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LONDON OPERA HOUSE.

CHRISTIAN

FRIDAY, APRIL

DANCING—PALACE ACADEMY—NEW dances just out—"The Bellfield" and "Summertime Gavotte." Private lessons any hour. Dayton & McCormick.

THE ALLAN LINE STEAMSHIP PHE ALLAN LINE STEAMSHIP Parisian sailed from Liverpool for Mon-treal April 18. She will sail, Montreal to Liverpool, Saturday, May 4. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Adver-

F. B. CLARKE'S STEAMSHIP TICKET F. B. CLARKE'S STEAMSHIP TICKET agency, Richmond street, next Advertiser, is the only office in the city making a specialty of ocean steamship and lake business. There you can get all the latest information. Kindly call, as I never canvass passengers. Superior facilities are appreciated by my clients.

VOICE CULTURE—EVA N. ROBLYN.
Pupils prepared for intermediate and
final examinations at Toronto Conservatory of Music, also for church and
concert solo work. 'Phone 1,270. Studio,
323 Dundas street. Concert engagements
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MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Western Ontario Bible Society will be held in St. Andrew's Church on Thursday, 25th inst., at 8 p.m. Addresses will be given by Rev. Cecil C. Owen and Rev. Elmore Harris, D.D., president of the Toronto Bible Training School. Bishop Baldwin will preside. Music by the choir of the church. Collection in aid of the society. All are cordially invited.

DOMESTICS WANTED.

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COOK WANTED - APPLY GRAND Central Hotel. F. E. Patton, proprie-

WANTED-EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant. Apply after 6 p.m., at 236 Central avenue. 4itf xt WANTED-GOOD GENERAL SER-VANT; wages, \$12 a month; no wash-ing or ironing; references. Address H., Advertiser Office. 52c

WANTED-GENERAL SERVANT AND dining-room girl. Apply at House.

NURSE GIRL WANTED-MAY 1, 1901 Apply to Mrs. Fisher, 300 Princess ave-

WANTED-THIS WEEK-50 GOOD girls; choice places, hotels, private houses. Mrs. Lockhart's employment office, 205½ Dundas street. 'Phone 944.

WANTED-EXPERIENCED GENERAL nt references. Mrs. Chisho

MALE HELP WANTED.

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WANTED-STRONG, STEADY MAN. Apply H. Porter, 97 Carling street. 53n GOOD FARM HAND-GOOD WAGES. Apply to J. Alford, Evelyn. 53c TWO MEN WANTED-WITH SOME experience in tile-making. Apply to R. Crosbie, Evelyn tile yard. 52k

PORTER WANTED - BRITANNIA

WANTED-AT ONCE, A BAKER, AS improver. Apply to W. C. Talbot, Aylmer, Ont. EXPERIENCED YOUNG SHOE CLERK

BOY WANTED FOR HARDWARE business. Apply Advertiser Office,

PORTER WANTED-APPLY AT FRA-SER House. 51c

WANTED-MEN TO LEARN BARBER WANTED—MEN TO LEARN BARBER trade—We teach the work in two months, donate tools, include board, and pay \$12 weekly when competent. Also give opportunity of Saturday and Sunday wages while learning. Our special offer good until May 1. Make application by mail, Moler Barber College, Buffalo, N. Y. 56n

HELP WANTED.

MAN OR WOMAN WANTED TO EM-PLOY and superintend agents; \$18 per week salary and expenses; permanent position. Ziegler Co., 220 Locust street, Philadelphia, Pa. 50h tx

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A. HOWAY HAS REMOVED, TO 868 Queen's avenue—House moving, building and repairing. Yard, 815 Queen's

F. B. LEYS' OFFICE WILL BE AT the London Hat. Cap and Mantle Manu-facturing Company, 355 and 357 Clar-ence street, for the present. 29tf

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SALESMEN WANTED AT ONCE FOR every township in Middlesex. We give exclusive sale and territory. Write us. U. S. Specialty Co., Adelaide street east, Toronto, Ont. 29a xt

AGENTS WANTED IN EVERY TOWN and city in Canada to sell Anchored Soap. It sells on sight. A delightful soap for the toilet, promoting healthy action of the skin and invigorating the system. Send 25c for a sample box of two cakes and silver-plated stand.

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No. 9 Masonic Temple, London, Ont.

PATENT MEDICINE AGENTS-WE have a proposition to offer you; send postcard; write quick. The Dr. Roberts Medicine Company. London. Ont.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST-A FOUR-LEAF CLOVER GOLD brooch. Reward at this office. b LOST-BROWN AND WHITE COLLIE pup. Return, De Witt Westman, 58 Craig. Reward.

ARTICLES FOR SALE. FOR SALE - FOUR DIFFERENT strains of thoroughbred game fowls. Apply 930 Maitland street. 52k

FOR SALE-LIGHT BUGGY AND harness. Apply 664 Dundas street. 53k FOR SALE-PRIZE BROWN LEG-HORN eggs, \$1 per setting. 42 Central avenue. 53c xwt

LIGHT SPRING DELIVERY WAGON and buggy; in good repair. Chas. Johns, 351 Talbot street.

FOR SALE-A GOOD DRIVING PONY,

FOR SALE-24 SHARES OF LONDON Loan stock. Offers for the same will be received addressed I. M., Box 419, London, Ont.

RON PROOF SAFE FOR SALE-298

FOR SALE-EGGS FROM A CHOICE pen of White Leghorns, 50 cents for thirteen, or 30 for \$1. J. W. Fletcher, Brownsville, Ont.

FOR SALE-LADY'S CLEVELAND BI-CYCLE; good as new. Apply 290 Central avenue. BEST WHITING FOR KALSOMINING

1 cent per lb; paints, oils, varnish, glass, putty, etc., half price. Scarrow, Lewis' old stand, 434 Richmond. 44tf WE CAN SAVE YOU FROM \$1 TO \$5 by purchasing your baby carriage or go-cart from us. Keene Bros., 127 King

YOU'LL BE SORRY IF YOU BUY A wheel before you see our handsome new models, \$27.50 to \$35. Dunlop tires, superb finish, highest grade materials throughout. None better at any price. Easy terms. Second-hand tires, 50c. Wheels to rent. J. H. Cunningham, 639 Dundas street.

THE CELEBRATED WAGGENER EX-TENSION Ladder, 20 and 25 cents a foot; the Lindenwood Extension Step-Ladder, 50 cents a foot. Call at factory, 405-409 York street, or write The Wag-goner Ladder Company, Limited, Lon-don. Catalogue free.

CHOICE LARGE ROLL BUTTER, 17c lb; 1 lb rolls, 19c; creamery; A1, 21c lb; fresh eggs, 11c dozen; lced coffee cakes, 10c lb; lemon, vanilla and fancy mixed biscuits, 10c lb; mustard and vinegar pickles, 15c quart; Heinz's spiced cucumbers, 15c quart; English fancy spiced pickles, in bottles, 10c; multiplying onions, 10c quart; Dutch sets, 13c quart, 2 quarts for 25c. T. A. Faulds, 687 Dundas street. Phone 1,192.

HAPPY THOUGHT RANGES AND ALL of stoves, new and second-hand ok stoves wanted; will pay cash at F. Keene's, 141 King street.

CHEAP COAL AND WOOD-A GOOD stock of the best hard coal and all kinds of soft coal, and the best quality of hard and soft wood, at the lowest cash price. Yard, William street and G. T. Railway. Green & Co. 'Phone 1,391.

IF YOU WANT A SNAP CALL AT Parish's and see a good range for coal or wood. Bedroom sets and all kinds furniture taken in exchange for new. Remember the place, 357 Talbot street, south of Market Square.

HARD WOOD-BEECH AND MAPLE-Best quality; also soft wood. Prompt delivery. S. Gillies & Son. 'Phone 1,312. FOR BEST COAL AND WOOD, DELIV-ERED free, city, try Wm. Buchanan, 633 Colborne. Phone 1096.

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SNAP IN NEW AND SECOND-HAND

Pianos during next ten days. One fine Piano, 71-3 octaves, guaranteed; only \$100. Heintzman & Co.,217 Dundas street. \$10,000 STOCK WALL PAPER, PAINTS, oils, glass, artists' materials, safe, show case, desks. Half price, Scarrow's, next Free Press, Richmond street.

FOR SALE-A FIRST-CLASS BILLIARD table (Samuel May & Co.). Apply this office, Box 97.

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Fancy Vestings we are offering very rich. Six and seven dollar vests for four dollars while they

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LOT FOR SALE—THAT VERY DESIR-ABLE lot, 550 Waterloo street, west side, 50 by 145; one block from Victoria Park. Apply 436½ Richmond street, up-stairs.

FOR SALE-137 ALBERT STREET—
Two-story brick house, 10 rooms, all modern conveniences; stable; large lot. Price moderate. Apply on premises.

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HOUSES, ETC., TO LET.

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TO LET-ON INKERMAN STREET-Nice cottage, in good repair; six rooms large lot; \$5 per month, including wat-er. A. Keenleyside, 380 Maitland street fic

TO LET-NO. 711 QUEEN'S AVENUE—Commodious brick cottage, newly renovated; large lot; good locality. Rent low. Key at Dobbin & Son's, Dundas street. TO RENT-FROM MAY 1-STORY AND a half brick house, on Central avenue, southwest corner William street. Apply 528 Dundas street.

FURNISHED COTTAGE-BY MONTH or season, at New Orchard Beach, Port Stanley. 183 Dundas street.

Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce, South London, late of London Furniture Company. 'Phone 310.

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FOR SALE-TEA BUSINESS, WITH regular trade; also buggy and safe. Must be sold quick. Apply 2721/2 Dundas FURNACE FITTING-GILMOUR & SON have opened a new general jobbing and repairing shop at 753 Dundas street,

where they will do all kinds of plumbing, iron pipe and gas fitting, eavestroughing, tin work and general repairing. Orders carefully and promptly attended to. Furnace fitting a special-

NOTICE Notice is hereby given that application will be made by the London, Aylmer and North Shore Electric Railway Company, in pursuance of sub-section 4 of section 9, of the "Electric Railway Act," and section 632 of the "Municipal Act," to the several municipal councils hereinafter named at their first regular meeting in the month of May, 1901, that is to say: The Townships of London, North Dorchester and Westminster, in the County of Middlesex, and the Town of Aylmer and the Townships of South Dorchester, Yarmouth, Malahide and Bayham, in the county of Elgin, for a bylaw to grant certain privileges to the said ham, in the county of Elgin, for a bylaw to grant certain privileges to the said Company, with authority to lay out, construct, make complete, alter and keep in repair a steel railway, to be operated by electricity, and to declare and prescribe the terms and conditions on which the same is to be constructed, maintained and worked, over, along and upon the following streets and highways, that is to say:

the following streets and highways, that is to say:

In the said Township of London, starting at the City of London, on the Brantford road, and continuing easterly along said road to where the same crosses the River Thames, in the said Township of Westminster, starting at the said River Thames, on the said Brantford road, and continuing easterly to the Village of Nilestown, and thence south along the town line between Westminster and the Township of North Dorchester to the Village of Belmont; thence south along the town line between the Townships of Yarmouth and South Dorchester, aforesaid, to the Village of Mapleton; thence easterly along the eleventh concession said, to the Village of Mapieton; thence easterly along the eleventh concession line of South Dorchester to what is known as the west quarter road, thence south to the town line between South Dorchester and Malahide, thence easterly to the Center road; thence southerly along the same through Malahide to the town of Aylmer, and thence continuing along said street (known also as John street) through Aylmer and south to the fourth concession line, thence east along fourth concession line, thence east along the same through the Village of Luton, and thence to the road between lots 20 and 21; thence south through the Village Mount Salem, and thence continuing to the first concession; thence along the said concession through the said Townships of Malahide and Bayham to the Village of Port Burwell.

Dated this 29th day of March, 1901.

W. E. STEVENS,

Solicitor for the said Company.

NOTICE OF CO-PARTNERSHIP-THE well-known firm of Murray Bros., plas-terers, have this day taken into partner-ship John Sullivan and John Murray, jun., and will do business in future under the name of Murray Bros. & Co.

The Western Real Estate Exchange.

78 Dundas St., London. 'Phone 696.
For sale or rent—Brick house, with half an acre of splendid garden land; stable and hen house on premises. This is a snap for anyone who wants a comfortable home adjoining the city limits, with only about three or four dollars taxes. Call us up over the 'phone or cail at our office and get full particulars about this property before it is too late. Taxation is a very important item in purchasing property these times.

We have a number of other properties in the city and suburbs which we can

We have a number of other properties in the city and suburbs which we can sell at very reasonable figures. Get our printed lists of these properties. It will pay you to see these properties before buying elsewhere.

A number of the farms which were placed in our hands for sale have been sold. We want eight or ten 50 and 100 acre farms in London and Westminster townships; also two or three in Delaware and Lobo for intending purchasers.

JAMES BURROWS, Manager.

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INDIANS DID IT!

Brazil Mission Wiped Out and Over One Hundred Lives Sacrificed!

none, Brazil, of the Roman Catholic Mission, established a few years ago by Capuchin fathers, by a band of hostile Indians.

in 1896, was situated in a desolate charges were massacred.

New York, April 24.—The Times place, but the missionaries had been says: New has just reached here of successful in their efforts to evangelthe complete destruction in Marag- ize the natives and had already founded two orphan asylums.

It is known that four of the Capuchin fathers, all Italians from the Province of Milan, seven Capuchin The mission, which was organized sisters and more than 100 of their little

PEACE RUMORS IN THE AIR!

Mrs. Botha Once More in Correspondence With Lord Kitchener.

Three Canadians by Conspicuous Bravery Have Won the Coveted Victoria Cross---Two Boer Prisoners Released.

peace rumors are in the air, says the Tribune's London correspondent. Mrs. Botha has been in correspondence with Lord Kitchener, and as a result it is believed that the British commanderin-chief has agreed to receive the three Boer generals, Botha, Delarey and Viljoen, within the next few days. It is perhaps not without signifi- until tomorrow. cance that the news should reach Lon-

don from Amsterdam that Mr. Kruger is afraid that Mrs. Botha's efforts will cause her husband to surrender. 17,823 BOER PRISONERS. Cape Town, April 22, 7:30 p.m.-It is officially announced that the Boers in

Namaqualand are still clinging to the hills northeast of Pella. The Boers held up a train between Molteno and Stormberg last night. They looted the cattle and burned the trucks. The engine-driver and stoker behaved gallantly. Both were wound-The British had two other cas-

ualties. General Christian De Wet, according o one report, crossed the line north of Wolvehoek, on Thursday. Another report locates General Dewet at Senekal, Orange River Colony.

Generally speaking, the Boers appear

to be considerably harassed by constant movements of the British columns, and from an English standpoint the situation may be considered satis-

It is officially stated that the number of Boer prisoners is now 17,823. CAPTIVES RELEASED. Pretoria, April 23.-Hendrick Schoe-

New York, April 24.-Once again | man and I. Cooper, who surendered to the British, and were subsequently captured by the Boers and imprisoned for high treason, have arrived here, having been released at Pietersburg. PLAGUE AMONG MALAYS.

A Cape Town dispatch says: Malay inhabitants of Cape Town this afternoon resisted the removal of persons who had contracted the plague. The police were called out and a fracas ensued. The removal of the plague patients was eventually abandoned

CANADIANS GET THE V. London, April 24.-The Gazette last evening announced that the Victoria Cross has been conferred on Lieuts. H. Z. C. Cockburn and R. E. W. Turner and Sergt. E. Holland, of the Royal Canadian Dragoons, for conspicuous bravery at Komatipoort River, Nov. , 1900, in protecting artillery from capture. The Gazette also makes the announcement that Robert Gunter and

Wyndham Shortall have been made [Cockburn, Turner and a number of the men in their troop took up a position at the rear guard when the guns were in danger of capture by the Boers and fought until they were

RECRUITING FOR 1900. The annual return of recruiting for 1900 shows a total enlistmen of 98.361, against 42,700 in 1899. The recruiting for the infantry is regarded as unsatisfactory. In spite of the impetus of the war and the reduction in the standard of height, the number of enlisted infantrymen is below that of four and a half miles west of Mem-1899, the recruits generally having phis. preferred the showier branches of the

The Deaths of a Day.

E. S. Nettleton, irrigation expert, is dead in Denver, Col., aged 69. Col. Charles Keller, hero of the bat tle of Tayabas, in Luzon, is dead at Fort Sam Houston, Tex., from disease contracted in the Philippines. John Costello, an old-time circus clown, was taken suddenly ill, died in Taylor's Hotel, New York, early today. According to one of his friends the man's circus name was Dan Costello, and he was for many years one of the clowns in Barnum's

Capt. John Robertson, one of the oldest lake captains in service, died suddenly at his residence, No. 522 Lincoln avenue, Detroit, last night, from neuralgia of the heart. His widow and four children survive him. Capt. Robertson was in his usual health at supper time last night, and seemed in excellent spirits. He was 73 years old.
Mr. Andrew J. Kotcher, dropped dead of apoplexy within a few doors of the home of Charles W. Kotcher, Second avenue, Detroit, the son with whom the deceased had intended to live, temporarily. He was 68 years old. Mrs. Kotcher died just one week

ago. THE ASHANTI A WRECK.

Quebec, April 23 .- The strong easterly gale which has been sweeping over land and sea for the past day or two has been the means of wrecking the steamship Ashanti, of the Elder-Dempster Line, which, according to latest reports, was fast filling with water. Ashanti was from Newcastle, laden with twenty-eight tons of coal for the Quebec Gas Company, and was nearing Metis, when she was driven ashore at Petitte River Blanch, a few miles below Metis. She is said to be in a very dangerous position. RACE FROM CLEVELAND TO

ERIE. Representatives of the White Star met General Manager Newman, noon and agreed on conditions for the race between the Tashmoo and the City of Erie. The date chosen is June 3, and if the weather should be unof the C. and B. line Saturday after-

favorable on that day, the race will take place June 5. The course is from Cleveland to Erie, and the start will be a flying one, both boats going up the lake and coming down between two stakeboats as nearly abreast as possible. The competing ships are to keep half a mile apart at least, so that neither will be affected by the swells of the other. Each side will appoint two timekeepers and a judge. Two timers will be at the start and two at the finish, and the judges may choose a third in case of disagreement. The stake of \$1,000 was posted with Capt. J. W. Westcott some time ago.

CHARGED WITH BIGAMY. Toronto, April 24. - At the police court yesterday, James Smith, alias Thomas James Willison, was commit-ted for trial on a charge of bigamy. Two women testified to having been married to him. One woman said she had been married to him in 1877 in Hamilton, and another woman named Kate Sutherland said that in July, 1886, she was married to him in Ingersoll. He then used the name of T. J. Willi-C. Chapman said that Smith admitted the second marriage. first wife produced her certificate. The case will be tried at the next court of general sessions.

CAUGHT IN A PRAIRIE FIRE. Huron, S. D., April 23.—News has been received here of a disastrous prairie fire, 14 miles southwest of Washington. A broad stretch of country was burned and much farm property consumed. Ira W. Hanks, and Frank Raymond were caught in the flames, Raymond's clothing being burned off and his body fearfully scorched. He may recover. Hanks remains have not been found. He was one of the earliest settlers in this section. The property loss will be heavy.

WEST HURON LIBERALS. Dungannon, Ont., April 24. - The convention of Liberals of West Huron yesterday unanimously nominated J. T. Garrow, K. C., for the seat in the legislature made vacant by the recent decision of the court of appeal. Mr. Garrow

Dalton, reeve of Ashfield, and Hugh McPhee, all expressing confidence that the nominee of the convention will be elected by a good majority.

SNUBBED BY AMERICAN COMMANDER

Waldersee Is Stirred by General Chaffee's Actions.

Americans Will Continue to Guard the Gates of the Forbidden City.

Pekin, April 23.-Field Marshall Von Waldersee has made an application that the gate of the Forbidden City be guarded by German troops after

the departure of the Americans. Gen. Chaffee has replied that American soldiers will continue to guard the gate. At this the Germans are indignant, saying this impugns their honesty and that if the United States desires to do her share of policing the city, she should leave behind troops for that purpose; that merely a few men belonging to the legation guards should control the gate which will be within the German quarters cannot be allowed. If Gen. Chaffee persists in

this course diplomatic representations will be made in the matter.

Many applications have been made to Mr. Rockhill and Gen. Chaffee by Chinese of all degrees for the retention in China of the American troops until the general withdrawal of troops of all powers. Many of those who are making this request think the withdrawal of Americans will make the others remain longer. There are also people who do not desire to see any of the soldiers go, fearing anarchy and an

uprising against foreigners. The soldiers who do return do so with all the honors of war. The ministers of the foreign powers are meeting daily. They do not at present show a disposition to reduce the claims which many think to be extremely rea-FOR THE SAFETY OF FOREIGN-

ERS. Washington, April 23.-It is understood here that the Chinese plenipotentiaries at Pekin, Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang, are prepared to give a guarantee to the powers for the protection of all foreigners in China f the foreign troops now stationed there are withdrawn. Thus far the retention of the foreign forces been urged as necessary in order to preserve order and protect foreigners, but the Chinese authorities say that order has been so far re-established that the imperial government is fully able to direct the Chinese troops in such a way as to insure complete safety to the interests of all foreign-

LABOR MATTERS

Nine-Hour Day for Hull City Employes-Revised Scale for Steel Workers.

Ottawa, April 24.-The Hull city counci has adopted the nine-hour day for all employes, and the minimum wage will be 15 cents an hour.
Cleveland, April 23.—A revised wage scale was today submitted to the officials of the United States Steel Corporation the Boers and fought until they were surrounded and cut off. Cockburn is a son of Mr. G. R. Cockburn, ex-M. P. for Center Toronto.]

RECRUITING FOR 1900.

TRAIN ROBBERS GOT \$3,000. Little Rock, Ark., April 23.-It is stated that over \$3,000 was secured in the hold-up of the Choctaw, Okahoma and Gulf passenger train last midnight near Iron Mountain crossing,

THE OVERFLOWING OHIO.

Cincinnati, Ohio, April 23.-Although

the Ohio is still rising and the backwaters of the Little Miami and Mill Creek surround the city, there is no longer any alarm here on account of the flood, as it is confidently predicted the river will not reach as high as was expected. OPERA HOUSE SCORCHED. Lethbridge, N. W. T., April 23.-The

large repair shop of Mayor Oliver was destroyed by fire Sunday morning with its contents. Loss \$3,000, with no insurance. The opera house, adjoining it, had a narrow escape, the only damage being from smoke. "TARTAR NEWS." Berlin, April 23.-Emperor William

regards the news of the plot against

his life as "tartaren nachricht"

tar news); but he approves the comprehensive steps now taken to forestall the alleged plotters. The empress saw an account of the plot and immediately warned the emperor, who joked about the matter, thus removing her disquiet. SWEPT OVER THE FALLS. Niagara Falls, N. Y., April 23.-Men at work on a new factory on the bank of the Niagara River yesterday report that they saw a man in a row boat swept over the falls. They say the man evidently tried to cross the

carried over the Horseshoe Falls. NEW BRIDGE ACROSS THE ST.

iver, but found the current

strong. He turned his boat and tried

o get back to shore, but the awful

current was too much for him, and he

was sucked into the upper rapids and

LAWRENCE. Montreal, April 24.—A number of New York capitalists have secured a large interest in the Montreal Bridge Company, which intends building another bridge across the St. Lawrence from Montreal. Among the Americans who have joined the board are: Dr. W. S. Webb, P. Clement, of the Rutland Railway, and Judge Steele, of New York, who are understood to re-present the Vanderbilt interests. The bridge is expected to cost between five

The daffodil is to be one of the favo-

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form us that "Purity" Baking

The council of the Dominion Rifle Association will adopt the Bisley positions and targets for the annual

matches. Indians of Sitka and Baranoff, Alaska, are being killed off by a disease resembling smallpox, but unrecogniz-

able to doctors. Forty glandered horses have been shot at the Presidio, San Francisco, by army officers without checking the disease among the animals. Bernard Longwill, an old man who

resides in Sidney, Ont., attempted suicide by cutting his throat. His injuries, although severe, are not likely to prove fatal. A frame house in Thurlow, owned by Thomas Manley, of Belleville, was struck by lightning Monday night, and,

with the barn adjoining, was destroyed by fire. Loss, \$1,250; insured. Secretary Hay has informed Dr. Carlos Martinez Silva, Colombian min-ister, that he cannot negotiate a treaty for the acquisition by the States of the Panama Canal until congress determines on the route to be

constructed. ICE STILL STRONG AT ST. CLAIR. St. Clair, April 2°. The ice has not wasted away preceptibly in the St. Clair River here today. There was a slight movement of ice along the shore, but only to fill the holes.

STEAMER CARGO ON FIRE.

Queenstown, April 24.—The British steamer Ontario, Captain Brenton, from Hull, April 18, for Boston, is putting back with her cargo on fire. A tug has gone to her assistance. It is expected that she will anchor at noon. QUITS CATHOLIC UNION. London, April 24.-A dispatch from Vienna to the Express asserts that as

an outcome of the violent agitation, Archduke Francis, the heir apparent,

has, at the command of the emperor, severed his connection with the Catho-

THE FLOODS. At Marietta, Ohio, about 150 families are homeless.

At Point Pleasant, W. Va., over 200 families have been driven from their homes. The court house is full of colored people, fed by the city. The large brick and tile works have been greatly damaged.

and the works have been greatly aged.

At Ripley, Ohio, boats are used on Second and Third streets. The city east of Main street is covered with water, but only about 100 families have been driven out by the flood.

At Gallipolis, Ohio, about 40 families moved to the second stories, and the condition is improving.

At Maysville, Ky., about 30 families have moved to the second story, and some have vacated. At Aberdeen the condition is much worse.

HIS FIRM. Bishop Watterson, of Nebraska, was once mistaken for a traveling salesman by a commercial traveler who met him in a railway train. "Do you represent a big house?"

"Biggest on earth," replied the "What's the name of the firm?" "Lord and Church."
"Hum! Lord and Church! Never heard of it. Got branch houses any-

asked the traveler of the bishop.

"Branch houses all over the world." Is it boots and shoes?" "Oh, drygoods, I suppose?" "Yes, they call my sermons that sometimes."—Christian Endeavor.

POOR BRASSIE! Miriam-Didn't I see Mr. Brassie kiss you on the links today? Milicent-No; he tried to; but he only goozled.-Puck.

without a wedding. The most religious woman will postoone an interview with her Maker if she has an appointment with her Timber experts tell us that California alone has a capacity of lumber of over 100,000,000,000,000 cubic feet.

'A matchless story is one that ends

The Old Clock

Has ticked away perhaps for twenty years. Its performance is getting a little uncertain. You can find one amongst our new designs that will, by its grace of design, finetoned bell and good time-keeping, take the place of the worn-out one in your esteem.

JOHN S. BARNARD

170 Dundas Street, London.

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St. George's Society's 34th Annual Reunion.

The Most Successful Banquet in the History of Its Organization.

Names of the Guests-Letters of Regret From Absentees—A Social Evening Enlivened by Bright Speeches and Good Music.

This royal throne of kings, this sceptered

This earth of majesty, this seat of Mars, This other Eden, demi-paradise; This fortress, built by Nature for herself, Against infection and the hand of war; This happy breed of men, this little world, This precious stone, set in the silver sea, Which serves it in the office of a wall, Or as a most defensive to a house, Against the envy of less happier lands;

This blessed plot, this earth, this realm, this England.

Shakespeare: Richard II.

The Englishmen of London last hight marked the recurrence of the anniversary of their patron saint at their annual banquet, and it is safe to say that not since the occasion, 33 their leigh of over on years with grandest era of the British Empire. She has, however, a worthy successor in her son, Edward VII. The speaker years ago last night, when St. George's | said that in common with all Britons, day was first celebrated in this city by a concert and ball in the city hall, has there been a more successful celebration of the day that Englishmen the world over delight to honor. The large dining-room of the City Hotel, which was appropriately and artistically draped with national flags and bright bunting, was completely filled by the array of guests. The speeches of the evening were brief, bright and pithy, loyalty to Canada, to England and to the empire being the dominant note. The Seventh Band was present to furnish music for the diners, their opening selection being a particularly wellrendered and pleasing medley of British national airs. The genial host surpassed himself in the preparation of the menu, which was as follows: MENU.

Blue Points. Mock Turtle, a la Ang-laise. Cream of Tomato. Fillets of Whitefish, sauce Bordelaise, Pommes Croquettes. Lettuce, Radishes. Green Onions. Salad de Voiaille. Salad de Homard. Boiled Capon, celery sauce. Braised Sweetbreads, Aux Champignons. Croquettes de Agnew, petit pois. Pine-Braised Sweetbreads, Aux Champignons. Croquettes de Agnew, petit pois. Pineapple, a la Richelieu. Prime Ribs of Beef, Yorkshire Pudding. Young Turkey, stuffed, cranberry sauce. Spring Lamb, mint sauce. Mashed Potatoes, Whole Potatoes, Stemed Tomatoes, Standard Pears, String Beans. English Plum Pudding brandy sauce. Banana Pudding, cream sauce. Apple Pie, Lemon Meringue Pie, Raspberry Tart, Peach Tart. Orange Cake, Chocolate Cake, Cocoanut Cake. Pineapple Jelly, Strawberry Jelly, Raspberry Jelly. Velvet Cream Vanilla Ice Cream. Oranges, berry Jelly, Raspberry Jelly, Straw-berry Jelly, Raspberry Jelly, Velvet Cream, Vanilla Ice Cream, Oranges, Apples, Bananas, Tea, Coffee, Roquefort Cheese.

GREETINGS AND REGRETS. Telegrams of greetings were retreal, Kingston and Philadelphia.

The following gentlemen sent letters or telegrams of regret at their in-ability to attend: C. S. Hyman, M.P., H. S. Culver, U. S. consul, Sir John Carling, John Forrestal, Major Denison and Col. Gartshore, of this city; Alfred R. Wiggins, president North American St. George's Union; W. A. Spreat, president of St. George's Social, Hamilton; Thomas N. Yeates, secretary of the North American St. George's Union, and R. W. Barker, past president of St. George's Society, Toronto.

THE ROYAL FAMILY.

The discussion of the menu concluded, the chairman, Mr. Peter Birtwistle, introduced the toast of "King Edward VII. and the Royal Family," which was enthusiastically honored by the singing of the National Anthem. Mr. J. T. Dalton forrowed in a well-rendered patriotic song, "The King," giving "Hearts of Oak" as an encore. THE UNITED STATES.

The toast of "The President of the United States" was honored heartily, the band playing "Yankee Doodle Dandy" as the toast was drunk. In the enavoidable absence of Col. Culver, J. H. Flock, K.C., who for 24 years

To Avoid Pneumonia

Exhaustion or Low Vitality-Catching Cold-La Grippe-Pneumonia - These Are the Steps Which Many Are Forlowing.

The ravages of pneumonia are felt all over the land. This year more than in any preceding one this ugly disease is prevalent. Doctors say that the prevalence of this destroyer of life is the direct result of an epidemic form of la grippe, and ordinary pneumonia is never so vicious as la grippe pneu-

La grippe usually attacks persons of low vitality and develops into dysentery, nervous disorders or more frequently into pneumonia. During the prevalence of la grippe people are advised to treat seriously everything in the form of a cold. By the prompt use of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine la grippe can always

be prevented or cured. Anyone who has witnessed the dreadful results of la grippe developing in-to pneumonia or other serious lung trouble knows the importance of acting promptly when the first symptoms of cold become apparent. It is truly wonderful how thoroughly efficient Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpen-tine has proven in the treatment of la grippe and heavy chest colds. It not only affords relief to the cough and inflamed air passages, but actually cures the disease and drives the pains and

aches from the bones. La grippe is too serious a foe to trifle with, and pneumonia is most frequently fatal. It is better to guard against these by the use of Dr. Chase's Syrup ed and Turpentine. Scores of thousands of people are ready to indorse it as the most effective throat and lung treatment which medical science affords. Be sure you get what you ask for. It costs no more than ordinary cough mixtures; 25 cents a bottle; family size, three times as much, for 60 cents. All dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

has been the legal representative of the various United States consuls here, was called upon to reply. He spoke briefly, referring to the cordial relations existing between the British Empire and the great republic, and expressing the hope that they may long continue so.

THE ARMY AND NAVY. Thomas Beattie, ex-M.P., and Capt. John Graham were called upon to reply to the toast "His Majesty's Imperial Forces." Mr. Beattie said that British soldiers had gone to many lands, and have never returned with honor and glory. The British out honor and glory. The British army in South Africa have had an immense task to perform, and though they have made mistakes, there never was any army which did not make mistakes. They have had arduous work to perform, but they did it well, and the Canadians who went to the scene of battle also did their part

Capt. Graham briefly said that the imperial forces had shown that when once they started their work they never turned back. They are showing the stuff that the Anglo-Saxon race is

made of. ST. GEORGE'S DAY.

First Vice-President Joseph Gra-ham, wittily introduced the toast "The Day We Celebrate," coupling with it the name of Rev. Dr. Saunders. The reverend gentleman, in opening, re-ferred to the various days which Canadians celebrate in honor of the lands of their forefathers, but of them all he considered none compared with that of St. George. Since the last celebration of that day the queenliest woman who ever sat upon a throne had departed from earth. She began her reign upon her knees, asking help of God, and all through the years that followed she looked to his guidance. Her reign of over 60 years will go he had implicit confidence in the new King of England, and he was glad that in assuming the throne Edward VII. had declared he would follow in his illustrious mother's footsteps. The opening of the campaign in South Africa may have been marked by mistakes and reverses, but the subsequent magnificent victories and the display of the prowess of Britain's sons from all parts of the empire had redeemed those errors and defeats. Dr. Saunders referred to the chronicling in the day's papers of this fact, that Britain's new war loan had been subscribed four times over, thus proving the stability of credit and exhaustless resources of the empire. No son Britain doubted that the war would be carried to a successful conclusion, and for his own part, the speaker believed that Great Britain would go on carrying the light of civilization and the Gospel of Jesus Christ into the dark places of the earth, and would be the greatest influence in the begin-ning of the time "When the war drums throb

No longer, and the battle flags are furled

In the parliament of men, the federation of the world."

CANADIAN PARLIAMENTS. In replying to "The Dominion and Provincial Legislature," which was introduced by Second Vice-Chairman Geo. Pritchard, Capt. Robson, M.P.P., spoke humorously of his experiences in political life, referring to the time when he went canvassing his constituency and staying out late nights, for the good of the country, and to the time when his election was protested, on the grounds that he had not been elected fairly. As for the legislature and its work, credit should be assigned to both sides for any good legislation passed, for they both had a hand in

Mr. J. T. Dalton followed with couple of humorous stories.

OUR GLORIOUS DOMINION. The toast of "Canada Our Home," introduced by Third Vice-Chairman J. H. Barons, brought Mr. E. T. Essery to his feet. His speech was a characteristically humorous one. He opened by saying that while all present should be proud of their English, Irish, Scotch or Welsh descent, they should be more proud still of being Canadians. Canada is so vast that England, Ireland and Scotland could be put in the great lakes, which in any other country would be called oceans. Canada has rivers so great that if one of them were strung across Europe its mouth would be at Gibraltar and its source would have to be twisted round cernucopia-wise, in the upper fines of Siberia. Canada, said Mr. Essery, is the mainstay of the British empire, and the best part of that empire, for it is peopled by those Britons and the descendants of those Britons who had the energy and ambition to better their condition by coming to this great country. Mr. Essery then spoke of Canada's soldiers, who, he said, had once been sneered at as being feather-bed soldiers. But they were not feather-bed soldiers in 1776, when they saved Canada to Great Britain; nor in 1812, when they planted the British flag on Detroit and other cap-

tured American points; nor in 1837, when the valor of Canada's yeomen soldiery was equaled only by the dauntless courage of their womankind; nor in 1866, when they cleaned out an organized invasion in a week, nor in 1877, nor in 1885. Nor were they feather-bed soldiers in 1900, when, on the South African yeldt, they led the way, leaving the pick of the British forces to follow them. They brought Cronje, the lion of Africa, to his knees, and they were the only men of whom the Boers were afraid. It was their mothers and sisters and wives who had inspired them with the spirit which enabled them to more than hold

their own with the best of Britain's soldiers. SISTER SOCIETIES

First Vice-Chairman Joseph Graham proposed the toast of "Sister Societies," coupling it with the names of Messrs. J. B. McKillop and Frank Love, of St. Andrew's Society, and John Stevely and J. M. Daly, of the Irish Benevolent Society. Each gentle-man replied briefly and appropriately.

CIVIC BODIES. The toast of "The Mayor and Corporation" was responded to by Mayor Rumball, who said that he was proud of being born of English parents, but prouder still of being born a Canadian. He loved its hills and dales, its lakes and rivers, its mountains and valleys, but most of all he loved the clean, pretty city of London. The taxes, he humorously remarked, might be a little high, but business is so good here that it is easy to make the money to pay them. If all work for the advancement of the city, it is bound to go

Mr. J. C. Trebilcock; "St. George's migh try them. He obtained imme-Society," proposed by J. H. Flock, diate relief after a few doses, and is

close the most successful celebration STOMACHS THAT WON'T WORK of St. George's Day.

MUSICAL NUMBERS. During the evening solos were contributed as follows: "The Englishman," Mr. J. W. McIntosh; "John Bull," Capt. Robson; "Tim Flaherty" and "Never Take the Horseshoe from the Door," Mr. John Stevely; "The Veteran," Capt. Archie Becher; "The Dear Shamrock," and "Sally in Our Alley," Mr. L. Russell Childs; "Oh, Lucky Jim," Mr. J. T. Dalton. Mr. Childs also contributed an instrumental solo. Mr. Fred Fitzgerald acceptal solo. Mr. Fred Fitzgerald acceptably performed the duties of accom-

quet, and to whose efforts the success of the affair were so largely attributable, were: J. B. Cox, H. T. Smith, J. H. Barons, I. Lewis, R. Jones and down as symptoms of dyspepsia. And down as symptoms of dyspepsia. And down as symptoms of dyspepsia. And down as symptoms of dyspepsia is merely indirection in an

Jos. Graham.

The officers of St. George's Society for the present year are: Peter Birtwistle, president; G. B. Nash, first vice-president; J. H. Barons, second vice-president; J. B. Cox, secretary; G. Pritchard, treasurer; H. T. Smith, chairman relief committee.

GUESTS OF HONOR

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The guests at the table of honor were: Peter Birtwistle, president St. George's Society; J. B. Cox, secretary St. George's Society; Mayor Rumball, John R. Minhinnick, sen., Thomas Beattie, ex-M.P.P., J. H. Flock, K. C., J. Stevely (secretary Irish Benevolent J. Stevely (secretary Irish Benevolent Society), J. B. McKillop (president St. Andrew's Society), Rev. Dr. Saunders, George F. Jewell, Capt. Robson, Police Assessment Commissioner Stephen Grant, Frank Butler and D. W. Black-

OTHERS WHO WERE PRESENT. Among the others present were: Messrs. George Slade, C. W. Walker, A. E. Wyatt, H. T. Smith, J. A. Gauld, R. A. Jones, J. W. Jones, J. H. Bar-ons, J. M. Daly, H. R. Campbell, Ed Shea, Joseph Hamilton, Robert Darch, Dr. Hugh A. Stevenson, John W. Po-cock, Thomas Phelan, Corbin Weld, Adrian Zimmerman, Thomas Hogg, Jun., John Jones, H. M. Douglass, John Graham, A. R. Galpin, D. Bauldrey, J. Lewis, Harry Walsh, Ed Griffiths, John Hitchins, E. L. Snow, G. C. McCor-mick, James Newton, G. W. Nevitt, H. J. Carter, C. Russell Childs, J. Lockyer, W. Chapman, Richard Hobbs, Jos. Graham, Robert Cadwallader, Geo. F. Wardle, James W. McGuire, Walter J. Garside, R. W. Kidner, R. Arscott, James Bereford, J. T. Stephenson, D. Clark, James Dean, Alf Cave, John Rogers, George Heaman, W. A. Mace, James Butler, jun., John R. Minhin-nick, jun., Jerry McDonald, Bruce Wallace, J. A. Tune, J. C. Treblicock, John Footitt, George Gregory, John M. Watt, A. Hodder, Arthur T. Essery, John Botterill, Albert Smith, W. H. Grenfell, F. G. Harding, C. Leathorne, George Everett, W. C. Maker, R. Lashbrook, F. Nutkins, J. Taylor, J. W. McIntosh, N. P. Graydon, John Young, G. W. Moody (Highgate), O. Ellwood, H. C. Merritt, Ben A. Fanning, Robert Kirkpatrick, James S. Bell, C. Rudd, S. Loveless, G. Powe, T. Treleaven, J. Walters, W. J. Lashbrook, Thomas Trebilcock, John H. Wilson, V. S., W. H. May, John Burns, D. H. Porter, Geo. Pritchard, J. W. Pritchard, J. Bilton,

KOMOKA.

James Fallahe, Jos. Wright, B. G.

Komoka, April 22.-Rev. Mr. Ballantyne, of London, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian Church on Sunday

Mrs. L. and Master Stuart Pender, of Palmerston, are visiting relatives and friends here. Mrs. John McKellar is able to be

Mr. Merchant, principal of the Nor-School, London, is expected to preach in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday next.

Mr. John Alway is on the sick list. Mr. Archie McKellar is in Palm-Miss Lillie Sinclair has returned from Ailsa Craig.
Prayer meeting will he held in the

Baptist Church as usual on Thursday evening. Miss Mable Bishop has been visiting

WHAT CANADIAN PUBLISHERS

WANT. Toronto, April 24.—The deputation appointed by the publishers' section of the Toronto board of trade to inter view the government on the copyright question met Mr. Fisher yesterday. The delegates asked the government to forward to England an amendment to the Lord Monkswell bill, now before the House of Lords, providing that Canada may avail itself of the right to give a license to print and publish without being compelled. should such be the demand, to give a license to import. It was pointed out that no time must be lost, as the passage of the measure in its present form would sacrifice the printing interests of this country on this large class of copyrights. Mr. Fisher said he fully appreciated the position as stated to him, and promised his immediate consideration.

A STRATHROY • LADY'S EVIDENCE.

She Speaks of the Great Benefits Derived From the Use of Dr. Pitcher's Backache Ridney Tablets.

Many ladies are suffering from backache, headache, feeling of list-lessness and langour, who attribute it to some form of "Female Complaint," whereas in reality their kidneys are at fault and causing them all their illhealth and misery.

There is no remedy so beneficial for kidney troubles of women as Dr. vate houses, has increased nearly pro-Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets. portionately. They act with a healing, soothing and toning action on the Kidneys, Bladder and Urinary Organs, and relieve all irritability and irregular action of the ing. Kidneys, from which so many women suffer in silence

Strathroy, speaks of the benefits she derived from these Tablets, as follows: "I found a remedy for that constant sau. backache in Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets. They are reliable in that respect. They have relieved me from that annoyance from the Kidney secretions and strengthened those organs. My headaches, that I suffered ment of the city, it is bound to go ahead and prosper.

OTHER TOASTS.

"The Sons of England," with response from Mr. R. A. Jones; "The Ladies," couple I with the name of Ladies," couple I with the name of the city, it is bound to go frequently in the back and top of my head, have ceased. They are the only thing that did me any good. My husband had a lame back, and when I found those Tablets doing me so much good I suggested that he might try them. He obtained immediately the couple of the city, it is bound to go frequently in the back and top of my head, have ceased. They are the only thing that did me any good.

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K. C., and responded to by Mr. Geo. F.
Jewell, and "Our Host," replied to by
Mr. John McMartin, completed the
toast list.

The singing of "God Save the King"
and "Auld Lang Syne," brought to a

That Retain the Food and Refuse to Digest It, Make the Head Heavy and the Nerves Weak, Need Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

There is a cure for dyspepsia. Sufferers who have tried noxious nos-trums will probably be skeptical, but skepticism vanishes when Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are tried. Whether Lucky Jim," Mr. J. T. Dalton. Mr. Childs also contributed an instrumental solo. Mr. Fred Fitzgerald acceptably performed the duties of accompanist.

COMMITTEE AND OFFICERS.

The efficient committee who had in the committe

hand the arrangements for the ban-quet, and to whose efforts the success tion at all, disturbed sleep, nervous down as symptoms of dyspepsia. And dyspepsia is merely indigestion in an

places, and put them into a healthy, active condition. They effect a quick and permanent cure. You don't have to continue taking them forever, still Magistrate Frank Love, E. T. Essery, it is well to have a box handy, and Assessment Commissioner Stephen take one at the first return of the

trouble Perfectly well people are made sick by eating too much, or unwholesome food, but not if they take a tablet after eating. Treatment with Stuart's does not necessitate dieting or any change of habits. They digest the proper food and act upon the other kind in such a way as to make it pass off quickly and harmlessly. You may eat and drink what you like, when you like, and as much as you like if you take a tablet afterwards. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold by all druggists at 50 cents for full-

size package.
Send to F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall,
Mich., for little book on stomach diseases, mailed free.

GIRLS TALK ABOUT RIDING AS MEN DO!

Brooklyn Maids Stirred Up by Staid Boston's Example—Only Waiting for a Leader.

Brooklyn, N. Y., April 24.-Brook lyn's fashionable Riding and Driving Club, which gives its ninth annual horse show this week in the handsom building on the Park Slope, is divided in its opinion as to whether women

should ride astride. Many equestriennes of the club, es pecially among its younger set strongly favor cross saddle riding and declare it to be not only proper but the more sensible method, though at present they feel to shy to adopt it William N. Dykman, president of the

"There will be no riding astride by any of the women at the horse show this year. It would not be tolerated.' But while he was making that assertion several young women were putting their horses through their paces on the club's tanbark and declaring that the example set by the equestriennes at the Boston horse show hould be followed here.

After one of the general canters the report from Boston was read aloud, and though no resolutions were passed and no one expressed a determina tion to defy Brooklyn's conservatism no protest was raised when skirts were described as nuisances and side riding a handicap which put women at a disadvantage as compared with men. It was said that more than one of the young women had divided costumes for cross saddle riding, but that each wanted someone else to take the

Charles A. Moore, president of the Montauk Club, called to his daughter and asked whether she had heard anything about cross saddle riding by the women of the club. She replied that the matter had been discussed at the club in the morning, and not only did they approve of the course taken by the women in Boston, but, she continued. "We think it the most sen-

sible thing to do.' Very few of the young women riders would discuss the subject for publication, but they evidently favored the fashion of riding "like a man."

Most of the men members, like Mr. Dykman, declared that cross saddle riding by the women could not and would not be. But it is plain that many of the young women only await arrived in this city, signed by a pera leader to start the fashion. It is son giving the name of W. O. Sayles, said that some of them have already secretly practiced riding man fashion, and much prefer it.

The Reward Still Unclaimed. When Polson & Co., Kingston, offered the tempting reward of \$1,000 for a case of Catarrh Bronchitis. Asthma or Throat the tempting reward of \$1,000 for a case of Catarrh, Bronchitis, Asthma or Throat Irritation that could not be cured by Catarrhozone, many expected that it would soon be claimed. We are advised, would soon be claimed. We are advised, however, that Catarrhozone has given such universal satisfaction that no one has been able to make the claim. This explodes the theory that these diseases are incurable, for even the worst cases yield to Catarrhozone; it cures them every time. Cures by the inhalation of medicated air, which is breathed right into the lungs, bronchial tubes and nasal passages. Catarrhozone is pleasant and safe to use; quick to relieve; guaranteed to cure. Price, \$1; small size, 25c, at all druggists.

Liquor drummers report that the sale of keg beer in Kansas has decreased 75 per cent since Jan. 1, and the sale of case beer, for use in pri-

Laxa-Liver Pills cure constipation, sick headache, biliousness and dyspepsia without griping, purging or sicken-About the villa Friedrichshof, where

the Empress Frederick lies dying, the Mrs. Ernest Hale, of Arthur street, beautiful gardens are full of nightingarthroy, speaks of the benefits she derived from these Tablets, as follows: TRY THE FOLLOWING as an appe

tizer and general tonic before eating:
One-quarter wineglass of Angostura Bitters; fill glass with water and cracked
ice, and add a heaping teaspoonful of
powdered sugar. Stir briskly before
serving. Candymakers calculate that the price of their products should be put at double the cost of the material, which will allow them a fair return for rent,

York, where she spent a week.

labor and interest. A SPRAINED ANKLE is not an uncommon accident. Pain-Killer relieves and cures almost as if by magic. The greatest household remedy. Avoid substitutes, there is but one Pain-Killer, Perry Davis'. 25c and 50c. THE WEATHER TODAY-Fair and mild.

On Saturday evenings this store closes at 7 o'clock. Shop as early as possible during the day.

Linen-Mesh Underwear

HEALTHFUL AND COMFORTABLE.

You've been wearing Woolen and Cotton Underwear these many years. We want to introduce to you something better—the Dr. Deimel Linen-Mesh Underwear. We were introduced to it some weeks ago, and determined to supply so good a thing to our customers. Ira D. Sankey, the world-known evangelist says: "I wish to recommend the Dr. Deimel Underwear as the coming underwear of the world." It would require a lot of space to explain their merits here. We have a little booklet which will do that. Ask for a copy at underwear counter. Ladies' Vests and Drawers in all sizes at each \$2.75.

Ladies' Balbriggan Vests, fancy trimmed, long sleeves, buttoned on shoulder, drawers to match, each50c Ladies' White Balbriggan Vests, a very fine quality and nicely finished, with drawers to match, each65c

Ask to see our Ladies' Knit-to-Fit Balbriggan goods. They are silk-finished and perfect-fitting garments.

Summer Hosiery.

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ACOMPLETE STORE

We have just opened out a brand new stock of Summer Hosiery. You will find in it the latest styles and best wearing qualities. Select early.

Ladies' Fancy Cotton Hose, in black, with white polka dot; each pair guaranteed stainless; sizes

8½, 9 and 9½ inch. Per pair25c A decidedly pretty line of Hose, in electric blue, with white polka dot: extra fine quality; guaranteed stainless; sizes 81/2, 9 and 91/2 inch, at 35c a pair, or three pairs for\$1 00

Ladies' Black Artificial Silk Hose, with extra spliced heel, highly recommended for wearing qualities; sizes 81/2, 9 and 91/2 inch, at 35c pair, or three pairs for\$1 00

Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, balbriggan soles, Hermsdorf fast dyes; sizes 81/2, 9, 91/2 and 10inch, at 25c

New Laces.

We have just received a beautiful new stock of Allover Laces, in black and gold, black and silver, and cream, and gold, selling at from \$2 00 to \$3 50 per yard. Applique Insertion to match at from 45c to \$1 00 per yard.

In Silk Applique Allover Lace we are showing some very handsome patterns in black, white and colored at from \$2 00 to \$3 75 per yard. A nice assortment of

Cream Embroidered Wash Silk is something new for shirt waists; 18 inches wide, from \$1 50 to \$3 50 per

New Wash Fabrics.

We are showing a great gathering of dainty cotton wash stuffs. If you would have a glimpse at what is new and proper, come any day convenient to yourself. Of course, an early choice is best. Genuine Irish Dimities, American Batiste and Dimity, New Muslins, Mercerized Foulards and Merlawns are among the desirable things.

SPECIAL DAY WITH THE TOWELS.

A bargain in towels is acceptable at any time, but all the more so just now. We are offering exceptional values these days, which housekeepers cannot afford to overlook. Read over this money-saving list:

Fine Drawn and Knotted Fringed Damask and Hemstitched Huck Towels, each, from40c to 75c A great range of Bath Towels, good large size, at 12½c, 15c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 45c and 50c each.

Something New Dr. Deimel's Linen-Mesh Friction Bath Towels, without exception the best yet. Woven net-like with funnel-shaped pores. Gives a refreshing feeling to body, without irritating the skin. Selling at 75c each. Linen-Mesh Face Towels at 50c each.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM

149, 151 and 153 DUNDAS STREET.

FAKE MARRIAGE NOTICE FIEND IN TROUBLE.

Practical Joker Found Guilty of Criminal Libel—A Toronto Lady Swindled— Mail Robbers Busy.

Ottawa, April 23.-H. J. Cook, of Nepean township, was found guilty at the assizes here today of criminal libel. Cook caused a fake marriage notice, announcing the marriage of a wellknown young Nepean lady to himself, to appear in a daily paper here. Cook is about 35 years of age. His counsel made a strong plea for acquittal, on the ground that the accused was of unsound mind. He will probably be sentenced tomorrow.

Toronto, Ont., April 23. - Captain J. A. Currie, a well-known broker of this city, started off to New York tonight a few hours after his arrival home from that city. Capt, Currie had been in New York on business, and started for home yesterday. About the same time a telegram to his wife attorney, Park Row building, New York, stating that her husband had been arrested, and was in the Tombs under the name of P. D. Hart, and that \$400 must be sent at once for legal expenses to secure his release. Mrs. Currie sent the money, as requested, by telegraph, and shortly afterwards a message came back, signed by Sayles, announcing that Capt. Currie had got the money, and had been released. When he arrived today, Capt. Currie learned that a clever swindler had secured \$400 from his wife, and at once wired the New York defective department to have the man traced and arrested. This, it is understood, was done, and the captain left

to prosecute him.

Moncton, N. B., April 24.—A large quantity of registered mail which had been made ready for transmission from the postoffice here to St. John, Halifax, and other points was stolen Monday night after the clerks had left the office, by someone who climbed over a partition separating the lobby from the mail room and obtained the keys to the registered pouches. Since last fall the authorities have been investigating two other robberies one of which occurred at the Intercolonial railway station here, and the other near this city. In each case registered mail, some of which came from Boston and other American points, was stolen.

TUGBOAT ICE-BOUND. Owen Sound, April 23 .- The tug Heaher Bell, with six people on board, is fast in the ice. An attempt will likey be made to open up a passage to her by one of the larger boats in the

Tumorous Growths.

Any lump or growth is liable to be come cancerous and endanger life, if neglected. Tumors and cancerous growths completely disappear after treatment with our new constitutional remedy. It does away with plasters Lady Minto, accompanied by Capt.
Graham, returned yesterday from New
York, where she spent a week.

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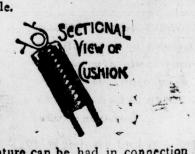
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SUIT SETTLED. Toronto, April 24.-It was announced yesterday in the non-jury assizes that the suit of the National Cycle and Automobile Company against Messrs. John Patterson, J. J. Scott and J. V. Teetzel, of Hamilton, had been settled.

the company, which is released from its obligation to manufacture only in Hamilton and to employ at certain seasons from 400 to 1,000 men.

You should not feel tired all the time-Teetzel, of Hamilton, had been settled. healthy people don't—you won't if you The defendants agree to pay \$4,650 to take Hood's Sarsaparilla for a while DELCASSE'S MISSION TO ST.

PETERSBURG.

ed up the men's arms and notified military headquarters at Spike Island TOLSTOI

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to Have Done Away With Seven

Husbands.

200 MEN DROWNED.

Constantinople, April 24. - The lat-

est reports show that from 180 to 200

men were drowned or killed at the

time of the wreck of the Turkish trans-

port Asian, near Yemobo, the first news

of which was telegraphed from Jiddah,

Arabia, April 1. A survivor says there

was savage fighting between the sol-

diers and sailors for possession of the few boats belonging to the transport.

STRAINED RELATIONS.

Berlin, April 24.-The utterance of

the Russian press give the German

papers an opportunity to discuss Russo-German relations, and even the

Russophile journals admit the exist-

ence of a strong anti-German senti-

ment among the organs of Russian opinion of late. The Kleine Journal,

which is persistently Russophile, ad-

mits regretfully that Germany's re-

lations with Russia continue strained.

When the attention of official circles

was called specifically to the atti-

tude of the Russian press, the reply

was the relations between Russia and

Germany continued entirely satisfac-

tory. "Russian press utterances," said a high German official, "may re-

present the anti-German sentiments of certain official personages in St.

Petersburg, but Russia is not a

homogeneous country, and reveals

A FEMALE BLUEBEARD.

Paris, April 24. - A female Blue-

beard has just eluded the French

police, taking away all the records

The mysterious disappearance of the

ple of that place to wonder. But spe-

upon the father of the murdered chil-

dren. It is suggested that the father

with

murdered his children in a fit of drunken madness. The knife with

which the slight wounds in the father

were made belongs to the house, and a

blood-stained jacket found on the

premises belongs to Briere, the father

of the murdered children. Briere has

London, April 24.—Sir Michael Hicks-

BRITAIN'S WAR LOAN.

Beach informed a deputation of brewers that he could hold out no hope of

revising the sugar and glucose duties.

Applications for the new war loan

continue to pour in to the Bank of

England. The loan was subscribed for

six or seven times over, and it is ex-

pected the list will be closed today.
In the House of Commons the in-

come tax resolution was adopted by

INSUBORDINATE SOLDIERS.

London, April 23.-Two hundred of

the Royal Munster Fusiliers refused to

parade at Carlisle Fort, in Cork, as a

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Pil's. I procured a box and gave them a

P.E.I., writes:

breath, and left me tired and weary.

Oct. 15th, 1900.

August 27th, 1900.

Oct. 10th, 1900.

been arrested.

363 to 88 votes.

The authorities went to arrest

many currents of opinion."

suppression of her husbands.

St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Mail, "that M. Delcasse came to St. Petersburg at the request of Em-Nicholas Sends the Famous of Russia and France jointly guaranteeing China's indemnity to the pow-Author Into Exile. ers, thereby procuring a speedy settle-ment and the evacuation of Pekin. This proposal was suggested to the czar by the Emperor of China, and

Relations of Russia and Germany Said To Be Strained. PROTEST AGAINST PREJUDICE. London, April 24. - The House of Commons debated a motion made by Mr. John Roche, member for East Gai-Two Hundred Lives Lost by Sinkway, demanding facitities for a uniing of a Transport.

their religious feelings.

Mr. Arthur Balfour, government leader in the house, whose personal attitude on the question is at variance French Female Bluebeard Alleged with a majority of his party, earnestly supported the motion. He asked the house whether it was decent or tolerable to continue to starve education on account of prejudice. Ireland, he London, April 24. - A special from London, April 24. — A special from said, was behind Great Britain, Vienna says the czar has signed a France, Germany, the United States, and the colonies, and her educational decree expelling Count Tolstoi from needs would not be satisfied unless Russia and that the decree has been the course was followed which England had been driven to adopt in the

> Mr. John Redmond, Parnellite Nationalist, protested against Mr. Balfour treating the subject as an individual in behalf of the government. The debate was closured by a vote of 225 to 147, and the motion was defeated

> REV. JOSEPH PARKER'S PLEA. Rev. Joseph Parker, pastor of the City Temple, in opening the annual conference of the Congregational Union, said he sympathized with the Ro-man Catholics, who were wounded by the pitiable insults heaped upon their religion by the antiquated and despicable oath put into the sovereign's mouth. He declared that the oath must

HARD NAMES. Vienna, April 23.-Violent scenes between the Christian Socialists and Herr Voelkl, the Pan-German, marked the earlier part of today's sitting of the reichsrath. Herr Voelkl was denounced as a liar by Herr Wolmeyer, and the former replied: "You are a perfidious scoundrel. You are a disgrace to your party." In the subsequent uproar such exclamations as "Dirty liar," "reptile," and "traitor" were distinguishable. The din eventually subsided.

CABLE NOTES. who had been a boarder, without get-ting a divorce from her preceding hus-

band. The authorities went to arrest the couple, but they got wind of it and escaped. Papers showed that the little women had been married eight times woman had been married eight times in different towns, but had never been divorced. It is thought that an astounding series of crimes will be un- selected as the Bishop of Maine. Emperor William and Crown Prince Loir, France, April 23. — Suspicion in the brutal murder of five children which occurred here vestorden Frederick William arrived at Bonn

programme. All the older people, as well as the young, are cordially in-

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There are now more than 10,000 dogs in Tokyo, Japan, and 253 dogs, of which 55 were rabid, bit persons last year. In view of the great mischief done by dogs, the police are now going to promulgate dog regulations. INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM .-Mr. S. Ackerman, commercial traveler, Belleville, writes: "Some years ago I used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for In-

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Michigan Man Meets a lerrible London, April 24 .- "I learn," says the Fate at Thoroid.

> Canadian Horses Have a Close Call -Mr. Beck's Among Them.

Strathroy, Ont., April 24.-A Petrolia man, known as Dr. Douglass, was hurt here last night while attempting to get off a moving freight train, and was cut badly about the hips and otherwise seriously injured. He was taken to Roache's Hotel, where Dr. Berdan is attending him. DECAPITATED.

St. Catharines, Ont., April 24.-An accident occurred a short way out of Thorold yesterday, which resulted in the death of A. B. Goold, of Flint, Mich. As the car on the Niagara, St. Catharines and Toronto Railway, which left Toronto at 2:30, reached Lobb's Crossing, a man was sighted on the track. The motorman gave him warning, and he stepped off the track,

but immediately stepped back on it again, and before the car could be

stopped it had passed over him, com-

pletely severing his head from his body. The dead man was a boarder at the Russell House, this city. KILLED BY LIGHTNING. Chester, Vt., April 23.-The lightning which accompanied a thunderstorm in this vicinity yesterday killed Mr. Hughes instantly and fatally hurt a man named Tuttle. Several other men were more or less severely injured by The men were shearing the bolt. sheep in Mr. Hughes' barn when the storm began. Hughes had all his clothing torn from him, and was ter-

ribly burned from head to foot.

CANADIAN HORSES' CLOSE CALL. Toronto, April 24.-The Canadian with so much success at the recent show in Boston arrived in Toronto yesterday, and their owners, Adam Beck, of London; Messrs. Crow and Murray, of Toronto, and George Pepper, of Toronto, have reason to be thankful that they brought no dead ones home. After the show closed in Boston on Saturday night the animals were loaded on the cars. The special train took the Boston and Maine route. All went well until 11:30 on Sunday night, when the train reached Indian River. At this point there is a mountain on one side of the track and the river on the other, and the floods had carried away the rails. It was pitch dark, and the train going 30 miles an hour plunged into a gully. The fireman was thrown into the river and narrowly escaped Half the cars left the drowning. track, and one of them, containing George Pepper's horses, was left standing balanced on the embankment, at an angle of 5 degrees. Three of his horses-Pear, the Bard and Myophia- were badly bruised, and the other Canadian horses in the cars

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The propaganda has decided to pro-

HOWLETT. Howlett, April 22.-The Twentieth Century Literary Society will give their final concert in the schoolhouse on Thursday evening, April 25, commencing at 8 o'clock sharp. Every effort is being made to make this, the closing entertainment of a series which have all been marked with success, one of special interest and superior to all others, and an enjoyable time is anticipated by all. Besides local talent, the society has been fortunate in securing for Thursday evening the "Winnipeg Orchestra," of Littlewood; Miss Hooper, soloist, of London; Miss Beer, also of London, and other outside help. A debate, "Resolved that man has a greater influence for good than woman," will be a feature of the

vited to attend the final meeting.

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of the same town. The new firm will be

year, for which contracts have been

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menced operations on the extensive im-

provements they intend making on the

middle division. Workmen broke ground

at both ends of the Sarnia tunnel under

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formerly resided in Berlin, but two years ago moved to the town of Exeter, where her death took place, in her 46th year. Deceased is survived by her husband and two children. Mary Ann Crosby, wife of John Given, died at her home, Woodstock, on Saturday afternoon. The deceased lived for nearly 50 years on lot 12, con. 4, Blenheim, and was one of the pest known and highly respected residents of that town-

ship. She is survived by her husband,

one son, Dr. George Given, of Minnesota,

and two daughters, Mrs. S. Sanderson,

burg young man, has enlisted in the of Dungannon, and Mrs. S. E. Ennis, of American army. His regiment has been | Hawtrey. The W. J. English Company, with head office at Forest, has been incorporated, with a capital of \$20,000, "to buy, sell and deal in general merchandise." The shareholders are: William John English and Daniel Cooke, merchants; Margaret Catherine English, married woman, and Frances Olive Beatty, spinster, all of the joined the firm of Pardee & Mackenzie, town of Forest, county of Lambton; and William Noble Ironside, of the village of known as Pardee, Mackenzie & Burn-Thedford, county of Lambton, merchant Just below Port Lambton, on the St Sarnia Observer: Heavy ice was run- | Clair River, lies the propeller Arundel, ning all day Saturday in St. Clair River. so solidly jammed in Lake Huron ice The steamers Gordon Campbell and that she cannot move an inch. She got Pentland were still out in the lake, and into her predicament by trying to make within two miles of each other, near the her way through the floating field, hoplife-saving station. They have been out | ing to get in Lake St. Clair. There is no telling how long she may have to stay Major J. E. Hamilton, of Brantford, there, though the prospects are for sev-

> the ice as solid and thick as in midwinter.

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Russell Sage's Warning to Speculators.

An account of Russell Sage, published in 1879, says: "He stands foremost among the financial men of the country. He leads the mammoth stock operations on Wall street. His rooms on William street are as plain as a New England barn. His private office two spacious chambers. An oil cloth covers the floor, and an iron railing keeps back the crowd. In this office Sage's movements are watched. Speculators dog his steps; they head him off in the street; interrupt his meals; and spring upon him in all the out-ofthe-way business places. He is a bold and successful business man. His banking transactions are heavy. Without controversy, he is the leader of the street. He has the confidence of business men who will not trust each in his integrity and ability. Quiet, the street."

This financial veteran has sounded a note of warning. He once remarked: "During my business career, I have seen more than 50 per cent of the moneyed men go under." He is still in the front rank; and if over twenty years ago he was the unquestioned twenty years of added experience give weight to his utterances. Interviewed on the present situation, he said:

"There is but one way of doing busimon sense and honesty. We have all been trying to make men see the necessity of getting back to honest values, that we might deal in stocks with ordinary safety.'

"Values have not increased." continued Mr. Sage. "Properties now so high can be reproduced for one-half what they are selling for. The present condition of the market is unnatural and liable to lead to great losses and perhaps a panic. But all ficial handicaps."
men are not fools. The public will The views of s get its eyes open very soon and see the absurdity of trying to represent railroads as worth double what others much for a house as it would cost to duplicate it? Now is the time to exercise prudence, reduce prices, take in sail and keep close to shore.'

"What is the cause of this general advance in values?" I asked Mr. Sage. "Reckless speculation," he replied, with emphasis, "because Wall street en are drunk with speculation and don't know what they are doing."

They have sent stocks of all sorts up in balloons, and think they'll never come down, but they are wrong, and the descent is sure," added Mrs. Sage, who was listening with deep interest. No matter what Russell Sage's per-

sonal interests may be, it is safe to follow him when he lays down sound principles. If stocks are selling for double their actual value; if railways can be duplicated for half what they are represented to be worth; if the condition of the market is unnatural and caused by reckless speculation: if Wall street is drunk with speculation -it is safe to predict that headaches will follow; or, as Mrs. Sage put it, "They have sent stocks of all sorts up in balloons, and think they'll never come down, but they are wrong, the descent is sure."

There does seem to be an increasing spirit of speculation, a greater desire than ever to get rich hastily. Inflation may prosper for a time, but is not likely to continue, and speculators would do well to take heed to Pussell Sage's warning. More than once in his lifetime he is credited with having averted a panic. That he himself has sailed safely through and maintained his conservative principles, is the best proof that he has a correct judgment on such subjects.

The practice of sprinkling roads with crude oil has been found successful In allaying the dust, but disastrous to bicyclists and owners of rubber-tired vehicles. Oil has been found to have a deleterious effect on rubber.

The New York Observer opposes the Idea of keeping the Pan-American Exhibition open on Sundays. The experiment of keeping the World's Fair at Chicago open on Sundays proved a costly one, incurring, as it did, the censure not only of those who believed in preserving the sanctity of the Sabbath, but those who believe that six days out of seven are enough for man | boring appliance that may be introand beast to labor.

It is a sadly solemn fact that more people attend church when the sun shines than when the elements vent their displeasure—and facts are stubborn things when linked with the weather.—Chatham Banner-News.

Bad weather affects the attendance also at every form of week-day, secular entertainment, though perhaps not to the same extent. Many churches ought to be lit up better in bad weather. They are often depressingly gloomy-looking, when by the turning en of a few lights, they might be made bright and cheerful in aspect.

acy in Danger?

In the last number of The New Liberal Review there is a symposium on the important question of "How to Maintain Our Commercial Supremacy," and as we in Canada, because of our ever-getting-closer trade relations with the motherland, are vitally interested in this subject, we purpose showing say on the subject.

Mr. Murray, secretary of the London Chamber of Commerce, holds that the first duty of Great Britain is to strengthen her army and navy, and the second, to adopt a wide system of commercial education. The most difficult problem of all, Mr. Murray holds to be the danger resulting from the live advantage in getting at the ideas decreasing of the recuperative stores of country blood. The boy and the girl from the country have been the great stay of the centers of population in keeping up their mental and physical stamina, but how this is to be continued, with a constant tendency to curtail the numbers of those emis a little den of a room opening into ployed in tilling the soil, Mr. Murray has not stated. Fourthly, Great Britain must have Imperial Federation on free trade principles. This is the view held by Mr. Chamberlain, Lord Rosegigantic operations take place. Mr. bery, the Duke of Devonshire and all the great leaders. Fifthly, Mr. Murray holds that Britain must increase the productiveness of her labor, and es-

and steamships. Mr. Keir Hardie, the Labor leader takes no stock in technical education as an aid to trade progress. He holds that an eight-hour day would cheapen other. Men put millions into his production and improve the efficiency hands, having the fullest confidence of labor. He agrees with Mr. Murray that the railways ought to be nationalreserved and modest, he comes to the ized, and he thinks the mines ought front in all the great transactions of also to be state-owned. Mr. Hardie's conclusion is that "high wages, short hours, the abandonment of imperialism, and the nationalization of raw materials and the means of transit. are, in my judgment, the chief means whereby our commercial supremacy is likely to be prolonged. Low wages and long hours, even when backed by techleader in the Street, his more than nical education, will assuredly hasten the end."

tablish cheap transport, which he be-

owned and state-subsidized railways

lieves can best be provided by state-

Sir Neville Lubbock, a distinguished financier and chairman of the West India committee, thinks that Great Briain ought to apply the "open door" and "equality of opportunity" principles to factory legislation; in other words, "not to handicap the producers in the interests of the wage-earning classes." Given "a fair field and no favor," Sir Neville has a firm belief in the ability of the British to hold his own against all comers. "But the stress of the coming competition will allow no arti-

The views of Sir Howard Vincent, Regarding our official reports, the M. P., must be well known to our Montreal Witness expresses itself in readers. He is the champion of the these words: "Canada has add could be put down beside them for. Who would want to pay twice as her commercial supremacy by estabidea that Britain can best maintain lishing preferential trade with colonies on mutual terms, and impose a duty on probably the only correct and promptforeign goods to readjust the balance. He admits, however, that the merchant and consuming interests - embracing the large majority of the people - are strong against it. Before such a revolution in the established system of Great Britain could be brought about, there will have to be an enormous change in the attitude of the British public with regard to the taxation of commodities.

Mr. E. E. Williams, the author of 'Made in Germany," is a pessimist with regard to Britain's commercial supremacy. It cannot, he asserts, be maintained under any circumstances. The most that the people of the motherland can do is to maintain a large measure of commercial prosperity, as Germany and the United States are sure to get ahead of them. The real and only remedy for the maintenance of a fair position in the race for commerce Mr. Williams holds is the establishment of a customs union on the lines suggested by Mr. Howard Vin-

That the United States will be supreme commercially is the opinion of Mr. W. H. Sever, the great soap manufacturer, but not before the end of the century. Such a supremacy, however, would not, he thinks, necessarily involve British decay. Britain, he argues is hampered by an unpractical system of education. There will be some who disagree with him that trades unionism is an evil, but all will concede that lowpriced labor is a disadvantage. Mr. Sever's view is that the sign of the highest manufacturing ability is shown when a nation can pay the highest rate of wages in the world, and yet produce manufactures cheaper than can be produced elsewhere. This the United States is doing, and Mr. Sever holds that it behooves the British people to see that in the present century workmen in England are better paid, better housed, and better educated: that the sounderideas of productive energy are instilled into them; that the fallacy of restriction of output is educated out of

them; that they are taught to look the change of sentiment by Sir with the greatest favor upon every laduced into the work they are engaged in; that they are taught to assist as because of certain opposition to the far as they possibly can by suggestions Prince of Wales in the late sixties, in the reduction of labor and the increase of the output, as the surest the United Kingdom. But by the time means of improving their own posi- he became a Minister of the Crown, tions. Given such conditions, notwith- Sir Charles had moderated his views. standing that England of herself is Being reminded, on the occasion of his geographically and physically limited, first public address after he joined the and is competing with the United Gladstonian Cabinet, of his advocacy States, which for the purposes of pre- of republicanism, he replied, "Oh! that sent expansion is practically unlimited, was in my scatter-brain days." It is Britain, in Mr. Sever's opinion, need now noted that with characteristic fear nothing with regard to the future. punctuality Sir Charles was one of the

Is Britain's Commercial Suprem- | Commerce, is the only one of the writers who regards technical and commercial education as the chief remedy. He protests also against the devotion of the commercial community to amusements, to the detriment of their business con-

Another of the contributors is Mr. Wilson, of the Investors' Review, who holds strongly to the view that Britain will be elbowed out of the control of markets unless she obtains cheaper means of transport at home, higher orwhat the leading Englishmen who con- ganization in many of her industries, tribute to the view expressed have to a strong feeling of comradeship among producers and merchants, and, above all economy in every part of produc-

These views are, of course, chiefly of men who may be regarded as presenting the employers' side of the issue. It is to be hoped that the enterprising publisher will see that there is an educatentertained by the leaders among the workers, for it is largely by their influence and votes that changes can be brought about.

Hansard.

This term, applied to the official report of public debates in legislative halls, is derived from the firm of Messrs. Hansard, who first published the debates of the British House of Commons. There has been from time to time a variety of views respecting the value to the country of such an official record of parliamentary debate. It has been maintained by some that the Canadian Hansard is a means of encouraging long speeches, and, in many cases, speeches of little or no value, thus enabling the guilty member to scatter the report of his address broadcast to his constituents, or that he may be "immortalized" by leaving a legacy of verbose and incondite speeches in the archives at Ottawa. It is thought that there is a consequent tendency to unnecessarily prolong the session to a wearisome length. In opposition to this view, it is argued, the fact that the speeches in Parliament are made public is productive of better speaking. There is more likely to be some effort towards not only saneness and cogency of argument, but towards literary excellence as well. We have abundant and convincing evidence in support of this contention, for instance, the names of Laurier, Cartwright. Fielding and Solicitor-General Fitzpatrick, in the House of Commons, and in the Senate Hon. David Mills, who has almost since confederation been a foremost commoner. Whether or not the searchlight of public opinion was in any way instrumental in producing such forensic excellence, it is true that many of our very best speakers are at present, or have been, members of Parliament.

bates published in any part of the world." The Congressional Record of the United States, which performs the same duty as the Hansard, gives a very erroneous idea of the proceedings of the American Senate and House of Representatives. There, a member may write, or have written for him his speech, and ask leave to print it in the Record. In Britain the Hansard is printed by contract, and the publishers are authorized to exercise their Majesty's character is marked by a own discretion as to the fullness of the reports, with the proviso that in no case shall a speech be reported at less The Duke of Connaught reminds one

the 'Hansard,' and is not likely to

drop it; and it is satisfactory to know

that we have the most efficient and

ly issued official report of public de-

than one-third of its full length. By comparison it may be seen how used to remind one of the Queen, but complete the Canadian Hansard is. there has never been any such remin-When we call to mind that only a iscences of either side afforded by the century and a half ago the exact pro- eldest son. Seeing that Sir Charles ceedings in the Imperial Parliament has been under secretary for foreign were practically shut off from the affairs, and has been a Cabinet Minpublic eye; when we reflect that the ister, there is particular interest in his only knowledge of parliamentary de- remarks on the King's exclusion while bate obtainable at all was the work of Prince of Wales from state secrets. He Dr. Johnson, or some other member hints that, when the British heir apof the Grub street coterie, who would parent at moments of delicate relations with fereign powers was visiting get persons to attend and listen to the speeches, and write out afterwards rulers, and even when, as has somewhat he could remember of them, the degree of completeness which we have attained in our official reports may be fairly estimated.

PARAGRAPHS ABOUT PEOPLE.

What Sir Charles Dilke, the erstwhile titled British republican, has to say about his relation to monarchy. and especially to the new sovereign of the British Empire, is not without interest. Sir Charles, in a recent magazine article, declares that personally he is one of the least monarchic and the most republican in inclination of British members of Parliament. He points out, at the same time, that the growth of colonial sentiment has withdrawn the adoption of republican institutions from practical politics. But Charles Dilke is not so very recent. His zeal in favor of republican institutions was probably at its height when. many republican clubs were formed in Mr. T. F. Blackwell, chairman of the first to attend the new monarch's ac-Council of the London Chamber of cession council. Sir Charles Dilke in which modern ideas bring new

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pays interesting testimony to the

King's individuality. He says his

cleverness not, as is sometimes said,

merely social, and it is all his own.

of Prince Albert, and Prince Leopold

their capitals and calling upon their

times happened, he was invested with

an official mission-such as carrying a

Garter to a foreign king-his requests

for knowledge pending negotiations

could not be complied with. "If this

exclusion has been felt," adds Sir

Two prominent New Orleans physi-

cians have expressed themselves en-

tirely in favor of the antitoxin treat-

ment of diphtheria. One of them, Dr.

Landfried, who has had extensive ex-

perience in the treatment and cure of

disease, states that "the profession re-

cognizes that antitoxine is so effica-

cious that the probability of death in

cases of diphtheria is reduced to a

minimum. So far as my experience

goes I may say that the disease has

lost all the terrors it once had. If one

can reach a patient within three days

after the germs of the disease have

been at work, one may contemplate

with complacency the outcome of the

The Open Door.

[Cleveland Plaindealer.]

The Chinese open door may perhaps

be widened by knocking down the en-

New Perils.

[Pittsburg Dispatch.]

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in the dining-room of the residence.

Sarnia Observer: The river has receded

to its normal height again. Saturday

night the water was so high that when

the ferry Conger landed either at Sarnia

or Port Huron the gang-plank was al-

most perpendicular, and passengers had

James Bartley, of the Wallace boun-

dary, east of Listowel, has a curiosity in

the form of a calf with five legs. It is

between two and three weeks old, and

is a healthy and sprightly animal. The

extra appendage, which forms a third

hind leg, does not appear to be an in-

convenience. It is two or three inches

shorter than the other legs, but other-

wise is regularly formed. Mr. Bartley

refused \$10 for the calf when a few days

The moose head recently confiscated

at Powassan will be sent to Buffalo as

a part of the forestry exhibit of the

province. The spread of the antlers

measures 67 inches, which Chief Game

At the communion service in one of the

Presbyterian churches • in Washington

last Sunday the bread and wine were

passed by two admirals, a general, two

supreme court justices and a former

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secretary of state.

to be almost lifted aboard the boat.

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AROUND THE CITY.

From Yesterday's Last Edition.

-The city hall flag is flying in honor of St. George's Day. -Mr. F. Porte, of London, England, is at the Tecumseh House.

-Mr. and Mrs. Adam Beck go to Toronto tomorrow to attend the horse -Dr. J. E. Blackall, of Clinton, is in

board. -Mis. Windred and daughter, Sarnia, are visiting Mrs. Durdle,

Shakespeare's birth and the 285th anni-versary of his death.

Shakespeare's birth and the 285th anni-author. The scenes are laid in Florida,

-Lady Laurier will visit Toronto for the horse show, and will be the guest

of Mrs. Melvin Jones. -Adjutant and Mrs. McGillivray, of Brantford, will be welcomed at the Citadel Thursday evening.

-Miss Janet McColl, of London, is spending a few days with Miss May McKenzie, South Yarmouth.

-St. Thomas Times: Mrs. Chamberlain and her two children are visiting her sister, Mrs. Northy, of Londo

-Local coal dealers have decided to close their offices at 1 o'clock Satur-day afternoons during the summer

-Mr. J. H. Jewell, of Toronto, is again in the city on business pertain-ing to the establishment of an automobile factory here.

-Wm. Bernard, of the Bernard House, has disposed of his fine chestnut team to a gentleman in Sherbrooke, Que., for a handsome figure. -The remains of the late Mr. Thos. Nichol, who died at his residence in Westminster on Saturday were in-

terred at the family burying ground -Mr. J. H. Rowland, manager of the Bijou Comedy Company, was in the city today, the guest of Miss Florence Small, soubrette, late of the

same company. -Among the graduates of the Royal just been admitted to the degree of James Frezell, of Lichfield street, this

-The party of men at Wolseley Barracks recruited by Sergt. Beales throughout Western Ontario for the provisional garrison at Halifax, probably entrain for the east on Fri-

-Col. Robert Palmer, R.A., Indian staff captain, arrived from England vesterday with his sister-in-law. Mrs. P. E. Bucke, 571 Queen's avenue. Mrs. Bucke will receive as usual after

-Many sorrowing friends attended the funeral of the late Mr. Alexander Drummond, which was held this afternoon from his family residence on Dundas street to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

-Mr. Sidney Clark, 481 Queen's avenue, suffered a fracture of one of his legs yesterday as the result of a car wheel falling on it while he was at work in the car shops. He was conveyed to his home in the ambulance. -Rev. Dr. Wilde, a former pastor of

the First Congregational Church in this city, and later connected with Bond Street Congregational Church. Toronto, has returned from California, where he has resided for several years, and is now in Toronto.

-At the regular meeing on Friday evening next of St. Andrew's Guild of Young Men, the principal feature will volvers, but this they refused to do. His be a discussion, conducted by six pursuers kept him in sight along members, on "Which occupation offers the greatest opportunity to young men but after following him through the in Canada-mechanics, commerce, law, medicine, journalism or banking?"

-Rev. Arthur Murphy preached very effectively to a large and deeply-interested congregation at St. Matthew's Church last night, on the events associated with the second coming of Christ. Closing services will be held tomorrow at 4:15, and a thanksgiving service at 8 o'clock in the evening.

-The death occurred in Metealfe on April 20 of Mrs. John Pethick, of Stanley street, London, relict of the late John Pethick, of Lantegloss, Cornwall, England, while visiting her nephev and niece, Mr. E. J. and Miss Carrie Hawken. Deceased was 78 years of age, and leaves five children-Mrs. S. Smith, of Wingham; Thomas and Edwin, of London; George, of Seattle, Wash., and John, of Winnipeg. Interment will take place at Strathroy

HIDGES OF LIVE STOCK.

swine; R. Gibson, Delaware, judge sheep: D. Duncan, Don, Ont., judge

DIED AT PARIS.

Mr. L. D. Kent, a wen-known Western commercial traveler, died yesterday at his home in Paris. Mr. Kent had recently been traveling for the London Coffee and Spice Company, while from 1894 to 1897 he represented Gorman & Eckert, of this city. Mr. Kent was well known in the city, and his decease will be much regretted. The funeral takes place tomorrow to Paris cemetery.

POLICE COURT.

In this morning's police court, Wm. Davidson, a teamster, was charged Alex. Harvey, sen., with trespass. Davidson was removing gravel from the bed of the river, north of Oxford street, which Mr. Harvey claims as is property. The case was adjourned

The charge of neglecting to supply the necessaries of life, laid by Elizabeth G. Grant against her husband, Edward Grant, was withdrawn, a deed of separation between the parties havbeen obtained.

James Down was fined \$1 for leaving his horse unattended on the street. A soldier from the barracks paid \$2 for having bicycled on the sidewalk,

MRS. (REV.) ROBERT BOYD.

It has just been learned from a private source that Mrs. Boyd, widow of the late Rev. Dr. Robert Boyd, died on April 16, in California. The remains will be brought to Wisconsin and laid beside those of her husband at Waukesha. Mrs. Boyd leaves three married daughters in California and one in Chicago. Four died before their father passed away. Rev. Robert Boyd will long be remembered by older cit-izens as one of the early pastors of York Street (now Talbot Street) Baptist Church. He was also largely in strumental in starting "Pioneer" vision, Sons of Temperance, in this city, "London" Division being subsequently inaugurated. In the worthy woman, whose death is referred to, the old-time pastor found a veritable 'help-meet," and the young members of the church a sympathetic and wise counsellor. As the Advertiser's inormant writes: "She rests from her labors and her works will follow her.'

"ON THE SUWANEE RIVER." A favorite attraction is Stair and Nicolai's production of "On the Suwanee River," which, like the song, is announced to "live forever." It tells a simple story of southern life, dethe city attending the Western Fair picting the hardship of a poor blind girl at the mercy of rascally relations, and protected by a faithful old colored mammy, "Aunt Lindy." The story is one of telling heart interest, yet -Today is the 337th anniversary of brightened by plenty of comedy, which -The closing concert of the Women's near the lazy stream from which the Morning Music Club will be given to-night at Cronyn Hall. duction of colored field hands, in amusing and lively songs, jubilees and dances. The cast contains many of last season's favorites, including Stella Mayhew as Aunt Lindy, Willow Francis as the blind girl and Earl Atkinson as the rascally Judge Hawk. The company will appear at the London Opera House on Tuesday, April 30.

How Arthur Smith, Fly-Paper Manufacturer, Escaped From the Bailiff.

The old proverb, that "there's many a slip," was Monday demonstrated to the complete satisfaction-or rather dissatisfaction-of Bailiff Burns. The officer since last November has been looking for Arthur Smith, a fly-paper Mrs. Catherine Lougheed Tells the manufacturer, who seems to have imbibed into his system some of the 'flyness' associated with his wares. Smith was wanted on two commitments -one in default of payment of a judgment for \$181 06, dating from November last, and the other for \$47 24, dated March 22, of this year. In addition —Among the graduates of the Royal
College of Deuta! Surgeons, who have
the bailiff had a sheaf of judgment
summonses which he wished to serve on licentiates in dental surgery, is Mr. M. Smith. Smith, however, has been as solicitous in keeping out of the bailiff's sight as the latter has been in endeavoring to locate him. It was not till Monday night, however, that the officer succeeded in getting hold of Smith, and then it was only for a short time. bailiff at once secured two city police-men to guard the stairway, and himself proceeded upstairs. There he found Smith, and the latter at once agreed to go with the officer, asking only that he first be allowed to visit the Talbot street residence of a lawyer, who, Smith claimed, had some money be-longing to him. To this the bailiff assented, and the prisoner and the three officers at once sallied forth. The lawyer was not at home, however, and the quartet started south on Talbot street, Smith walking with Bailiff Burns, and the two policemen walking only a step behind. At the corner of Talbot street and Queen's avenue, Smith asked the bailiff for a match. The officer obligingly produced his match-box, and as he was occupied in replacing it in an inside pocket. Smith turned and ran east. The two policemen were instantly in chase, with Bailiff Burns following at a slower pace, but Smith was too fleet. The bailiff called vehemently upon the policemen to use their re-Queen's avenue, and up Clarence street

park, they lost him at the northeast corner. Smith is still at large. This is not the first time that Smith has made his escape from Bailiff Burns. Nearly two years ago the bailiff was conducting Smith from the county buildings to the jail, when the latter passed through a door, closed it in the officer's face, and decamped. He was chased up the river bank, but eluded his pursuers. The family reside on Adelaide street, near St. James street Pte. Robert Smith, killed at Paarde

berg, was a brother of Arthur Smith. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup Mrs. Winslows Soothing Syrup

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sociation has appointed judges as follows: S. Butterfield, of London, judge

The drum which Hayden once played at a festival in 1740 is still preserved in Hamburg.

KING DAVID" COMING HERE!

Will Accompany His Aunt to Canada.

Russian Students Ask a Favor of the Government-Mrs. Langtry Opens Her Theater.

London, April 23. - Little Prince Edward of Cornwall promises to begin his travels earlier than either his father or grandfather did. If reports be true, he may accompany his aunt, the Princess Victoria, to Canada, to meet his parents returning from their world

The King's personal popularity ap-The King's personal popularity ap- with Broche stripe, per dress length, pears to have descended to the heir- \$7 50. dubbed "King David." Stories of his childish prattle are eagerly read, while materials, 45 inches wide, now selling the doings of his parents, even while at 75c. they are visiting distant parts of the only excite a perfunctory

It will be next to impossible for the present generation to speak of the Duchess of Cornwall as Princess of Wales. The globe-circling tour may eradicate this feeling, but it is impossible to deny its existence. The King's wisdom in insisting on the Australian trip in face of the opposition of the Queen and the Duke and Duchess becomes daily more apparent.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company is building a train of luxuriously equipped cars for the purpose of con-veying the Duke and Duchess of York and party to the coast.

A WELSH RESIDENCE. There is very good reason to believe that the report that the King has purchased a Welsh residence at Glyndifar, near Carnarvon, is well-founded. The Princess Victoria, during her recent visit to the principality, stayed at this place, and it is known that she was enthusiastic in praise of it. The King may make a present of the mansion to the Duke of Cornwall after he has been created Prince of Wales.

THE RUSSIAN STUDENTS. St.Petersburg, April 23.-The universities were reopened yesterday. With permission of the minister of public in struction. Gen. Vannovski the students held a meeting, and after a four

hours' debate, adopted the following re solution by a vote of 1,561 to 228: "The students, confiding in the government's benevolent intentions, and desiring to give time to accomplish necessary reforms, resolve to beg the minister not to begin lectures in the minister not to begin lectures in spring, and to defer the examinations until autumn, when they could be attended by comrades now excluded: cause, in the contrary event, difficulties might arise in the universities which we wished to avoid.'

The answer of the authorities to the resolution will be given today. MRS. LANGTRY OPENS HER THE-

ATER. London, April 23.-Mrs. Langtry inaugurated the Imperial Theater, London, now under her management, last evening, about an hour after the builders had hastily fled from the building, with a rather crude play, by MM. Pierre and Claude Barton. "A Royal Merica Antoinette. Despite the weakness of the piece, Mrs. Langtry's personality to sharpen himself up to the piece of the FROM HIS CAPTORS

secured for it a favorable reception.

Mrs. Langtry as the Queen and Mr.

Robert Taber as Count Fersen were frequently recalled

THE ROYAL TOURISTS. Singapore, April 23. - The steamer Ophir, en route for Australia with the Duke and the Duchess of Cornwall and York on board, sailed from here at 2:40 o'clock this afternoon.

A LADY IN STAPLES

Story of Her Pain and Sickness and How She Was Enabled to Leave It All Behind.

Staples, Ont., April 22.-Mrs. Cathrine Lougheed of this place, has suffered for a long time with lame back She was very sick and miserable. She was persuaded to try Dodd's Kidney Pills with the result that she has completely recovered.

Mrs. Lougheed's experience has been a grateful suggestion to several other ladies in the neighborhood, who have followed her example with the same satisfactory results. Mrs. Lougheed says: "I suffered

with lame back for a long time. I could get no relief. I used two boxes About 9:30 p.m. the bailiff's keen eyes noted a light in an upper window of a building near the site of the new opera mend Dodd's Kidney Pills, and am completely cured. I can highly recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to anyone, house, where Smith's fly-paper factory has of late been situated. The lame back. They are a grand medi-

> OVER TWO THOUSAND STRIKING. Columbus, Ohio, April 23.-Twentyfive hundred mine workers of the lower part of the sub-district No. 5 of Ohio and West Virginia struck yesterday, owing to a disagreement in regard to the dead work system. It is feared the strike will spread to other districts.

SALARY \$100,000 A YEAR. New York, April 23.-According to a morning paper Frederick P. Fish will take office as president of the American Bell Telephone Company, and of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company on July 1 next. His salary will be \$100,000 a year. He is 47 years of age and a graduate of Harvard University and Law School.

The city of Hamburg was originally a castle built by Charlemagne for de-fense against the Norsemen.

fense against the Norsemen.

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FISHING IN THE THAMES

Everybody East of Cashmere Dam Interested-Anglers, Whether Grit or Tory, Support the Colonel on This Point at Least.

On the road to Mandalay, Where the flying-fishes play. -Kipling.

One or two Opposition newspapers are interesting themselves a good deal respecting the position taken by Col. fishing in the River Thames. The Colonel, however, we think, is capable est in the member for London in the Ontario Legislature.

The position taken by Col. Leys practically comes to this, that because of his living wives were 42. the Cashmere dam, combined with certain sorts of improper fishing, all persons to the eastward of the said strucsons to the eastward of the said struc-a church at Grand Rapids, Mich. She ture are practically deprived of their had come to Chicago to visit the fair, due proportion of fish and of fishing and was stopping at the Richelieu

as anglers. fishing generally; for example, at times and did not see the count again until when the fish spawn; for it is obvious last fall, when she married him. She nothing can deplete a lake or a river declared last evening that there is no more rapidly than the abominable act of fishing during the spawning season. the world. That such a sharpening of activity would be useful, is shown by the fact that bass were recently exposed for sale at Detroit, the bass having been illegally caught in Burlington Bay, Hamilton, by spearing, and shipped to

The Colonel contends that the Cashmere dam is an illegal structure from top to bottom, and that it does not in any sense come up to the requirements of the ancient charter under which it was constructed. We give last year was 681 miles, or 49 miles the words of the act respecting the more than in 1899. A total of 118,129,-

Cashmere dam in full: erect a dam on lot No. 28 of the broken front of Mesa, of such height as will invested in electric lines on Dec. same; provided always that such dam debt was \$12,619,422. The total receipts locks for safe and convenient passage penses \$3,268,001: enacted that if the passage aforesaid shall at any time be obstructed for ings of electric railways. the period of 20 days successively, the grant hereby made shall be absolutely void. And it is further enacted that it shall be lawful for the legislature at any time, when in their opinion the public interest shall require it, to repeal this Act."

While Col. Leys has no desire to embarrass his political associates, nor to attract the somewhat doubtful sympathy of political opponents, we think it may be fairly said that, in this matter, the Colonel has no opponents, as to make the River Thames as good of the Cashmere dam.

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The Canada Atlantic Railway has closed a contract with the Leyland Line of Steamships to take 500,000 bushels of grain for Quebec.

THEY ARE NOT VIOLENT IN ACTION.—Some persons, when they wish to cleanse the stomach, resort to Epsom and other purgative salts. These are speedy in their action, but serve no permanent good. Their use produces incipient chills, and if persisted in they injure the stomach. Nor do they act upon the intestines in a beneficial way. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills answer all purposes in this respect, and have no superior.

FIFTY OR SO

Count Melville, of Chicago, Well Off for Wives.

The Gray-Haired Roue Bears the Scars of Many a Duel-Arrested at Last for Bigamy.

Chicago, April 23.-The Chronicle says: In the arrest of Count Leopold De Melville, otherwise known as Leo Fralquini, who is held by the New York police on a charge of bigamy, sworn to by a brother of one of his Chicago wives, there was brought to light in this city a romance whose unfolding reveals the count as the hero of more than 100 love affairs. He is declared to be the husband of an assortment of wives, whose number a recently deserted wife in Chicago esti-mated last night at "fifty or so."

As a duelist of many a bloodstained field of honor in Europe, the count becelebrated nearly a generation His duels were always fought for love, and the wounds received in the onsets he proudly bears on his face and body. He at last broke altogether with his father, a nobleman high in the court and councils of the King of Belgium, and came to this country.
Such was the narrative detailed last

evening at her residence in this city by Mrs. Hannah Henson De Melville, who married Count Merchant De Mel-ville in this city, Aug. 21, 1900, and

A few days before April 1 of this year the count eloped with a young woman from Riverdale, whom, it is alleged, he married in this state took with him to New York. Within a few days of the elopement the young lady's brother discovered that De Melville had a wife in Chicago—Mrs. Hannah Henson De Melville—with whom he had been living at the time of the elopement. His sister New York was made acquainted with her brother's discoveries. There was a separation between the elopers, after which the woman returned to Chi-

When placed under arrest in New York the count was reported to have told Detective Burke he had so many wives that he had not been able to keep track of even their names, and could form no idea as to their real

To have made such an admission the countess thinks would have been unlike the count, who is said to be habitually cautious and taciturn in dealing with strangers. But she free ly avowed that in her opinion he had several wives living, and added that Leys with regard to the subject of the she should not be surprised if the number should be found to reach 59.
With this latter number to his credit

the count would be found to have of estimating the sincerity of the mo- thrown into the shade the records of tives which prompt this sudden inter- two most celebrated Chicago bigamists, Bates and Farnsworth, since Bates was able to muster only five at his trial and Farnsworth about the same number, although Farnsworth

during the World's Fair. She is the sister of Rev. John Henson, pastor of

She returned to her brother's home. doubt in her mind that he is a genuine count, and that he has been all over Before the end of the week the count will be brought to Chicago to face his

accusers. HEAVY TRAFFIC OF ELECTRIC RAILWAYS

Statistics Show Marvelous Growth of City last meeting. and Suburban Railways in Canada.

Ottawa, April 23.-The electric railway mileage of Canada at the end of 862 passengers were carried by the 35 electric railways in the Dominion in "Act 6, William IV., chap. 24, enacts 1900, being an increase of 14,097,203. that it shall and may be lawful to This is equivalent to 21 trips for every man, woman and child. The capital not flood any lands lying above the 1900, was \$20,633,000, and the bonded shall be constructed with suitable for the year were \$5,922,540 and the ex-The steam railways for such boats as are now or may carried 17,122,193 passengers in 1900. hereafter be in use upon the said making the total carried by both sysriver; and also with inclined planes tems 135,252,055. Since 1897 the number of not less than 40 feet in length and of passengers carried by electric rail-30 feet in width, with good and sufficient aprons for the safe passage of 130,000, a growth of 41 per cent, while rafts and the ascent of fish, to be those carried by steam railways inmaintained and kept in good repair by creased from 13,742,454 to 17,122,193, or the person in possession of the water an advance of 25 per cent. The exprivilege free from toll as long as the penses form about 67.50 per cent of the dam shall exist. And it is further gross earnings of steam railways and

PRIEST MISSING. Montreal, April 23.-The mysterious disappearance of a priest is reported from St. Lin, Que. The priest is Rev. Mr. Joly, who was in charge of the parish of St. Emile, in the woods north of the Black River. He has been miss-

ing for over five months. FOUND HIS EAR OUT IN THE

YARD. Ottawa, Ont., April 23.-W. A. Cole, of Cedar street, Hintonburg, says he lost the greater part of one of his ears at least none in London; and we trust by having it bitten off by a boarder the whole matter may be so arranged in his house, on Saturday night. According to Cole he and the boarder had fight in the yard ,and afterward a fishing stream, to the eastward, as Mrs. Cole picked up a large piece of it always has been to the westward her husband's ear from the yard. It is alleged the boarder bit the ear off. The police have been notified.

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THE CHARGES OF MR. COOK

Investigation Resumed by Senate Committee.

Mr. Cameron's Letter Book Presented-Charge by Mr. Preston That One of His Letters Had Been Tampered With.

[Special to Advertiser.] Ottawa, Ont., April 23.—The senate ommittee to investigate the Cook charges resumed today. Mr. Bowell, the chairman, explained that Mr. Bayly, solicitor for the executor of the M. C. Cameron estate, asked that further evidence be taken, as they thought that some of the testimony given had unfairly reflected on the nemory of the deceased. Hon, Mr. Bowell had subpoenaed witnesses, and Dr. Wilson, of London, son-in-law of the late governor, was present with

Mr. Cameron's letter book.

This being disposed of, Mr. Bowell read a letter from W. T. R. Preston, asking to be examined to show that the letter which Mr. Cook had presented before the committee and which was written by him (Preston), had been tampered with, and that the date was obliterated. There was no date on the letter, but there was a mark as if it scratched. Mr. Preston was examined, and said

that he had difficulty in getting ac-cess to the letter, but when he succeeded in doing so he examined it with a magnifying glass, and found marks as if the letter had been written in Hotel, her companion being a southern June instead of November, as sworn The letter was on the library paper,

between Messrs. Marsh and Crooks, Mr.

Cook's counsel, and the witness.

Mr. Marsh made the remark: "You are an innocent lamb. Mr. Preston retorted: "You are no nnocent lamb. This drew the laugh on Mr. Marsh. The latter tried to discredit Mr. Preston by drawing in an old family feud, which existed between the Pres-

tons and Rochesters, of Ottawa. This was twenty years ago, and Mr. Preston's explanation of this was so complete that Mr. Marsh stopped any fur ter examination. Mr. Bowell called a messenger to show that Mr. Preston was listening when evidence was being taken at the

The messenger pointed out the where Mr. Preston stood, showing that he could not have heard anything. This provoked laughter.

RAILWAY DISCUSSION POST-PONED. The Manitoba railways discussion was postponed at the railway commit-

Deaths of a Day.

tee today until Thursday next.

Consumption is believed to have been the cause of the death of Dr. Tanner, the well-known Irish member of parliament; yet he was one of the last men who a few years ago would have been considered likely to fall a victim to that most insidious disease. With magnificent physique and remarkable strength he was full of boisterous merriment and in the House of Commons, despite the occasional indecorum of his con-

duct, he was really very popular. He

was 51 years old.

Washington, April 22.—Col Charles Keller died at Fort Sam Houston, Tex. today. The cause of his death was nephritis. He had seen a good deal of service in the Philippines. Boston, April 22.-The death of Miss Ruth Cordie Long, niece of the sec retary of the navy, John D. Long, and a well-known singer, which occurred at

announced today. She was born in Kansas City, Kan., April 22.—Mrs. Elizabeth H. Ward died here today.She was the daughter of Major Charles Wheeler, who served with distinction in the war of 1812 and in the Mexican

her home in Dorchester last night, was

Chicago, Aprl 22.-Rev. Dr. Richard De Baptiste, colored, pastor of the Second Baptist Church at Elgin, Ill., and for many years in charge of the Olivet Baptist Church, died at his home. Dr. De Baptiste was 69 years old Pittsburg, April 23.—Colchill W. Hazzard, editor and proprietor of the Monogahela Republican, and one of the most forceful citizens of Western

Pennsylvania, died last night at his home in Monongahela, of paralysis. Col. Hazzard was past supreme chancellor of the Royal Arcanum, past commander of the G. A. R., a member of the Loyal Legion, a Knight Templar and 32nd degree Mason. The deceased was 62 years of age.

TOBACCO CULTURE IN MIDDLESEX.

The Indian Weed May Become a Profitable Crop in This Vicinity.

It is a fact not generally known, perhaps, that there are many districts in the vicinity of London, admirably adapted to tobacco culture. The tobacco industry has become a very important one in the vicinity of Leamington, but it is doubtful if the conitions there are more favorable than those in many parts of Middlesex. It is an interesting fact that the best grade of raw tobacco purchased by the London Tobacco Company last year, was grown in Caradoc township. With the view of encouraging farmers to grow tobacco on a small scale, the London Tobacco Company very generously offers to supply free a quantity of good seed to any farmer who applies at their offices, 188 King street. A member of the firm said today that he was confident many farmers in the neighborhood of London could make tobacco culture a paying side line. A very high grade has been grown at the London asylum farm and n many parts of Caradoc. Of course, all varieties of soil will

thrives best in a warm, sandy soil, and farmers possessing land of that char-acter might find it to their advantage to set aside this year a small plot for experimental purposes.

SPORTING NEWS

not produce good tobacco.

HIS CONDITION SERIOUS. condon, April 23.—The condition of Billy Smith, the American pugilist who was knocked out in the eighth round of a contest at the National Sporting Club last night with Jack Roberts, for the 126-pound championship of England, and who was removed to a hospital in an unconscious condition, is critical. In spite of his slight rally, the surgeons at the hospital take the most serious view of his condition. He remains unconscious

from concussion of the brain. THE RIFLE. PIGEON-KILLING BILL KILLED. Albany, N. Y., April 23.—The bill prohibiting the killing of pigeons was defeated in the assembly last night, the vote being 70 yeas to 70 noes. An amendment which would permit the shooting of pigeons at gun club shoots

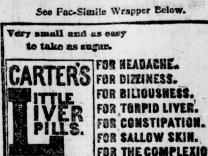
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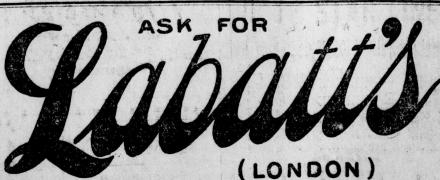
present was defeated.

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THE MARKETS.

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NEW YORK STOCKS.

Reported by F. H. Masonic Temple, for T Yesterday's	he Ad	vertise	r.	,
Yesterd'ay'n				
Close.	Open.	High.	LOW. 2	
Anaconda 491/2	5014	501/2	49%	501/2
Amal. Copper1224	124	12436	1223/4	1241/4
Atcheson 685%	681/2	69	683/8	683/4
Atcheson Pfd 961/4	961/2	97 1/2	96 1/2	97
B. & O 94	961/8		::	::
Brooklyn Tram 861/4	871/4	873/4	861/2	87
C. B. & Q194	196	1963/4	195	196
C. C. G 861/2	861/2	861/2	85	85%
C. F. I 97 1/2	971/2	98	96	96
Brie 381/8	3834	38 7/8	3834	38¾
K.& T. Pfd 65 %	661/4			
L. & N 104 1/8	105%	105%	105	1051/2
Manhattan 12834	12934	130 1/2	1291/	130
Metropolitan St. 174	174%	176%	174 1/2	1751/4
Mo. P108	1071/2	108	1061/2	1075/8
M. Y. Central1581/4	15314	1531/4	1521/2	1525%
Norfolk and W. 54%	54	54	531/8	581/8
Forthern Pacific1011/	102	1033/	101%	103
Ont. and Western 34%	351/	351/4	35	351/8
Pacific Mail 41	41	41	4014	4034
Pennsylvania160%	160%	16034	159%	160
People's Gas115	115%	118%	115	115%
R. I	155	1561/4	154 1/4	1551/4
Reading 761/2	76%	773/4	76%	773/8
St. Paul 16834	168%	171	1681/	170%
Southern Rv. Pfd .	8314	831/2	83	833/8
Southern Pacific.51%	53%	52%	513/4	521/8
Texas	47 3/2	483/8	47	481/4
T. C. I 671/4	67	68	6634	6736
U. Pacific 99	991/8	100	9834	9954
W. U 93%	931/8		92%	92 1/2
TRUSTS-	00/8	00/8		
Lead				
Leather 77%	7734			
Sugar 1481/8	14814	149	14814	1485
	453/4	463/	45%	461/
	94	9434	931/2	941
U. S. Steel Pfd 93%	2014	211/6	201/4	213
Rubber 201/8		128	1271/8	1273
Tobacco 128	128	46	45	455
Continental 46%	40	10	40	107

J. M. YOUNG STOCK BROKER-New York and Chicago stocks bought and

HING STREET, MASONIC TEM PLE PHONE 707. THE LOCAL MARKET.

A. M. HAMILTON & SUNS REPORT.
London, Wednesday, April 24.
Wheat, white, per bu65c to 66c
Wheat, red, per bu
Wheat, spring, per bu66c to 661/2c
Oats, per bu30c to 31c
Peas, per bu54c to 66c
Corn, per bu44c to 45c
Barley, per bu
Beans, per bu\$1 15 to \$1 40
WEEKLY REVIEW.

The deliveries during the past week have been fair for seeding time, and the demand very good. The bulk of grain receipts were oats, which sold freely at 86c to 90c, mostly at 87c to 88c per cental. Wheat receipts light; demand good, at

Peas for feeding sell from 85c to 90c; seed peas bring 65c to 75c per bushel.

Feeding corn, 80c to 85c; seed corn, 90c to \$1 per hundred.

No buckwheat or rye offered.

No buckwheat or rye offered.

Dressed hogs—Receipts light; prices
well up, selling at \$8.75 to \$9 per hundred.

Hay—In good supply at \$7 to \$8.50 per

ton,		
Quotations:		
GRAIN.		
Wheat, white, per 100 lbs\$1 08	@	\$1 10
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs 1 08	a	1 10
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs. 1 08	0	1 10
Oats, per 100 lbs 88	@	90
Beans, per 100 lbs 00	0	00
Corn. per 100 lbs 85	@	85
Barley, per 100 lbs 80	@	1 00
Rye, per 100 lbs	0	
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	0	
Beans, per 100 lbs 1 00	@	1 25
HOGS.		
Light, per 100 lbs 650	@	6 50
Singers, per 100 lbs 650	@	6 50
Heavy, per 100 lbs 4 00	0	6 00
Pigs. voung. per pair 3 50	0	4 50

HAY AND SEEDS.

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For Housekeepers.

The market was very slimly attended this morning and neither supplies nor demand were sufficient to affect quota-WHOLESALE DEALERS' PRICES. Eggs, single dozen...... Butter, lb, large rolls or Butter, creamery
Lard, per lb
Eggs, store lots, dozen...
Butter, lb rolls, baskets...
Butter, crock
Butter, store lots...
Butter, creamery per lb Butter, creamery, per lb.. Turkeys, per lb 1 00 70 65 Chickens, per pair........... Hens, per pair VEGETABLES.
Potatoes, per bag.....
Turnips, new, per bag....
Lettuce, per dozen..... Beets. per bag....... Onions, per bag..... Carrots

40 1 09 40 59 24 50 90 60 Parsnips
Savory and Sage, per doz.
Parsley, per doz.
Artichokes, per bag....
Vegetable oysters, doz.... FRUIT. MEAT, HIDES, ETC. Beef, carcass
Mutton, quarters, per lb...
Lamb, quarters Veal quarters

Calfskins, green ool, washed, per lb.....
ides, No. 1, per lb.....
ides, No. 2, per lb..... PROVISIONS.

BOOTS.......\$3 75 H. Ashplant, Sole Agent. OCCOSOOOOO MARTIAGE Licenses Issued.

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TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

Toronto, April 22.—Wheat—More inquiry; market firmer: red and white, 51c, middle freights, and at 63c on a 133c freight to New York; goose, 51c for No. 1, and 66c for No. 2, on a 134c freight to New York; spring, 69c for No. 1 east, and 68c, middle freights; Manitoba firmer, at 97c for No. 1 hard, 93c for No. 2 hard, and 80c for No. 3 hard, grinding in transit, and 96c, all rail, North Bay, for No. 1 hard, 92c for No. 2 hard, and 79c for No. 3 hard. Flour—Demand for export improved; 90 per cent patents sold at \$2.60. Millfeed—Quiet; cars of shorts are quoted at \$14.50 and bran at \$13.50 west. Barley—Steady, at 44c for No. 2 east, and on a 133c freight to New York, and 43c, middle freights, No. 2 extra is quoted at 42c, middle freights. Buckwheat—Nominal, at 52c, middle freights. Corn—Firmer, at 42c for Canada yellow, and 41½c for mixed west; American No. 3 yellow is quoted at 50c at Toronto. Oats—Good demand; firmer, at 64½c te 65c, middle freights. Butter—Offerings of dairy large; slow; best rolls, 15c, and ruling price 14c; low-grade stuff sells at 12c to 14c; creamery unchanged, at 19c to 21c for prints and 18c to 19c for solids. Eggs—Steady, at 11c for case lots. Live hogs—Receipts today small, 300; prices unchanged; choice bacon, 6%c; heavy and light fat, 6%c.

TORONTO HAY MARKET. asked. Oats-No. 2 white, 22c; No. 3 white, 32c; No. 4 white, 31c, on track. TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET. white, 32c; No. 4 white, 31c, on track.

DETROIT, April 23.—Wheat—No. 1

white, cash, 76½c; No. 3 red, eash and

April, 76½c; May, 76½c; July, 75½c.

TOLEDO, April 23.—Wheat—Cash, 75c;

May, 75½c; July, 74½c. Corn—May, 45c;

July, 44½c. Oats—May, 26¾c; July, 26½c.

CHICAGO, April 23.—May, corn, broke.

TORONTO HAY MARKET. Toronto, April 23.—Baled hay—Choice timothy, on track here, \$10.75; two-ton lots, delivered, \$11.50. Straw—Car lots of straw, on track here, \$5.50 to \$6.

ENGLISH MARKETS. The following table shows the quotations per cental for American products at Liverpool, as well as for the three previous market days. In each case highest prices are given:

DETROIT BEAN MARKET.

HIDES, SKINS AND TALLOW.

LEATHER MARKET.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

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Export cattle, choice, cwt...\$4 80 @ \$5 1
Export cattle, light, cwt... 4 00 @ 4 5
Butchers' cattle, picked.... 4 00 @ 4 2
Butchers' cattle, choice... 3 50 @ 4 2

Butchers' cattle, good.

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Feeders, light 3
Stockers, 400 to 750 lbs 3
Stockers, off-colors and helfers 1
Feeding bulls 2
Light stock bulls, cwt 1
Milch cows 3
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Stockers, off-colors 2
Stockers, off-colors 3
Stockers, are stocked 3
Stockers, 400 to 750 lbs 3
Stockers, 400 to 7

Sheep, export ewes, cwt.... Lambs, each

Lambs, each Lambs, per cwt Lambs, grain-fed

Bucks, each
Calves, per head
Hogs, choice, per cwt.....
Hogs, light, per cwt.....

Hogs, fat, per cwt....... Barnyard lambs

Spring lambs, each. Butcher sheep

a little lower than last week, and

previous market highest prices a		days	3.	In	•	ach	c	ase	Detroit, April 24.—There is nothing do-
WHEAT-		pril		oril 10.	A	pril 22.	A:	pril	ing in the bean market, and prices are unchanged. Quotations: Cash, \$185; May, \$180.
Red Winter		111/		1034	6	0	6	01/2	CHICAGO EXCHANGE.
No.1 Nor. Spring	0	1172	6	11/2		116	10000	2	CHICAGO, April 23.
Walla	0	nu	6	0	6	036			
No. 1 Cal		2	6	134			8	2	Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler,
March	0	õ	0	0	0		0		breker, offices Masonic Temple. Phone 5 12.
May			5	8%	5	10		10	
July	5	91/2	5			10%	5	1014	
CORN-									Wheat—May 72 72% 71% 71% July 72% 73 71% 71%
New	4	134	0	0	4	2%	4	216	Corn-May 461/8 47 461/4 461/4
Old			14	134	4	3	4	31/4	July 441/4 451/4 441/6 441/4
Jan			0	0	0	0	9	0	Oats-May, 25% 26% 25% 25%
March			0	0		0	0	0	July 25½ 25½ 25¼ 25¼
May			0	0	4			1%	Pork May 14 49 14 49 14 30 14 30
July						115/8		111/2	1 July 14 57 14 57 14 45 14 45
Sept				111/4				111/2	Lard-May 8 12 8 12 8 10 8 10
Flour	19	0	5	0	19			0	July 8 05 8 05 7 97 7 97
Peas			63	634		0	0		Ribs-May 8 12
Pork, prime mess.	103	0	42		42		0		July 7 60 7 90 7 87 7 97
Tallow	95	6	25		25	0			WOOL MARKET.
Bacon, light			43		42		0		Toronto, April 23.—Dullness in the situ-
Cheese, white			48		48		147		ation has still to be reported; the market
Cheese colored			47	6	47		146	6	is devoid of any sign of improvement in
Liverpool, April 23—Closing.							the near future; pulled wools are quiet.		
Liver	DU	Ul.	LIN	111	20	010	1211	15.	, active, paried regord are quiet.

Liverpool, April 23—Closing.
Wheat—Spot dull; No. 2 red western
winter, 5s 10½d; No. 1 northern spring,
6s ½d; No. 1 California, 6s 1¾d; futures
firm; May, 5s 10d; July, 5s 10¾d.
Corn—Spot firm; American mixed, new,
4s 2¼d; American mixed, old, 4s 2¾d;
futures, steady; May, 4s 1¼d; July, 3s
115½d; Sept., 3s 11½d.
Peas—Canadian steady, 5s 7d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter dull, 8s.
Hops (at London)—Pacific coast steady,
f4 to f4 15s.

Toronto, April 23.—Hides are plentiful, and the market is dull, the demand being moderate; local dealers quote for green No. 1 cows, 6½c, and sters, 7c, and 1c less for No. 2; cured hides are rather steady, at 7c for cows and 8¼c for steers. Sheepskins are in liberal supply and the market is quiet, at 90c to \$1 for the best. Calfskins—The offerings are fair, there is a good demand, and market is steady, at \$c for No. 1 and 7c for No. 2. Tallow—The market is quiet; local dealers are offering \$c to 5¼c and are asking 5½c to 5½c. f4 to f4 15s.

Beef-Extra India mess easy, 61s 3d.

Pork-Prime mess western steady,

Lard-Quiet; American refined, in pails, Lard—Quiet; American refined, in pails, 42s; prime western, in tierces, 42s 6d.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, firm, 46s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, steady, 44s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, quiet, 42s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, easy, 40s 9d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, firm, 40s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, quiet, 45s 9d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, strong, 46s 6d.

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Shoulders—Square, 11 to 13 lbs, quiet, 35s 9d.
Butter—Finest United States, 88s; good United States, 66s.
Cheese—American finest white, dull, 47s; American finest colored dull, 46s 6d; good American dull, 46s 6d.
Tallow—Prime city quiet, 25s; Australian (in London) steady, 26s 6d.
Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot firm, 21s 6d.
Turpentine spirits—Firm, 27s.
Rosin—Common quiet, 4s 6d.
Petroleum—Refined steady, 73gd.
Linseed oil—Firm, 29s 3d.
The receipts of wheat during the past three days, 409,000 centals, including 254,000
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The receipts of American corn during the past three days, 94,700 centals. Weather bright

SUGAR. London, April 23.-Beet sugar, April,

THE OIL MARKETS. PITTSBURG Pa., April 23.—Oil opened

OIL CITY, Pa., April 23.—Credit balances, \$1 20; certificates, no bid. PITTSBURG, Pa., April 23.-Oil closed ANTWERP, April 23.-Petroleum, 17f

LONDON, April 23.-Linseed oil, 20s 6d. THE DAIRY MARKETS. NEW YORK, April 23.—Butter—Firm; fresh creamery, 15c to 20c; factory, 11c to 13½c; imitation creamery, 15½c to 17c; state dairy, 15c to 19c. Cheese—Steady; fancy large colored, 11c to 11½c; fnacy large white, 10¾c to 11c; fancy small colored, 12c to 12¼c; fancy small white, 11¾c to 12c

CHICAGO, April 23.—Butter—Quiet; creameries, 15c; dairies, 11c to 17c. Cheese—Steady, 9½c to 11½c.

AMERICAN MARKETS. NEW YORK, April 23.—Flour—Receipts, 8,206 bbls; sales, 3,950 pkgs; state and NEW YORK, April 23.—Flour—Receipts, 28.206 bbls; sales, 3.950 pkgs; state and western was firm, with trade moderate; Minnesota patents, \$4 to \$425; do, bakers, \$2.90 to \$2.25; winter patents, \$3.65 to \$4; do, straights, \$3.45 to \$3.55; winter extras, \$2.45 to \$2.85; do, low grades, \$2.30 to \$2.45. Rye flour—Steady; fair to good, \$2.80 to \$3.15; choice to fancy, \$3.20 to \$3.45. Wheat—Receipts, 29.450 bu; sales, 2,150,000 bu; options opened easy under disappointing cables, but recovered with corn; May, 78% to 79% c; July, 78c to 78-16c; Sept., 77c to 77% c. Rye—Quiet; state, 55c to 56c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 60% c, fo.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 26,000 bu; sales, 105,000 bu; options were strong and higher on another scare of shorts and poor receipts west; May, 50% to 51% c, July, 49% to 50c; Sept., 49c to 49% c. Oats—Receipts, 85,500 bu; options dull but firm; track, white state and western, 22% to 36c. Cheese—Receipts, 1,846 pkgs; market steady; fancy large colored, 11c to 114c; do, small colored, 12c to 124c; market steady; fancy large colored, Ilc to 11½c; do, small colored, 12c to 12½c; do, small white, 11½c to 12. Eggs—Receipts, 23,798 pkgs; steady; state and Pennsylvania, 14c to 14½c; western regular packed, 14c to 14½c; storage western, 14½c; southern, at mark, 13c to 13¾c. Sugar—Raw strong; fair refining, 3 11-16c; refined firm. Coffee—Dull; No. 7 Rio, 6½c. Lead—Dull. Wool—Quiet. Hops—Quiet.

BUFF.A.LO. April 23.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 84½c, carloads. Winter wheat—No. 2 red. 79c; No. 1 white, 77c asked. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 48¼c; No. 3 yellow, 47¾c; No. 2 corn, 47¾c; No. 3 corn, 47½c **POWDER** IDEAL KID THE NEW LEATHER.

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steady; no good veals here; common to fair, \$3 to \$5; all sold. Sheep and lambs

Receipts, 1,191; sheep nominal; lambs
firm; wooled sheep, \$6 20; clipped do,
nominal; southern spring lambs, \$5 35 per
head. Hogs-Receipts, 1,781; none for sale
alive; nominally lower.

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CHICAGO, April 23.—Cattle—Good to prime steers, \$4.90 to \$6; poor to medium. \$3.85 to \$4.85; cows, \$2.80 to \$4.60; bulls firm, \$2.75 to \$4.25; calves steady and unchanged, \$4 to \$5; Texas fed steers, \$4.25 to \$5.35. Hogs—Firm; top, \$6.10; mixed and butchers, \$5.75 to \$6.05; good to choice heavy. \$5.90 to \$6.10; rough heavy. \$5.75 to \$8.5; light, \$5.70 to \$5.97½; bulk of sales at \$5.90 to \$6. Sheep—Steady; good to choice wethers, \$4.75 to \$4.90; fair to choice mixed, \$4.40 to \$4.70; western sheep, \$4.65 to \$4.90; yearlings, \$4.75 to \$5; native lambs, \$4.75 to \$5.30.

EAST BUFFALO. April 23.—Cattle—

TOLEDO, April 23.—Wheat—Cash, 16c; to May, 75%c; July, 14%c. Corn—May, 45c; to July, 44%c. Oats—May corn broke the crop price record again today and closed when the crop price record again today and the crop price record again today and closed when the crop price record again today and the crop price record again today and closed when the crop price record again today and der liquidation, closing 1½c lower. Oats to 15c to 12c depressed. Estimated receipts to 5c to 12c depressed. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 70 cars; corn, 65 cars; oats, 145 cars; hogs, 7000 head.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—May, 17%c; July, 17%c. Corn—No. 2, April, 46c; May, 45%c; July, 47%c. Oats—No. 2, April, 46c; May, 45%c; July, 47%c. Oats—No. 2, May, 25%c to 25%c; July, 25%c to 25%c; July, 25%c to 25%c; July, 25%c to 25%c; July, 25%c to 25%c. Mess pork—May, \$14 30; July, \$14 45.

Lard—May, \$16; July, \$14 85.

Short ribs—May, \$15; July, \$179; Sept., \$7 87%.

Short ribs—May, \$16; No. 2 corn, 46c; No. 2 white, 28%c to 29%c; No. 3 white, 25%c to 29%c; No. 2 red wheat, 71%c. Good feeding barley, 45c; fair to choice maiting, 52c to \$20 to 29%c; No. 2 red wheat, 500 to \$20 to \$5.0; clipped lambs, choice to extra, \$5.00 to \$6.0; good to choice, \$5.0 to \$8.2%c. Short ribs sides, loose, \$8.05 to \$5.0; clipped wherher sheep, \$4.65 to \$8.2%c. Short ribs sides, loose, \$8.05 to \$5.0; clipped wherher sheep, \$4.65 to \$8.2%c. Short ribs sides, loose, \$8.05 to \$5.0; clipped wherher sheep, \$4.65 to \$8.2%c. Short ribs sides, loose, \$8.05 to \$5.0; clipped wherher sheep, \$4.65 to \$8.2%c. Short ribs sides, loose, \$8.05 to \$6.0; ribped lambs, choice to extra, \$5.00 to \$6.0; ribped lambs, choice to extra, \$5

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Highest and Lowest Temperatures at Prominent Points.

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Followingare	the fluci	CHICA	on the C	hicago	Prominent Points.	
Board of Trade broker, offices N	furnis Iasonic	hed by Temple.	Phone	5 12.	Londen, April 24-8 a.m	a.
	Open.	High	Low.	Close	TEMPERATURE.	
Wheat-May		7234	713/8	7136	STATIONS- WEATH	ER
July		73	71 7/8	71 7/8	8 a.m. Min.	
Corn-May	461/8	47	461/2	4614	Calgary 26 26 Clear	
July	4414	45%	445/B	445/8	Winnipeg 50 46 Cloudy	
Oats-May	2578	26%	253/4	253/4	Port Arthur 50 44 Clouds	70
July		25 3/8	251/4	251/4	Toronto 50 40 Rain	
Pork-May	14 42	14 42	14 30	14 30	Ottawa 46 46 Uloud	
July	14 57	14 57	14 45	14 45	Montreal 42 40 Cloudy	
Lard-May	8 12	8 12	8 10	8 10	Quebec 38 34 Cloudy	
July	8 05	8 05	7 97	7 97	Father Point 36 32 Cloudy	7
Ribs-May	8 12					
July		7 90	7 87	7 97	Forecasts-Moderate northerly	to

northwesterly winds; clearing to-Toronto, April 23.—Dullness in the situation has still to be reported; the market is devoid of any sign of improvement in the near future; pulled wools are quiet. Fleece—The market is featureless, and prices are nominally the same as last week, at 13c to 14c, and it is doubtful if that much could be obtained. Pulled wools—There is not much inquiry, and the market is dull and unchanged, at 16c to 17c for supers and 19c to 20c for extras. wards evening. Thursday-Fine and very mild.

WEATHER NOTES. The disturbance which has been causing the continued showery weather, is now assuming the usual normal course of areas and is at last passing the Atlantic coast, consequently clearing weather is indicated for the lakes, probably spreading to the Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence Valleys on Thursday.

SIR RICHARD AGAIN ON THE STAND

Further Evidence in the Cook Charges Taken.

Ottawa, April 23.-The senate committee who have been investigating the their sittings this morning, Sir Mackenzie Bowell presiding. Mr. S. H. TORONTO, April 23.-Fifty-five loads the committee, Mr. J. K. Kerr reprewere received at the cattle market today, containing 1,074 cattle, 200 hogs and 200 sheep and lambs, and about a dozen calves; trade was fair, though prices were a little weaker; dealers, however, sented Mr. W. T. R. Preston, and Mr. Marsh acted for Mr. H. H. Cook. Mr. ter prices than the conditions abroad fairly warrant, and prices within the past day or two have dropped slightly in the foreign markets; good butcher cattle sell eron, occupied a seat in the room.

MR. CAMERON'S LETTER BOOK. well, but the average run was not first-class, and prices were a little off; the same applied to stockers, common light stockers being easier; sheep and lambs were steady, and the delivery light; hogs The chairman stated that after the last session of the committee he received the following telegram from ing of that? Mr. Blake asked, as you were a little lower than last week, and the delivery was very light. Dunn Bros. bought a load of 21 export cattle, 1,298 lbs. ct \$5, and another load, 1,298 lbs, at the same price. Halligan & Lummes bought about 5 loads of exporters, 1,225 to 1,300 lbs, at \$485 to \$515. Crawford & Hunnisett bought altogether about 7 loads of mixed butchers, feeders and shippers; a load of feeders, about 1,100 lbs, cost \$425; mixed lots cost from \$370 to \$475. W. Levack bought 120 butchers and shippers, mixed, at \$325 to \$465. Halligan & Rowntree bought a load of butchers and feeders, 1,000 to 1,075 lbs, at \$390. Alex. Levack bought 20 good butcher cattle at \$380 to \$425. London, Ont .:

"I am solicitor for the estate of my late father-in-law, Hon. M. C. Cameron, Wilson, the executor, has in his possession here Mr. Cameron's letter book, 1896, containing copies of correspondence having an important bearing upon the Cook charges. We think these letters should be made public in the interest of the late Mr. Cameron's family, as they tend to contradict the suggestions made by the defense as to his interest in the transaction. R. A.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell went on to say that he directed Mr. Bayly to communicate with Mr. Ritchie as to any evidence he had. Sir Mackenzie then read a paragraph from the Ottawa correspondence of the Globe, in which Mr. Preston was reported as making the Preston was reported as making the not at the time give details, I undercharge that his letter to Mr. Cook in stand from him that it was owing to 1898 had been tampered with.

Mr. Ritchie announced that he had communicated with Dr. Wilson, the late Mr. Cameron's son-in-law, and as a result had issueed a subpoena for his attendance with the deceased's letter book. He understood that Dr. Wilson

SIR RICHARD CARTWRIGHT RECALLED.

After M. G. Cameron and Dr. John D. Wilson, of London, had been asked at the request of Mr. Marsh to retire from the room. Sir Richard Cartwright was recalled. He said he had made NEW YORK, April 23.—Beeves—Receipts, 543; all for exporters and slaughterers, except 4 cars: no trade; feeling steady; cables quoted refrigerator beef lower, at 7% to 8c per lb; exports, 650 cattle, 1,845 sheep and 4,560 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 185; market search and had found a number of letters from Mr. Cameron, but none in 1896 having any reference whatever to Mr. Cook.

A LETTER FROM MR. CAMERON. Sir Richard, however, produced a letter of Sept. 30, 1897, written by Mr. Cameron to himself, and Mr. Ritchie asked Mr. Blake to say whether this letter was relevant to the inquiry or Mr. Blake-It is just as relevant as

nine-tenths of the letters that have gone in. (Laughter.) Mr. Ritchie read an extract from the letter produced to the following effect: 'I had a letter from — a day or

two ago pressing me strongly to write you and recommend him strongly for the position."

the party from Ontario knows best what is in the interest of the party. further, because, as you know, when a vacancy took place in the senate not very long ago I strongly pressed the claims of another man upon certain W. T. Strong & Co conditions. The thing fell through, and I vowed I would never again interfere in a matter of the kind. I may say to you that yesterday I received another letter from the same man. I have declined to interfere in his be half for reasons well known to you. If you can see your way, in the in-

terests of the party, to appoint — I shall be pleased." To this letter Sir Richard replied on Oct. 8, in the following strain: "There is no doubt Mr. — has claims which should be considered, but I am afraid that on this particular occasion it will not be possible to recognize them. Still

I will see to it that his name is brought forward whenever a vacancy occurs." Mr. Marsh cross-examined Sir Rich-

Sir Richard-So far as I can recall from the time of Senator Macpherson's death to the date of the appointment of Mr. Mills and Mr. Cox, we were simply deluged, if you must know, with applications for senatorships. I would be almost afraid to name how many gentlemen considered themselves eligible for that important and every one of them, I think, with-out a single solitary exception, were good enough to furnish me with cer-tificates—Mr. Cook especially—of their habits, their morals, their general demeanor and fitness for the senate. should think it extremely likely

should have received, during the six or seven weeks that the thing was practically open, many hundreds of letters. I did not undertake at all preserve these. Continuing. Richard said he questioned Mr. Graham Cameron regarding the letter alleged to have been shown by Mr. M. C. Cameron to Mr. Cook on the platform at the Toronto station, but he failed to obtain any information as to its The witness asserted most existence. positively that he knew nothing about it. He had seen Mr. Graham Cameron three times since the last sittings of the committee. One interview, he thought took place in the room of the minister of justice, a second in the room of the solicitor-general, and a third in the minister's own room in the House of Commons. Sir Richard was under the impression that Mr. Blake first suggested an interview with Mr. Cameron. The latter made search amongst his father's papers and found a package containing letters which had passed between the late Mr. Cameron and Mr. Cook. At the first of the interviews Mr. Cameron produced the package referred to and handed them to Sir Richard, and witness looked over them. They were marked "H. H. Cook, Senator," or something of that kind. Mr. Graham Cameron's interview with Sir Richard was the result of the former's application for a few minutes' conversation re-garding a matter in which he thought he had been misunderstood. It had no special relation to the Cook matter. Mr Cameron wished Sir Richard to understand that he had nothing to do with the production of his father's letters. which witness was well aware of. Mr. Cameron, so far as Sir Richard was aware, made not application for a government appointment at any of the in terviews or within a recent period. Witness thought that some considerable time ago, probably a year and a half since, Mr. Cameron, like many others, made application for some appoint-NO LETTERS DESTROYED.

Q. — Was any letter that you are aware of destroyed that would have in

any way assisted the case of Mr. Cook as sought to be made out at present? A .- So far as I am aware no letter of the kind that Mr. Cook seems to refer to ever existed. I am not prepared to say, after the production of the letter which Mr. Cameron showed me, that I am correct in supposing that there had been absolutely no correspondence, but I am quite sure there was no letter of

the sort referred to.

Q.—Did you destroy, or cause to be destroyed, any letter that you thought would have worked against you in this investigation? A.-None whatever. Q.-And these letters that were de charges made by H. H. Cook resumed stroyed were destroyed at what period? A. — They must have been destroyed somewhere in 1896.

Q.-And you are not aware of any Blake was present for the parties acletter having been destroyed since Mr. Cook made his statement in October of cused, Mr. C. H. Ritchie appeared for last year? A.—No letter has been destroyed of any sort or kind. CONDITIONS FOR MR. COOK.

Mr. Blake then drew Sir Richard's Cook himself did not appear. Mr. M. G. attention to the extract from Mr. Cam-Cameron, son of the late M. C. Cam- eron's letter, reading: "The leader of the party from Ontario knows best what is in the interest of the party. When a vacancy took place in the senate not long ago I strongly pressed the claims of another man upon certain conditions." What is the meanunderstand it, or as you know anything about the conditions that were presented? A.—If, as I presume, that refers to Mr. Cook, the conditions that I had insisted upon in respect to him were twofold. First of all that he should make his peace with the Local Government, and in the next place that he should conduct himself properly and put an end to his brawling at street corners.

Q.-You wanted him to make his peace with the Local Government. What was the difficulty there to which you referred? A.—The difficulty I referred to there was this: When I recommended Mr. Cook in the first in-stance, I found that my friend, Sir Oliver Mowat, had a very strong objection, indeed, to Mr. Cook being placed in the senate, and although he did difficulties that had arisen in the administration of the local affairs, with himself very strongly, indeed, adverse- not obtain in cities and towns.

ly to the Government of Ontario.

Mr. M. C. Cameron had any personal property, having half an acre of interview with me after 1897, or, indeed, after the session of 1897. -What did you want him to do

with the Local Government? A.—The Local Government were our friends, and we were not disposed to give an appointment to a man who, it had been reported to us, on two or three occasions threatened to destroy them. Q.-Did he not also say he would destroy the Dominion Government unless he got the appointment? A.-We did not pay any attention to any "That's not Mr. Cook," ejeculated threat. As regards the Local Government in 1897 we were somewhat con-cerned for them, and most undoubtedly we were not disposed to forward the views of any man who threatened to wreck them.

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WESTERN REAL ESTATE EX-

CHANGE. Mr. James Hills has sold his brick house on Chester street for \$1,400, and has bought a hundred-acre farm in the township of Euphemia. county of Lambton, from the Real Estate Exchange. He is moving his family to his new home this week. The exchange is offering some great bargains in farms this spring. Farm which he wasc oncerned. Also it had life has many advantages for people been reported to me at various times in moderate circumstances, who have that Mr. Cook had been expressing a family growing up, which they can tendency is beginning to turn again You do not know anything to towards the farm, and the indepenwhich the term "certain conditions" dence which farm life gives. Mr. Burrefers, unless it be these matters you rows, the manager of the Western are mentioning? A.-That is all, so far Real Estate Exchange, says he has sold several farms lately to people Mr. Ritchie then drew Sir Richard's from the city, and many more are attention to this extract from the Cameron letter: "I may say to you that yesterday I received a letter from who wish to buy will have a great the same man," etc. Do you know, many farms to select from. The pur-inquired counsel, if in conversation chaser of Mr. Hills' house on Chester with Mr. Cameron afterwards, the name was mentioned? Did he tell you hands for sale or rent. It is in the who the man was? Sir Richard—As township of Westminster, just outside far as I can place it, I do not think the city limits, and is a very desirable

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Poor Shirley feared that she had given mortal offense by displaying her costly treasure in this manner, and with a very red face and clouded eyes she gathered up the beautiful square, obediently folding it, and putting it away in her trunk. Her sensitive young heart was wounded to the core, and she was afraid that she had made a very grave mistake by presuming to change the arrangement of her room in any respect, or make it apparent that she was not satisfied with the accommodations provided for her.

Madamic Marton gravely watched her during this operation, but uttered no further remark, although she did not fail to notice the pained expression on her fair face. r and putting it away in her trunk

out away from sight, madame quietly "Now you may finish that article you were reading to me this morning," and, turning abruptly, she left the room without a word of commendation for Shirley's

week's work. With tears in her gentle eyes Shirley followed her and patiently read to her for more than an hour; after which madame ordered her carriage, and, without asking her companion to accompany her as usual, rode away by herself.

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Shirley was hus left to her own devices, and the first thing she did was to run to her room, which somehow had now lost all its charm and brightness for her, and indulged herself in a flood of tears.

She was very unhappy and thoroughly homesick, and longed with all her heart for that tiny chamber in Abby Knapp's little home. She yearned, too, for Clitton, and for some friendly, loving word to make her feel that she was not entirely alone in the world.

But, as we know, it was not characteristic of Shirley's sunny temperament to brood long over her trials; and so, after relieving her surcharged heart of its burden, she resolutely wiped her tears, and, like a flower that has occu bent, tossed and deluged by a heavy shower, she came out all the brighter and tresher for this clearing of the atmosphere.

A little later she put on her hat and went out for a stroll.

At the right of the park there was a dense wood, and beyond this there lay a beautiful estate known as lyyhurst, the inheritance of a young man or noble descent, of whom Shirley had heard, but as yet had never seen.

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The young girl had often thought she would like to explore this wood, but she never had the opportunity, for she seldom went out without madame, and she generally confined her rambles to beaten tracks and the highway.

Now, Shirley thought, would be a good time to indulge her whim, and, directing her steps thither, she passed beyond the boundary of the lawn and entered the

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She was fast recovering her spirits, and hummed a popular opera air as she went, stopping now and then to gather some wild flowers for the vase in madame's sitting-room, for the woman liked them better than those that were cultivated.

She followed a rude cart path and had penetrated quite a distance, enjoying her unusual freedom exceedingly, when she suddenly came out into an open space and saw at her feet a thick growth of

young wintergreens, together with quantities of crimson berries, hanging from the last year's stalks.
"Delicious!" she cried, a smile of pleasure parting her scarlet lips: "it is ages since I have seen a winter-green."
Bending over the aromatic plants, she soon had her hands full of the tender shoots. Then, tying them together with a blade of grass, she removed her hat and began to gather the great luscious berries into it.

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She became so absorbed in her occupa-tion that she forgot the unpleasant oc-currence with madame, forgot her home-sickness and loneliness and even the lapse

of time.
The sight of these familiar things sent The sight of these familiar things sent her thoughts flying back to her happy childhood days, when she had wandered in the woods with her mother in the faroff Colorado home, and she picked away at the ruby-colored fruit with a smile on her lips and an eager light in her eyes, never once looking up, until a violent rustling among the undergrowth near by caused her to glance that way, when all the color suddenly faded from her face and her heart waye a great frightened and her heart gave a great frightened bound as she found herself confronted by and looking straight into the eyes of a huge black-and-white mastiff.

CHAPTER XVII.

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A low cry of fear broke from the young girl's lips, but terror so paralyzed her in every limb that she could not move hand or foot, and she sat there perfectly helpless and utterly unable to defend herself had defense been necessary.

The dog was a handsome fellow, shorthaired, clean and beautifully marked. As he stood before her in an erect, alert attitude, his ears pricked forward, his eyes fixed upon her with a look of eager curiosity, he slowly wagged his tail in a good-natured way, which, if Shirley had not been so startled and overcome with fear, must at once have assured her and told her that he intended her no harm, but was simply wondering to find so fair a trespasser upon his master's domains.

Despite her terror-blanched face, she made a lovely picture, sitting there with the shifting shadows of the plumy pines failing around her daintily-clad form, her gleaming golden hair, slighty disarranged and lying in charming confusion on her white brow, and with the pretty dark sailor hat half fuil of the glowing berries in her lap.

At least so thought a certain gentle-

an her lap.

At least so thought a certain gentleman, who, following close upon the tracks of his dog, came suddenly upon her, and took in the situation with an appreciative

man, who, following close upon the tracks of his dog, came suddenly upon her, and took in the situation with an appreciative glance.

"Pray do not be alarmed, Miss Livingstone; the dog is perfectly good-natured and will not harm you," he remarked, as the came forward to the mastiff's side and laid his hand upon his head.

His tones were rich, smooth and cultivated; and Shirley, instantly reassurred, turned her clear eyes trustfully up to the speaker, but her look at the same time plainly indicated the surprise she experienced at being addressed by her hame by an entire stranger.

His face was dark and his features were somewhat irregular, his eyes large, full and of a deep, tender-gray color. His finely-cut mouth was very expressive and mobile, while his courtly bearing and easy self-possession plainly indicated that he belonged to a high station in life.

He looked thoroughly good and noble, Shirley thought, while the melody of his voice was like music in her ears.

"You perceive, Miss Livingstone, that am aware of your identity, even though am a stranger to you," the gentleman remarked. "News travels rapidly in St. Sauveur, and you had not been in the place many days before I learned that Madame Marton had secured a New York young lady as her companion. Allow me," he continued, removing his hat and extending his hand, as Shirley attempted to regain her feet. Then he added, with a humorous twinkle in his fine eyes, while he glanced at his dog, "And now, permit me to introduce you to his majesty. Nero, who, although far from being as cruel and blood-thirsty as the unprincipled man whose name he bears, alarmed you so a moment ago. While, as for Nero's master, he has the honor to be Madame Marton's nearest right-hand neighbor, and is known as Neil Wallace, of Ivyhurst."

Shirley opened wide her lovely eyes, figuratively speaking, at this information, and a delicate flush suffused her face as she realized that she had wandered beyond the boundaries of madame's estate, and was trespassing upon the possessions of Lord Neil Wallace, the young nobleman previously referred to, and whose praises were the theme of every tongue. A slight smile curved her lips and gleamed in her eyes as she bowed a graceful acknowledgment of this introduction. Then she replied, with charming frankness:

duction. Then she replied, with charming frankness:
"I trust you will pardon me, Lord Wallace; I was not aware that I was poaching on your grounds, although Nero apears to have recognized the fact and tried to warn me off. What a fine fellow he is!" she concluded, as her fear all gone, she leaned forward and gently patted the massive head of the noble creature, who, instantly recognizing a friend, lifted his great brown eyes confidingly to her face and wagged his tail approvingly.

approvingly.

"How lovely she is," thought the young man, as his glance lingered on the beautiful face, all aglow with girlish enthuslasm over the fact of having met "a real nobleman" for the first time in her life.

Her custome was simple and inexpensive, but very dainty and exceedingly becoming to her delicate complexion. The color came and went on her round cheeks from the excitement of the moment, while the scarlet lips were parted just enough to show the two rows of small white teeth that were absolutely perfect. One white hand still rested upon the head of the mastiff, while the other held the hat, half filled with the berries she had gathered, and her attitude was full of grace. She was so unconscious of her beauty, too, so self-possessed and ladylike in every word and gesture, that he was charmed with it, and felt that the sylvan picture would linger in his memory as long as he lived.

"Pray do not apply such an odious term to the accident of your presence here," he gallantly returned. "And if Nero gave you the impression that he regarded you in the light of a poacher, I am sure he is trying his best to apologize for it now," he concluded, as the dog approached nearer to her and rubbed his head caressingly against her.

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"Nero, you are a nice fellow," said Shirley, in an alluring tone; whereupon the mastiff affectionately licked the rosy palm of the hand that was caressing him in grateful appreciation of the com-

It is evident that you are fond of dogs, and my favorite appears to have discovered the fact also," the young man re-

arked with a smile

"Indeed I am," returned surley, hear-tily; "and Nero is a king of his kind. But how did you happen to so misname him? He seems like the kindest-hearted

him? He seems like the kindest-hearted dog in the world."

"And so he is," her companion answered, "although he knows his place well enough not to bear being imposed upon; I had nothing to do, however, with naming him; he was given to me by the father of a dear friend who died, consequently he had received the cognomen before I had him. But, apropos of poaching, Miss Livingstone, have you seen lyyhurst yet?"

"Only from a distance, as madame and I have driven by." Shirley replied.

"Would you like a nearer view of it? May I have the pleasure of showing you my home, which has been in the family ever since the country was first settled?" Neil Wallace asked, with a glow of pride on, his face and an eager note in his voice.

[To be Continued.]

Previous Spring Snowstorms

Woodstock Times: Woodstock residents are hoping that the last snowstorm of the season has come and gone. The one which started Saturday morning and raged all day was as unexpected as it was fierce. Saturday evening a regular blizzard prevailed, which would have been worse on people who had to be out if the atmosphere had been colder. That was a redeeming feature.

Yesterday morning a mantle of snow four or five inches deep was found covering everything when the town woke up. Neat little snowdrifts lay athwart newly-planted garden beds, while the merry rumble of the snow plows was in the air. The snow-shovel brigade had to get to work to

clear a way for church goers. The rain, which started to fall heavily about 10 o'clock, and the mildness of the air soon began to play havoc with the snow. But this wasn't the only late snow storm we have had. Previous records show that on May 1, 1875, snow fell

to the depth of three inches in Woodstock. Then there is a gap till 1892, when six inches of snow mantled the ground. The year later, on April 12, there came a fall of seven inches, and the same amount came down in 1984, on April 3. There are still people in town who remember that away back in 1859 they arose and found their crops covered with a wintry pall on June 4.

This is how it came to snow and sterm Saturday. There came a great big, hot rainstorm sweeping up from south. There came also a great, big ice-cold windstorm sailing down from the Arctic Ocean. And somewhere near Woodstock they crashed together. The battle was long and fierce. All day Friday the sky was black. All night the struggle continued, victory inclining to neither side. Early on Saturday morning the polar storm but in the knockout blow, and the snow began to fall. The rainstorm threw up the sponge.

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THE WORLD

OF SPORTS.

Jake Gaudaur Issues a Challenge to the World.

Englishmen Row 104 Miles on the Thames in 13 Hours, 55 Minutes-Rube Waddell Went Wrong.

THE OAR.

London, April 24.-Spencer Gollan, he New Zealand amateur, and Tom Sullivan and George Townes, English professionals, sculled 104 miles, from Oxford to Putney, on the Thames Monday, in 13 hours and 55 minutes, thus beating the record of 22 hours and 30 minutes made by R. C. Lehmann, W. G. Grenfell and W. F. C. Hollant in 1899. They had a strong stream in their favor, with all the locks open, whereas Mr. Lehmann's party carried coxwain, did not have a favorable tide, and was delayed at the locks and troubled by the crowded condition of

GAUDAUR CHALLENGES THE WORLD.

Rat Portage, Ont., April 24.-Jake Gaudaur, the champion sculler, has issued the following: "To give all aspirants for the title of champion oarsman of the world an opportunity to make a race with me, I hereby agree to row any man in the world for the championship and a side bet of \$2,500 a side; the race to be three miles with a turn, and to take place at Rat Portage between the 16th and 20th of August of the present year. As an evidence of good faith on my part I have today deposited \$500 with the Imperial Bank here, and anyone wishing to make a match can cover the amount, when the preliminaries would be arranged. Any oarsman would be welcome, but Towns or Rumohr, who have been doing considerable talking, are preferred. The date of the race must be fixed before June 1."

BASEBALL. NATIONAL LEAGUE. At St. Louis, 10; Pittsburg, 4. At Philadelphia, 5; Boston, 3. Other games postponed on account

"BEST LEFT-HANDER IN THE

LEAGUE. Speaking of his team, Manager Stallings, of the Detroit American League club, said the other day: "I have no fears on the score of the pitchers. They are all in shape this year and can steam the ball over the plate at midsummer speed right now. Yeager never was so good in the spring as he is this minute. Miller is a good man at all seasons, and aside from a sore throat he is all right. Siever is getting around all right, and will be the best left-hand pitcher in the league, or I will miss my guess. Cronin has everything this spring and is in better physical condition than I have ever seen him. Frisk has that curve ball this spring with which he won last fall, and is in shape to pitch a game through right now. We are all right, and will abide by the consequences.

TURF.

AT THE AQUEDUCT. New York, April 24.-Yesterday's results are as follows: First race 5½ furlongs—Hesper 1, All Gold 2, St. Finnan 3. Time, 1:09. 5 furlongs, selling—Car roll D. 1, Red Damsel 2, Lady Handy

Time, 1:04%. Third race, 5 furlongs, selling-Spry 1, Wall About 2, Himyarite 3. Time Fourth race, the Canarise stakes, 41/2

furlongs—Golden Cottage 1, Tamah Nawis 2, Oom Paul 3. Time, :56%. Fifth race, 1 mile and 70 yards, selling—Knight of the Garter 1, Double Dummy 2, Blue Away 3. Time, 1:49%.
Sixth race, 5 furlongs, selling—Ante Up 1, Moral 2, Fennimore 3.

METROPOLITAN STAKES. London, April 24.—At the first day's racing at the Epsom spring meeting yesterday, the Great Metropolitan stakes (handicap) of 1,000 sovereigns was won by Mr. H. J. King's Evasit, with Johnnie Reiff in the King's Messenger was second and Stocado third. Seventeen horses ran. The Banstead plate of 200 sovereigns was won by Killarnie; Escurial second, Winnipeg third.

SMITH IS DEAD

American Pugilist Knocked Out in England Dies From Effects of Blow.

London, April 24 .- "Billy" Smith, the American pugilist, who was knocked out in the 8th round of a contest with "Jack" Roberts, for 126 pound championship of England, at the National Sporting Club Monday night, and who had lain unconscious in a hospital since, died at 11:45 o'clock this morn-

MICHAEL LABELL'S TEDIOUS SEARCH

Man No Seeks Paid \$150 for Gold Mine Share That Is Now Worth \$10,000.

Michael Labell, of Montreal, has been in Detroit and vicinity for a week and tells a strange story as the explanation of his visit. He is searching for a man who owns a share in a gold mine that has unexpectedly developed into a rich one.

"Nine years ago," said he, "my father, J. Labell, my two brothers,

Frank and George, and myself, struck gold mine in the Yukon country which we call the Labell mine. About a year after that my brother Frank sold a share in the mine to a man named E. V. Dicire, whom he met in Detroit or in one of the Canadian towns near here. Dicire paid \$150 for the share, and we have lost track of him since. Having bought out all the outsiders who held shares we want to find out what he is going to do. The mine is being operated successfully now, and we keep about 250 miners at work. Dicire's share would be worth a good deal of money now, perhaps \$10,000 or more, I couldn't say how

much. Labell said he would spend a month looking for the lost shareholder in the neighborhood of Detroit. He came from Chatham to Detroit, and was going to visit other Ontario towns.

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4. That not only does the sale of the beet to the sugar factory cover the whole To the Editor of The Advertiser:

beet to the sugar factory cover the whole cost of the production and the cleaning and manuring of the soil for future crops, but that generally it brings to the farmand manuring of the soil for future crops, but that generally it brings to the farmer a larger cash return per acre than any other crop he could raise.

5. That it enables the farmer to obtain in summer the assistance of a great number of hands, who find work at the factory during the fall and winter.

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industry has been tested in Ontario we can beat our American cousins or any European country in growing sugar beets, and the country of Middlesex heads the list as to the high quality of sugar beets. We hope farmers in this county will bestir themselves and grow from one-eighth to one-quarter of an acre of beets on the best soil on the farm. Any kind of soil that would produce a good crop of potatoes or corn is suitable for beets, but a deep sandy loam is the best. Plant on the level, and in rows not more than 18 or 20 inches apart. Harrow till the ground is as fine as for a garden. Do not cover the seed more than one inch deep. Sow at the rate of about 16 pounds of seed to the acre. Put a little enthusiasm into it, and compete for a \$15 prize. Be cautious about signing contracts ronto. siasm into it, and compete for a all place.

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Pleasant.

LORD'S DAY ALLIANCE. Ottawa, April 24.—At a meeting of the Dominion Lord's Day Alliance yesterday, Rev. Mr. Shearer reported the receipts to be \$1,100, and the Alliance voted \$500 toward his salary. It was decided to hold a Dominion con-

vention at Hamilton, on June 25. Of-ficials were re-elected as follows: President, Senator Allan; vice-president. Rev. D. M. Ramsay; recording secretary, Rev. John Scanlon; field secretary, Rev. J. G. Shearer; treas-urer, George Hay. The executive committee will be the same as last year, except that the name of D. J O'Donoghue will be substituted for that of the late Rev. J. C. Campbell

CANADIAN BOUNDARY LINES. Ottawa, April 24.—Negotiations have been proceeding between the Govern-ment of Canada and the Government of the United States in view of the pos-sible disappearance of boundary marks An understanding has been arrived at and the two countries will proceed this coming summer to review the work done in the past, for the purpose of preserving the location of the fortyninth parallel, fixed 40 years ago. The pressing necessity at the present time is to define accurately the boundary line between Canada and the United States in the mineral region of British Columbia. It has come to light that doubt has arisen in some cases of mineral claims as to which side of the boundary they are located.

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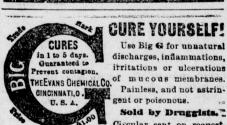
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of Westminster, was arraigned on the charge of stealing buggy wheels, horse blanket and harness from Donald Themselves and harness from Donald Structure of Structure and Structure of Stru Thompson, of Yarmouth. The jury sive. brought in a verdict of not guilty. The afternoon was taken up with the civil suit brought against James and Terrance Lynch by Mary Crimmean to set aside a deed for 150 acres in the township of Dunwich. The case was unfinished when court adjourned. True bills were found against A. D. Turner for forgery and John R. Tedford for



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Toronto, April 23-8 p.m.-The weather remains unsettled and showery in the Ottawa and St. Lawrence Valleys the Ottawa and St. Lawrence Valleys and in the Maritime Provinces, but in Ontario light, scattered showers only have occurred. In the Northwest the weather has continued fine and warm.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 40-50; Calgary, 36-62; Prince Albert, 42-78; Winnipeg, 34-72; Port Arthur, 34-60; Toronto, 44-55; Ottawa, 46-58; Montreal, 42-54; Quebec, 36-42; Halifax, 38-44.

Local temperatures Tuesday: High-

Local temperatures Tuesday: Highest, 61 above lowest, 43.5 above. Today (Wednesday) the sun rose at 5:21 a.m. and sets at 7:11 p.m. The moon rose at 10:28 a.m. and sets at

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A LOCAL BUDGET.

-Mr. Adam Beck sold five of the horses he exhibited at the Boston fainted, and was carried into the C. P.

-Montreal Star: The Lord Bishop of Huron and Mrs. Baldwin have returned to London from Montreal. -Dr. J. S. Niven has declined to accept the appointment of judge of the Mascouta Kennel Club show at Chi-

-Messrs. Hyatt Bros. have secured the contract for \$1,200 residence from Mr. Samuel Spicknell, of Waverley Place, London Junction.

-The fire department has received a check for \$10 from Hon. Dr. Borden, minister of militia, in recognition of their conduct at the fire at the residence of Mr. C. S. Hyman, M.P.

-Mrs. Dent, who spent last summer in Canada, will arrive from England early in June to join her husband, Col. Dent, who was in this city last week supervising the purchase of horses for the British army.

-The annual meeting of the Westin St. Andrew's Church tomorrow evening, when addresses will be given by Cecil C. Owen and Rev. Elmer Harris, D.D., president of the Toronto Bible Training School. Bishop Baldwin will preside.

-The gem of monthly magazines, St. George's Herald, was read at the regular meeting of St. George's Literary Society, West London, last evening, by Miss E. Ruse and Mr. F ing and profitable reading, and was very much enjoyed by the audience.

-Adjutant and Mrs. Wakefield, who left today for Toronto, were given a farewell at the Army Citadel last evening, among those present being Capt. Crawford, the new officer in command of the London corps. An address was delivered by "Happy Charlie" Sinkins, the reformed drunk-

-Rev. Arthur Murphy closed his

-John Grant, of Strathroy, has moved to London and accepted a pothat Nature intends shall be mixed sition with Messrs. Smallman & In- with the food before it enters the gram. Mr. Grant was for some time stomach. A New York doctor says employed with Messrs. Geddes Bros., many New Yorkers put a little sugar of Strathroy, and before leaving was on oatmeal and then cover with Grapepresented by Messrs. Geddes and their Nuts, and this method compels the staff with a handsome gold watch chewing necessary to digest the oatchain. Mr. Grant will reside at 149 meal.

Rev. W. J. Clark gave a very in-The doctor's plan might do for a va-—Rev. W. J. Clark gave a very interesting lecture last evening in St. James Presbyterian church, on "The Experiences and Development of the Child From the Home to the School There are other reasons why those and to the Church." Sheriff Cameron presided, and at the conclusion of the lecture a hearty vote of thanks to the lecturer, moved by Rev. Mr. Russel, of Seaforth, formerly of London, and



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-At the meeting of St. Andrew's Guild of Young Men on Friday evening next, the feature of the programme will be a discussion of the subject, "Which of the following offers the best opportunities to a young man in Canada: Mechanics, commerce, law, medicine, journalism or banking?" Each subject will be championed by one man, for a time not to exceed ten minutes, the winner to be selected by three judges. The guild is a prosper-ous organization that promises to be of great benefit to young men.

-The Advertiser has been requested to publish the following: The temperance people, both of this city and of London township, feel very grate-Sissons for their untiring efforts in circulating a petition against the granting of a license to the house op-posite Springbank Park, which license was refused yesterday by the commissioners, owing to the numerouslysigned petition against it. These two young men canvassed nearly all the electors in polling sub-division No. 1, London township, and besides securing a majority on their petition, also secured a number of withdrawals from the petition in favor of granting the

FELL THROUGH A ROOF. an open door on the second floor yesterday and landed on the roof of a striking an anvil and seriously injur-

STRUCK BY TROLLEY WHEEL. A trolley wheel falling from the CASE ENLARGED.

pole, struck Mrs. Wm. H. Short, of Stanley street while she was crossing Richmond street at Dundas street yesterday afternoon and severely bruised her head and shoulder. Mrs. Short R. ticket office. Subsequently she was emoved to her home.

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St. George, soldier and martyr, appeals to all that is pure, noble, truthful and chivalrous in the race that honored his glorious memory yester-day. St. George was born in Cappadocia, in the third century. It was to save the daughter of the king that St. George struck the dragon and led it captive to the gates, afterwards kill-ing it in the presence of the multitude. St. George suffered martyrdom for the Christian faith at the hands of Emperor Diocletian.

SUCCESSFUL RECITAL.

The recital given last evening by Mr. ers, and the various numbers on the programme were warmly applauded. The programme was as follows: "The 'Hear Me, Ye Winds and Waves," (b) "The Bonnie Banks of Loch Lomond," Mr. Gamble; (a) Andante from G

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Shonert: (a) "Ode to Bachus," (b) electricity as an illuminant. Even

NEW RIFLE LEAGUE.

rifle range at the coves consists of 50 ated is mostly the fault of the manuacres, owned by Mr. Lewis Rispen, 25 facturers, for most of the wasted matches are those that break in two ful to Messrs. Edward Wyatt and S. acres of the McArthur farm, and 5 when you try to ignite them. They acres owned by Mr. Allan Bogue. It are cut across the grain, and the minwill permit practice at 1,000 yards, and the you strike them they snap, and is excellently situated. Mr. John M. Moore drew ex-Mayor Little's attention to it, and he at once took the matter up. It would cast the government \$10,000 or \$12,000.

SALE OF DEBENTURES.

A satisfactory sale of city debentures, amount to \$115,300 has just been citizens of London have been forced made. The Merchants' Banks bought by the faultiness of manufacturers, to \$30,000, 31/2 per cent debentures at 3.75 pay as much for useless matches in per cent, and a lot of \$17,300, 4 per are consumed in one year. One of Hueston's horses ran through | cents, at 3.79. The City and District Savings Bank of Montreal bought \$68,000 of consolidated debentures isblacksmith's shop beneath. It gave way and the horse crashed through, striking are all the horse crashed through, striking are the horse crashed through. Life, G. A. Stinson & Co., Central of Canada, Canadian Bank of Commerce, and A. E. Ames & Co.

Toronto Star: "You don't want the enlargement for a real bona-fide honest purpose; I'm satisfied of that," said Mr. Justice Robertson in single court this morning, during a discussion on the merits of Mr. R. B. Henderson's request for an enlargement of a case on behalf of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Mr. H. B. Elliot, of London, appeared for the plaintiff, an old woman named Bycroft, of London, and made a motion for judgment to enforce a compromise. It seems a settlement had been made between the railway and the plaintiff for \$400. Then, without consulting anybody, the railway company secured a settlement with the old woman for \$200. Mr. Henderson says he has material to submit which will present another side of the story. The judge allowed the enlargement or payment of \$20 cost, although he said the railway's position in the matter was not a commendable one. The case will come up in a week.

WOMAN'S MORNING MUSIC CLUB. The Woman's Morning Music Club Ernest Gamble, basso, and Mr. Edwin held their final meeting for the season Shonert, pianist, was attended by a last evening in Cronyn Hall. This large auditience. Both gentlemen are drawing-room reception, which was in very popular with London music lov- every way a success, closed one of the most satisfactory seasons in the history of the organization. The member-Brigand," Mr. Ernest Gamble; "Marche ship now aggregates about 200, and Mr. Edwin Shonert; (a) it might be stated here that the members have a keen appreciation of the efforts of Mrs. R. Muir Burns, who, as president, has spared no pains in making the Woman's Morning Music Club instrumental in fostering music of a high class in the city. The pro-gramme last night was as follows: Duet, Misses Morphy and Raymond; vocal selections, Mrs. R. Muir Burns, Miss Walker, Miss Stella Regan, Miss Edith Magee and Miss Bessie Moore; duet, Misses Stocton and Fitzgerald. solos of Miss Inez Ethlyn Smith and Miss Katharine Moore are deserving of special mention. Miss Smith sang "The First Rose of Summer," and as an encore "A Belated Violet. Miss Moore, who played her own accompaniment, sang "Domini Ome Felice (Osteria) Lilio," and an encore "My Dearest." On the conclusion of the programme refreshments were

This Day in London Thirty-Three Years Ago.

[From The Advertiser Files of April 24, 1868.]

The return match between the 4th-60th Rifles and the volunteers, 25 men on each side, came off at the cove ranges today, and resulted in a defeat for the volunteers by 71 points. The highest individual score on the occa-

MILLION MATCHES

Estimated Consumption of Lucifers in London.

Faulty Manufacture Responsible for Large Part of the Demand.

The world owes a great debt of gratitude to the man who invented the lucifer match; but inventors seldom get their deserts, and the world has never been lavish with its thanks. This particular instance is not the proverbial exception that proves the rule. We are told that matches such as those now made, have been in use for seventy years or more. Beyond that time man had to struggle along as best he could, and the best was often bad enough, with the primitive steel and flint and tinder; truly a tedious and on getting the tortuous method, and one prone to fill mouths with energizing language. It was in the early years of the past century that a humble chemist of Stockton-Upon-Tees, in England, grew tired of skinning his knuckles in that way, and set himself to discover some better mode of producing a flame. The result of his investigations was the satisfaction, and little sulphur-tipped stick that has since proved of such inestimable con- interest to know

countless millions of matches, varying in degrees of perfection, have been manufactured, and their use has become general. Though no correct 182 Dundas St. Phone, 860 statistics have been prepared, it has been estimated that six matches a day Minor Concerto, (b) "Vienna Bon sibly the number is now too high, for "The Monotone," (c) "She Stoops to Conquer," Mr. Gamble. of matches used in London each year would exceed 50,000,000. They are not The property bonded for the new wasted. The extra demand thus crethe end that is of no earthly use is left in your hand. Wholesale grocers have estimated that at least one out of every ten breaks in that way. The matches bought here each year would fill about 5,000,000 of the small boxes that they are usually sold in, and cost the public nearly \$3,500. Estimated on the basis named by local dealers, the the past decade as would buy all that

VICTIMS OF THE FIERCE BLIZZARD IN ALASKA!

Many People Were Frozen to Death.

Seattle, Wash., April 24.—Partial confirmation of the rumors of death in Alaska by freezing has been received. The Nome Gold Digger of Jan. 30 says:
"Dr. Pellon, one of the best known and much esteemed young pioneers of Alaska, was frozen on the trail on the night of Jan. 1, near Solomon. He came from Oakland, Cal., and was 33 years of age.
"Dan Anderson left Dexter for Nome about four weeks ago, and has not been heard of since. It is feared that he perished in the New Year's blizzard.
"W. F. Baum perished while carrying medical assistance to a sick miner. Dr.

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"W. F. Baum perished while carrying medical assistance to a sick miner. Dr. Baum left Nome on June 21 last. He was a native of Mobile, Ala., and saw service in the Cuban war.

"This afternoon United States Marshal McLean brought into town the remains of a man from Solomon. Later it was identified as that of Alexander Snow.

"A story was told at the chamber of commerce meeting Monday night of sixteen men and a woman huddled together in a maimed and mutilated condition from frost-bite in a cabin on Pilgrim River, unable to lie down because of the crush, and with starvation facing them. Generous individuals and companions donated money and food. An appeal to the military was resolved upon, and within two hours an emergency train of food was flying over the trail by moonlight, drawn by swift dogs. The next day a number of the victims arrived in town and told their story. Some of them were badly frost-bitten and had endured severe hardships.

"Dr. Tam was frozen to death on Saturday, Jan. 19.

"Two unknown men were found dead near Mary's Igloo."

FLOOD LOSSES IN THE OHIO VALLEY.

Hosts of Laborers Idle—Thousands Rendered Homeless-Great Destruction of Property.

Cincinnati, April 24.—Besides the heavy loss by flood in manufacturing and wholesale districts, many laborers are idle, and sale districts, many laborers are idle, and about 1,000 people have been rendered homeless. The loss in the timber and tie interests along the Little Kanawha is estimated at a quarter of a million.

At Charleston, W. Va., over 300 people were rendered homeless, and the loss of timber in Elk, Poca, Cauley and Coal River has been very great. The Kanawha and Michigan Railroad has been unable to run between this city and Point Pleasant since Saturday. Three bridges were washed away and the roadbed washed out at many places.

Towns adjacent to Huntington, W. Va., are submerged, the water in many instances being in second stories. Over a thousand people are homeless in the district, and many are destitute. In Harvey not half a dozen inhabited houses are left. All the towns in this valley that are lighted by natural gas are in darkness and without fuel, as the natural gas main burst near Gallup, Ky. The damage in this section is estimated at over \$600,000.

highest individual score on the occasion was made by Sergt. Buckner, of the volunteers, who made a total of 49 points.

St. George's concert last night was a great success. Between the first and second parts of the concert, the merit of which is to be credited to Mrs. Raymond, Mr. William Elliot, barrister, delivered an address upon the apoctryphal hero of the evening, St. George, which was at once learned, sensible and humorous.

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