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Births, Marriages, Deaths

MARRIED.

BEATTIE-KELLEY—In this city, on Wednesday, April 12, 1899, by the Rev. Thos. Wilson, J. J. Beattie, London township, to Miss Eliza Kelley, daughter of the late William Kelley, Delaware.

FERGUSON-COUSIN—At the manse, Belmont, on Tuesday, April 11, by the Rev. J. Currie, Mr. David W. Ferguson, of Yarmouth, to Miss Margaret C., fifth daughter, of Wm. Cousin, Esq., of Westminster.

DIED.

NEWHALL—In this city, on Tuesday, April 11, Marianne Newhall, aged 27 years. Remains will be taken to Toronto for interment.

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Amusements and Lectures

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MORTGAGE SALE OF CITY HOUSE property. Under powers of sale contained in two certain registered mortgages bearing dates respectively the 16th day of November, A.D., 1869, and the 28th day of February, A.D., 1871, and now held by the vendor, there will be offered for sale by public auction, at J. W. Jones' Auction Rooms, No. 242 Dundas street, in the city of London, on Saturday, April 15, A.D. 1899, at 3 o'clock in afternoon, by John W. Jones, Auctioneer, the following lands, to wit: First—That property situated on the southwest corner of Bathurst and Clarence streets, and being part of lot No. 6, on the south side of Bathurst street, in the said city of London. There are on this property two large frame houses, No. 285 Clarence street and 213 Bathurst street. Second—That property situated near the southwest corner of Horton and Clarence streets, and being part of lot No. 6, on the south side of Horton street, in the said city. There are on this property th frame cottages Nos. 243 Clarence street and 207 Horton street. There will also be offered for sale at the same time by the owners (and not under the above mortgages) that other part of said lot No. 6, on the south side of Horton street, on which is situated the two houses, Nos. 235 and 239 Clarence street. The properties are all centrally situated, convenient to the railway stations and to the business portion of the city.

Terms of sale—10 per cent o the purchase money to be paid on the day of sale and 25 per cent additional within 30 days thereafter with a mortgage securing the remainder of the purchase money. Further particulars and conditions of sale made known on application to Magee, McKillop & Murphy, vendors' solicitors. John W. Jones, auctioneer. 8c ttw

THE LETTER CARRIERS' WAGES

Will Get the Statutory Increase—The Better Paid Officials Must Wait.

Ottawa, April 13.—The large increase in the business of the postoffice department, which has followed the revival of the country's prosperity, has had the effect of making it possible for the postmaster-general to take steps towards granting the statutory increases of salary to the letter carriers and other lower officials of the department this year, and it will be found, when the estimates are brought down, that these increases have been provided for in the postoffice appropriation. The postmaster-general has not felt himself justified in increasing pro rata the wages of all the officials, and, therefore, only the officials receiving small stipends will receive increases in pay. The decision of the postmaster-general will be popular with the taxpayers at large, who will readily see that gentlemen in receipt of comfortable incomes can better afford to forego the increment than can their subordinates, to whom an increase of $50 or so per year means a great deal. Mr. Mulock's decision will render unnecessary the visit to Ottawa of the representatives of the Letter-Carriers' Association, who had arranged to interview the postmaster-general with a view to laying before him their claims to increases in pay.

Early this morning James Doyle, a detective, shot and killed Martin Carey and slightly wounded August Miller in a Brooklyn bar room, because they tried to put him out of the place when closing time came.

The Religious War

Debate on the Anti-Ritualism Resolution.

Moderate Speech by the Leader of the Government.

Britain and Germany Said to Have Agreed on the Samoan Matter.

London, April 13.—The Berlin correspondent of the Morning Post says: Lord Salisbury, I learn, has definitely announced his adherence to the principle of unanimity in the Samoan commission, although filled with grave apprehensions as to the sentimental effect it may have on the commission's usefulness. The British and German governments have now arrived at an agreement.

THE CHURCH WAR.

The debate in the House of Commons on Mr. Hoare's anti-ritualistim resolution was saved from dullness by a moderate speech made by Mr. Arthur Balfour, the government leader in the house supporting Mr. Hoare's motion. He declared that if there was hope for the future of the Established Church, it could only lie in the resolute determination of all moderate men who are loyal to the church to unite and express their intention not to allow the great fabric which was the work of generations of able and pious men to be destroyed by the frantic, short-sighted policy of honest but mistaken ecclesiastical theorists, whether belonging to one party or the other. He felt deeply that while men were disputing these matters of relatively small importance, there was perhaps irreparable injury being done, not only to the church, but to the whole cause of religion. Mr. George C. Bartley, member for North Islington, moved to add to Mr. Hoare's motion the words: "And to obey the law as decided by the courts which have jurisdiction in ecclesiastical matters." This rused strong opposition from the Ritualistic partisans as it touched the very point by which the Ritualists defend themselves. They profess obedience to the bishops and the prayer book, but repudiate the necessity of obeying the interpretation put on the rubric by the courts. Mr. Hoare's motion carried by a vote of 200 to 14.

THROWN OUT.

The house, by a vote of 167 to 69, rejected the bill introduced by Wm. O'Malley, anti-Parnellite, providing for the compulsory reinstatement of Irish tenants, evicted since 1879. Mr. Gerald Balfour described the bill as being "bad in principle and mischievous in practice."

BROKE UP IN A ROW.

The royal licensing commission, which has been sitting for a long time, held a stormy meeting yesterday, a majority of the members disagreed with the temperance attitude of Viscount Peel, who thereupon resigned the chair, and dissolved the commission. Both sides will not present different and antagonistic reports.

ROSEBERY AT THE FRONT.

The Daily Mail says this morning: "We understand that the Earl of Rosebery is about to resume active political life."

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

The formation of a commercial syndicate is mooted here with the object of acquiring the sole right to establish ether wave communication between Great Britain and the United States under the system of Signor Marconi. The scheme is yet in nebulous form. The French Government has commissioned Signor Marconi to install his apparatus experimentally on a cruiser. If the experiment proves a success several French warships will be provided with the apparatus.

RATE WAR.

The people in steamship circles are eagerly discussing the rate war, which is anticipated upon the opening of the St. Lawrence navigation. The Manchester shippers are making strenuous efforts to secure the bulk of the Canadian cargoes by bringing their shipments right into the heart of the consuming district at rates equal to the Liverpool rates. It is stated that large contracts have already been secured for timber from Montreal to Manchester at lower than the Liverpool rates. The Manchester Company (limited) are launching on April 24 one of the two new large steamers built by the Palmer Ship Building Company for the Manchester-Canadian Company.

CABLE NOTES.

Counsel for Cecil Rhodes and Dr. Jameson have consented to a dismissal of their appeal from the decision of Judge Grantham in the court of queen's bench, in the case of the trooper Burrows, who claims damages for injuries received in the Jameson raid in the Transvaal, the court holding that the defendants Rhodes and Jameson were liable.

A parliamentary committee that was appointed to investigate the subject, has reported that the placing of customs restrictions on American horses is not advisable, Belgian breeders being reassured of the superiority of the native animals. Nevertheless, the importations of American horses continue to steadily increase.

The Samoan Incident

Taken in a Serious Light at Berlin.

Dispatches From Consul Rose Exonerate the German Government.

U. S. Senator Cullom States His Views of the Situation—What British Foreign Office Folk Say.

New York, April 13.—A dispatch to the Herald from Berlin says: Up to a late hour the lights burned in the foreign office, where much agitation reigned during the afternoon, owing to the latest news from Samoa. The ambushing of the American and English detachment by Mataafa's warriors is taken here in the most serious light. The dispatch which reached the minister of state from Consul Rose is taken as clearly exonerating Germany from any hand in the matter, as was at first feared might possibly be the case. This has removed the obstacles to Germany at once naming her commissioner, who, it is said, will be the first secretary of the German embassy at Washington. A personage in a position to speak authoritatively says the reports in German papers that the German Government has put in a claim for damages are untrue. All such questions as that are entirely matters for the consideration of the commissioners.

All this Samoa question is a small, but wretched business, for which it seems a terrible pity that 400,000 marks worth of German property has been damaged and lives of American and English seamen have been needlessly sacrificed.

The foreign office has received several dispatches from the commander of the cruiser Falke, in which he makes no mention of any disagreeable discussion with Rear-Admiral Kautz. The German Government takes this as sufficient proof that all stories told on the subject must therefore have been inventions of persons interested in making trouble between Germany and the United States.

U. S. SENATOR CULLOM'S VIEWS.

Chicago, April 13.—Senator Cullom, of Illinois, was asked for an expression on the massacre of the American and British sailors by Mataafans on a German plantation in Samoa. The senator said: "I have only a vague idea of the latest information from Apia, but from what I can gather this massacre will result in complications of the gravest character. The dispatches indicate that American and British sailors have been waylaid and slaughtered on the plantation of a prominent German resident of Samoa—ambushed according to the most approved methods of the uncivilized American Indian—and that this German urged the Mataafans on to the slaughter. If these reports turn out to be true, then Germany will be called to account by both the United States and England."

LAST CHANCE.

Further advices from Apia, Samoa, say that on the arrival of the British cruiser Tauranga at Apia, the British and American consuls issued a proclamation to give Mataafa a last chance, and the French priests also used their influence, but all efforts failed, and the rebels continued their depredations. Property was destroyed, and bridges and roads were barricaded. On March 29 the enemy were sighted at Maguigi, and machine guns and a 7-pounder were used. The friendlies also attacked the enemy during the latter's retreat, and several rebels were killed or wounded.

GERMAN CONSUL'S STATEMENT.

The German consul wrote to Admiral Kautz, asking if two great Christian nations approved of this inhuman and barbarous practice against the laws of Christianity. The admiral replied, agreeing with the consul as to the inhumanity of the practice, and pointed out that had the German consul upheld the decree of the supreme court of January there would have been no bloodshed; that the custom was an old Samoan one, but first made known to the world ten yers ago, when the "heads" of honest German soldiers were cut off by the barbarous chief Mataafa, whom the representative of the great Christian nation Germany is now supporting.

THE END IS NOT YET.

Expeditions in armed cutters belonging to the Tauranga and Porpoise are doing considerable execution against Mataafa's strongholds along the coast. The British forces are being assisted by 100 Samoans. About 46 of Mataafa's boats and several villages have been destroyed. In the meantime flying columns are being sent daily along the roads and through the bush near Apia.

The British cruiser Wallaroo and the British gunboat Goldfinch, now at Sydney, have been ordered to proceed to Samoa.

AT THE FOREIGN OFFICE.

The outbreak in Samoa, just when the powers had agreed upon the appointment of a commission to settle the difficulties there, has caused great annoyance and disappointment at the foreign office in London, where it is regarded as making the already serious complications still graver. Foreign office officials think it has been manifested that there has been hasty and aggressive action upon the part of Herr Rose, the German consul. Although he may have many technical reasons for the part he has played in behalf of German interests, it is asserted that he has been the prime cause of the fresh outbreak. It was obviously the duty of the three consuls to uphold the decision of the supreme court, which, according to the telegrams received, decided to reinstate Tanu in place of a provisional government, and the action of Herr Rose in issuing a counter-proclamation, supporting the rebellious faction, could not but have a disastrous effect.

The dispatch of the British admiralty from Apia, after giving the list of killed and wounded, adds: "The British and American authorities used their utmost endeavors, previous to the fighting, to reach a peaceful settlement."

PRESS COMMENT.

London, April 13.—The Daily Chronicle says regarding the Samoan affair: The question is whether when one power tries to overreach one or two others, she can complain if she suffers a rebuff. There can be no question that when local intrigues lead to the sacrifice of white life the central power must be held responsible. No doubt Germany will behave fairly enough, but the danger is that it will take very little, after the experience in the Philippines, to blow up a flame in the United States which the German authorities will give much to extinguish. As for our placid selves, it is well to understand that we are not going to undertake by a private agreement to nullify the principles of a decision by a majority of the special commission.

The Globe declares that the maintenance of the German consul at his post is "an act of apparent unfriendliness, which requires to be explained."

NEW ZEALAND ON HAND.

The premier of New Zealand, the Rt. Hon. R. J. Seddon, has cabled to the agent-general of New Zealand in London, Hon. W. P. Reeves, saying: "We deeply regret the adversity which has overtaken our forces in Samoa. Inform the secretary of state that New Zealand will do anything possible to render assistance in the emergency which has arisen."

GERMANY'S POSITION.

Berlin, April 13.—The United States embassy at noon today gave the correspondent here of the Associated Press the following statement: "We have received from the foreign office an account of the latest conflict in Samoa. The Germans have expressed sympathy and took occasion to urge the adoption of the unanimity rule in the findings of the Samoan commission, in order that the German commissioner, Baron Von Sternberg, might sail for Samoa at the earliest moment possible. The German Government urged that only the early arrival of the commissioner would prevent further serious bloodshed. This morning Baron Von Buelow informs the American ambassador that Great Britain has at last agreed to the unanimity rule."

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SCOUTS THE CHARGES

A Parisian Gentleman Defends the Yukon Officials.

Ottawa, April 13.—M. Jaune de Lamare, a Parisian gentleman who publishes in Paris The Klondike Revue, is in Ottawa, and states that the charges of Yukon maladministration made by Sir Hibbert Tupper are wholly foundationless. The officials, M. de Lamare says, are courteous and honest, while Major Walsh comported himself in every was as a gentleman should, albeit he gained the reputation of being somewhat severe in dealing with offenders brought before him. M. de Lamare scouts the statement that Major Walsh was guilty of the offenses charged against him, and in fact assured the minister of the interior to this effect.

FLOCKING IN

Prospectors in the British Columbia Gold Fields—Good Strikes.

Rossland, B.C., April 13.—The snow line on the mountains is receding, and prospectors are flocking to Similkamen and boundary points.

Wonderful stock advanced to twelve as the result of a strike of 18 inches of high grade galena ore in the tunnel. This ore gives net returns of $2,200 a car.

Development work on the Elize is suspended owing to fire, which destroyed the buildings. Work will be resumed shortly.

War Eagle has at last begun regular shipments and will probably send at least 2,000 tons a week to Trial smelters.

The recent rain broke up the River Speed, which is now carrying the large body of ice from the Brodie dam at Hespeler, and flooding the low grounds in its reach.

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MARKET MUST BE PAVED

That Is the Opinion of No. 3 Committee.

Council Will Be Asked to Call for Tenders Both for Brick and Asphalt Pavements—Street Watering Inspectors Reappointed.

No. 3 committee last night decided to recommend the city council to call for tenders for paving the Market Square with brick or asphalt. The business of the session included several interesting matters, among them being the appointment of street watering inspectors. Ald. Dreaney presided, and the others present were Ald. McCallum, Pritchard, Jolly and Winnett, Chief Roe, Engineer Ironside, and Secretary Bell.

The following petitions for street-watering were reported by the assessment commissioner to be sufficiently signed: From residents on Hamilton road, between Maitland street and Dreaney avenue; William street, between King street and the G. T. R. tracks; Queen's avenue, between Elizabeth and English streets; Simcoe, between Richmond and Wellington streets; and on Byron avenue, between Wortley road and Burch street. A petition against street watering on William street, between Princess and Dufferin avenues, was reported sufficiently signed. All the petitions were sent to the council.

The petition of Hunt Bros., and 181 others for the paving of the Market Square was read.

Ald. Pritchard thought that only the space west of the Market Lane should be paved. The cost would be from $16,000 to $14,000.

The city engineer's estimates for paving the whole market were: Macadam, $9,420; brick, $21,666; asphalt, $19,380. Mr. Graydon considers asphalt the best.

Ald. Pritchard pointed out that an item of $1,200 was in the estimates this year for sidewalks on the west and south sides of the market.

Ald. McCallum was not in favor of asphalt. For the difference in the cost brick was preferable. The asphalt streets did not give the satisfaction they should have done.

Ald. Pritchard was of the same opinion.

Mr. Ironside said engineering authorities in many of the cities where both pavements were in use, favored asphalt.

Secretary Bell read a letter obtained, at the request of Ald. Pritchard, from the city engineer of St. Thomas commending brick pavement. The work there was giving every satisfaction, and cost $1 46 a square yard.

Ald. Jolly wanted to know where the money was to come from.

Ald. Pritchard—Issue debentures. My opinion is that the market rentals should be devoted to a fund to meet the debentures. Not half of the rents would be needed.

A discussion as to the relative merits of brick and asphalt ensued, and the chairman stood alone in support of asphalt.

A motion by Ald. Pritchard to recommend the council to call for tenders, both for brick and asphalt pavement, was carried.

The weigh scales office will be whitewashed.

R. C. Telfer offered his property at the corner of Colborne and Oxford streets as a site for the north end fire hall, at $2,000. Action deferred.

Applications from J. B. Hodgins, W. T. Regan, J. C. Grant, S. C. Hersey, Thomas Sparks, John Mills, H. E. Turner, Wm. Gilson, Sam Kiest, M. Morkin, H. T. Smith and A. Isaacs were considered.

Moved by Ald. Jolly to reappoint W. T. Regan. H. E. Turner, the man who did the work last year was last. But when the committee voted on the applications separately, the men were appointed, on motion of Ald. Pritchard. Mr. Turner will have the district north of Dundas street, and Mr. Regan south.

Adjourned.

DEATH OF A CANADIAN FAT MAN.

Belleville, April 13. — A cablegram received at Stirling announced the death of Leonard Whitton, the celebrated fat man, which took place yesterday in England, where he had been on exhibition for the past three years. Whitton, who was a native of Wellman's Corners, this county, at the time of his death weighed 650 pounds.

WORK AND WAGES

G. T. R. Engineer and Firemen Will Next Month Go to Montreal.

Ingersoll Molders Strike—Four Big Firms Announce Increases From 10 to 20 Per Cent.

Toronto World: Next month a deputation of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and of Locomotive Engineers will wait on the manager of the G. T. R. at Montreal and ask for a readjustment of the running time, governing the working hours, and a slight increase in wages. The discharge of the engineers in charge of the engines at the recent collision at Shakespeare will also be brought up. It is claimed the engineers were not solely responsible. It is likely that Chief Arthur and Grand Master Sargent will accompany the deputation.

MOLDERS GO OUT.

Information from Ingersoll today is to the effect that 31 molders of the Noxon Manufacturing Company struck work yesterday morning owing to the refusal of the management to adopt the arbitration of disputes arising between the company and the employes. Some of the latter were in the city today.

SETTLED.

The carpenters' strike in Cleveland has been settled, the men who asked 30 cents an hour and an eight-hour day, getting 27½ cents and eight hours. Three thousand men are benefited.

BETTER TERMS.

At Lebanon, Pa., the Pennsylvania bolt and nut works and the East Lebanon Iron Company have posted notices of a second increase of 10 per cent in the wages of their employes, to take effect May 1. The Lebanon Manufacturing Company has increased the wages of its laborers 10 per cent.

The puddlers of Potts Bros. Iron Company, and of the lower works of the Glasgow Iron Company, Pottstown, Pa., have been notified of an increase in their wages from $2 50 to $2 75 per ton. A proportionate advance will be given other employes. This is the second increase given them within 60 days.

The announcement is made that Warner Bros.' Corset Company, of Bridgeport, Conn., has ordered a general advance of from 10 to 20 per cent in wages. The concern employs 1,400 hands.

GONE OFF

Married Man and Spinster Reported to Have Eloped From St. Thomas.

[St. Thomas Times.]

James E. Hannon, a married man, who for the past nineteen months has worked for Moore Bros., as an undertaker, and who up to the 24th of March lived on Hiawatha street, announced that he had secured more lucrative employment in Albany, N. Y., and threw up his position. On March 24 his household effects were taken away on a G. T. R. dray and his wife left for a visit to her people at Tilsonburg before taking up her home in New York State.

The next morning Hannon took the L. E. and D. R. R. for London. That evening Miss Ethel Alexander took the L. E. and D. R. R. for London without leaving any word as to where she was going. On Monday, March 27, a well-known citizen happened to be in Detroit and saw and recognized the two together at the M. C. R. depot, but without any suspicions as to an elopement. Chief Fewings was notified of the facts, but nothing further has developed as to the whereabouts of the erring couple.

Miss Alexander was a member of a highly respectable family, and was engaged to be married to a farmer living about four miles from St. Thomas. It was at the funeral of the latter's mother that she met Hannon, and the latter seemed to have pressed his advances on the girl from that time on. Hannon is a man of about 35 years of age, and has worked about town for a number of years in undertaking shops. His first wife died a number of years ago, and he was remarried about six years ago. He had several children from his first marriage.

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PADDLE OUR OWN CANOE

A New Line of Canadian Steel Steamships.

Will Break Up the American Monopoly of Canadian Lake Traffic—An Important Enterprise.

Ottawa, April 13.—For years the Americans have enjoyed a virtual monopoly of the upper lake carrying trade, as every Canadian shipowner knows to his cost, but there is now a certainty that within a year Canada will have on the upper lakes a fleet of steel steamships that will be able successfully to compete with the American carriers. In 1898 government statistics show that 88 per cent of our Canadian wheat product was carried to the sea in American bottoms via New York, and in 1897, 84 per cent of the Canadian wheat output went by the same route. Application has been made to parliament for the incorporation of the Canadian Inland Transportation Company, the gentlemen interested being Messrs. William Christie, J. K. Osborne, George H. Bertram, M.P., of Toronto; Alex. Lumsden, M.P.P., and John McRae, of Ottawa, and Hon. Senator Forget, of Montreal. A fleet of ten solid steel carriers, measuring 276 feet in length by 43 feet beam, will be constructed forthwith; in fact, two of them are already laid down. Their capacity will be 78,000 bushels of wheat, with a fourteen-knot depth in the canals, which could be increased to 108,000 bushels with an eighteen-foot canal system. The present Welland Canal could be utilized by the latter class of vessels by discharging at Port Colborne thirty or forty thousand bushels of cargo, with floating elevators. At present there are on the upper lakes only four Canadian bottoms capable of economically carrying wheat through a fourteen-feet waterway to Quebec. The present cost of carrying a bushel of wheat from Duluth or Port Arthur to New York is six cents, and the projectors of the Canadian line firmly believe that they can convey cargoes from Lake Superior to Montreal at a lower figure than this. The company will build its own elevators and terminals, which are considered to be an integral part of the system, and it is believed that a very large business can be done in return freights of coal and other commodities from Montreal and intermediate points. The company intends also to go largely into the business of carrying ore from the head of Lake Superior to the blast furnace at Hamilton, and to the like institution which is to be established at Toronto. The capital stock of the company will be $4,000,000.

BOOM FOR ONTARIO ORE

A New Blast Furnace To Be Erected in Toronto.

Will Use Ontario Iron Ore—The Prospects Bright.

Ottawa, April 13.—Toronto is to have the largest blast furnace in Canada, one that will exceed in size and capacity anything of the kind that exists in the Dominion today, and that will bear comparison with the largest concerns of the kind in the United States. For months the arrangements for the formation of a stock company with a capital of at least $2,000,000 have been quietly making.

The northern Ontario ores can be cheaply and economically treated, and, with the transportation problem solved, as it is the government's intention to solve it, the company's profits should be satisfactory. At present a large quantity of American ore has to be imported to mix with the northern Ontario ore, but with the completion of the Rainy River Railroad there will be no difficulty in securing a sufficiency of the necessary red hematite ore. So thoroughly impressed with this fact are the gentlemen behind the scheme that they have decided to go ahead without asking for a single dollar of government aid. The Canadian members of the company will have for associates several American capitalists, who have boundless confidence in the future of the Toronto Blast Furnace Company. The government will be asked whether there is a prospect that the present arrangement in respect of bounties will be continued, and it seems that there is no doubt that the present Dominion bounty of $3 per ton on domestic ore will be retained. The Ontario Government pays a bounty of $2 per ton. The Hamilton Blast Furnace has lately increased its capacity from 120 to 200 tons per day; the Londonderry, N. S., and Radnor forges, Quebec, furnaces are working up to capacity, and the Ferrona, N. S., furnace, the largest in Canada, is unable to supply the demand.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL

The ice on the Grand River at Galt has broken.

It is not likely that the Fenian raid medals will be ready before July 1.

The Miami Cycle and Manufacturing Company, of Middleton, O., have decided to build a factory in Ontario.

Charles Pursel, whose skull was fractured in the accident at the Willis avenue bridge, New York, died Wednesday.

The C. P. R. section house, a two-story frame building at St. James, Man., was totally destroyed by fire on Tuesday.

Mr. John Bake, son of the late Thos. Bake, died on Tuesday at his mother's residence in Fingal. He came from Lorraine, Ohio, ten days ago.

Mrs. Sloan, whose home has been east of Fingal a mile and a half, died on Tuesday night. She suffered from a fall in St. Thomas about a year ago.

Wm. Reginald Armstrong, clerk of the peace for the county of Grey for over 40 years, died at Owen Sound, Ont., Monday night, after a short illness.

Geo. Scotland, an engineer, residing at Hamilton, Ont., while walking up York street Tuesday afternoon, burst a blood vessel and died almost immmediately.

Mrs. Lillian Massey Treble, Toronto, sent on Monday a hundred dollar check to aid in further equipping the domestic science dining room of Alma College.

Word comes from Chatham that the charge against Fred Cowan of stealing a letter from Mrs. S. T. Martin, has been withdrawn and the case settled by both parties apologizing.

At Ingersoll on Tuesday twenty or thirty feet of brick coping fell from the front of the James property, southwest corner of Dalhousie and Market street, to the crowded thoroughfore beneath. Fortunately no one was hurt. Mr. Smith, a resident of Mount Pleasant, was passing close to the building, and had a close shave.

William McGregor, M. P. for North Essex, presented a petition to the Dominion Parliament yesterday authorizing the amalgamation of the L. E. and D. R. and the Erie and Huron Railway companies.

Lawyer Cleary, attorney for the Canadian estate of the late Hiram Walker, has been informed that no succession duties will be exacted, as the property was left to charitable institutions.

The Wagner Car Company at Buffalo on Wednesday turned out eight sleeping cars for the Intercolonial Railway of Canada, the first of an order for sixteen cars received from that line.

The residence of Alex. Lindsay, Woodstock, was visited on Monday, while the inmates were out, by a tramp who carried off $17. He got $27, but dropped $10 while making his exit.

The oldest Orangeman in Canada, E. H. Whitmarsh, died on Wednesday night at his home in Merrickville, age 88. Deceased was highly respected, and had held many public offices in Leeds and Grenville.

W. L. Dugan, formerly teller in the Bank of Commerce in Windsor, and now of Toronto, got between two cars going in opposite directions, had his wheel smashed and himself so badly injured that his recovery is dispaired of.

The International Line steamer Cumberland, one of the regular Boston liners, was damaged between $3,000 and $4,000 on Wednesday at St. Johns, Nfld., in a collision with the steamer Alcides. For a space of 30 feet from the main to the saloon deck, everything on the port side of the Cumberland, which is a wooden boat, was smashed into splinters.

BURIED IN THE YARD

Twins of a Hamilton Citizen Disposed of That Way.

Hamilton, April 13.—The Times says: A case that will jar the public sense of propriety came to the knowledge of the board of health yesterday morning, through the watchfulness of the medical health officer, Dr. Ryall. The death reports for the month of March showed that on the 26th of that month, Henry White, who keeps a lodging house at No. 47 Hughson street north, had lost two children, boy and girl twins. The children had been prematurely born, but had lived a short time. The cemetery returns showed no record of the burial, and Dr. Ryall sent an inspector to investigate. The inspector discovered that the babies had been buried in the back yard. Dr. Ryall notified the police, but Mr. White lost no time in taking out a permit for burial in the cemetery this morning.

Chief Smith will summon White on a charge of violating the health act.

The department is investigating another case of a supposedly similar nature.

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BASEBALL.

MONTREAL LOSES AGAIN.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 13.—Montreal was defeated again yesterday, but the game was close and interesting, with good work on both sides. Score:

Philadelphia ...0 1 0 0 4 2 2 0 *—9 10 1
Montreal ... ...0 2 2 0 2 0 0 0 0—6 11 1

Batteries — Fraser, Donahue and Douglass; McFarland, Felix, Ames and Jacklitz, Moran.

GUELPH CLUB OFFICERS.

At a meeting of those interested in baseball, held at the Hotel Royal, Guelph, the following officers were chosen for the year. Honorary president, George Sleeman; president, W. H. Millman; vice-president, C. N. Daly; secretary-treasurer, Frank Frank; directors, R. L. Torrance and William Morris; patrons, C. Kloepfer, M.P., Hugh McMillan and E. P. Hawkins. The admittance will be 25 cents; ladies free, except on holidays, when they will be charged 25 cents. This rule applies to every city in the league. Committees were formed to prosecute the canvass for subscriptions. They will endeavor to raise some $600 more. Only 42 signatures as yet appear upon the list, and a handsome amount has been secured. The prospects for baseball in this city were never so encouraging.

FLYS.

When the Western Association managers met to adopt a schedule, they were two clubs shy, and as a six-club circuit does not meet with favor, the association may never start this season, although many of the managers have their teams all signed.

A wire from New York says that Manager Day, of the Giants, is manager in name only. Col. Andy Freedman is the real boss. Day would like to make an effort to bring Amos Rusie back to the Giants' pitching force, but Andy won't stand for it. The Gotham magnate evidently intends to make good his threat to kill the game in Manhattan.

Jack Fifield is ill and cannot take his turn on the slab for the Phillies in their exhibition games.

Ice and snow are gradually disappearing in Minneapolis, and Wilmot hopes to be able to arrange an exhibition game with St. Paul for Saturday of this week.

McAllister, of the Cleveland team, is out of the game, on account of a broken finger, which he sustained while catching an exhibition game at Indianapolis.

Still Bill Hill pitched one inning for the Cleveland team Monday and the Hoosiers scored seven runs. Pitchers were changed then and the Clevelands won out by a score of 12 to 10.

Attendance at the Chicago games in Kansas City has been wretchedly poor, and some of the games may be declared off, although the supposition is that the teams were playing for practice, and not for the gate receipts.

John T. Brush now says positively that there will be twelve clubs in the National League all through the season. He also says he is interested only in the Cincinnati and New York Clubs.

The St. Thomas baseball players have been notified to report on May 1. Several exhibition games are being arranged, and it is expected the team will be in good condition when the season opens on May 10.

FISTIC.

FIRM STAND TAKEN BY CORNWALL'S MAYOR.

Cornwall, Ont., April 13.—The Cornwall Athletic Club, recently organized, applied to the town council for a license to pull off a ten-round boxing bout on Saturday afternoon between Crotty, of Birmingham, England, and Wyatt, the Ottawa light-weight. Mayor Dr. Alguire informed the council he would never sanction sport of the nature of a prize fight, and declared that he would resign his office if his signing of the license as provided by the bylaw was insisted upon. It is claimed that according to Ontario statutes, contests of this kind can be carried on by the payment of a stipulated license when applied for by an organized athletic body. The club will likely tender its money and insist on the license being granted.

25 TAME ROUNDS.

Syracuse, N. Y., April 13. — "Billy" Ryan, of this city, defeated "Maxy" Haugh, of Brooklyn, in a 25-round bout before the Central City A. C. here last night. It was a rather tame fight.

THE TURF.

AT MEMPHIS.

Memphis Tenn., April 13.—Yesterday's events:

First race, ½ mile, maiden 2-year-olds—Kentucky won, Armor 2, Bonnivard 3. Time, :50¾.

Second race, 6 furlongs, selling—The Conqueror won, Free Hand 2, Borden 3. Time, 1:16½.

Third race, mile and 70 yards—Sailor King won, Crockett 2, Millstream 3. Time, 1:48.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs, Tennessee Club purse—Hobart won, The Kentuckian 2, Be True 3. Time, 1:15.

Fifth race, mile, hurdles, selling—Udah won, Florida Rose 2, Bellamy 3. Time, 1:51¾.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Meddler won, McAlbert 2, V. Zan Vzarwitz 3. Time, 1:16¾.

AT INGLESIDE.

San Francisco, Cal., April 13.—Ingleside results yesterday:

First race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Peter Weber won, Tullamore 2, Don Vallejo 3. Time, 1:49.

Second race, ½ mile, 2-year-old, maidens, purse—Tarhill won, Flush of Gold 2, Artillare 3. Time, :49.

Third race, 4½ furlongs, the Olympic stakes for 2-year-olds—Golden Rule won, Burdock 2, Moano 3. Time, :55½.

Fourth race, selling, 6 furlongs—Headwater won, Paul Griggs 2, Guilder 3. Time, 1:13¾.

Fifth race, purse, 1¼ miles—Los Medanos won, Corsine 2, Limewater 3. Time, 1:07¾.

Sixth race, handicap, 1⅛ miles—Rosaninte won, Top Mast 2, David Tenny 3. Time, 1:54¾.

AT NEWPORT.

Cincinnati, Ohio, April 13.—The attendance at Newport yesterday was the largest of the meeting.

First race, 5½ furlongs—Dolly Weithoff won, Our Gertie 2, Bertha B. Nell 3. Time, 1:08¼.

Second race, 4½ furlongs—Miss Dede won, J. Lucille 2, Honey Wood 3. Time, :56½.

Third race, mile and 1-16, selling—Mallo won, Prince Zeno 2, Banquo II. 3. Time, 1:50¾.

Fourth race, mile—The Dragoon won, Fintan 2, Volandies 3. Time, 1:44¾.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs, selling—Viola Parsons won, Yours Truly 2, Lela Murray 3. Time, 1:16¼.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs, selling—Shuttlecock won, Manzanilla 2, Nellie Prince 3. Time, 1:15¾.

AT BENNINGS.

Washington, April 13.—Racing at Bennings was rather tame yesterday:

First race, purse, $300, 3-year-olds and upwards, selling, 5 furlongs—Avoca won, Tyrian 2, Red Gidd 3. Time, 1:02⅝.

Second race, purse, $300, maiden, 3-year-olds and upwards, 6 furlongs—Deceptive won, Ruxton 2, Prosaic 3. Time, 1:16⅝.

Third race, the federal stakes, $400, for 4-year-olds, 13-16 mile—Roysterer won, Althea 2, Boney Boy 3. Time, 1:22.

Fourth race, purse, $300, maiden 2-year-olds, 4 furlongs—Prestigitator won, Monometallist 2, Naboklis 3. Time, :50⅝.

Fifth race, purse, $300, 3-year-olds and up, handicap, 1 1-16 miles—Imp won, Alice Farley 2, Double Dummy 3. Time, 1:50⅝.

NEWMARKET-CRAVEN MEETING.

London, April 13.—At the second day's racing at the Newmarket-Craven meeting yesterday, Velo, the property of Mr. Leopoid de Rothschild, won the Babraham plate of 500 sovereigns. Tod Sloan rode Lord Ellesmere's Ultimatum (7 to 2), but was unplaced. King's Messenger was second, and Morning Dew third.

The Wood-Dillon stakes was won by Lord William Beresford's Sibola, with Sloan up. This race is for 10 sovereigns each, 5 sovereigns for first, with 200 sovereigns added. Hadrian was second, and Bridge third. Eleven horses ran.

Sloan also captured a 2-year-old plate of 200 sovereigns on Sir W. Waldie Griffith's Styria; Chilligo was second, and Mambrino third.

CUE.

WORLD'S CHAMPION POOL PLAYER.

Chicago, April 13.—Alfred De Oro won the pool championship of the world, after a protracted struggle, in the third night's play, at the Manhattan Billiard Hall, defeating Jerome Keogh by the final score of 600 to 515. Keogh played a brilliant uphill game, reducing his opponent's lead of the first two nights from 135 to 47 at the close of the 19th frame. Then De Oro regained his advantage, and made 63 in the next four frames to 12 for his opponent, and for three hours it was felt that he might come up with the Cuban. Both men made brilliant side-pocket cushion shots, and were adroit in safety work. Total score: First night, De Oro, 208; Keogh, 145. Second night, De Oro, 192; Keogh, 118. Third night, De Oro, 200; Keogh, 252. Final total, De Oro, 600; Keogh, 515.

ATHLETICS.

WRESTLER ARRESTED.

Tilbury, April 13.—The noted wrestler, Walter Norman, who swindled some of our young men recently over a wrestling match in Sarnia, was arrested under the name of Doyle, in Lindsay the other day. Shortly after the departure of this clever swindler from this burg, Constable Smith received a photo of Norman, but whose right name is Bob Reeks, offering a reward of $100 for his arrest from the Chief of Police of Little Valley, N. Y., Reeks being wanted there on the charge of grand larceny. The photo is an exact one of Norman. Detective Mahoney has a warrant for the theft of a seal-skin cape at Trenton Mich., and from the description given the officer of the wife of Norman by people who saw her here, he states this woman fits the case.

NOTES OF SPORT.

Mike McDermott will try pitching for Whistler's Syracuse team this year.

The University of Michigan team again rubbed it into Toledo Tuesday, the score being 8 to 3.

Jim Jeffries is the son of a preacher who opposes the son's profession.

The balk rules will probably be changed early in the race, as pitchers cannot prevent a man on third scoring when there is a runner on first.

Bob Allen is worrying along with a patched-up team at Indianapolis, waiting for good news from Hogriever, Motz, Foreman and Kahoe, four of the men who kept the team in the race.

A box of poisoned bonbons was sent to Mrs. C. F. Morey's studio in Hastings, Neb. She and her friends ate freely, and the resulting sickness nearly killed them. The unknown sender had attached the card of a society woman.

THE WEAK, THE DISEASED

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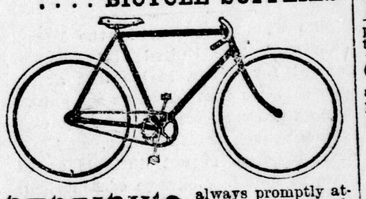
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Another Imperial Project.

Canada's latest contribution to the solidarity of the Empire is announced. The Dominion Government have agreed to pay five-eighteenths of the cost of an all-British Pacific cable, and as the Australasian colonies have already consented to pay four-ninths, and Great Britain five-eighteenths—the same as Canada—the realization of the project is assured. The total cost has been estimated at $7,500,000, so that Canada's share will be a little over $2,000,000. The Canadian Government have been reproached by some for delaying this scheme, but they were justified in giving it mature consideration, because the failure of the cable to pay running expenses would saddle this country with an annual outlay, large or small. The practical details, however, have been carefully elaborated by Sir Sandford Fleming and other experts, and they are very sanguine that the cable will be self-supporting from the outset, and will, after a few years, pay good dividends. The cable business between Great Britain and Australasia has grown enormously, and if the new Pacific cable could secure one-half the present volume of traffic the receipts would pay the operating expenses. In addition, it is reasonable to suppose that the Pacific cable will get all, or nearly all, the cable traffic between this continent and Australasia. There is now no cable across the Pacific Ocean, and a cablegram from Canada or the United States to Australia or New Zealand has to cross the Atlantic and go nearly around the world to reach its destination.

The Pacific cable is not merely a commercial project, or it would have been left to private enterprise. The Governments of Great Britain, Canada and Australasia have consented to promote it because of its imperial value. The present telegraphic line from Great Britain to Australia touches several foreign countries, but the Pacific cable will touch only British soil, and bring the mother country into direct communciation with the outlying parts of the Empire, without fear of interruption from an enemy in the event of war. The immense advantage of this from a military and naval standpoint is too obvious to need discussion. It increases the efficiency of every British warship in Pacific waters. A sentimental value also attaches to the Pacific cable, as it forms another link in the chain of empire. With this achievement the name of Sir Sandford Fleming will always be identified. He has labored earnestly for years to recommend it to the imperial and colonial authorities, and has devoted his great ability to formulating the plans which have been accepted. The Pacific cable is only part of Sir Sandford's grand conception of a British cable around the world. He may yet live to see the larger design completed.

Public Schools and Parents' Duties.

The April number of the North American Review contains a vigorous article on this subject from the pen of Julian Hawthorne, and certainly all must admit that it is a subject of the highest importance. There is a natural laziness to which we are all prone, even parents, which, if unchecked by higher motives, leads us to shirk difficult duties or place our responsibilities on other people's shoulders, and in these days when there is so much shallow socialism talked there is a tendency to think that the state is competent to discharge all duties. Hence some parents seem to think that it is the teacher's duty to train their children, and what he leaves undone can be managed by the policeman and the curfew people.

To such, and, in fact, to all parents, a careful consideration of Mr. Hawthorne's statements will be useful. He deals first with the view of American childhood, which strikes the observant foreigner, namely, that nowhere are children more petted and indulged, supplied with toys, books, pictures, and other things which are supposed to brighten the youthful life. He next notices the number and efficiency of American public schools. There are, of course, many private schools, but the people as a rule are democratic, and manifest a spirit of loyalty to their public educational institutions. The public schools are then well-maintained on the ground of kindness to the children, and in the belief that education will save them from degradation and train them to strength and nobility of character. The "average child," then, is as well cared for as can be done under the imperfect conditions which hamper all human institutions and methods. He then takes us into the streets of New York to test the product that is thus being turned out. Here is the picture: "The majority of them are well-dressed and well-conditioned, their parents are of the better class, and evidently expect their offspring to take a respectable place in the community. Well, we hear so much slovenly, profane and sometimes foul language, as might be met with in the city slums; and we see vulgar, mean, petty conduct enough to suit the language. To look and listen, with your eyes shut you would think that not the children of our solid citizens who must presently carry on the business of the republic, but a lot of naughty little toughs and hoodlums were on the rampage." This is strong enough, and as there is no reason to think that the writer has any desire to slander the children of the great republic, it must have been with a feeling of pain that he wrote such words. We have not things on such a large scale as our neighbors, but we have many of the same things, and much of the same spirit. It is well for us, then, to learn the great lesson, viz., that parents have sacred duties which teachers cannot discharge, and for which the policeman cannot be a substitute. These cannot be performed in moments of frantic fervor, but must be thoroughly considered and steadily discharged if children are to be trained for a high moral life, and inspired with a true ideal of citizenship.

It is barely possible the public business will get a show at Ottawa next week.

It costs the country $3,000 a day while Parliament is in session. Talk isn't cheap at that price.

The Opposition should advertise for a responsible man who will lay a charge against a Yukon official. The public are tired of anonymities.

It is said Lord Rosebery will re-enter politics. His lordship has been such a great success since he quit politics that he doubtless feels like taking the plunge again.

The British Government may deprive the ritualists of pap, but it may be argued that it is a wrong system under which a government has pap to dispense to a church.

British and American sailors in Samoa are cementing the Anglo-American alliance with their life-blood. They are doing their duty bravely, but it is a pity that duty calls them into such a warfare.

The mayor of Montreal says he is going to stand by the chief of police, who was shown in the courts to have handled public funds in a, to say the least, careless manner. Apparently the Montreal Herald has some missionary work yet to do around the City Hall.

The French and Italians are fraternizing in Sardinia. The two Latin nations haven't loved each other since the first Napoleon's time, but a tariff treaty has brought about amity. There are other countries which would be more friendly if they followed this example.

The interest-bearing public debt of the United States was $1,182,149,050. In 1893 it had been reduced to $585,034,260, and the money markets were alarmed at the rapidity with which it was paid off. The Government have since removed all such anxiety. The debt on March 31 this year stood at $1,045,775,290, and it will soon be vaster than has been.

Who would not tour in the Hermit Kingdom? The United States consul-general for Corea, in his last annual report, states that travelers are subject to no inconvenience or taxes by Government agencies in Corea, and personal baggage is not dutiable at the customs house. Luggage of Americans is seldom even examined. What an eye-opener the Corean traveler will have as to customs tyranny if he ever attempts to pass through the United States!

In a recent address in London, England, Rev. Dr. Clifford, who paid a visit to this country some time since, held up the Ontario license law as one which the English people could copy with advantage. Those who run down that law, in order that they may make political capital, or have something to grumble about, can learn from such independent observers as this eminent English divine how far we in Canada are ahead of the old world in point of sobriety, effective control of the liquor traffic, and general social advancement.

The Earl and Countess of Warwick find they cannot subsist on the paltry income from their landed estates. It amounts to only $100,000 a year, while they have been living on a $270,000 scale. Consequently this thrifty couple have decided to put their property into a limited liability company and raise a loan of a million dollars, with their life insurance policies as collateral security. The incident is cited as another illustration of the decay of British agriculture. When an ancient house like the Warwicks is reduced to a rent roll of $100,000, the outlook for the old nobility is sad, indeed. Alas, poor Warwick!

Dr. W. S. Rainsford, of New York, has evidently changed some of his religious opinions since he left this city. Local Sabbatarians will hardly agree with the following statement by Dr. Rainsford in the Philadelphia Post:

"I do not argue for the Puritan Sunday. No intelligent persons today believe in the Sabbath. They know it is the day of the Lord, and that is what they believe in. A great many people play golf and ride bicycles instead of going to church. I have no objection to outdoor exercise on Sunday, but that can be enjoyed, and the Lord remembered as well. First, remember it is the Lord's day, and then take the exercise. My boys go bicycle riding and play football, and baseball and that sort of thing on Sunday afternoon, and I see no reason why they should not. But they always go to church in the morning. They remember the Lord's day and then have a good outdoor run in the afternoon. Every summer I give a silver cup as a prize for some out-of-door exercise, and it is competed for on Sunday."

E. H. Whitmarsh, clerk of the divisional court at Merrickville, Ont., died on Tuesday night, aged 88 years.

What Others Say.

Asking Too Much.

[Hamilton Times.]

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper used very strong terms in denouncing the Yukon royalty and regulations. Why does he not move to abolish the royalty and give his Yankee speculating friends free swing? Dare he risk a resolution?

Constipation of Ideas.

[Halifax Chronicle.]

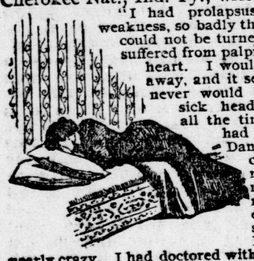
Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper's speech occupied 98 columns of Hansard. That champion of verbosity, Mr. Davin, was a good second with 60½ columns to his credit, beating Sir Charles Tupper, who talked 57 columns. A wag cruelly suggests that all three were afflicted with a constipation of ideas and a diarrhea of words.

Capital, Labor, Consumer.

[Montreal Witness.]

Prof. Small, of the University of Chicago, has recently denounced trusts and the present aims of capitalists. "We are making men," he said, "the means of making capital, whereas capital is only tolerable when it is simply the means of making men." This is sound doctrine, but is the charge quite true? When he states that "the individual never counted for so little or availed so little as today," he is surely open to criticism by anyone who has a knowledge of history. Wherever capital goes today it brings in its train civilization, education, safety for life and property and luxuries. The power of labor to protect itself has never been more demonstrated than in this very age of accumulating capital. The statute books of all industrial countries are full of protective laws in favor of the workman. His hours, his health, his safety have been supervised. The gigantic trusts which have been, and are being, organized have not seriously affected the laborer so far. What they may do remains to be seen. They seem rather disposed at present to make terms with the unions by which the latter are, in effect, included in the benefits of the trusts. It is the consumer who suffers.

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Special Bargains for Friday, 14th

With enthusiasm engendered by success we are encouraged to greater efforts that add interest to our FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY. No preaching needed, no fine talk necessary, no explanation required. Cut this ad out, bring it along, and pick out your bargains.

Men's Furnishings

5 DOZ. MEN'S HEAVY WOOL HOSE—Regular 15c; Friday only 10c

MEN'S FINE BLACK AND GRAY CASHMERE HOSE—Regular 35c; Friday 25c

MEN'S FINE WOOL HOSE—Light color, plain, equal to hand knitting, worth 25c; Friday 15c

MEN'S EXTRA FINE BLACK HOSE—With light cashmere and Balbriggan soles, beautiful goods; Friday, per pair 25c

Collars

MEN'S LINEN COLLARS—Sizes, 14½ to 16—in 3 different styles, stand up and turndown, 2¼ and 2½ inches deep, worth 15c; Friday, 3 for 25c

Carpets and Housefurnishings

4 pieces Union Carpet, 36 inches wide; special for Friday..... 19c

4 pieces Tapestry Carpet, 27 inches wide, hit-and-miss pattern, worth 25c; special for Friday..... 19c

Finest Tapestry Carpets, 8-wire, handsome designs, worth 60c; special for Friday 50c

Odd line Brussels Carpets, with borders, were $1; to clear Friday. 75c

Heavy Oilcloth, 36 inches wide..... 18c

China Matting, 15c, 18c and 25c

25 pairs Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long; special for Friday..... 75c

100 pairs Fine Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long, pretty lace designs; special for Friday $1 00

15 White Honeycomb Quilts, large size; special Friday 50c

25 Marseilles Quilts, large size, worth $1 75; special for Friday... $1 25

18 Sofa Cushions, fancy coverings, worth 35c; special Friday 24c

Window Shades in creams and green; size 37 by 72 inches, mounted on good spring rollers; special at 25c

Linen Department

10 dozen Linen and Cotton Towels, five different makes, regular 10c each; Friday, each 5c

1 piece Loom Damask Table Linen, half-bleached, 62 inches wide; regular 60c; Friday, per yard.... 39c

1 piece Loom Damask Table Linen, half-bleached, 72 inches wide; regular 75c; Friday, per yard.... 49c

1 piece Finest Loom Damask Table Linen, half-bleached, 72 inches wide, regular 90c; Friday per yard 59c

200 remnants of Bleached Table Damask, 1½ to 6 yards in length; worth from 50c to $2 per yard, at half price.

Unusual Bargains in Towelings, Towels, Tablecloths and Table Linens and Napkins.

Some of this lot are seconds, others perfect. The damage is sometimes so small as not to be perceptible.

FOR FRIDAY.

120 yards Linen Toweling, in remnants, as they came from the mills; regular 8c; Friday, per yard 5c

200 yards Linen Toweling, Crash, Glass Cloth and Twills, regular 10c and 12½c. Friday, per yard.. 7½c

746 yards Linen Toweling, finest 24-inch Glass Cloth; 22-inch Crash for rollers, and a great many other makes, regular 15c and 18c; Friday, per yard 10c

1,000 dozen Napkins, some slightly imperfect, others perfect; prices would be from $1 to $5 per dozen; we make six prices of the lot 8c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c and 25c each for Friday.

Ribbons

20 pieces of Fancy and Striped Belt Ribbon, regular 25c, special for Friday only, per yard 15c

Skirts and Blouses

Ladies' Sateen Skirts, in black and colors, metallic stripe; special for Friday, at $1 75, $2 75 and $3 00

LADIES' BLOUSES—Ladies' fine Print and Muslin Blouses in plaids and stripes, all colors and sizes; special Friday 75c

Ladies' Blouses in fine Print, navy stripes, self collar and cuffs; Friday $1 00

Ladies' fine Gingham Blouses, tucked or plain fronts, self collar and cuffs; special Friday, $1 25 and $1 50

Ladies' Black Sateen Blouses; Friday at 75c, $1 and $1 50

Whitewear

Ladies' American Gowns, sample lot, special for Friday.

Ladies' fine Lonsdale Gown, Empire style, trimmed with Roman embroidery; special Friday, at.. $2 00

Ladies' fine Gown, trimmed with embroidery and insertion; special Friday $1 00

Ladies' fine English Cotton Gown, Lonsdale frilling and tucks; Friday 65c

Ladies' Skirts in fine Cotton, trimmed with embroidery frill, good width; special Friday 75c

Ladies' Lonsdale Skirt, double frills of embroidery, with dust frill; Friday $3 00

Cottons and Prints

5 pieces 36-inch Fine White Cotton, fine, even thread, regular 10c; Friday, per yard, only 7½c

10 pieces 34-inch Fine White Cotton, free from dressing, regular 7c; Friday, per yard..... 5c

Another lot of that extra heavy 36-inch Factory Cotton; Friday, per yard, only 5c

10 pieces only Black and Red Prints, in plaids and checks, warranted fast colors; to clear out Friday, per yard 4½c

1,200 yards best 32-inch English Prints, Turkish reds, light grounds and dark grounds, regular 12½c and 15c; while they last at 8½c

7 pieces best Amoskeag Ginghams, in brown and red checks, warranted fast colors, worth 10c; Friday, per yard, only..... 5c

5 pieces best Standard Indigo Check Shirtings, one pattern only, warranted fast and worth 12½c; Friday 11c

10 pieces extra heavy Flannelettes, 34 inches wide; good print stripes, regular 7c; Friday 5c

Corsets

"R. & C." Corsets, French model, in drab sateen, steel filled, worth 85c, extra special, Friday only

49c

Ladies' Neckwear

Ladies' New Ascot Ties, New York styles, regular 50c, Friday and until sold 44c

Smallwares

Polished Horn Toilet Combs, regular 10c, Friday 6c

Side Combs, black, Friday, two pairs for 5c

Tortoise Shell Side-Combs, regular 15c, Friday 10c

Tortoise Shell Side-Combs, regular 8c, Friday, per pair..... 5c

Fancy Shell Hair Darts, regular 5c and 10c, Friday two for 5c

Crimped Wire Hairpins, assorted sizes, Friday, two packages for .. 1c

100-yard Linen Spools, Friday, three for 5c

BELTS

Extra quality, Black Seal Belt, with black or nickel buckle, special, for Friday.25c

Large size Clothes-Brush, regular 30c line, Friday..... 19c

Ladies' Belt Buckles, in black, gold and silver, regular 25c, Friday, special 15c

Duplex Safety Pins, Friday, special, per dozen 5c

Writing Pads, ruled or plain, regular 8c, Friday 5c

Lace and Embroidery

16 pieces Silk Lace, black and cream, 3 to 6 inches wide, special, Friday..... ..... 10c

14 pieces Embroidery, regular 5c to 7c, Friday only, per yard 3½c

12 dozen Ladies' Fancy Embroidered Handkerchiefs, regular 10c, Friday only, three for 19c

Parasols

Ladies' Black Parasols, 23-inch frame, silk and wool covering, steel rod, fancy handle, regular $1 25. Friday, $1 00.

Ladies' Parasols, large size, Paragon frame; handles, black, with German silver tip. Special Friday, 50c.

Clothing

ONLY A FEW LEFT of our Boy's English 2-pieces Suits—sizes 26 and 27. These suits are made of good, strong, all-wool Tweeds, in light and dark colors and were $3 50; to clear Friday at $1 45

BOYS' 2-PIECE SUITS—In all wool Tweeds, light and dark colors, well and strongly made; regular $2 50 and $3; Friday $2 19

13 MEN'S SACK SUITS—In light colors, all wool; Italian linings, silk sewn, well and strongly made, all sizes; very special Friday $3 00

11 MEN'S SACK SUITS—In dark colors, neat patterns, all wool, Italian linings, silk sewn, sizes 36 to 42, worth $6 50 to $7 50; special Friday at $5 00

MEN'S SUITS—In all wool Tweed, good, fancy patterns, Italian linings, silk sewn, latest styles; regular $10; Friday $7 50

MEN'S EXTRA FINE WORSTED PANTS—Hair line stripes, latest spring styles, beautifully made and finished; regular $4; Friday $3 00

Hats

MEN'S FINE FUR FELT FEDORA HATS—In black, brown, and nutra, latest shape, silk trimmings, Russian leather sweat band; all sizes, regular $2; Friday $1 50

MEN'S FINE FUR FELT STIFF HATS—Black and brown, lined; newest shape, best silk band and binding, Russian leather sweat band, regular $2; special Friday $1 50

Extra Special

MEN'S LARGE SIZE FEDORA HATS—In fine English fur felt, black, with best silk trimmings, Russian leather sweat band, etc., extra large sizes—7⅛, 7¼, 7⅜, 7½, 7⅝ and 7¾; Friday at...$1 75

Hosiery and Gloves

Ladies' Long Sleeve Vests, spring weight, Friday, three for 25c

Ladies' Long Sleeve Vests, spring weight, special Friday, two for 25c

Ladies' Long Sleeve Vests, cotton thread, very special, each 25c

Ladies' and Children's Plain Cotton Hose, all sizes, per pair 10c

Ladies' and Children's Ribbed Cotton Hose, all sizes, special, per pair, 10c and 12c

Boys' Seamless Heavy Ribbed Cotton Hose, all sizes, at per pair, 15c, 18c and 20c

Ladies' Plain Maco Thread Cotton Hose, fast blacks, regular 25c per pair, Friday, two pairs for 35c

Cashmere Hose, children's, double knees, heels and toes, 5½ to 8, special, per pair, 18c to 25c

Shoe Department

50 PAIRS WOMEN'S DONGOLA machine sewed, flexible soles, patent tips, button boots, in all sizes; Friday price 79c

WOMEN'S FINE DONGOLA—Sewed, flexible soles, patent tip, Boston square toe, in B width only, sizes 2½ to 5; splendid boot; regular price, $2 75 and $3; Friday price 98c

SEE OUR 48C and 75C BARGAIN TABLES—Also the Special Table.

MEN'S FINE BUFF, SEWED, double sole, pointed toe, stylish toe cap, regular $1 75; Friday ..$1 00

SPECIAL TABLE MEN'S CONGRESS AND BALS—Regular $2 to $4 goods; Friday, $1 to $2 00

SEE OUR MEN'S $3 AND $3 50 GOODYEAR WELTS.

Special Skirts

37 only Crash Skirts, welt seams, new Flare cut; special Friday, each $1 25

17 only Red, Blue and Fawn Gretchens for infants and small children, were $1 75 and $2; Friday, each $1 00

New This Week--Dress Goods

5 pieces Black Blister Crepon, bright new pattern, special at....75c

4 pieces Black Blister Crepons, newest designs, special at $1 00

12 pieces Black Blister Silk and Mohair Crepons, special at, per yard $1 50

12 shades in Covert Suitings, all wool, satin finish, 44 inches wide, very special, per yard 50c

11 shades, Broadcloth Suitings, all shades, fine satin finish, 44 inches wide, very special, at per yard 50c

2 pieces Navy Serge Coating, finish, dark and light shades, 44 inches wide, will not spot, regular 40c, Friday 25c

Blue, Gray, Black, Yellow Linenette Lining, regular 12½c, Friday 9c

Umbrellas

3 DOZ, MEN'S UMBRELLAS—With German silver tip handles, Paragon frame, heavy, strong covering, steel rod; special Friday $1 00

Collars

Ladies' Satin Folded Collars, in all the newest shades, special, Friday 25c

Handkerchiefs

10 dozen Ladies' Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, regular 10c, Friday only, three for 19c

Friday Only

22 LBS. OF REDPATH'S GRANULATED SUGAR for $1 00

5 bbls. of those bright, crisp Ginger Snaps, per lb. 5c

1,000 lbs. of our Famous Blend, Black or mixed, Imperial Tea, for, per lb..... ..... 25c

Dried Apples, per lb 6c

Cooking Figs, 5c, or 6 lbs for..... 25c

8 bars of Good Will Soap for..... 25c

15c White Wash Brushes for..... 8c

25c White Wash Brushes for..... 17c

3 lbs Rice and 3 lbs Tapioca for.. 25c

2 lbs of Clean Currants for 15c

2 lbs of Choice Raisins for 15c

New Maple Sugar, per lb..... 10c

1 lb Filbert Nuts and 1 lb of Walnuts for 22c

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THE MARKETS.

Mining Stocks.

Toronto, April 12.—Following are to-day's closing quotations on the Toronto Mining and ndustrial change:

	Asked.	Bid.
Decca	25	23
Foley	..	70
Hammond Reef	47	44½
Hiawatha	25	..
Golden Star	55	53½
Olive	95	88
Sawbill	35	31
Superior G. and C. Co	7	6
Cariboo	158	152
Minnehaha	26½	25¾
Waterloo	12½	11
Cariboo Hydraulic	145	140
Smuggler	5	4½
Old Ironsides	112	108
Knob Hill	..	80
Athabasca	50	46½
Dundee	35	25
Dardanelles	11	10
Noble Five	33½	30
Rambler-Cariboo Con	36	33
Two Friends	9	5
Wonderful Group	13	12
Van Anda	3¼	3½
Big Three	28	24½
J. O. 41	8¾	7¾
Sentinel	19	15
Commander	11	..
Deer Park	6	5¾
Evening Star	11	10
Giant	4	..
Iron Colt	19	15
Iron Horse	18½	17
Iron Mask	75	65
Montreal Gold Fields	28	22
Monte Cristo Con	10	8¼
Northern Belle	3½	2½
Novelty	5	4¼
St. Paul	3¼	2¼
Silver Bell Con	5	..
St. Elmo	8	6
Virginia	54	43
Victory-Triumph	9	7½
War Eagle Con	356	354
White Bear	4¼	4
B. C. Gold Fields	6¼	5¼
Can. G. F. S	8	6
Gold Hills	10	5
Crow's Nest Pass Coal	45.00	42.50
Rathmullen	8	6¼
Empress	7	5
Fairview Corporation	13	12

CLOSING SALES.—Golden Star, 500 at 54; 500 at 53¾. Wonderful, 1,000 at 12. Iron Horse, 500 at 17¼. Novelty, 500 at 4½. B. C. Gold Fields, 5,000, 5,000 at 5¼. Golden Star, 200 at 53½; 500, 500, 500, 500, 500 at 52; 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 1,000 at 52¼; 200, 500, 500 at 52½; 500 at ; 2,000, 500 at 53¼; 1,500, 500 at 53½; 500 at 53¾. Minnehaha, 500 at 26. Smuggler, 500 at 4½. Dardanelles, 5,000 at 10¼. Rambler Cariboo, 500, 500 at 33. Wonderful, 1,000 at 10½. Monte Christo, 100 at 8½. War Eagle, 1,000 at 354½. White Bear, 500 at 4¼.

EGGS—EGGS.

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Local Market.

London, Thursday, April 13.

Wheat, white, per bu	69c to 70c
Wheat, red, per bu	69c to 70c
Wheat, spring, per bu	69c to 70c
Peas, per bu	60c to 70c
Corn, per bu	39½c to 40¾c
Barley, per bu	40¾c to 50½c
Rye, per bu	56c to 56c
Beans, per bu	75c to 90c

Very little grain came in today. Prices show no change since yesterday. One load of oats sold at 98c. Butter and eggs were easier. Meats very dull; supply good. Dressed hogs closed 15c lower. Hay sold at $8 50 to $9 50. Syrup, 80c to $1. Balance of list unchanged:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs.	1 15	@	1 17
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs	1 15	@	1 15
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	..	@	..
Oats, per 100 lbs	93	@	98
Peas, per 100 lbs	90	@	1 05
Corn, per 100 lbs	70	@	85
Barley per 100 lbs	85	@	100
Rye, per 100 lbs	1 00	@	1 00
Bean.s per bu	75	@	80
PROVISIONS.			
Honey, comb	9	@	12
Honey, extracted	7	@	10
Cheese, per lb	10	@	12
Eggs, single dozen	13	@	14
Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen	12	@	12
Eggs, fresh, store lots, doz	10	@	12
Butter, pound rolls, baskets	14	@	15
Butter, lb, large rolls or crocks	13	@	14
Butter, per lb, tubs or firkins	10	@	14
Butter, per lb, retail	16	@	17
Lard, per lb	9	@	10
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT			
Potatoes per bag	85	@	1 00
Apples, per bag	75	@	1 50
Apples, per basket	..	@	..
Apples, per barrel	1 50	@	2 50
Onions, per bu	80	@	90
Celery, per doz bunches	40	@	50
Turnips, per bag	25	@	30
Carrots, per bu	12½	@	25
Parsnips, per doz. bunches	40	@	50
LIVE STOCK.			
Young pigs, per pair	2 00	@	3 50
Cows, each	20 00	@	40 00
Beef, per lb	2¾	@	4
Hogs, light, per 100 lbs	4 00	@	4 00
Hogs heavy, per 100 lbs	3 50	@	3 50
Pigs, young, per pair	3 00	@	4 00
Sows, per 100	3 25	@	3 50
Ducks, per pair	..	@	70..
Chickens, per pair	50	@	
Hens, per pair	40	@	50
HAY AND SEEDS.			
Hay, per ton	8 50	@	10 00
Straw, per load	2 50	@	3 00
Cloverseed, red, per bu	3 25	@	3 35
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef, front quarters, per lb	4½	@	5
Beef, hind quarters, per lb	6	@	7
Mutton, quarters, per lb	7	@	8
Veal, quarters, per lb	5	@	6
Lamb, quarter	9	@	10
Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, light	5 25	@	5 50
Dressed hogs 100 lbs, heavy	4 00	@	5 00
Hides, No. 1, per lb	7	@	7
Hides, No. 2, per lb	6	@	7
Hides, No. 3, per lb	5	@	5
Calfskins, green	8	@	8
Sheepskins, each	15	@	90
Wool, washed, per lb	15	@	15
Wool, unwashed, per lb	9	@	11
Chickens, per pair	60	@	99
Ducks, per lb	..	@	..
Turkeys, per lb	12	@	14
Geese, per lb	..	@	..

SEEDS.

When you want to buy or sell Timothy, Red or Alsike Clover write

A. M. HAMILTON & SON,

373 Talbot Street, London, Ont.

NOTE—We sell Little Giant Geared Seeders.

St. Thomas Market.

St. Thomas, April 12.—Wheat, per bu, 70c; oats, 34c to 35c; peas, 45c to 50c; barley, 38c to 40c; corn, 45c to 50c; corn chop, per cwt, 85c to 90c; beans, 80c to 90c; cloverseed, $3 to $3 50; timothy, $1 75 to $1 85.

Oil Markets.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 13.—Oil opened and closed today at $1 13.

PETROLIA, April 13.—Oil opened and closed at $1 40.

OIL CITY, Pa., April 13.—Oil opened and closed at $1 13.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, April 12.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—May, 72¾c to 72½c; July, 72¾c. Corn—No. 2 May, 34¼c; July, 35¼c; Sept., 36c to 36¼c. Oats—No. 2 May, 29½c; July, 25¼c. Pork—May, $8 92½; July, $9 05. Lard—May, $5 12½; July, $5 25; Sept., $5 37½. Short ribs—May, $4 62½; July, $4 75; Sept., $4 87½. Cash quotations were as follows: Flour quiet and steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 71c to 72c; No. 3 spring wheat, 66c to 70c; No. 2 red, 73c to 75¼c; No. 2 corn, 34¼c; No. 2 yellow, 34¾c to 35c; No. 2 oats, 27c to 27¼c; No. 2 white, 30c to 31c; No. 3 white, 29¼c to 30¾c; No. 2 rye, 58¼c; No. 2 barley, 39c to 47c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 20; Northwest, $1 23¾; prime timothy seed, $2 30; pork, $8 90 to $8 95; lard, $5 12½ to $5 15; short rib sides, $4 45 to $4 80; dry salted shoulders, 4½c to 4½c; short clear sides, $4 85 to $4 95; sugars, cutloaf, $5 63; granulated, $5 33; eggs, steady, fresh, 12½c.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 18,000 bbls; wheat, 84,000 bushels; corn, 272,000 bushels; oats, 245,000 bushels; rye, 7,000 bushels; barley, 24,000 bushels.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 32,000 bbls; wheat, 8,000 bushels; corn, 141,000 bushels; oats, 206,000 bushels; rye, 1,000 bushels, 13,000 bushels.

English Markets.

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

	April 8.	April 10.	April 11.	April 12.
WHEAT—				
Red Winter	6 0½	6 0½	6 0½	6 0½
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6 1	6 1	6 1	6 1
No. 1 Cal	6 5	6 5	6 5	6 5
March	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
May	5 5½	5 5¼	5 5½	5 5⅝
July	5 5¾	5 5⅞	5 5¾	5 5⅝
CORN—				
New	3 5	3 5	3 4½	3 4½
Old	3 6¼	3 6¼	3 6	3 6
March	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
May	3 4¼	3 4⅜	3 4⅛	3 4¾
July	3 4½	3 4⅜	3 4⅜	3 4⅞
Flour	17 6	17 6	17 6	17 6
Peas	5 8½	5 8½	5 8	5 8
Pork	45 0	45 0	45 0	45 0
Lard	27 6	27 6	27 3	27 0
Tallow	23 6	23 6	23 6	23 6
Bacon, light	28 6	28 6	28 6	28 6
Cheese, white	52 6	52 6	52 6	52 6
Cheese, colored	52 6	52 6	52 6	52 6

Liverpool, April 13—12:30 pm.

Wheat—Spot firm; No. 1 Cal., 6s 3d to 6s 5d; No. 1 red northern spring, 6s 1d; spot No. 2 red western winter, stocks exhausted. No. 1 northern, Duluth, 6s 2d½.

Corn—Spot firm; American mixed, new, 3s 5d; do old, 3s 6½d; futures, steady; Jan., old, 3s 10d; March, 3s 5⅛d; May, 3s 5⅛d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, dull, 7s 6d.

Peas—Canadian, 5s 8d.

Beef—Dull; extra India mess, 62s 6d; prime mess, 60s.

Pork—Dull; prime mess, fine western, 45s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, firm, 26s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, 26s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, 28s; 27s 6d; long clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs, 28s; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, dull, 27s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 27s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 35s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, 27s.

Butter—Firm; finest United States, 88s; good, 65s.

Cheese—American, finest white, strong, 52s 6d; do. colored, strong, 52s 6d.

Tallow—Australian, in London, 24s.

Turpentine spirits—32s.

Rosin—Common, 4s.

Petroleum—Refined, 6s 8d.

Linseed oil—19s.

Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refied, 15s 6d.

Dairy Markets.

NEW YORK, April 12.—Butter steady; western creamery, 16c to 21c; do. factory, 13c to 15c; Elgins, 21c; imitation creamery, 14c to 18½c; state dairy, 15c to 20c; do. creamery, 16c to 21c. Cheese firm; large white, 12c to 12¼c; small white, 12¾c to 12c; light skims, 8¾c to 10c; part skims, 7½c to 9c; full skims, 4c to 5c; large colored, 12c to 12¼c; small colored, 12¾c to 13c.

MONTREAL, April 12.—Cheese, 11c to 12c. Butter, townships, 18c to 21c; western, 14c to 16c.

CHICAGO, April 12.—Butter quiet and easy; creameries, 14c to 20c; dairies, 11½c to 17½c. Cheese steady; creameries, 11¾c to 12½c.

Live Stock Markets.

NEW YORK, April 12.—Beeves—Receipts, 2,015; market slow; steers, 5c to 10c lower; bulls steady to firm; cows steady; medium to choice steers, $4 70 to $5 50; stags and oxen, $3 75 to $4 55; bulls, $3 25 to $4 55; cows, $2 to $3 75. Cables slow and unchanged. Exports, 440 cattle and 4,534 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 4,634; market slow; top grades 25c lower; others 15c to 25c off; poor to choice veals, $3 50 to $5 60; top, $5 70 to $5 75; a few heads of fancy $4; general sales, $4 50 to $5 50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 7,648; active and firm; lambs, 5c to 15c higher; wooled sheep, $4 to $5 50; clipped do, $3 50 to $4 75; unshorn lambs, $6 to $6 80; clipped do, $4 75 to $5 62½; spring lambs, $4 to $6 25 each. Hogs—Receipts, 7,234; firm, at $4 05 to $4 25.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., April 12.—Cattle—The offerings were four loads, but butchers seemed well supplied; calves were in light supply; fair demand and a little stronger; choice to extra were quotable at $5 50 to $5 75; good to choice, $5 to $5 50. Sheep and lambs—The offerings were liberal for this time of week—45 loads, and opened fairly active for native lambs, but slow on western, as the demand for this kind is limited; choice to extra native wool lambs were quotable at $6 40 to $6 50; sales mostly at inside figures; good to choice, $6 to $6 40; common to fair, $5 50 to $6; sheep, choice to extra, $5 25 to $5 40; good to choice, $5 to $5 25; common to fair, $3 75 to $4 75; western lambs opened on the basis of $6 25 to $6 35, but on the close were hardly quotable above $6 25, and not all sold; clipped lambs, choice to extra, $5 35 to $5 50; good to choice, $5 to $5 35; common to fair, $4 50 to $5; clipped sheep, choice to extra, $4 25 to $4 50; the general close was weak. Hogs—The offerings were light, only 15 loads, and the market was active the best part of the day; heavy were $4 05 to $4 07½; good weight Yorkers, $4; principally light weights, $3 75; pigs, $3 85 to $3 90; roughs, $3 40 to $3 60; stags, $2 50 to $2 85.

CHICAGO, April 12.—Cattle market today was provokingly slow, and late in getting started, buyers holding back and refusing to bid; after business was fairly under way prices were barely steady; fancy grades sold at $5 65 to $5 75; choice steers, $5 30 to $5 60; mediums, $4 75 to $4 95; beef steers, $3 90 to $4 65; stockers and feeders, $3 80 to $5; bulls, $2 60 to $4 10; cows and heifers, $3 40 to $4 25; western fed steers, $4 20 to $5 50; Texas steers, $4 to $5 15; calves, $3 50 to $6. There was a fairly active demand for hogs on local and eastern shipping, but buyers succeeded in putting prices about 5c lower on an average, the market ruling very weak from the start; fair to choice, $3 75 to $3 90; heavy packing lots, $3 50 to $3 72½; mixed, $3 60 to $3 82½; butchers, $3 65 to $3 87½; light, $3 60 to $3 80; pigs, $3 30 to $3 70; bulk of sales, $3 75 to $3 85. Trade in sheep was brisk and prices ruled steady at the recent advance; lambs made up the bulk of offerings, and sold at $5 50 to $5 90 for wooled, and $4 75 to $5 15 for shorn; culls brought $4 to $4 75; Colorado lambs, $5 80 to $5 90; western lambs, $5 50 to $5 75; wooled sheep, $4 50 to $5; Texans and western, $4 75 to $5; heavy exporters, $4 75 to $4 85; yearlings, $4 80 to $5 10. Receipts—Cattle 13,000, hogs 23,000, sheep 16,000.

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John Moore and Mrs. Robert Goodchild, the Salvationist elopers, were seen on Tuesday in Detroit.

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Recently Purchased Spanish Gunboats Dismantled.

Filipinos Attack an American Artillery Camp in the Night—Repulsed and Driven Northward.

Manila, April 13—9:45 a.m.—Francisco Reyes, the man who recently purchased the Spanish gunboats at Zamboanga, Island of Mindanao, has received advices to the effect that the fleet sailed for Manila and returned a few days later with the vessels stripped of their guns and ammunition. The purchaser's agents and native crew for the vessels on board the American steamer Butuan, were conveyed to Zamboanga by the United States cruiser Boston, and were instructed to await for the arrival there of the United States gunboat Petrel. Instead of so doing, after the Boston sailed from Zamboanga the Spaniards transferred the gunboats to the agents of Senor Reyes, and the fleet left Zamboanga unescorted. They soon returned and reported having been boarded by rebels who removed the gunboat's armaments. If the instructions of the American naval commander had been obeyed their capture would have been impossible. Zamboanga is fortified, and still garrisoned by Spaniards, and the affair is regarded as suspicious.

A NIGHT ATTACK.

Manila, April 13—4:05 p.m.—At about 4 o'clock this morning a small body of rebels attacked the camp of the third artillery from the swamp near Paombon, a mile and a half west of Malolos. Two privates were killed, and a lieutenant and two others were wounded. With the coming of daylight the American forces scoured the district driving the rebels northward, and killing several of them. A private soldier of the Montana regiment was wounded.

AROUND SANTA CRUZ.

Gen. Wheaton has telegraphed to Major.-Gen. Otis, saying: Gen. Lawton is scouting the vicinity of Santa Cruz. He finds the rebels have decamped. He has secured a gunboat, six launches and two cascaoes, comprising the Filpino fleet. These vessels are stuck in the mud of the river.

THE FUTURE.

The United States Philippine commission is hearing the leading residents of various nationalities, priests and Spaniards, numbers of them appearing voluntarily, on the subject of the future of the islands. The questions put to all are: "Do you believe the Filipinos are capable of self-government in the townships?" Do you believe the Filipinos are capable of self-government in the provinces?" "Do you believe the Filipinos are capable of self-government in the archipelago?" All of those who have been interrogated, including Filipinos who sympathize theoretically with independence, have replied to the third question with remarkable unanimity, in the negative. Independence, they say, would result in chaos, endless tribal wars and European intervention. They declare the natives find the Tagalos' oppression worse than Spanish oppression, and that they will welcome the Americans.

NEW CHIEF JUSTICE

Of Manitoba—Justice Killam Gets the Position.

[G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Ont., April 13.—Justice Killam, of the court of Queen's bench, Manitoba, has been promoted to the chief justiceship of the province, which has been vacant since March 31, when Sir Thomas Taylor resigned. The vacancy caused by the promotion of Justice Killam has not yet been filled.

A QUEBEC CONTEST.

Lumbago Driven Out Promptly by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Quebec, April 10.—Although Quebec is called "the Gibraltar of America," and well deserves the name, it is by no means impregnable against the assaults of Kidney Disease. Fortunately the inhabitants have an ally in Dodd's Kidney Pills, that succeed in driving the enemy out, every time it gains an entry.

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President McKinley is preparing to throw open to settlement 200,000 acres of Olympic forestry reserve in Washington. This reserve comprises a large portion of the Olympic Peninsula, lying between Puget Sound and the Pacific Ocean, and will embrace the Olympic mountains.

Pain in the Back.

Being troubled off and on with pains in my back, caused by constipation, I tried several kinds of pills I had seen advertised, and to put the truth in a nutshell. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are the only pills that have proved effectual in my case. I can heartily recommend them.

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Mrs. Mary Delaney, of Mono township, county of Dufferin, an inmate of the Hamilton Asylum, made a rope of her bedding late at night, and while attempting to escape from her bedroom window the rope broke, and she fell 30 feet and was killed.

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BEAUTY AND THE BEAST

Canadian Horse Show Draws a Brilliant Array of Fashionables.

Many London people left last night and this morning to be present at the formal opening of the Canadian horse show at Toronto by his excellency the governor-general of Canada.

Their Excellencies Lord and Lady Minto, accompanied by Lady Sybil Beauclerk, Captain Lascalles and Major Drummond, arrived in the city at seven o'clock last night, and were escorted direct to Government House, where they will be guests during their stay in the city. A dinner was given in their honor last night.

The formal opening, however, will take place at 2:30 p.m., when his excellency the governor-general, the Earl of Minto will start the affair.

Among the fashionables who will grace the occasion are Mrs. George J. Gould, of Lakefield, N. J., wife of the late Jay Gould's eldest son. Mrs. Gould arrived in Toronto last night by special car. Mrs. Gould was formerly a resident of Toronto. The millionaire's wife is accompanied by Lady Mary Sackville, who is said to be the fiance of Mr. Frank Gould, another son of the late Jay Gould, and brother of Mr. George Gould. There were also in the Gould party Miss Greta Pomeroy and Mrs. Ellis. It was said that the party came not only to see the horse show, but to pay a friendly visit to the Countess of Minto, who is a warm friend of Lady Mary Sackville, who is a famous English beauty. The New York party are at the Queen's.

Major-General Hutton arrived yesterday morning. Mrs. Hutton came up from Ottawa last night in company with the vice-regal party. Major-General and Mrs. Hutton are the guests of Mrs. J. K. Kerr, Q.C., Rathnally, where a dinner was given in their honor last night.

Among those from this city who left this morning were Mrs. George C. Gibbons, Miss Macbeth, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Beck and Llewellyn Meredith.

KISS AND MAKE UP

David Ward, of Cleveland, Run Down by His Wife—He Will Return With Her.

David Ward, the runaway husband of a Cleveland woman, peered through the bars of the prisoner's cage at the police court this morning. For a week past Ward has been domiciled within the confines of the jail walls, and has had reasonable time for reflection. Ward deserted his wife and six children coming here with another woman, but his American wife discovering his whereabouts, followed him, and, aided by the police, brought her wayward spouse to book. Mrs. Ward has been most affectionate in her interviews with him, but Ward is promised an interesting time when he reaches Cleveland. Both husband and wife agreed to live together again, and Ward was discharged.

Marcus O'Keefe, a drunk, was remanded for a week.

TWO PROSPECTORS MURDERED.

Vancouver, B. C., April 13.—The steamer Cottage City brings news that the sunken steamer Topeka had been raised. She also brings news of the murder of two prospectors by Indians near Klukwan. More Russian boundary cairns have been found in the Yukon. An epidemic of scurvy is reported at Glenora and on the Teslin trail.

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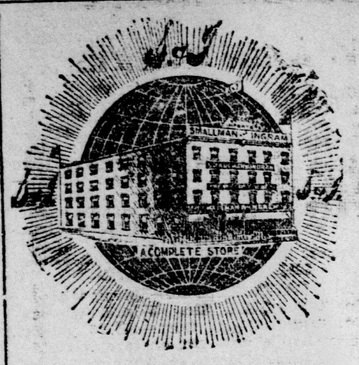
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Ladies' Spring Jackets

No. 1400—Of Black Broadcloth, fly front, dart sleeves, with silk stitching, half-lined with black satin, coat back, for $7.50

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No. 129—A very handsome tailor-made garment, of Black Broadcloth, fly front, dart sleeves with one box pleat on top; front and back trimmed with continuous strapping of goods, with five rows silk stitching; scolloped skirt, nicely finished with strapping and silk stitching, lined throughout with silk taffetta 12.50

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Novelty Zephyrs—All the newest shades in checks and stripes; plain, knotted and raised cord; solid washers ..... 20c, 25c and 30c

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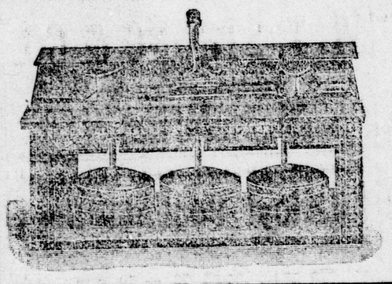
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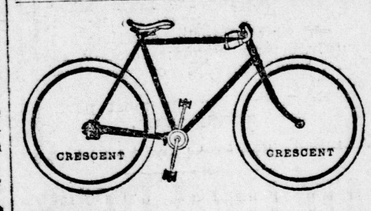
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TODAY'S MARKETS

Montreal Stock Market

MONTREAL, April 13.

	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	87¼	87
Duluth, common	3½	2¾
Duluth, preferred	15	8½
Commercial Cable	187	184
Com. Cable Coupon Bonds	..	..
Commercial Reg Bonds	..	..
Montreal Telegraph	176	175
Richelieu and Ontario	113¾	113¼
Montreal Street Railway	329	328
Montreal St. Railway, new	329	328
Toronto Railway	120¼	120
Montreal Gas Company, xd	207½	206
Bell Telephone, xd	177	176½
Royal Electric	186	184
Bank of Montreal	..	250
Ontario Bank	..	123
Molsons Bank	200	198
Bank of Toronto	..	..
Merchants' Bank	..	180
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	..	180
Quebec Bank	..	126
Union Bank	..	120
Bank of Commerce	150	..
Northwest Land, pref	..	52
Montreal Cotton Co	162½	158½
Canada Colored Cotton	91	84½
Dominion Cotton	116¾	115

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, April 13.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	260	..
Ontario	127	124
Toronto	..	..
Merchants	..	180
Commerce	150½	150
Imperial	215½	211½
Dominion	271	270
Standard	..	191
Hamilton	..	191
British America	128¼	127½
Western Assurance	166	165¾
Consumers' Gas	..	220
Montreal Gas	..	204
Dominion Telegraph	..	130
Canada Pacific Ry Stock	87	86¾
Northwest Land Company, pref.	53¼	52¼
Commercial Cable Company	186	184
Commercial Coupon Bonds	104½	104
Com. Registered Bonds	104½	104
Bell Telephone Company	..	177¾
Richelieu and Ontario	113	112¾
Montreal Street Railway	..	..
Toronto Street Railway	119¾	119½
London Street Railway	..	178
London Electric	126	124
Dominion Savings and Invest.	..	76
Huron and Erie L. and S.	..	180
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent	..	170
London and Canada L. and A.	70	62
London Loan	120	110¾
London and Ontario	..	..
Ontario Loan and Debenture	..	123

New York Stocks.

Reported by F. H. Butler, 15 and 16 Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

New York, April 13.

	Yesterday's Close.	Open.	2:30.	Low.	2:30.
Atheson	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛	21	21
Atcheson Pfd	61½	61⅛	61¼	61⅛	61¼
Brooklyn Tran	127⅞	129	132¾	128⅝	131⅜
Central Pacific	..	..	..	..	..
C., B. & Q.	143⅛	142⅝	143⅛	142¼	142½
C. & N. W.	162¼	162⅞	163¾	162⅞	163
Chicago Gas	127½	127⅜	129	127¼	127¾
Gen. Electric	115½	..	..	..	..
Jersey Central	118½	120	120⅜	118¼	119
K. & T., Pfd	40⅝	40	40¾	39¾	40¾
L. & N.	66⅞	65¾	66	65½	65½
Manhattan	118¾	118½	127¼	118½	125
Metropolitan St.	..	249½	257	249	255
Mo. P.	51	51⅜	52⅞	51¾	52
N. Y. Central	141⅝	141½	142¼	141¼	141⅝
N. P., Pfd.	79½	79¾	79⅝	79	79
Ont. & Western	27¼	27¼	27⅜	27	27¼
P. M.	51⅜	51¼	52⅜	51½	52
R. I.	117	117⅜	117⅞	117	117¾
Reading	24¼	24½	24¼	24¾	24½
St. Paul	128	127⅞	128⅜	127½	127½
Southern Ry, Pfd	52	51⅞	52¼	51⅝	51⅜
T. C. I.	58½	58½	59½	58⅜	59¼
U. Pacific	80½	80	80¾	80	80⅜
W. U.	94⅜	94⅞	94⅞	94⅝	94⅝
TRUSTS:					
Lead	34⅞	..	..	..	..
Leather	73	73¼	73¾	73¼	73½
Sugar	165	166	169¾	165½	163¾
Federal Steel	66⅞	67	69¼	66½	68½
Rubber	50½	50½	51⅝	50¾	51
Steel & Wire	66¼	66	67	65¾	66¼
Tobacco	226	226½	227½	225	225

Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, April 13.—Wheat—The demand is fair, the offerings and the market steadier at 67½c to 68c for red and white west, and 65c to 66c for goose west. Manitoba wheat is steady at 82c for No. 1 hard, North Bay, and 78c to 79c for No. 1 hard, grinding in transit. Flour is steady; cars of straight roller in barrels are quoted at $2 90 to $3. Millfeed is firm at $14 to $15 for shorts, and $12 50 for bran west. Barley is nominal at 41c to 42½c for No. 1, west. Buckwheat steady at 48c west. Rye steady at 52c to 53c west. Corn firmer at 36c for Canada yellow west, and 44c for old American, Toronto freights. Oats are firmer at 31c for white west. Peas steady at 61c to 63c west. Butter—Large rolls plentiful, and quality is fair; prices steady at 13c to 14½c; dairy tubs, 10c to 13c; creamery easier at 20c for prints, and 18½c to 19c for packed. Eggs plentiful, slow, and easier at 12c. Dressed hogs steady; western mixed here, $5 in cars on the track; northern mixed, $5 15, and selected northern steady at $5 25; steady and unchanged; live hogs, receipts 600.

English Markets.

Liverpool, April 13.—Closing.

Wheat—Spot, dull; spot No. 1 Cal., 6s 4d to 6s 5d; No. 2 red western, winter, no stocks; No. 1 red northern spring, 6s 1d, nominal; stocks nearly exhausted; spot No. 1 northern, Duluth, steady, 6s 2d.

Corn—Spot, steady. American mixed, new, 3s 5½d; do, old, steady, 3s 6¾d; futures, steady, April, 3s 5d; May, 3s 5d; July, 3s 5½d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, steady, 7s 3d.

Peas—Canadian, 5s 8½d.

Beef—Dull; prime mess, 55s; extra India mess, 60s.

Pork—Dull; Prime mess, fine western, 45s; do, medium, western, 42s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., firm, 35s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs., steady, 28s 6d; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, firm, 30s; long clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs, steady, 28s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, steady, 28s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, steady, 28s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 30s.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, easy, 22s 6d.

Lard—Prime western, dull, 27s 6d; American refined, in 28-pound pails, dull, 27s 6d.

Butter—Finest American, 88s; good, 65s.

Rosin—Common, steady, 4s.

Cheese—firm; American finest white, 52s 6d, do, colored, 52s 6d.

Tallow—Prime city, steady, 23s; Australian at London, steady, 21s 3d.

Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, firm, 15s 9d.

Turpentine spirits—Firm, 33s 9d.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast) firm, £4 10s to £4 15s.

Linseed oil—19s.

Petroleum—Refined, 6s.

American Markets.

CHICAGO, April 13.—Opening—Wheat, May, 73¾c; July, 72½c. Corn, May, 34⅞c; July, 35⅝c. Oats, July, 25¼c; May, 26¾. Pork, May, $8 85; July, $9. Lard, May, $5 10; Sept., $5 37½; July, $5 22½. Ribs, May, $4 60; July, $4 72½.

NEW YORK, April 13.—Flour—Receipts, 26,045 barrels; sales, 2,300 packages; state and western gained strength and was held 5c to 10c higher, with a moderate trade at the advance. Rye flour—Steadier; sales, 150 barrels; good to fair, $3 to $3 15; choice to fancy, $3 20 to $3 40. Wheat—Receipts, 35,150 bu; sales, 1,780,000; options strong and active all morning on continued unfavorable crop news, outside buying and bullish cables; May, 77½c to 78⅜c; July, 76 15-16c to 77 11-16c; Sept., 75⅝ to 76c. Rye—Firm; state, 61c; No. 2 western, 65½c to 66c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 975 bu; sales, 40,000 bu; options stronger on cables and further shipping demands; May, 40¼c July, 40½c to 40⅝c. Oats—Receipts, 112,400 bu; options dull; track, white, state and western, 35c to 38½c. Butter—Receipts, 2,763 packages; weak, state dairy, 15c to 19½c. Cheese—Receipts, 2,359 packages; firm. Eggs—Receipts, 8,645 packages; firm; state and Pennsylvania, 14c; western, 13¾c to 14c; southern, 13c to 13¾c. Sugar—Raw, firm; fair refining, 4 1-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 9-16c; molasses sugar, 3 15-16c; refined firm. Coffee—Firm: No. 7, 6 5-16c. Hops—Steady. Lead—Easier; bullion, $4 10; exchange, $4 27½ to $4 32½. Potatoes—Steady.

BUFFALO, April 13.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 82c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 77½c. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 39½c; No. 3 corn, 39c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 33¾c; No. 3 white, 33c, on track.

DETROIT, April 13.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 73½c; No. 2 red, cash, 74c; May, 74¾c; July, 74¼c.

TOLEDO, April 13.—Wheat—Cash, 74¼c; May, 74¾c; July, 74c. Corn—Cash, 35½c; May, 35⅝c. Oats—Cash, 28½c; May, 28c.

MILWAUKEE, April 13.—Wheat—Cash, 73c.

Chicago Exchange.

CHICAGO, April 13.

Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1278.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—May	72⅞	74⅜	72⅝	74⅜
July	72½-73	74¼	72⅝	74⅝
Corn—May	35	36½	35	35¾
July	35¼	36⅛	35¼	35⅞
Oats—May	26⅞	27	26¾	26⅞
July	25¼	25¾	25⅛	25¼
Pork—May	8 85	9 00	8 85	9 00
July	9 00	9 15	9 00	9 15
Lard—May	5 10	5 17	5 10	5 15
Ribs—May	4 60	4 67	4 60	4 65

Puts, 73½c. Calls, 76⅝.

Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, April 13.—Hogs—Estimated receipts today, 25,000; tomorrow, 21,000; left over, 4,174; weak to 5c lower; mixed and butchers, $3 60 to $3 82½; good heavy, $3 75 to $3 87½; rough heavy, $3 50 to $3 65; light, $3 60 to $3 77½. Cattle—Receipts, 6,500; steady; beeves, $4 10 to $5 75; cows and heifers, $1 75 to $4 90; Texas steers, $3 75 to $4 85; stockers and feeders, $3 50 to $5 15.

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Latest Probabilities

Toronto, April 13 — 10 a.m. — Probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours: Fresh southeasterly, shifting to southwesterly winds; cloudy to fair; local showers or thunderstorms.

Friday, fair for the most part, and comparatively warm.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—The dog-catcher is out. Get your tag, Fido!

—Charles Keener has been adjudged insane by Judge William Elliot.

—Dr. James D. Wilson has returned from Mexico and removed to his new office, corner of Talbot and Fullerton streets.

—The funeral of the late Robert McLaren, of London township, took place this afternoon to Decker's cemetery, con. 10, and was largely attended.

—The remains of the late Miss Marianne Newhall, who died in the city hospital yesterday, were sent to Toronto this afternoon for interment.

—The weekly sittings of the high court have been further adjourned until Saturday, Mr. Justice MacMahon being unable to attend here tomorrow.

—The river at the waterworks at 2 o'clock this afternoon was twenty inches lower than it was 24 hours before. When the water was at its greatest height yesterday it was six feet below high water mark at the dam.

—A quantity of chemicals in the cellar of the Saunders Wholesale Drug Company, which was badly damaged by fire recently, became ignited last night, and kept the fire department busy for an hour before the blaze was extinguished. The loss was small.

—The case of Greenaway vs. Gardiner came up before Judge Edward Elliott, at the county court, today. It is an action by Mr. Greenaway, plumber, to have paid $140, balance due on a heating apparatus put in Mrs. (Dr.) Gardiner's residence. Defendant puts in a counter claim. The case is in progress.

—Dr. Jennie Carson has received another letter from her sister, Dr. Susie Rijnhart, whose husband was murdered in Thibet. This letter is of a private nature, but the information is conveyed that the reported mutiny in the country she is in is not correct. Dr. Rijnhart writes from Ta Chien Lu.

—Mr. Will Mitcheltree, of the market house, is out again after being confined to his room for several weeks. From a slight cut on the hand, blood poisoning set in, and affected the left arm and shoulder. After an operation performed two weeks ago Mr. Mitcheltree has continued to improve.

—The committee in charge of the Concordia Club social, held Tuesday evening in the London Mutual Hall, were Messrs. J. Sullivan, A. Glover, F. Andrews, W. Donaghy, A. Hodgins and W. Smith. There were present 120 guests. The affair was a great success. Dancing was a feature of the evening's enjoyment.

—In Cockshutt vs. Curry, at Osgoode Hall—Gibbons, Q.C., and J. Bicknell, for plaintiffs, moved to continue injunction granted by local judge at Sarnia. Shepley, Q.C., for defendant Cady. J. H. Moss for defendants the Commercial Bank and Hartsuff. W. H. Blake for defendant Flintoft. J. D. Montgomery for defendant Sanders. No one for defendants Curry & Co. Reserved.

—Mr. John Slade, of Sydenham street, had two pet cats and a dog poisoned this week. It is reported that many valuable dogs have been poisoned in the same neighborhood recently.

INSPECTING THE SEWER SYSTEM.

Consulting Engineer Chipman accompanied the sewer committee on a tour of inspection over the city sewer system and the asylum sewage farm this afternoon. One of the chief objects of Mr. Chipman's visit is to look over the damaged crib-work supporting the steel conduit at the cove.

HAMILTON MOLDERS.

Another meeting of the Molders' Union was held last night, when organized Keough reported that the foundrymen, in addition to granting an advance of ten per cent, had agreed to recognize shop committees. The molders entered into an agreement for a year, and the difficulty is now settled. It is reported that an agreement had also been made between the foundrymen and molders in London and Brantford.

HIGH PRICED LAND.

Several properties are spoken of as likely sites for the proposed armory, some of which are bonded. Among the latter is the O'Callaghan Terrace. The negotiations have caused a big jump in the prices of some of the properties deemed suitable. A strip of land with 17 feet frontage forms part of one of these sites, it is said, and the owner is asking $5,000 for it. There are, however, so many properties available, that the citizens' committee will, no doubt, be able to get one at reasonable terms.

SUMMERHOLM.

The summer outing home of the Young Women's Christian Association was greatly improved last year by the addition of four new rooms, the enlarging of the kitchen, and the building of a fine wide veranda around the house. The cost of these improvements was about $300, all of which has been raised except $50, and the Summerholm board ask the hearty co-operation of the public in making the exhibition and sale of home-made cakes, which is to be held Friday afternoon and evening, a great success. All kinds of home-made cakes will be received Friday morning, and will be for sale at the Y. W. C. A., 296 Dundas street.

NEXT WEEK AT THE GRAND.

Mr. Geo. Heath, the young romantic actor, surrounded by his own New York company, come to the Grand Opera House for all next week, in a repertoire of plays that have been carefully selected for their merit. Their plays are staged in a manner leaving no room for criticism on the part of the audience. Large audiences have greeted Mr. Heath wherever he has appeared, and his excellent rendition of every part he plays will be one of the most enjoyable features to be witnessed by those attending the performances. The plays as produced by him never grow old. Miss Marie St. John, the talented actress, will assume the leading roles, and she leaves no room for improvement. Among the plays to be produced are: "Our Strategists," "Lynwood in '64," "Caste," "Our Bachelors," and "The Russian Serf." These will be given with the full strength of the company at popular prices. A change of bill is advertised for every performance.

ARCHBISHOP O'CONNOR.

The installation of the new archbishop takes place on Wednesday, May 3, at St. Michael's Cathedral, Toronto. All the ecclesiastical dignitaries of Canada are invited to be present, together with the priests of the dioceses of London and Toronto. The various civil officers have also received invitations to be present. The ceremony of the installation begins with a procession of the members of the clergy, who escort the new prelate to the door of the cathedral. There he is met by one of the older and more eminent priests of the diocese, who gives him the holy water and incenses him. The procession reforms and the "Te Deum" is chanted. Then the above-mentioned priest recites prayers for the welfare of the bishop. Afterwards the bishop receives the obedience of the diocesan priests, who kiss his hands. He again returns to the altar and recites the prayer of the Titular of the Cathedral. Mass is then celebrated as usual. When the archbishop has been inducted to his home the clergy of the archdiocese will present their address of welcome, to be read by one of the deans. This will be followed by an address from the laity.

MR. HANNAH TOOK THE CHAIR.

A social evening was spent in lecture room of Memorial Church last night, the occasion being the annual meeting of the teachers and officers of the Sunday school. The statements submitted show the Sabbath school to be in a flourishing condition. A pleasant feature of the evening's proceedings was the reading of an address to Assistant Superintendent R. S. Hannah, who leaves London to embark in business in Mitchell, expressing regret that circumstances take him from among them, and wishing him every success in his new enterprise. The address was read by Mr. T. J. R. Crawford, and Mr. Thomas H. Luscombe presented Mr. Hannah with a handsome oak chair on behalf of the school. The address was signed by C. H. Armitage, superintendent; J. H. Hambly, Mrs. James W. Thorpe, Flavia Holland and H. A. Anstie.

The following officers were elected: Superintendent, C. H. Armitage; assistant superintendent, John H. Hambly; secretary, Thos. J. R. Crawford; treasurer, W. J. Smith; librarian, J. F. Doherty; assistants, A. Bridle and B. Smith; secretary to library and association, Chas. Barnard.

After the reading of the report a social season was spent.

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

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

TWINS IN THE DIVORCE COURT

Lady Rose Leigh's Husband Wants His Marriage Annulled.

English Manufacturers No Longer Afraid of German Competition—Marvelous Feat of Naval Constuction.

RUNS IN THE FAMILY.

London, April 13.—The chief divorce case of the London season will be that of John Blundell Leigh against his wife, Lady Rose Leigh, who is a daughter of the Marquis of Abergavenny. The co-respondent is the Earl of Cottenham. The defendant is twin sister of the Countess Cowley, who has divorced from her husband two years ago. Lord William Neville, who was sentenced to five years' imprisonment in February, 1898, for fraudulently obtaining indorsements to his notes, is her brother.

SHEFFIELD'S BETE NOIR.

London, April 13.—The Sheffield Telegraph, in a long leader of pessimistic tone, says: Nowadays America, and not Germany, is the bete noir of the home hardware industry. An immense amount of work is being done in America that England ought to do.

AT THE THEATER.

London, April 13. — Mr. Joseph H. Choate, United States ambassador, and Mr. Arthur J. Balfour, occupied a box at the Shaftesbury Theater last evening, when E. J. Connelly and Miss Osborne made their debut in "The Belle of New York."

TWENTY-THREE LIVES LOST.

Brest, France, April 13.—Three fishing smacks were wrecked and twenty-one members of the crews lost their lives during the recent gale off the French coast.

REMARKABLE FEAT.

London, April 13.—The British steamer Milwaukee of Liverpool, which while on a voyage from Newcastle-on-Tyne for New Orleans, went ashore on Sept. 16 last at Port Erreil, nine miles south of Peterhead, was relaunched on the Tyne yesterday. The feat of saving half the steamer and rebuilding the missing portion has aroused the greatest interest among naval architects. The afterpart of the Milwaukee was raised by the Liverpool Salvage Association and towed safely to the Albert Edward dock. She was of 4,775 tons net, was badly damaged in No. 2 hold, and had her bottom crushed in just under the forepart of the bridge. The rock protruded through the bottom of the hold for 30 feet. Her position was extremely difficult, and the work of wrecking and repairing called for the greatest ingenuity.

AMERICAN CAPITAL FOR CANADA

Buffalo and Cleveland Men Want to Invest

In Building Elevators and Deepening Harbors to Catch the Grain Trade.

[G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, April 13.—W. J. Connors, of Buffalo, W. Colby, and R. W. Goulder, and Colgate White, of Cleveland, are here today, interviewing the premier in connection with the project to erect large elevators at Montreal, and to deepen the harbors at Port Colborne and Port Dalhousie, so that they could place 7,000-ton steamers on the upper lakes and transfer a large part of the trade which now goes by Buffalo to find its way to Montreal. They are willing that the elevators of Montreal should be controlled by Canadians, so that the objection raised to an American syndicate should disappear. Elevators would also be built at Port Colborne and Port Dalhousie.

Reeve Matthews, D. McGillivray, and D. W. Carter, Port Colborne, are also in the city in connection with the improvements of the harbor there.

Mr. Tarte was too ill to be present at the interview between the premier and the Buffalo men. The Port Colborne delegation has not all arrived yet.

OPPOSITION CAUCUS.

[Special to The Advertiser per G.N.W.]

Ottawa, April 13.—An opposition caucus was held this forenoon. Mr. McDonald, Prince Edward Island, was in the chair. It was decided to get an amendment to the Yukon charges put as early as possible. The question of putting further amendments was held in abeyance.

COOLING OFF

German Press Talks More Sanely About Samoan Matters.

Berlin, April 13.—The German press this morning gives yesterday's news calmly and mostly without comment. The Cologne Gazette remarks: "We need not say that if the guilt of the manager of the German plantation shall be proven, Germany will approve of his arrest, and the demand of his punishment. We will not defend the behavior of a German abroad merely because he is a German. The Cologne Gazette also admits that Dr. Raffel (the German president of the municipal council of Apia) acted illegally in closing the chief justice's office, and says: "The other two powers, we hope, will also admit the illegal acts of their representatives."

The Tageblatt calls the arrest of the German manager of the plantation in which the ambuscade took place, "illegal," saying: "Our consul is the only competent judge."

The Lokal-Anzeiger expresses the opinion that the affair shows the need of prompt action by the commission.

The Vossiche-Zeitung says: "Whatever action the German Government takes it will find itself fully backed by the Reichstag."

A number of leading papers like the Deutsche Zeitung, Schleische Zeitung, and Hanover Courier, points out the necessity of a larger navy.

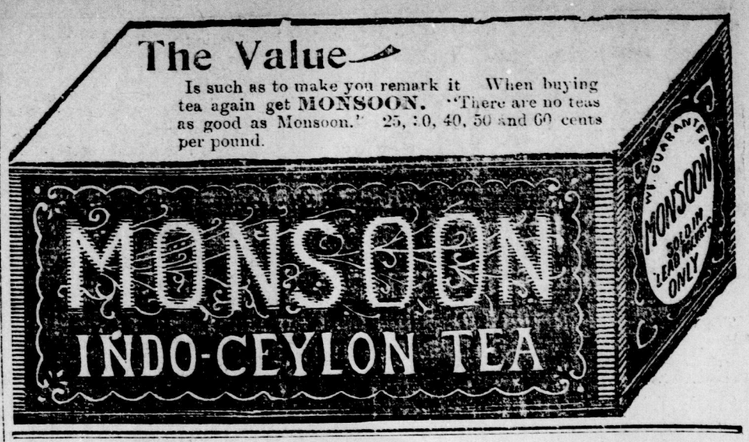
The reichstag interpellation on the subject of Samoa is signed by a majority of the Center, Reichpartie, Conservatives and National Liberals, and ask the government for information regarding the events in Samoa which have injured German interests so seriously.

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April 13.	At.	From.
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THE ADAMS CASE

A Letter That May Throw Light on a New York Murder Mystery.

New York, April 13.—Captain McClusky, of the detective bureau, announced today that he had discovered the "most important evidence yet procured against Roland B. Molineux, accused of the murder of Mrs. Adams. McClusky described it as the "connecting link" in the case. The evidence is a letter, written, Captain McClusky says, on the same blue paper containing the three crescents, as the Barnet and Cornish letters. The handwriting, Captain McClusky says, is undoubtedly Molineux's. This letter was sent to a patent medicine dealer and requested some of his medicine. Captain McClusky states that Molineux testified at the inquest that he had never written to a patent medicine dealer. The letter came from Oakgrove Kennels, Moodus, Conn. It was accompanied by the following communication:

"Dear Sir,—One of my girls found the inclosed letter in a batch of 10,000 that we purchased from Dr. James S. Burns, now of Hodges building, Detroit, Mich., but formerly of 350 Columbus avenue, New York city. It strikes me that some of Barnet's letters which we found contained the same silver crest as appears upon the letter from Molineux, herewith inclosed. F. C. Fowler."

Fowler is a patent medicine man, who buys letters all over the country for the purpose of getting addresses. The letter has no date and reads: "Dear Sir,—Please find inclosed 25 cents, for which send remedy, and oblige."

The letter was signed by Roland B. Molineux, "6 Jersey street, Newark, N. J."

The Old Dam

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

"That Old Dam Not to Blame." This is the heading of a short article in the Advertiser of last night, in which you say: "At the foot of Dundas street the water was within four feet of the top of London West breakwater." Let me tell you that last year the water was within eight inches of the top of the breakwater at this place. Further, Pumping Engineer Findlay says the present conditions proves that the dam played no part in the West London floods, and yet you say there is only three feet of water running over the portion of the dam still remaining, and according to Engineer Findlay's report of former years there was from 6 to 8 feet of water running over the dam at the time of the London West floods. If a gap of 50 feet in the dam is enough to lower the water 5 feet 6 inches at Dundas street, how much lower would it be if there were no dam in the river? Take away the dam and London West will not require a breakwater.

You will confer a favor on your oldest subscriber by inserting the above.

JAS. CAMPBELL.

London, April 13.

OLD BOSTON MUSEUM SCORCHED.

Boston, Mass., April 13.—The Boston Museum on Tremont street, the oldest playhouse in this city, was badly damaged by fire at five o'clock this morning. Loss to the museum estimated at about $80,000. Several firms who occupied stores on the street floor and beneath the auditorium sustained damage by water. The property of "The Christian," which was being given at the theater, was not seriously injured.

Apt Quotations.

Proverbs, axioms and wise sayings have been uttered by Confucius and other wise men from time immemorial, but few people realize how many there are of them. C. I. Hood & Co., of Sarsaparilla fame, have over two thousand, and they have originated the ingenious plan of serving them up in delectable shape in thousands of newspapers, with each one neatly turning a point as to the merit of their well-known medicine. The extensive use of these proverbs is original and creditable to Hood & Co.

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Title and ancestry render a good man more illustrious, but an ill one more contemptible.—Addison.

Affectation lights a candle to our defects, and though it may gratify ourselves, it disgusts all others.—Lavater.

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To Whom She Said "Yes."

"My mother," he interposed, "is one of the best of women, and if I had been candid with her, much—perhaps all—of this misery would have been avoided."

"Misery, indeed," sighed Verna. "Is it because you fancy that what has happened renders you unworthy of me, that you speak thus? There have been times, Frank, when I have fancied——"

She let her head droop on her shoulder, but placing her in a chair, he retreated a step or two, and stood sorrowfully regarding her.

"Must I lay bare my heart to you, Verna? Must I humble myself till even you will repent that you were so kind to me? You are right; there were times when your wealth tempted me, when I left your presence, saying to myself why should I refuse the goods the gods tender me? If in the days to come Verna discovers that it is solely to possess myself of her fortune I have wedded her, can she—dare she—complain? If I did not act the despicable part you tempted me to play, it was because I had met a good angel, and she stood between me and all such worldly, degrading temptations."

"Your good angel!" retorted Verna, maliciously, for his manner, as much as his words, stung her into wrath, "has played you a sorry trick, Captain Lyssendon, in return for all this self-abnegation. Will she also stand between you and the twelvemonths' imprisonment your friends are prognosticating?"

Her eyes were flashing angry fire. Has not the poet told us there is no fury like a woman scorned, and Frank, seeing this, snatched up his hat.

"My mother will tell you," he answered, gently, "what her pleadings have effected, and how it is that Eden herself will save me from the punishment I have so richly deserved. One of the servants shall inform her that you are here, and she perhaps will find some way of convincing you that I am more grateful for your proffered friendship than I may appear."

The next moment he had closed the door, and Verna Merstham was acknowledging at last that the love she had once thought it would be so easy to regain was lost to her past recall.

CHAPTER XXIX.

In the ivy-mantled church at Eastham it was arranged that Eden Aubrey and Frank Lyssendon should be wedded, and, thanks to Mr. Stretby, the few necessary arrangements were made with such secrecy and dispatch that very few beyond his own household were aware that the ceremony would take place at all.

On the preceding evening Mrs. Aubrey walked to The Beeches, and requested an interview with Captain Lyssendon. When left together they eyed each other with scarcely-concealed distrust. She saw in him a reckless roue, who had sought her child, and poured his flatteries into her credulous ears merely pour passer le temps; while he believed that she had done her utmost to prejudice Eden against him, and keep them apart. Still, he did not forget that she was Eden's mother, and he was so deferential in his manner that she was forced to be equally polite.

"I am here on such an unpleasant mission," she said, "that perhaps the best thing I can do will be to come to the point, even though it forces me to seem blunt and unfeeling."

"I can never think Mrs. Aubrey either the one or the other while she speaks in the interests of her daughter," he answered, gently, as he placed a chair for her, and took up his own station on the other side of the chair.

"I will, then, tell you at once that Eden wishes to be assured that the conditions on which she agreed to this marriage will be faithfully observed by you."

His grave face slightly flushed.

"My mother told me that I must not hope to win Eden's forgiveness yet, and I am prepared to exile myself for a few years, if she desires it; but she will surely permit me to write to her! to hope that when time has proved the depth, not only of my contrition, but my love, she will give me back hers."

Mrs. Aubrey was affected by the manly earnestness with which he urged this, but her answer was decisive.

"Captain Lyssendon, it would not be right for me to encourage hopes that will never be fulfilled. Eden does not consent to this marriage for your sake, but for your parents'. It is not to you she said 'Yes,' when entreated to agree to it, but your mother. She is wholly indifferent to where you reside, so that you pledge yourself to abide by the conditions on which she insists; you must never claim her as your wife, but go your way, and let her go hers, strangers in everything but the mere form you will go through tomorrow."

"And how long is this to last?" he demanded, hoarsely.

"Until Eden is of age, when steps can be taken to annul the marriage, and set both of you free."

He shaded his face from the eyes of the watchful mother, but she could see that he gnawed his lip fiercely in the pain her words inflicted.

"Must I pledge myself to this?" he said, at last. "Is she so unforgiving? Well, then, go back to her, and tell her that the sharpest sentence of the law will be easier to endure than to know that she is mine, and yet loathes me so that she longs intensely for the hour when she can break the hateful bond. I will spare your daughter the pain of going to the altar with me, Mrs. Aubrey. I will abide my trial."

"And your parents?" she said, hesitatingly.

He winced at this question. His poor mother! She was so hopeful that all would be settled satisfactorily.

"Heaven help me!" he muttered, "for I know not what I ought to do."

He paced the room, while Mrs. Aubrey sat in apparently unmoved silence, though in truth she found it difficult to keep her heart hardened against him. Putting all else aside, she had learned to dread intensely any further agitation for Eden. The young girl had nerved herself to go through the ceremony of the morrow; that over, she had said she should be at peace, and might be able to forget. But to go back, and tell her that Captain Lyssendon rejected her terms, and she must look forward to appearing against him, would revive all the nervous excitement the doctor warned her to avoid.

"I think this marriage must take place," she said, sadly. "It will spare Eden a frightful ordeal; and you are not justified in considering your own feelings and wishes instead of those of the young girl you have so cruelly injured."

"And is there no hope that she will ever relent?"

He came and stood before her as he asked this, with such passionate love in the eyes he fixed upon her, that she could not answer him harshly.

"I do not think Eden contemplated your asking me this question," Mrs. Aubrey said, after a little pause. "I believe she has lost all faith in the love that testified itself in such a dishonorable act. But I will repeat to her what you have said; I can do no more. It is quite understood, is it not, that my child will remain in my care?"

His "Yes" was groaned rather than spoken. Never had Eden been so dear to him as now that he was compelled to feel that he had lost her—that the vows she would utter on the morrow would be spoken with the lips, but not the heart, and that he must never hope to kiss those lips again.

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GERTIE'S GRIEF

Was to Have Married on Her Birthday, but the Bridegroom Came Not.

Detroit, April 13. — Yesterday was Gertie Durfrey's 22nd birthday, and was to have been her wedding day. But she sits brooding the absence of the bridegroom and finds no brightness in the spring sunshine that finds entrance into the home of her aunt, Mrs. W. K. Durfrey, 516 Seventeenth street, where she is visiting.

The home of the disappointed bride-elect is Newbury, Ont. It was during a visit here last fall that she met Charles Barrett, a young man employed by Robert Sprich, the Grand River avenue baker, and promised to be his bride. The story of how Barry quit his employment and left a note stating that he would leave town never to return, has been told. Gertie had a faint, lingering hope that he would return for his wedding yesterday, but nothing has been heard from him. Gertie says now: "I don't care if he never comes back."

SAD ACCIDENTS

Boy Accidentally Kills Himself—Lady Fatally Kicked by a Horse.

SHOT HIMSELF IN THE HEART.

Dunnville, Ont., April 13.—Allen Richardson, aged 11, only son of Mr. Richardson, jeweler, accidentally shot himself through the heart while playing with a revolver at his home yesterday afternoon.

KICKED TO DEATH.

Clayton, Mich., April 13.—Mrs. Eveline Love, while feeding the family horse, received several kicks, from the effects of which she died in a few minutes.

THE GASPESIA ALL RIGHT.

Toronto, April 13.—Advices from Cape Race state that the Gaspesia has passed that point under her own steam, en route to St. Johns, Nfld., thence to Milford Haven. The ship is in splendid condition, uninjured by ice, and passengers and crew all well.

TUNNEL TRAFFIC.

Sarnia, April 13.—February and March were the banner months for traffic through the St. Clair tunnel. In February 14,829 west-bound and 13,692 east-bound cars, a total of 28,521, were handled. In March the figures were 11,274 west-bound cars, a total of 22,679. That for March was the biggest month's traffic since the tunnel opened.

CONCLUDING SESSIONS

Of the Western Congregational Union.

Platform Meeting in the Evening—Able Addresses Delivered.

At the afternoon session of the Western Congregational Union yesterday, Rev. C. E. Bolton, of Bellwood, was chosen to represent the association on the executive committee of the Canadian Congregational Missionary Society.

An instructive and interesting paper was read by Rev. Mr. Gunn on "Eye-Gate Sermons."

Revs. J. W. Goffin, of Wingham, and W. T. Gunn, of Embro, were received into membership by letters of transfer.

The afternoon session was brought to a close with a discussion on the subject of "The Denominational Outlook." It was in charge of Rev. J. K. Unsworth, of Scotland. A paper was received from Rev. A. F. McGregor, of Toronto, missionary superintendent of the Dominion, in which he spoke of the outlook for denominational life and work in Canada. He thought the outlook was never better, never brighter.

Rev. J. W. Pedley, city, spoke on the prospects of the Congregational College of Canada, highly complimenting Dr. George, the principal. The endowment fund had increased by one-half since Dr. George took charge.

Rev. W. T. Gunn, of Embro, treasurer of the Canada Congregational Foreign Missionary Society, gave a resume of that society's work, and showed the rapid progress being made.

Rev. John Schofield, Dr. Beavis and W. J. Hindley and Mr. Silcox, of Frome, also spoke in a very hopeful strain of the outlook for Congregationalism at home.

The visitors were entertained to tea by the ladies of the First Church, at the close of the session.

IN THE EVENING.

A platform meeting was held in the evening, at which addresses were delivered by a numbev of the visiting clergymen. The chair was taken by the president of the association, Rev. A. Margrett. There was a fair-sized audience.

The church choir contributed to the musical programme. Rev. A. F. Pollock, of Speedside, and Miss Fowler, of London, sang a duet. A silk banner was presented to the Christian Endeavor Society of Guelph for having passed the best examination on Morton's handbook on Congregationalism. Rev. Mr. Beavis, of Hamilton, made the presentation. Mr. F. Evans, of Guelph, replied.

Other speakers were Rev. Messrs. Hindley, of Guelph; Mackenzie, of Stratford; Molding Baker, of Woodstock, and Bolton, of Bellwood.

WHAT MISSIONS HAVE DONE

Saved India to the Empire Says Prof Cady.

The centenary of the Church Missionary Society of England was celebrated at St. Paul's Cathedral last evening in the presence of a congregation that almost filled the church. The services were conducted by the Dean of Huron, assisted by Archdeacons Davis and Marsh, Canons Dann and Richardson, Prof. E. N. English, and Dr. Beaumont.

Prof. Cody, of Wycliffe College, Toronto, delivered an eloquent and intensely interesting missionary address. Boldly admitting the worldly and corrupt condition of the church in England at the time the society had its birth, the speaker pointed out that the missionary society had not only carried the Gospel to the dark places of earth, but had wrought the evangelization of the church itself. Referring to the foreign work, he said India had been saved to the British crown by the missionaries. The native Christians of India had remained loyal to England during the Sepoy rebellion, and thus saved India to the empire.

Prof. Cody recalled the jubilee of 50 years ago. Since that time progress had been steady. In 1887 the work had received a great impetus from the resolution on the part of the society to turn back no qualified person who wished to enter the mission work. Since then 575 names had been added. The society had 500 separate stations, 340 native preachers, and 5,700 lay agents. The revenue and number of adherents had increased enormously. Prof. Cody appealed for helpers in the field, and referred to several Londoners already in the work. A liberal offering was made at the close of the service.

TUPPER PRAISES THE SCHEME

Congratulates Sir Wilfrid Laurier on the Pacific Cable Project.

Thinks It Will Pay—The Debate Still Flowing.

Ottawa, April 13.—Sir Charles Tupper, before the orders of the day were called yesterday in the commons, wished to congratulate the first minister on the announcement that the government had made arrangements for the construction of the Pacific cable. He regarded this as a most important matter, and one, on the satisfactory arrangement of which, the government, the house and the country, were to be congratulated. As for himself, he house knew that he had long ago satisfied himself that the scheme would not involve any obligation on the country, but, on the contrary, he believed that at no distant date it would prove a source of revenue. (Cheers.)

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said he accepted with gratification the expressions of satisfaction made by his honorable friend. Of course he might have expected it, knowing as he did the feeling of the honorable gentleman on the Pacific cable question. He hoped that in future when the government introduced some equally good measures they would receive as good support from his honorable friends.

Sir Charles Tupper—Certainly. (Applause.)

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES' INSURANCE.

Hon. Dr. Montague called attention to the statement made by the government last year, when the Sons of England bill was before the house, that it was proposed to introduce a general bill with respect to friendly secret societies doing insurance business, and asked if such a bill had been prepared and would be introduced this session. There were thousands of persons interested in the question throughout the Dominion, and especially in Ontario, and there was a general desire to know if it was intended to introduce the bill this year.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said he was not in a position to make any statement at present, but would like his honorable friend to renew his question in a few days.

HUTTON'S NEW SCHEME.

Mr. McNeil wished to make a personal explanation with regard to Major-General Hutton's proposal for reconstructing the defense forces of the Dominion. While he was in favor of securing the utmost military and naval efficiency, he did not think this country could afford to pay a million and a half dollars a year for an efficient force. (Applause.)

THE TALKING MACHINE.

The debate was then resumed, and flowed calmly and deliberately along, with very little interruption, and but moderate applause from a scanty house. The debate was confined to three speakers, Messrs. McDougall and McLennan on the opposition side, and Mr. Frost on behalf of the government, the six hours' time being fairly well divided. Hon. Sidney Fisher has the floor today.

The following bills were introduced and read a first time:

To incorporate the Canadian Inland Transportation Company—Mr. Bertram.

To incorporate the Canadian Yukon Railway Company—Mr. Morrison.

To authorize the Bank of Nova Scotia to issue sterling notes for circulation in the Island of Jamaica—Mr. Borden.

Respecting the Eastern Trust Company—Mr. Borden.

To further amend the general inspection act—Mr. Penny. This is to provide for the inspection of fruit.

To define the size of small fruit packages—Mr. Penny.

THE SENATE.

In reply to a question by Senator Perley in the senate yesterday, Hon. David Mills said that the amount of binder twine manufactured in Kingston Penitentiary during the past season was 534,800 pounds, all of which was sold by tender to Messrs. Hobbs & Co., of London. The government was not in a position to give the prices paid until the twine was marketed.

Senator Macdonald (British Columbia) gave notice that he would ask the government on Monday next whether, in view of the rapid increase in the revenues derived from the Province of British Columbia, and the large increase in the population, it was the intention of the government to give that province increased representation in parliament.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell intimated that it was his intention to move for a return of all correspondence not already brought down in connection with the laying of the Pacific cable. He understood that the government had come to a decision on the question of the laying of the cable. The matter could, however, be more fully discussed when the motion was made. He would like to know if the announcement made was correct.

Hon. David Mills said that the government had the question under favorable consideration, but at present no further announcement could be made.

A bill for granting the divorce of David Stock, of Toronto, was read a second time and referred to the divorce committee.

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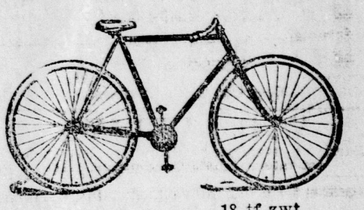
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Eleven years ago the body of Mrs. Stephen Collins was buried in St. Mary's cemetery, Niagara Falls, N. Y. On Wednesday the body was exhumed to remove it to another resting-place, and was found to have turned to stone.

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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Ont., April 12, 10 p.m.—The general weather conditions are now decidedly unsettled. A pronounced low area is moving quickly towards the lake region from the westward, and another of equal importance, which has approached Nova Scotia from the Atlantic, is causing cold northwest winds, with rain and sleet in the eastern portion of the Maritime Provinces. Temperatures of over 70 degrees are reported from the Northwest States, and the states immediately south of the lakes and of almost 70 degrees from Western Ontario, but in the Ottawa valley and eastward the temperature has not risen. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 38-46; Kamloops, 34-50; Calgary, 32-48; Winnipeg, 28-60; Parry Sound, 38-46; Toronto, 40-63; Ottawa, 32-38; Montreal, 34-40; Quebec, 26-38; Halifax, 30-36.

Local temperature—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Wednesday, April 12, were 62 and 40 above.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

—Duncan McArthur and family, of Fingal, have removed to London.

—Dr. H. Hogg left yesterday for New York, where he will walk the hospitals.

—Dr. Laidlaw has left St. Joseph's Hospital to take a post-graduate course in Toronto.

—Mrs. James R. Dewar, of Omaha, returned home last evening after a pleasant visit with London friends.

—Mr. McDowell, of the Chicago fire department, and formerly a member of the Atlantic baseball team here, is in the city.

—The Bishop of Huron arrived in Winnipeg yesterday. He was one of the speakers at the Church Missionary Society's 100th anniversary services in the evening.

—In the report of the recent examinations of the medical department of the Western University, the name of Mr. James Rogers, of Belmont, was inadvertently omitted in histology.

—Thomas and James McConnell, Rupert Savage, John Robertson, W. Reeves, Wm. Austin, Thomas Chamberlain and Zacariah Pickworth were before Squire J. B. Smyth yesterday, charged with trespassing on the G. T. R. property. They were fined $1 each and costs, but on account of the youth of the boys the fine was remitted.

—Mr. R. S. Hannah, who for the last few years has been an employe of Jas. Wright & Co., hardware merchants, has severed his connection with the London house and entered business on his own account at Mitchell. Prior to his departure his fellow-workmen presented him with a handsome gold watch and chain, accompanied by an address.

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SUPERINTENDENT McEWAN INJURED.

Rev. J. P. McEwen, superintendent of Baptist missions, well known in this city, narrowly escaped serious injury, if not death, at Toronto, on Saturday afternoon. While passing the building which workmen are demolishing at the corner of Richmond and Yonge streets, one of the workmen carelessly threw down a large beam, which struck the fence, knocking loose a board, which struck the reverend gentleman in the face. Mr. McEwen bears the mark of the accident in the form of swelling and great discoloration on one side of his face. It is certain that if the beam had gone over the fence, instead of against it, Mr. McEwen would have been killed.

SUCCESSFUL CONCERT.

A very successful and enjoyable concert was given last evening by the choir of St. George's Church, in the church schoolroom. The attendance was large and the audience very appreciative. The numbers were all well received, and many encores had to be responded to. Three choruses were given by the choir in excellent style. The following numbers were also on the programme: Piano duet, Messrs. W. and F. Ellis; solo, Miss E. Scott; reading, Mr. Black; violin solo, Mr. Winlow; solo, Miss Raymond; solo, Mr. Stockwell; piano solo, Mr. Fred Ellis; reading, Mr. Black; solo (violin obligato), Mrs. Ellis; trio, Messrs. Milligan, Ellis and Milligan; solo, Miss Scott; solo, Mr. Stockwell; violin solo, Mr. Winlow. The piano used was kindly loaned by Messrs. Heintzman & Co., through the kindness of Mr. J. Croden, manager.

THE W. C. T. U.

"Our Work Among the Lumbermen" was the educational subject brought before the W. C. T. U. at its last meeting. After the opening devotional exercises, which were conducted by Rev. R. Hobbs, and a small amount of business was disposed of, Mrs. Herald, superintendent of the department of work among lumbermen, took the chair. A letter of thanks from some shantymen for the interest taken in them by the W. C. T. U., and for the "comfort bags," which were sent them, was read. Short reports and incidents of the work were read by different ladies. Miss Sadie McEvoy read a selection, entitled "An Algoma Lumber Camp." The programme was varied by Mrs. Stevens singing the solo, "Savior Like a Shepnerd Lead Us," and Mrs. James and Mrs. Rapsey the duet, "Come to the Savior," in a most pleasing manner. The W.C.T.U. have three missionaries in the field—Miss Sproule, of Algoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Leckie, of Huntsville. A report of Mr. Leckie's work among the lumber camps of Northern Ontario was given by Mrs. Ager, the associate of this department.

THE ARCHBISHOP-ELECT HONORED.

Hamilton Times: This (Wednesday) morning a number of distinguished clergy of the Roman Catholic Church came here to meet Archbishop O'Connor, recently Bishop of London, at the residence of Bishop Dowling King street west, this city, to extend to him their hearty congratulations upon his appointment to the high and important office of archbishop. There were present his lordship Bishop Dowling, Very Rev. Father McCann, of Toronto, administrator of the diocese of Toronto; Mgr. Heenan, vicar-general of Dundas; Rev. Father Laurent, of Lindsay; Mgr. McEvay, of this city; Very Rev. Father Merijon, superior of St. Bazil's Community, Toronto; Rev. Father Kenny, S. J., of Guelph; Rev. Father Kilroy, of Stratford; Rev. Father Brennan, of St. Marys, and Rev. Father Hennessy, of Berlin. It is announced that the arrangements for the installation of the new archbishop and the question of a successor to Archbishop O'Connor in the bishopric of London will be discussed while they are here.

KINDERGARTEN MATTERS.

Interesting reports of the kindergarten section of the Ontario Educational Association were given at the Froebel Society on Tuesday, by Misses Mackenzie, Brenton and Laidlaw. Recommendations were made by the kindergarten department to the minister of education to put a definite time limit on assistants' certificates (two years), to raise the age of admission to kindergarten training classes to 18 years, and to require of all candidates for admission a second-class certificate, or its equivalent. Other business matters were discussed. Miss Mackenzie gave a synopsis of an interesting paper by Prof. Hume, Toronto University, from whom the Froebel Society hope to secure a lecture at an early date. Outlines of other papers were given, and Miss Anning's paper, "Practical Problems in Public Kindergartens," was read. Miss Anning has charge of a charity kindergarten in Belleville, which she opened three years ago, her services being given without salary. Miss Adair's paper before the combined public school, kindergarten, inspectors' and training sections was also read, and very much enjoyed. The Froebel Society celebrate Froebel's birthday next week, in the Victoria kindergarten, where the mothers' meeting will be held.

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THINKS IT'S A GOOD THING

Ald. Graham's Opinion of Mr. A. Pattullo's Anti-Bonus Exemption Bill.

Manufacturers' Committee Discuss Ald. Carrothers' Proposal to Exempt Factory Machinery—Will Report Progress.

The manufacturers' committee gave some attention last evening to Ald. Carrothers' motion to exempt factory machinery and to tax the lands and buildings. Ald. Carrothers was absent and the motion lacked a champion. Action was deferred and progress will be reported to the council. The members present were Ald. Graham (in the chair), Jolly, McCallum and Winnett, ex-Ald. Hunt and Secretary Grant.

A statement of the assessment on factory machinery in the city had been requested by the council.

Mr. Grant explained that there was not a separate assessment on machinery. Portable machinery was considered personalty, and machinery built into the brick was assessed as real estate.

Ald. McCallum foresaw that manufacturers would be less apt to build if the motion were law. Further, he said, that as the machinery in use was made almost entirely out of the city, outside industries would get the benefit of the exemption. The manufacturers were well able to pay their taxes. Yet they were exempt, while there was many a poor man who daren't paint his veranda because he would have his assessment raised.

The secretary smiled.

Ald. Winnett said the motion would encourage inferior building.

Ald. Graham referred to Mr. A. Pattullo's bill, passed at the recent meeting of the legislature. By it, he said, the council would on Sept. 1 lose all power to give exemptions or fixed rates of any kind. It was a good bill, and he wished the government had put it in force at once. If carried out it would be a great big boom for London.

The other members of the committee were of the same opinion.

Mr. Grant pointed out that there were extensive factories in which there was very little machinery.

Ex-Ald. Hunt was in favor of exempting the buildings instead of the machinery. That would encourage building.

The chairman said they had been driven to give exemptions through competition of municipalities, and the threats of the manufacturers. He thought that the majority of those who applied for exemptions would willingly pay their taxes if their rivals did so.

A statement of the exemptions granted by the city was before the committee, and showed that the exemptions of Reid Bros., E. Leonard & Sons, and the Globe casket works expire in the latter part of this year; of John Ferguson & Sons and the London Furniture Company, next year; of Geo. White & Sons, and the Hobbs Hardware Company, in 1901, and of the McClary Manufacturing Company in 1902. The complete list was published in The Advertiser some time ago.

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Chief Councilor Russell Atkinson, of Council No. 75, Canadian Order of Chosen Friends, may will feel proud of the "Friends," and if success attends every effort of the organization to the degree that marked the annual banquet at the G. T. R. dining-hall last evening, the council is to be congratulated. At the head of the table sat Grand Councilor T. G. Davis. Over his head hung the much-coveted banner, which for the past three years it has been the good fortune of Council No. 75 to hold, as the prize for the largest membership. Over this again, the Union Jack and Old Glory were entwined, with pleasing effect. The tastefully-decorated tables, the garnished and embellished dishes, and the glowing and smiling faces of the 150 guests, were quite in keeping with all else, making the evening a most pleasant one. Friend E. T. Essery presided at the request of Grand Councilor Davis.

Mr. Essery, in a happy little speech, congratulated Council No. 75 upon the progress it had made, and the efforts put forth to secure such an elegant spread. For the past three years Council No. 75 had been the banner council of the Dominion, and he did not wonder, for he could see the secret of the great success in the galaxy of youth and beauty round the festive board.

Mr. W. H. Hewlett favored the company with a piano solo, after which Friend Essery presented Friend Alf. Crouch with the certificate of past grand councilor. In doing so he eulogized Mr. Crouch as one of the most worthy of all friends, one true to his duties and ever ready to obey the call of the needy. Past Grand Councilor Crouch replied appropriately.

Mr. E. Gardiner sang two solos in a most acceptable manner, and Mr. Thomas Alexander followed with two mirth-provoking recitations.

The chairman, in proposing the toast of "Sister Societies," spoke of the good work being done by the benefit societies of Canada. The money distributed by these societies would have easily built the C. P. R.

Mr. James Wilkins replied on behalf of the Ancient Order of Foresters.

Miss Hooper enlivened the proceedings at this juncture with a couple of solos, and Mr. W. Westman gave a recitation.

"Sister Councils" was responded to by F. J. Fitzgerald.

Miss Maude Fowler, Mr. Alfred Crouch, Mr. Wonderly and Mr. Thos. Treleaven sang and received hearty encores. After a vote of thanks to those who participated in the programme, the most successful banquet was brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

William Loughrey, chairman of the banquet committee, and E. Ruse, the secretary, were untiring in their efforts to make the affair a success.

AMUSEMENTS

On Saturday, matinee and night, at popular prices, Porter White's company will present at the Grand a spectacular production of "Faust." It is known as the masterpiece of Goethe, the German Shakespeare. The story is as follows: Faust, a learned alchemist, having reached the age when all pleasures that this world contains fail, invokes the aid of spirits. In response to his appeal, Mephisto appears and agrees to give him youth, upon condition that in the end his soul should belong to Mephisto. Faust is held spellbound by the vision of Marguerite, and accedes to Mephisto's demands. The aged philosopher is then transformed into a handsome youth. From this time forth his one thought is Marguerite. Then follows the meeting with her. Their mutual love, the poisoning of her mother, and the return of Valentine, her soldier brother, whose anguish and rage knew no bounds when informed of his blasted home. He meets Faust, and by the devil's aid, is killed. Insidious Mephisto excites the justice-loving neighbors of Marguerite, and she is carried off to prison. Faust finds his way into Marguerite's cell, only to find her demented. He proposes to carry her away, but the gentle spirit goes out, and Mephisto claims Faust as his own, but he is saved by the intervention of the spirits of repentance and remorse. The story closes with the Apotheosis, the greatest tableaux on the American stage. It would be impossible for pen to depict the magnitude of this production, which has been pronounced by all who have seen it, as a "moral lesson, better than a sermon." The scenic, mechanical and electrical surprises are simply marvelous. The company, which is a most capable one, is headed by Porter White as Mephisto.

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