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Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in The Daily Advertiser also appear in The Western Advertiser. Births 25c, Marriages and Deaths 50c.

DIED.

DONOHUE-In this city on Wednesday, Feb. 8, 1899, the wife of Michael Donohue, aged 62

Funeral from her late residence, corner Regent and George streets. Friday, Feb. 10, to St. Peter's Cathedra! at 9:30 a.m. Friends and acquaintances wii. please accept this intimation.

KILBURN—In this city, on Feb. 8, 1899, Emma, beloved wife of John W. Kilburn.

Funeral will leave her late residence. No. 12 Pipe Line road, South London, on Friday morning, at 10:30. Service at 10. Interment at Kilworth.

SHOWLER-In this city, on Feb. 8, 1899, Har-old James, only child of Frederick W. and Emma Showler, aged 10 months.

Funeral will leave the residence of Frederick Showler, 1070 Florence street. on Thursday, Feb. 9, 1899, at 3 p.m. Funeral private. LONEY-On Feb. 7, in this city. Miss Frances Loney, daughter of the late Thomas and Frances Loney, aged 35 years. Funeral private.

Amusements and Lectures GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Thursday, Feb. 9, direct from the New York Casino, the Extravagant Extravaganza— "YANKEE DOODLE DANDY." With all the original Scenic and Calcium Effects. Walter Jones and Great Company of 70. Seats now on sale. Prices—25c, 50c, 75c, \$1 and \$1.50.

GRAND CONCERT-

OPERA HOUSE-MONDAY NEXT.

ANTIONETTE TREBELL' HAROLD JARVIS, BEORGE FOX.

Admission \$1,75c and 50c. Plan open to gen end public tomorrow at Grand Opera House.

RFECT-THIS WORD EXPLAINS THE facilities I have for booking passengers camship to the Old Country and other of the world. They are special, and inmy passengers should not forget this fact. (ark.s. agent, Allan, Beaver and other

EY-LONDON VS. SARNIA AT THE neess, Friday, Feb. 10. Two fast Game called at 8:15. Band and skatmatch. Admission 25 cents. Coupons RINK, CLARKE'S BRIDGE-LAR-

in the city. Skating tonight. carnival Thursday. Admission 10c. MISS IDA BENTLEY, THE AMERI-storyteller, at the Auditorium, evening. Tickets 50c and 75c. b

REDLIGHT RINK — BAND FRIDAY — Skating afternoon and evening. Splendid JUBILEE RINK — SPECIAL NOTICE— Hockey mutch tonight is between Jubilee vs. Collegiate Institute. Game starts at 9 sharp.

perfect. Hockey, London vs. Sarnia, Friday, Feb. 10.

PRINTERS' TRAMP SMOKER-GER-MANIA Hall, Monday, Feb. 13. Hot time, fun galore, boxing contest, cakewalk, comic songs, dancing, etc. Tickets 15c. 61c zxt

VOICE CULTURE
EVA N. ROBLYN.
Studio, Bell Piano Parlors. Residence, No. 320,
Dundas street. Concert engagements. Telehone 1,270. xt DALACE DANCING ACADEMY-NOTICE Members of advanced class will meet Tuesday evening, Feb. 7, instead of Wednes-day evening, 8th. Dayton & McCormick.

DRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING-COME and learn the new dances, the Boston Schottische and the Society Cakewark. The same careful attention given to teaching the waltz and two-step. Lessons any hour. R. B Millard, teacher of dancing, 345 Princess

Meetings.

MEMORIAL CHURCH — SERVICES OF praise tonight at 8 p.m. Miss Roblyn, soprano; Mr. Wheeler, solo organist, Full chorus conducted by the organist, Mr. J. W. Fetheraton. Silver collection.

ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY - THE USUAL monthly meeting, Thursday evening, Feb. 9. Members are specially requested to attend. Important. E. T. Essery, President; R. Cadwall Secretary, President; R. Cadwall Secretary, President, R. Cadwall Secretary, R. Cadwall Secretary, R. Cadwall Secretary, R. Cadwall wallader, Secretary.

EAST MIDDLESEX FARMERS' INSTI-1898: Hyde Park, Feb. 21; Nilestown on Wed-nesday, Feb. 22, and at Harrietsville Feb. 23. Addresses will be given by the delegation, con-sisting of Major James Sheppard, Queenston, and Jos. E. Gould, Uxbridge, and other local speakers. Good music. All are welcome. See bills. 63kxt

O. O. F.-DOMINION LODGE, NO. 48-Regular meeting this (Wednesday) ever-Visitors invited. Syd. Smyth, N.G.; Thos.

REGULAR MEETING OF LONDON South Council, No. 19, C. O. C. F., will meet Thursday, Feb. 9, 7:30 sharp, followed by

NOTICE—I. O. F.—MEMBERS OF Court Welcome No. 12, will meet at For-esters' Hall, at 1 o'clock, Thursday, Feb. 9, to attend the funeral of our late brother, Alex Proctor. Sister Courts are requested to accept this invitation. G. H. Thomas, recording sec-retary.

Male Help Wanted.

WANTED - TWO GOOD MACHINE Co. next

WANTED-YOUNG MAN TO DRIVE A delivery wagon. Must know the city well. Apply 930 Maitland street. 62c WANTED-STRONG BOY TO DRIVE milk wagon. Apply personally to G. A. Hatch, Con. 6, London township. 6lc WANTED-WRITERS TO DO COPYING NTED-WRITERS TO DO CO. at home. Law College, Lima, Ohio. 60k

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Satin lined throughout, and made as good as a first-class workman can make it. It's a

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UNLESS YOU ARE BARGAIN PROOF

These prices on School Shoes will surely win your trade:

Boys' Solid Leather, B. calf, laced, stylish shape, 1 to 5............ 85c Boys' Extra Solid Grain Leather, laced, waterproof...........\$1 00

> These prices wouldn't be re markable if it weren't for the the Shoes themselves. A trial pair will make you one of our regular customers.

J. P. COOK,

173 Dundas Street.

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WANTED-FIRST-CLASS COOKS AND generals; best of wages. Mrs. Armstrong, 58 Dundas street, city. 61c

WANTED-GENERAL SERVANT MRS
Lawrence, 178 Albert street. 60tf
GENERAL SERVANT WANTED-FAMPiccadilly street. 580

CENERAL SERVANT WANTED-FAMPiccadilly street. 580 GENERAL SERVANT WANTED-NO washing or ironing. References required. Apply to Mra. Bayly, 186 Albert street. 51tf

Wanted.

WANTED-PORTION OF FURNISHED house-Family of two. Address P.O. ox 234. ox 234.

WANTED-BY THREE CITY CLERKS
—Three bedrooms and sitting room;
meals served in sitting room privately. Box
134, this office. Two single gentlemen Desire two bedrooms, with bath and toilet; extra room suitable for cooking. Address Box 130, Advertiser. 60k

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLE MEN'S cast-off clothing. A. P. Sains bury. 90 King street. Mail orders attended to

Agents Wanted.

MAN OR LADY TO TRAVEL AND appoint agents; established firm; \$50 per month and all expenses to start. Mfr., Box 398 Philadelpha, Pa. 54 bn tx A GENTS FIND IT A PLEASURE TO sell tea for us. Our reputation for honorable dealing and extra good values gives them a welcome and an order at every home. G. Marshall & Co., London.

A GENTS WANTED IN ALL PARTS OF A Canada to sell foreign and Canadian stamps on commission. Send a 2c stamp for premium catalogue and agents' terms to the' A. E. Millar Stamp Company, 70 Elmwood avenue, London, Canada.

Situations Wanted

YOUNG MAN FROM ENGLAND DESIRES situation at cashier, bookkeeper or any place of trust. Sixteen years in last situation. Address Box 133, Advertiser. 62c

Articles For Sale.

A MERICAN CORN-NOW RECEIVING large consignment at Slater's storage A large consignment at Slater's storage warehouses, 225, and 255 York street. Call, see corn and prices.

\$8.50 WILL BUY A \$10 SIDEBOARD at Keene Bros.' cash bargain furniture store, 127 King street, for one week

NAPS FOR TODAY—1 GRAND UNION Piano, 7½ octaves, \$100; 1 Weber & Co. Piano, 7½ octaves, \$125; 1 Knabe & Co. Piano 7½ octaves, \$135; 1 Chickering & Sons' Piano, 7½ octaves, \$150; 1 Dominion Organ, large, 10 stops, \$35; 1 Karn & Co. Organ, large, 11 stops, \$45. Easy terms to good parties. Heintzman & Co., 117 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

HAVING PURCHASED 120 TUBS OR 6,200 pounds of June Butter (kept in cold storage), we have decided to reduce the stock as fast as possible, and will sell it for awhile at 13%c pound in 50 pound lots or more. Roll Butter 16c to 18c pound. Strictly new laid Eggs, 20c dozen. Pickled eggs, 17c dozen. Faulds' Provision Store, 8 Market Lane. Zxv 10% IS NOW CHARGED AS A WAR tax on all Canadian bills in United States. Exchange your money at the Exchange, Richmond street, next Advertiser. F. B.

Clarke.

24.75 PER TON (NOT IN BAGS)—
Pocahontas coal for kitchen ranges or furnaces; in bags. 25c per ton extra. Same coal as sold by Harold Richardson & Co.
Butts' Cannel coal for open fires. Bowman & Co. Call at F. B. Clarke's, Richmond street, next Advertises. next Advertiser.

SPRING SKATES, 35c PAIR. SKATES hollow ground, 10c. Bicycling repairing at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond street. DIAMONDS REMOUNTED AND OLD

J. T. Westland, 340 Richmond street, upstairs BEST HARD COAL AND WOOD DE-LIVERED in all parts of the city. W. G. Eadey, 771 Dundas street. Phone 1,134.

ELECTRIC BELLS KEPT IN PERMANENT repair, only 50c per year. R. M. Millar, 434 Talbot street. 21tf DORK SAUSAGE AND BOLOGNA, FOUR Pounds 25c; smoked ham and bacon, 10c; pickled bacon, 9c; shoulders, 6c; long clears, 8c, at Park's, corner Market Lane.

TISSUE PAPER-ALL COLORS - FOR full size sheets for one cent. Large assortment of school books and school supplies. J. H. Cunningham, 778 Dundas street, East Lon-

\$15 BUYS A SIX-PIECE PARLOR suite, nicely upholstered, regular price \$20. Keene Bros, Cash Bargain Furniture Store, 127 King street. CUSTOMS PAPERS— THE NEW FORMS.

ANY QUANTITY-ONE SET OR A THOUSAND SETS.

ADVERTISER JOB PRINTING Phone 175. DEPARTMENT. FIRST-CLASS WOOD—HARD AND SOFT—stove lengths or cordwood. Prompt delivery to any part of the city. Prices reasonable. Phone 1,312 S. Gilles & Son, Sawmill, East London.

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It pays dividends to policyholders only. C. E. GERMAN,

General Agent.

Houses, Etc., To Let.

403 Richmond street.

To LET-BRICK HOUSE, NINE ROOMS, five blocks from market, city water and bath. Apply Geo. Rowntee, grocer.
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TO LET-RESIDENCE-NO. 351 QUEEN'S avenue; central location; possession March 1. Apply A. N. Udy, over C. P. R. ticket office.

TO LET—

SPENCER BLOCK, Dundas street.

Large rooms lately vacated by Y. W. C. T. U.

20 rooms, No. 280½; well suited for business,
educational or light manufacturing.

Apply 282 Dundas street.

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TO LET-NO. 427 KING STREET-APPLY at 383 King street. 96tf TO LET—COVERED MOVING VANS—When moving have your furniture and pianos carefully moved. Address 97 Carling street. Phones 1,162 and 1,167.

Lost and Found.

LOST-ON MONDAY FORENOON; PURSE containing small sum of money, some dress buttons and a receipt Langley & Co. Reward, this office. LOST — BLUE-GREY SETTER DOG — Finder liberally rewarded for return. 348 Talbot. 61tf

Educational.

THE HARDING HALL GIRLS' SCHOOL LIMITED,

Spring term commences Feb. 8. Kindergarten branch is held in a room in Conservatory of Music building, Dundas street. For calendars and other information apply to Mrs. J. E. Wells, 661 Talbot street, London,

Miscellaneous.

DRESS SUITS TO RENT, IN FIRST-CLASS

Real Estate.

FOR SALE-NEW TWO-STORY BRICK house, with all modern conveniences; large lot; near the park on Wellington street. Owner leaving the city. Cheap for quick buyer. J. F. Sangster, 430 Richmond street.

THE CORPORATION OF LONDON will pay to all teamsters and other per-

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for any quantity of good sound stone, from one cord upwards, delivered at the crusher on Cheapside street.

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Choice City Residence, on Saturday Feb. 18, at 2:30 P.M.

THERE WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION at the rooms of J. W. Jones, 242 Dundas street, London, that choice 2-story brick residence of 12 rooms, lot 44 feet frontage, the residence of the late Mrs. Davis, 418 King street.

Terms—10 per cent at time of sale with suffi-cient to make \$1,000 in 10 days thereafter, bal-ance in 5 equal annual installments with inter-est at 5 per cent. For further particulars apply to J. W. JONES, Auctioneer; or to R. K COWAN, Solicitor. 60ktxtw

A UCTION SALE—AT JONES' AUCTION rooms, Wednesday, Feb. 15, 2:30 p.m., brick dwelling in center of the city, 564 Richmond street, east side, near intersection of Park avenue. Will be sold cheap and on easy terms. Apply to Gibbons, Mulkern & Harper.

WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at the auction rooms of Mr. J. W. Jones, 242 Dundas street. London, on Thursday, the 9th day of February, at 2:30 p.m., the stock of F. Horroscor, Charles of F. of E. Hennessey, Chatham, as follows:

 Felt hats, men's
 337 04

 Ready-made clothing, men's and boys'
 1,005 97

 Men's furnishings and underwear
 825 08

 Boots and shoes
 1,661 65

 Groceries
 401 82

 Crockery and glassware
 309 02

 Shop furniture and fittings
 279 20

Terms—One-quarter down, balance in 2, 4, 6 and 8 months, approved indorsed paper, with interest at 7 per cent. Stock lists on the premises and with Messrs. Gibbons, Mulkern & Harper, London. LEWIS & RICHARDS, solicitors for assignee, Chatham, Ont. 58k wvzx

KILLED BY A FALLING TREE. Guelph, Ont., Feb. 8.-At noon yesterday John Fife, son of George Fife, of the Paisley Block, was, with a younger brother, cutting a tree near his home, when it fell and killed John instantly. The deceased was about 35 years of age, and leaves a widow and one child.

ant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has nore in stock, get him to procure it for you. PRETTY FACE AND PRETTY TEETH. Give care and attention to

Worms cause feverishness, moaning

and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleas-

MEASURES

Uncle Sam Means to Push Matters in the Philippines.

Attacked

And the So-Called Filipo Government Dispersed.

Aguinaldo's Men Fire on a Flag of Truce-Rebel Supplies Seized.

Washington, Feb. 8.-It is understood that the campaign against the Philippine insurgents is to be prosecuted with vigor. The question was fully discussed by the cabinet, and the conclusion was reached that before permanent peace or security to life and property could be secured. Aguinaldo's forces must be made to lay down their arms, and it is expected that Gen. Otis, in co-operation with Admiral Dewey, will push forward at once and give the insurgents no chance to recover from the co-operation with Admiral Dewey, will defeat of last Sunday.

ILOILO TO BE OCCUPIED.

Iloilo is to be occupied at once by the American naval forces, and it is expected that Gen. Otis will move immediately on Malolos, the insurgent capital, and capture or disperse the socalled Filipino Government. The more closely the insurgents are pressed, and the more rigorous and determined the camp; ign, it is said, the sooner may we

expect peace. FIRED ON A FLAG OF TRUCE. Manila, Feb. 8.-A Filipino colonel came out yesterday from Caloocan under a flag of truce. Several American officers promptly went to meet him, but when the parties met the Filipinos opened fire. The Filipino colonel thereupon apologized for the barbarous conduct of his troops, and returned to his

lines under fire.

Gen. Otis has been notified by the war department of the ratification of

DESPERADOES IN MANILA. There are many indications that Manila is full of desperadoes, who had intended to co-operate with Aguinaldo. The police are continually capturing and women with weapons concealed in their clothing. The vigilance of the authorities in this respect is highly reassuring. Last Saturday, about midnight, two Englishmen accidentally encountered a gang of armed natives in a dark side street. The natives, fearing discovery, imprisoned them until morning, and threatened to kill them unless they maintained slience. Many native clerks in mercantile houses are missing. As it is impossible that they should have passed the lines, the inference is that they are in hiding in the city. Several attempts have been made to assassinate Americans on the street, but that danger is

now at a minimum. THE NATIVES COWED.

The natives are terribly cowed, and the precautions taken, especially against incendiarism, are admirable. The rebels, who have been swept in every direction, like pheasants in a battue, die by the hundreds in the trenches, for the most part passively, except the Ygorotos, who charge desperately and uselessly. The rebel prisoners declare that their attack was unpremeditated, that the outposts fired first, and then everybody followed, in accordance with a sort of general understanding.

KILLED WHILE RECONNOITER-ING.

Lieut. Albert Ford, company I, Twentieth Kansas Infantry, and a private of the company were killed, and five others of that regiment were wounded, near Caloocan, while reconnoitering. The party were in a jungle, when it was attacked by the enemy. Two companies of the Kansas Regiment were sent to the relief of their comrades. and drove the Filipinos into Caloocan, penetrating into the very heart of the town. Meanwhile the gunboats shelled the suburbs. Gen. Otis finally recalled the troops, but the natives, misunderstanding the retreat, failed to take advantage of it. The outskirts of the

town were burned. POSSIBLE CAUSE OF THE OUT-

BREAK. It may be that it was Admiral Dewey's act in seizing a vessel loaded with arms and ammunition intended for them that incited the Philippine insurgents to attack the American soldiers on Saturday night, for it is understood that one of their bitterest grievances was what they declared to be unwarrantable interference with their shipping. It is learned at the navy department that about a week ago the admiral caused the seizure of the steamer Tangien, with a full supply of such arms for the insurgents. The admiral's report discloses the fact that an American and not a German owned the vessel thus being used to arm the insurgents against Otis' troops.

London, Feb. 8.—The president of the European Filipino Junta said: It is perfectly clear that the unfortunate hostilities at Manila were occasioned by an attempt of the Nebraskans to find a pretext to obtain control of the Singalon waterworms. The Amercans for months have endeavored fruitlessly to induce the Filipinos to withdraw from these works, as the latter fully recognized their immense strategic importance. By the destruction of the villages between the sea and the river banks the Americans secured a vast open space, from which Manila might otherwise be attacked under cover. As the Americans have captured the waterworks, the Filipinos will now have to retire to the mountains of San Mateo and Boso-Boso, which, as they are only an hour's distance, command the capital, and it will be impossible to dislodge them from there.

A FILIPINO'S OPINION.

A SPANISH ACCOUNT. Madrid, Feb. 8.-Cabling from Manila, Gen. Rios, the Spanish commander, reports that the Americans "repulsed the Filipinos after twenty hours of

The American artillery and guns of the squadron destroyed several vil-lages in the neighborhood. They are treating the population with much severity, and many arrests have been made in Manila. Troops occupy the streets, and the natives are prevented from circulating, though hostilities have ceased. I have no news from the rest of the archipelago and am anxious about the prisoners."

The Madrid correspondent of the

London Standard says: "All the Madrid papers comment upon the events 'must either abandon the enterprise undertake a war in the Philippines, and cover himself with ridicule, or and thus pay for all the iniquity com-mitted against Spain."

GEN OTIS Washington, D. C., Feb. 8.-Secretary Alger sent the following cable-gram to Gen. Otis at Manila: "Accept my best congratulations upon your magnificent victory of Sunday, all the more creditable because you were not the aggressor. (Signed)
"ALGER."

Rear Admiral Dewey has notified the navy department that he has seized another schooner, loaded with arms and ammunition intended for Aguinaldo and his followers. Gen. Otis' report of casualties in the

Manila fight up to date aggregate 197. Of these 49 were officers and men killed and 148 wounded.

Mr. John Dillon Resigns His Position.

British Troops and Natives in the Punjaub Have a Brush-British Press Comment on the Manila of before the criminal section alone.

London, Feb. 8.—At a meeting yesterday of the anti-Parnellite members of parliament, Mr. John Dillon, chairman of the Irish parliamentary party, announced his resignation of the leadership, his motive being the expectation that the Irish national convention, to be held in March, will come to new arrangements for securing the unity of the Nationalist party. The overwhelming popular sentiment of Ireland, Mr. Dillon said, was for the reunion of all Nationalist members of the House of Commons, on the lines the party followed under Parnell from parliament, he hoped he would be credited with the desire to secure this

Mr. Dillon's resignation was somewhat of a surprise to his party, but is generally approved. An attempt will be made to induce Mr. Thomas flags. Sexton, anti-Parnellie, to re-enter politics as the Natitonalist leader. Although Mr. Dillon has been virtually possible as a leader. For the time being. Sir Thomas Henry Esmonde, anti-Parnellite, member for West Kerry, and senior whip of the party, will preside at its meetings. He is not unlikely to be elected leader, as he is persona grata with the Healyites. The Hon. Edward Blake, member for South Longford, and Mr. Redmond, member for Waterford, are also mentioned as possible leaders.

THE "BUFFER STATE." In certain circles it is generally believed that the beginning of the end of the existence of the Afghan "Buffer tilities and a conference. I have deevents should culminate in the establishment of a coterminous Anglo-Russian frontier in Northern India the night of the 4th was unrealized. The last serious and standing danger of an provost-marshal-general, with his adeastern complication between the two mirable disposition of troops, defeated empires will be finally removed. Russia is making military preparations on the Afghan frontier, civil war being regarded as inevitable in the event natives respectful and cheerful. The of the Ameer's death, as Shere Ali's two grandchildren are amongst the

pretenders. FIGHTING IN INDIA. A dispatch from Calcutta says that the British garrison at Edwardesbad, in the Punjaub, has had a lively brush with a band of outlaws who occupied the towers of Goomatti. The British lost six men killed and fourteen seriously wounded. Major Davidson was severely and Lieut. Houston slightly wounded. The outlaws had a strong position, but were finally driven out. Seven of their number were taken

BRITISH PRESS COMMENT.

London, Feb. 8.-The Daily Telegraph, commenting upon the fighting at Manila, says: "It is quite clear that the Americans have given the Filipino rebels a very sound thrashing at a comparatively small cost to themselves. They have, for the time being, at all events, placed Manila in safety until the reinforcements now en route reach Gen. Otis. Although the majority of the American soldiers at Manila were volunteers, they appear to have fought with as much discipline and gallantry as their regular comrades could have exhibited."

EXPECT JAPAN TO MIX IN. A dispatch from Paris says: There seems to be an idea here that Japan only Hood's. will make trouble for the United States by surreptitiously aiding the Filipinos.
The Autorite and the Journal des Debats both refer to this, though neither gives its reasons for believing Japanese filibustering probable. At any rate, the papers are satisfied that annexation pure and simple is now sure. Liberte says the ratification of the treaty entails fresh responsibilities on the United States. They can no longer leave the Spanish prisoners in the hands of the natives. They must demand their immediate reliease, and enforce the demand by every possible means.

MARVELOUS ESCAPE. London, Feb. 8.-A marvelous escape from death was that of a man named Albert Dack, of Watergate street, Deptford, who was thrown from a train by a crowd of card sharps on the Great

"PURITY"

BAKING POWDER IS THE BEST.

It is renowned for The Insurgent Capital To Be at Manila in a tone unfriendly toward the United States. The Imparcial says that President McKinley making finest cake, hot biscuits and rolls.

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60 miles an hour. The man made his way to the signal box, three miles from Peterborough, and there, in a dazed condition, he gave an account of what had happened. In the Peterborough in-firmary it was found that no bones were broken, but that he was suffering badly from bruises on the head and

INQUIRY CLOSED. Paris. Feb. 8.-The criminal section of the court of cassation has concluded its inquiry into the Dreyfus trial, and formally declared it closed at yesterday's sitting. It will now refer the whole matter, with the new light developed during the inquiry, to the pro-curator-general, who will be required to report his opinion to the criminal section of the court of cassation, which will pronounce a decision unless the government revision bill is adopted, in which case the matter will go before the united courts of cassation, instead

THE FRONT!

Comprehensive and Encouraging Lispatch From Gen. Otis.

The Situation Improved-Insurgents Worsted All Around-Aguinaldo

Asks a Cessation of Hostilities. Washington, Feb. 8.-The war department today received the following dis-1885 to 1890. By declining to allow ment today received the following dishimself to be nominated again for patch: Manila, Feb. 8.—Situation rapidthe chairmanship during the present ly improving. Reconnaisance yesterday, driving straggling insurgent troops reunion, which he was prepared to promote in every way in his power. decided opposition. Their army is disintegrated, and the natives are returning to the villages, displaying white

Near Caloocan, six miles north, the enemy made a stand behind entrenchments. They were charged by the ousted by Mr. Timothy Healy, it is ments. They were charged by the conceded that the latter is quite im- Kansas troops, led by Col. Funston. A close encounter resulted in the rout of the enemy, with heavy loss. Loss to the Kansas Regiment, Lieut. Alford He is killed, six men wounded.

On the fourth Aguinaldo issued a proclamation, charging the Americans with the initiative, and declared war; on Sunday he issued another, calling all to resist foreign invasion. His influence throughout this section is destroyed. He now applies for a cessation of hosis at hand, and if coming clined to answer. The insurgent expectation of a rising in the city on the

every attempt. The city is quiet, business resumed, fighting qualities of the American troops are a revelation to all the inhabitants. (Signed) OTIS. A COMPANY OF 200 NAKED NA-

TIVES. Manila, Feb. 2, via Hong-Kong, Feb. 8.—The second incursion of small bodies of insurgents, resulting in the retirement of the Nebraskan outposts from Santa Mesa on Tuesday, created excitement last night, but not a shot was fired, and not a shot was fired, and matters were amicably adjusted. The Filipinos arrest all Americans within their lines, and several American soldiers are reported missing. There is no confirmation, however, of this report from official sources. The situation is sufficiently critical to warrant the reissuance of emergency orders.

trolling the river nightly, which is having a good effect on the natives. She carries twos ix-pounders forward, two Nordenfeldt's amidship, and four gatling guns, in an imprecised tur-ret aft. She has a crew of 60 men. The insurgents continue concentrating Continued on page 6. Say "No" when a dealer offers you

A recently converted gunboat is pa-

a substitute for Hood's Sarsaparilla, There is nothing "just as good." **OUTSHINES**



The Queen City Oil Co., Limited. SAML ROGERS, President, Toronto.

your teeth; when decay sets in use Anfighting." He adds: "The Filipinos Northern Railway, near Peterborough.

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DEBATE ON

In Reply to the Queen's Speech in the Commons.

Premier Salisbury's Statement Regarding the Government's Policy.

the Queen's speech, Mr. Josceline appeal is addressed to the English la-Bagot, Conservative member of the house for South Westmoreland, in moving the address in reply, said he was pleased to notice that "the bonds of mutual interest and kinship between this country and America have by recent events been drawn closer," and he added: "An alilance betwen the two great English-speaking peoples need not necessarily be one of offense or defense, but might be one that would be admirably fitted to lead the nations of the world in the direction of freedom, civilization and progress."

(Cheers.) Hon. William Frederick Smith, Con-Bervative, seconded the address. The new Liberal leader, the Right Hon. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, replied. Among other things, he said that the prospect of an Anglo-Saxon union tended towards the stability of

Sir Henry Campbell - Bannerman's fiebut as a leader was regarded as exceedingly promising. He made a most effective speech, and was congratulated heartily by members of both sides of the house. The edi-torials in the morning papers are unstinted in praise of his conduct.

Mr. Arthur J. Balfour, government leader in the house, replied to Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's criticisms of the government's policy.

After several other speeches the
House of Commons adjourned.

HOUSE OF LORDS. The Duke of Bedford moved the address in reply to the Queen's speech, and the Earl of Cawdor seconded the motion. The Duke of Bedford, during the course of his remarks, cordially referred to the growing friendly relations between the United States and

The Earl of Kimberley, the Liberal leader in the House of Lords, made a speech, during which he asked for ernment's intention in the Soudan is a deception. The salvation of the and in China, and regarding the czar's proletariat will lie in the co-operative further information regarding the govdisarmament proposals. His lordship also referred with great satisfaction to the meeting of the Venezuelan arbiters in Paris.

THE GOVERNMENT'S POLICY. The premier, Lord Salisbury, followed, and referred at length to China. He said the policy of her Majesty's government did not contemplate the acquisition of territory in China or the dismemberment of the Chinese Empire. The destiny of China, he added, was as impossible to foretell as it was to tell what was occurring on a certain island or within a certain All that her palace at Pekin. Majesty's government was concerned with at present was to see that the treaties were fully observed, that the interests of British subjects were safeguarded, and that nothing was done by China or any other nation to compro-

mise their rights. IN THE SOUDAN.

Referring to the Soudan, the premier said that Great Britain held dominion by the title arising from the fact that the Soudan formed part of the territories of Egypt, and also by the less complicated and more easily understood title of conquest. Any revival of the claims of titles which events had swept away could not be sustained by historical precedent or international law.

DISARMAMENT.

So far as the czar's rescript was concerned, Lord Salisbury said no one could doubt the purity and humanity of the emperor's motives. "I should heartily rejoice," he continued, "if the conference achieved an humbler aim, and if by the steady use of the principle of arbitration we might be able to diminish a number of the causes by which war is produced; if by humane legislation we could also diminish the horrors of war, we would render an immeasurable service to humanity. Meanwhile we must follow the example of other nations, and be prepared for war. I do not believe this is imminent; but the causes of war still subsist; and, while doing our best in the blessed mission of peace, we must maintain the position of security which past generations have given us and which we hope to keep.'

FOREIGN RELATIONS.

Lord Salisbury remarked that ne frequently envied a nation possessing a committee of foreign relations, like the United States, a committee which could secretly receive plans that ministers were only too glad to give. But as Great Britain was without that feature of parliamentary government, it would be impossible for him to give the noble lord (Earl Kimberley) all the information he desired regarding foreign affairs. The agree-ment between Germany and Great Britain was, however, of a character favorable to friendship between the two nations, and to the right of all concerned, as well as to the peace of the world. But he (the premier) would not be doing his duty, if he Thomas a'Kempis.

gave further details as to the stipulations which for the present required no action on the part of Great Britain.

The address was then agreed to.

FOOD FOR POWDER

What the French Socialists Are Not Anxious to Become.

Paris, Feb. 8. - The Petite Republique publishes an "Appeal of the French Socialists to the English Proletariat," signed by the members of the "Committee of Socialist Understanding," a new organizatiton, grouping the London, Feb. 8.—After the reading of various French Socialist sects. This bor organizations and Socialists, and is as follows: "Comrades! We are witnessing with

the liveliest anxiety and the greatest indignation the efforts made on both sides of the channel to bring into collision two great people who, for the good of humanity, should remain united. We hope that the combined action of the English and French proletariat will prevent a disastrous conflict. We know and we loudly proclaim the idea that the governed and moneyed class in our country have had, in the period of acute reaction which even now is hardiy over, a large share of responsibility in this crisis. Always ready as parvenus to disown their republican origin, they have been more flattered by the deceptive friendship of despots than concerned to possess the sympathy of a free people. Our manufacturing classes, without initiative or vigor, are reverting to the lazy application of the old colonial methods. Their narrow protectionism, applied still more savagely to the colonies than to the mother country, wounds the just interests of other people, oppresses and despoils the natives, retards the general activity of humanity. Your manufacturing classes, condemned by the very excess of capitalism to live only by foreign customers and distant markets. readily consider as an encroachment any extension of other people. Your statesmen have craftily approved disloyal enterprises like that of Jameson, and their aggressive imperialism is a constant menace to the peace of the world. Thus French capitalism, jeal-ous and teasing, and English capitalism, keen, insolent, and unscrupulous, are multiplying points of irritation and

conflict between the two peoples.

"But what adds to all these evils and perils is that in both countries the class of employers is trying to lead in its train a portion of the proletariat. Our manufacturers and yours want to persuade the workingman that it is in their interest and in order to procure them work that they are quarreling, even by war, for colonial outlets. This communism which will enable the workingmen to produce for themselves, and will substitute an ever wider home market for the restless and unhealthy search for foreign markets. Colonial policy will then cease to be an exten-sion of capitalist rapacity, and become an enlargement of human civilization. But in order to attain these great objects the proletariat throughout world has need of peace. We hold, therefore, that our common and most pressing duty is to suppress, by incessant Socialist and labor propaganda, all germs of conflict. We are both working to this end, and all of us must redouble our efforts. It is in this spirit that we send you our most fraternal sympathies, and we are sure of the people of France, who, in spite that of certain agitators inspiring no confidence, have a profound esteem and loyal affection for your great and noble people. Long live peace among nations! Long live the universal proletariat!"

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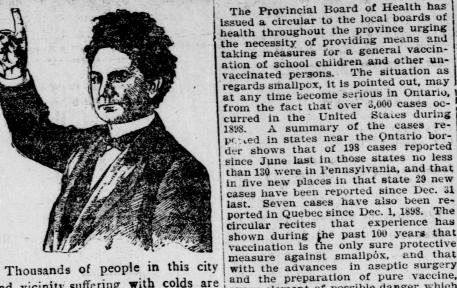
The Grand Trunk will send out this week a car which will make a tour of the principal American cities. The car will be sent for the purpose of advertising Canada and diverting summer tourist travel to this country. It will contain number of views of beautiful large points along the system of the Grand Trunk, besides a large number of stuffed fish and animals, such as are found in Canada.

At a meeting of the directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company on Monday, at Montreal, the usual halfyearly dividend of 2 per cent on the preference stock was declared, and a dividend of 2 per cent was also de-clared on the ordinary stock, making with the dividend already paid, 4 per cent for the past year. The results for the year were: Gross earnings, \$26,138,977; working expenses, \$15,663,605; net earnings, \$10,475,372; income from other sources. come from other sources, \$423,367-total net income, \$10,898,738. Fixed charges, including interest on land bonds, \$6,-774,321: net revenue available for dividends, \$4,124,417, out of which a dividend of 2 per cent on the preference and 2 per cent on the common stock for the June half-year was paid in October last, after payment of dividends The surplus for the now declared. year carried forward is \$1,051,708.

Man proposes, but God disposes .-

PRECAUTIONARY

Provincial Board of Health Advises General Vaccination.



GRIP TODAY

and vicinity suffering with colds are and the preparation of pure vaccine, about today. Tomorrow they may it was formerly supposed existed may be prostrated with Grip or Pneumonia. Grip is spreading. Whole health act referring to the question, families are suffering. Many business the circular further advises: places are crippled through sickness range to obtain for the use of public of employes. The disease is not necessarily dangerous with proper care and possible, and, if not, then vaccine the right remedies. It is almost suicide to depend on quinine and whiskey or home decoctions. Don't trifle with a cold. Either take my Cold and Grip Cure or call in a competent physician. I can't say what your doctor will de for you, but I do know that my Cold and Grip Cure will speedily break up all forms of colds and grip. It checks discharges of the nose and the throat and lungs, allays inflammation and fever, and tones up the system. It cures backaches, headaches and dizziness accompanying the symtoms of grip, produces sleep and restores strength to the body. It is or obstinate colds.

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PRINCESS' DEATH

Was the Occasion of Saving Many Lives.

Seattle, Wash., from the Orient state that the death of the Japanese Princess Sandanomlya probably saved the lives of hundreds of theater-goers at Osaka, Japan. The death in the royal household was announced when at the show at the Kabuki theater was about half through, and an immense audience slowly filed out.

They were hardly clear of the building when flames broke out in the third story, and soon reduced the building to ashes. A strong wind was blowing at the time and the firemen could do nothing to stop the flames. A number of them were seriously injured in their efforts. It was one of the finest buildings in Osaka.

NEW OIL FIELD

In the Township of Dunwich, Elgin County.

Toronto, Feb. 8.-Archibald Blue, director of mines for the province, has returned from the county of Elgin, where he was looking over a new oil field close to the lake, in the township of Dunwich. A couple of years ago oil was discovered in this district. About fifteen wells have been put down, all within a short distance of one another. The output of these wells have varied, and the average per well has been a barrel and a half per day. It is believed that the Dunwich field is continuation of the Bothwell field. Very few of the wells in Dunwich are being pumped. The operation is too expensive, unless there are 30 or 40 wells which can be pumped by the same engine. There is also gas in considerable quantities. It is being used by some of the oil men.

The oil men are trying to follow the ledge of rock in which the oil is found and expect to make the new field a success. The oil is of a fine grade. It is found at a depth of from 150 to 175 feet under a surface of clay, gravel, sand and rock. Everything at present points to the field being a

TWO BOYS LOST

They Are Supposed to Have Skated to Their Death.

Simcoe, Feb. 8.—On Saturday morning the two sons, Asa and Lyle, of Mr. Calvin Cook, of Vittoria, formerly of this town, went skating at Ryerson Point, out on the lake, and they have not been heard of or seen since. Their skate marks are traced to where there was a break in the ice. Much anxiety is felt by their parents, and search parties have been working dili-

EASY ON EGAN.

Washington, Feb. 8.-The president caused to be promulgated the sentence in the case of General Charles P. Egan. The court martial sentence was dismissal from the army, and the president has commuted this to six years' suspension from duty, which covers the remainder of the time prior to Gen. Egan's retirement in January,

The Provincial Board of Health has issued a circular to the local boards of health throughout the province urging the necessity of providing means and taking measures for a general vaccination of school children and other unvaccinated persons. The situation as regards smallpox, it is pointed out, may at any time become serious in Ontario, ! from the fact that over 3,000 cases occurred in the United States during A summary of the cases reposed in states near the Ontario border shows that of 198 cases reported since June last in those states no less than 130 were in Pennsylvania, and that in five new places in that state 29 new cases have been reported since Dec. 31 last. Seven cases have also been reported in Quebec since Dec. 1, 1898. The circular recites that experience has shown during the past 100 years that vaccination is the only sure protective measure against smallpox, and that every element of possible danger which be considered to have been eliminated.

After quoting the sections of the public

1. That the local board of health arvaccination a regular supply of fresh glycerinated vaccine, in tubes when

2. That the board provide printed sults on the eighth day inspection of the arm, and keep in pass-books a duplicate of same for reference.

Such, in detail, continues the circular, is what the 750 local boards of health in Ontario are expected to take in hand to once more protect the population by vaccination, neglected very largely since 1885, the year of the great epidemic. It may be expected that the Dominion quarantine authorities will continue to exercise care at all points eyes, stops sneezing, promply relieves of entry to prevent the introduction of smallpox from Europe and Asia, while victim. the customs officers at the inland lake and river ports will do the same. Such protection of the people by vaccination and the selection of some detached house or the erection of some small building for an isolation hospital are the two special matters which the newly-appointed local boards of health have as an immediate duty. This cirinvaluable in all forms of influenza cular is sent out to local boards by the provincial board with the special request that it be promptly notified of what local action is being taken in this matter of general public interest, while in return the provincial board is prepared to lend such active assistance in any emergency as may be demanded

BRIEFS FOR BUSY READERS

Barrie has abolished wards. Rev. J. C. Coggs died at Carberry.

Another little insurrection in Peru. More smallpox down about Corn-London (England) cabbies are out

The salary question is agitating Toronto letter carriers. Judge Wilkinson is seriously ill at

his home in Napanee. Rev. Dr. Courtice, of Toronto, is back at work on the Christian Guard-

Likely to be big rush of Americans to Muskoka this year. A palace hotel is talked of. Rev. James Murray has been in-

ducted pastor of Erskine Presbyterian Church, Toronto. Richard Hovenden, of Windsor, painter, has had a million dollars left

to him in Ireland. The Manitoba Hotel, Winnipeg, is on fire. It is feared the big structure will be destroyed.

Lopez, secretary to Agoncillo, fled from Washington, Tuesday, and is now probably in Montreal. Mr. J. S. Willison, editor of the To-

ronto Globe, has returned from his trip south, in good health. Agoncillo, the Filipino envoy, is still at the Windsor Hotel, Montreal. He

has received and dispatched several cablegrams. Gen. Gomez will probably make his "triumphal entry" into Havana Feb. 24, the anniversary of the beginning of the

Cuban war. In the election case against Meddie Gallant, Liberal member of the P. E. I. Legislature for Prince, judgment was given unseating Gallant.

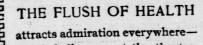
Mary Hare, Toronto, who was so seriously burned at a Sherbourne street house by a lamp explosion, died at the general hospital Monday night.

Burglars entered the residence of Mr. Alphorse Lapierre, Montreal, chloroformed the inmates of the house and robbed them of their valuables.

The contents of 10,848 cans supposed to contain meat were examined by the board of meat survey at Havana yesterday, and found to be unfit for human

Wm. Battrick, millwright, Deseronto, was accidentally killed Tuesday at the Standard chemical works, by being

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caught in the machinery. His age was

about 30 years. Right Rev. John Williams, D.D., LL.D., head of the Episcopal Church in America, died in Middleton, Conn., on uesday evening, aged 81 years. His death was quite unexpected, and was

Toronto's share of the street railway company's receipts for January amounts to \$7,682 39, representing receipts of \$89,029 90, as against \$87,-501 for January, 1898, and \$75,459 for

January, 1897. Another case of smallpox has broken out four miles west of Aultsville, at the house of John Pruner, his daughter, who was employed by the Whiting family at Farrin's Point, being the

The sentence of Paul Brown, the negro, who was condemned to hanged at Winnipeg for the murder of W. E. Burton, has been commuted to life imprisonment upon the report of Drs. Lett and Burgess that he is Dr. Henry Elmo Keyes and his wife

were found dead on Tuesday in a room at the Ardsley Casino, Ardsley-on-Hudson, N. Y. They had been asphyxiated by gas from a gas stove. They attended a dance at the casino, and decided to remain at the club all night.

At an early hour this (Wednesday) morning fire broke out in the Scollardofs Building, on Main street, Dallas, Texas, and completely wrecked the six-story structure. The loss is estimated at \$75,000. Tom Hurley, a fireman, was struck by a heavy nozzle and will likely die.

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SLEPT WITH HIS DEAD WIFE. Mount Morris, Mich., Feb. 8 .- Mrs Tenbrook Chamberlain, aged 74, was found dead in bed yesterday morning, having passed away during the night while sleeping beside her husband.

A person is always startled when he hears himself seriously called old for the first time.—O. W. Holmes.

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

Inconsistency with past views of conduct may be but a mark of increasing knowledge and wisdom.-Tyron Edwards.

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Down by the Tee!

at Glencoe.

Semi-Finals in the Ontario Tankard Contest Played at Toronto.

Detroiters Downed the Windsor Curlers-Hockey, Turf and Boxing Events.

> CURLING. LONDON LOST.

Three rinks of the London curling club went to Glencoe yesterday, and played a match with a similar number of rinks from the club of that village, the result being the defeat of the Londoners by a score of 60 to 55. Score: London. Glencoe

Rink No. 1-T. H. Turnbull, H. C. McBride, H. Beaton, G. B. Harris, skip.....19

A. V. Donaldson, G. C. McFarlime, J. M. Tait, skip..... Rink No. 2-J. S. Walker, James Pooi, W. Allen, H. Finleyson, J. W. Jones, H. W. Bodman. Thomas Gillean, J. L. Luckham.

M. C. Campbell,

skip......18

St. Thomas.

J. Carnell

Oshawa.

J. A. Sykes.

P. H. Prinshem,

N. W. Hamilton,

skip 20

skip 22

skip......19 Rink No. 3-W. T. Edge, George Parrett, J. P. Cook, W. M. Craig, D. Regan, W. D. Moss, T. A. Browne. skip......17

S. J. McCreery, skip.....23 Total.......55 Total Majority for Glencoe, 5 shots. AT TORONTO. The semi-finals in the Ontario tank-

ard curling match played yesterday resultedt as follows: Dundas Rink No. 1-T. A. Bertram, skip......19 ink No. 2-Collins,

W. K. Cameron,50 Total Majority for Dundas, 16 shots. Queen's. (Toronto.) Paris. Rink No. 1-

Rink No. 2-C. J. Leonard, Total........38 Total Majority for Queen City, 2 shots. Fergus.

C. J. Hamilton. skip.....27 Rink No. 2-H. S. Michie,

Majority for Fergus, 17 shots. St. Marys. Rink No. 1-W. Andrews, Rink No. 2-J. Eddy,

W. J. Allan, skip......29

skip 16 Total 34 Majority for St. Marys, 19 shots. AT WINNIPEG.

The great Lindsay rink, skipped by J. D. Flavelle, went down before G. F. Galt, of the Assinaboines, at the Granite rink Monday night, in the grand challenge. The game throughout was a close and most exciting one. In the first half of the contest Flavelle was in the lead, the score being very small. In the latter part, however, the points were secured in greater numbers, and mostly in Galt's twor. On the last Flavelle had a chapter to tie the score, but in the attention of Galt's rocks, and left the latter winder the second but the second being ner by three majority, the score being

The draw in the Walkerville, the second open event of the bonspiel, was made Monday evening. The following games were played in the first round of this event: Brown, 11; McRae, 12. Hufflen, 12; Sutherland, 7. Dickie, 15; McDonald, 9.
Flavelle's rink will meet Laird,

Carberry, in the Walkerville. AT DETROIT.

Two sets of curling games were played Monday between Detroit and Windsor-two rinks of Detroit curlers going to Windsor and two Windsor rinks going to Detroit. The Windsor games resulted 27 to 19 in favor of Detroit, and the Detroit games resulted 28 to 9 In favor of the home players. AT SARNIA.

The annual contest for the Mackenzie medal took place Monday among the Sarnia curlers, finally resulting in the coveted trophy being won for the second consecutive time by Robert Mackenzie, his score being 34 points. His closest opponent was Finlay McGibbon, who made 31 points. There were 26 competitors.

BASEBALL.

TOM KINSLOW JOB-HUNTING "Tom Kinslow, formerly of this ci the well-known ex-league catcher, wintering in New York. Tom has been taking the very best care of himself and can be daily seen at the Lenox Athletic Club, Tom would make a very good man for some minor league club as manager-captain, as he has firstclass knowledge of the game. He can be addresses care of Lenox Athletic Club, New York City."
While in London "Tom" was the ad-

or excesses in old or young

London Loses the Curling Match | miration of every baseball crank, and all who know him would like to see him back. Kinslow might prove a boon to the game if given a chance in this

> BALLPLAYERS IN TROUBLE. Edward Buckley, of Detroit, a wellknown baseball player, has been re-manded to jail at Laporte, Ind., charged with being implicated in burglaries which have lately been committed there. Buckley protests his innocence.

> Under instructions from Prosecuting Attorney Frazer, Robert H. Leadley, late clerk of the police court, will be taken into custody, pending the report of the experts, who are going over his books. So far, it is alleged, a shortage of \$7,000 has been found, and the amount is expected to reach \$10,000. It is charged that the books have been falsified. Mr. Leadley held the position falsified. Mr. Leadley held the position from August 1894, up to within a week. Leadley is well known among baseball men all over the country. He was connected with the old Detroit National League, and when it disbanded managed the Cleveland club for a time. He was interested in the refunct International League and a couple of years ago he, together with Glenalvin, owned the Grand Rapids team in the Western League.—Sporting Life.

HAS NO USE FOR THE GREAT GAME.

Joe Corbett has ceased writing baseball and now takes little or not interest in the game which brought him both money and fame. In this respect he resembles many veterans, who, after retirement, seldom bother their heads about the grand game that enabled them to live for years without manual labor, and, perchance, to ac-cumulate more of the world's goods than they could have gotten in any other way, taking their capacity into consideration. Here is Joe Corbett's slur, says Sporting Life:

"I have gone out of the business for good, and a mint of money would not induce me to play again. I never intended to follow ball playing anyway. There is generally one finish for a sporting man, and there are other things more to my liking. I would as soon play in Chicago as elsewhere, if I cared to play at all. I asked Manager skip.......17 Hanlon for just \$100 more salary than he could e a year ago. So that is what ended my connection with the Baltimores. Mr. Hanlon and the Chicago club's manager have said nothing to me about engagements, however. As game because I liked it, and had played for years at college. I have quit writing baseball news now, and take little or no interest in the game. I wouldn't cross the street to see one; there are other things of more importance, and my hands are full all the time. I haven't seen a baseball game since last fall. I was never cut out for a sport and never considered myself one'

SOME FAT SALARIES.

Does baseball pay? Freedman (New York) and Hanlon (Baltimore) draw salaries of \$10,000 each. Watkins has a three-year contract which calls for Peterboro Granites \$4,500 a season; a score of play rs are paid in excess of \$2,400 for six months' services; President Young's income is \$3,500, and so on and so on, not to mention the annual profits of the Bos-Cincinnati and other clubs.-St. Louis News.

WESTERN PLAYERS.

President Johnson, of the Western League, has issued the following bulleting, containing a revised list of players signed and claimed by the clubs. All the teams are well filled except Indianapolis and St. Paul. The list fol-

Columbus-Jack Crooks, Louis Bierbauer, Russell Hall, S. S. Lockhead. P. Doyle, Jack Roach, P. Webster, Charles Zeitz, P. Remy, "Red" Ehret, "Kid" Hohler, Edward Heimerl, "Shorty"

Detroit-L. C. Freeland, C.L. Kimerer, John Morrissey, Joe Gunson, Cy Bowen, Pitcher Gallagher, Charles Young, Pitcher Harvey, G. S. Hodson, Gus Klopf, First Baseman Seavers, P. Rudderham, First Baseman Kelly, Infielder McAndrews.

Milwaukee-Signed: B. J. Husting, W. W. Hallman. Claimed: George Kelb, Adjins, W. Bergen, William Terry, Catcher Quinn, J. H. Veitch, Dad Clark, William Fox, Cy Swain, Pitcher Check. St. Paul-Signed: J. B. Clarke. Claimed: R. J. Glenalvin, R. Patterson, Catcher Swartz, Dea, of Minneapolis.

Kansas City-Signed: Fred Raymer. E. Miller, Elmer Stricklett. Claimed: T. Reed, A. Berkley, Pitcher Maskman, C. C. Campau, William Carney, H. O'Hagan, John Boyle, William Shindle, Otto Krueger, Wiley Davis, M. S. Roach, Willis Wilson, Second Baseman Anderson, William Wilson.

Indianapolis-Bert Myers, Henry Hines, Joe Harrington, Robert Allen. Minneapolis-J. Wagner, Tom Turner. Roger Bresnahan, Claude Elliott, W. D. Curtis, W. Nance, Al Johnson, F. E. Dillon, George Brown, Jay Parker, Bug Holliday, Second Baseman Bristow.

SUGGESTIONS GRATIS. The rules committee of the National League, having asked for a few suggestions, the Pittsburg Leader, of which Charles B. Power is the sporting editor,

cheerfully complies with the request, and submits the following: No player shall at any time converse with a newspaper man, under penalty of death. In filing objections with an umpire

no player shall be permitted to use anything more dangerous than a beer

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ing upon the field.

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Any player removed from a game for calling the umpire a blankety-blanked blank shall be subject to a fine of \$25, to be paid by the owner of the club of which he is a member. Under no cir-cumstances shall the fine be taken from the player's salary, and any club owner so offending shall be adjudged guilty of

violating a time-honored custom.

It shall be the duty of every player to pick out a "mark" in the crowd and carry on an animated conversation throughout the game. This will en-liven matters and make the games more

When a player is removed from a game he shall take his time before complying. Any player so removed who leaves his position within five minutes shall be fined for showing lack of interest in his work.

When an umpire is assaulted by a player he must not strike back until his arms are held tightly by eight other

Any player who assaults an umpire and fails to inflict permanent injury shall stand suspended until such time as the board of discipline shall take final action.

HOCKEY.

SARNIA TO PLAY HERE. Final arrangements have been made with the London Hockey Club, by which Sarnia will play a return match here Friday night. he boys from the Tunnel Town will run a special train, and bring down a band and a big crowd. The game, though not a championship one, is calculated to be fast, as there would be a great deal of sat-isfaction for the Sarnia boys to defeat the team which put them out of thec hampionship race.

AT BRANTFORD. In a hockey match played last night between Paris and Brantford teams, the former won by 11 goals to 4.

AT WATFORD. Rev. A. McKeon, president of the Strathroy hockey club, took a team up to Watford Friday evening, and, with about a hundred town sports, saw the Strathrov hockevites defeat their oldtime rivals. The game was fast. Score: Strathroy 5, Watford 2.

FISTIC. CAN'T FIGHT IN WYOMING.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Feb. 8.—Governor Richards has written to Russel Mason, who is trying to pull off the next Sharkey fight in this state, as follows: "I have no sympathy with anything of this kind. I state furtner that the laws will be rigidly enforced if an effort is made toward bringing off the fight in Wyoming."

BLOWS. Pedlar Palmer's challenge to Dixon, to fight in old London, has been ac-

James Wakely, Charles Johnson and W.A. Brady have secured the arena at Coney Island, formerly occupied by the Greater New York Athletic Club. It is said they will give \$15,000 for a six-round bout between Fitzsimmons and Jeffries. Fitzsimmons has been notified. Brady has already accepted on behalf of Jeffries.

Charlie McKeever, the clever New York light weight, defeated Jim Ferns, of Kansas City, at Chicago last night, in a hard-fought six-round contest. McKeever cleverly outfought his man. Oscar Gardner, the "Omaha Kid," defeated Solly Smith, of Los Angeles, very easily in six rounds, at the Lenox Athletic Club, New York, last night. Smith was very unsteady on his feet, 00 a year; Ban Johnson's stipend is, and seemed to be unusually wild. Gardner was not in the best of condition, either, but outclassed his opponent. In the sixth round Smith went down four times.

> TURF. AT INGLESIDE.

San Francisco, Feb. 8.-Weather Ellis, escaped all injury. clear, track fast at Ingleside yesterday. race, 6 furlongs-Adolphe Spreckles won, El Salado 2, Cavallo 3. Time, 1:1434.

Second race, 7 furlongs, selling-Montanus won, Plan 2, Silver State 8. Time, 1:28%.

Third race, 6 furlongs, selling-Amelia Fonso won, Prompto 2, Sir Urian 8. Time, 1:15. Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles-The Bache-

lor won, Meadowlark 2, Joe Mussel 3. Time, 1:501/4. Fifth race, 6 furlongs, selling-Montalade won, Horatorio 2, Zamar II. 8. Sixth race, 1 mile-Libertine won, Hohenzollern 2, Storm King 3. Time,

AT NEW ORLEANS. New Orleans, Feb. 8.-Yesterday was the 65th day of the Crescent City Jockey Club's winter meeting.
First race, 6 furlongs—J. H. C. won,

Lady Callahan 2, Bishop Reed 3. Time, Second race, 6½ furlongs—Hobart won, Sister Fox 2, Jim McClovey 3. Time, 1:261/4.

Third race, 7 furlongs—Simon D won, Banquo II. 2, Tom Kingsley 3. Time, Fourth race, selling, 6 furlongs-

Beckon won, Dolly Weithoff 2, Merry Day 3. Time, 1:19. Fifth race, selling, 1 mile and 50 yards—Nailer won, Klondike 2, Fleeta Time, 1:521/4. Sixth race, 1 mile, selling—Locust Blossom won, Swordsman 2, Tinkler 3.

Time, 1:481/2. A \$10,000 STALLION.

Oakland Baron (2:09), trotting stallion, was sold for \$10,000 to Mrs. Warren Stoner, of Mount Sterling, Ky., at the winter sales in Lexington yester-

DETROIT MEETING. Secretary Connor, of the Detroit Driving Club, announces the following stakes for the Blue Ribbon trotting meeting July 17 to 21: Trotting, \$1,000, merchants' and manufacturers' stake for horses eligible to 2:24 class; \$3,000 Hotel Cadillac stakes, for horses eligible to 2:16 class. Pacing—\$5,000, Chamber of Commerce stake for horses eligible to 2:24 class; \$5,000 Hotel Normandie stake for horses eligible to 2:20

COMBINE CRAZE

Car Shops, Engine Works, Bananas and Print Works All Affected.

New York, Feb. 8.—The American car and foundry company, recently organized under the laws of New Jersey, includes eight companies, whose capacity is placed at 86,500 freight cars, 500 passenger coaches, 820,000 wheels, 125,-000 tons castings, 30,000 tons pipe and 90,000 tons bar iron. The capital stock of the company will be \$30,000,000, 7 per cent, non-accumulative preferred stock

and \$30,000,000 common stock. Negotiations are going on for a combination of all the large steam engine building companies of the United States into a new corporation, to be capitalized at \$20,000,000 or \$25,000,000. An immense candy trust, which is to take in all the large manufacturers and wholesalers in Chicago, is being

It is reported from Boston that nego-

tiations are in progress for a consolida-tion of the print works of the United States into a single company, with a eapitalization of \$200,000,000.

A banana trust is about to be formed by the American Fruit Company, of New York, the Boston Fruit Company, of New York, the Boston Fruit Company, of Boston, the Quaker Fruit Company, of Philadelphia, and the Buckman Fruit Company, of Baltimore. The combination will control three-fourths of the bananas handled in the States.

THE IMLAY CITY COLLISION

Further Details of the Disaster on the Chicago and Grand Trunk Railway -Fatal Smashup Near Little Rock,

Imlay City, Mich., Feb. 8.-The results of the collision here on Monday, when the Chicago and Grand Trunk passenger train No. 1, westbound, plunged full speed into passenger train No. 6, eastbound, while the latter was standing at the station, were terribly disastrous.

The killed were: Engineer Fairbanks. of the westbound train; Edward Reid. of Lennox, Mich., mail clerk of the westbound train; Thomas Stuart, of Lansing, mail clerk, eastbound train. The injured: Engineer Mahan, of the eastbound train, several ribs broken; Burns, of Lapeer, leg broken; Ripley White, of Lapeer, and English, Strathroy, Ont., bruised. Both trains were fast mail trains.

The eastbound was standing near the station, waiting for the coming train to pass it, according to custom. The latter, instead of slackening and stopping, crashed into No. 6.

From all accounts the awful affair is attributable to a disobedience of orders by Engineer Fairbanks, who sacrificed his life as a result of the error. It is alleged that train No. 1 should have taken the siding at the east end of the yard, but Fairbanks, seeing a freight train on one siding, concluded that that was No. 6, made a remark to that effect to his fireman, and proceeded to pass the station at nearly full speed, despite the red light and signal out against him. The two engines came together about 60 yards west of the station building

with a tremendous force, the sound of the crash being heard in the crisp morning air for over a mile and a half. Both engines were almost completely wrecked. The west-bound train being under greater momentum sustained the most damage, and all the three killed and the most seriously injured belonged to it. In this car Mail Clerks Stuart and Reid were caught like rats in a trap, and their bodies horribly mangled. In the baggage car Baggageman Silas Caulcutt was buried under a lot of baggage, and was dug out in an unconscious condition. His injuries are quite serious. His right foot and ankle were crushed, and he received serious injuries about his head. Brakeman S. L. Trusler had his clothes nearly torn to pieces by being caught between the baggage car and smoker, and he sustained a badly wrenched back and injuries to his legs.

Of two passengers in the smoker on No. 6 train, one, Richard Burrin, Lapeer, had one leg broken and the other badly wrenched, while the other, sitting beside him, escaped without a scratch. In the day coach Mrs. James Herman, 75 years of age, on her way from California to visit a niece at Capac, was lifted from her seat and hurled over half a dozen seats, being considerably bruised and suffering from a severe shock.

James H. English, of Strathroy, sustained a severe concussion of the head. Mail Clerk Charles Stombaugh was caught in the wreckage of the forward end of his car, and had his right foot crushed, while his partner, Burt C.

Express Messenger James Wanless, of this city, on train No. 6, was hurled through half the length of his car, but escaped with only a few scratch Engineer Fairbanks leaves a while the two dead mail clerks

single men. Fairbanks, who is held responsible for the terrible affair, had been on the road since the strike of 1894, and was noted as the flyer of the eastern division. He held the record. FATAL HEAD-END COLLISION.

Little Rock, Ark, Feb. 8.—A headend collision between a passenger and an extra freight occurred vesterday on the central division of the St. Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern Railway, near Pollock. Engineer Watkins and Fireman Hoist, of the freight, were killed. Baggagemaster Baker and Fireman McCoy, of the passenger train. were fatally injured. Engineer Gregory, of the passenger train, was severely crushed. A number of the passengers were severely shaken up, but none seriously hurt.

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It may be said, "Oh, but the list of things taught or attempted by the Public Schools is too great already." If that be true, lop off something of less importance than the proposed addition so necessary to the proper discharge of those practical duties upon which so large a proportion of the comfort and well-being of the community depends.

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In no respect do we consider the proposed course of instruction in domestic economy a fad, but rather the height of common sense, and a profitable investment; and we respectfully yet ly mingled with awe would come over If this results in an increased demand new Board of Education.

More Rash Attacks.

The Toronto Globe, on Monday, charged Mr. Whitney with saying in the House that "not a shadow of education" was obtained under the school system of Ontario. The Globe very properly termed this an extravagant assertion, and took Mr. Whitney severely to task.

the statement attributed to him. "What I said," explained Mr. Whitney, "is that under our system there was no education, in its proper sense, possible, and all those who understood the meaning and derivation of the word 'education' would agree with me."

Premier Hardy, however, confirmed that he himself had on Monday rebuked Mr. Whitney for using the words complained of and that Mr. Whitney did not then deny the impeachment.

No matter which version is correct, we do not think Mr. Whitney has much improved his position by his amended declaration that "no education, in its proper sense," is possible under the Ontario system. It is hardly less extravagant than the assertion he repudiates. It is a sample of the reckless ignorance with which the school system of Ontario has been assailed from party motives. No one expects a public man to wreathe the rod of his criticism with roses, but he should at least show cause why the rod should be applied. We have yet failed find in the speeches of Whitney and his colleagues on educational matters anything worth the name of criticism. They never descend to particulars, but hurl abuse at Mr. Ross' department under cover of a lot of theoretical claptrap and vague generalities which cannot be resolved into a single clear idea. They indulge in sweeping denunciations of a system and they offer no substitute nor even an amendment. What is the Opposition's educational policy? We are forced to believe that Mr. Whitney and his friends are still in the infants' class.

The educational department of Ontario is progressive. The school curriculum is being constantly adapted to the tendencies of the times. The enemies of the system can point to no better in the world. To say that it has produced no results is to asperse the whole teaching profession of Ontario and insult the intelligence of the youth of this province. Mr. Whitney's weakness for rash invective has carried him too far. He ought to apolo-

Toronto's Pre-Eminence The "Society of Canadian Authors" was formed at Toronto on Monday night. We notice that all the officers are Toronto men. Toronto, of course, plumes herself on being the center of intellectual influence in Canada. We trust her rivals will rise above local prejudice and cheerfully concede her pre-eminence. As for ourselves, we are free to confess that any doubts on the matter vanished when the last Togreatest work of fiction yet published few telling sentences in which a simile in Canada, and the credit belongs ex- helps to make us understand what the the proposed Toronto-Collingwood rail- to arrive at

things.

The Philippines Difficulty Is All Right.

There is no reason why Great Britain or Canada should regret that circumstances are compelling the United States to take control of the Philippine Islands. There is no reason why Great Britain should do all the civilizing work of the world. Let the United States, too, take up a share of the "White Man's Burden." It will steady them. It is in the interest of mankind, we firmly believe, that the English-speaking peoples of the world should act together; and they are likelier to do so, now that the United they have grown up. To have every States has become a fisher in Asiatic waters, and exposed to foreign envice and jealousies. Then our great neighbors to the south of the big freshwater ponds will be too busy with world politics to have much time left a harvest of health and happiness to to squander on anti-Canadian labor the community within a very few laws, and the like. Everything is all

A Canadian Philosopher.

The distinction won abroad by Canadian writers of fiction is a matter of just pride for Canadians. It is not so generally known that Canada has also produced a great philosopher. We refer to Mr. John Beattie Crozier, whose latest work, "My Inner Life," has at- grain to be laid down at Montreal 4 tracted much attention in Great Brit- cents per bushel cheaper than at Amain. The London Spectator, which pays the book the compliment of a threecolumn review, pronounces Mr. Crozier one of the most versatile and original thinkers of the day. He was born in Canada, and though he left it when a young man, it is gratifying to learn that the Canadian influences did much to shape the character and direction of his mind. "As I listened," he writes, "to the pine tops waving in the clear blue sky above me, to the confused humming of innumerable insects from the wood, to the solitary tapping of the lonely woodpecker on the trunk of some distant tree, or peered in the darkening recesses of the forest enveloped in gloom even at noonday, a feeling of far-off intangible beauty strangestrongly commend the question to our me as I sat by my mother's side; a agination in a measure reproduce." The is probably more disposition on the part of one who grows up under the silent but mighty influences of an overpowering nature such as one finds in a deep, dark Canadian forest to think much of the unseen mysteries of the universe than in the case of a boy distracted with the thousand and one passing events in a big city. A per-Mr. Whitney rose in the Legislature petual Presence haunts and overne day and denied having made whelms, and vulgar secular details do not constantly corrode the imaginative

intellect." Mr. Crozier was brought up in the Puritan atmosphere of a Canadian village and says his Sunday was a day of gloom, in which the Calvinistic scheme of salvation was set forth in discourses lasting two mortal hours. "But," says the Globe's report. He pointed out the reviewer, "wherever Calvinism has gone it has quickened intellect, whatever may have been its effects on other aspects of life, and though Mr. Crozier tells us that in these boyish days his mind, like these of most boys, was taken up with games and adventures of various kinds, there is no doubt that his sub-conscious self, to use the phrase of the newer psychologists, was washed by the waves of a sea of thought which was to rise into the self-conscious mind in later years."

The author passed through the primary school and then to a Canadian college to study medicine. Shortly after entering college he resolved to leave Canada and walk the hospitals of old London. In England his mental horizon began to expand, though at first he did not like the country. Coming from a simple democratic community, he was offended by the aristocratic structure of society, and by the coldness which succeeded to the intimate and neighborly converse of his Canadian home. His mind was at this time under a deep cloud of agnostic philosopy. The beautiful living world, whose living influence had bound his spirit as with a spell in that silent Canadian forest, seemed to lie cold, gray and dead. A fortunate legacy left him free from the carking cares of life and he set out to find his lost ideal. It is the history of this search and of his own intellectual development that forms the groundwork of his latest book. Mr. Crozier devoured all philosophy from Descartes to Hegel, but found no satisfaction. He tells us he had to abandon the metaphysicians, and to take up the poetic thinkers, as he calls them-i.e., the inspired men with insight but without a system. Foremost among these he mentions Bacon, Goethe, Emerson, Carlyle, Ruskin, and Newman. The characterization of these so varied and different minds is excellent. Each one of them contributed to Mr. Crozier's growth, but he seems to have been most fascinated by Emerson, though differing from him on fundamental principles. Gradually the black clouds drifted apart and the sun shone in the heavens. In other words, Mr. Crozier arrived at the conviction, by studying the tendencies of the laws of the world and the mind, that there is a progressive realism of the ideal in the world, that there is a unity of plan, a tendency to good, that the universe is an ascending scale of balances, with its foot on ronto Directory was published. It re- earth, its summit in heaven. Mr. Crozported an increase of 18,000 in the city's ier has a happy gift of condensing population last year. That is the whole treatises on philosophy into a

way has also a fine imaginative flavor. Both leaders of the British House of other European countries, and people way has also a fine imaginative flavor. Commons Mr. A. J. Balfour and Sir either must conform to the law of the Under the stimulus of the Authors' So- Commons, Mr. A. J. Balfour and Sir ciety, Toronto should do still greater Henry Campbell-Bannerman, are Scots-

> Emperor William says that he holds himself responsible to Providence for the welfare of Germany, but it is to be hoped no one will hold Providence responsible for what Emperor William

It has been discovered that Shakespeare's father was an ale tester. Who knows?-he may have been the original of Sir John Falstaff. It is admitted that Dickens caricatured his own father in Micawber.

India must have great recuperative powers. Sir A. P. Macdonald recently referred to the extraordinary rapidity with which the country had recovered from the famine, which seems to have left no permanent evil trace behind.

Who would have expected to live to hear Mr. J. L. Hughes, of Toronto. making pretty speeches to the Yankees on Yankee soil! Yet today international goodwill is all the theme, and James L. Hughes is one of its eloquent prophets.

Isn't Mr. Dobell too optimistic when he says the deepening of the St. Lawrence canals will enable Northwest erican Atlantic ports? If that were so, our transportation problem is already

Toronto people are chortling in their joy over a trip that is now being made by a lot of drilled pupils of the Public School to Tampa, Florida, where some sort of a military demonstration is going on. We have not as yet seen any reason advanced why these Toronto children would not be better at home in bed. What is it all about?

No doubt what the Chicago meat packers say is true, that the embalmed beef charges have dealt a hard blow at the sale of American meat in Europe. for Canadian meat products, Canadians feeling which has ever since remained will try to repress their indignation at with me, and which I can still in im- the thought of that embalmed beef. They have a keen recollection that Amwriter's critics truly adds that "there erican "filled" cheese did them a good turn in the British market.

> The British Postmaster-General announces the experimental introduction of a system of which the fees for private posting-boxes will be so reduced that ordinary householders in London will be able to post letters in their own houses. For a fee of £1 per annum there will be given two collections per day; 10 shillings per annum will be charged for each additional collection not being the general post collection; and the fee for the general post collection will be £2 per annum.

A letter that has come to light proves Disraeli to have been guilty of telling a deliberate lie in the House of Commons. Gladstone once defended his rival from a similar charge by saying that he (Disraell) had no clear conception of the difference between truth and falsehood. That was a Gladstonian definition, but it was quite accurate. Disraeli's true character is emerging from the artificial glamor and mystery which enveloped it, and it will be the verdict of history that he was a brilliant political mountebank. The Primrose League cannot save him

Replying to an article in The Advertiser on the continued fall of interest. Citizen and Country says:

"Interest is one of the greatest hindrances to prosperity in our country. Rent is another. Let a man own no more land than he can cultivate. And let a man own as much money as he can get honestly, but do not permit him to use it as a weapon to place burdens upon others. Let him spend it as he chooses, but say to him that the of all books denounces usury. Rent and interest will one day be regarded as relics of a barbarous agethe age in which we now live."

Our esteemed and radical contemporary is evidently looking forward to the time when the present social order be turned upside down, or human nature revolutionized. Until either of these things comes to pass Citizen and Country will have to endure both interest and rent.

WHAT OTHERS SAY.

Miles' Strong Point.

[Hamilton Herald.] General Miles may lose his command in the United States army, but he cannot be deprived of his command of

> A Critic Described. [New York Sun.]

language.

Mr. Robert Buchanan, who was once so ferocious against Rossetti and Swinburne and Morris, "the fleshly school," now jumping upon Mr. Kipling. whom he calls "the poet of the banjo." Mr. Buchanan may not be able to write good poetry himself, but he knows a poet when he sees him, and never fails to throw a brick at him.

They Cannot Escape It.

[The Bystander.] Most of us would prefer British immigrants to Doukhobors. Still the Doukhobors are welcome. Exiles for conscience sake, they are sure to be religious, pretty sure to be moral and industrious. Their religious kinsmen, the Mennonites, have made excellent farmers, though as citizens they are said to leave something to be desired. But there is no occasion for reviling Russia. clusively to Toronto. The literature on thinker in question was really trying Military service is the law of that empire, as it is of Germany, France and

country in which they live or go elsewhere. Even in Canada, the Doukhobors, as soon as they are naturalized, will by law be included in the enrolled, though not in the embodied, militia. As Canadian citizens they will be responsible for the maintenance of our armed force, whereas in Russia they would only have been submitting to the power of the czar. As the world is now going, the Doukhobors will have to fly bewish to get entirely rid of war.

A Good Time Coming.

[Toronto Globe.]

It is only a question of time when municipalities in this country will either own and operate their own waterworks, lighting and transportation systems to the common advantage, or exercise such control over the private parties who do operate them that these parties shall become in truth public servants. If a trust can control a great industry for private gain, why cannot the people control the same industry for the gain and profit of all? To this question a growing number of citizens are giving serious attention,

Industry Paralyzed by Trusts.

[Wheeling (Va.) Register.] The formation of trusts appears to become an end-of-the-century rage. Practically every branch of business is now controlled by one of these competition-throttling combinations.
The effect of this is paralyzing to industry. Where a score of establishments did business before but one does it now. Men all along the industrial line are thrown out of work by the thousand. The curtailment effects all departments of trade and commerce, from the man in the business office and his clerks and the agents and men

The Opera Eouffe War.

'on the road" to the day laborer.

[Toronto World.] Remember the Maine-opening ditty. First Great Deed-U. S. Warships capture Spanish lumber barge Buena

Sampson's warships shoot the mule of Matanzas. Several millions of war extras issued every hour.

Gen. Shafter (408 pounds) on a mule.
Sinking of the Merrimac-Greatest
naval feat since Salamis and Trafal-

gar.

Hobson kissing girls by the hundreds on public platforms.

Gen. Miles sings his touching solo of Beef Embalmed. Gen. Eagan anathematizes Gen. Miles

and calls him a liar of the first magni-The Chicago beef-packers curse Gen. Miles for his song in good stockyard

vernacular. Major McKinley degrades Eagan and Miles after the manner of Dreyfus. Ghost of the Coming Pension List

flits across the stage. Uncle Sam, overjoyed at the increase in his colored family, sings, I Can Whip the Hul Creation.

Aguinaldo defies Old Glory and bids the American eagle to come off his

John Bull pretending all the time that he never saw such a war and such bloody fighting as in Cuba.

Cuba overrun with American grafters looking for franchises, contracts and Havana cigars.

LIGHT AND SHADE.

With or Without.

"With or without?" asked the barber as the customer took his seat in the

chair. "Without," replied the customer. Whereupon the barber shaved him any conversation.-Chicago without Tribune.

No Choice.

"Do you feel that you can intrust your daughter's future to me?" asked the young man.

"I feel that there is no earthly chance for me to do anything else, answered the old man, who was somewhat acquainted with the ways of lovers when objecting parents inter-And so they were married and lived

happily for several days, which is sometimes more than is to be expected. -Chicago Post.

Advice Gratis.

Never speak unkindly to a child. A child's feelings are very sensitive, and an unkind word rankles in its memory and may cause it to drop a piece of orange peel in your path.

When the Lights Are Low.

The rooms are hushed, the lights are

low, I sit and listen to the wind; That comes from out the distant hill. It comes and crozes in an undertone Of alien regions vast and lone, Of pleasures lost in a land unknown; Then steals away, and all is still.

Tis good to listen to the wind When rooms are hushed and lights are low.

When those we love have come and gone, 'Tis weary to be left behind; To miss sweet eyes where, late they

To look for what we may not find, Long-cherished forms that haunt the Soft voices that were once too kind;

To live and miss them one by one Is weary work. Who'd stay behind When those we love have come and -New York Times.

Smart Johnnie.

Teacher-Why didn't you ask your father how this sum was done? Johnnie-Cause I didn't want to be sent to bed.

ONE HAPPY WOMAN

Got Health and Happiness From Dodd's Kidney Pills. London, Feb. 6.-This city can claim

one of the happiest, healthiest women in Canada. Her name is Mrs. J. Osborne. She lives at 524 Grey street, and she has this to say to her sisters throughout Canada:

For eight years my life was made miserable by Female Weakness. I used many different medicines, but none did me any good till I started to Female Weakness. I take Dodd's Kidney Pills. The first dose of this wonderful

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WORLD-WIDE REPUTATION.

George Walton Will Die From His Injuries

Received at the Verity Plow Works, Brantford-Brantford Gas and Oil Syndicate Pushing Ahead.

A wheel broke on a car on a M. C. R. freight train at Rodney on Sunday night, delaying traffic for a couple of

On Monday a young son of Frank Martin, Port Dover, aged seven years, disappeared from his home, and his

whereabouts is still unknown. Mr. James McMaster, late of the firm of McMaster Bros., owners of the electric light plant, and a prominent citizen of Ridgetown, died on Monday.

Mr. Peter Robertson, formerly of Kincardine, died at Walkerville Monday at the residence of her son-inlaw, Alex. Shaw, Q.C., at the vener able age of 89 years. A special memorial service was held

in the Woodstock Baptist Church on Sunday morning, incident to the death of the widow of the late Rev. John Bates, which took place on Saturday, as already stated in these columns. The roof of the kitchen at the

residence of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shaw, con. 6, Chatham township, was discovered to be on fire Monday morning, and in spite of every effort the house was destroyed. Some of the contents were saved. Mr. Shaw carried a small insurance on his house.

On Sunday at 12:30 p.m. there died at the residence of his son-in-law, Wm. Henderson, Buller street, Woodstock, one of the best known men in Oxford county, in the person of John Kerby, at the advanced age of 77 years. He received a severe paralytic stroke a year ago last August, and never recovered entirely from its effects.

The Brantford Gas and Oil Syndicate urer. The contract has been let to Mr. Carmody, president of the Dunnville Gas Company, to sink the first well. This will be within piping distance of Brantford, and the prospects of success are excellent. The company have men out securing leases of property, and purpose operating immediately for both gas and oil.

Mrs. Frank Folden, sen., who lives with her son Frank in West Oxford, met with a painful accident on Friday evening last. She has had a stiff knee for a number of years, and when coming down stairs she slipped and fell down a number of steps, striking the cap of the stiff member and knocking it to one side. The leg immediately bent back. A physician was called and the injured member attended to, and the patient is now getting along nicely. It is said that she may have the proper use of her knee when this injury is

better. It is feared that a second fatality may result from the sad accident at the Verity plow works, Brantford, a week ago. George Walton, the fireman, who was in the engine-room and was struck by the falling timbers, but who, it was thought, was not seriously injured, has developed alarming symptoms, and on Saturday Dr. Bier, who was called in, ordered his removal to the hospital. Walton was struck on the head and in the side by the collapse of the floor. The injury to his head was not very serious, but the injury to his side, it is

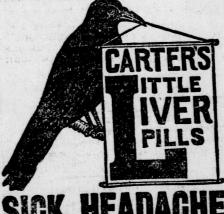
feared, has internal effects. That Throbbing Headache. Would quickly leave you if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands

of sufferers have proved their match-less merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and strong nerves, and build up your health. Easy to take. Try them. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. For sale by W. T. Strong & Co. Since his residence in England, Emile Zola is said to have anonymously contributed large sums to London chari-

ties.

FAGGED OUT .- None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure one box of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dande-lion are two of the articles entering the composition of Parmelee's into

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NATURAL GAS FIRE

Farmer and His Family Frightfully Burned.

St. Thomas, Ont., Feb. 8.-Alex. Mc-Larty, of the second concession of Aldborough, met with a serious loss Saturday. He uses natural gas for light and fuel. On account of the cold weather the pipe in some manner got frozen. He opened the gas tap in the house to let some water escape, and after fixing the pipe outdoors, came inside, neglecting to examine or shut off the gas. Upon striking a light the inside of the house was filled with a blaze of fire. He rescued his two children as soon as possible, although badly burned, and expected his wife would follow him out. Not seeing her, he rushed in and found her sitting dazed on the bedside. Her clothing were all ablaze, and McLarty rushed Her clothing outside with her. The woman was so badly burned that it was thought she would not live, but she is somewhat better. Mr. McLarty was so badly burned about the head and face that he has not been able to see since. The house and contents were totally con-

sumed.

DIED SUDDENLY. W.Stull died suddenly Monday night. He was around town in the day, apparently in good health. Mr. Stull was the largest dealer in hides and tallow in the city, and 59 years old.

SOUTH PERTH LIBERAL NOM!-NEE. St. Marys, Ont., Feb. 8.-At the Re-

form convention of South Perth, held here, Mr. V. Stock, of Tavistock, was chosen as the standard-bearer of the party at the approaching bye-election for the legislature. Mr. W. C. Moscript, the late member, did not seek renomination. DOMINION SHEEP BREEDERS.

Toronto, Feb. 8.-The Dominion Sheep Breeders' Association held their annual meeting here yesterday, President G. T. Hamnen, of Burford, in the chair. The secretary and treas-The Brantford Gas and Oli Syndicate is now fully organized. The directors of the company are Dr. Cole, S. M. Burnley, A. C. Havill and George File.

Mr. J. P. Hemphill is secretary-treasThe controls has been let to Mr. fares were referred to with satisfaction, and the development of interprovincial trade was discussed at length. New officers and directors were elected for the new year, and the advisability of holding block tests at provincial winter fairs was dwelt

A SHORT STORY

In London Life Containing Condensed Wisdom for Thousands.

> A baker Living at 257 Dundas Street, London, Ont., Geo. Roberts by 1 ame, Recommends DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS Because They cured him He had Pain in the Back; His Urine Was red-colored And Was painful In passage. The cure Through DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS Was quick and complete. That's how they always act. Because they're For kidneys only. If you have Siek kidneys Cure them. Don't experiment With an unknown remedy. Take no substitute for DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS. The kind that cure. All druggists keep them. 50 cents a box, or 3 boxes for \$1.25. The Doan Kidney Pill Co.,

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STELLARTON, N.S.—James R. Murray, "ell known violinist, of this place, who has traveled extensively throughout the Provinces, makes this statement:

"I was running down in health and my weight fell off from 175 to 150 pounds. Prescriptions did me but little good. My trouble was called nervous dyspepsia. I resorted to Hood's Sarsaparilla and after taking five bottles I was greatly benefited. I feel as well now as ever in my life, and have increased in flesh so that I now weigh 177 pounds. I am well known in this part of the country, having followed my profession, that of a violin musician for the last 26 years. I gladly tell my friends what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for me. Before I began taking the medicine I did not have any ambition, but now all is changed and my dyspeptic trouble perfectly cured." JAMES R. MURRAY.

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Mining Stocks. Toronto, Feb. 7. - Following are today

closing quotations on the I Industrial Exchange:	oronto Mini	ng and
	Asked.	Bid
Decca	25	
Hammond Reef	75	40
Hammond Reef	38	35
Hiawatha Superior G. and C. Co	, 25	24
Superior G. and C. Co	11	8
Sawbill	40	31
Cariboo	175	165
Minnehaba Cariboo Hydraulic	100	23 9514
Tin Horn	100	5
Smuggler	71/4	5
Winchester	9	71/4
Golden Star	471/2	45
Chive	97	961/2
Athabasca	62	58
		101/
Lardanelles	20	18
Dundee	341/2	321/2
Old Ironsides	107	
Knob Hill	85	1/2
Nobile Five	20	18
Salmo Con. Ramo ler-Cariboo Con	20	
Ramt ler-Cariboo Con	32	261/2
Crow & Nest Pass Coal	38.00	55.50
Fern Gloid M. & M. Co	40	39
Payne		3
Channe Big Three	19	16
Deer Park	19	17
Deer Park Evening Star	12	101/2
Iron Colt.	101/2	91/2
Iron Horsle	20	.17
Iron Mask		80
Jumbo		
		3
Montreal Red Mountain	22	20
Monte Cristo	10	91/2
Northern Belle	31/2	
Noveity	4	3
Silver Bell	7	414
St. Elmo	5	334
Virginia	48	431/2
St. Elmo. Virginia Victory-Triumph.		33/4
War Eagle Con		350
White Bear	61/2	41/4
B. C. Gold Fields	072	9
Can. G. F. S	7	5
Word Hillian		

SALES—Afternoon—Hammond Reef, 500 at 35½; Hiawatha, 500 at 23; Minnehaha, 500, 500 at 23½, 500, 300 at 23; Waterloo, 500, 500 at 10½ Dundee, 500 at 32½; Dardanelles, 500, 1,000, 1,00; at 18; Crow's Nest Pass Coal, 20 at 55.50; Victory Triumph, 500 at 5.

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London, Wednesday, Feb. 8.
Wheat, white fall, per bu691/2c to 70c
Wheat, red fali, per bu691/2c to 691/2c
Peas, per bu54c to 63c
Oats, per bu301/2c to 301/2c
Corn, per
Barley, per bu38½c to 48c
Buckwheat, per bu45c to 48c

WEEKLY REVIEW.
Wheat has been just parely steady

this week; the large continental and American markets went down con-siderably; at Tuesday's land today's sessions almost all sales were made at Oats were much stronger, and clos-

ed at 90c for all good samples; special lots of black sold at 92c, and some lots of white at 91c. Very little barley came in, 80c to 5c was the price for feed samples, and 90c to \$1 10 for malting.

Corn sold at 70c to 80c, according to Peas came in slow, and brought from

90c to \$1 10. No rye or buckwheat came in. Beans were delivered on old and new contracts at 65c to 75c; only one lot sold publicly-they were musty,

Eggs gradually declined all week, and closed at 15c to 16c for new laid, by the basket. Butter was steady, at 16c for pound

and brought 50c.

rolls, wholesale, 14c to 15c for crock. Poultry, turkeys, etc., were un-Meats were dull of sale, and prices

Hay sold at \$6 to \$6 50 per ton. Only one small lot of clover came on the open market. It was dirty, and was withdrawn. Quotations:

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Wheat, pring, per 100 los	90	9	00
Oats, per 100 lbs		@	90
Corn, per 100 lbs.	90	0	1 00
Barley, per 100 lbs	70	@	80
Rye. per 100 lbs	82	@	1 00
Deen a per bu	86	0	85
Bean, s per bu PROVISIONS.	••	(0)	••
Honey, comb	9	0	12
Honey, extracted	7	10	10
Cheese, per lb	10	(0)	12
Eggs, single dozen	20	a	22
Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen	15	(4)	16
Eggs, per dozen, basket, p'kd.	14	@	14
Eggs, fresh, store lots, doz	00	0	00
Butter, per lb. retail	18	-	20
Butter, pound rolls, baskets.	15	0	16
Butter, lb, large rolls or crocks	14	a	15
Butter, per lb, tube or firkins.	10		
	9	(0)	14
VEGETABLES AND			10
Pumpkins, per doz	50	a	1 00
Potatoes, per bag	75	(00	80
Apples, per bag		@	
Apples, per basket		(0	
Apples, per barrel	**	a	
Beets, per dozen bunches	20	(0)	20
Onions, per bu	60	0	90
Calery, per dos bunches	40	0	50
Turnips, per bag	26	a	30
Carrots, per bu	125		25
Parsnips, per doz. bunches.	40		10
LIVE STOCK.	30	@	
Young pigs, per pair	.00	0	3 50
Cows, eac'1 20		(4	40 00
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Hogs, light, per 100 lbs	90	a	4 00
Hogs heavy, per 100 lbs		(4	5 00
Pigs, young, per pair	50	(a	4 00
Sows, per 100		a	3 50
Ducks, per pair	50	0	25
Chickens, per pair	30	ğ	40
Hen per pair	40		50
HAY AND SEET	15		

MEAT HIDES ETC

Beef, hind quarters, per lb..... Mutton, quarters, per lb...... Yeal, quarters, per lb......

St. Thomas Market. St. Thomas, Feb. 7.-Wheat, per bu, 70c; oats, per bu., 30c to 32c; peas, per bu., 45c to 50c; barley, per bu., 38c to 40c; corn, per bu., 35c to 40c; beans, 80c to 90c; clover seed, \$3 25 to \$3 60; timothy, \$1 75 to \$1 85; flax seed, per cwt., \$2 45 to \$2 50.

The Oil Market. PITTSBURG, Feb. 7.—Oil closed at \$1 15. PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 8.—Oil opened \$1 15 PETROLIA, Feb. 8.—Oil opened and closed

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

WHEAT		eb. 3.	F	eb.		eb. 6.	F	eb.
Red Winter	6	2	R	2	6	11/2	6	1
No. 1 Nor. Spring	6	ō	6 6	20	5	111/2		1114
No. 1 Oal	6	9	6	9		8	6	8
March	5	9	5	834	6	8 778	5	814
May	5	8	5	734	5	7	5	7 7/8
CORN-			2.4				120	
New	3	914	3	9	3	814	3	81/2
Old	3	10	3	9%	3333	9	3	9
March	13	71/2	3	73%	3	63%	3	614
May	3	73%	3	71/8		614	3	61/8
Flour	119	0	19	0	19	0	19	0
Peas	ő	10	5	10	5	0	5	10
Pork		0	50	0	50	0	50	0
Lard	29	0	28	9	28	9	29	0
Tallow	23	0	23	0	23	0	23	0
Bacon, light	27	0	27	0	27	0	27	0
Choese, white			49	0	49	0	49	0
Cheese, colored	149	0	49	0	49	0	49	0

Liverpool, Feb. 8—12:30 p.m.
Wheat—Spot dull; No. 1 Cal., 6s 7½d to 6s
8d; No. 1 red northern spring, 5s 10½d; spot No.
2 red western winter, 6s ½d.
Corn—Spot, quiet; American mixed, new. 3s
7½d; do old, 3s 7½d; futures, steady; Jan, old.
3s 10d; March, 3s 9½d; May, 3s 9d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, firm, 7s 9d.
Peas—Canadian. 5s 10d.
Boef—Steady; Extra India mess, 65s; prime
mess, 60s.

Beef—Steady; Extra India mess, 65s; prime mess, 60s.
Pork—Steady; Prime mess, fine western, 50s.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, steady, 35s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, dull, 26s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, 27s 6d; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, dull, 27s; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, strong, 32s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 34s.
Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 37s.
Lard—Prime wostern, 29s.
Butter—Finest United States, 86s; good, 65s.
Cheese—American, finest white 49s; do

Cheese—American, finest white colored, 49s.
Tallow—Prime city, 23s.
Turpentine spirits—22s.
Rosin—Common, 4s 1/4d.

Petroleum—Refined, 6s 8d. Linseed oil—18s 6d. Cottonseed oil—Liverpool refined, 14s 9d.

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American Markets. American Markets.

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.— The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—May. 71%c to 72c; July, 70%c to 70%c. Corn—May, 36%c; July, 37c; Sept., 37%c. Oats—May, 28c; July, 26c to 26%c. Pork—May, \$10 12%. Lard—May, \$5 75; July, \$5 87%; Sept., \$5 97%. Ribs—May, \$5 05; July, \$5 17½; Sept., \$5 30. Cash quotations: Flour quiet and steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 67c to 70%c; No. 2 spring wheat, 67c to 70%c; No. 2 corn, 35%c to 70c; No. 2 corn, 35%c to 30%c No. 2 vellow corn, 35%c to 30%c: No. 2 oats, 27%c; No. 2 white, 30%c to 30%c; No. 3 white, 29%c to 30%c. No. 2 trye, 56c. No. 2 barley, 41c to 50c. No. 1 flax-seed, \$1 15; Northwest, \$1 18% to \$1 19. Frime timothy seed, \$2 40 to \$2 42%. Mess pork. seed, \$1 15; Northwest, \$1 18½ to \$1 19. Frime timothy seed, \$2 40 to \$2 42½. Mess pork, \$9 95 to \$10. Lard, \$5 57½ to \$5 69. Short ribs, \$4 75 to \$4 95. Dry salted shoulders, 4½c to 4½c. Short clear sides, \$5 05 to \$5 15. Sugar, unchanged. Eggs, steady; fresh, 16½c to 17c. RECRIPTS—Flour, 17,000 bushels; wheat, 81,000 bushels; corn, 654,000 bushels; wheat, 269,000 bushels; rye, 7,500 bushels; bariey, 64,000 bushels.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 11,000 barrels: wheat, 25,000 bushels; corn, 146,000 bushels; oats, 194,000 bushels; rye; 6,000 bushels; barley, 23,000 bushels; rye; 6,000 bushels; barley, 23,000 bushels.

THE AVAILABLE SUPPLY.

New York, Feb. 7.-Special cable and telegraphic dispatches to Bradstreet's indicate the following changes in the available supply of grain last Saturday, as compared with the preceding Saturday: Wheat, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase 89.000 bushels. Liverpool Corn Trade News reports affoat for and in Europe, increase 1,800,000 bushels; total supply, increase 1,889,000 bushels. Corn—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase 835,000 bushels. Oats— United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, returns incomplete.

Dairy markets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.-Butter firm; western creamery, 15½c to 20c; do factory, 12c to 14½c; Elgins, 20c; imitation creamery, 13c to 161/2c; state dairy, 13c to 18c; do creamery, 15c to 19c. Cheese steady; large white, 101/2c; small white, 11c to 114c; large colored, 104c; small colored, 11c to 114c; light skims, 8c to 9c; part skims, 7c to 8c; full skims, 3c to 4c.

CHICAGO, Feb. 7. - Butter firm: creameries, 13c to 19c; dairies, 101/2c to 16c. Cheese steady and unchanged. Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.-The small supply of cattle today proved ample to the restricted demand, and busi-ness was again slow at the reduced range of yeterday; fancy cattle brought \$5 80 to \$6; choice steers, \$5 35 to \$5 75; medium steers, \$3 75 to \$4 95; beef steers, \$3 90 to \$4 65; stockers and feeders, \$4 20 to \$4 25; bulls, \$2 70 to \$4 25; cows and heifers, \$3 30 to \$4; western fed steers, \$4 60 to \$5 40; Texas steers, \$3 50 to \$4 80; calves, \$4 to \$7 25. Trade in hogs was active and 5c to 10c higher; fair to choice, \$3 75 to \$3 90; packing lots, \$3 55 to \$3 72½; mixed, \$3 60 to \$3 80; butchers; \$3 60 to \$3 87½; light, \$3 55 to \$3 80; pigs, \$3 25 to \$3 60. There was a very good demand for sheep and prices showed no marked changes; poor to prime sheep, \$2 50 to \$4 40, principally at \$3 75 to \$4 30; western, \$4 40; ewes, \$3 60 to \$3 90; year-lings, \$4 15 to \$4 55; inferior to prime lambs, \$4 to \$5, the greater part selling at \$4 75 to \$4. Receipts: Cattle, 3,000; hogs, 25,000; sheep, 13,000.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Beeves—Receipts, 734; no trading; feeling steady. lower for live cattle; top price at London, 12c dressed weight; at Liverpool, 11%c; refrigerator beef, 8½c per lb. Exports, 814 cattle, 30 sheep and 4,445 quarters of beef; tomorrow, 324 cattle and 4,400 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 49; feeling steady; veals, \$6 to \$8; no barnyard or southern calves. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,299 head; ninc cars on sale; sheep nominal; lambs slow, but steady, at \$5 to \$5 50; five cars unsold. Hogs—Receipts, 2,921; 3 cars on sale; slow, at

\$4 to \$4 15; choice state pigs, \$4. EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 7.— Cattle—The offerings were 15 loads, that arrived late; about all the offerings were sold, but at 10c to 15c lower; the feeling generally is easy. Sheep and lambs—The offerings were 23 loads; there was no particular change in the disposition of the market from yester-day's close; the basis was \$5 10 to \$5 15; lambs, choice to extra, were quotable at \$5 10 to \$5 15; lambs, choice to extra, \$5 to \$5 10; fair to good, \$4 75 to

\$5; sheep, choice to extra, \$4 25 to \$4 50; good to choice, \$4 to \$4 25. Hogs—The market opened somewhat slow, but with a fair general demand, sold at about yesterday's close; heavy hogs were quotable at \$4 05; medium, \$3 95 to \$4; Yorkers, \$3 90; pigs, \$3 65; roughs. \$3 40; stags, \$2 50 to \$2 70; the offerings were pretty well cleaned up, and Yorkers on the close were strong and quiet, on the basis of \$3 95.

TORONTO, Feb. 7.—A continued heavy supply at the cattle market has made prices a little easier for the lower grades, though for good quality last week's prices were maintained. The deliveries amounted to 78 loads, comprising 660 sheep, 3,100 hogs and the balance in cattle. There seems to be a good demand for sheep for shipping purposes, most of those delivered today being on orders. Prices remained about the same. Hogs showed a light im-provement, being quoted at \$4 50 for best selections, \$3 78 for thick fat, \$4 26 for light fat. Export cattle were a little easier, in consequence of cables from the old country not being quite so good. The highest price for choice was \$4 75; bulls, \$3 50 to \$4; light stock bulls, \$2 50 to \$3; butchers' very choice, \$4. A load of butchers', weighing about 800 lbs, was sold at \$3 50; another load 800 lbs, was sold at \$3 50; another load of butchers', weighing about 950 lbs, at \$2 90. Another lot at the same weight fetched only \$3 70. Business was fairly brisk, nearly everything being cleared off. Export cattle, choice, \$4 40 to \$4 50; light, \$4; bulls, medium export, \$3 40 to \$4; heavy export, good quality, \$3 75 to \$4. Loads of good butchers' and exporters mixed, \$3 75 butchers' and exporters mixed, \$3.76 to \$4; stockers and medium to good, \$3.25 to \$3.65; feeders, heavy, \$3.60 to \$3.75. Butchers' cattle, picked lots, \$3.50 to \$4; good, \$3.60 to \$4; medium, \$3.50 to \$3.50; common, \$2.25 to \$2.50; inferior, \$2.75 to \$3. Milch cows, each, \$25 to \$45. Calves, each, \$3.50 to \$45. Calves, each, \$45. per cwt, \$3 to \$3 25; bucks, per cwt, \$2 50 to \$2 75; spring lambs, each, \$4 to \$4 40. Hogs—Best, \$4 50; light, \$4 25;

fat, \$3 84. OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, Feb. 6.-Trade in imported advance of last week's quotations.
United States cattle are worth 6½d;
Argentines, 5½d; sheep, 5¾d. At Liverpool, United States cattle bring 5½c; Argentines, 5¼d; sheep, 5¾d. Trade is

THE BUDGET ON THURSDAY

The Provincial Treasurer Will Bring It Down Tomorrow.

A Batch of Petitions—The Government To Be Interrogated.

Toronto, Feb. 8.-The legislature yesterday received a number of petitions, and three measures were introduced and given first readings, after which an adjournment was taken. It is expected that the estimates for the year will be brought down today, in which case the provincial treasurer will deliver his budget speech on Thursday.

TO STRIKE COMMITTEES. The attorney-general moved that the Garrow, Stratton, Chariton, Carpenter, of Rijnhart's life to a Globe reporter. Whitney, Marter, Miscampbell, Foy, Rijnhart was born in Holland 3 McKee and Hardy.

PETITIONS.

Fort William and intervening points. Mr. Russel-Petition of H. T. Jenporation of the civil engineers of On-

Mr. Brown - Petition from the city corporation of Stratford, praying for an act to legalize and confirm bylaw No. 779, under which it is proposed to he started out for the Chinese mission grant the Wyte Packing Company \$30,-

Mr. Kribbs - Petitions from the county council of Waterloo, asking for a uniform bicycle law, free markets, amendment of the municipal law regarding auditors, amendment to the jurors' act, the municipal act respecting auditors, the criminal act respecting the costs of the trial in one county of criminals belonging to an-

Mr. Pardee - Petition to incorporate the Carmen Natural Gas Company of Ontario. The gentlemen interested are F. J. Carmen and J. S. Carmen, Bothwell; Isaac Greenizer and U. M. Mc-Queen, Petrolea, and Albert E. Shaunessy, Sarnia. The capital stock is \$30,-

NEW BILLS.

Mr. John Smith (Peel) introduced a bill respecting the county council elections, the object being to do away with double voting, and give only one vote for each candidate. They have now the privilege of casting both votes for one candidate if they prefer to do

The attorney-general introduced a bill aiming to make the preparation of voters' lists in unorganized territories less expensive and cumbersome. The attorney-general also introduced

a bill to amend the railway act of Ontario by providing that the cost of arbitrations upon the expropriation of lands by railways shall be taxed by the clerk of the county court, instead of by the judge, as heretofore. INQUIRIES. The government will be asked

number of questions on Thursday. Col. Matheson will ask for full in-formation regarding the government printing contract, including a return of the contracts and specifications. Mr. McLaughlin will ask for cor-respondence and petition for Stor-

to the dispensing with the service of two license inspectors. Mr. German will ask a series of questions with the object of showing whether or not the Canadian Niagara Power Company has proceeded so far with its works as provided by clause 10 of their agreement. Unless they have completed water connections for the development of 25,000 horse power and have ready for use, supply and trans-

mont, Dundas and Glengarry, relating

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EXCITING LIFE

The Story of the Murdered Missionary's Career.

A Toronto Friend Still Doubts That He Is Dead.

His Wife's Heroic Work on the Battlefield-A Thrilling Tale.

Rev. Charles T. Paul, of Toronto, is following be a select committee to pre- an intimate friend of Peter J. Rijnhart, pare a report with all convenient speed lists of members to comprise the missionary reported to have been standing committees: Messrs. Davis, murdered in Thibet. He tells the story

Rijnhart was born in Holland 31 years ago, his father being a retired major in the Dutch army. He was Mr. Conmee - Petition of Edward educated in a Dutch military school. Spencer Jenison, of Chicago, asking In 1889 he came to Canada and located power to conduct the waters of the in Toronto. He secured a position in Kaministiquia River from Ecarte the Cobban factory, by means of which Rapids to the towns of Port Arthur, he made his living while he learned the English language. In this he received lessons from Rev. Mr. Paul. The latter nings and others, asking the incor- describes him as an exceedingly clever pupil, and says that he learned the

language with the greatest rapidity.
"It was while studying with me," continued Mr. Paul, "that he first spoke of his missionary intentions. In 1891 fields. He was not sent out by any board, and he started out with only his faith to get him there. He had no money, so he walked straight from here to Chicago. From there he walked to Kansas City. Not discouraged, he said he knew he would finally get to his destination. At Kansas City he attended a missionary convention. delegates became interested in him and his courageous plans, and enough money was raised to pay his way to San Francisco. When he reached there he had no money wherewith to pay his way to China. But he declared it would be sent to him in answer to his prayer. He remained six days in San Francisco. On the day on which the boat was to sail he was invited to the Y. M. C. A. A gentleman who heard his story said he understood Mr. Rijnhart was going to China, and added that he had \$10 worth of interest in him. Others did the same, until in a short time enough money was raised to pay his passage to China." In China Mr. Rijnhart learned the

journey of 2,000 miles up the Yangtse Kiang River. He finally reached Thibet and remained in Kumbum, the Buddhist religious center, for ten months. In the spring of 1893 he returned to his old home in Holland. "Shortly afterwards, however, he returned to Canada on his way to China again. While speaking at Newbury, in Middlesex county, he met Dr. Susannah Carson, daughter of the late J. W. Carson, inspector of public schools for Middlesex. Dr. Carson was anxious to go to Thibet as a medical missionary, and said she would go provided another married couple could be found to go along. They were not able to find such persons, but the result of it was the marriage of Dr. Carson and Mr. Rijnhart. In November, 1894, these two and Mr. Ferguson, of Knox College, set sail. They arrived in China at the time of the war with Japan, which made it then very dangerous to travel."

AS MEDICAL MISSIONARIES.

Mr. Paul continued: "However, they made the journey safely across the country and arrived at Kumbum. They had no sooner settled down to medical missionary work than the great rebellion broke out on the China-Thibetan border, a religious war between two sects of Mohammedans. Towns and vilmission 10,000 developed horse power by Nov. 1, 1899, Mr. German holds, the lages were swiftly devastated by fire and sword. Thousands of men lay dead agreement will lapse by default. Mr. German also wants to know if other or wounded on the fields of battle. This lasted for eight months, during which time both Mr. Rijnhart and his wife companies have made overtures to were continually on the battle fields extracting bullets, binding up wounds, etc. They were treated most kindly by the Chinese commanders. Mr. Rijnhart became almost as expert as his wife as a surgeon, and on one occasion extracted a bullet from a Chinese mandarin's body in Northwestern China. Mrs. Rijnhart after one battle was called to the city, and at the gates found bodies piled as high as her head and

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met crowds of Mohammedans returning DOING WELL from the battle fields with the head of an enemy on their swords. She had as many as two or three hundred cases on her hands at once. Strange to say during this rebellion, when nearly all Many New Settlers. the surrounding villages were destroyed, Kumbum was spared. While the danger lasted the two missionaries were invited to take refuge in the mon-astery, which they did. They won

their way to the people's hearts by their medical work, Thibet being with-out any medical science. These and many other stories of their adventures were related to me in letters received since Mr. and Mrs. Rjinhart arrived at their destination."

THE STORY DOUBTED. Mr. Rijnhart, Mr. Paul added, was native language, and made a dangerous ordained a minister of the Christian Church of the United States during his last visit. While in Canada Bishop Baldwin, of London, who took a great interest in him, offered to ordain him into the Anglican Church, but he refused the offer. Mr. Paul described Mr. Rijnhart as a man who did not know what fear was. Mr. Paul elaborated on his reasons for disbelieving the report of his death. "In the first place, in the report the statement is made that his body was taken away and mutilated. The latter part of the story says that he left rMs. Rijnhart to visit some tents in the distance, and was never seen by her after. The report of her intention also to return leads to the conviction that she at least must believe him still alive. He is the last man to get killed," continued Mr. Paul with emphasis; "he is brave, he does not know what a tremor of fear is. If he is dead his wife is absolutely alone. The child which is spoken of as having died from exhaustion would be about a year old. Mrs. Rijnhart's mother still lives at Newbury, with a younger daughter, Dr. Jenny Carson, another daughter lives at Chatham, while a son, Mr. Joseph Carson, formerly a reporter on The London Advertiser, now lives in Detroit. Mr. Rijnhart's father

Grand Trunk Engineer Swears by Dr.

still lives in Rotterdam, Holland."

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recommend them all my friends. It is wonderful how near conceit is the dogs eating them. She frequently to vanity.-Jerrold.

Happy Outlook in the Northwest -

Ottawa, Feb. 8.-Mr. T. D. Davis, M.P., Saskatchewan, who is in the city, says that the business outlook at Prince Albert and the Northwest generally is good, although the farmers are holding their wheat for higher prices. There has been quite an influx of Germans and Mennonites into the northern settlement, and a still larger settlement is expected this year. The Galicians who have settled there are doing well. Mr. Davis visited them about a couple of weeks ago, and found them happy and contented with the country. They are very comfortable, keep their horses and live stock in good condition, and are arranging to obtain agricultuhal implements so as to be ready to go to work when spring

FOR CANADIAN MILITIA

The New Oliver Equipment-Regulations To Be Drawn Up.

Ottawa, Feb. 8.-In the militia orders issued today it is provided that a board will assemble at Stanley Barracks, Toronto, on March 2, for the purpose of drawing up regulations for the wearing and maintenance of the new Oliver equipment about to be issued for general use. The board will consider the best method of issuing the Oliver equipment to city battalions, and to such rural battalions as have the means of taking care of them. The principles which the major-general desires to be carried out in regimental. brigade and division drill and maneuvers during the ensuing drill season for cavalry and infantry will be explained.

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TODAY'S MARKETS

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Montreal Stock Market	*
MONTREAL, Fe	
Ask.	Uff.
Cenadian Pacific 86	85%
Duiuth, common 414	31/4
Duluth, preferred 11	9
Commercial Cable 19216	1911/4
Com. Cable Coupon Bonds	1051/2
Commercial Registered Bonds	105
Montreal Telegraph	1753/4
Richelieu and Ontario 1071/2	106
Montreal Street Railway 233/2	292
Montreal St. Railway, new291/2	290
Toronto Railway	11314
Montpool Gas Comps ny	2111/2
Bell Telephone	173
Royal Electric	160½ 250
Bank of Montreal	200
Ontario Bank	200
Molsons Bank 203	245
Bank of Toronto	1801/2
Merchants' Bank	180
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	120
Quebec Bank	120
Union Bank	1501/2
Bank of Commerce	55
Northwest Land, pref 571/2	155
Montreal Cotton (o	75
Canada Colored Cotton 821/2	109%
Dominion Cotton111%	

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, Fo	io. 8.
Ask.	Off.
Montreal 260	250
Ontario	123
Toronto	25312
Merchants	180
Commerce 151	1501/2
Imperial	217
Dominion276	271
Standard	190
Hamilton	190
British America129	1281/2
Western Assurance1671/2	167
Western Assurance	250
Consumers' Gas	2101/
Dominion Telegraph	135
Northwest Land Company, pref. 57	56
Canada Pacific Railway Stock 85%	8534
Commercial Cable Company1921/2	1921/
Commercial Coupon Bonds1051/2	1041/2
Commercial Coupon Bonds 1054	104 7/8
Com. Registered Bonds1051/4	173
Bell Telephone Company	
Bell Telephone, new	1061/8
Richelleu and Ontario	
Montreal Street Railway	113
Toronto Street Hallway	178
London Street tutilway	130
London Electric	751/4
Dominion Savings and Invest 771/2	175
Huron and Erie L. and S	165
Huron and Erie. 20 per cent	65
London and Canada L. and A	110
London Loan	
London and Ontario	1221/4
Ontario Loan and Debenture	/-
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New York Stocks Reported by F. H. Butler, 16 and 16 Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser. New York, Feb. 8.

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Yesterday's		*** 1		2:30.
Close.		High.	LOW.	
Atcheson 22	211/2	215%	21	215%
Atcheson Pfd 6034	6014	6078	591/2	605/8
C.B. & Q1331/4	133	13316	1321/8	1331/8
C. & N. W148	148	1481/3	14736	1481/8
Bay State Gas 6%	01/8	634	63%	65/8
Chicago Gas 11236	11234	1123/8	111%	11214
N. Y. Gas206	20514	207	20:14	2061/2
Gen. Electric107	107 1/4	1981/2	1.7%	108
Ten M	64	643/4	6378	645/8
L. & N 65	111	11134	1105%	11154
Man111	43%		431/8	437/8
Mo. P 4416	921/2		915%	915%
Omaha 921/2		521/4	51	521/4
P. M 5238	1151/2		1151/8	1155%
R. I 116				211/4
Reading 20%				136
N. Y. Central136	1351/4		1245%	125%
St. P12534		40%		40%
T. C. I 401/2	39	221		22
Wabash 221/2	22			913/
W. U 94/2	91/2		883%	897/8
Brooklyn Transit 89%	0074	90		0378
U. Pacific 79%	19	793/		711/
Leather Trust 71%	11/2			711/2
T.ead 3614	30/		35 1/8	
Sugar1303	130	130	1203/4	1291/4
Tobacco140	140	140	1383/4	1335
Southern Ry. Pfd 493	4 485			
Jersey Central100	99		981/2	
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y. P., Pfd 783				784
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Toronto Produce Market.

foronto, Feb. 8.-Wheat-Easier, at soc for red and white west; Manitoba wheat is steady, at 791/2c for No. 1 hard at Midland. Flour-Dull, at \$2 95 to \$3 for cars of straight roller in barrels west. Millfeed-Firm, at \$13 to \$16 for shorts, and \$12 50 to \$14 for bran west. Barley-Quiet, at 47c for No. 1 west. Buckwheat-The market is firm, at 49c to 50c west. Rye-Firm, at 54c west. Corn-Steady, at 361/2c for Canada yellow west; 451/2c for old American, and 421/2c for new American at Toronto. Oats-Steady, at 29c to 291/2c for white west. Peas-Steady, at 65 1/2c to 66c west. Eggs -New laid more plentiful and lower, at 19c; held fresh weaker, at 15c; and limed are lower, at 131/2c. Butter-In good demand; large rolls, moderate receipts and firmer, at 141/2c to 151/2c for choice; dairy tubs steady, at 10c to 14c; creamery steady, at 20c to 21c for prints, and 19c to 20c for packed. Dressed hogs-Not offering very freely; market steady; local packers quote \$4 90 to 14 95 for cars of mixed weights here.

English Markets.

Nheat—Spot, dull; No. 2 red western, winter, is 2d; No. 1 red northern spring, 5s 11d; No. 1 Cal., 7s 10d to 6s 11d; No. 1 cash, 8s 27d.

s 2d; No. 1 red nortnern spring, 3s 11d; No. 1 Cal., 7s 10d to 6s 11d; No. 1 cash, 8s 2/4d.

Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new, 3s Bd; do, old, 3s 8/4d; futures, steady; Feb., nothing doing; March, 3s 5d; May, 3s 5/4d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, dull, 7s 6d.
Peas—Canadian, 5s 10d.
Pork—Dull; Prime mess, fine western, 50s; 6o, medium, western, 47s 6d.
Beef—Dull; Prime mess, 60s; extra India mess, dull, 65s; do, medium, western, dull, 56s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., steady, 34s 6d.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, dull, 28 to 30 lbs., 26s 6d; short ribs, 20 to 24 lbs, dull, 28s; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, dull, 27s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, dull, 27s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, dull, 28s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 31s 6d.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, casy, 25s.
Lard—Prime western, steady, 2ss 9d.
Butter—Finest American, 86s; good, 65s.
Rosin—Common, steady, 4s 11/2d.

Rosin—Common, steady, 4s 11 ½c. Cheese—American finest white, 49s; do.

colored. 49s.
Tailow—Prime city, strong, 22s 6d.
Cottonseed oi!—Liverpool refined. firm, 15s 6d.
Turpentine spirits—Steady, 32s 6d.
Hops—At London (Pacific coast) firm, £4 15s

Linseed oil—18s 6d.
Petroleum—Refined, 65%d.

American Markets. CHICAGO, Feb. 8.—Opening—Wheat, May, 115gc to 71½c; July, 70c to 70½c. Corn, May, 83½c to 36½c; July, 36½c to 57c. Oats, May, 7½c to 28c; July, 2cc. Pork, May, 810 10. Lard, May, \$5 75; Sep.., \$6 95 to \$5 97½. Ribs, May, \$5 95.

NEW YORK Feb. 8 .- Flour - Recelpts, 22,599 bbls; sales, 2,400 pkgs; state and western dull, but a shade steadier; Minnesota patents, \$3 95 to \$4 15: winter patents, \$3 75 to \$4; do straights, \$3 55 to \$3 65. Rye flour dull; good to fair, \$3 25 to \$3 40; choice to fancy. \$3 45 to \$3 60. Wheat-Receipts, 116,000; sales, 675,000; options, the strong undertone this morning was caused by cold weather west and fears of crop damage; foreign news was bear-ish; March, 78%c to 79%c; May, 75%c to 76%c; July, 74%c to 75c. Rye quiet; state, 61c; No. 2 western, 65%c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn-Receipts, 26,325; sales, 105,000; options inactive, but steadler on covering; May, 41c to 41 5-16c. Oats -Receipts, 31,200; track white, 351/2c to 891/2c. Butter-6,410 pkgs; firm; state dairy, 13c to 19c; state creamery, 15c to 19½c; western creamery, 15½c to 29c. -Receipts, 1,080 pkgs; steady.

dull and easy at 6%c. Hops steady. Lead steady; bullion, \$4 30; exchange, \$4 60 to \$4 65.

BUFFALO, Feb. 8 .- Spring wheat-No. 1 hard, 80c; No. 1 northern, 814c; No. 2 northern, 754c. Winter wheat— No. 2 red, 75c, on track. Corn-No. 2 yellow, 38½c; No. 3 yellow, 38c; No. 4 yellow, 38½c; No. 3 corn, 37½c. Oats— No. 2 white, 34½c; No. 3 white, 33½c; No. 4 white, 32½c.

DETROIT, Feb. 8.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 72c; No. 2 red, cash, 72c; May, 741/2c. TOLEDO, O., Feb. 8.—Wheat—Cash, 71%c; May, 74%c; July, 71%c. Corn—Cash, 35%c; May, 35%c. Oats—Cash,

29c; May, 29c. MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 8.-Wheat

-Cash, 72c. Chicago Exchange. CHICAGO. Feb. 8. Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1278. Open, High. Low. C Wheat—May... 71½ 72% 71½ July... 70 71¼ 70 Corn—May... 36¼ 37 88½ July ... 70
Corn-May ... 36½
July ... 36%
Oats-May ... 27%
July ... 26
Pork-May ... 10 10
Lard-May ... 5 75
Ribs-May ... 5 05 36% 27% 26 10 10 5 72 5 05

Live Stock Narkets CHICAGO, Feb. 8.-Hogs-Receipts, 30,000; slow but steady; left over from yesterday, 5,588; good many trains back; estimated receipts tomorrow, 28,-000; mixed and butchers, \$3 60 to \$3 90; good heavy, \$3 80 to \$3 90; rough and heavy, \$3 55 to \$3 70; light, \$3 55 to \$3 80. Cattle-Receipts, 10,000; steady; beeves, \$4 to \$6; cows and helfers, \$2 to \$4 50; stockers and feeders, \$3 to \$4 70.

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Toronto, Feb. 8-10 a.m.-Prob- → ♦ abilities for the lower lakes region ♦ for the next twenty-four hours: ♦ * Strong northerly to northwesterly * winds; decidedly cold, with light + + snowfalls.

Thursday-Fair and very cold; temperature below zero at all +

LATE LOCAL ITEMS The Veterans of 1866.

died in this city yesterday, while in a To the Editor of The Advertiser: fit. He was a resident of Hibbert township, Perth county.

the City League hockey games, and the leaders meet tonight, and it will a royal struggle between the Jubilee and College boys.

-At the quarterly meeting of the official board of the Centennial Methodist Church, held last evening, a cordial invitation was extended to Rev. Mr. Ford to remain another year, as pastor.

-Dick Jones, Mike Willis and Thos. Lemmon, of this city, are billed to participate in mills to be held at Woodstock on Tuesday evening next under the auspices of the Bohemian Club of that place. -Mr. W. H. Hewlett, of this city,

acted as accompanist at the concert given in the Association Hall, Hamilton, last evening, by Mlle. Antoinette Trebelli, the world's famous soprano, who sings here next Monday evening. -At the praise service tonight in the Memorial Church, Miss Roblyn, solo soprano, Mr. Charles Wheeler, solo organist, besides the choir of the church, directed by Mr. J. W. Fetherston, will take part. A collection for the organ fund will be taken.

-Mr. Michael Donavan, an esteemed citizen, passed away yesterday from la grippe, aged 50 years. The funeral will take place tomorrow from Smith & Clark's undertaking establishment, to St. Peter's Cathedral. The interment will take place in the Catholic cemeterv.

-Ex-County Treasurer Adam Murray, of South London, who fell downstairs a few days ago and injured his leg, is not yet able to be around. Indeed, so stiff has his limb become, that he does not retire to his bed, but takes his sleep in an armchair. Mr. Murray is 91 years of age.

-Train Dispatcher A. B. Munson, of the G. T. R. Wabash, at St. Thomas, has resigned. He expects to be re-lieved this week. He has been in the employ of the G. T. R. 27 years as a train dispatcher. He finds the strain attached to the position too much for him. It is Mr. Munson's intention to enter the merchant tailoring business with the well-known firm of Deeks & Co., city. His many friends will wish him every success in his new de-

parture. -The story of "Yankee Doodle Dandy," which will be seen at the Grand tomorrow night, with Walter Jones, Louis Wesley, Harold Blake, Gertrude Zeila, Zella Frank, and a company of 80 people, is said to possess a trace of sentiment of love, without the least neutralizing the extravagant vein of the narrative. It will be correctly defined that the late war with Spain enters into the action of the piece, but only to warrant the introduction of the military and naval characters in the play, with the exception of the final scene, which is laid in Pennsylvania avenue, Washington; all else of the story runs in New York city, namely, at the Battery, Printing House Square, and the Twenty-third street station of the Sixth Avenue Ele-

the world, and has proved a wondervated Railroad. -Thomas Ninham, of Oneida, was arraigned before Judge William Elliot this morning, on the charge of assaulting and wounding James S. Jones, an Eggs—Receipts, 2,455 pkgs; firm; state ing and wounding James S. Jones, and Pennsylvania, 19c to 194c; west-and Pennsylvania, 19c to 194c. Sugar—Raw easy; fair ford last October. Mr. J. M. McEvoy ern. 19c to 194c. Sugar—Raw easy; fair ford last October. refining. 2 13-16c; refined quiet. Coffee appeared for the prisoner, and asked of Linseed and Turpentine

that postponement be made until after the trial of Jones, who has been charg-ed by Ninham with assault and wound-This case is the outcome of an altercation between the two men, and when it was before the magistrate, Mr. McEvoy claims his client (Ninham) was not given justice. Mr. McEvoy, with some other lawyers, is advocating that the government be memorialized through the legislative committee, asking that some person other than the crown attorney be appointed to prosecute cases before the magistrates in order that the person prosecuting may not be the same person who is to advise the magistrate whether or not cases should be sent for trial or dis-

missed. -The Brockville Times has the foilowing to say of Mile. Trebelli's singing at the concert given there last week. Mile. Trebelli captivated her hearers with her divine voice—a naturally remarkable soprano, cultivated to perfection. The audience sat in silent rapture as the liquid bell-like notes welled up from her throat with seeming ease, filling the whole house with melody. In response to enthusiastic applause she sang, in addition, to the regular programme, "The Swallows," by Cowan; "Love Has Eyes," by Bish-op, and a "Laughing Song," and sang them exquisitely. In the last song her silvery laughter was so infectious that the infection caught the audience, and set them laughing, too. Mile. Trebelli's mother was one of the most famous contraltos of her day, and her father, Signor Alexandro Bettini, was a very famous tenor; and assuredly, Mile. Antoinette is a worthy child of such distinguished stars in the musical firma-ment. The audience certainly preferred her to any predecessor, Albani in-

CONVALESCENT HOME.

The trustees of the Convalescent Home gratefully acknowledge the following donations for January: Mrs. M.J.Kent, kitchen utensil, reading matter; Mrs. Macbeth, Illustrated London News; Miss Loughead, reading matter; Mrs. W. J. Reid, delf, oilcloth, etc.; a friend, per Mrs. De la Hooke, \$5 worth of groceries.

A CREDIT TO THEM.

That well-known firm, the Monsoon Tea Company, have just gotten out a very fine show card, in fact, it does this firm credit to put out a card of

The foundation is a large package of their tea with a jardiniere on the top; reclining on the jardiniere, in the shade of a palm, is an Indian princess, toying

with a large bird.

The colors are delightfully blended, and will greatly add to the appearance of our grocery stores.

PIONEER DEAD.

Mrs. Michael Donohue, who for 51 years had been a resident of this city, passed away at her residence, corner of Regent and George streets, this morning, aged 62 years. Mrs. Donohue was a native of county Tipperary, Ireland, and in her girlhood days removed to this section of Canada, where she had been a continuous re-She was well-known as a sident. kind and sympathetic friend and indulgent mother. A husband, four sons and three daughters survive her. The sons are: John, of Parkhill, and William, Michael and Timothy, of this city. The daughters are: Mrs. Halle, Chicago, and Misses Bridget and Kate at home. The funeral will take place Friday morning, at 9:30, to St. Peter's ****** Cathedral.

It may have been presumption on my part, and again it may not, in -Another change has been made in suggesting that his worship the mayor and city council should invite the governor-general, the Earl of Minto, a gallant soldier, to make his first official visit to London the occasion of presenting the medals to the veterans of 1866, a very large number of the survivers of whom are residents of this western district. This was urged upon me by many of the old Vets., whose certificates of service I was called upon to sign, and I fell in with the idea, not only on account of my old comrades, but from the fact that the visit of his excellency and the occasion thereof would stimulate the reorganization of the old Seventh Battalion, besides drawing an immense crowd of people to the city, particularly, as in the beginning of June, the annual camp is to be formed here, and the volunteers would materially assist in making the occasion a successful jubilation. The policy of the council appears not to be to draw crowds to the city, but to allow the crowds and their dollars to go to other places. Probably Toronto will chip in, as it usually does, and have all the eclat and profit arising from the presentation of medals. The council the other night agreed to unite with the Western Fair board in asking his excellency to present the medals at the time of fair in September next. This may be all well enough for the fair, which draws a large crowd in any event; but I presume the medals will all be distributed before that time, and the veterans will not fancy being placed "in the ring as an attraction" with the royal Japs, tight-rope performers, half-nude dancing girls and bull punchers. The matter, so far as the council is concerned, had better be allowed to drop. Yours truly, D. C. MACDONALD. London, Feb. 8. 1899.

Dopeople Die of Catarrh?

How This Annoying Disease D velops and How it is Cured by Dr. Chase's Catarch Cure.

Because doctors do not often report "death from catarrh," people imagine that this disease is not fatal in its

But because catarrh usually reaches the lungs before it kills it is called consumption, when in reality it is cattarh of the lungs.

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Catarrh is an ulceration of the mucous

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ulcers and arrests the disease while yet it can be controlled. It clears the air passages, stops droppings in the throat, and headache, and completely eradicates the disease from the sys-Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure has the largest sale of any catarrh remedy in

ful success in the cure of catarrh and prevention of consumption. 25 cents a box; blower free. At all dealers. For la grippe there is no treatment to rival the combination of Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure and Dr. Chase's Syrup

Diminution in the Cold Wave's Energy.

Very Low State of Temperature at Northwestern Points.

Chicago, Feb. 8.-The temperature reached 12° below zero in Chicago today, with 15° below predicted for tonight. The cold wave shows no diminution of energy in the Northwestern States, while there is increased severity in the central portions of the coun-

St. Paul, Minn, reports 23° below; Bismarck, N. D., 36° below, and Williston, N. D., 40° below. northeasterly gale with snow pre-vailed in Massachusetts Bay, and along the New England coast today, placing an embargo on both inward and outward bound shipping.

A WINNIPEG

HOTEL IN RUINS The Manitoba Burned Down Last

Night-\$60,000 Worth of Diamonds and Jewelry in the Ruins.

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 8 .- At five minutes after twelve o'clock last night the Manitoba Hotel was discovered to be on fire, and two hours later the wall facing Water street fell.

The J. E. Ellis Company, of Toronto, are the greatest losers, probably to the amount of \$60,000.

The hotel was seven stories in height and would accommodate 300 guests.

A SQUEL

Against Alleged Discriminating Rates of the Railways in Re Oil.

[C. P. R. Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Feb. 8.—The Sun Oil Refining Company, of Hamilton, is appealing to the railway committee of the privy council against the discrimination of railway companies in the rates on Ammerican oil in favor of Canadian oil. This is said to be due to the Standard Oil Company having got control of the Canadian oil fields, and the charge is now made that this company is working in conjunction with the railways against competition from the United States, the only place from where is can now be secured. It is said that from Hamilton, for instance, the railway companies have one rate for Canadian oil, and another and higher rate for American oils to adjacent points. A meeting of the committee will be called on the 22nd inst. to deal with this

DISASTROUS TRIP

Vessel Loses Four Men-Her Captain and Second Officer injured.

Portland, England, Feb. 8.-The British steamer Martello, Captain Rippeth, from New York, on Jan. 22, for Hull, passed here today and signaled that her chief officer and boatswain had been killed; that a quartermaster and a seaman had been drowned, and that the captain and second officer were injured during the fearful weather ex-perienced while on the way here from New York. The steamer lost her boats and ventilators, and was otherwise ex-

tensively damaged. NAUGHTY JAPS.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 8 .- According to Oriental advices, the Japanese Government is accused of wholesale bribery in connection with the recent passage of the land tax bill through the diet. A member named Koyama openly declared in the diet that he had received 4,000 yen from government agents to vote for the land bill. He made this statement just before casting his vote, and then proceeded to vote against it. Mr. Senda, another member, then declared the intention of having Koyama impeached.

CITY HALL NOTES

The election of a successor to ex-Ald. Southcott in No. 3 ward promises to be a spirited one. Ex-Ald. Stevely, ex-Ald. Carrothers, ex-Ald. Cooper and Mr. George T. Lilley are spoken of as possible candidates, and there is also said to be a Socialist aspirant for the seat. What a number of valentine speeches addressed to "the vacant chair" would have been heard, if nomination day came only one day sooner!

The appointment of a street commissioner will be considered by the board of works tomorrow night. Mr. Robt. Ironside, assistant city engineer, is the likely man for the position. fact, it is hard to see how any other choice could be made by the com-

The council will indulge in another special meeting (only the second this month) tomorrow evening. Some formal action is required on matters going before the legislature, and the session will be brief. Following it the board of works will meet.

the leading rubber men in England, has enhead, died Tuesday. been organized, with capital stock of \$13,000,000.

A Comfort Sometimes. When health is far gone in Consumption, then sometimes only ease and comfort can be secured from the use of Scott's Emulsion. What is much better is to take this medicine in time to save your health.

The ways and means committee at Washington directed a favorable report on the bill for government participation in the pan-American exposition on the Niagara frontier in 1901, and making an appropriation of \$500,-000 for a government building and ex-

hibit. Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it

fails to cure. 25 cents. Hon. Mr. Mulock and Hon. Mr. Paterson will campaign for Mr. Holmes, the Liberal Commons candidate for

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their forces around the city. The latest addition to them is a body of 200 naked Ygorotes, armed with spears, which is stationed at Caloocan. The native papers make a great fuss over these volunteers. FROM DEWEY.

Washington, Feb. 8 .- The following cablegram was received at the navy department today from Admiral Dewey in acknowledgment of Secretary Long's congratulatory message of yesterday: "The commander-in-chief, officers and men thank the president Boston, Mass., Feb. 8. — A heavy and the secretary of the navy for their congratulations. (Signed) "DEWEY."

"IN FOR IT NOW." Princeton, N. J., Feb. 8.-Ex-President Cleveland, when seen last even-ing, had an "I told you so" sort of a smile on his face, "We're at it," he said. "We're at 'em, we're in for it now. But I don't want to express my opinion in regard to our troubles in the Philippines." Then he turned to his library, where an artist is putting his likeness into oil.

AS AGONCILLO SEES IT. London, Feb. 8.-The Filipino Junta here has received a cablegram from Agoncillo, the agent of Aguinaldo, dated Montreal, Feb, 7, "deploring the hostilities, which have had the effect of securing the ratification of the peace treaty." Agoncillo also says he believes the outbreak was provoked by the Americans in order to insure the ratification of the treaty and declares that the Filipinos, "far from being the aggressors, were taken by surprise, and were unprepared."

HOWLETT.

Howlett. Feb. 7.-The church here, after undergoing extensive repairs, is now ready for the opening services, which will be held Feb. 19 and 20. On Sunday Rev. George Jackson, of London, chairman of London district, will preach morning and evening, and Rev. Mr. Moyer, of Delaware, in the afternoon. On Monday evening an excellent tea will be served, with the usual abundance of Devonshire cream. After tea a good programme will be given by people from London, Lambeth and Delaware. Every effort is being made to not only have this equal but surpass all previous tea meetings.

Miss Lily Wooldridge and Miss Lottle Beer, of Dutton, are visiting relatives

Miss Maggie Weyler, organist, is sick with la grippe, and was not able to play at the quarterly meeting services, which were held on Sunday, Feb. 5.

Miss Sabina Howlett has returned home from visiting friends in London. Robert Patterson, of Indian Head. N. W. T., is renewing acquaintances here after an absence of nine years. He has a large farm near the Head, and runs a threshing machine also. Quite a number from around here are going out to the Northwest in the

The acetylene light plant is being put in the church to furnish light in the

STRATHKOY.

Advertiser Agent, J. D. Meekison. Strathroy, Feb. 7.—The Strathroy ockey team went to Watford Friday night and played a game with the Watford club. The game resulted in favor of the Strathroy boys by 5 goals to 3. Miss Maud Blantyre is spending a

few weeks with friends in Aylmer. Anniversary services will be held in the Baptist Church the last Sunday in February. Sermons will be preached by Rev. D. Hutchinson, of Brantford, ex-president of the Baptist Convention of Ontario and Quebee.

The entertainment in connection with

St. Andrew's Bend of Hope will be held in the basement of St. Andrew's Church

on Friday evening.

The officers and members of Strathroy Council, No. 49, C. O. C. F., will give an oyster supper in Smith's par-lors on Monday evening, the 13th inst., at 9:30 o'cleck.

Rev. Mr. Jordan, of St. Andrew's Church, expects to leave for Kingston TO FEEL COMFORTABLE next week, where he will deliver lectures at Queen's University. During his absence Rev. Mr. Williams will oc-

cupy the pulpit.

Miss Ethel Luscombe is visiting friends in London.

The Commercial Hotel is still in the hands of the painters and decorators. Howard Ledge of Oddfellows passed a motion expressive of the sympathy of the brethren with the relatives of the late district deputy grand master, W. G. Willis, London.

FOUR WEDDINGS AT ONCE. Quebec, Feb. 8 .- A remarkable ceremony occurred Monday at the Isle of Orleans. A resident named Pierre Pouliot celebrated his golden wedding at the parish church, and at the same time his son celebrated his silver wedding, and two sons of the latter were

married. CUBA FREE OF SPANISH SOL-

DIERS. Havana, Feb. 8.-Jiminez Castellanos, captain-general of Cuba, left Cienfuegos yesterday morning for Spain, on board the steamer Celuna. The vessel also carried the last of the Spanish soldiers, and the evacuation of the island is now complete. CABLE NOTES.

Premier Sagasta, in an interview, is quoted as saying he will immediately submit to the queen regent a decree convoking the cortes. He expects to have a majority of 30 favorable to the approval of the treaty of peace with the United States.

The appeal for \$11,500,000 in connection with the Chinese Imperial Railway five percentage gold loan has been a phenomenal success. It was applied for five times over.

William Laird, of the famous ship-A rubber trust company, composed of building firm of Laird Bros., at Birk-

> Platinum has been found in the Klondike. The Canadian Cadets reached Tampa, Fla., Tuesday evening.
> Snow, strong winds and a phenomenally high tide are making trouble in New York, where streets, cellars and

stores are flooded. The water is four

feet above ordinary high tide. WRONG FRUIT.

[Washington Star.] "John has five oranges, James gave him eleven and he gives Peter seven how many has he left?" Before this problem the class re-

coiled. "Please, sir," said a young lad, "we always does our sums in applea."

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Q EN OAK. Glen Oak, Feb. 8.-Fire destroyed the residence of Solomon Cook, lot 8, con. 9, Caradoc. Insured in the Canada Mutual for \$300; contents insured in the London Mutual,

The youngest son of Samuel Oaks, who had his arm broken, is doing nicely. Miss Ballentine, music teacher, was unable to attend to the instruction of her pupils last week on account of

the grip.
Mr. Levi Pettit, our celebrated thresher, is about to purchase a new Waterous engine. Mr. John McKenzie had the misfortune to fall on the frozen ground and hurt his shoulder. Mr. Stephenson has purchased a fine

horse from Mr. Lewis Foot, near KOMOKA.

Strathroy.

Komoka, Feb. 8.—The manager of Cedar Springs creamery wishes to take this opportunity of thanking the many patrons and friends of the creamery for the generous way in which they have helped him to secure a supply of ice for the coming season. On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week, Messrs. Janes, Barber, Blanchard, Harris, Quirie, Seabrook, McEwan, A. Smith, J. Smith, Henderson, Parsons and Acres sent teams to help haul the ice, and now the creamery has a bountiful supply for the fruit trade that Mr. Smith has good hopes of establishing in Londor, Hamilton and Toronto. In all about 70 tons of ice was stored away. Mr. Ryan also helped the "bee" along by giving a man to help to cut the ice, and Messrs. McDonald, James and Blanchard by allowing the teams to cross their farms, very materially shortening the distance of hauling.

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will be served by making sure of health. It will be a loss of time and money to be stricken with serious illness. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla and purify your blood. In this way all germs of disease will be expelled, sickness and suffering will be avoided, and your health will be preserved. Isn't this a wise course?

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Charles Fletcher, the young son of Joseph Fletcher, dairyman, Hamilton, was kicked on the head by a horse and seriously injured. A large piece of the skull was removed by a physician.

must be brought to bear, so that "My good child, what are you think-when substitutes are offered you ing of?" exclaimed Miss Tibbetts, in in place of the genuine

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To Whom She Said

Miss Olivia glanced at the figure, and stood on tip-toe in her astonishment. "Dear, dear me! It's Eden Aubrey! Do you know her, Mrs, Merstham?" "I think I have seen her at church. Who is she?" asked that lady, as she gave orders for the stranger to be ad-

'Only the daughter of Mrs. Aubrey, the poor thing who gives music les-

"Frenchwoman," asserted Cornelia. "Yes, I am afraid she is," sighed Miss Olivia; " and though it may be un-charitable, I never have had much opinion of the French; not but what Mrs. Aubrey has behaved very well ever since she came to Eastham. Her husband was a young surgeon, who bought Dr. MacMurdo's practice; but he died when the children were babies; and there was so little for the widow that she had to take to teaching. But what brings Eden here?-uninvited, too -unless it's with one of her mother's cirquiars.'

"Can Mrs. Aubrey expect to find a pupil in me?" asked Verna, who had developed into a brilliant player, under the tuition of some of the most eminent "How absurd!"

"Off course it is—quite absurd!" echoec Miss Tibbetts. "If she had consulted me, I should have told her but Mrs. Aubrey is very odd, very served; never takes anyone into her confidence, and has a-a sort of way when you offer suggestions that is really quite repelling."

"Fault of her nation," said Cornelia.
"Well, perhaps it is," replied her sister, adding, benevolently: "And if so, we mustn't visit it on the poor children. Oh! here's Eden-ridiculous name to her, isn't it? You may step forward, my dear. Mrs. Merstham will grant you an interview."

Eden Aubrey, who had just been ushered into the room, opened her soft, gray eyes widely, with a comical air of astonishment at hearing herself thus addressed; then, perceiving the speaker, who as half hidden by Mrs. Merstham's easel, she gave an amused smile and nod of recognition.

She was young, impulsive and highspirited, and did not understand being patronized by the fussy, officious spinster, who sometimes contrived to arouse of surprise and reproach. even her forbearing mother's indignation by her ill-timed comments on Mrs. Aubrey's arrangements; and, after thus acknowledging Miss Tibbett's presence, and replying to Cornelia's "Good morning," she took no further notice of the spinsters, but moved easily and gracefully toward Mrs. Merstham

Eden Aubrey was not more than 17, and was an innocent, inexperienced, lovable girl, with a slight, willowy figure, that, in the course of a few years, would be perfect, and with a face so expressive that Mrs. Merstham marveled that she had not noticed it before; in repose it was so sweet and childlike, and yet, as soon as she spoke or smiled, so arch, so intelligent in its prettiness

The wild rose tints on her cheeks deepened as she perceived how critically Mrs. Merstham was surveying her; but she was not troubled with awkward shyness. Why should she be? she would have asked. Mamma had taught her how to deport herself, and to be either rude or stupid would to disgrace that

dear teacher. and without appearing to perceive that she had not been invited to seat herself, she laid on the little inlaid table at Verna's elbow a roll of music, and told her errand.

Mr. Green, the stationer, had been in despair (Eden had picked up some of the foreign phrases as well as the piquante intonation of her Parisian mother) at his inability to procure the songs Mrs. Merstham had ordered; and, learning that mamma had them, he had asked her to part with them. As the gift of a friend, they were valuable to Mrs. Aubrey; but she would be much gratified if Mrs. Merstham would make use of them, or any others in her col-

lection, for as long as she wished. The offer, so politely made, was accepted, and Eden Aubrey would have withdrawn if Verna had not suddenly aroused herself from her languid indifference, and requested her to stay.

"If you have walked from the further end of the village, I am sure you will be glad of some luncheon. I will ring for the tray, and ask Miss Tibbetts to entertain you for me while I change my dress.

"A charming room this!" said Miss Olivia, seeing that the young girl's eyes were wandering around it after Mrs. Merstham had left them. I don't suppose you have ever seen anything to

'No-never," answered Eden, frankly.

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"I shall ask Mrs. Merstham to let me have a closer view of the pictures in the hall or ante-chamber, through which they led me, for I had a glimpse of two or three lovely ones."

accents of severe rebuke. "How can you dream of taking such a liberty?' "A liberty!" repeated Eden, smiling. 'How funny you are, Miss Tibbetts! Do you imagine that Mrs. Merstham will feel offended with me for admiring the beautiful things with which she has surrounded herself?" "But you talk and behave as if you

were her equal; and in a young person in your position, I really think its—" But Eden's uplifted finger made the spinster pause and Cornelia cough dubiously.

"I would rather not hear what you think of me, Miss Tibbetts. When I go home, I will ask mamma if I have said or done anything wrong. I always guide myself by her opinions."

And Eden continued her inspection of

some paintings till Mrs. Merstham returned, and, seeing that she was interested in them, opened portfolio after portfolio of photographs and engravings, displaying her art treasures long after the Misses Tibbetts, having lunched to their satisfaction, had grown as tired of saying "How beautiful!" their hostess was of hearing it, and gone away. "I am afraid I have stayed too long!"

cried Eden, at last, blushing beautifully, as she started up. "But you have been so kind that I forgot the time.' "Don't apologize," said Verna, letting the sketch-book she had been holding slip from her lap, as she leaned back in her velvet chair, a picture herself of luxurious repose. "I wanted to ask you to do something for me, and that is why I ker you. Look here, Miss Aubrey!" and, extending her hand, she drew aside the baize that concealed a haif-finished drawing. "I am copying a 'Holy Family,' that has taken my fancy. But, as you perceive, the face of the Virgin is that of a coarse, stolid Dutch peasant, and ruins the effect of the group. My cousin Hilda offered to sit for me, but hers are the stereotyped features of a fine lady, and will represent a village maiden's; but it struck me, as you stood in the doorway, when you first entered the oom, that yours was the kind of prof shat would

suit me.' Eden glanced towards the mirror, coloring, and smiled very prettily.
"I am afraid my face is not refined

enough." "Of course I shall have to idealize it a great deal," said Verna, in the coldest tones; "but I think it will do. When

can you sit for me?"
"I do not know. I will consult mamma. If she has no objection I have none.

Verna raised her finely-penciled brows as if she had not imagined for a moment that either Mrs. Aubrey or Eden could hesitate to accede to her request, and then repeated her question: "When can you sit for me? Tomor-

"Oh! no; it is mamma's only day at home, and I always devote it to her. But, if I can be spared, I will come to you on Thursday. Will that do?"
"I suppose it must," said Mrs. Mers-

tham, rather ungraciously. "And about remuneration for your trouble, Miss Aubrey?" Eden, who had stooped for the

sketch-book, looked up with a little air "I thought you asked me to do this for you, Mrs. Merstham-not for payment.

"I do not like to be under obligations," was the haughty response. "And I should not like to sell the use of my face," cried Eden, merrily. "For leave to paint my eyelids, so much; for one hour at my nose, ditte! It sounds comical, doesn't it? And, seriously, the pleasure of looking at your pictures will amply repay me for the trouble of sitting still for an hour or two."

'You had better consult your mother about this too," said Verna, dryly, "and bring me her answer on Thursday. I will be ready for you by eleven."
"By eleven," Eden mechanically re-

peated, for her eyes were fixed on a water-color drawing, at which the book she picked up had opened. It represented the ball scene in "Romeo and Juliet," and the moment at which, at the ardent entreaty of the enamored Romeo, the beautiful daughter of the Capulets removes her mask.

There was no mistaking the identity ear teacher.

Without the slightest embarrassment, of the Juliet. A little younger and more without the slightest embarrassment, animated, perhaps; yet with the same stately pose and haughty lip, it was an admirable likeness of Verna Merstham. [To be Continued.]

NOT HASTY.

[Wahington Star.]

"I am glad to say," remarked Mr. Meekton, "that I never spoke a hasty word to you." "No. Leonidas," answered his wife, rather gently, "I am willing to give you credit for not hurrying about anything."

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Aphorisms of an Empress.

The dairy of Dr. Constantine Chrituomanos, one of the Greek tutors of the late Empress Elizabeth, was published in London, England some time ago. The book is chiefly interesting for the sake of the aphorisms of which her majesty was so fond. Among those which the author reproduces are the following: " do not believe in medicine, and at best would tolerate homeopathy, because men like to be deceived, and small doses do less harm." After a conversation with the emperor, in Hungarian, of which the tutor only taught the names of several statesmen and politicians, the empress said: "I have just been talking politics with the emperor. I wish I could help him, but I am better at Greek. I have no respect for politics, and do not consider them worthy of interest. They are nothing but self-deception. Politicians are under the impression that they lead, but they are merely carried along by events which invariably take them by surprise. Each cabinet has in it, at its birth, the seeds of its own fall, and its successor shares the same fate. All that happens happens of itself, because it must-because it is ripe—and the statesmen can only record the facts."

On another occasion the empress said: "Women cannot help their husbands in their business, and should not suggest ideas or give advice. But by their presence, they should awake men's thoughts or assist their ripening.

Man must not be led by woman."
Once, on board the yacht Miramare, majesty observed a goat, and "She is making the voyage without any enthusiasm, but only from a sense of duty, because she is English." "No one can influence me." "For good or evil I act upon my inner consciousness and leave the rest to Fate." love Heinrich Heine for his boundless contempt of himself, and the sadness with which all earthly things filled "Geneva is my favorite stopping place. There I am quite lost among cosmopolitans, and feel some illusion about the true condition of things."

Ox-Tail Soup.

Have the butcher cut two small oxtails into two-inch pieces; wash, drain and dry them, dust with flour and fry brown in one tablespoonful of butter. Cover them with two quarts of water and simmer slowly, for two and a half hours. In the interval prepare one cupful each of carrot, turnip and onions in tiny dice and the celery in half-inch pieces; parboil them for twenty minutes in salted water. Add the prepared vegetables to the soup, simmer for three-quarters of an hour longer or until the vegetables are very tender, add one teaspoonful of Worcester sauce, one-half of a teaspoonful of salt, a dash of cayenne, and one teaspoonful of lemon juice. Take from

Things That Wither Cut Flowers

A florist advises, as a means of preserving the freshness of cut flowers, that any one which shows signs of fading should be quickly taken away from the bunch. One dying blossom will quickly infect the others. Cut flowers, too, ought never to stand where the sun shines directly upon them. It is a mistake, also, in putting flowers in a refrigerator to keep for the few hours before using to have them come in contact with the ice. This caution seems almost unnecessary. But ex-perience proves that thoughtless persons imbued only with the idea that flowers should be in a cool place, will lay the blossoms on the ice itself, which freezes them. They can be wrapped in a wet paper or damp cotton, put in the lower part of the ice-box. though too serious chilling, even without reaching the freezing point, makes them droop very rapidly when brought into heated air. Probably the greatest enemy of cut flowers is gas, and if trying to preserve a bunch for several days they should be removed to an unlighted room as darkness de-

Etiquette of Introductions.

Superfluous introductions were onceand not so long ago, either—an almost universal nuisance in this country. The woman who persists in the farce twinkling of an eye, under any and all circumstances, is still to be found, but played-out, languid feeling. she is happily becoming more and more rare. We will not suffer unalloyed grief when we write Hic jacet over the last of her kind. Still there is no need of burying the introduction itself. They have almost done so over in England, but America has often found a happy medium between her own early ways and the customs of Europe, and here is another chance for her to show that common-sense is generally a safe key to any "guide to decorum."

The confirmed introducer is a bore, but until mental telepathy shall have peared. become a more widespread accomplishment than it is now, the old-fashioned introduction ought not to be allowed to out so much as giving one a clew to the other's identity, may be good English form, but it is not good commonsense. A woman who aspires to be a successful dinner-giver will find that success lies not by this path. Even at teas and receptions an introduction need not always be made with bated breath and apologetic air, as if one's conscience accused one of making a faux pas. Finally (though there may be those who will condemn this as rank social liberalism), there are circumstances when even passing intro-ductions are perfectly legitimate. The introduction has as much need of a raison d'etre as has any other social custom. But once it has a reason for being, it is most valuable and welcome. the superfluous introduction, whose name is even yet legion, which has cumbered the ground, socially speaking, and which ought to be rooted

BRITISH TRADE BOOMING. London, Feb. 7.-The January report

of the Board of Trade shows increases of £1,287,300 in imports, and £1,115,800 NORTH PERTH FARMERS' INSTI-

TUTE. Milverton, Ont., Feb. 7. - The North Perth Farmers' Institute meeting was held here today. A good attendance greeted both afternoon and evening sessions. The addresses of Mayor Sheppard, of Queenston, and J. E. Gould,

growing and ensilage.

SOON SETTLED!

Mr. Astor's Suit Against the London Mail Withrawn.

An Apology Satisfied Him-Lord Chief Justice Russell Relates His Own Experience.

London, Feb.7.-In the Queen's bench division of the high court of justice today, before the lord chief justice of England, Baron Russell of Killowen, and a special jury, was heard the suit of Mr. William Waldorf Astor against the Daily Mail of this city, to recover the sum of \$5,000 damages for a libel which "held him up to ridicule and contempt." There was an imposing array of counsel on both sides. Sir Edward Clarke, Q.C., counsel for the plaintiff, said the libel was published on Oct. 18 last, and was headed "Mr. Astor's Strange Dinner Party." It declared that as the outcome of a wager of \$2,500 with General Owen Williams, Mr. Astor brought the trunk of a California redwood tree here, and gave a dinner party at Cliveden around ... A fictitious list of guests, counsel further remarked, was published, and, indeed, the whole details, except the mere fact that Mr. Astor brought the tree England, was an effort of imagination, and Mr. Astor claimed he was thereby held up to the public as "a foolish and ridiculous person."

Mr. Astor then took the stand and confirmed Sir Edward Clarke's statements. He added that many of the guests mentioned were unknown to him, and he expressed the belief that some of them did not exist. The matter caused him great annoyance, but he was always willing to accept an apol-

Thereupon the lord chief justice asked if it was not possible for an apology to be given at that stage of the proceedings.

Right Hon. Edward Henry Carson, Q.C., in behalf of Mr. Alfred Charles Harmsworth, principal proprietor of the Daily Mail and other papers, said his client was always ready and willing to apologize.

"Whether the matter published is libel or not," the lord chief justice remarked, "is a question for the jury to decide. But surely it is proper to apologize for giving annoyance." "My clients," said Mr. Carson, "while they do not admit the libel, are anxious

not to publish anything which may cause annoyance.' "It cannot be said," replied the lord chief justice, "that these personal paragraphs are not sometimes annoying. This is the fringe of a very large question. One cannot fail to see that there is a growing fashion, perhaps, copied from the press with which Mr. Astor is better acquainted than we are-(laughter)-of publishing personal paragraphs which are very annoying. A paragraph appears in a newspaper this morning regarding myself-(laughter) -erroneously stating that I forced my

carriage through the Horse Guards' passage, notwithstanding the opposition of the Guards, and an American paper, the other day, described a painful incident in my career. It said it had been my duty, in the position of president of the divorce court, to pronounce a divorce decree between myself and my first wife. As a matter of fact. I have only had one wife, she is alive now, we have never been dithe divorce court." (Laughter.) Addressing Mr. Carson, the chief justice remarked: "I think your client ought to apologize for publishing the paragraph, which has given annoyance to Mr. Astor."

To this Mr. Carson replied: "I adopt your lordship's suggestion absolutely.
The proprietors of the Daily Mail wish me to say that they had no wish to give annoyance, though some people are annoyed by those things, and others are not. (Laughter.) They regret they gave annoyance to Mr. Astor and apologize for so doing.'

The case was then settled, a juror being withdrawn, and the proceedings coming to an end.

CATARRH OF STOMACH.

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Catarrh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, a formation of gases, causing pressure on the heart and lungs and of "making people acquainted" in the difficult breathing, headaches, fickle appetite, nervousness and a general

There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue, and if the in-terior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed con-

dition. The cure of this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surfaces of the stomach. secure a prompt and healthy digestion is the one necessary thing to do, and when normal digestion is secured the and should be ruthlessly discouraged; catarrhal condition will have disap-

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Via Grand Trunk and Lehigh Valley. Train leaving London at 3:43 a.m., arrives New York 7:55 p.m.; Philadelphia, 7:18 p.m. Leaves London, 4:40 p.m.; arrives New York, 9 a.m.; Philadelphia, 8:56 a.m. The only line from London to Through Pullman Palace Sleeper and Vestibule Coaches. Secure your tickets at Grand Trunk city or station ticket and was well up in years. 60g

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METEOROLOGICAL.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 7, 8 p.m.-A depression now developing off the south Atlantic coast is likely to become important, and pass into the Maritime Provinces attended by stormy weather. The Northwestern anti-cyclone remains stationary, and has rather increased than diminished. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 30—36; Kamloops, 6—18; Calgary, 10 below—2 below; Edmonton, 32 below—8 below; Qu'Appelle, 38 below—30 below; Winnipeg, 38 below—28 below; Port Arthur, 30 below-6 below; Parry Sound, 24 below-12; Toronto, 2-16; Ottawa, 6 below 14; Montreal, 2 below-8; Quebec,

14 below-10; Halifax, 4-24. Local temperatures-The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Tuesday, Feb. 7, were 16 degrees above and 9 degrees

Today sunrises at 7:26; sets 5:38. Moon rises 6:05 a.m.; sets 3:44 p.m.

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-Dr. B. E. Mackenzie, of Toronto, is -Mr. William Woollatt, jun., of Wal-

kerville, will spend the winter in the L. E. and D. R. R. office at Port Stanley. -A telegram from Vancouver, B. C., states that J. J. Blake, barrister, formerly of London, died on Sunday

-The firemen had a run to Heard's grocery, Wellington street, last night. Damage to the extent of \$5 or \$10 was done to the building, while the stock was damaged somewhat by smoke.

-The brother practitioners in Robinson Hall of Mr. P. H. Bartlett, barrister, have sent a magnificent pillow of white carnations as a token of their sympathy in the death of Mrs. Bartlett.

-Miss E. Stirling Case, of Aylmer, well known in London, and who for the past month has been singing in evangelistic work for the Rev. C. P. Wells, Newbury, has left for Delhi to engage in similar work with the Rev. James

Charlton. -Messrs. W. Marshall and W. C. Robinson, assistant superintendent and general circuit manager of the C. F. R. Telegraph Company, Toronto, are in the city, installing new instruments, and enlarging the switch-boards in the London office. The office is also being refitted throughout with

new furniture. -Mr. Alex. Proctor, a respected citizen living at No. 184 Rectory street, died yesterday from the effects of the grip. Deceased had been ill about ten days, and his condition was pronounced precarious on Monday. A widow and fam-New York without change of cars. ily, the youngest a girl of about 12 years, survive. Deceased was for a long time employed at the chemical works,

> -Robert Barnum, a farm laborer in the employ of Wm. Blight, con, 10, London township, was arrested last night on the charge of having, in May last, broken into the house of Henry Dickie, who resides on Adelaide street, about three miles from the city, while the family were absent, and stolen a pair of trousers, a hat, coat and \$5 in Barnum was remanded until cash.

-Rev. W. J. Clark delivered his interesting lecture entitled "With Fire and Sword in the Soudan," which has been previously described in The Advertiser, before a large audience in the lecture room of Knox Church, South London, last night. The lecture was given under the auspices of the Bible

Big Line of Suspenders just opened. Seventy-five dozen of regular 35c and 40c goods, your choice of them for 25c.

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FACTURERS, patronize your fellow-

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Our stock is large, our prices close, and

your patronage will be duly appreci-

Anderson's,

-The February meeting of the Mis-

sion to Lepers was held in Somerset Hall on Monday afternoon, Mrs. Rob-

ertson, the president, occupying the

chair. A most practical and helpful

Bible reading on "The Beauty of Holiness," was given by Mr. Sharpe. An

article was read by Miss Purdom, giv-

ing one a pleasant idea of a leper asy-lum, and its surroundings, and making

mention of the work done among the

lepers by the medical missionaries. A

short sketch of the work at Rurki was

read by the secretary. Mrs. Youmans' sacred solo, "The Wanderers," was

most effectively rendered, and much

RAILWAY TEAMSTERS WILL OR-

The railway teamsters held a meet-

ing on Saturday night and decided to

form themselves into a union. About

25 of the men agreed to become mem-

mitted Thomas Ninham for trial on the

charge of assaulting and wounding

James S. Jones, a Brantford Indian,

a few weeks. The offense is alleged to

have occurred in the house of Mrs. Bat-

tice, on Jan. 27, when an altercation en-sued. Jones said Ninham's attack was

unprovoked, and that Ninham inflicted

serious wounds with an axe, which ren-

dered him unconscious, and from which

he is still suffering. Ninham has laid

a counter-charge against Jones, charg-

The anniversary concert at the Hill

Street Methodist Church last night

was attended by a large audience,

which thoroughly enjoyed the excel-

lent musical and literary programme

and Magee; solo, "Thy Will be Done,"

Hageman; solo, Mr. Albert Carpenter; solo, Miss Hooper; solo, "Will o' the

Wisp," Mr. R. C. Sparling; solo, "Ship

on Fire," Mr. McDonald; address, Rev.

Dr. Saunders; solo, "All in a Garden

Fair," Miss Hooper; recitation, "The

World will Never Know," Miss Hege-

man; solo, "The Lost Chord," Mr. Mc-

Donald; vocal duet, "David and Go-

liath," Messrs. Carpenter and McDon-

ald; recitation, "Me and Jim," Mr. Mc-

Hargreaves gave a solo, "The Answer,"

in pleasing voice. Rev. Joseph Edge then dealt with "Ireland," in a happy

vein, and Miss Hance sang "Come Back to Erin." Mr. Westman recited

"The Dandy Fifth" in amusing man-

ner. Rev. Walter Moffatt spoke of the

glories and peculiarities of Scotland, and Mr. Ed Webster sang "The Land

o' the Leal," for which he was encor-

ed. Mrs. W. H. McCutcheon and Miss

Webster played the accompaniments.

The evening was brought to a close

with an address from Rev. Mr. Morri-

son, whose subject was "Canada," and

which certainly did not suffer at his

hands. The audience, led by the choir,

sang "The Maple Leaf Forever,"

evening's entertainment.

"PATRIOTIC EVENING."

ing him with assault with a hammer.

ANNIVERSARY CONCERT.

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Catholic Club Carnival a Record-Breaker.

Attended by 1,500 Persons - That Calico "Hockey Match"-Handsome Decorations-The Prize-Winners.

The fancy dress carnival, under the auspices of the Catholic Club, at the Princess Rink last night, was a veritable picture of gaiety and splendor coupled with some very amusing episodes. The attendance was larger than at any previous carnival this season. The rink started to fill up as early as 7:30 and every minute saw the crowd becoming larger and the scene more animated, until at 8:15 the building was densely packed with happy humanity, who good-naturedly jostled one another about. The masqueraders were dressed in every variety of costume that fancy could suggest. They were made up from the typical tramp in rags to the gypsy queen in all her splendor. The decorations were very handsome. The British and American flags were prominent on every side, and bright-colored bunting was hung from the gallery and sides of the rink, while above the merry throng of skaters were suspended to the gas pipes and rafters hundreds of Chinese lanterns of many different and artistic colors. The immense crowd which assembled to witness and take part in the gaieties class, the proceeds to be given in aid of the scene numbered over 1,500. A of the church extension in the southern part of the city. The pastor, Rev. J. G. Stuart, presided. On motion of Mr. Anprogramme of popular music was furnished by the Musical Society Band. drew Thomson, seconded by Col. Gartshore, a hearty vote of thanks was ten-

The feature that no doubt proved big drawing card was the "ladies" dered the lecturer, who acknowledged it briefly. Handsome proceeds were realized.

The two teams were attired in calico dresses, and were members of Calico Town. Dave Walsh members of Calico Town. was captain of a team which wore pink, with green ties and white caps, the other members being P. Murphy, T. Breen, J. Breen, F. Richardson, and J. Howe. Mike McKeough captained the second team, in light blue calico; with pink ties and white caps, and composed of Messrs. J. Tobin, R. Tobin, E. McDonald, T. Dewan and J. Hennessy. To say that the game was funny would be putting it altogether. would be putting it altogether too mildly. The main object the play-ers seemed to have in view was to stretch their five foot two mehes on the ice. Captains Walsh and Mc-Keough are crackerjacks, and won keough are crackerjacks, and won all kinds of applause, failing ever to get near the puck. The Blues were the losers by two goals to one. They claim that the referee, Frank R. Harris, was bought up by the Reds, and will protest the game. The Reds claim a hard-earned victory, and will, in the near future, trim the London Seniors. The scrimmaging at times was decidedly lively, and it was very bers of the union. The chief purpose, painful and embarrassing to the spectators at times to see "those dear girls" scrapping. Two or three of the "young ladies" had to be ruled off for It is understood, will be to secure shorter hours. At present they frequently work from 7 o'clock in the morning to 8 and 9 o'clock at night. rough play. The members of the City League hockey teams were present, Squire J. B. Smyth yesterday com-

getting pointers. We may expect some great things from them in the future. The skaters in fancy dress numbered about 75, and the costumes worn by many of them were exceedingly ar-Several prizes were offered by tistic. the club, the awarding being left to Ald. Graham and Mr. James Mc-Dougall, whose judgment gave general satisfaction. Two clubs competed for the team prize—The Ramblers, as the Ramblers' Minstrels, with gray plug hats, black suits and a thick coating of burned cork on their faces; and the Oregons, as dining-car porters, with white coats and caps, and coal black faces. The prize went to the Ramblers, making the third won by them this season. The prize for best lady's character costume went to Mrs. Wilson, who was prettily attired as a gypsy queen. Mr. Thos. Mawson, as a sailor, was awarded the prize for the best gentleman's character cosprovided. Mr. William Bowman occutume. Miss Edith Finch, as Rainbow, won the prize for lady's fancy costume. Mr. Wm. Wilson, as the Huntsman, pied the chair, and very suitably introduced the programme, which was won the prize for gentleman's fancy as follows: Piano duet, Misses Yates The prize for gentleman's costume. comic costume was awarded Mr. Ed. Mr. H. R. McDonald; recitation, Miss

Read, as a clown. The success of the carnival is due to the energetic work of the members of the club, who deserve very great praise. The club's treasury will be enriched by over \$100, one half of the receipts, in consequence.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver, of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: Donald; piano duet, Misses Yates and "I was in a most dreadful condition. Magee. At the conclusion of the pro-My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continugramme a hearty vote of thanks was tendered those who had assisted in the ally in back and sides, no appetitegradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. The attendance at the "Patriotic Fortunately, a friend advised trying 'Electric Bitters'; and to my great joy Evening" given at the Colborne Street surprise the first bottle made a Methodist Church last night, was not decided improvement. I continued large. The promoters were disappointtheir use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they saved my ed, as the programme was an excellent life and robbed the grave of another one. Mr. W. D. Buckle occupied the victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents a bottle, every chair, and introduced the programme. The choir rendered the chorus "My bottle guaranteed. For sale by W. T. Country, 'Tis of Thee," and was follow-Strong & Co. ed by Rev. J. W. Pedley, who spoke vigorously of "England." Mrs. A.

Feb. 8, 1899. Asylum Ball Slippers.

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such bargains this season.

BOARD OF EDUCATION WILL CELEBRATE

Mrs. Boomer Defers Action on Her Motion Re Domestic Science.

The board of education held a 10minute session last night, and after the adoption of the committee report, adjourned, as Mrs. Boomer wished to defer action on the motion of which she gave notice at a previous meeting,

re domestic science. The report of No. 1 committee was read by Trustee McRobert and adopted as a whole without discussion. The recommendations it embodied will be carried into effect. The medical health officer will be supplied with a thousand blank forms for notices to principals. The children of Thomas Westcott will be allowed to attend Rectory street school without payment of fees, as Mr. Westcott is assessed for \$1,650. The request of Mr. Capp was laid over for further consideration, and his child will be allowed to attend school in the meantime. The names of Miss Laura M. Claris and Miss Violet Dunn were added to the list of substitute teachers, and the names of Miss Penny, Miss Martindale and Miss Reynolds, together with that of Mr. Hobson, were struck from the list of teachers. The application of Miss E. Northcott to be placed on the permanent staff, and of Miss M. Barfoot, for a position as kindergarten teacher, were filed. The resolution of Mayor Wilson, who was chairman at a meeting held at the Collegiate Institute on Dec. 16, re the adoption of domestic science in conection with the public schools, was filed, Mrs. Boomer voting "yea," and making the vote unanimous. Mr. E. E. Gibbs was appointed to the principalship of Wortley road school, made vacant by the death of Miss McAr-

Trustee McRobert suggested that the Queen's avenue kindergarten be looked after, and the walls repaired. This

will be done. The members present twere: Dr. Teasdall (chairman), Trustees Logan, Mc-Robert, Wilkins, Weldon, Colerick, Evans, Hamilton, Macpherson, Mrs. Boomer, Dr. Ziegler and McCormick.

EMPRESS AVENUE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Annual Meeting of the Teachers and Officers-Gratifying Reports Received.

The officers and teachers of the Sunday school in connection with Empress Avenue Church, West London, met in annual session at the home of Mr. Jas. Elson, assistant superintendent, last evening. There was a large attendance, and the proceedings proved interesting and very enjoyable. Mr. Wm. Donaghy, secretary, sub-

mitted his report for the past twelve months, which was adopted. The total number on the roll is 187, with an average of 146 per Sabbath. There are 63 boys on the roll; average attendance, 46; total aggregate attendance, 2,286. The girls on the roll numbered 96; average attendance, 70; total aggregate attendance, 3,525. Twenty teachers are enrolled; average attendance, 18, and the 8 officers have an average attendance of 7. During the past year the boys recited 4,279 verses, an average of 87 per Sabbath, and the girls recited 7,830, an average of 159 per Sunday, making the total number of verses recited 12,109, an average of 247 per Sunday. The total attendance during the year was 7,263, an average of 146. Mr. E. M. Woodward, treasurer, re-

ported receipts for the year ending Dec. 31, 1898, to have been \$239 07, and expenditures \$216 10, leaving a balance of \$22 97.

The following officers were elected: Superintendent, Robert Greene; assistant, James Elson; secretary, W. H. Donaghy; assistant, W. E. Greene; librarian, Chas. Berry; assistant, Jas. Elson, jun.; treasurer, Miss Eliza Woodward; organist, Miss Minnie Hookway; assistant, Miss Alice Greene. The teachers elected were: Bible

class, Rev. A. G. Harris; assistant, Mr. Wm. Gibson; boys' classes, Mr. Pearen, Miss Heritage, B. Lawton, Mr. Hugh McPherson, Miss Kate Greenway, Miss Wilkins, Miss Robb; girls classes, R. G. Bowle, Mrs. Guest, Miss A. Spence, Miss N. Greenway, Mrs. Cooper, Miss H. Berry, Miss S. Berry, Miss Emma Woodward, Miss M. Wilson, Miss M. Harris: primary class, Mrs. James Elson and Miss Alice Greene; assistant teachers, Miss Flo Ware, Miss Eliza Woodward, Mrs. Steele, Mrs. Robert Berry, sen., Miss Alice Greenway and Miss Robb.

Representatives to the quarterly board—Robert Berry, sen., Thomas Impett, D. Wilson, Wm. Spence, sen., and J. B. Heritage. Choir leaders-Mr. Charles Berry and

Mr. Wm. Spence, jun. Usher-Mr. Cooper. At the close of the proceedings a good time was indulged in, and an abundcommon and an abundance of refreshments were provided.

IN THIS CITY

County Orange Lodge Have So Decided -The Officers Elected.

The annual meeting of the County Loyal Orange Lodge was held in the K. of P. Hall, Albion Block, yesterday, when about 150 representatives from the different lodges were present. After the delivery of the master's address, reports were submitted, and were all of a most gratifying nature. The representatives were present from Detroit, Cleveland, Port Huron, Bay City and Saginaw, It was unanimously decided that the Orangemen of East Middlesex and city of London should celebrate the battle of the Boyne by bolding a monster demonstration in London on July 12 this year. A large number of visitors are expected to be here from the United States. Grand Master Hon. N. Clarke Wallace, M.P., has promised to be present and address the breth-

The election of officers resulted as follows: Samuel Clare—County Master.

John Gourley—Deputy County Mas-

Geo. Brett-Chaplain. S. H. Wood-Secretary. John McDonald-Treasurer.

C. McGriffin-D. of. C. W. S. Deacon—Lecturer.
W. Shoebotham—Deputy Lecturer.
The officers were then installed by
Past County Master D. Baskerville.

ONTARIO WILL BE REPRESENTED

At the Paris Exposition-London Visited by Mr. J. G. Jardine.

London has had a visit from Mr. Jas. G. Jardine, who is representing mainly the manufacturers of Ontario, who will exhibit at Paris next year. This exhibition promises to be, in many respects one of the finest ever held, and offers a great opportunity of advertising what Canada can do in the way of natural products and manufactured goods. We understand a number of goods. London firms are interested in the subject. Ontario is to be well represented, and it is to be hoped London will not lag far in the rear. A special colonial building will be erected on a capital site, and will afford every opportunity for suitable display. Those who desire information of any kind about the exhibition can obtain it promptly by addressing James G. Jardine, Box J, Ontario government buildings, Toronto. Mr. Jardine is the right man for this work, and a capital showing by Canada is assured.

BETTER. [Puck.]

Johnnie-I think he's got an awful cheek. Mamma- Iwouldn't use that expression, Johnnie. Johnnie (apologetically-I mean he's

got an awful gall.

A VICTIM.

[Judge.]

"You are Mr. Quezeen, the husband of the celebrated lecturer on cookery, are you not? "Yes, sir," said the dejected, hollow-eyed man, "I am the man she tries her new dishes on."

> "A cold on the chest."

Cherry Pectoral

"A cure

in a night."

Dozen for

Get a bargain while ye may.

If your complaint is want of appetite, try half a wine-glass of AN-GOSTURA BITTERS half an hour before dinner. Beware of counterfeits. Ask for the genuine article, manufactured by Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons. William Watson, the poet, has received, by the death of a distant relative, a legacy which will render him inde-

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