds when properly cul-

celed, or else refuse to come, and yet subject of apple orchards. He recommended spraying three times a year a show which has attracted the people if possible, and also that the orchards of London, and which has turned a be carefully cultivated instead of enformer "dark" theater into a paying couraging grass to grow between the

In the evening a lively discussion took place, led by Mr. Sheppard, on the subject of "How to Make Farm The moving pictures at the Grand Life More Attractive." As two means the boys at home by giving them an Mr. Donaldson also spoke in the

evening, on the subject of the possibilities of agriculture. He advocated increasing the fertility of the soil by scientific fertilizing, and also by the An address, especially interesting to ladies, was given by Miss Blanche Maddock, of Guelph. She spoke upon the coming establishment of a farm best and healthiest trade in the ers' institute for women in East Midworld is that of dye making from coal dlesex, as in other counties. This is tar. Tar and the smell of it is the to take place in June when Miss Mad-Some very enjoyable musical selec-

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Crystalized Poison! Your blood is always full of poison—the poison you eat and drink and breathe into your system. It is the purpose of the blood to absorb and carry off this very poison. And the kidneys, which are the blood filters, are expected to cleanse the blood and send it back through the system clean, to gather more poison, the blood filters, are expected to the blood and send it back through the system clean, to gather more poison, which they, in turn, will eliminate.

But sometimes the kidneys fail. And sometimes, from some other cause, the blood gets so full of poison that they cannot absorb it all. This is the start of Rheumatism. The poison accumulates and crystalizes. The crystals look like and crystalizes. The crystals look like from the greatest torture human beings know?

I don't mean that Dr. Shoop's Rheuman in the poison was not been made to the was within sight of them a gainst him, and was making the usual apology, when he broke off with:

"Hallo, Bradstone, is that you? I say, my dear fellow, what a deuce of a mess we're in!"

I don't mean that Dr. Shoop's Rheuman into flesh cannot absorb it all. This is the start of Rheumatism. The poison accumulates and crystalizes. The crystals look like little grains of sugar or of fine white sand. The blood carries them and they increase in size. Then, when it can carry them no longer, it deposits them in a joint—on a bone—anywhere.

The twinge in your leg—the dull ache in your arm on a rainy day—these are the outward signs of the unseen crystals. And the twisted limbs and unspeakable anthe twisted limbs and unspeakable analyses. The poison accumulates from the greatest torture human beings know?

I don't mean that Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Cure can turn bony joints into flesh again—that is impossible. But it will drive from the blood the poison that is the end of the pain and swelling—the end of the suffering—the end of Rheumatism. That is why I can afford to make this liberal offer—that is why I can the twisted limbs and unspeakable anguish of the sufferer who has allowed his symptoms to go unheeded and unattended for years—these are the evidences of what Rheumatics sufferers, the world over, may be a man with your pile a facer like the difference of the suffering—the end of Rheumatism. That is why I can afford to make this liberal offer—that is why I can afford to make this Rheumatism, neglected, can do.
Rheumatism includes lumbago, sciatica, neuralgia, gout—for all these are the results of rheumatic poison in the blood.
Plainly, the first thing to do is to remove the poison. But this is not enough.
The FORMATION of the poison must be stopped, so that nature may have a

The secret lay in a wonderful chemical I found in Germany. When I found this chemical I knew that I could make a Rheumatic cure that would be practically certain. But even then, before I made an announcement-before I was willing

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Plainly, the first thing to do is to remove the poison. But this is not enough. The FORMATION of the poison must be stopped, so that nature may have a chance to dissolve and eliminate the crystals which have already formed. Unless this is done there can be no cure—no permanent relief.

I searched the whole earth for a specific for Rheumatism—something that I or any physician could feel safe in prescribing—something that we could always count on, not only occasionally, but ALWAYS. For the ravages of Rheumatism are everywhere, and genuine relief is rare.

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Shill on the prevent week ago."

The other man stared at him. "Why, man, your name is still on the list of shareholders today. Look here," and he drew the city paper from his pocket, rapidly found the paragraph and thrust it into Bradstone's hands.

Bartley Bradstone nodded curtly.

"Yes, I was in it pretty deeply," he said. "But I sold out a week ago."

The other man stared at him.

"Why, man, your name is still on t

Mild cases are sometimes cured by a single package. On sale at forty thousand drug stores.

The man looked at him with something like pity.

"By the Lord!" he muttered under his breath, "the blow has sent him off his head!" But pity is too expensive a commodity in the city. It requires

is own mind," growled Seth's cabman through the hole in the roof.

"Follow him?" said Seth, whose blood was beginning to stir within his veins, as the lurcher's or the sleuth ound's will when hot upon the trail. Bartley Bradstone's cab pulled up at Ethelred Chambers, and, telling the cabman to wait, he went up the stairs and without knocking opened the door of a dingy office and walked in.

Ezekiel Mowie was seated at a table Ezekiel Mowie was seated at a table. his huge mouth open, his lantern jaws

working eagerly as he sprawled over a desk, writing apparently for dear life. The office, the furniture of which would not have realized five-and-thirty shillings, was in extreme disorder, and a Gladstone bag was lying half-open on the floor as if it had been hurriedly

Mr. Mowle loked up with a start. and uttering an exclamation, covered the paper before him with his huge, bony hand. If his employer had been a ghost—and, indeed, Bartley Brad-stone looked not unlike one—Mr. Mowle could not have been more startled. "Mr. Bradstone, sir! This is a sur-prise. How do you do, sir? I am afraid you're not looking well. Take a chair, Mr. Bradstone," and he drew the chair out and stood with his head thrust forward, rubbing his hands and eveing Bartley Bradstone with a wary and still startled watchfulness.

Bartley Bradstone took off his hat and wiped his brow.

"I am not very well, Mowle," he said. "I have come up on important business. What the devil is the office in such a state for? Where are you Mr. Mowle changed color, but stood rubbing his hands and working his

long neck.

"The fact is, Mr. Bradstone, I was just thinking of coming down to you."

"Coming down to me!" said Bartley Bradstone, with a frown.

"Why—— Well, sir, I wanted to place one or two matters before you. The one or two matters before you. The fact is, things have not been very bright in the city of late, and I have not had the advantage of your advice quite so much, and perhaps you have

heard the news.' "What news?" asked Bartley Brad "I allude to the South Indian Bank Mr. Bradstone," said Mr. Mowle, passing his hand over his mouth and eyeing Bartley Bradstone, with the same watchful and deprecatory manner. "Well, what about it?" said Bartley Bradstone; "I wrote and gave you in-Bank shares a week ago." Mr. Mowle gave a little start, an shook his head apologetically. "I-I beg your pardon, sir; I think a slight misunderstanding," as if he vere trying to gain time to collect

"Misunderstanding! What do you mean? Do you mean to say that I did not write? "I did not say that you did not write, Mr. Bradstone; but I certainly did not receive the letter." Bartley Bradstone rose and clutched

the back of his chair and for a moment seemed incapable of speech, and then ne sata: "Do you mean to tell me that the shares of the South Indian still stand in my name?"

Mr. Mowle put out one hand "No, no, no, Mr. Bradstone, I don't say that," he said, with a sudden change of face; "I said I did not receive your letter. Pray take a seat. sit down again, sir, and compose yourself. Fortunately, I have had my eye upon the bank for some time past when the critical moment came

sold out.' Bartley Bradstone sank into a chair and drew a breath of relief. "That is well, Mowle," he said. "You gave me a turn. If you had not unloaded those shares for me, things would have looked bad. Now I want you to realize these things." He took a list from his pocket and handed it to Mr. Mowle.

Mr. Mowle went back to the table and examined the list with respectful anxiety, and as he did so put put up his education of the farming communities. hand before his face, which underwent some peculiar changes of expression. "I think I had better see to some o these things at once, sir," he said. "Do," said Bartley Bradstone, curtly, "Will you wait, sir? Or will you come

in again? I sha'n't be more than half an hour or so. I hope things are all well down at the Maples, Mr. Bradstone. What a lovely place it is, to be sure; quite a palace. And Mrs. Bradsir-I trust she is better. What a painful, mysterious affair that mur-"Yes, yes," said Bartley Bradstone.

"Yes, Mrs. Bradstone is better, and a think I shall go to the bank while you sel's hotel throughout the day, sell that stock. Why the devil don't you and he was obliged to use the side you open the window in this room? smells like a charnel house," and he wiped his burning forehead.

"Yes, yes, it is, sir," said Mr. Mowle; and salt. "it is rather close," and he shuffled to the window and made a vain attempt to open it. Mr. Bartley Bradstone put on his hat and walked out of the room, telling the cabman to wait while he walked towards the bank. There he changed a

The cashier did not, as usual, scoop out the money with a respectful smile, but took the check apparently into the manager's room. He came out after a minute or two and changed the check. "We have not had your passbook for some weeks, sir," he said as he passed the money over.

Bartley Bradstone scarcely noticed him, but went out into the street again. He turned into a refreshment bar and got a glass of sherry. Half an hour passed, then he made his way

"Well, good heavens, man, I mean this infernal bank!"

Bradstone quite easily. this does not matter, though I had an impression that you were in it more deeply than any of us. Why, it was one of your pet schemes, was it not?" and he smiled and winked.

some mistake," he said. "I

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Mr. Mowle was not there. He had gone and so had the Gladstone bag: The office, too, was in greater disorder than ever before; and Bartley Brad-stone, sinking into the chair before the table, saw a letter adressed to him ying on the table. He tore it oper with shaking fingers.

"Am detained. Shall be back in an

Suspicious and bewildered, Bartley Bradstone paced up and down the of-fice, then he went to a safe which tood in the corner of the rom. Unlocking it, he began to examine its contents. Then he uttered a cry of mingled rage and despair.

[To be Continued.]

THE FRANKING PRIVILEGE

Members Claim It Is Being Abused -Seed Bill Put Through.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 28.-When the House met today petitions against a separate school system for Alberta and Saskatchewan were presented by Messrs. Sproule, Bennett and Parr. In committee the Minister of Agriculture's seed measure, was up for discussion, being finally put through. It now stands for the third reading. The measure transferring Justice Killam from the supreme court to the railway commission was put through. An amendment to cancel the clause granting a retiring allowance was de-

teated 93 to 47.

Mr. Ames (Montreal) protested against what he claimed was an abuse of the franking privileges, by which circulars relating to dental supplies was being sent through mails without

postage.
Sir William Mulock attributed the trouble to ignorance of new members, and suggested the abolition of the rubber stamp, so that members would be compelled to write their frank. literature had been sent out with a minister's frank since the session. The Postmaster-General showed that the Brockville postoffice had been choked for days with pamphlets of the Manufacturers' Association franked by the

chief Conservative whip. The House then dropped the subject and went into committee of supply. In discussion of the vote of \$20,000 for archives, Mr. Fisher explained that it was intended to index the reports. He further informed the committee that \$60,000 of the \$75,000 voted for exhibitions would be used for the Canadian section of the exposition next year in Liege, Belgium, and the balance for the trade exhibition in

England. The following bills were read first time: Respecting the Alberta Railway and Irrigating Company; respecting the Huron and Erie Loan and Savings Company; respecting the Bay

STOESSEL AT MOSCOW

of Quinte Railway Company.

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Moscow, Feb. 28. - Gen. Stoessel. who left here tonight for St. Petersburg, attended services at the Choudoff monastery with his wife today. Grand Duchess Sergius, who also was present, invited Gen. and Mrs. Stoessel

to breakfast with her. Great crowds besieged Gen. Stoesdoors in order to move, owing to the popular demonstrations. The of Moscow presented him with bread

Gen. Stoessel spoke feelingly of the necessity that had forced him to surrender Port Arthur, which, he said, he had only done as a last resort, and would have resulted from the taking of the city by assault. He said that until the last moment they had hoped for relief from Gen. Kuropatkin and Vice-Admiral Rojestvensky.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Feb. 28.-At New York-Kroonland, from Antwerp; Citta di Torrino, from Genoa; Rotterdam, from Rotterdam; Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, from Bremen. At Halifax—Sieilian, from Liverpool; Carthagenian, from Glasgow.

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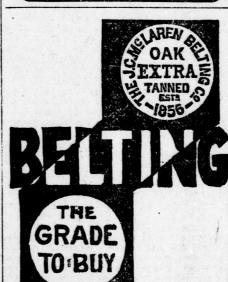
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DEATHS. BURRIDGE-At the parents' residence, Riverview avenue, Joseph Charles, beloved son of Joseph T. and Mary A. Burridge, aged 13 years and 10 months. Funeral from the family residence on Thursday, March 2, 1905, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery, at 3 p.m.; service at 2:30 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

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Funeral from her father's residence 429 King street, on Thursday, March 2. at 3 p.m.; services at 2:30 p.m. BROWN-In this city, on Feb. 28, 1905, Wren, son of Robert S. and Grace

Brown, aged 16 years, 5 months and 6 Funeral private, on Friday, March 3, from his parents' residence, 361 Oxford street, at 2:30; service at 2 p.m.

Ailsa Craig, Parkhill and Woodstock papers please copy McGEE-In this city, on Feb. 28, 1905, Mary, widow of the late Robert McGee,

aged 84 years. Funeral from the residence of her sonin-law, Mr. Patrick Gray, 198 York street, on Thursday, March 2, at 8:30 a.m., to St. Peter's Cathedral: High Mass at 9 a.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

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TILLSONBURG OLD BOYS WILL meet in Room 46, Bank Toronto build-Saturday, March 4, at 8 p.m. MEETING OF WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN Association at 510 Wellington street, on Thursday, 2nd inst., at 3 p.m. b

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Mr. Cowper dwelt upon Kipling's evicharacter of man," in the "divine right of able men." Kipling believed, he said, that man was a success when his truest natural instincts were developed, and he looked upon the Britisher as the "finest human animal on earth." Thus the Briton had an inherent right to rule, and an inherent duty to protect College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec. weaker brethren. The lecturer quoted that "Kipling found the British Em-The Government of Quebec through pire a map and made it a fact."

Kipling, therefore, did not found his faith in the British Empire upon wealth, civilizaton and fighting power of Britain, but upon the national character of her people. The speaker then drew an interesting comparison between three ancient empires, and that of Britain, in order to show what hope Kipling held up for the continued existence of the latter. The Chinese Empire had been founded upon that great system of ethics, Confucianism. but this had, in the long run, crushed truest human instincts of the Chinese and left them servile, self-in-volved and non-progressive. The

Greeks had idealized art and had given he world a high form of civilization but in doing so they had neglected the more practical and fundamental stincts of human nature, and had failed on account of their very ideality. The Romans had given the world conception of law, but had crushed the more generous and uplifting of human instincts, and had denerated into brutalty and sensualty. Unlike these defunct empires, the British Empire was not founded upon any systems of art, science or philoso phy, but upon the strong character of its people. As fundamental parts of this character were the true colonizing instinct and the spirit of daring and adventure which had always characterized the commercial and exploratory enterprises of the nation. The poems which the lecturer recited STRATFOLD & BAWDEN, CONTRACT-ING Plasterers. Agents Paristone Hard Wall plaster. 'Phone 1,450. Henry Stratfold, 427 Waterloo; George Bawden, 191 Grey. Illustrated the above points. Among those most appreciated by the audience were "The English Flag," "The Song of the Dead," "Our Lady of the Snows," and "The Truce of the Bear." llustrated the above points. Among versity, presided at the meeting, and ago. Mr. Hendrie had taken Dr. Tamblyn, of the Western Uni-



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Receipts a Year Ago. The customs collections at the port of London for February amounted to \$72,029 34, as compared with \$71,307 89

during the same month of 1904, show ing an increase of \$721 45. The increase for the past month however, was really much greater than would appear from the statement issued at the customs house. During February of last year the railroads reused an immense quantity of coal, which had been accumulating at London during the preceding two or three months, the amount of duty paid on the same amounting to close upon ten thousand dollars. Last month there was little or no revenue from coal, the

statement shows. **OUEBEC CABINET MEETS**

Will Be Little of Importance in the

Speech From Throne. Quebec. Feb. 28.-A meeting of the provincial cabinet was held this forenoon at the Parliament buildings Corkill, Robitaille and Monet. Considerable routine business in conne sor, Ont., and they will tell you where you may obtain them.

You where tion with the various departments in preparation for the opening of the House was disposed of. The speech from the throne to be delivered at the opening of the House was discussed, and is calculated to be unimportant, pending a change of conditions. The Lieutenant-Governor will not deliver the speech until after the election of

the speaker.

OLD MASON GONE

Away at Guelph. Guelph, Ont., Feb. 28.—David Dick is dead here at the age of 89. Mr. Dick probably was the oldest Freemason in Canada. He was born in Edinburgh Scotland, and came to Canada in 1838 Toronto was little more than an Indian camp when Mr. Dick settled there, and in a few years he went into the boot and shoe business at Orangeville, retiring a few years ago. He came from a family of military men, his father having served at the battle of Waterloo and his grandfather having taken part in the campaign under the Duke of Marlborough. Mr. Dick is survived

by five sons and two daughters.

A Movement On Foot to Erect One in Old Lenden.

London, Feb. 28. — A large and enthusiastic gathering at the Mansion House today, under the presidency of Lord Mayor Pound, appointed a committee to organize a scheme for an international monument to Shakes-peare, to be erected in London, the London county council having agreed Bank, Dundas & Richmond Sts. (entrance SLATE ROOFING, ASPHALT, CEMENT In princess Spencer & McVicar, 194 State. Calendars for '05 free, 'Phone 690, York street, London.

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LONDON, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1.

Mr. Sifton's Resignation. The resignation of Hon, Clifford Sifton, Minister of the Interior, is ascribed to his opposition to some features of new provinces of the Northwest, There posed to the main principle of the billaccusation that the Government had postponed the consideration of Northwest autonomy because it hesitated to face the school question. He is reported by Hansard as saying:

"I know of no political game that can be played, and so far as the separate schools are concerned, my own view is that the school question is settled. I understand that the settlement at which they (the Northwest Territories). have arrived - and I am very happy to be able to express that opinion-is a satisfactory settlement, and that the Roman Catholic people on the one hand, and the Protestant people on the other, feel that they have a satisfactory compromise, and that there is no necessity for difficulty or agitation upon the question.'

Mr. Sifton must have perfectly ungerstood that the Government intended to provide for the maintenance of the dual system, and there can be no doubt that ne assented to it, or he would have resigned before this. The details of the measure, however, were framed during his enforced absence of many weeks in search of health and rest. The dispatch announcing his resignation says that he objects to the clause which binds the new provinces to divide equitably between the public and separate schools the funds arising from the sale of school lands. Under the Dominion land act, liberal provision was made for the endowment of the public schools in the territories, lands being set apart and administered by the Minister of the Interior, subject to the Governor-in-Council, and the proceeds invested for school purposes in the Northwest. It is understood that Mr. Sifton regards the division of these trust funds as a diversion of them from the public schools. The school clauses of the bill now before the House of Commons require that the Legislatures of the new provinces shall make no discrimination between public and separate schools in educational grants, the Dominion Government holding that the rights of the minority will be share proportionately in moneys appropriated for school purposes. The Territorial Government, however, has never discriminated between the two classes of schools in making grants, so that the present measure does not introduce a new principle. The Premier of the Territories, Mr. Haultain, in an interview, declared that he would not change the existing school system if he could, but contended that the new Provincial Governments should be given a free hand. This is probably Mr. Sifton's point of view with regard to the school fund.

Mr. Sifton's resignation, owing to his great abilities, and his position as the western representative in the cabinet is a very important event. To what extent the force of public opinion in the west is behind him on this question remains to be seen, as no serious protest has hitherto come from that quarter. His explanation of his reasons for resigning, which parliamentary usage demands, is awaited with keen

Salaries of Judges.

This is a subject often referred to and the consensus of opinion favors more liberal treatment of the bench. The scale of remuneration was fixed many years ago when living was cheaper and incomes in all lines were

There is no profession that calls for more industry and ability as a condition of success than the profession of law. To become a judge is the proper ambition of every lawyer. It has been said that the lot of the lawyer the world over is to "work hard, live well and die poor." Perhaps the reason of this is that the ranks of the legal profession are mainly recruited from among those who have to make their way without capital, who know they must depend for success upon their own energies, who have no rich parents to fall back on, but who look hopefully and manfully into the future and determine to overcome its difficulties whatever they may be. It is no wonder that from this profession, many splendid men come into public life. Canada already has a list of which any country might be proud, such names as Robert Baldwin, Edward Blake, Oliver Mowat, Arthur S. Hardy, Wilfrid Laurier, John S. D. Thompson, John Abbott, R. L. Borden, William Mulock, Charles Fitzpatrick, Clifford Sifton, David Mills, William R. Meredith. To name the men given have been both public men and judges -for example, Oliver Mowat, John Thompson, David Mills and William R. Meredith. To name the men given by the legal profession to the bench who have been a credit to the country is to read the whole list from such names as William Hume Blake and John B. Robinson down to the last appointment of R. C. Clute. This is without an exception an honor roll of men who have conscientiously and ably performed their duties, and whose high standard of conduct has imbued the public with confidence in the administration of justice.

To have achieved this is to have played a very important part in the welfare and government of the country, a service which the country should recognize. The salaries of judges, as

already mentioned, were fixed in the lays of comparatively small things. but today bank managers, loan company managers, railway officials and a host of others in the employment of financial, commercial, and industrial corporations, are in the enjoyment of ncomes which far exceed those of superior court judges, although it will ot be claimed that their work is as essential to the nation, or requires a higher order of ability. It is time judges were given their just dues. Let Parliament take into consideration the the proposed school legislation for the difference in living and in earning power, the increased importance of the is no evidence that Mr. Sifton is op- judge's position, the necessity of maintaining its dignity, and then fix the to the guarantee by Parliament of the salaries of the judges on a scale that maintenance of the present school sys- will fairly compensate them for the tem in the territories. In the session high duties they are called upon to of 1902, he took occasion to deny the perform, and attract the best available men in the legal profession.

An Unwelcome Judgment.

The decision of the supreme court in the matter of the C. P. R. land court was asked to interpret the clause of the contract made in 1881 between the Dominion Government and the C. P. R., providing that the company's lands should be exempt from taxation for 20 years "after the grant thereof from the crown." It was contended in the present case that the 20 years ran (1) from the date of the conthe road when the lands are earned. or (3) from the time at which they were selected by the railway company, and accepted as forming part of its grant. The court upheld the company's contention that the 20 years' exemption dated from the issue of the patent for each parcel of land. If this decision is upheld by the Privy Council, the Territories and Manitoba will lose millions of dollars. Up to March 1, 1902, only 9,464,522 acres of land had been patented to the C. P. R. out of land grant of 25,000,000 acres. Most of the 9,464,522 acres had been patented within the previous six or seven years, so that it will be at least fifteen years before any considerable proportion of the C. P. R. lands can be taxed for municipal purposes.

There can be no doubt that the people of Canada in 1881 imagined that the exemption of C. P. R. lands would run only for twenty years from the date of the contract. It is not known whether the company at that time interpreted the clause as the supreme court interprets it today, but certainly it did not enter the public mind that the clause was open to different constructions. It was a costly blunder, for which the bill is now falling due. The assessable even for school purposes. will be a clog on the development of the Northwest, and seriously interfere with the working of municipal institutions during the period of exemption. It is to be hoped the incubus will be lifted by the Privy Council, when the case comes before it on appeal. The C. P. R. is not to be censured for demanding its legal rights, but those who represented the Canadian people in the framing of such an agreement be trayed the public interests.

The Little Father.

[London Punch.] Nichol, Nichol, Little Czar, How I wonder where you are! You who thought it best to fly, Being so afraid to die. Now the sullen crowds are gone, Now there's naught to fire upon, Sweet your sleighbells ring afar, Tinkle, tinkle, Little Czar!

How are you a Czar at all? Yours had been a happier lot In some peasant's humble co Yet to you was given a day With a noble part to play As an Emperor and a Man; When it came—"then Nicky ran."

Little Czar, beware the hour When the people strike at Power; Soul and body held in thrall, They are human after all.
Thrones that reek of blood and tears
Fall before the avenging years.

The Songs We Love. [Eugene C. Dolson.] The songs we love, the dear heart songs, Our lives from day to day.

Are those that reach the heart, And that which thrills the commo

The Well-Read Man.

[San Francisco Bulletin.] Let him who pretends to be a master of English letters say whether he has Dryden. Has he first-hand knowledge of the Elizabethan dramatists other than Shakespeare? Has he really perused all of Edmund Spenser's poetry? What does he know, from his own reading, of the "Advancement Learning" Has he read all of Has he read all of Sir Thomas Browne's prose and John Donne's poetry? And the great English pulpit orators, Jeremy Taylor, Fuller, South and Barrow, has he

nastered their sermons? Can he truthfully testify that he knows all of Swift, Johnson and Burke, all of Bishop Berkeley, Daniel Defoe: the novels of Richardson, Fielding, Smollett and Sterne; the histories of Hume, Robertson and Gibbon, and also Hume's philosophical essays; the prose of Coleridge, Wordworth's "Ex-cursion," all of Shelley, Jane Austin's, Maria Elgeworth's and Disraeli's These are English classics. books which no gentleman's library should be without, and with the contents of which a well read man ought to be acquainted. One would wager much against little that the ordinary man who calls him-self well read has not read 50 per cent

Keeps Busy All the Time.

[Philadelphia Record.] Time never hangs heavily on the hands of a woman who marries a man

Adolf Menzel's Hydrocephclus, [London Daily Chronicle.]

The doctors who carried out the autopsy on Adolf von Menzel's remains state that his lungs showed that he had suffered as a young man from tuberculosis; yet he lived to be nearly 90 years old. They further state that he was "hydrocephalic"—that is, had water on the brain, in this respect re-

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but if the editor goes to see another When a doctor gets drunk its a case overcome by heat,

When an editor gets drunk it's a case of too much booze, and if he dies t's a case of delirium tremens Any old college can make a doctor. can't make an editor; he has o be born.

Use for Ab. Harvey.

[Atchison (Kan.) Globe.] Ab. Harvey is so filled with hot air hat his friends are thinking of buildhouse around him.

Peace to His Pieces.

[Dayton News.] And as for the Grand Duke Sergius-

'Peace to his pieces." A Sincere Wish.

[Washington Star.] "Tomorrow is your birthday," said little Fauntleroy Jenkins' "and I want you to tell me what you wish me to give you.' Grateful tears sprang to the eyes of the curled darling as he fervently an-"I don't want a single thing in the world but a hair cut.'

Swift Divorce Court Action.

[Philadelphia Press.] Judge Fitzgerald, of the New York Supreme Court, had 55 divorce cases on his calendar on Wednesday, and he disposed of seventeen cases in four hours. That is about the record of a western court. Divorce cases are handled much the same as police court matters. The persons concerned in these cases were nearly all foreigners, who seem to have a low idea of Ameri can divorce laws, and, what is worse they are not much astray on that

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LIVE STOCK MARKET. TORONTO.

Toronto, Feb. 28.-Trade was exceedingthis morning, and in several lines ad-vances were scored. The hog market \$1 26. Chicago, Feb. 28.—Flaxseed—Northwest, \$1 34; southwest, \$1 24; May, \$1 23; July, ly active at the city live stock market manifested, perhaps the greatest strength, advancing another 10c per cwt, on top of a similar advance on Friday last. Lambs were 10c per cwt above last week's level, but sheep were barely steady. Export cattle were firmer and in better demand, and butchers maintained a firm tone, despite very heavy market-

There was one complaint, however, in regard to the latter, and that was as to quality, too many light, half-fat steers being offered. Such steers of quality as were found sold well, and the medium to good sorts were also disposed of without difficulty. There were none of the very high-priced cattle offered that were here last week, and the best straight loads sold at about \$4.30 per cwt. For the right class of butchers, however, buyers say class of butchers, however, buyers say they are willing to pay a higher figure than this, but, as stated above, there were none of these picked cattle mar-

Exporters are quoted 10c higher, with several sales of prime steers at 5c. The improvement here is due to better cables, though reports from abroad are somewhat conflicting. All agreed, however, that the English market was more favorable, though there was little animation in the market for Canadian cattle, reports saving that the domestic cattle are being saying that the domestic cattle are being offered so plentifully that buyers will take hold of the foreign stuff only at a concession, which naturally makes the local exporter fearful of losses on his Stockers and feeders were a shade more

plentiful, and they met a good demand, particularly short-keeps. The latter sold up to \$4 10 per cwt, which represents a advance over last week's quota-

A few of the day's transactions follow: Zeagman & Sons sold 2 loads of rough steers, averaging 850 lbs, at \$3 25 per cwt, and bought 30 butchers' cattle, 1,000 lbs, at \$350 to \$4.

M. H. Pringle bought 50 butchers, 985
lbs, at \$3 55 to \$4 10 per cwt.

A. W. Pringle bought 50 butchers, 1025
lbs, at \$3 55 to \$4 10 per cwt.

C. McCurdy bought 22 butchers, 1,025
lbs, at \$3 55 to \$3 60 per cwt.

George Rowntree bought 140 cattle for larris Abattoir Company, at \$4 to \$425
left for fair to good, \$3 50 to \$3 70 to \$425 light, 29c
W. J. Neeley bought 55 cows, 1,000 to 1,200

H. McCrae bought 25 cows, 1,000 to 1,200

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Toronto, Feb. 28.—The market continues cate and the dethodist Church, and market continues cate anniversary services at Banner on Sunday, and also assisted at the anniversary services at Banner on Sunday, and also assisted at the tea-meeting on Monday night.

The Rev. Mr. McKay, of Woodstock, 26c; No. 2, 28c to 29c; No. 3, 27c to 28c; No. 2, 28c to 29c; No. 3, 27c to 28c; Son. who will take possession in a few days, Mr. Ross has disposed of his son. who will take possession in a few days, Mr. Ross has proved himself and has won the confidence of a large dium, and \$2.75 to \$4 per cwt for cows.

W. J. Neeley bought 75 cattle for the park, Blackwell Company at \$4 to \$425.

TORONTO.

**A sleighload from here attended the dethodist Church, an unmber of the Methodist Church, at the ea-meeting in the Methodist Church, at the ea-meeting on Monday night.

The Rev. Mr. McKay, of Woodstock, 26c; No. 2, 28c to 29c; No. 3, 27c to 28c; pobles, at \$3.50 to \$3.30 for cows.

H. McCrae bought 25 cows, 1,000 to 1,200
lbs, at \$3 to \$3.30 per cwt.

A. Levack bought 20 butchers, 1,020 to 1,130 lbs, at \$3 90 to \$4.25 per cwt.

Corbett & Henderson sold 12 feeders.

1,150 lbs, at \$4 per cwt; 11 stockers, 980 lbs, at \$3.50; 29 butchers, 970 to 990 lbs, at \$2.70 to \$2.80 are cover as \$2.50 to \$2.80 a \$3 70 to \$3 80, and 28 cows a \$2 50 to \$3. Crawford & Co. sold 7 loads of cattle a \$3 85 to \$4 10 for butchers, \$3 for rough cows, \$3.75 for rough steers, and \$4.65 to \$4.85 for exporters. Frank Hunnisett bought 60 butchers, 909 to 1,200 lbs, at \$3 20 to \$4 20 per cwt.

H. Hunnisett bought 2 loads of exporters a \$4 25 to \$4 90 for steers, \$3 to \$3 50 for cows and \$3 for bulls.
W. L. Jifkins bought 41 butchers, 1,000 to 1,430 lbs, a \$3 35 to \$4 30 per cwt.

WOOL MARKETS. TORONTO.

Toronto, Feb. 28.-Wool-There is little for car lots on track here.

business doing on the old clip, and no quotations have as yet been made on the new clip, prices on the old clip being nominal and unchanged, at: Wool, fleece, 22c to 23c; rejections, 16c to 17c; wool, unwashed, 13c to 14c; pulled, super, 22c to 24c; pulled, extras, 24c to 26c. SUGAR MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Feb. 27.—Sugar—Prices here continue unchanged. We quote: Granulated, \$5.75; domestic do, \$5.8; yellow, \$5.18; bags are quoted 5c less. PLAXSEED. CHICAGO.

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG. Pa., Feb. 28.-Oil opened and OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., Feb. 28.—Credit balances, \$1 39; certificates, no bid; shipments, 90,897 barrels. London, Feb. 28.-Petroleum, American

Antwerp. Feb. 28.-Petroleum. 18 francs Bremen, Feb. 28.-Petroleum, 6 marks

SUGAR MARKETS. NEW YORK.

New York, Feb. 28.—Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 4%c; centrifugal, 96 test, 5%c; molasses sugar, 4%c; refined firm. Mo-

LONDON. London, Feb. 28.—Raw sugar—Centrifugal, 16s 3d, nominal; Muscovado, 15s 3d; beet sugar, February, 15s 2½d. TORONTO.

Toronto, Feb. 28.-Sugar-Prices here are unchanged; the market is firm in tone, in sympathy with outside points. We quote: Granulated, \$5.75; domestic do, \$5.85; yellow, \$5.18; bags are quoted 5c

DAIRY MARKETS. NEW YORK. New York, Feb. 28.—Butter—Steady and unchanged; receipts, 9,365 pkgs. Cheese— Firm and unchanged; receipts, 1,293 Firm and

LEATHER MARKETS.

TORONTO. Toronto, Feb. 28.-Hides-The market re Toronto, Feb. 28.—Hides—The market remains quiet, with slightly easier prices, which local dealers quote as follows: Inspected hides, No. 1 steers, 9c; No. 2 steers, 8c; No. 1 cows, 8½c; No. 2, 7½c; country hides, flat, 6%c to 7½c. Call'skins—No. 1 selected, 11c. Sheepskins, \$1 25 to \$1 50. Horsehides, \$3 15.

Tallow-Rendered, 4c to 41/4c. HAY MARKET. TORONTO.

Toronto, Feb. 28.-Baled Hay-Offerings about fill the demand, and prices remain steady, at \$8 for No. 1 timothy and \$7 per mixed and clover, on track here,

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IN THAMESFORD

Esteemed Family -Notable Social Events.

Advertiser's Special Correspondence.] Thamesford, March 1. - On the occaion of their departure from East Nissouri, Mr. and Mrs. James Snell and family were tendered a farewell reception Friday night. The enjoyable affair took place at their home, lot 4, concession 12, and was attended by over two hundred friends from East Nissouri, West Zorra, North Oxford, Woodstock, Embro, Ingersoll, London and elsewhere. As a tangible recognition of the esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. Snell are held in the neighborhood, they were presented with a beautiful sideboard, parlor lamp, and clock, accompanied by an address expressing the keen regret occasioned by their departure, Mr. Francis Patterson was chairman, and addresses were given by Mr. Wm. Nelson, Alex Hos-sack, W. D. McKay, W. H. Sutherland,

C. M. Judge and others. All gave expression to the popularity of Mr. and Mrs. Snell in East Nissouri, and united in wishing them happiness and prosperity in their new home. A good nusical programme was contributed. Mr. B. B. McCarty, Mr. J. Snell, Mr. B. Karn and Mr. Golding, and others, rendering choice selections. Dancing concluded the programme, and the pleasant gathering broke up at an early hour of the morning. Mr. and Mrs. Snell and their estimable family

will move in a few days to their farm in East Oxford. Mr. Peter Forbes was in Plattsville on Saturday attending the funeral of his uncle, Mr. John Harvey, Mr. Harvey was 84 years of age, and was the last link of the Harvey family conpecting the past generation with the present, "For men may come and men

may go, but time goes on forever." A much loved and respected resident of North Oxford, Miss Margaret Henbessy, passed away recently at her home, concession 2. North Oxford, after a lingering illness, and the remains were laid in Sacred Heart Cemetery, Ingersoll. Miss Hennessy is survived by her mother, Mrs. Lawrence Hennessy, of Ingersoll; a sister, Mrs. James McCartney, of London, and five brothers, Patrick, of Montreal; Lawrence, of Simcoe: John, of London, and James

and Joseph, at home. Mr. Harry Leonard is giving up the farm on the Governor's road, and will move in a short time to a farm near Embro. We are sorry to lose him as he has made many friends here, Mr. James Oliver will move on the farm vacated by Mr. Leonard

Communion services were held in the The Presbyterian Church yesterday. preparatory services were conducted on Friday night by Rev. T. G. A. Wright, and Saturday afternoon by the Rev. Mr. Nixon, of Ayr, who delivered two eloquent and stirring sermons. congregation were delighted with

The local Orange Lodge held their annual "At Home" on Thursday night in the Orange Hall. A large number attended, all of whom speak of the pleasant time spent,

The Epworth League of the Methodist Church held a social at the home of Mr. Ich Horsman on Thursday Baled Straw-Unchanged, at \$6 per ton evening. There was a large attendance, and the evening was spent in

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games and amusements. Those wh were there speak in kindly terms of the cordial reception given them by Mr. and Mrs. Horsman, A substantial sum was raised, which will be devoted

to a good cause. Mr. Wallace Thurlo is moving his household effects from Miss Brock's house, where he has been residing, to Mr. Tomlinson's farm on the 7th line. Mr. Tomlinson will go west for the summer, and will leave the farm in charge of Mr. Thurlo. Mr. Charles Rutledge will move this

reek to a farm which he has rented. Mr. J. Carter has purchased the house and lot of Mr. Hugh McDonald, and is moving into it this week. Mr. Walker, night operator at the C. P. R. station, will occupy the

acated by Mr. Carter. The annual meeting of the Thamesford Branch Rifle Association was held in the town hall on Saturday night. Quite a number of the local enthusiasts was present. The yearly report showed the association to be on a safe footing, with a nice surplus in the treasury. The officers elected are; Captain, M. Cowper; secretary, W. M. Brock; treasurer, Art Morrison; executive, H. F. Day, B. B. McCarty, W. I. Hogg and Mr. Bradshaw. Many people in the village have been obliged to remove the snow from the

safety. Word has been received from Mr. John H. Hastings that he and his bride have landed safely in Edmonton, and that prospects seem bright in the west, We join in wishing them every suc-

roofs of their dwellings as a matter of

A sleighload from here attended the

presented to Mr. W. Masons' "At Home" is looked forward A General Engagement. to annually with interest, and it was this year in no way disappointing. The contract for the supplying gravel for sidewalks was let to Mr

Wilkinson. Mr. R. Skinner and H. Buchanan, of Ingersoll were here on Tuesday E. Broughton, London, was in the village yesterday.

DEATH IN THE BLIZZARD

Station Master Lost in Storm and Freezes to Death.

Quebec, Feb. 28.-Word was received nere today from Bonaventure of the reezing to death there last night of loseph Soucy, station master of the Atlantic and Lake Superior Railway at hat place. Soucy, who carries the mails between the station and postoffice, was returning to the station last evening about 7 o'clock, when a very heavy snowstorm, accompanied by strong winds, set in. lay through some fields, and Soucy lost his way and was overcome with exhaustion. A searching party this morning discovered his body frozen to death. Deceased leaves a widow and one child.

C. C. C. C. BANQUET

Members of Chorus Club Spend Pleasent Hour Together.

The annual banquet of the Christ Church Chorus Club was held last night, and proved to be a very enjoy-able affair throughout. After a substantial dinner the president, Mr. H. J. Moorhouse, in a few appropriate remarks, introduced a programme toasts and music that was a decided credit to those who took part. The spirit of enthusiasm that has held this club together and made everything it has set its hand to, an unqualified success, prevailed last evening. Following the president's address, Rev. Mr. Howard was called upon to respond to the toast "Marriages."

The second toast related to the past doings of the club outside the city, and was called "Adventures." It was coupled with the names of Messrs. F. Spears, S. Macdonell, B. Mason, and F.

"A Little Bit of Everything" met with a capable response from Messrs. J. Percy and H. Franks Mr. J. Wilson's response to "The Married Men," was replete with much sound common sense and fatherly ad-

next toast, coupled with the name of Mr. W. Rowlands. Messrs. C. Clarke and R. Franks did

In addition to the toasts, a musical selection was given by Messrs. Moor-house and Rickard; solos were well Harding, B. Parsons and J. Percy. Mr Moorhouse favored with an ocarina solo, the club joining in the chorus, and an instrumental by Mr. Percy concluded the programme.

Land Surveyors Meet.

Toronto. Feb. 28. - The annual meeting of the Ontario land surveyors commences at the Parliament buildings this afternoon. A meeting of the committee was held this morning, President C. A. Jones, of Petrolea. in the chair. The report of the secretary-treasurer, Mr. K. Gamble, of Toronto, shows a membership of 290, and a satisfactory financial condition. The report also says the demand for land surveyors is on the increase throughout the Domition. this afternoon. A meeting of the com-



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KUROPATKIN HITS BACK.

tillery in the bombardment of Poutiloff Hill and Novgorod Hill, and this is beieved to be preliminary to an attempt to storm them. The loss to the defending force is insignificant. The roar of artillery firing is echoing unceasingly low flats of the Hun River Valley, the

scene of Gen. Gripenberg's repulse

The fight appears to be developing in

Continued from page 1.

n progress today along the whole line, the Japanese attacking everywhere. All attacks this morning were beaten back, and the Russians made the right flank the Russians occupied Baotaitse, close to Sandiapu, and from Paul Reubens, should that position hurled hand grenades cross the intervening ravine into the Japanese trenches in Sandiapu, causing heavy loss and great disorder. 10 n.m.—The Russians have seized the head of the bridge that crosses the Shakhe River in the center of the Japanese lines, assisted by artillery firing of particular energy from Putioff Hill and Novgorod Hill. Ten determined attacks opposite Yan Sin Tung and west of Vanupudzi were all repulsed with heavy loss. The situa-

changed as compared with Monday.

Chinese Banaits in It. New Chwang, Feb. 28 .- Advices received here say that over two Russian army corps are engaged in building elaborate defensive works on the at the Grand tomorrow (Thursday) extreme Japanese left, and that the night, when the stars formerly billed forces of cavalry are protecting the to appear at the London this week will Russian flanks. It is reported here be given a benefit. The company emthat a rallroad bridge between Tie braces a number of artists of repute, Pass and Kaiyuan has been destroyed. and with the best local talent procur-It is also reported that large bodies of able a splendid performance should be well-armed Chinese bandits are pre- looked for. "Strictly first-class and a paring to harass the retreating Rus- laugh from start to finish" is the way break through General Kuroki's en- have seen it. Popular prices.

tion on the Russian left flank is un-

Jap Prizes Beached.

Tokio. March 1.-It is reported that the German steamer Romulus, which was recently seized while en route to Vladivostock, with a cargo of Cardiff coal, has been beached at Aomori Bay. It is understood that the Romulus struck an iceberg when attempting to pass through Soya Strait, and was damaged so that she was leaking on her port side when seized by the Japanese. A prize crew was put aboard her and she was started for Yokosuka. Her leak increased and it was necessary to beach her in order to save her.

The New Jap Loan.

Tokio, March 1 .- A meeting of bankers and financiers was held today for the purpose of discussing the subscriptions to the new domestic loans should it be found to be over-subscribed when the list is opened. At the close of the meeting the Associated Bankers announced that they

would take 60,000,000 yen-about \$30,000. 000. The imperial household will take 5,000,000 yen, and other corporations and individuals 40,000,000 yen. It is expected that the loan will be doubly subscribed. Count Okuma, addressing today's meeting, said that the "This Year's Ball Team" was the Japanese domestic financial capacity was astonishing even to its friends. He expressed the belief that the slight disturbance in financial conditions despite full justice to "Girls," and were followed by Messrs. C. Percy, musical the fact that agriculture furnished the director, and S. Bending, treasurer, on country's great wealth. Continuing, Count Okuma said that he believed the country would continue the war with-

out any feeling of embarrassment.



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MUSIC AND DRAMA.

CEYLON. The Augustin Daly Musical Company will present at the Grand, Friday and Saturday, for the first time in this city, Mr. George Edwards' latest suc-Mukden, Feb. 28.—Noon.—Fighting is cess, "The Cingalee," with a bright and sufficient plot, beautiful scenery. and dresses, and music which, at many points, reaches a high artistic level. The book and music is by Mr. James T. Tanner and Mr. Lionel Monckton and the lyrics by Messrs. Adrian Ross counter attacks at many places. On and Percy Greenbank, and with the in evitable additional numbers by Mr. combination. Montreal claims "Cingalee" is a worthy successor to "A Coun try Girl." The original cast from Daly's Theater, which includes such wellknown players as Miss Martha Carine, Miss Carolyn Williams, Miss Genevieve Finlay, Miss Blanche Deyo, Miss Viola Kellogg, Miss Julia Millard and Wm. Morriss, Melville Stew-Messrs. art, Hallyn Mostyn, Harold Paul Pancer, Lionel Hogarth and Glen White, will be seen. In addition there

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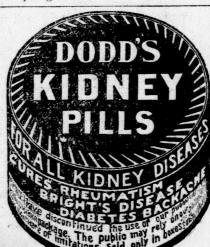
much for their voices as their rare

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LOCAL MARKET.

Wednesday, March 1, 1905. Hay was the feature at the market. There were 44 loads of hay offered. Sales were on the slow side, and prices were lower at \$8 to \$9 per ton, mostly at \$8 25 to \$8 50 per ton. Straw sold quickly at \$3 50 per load or \$6 per ton. Oats were in good demand, most at \$1 13 to \$1 14 per cwt.

With the exception of last Saturday. the market on the other days of the past week was below the average. The offerings of the smaller lines on Saturday were very large for this time of

The thaw during the week removed a lot of the surplus snow from the roads, coupled with the fact that the weather was pleasant, enabled the farmers to come a considerable dis-tance with some degree of comfort. The farmers were anxious to take advantage of the high prices prevailing for the smaller lines of produce, which, no doubt, accounted to a considerable extent for the large display on Saturday. Sales have been moderately-brisk, and prices are considered lower than those paid in the previous week. Grain-Oats have been offered more freely; prices are lower, although the

past couple of days they have been firmer; most of the sales are made at \$1 12 and \$1 14 per cwt, Barley sells at 96c to 98c per cwt. Hay and Straw—The improved condition of the sleighing has helped to make the offerings large. There has dition of the sleighing has helped to been offered during the past week 215 loads. Sales were fairly brisk at \$8 50 and \$9 per ton for the best hay, more selling at first-named figure. Straw is scarce at \$6 per ton, or \$2 50 km to selling at first-named figure.

Butter and Eggs-Butter is firm at the recent drop in prices. Sales are made mostly at 22c to 23c for crocks, and 23c to 25c for rolls, creamery 28c to 30c. Eggs sell mostly at 22c to 25c

ket, when they advanced from \$6 75 to

\$7 25 per cwt for selects.

Live Hogs—Prices for next Monday will be about \$5 30 per cwt, and probably a trifle more will be paid for the choice kinds. Heavy, fat sows are of-fered at \$3 25 per cwt. for hens, and 121/2c to 131/2c for gobblers; chickens, dressed, 11c to 111/2c per lb, or from 70c to \$1 10 per pair; alive, c to 10c per lb or 60c to 75c per pair. Butchers Meat-Sales are slow at the prices quoted.

Hides — The market is weak and

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STOCK MARKETS.

H. C. Becher, stock broker, Bank of Commedce building, received the following by private wire from Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington today: New York, March 1.-Noon.-After

a somewhat strong opening, prices declined and the market became irregular and rather nervous. There was fairly heavy trading in Union Pacific, the professionals being inclined to sell. whilst there was some buying which had the appearance of being good. It was thought that there was further absorption of Erie by Morgan brokers. London houses sold on balance, Generally, the market lacks snap, and commission business shows a decided falling off. This is possibly due to the fact that the Northern Securities case is coming up before the supreme court today, and that consequently the speculators do not wish to increase their commitments. The majority of brokers on the floor are of the opinion that the market looks tired. Sales to noon, 505,-

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per dozen wholesale.

Apples—Sales are slow at \$1 and \$1 25 per barrel for good stock, or 40c per bag.

Potatoes—Several car loads were brought in by the dealers, which has brought prices down. Sales are made at 75c to 90c per bag, mostly at 80c per bag.

Dressed Hogs—Not many offered this week; sales are brisk; prices are a little firmer, especially at Tuesday's market, when they advanced from \$6 75 to

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SALES: Bank of Commerce, 15 at 163, 6 at 162; Bank of Hamilton, 84 and 40 at 162; Bank of Hamilton, 84 and 40 at 1620, 10 at 2201/8; Traders' Bank, 1 at 139, 10 at 139%, 10 at 140; Mackay, common, 7 at 411/4, 100 at 411/2, 50 at 417/4, 25 preferred at 875/8, 50 at 75, 75 at 747/8; Nova Scotia Steel, 25, 10, 125, 150 and 150 at 64, 75, 25, 50, 13, 85 and 50 at 63%, 10 at 634, 125 at 637/8, 50 and 25 at 637/8, 8 at 635/8; Twin City, 25 at 1071/4; Sao Paulo, 50 at 118%, 50 at 118%; C. P. R., 40 and 250 at 137%, 150 and 15 at 1373/4, 4 and 11 at 137, 25 and 100 at 1373/4, 3 new at 137; Dominion Steel, 500 at 204/4; Coal, 50 at 671/2, 35 at 671/4, 25 at 671/2; Canada Permanent, 16 at 134. SALES: Bank of Commerce, 15 at 163, 6

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Iron, bonds, 4,600 at 84, 3,000 at 84; C. P. R., new, 20 at 137, 2 at 13714, 25 at 137; Laurentide Paper, preferred, 25 at 1031/2; Merchants' Bank, 17 at 170; Bank of Commerce, 1 at 165; R. and O., 7 at 621/2. PRODUCE MARKET.

TORONTO. Toronto, March 1.—Wheat—The market is dull; prices are unchanged; Ontario red and white, \$1 07; spring, 98c to \$1; goose, 92c; Manitoba, quotations at lake ports are nominal; No. 1 northern, \$1 11; No. 2, \$1 07; No. 3, \$1 02; all-rail rates are easier, at \$1 13½, \$1 10 and \$1 04½, delivered.

livered.
Flour—Quiet; 90 per cent patents, \$450 to \$460, in buyers' sacks, west; 15c to 20c higher for choice; Manitoba, \$550 to \$570 for first patents, \$510 to \$540 for second patents, and \$5 to \$530 for bakers.
Millfeed—Quiet, at \$14 50 for bran in bulk, and \$15 60 to \$17 for shorts, west; livered. Manitoba, \$19 for shorts and \$17 for bran,

for export.

Barley—Dull, at 46c to 47c for No. 2, 44c to 45c for No. 3 extra, and 42c for No. 3 malting, outside, Toronto freights.

Rye—Unchanged, at 75c to 76c for No. f.o.b., outside 2, 1.0.b., outside.

Corn—Canadian firm, at 44½ to 45c for yellow, and 43¼c to 44c for mixed, f.o.b., hatham freights; American firmer; No. 3 yellow, 43¾c; mixed, 53½c, on track at

Oats-Offerings are light; prices firm; No. 2, 40c west and 41c east.
Rolled Oats—Cars of bags at \$4 15 and barrels at \$4 40, on track at Toronto; 25c more for broken lots here and 40c more outside. Peas-Quiet, at 66c to 67c for No. 2, West.

Buckwheat—In demand, at 55c west.

Butter—Creamery is scarce; more dairy tubs are coming forward; creamery prints, 27c to 28c; dairy tubs, good to choice, 19c to 20c; medium, 17c to 18c; inferior grades, 15c to 16c; dairy pound rolls, good to choice, 22c to 24c; large rolls, 20c to 21c; medium, 18c to 19c.

Cheese—Steady, at 11c for large and 114c for twins.

Cheese—Steady, at 11c for large and 11½c for twins.
Eggs—Prices steady; new-laid, 24c to 25c; fresh, 20c to 21c; limed, 19c.
Live Hogs—Market 10c higher, at \$560 and \$5 45. LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO. Chicago, March 1.-Cattle-Receipts, 22, 000; market steady; good to prime steers, \$5.85 to \$6.40; poor to medium, \$4.90 to \$5.95; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$4.40; cows, \$1 25 to \$4 50; canners, \$1 25 to \$2 70; heifers, \$2 to \$5; bulls, \$2 to \$4 10; calves, \$3 50 to \$7 50.

Hogs-Receipts, 33,000; market steady to Hogs—Receipts, 33,000; market steady to weak; mixed and butchers, \$4 80 to \$4 85; good to choice heavy, \$5 to \$5 12½; rough heavy, \$4 80 to \$4 95; light, \$4 75 to \$4 95; bulk of sales at \$4 90 to \$5.

Sheep—Receipts, 22,000; market for sheep strong, lambs steady; good to choice wethers, \$5 80 to \$6 25; fair to choice mixed, \$1 60 to \$5 50; native lambs, \$5 75 to \$7 75. EAST BUFFALO

East Buffalo, March 1.-Cattle-Receipts East Builalo, March I.—Cattle—Receipts, 150 head; slow and easier; prime steers, \$5 25 to \$5 65; shipping, \$4 60 to \$5 15; butchers, \$4 25 to \$4 85; heifers, \$3 25 to \$4 65; cows, \$2 50 to \$4 25; bulls, \$2 75 to \$4 25; stockers and feeders, \$2 50 to \$4 15. Veals—Receipts, 150 head; active and steady, \$4 50 to \$4 75 \$4 50 to \$4 65.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,500 head; active, shade higher; heavy, \$5 30 to \$5 32½; mixed, \$5 30 to \$5 35; Yorkers, \$5 15 to \$5 35; pigs, \$4 90 o \$5; roughs, \$4 50 to \$4 70; stags, \$3 to

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 6,000 head; active on sheep and lambs, slow on common; native lambs, \$6 50 to \$8 50; western lambs \$8 to \$8 25 ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL. Liverpool, March 1.—Wheat—Spot nominal. Futures steady; March, 6s 11%d, May, 6s 11%d; July, 6s 11%d. Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new, 4s 2d; do, old, 4s 11d. Futures steady; March, 4s 1\%d; May, 4s 3\%d.

Peas—Canadian steady, 5s 9d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter steady, American mixed.

Hops (in London)-Pacific coast steady, Beef-Firm; extra India mess, 71s 3d. Pork-Easy; prime mess western, 61s 3d. Hams-Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, easy,

39s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, steady, 36s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, steady, 36s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, steady, 36s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, steady, 36s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, steady, 35s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 37s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, quiet, 29s 6d 29s 6d. Lard—Prime western, in tierces, quiet, 35s; American refined, in pails, steady,

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, steady. 35s 6d; American refined, in pails, firm. Cheese—Quiet; American finest white, 52s; do, colored, 51s.

The following are the stocks of breadstuffs and provisions in Liverpool: Flour, 48,000 sacks; wheat, 1,547,000 centals; corn, 527,000 centals; bacon, 23,000 boxes; hams, 9,400 boxes; shoulders, 5,300 boxes; butter, 2,500 cwts; cheese, 83,800 boxes; lard, 7,000 tierces of prime western steam and 3,380 tons of other kinds.

THE "GRAYS" CARNIVAL

All-Round Success-Some of Those in Costume -Prize Winners.

The first carnival of the West Lon don Grays was held last night and was a success from ever standpoint, and an indication that if the event is repeated it would be quite as successful. The attendance was very large, both as regards the spectators those in costume. It is probable that there were never before a larger number of skaters in costume on the ice at the Jubilee Rink.

Good prizes were given for the bestdressed competitors, Mr. Keene won first as best dressed gentleman, and Miss Ames as best dressed lady. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Turner carried off the honors as best-dressed colored lady and gentleman. Miss R. Norman was awarded the prize as the best lady skater, and Mr. Hewitt took first for the best comical costume. Some of the others in costume who were espe-cially noticed were the following: Edith Grantham, Queen of Hearts; Miss M. Ward, Night; E. Stinchcombe, Lady Sailor; Roy Lae, Colored Gentle-man; C. Martin, Hussar; William Chadwick, Hobo; William Charlton, General Stoessel; M. Charlton, Duke General Stoessel; M. Charlton, Duke of York; A. Hewitt, Weary Willie; J. Thompson, Butcher Boy; Miss Brown, Colored Lady; Miss R. Norman, Red Cross Nurse; William Perkins, Ball Player; M. Caravella, Hobo; M. Austin, Snowflake; R. Nuttall, Shakesperean Actor; R. Dewan, Jesse James; Miss P. Stanton, Fairy Queen; J. Navin, Clown; A. McNeil, Colored Gentleman; B. Robinson, Sailor; R. Ralph, Clown; J. Pryce, Hobo; W. Daniels, Weary Willie; C. McCormick, Drummer; Blanche Gregory, Flower Girl; Nellie McKay, Queen Mary; J. Rockwood, Hobo; Flossie Stillson, Star Girl; Edith Finch, Egyptian Queen.

THE INSPECTOR WAS THREATENED

"Smash" the City Relief Officer.

In his official capacity of relief inspector of London, Mr. J. W. McCallum runs across some queer characters, and, of course, has many queer experiences, but yesterday afternoon he had the unique experience of being threatened with physical force by a woman.

The husband of the woman in ques-ion had called on Mr. McCallum and asked for assistance, but the inspec-tor's information was to the effect that the man spent his money over the bar and he did not feel like helping The man went away and said noth-ing, but it appears that when he made out his report at home his wife was

very angry.
Without delay she came down town and made her way to Mr. McCallum's office. The inspector was not at all frightened when she entered the room, because she was a very little woman -about as big as a little Eva in an "Uncle Tom's Cabin" show. But she soon demonstrated that size county for nothing in a woman, any more than in a Jap.

Sighting the inspector, she started to lecture him. Without the slightest regard for Mr. McCallum's sensitive feelings, she made the most uncalled-for remarks regarding the color of hu-hair, and his facial hirsute adornments. And then she made a rush at

McCallum maintained a most dignified silence, not exactly Sphinx-like, but more after the manner of the distinguished Rajah of Bong. But this stately manner only appeared to irritate the little woman, for drawing closer toward him, she threatened to 'land on him. "For two pins I'd give you a smash in the face," she said. "I know you You'll not fool me."

Mr. McCallum posed like Ajax delying the lightning, and the little wo man "made a riffle at him," as they say in sporting parlance.

Just then Assistant Inspector Lutman appeared on the scene, and the friendly caller took her departure. Mr. McCallum was, of course, greaty relieved by her absence, but he is still debating the question whether or not he will ask Chief of Police Wil-

liams for a bodyguard.

Dog for Legs of Jesse Ashford.

Those who were in police court this morning (of their own accord) had several good, long laughs. Jesse Ashford, a colored man of respectable ap-pearance, was the cause of it all, his description of how Mrs. Martha Cake's bull-terrier worried him on several occasions being very amusing. He charged her with keeping a vicious dog, and after hearing the evidence the magistrate ordered Mrs. Cake to dispose

of the dog.

Ashford said that the dog had taken a particular fancy to him for some time past, and that it had run at him on two occasions. One time he grabbed him by the leg. After that witness had "taken the bluff" every time. The dog was a "bad character," and should be put away. Ashford insisted. Mrs. Cake said that the dog had been abused by Ashford and that he struck at it while he was drunk. "But is this dog a temperance dog,

that he takes after only men who are drunk?" asked the magistrate. "I think that any dog would go after a drunken man before he would after one who was sober," was Mrs. Cake's reply.

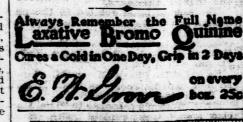
The magistrate concluded that the

dog was a vicious one and suspended sentence for a time until Mrs. Cake would dispose of it, which she promised to do. When the magistrate called the name of William Carry, alias John O'Connor,

a good-looking young fellow stood up He was charged with the theft of a watch from John Hendry, C. P. R fireman, almost a year ago. Yesterday he came back to the city, was recognized by Detectives Nickle and Egelton and taken to the cells, protesting that he was innocent. He changed his tune today, and asked to be remanded until Friday. His lawyer would be here from Toronto then, he said. He said, however, that he would plead guilty to the charge, but wished to have his lawyer with him. 'The magistrate said that he would allow him to put in his formal plea on Friday.

John Talbert was fined \$3 for being who taken ago Mayor Campbel who taken ago Mayor Campbel drunk. It was not his first offense and the magistrate could not see his way clear to let him off.

-No. 3 committee of the city council meets tonight to consider, among other things, the salary increase asked -Work has been begun on the new erected for a Chicago firm on Chelsea



COMPANY PAYS MONEY TO CITY

Little Woman Was Going to L. E. and D. R. R. Enriches City Treasury by \$800, Being Percentage On M. C. Rental.

> Today City Treasurer Pope received a check from the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway Company for \$800, being the amount the city is entitled to through the favorable judgment secured in the friendly suit instituted by the city against the company to ascertain whether or not the city was entitled to a percentage on the amount received by the Lake Erie from the M. C. R. for running privieges over the L. and P. S. R. It will e remembered the Lake Erie claimed that this money could not be classified as earnings, and that consequently the city was not entitled to a percentage The court held differently, however, and as a result the city has re-ceived a check for \$800. Of course, this does not mean that the city is entitled to \$800 a year extra henceforth. The \$800 is made up of the percentage on the Michigan Central earnngs for some years back, or since the Lake Erie took over the road. In 1908 the city received \$4,409 44 of percentage on earnings from the Lake Erie, and if the \$800 just received be added to the percentage of 1904, it is seen that the amount due the city for 1904 totals in the neighborhood of \$5,-500. The city, besides this percentage, draws a fixed rental of \$10,000 per year for the road, and also about \$2,500 from interest on funds spent to repair the

The repairs to the city clerk's office have been completed, and the result is a big improvement. The clerk is now in a place where he can attend to his duties without being bothered by everyone, and access to his office is only possible through the rear. The entire office has been repapered and touched up, and the old furniture has assumed a new appearance.

There is much "Old Boy" talk around the city hall these days, and one of the choicest items is that which iccuses Ald. Matthews of having several thousand postcards printed with a picture of the county jail on them. and distributed to the Old Boys all over the world. People are wondering what Ald. Matthews meant by this, and what the Old Boys will think he meant. If a man is sent a picture of jail he may be foolish enough to think that he can find a more pleasant place than London in which to while way a week.

Regardig the statement made at the Old Boys' meeting last night that the aldermen are seeking to shirk responsibility for this year's reception, cer-tain of the aldermen say this talk is not quite fair, because all the aldermen are on the Old Boys' committee, and they will use their best endeavor this year as they have in the past, to make a success of the reunion

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

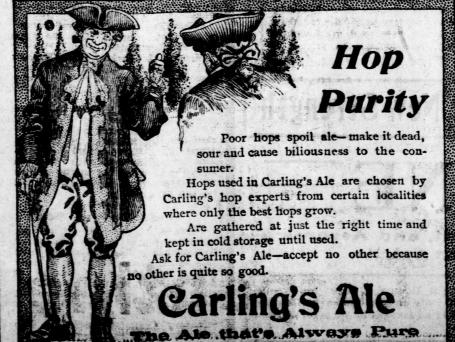
city, are in Brantford for a few days. POLICE COURT RETURNS. The record of summary convictions at the police court for the quarter ending Feb. 28, has been completed by Po lice Court Clerk Moule. The report shows that during the quarter 127 convictions were made. The report, of course, covers only non-indictable offenses. A copy of the returns has been forwarded to Osgoode Hall and also to the crown attorney.

COMPLETED COURSE. The foll ving non-commissioned officers, who have been taking a short course of instruction at Wolseley Barracks, returned to their home yester-day via the G. T. R.: Sergt. McBurney, Thirty-second Regiment, Wingham: Sergt. Higgins, Forty-ninth Regiment Trenton; Sergt. Graham, Forty-ninth Regiment, Trenton: Sergt. McCuen. Seventy-seventh Regiment, Hamilton: Sergt. Cook, Seventy-seventh, Hamilton, and Sergt. Straughan, Seventyseventh, Hamilton,

ANOTHER DOG STORY. Mr. J. R. Shuttleworth left his horse standing in front of his factory on Clarence street this morning when it became frightened and started down the street at a rapid rate. Mr. Shuttleworth owns a splendid greyhound, which goes by the name of "Don." The dog was near the warehouse when the horse started to run away, and away he went after it, overtaking it in a few jumps. When he reached the horse's head Don commenced to bark-a thing which he never did before. Then he caused it to go from one side of the road to the other until its pace had become slackened, when he began to snap at the horse's legs. The result was that the horse came to a stop and was caught before any damage was

Some time ago Mayor Campbell, who takes a deep interest in the London and Middlesex Historical Society, wrote Mr. Charles F. Colwell, clerk of the committees at Ottawa, and a wellknown former Londoner, asking him if he could procure exhibits or books for the society. Today the mayor received a letter from Mr. Colwell statng that he has shipped to London two large boxes, containing samples Bell, head of the geological department; two boxes of books from Mi A. G. Doughty, Government archivist and a box of books from Mr. Colwell imself. Needless to say the mayor n behalf of the Historical Society, is very grateful to Mr. Colwell for thes

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THE DOMINION LIFE ASSURANCE CO. Sixteenth Annual Meeting.

The sixteenth annual meeting of this progressive company was held at the head office, Waterloo, Ont., on Friday, Feb. 10. Shareholders were present representing 3,750 out of the total number of 4,000

Mr. P. H. Sims, vice-president, occupied the chair, and moved, seconded by Hon. Senator McMullen, the adoption of the Directors' report, which exhibited the following figures. Applications received \$916,295 00 422,588 00 218,398 52 92,665 00. Gross expenditure 953,564 00 770,502 00 Liabilities Surplus over all nabilities. 83.061 00 Rate of interest earned.....

The usual dividend at the rate of 8 per cent on the paid-up capital of the The report was discussed by Senator McMullen and other directors, and by several of the shareholders present, i cluding Mr. H. P. Moore, of Acton; Mr. Alex. McCall, of Simcoe; Mr. George Moore, of Waterloo, and others, all of whom expressed themselves as greatly pleased with the splendid position of the company, vieing as it does with the very strongest of the older companies, and at the same time yielding a satisfactory dividend to its shareholders, while its profits actually earned and paid to its policyholders are probably unsurpassed in Canada at the present time. The directors, the management, the medical men and the agents all received hearty votes of thoules, which were cordially received hearty votes of thoules, which were cordially represent and the agents all received hearty votes of thanks, which were cordially respond-

After the adoption of the reports a ballot was cast for the election of direc-Hilliard, Hon. James McMullen, David Bean, Walter Wells, Thomas Trow, W. Vandusen, Hon. S. Merner, Dr. Parke, P. H. Sims, S. B. Bricker, George D. Forbes, Thomas Gowdy and F. Colquhoun.

A suitable resolution of condolence with the family of the late president, Mr. Chr. Kumpf, was passed, after a number of the directors had expressed their sincere appreciation of his services to the company and their regret at his loss. After the close of the shareholders' meeting the directors met and organized the new board by electing Thomas Hilliard president and managing director; P. H. Sims, S. B. Bricker and Hon. James McMullen, vice-presidents. The members of the board residing in Waterloo, with the vice-presidents, constitute the executive constitute of the const

Scotland, were honored last night by ing for some time with a severe attack a visit from the grand secretary, Major of pleurisy. Deceased is survived by D. M. Robertson, of Toronto, who was her husband, Mr. John Walmsley, for accompanied by Rev. D. L. McRae, a merly a conductor on the G. T. R., and member of the grand camp finance two grown-up children. The funeral committee, and Grand Organizer T. Will take place on Friday to Mount W. Harrison. A number of new members were initiated, and at the close a short progremme was given, which Children's Lazative. included songs, selections on the baghere's nothing else just as good as pipes and highland dancing by Master Vic Riddle. A number of the members of Belmont Camp were also present.

DEATH OF MRS. WALMSLEY. An old resident of this city, Mrs. Eliza Walmsley, passed away hardware manufactory which is being minerals from every part of Canada morning at her residence, 404 York the ore having been secured from Dr. street. She had attained the advanced age of 84 years, and had been suffer-

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CORBETT THREW UP SPONGE NELSON TOO MUCH FOR HIM

Former Champion Did Not with Corbett. Nelson throughout acted mostly on the defensive. Last Nine Rounds With the "Battling" Dane.

San Francisco, Cal., March 1.-"Battling" Nelson put "Young Corbett" in desperately at close quarters, Corbett the "used-to-be" class at Woodward's resting his head on Nelson's chest, but Pavilion last night. In the ninth round Corbett came up groggy, and, fought to a finish by his superior, threw up the sponge, to save himself from being knocked out. Corbett showed great form at some parts of the



"BATTLING" NELSON.

battle, but Nelson, cool and relentless, put up the better fight. He followed his more experienced opponent at every step, and at the end of the fifth round had rendered Corbett incapble almost of defending himself. The battle was to have gone 20 rounds under Queensbury rules. The men weighed in at 130 pounds, and in the betting 'Baitling" was a 10 to 8 favorite. The gate receipts amounted in the neighborhood of \$15,000.

THE STORY BY ROUNDS. In the first round Corbett danced about for fully a minute, trying to draw Nelson on. Then he quickly shot a straight right over the heart and missed a similar attempt. More sparring followed and Nelson planted left to the stomach and Corbett drove his left hard to the face, bringing a thin stream of blood from Nelson's mouth. Corbett put two lefts to the body and then drove his right to the body. Nelson then sent Corbett back to the ropes with a straight right to the forehead. Then they mixed it fiercely, Corbett landing a vicious left to the face and a right high on the body as the bell clanged. The advantage was

CORBETT'S FIERCENESS. Corbett waded in in the second, mixing it fiercely, but did not land. They kept at close quarters, Corbett landing short arm rights and lefts to the jaw. He landed his right, but ran into a stiff right to the jaw. They fought quarters, Nelson uppercutting Corbett to the face, Corbett jolted with right seconds threw up the sponge and to the face, but the Dane scarcely to the face, but the Dane scarcely than planted a fierce right to the body, noticed it. Nelson got Corbett against Nelson was given the decision. face. It was a desperate round, Corbett having a shade the better of it.

THIS ONE WAS CORBETT'S. Corbett bored in in the third, trying left for the face, but blocked. roughed it, Nelson butting Corbett.

Nelson swung right and left to the Nelson swung right and left to the body as Corbett was trying to work a clinch. Nelson then planted his left hard on Corbett's face and Corbett's right went wild. Nelson put in two heart punches and a left swing sent Corbett to his knees. He was up quickly and shot his left to Nelson's

A TERRIFIC PACE. body, but Nelson kept after him, Stratford, and at full time 10 to 3 in roughing it in clinches. The pace was the same direction. The Midgets deterrific at this stage, both men showing serve the greatest credit, for they certainly put up the game of their lives; bett planted a fearful right on the if they do half as well in Toronto the jaw and Nelson went to his corner.

It was an even round. head. Corbett then uppercut with left to the jaw, and Nelson countered with both sides. right and left to the face and body. Nelson followed his advantage, sending in right and left to the face, dazing Corbett and bringing blood from Corbett's mouth. Corbett fought back wildly, trying to find a vital spot with a knockout punch, but the Dane kept himself covered. Corbett was extremely tired as he went to his corner, while Nelson was very eool. It was Nelson's

face, sending Corbett about the ring son's round, like a feather.

A TERRIFFIC WALLOPING. Nelson quickly drove right to the face in the seventh, but received in re-



YOUNG CORBETT, Who Was Shown To Be a "Has-Been."

to worry Nelson. The crowd the face. The Denver boy continued

the scratch in the sixth. Nelson forced him to a corner, but Corbett wiggled out. Then they went to a clinch, and Nelson shoved Corbett to the floor. Arising, Corbett uppercut with left to the chin, and missed a vicious right for the chin. the chin, and missed a vicious right for the head. Nelson kept boring in, forcing Corbett to the ropes. He then landed left and right swings to Corcorbett whipped his right to the jaw. bett's face, and blocked attempts at but it was returned three-fold. Corvicious counters. Corbett then ran into a straight left to the face, and Nelson round, and looked like a defeated man landed left and right on the jaw and as he went to his corner. It was Nel-

"FOUGHT LIKE A WILD MAN." In the eighth Corbett lunged out. wildly with left, and they mixed it in the center, Corbett landing several fearful right uppercuts to Nelson's jaw, dazing the Dane. There was a terrific uproar, but Nelson kept after Corbett and landed almost at will. He forced Corbett to the ropes with left and right swings to head and body. He kept up this work, Corbett fighting with an exhibition of gameness seldom seen in a ring. Nelson drove Corbett into his corner, raining right and left to the jaw, He kept on administering terrific punishment. Corbett was game, and fought back like a wild man, landing two hard rights to the jaw. Nelson then got Corbett against the ropes, and Corbett threw his arm around his face to protect himself from the Dane's terrific onslaught. The gong rang with Corbett in this position and UP GOES THE SPONGE.

Corbett broke ground in the ninth and then received a straight left and then a straight right to the Corbett sent in two lefts to the face, and then shot a straight left to the chin, but Nelson retaliated in kind, giving blow for blow. The ex-cham-pion was again buffeted about the ring, and a right to the jaw sent him to the ropes. Suddenly Corbett shot two straight rights to the jaw, but Nelson never budged an inch. Corbett rallied again, driving left and right to face. They worked to the center of the ring, Corbett finally going to the floor from a straight right which caught him on the jaw. He took the count, getting up but was so groggy that he could scarcely Nelson went, at him like a velled "Break!" and the referee separ-ated them. Again they went to close and landing left and right uppercuts their man was hopelessly defeated, the

but Nelson kept after him and forced him to cover. Corbett jabbed two lefts to the face, and just before the gong to the gon WILL TAKE THE JUNIOR HONORS

Easily in First Game— Score 10 to 3.

Stratford, Feb. 28. - Probably the face and a hard right to the body. fastest and best hockey of the season Corbett then staggered Nelson with in their class was played here tonight. right and left swings to the jaw. Two in their class was played here tonight, more swings went wild. Corbett's when the Stratford juniors defeated St. swings at the close of the round were Andrew's College, Toronto, by 10 goals wild, and Nelson, finding an opening. to 3 in the finals for the championship betroit, Mich., Feb. 28. — The Amshot in two lefts to the body. The of this district in the O. H. A. series, herstburg, Ont., and Detroit hockey round closed with honors in favor of which undoubtedly gives them an exteams met here last night, Detroit cellent lead for the game in Toronto winning by a score of 7 to 0. The A TERRIFIC PACE.

On Thursday. While St. Andrew's is a visiting team was clearly outclassed corbett waded in in the fourth and good team, with some excellent playthey fought in a mix to the center of ers, they simply were not in it with the was not possible owing to the condithe ring. Separating, Corbett sent left to the head and right to ribs. Then every way. The latter were never in they exchanged light lefts to the face, better trim, and while each did his and Corbett, backing away, swung left best, the palm must be given to David-lightly to the face. Corbett landed son. McCallum and Killer in the lotwo rights and a left to the jaw, and cals, and Grier and Crossen in St. they fought viciously in a mix-up. Andrew's. Rankin and Warden both both landing telling blows. Corbett deserve credit for their excellent work. broke it up with a vicious right to the At half time the game was 5 to 1 for

pennant will arrive here sure. lineup was: Stratford-Goal, Reg Ran-NELSON STARTS TO COME. kin; point, Roberts; cover, Baker; rov. They went to close quarters in the er. Killer: center, McCallum; lef fifth immediately. Nelson chased Cor-bett about the ring continually. Cor-st. Andrew's College—Goal, Warden; bett drew him to a clinch. Corbett point, Douglas; cover, Crossen; rover, swung twice with left to the face, but Grier; center, Cotten; left wing, Bron-Nelson countered with right to the son; right wing, Sale. W. G. Wag-

> hockey team won the semi-finals in ing: the C. A. H. L. intermediate championship tonight by defeating the Victorlas by 6 games to 5, after an exciting match. The McGill team will now first Wednesday and the third Saturmeet the Three Rivers' team for the

Lucknow, Feb. 28. - The first ladies hockey match ever played in this northern section was witnessed by a large crowd of spectators here tonight between Lucknow and Kincardine, the final score being 7 to 3 in favor of Kincardine. The score, although favoring Kincardine. does not indicate the game, as both teams were evenly matched and the game fast throughout

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 28. - The Am-

Gun Club Receives a Gift of ed another, his future scores being Valuable Prizes From a Local Firm.

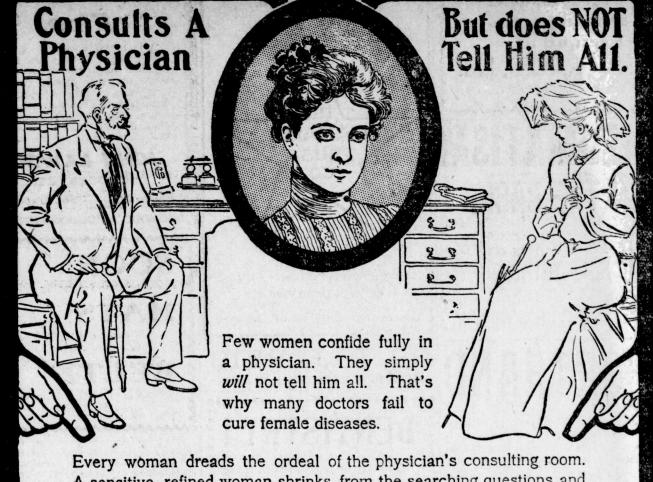
The Springwood Gun Club has received from Messrs, Brener Bros., of this city five silver trophies to be ment should give every member and the city five silver trophies to be competed for by members of the club. The regulations to govern the competitions were left entirely with the Gun Montreal, Feb. 28. - The McGill Club, which has agreed on the follow-

be held each month, commencing with day in each month to be the days of competition; each member must shoot in six of the monthly shoots to be round by a wide margin.

CORBETT GETS GROGGY.

Corbett looked worried as he toed

Victoria Harbor, Feb. 28. — In a eligible to compete in the final; the six very fast exhibition game of hockey high scores made by each member, here tonight, Fenelon Falls, Trent Valeligible to compete in the final; the six



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will be awarded one of the small cups, but a member having won one

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Teams Picked From the Two

Divisions for Saturday

Night's Game.

On Saturday night, in Toronto, teams

representing the eastern and western divisions of the O. H. A. are to play. The teams have been selected and their composition is a guarantee that the game will be fast. On the western

line-up are two men from each of the Stratford, Galt and Berlin teams, and one from Goderich, London being omit-

ted. Toronto, as usual, has played hog by having five Queen City men on

the castern line-up, leaving only two outsiders on the team. Both of the

latter have been chosen from the Bar-

WESTERN.

Point-Walter M. Forrest Berlin.

Goal-D. McIvor, captain Goderich

Coverpoint-W. Twaits, captain Galt

Center-E. B. Edmund, captain

Rover-Goldie Cochrane, captain

Right wing-Chas. Lightfoot, Strat-

Left wing-Norman E. Clare, Galt.

EASTERN.

Point-Hamber, Argonauts, Toronto. Coverpoint-I. Ardagh, St. George's,

Center-Birmingham, Marlboros, To-

Rover-Grier, St. Andrew's College,

Right wing-Hynes, St. George's, To-

Left wing-Caldwell, Barrie club.

ST. THOMAS LOST

Goal-Rov Thomas, Barrie club.

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tained a few directions, but assigned no special reason for committing the

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most concentrated form and that in addition is given free with either the fifty-cent or the one-dollar size of the liquor interests had solidified in sup--Cecil Woods, a young lad residing in South London had a foot badly cut by another skater at the Jubilee rink. last night. The boy fell on the ice, and a number fell over him before he -The position of private secretary to

Assistant-Superintendent of the G. T. R. Gillen, made vacant by the resigna-tion of Mr. Melville Marlatt, will be filled by Mr. Ernest Baxter, formerly lerk in the office of Mr. Price, master of transportation. A BOX SOCIAL.

The companion and subordinat courts of the I. O. F. of London held a box social in Somerset Hall last The attendance was large and he auctions drew forth spirited bidding. During the evening a programme was rendered by Messrs, Fletcher, Wikins Mrs. Westbury, Misses Metcalf. Flory, and the Maple Leaf Glee Club. TROUBLES NEARING AN END. The affairs of the Everett-Moore syn some time ago as to necessitate the apappointment of trustees, have now been straightened out so far that the discharge of the trustees is thought advisable. Within eighteen months the syndicate has paid off \$4,500,000 of its

GILBERT-RYAN. The home of Rev. and Mrs. Ryan 70 William street, was the scene of a pretty wedding at noon on Tues-day, when their eldest daughter, Dorothy, was united in marriage to Mr David Gilbert, of Delaware township. Rev. C. T. Scott, of the Dundas Street Center Methodist Church, officiated, assisted by the father of the bride. Only the immediate relatives and friends were present. The presents were handsome. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold watch. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert will reside in Delaware township.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Hamilton Road Methodist Church held its ers with postal cards, upon which these annual Devonshire tea on Monday orders may be written, and if mailed evening. A tempting spread, served in at night will be filled early the next true Devonshire style, was first served, after which a programme of vocal and

gentle, is effective, and the most delicate can use them.

A very pleasing recital was that which was given by the elocution pupils of Miss Mydra Lent in Nordheimer Music Hall last night. A large number of invited guests were prese and the unanimous verdict was that the young ladies acquitted themselves in an especially artistic manner. The programme included readings by Misses Ella Rossiter, Alice Rich-ardson. Grace Greer, Marle Dyer. Eloise Chapman, Marion Grimshaw, Annie Tackabury, Pearl Wilson, Ethyle Lane, Elsie Baker, Ida M. McLean Lina Abbott. Cecilia Grimshaw, Flora Hooper and Mabel Trebilcock. During

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Mr. John Purdom and family will receive the sympathy of the whole ommuity in the death which occurred last evening of their eldest daughter, Florence May. She was only 12 ears of age, and was much loved by all who knew her, being an especial avorite with her companions in the Colborne street school. In addition to the father, one sister and three brothers, survive. The remains will be laid at rest in Mount Pleasant Cemetery on Thursday afternoon, the funeral being the value of hotel property had gone held at 3 o'clock from the family residue 25 per cent since the recent provin-Harry Ranahan, held at 3 of clock from the family residence 430 King at 100 Person dence, 429 King street, Rev. Dr. Ross, cial election, and this was a significant pastor of St. Andrew's Church, will sign. Premier Whitney had also spokconduct services at the house at 2:30

OLD RESIDENT DEAD. Mrs. Mary McGee, relict of the late Robert McGee, passed away yesterday of the most popular of Wed- the residence of her daughter. Mrs. Our Cut Glass is of the finest Mrs. McGee was born in Ireland, but funeral will be held tomorrow to St. Peter's Cathedral, where requiem high mass will be solemnized at 9 a.m. The remains will be interred in St. Feter's

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Suicide Near Collingwood. Collingwood, Ont., Feb. 28. - Robert hompson vesterday hanged himself n his father's stable on the mountainside, about ten miles from here. One of his legs was amputated as the result of an accident in a mill, and for long time his life was despaired of. Ie recovered, however, but fearing

he would eventually become mentally

eranged, he fretted continually. He

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when the main spring is broken, but

at the very minute adjustment is dis-

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not merely when your Head Aches,

when your Liver is Sick, your Stom-

ach in Revolt, and Nature's Food

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the very minute you suspect they

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This-Popular Majority Not for Prohibition.

Rev. George J. Bishop, of the First Methodist Church, and Dr. Ross, of St. Andrew's Church, delivered very interesting addresses at a meeting held in the W. C. T. U. parlors yesterday arč~~~~~~ ternoon in connection with the week of prayer. They spoke upon the sub-ject of the opportunities offered to temperance advocates by the present situ-

Rev. Dr. Ross spoke first, and in opening said that it was a mistake to imagine that there was a popular maority for prohibition. If there were, why did politicians not take prohibition up and make it a plank in a party platform? Politicians read the signs of the times, and, for their own advantage, they were quick to take up what

the people desired.
"We should not blind our eyes to this fact." said the speaker. Dr. Ross went on to say that temperance workers had now, moreover, a hostile Government in Ontario to deal with. The speaker had been told that en unmistakably against prohibition. There was no doubt that the liquor interests had worked for Mr. Whitney's election. If license inspectors favorable to the hotel interests should be appointed, the result would be very unfavorable to temperance sentiment. What were, then, the present oppor tunities? Dr. Ross advised that atten-

tion be directed to active, personal work. He thought that the distribu-tion of temperance literature should be in earlier days. The speaker cautioned against the expenditure of too much effort in gaining legislation.
Mr. Bishop said that what Dr. Ross had said, would not, perhaps, be accepted by the more fanatical of temperance workers. But, in the opinion of the speaker, Dr. Ross had laid the true state of the present situation

plainly before his hearers. Mr. Bishop went on to say that when he was younger he had once prophesied that prohibition would come into force of any internal germ is most surely in five more years. Many pretended olution, a coupon good for a twenty- porting Mr. Whitney. Nevertheless, he was a large class of people who would vote irrespective of party, and this class, in the speaker's opinion, was far larger than the number of liquor vot-ers. Mr. Bishop agreed with the preceding speaker that the people of Ontario were not yet educated to the extent of being able to sustain a prohibi-

Mr. Bishop then dwelt upon the value of prayer. He said that temperance workers might spend many hours in prayer, but little would be availed it the true spirit of prayer were absent. And, asking the pardon of his hearers, Mr. Bishop said that this spirit prayer, had not, in his opinion, been sufficiently manifested in the prayer was 35 years of age and much re-service which had been held by his spected. Hearers a few minutes before. Mr.

Rev. Dr. Ross Acknowledges Bishop also urged the necessity of more personal work and the distribu-tion of literature. He said that al-though it might be a delicate subject, he wished to say that he believed that if the Liberal party, now in Opposition, would make temperance reform a part of their platform, in a way that would prove satisfactory to the temperance and moral element of the elec-torate, they would be returned to power in four years with a majority substantial enough to enable them to carry out reforms. Mr. Bishop asserted that he was not a party man. He had been brought up under L." end influences, but he believed that he had become sufficiently "liberal" to vote, irrespective of party. But he wanted the temperance question to be made an issue in a provincial election, as it had never yet been. He believed that this was what many thousands of voters in Ontario were waiting for. There were no outstanding political issues i Intario politics today, thought Mr. Bishop, and the temperance question should be the issue. If a straight vote were taken on this issue on election day, the speaker would not fear the

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Dairy Association Directors Pass Resolution-Nine Instructors Appointed.

An important meeting of the board of directors of the Western Ontario Dairymen's Association was held in their offices in the Bank of Toronto building yesterday afternoon. Mr. G. A. Putnam, of Toronto, superintendent of the Farmers' Institutes, was present, and discussed with the directors the work of instruction to be carried on in connection with the creameries and choese factories, for the coming season. The meeting decided to employ ten men as instructors. Seven of them will act in cheese factories, two both branches. The following ninmen were appointed by the meeting, the tenth to be chosen later: J. Scott Culloden; C. C. Travis, Eden; F. Herns, Strathroy; Alex McKay. St. Marys; James Burgess, Strathroy; Robert Greene. Trowbridge: Frank Boils, Dorchester; C. W. McDougall, Guelph, and Fred Dean, Strathroy. The meeting also appointed a fall committee to decide upon a date for the next annual convention, to be held n 1906, and to arrange for a winter dairy exhibition in connection with it. A special committee was appointed to interview the new Minister of Agriculture, Hon, Nelson Montieth, in con-

nection with the work of the associa A pleasing feature of the meeting was the passing of a unanimous resolution in appreciation of the services and ability of the ex-Minister of Agri-culture, Hon. John Dryden. The resoution was worded in the warmest and most complimentary terms and was forwarded to Mr. Dryden.

The following directors were present: Messrs, R. Johnson, president, St. Thomas; R. W. Stein, Stratford; W. A. Bothwell, Hickson; M. R. Brown, Appin: John Brodie, Mapleton: W. K. McLeod, Vanneck; E. Ballantyne, jun., Stratford; James Conley, Holmes-ville, and Mr. Putnam.

STREET FAIRS ARE NOT POPULAR HERE

Members of Old Boys' Executive Out Strongly Against Them-The \$1,000 Grant.

The executive committee of the Old Boys' Association held a meeting in the city hall last night, and discussed several matters of importance pertaining to the big reunion. The action of the semi-centennial committee in recom-mending that the Old Boys be given \$1.000, and that they conduct the entire celebration, was considered. It appeared to be the prevailing opinion of those present that the city council, in taking this action, was sim-

ply trying to shirk all responsibility in connection with the reunion. The grant of \$1,000 was also declared to be inadequate. One thousand dollars would not feed the bands, said several of the The aldermen on the executive re-

sented these remarks, and Ald. Forristal pointed out that the gigantic Old and I believe saved her life when she Boy celebration in Hamilton had cost the city council only \$1,500.
"But the committee had about \$18,000 to spend," said Mr. MacRobert.
"This sum was made up of subscriptions," said Ald. Forristal. "Why do

not the Old Boys get out and hustle" Let those merchants and others who are going to make money out of the celebration contribute toward Ald. Forristal also explained that

the grant of \$1,000 was a straight grant to the Old Boys. The city would, he understood, look after the semi-centennial part of the celebration. And the council would in all probability be called upon to spend considerably over Ald. Wyatt and Ald. Cooper said all things considered \$1,000 was a gener-

The grant was then referred to the ways and means committee. The executive then took up the street fair proposal and the Hamilton reunion was severely criticised

"The street fairs at Hamilton were a disgrace to civilization," said one of the speakers. "No self-respecting man could go to the fairs there. Chicago or Buffalo would scarcely tolerate them. London would never stand for such outrageous shows."

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carousal." said Ald. Cooper. "The idea of Ald. Matthews and City Clerk Baker oing to Hamilton to dig up the ruboish in this report!" continued the alderman, tapping the typewritten statement of Ald. Matthews with his inger, "makes me sick. We ran Old celebrations before Hamilton heard of them, and yet Ald. Matthews

ish. We want no such disgraceful shows as Hamilton had." This part of the report was referred o the sports committee.

Those present were: President Carrothers, John Stevely, Nicholas Wilson, Ald. Saunders, Ald. Forristal, Ald. Stevely, E. J. MacRobert, G. C. Jolly, B. C. McCann, ex-Ald, Judd, S. H. Craig, Ald. Cooper, Ald. Wyatt, John Pocock, E. W. M. Flock, W. C. Fitz-general, Dr. Whether and J. P. Length and J. P. J. Length and J. P. Length and J. P. Length and J. Length and gerald Dr. Abbott and Harry But-

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