

LONDON, CANADA, THURSDAY, APRIL 8, 1902.

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Births, Marriages, Deaths.

MARRIED.

WAUGH-MURRAY-On March 25, by the Rev. Joseph Philip, B.A., Mr. Christopher Waugh, of Moosejaw, Assa., to Miss Elizabeth S. Murray, of Pearl street, Petrolia.

SCREATION-RADCLIFFE-On April 2, 1902, at the Central Methodist Church, Toronto, by the Rev. Dr. W. F. Wilson, of Hamilton, assisted by Rev. J. A. Rankin, Frederick H. Screation, of London, to Anna Gertrude Radcliffe, of Toronto.

DIED.

BEDFORD-In Victoria Hospital, on Wednesday, April 2, 1902, Clara, beloved wife of Caleb Bedford, Tilbury, aged 36 years.

CORSANT-In London township, on April 2, 1902, Elizabeth Ada, infant daughter of John and Rebecca Corsant, aged 3 months 7 days.

Funeral from the parents' residence, lot 15, con. 12, London township, on Friday, April 4, at 2:30; service at 2 p.m.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

NEW GRAND To-day

Evening, 8. **LOVERS' LANE.** The prettiest play of the year. Matinee, 2.30. Seats 50c, 25c. SPECIAL MATINEE, 2:30.

TOMORROW EVENING.

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Dundas Center Methodist Church. Tuesday Evening Next, April 8.

MRS. DETTA ZIEGLER BOLES.

Soprano. MISS BEATRICE McDONALD, Contralto.

MR. J. M. SHERLOCK, of Toronto, Tenor. MR. GEORGE A. FLEMING, of New York, Baritone.

Admission, 25 cents.

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of prizes at annual meeting of Memorial Sunday School, this evening.

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MEETINGS.

A MEETING OF THE THAMES RIVER

Angling Association will be held Thursday, April 8, at 8 p.m., in A. O. F. Hall, Albion building, Richmond street, Jas. O. Weldon, secretary-treasurer.

A REGULAR MEETING OF ST. GEORGE'S

will be held in Masonic Temple this Thursday, April 8, at 7:30 o'clock p.m. Visitors welcome. Charles H. Ward, W. Master; A. Ellis, Secretary.

MACCABEES-AN OPEN MEETING OF

the Tent and Hive will be held tomorrow (Friday) evening, 8 o'clock, in the fore hall, Dundas block. Good program of vocal and instrumental music. Come and bring your friends with you. Admission free.

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COOK WANTED. APPLY JOHN P. LEWIS, Metropolitan Hotel.

WANTED-GENERAL SERVANTS; must be a good cook. Apply Mrs. J. R. Elliott, 38 Horton street.

WANTED-GOOD, RELIABLE GIRL for light housework, in family of three. Apply 46 Askin street.

APPRENTICES FOR DRESSMAKING wanted. Apply Miss Fleming, 448 Simcoe street.

KITCHEN GIRL WANTED-APPLY AT City Hotel.

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WANTED-GOOD PLAIN COOK. APPLY to Mrs. Leonard, 602 Queen's avenue.

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WANTED-EXPERIENCED SKIRT hand. Apply London Corset Company, Spencer block, upstairs, over Glenn Bros.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY-A GOOD steam laundry servant. Mrs. E. R. Brown, 391 Queen's avenue.

WANTED-GOOD GENERAL SERVANTS in small family. Apply 254 Oxford street.

GIRLS WANTED. APPLY MCCORMICK Manufacturing Company.

WANTED AT ONCE-KITCHEN GIRL. Apply Hodgins House.

GIRLS WANTED. APPLY SUPERINTENDENT OF D. S. Pettin & Co.

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FOUND-SETTER DOG. OWNER prove property and pay expenses. Walter Bell, Oxford street.

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TO RENT-A HUNDRED ACRE FARM, with dwelling, house and barn; well fenced; plenty of water; 12 acres fall wheat sown. Inquire T. Tembling, 100 Ridout street, South London.

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SNAP-GOOD PIANO, ROSEWOOD case, 7-13 octaves; in first-class condition, and guaranteed for 5 years. Only \$100, on easy terms of payment. Helmutz & Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

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THE BOER DELEGATES STILL AT KROONSTAD

Communications Pass Between Them and Steyn.

Military Men Take Little Stock in the Negotiations.

British Dragoons Have a Hot Fight With the Enemy-Boers Lose Heavily in Rear Guard Engagement.

Kroonstad, Orange River, Tuesday, April 1.-The Transvaal delegates are still here. It is believed that General Dewet is influencing President Steyn not to meet acting President Schalk-

burg.

A MILITARY VIEW.

Pretoria, Wednesday, April 2.-Communications have passed between President Steyn and the Transvaal mission at Kroonstad, but nothing is yet known of the result. The majority of the military men and civilians here expect more from the continued pressure of the troops than from the present negotiations. It is pointed out that once before, when hard pressed, the Transvaalers showed a desire for peace, but this was promptly

OVERRIDDEN BY PRESIDENT STEYN.

Nothing in the present situation so far as known, indicates that President Steyn is less irreconcilable than previously. Indeed, the known facts seem to point to a greater determination to continue the struggle.

EFFECT OF BLOCKHOUSE SYSTEM.

Durban, Natal, April 3.-General traffic is closed throughout the whole country north of the Tugela River. The region is stoutly protected by lines of blockhouses extending from South Africa.

South African troops are required to enable people to proceed beyond Colenso. The town guards at Ladysmith, Dundee and Newcastle are under arms and have been recruited to their full strength.

CRIMES OF AUSTRALIANS.

London, April 3.-Full details are

published by the Morning Leader of the crimes for which Lieut. Hancock and Lieut. Moyant, two Australian officers of the Bushveldt Carbineers, were shot in South Africa. It had come to the knowledge of Lieut. Hancock that ten Boers were journeying to Pieterburg to surrender, and it was reported that they had £20,000 with them. This money excited the cupidity of Lieut. Hancock, and he ordered them to be shot. The men were made to kneel down in front of their wagons, and the officers found to their disgust that Transvaal paper money and not gold was in their possession. A German missionary was in order to know of the affair, and Lieut. Hancock thereupon went to silence him. The missionary was shot dead in cold blood, but the boy who was with him was only wounded, and managed to escape and make the deed known. The German consul was informed of the matter, and immediately went to Lord Kitchen-

er and insisted on a full inquiry.

A HOT FIGHT.

London, April 2.-Lord Kitchen-

er, in a dispatch from Pretoria, made public this evening, announced that the Secom and Dragon Guards fought a sharp rear-guard action, near Boschman's Kop, during the evening of March 31. Four officers are known to have been wounded. No further details of the casualties have been received.

The column commander, Col. Lawley, detached the Dragoons with the object of surprising a Boer laager reported to have been near Boschman's Kop. The Dragoons found the Boers strongly posted, and the burghers were subsequently largely reinforced, with the result that the dragoons had to fight a hard rear-guard action in order to regain the main column. The heavy firing called up Col. Lawley and his troops, who drove off the Boers. The latter's loss is reported to have been heavy.

CANADIAN OFFICERS DECORATED.

Ottawa, April 2.-At Government House state dinner tonight, his excellency presented the distinguished service order to Capt. E. W. B. Morrison, who won his honors while serving with B Battery, Royal Canadian Artillery, in South Africa. The occasion was one of the most military spectacles ever seen at Rideau Hall. The following officers were also presented with the colonial long-service decoration: Hon. Col. J. Tilton, Lieut. Col. John McPherson, Lieut. Col. J. P. McPherson, Hon. Major A. S. Woodburn.

MANITOBA VOTES DOWN THE REFERENDUM BILL

A Large Adverse Vote Polled in Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Man., April 2.-The Liquor Act, which was today submitted to a popular vote, has been defeated by a straight majority of several thousand.

The Referendum Act stipulated that in case it should appear that only 45 per cent of electors, both on and off the list, vote in the affirmative, or (2), that at least 60 per cent of all such persons have voted, and that at least

60 per cent of those who have so voted have given affirmative answers; or, (3), that at least 62½ per cent of said electors who have voted have given affirmative answers thereto, the Liquor Act shall go into force on June 1, 1902, but in case any one of the three results mentioned shall not be obtained, the act shall be wholly repealed. The result tonight, however, shows, as stated, that a full majority of the votes are opposed to the act.

The total vote polled in the province so far as returns have come in tonight are 23,878, 14,764 against, 9,114 for, leaving a majority against the act of 5,650. Taking the grand total roughly at 24,000, sixty-two and two-thirds of this would be 15,000. Take the temperance vote from this, viz., 9,114, leaves 5,886, which is only thirty-seven and one-third of the vote, or only half the vote polled which the Referendum Act required the temperance men to roll up in order to put the Liquor Act in force.

The total Winnipeg vote is:

Against 5,884

For 2,450

Majority 3,434

Brandon voted; against, 675; for, 388; a majority of 287 against. At midnight not half the country vote was in.

The plebiscite figures in 1892 were:

For 18,637

Against 7,115

Majority for 11,522

Six years later the federal plebiscite was taken, the total vote for prohibition being 15,418; against, 9,378.

The total vote on the prohibition lists then was 63,849, and the result was very disappointing to the temperance people then.

SURPRISES OF THE VOTE.

Against For

St. Boniface town (French) 26

St. Boniface, rural (French) 4

St. Jean Baptiste (French) 201

Plum Coulee (Mennonite) 113

Letpeller (foreign) 123

Winnipegosis (fishermen) 113

Saskatoon 255

Manitow 109

Morden 262

102,000 acres to the Calgary and Edmonton Railway Company up to the same date, also that the government intended to continue issuing patents to these companies until all their land had been patented to them. Mr. Sifton further stated that after consultation with the deputy minister of the interior it had been decided the best way of determining the question of the termination of the exemption from taxation of the C. P. R. land grants would be for one of the municipalities to enter suit in the courts. Arrangements are now being made for the commencement of the suit, and in the meantime the necessary information is being collected.

TALKING ON THE TARIFF.

Mr. R. A. Pringle resumed the budget debate and made a high protection speech. He professed that the preferential tariff was damaging the cotton and woolen interests of Canada.

Mr. J. R. Lavell also talked protection and pleaded for the woolen industry.

Mr. Wm. S. MacLaren (Huntingdon), in speaking of Sir Richard Cartwright's

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Semi-ready Wardrobe

H. J. BROWNLEE, Manager, 146 DUNDAS STREET.

AMALGAMATION OF NICKEL COMPANIES

The Canadian Nickel Mines Interested Not Likely to Close Down.

Toronto, April 3.—The amalgamation of nickel companies, which took place in New York Tuesday, will, the director of the Ontario Government Bureau of Mines says, affect only Ontario properties, the mines of New California not being included in the new syndicate.

The syndicate will be known as the International Nickel Company, and the officials here say that while it may close down the mines at Sudbury while the properties are being taken over, it will operate them at a later period on a larger scale than before.

The Anglo-American Iron Company, one of the old companies taken over, has iron properties in Hastings county, which are mostly undeveloped, and the Vermilion Mining Company, another of the concerns in the amalgamation, has the largest deposits of platinum in Ontario, situated near Sudbury, besides copper, nickel and gold properties. The formation of the syndicate, it is said, will call for no action on the part of the government, as it will operate on precisely the same arrangement as governed the old companies.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

April 2. Reported at From
Sontana.....Moline.....St. John
Astoria.....New York.....Glasgow
Boyle.....New York.....Liverpool
Switzerland.....Antwerp.....Philadelphia
Ireland.....Bremen.....New York
Kaiser Wilhelm.....Bremen.....New York
der Grosse.....Bremen.....New York
Philadelphia.....Southampton.....New York
Teutonic.....Quebec.....New York
Liverpool.....The disabled Canard
Line steamer Etruria, which left Fayal, Azores, March 17, in tow of two tugs, arrived here today.

THREE SUICIDES

A Perth County Woman, a North August Farmer, and a Michigan Man.

Milverson, Ont., April 2.—Miss Elizabeth Chalmers, residing on south boundary, Elma, suicided Tuesday night by hanging herself in her room with shawl straps. She was found dead next morning. No reason can be given for the rash act, as she seemed quite cheerful the previous evening, but had been despondent and melancholy for some days previous. Deceased was about 37 years of age.

North Augusta, Ont., April 2.—Word has been received here that William Peer, of Bell's Crossing, about fourteen miles from Brockville, hanged himself in his barn. The cause of the act doubtless originated from a recent quarrel with a neighbor. Deceased was about 40 years of age and leaves a wife and two children.

Morley, Mich., April 3.—One of the most shocking tragedies ever recorded in Mecosta county took place yesterday near Borland settlement, a few miles north of here. Eugene Richards, a well-to-do farmer, shot and instantly killed his wife as she lay ill in bed, and then killed himself. He is thought to have been temporarily insane. Each was about 40 years of age. They had no children.

The engineer of the Toronto train, which arrived in Ottawa at 7:15 o'clock Wednesday morning, discovered at Frankton on the C. P. R., 35 miles from Ottawa, the dead body of an unknown man on the track. The victim was recognized as a man who had made himself particularly obnoxious to several people at Carleton Place station, the previous evening, striking two persons without provocation and being struck by them in return. Death was evidently caused by a blow at the base of the skull.

No Words Wasted.

H. D. Carter has been appointed general freight agent of the N. Y. C. and W. S. Railroads.

J. Pierpont Morgan sailed from New York for England Wednesday on the steamship Oceanic.

There are still hopes that the Elder Dempster steamer Lake Superior, stranded at St. John, N. D., may yet be floated.

Private Healy, of the 27th United States Infantry, was hanged on Wednesday for the murder of Sergt. Moreland in April, 1901.

It is stated by a well-informed correspondent in Rome that his Grace Archbishop Begin, of Quebec, is to be appointed cardinal during the papal jubilee.

The Western Passenger Association, according to the Chicago Tribune, is doomed to dissolution by the withdrawal of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad.

Republicans won in the municipal elections at Tacoma, Washington, Tuesday. Mayor David S. Rose (Dem.) of Milwaukee, was re-elected with a plurality close to 5,000.

W. C. Dunn & Co., Hamilton, spice manufacturers, have assigned. Liabilities about \$18,000. It is expected the firm's difficulties will be overcome and the business continued.

Jarvis Street Baptist Church, Toronto, has offered the post of assistant to the pastor, Rev. Dr. Thomas, to Mr. R. H. Mode, B. A., a final year student at McMaster University.

Forty-seven doctors and 2 registered pharmacists have just graduated from the University of Iowa. The pharmacy class of 1902 holds the record of the university—not a member failed.

At Edmonton, N. W. T., Bishoprics & Muller's lively stable, occupied by Williamson & Hamen, was destroyed by fire Tuesday night. Loss \$6,000. The Edmonton Cartage Company lost \$2,700.

A provincial detective has unearthed a horse stealing syndicate in Western Manitoba and Assiniboia. As a result a man named Kirby is now in jail, and another named Sanduit is under arrest.

Miss Ruth Hill, daughter of President James J. Hill, of the Great Northern Railway and Northern Securities Company, was married Wednesday to Anson McCook Beard, an attorney of New York City.

Walter Allen, charged with attempting to criminally assault Miss Blanche Adams, a 16-year-old girl in Rome, Ga., was taken from the jail by 4,000 people, who battered down the prison doors and hanged him to an electric light pole.

The United States postoffice department is considering the question of placing on one of the postage stamps of the new issue the head of some woman who is connected with the history of the country. No doubt Martha Washington will be so honored.

The customs authorities in Montreal have seized dentists' material, to the value of \$12,000, which, it is claimed, have been smuggled from New York from time to time for a local wholesale house by the connivance of customs attaches, five of whom, it is said, have been dismissed.

Eighty paintings from the collection of the late P. O. Matthieson have been sold at public auction in New York for \$12,500. Some of the high prices paid were: "Arabs Crossing a Stream," by A. Greyer, \$120; "The Awakening of Love," by N. V. Diaz, \$10,000; "Officer Ordering an Advance," E. Detaille, \$7,100; "A Gypsy Mother," Ludwig Knaus, \$7,200.

WERE WEDDED IN QUEEN CITY.

Mr. F. H. Sreaton and Miss A. G. Radcliffe United in Marriage.

Ceremony in Bloor Street Church Was Attended by Many Friends From This City.

A very pretty wedding, of much interest to Londoners, occurred in the Central Methodist Church, Bloor street, Toronto, yesterday, when Mr. Frederic Hazlewood Sreaton, only son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Sreaton, of this city, and Miss Anna Gertrude Radcliffe, oldest daughter of Mr. William Radcliffe, of Toronto, were united in marriage.

The church was very prettily decorated in palms and Easter lilies. Shortly before half-past two, the hour for the ceremony, the groom, supported by Mr. Francis Bethel Ware, of this city, entered with Rev. Mr. Rankin, of the Central Methodist Church, and the Rev. Mr. Wilson, of Hamilton, who performed the ceremony.

A few minutes afterwards, the bridal party entered, to the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, played by Mr. Blaikely, the organist of the church. First came the two little maids of honor, Miss Iva Radcliffe, sister of the bride, and Miss Elmer Rowland, of London, cousin of the groom. These were dressed exactly alike in pretty little gowns of white organdie, trimmed with innumerable rows of white bebe ribbon; large, soft white hats with the latest of pink rosettes, nestling in the silk folds. They each carried large bouquets of pink carnations.

Next came the two bridesmaids, Miss Gipsy Howser and Miss Coulter, whose gowns were made exactly alike, with white yokes, berthaes of ecru lace, quaint puffed sleeves, and skirts trimmed with rows of ecru lace, but Miss Howser's gown was pale blue and Miss Coulter's pink. Both wore pink picture hats and carried bouquets of deep ecru roses.

Lastly came the bride, leaning on the arm of her father. She looked very charming in a handsome gown of ivory satin, with no trimming, save tucks of itself, the whole body and sleeves being tucked, and the skirt tucked in a deep point. Her bouquet was of lilacs-of-the-valley, and a few sprays of the lavender were fastened in her veil, with a diamond and pearl sunburst—the gift of the groom.

The groom's presents to the maids of honor were pearl brooches, to the bridesmaids, silver chatelaines, and to the ushers, who were Mr. Charles Hunt and Dr. D. Arnott, of London, and Mr. Ross Gillespie and Mr. Parsons, of Toronto, gold watches.

During the interval, while the bride and groom signed the register, Miss Lola Howe, of Toronto, sang very beautifully "A Dream of Paradise." Miss Howe wore blue and white foulard, white yoke, corsage bow and belt of pale blue satin, large white hat, and carried crimson roses.

After the signing of the bride, wore black and white striped silk, gray ostrich feather bow, and black hat, with violets. Mrs. Sreaton, mother of the groom, looked very well in a pretty black gown, black ostrich feather bow, small hat of jet, with soft pink crown covered with handsome lace. Mrs. S. J. Radcliffe, of this city, wore a very pretty gown of green, of green, trimmed with handsome ecru lace, front of white silk, ecru hat, with large pink roses and soft pink satin ribbon.

Mrs. Howland, of London, wore a black gown with jet, black hat with tucked white crown, white ostrich tips. Miss Webster, of London, wore black silk grenadine, yoke of white lace over pale blue gown, and pale blue about the bodice, hat of pale pink relieved with black.

Among the guests from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. A. Sreaton, Miss S. J. Radcliffe, and Mrs. S. J. Radcliffe, of London; Mr. and Mrs. Misses Rowland, of London; Mr. and Mrs. Miss Johnson, of Montreal; Mrs. McVey, of Detroit, Mich.; and Miss McDermott, of Detroit.

After the wedding the guests repaired to the residence of the bride's father, on Linden street, where a very rich and elaborate wedding breakfast was served. The numerous beautiful gifts were to be seen.

The objective point of the wedding trip remained a dark secret to the guests, but the bride looked very charming in her going-away gown of ecru blue cloth, appliqued in white, with hat to match. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Sreaton will reside in a very pretty new house on Waterloo street.

WESTERN ONTARIO
Live Items Culled for Busy People's Information.

The debt on Trinity Church, Sebringville, has been completely wiped out. The customs collections at the Windsor office for March amounted to \$2,400. The inland revenue collections at the Windsor office for March totaled \$29,166.25.

Windsor city council has unanimously voted \$500 to assist in defraying the expense attached to the military celebration, which it is proposed to give on May 24 and 25.

Charles J. Scagel, of 105 Victoria avenue, Windsor, a well-known citizen and for thirteen years accountant in the Preston National Bank, Detroit, has resigned his position to enter the employ of Yarnold, N. S., to all the prominent merchants, New York. He has been a resident of Windsor for fifteen years, began using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and found it to be the very treatment that I needed. It seems to have set my digestive system in proper working order, and as a result the headache has entirely disappeared. I consider Dr. Chase's Nerve Food a splendid medicine.

REV. DR. TALMAGE VERY ILL.
Washington, April 2.—At the residence of Rev. T. De Vinne, it was stated today that his condition for the last two days has remained unchanged. He is said to be still a very sick man, and his physicians have informed the family that if there is to be any improvement at all it will be very slow.

PATRICK'S BRIDE WILL MANAGE HIS AFFAIRS

The Condemned Attorney Makes His Will, Transferring All His Rights to His Wife.

New York, April 2.—Because he will be legally dead as soon as he is sentenced, it is reported that Albert T. Patrick, convicted of the murder of William M. Rice, the Texas millionaire, has made a will transferring all his rights to his wife. By the terms of the will Mrs. Patrick will administer her husband's affairs during his incapacity, pending the decision of the court of appeals. If Patrick was down to the death chair his wife will try to sustain the Rice will of 1900.

CATCHING A CROCODILE.

Hard to Get the Big Reptile and Hard to Have Him Stolen.

"Well, you gentlemen have been telling your fish stories, and now I will tell mine, if you would like to hear it," said the small man from Chicago. They were sitting on the long bench in front of the Royal Palm boathouse, watching the sailboats skimming over the blue waters of Biscayne Bay.

"Go ahead, go ahead," exclaimed his companions. "Well, it was this way," said the small man. "Old Prof. B., of the Museum, had written me that he wanted a crocodile for the museum, and that he would pay a good price for it, if it could be delivered to him alive and in good condition. Maybe you think gentlemen, that this was an easy contract. In the first place your genuine crocodile is very rare here. You can find alligators, of course, and I have met people who thought alligators and crocodiles were the same thing. But they are not, as you need to know before you go out after a crocodile. I happened to know where there was a crocodile's nest. It was down in the Madera country, about seventy miles from here, on a small island half a mile from shore. You know how they make their nests? Well, it's very interesting. The female crocodile pokes up a big pile of sand with her nose, very much as a pig rots. She works at it perhaps a month before laying her eggs in it. She comes back every year and makes the old nest over, unless it is disturbed.

"Well, when I received this commission, I got a friend, and we fitted up a small sloop. We had a fine cruise down the coast, and enjoyed ourselves in many ways, but the top notch of our experience was capturing that crocodile.

"We found him lying in the sun, on top of the water, near the land. After considerable skirmishing around in our rowboats, we got our harpoon into him in a place where it would hurt without injuring him seriously. Then the fun began. Talk about roping a crocodile! You try harpooning one, and you will have some faint idea of the fight we had with that crocodile.

"He simply made the water boil. He towed our boat around in his mouth, and when we had been old whalers and had cruised for whales in the Arctic seas, we might have done that job with more neatness and dispatch. But, as it was, we fought him tooth and nail for two mortal hours before we got the best of him. Several times we thought we had him tucked out, but when we rowed up, gathering our line, he started off like a runaway steam engine, and we had to pay out cable again to keep our boat from being capsized.

"But in about two hours he began to show signs of weakening. He lay still, but looked mighty ugly out of his wicked little eyes. The way his jaw opened and shut once in a while was a warning not to stick our fingers between them. We rowed slowly up to him and began trying to poke a noose over his head with a pole about twelve feet long. He snapped at the pole savagely, and bit it off three different times. But after a while, we got the noose over his head. By this time we were close to shore. We rowed ashore, carrying our line, and made it fast to a tree. Then we began to haul in on it, wrapping it around the tree, and taking up the slack as fast as we could. He did some lively fighting, even then, but we got him in.

"We had a big fight getting him into our rowboat, but after while, by dint of hard scrambling, we accomplished it. Then we lashed him fast. We got back to our sloop, and the first thing we did was to sit down and rest. We were tucked out, but so was the crocodile, and that made us happy.

"Well, we lay at anchor there over night, and next morning, at a fair wind, we started back to Miami. We towed the rowboat with the crocodile in it. He had got rested up over night, too, and I tell you, gentlemen, he did thrash his tail around and look wicked at us. But he couldn't get loose."

"And didn't you feed him anything?" asked a young man from Boston.

The small man from Chicago looked at the questioner a minute, with an amused expression.

"Feed him? Well, I guess not. A man can live forty days without eating, and we reckoned the crocodile could get along for two or three days. I agreed to catch a crocodile alive and deliver him alive, but I didn't agree to feed him. If he would have been a very risky piece of business, No, he did not get any breakfast, but he looked like he could make one out of us, if he had got a chance. We got him to Miami all right, with a good appetite. We laid up that night in the Miami River, near the old Fort Dallas grounds. We kept our pet alongside, for fear something might happen to him. You see, a crocodile would make a good prize.

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A Few Easter Eggs. 9 only, Easter Eggs, regular 25c, Friday 15c 10 only, Easter Eggs, regular 25c, Friday 10c 5 only, Easter Eggs, regular 10c, Friday 5c

Ladies' Vests, 15c. Ladies' Fine Pure White Vests, long sleeves, good lengths, ribbed wristband, drawing-string at neck; nice for spring wearing, Friday, for 15c

Neck Ribbons. Pretty Neck Ribbons, Duchesse satin, reversible; this particular ribbon does not crush easily and washes to look like new; in all the newest and daintiest shades, Friday at, per yard, 25c and 35c

Ladies' Hose. Ladies' Black Seamless Cotton Hose, ribbed and plain, applied old value, Friday, 2 pairs for 25c

CUSHION COVERS. 2 only Ready-made Cushion Tops, regular \$1.55, Friday at 8:30 a.m. 50c 6 only, Pretty Colored Cushion Covers, Apple Carriers, 70c and plain; these sold at 55c, 50c, 65c and 75c, Friday at 8:30 a.m. 25c

Pretty Waist Silks, 35c Yard. The prettiest thing in Waist Silk you can imagine. The daintiest shades. The most beautiful striped effects, in many colors. Regular price 65c yard. Our price Friday 35c

Good Playing Cards at 15c, 20c and 25c.

Toilet Basins. 15 only, Large Toilet Basins, decorated in sections, regular \$1.00, Friday, while they last 50c

Chambers. 20 only, Old Chambers, pretty decorated in sections, regular 75c, Friday at 8:30 a.m. 50c

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for a thief; and there are people who will steal a crocodile!" asked the young man from Boston. "How could they?"

"Well, gentlemen, said the Chicago man after a short glance at the young man from Boston, "that's exactly what they did. We kept that crocodile there for two days and nights, while we were arranging for shipment. On the evening of the second day while we were ashore looking after some business, the crocodile disappeared. We knew very well that he never unslashed himself. The ropes were gone with the crocodile. So was our expected reward."

"But you had your fun," said one of the listeners, after a moment's silence.

"Well, rather too much of it," replied the small man from Chicago; "but that's a true story, gentlemen."

—Florida Times-Union and Citizen.

DROWNED ON MARCH 22.
Hamilton, April 2.—Mrs. J. Holman, mother of the late T. H. Holman, notice of whose death by drowning was received here last week, has received a telegram stating that her son's death was purely accidental. The drowning took place on Saturday, March 22, but the body was not recovered until the 28th, Friday last, and it was necessary to bury it at once.

DECLINE OF SMALLPOX.
Toronto, April 2.—Several smallpox cases are reported from Alfred township in Prescott, one from the vicinity of Carleton Place, and one from a township in Ontario. The situation has so improved that, whereas there were 600 cases in January, by the end of April there probably will not be more than 50.

SIX YEARS FOR \$3.
Toronto, April 3.—Charles A. Hendry in the police court pleaded guilty to two charges of stealing money from registered letters and was sentenced to six years' imprisonment on each charge, the sentence to run concurrently. The sums were \$3 and \$17 respectively.

SEATTLE FAKE EXPLODED.
Ottawa April 3.—A telegraphic dispatch from Seattle announces that news has been received from Skagway that Richard Frazier, a prominent civil engineer in the Canadian service, had destroyed a Russian boundary mark in the disputed territory some miles from Skagway. Richard Frazier is not known here. There is no such man in the service of the Canadian Government, and the story is discredited by the officials of the interior and public works departments.

FLOODS IN THE WEST.
Forest, Man., April 2.—A portion of the Great Northwest Central Railway, 200 feet long and 7 feet deep, has been washed out.

At Myrtle, Man., several municipal bridges have been washed away by the spring freshets, and a considerable area of land is flooded.

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Prohibition Knocked Out.

The electors of Manitoba were brought face to face with the prohibition issue in a concrete form yesterday. While the returns are incomplete they are sufficient to show that the bill has failed by a large margin to draw the necessary support.

Under the conditions of the referendum the law would have taken effect had 45 per cent of the registered electors voted for it; or if 60 per cent of the registered voters came to the polls, and 60 per cent of these voted "yes," the prohibitionists would have scored a victory. There was still another provision that if less than 60 per cent of the total vote was polled the proportion of affirmative votes required would be raised by degrees to 66 2/3 per cent, according as the total vote fell below 60 per cent.

The supporters of the bill have failed to realize any of these conditions. The partial returns indicate an absolute majority against prohibition, though this may be reversed by the figures from the rural districts. In the plebiscite of September, 1898, the poll stood: For prohibition, 12,370; against, 2,578. It will be noticed that there is a large increase in the total vote, as well as a surprising change in its complexion. It is true the prohibitionists were a divided camp, and some of them declared their intention of staying away from the polls, but this does not account for the enormous increase in the "anti" vote. For instance, in Winnipeg in 1898 there were 1,451 voters, and 921 nays, a total vote of 2,372, while yesterday the vote was 2,372, while yesterday the vote was 2,372, while yesterday the vote was 2,372.

The results contrasted point the moral that there is a vast difference between an abstract proposition, such as the plebiscite contained, and the practical definitive issue involved in the referendum. The first brought out only a limited expression of public opinion, as the interest was only academic, but when the electors are brought squarely before the same proposition, reduced to terms of law, with the consequences staring them in the face—it is another story, as Kipling says.

Canada and the Monroe Doctrine.

The Hon. John W. Foster, ex-Secretary of State of the American Republic, has attempted to answer the following question put by the New York Independent: "Suppose that a single European power or a combination of two or more continental powers should be at war with England and should be able to defeat the North Atlantic squadron of England and take possession of England's North American territory, such as Halifax or the Bermudas. Under the Monroe Doctrine, would the United States be obliged to become the ally of England to prevent this acquisition of territory in the case either of permanent or temporary occupation?"

Mr. Foster states that the Monroe Doctrine is not a hard and fast rule of conduct which must be inflexibly followed and enforced on all occasions and under all circumstances. The government of the United States, it seems, retains the right to determine the terms and circumstances under which it will make use of the Monroe Doctrine. For instance, in 1862, it was apparent that the Emperor of France had determined to overthrow the Republic in Mexico, and the United States permitted four years to pass before it offered any opposition to the movement of the French army. Again it will be remembered that about seven years ago President Cleveland shocked both Great Britain and the United States by a message to Congress in regard to prohibiting what he called the encroachments of Britain upon the territory of Venezuela. His position was promptly endorsed by Congress. These two instances point to the fact that the United States Government claims the right to invoke the Monroe Doctrine at its own discretion.

In his answer to the question, Mr. Foster takes into consideration an element which he calls the attitude of the public men of the United States regarding the future of Canada. In a sentence, their idea was the ultimate incorporation of our Dominion into the American Union. The writer goes on to show how, in Canada, sentiment has gradually strengthened towards closer relations with the Mother Country. He says:

"The recrudescence of the monarchial and imperial spirit in Canada, following the courtship of its public men to the Queen's Jubilee, and the service of its soldiers in South Africa, has smothered all desire in the Dominion for union with the United States. In fact there never existed in that country (Canada) any marked sentiment in favor of it. Nevertheless, the expectation has been entertained by our statesmen of its ultimate absorption, and recent events in our history have not tended to diminish that expectation."

In the opinion of Mr. Foster the United States would not feel called upon to come to the aid of Great Britain in her struggle to maintain her hold

upon Canada with one or more European powers. But at the same time it would not permit any European power to gain possession of Canada or the Bermudas.

So far as we can make out the United States would watch her opportunity to run off with the prize, while the European antagonists were clinched in the struggle. However, we solve ourselves with the feeling that the case in question is purely hypothetical and not likely soon to resolve itself into anything of the nature of fact.

Cultivation of the Home Arts.

The Woman's Art Association of Canada is doing in a practical way an eminently desirable thing. It is encouraging the cultivation of the "home arts," which will not only give employment at home, to women in particular, but will raise the general standard of taste. The association encourages such industries as spinning, weaving, dyeing, carving on metal, bone, and wood; the making of fine needlework, pillow lace, handwrought furniture, pottery, the various Indian industries, and so forth.—Montreal Witness.

One of the results of our progressive civilization has been the supplanting of human skill in the arts, by machine industry. Man has been aptly called a "tool-using animal." It was this use of tools that led him out of the condition of bondage incident to primitive barbarism, and it is the excessive use of tools that has, to a large extent, arrested his personal adroitness in the catering to human necessities. The time was, when spinning and weaving were purely home industries. The late John Ruskin, in one of his works, lamented the decadence of what he called the queenliest of industries; he referred to the high place held by weaving in the minds of Roman matrons. He was a strong opponent to machine industry; to his way of thinking it had failed to fulfill the function, in modern life, that handicraft had performed for the ancients. In commenting favorably on the work of the Canadian Woman's Art Association, we would not in any way deprecate our modern industrial progress. With our increased population, with its increased demands, the old methods would not suffice to supply our wants. The idea of cultivating the "lost arts" has as its object not utility, so much as the acquisition of skill. Our present King, we are told, was taught in his early years the art of shoemaking, though as a matter of fact it was not intended that he would ever be obliged to resort to that trade or be in any way a follower of St. Crispin.

There is a distinctly educative value in the performance of such operations as referred to in the above extract. Ordinarily one's intellect is receptive and passive; what we require is something that will make it active and creative. It is for this latter purpose that the subject of technical education has been brought forward. Activity is the great essential of development. Besides, it is in man's creative moments that he derives the greatest satisfaction from life.

Then there is the artistic phase of the subject. Notwithstanding the predominance of machine industry, the hand-made or hand-decorated article has always been accorded the preference by people of taste. In almost every branch of art, there should be a greater affinity between the maker and the user or admirer, and this is possible only by a more general diffusion of handicraft.

Be in the fashion, if you will, and wear low shoes, but remember that rheumatism generally comes to those who invite it by fool fashion following.

Warm weather is nearly due, and the benevolence of the Pennsylvania barons in knocking 50 cents off the price of coal is really touching.

Opposition editors profess to be pinning for the Ontario campaign to begin. What is really the matter with them is that they desire the silver-and-shake period to be over and done with as speedily as possible. They know Whitney cannot win.

Dr. T. D. English, the author of that pathetic ballad, "Ben Bolt," died in the United States last week. The song was written over half a century ago, but was apparently forgotten until revived by Du Maurier in "Trilby." It is not a great bit of versification, but a pretty musical setting has preserved worse poetry than it. The "National Anthem" for instance.

The Free Press publishes a dispatch saying that seven Canadian mechanics, who had been engaged to take positions in the United States, were stopped at Buffalo Monday night by customs officers and sent back to Canada. We act differently here and the Free Press applauds it. We turn out nurses whose homes are in London and fill their places from Philadelphia.

Ex-Collector Ivey, of Alaska, who raised what some people thought would prove an international "dust," a month or two since, by acting ugly towards British subjects having occasion to enter Alaskan ports, has given an explanation of his conduct to the Pacific coast newspapers. He was about to stomp Oregon during the State election campaign, and he apparently reached the conclusion that it would help his side if he became a British lion tamer for a season. In talking this attitude, Mr. Ivey disobeyed the United States Government, but that did not give him any concern. What he was after was local prestige, and his object was to obtain it by offensive

treatment of British subjects. Are the Oregonians built on a plane so low-down?

Max Liebeck, principal of the Grammar School, Berthier, Que., has sent an open letter to the Minister of Finance, and all the general managers of Canadian banks, asking them to call in the dirty bills. This is the least the banks might do in return for the immense privilege of their note-issuing power. It is almost a case for the Provincial Board of Health.

Loyal Canadians give their lives in defense of the Empire. The Quebec Government of Canada gives nothing.—Hamilton Spectator.

This is the Ontario end of the game. Mr. Monk works the Quebec end of it by denouncing Sir Wilfrid Laurier as a furious imperialist, and declaring that Quebec does not get justice because the Premier caters too much to the English-speaking provinces.

Mr. Marter, formerly Opposition leader in the Legislature, is unable to agree with his leader, so will run as an Independent. He formerly resided in Muskoka for many years, and he sees in the policy of Hon. George W. Ross, which Mr. Whitney unreservedly condones, that which is for the welfare of Old as well as New Ontario, and so he endorses it. For this, he may expect the opposition of unreasoning partisans, but he finds himself in extremely good company. The Canadian Manufacturer, a non-political journal, for example, thus comments on Mr. Whitney's opposition to the Ross policy:

"Only the blindness of partisan prejudice and the mistaken idea that by opposing everything the Government undertakes they can somehow gain political capital, could have induced a party which formerly made the development of home industry the leading plank in their platform to offer the violent and unreasonable objections to this agreement made by Mr. Whitney and his followers."

This is a pretty severe condemnation, but it is warranted.

Sketches at the Capital.

VIII.—HULL, QUEBEC.

The town of Hull is in greater proximity to the Parliament buildings than the more outlying portions of Ottawa itself. Viewed from Parliament Hill the whole town comes in the range of one's vision. It is located in the valley of the River Ottawa, and behind it rise the Laurentian hills, a low range of limestone mountains a few miles to the northeast. The mountains, if such they may be called, appear very near the town.

But one gets a very inadequate idea of the French town from Parliament Hill. It is only when one tramps about the streets, meeting people and seeing what is to be seen, that he forms some real idea about a place. In a way, Hull stands alone. It is by no means a place of beauty, and consequently not a joy forever. Street after street one sees nothing but wooden houses. Some of them bear indications that at one time they were made to blush with a coating of red paint; but that day is in the tattered past.

The town has been the scene of several very disastrous fires, the last one occurring only a couple of years ago. It seems, however, to have profited by the scorching. Phoenix-like, the fire-swept portion has already risen from its ashes, and there are some very fine red brick buildings. Of course, E. B. Fildy & Co.'s paper mills are the life of the place, and provide employment for a great many men and women. The inhabitants are for the most part French, and the foreigner is impressed with the number of children he meets on the street, all conversing in a sort of lingua incognita. The town is fairly well provided with churches and schools, those molders of the social and religious life of a people. J. H. D.

Sure Cure for Sea Sickness, Nausea, Maladies of this type yield instantly to Poison's Nervine, and if you suffer periodically from these complaints, just keep Nervine at hand. A few drops in sweetened water gives instant relief, and in the course of half an hour the cure is complete. A large 25c bottle of Nervine in the house will save you from a vast amount of suffering every year.

"I suppose life in your flat is a whirl of gaiety?"
"Whirl? My dear boy, I can't turn round without hitting all four walls."

LAXA-LIVER PILLS

Those who have used Laxa-Liver Pills say they have no equal for relieving and curing Constipation, Stomach Headache, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Coated Tongue, Foul Breath, Heart Burn, Water Brash, any disease or disorder of the stomach, liver or bowels.

Mrs. George Williams, Fairfield Plains, Ont., writes as follows: "As there are so many other medicines offered for sale in substitution for Laxa-Liver Pills I am particular to get the genuine, as they far surpass anything else for regulating the bowels and correcting stomach disorders."

Laxa-Liver Pills are purely vegetable; neither grip, weaken nor sicken, are easy to take and prompt to act.

INTERESTING EVENT AT CANADA'S CAPITAL

Hon. A. G. Blair's Pretty Daughter Married to Mr. C. W. Clarke.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, April 2.—The marriage of Miss Marion Blair, eldest daughter of Hon. A. G. Blair, to Mr. C. W. Clarke, of St. John, N. B., took place at 2 o'clock this afternoon, in St. Andrew's Church. The edifice was beautifully decorated with white and yellow flowers, daisies, white lilies and daffodils being lavishly used. Rev. Dr. Herdridge officiated. There were about 60 people invited to witness the ceremony.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was gowned in white crepe de chene, with heavy pearl trimmings, and veil of lace. She carried a bouquet of white roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Anna Blair, as bridesmaid, the latter's gown being of white voile, with tulle and lace. A black hat completed the costume, and violets were carried. The best man was Rev. Mr. Schofield, of St. John.

At the reception following the ceremony, Mrs. Blair wore dotted robe, trimmed with Irish lace, Mrs. Randolph wearing black over white. Mr. and Mrs. Blair was in black and white. Mr. and Mrs. Alison Thompson, of Chicago, were among the guests staying in the house.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke left on the 4 o'clock train for New York. The bride's going-away gown was of black, trimmed with silk and velvet, and strapped with steel passementerie. Among the present received was a silver jewel casket, the gift of their Excellencies the Earl and Countess of Minto.

GRADUATES OF ALMA ENTERTAIN FRIENDS

Common Associations Bring Together Many Who Are Interested in the College.

A number of the ex-students and graduates of Alma College, St. Thomas, who have formed a society under the name of the London Alma Daughters, met last night at a pleasant "At Home" in the Y. W. C. A. building. The society was formed last November to strengthen the tie of old associations among graduates of Alma. It has now an active membership of about 30. The city Methodist ministers were appointed patrons, and branches have been organized with success in Chicago and St. Paul. Several honorary members were admitted to the society's rolls last night. At the "At Home" Miss Eva Robyn, who is a teacher at Alma College, gave several delightful solos, and Mrs. A. A. Campbell, a post-graduate of the college, gave several long poems. Miss Yates was accompanist. About 150 guests spent an exceedingly pleasant evening.

AN AGED WOMAN

After Passing Three Score and Ten Years Mrs. Plovman Is Cured of Dyspepsia—A Very Serious Case.

Nothing can render old age more miserable than Dyspepsia. Mrs. Emma Plovman, wife of Alfred Plovman, of New Lowell, Ont., is over 70 years of age, and Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets have cured her of a very bad case of Dyspepsia.

For a few years past Mrs. Plovman has been bothered more or less with Stomach Trouble, which finally culminated in Dyspepsia of a very aggravated form. She tried many dyspepsia cures, but got no relief till she began to use Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

From the beginning she found some relief, but the improvement in her case was slow.

However, she was not discouraged, but determined to keep on till every trace of her trouble was gone. She used in all twenty boxes before she felt quite sure that her digestive organs were completely restored to a healthy condition.

Now she is enjoying perfect freedom from every symptom of Indigestion or Dyspepsia, and is loud in her praise of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

She is entirely free from treatment, but as Mr. Plovman himself says: "Who would not spend ten dollars and a half to see his wife cured of such a distressing and painful disease?"

While it took 21 boxes to effect a cure in the case of this old lady, it must be remembered that many cases are cured by a much shorter treatment.

Everything depends on the severity of the case and the general physical condition of the patient.

Some systems respond more quickly to a purely medical treatment than others do. Age has often something to do with this.

Some do not continue the treatment without interruption till cured, but stop the moment relief begins, and thus do not give the remedy a fair chance.

But this is true: There is no case of Stomach Trouble, no matter how acute or of how long standing, that Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets will not cure if persisted in according to directions.

THE COPYRIGHT QUESTION. A delegation from the Toronto and Ottawa Boards of Trade waited on the

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The Junians Carson McKee & Co.

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For Friday and Saturday

Special Glove Bargain

\$1 Gloves for 55c

We want to crowd our Glove Section Friday morning. To do this we place on sale 45 dozen Fine French Kid Gloves, in tans, mode, brown, green, navy and black; all sizes. We got them at a great reduction from a large importing house wanting to clear out their glove stock. They are sold every where for \$1 per pair. Our price Friday morning to clear will be only 55c.

DRESS GOODS

15 pieces French Flannel and wool Delaines, fancy figured goods and spots; regular 25c and 30c, Friday and Saturday, per yard ... 25c
5 pieces All Wool Amazon and Cheviot Dress Goods, in bluet, brown, purple and garnet, 44 to 52 inches wide; regular 50c and 60c, Friday and Saturday, per yard ... 35c
2 pieces Black Silk Figured Mohair, new small designs for separate skirts; regular \$1, Friday and Saturday, per yard ... 50c
2 pieces Black 56-inch Cheviot, heavy, all wool; regular 75c, Friday and Saturday, per yard ... 50c

COSTUMES

3 Ladies' Tailor-Made Costumes, in blue, gray and fawn homespun, lined throughout, skirt inverted pleat; regular price \$9.75, Friday and Saturday ... \$6.95
1 Lady's Man-Tailored Costume, in blue Venetian cloth, both jacket and skirt handsomely trimmed with soutache braid in military style; regular price \$20, Friday and Saturday ... \$10.00

WHITEWEAR

Ladies' White Gowns, tucked yoke, and trimmed with embroidery; regular price \$1.25, special, each ... 65c
Ladies' White Skirts, trimmed with tucks and deep flounces of embroidery; regular price \$1.50, special, each ... \$1.00

CROCKERY

15 only 10-piece Toilet Sets, printed and decorated, rolled edge basin; regular \$5, special, for ... \$3.00
2 only 7-piece Printed Dinner Sets, gilt lined; regular \$7.50, for ... \$5.75
20 only Japanese China Tea Plates, assorted colors; regular 25c, for ... 10c
Printed Cups and Saucers and plates to match; regular \$1.10, for per dozen ... \$0.80

minister of justice and the minister of agriculture today, in reference to the question of copyright. The delegation presented resolutions passed by the wholesale books and stationers' section of the board of trade, and by Master Printers' and Bookbinders' Association of Toronto. The delegation had also the support of the leading boards of trade of the Dominion, including, Montreal, Winnipeg, London and Halifax.

Mr. Fitzpatrick did not give any definite reply, but gave the indication that he was in favor of the policy of the late Sir John Thompson and Hon. David Mills on the question of copyright.

Dizziness or swimming in the head means indigestion. When things whirl round, take a Hutch Tablet. 10 for 10 cents.

Keep young by keeping well. Health is youth. Hutch Tablets cure that old feeling.

The purest and finest quality of drugs cost money, but cure is worth more than it costs. Quality is what counts in medicines. Hutch Tablets, 10 for 10 cents.

Before After Wood's Phosphatine. The Great English Remedy. Sold and recommended by all the druggists in Canada. Only reliable medicine discovered. Six packages guaranteed to cure all forms of Sexual Weakness, all effects of abuse or excess, Mental Worry, Excessive use of Tobacco, Optum of Stimulants. Mailed on receipt of price, one package \$1.50, six, \$5. One will please. See full particulars free to any address.

The Wood Company, Windsor, Ont.

Wood's Phosphatine is sold in London by C. McCallum & Co., and Anderson & Nelles, druggists. ywt

TWO GOOD Premium Pictures

We have received from the publishers copies of an excellent likeness of Hon. George W. Ross, which will be mailed for 10c. A photo of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, same size and price, is also in stock.

Hon. Geo. W. Ross, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Mailed in a Tube, 10 cents each.

Subscribers renewing should include with their subscription 10 cents extra, if either of the pictures are desired.

London Advertiser Co., London, Ont.

Omega Oil

CORSET PAINS—A woman once said she liked to wear a corset because it was such a relief when she took it off. So long as Fashion makes women wear corsets, they will continue to squeeze their bodies into shapes never intended by Nature, and they will also continue to suffer. The pain and discomfort won't be so bad, however, if they will rub themselves every night with a little Omega Oil. This relaxes the squeezed-up flesh and muscles, takes out the soreness and has a wonderfully soothing effect. The woman who wants to get up in the morning feeling fine, ought to get some Omega Oil right away and use it.



The Oldest Inhabitant.

"Nice day, gran'paw," remarked the friendly man, meeting the Oldest Inhabitant.
"Hey?" inquired the O. I., putting his hand to his ear.
"Nice day!" explained the friendly man, so that an ordinary citizen could have heard him two miles away.
"Nice day—yes, but it don't begin to compare with sum' o' th' nice days we had back in th' fifteen-ies, before th' civil war. Then long about 1830 we had right smart o' nice days, but I reckon that th' nicest days I ever see in all my born days happened in th' spring o' 1776—th' yere before th' Declaration o' Independence."
"Where did you live when Columbus discovered America?" asked the friendly man.
"Let's see," mumbled gran'paw. "Whut yere wuz thut in?"
"That was in th' fall o' 1492," replied the friendly man.
"So it wuz! So it wuz! Yes—yes, I rickollect now—yes, wuz livin' in th' same house I live in now."

"And do you remember what kind of weather we had during the winter of 467 B. C.?" persisted the friendly man, cruelly.
"Pears tew me," said the O. I., scratching his head thoughtfully. "thet th' winter o' 467 wuz a hard winter, yit I won't be real sure, cuz I wuz laid up with roomyism an' my memry heint jus ez good ez it kin be."
At this juncture the friendly man went -dn paidowdusw (squeezed) usq peg egs away, laughing softly to himself.—Ohio State Journal.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S 25c CATARRH CURE
Is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Blower. Heals the ulcers, clears the passages, stops droppings in the throat and permanently cures Catarrh and Hay Fever. Blower free. All dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Toronto and Buffalo.

Headache

Biliousness, sour stomach, constipation and all liver ills are cured by
Hood's Pills
The non-irritating cathartic. Price 25 cents of all druggists or by mail of C.I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

THE MARKETS.

THE LOCAL MARKET.
A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT.
London, Thursday, April 3.
Wheat, white, per bu. 75c to 76c
Wheat, spring, per bu. 75c to 76c
Oats, per bu. 45c to 46c
Peas, per bu. 70c to 71c
Corn, per bu. 65c to 66c
Barley, per bu. 55c to 56c
Buckwheat, per bu. 55c to 56c

The receipts were very good in hay and oats.
Hay sold from \$7.50 to \$8.50 per ton.
Oats brought \$1.20 to \$1.25, mostly \$1.20 to \$1.22 per cwt.
Wheat brought \$1.25.
Feeding pigs, \$1.10.
Clover hay, 50c to 55c.
Seed peas, 75c to 80c.
Seed barley, 55c to 60c per bu.
Quotations:

GRAIN.
Wheat, white, per 100 lbs. \$1.25
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs. \$1.25
Oats, per 100 lbs. \$1.20
Peas, per 100 lbs. \$1.15
Corn, per 100 lbs. \$1.10
Barley, per 100 lbs. \$1.05
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs. \$1.05
Hay, per 100 lbs. \$8.00
Straw, per ton. \$5.00
Timothy seed, per bu. \$4.00
Clover seed, red, per bu. \$4.00
Clover seed, white, per bu. \$4.00

FOR HOUSEKEEPERS.
There was another small crowd of buyers and sellers at the market here this morning. There was very little change in prices from those of Saturday last.
Hay and Straw—Hay was a prominent feature of the supplies; there were over 50 loads on the stand; about twenty loads had not been sold at 11:30 o'clock; today's prices were from \$8 to \$9 per ton; three loads of choice in the early part of the morning sold at \$9 per ton. Straw is in fair supply at \$5.50 to \$6 per ton.
Butter and Eggs—Butter was in good supply, with fair demand, at 18c to 20c for crocks, and 21c to 22c for lbs. in basket lots. Eggs are plentiful, with basket lots at 10c per dozen, and 11c per dozen by the basket, and 12c per single dozen.
Vegetables and Roots—Potatoes were in fair supply at 6c to 7c per bag; a lot of 150 bags were sold at 6c per bag; the purchaser taking the entire lot; cabbage sold at 8c to 9c per dozen; rhubarb, 75c to 90c per dozen. Other vegetables as quoted.
Apples—Were unchanged from those quoted.
Dressed Hogs—Not many on sale today. The prices ranged from 75c to 80c per cwt. not many selling at last-named figures.
Poultry—Very little on sale; prices as quoted.
Meats—Were plentiful at prices quoted.
Live Hogs—Prices for Monday next expected that there will be a change from last Monday, when \$5.55 per cwt was paid.

DAIRY PRODUCE.
Butter, lb rolls, baskets. 21 1/2
Butter, crock, per lb. 22 1/2
Butter, cream, per lb. 22 1/2
Eggs, doz, basket lots. 11 1/2
Eggs, doz, per lb. 11 1/2
Honey, strained, per lb. 14 1/2
Honey, in comb, per lb. 14 1/2
Maple syrup, per lb. 19 1/2

VEGETABLES.
Potatoes, per bag. 65 1/2
Carrots, per bag. 55 1/2
Cauliflower, per bag. 55 1/2
Cabbage, per bag. 55 1/2
Celery, per doz. 55 1/2
Lettuce, per doz. 55 1/2
Green onions, per doz. 55 1/2
Green rhubarb, per doz. 55 1/2
Green parsley, per doz. 55 1/2
Radishes, per doz. 55 1/2

FRUITS.
Apples, per bbl. 3.00
Apples, per bag. 1.25
Apples, dried, per lb. 5 1/2

POULTRY.
Turkeys, per lb. 12 1/2
Geese, each. 60 1/2
Ducks, per pair. 60 1/2
Chickens, dressed, pair. 60 1/2
Chickens, live, per pair. 60 1/2

MEATS.
Dressed hogs, per cwt. 75 1/2
Pork, by the quarter. 75 1/2
Beef, by the quarter. 75 1/2
Veal, quarter, per lb. 6 1/2
Mutton, carcass, per lb. 6 1/2
Spring lamb, per lb. 6 1/2

LIVE HOGS AND CATTLE.
Hogs, selected, per cwt. 55 1/2
Hogs, small, per cwt. 55 1/2
Stags and cows, cwt. 40 1/2
Fat cattle, per cwt. 40 1/2

HIDES AND SKINS.
Wool, unwashed, per lb. 12 1/2
Wool, washed, per lb. 12 1/2
Tallow, rendered, per lb. 5 1/2
Tallow, rough, per lb. 5 1/2
Hides, No. 1, per lb. 6 1/2
Hides, No. 2, per lb. 6 1/2
Hides, No. 3, per lb. 6 1/2
Sheepskins, each. 60 1/2
Lambskins, each. 60 1/2
Calveskins, No. 2, per lb. 7 1/2

LAWN GRASS SEED
Is one of our specialties. We can put up your order, or you can get what you require to make a good lawn quickly.
Hamilton's Seed Store
773 Talbot Street, near King.

AMERICAN MARKETS.
BUFFALO, April 2.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 70c; carloads. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 55c; No. 2 white, 55c; No. 2 yellow, 55c; No. 2 corn, 65c; No. 3 corn, 65c; on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 45c; No. 2 white, 45c; No. 2 mixed, 45c; on track.
DETROIT, Mich., April 2.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 75c; No. 2 red, cash, April and May, 75c; No. 2 white, cash, April and May, 75c.
CHICAGO, April 2.—Bullish sentiment upheld grain today and induced good investment buying in wheat. The upturn in wheat was all that relieved the board of a day of very dull speculation. At the close May wheat was 1 1/2c higher, May corn 1/2c up, and May oats 1/2c higher; provisions closed 2 1/2c to 1 1/2c up. Local receipts of contract grade: Minneapolis and Duluth reported 21 cars, making a total for the district of 100 cars; only 25 cars against 187 cars one day last week, and 1,400 cars two days a year ago. Primary receipts of contract grade compared to 1,200 cars by last year. Sea-board clearances in wheat and flour equalled \$2,000,000. Breadstuffs reported for export. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 50 cars; corn, 100 cars; oats, 100 cars; hogs, 32,000 head.
The leading futures closed: Wheat—No. 2 May, 72c; July, 72c; Sept., 72c; Corn—No. 2 May, 60c; July, 60c; Sept., 60c; Oats—No. 2 May, 45c; July, 45c; Sept., 45c.

Sep. 20c. Mess pork—May, \$15 1/2; July, \$15 1/2; Sept., \$15 1/2. Lard—May, \$9 1/2; July, \$9 1/2; Sept., \$9 1/2. Short ribs—May, \$8 1/2; July, \$8 1/2; Sept., \$8 1/2.
Cattle quotations: Flour steady. No. 3 spring wheat, 60c to 71c; No. 2 red, 60c; Oats, 45c; No. 2 white, 44c to 45c; No. 2 yellow, 45c; No. 2 mixed, 45c. Pork, \$16 1/2 to \$17 1/2; lard, \$9 1/2 to \$9 3/4; short ribs sides, \$8 1/2 to \$9; dry salted shoulders, \$7 1/2 to \$7 3/4; sheep, clear sides, \$9 1/2 to \$9 3/4. Clover, contract grade, \$5 to \$5 1/2.
TOLEDO, O., April 2.—Wheat—Fairly active and firm; cash, 75c; May, 75c; July, 75c. Corn—Dull but firm; cash, 50c; May, 50c; July, 50c. Oats—Dull but firm; cash, 42c; May, 42c; July, 42c. Clover seed—Fairly active; cash, 35c; April, 35c; Oct., 35c. No. 2 Timothy, 35c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.
NEW YORK, April 2.—Beef—Receipts, 2,500; steady; lower; bulls steady; steers, 45c to 50c; oxen and stags, 45c to 50c; culls, 35c to 40c. Hogs—Receipts, 3,500; head, 35c to 40c; heavy, 35c to 40c; light, 35c to 40c; mixed, 35c to 40c. Sheep—Receipts, 1,500; head, 35c to 40c; heavy, 35c to 40c; light, 35c to 40c; mixed, 35c to 40c. Horses—Receipts, 500; steady; at \$30 to \$50 for state hogs.

CHICAGO, April 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 15,000; strong, 10c higher; good to prime steers, \$5.75 to \$5.90; poor to medium, \$4.50 to \$5.00; stock and forward, \$4.50 to \$5.00. Hogs—Receipts, 5,000; steady; at \$30 to \$50 for state hogs. Sheep—Receipts, 1,500; strong, 10c higher; good to prime steers, \$5.75 to \$5.90; poor to medium, \$4.50 to \$5.00; stock and forward, \$4.50 to \$5.00.

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CHICAGO, April 2.—Butter—Market firm; creamery, 20c to 25c; dairy, 15c to 20c. Cheese—Firm, 12c to 13c. Eggs—Steady; fresh, 15c.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., April 2.—Oil opened at \$1.15. OIL CITY, Pa., April 2.—Credit balances, \$1.15; certificates, no bid. LONDON, April 2.—Petroleum, American, 6 1/2c; Canadian, 6 1/2c. PITTSBURGH, Pa., April 2.—Oil opened at \$1.15.

The Death Record.
Woodstock, April 3.—Word has been received here of the death of Joseph Munday, for many years accountant in the office of Messrs. Munday & Co., of Montreal. Mr. Munday had been in Alberquerque, N. M., for the past year in search of health, and succumbed to an attack of pneumonia.

MARLBORO, Mass., April 2.—Councilman James B. Goddard died suddenly this evening. He was born in 1847 and served in the 3rd Massachusetts Artillery during the civil war. In 1885 he was detailed with others to capture John Wilkes Booth, the assassin of Lincoln.

NEW YORK, April 2.—Junius Henri Browne, a widely-known author and journalist, died today after a lingering illness. For years he made New York city his home, and many local newspapers and other publications received the benefit of his pen.

Archdeacon Shaw, for 30 years a missionary in Japan, died at Tokio on March 13. The archdeacon was born at Oakhill, Toronto, on Feb. 5, 1848.

THIS IS WONDERFUL
Oshawa Man Swears That Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Him of Paralysis.
Oshawa, March 31.—The excitement over the case of Joseph Brown does not seem to grow less, although it is now over two months since his avowed statement was published. Mr. Brown has been and is still besieged with inquiries from all over Canada. To all of these he says:
"Yes, Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me. After all the physicians here and in the hospital at Toronto had given me up."

"I could not stand alone. I had no power in my legs or arms. I was helpless and nearly hopeless.
"Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me four years ago and I have worked every day since."

Lady Minto has offered a gold medal for the graduate of the Ontario Normal School of Domestic Science at Hamilton who shall pass the highest qualifications for teachers with the highest qualifications.

Deafness Is Curable
Sufferers from impaired hearing will be glad to know that their affliction is probably not due to any organic defect in the ear, but results probably from a thickening of the lining of the middle ear, caused by catarrh inflammation. Hundreds of perfect recoveries as a result of the inhalation of Cattarhazone are reported and on the highest authority we recommend this treatment to our readers. Cattarhazone is a pleasant, perfect remedy, its efficiency is placed beyond dispute by the case of Mr. Foxall, of St. Thomas, who, after perfect hearing by using Cattarhazone, after years of deafness. Price \$1. At druggists or by mail from Foxall & Co., Kingston.

British army agents are now purchasing horses in France.
THERE IS NOTHING equal to Mother Graves' Kidney Pills for destroying worms. No article of its kind has given such satisfaction.
The Washington Government has assigned the battleship Illinois as representative of the American navy at the coronation ceremonies in June.
The great lung healer is found in that excellent medicine sold by Dr. J. C. McCallum. It soothes and diminishes the sensibility of the membrane of the lungs, and thus cures all kinds of a sovereign remedy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness, pain or soreness of the throat, etc. It has cured many when supposed to be far advanced in consumption.
Hon. J. C. McCallum was banqueted at Mount Forest.
ATHLETES, BICYCLISTS and others should always keep HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL on hand. Nothing like it for stiffness and soreness of the muscles, sprains, bruises, cuts, etc. w

SIR JOHN BOURINOT'S MISTAKE

Took Dose of Iodine Instead of Castoria.

Medical Aid Saved His Life—He Had a Narrow Escape.

Number of Canadians Who Have Died in South Africa—The Matter of Supplying Horses.

[Special to Advertiser.]
Ottawa, Ont., April 3.—Sir John Bourinot took a dose of iodine last evening instead of castoria. Medical aid was speedily summoned and Sir John's life was saved. He had a narrow escape. Medicine bottles got mixed.

HORSES FOR FOURTH CONTINGENT.
It is understood that the contract for supplying horses for the fourth contingent will be given to Mr. Beith, M.P. The horses which Mr. Beith secured for the last contingent were the best that have yet been furnished from Canada. They gave the best satisfaction of all the horses that have been purchased by the war office in Canada.

CANADIANS WHO DIED IN SOUTH AFRICA.
The total number of Canadians who have died in South Africa since the commencement of the war is 207. The first contingent (infantry) suffered, however, less from death than any of the other contingents, having lost 68 men from wounds and disease.

The second contingent (mounted rifles, dragoons, artillery) lost 47. The Strathcona Horse lost 30. The Canadian Scouts lost 10. South African Constabulary lost 45. The 2nd Regiment of Canadian Mounted Rifles, Canadians in various other corps in South Africa, lost 6.

It is understood that the militia department will offer the services of about half a dozen dental surgeons to the imperial war office. The department has been besieged with applications from young dentists, who are anxious to gain experience and to serve the British army.

ANOTHER RAILWAY BILL.
At the railway committee meeting today a bill came up extending the time to complete the construction of the Tilsonburg, Lake Erie and Pacific Railway from Tilsonburg to Ingersoll, the object being to get a port on the Georgian Bay. The road now runs from Port Burwell to Ingersoll, Mr. Charlton said that the railway would supply American coal to Western Ontario at 50 or 75 cents a ton cheaper than it could now be purchased. The company gets two years to build to Ingersoll and five to Collingwood. The bill was reported.

POLITICAL NOTES
Hon. F. R. Latchford May Not Be Opposed—Nominations in Algoma and Renfrew.
The Conservatives of South Renfrew may not nominate a candidate to oppose Hon. F. R. Latchford at the provincial elections. A prominent Conservative in the county, who said he did not think the Conservatives would have any chance of defeating the provincial minister of public works in the coming election, said that the Dominion Alliance, has received a large number of letters from various parts of the province approving of the action of the Alliance executive in deciding to take an active part in the campaign.

Why Lim About
With painful cords? Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor will remove them painlessly in a few days. Cure the safe, and painless corn cure—Putnam's Corn Extractor. At druggists.

Mr. Rhodes' coffin was taken last night to the Cape Parliament buildings, where it now lies, draped with torn Union Jacks.

A SMALL PILL, BUT POWERFUL.
They that judge of the powers of a pill by its size, would consider Parmelee's Kidney Pills as being apparently not so powerful, but they are put up in these small doses, because they are so powerful that only small doses are required. The full strength of the extract is secured in this form and do their work thoroughly.

A Buffalo coroner, W. C. Bowler, was acquitted last night of stealing from a body in the morgue.

Backache, swelling of feet and ankles, puffing under eyes, frequent thirst, scanty, cloudy, highly colored urine, and all urinary troubles lead to Bright's disease, dropsy, diabetes, etc. Doan's Kidney Pills are a sure cure.

A big advance in marine insurance rates by the St. Lawrence route is looked for immediately.

FATHER HAPPY! SON RECLAIMED!
Fast in the meshes of dread Rheumatism and life despaired of, but South American Rheumatic Cure freed him—a cure that never fails.

"My son was so bad with rheumatism that we thought he would die, so great were his sufferings. We tried many remedies but they all failed, and not until we procured South American Rheumatic Cure was there a sign of relief. Three bottles of this grand medicine made a new man of him."—Wm. H. Winslow, Sr., St. Henri, Que. It took six hours.

For sale by C. McCallum & Co.

GRAY & PARKER. GRAY & PARKER. GRAY & PARKER.

The stock is in its full spring glory. All the charming weaves, enriched with the daintiest colors and loveliest effects, are here, and the fairness of price is easy to judge. The new spring gown can be purchased here most profitably.

VOILE DRESS GOODS.
Light weight, in blue, gray, rose, cream and black, just the goods for a light spring gown, only
50c Per Yard

SKIRTS Made to Your Order
NEW CREPOLINES.
A prime favorite in dress fabrics, all wool, 44 inches wide, in black, cardinal, brown, gray, new blue, reseda, in two lines, viz., at
65c and 75c Per Yard

SATIN CLOTH.
54-inch All-Wool Satin Cloth, in black, gray, blue and brown. This cloth has a beautiful silk finish and will make a very pretty costume, only
75c Per Yard

Colored Lustres, in grays, browns, pink, light blue, coronation blue, cream and black, at, per yard..... 50c
Silk Warp Sublime, in turquoise blue, cardinal, cream and black, per yard..... 75c

FOULARDS.
A new line just to hand today, very handsome, nice range of colors and patterns, at
25c Per Yard

By Our Own Skirt Makers,
VENETIANS.
A very serviceable cloth for ladies' suits, in coronation blue, two shades of gray, reseda, hunter's green, brown, navy and black; special, at
75c Per Yard
Better line at \$1.00 Per Yard.

For Making and Fitting.
SILK GRENADINES.
Plain Black, Rich and Lustrous Grenadines. They are more popular than ever before. We will only mention one line—here it is: 45-inch Black Grenadine, very pretty patterns, only
\$1.00 Per Yard

NEW SPRING DRESS GOODS.

REMEMBERED BY THE QUEEN
Her Majesty Sends Wreath for Rhodes' Coffin.
Danish Ministry Disclaim All Connection With Captain Christmas and His Alleged Dealings.

Cape Town, Thursday, April 3.—The city is draped in mourning in preparation for the funeral today of Cecil Rhodes. Numbers of people are arriving from all parts of the colony, especially Kimberley. There is every indication that the ceremonies, which will comprise the first public funeral in the history of the colony, will be immensely impressive. The body was removed from Groote Schuur, Mr. Rhodes' late residence, to the House of Parliament at midnight. Queen Alexandra has sent a beautiful wreath, which has the place of honor on the coffin. The coffin is draped with the Union Jack and a flag captured at Massikosi by the Chartered Company's troops. On these two flags rest the cap and gown which the deceased wore when he took his degree at Oxford. Cape policemen are grouped in the corners of the chamber as a guard over the remains.

SHORT DOCKET FOR ASSIZES
Only Six Cases So Far Entered and List Closes Today.

Impression Prevalent That Judge Will Postpone Civil Cases for Two Weeks.

Six cases, three jury and three non-jury, have so far been entered for the spring assizes, which open on Monday. As the list closes today, the civil docket promises to be one of the lightest in years.

It is understood among the legal profession that Chief Justice Falconbridge will carry out his intention of postponing till April 21 the hearing of civil cases, to allow of the criminal cases being disposed of. No official announcement of this will be made till the judge ascends the bench.

The jury cases entered are: Parkhouse vs. Bonnet Furniture Company—Action for \$10,000 damages for injuries to defendant's property. Statute, Stuart & Ross, for plaintiff; Hellmuth & Ivey, for defendant.

Thomas vs. Payne—Florence A. Thomas and Malinda Best, executrices under the will of the late David Thomas, sue George Payne to secure possession of a portion of lot 5, con. 2, E. of township A., G. of Chisholm, for plaintiff; Meredith, Judd & Elliot, for defendant.

Service vs. Peters—Orilla Service sues George Peters and J. B. McKillop, executrices under the will of the late Henry Engh, and the Talbot Street Baptist Church, on the Protestant Orphans' Home, the Woman's Christian Association, Rachel Doxey, Nelson Engh, Elgin Engh and Minerva Engh, beneficiaries under David Engh's will, to have will set aside, and for declaration that Henry Engh died intestate. Ivey & Dring, for plaintiff; T. J. Murphy, for Geo. Peters and J. B. McKillop; James Magee, for the Talbot Street Church; Flock & Flock, for Protestant Orphans' Home.

Heal vs. Spramont Company—Action to recover \$23.29 for goods supplied. P. H. Bartlett, for plaintiff; Meredith, Judd & Elliot, for defendant.

Saunby vs. Water Commissioners of the City of London—Jos. D. Saunby sues the City of London for obstruction to the working by waterworks of his mill by reason of the waterworks dam at Springbank, and also for an order for the removal of the dam. The case has been pending since September, 1897. Hellmuth & Ivey, for plaintiff; T. G. Meredith, for defendant.

E. Leonard & Sons vs. United Electric Company, Limited, Toronto—Suit for \$320.05 and costs of suit, for engines supplied. Gibbons & Harper, for plaintiff; S. C. Biggs, Toronto, for defendant.

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TO-DAY'S MARKETS**MONTREAL STOCKS.**

Stock	Ask	Off
Canadian Pacific	113	112 1/2
Dalhousie	14	13
Winnipeg Electric	123	122
Montreal Street Railway	289	288 1/2
West India	118 1/2	118
Toronto Street Railway	118 1/2	118
St. John Street Railway	118 1/2	118
Twin City Transit Railway	118 1/2	118
Halifax Street Railway	118 1/2	118
Commercial Cable	118 1/2	118
Montreal Telephone	118 1/2	118
St. John Telephone	118 1/2	118
Domestic Iron and Steel	118 1/2	118
Domestic Iron and Steel, pref.	118 1/2	118
Montreal Heat, Light & Power	118 1/2	118
Nova Scotia Steel, common	118 1/2	118
Laurentide Pulp	118 1/2	118
Montreal Cotton	118 1/2	118
Domestic Cotton	118 1/2	118
Canada Cotton	118 1/2	118
Merchants' Cotton	118 1/2	118
Payne	118 1/2	118
Republic	118 1/2	118
Victory	118 1/2	118
National Salt, common	118 1/2	118
Domestic Salt, common	118 1/2	118
Domestic Salt, pref.	118 1/2	118
Bank of Montreal	118 1/2	118
Bank of Toronto	118 1/2	118
Bank of Nova Scotia	118 1/2	118
Bank of Commerce	118 1/2	118
Bank of Montreal, pref.	118 1/2	118
Northwestern Lumber	118 1/2	118
Domestic Iron and Steel Bonds	118 1/2	118
East India	118 1/2	118
Domestic Coal	118 1/2	118

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Stock	Ask	Off
Amesbury	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 2nd pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 3rd pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 4th pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 5th pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 6th pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 7th pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 8th pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 9th pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 10th pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 11th pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 12th pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 13th pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 14th pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 15th pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 16th pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 17th pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 18th pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 19th pref.	113	112 1/2
Amesbury, 20th pref.	113	112 1/2

TORONTO STOCKS.

Stock	Ask	Off
Montreal	120	119 1/2
Ottawa	120	119 1/2
Toronto	120	119 1/2
Winnipeg	120	119 1/2
Calgary	120	119 1/2
Edmonton	120	119 1/2
Regina	120	119 1/2
Saskatoon	120	119 1/2
Weyburn	120	119 1/2
Swift Current	120	119 1/2
Estevan	120	119 1/2
Delisle	120	119 1/2
Carleton Place	120	119 1/2
Stratford	120	119 1/2
Orillia	120	119 1/2
Barrie	120	119 1/2
Midland	120	119 1/2
Simcoe	120	119 1/2
Wellington	120	119 1/2
London	120	119 1/2
Windsor	120	119 1/2
Detroit	120	119 1/2
Ann Arbor	120	119 1/2
Flint	120	119 1/2
East Lansing	120	119 1/2
Farmington	120	119 1/2
Grand Rapids	120	119 1/2
Hamtramck	120	119 1/2
Harbor Springs	120	119 1/2
Holland	120	119 1/2
Iron River	120	119 1/2
Leeland	120	119 1/2
Manitou	120	119 1/2
Marquette	120	119 1/2
Menominee	120	119 1/2
Michigan City	120	119 1/2
Mount Pleasant	120	119 1/2
Niles	120	119 1/2
Onondaga	120	119 1/2
Oriskany	120	119 1/2
Port Huron	120	119 1/2
Reed City	120	119 1/2
St. Ignace	120	119 1/2
St. Joseph	120	119 1/2
St. Louis	120	119 1/2
St. Mary	120	119 1/2
St. Paul	120	119 1/2
St. Peter	120	119 1/2
St. Vincent	120	119 1/2
St. Xavier	120	119 1/2
St. Ysidro	120	119 1/2
St. Zeno	120	119 1/2
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DETROIT BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, April 3.—Beans closed with an advance of 10 to 20. Business was not active. Quotations: Cash, \$1.25; May, \$1.26; June, \$1.27; July, \$1.28; Aug., \$1.29.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.
London, April 2.—Today cattle are unchanged and steady, at 13s to 13s 6d per lb. dressed weight; refrigerator beef is higher, at from 16s to 17s per lb.

TORONTO HAY MARKET.

Toronto, April 2.—Baled hay—Demand is only fair and the market is steady. Baled straw—There is a light demand and prices are steady, at \$5 on track.

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

Toronto, April 3.—Wheat—Steady, at 7s 6d for red and white, middle freight; No. 2 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 3 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 4 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 5 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 6 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 7 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 8 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 9 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 10 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 11 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 12 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 13 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 14 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 15 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 16 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 17 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 18 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 19 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 20 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 21 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 22 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 23 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 24 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 25 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 26 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 27 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 28 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 29 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 30 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; No. 31 extra, spring, at 7s 6d; 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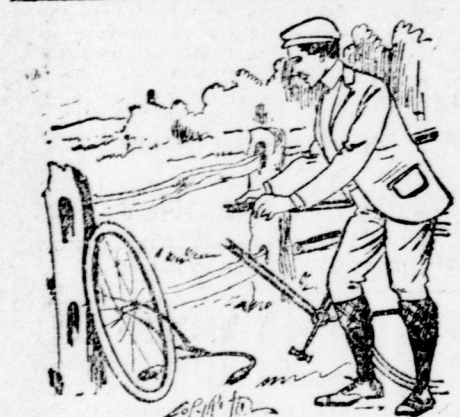
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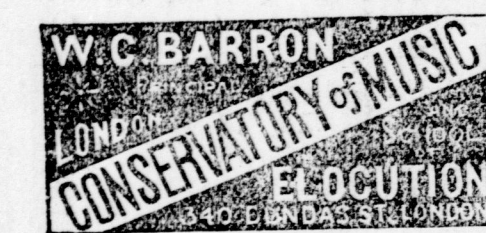
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Dr. Albert Wesley Kahle, Specialist
in Diseases of the Kidneys, No. 190
Delaware Avenue, Buffalo, N. Y., will
furnish information free regarding his
treatment of Bright's Disease, Cystitis
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With the additions of the finest fabrics
enable us to outfit many of the busi-
ness men of the city.

Southcott's, 361
Richmond St.

METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, April 2-8 pm.—The area of
low pressure which has been nearly
stationary over the St. Lawrence Valley
for the past few days is moving
east, and there is now a prospect of
fairer weather. The temperature has
risen considerably in Manitoba and the
Territories.

Minimum and maximum temperature:
Victoria, 46-50; Kamloops, 38-46;
Calgary, 16-45; Edmonton, 24-46;
Prince Albert, 10-38; Qu'Appelle, 6-34;
Winnipeg, 22-36; Port Arthur, 26-44;
Perry Sound, 22-34; Toronto, 36-49; Ot-
tawa, 32-42; Montreal, 34-44; Quebec,
20-44; Halifax, 22-40.

Local temperatures, Wednesday:
Highest 35, lowest 32.

Today (Thursday) the sun rose at
5:41 a.m. and sets at 6:46 p.m. The moon
rises at 2:37 a.m. and sets at 1:36 p.m.

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Is for every table.

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STOCK COMPLETE.

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Try to select a better store and you
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The stock is purchased by myself from
the world's best manufacturers.
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that stands wear and tear, is my watch-
word.

Thos. Gillean
402 Richmond Street.
Official Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

London Advertiser.

From and after this date the
price of The Daily Advertiser
will be one cent per copy, or
\$3.00 per annum delivered by
carrier boy.

LONDON, MARCH 27, 1902.

A LOCAL BUDGET.

—Mrs. G. Wice and Mrs. A. Cullen,
of Allandale, have been visiting Mrs.
A. Brunton, Pearl street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Baker, of
Dufferin Avenue, spent Easter with
Mrs. Baker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N.
Dymont, "Rowanhurst," Barrie.

—Mr. Frederick N. Anderson, formerly
of London, but now of Buffalo, N.
Y., has just completed a two-year
course at the Ontario Veterinary Col-
lege, Toronto, where he has earned the
title of veterinary surgeon.

IMMENSE INCREASE IN EX-
PORTS.
The value of goods exported from the

Cecil Rhodes Is Dead

The Empire Builder and great Diamond
King of Africa has passed. His name
will go down as the greatest Diamond
finder in the history of the world. To
all people his name is associated with
Diamonds. To Londoners our name is
also associated with Diamonds. We sell
a lot of them, and guarantee satisfac-
tion.

WARD, The Jeweller,
274 Richmond Street.

A DEPOSITORY FOR SAVINGS

Executors and trustees are
legally authorized to invest
TRUST FUNDS in the DEPOSITS
and DEBENTURES of the

Ontario Loan and
Debtenture Company

Paid Up Capital - \$1,200,000.
Reserve Fund - \$450,000.

3½% on Deposits
4% on Debentures

Office, Cor. Dundas and Market Lane.
WILLIAM F. BULLEN, Manager.

London consular district to the United
States during the quarter ending
March 31 was \$144,109 \$8, an increase
in two years of \$73,640 66. The figures
are from Col. Culver's statement to
his department.

G. T. R. PROMOTIONS.
A Toronto dispatch says it is stated
that Mr. Chas. M. Hayes is arranging
for a new system of rules on the Grand
Trunk Railway as applied to promo-
tions. Officials in future are expected
to make promotions from the ranks,
and when there are vacancies which
must necessarily be filled by appoint-
ments from the outside preference will
be given to the applicants who live
on the line of the road. The policy of
the company is to be to advance em-
ployees in line of seniority.

BYRON VESTRY.
The officers appointed at the annual
vestry meeting of St. Anne's Church,
Byron, were: Wardens, Mr. Wesley
Meriam and Mr. Frank Kahns; sides-
men and auditors, Mr. Arthur
Brooke and Mr. Wm. Wm. Wm. Wm. Wm.
to synod, Mr. Alfred Kahns; superin-
tendents of the cemetery, Mr. Meriam
and Mr. John Coombs.

"OUR NATIVE BIRDS."
A lecture on "Our Native Birds" was
given in the Presbyterian Church, Van-
neck, Tuesday evening, under the aus-
pices of the Young People's Literary
Society, by W. E. Saunders, of Lon-
don. A correspondent writes: "The
audience was greatly delighted with
the lecture, which was illustrated with
quite a number of specimens."

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

"LOVERS' LANE" TONIGHT.
Wm. A. Brady will present the famous
Clyde Fitch comedy, "Lovers' Lane,"
at the New Grand this evening.

It is a play of remarkable range,
including five months in New York, all
last summer in Chicago, two months
in Boston and six weeks in Phila-
delphia, where it will be revived next
month for an indefinite period.

"Lovers' Lane" owes its success largely
to the simplicity and humor of the
story, its picturesque setting, its cap-
able company, its clean and wholesome
treatment, and, above all, the fact that
it appeals strongly to women and
children. The indorsement of over 70
clergymen and teachers has not done
it any harm. "Lovers' Lane" is radically
different from all other Clyde
Fitch plays—most of which satirize
the follies of fashionable society. It
depicts social and church conditions in
a small New England town, and is
semi-rustic without employing the
realism of the burlesque and hay field.

There is a love interest supplied by the
young clergyman and the pretty girl
from the Art League, but the serious
moments are few. A large number of
children are introduced in the school
recess scene of the second act.

"THE VILLAGE PARSON," which comes
to the New Grand tomorrow evening,
is claimed to be one of the strongest
and best plays seen this season. The
story of the play is one of consider-
able power. A village minister is sub-
jected to strong trials through the sup-
posed faults of his wife and her
character, who are a badge and a
motto for the regiment. The members
of the regiment believe that four of
their number should be allowed upon
the coronation contingent, and the cor-
poration and endeavor to secure
this representation.

"SIDE-TRACKED."
Next Saturday attraction at the New
Grand, will be the old favorite, "Side-
Tracked," which will give two per-
formances at popular prices. Willie
Dunlop, who plays the part of Horatio
Irving Booth, the tramp, and Mat
Shafer gives a funny portrayal of the
Dutchman, Pete Curley as the police-
man, catches his audience with his
acting and specialties. The prices for
the matinee will be—adults, 25c; chil-
ren, 15c.

OPEN TOMORROW NIGHT.
The Bijou Extravaganza Company,
which appears at the London Opera
House tomorrow night, comprises 25
artists who are well up in their busi-
ness. The musical team, Messrs. Gaffy
and Shuby, who are the hit of the
show, will be remembered as being
seen here with the Fenberg Stock
Company. They are supplemented by
six other good vaudeville acts. There
are two funny burlesques, "The Ar-
rival of Prince Henry" and "The King
of Zulu Island." Seats are selling now
for the performances.

COMING FOR A WEEK.
Col. R. B. Marsh, business manager
of the Stutz New York Theatrical
Company, is in town arranging for the
company's popular-price engagement at
the London, commencing Monday.

The colonel was last here with the
Clara Mathes Company, which played
last season at the London to good busi-
ness. He promises that in the Stutz
Company he has the best repertoire
Company that travels today. The litho-
graphs and posters are as artistic as
any ever put out in London by a rep-
ertoire company. Miss Agnes Ander-
son heads the company, and associated
with her are fourteen other artists and
vaudeville people.

W.A.M.A. CLOSED ITS SESSION

Past Year Has Been a Successful
One for Association.

Well-Attended Missionary Meeting Ad-
dressed by Laborers From Far-
Off Fields.

The annual meeting of the Woman's
Auxiliary Missionary Association of
Huron Diocese was brought to a close
last night after one of the most suc-
cessful conventions in the history of
the association.

At the afternoon session, Bishop
Baldwin presented life memberships to
Miss Weir, from Huron Diocesan Asso-
ciation, and to Mrs. Ardill, from the
Owen Sound branch. The report of
the triennial meeting, held in Montreal,
was presented by Miss Weir, after
which Mrs. Gahan gave an admirable
map lesson on junior work.

The general missionary meeting in
the evening was attended by an audi-
ence that filled Cronyn Hall to the
doors. Bishop Baldwin presided, and
on the platform were Dean Innes,
Archdeacon Davis, Canons Smith,
Richardson and Dunn, Revs. G. L.
Sage, W. T. Hill, J. E. Macdonald, C.
C. Owen, George M. Cox, J. W. An-
drew, H. H. Haslam and I. O. Stringer.

Archdeacon Davis read the report of
Mrs. Sage, the treasurer, showing re-
ceipts for the year to be \$4,374 76; ex-
penditures, \$3,785 40.

Rev. H. H. Haslam, B. A., the first
speaker, referred to the present time
as a great crisis in the church's his-
tory, as evidenced by the fact that God
is working as never before to prepare
the world for the reception of the Gos-
pel. He instanced the work going on
in Japan, Korea, India, Africa, China,
and South America. He closed an ear-
nest plea for missions by asking the
audience to uphold the missionaries by
their prayers.

Rev. I. O. Stringer, missionary at
Herschell Island, was then introduced.
He gave a graphic description of his
journey to and from the Arctic regions,
where he labored a distance of 4,500
miles. He then exhibited a number of
curios, and introduced Messrs. A.
Carlisle and W. Sage and Miss Mamie
Marsh, dressed in the native costume
of the Eskimos, explaining the differ-
ent articles of dress and ornaments. He
gave an interesting description of the
country, and the manner of the Eskimos,
and told of the work which is being
done to give them the Gospel. Mr.
Stringer was listened to with the
closest attention. He closed his
interesting address by asking for the
prayers of the association.

The Doctors Told Miss Blake She
Was Going Into Consumption.

PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND

Truly Rescued Her From
the Grave.

This Is the Season to Use the
Great Medicine If You Would
Banish the Seeds of the
Great White Plague.

On every hand we see men and wo-
men who at this season should be ac-
tive, hale and strong, losing flesh and
weight, looking pale and languid. We
hear them complain of feverishness,
pain in the chest and of shortness of
breath.

Ah! reader, these are a few of the
symptoms of the white plague! Act at
once with wisdom and decision; you
cannot afford to lose precious time ex-
perimenting with medicines that have
no reputation—that have no positive
virtues to their credit.

Heaven help you to use the life-
saver that rescued Miss Blake from an
untimely grave! Her doctors told her
she was going into consumption.
Providence directed her to make use
of Paine's Celery Compound. The first
bottle produced a marvelous effect;
her life blood was being freshened and
enriched; her appetite was improved;
strength was taking the place of weak-
ness and the tinge of health was com-
ing to the pale face. Miss Blake, who
resides on Hughson street, Hamilton,
Ont., tells her story for the benefit of
others.

"For years I suffered greatly and was
under the care of doctors, who finally
told me I was going into consumption.
I was getting worse through the use of
medicines and I gave up my doctors.
While in a very critical condition, not
able to sleep or rest, always faint and
weak, appetite and digestion bad, and
my system run down and little life left
in me, I commenced taking Paine's
Celery Compound. After taking one
bottle I felt much relieved. I have used
in all seven bottles, and am now a
new woman, can enjoy life, and am as
well as I wish to be. Many thanks for
your great medicine."

SCHOOL GIRLS.

"Tis a pretty age—that time
in a girl's life when she has all
the beauties of womanhood
without the later lines of care
and worry.

But here and there even
among school girls appear pale
and drawn faces.

Pale blood is at the bottom
of the trouble and Scott's
Emulsion can cure it.

Scott's Emulsion brings
back the beauty to pale girls
because it is blood food.

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tive, hale and strong, losing flesh and
weight, looking pale and languid. We
hear them complain of feverishness,
pain in the chest and of shortness of
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Ah! reader, these are a few of the
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once with wisdom and decision; you
cannot afford to lose precious time ex-
perimenting with medicines that have
no reputation—that have no positive
virtues to their credit.

Heaven help you to use the life-
saver that rescued Miss Blake from an
untimely grave! Her doctors told her
she was going into consumption.
Providence directed her to make use
of Paine's Celery Compound. The first
bottle produced a marvelous effect;
her life blood was being freshened and
enriched; her appetite was improved;
strength was taking the place of weak-
ness and the tinge of health was com-
ing to the pale face. Miss Blake, who
resides on Hughson street, Hamilton,
Ont., tells her story for the benefit of
others.

"For years I suffered greatly and was
under the care of doctors, who finally
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I was getting worse through the use of
medicines and I gave up my doctors.
While in a very critical condition, not
able to sleep or rest, always faint and
weak, appetite and digestion bad, and
my system run down and little life left
in me, I commenced taking Paine's
Celery Compound. After taking one
bottle I felt much relieved. I have used
in all seven bottles, and am now a
new woman, can enjoy life, and am as
well as I wish to be. Many thanks for
your great medicine."

SCHOOL GIRLS.

"Tis a pretty age—that time
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the beauties of womanhood
without the later lines of care
and worry.

But here and there even
among school girls appear pale
and drawn faces.

Pale blood is at the bottom
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BAKERS LIVING UP TO THE LAW.

Inspector Says Bread Is Made
Full Weight.

Dislikes Stopping Delivery Wagons—
Committee Indorse Scheme for
More Lights.

No. 3 committee, which sat for about
an hour last night, granted sufficiently-
signed petitions by the following per-
sons: Joseph Murray, for watering on
Oxford street, from the bridge to
Wharfedale road; S. A. Southcott, for
Simcoe street, from Wellington to
Waterloo street; George Finnegan, for
Blackfriars street, from Albion street
to Collins' Hotel; Rev. S. J. Allen, for
Hamilton road, from Manlyton to Res-
tory streets. Mr. McCrimmon's petition
against watering Pall Mall street was
laid over.

Applications for positions on the fire
department from Wm. Burleigh, H. C.
Spencer, John E. Parkes and Chas. H.
McLeod were allowed to stand.

Applications for electric lights were
laid over until the committee inspect,
to see where lights are required. Mayor
Beck's proposal to have more lights in
Victoria Park was discussed at some
length, and it is probable that the com-
mittee will advise the council to pur-
chase more lights.

Inspector MacCallum reported having
collected \$375 in license fees during the
month, and also reported having vis-
ited a number of city bakeries
and found that they were living
up to the requirements of the
governing bylaw. He had had an in-
spection made on the weight of bread,
and discovered that all were endea-
voring to obey the law. The mayor said
that he had letters which said that the
bread of two bakers was under
weight, and advised Inspector Mac-
Callum to hold personal inspections in
the future. The inspector believes
that his plan of stopping the delivery
wagons on the street should not be
followed.

Chief Roe's recommendation to have
all street wires placed under ground
will come up for consideration again.
M. J. Walker and Henry Taylor were
appointed street watering inspectors.
Those present were the mayor, Ald.
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