00++++++0++++++ WHOLE NO. 10,784.

canvasser.

Births, Marriages, Deaths The Churches Tomorrow

MARRIED. ROPER-CARSON-On Thursday, March 17, at the residence of the bride's mother, 311 Markham street, Toronto, by the Rev. S. S. Bates, W. F. Roper, of Chattanooga, Tenn., to Alice T., second daughter of Mrs. Jane

BIGGAR-At Winona, on March 17, in the 70th year of his age, John H. Biggar.

Amusements and Lectures Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per

line, each insertion. CRAND CONCERT DUNDAS CENTER Methodist Church, Thursday evening, March 24, by the following concert company, under the management of Mr. W. J. Birks; Master Freddy Ulley, boy soprano, of St. James' Church, Montreal; Mr. F. Henry Stephens, of Birmingham, England, British representative organist at Tasmania International Exposition; Mr. J. Marshall Williams, noted basso. Admission 25c. ONDON VOCAL SOCIETY-MR. W. H.

cert, Tuesday, March 22, Auditorium. Soloists, Mrs. Charles E. Saunders, of Toronto, soprano, and Mr. Hernan Heberlein, of Detroit, 'cellist, Plan now open to subscribers at Bell Piano Rooms. Seats 50 cents. UDITORIUM MR. THOMAS MARTIN'S A grand piano recital, under the patronage of the Woman's Morning Music Club, Thursday evening. March 24, assisted by Miss Katharine Moore. Reserved seats 50c. Plan opens on Monday. March 21, at Y. M. C. A. b

Andrew's Church, by Rev. A. G. Jansen, a native of Holland, on Tuesday evening. Collection for Leper Missien. RESERVE TUESDAY, APRIL 5, FOR Hon. John G. Wooley. LECTURE—IN KNOX CHURCH, SOUTH London, Tuesday evening, March 22, by Rev. A. Macmillan, of St. Enoch's Church, Toronto. Subject—"The Home and Haunts of Sir Walter Scott." Silver collection at door in aid of church extension.

MISS MACLEOD, OF VICTORIAN ORDER of Nurses on "District Nursing" in Y. M. C. A., Monday, 7:30 p.m. Public cordially in-MISS KATHARINE OLIVER'S RECITAL

CULPHUR RATHS AS USELL A GERMS PRESENTERIAN CHURCH—CULPHUR RATHS AS USELL AS GERMS PRESENTERIAN CHURCH—CULPHUR RATHS AS USELL AS GERMS PRESENTERIAN CHURCH—Conduct services at II a.m. and 7 p.m. Visitors Presented at 10 a.m. April 9. Very low Rev. Mr. Macgillivray, of Toronto, will welcome.

St. JAMES PRESENTERIAN CHURCH—Conducts of Toronto, will make to or from the Old Country. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next door to Advertise office.

T. JAMES CHURCH—A PAROCHIAL conducts services at II a.m. and 7 p.m. Visitors welcome.

St. JAMES CHURCH—A PAROCHIAL conducts of Toronto, will welcome.

St. JAMES CHURCH—A PAROCHIAL conducts of Toronto, will be held daily. Saturday excepted, at 3 and 8 p.m. All cordially welcome.

T. JAMES CHURCH—A PAROCHIAL conducts of Toronto, will offer for this week at \$1.750. Easy terms. If you welcome.

St. JAMES CHURCH—A PAROCHIAL conducts of Toronto, will offer for this week at \$1.750. Easy terms. If you welcome.

St. JAMES CHURCH—A PAROCHIAL conducts of Toronto, will offer for this week at \$1.750. Easy terms. If you welcome.

St. JAMES CHURCH—A PAROCHIAL conducts of Toronto, will offer for this week at \$1.750. Easy terms. If you welcome.

St. JAMES CHURCH—A PAROCHIAL conducts of Toronto, will offer for this week at \$1.750. Easy terms. If you welcome.

St. JAMES CHURCH—A PAROCHIAL conducts of Toronto, will offer for this week at \$1.750. Easy terms. If you welcome.

The street of Toronto and the load of the properties of the street of the properties of the SULPHUR BATHS AS USUAL ON SAT-URDAY and Sunday, foot Dundas street, Building comfortably heate.

VOICE CULTURE—
EVA N. ROBLYN.
Studio Bell Piano Parlors. Residence, 320 Dundas street. Concert engagements. Tele PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY Mr. R. B. Millard, at his residence, 345 Princess avenue. Special attention given to the waltz, two-step, two-step Jersey and the cycle. Satisfaction guaranteed. Lessons any hour.

Domestics Wanted.

GENERAL SERVENT WANTED - REF-ERENCES. Poly 405 King street. b GENERAL SERVANT WANTED-MRS.

James Magge, 164 Albert street. 82c YOUNG GIRL WANTED TO ASSIST WITH light housework. Apply at 412 King street. DINING-ROOM GIRL WANTED-MRS. J. EXPERIENCED COOK—APPLY TO MRS. Meredith. 365 Talbot street. 79tf WANTED-A GOOD GENERAL SER-house. Apply to Mrs. John Green, 526 Ridout street. GENERAL SERVANT WANTED-MUST be competent. Apply (mornings) Mrs. Luscombe, 430 William street. SItf LADIES WANTING RELIABLE SERgirls, apply Employment Bureau, Richmond and King. ON HAND - GARDENER - ONE WHO understands care of fruit, flowers and vegetables, also management of greenhouses, hotbeds; first-class references; also housekeepers, hotel cooks and girls for all kinds of work. Wanting, dining-room girls for out of city.

Dwyer's Agency, 591 Richmond street. Phone,

Meetings.

THE PRESENCE OF EVERY MEMBER THE PRESENCE OF EVERY MEMBERS of the general committee of Masonic lodges on grand master's reception is required at the library of Masonic Temple this (Saturative Complete arrangements. W. evening, to complete arrangements. V Morgan, secretary. 72ct GRAND MASTERS RECEPTION ON 21ST W. Bro. T. R. Parker (C. P. R. city ticket office) and members of Joint Committee of Lodges. Secure tickets before Saturday evening, if possible.

Male Help Wanted.

GOOD FARMER WANTED-SINGLE MAN preferred. Mrs. Peters, West London. WANTED-GOOD STABLEMAN-APPLY at Walsh House, King street. 83c WANTED-GOOD RESPECTABLE MAN to take charge of dairy farm; one who has two boys preferred; references. Apply W. B. Lawson, 250 Dundas street. WANTED-JUNIOR CLERK FOR THE dr. goods. Apply Whiskard's Fancy Store, 230 Dundas street, London, Ont. 82e

Situations Wanted.

NY PERSON WISHING TO HIRE GOOD A reliable married man by the year, apply Wm. Weeks, Wyton, P. O. 84u ROOKKEEPER DESIRES RE-ENGAGE-MENT: ten years experience, city references. P. M., Box 38, Advertiser. 84c tyw SITUATION WANTED-LADY STENOG. Perience: first-class references. Address Box 26, Advertiser.

Graduated

from the Western Ontario Shorthand and Business Academy is a passport to success. Mr. John Buchannan, of the Agricultural College staff, entered the academy on the 4th January this year, and graduated on the 12th March, thus completing the course

In Ten Weeks,

and is now employed as secretary, making the fourth graduate of this academy who tural College. By taking a course at this academy you are assured of prosperity.

WANTED — THREE HUNDRED GOOD second-hand overcoats. Highest price paid. A. P. Sainsbury. 90 King street. Mail orders attended to.

W. C. COO, C.S.R.

Services As Usual

Bro. Brown will take the morning service-11 a.m.

Prayer and praise-3 p.m. Bro. Catling will take the evening service-7 p.m.

Seats free. No collection.

Stu ty ST. ANDREW'S PRESPYTERIAN Church—Rev. Robt. Johnston, B.D., pas-The pastor will preach at both services.

11 a.m.—"An Old Testament Revival."

7 p.m.—' Deep Sea Fishing."

3 p.m.—Sabbath school and pastor's class;

"Giant Despair's Durgeon." A ISS KATHARINE OLIVER'S RECITAL

—Auditorium, Friday evening, March

Tickets 59c, 35c and 25c. Plan opens Wed.

Wednesday, 8 p.m.—"Christ's Words Concerning Prayer."

TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH-Rev. Ira Smith, pastor. 11 a.m., Mr. W. Matthews, of Woodstock College. 7 p.m. Rev. C. S. G. Boone, of Maitland Street Church. CURST METHODIST CHURCH-

Morning, Dr. Daniel.
Anthem, "Not Unto Us" (Smith).
Solo and chorus, "Arise, He Calleth Thee" Evening, Dr. Daniel. Anthem, "Tarry With Me" (Pinsuti). Solo, "Love Not the World." Hymn, "Where Art Thou" (Thompson).

J. Truman Wolcott, organist.

K ING STREET METHODIST CHURCH— Morning, paster. Evening, Railway Meeting conducted by Railway Chaplain Rev. T. McCary, of Minneapolis. Railway men specially invited. CHAIMERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-Rev. Walter Moffat, pastor, II a.m. 7 p.m., Rev. Mr. Filian, exile from Armenia. Lecture Tuesday evening at 8 p.m., with illustrated lime-light views of Armenia. CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH— W. J. Ford, pastor. Morning, "The Church in Thyatira." Evening, Exposition, of Revelation, Ch. vi.

WEST LONDON METHODIST CHURCH "Perishing and Renewing." Evening—"Evil Tongue." All welcome.

WELLINGTON STREET METHODIST Church—Rev. A. L. Russell, M.A., B.D., pastor. Services 11 and 7. Sunday school, 2:30. FURST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-REV W. J. Clark, pastor, will preach at both services. 11 a.m.—"Ezra's Confidence." 7 p.m.—"Prophecy of Zephaniah." 3 p.m.—Sabbath school and Society for Bible Study. KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. Thos. Wilson. Morning. Rev. Mr. Filian, of Armenia. Evening, the pastor. Subject, "Did Christ Die to Save All?" FURST CONGREGATIONAL-REV. J. W. Pedley, Morning, "Following Christ."
Evening, "Cheap Goods, Cheap Men." Home GT. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL-MORNING-

Yenite (Lee); Benedicite (Best): Benedictus (Langdon). Preacher, Rev. Canon Dann, B.A. Evening, Magnificat (Tours), Nune Dimittis (Tours), anthem, "The Sun Shall Be No More Thy Light" (Woodward). Preacher, the Dean. Holy communion at 8:30 a.m. MISSION SERVICES-CITY HALL-11 a.m. Workers' meeting. 2:45—Sunday school. Mr. George McBroom, superintendent. 7 p.m.—Speakers, Messrs, Brown, Reeder and Sangster. Duet—Messrs. Young and McTavish. Solo—Miss Greenway. Full orchestra. T. L. Belcher in charge. A UDITORIUM-SUNDAY, 4:15 P.M. REV. A Geo. Filian will speak to men on "Antioch and the Early Christians." A DELAIDE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH A —Rev. T. S. Johnston, pastor. Services 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. Everybody welcome. LATTER DAY SAINTS-SERVICES 11 FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST (SCIEN-TISTS)—Duffield Block—Sunday services, 11 and 7. Experience meeting, Friday, 8 p.m. COLBORNE STREET METHODIST Rev. Geo. Jackson, pastor. Services as A SKIN STREET METHODIST CHURCH-

A SKIN STREET METHODIST CHURCH—
Rev. Richard Hobbs will preach morning and evening. Memorial service in the morning to the late Miss Frances Willard. Mass meeting of the Sunday school in the afternoon, when the school will render a temperance programme in the church. DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST CHURCH The pastor, Rev. E. B. Lanceley, will preach. Morning, anthem, "Leave Us Not" (Stainer); quartet, "Sing of the Bright Home" (Havens). Evening, solo and chorus, "Sanctus" (Messe Solennele-Gounod); quartet, "The Homeland" (Sullivan); hymn anthem, "Hark, Hark, My Soul" (Dr. Dykes).

Wanted.

HOUSE WANTED-FOUR BEDROOMS

-About 10 minutes from station, with
barn preferred; about April 27. Address box
47, this office. WANTED TO PURCHASE—GOOD GRO CERY stand in good locality; state par ticulars. Address box 7, this office. 82c WANTED TO BUY OR SELL ON COM-MISSION, the contents of 100 houses. Jos. Brown's auction rooms, 398 Talbot street.

Dressmaking.

MISS HARWOOD, DRESSMAKER, HAS just returned from New York with the latest styles in gowns. Board and Lodging. GOOD BOARD AND COMFORTABLE rooms at 321 Dufferin avenue. 84n

Agents Wanted.

A GENTS—"THE BEAUTIFUL LIFE OF Miss Willard," by her secretary and literary executor, Anna A. Gordon, introduction by Lady Henry Somerset. Sells to everybody. Great snap. Prospectus 50c. Books on time. Bradley-Garretson Company, Limited, Toronto.

Educational.

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL MEN supplied with office help without charge for our services. Apply W. C. Coo, court reporter, 76 Dundas street.

Five fronting on Grey street and five fronting on Simcoe street, immediately east

Good fruit trees and garden. Apply 85 Center street, West London, or Parke & Purdon, barristers.

TOR SALE—FRAME, HOUSE—WITH

TOR SALE—FRAME, HOUSE—WITH FOR SALE—FRAME HOUSE—WITH three acres land, well stocked with fruit trees; ten rooms, outbuildings, hard and softwater; close to Collegiate. For terms, etc., apply Mrs. Hunt, Inkerman street, Ingersoll.

83c

Totf ywt street.

CAST IRON SOIL PIPE AND SOIL PIPE fittings of all kinds. Smith Bros., 265 Dundas street.

FOR SALE—SKATES AND SKATE PARTS

Biovelogeness and general programs. FOR SALE—NEW TWO-STORY BRICK at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmoffer for this week at \$1,750. For this week a FOR SALE-NEW TWO-STORY BRICK house, with all modern conveniences, will offer for this week at \$1,750. Easy terms. If you are looking for a bargain go no farther.

J. F. Sangster,
403 Richmond street.

CPRING DRIVES IN

BUILDING LOTS. We announced last week that today's issue would contain a list of specially attractive building 1-15 open for purchase. Here are a Princess avenue—Northwest corner Princess avenue and Waterloo street. Admitted to be the most eligible lot in the city. Wellington street—City Trust Survey. A choice lot at a low figure-\$1,100.

Grand avenue—140 by over 300 feet, lying between the residences of Mr. Thomas McCormick and Sheriff Cameron. The only one of its kind in London. Lyman street-Lot 50x165 for \$250. Bathurst street—110 feet frontage and extending back to G. T. R. tracks. Very central and suitable for shipping or manufacturing.

Lots from \$100 to \$3,000, according to location.

CHAPTER HOUSE CATHEDRAL. This valuable property offered for sale en bloc. A fortune to builders or contractors who will subdivide into building lots. This is a rare opportunity to make money. See plans at office. LOANS. Money advanced to buy property, build, re-model the old house, or pay offold loans, in sums of \$200 and upwards. No publicity. No

A. A. CAMPBELL,

t tf

Molsons Bank Buildings, London, Ont. Telephone, 642.

London Real Estate Exchange. TO RENT-MODERN BRICK HOUSE, 9 rooms, everything modern and first-class, Dufferin avenue. Also 110 Cartwright eet, 9 rooms. Handsome cottage corner illiam and Oxford streets. Queen's avenue—Two splendid building lots, north side, just east of Colborne; reduced \$5 per foot. Also fine lot for double house just east of Maitland street. Cheapest lot on the avenue. \$4 per foot buys fine high building lot, \$5. James street, near Adelaide. \$5 per foot William street, just north of Oxford. Three cottages and about one acre, near C. P. R. Great chance. At once. To speculators—Brick cottage and fine brick stables, Dufferin avenue near Adelaide street.

Any builder can buy this property and make

W. D. BUCKLE. P. Walsh's Bulletin 110 Dundas street. Phone 1,021.

644 Talbot street—A splendid two-story brick house, 9 rooms, in perfect order, all modern in the city.

Theoret. in the city.

Thornton avenue—Two new one and a half story frame cottages, 6 rooms each, lot 33x159 feet, to a lane; price \$900 each. Easy terms.

223 and 225 Simcoe street—Two frame cottages, in good order; price \$1,000. Will pay ten per cent. cent.
743 Princess avenue—A neat frame cottage, on brick foundation, 6 rooms, in perfect order, corner lot, 66x140 feet; price \$950. Inspect at once.

182 Oxford street—A large frame cottage, 8 rooms, in good order, frame barn, large lot, shade trees; price reduced. Must be sold. Easy terms. Inquire at once,

821 King—A new one and a half story brick cottage, stone foundation, 9 rooms, finished in style, modern improvements, large lot. At a bargain. Inspection invited.

426 Piccadilly street—A new two-story brick house, stone foundation, 8 rooms, fitted in the latest improved style, large lot; price \$2,300. latest improved style, large lot; price \$2,300. Be quick.

107 acres, lot 8, concession 3, township Delators, lot 8, concession 1, township Delators, large lot 1, lot 1, lot 2, lot 2,

P. WALSH. Real Estate. London Waterworks

Tenders for Supplies.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the undersigned up to 4 p.m. Tuesday, March 22, for furnishing Brass Fittings, Stop-cock Boxes, Stop Valves. Valve Boxes,

Street Hydrants, Lead Pipe,

Articles For Sale.

FOR SALE-MARE (GOLDRING), 4 YEARS quire at 111 Wellington street. FOR SALE—AN AI SADDLE HORSE—Cheap. Apply box 54, this office. ywt FORNIA Navel Offanges and Lemons for sale at very low prices. Wholesale and retail. Catalano & Sansone, 206 Dundas street. BICYCLES REMODELED - REPAIREDand skate parts for sale. Hutchinson, 651 Dun-

Gas Works, corner Horton and Ridout, or at 401 Clarence street. KEENE'S, MASONIC TEMPLE, IS THE A GENTS—THE BEAUTIFUL LIFE OF ized by the W. C. T. U.) The greatest selling book of the century; written by Miss Willard's private secretary and literary executor. Anna A. Gordon; will be ready soon. Magnificently illustrated. Price \$2; outfits 50c. Order at once. McDermid & Logan, London. 77m

FOR SALE—TREES, FRUIT AND ORNA MENTAL, flowering shrubs, all kinds cheap. Rose bushes, all kinds (climbers and dwarfs), plants, perennial, etc. Clematis, all colors, etc. Vines, all kinds, roots, bushes. Grafting done. C. Baker Nursery. Ridout street, South London, or "Nursery Box." General Postoffice, London. CHILD'S CARRIAGE—GOOD AS NEW—Apply 15 Marley Place, South London.

Real Estate.

SALE OR RENT — A TWO-STORY DE Sell during season cheap pine lumber, pine shingles, \$1 per M; hemlock lumber, sell per M; laths, posts, doors, cheap. Write or call at lumber yard, Pall Mall street, opposite C. P. R. freight sheds, London North. J. A. Sutherland. WANTED-THREE OR FOUR GOOD

East London and Petrolea Barrel Works
East London. Prices and particulars given by
GEO. PRITCHARD,
yt
9 Market Lane.

CHOICE LOTS AROUND ST. GEORGE'S
Peters, West London.

Processing Street.

Church: also Westminster lots cheap. Mrs.
Peters, West London.

FOR SALE-HOUSE AND TWO LOTS—Good fruit trees and garden.

Apply Whiskard's, 230 Dundas
S2c

SNAPS—ON EASY TERMS OF PAYMENT
years old; one William's upright piano, only two three years old; one Berlin piano case organ, six octaves; one W. Bell & Co. organ, six octaves; one will accompany to the process of the possession of the whole of the process of the possession of the whole of the process of the possession of the particular possession. The whole of the process of

SPECIAL LINE OF LATEST NOVELS from 3 cents up to 25c.
R. V. S. SAUNDERS,
650 Dundas street, East London. FIRST-CLASS MEDICAL BATTERIES Medical batteries and electric bells repaired at lowest rates. All work guaranteed. The Electrical Specialty Company, F. B. Clarke, agent. the Exchange, Richmond street. Telephone 658.

TO LET-OFFICE ON FIRST FLAT IN Ontario Loan and Debenture Co. Build ing, corner Dundas street and Market Lane Apply Wm. F. Bullen, manager. 77tf

NOTICE

is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at its next session, for an act to incorporate a company with power to construct, acquire and operate a railway, by steam or electricity, or other motive power, between the city of London, in the county of Middlesex, and province of Ontario, and a point in or near the village of Lucan, in said county, and from a point in or near Centralia, in the township of Stephen, in the county of Huron, to a point in or near Grand Bend, on Lake Huron; also with power to construct and operate telegraph and telephone lines, to take and use water for generating power, and to transmit and dispose of the power derived therefrom, to build, acquire and operate steam and other vessels, and all necessary wharves and docks, together with such other powers and privileges as may be necessary. M. G. Cameron, solicitor for the applicants. Dated at the town of Goderich, in the county of Huron, this 26th day of January, 42a t

In the Matter of Sarah McNeil, Late of the City of London, Widow.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT to the statute in that behalf, that
all creditors and other persons having claims
against the estate of Sarah McNeil, late of the
city of London, widow, deceased, who died on
the 24th day of September, A. D. 1897, are, on or
before the 15th day of April, A. D. 1898, required
to send by post prepaid or deliver to the undersigned, solicitors for the London and Western
Trusts Company, Limited, the administrators of
the estate and the effects of the said deceased,
their Christian and surnames, addresses and
descriptions and a statement of their respective
claims, and the particulars and proofs thereof,
and the nature of the security, if any, held by
them.

And notice is hereby further given that after the said 15th day of April, A. D. 1898, the said administrators will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims of which they shall have notice, and the said administrators, will not be liable for the said estate or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.

GIBBONS, MULKERN & HARPER. Solicitors for the London and Western Trusts Company, Limited. 80i M15,19,23,31 A9



Information Respecting the Outting of Timber in the Provisional District of Yukon.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned is prepared to receive applications for licenses to cut timber on lands in the Provisional District of Yukon, such applications to set out as nearly as possible the position of the territory to be covered by the license.

The regulations governing the issue of license.

Auction Sale.

GROCERY AND BUTCHER business, at a rate on the dollar, Monday, March 21, 555 and 557 Richmond street north. Stock list can be seen on the premises. Sale on the premises.

BY AUCTION.

J. W. JONES HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED 10:30 a.m., the whole of his house effects, comprising parlor suite, pictures, center table, desk, lounge, sewing machine, sideboard, dining table and chairs, crockery, glassware, contents of two bedrooms, feather bed, double wardrobe, carpets, lamps, cookstove, wringer, kitchen utensils, ladder wheelbarrow, grindstone, refrigerator, counter scales, counter shelving, etc. Terms cash. J. W. JONES, Auctioneer.

By Auction.

Real Estate and Household Furniture.

J. W. JONES has been favored with instructions from Mrs. Beckett to sell by auction on the premises, corner of Cheapside and Wellington streets, near Protestant Home, on THURSDAY, MARCH 81.

Parcel 1—That choice brick cottage, stone toundation, 19 rooms, bath and furnace, stable, etc., lot 38x110. Parcel 2-Lot 38x110 feet, with four-hors

H. PORTER & CO. Auction Sale

General Household Effects At the residence of Mr. D. D. Smith, No. 469 Waterloo street,

TUESDAY, MARCH, 29th, AT 10 A. Particulars of which will appear in future advertisements

JUDICIAL SALE.

H. C. J. McFadden Vs. McFadden Houses, Etc., To Let.

COTTAGE TO LET, NO. 12 OXFORD b Cottages and lots forming lot 13, north side of east Gray street, alex. Harvey.

To LET—HOUSES, ALL KINDS, ALL Sizes, all prices, all parts of city. Scarrow's Trunk Factory, 195 Dundas.

The Room Room, GROUND FLOOR, Most desirable location; extensive lawns and veranda; no boarders; within ten minutes' walk of postofficer street.

McFadden Vs. McFadden.

Tenders Invited UP To 30TH MARCH, inst., for purchase of cottages and lots forming lot 13, north side of east Gray street, city of London, cottages Nos. 432, 434, 436.

For further particulars see posters, or apply to Messrs Cronyn & Betts or Meredith, Cameron, Judd & Dromgole, solicitors. London, Love & Dignan, Vendor's Solicitors.

WcFadden Vs. McFadden.

Tenders Invited UP To 30TH MARCH, inst., for purchase of cottages and lots for further particulars see posters, or apply to Messrs Cronyn & Betts or Meredith, Cameron, March 16, 1893.

Love & Dignan, Vendor's Solicitors.

Sau tx

FRONT ROOM, GROUND FLOOR, MOST desirable location; extensive lawns and variada; no boarders; within ten minutes, address box 37, Advertiser office.

TO LET—298 PRINCESS AVENUE, NINE rooms, all modern conveniences. Apply the 26th day of March, 1898, at 2 o'clock p.m., on hoors, all modern conveniences, apply the 26th day of March, 1898, at 2 o'clock p.m., on hoors, all modern conveniences, apply the 26th day of March, 1898, at 2 o'clock p.m., on hoors, all modern conveniences, apply Taylor's the 26th day of March, 1898, at 2 o'clock p.m., on hoors, and modern conveniences, apply Taylor's the 26th day of March, 1898, at 2 o'clock p.m., on hoors, and modern conveniences, apply Taylor's the 26th day of March, 1898, at 2 o'clock p.m., on hoors, and modern conveniences, apply Taylor's the 26th day of March, 1898, at 2 o'clock p.m., on hoors, and modern conveniences, as a convenience of the late William Stevely, the 26th day of March, 1898, at 2 o'clock p.m., on hoors, and modern conveniences, as a convenience of the late William Stevely, the 26th day of March, 1898, at 2 o'clock p.m., on hoors, and modern conveniences, as a convenience, as a convenience of the premises, No. 328 King street, in the city of king street, east, in the said city of London, part of lot No. 4 on the north side of king street, east, in the said city of London, feet with right of way in rear of said lot. Upon this property there is erected a two-story brick all modern conveniences. Terms of sale 10 per cent of purchase money on day of sale and the late within two weeks thereafter. For further particulars apply to

further particulars apply to
PARKE, PURDOM & PURDOM,
VENDOR'S SOLICITORS,
Masonic Temple Building, London, Ont.
Or to J. W. Jones, auctioneer, 242 Dundas
street, London.
76c 10.19.25

The London Horse Association's Annual Spring Sale.

OF ALL CLASSES OF HORSES WILL BE held April 6 and 7. Make your entries carly. See posters. H. Porter & Co., Auctioneers, 97 Carling street, London.

SOULANGES CANAL

Notice to Manufacturers of and Dealers SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and indorsed "Tenders for Cement," will be received at this office up to noon on Saturday, 9th April, 1898, for the supply and delivery of 129,000 barrels, or any portion thereof, of Portland Cement.

Specifications and forms of tender can be obtained by the parties tendering at the office of the Chief Engineer of Railways and Canals, Ottawa. in Cement.

Ottawa.

In the case of firms there must be attached the actual signatures of the full name, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the same, and further, an accepted bank check for 10 per cent of the total amount tendered for must accommany the tender.

Department of Railways and Canals,
Ottawa, 8th March, 1893.
Newspapers inserting this advertisemen without authority from the Department winot be paid for it.

84c tyw

Gunpowder was invented by Roger Bacon, an Englishman, who lived in the thirteenth century; but Germany claims the merit for several who lived 30 years after Bacon's decease. Why will you allow a Cough to lacerate your throat or lungs and run the risk of filling a consumptive's grave, when, by the timely use of Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, the pain can be allayed and the danger avoided? This syrup is pleasant to the taste, and unsurpassed for relieving, healing and curing all affections of the throat and lungs, coughs, colds, bronchitis, etc.

It is a peculiar fact that with most men the growth of hair is greater on one side of the face than the other. It is said that hair always grows more thickly on that side of the face on which we are stronger. The great lung healer is found in that excellent medicine sold as Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It soothes

College. By taking a course at this my you are assured of prosperity.

COO, C.S.R.

COO, C.S.R.

Coal,

Lumber.

Specifications may be seen at Moore and the Department of the Interior, Ottawa.

STRAYED—TUESDAY—BAY FILLY—REMOVED TURN to Mrs. Peters, Grosvenor Lodge, Superintendent.

Coal,

Lumber.

Specifications may be seen at Moore and the Department of the Interior, Ottawa.

STRAYED—TUESDAY—BAY FILLY—REMOVED TURN to Mrs. Peters, Grosvenor Lodge, Superintendent.

Chairman.

Coal,

Lumber.

The regulations govered by the license.

See can be obtained at the Department of the Interior, Ottawa.

JAMES A. SMART.

Department of the Interior.

Cottawa, 24th February, 1993.

Coal,

The regulations governed by the license.

See can be obtained at the Department of the Interior.

Sages, and is a sovereign remedy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness, pain, or all coughs, colds, hoarsen

(CAIRNCROSS & LAWRENCE) For the Teeth and Gums

Your teeth will repay you a thousandfold for all the care you give them. Repay you by their beauty and their usefulness. Don't let them become discolored or decayed. Our fragrant Odontine keeps the teeth beautifully white, It removes tartar, destroys fermentation—the cause of decay—makes the gums firm, rosy and healthy. 25c.

CAIRNGROSS & LAWRENGE,

Pharmacists, etc. 216 Dundas St., London. Branch-Corner Richmond and

The state of the s OF ONE MIND.

City Medical Association Unanimously Approved of the Hospital Trust Plans

for the New Hospital. A largely attended meeting of the Medical Association of the city was held at the Medical School last night to consider hospital matters. To a unit the meeting resolved to stand by the hospital trust's plans for the new hospital, which they indorsed previous to the vote on the bylaw. There was not a contrary vote. A committee was appointed to wait upon the civic hospital committee this evening, and also upon the city council at their next regular

CITY HALL NOTES.

******** At the meeting of the finance committee last night, there was some discussion with reference to the appointment of a bacteriologist for London, the local medical association having petitioned for a grant of \$500 for the establishment of the office. It was suggested at the meeting that the work be done by the medical health officer. A number of the leading medical men cottages and lots of the city seen today say that no doctor, no matter how highly trained in other respects, can do the work of a bacteriologist without special training and a course of study and investi-

gation. Mayor Wilson said today that he had consulted the city solicitor, who had informed him that the city council, and not the hospital trust, had power to direct the building of the new hospital. City Engineer Graydon has drafted a ground plan for inspec-

Sewers and hospitals have been the staple municipal topics for the past year or so, and they look as if they were good for another year or so yet.

The material for the West London waterworks service is expected daily. Work will be begun in about two weeks. John McClary has taken out a permit to erect a brick veneer cottage on

High street, and J. E. Boomer for a brick addition to 181 Dundas street.

HEART MIRACLES. Suffocation-Fluttering-Palpitation-Acute Pains-Certain Signs of the Heart's Sickness-Dr. Agnew's

Heart Cure Relieves in 30 Minutes. In cases of heart trouble, Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart has proved itself, the quickest acting remedy in existence. It has stepped in when the victim of heart disease seemed beyond hope—in the last gap—has stayed death's hand, and has proved a neverfailing and permanent cure. It is an honest medicine and will do all claimed

Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills are the cheapest liver corrector known. Sold by W. S. B. Barkwell and all

druggists. LIFE SAVED.-Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Gil, stating that his or each memory of the same, and further, an accepted bank check for 10 per cent of the total amount tendered for must accompany the tender. This accepted check must be indored over to the Minister of Railways and Canals, and will be forfeited if the party tendering declines enand on the terms stated in the offer submitted. The accepted check thus sent in will be reare not accepted check thus sent in will be reare not accepted. The Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

The Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

Croup in Children, Coughs in Adult Cured in a minute by Ransom's Hive (Croup) Syrup and Tolu. 25 and 40 cents; all druggists.

TAILORS,

399 Richmond Street.

NICE, NEW

FOR SPRING WEAR.

Phone 844

DRUGS

IT COSTS MONEY TO BUY DRUGS IN LONDON!

BACKACHE.

The first stage in kidney disorders—may be the warning symptoms to you—do not treat it lightly—it's a matter of life and death—kidney prevention is safer and surer than kidney cure. Dr. Ross' Kidney and Liver Pills cure kidney disease in the backache stage and prevent the serious complications which are bound to follow the neglect of kidney disorder in the inciplent stage. They have cured others and will cure you. Safe, sure, quick and pleasant.

Dr. Ross' Pills, A BOTTLE.

PROVED! BY	the large number of PRICES charged in	of mail orders received by us daily. for Patent Medicines and Drug Sundr	The people of London no	longer submit to the
Our London			rest per per 110m cuese O1	TO DATE PRICES.

	THEOICI	des and Drug Sundries, but buy from t
Chase's Pills 150 250	Ayer's Pills	Chase's Catarrh Snuff 15c 25c Kellogg's Asthma Cure 15c 25c Diamond Dyes 8c 10c Chase's Ointment
COUGHICURA	All other drugs and preparations rate. Send stamps, express or money or	not mentioned here, at the same low SO

ROSS MEDICINE COMPANY, 798 Queen St. East, Toronto. All goods forwarded free of charge to any address.

In 1-4 dozen lots of the same or assorted. Our London Price. Price. Paine's Celery Compound .. 70c \$1 Burdock Blood Bitters.....70c Hood's Sarsaparilla70c Ayer's Sarsaparilla.....70c Dr. Pierce's G. M. Discovery. 750 Dr. Pierce's Favorite Pre-

All other drugs and preparations not mentioned here, at the same low SOME WONDER rate. Send stamps, express or money order. Address—

How we can sell \$1 bottles of BEEF, IRON AND WINE for 50c. That is their privilege. Your privilege is purchasing it at that figure, for there is no question of the quality. THERE IS NO BETTER SOLD. The bottles are full 16 ounces.

BO YOU NEED

A SPRING TONIC? Are you easily tired, lack energy, feel weak in the back; do not care for food; are you nervous and subject to headaches? If so it is a tonic you need.

OLA IRON PILLS

Regular Price, 50c.

Our Price......25C

In the Various Fields of Sport.

Interesting Basket Ball Game at Windsor.

In Which the London Y. M. C. A. Were Losers.

McCoy, the Divorced Pugilist, Weds Again.

Boxing Bouts at Chicago and Lynn, Mass. - The Daly-Lavigne Millat Cleveland Was a Draw-Other Sporting Events

BASEBALL.

TORONTO CLUB EARNINGS IN 1897. Globe: The earnings of the Toronto club last year are only known to Manager Irwin, and he bound himself by a in 1:40½, a quarter of a second faster solemn oath never to divulge what his than the best previous performance Island "Klondike" yielded. In an unguarded moment one day Manager Irwin confided to a friend that if he had the solution of th the sale of the players scooped in by Washington he would have been nearly \$10,000 shead on the season. He would not have received over \$2,000 probably for the bunch, and it is therefore fair to presume that he was about \$8,000 in pocket as the result of his Toronto yenture. The Washington club had a half interest in the locals, with the with open sights on Wednesday afternoon. The day was pleasto presume that he was about \$8,000 in club shot for the first time on their privilege of taking any of the players afternoon. they chose at the end of the season, ant, but qu

TWO HAMS. A Scranton, Pa., paper says "Jimmie" Dean, of Bellevue, wh made the best record in the Canadia League last season, will go to Hamilton, Ont., again and hold down second bag and captain that team. Dean's playing last year team remarkable, and several of the Extra and Western League managers name big bids for his services this his services this year. It appears however, as if Hamilton cannot affor to let him go, and will pay him a hig salary. Patrick Loftus, of Bellevue will accompany Dean, and will mak his debut in the professional ranks Loftus is one of the best amateurs in the city at present, and it is surprising that he was not picked up last season by a professional club. His many friends in this city wish him success on the diamond.

FLYS. Dahlen was elected captain of the Chicago team. Tim Hurst is after Anson to play first base for St. Louis,
Bierbauer will probably play second
base for St. Louis. Jack Crooks may

go to Omaha. Despite the tail-end position of the St. Louis team last season, eight of the men were strong enough to secure places on other league teams.

Tom Burns, of Chicago, wants to keep seven pitchers on his staff. Five of them, Callahan, Friend, Briggs, Grif-

prepared and copies will be sent today to each of the interested clubs for approval. It is expected that the schedule will be in shape for publication early next week.

There is no occasion for alarm in the recent reports from St. Thomas of the conditions attaching to that city's admission to the league was that a stock company should be formed to control the club, and that is simply what is being done rist now. The management has already signed ten players, and has its fly-net out for

THE TURF.

EXETER CLUB. other evening, when a goodly representation of the members were present. It was decided to hold races on May 24 and to award the liberal sum of \$700 | in purses, to be divided as follows: 3-minute class, \$150; 2:30 class, \$200; freefor-all, \$250; running race, \$100. A good

ive committee has been appointed, and there is every prospect of having the best races ever held in Exeter. The following officers were elected, viz.: President, Dr. Rollins; vice-president, Dr. H. K. Hyndman; treasurer, B. S. O'Neil; secretary, A. E. Tenant; printing committee, Jos. Davis, Wm. McNevin and A. E. Rannie; general committee, T. W. Hawkshaw, W. T. Acheson, A. E. Ten-ant, John Snell, W. G. Bissett.

COUGHS

FORT ERIE TROTTING. Buffalo, N. Y., March 19. - John B. Sage, secretary of the Buffalo driving early closing events were announced for the Fort Erie summer trotting meetting:

Queen City stake, for trotters eligible to the 2:16 class, \$2,000. Electric City stake, for trotters eligible to the 2:30 class, \$5,000. Empire State stake, for pacers eligible to the 2:16 class, \$5,000. Frontier stake, for pacers eligible

the 2:30 class, \$5,000. There will be eight or more races to be announced, in which the purses will be \$1,500 or over. Probably the low figure for pacers will be 2:05, and about 2:10 will accommodate the fastest trotters.

AT NEW ORLEANS. New Orleans, La., March 19.-Cherry Leaf smashed another track record Cherry Leaf.

TRIGGER. MELROSE SHOOTING MATCH. Melrose, March 19.-The Melrose rifle

and it is conjectured that the net earnings of the locals last year must have been close to \$15,000. Considering that not over two clubs in the league made money, Toronto must be a pretty fair ball town.

The day was pleasant, but quite a strong wind made it difficult at the long range. The club is progressing nicely. The membership now numbers 27. Following were the a pretty fair ball town.

r.	now numbers 27 Follow	Trin		****		1
he	now numbers 27. Follow	W III	6	we	re t	ne
be						
	100 yards, off-hand:					
	E. J. Shaw 8	8	8			-39
	J. Harrison 8	10	10	4	6-	-38
s:	C. Routledge 5	8	8	5	8-	-34
ho	D. Lewis 1	5	8	9	6-	-29
n	J. Clare	5	7	6	6-	
11-	D. Steinhoff 6	7	3	7	5-	28
id	J. Steele.	7	5	8	7-	
'6	A. Steinhoff 4	3	5	5	9-	
id	J. K. Morris	5	7	10	4-	
n	R. Hedges	4	10	10	0-	
-	J. H. Challoner	3	3	6	10-	
or	A. Vennor.	4	7	3	6-	20
S,	D. Ferguson 6	5	6	0	2_	
d	C. Tuckey 7	0	7	4	0-	
h	J. rerguson 7	0	0	6	4-	
e,	J. Steinhoff0	0	2			
e	D. Graham	0			10-	
8.	G. Tuckey 5	0	1	8	4-	
n	200 yards, on rest:	U	1	1	5-	12
g						
n	C. Tucker	8	8	8	7-	
У	C. Tuckey 9	8	6	6	9-3	
S	J. H. Challoner 8	9	2	9	9-3	37
	J. Steinhoff	6	0	8	7-2	18
	G. Tuckey 9	4	7	0	6-2	6
	A. Steinhoff	0 1	10	7	0-2	5
e	A. Vennor	0	8	1	8-2	
	R. Hedges 9	1	4	2	9-1	
y	J. Harrison	0	2	7	4-1	
1	J. Ferguson 1	6	5	6	0-1	8
1	D. Granam.	5	2	0	2-1	8
7 1	E. J. Snaw 1	8	8	0	0-1	
1	J. Steele q	2	-	0	0-1	
9	8. Lewis 10			-	0-1	
f	J. K. Morris	-	-	-	3-	
1	D. rerguson 0				0-	
1	J. Clare			1	1-	2
,	C. Routledge 0		-	0	2-	21

Totalsfith and Thornton as regulars, and Isbell and Woods as subs.

The International schedule has been E. J. Shaw. 56 G. Tuckey. 38 D. Steinhoff......67 J. Steele.. C. Tuckey ... 56 G. Tuckey ... 38 C. Tuckey ... 56 J. K. Morris ... 35 A. Steinhoff ... 51 J. Ferguson ... 35 J. Steinhoff ... 45 J. Clare ... 34 A. Vennor ... 44 D. Graham ... 34 R. Hedges ... 44 D. Ferguson ... 27

ATHLETICS.

A DRAW. Cleveland, O., March 19.-The 20round go between Kid Lavigne and Jack Daly for the light-weight championship of the world, at the Central Armory, resulted in a draw. The fighting was fast and furious from the start, but the contestants were so evenly matched that neither could gain an advantage over the other sufficient to get a decision in his favor. The armory A meeting of the Exeter turf club was crowded to its utmost capacity.

Was held in the town hall there the Tickets could not be had after seven Tickets could not be had after seven o'clock, though offers of \$15 and \$20 for seats was freely made. Kid McCoy was the referee, and his decisions gave satisfaction.

AT NEW ORLEANS. Chicago, March 19 .- Jack Everhardt, of New Orleans, got the decision over Kid McGlen, of Philadelphia, after five rounds. Jimmy Barry, of Chicago, and Johnny Connors, of Springfield, fought six rounds, Barry getting the deci-

THE BELFAST SPIDER BEATEN. Lynn, Mass., March 19 .- Mike Sears, of Lewiston, defeated Ike Weir, the Belfast Spider, in a ten-round go on Thursday night.

McCOY WEDS AGAIN. Cleveland, March 19.-It is learned that Kid McCoy was secretly married in St. Louis on March 6-the day fol-

of London. Each had won a game Windsor by a score of 12 to 5, and London by 21 to 0. Accordingly, when the two teams met last night again, the collegiate boys went in to win by a determined effort, which was duly rewarded. By delays from one thing and another, the game did not begin till 8:53 p.m. A crowd of over one hundred enthusiasts of the game had assembled, who were eager to cheer the locals on to victory. After much difficulty Stanton Chenay, of the collegiate, and Frank Holman, physical director of the London Y.M.C.A., were chosen to ing club, states that the following act as referee and umpire, respectively, during the first half, and exchange duties in the second half. London began the game with vigor, and in four minutes secured the first goal by Woollatt's putting the ball in Windsor's sisket. After combination play between Woollatt and Cooper, of London, the latter made two goals for London. These were followed in quick succession by Tiernan scoring for Windsor. Scarcely before the cheering subsided, Campbell made two goals, and evened the score. Shortly after, while the London players were engaged in wrangling, Tiernan secured possession of the ball and scor-ed again for Windsor. Immediately after half-time, Rondot, by a well-aimed shot, made another goal for the col-legiates, which was followed by Northwood and Campbell scoring. London's last goal was next made by Woollatt, who was undoubtedly London's crack player. Northwood then put the championship securely out of their opponents reach by scoring twice.

game was soon called, with the score 18 points to 8 in favor of Windsor. The

FOR FORGERY.

A Ridgetown Young Man Wanted-Secured \$200 from Molsons

St. Thomas Journal: A young man named William Call, of Ridgetown, on Wednesday secured \$200 from the Molsons Bank on a check now said and believed to be a forgery. The check purported to be signed by T. E. Thacter, marble dealer, of Ridgetown, and uncle of Call's, and for whom he had been working. Call was identified at the bank as the party to whom the check was made payable and at Call's expense. Mr. W. P. Reynolds, the accountant, telephoned the Ridgetown branch and found that there were sufficient funds the funds the mayor thought the council had the power under the act.

Mr. Purdom said the council could might as well undertake the erection of schools, and make the school board merely the manager. The point had might as well undertake the erection of schools, and make the school board merely the manager. The point had time. He thought that Mr. Little's to give the money. The council could might as well undertake the erection of schools, and make the school board merely the manager. The point had time. He thought that Mr. Little's to give the money Little's when he brought up the hospital build-ing question, considered that the money should be spent by the trust.

The mayor council could might as well undertake the rection of schools, and make the school board merely the manager. The point had to Windsor to look for smugglers.

A DINNER PILL.—Many persons the black."

The mayor said the council could might as well undertake the erection of schools, and make the school board merely the manager. The point had to Windsor to look for smugglers.

A DINNER place.

The black is the Diamond Dyes; this is the only successful dye for coloring feathers at the Diamond Dyes; this is the only successful dye for coloring feathers at the Diamond Dyes; this is the only success branch and found that there were sufficient funds there to Mr. Thacter's credit before the \$200 was paid to Call. On the check, however, being sent to Ridgetown, Mr. Thacter denied ever Ridgetown, it and proposed the sense of the check that there were sufficient and found that there were sufficient for the check that there were sufficient funds there to Mr. Thacter's credit before the \$200 was paid to Call. Mr. Complin presented the estimates, a comparative statement being as follows: signing it, and pronounced the chec a forgery. Mr. Thacter made affiday to these facts. Call, who is 22 years age, and whose mother resides Ridgetown, told several parties wh here that he was going to Mexic However, it is believed he has gone

Free Trial To Any Honest Man The Foremost Medical Company

Weak Men Makes this Offer. HEALTH AND ENERGY ASSURED HAPPY MARRIAGE, GOOD TEMPER, LONG LIFE.

In all the world to-day—in all the history of the world—no doctor nor institution has treated and restored so many men as has the famed ERIE MEDICAL CO. of Buffalo, N. Y.

This is due to the fact that the company controls some inventions and discoveries which have no equal in the whole realm of medical science.



So much deception has been practiced in advertising that this grand old company now for the first time makes this startling offer:

They will send their costly and magically effective appliance and a whole month's course of restorative remedies, positively on trial without expense to any honest and reliable man!

Not a doilar need be advanced—not a penny paid—till results are known to and acknowledged by the patient.

The Erie Medical Company's appliance and remedies have been talked about and written about all over the world, till every man has heard of them.

(Call's) arrest, a warrant charging him with forgery having been issued. Call, after drawing his money, purchased a pair of patent leather shoes, a dress suit case and other articles which only the rich can afford.

Should the City Council or the Trust Erect the New Buildings?

Interesting Discussion Over This Point -Receipts and Expenses for 1898.

At the meeting of the hospital trust yesterday the chairman, Col. Lewis, said he had asked Mr. C. F. Complin to represent the trust on the city council's hospital committee. Mr. T. H. Purdom asked if the coun-

let the trust have nothing to say about Mayor Wilson said the trust had

Mr. Purdom said he was not so sure The about that, and the council should act slowly. He was opposed to the trust number of times, and rinse in warm water; dip and redip in the dye-bath

visory.

Mr. Purdom said the trust had had it is finished. Old feathers can be recolored and made to look like new.

indector in Mi. I hacter denied ever	
signing it, and pronounced the check	Expended Estimate
a lorgery. Mr. Thacter made affidavit	in 1007 c
to these facts. Call, who is 22 years of	Ducchers mear & 1 400 70
age, and whose mother resides of	104 10
kidgetown, told several parties while	Flour, bread, etc.
dere that he was going to Mexico	CCO 00
dowever, it is believed he has gone to	Confee and tea
onicago, where a young lady friend	Folatoes 104 00
ives.	Groceries 969 96
Late last night Chief Fewings tele-	Drugs 1714 50
rapned a description of Call to the	Medical and surgical
Chicago police with a request for his	appliances 216 79
Todate for his	Beer, Wine, etc. 204 95
ALTERNATION CONTRACTOR AND ADDRESS OF THE PARTY OF THE PA	Bedding and furnish-
Free Trial To Any Honest Man	ings 1942 00
THE IPINI TO ANY Honget Men	Brooms, brushes and
The Transfer of The Art and The Transfer in St.	Woodenware 240 14
	Fuel 1151 00
The Foremost Medical Company	1/19/11
in the Medical Company	Water
Ill the World in the Cure of	Hav and strom
Weak Men Makes this Offer.	100
makes this Offer.	Dalaries and women Fire
TAME OF REAL PROPERTY.	Tusurance and to
HEALTH AND ENERGY ASSURED.	Contingencies
HADDY WASSURED.	Repairs
HAPPY MARRIAGE, GOOD	10 pairs 591 58 600
TEMPED LONG LIER	The state of the s

\$16,598 04 \$17,185 The receipts from paying patients last year were \$4,299 28, but only \$4,000 is expected this year. Reductions in the government grant and in the revenue from the county (owing to the annexation of West London) are expected. The details are:

Received Estimated Paying patients\$4,299 28 \$4,000 Government grant ... 3,756 23 3,000 Interest on deben-County 1,903 45 1,500 City 7,000 00 The trust has in addition a bank balance of \$690, and will therefore ask the council for \$8,000.

Medical Superintendent Balfour reported 41 persons discharged from the hospital since March 4, 34 of whom were cured. Fifty-four are now under treatment. Thirty-seven persons were admitted during the two weeks.

Miss Hattie Wilson applied for a position on the nursing staff. Inquiries will be made, and if it is found that Miss Wilson is a non-resident. that Miss Wilson is a non-resident she will be placed on the outside list.

AN EPIDEMIC OF COLDS.

Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder Proves the Good Samaritan to Thousands

That kild diccoy was secretly married in St. Louis on March 6-the day following the granting of the decree of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The principal tool first at New York girl and some explication of Dr. Agnew's Ointment 35 CENTS.

And cured in 3 to 5 nights.

BASKET BALL.

AT WINDSOR.

Windsor Record: The symnasium of the decree of the first was prices. Send me 12 dozen more of Agnew's Oinment. I preservibe large quark the scene of the fastest and best game of saket ball that as ever been played here. The contestants were out own collegiate boys and the Y.M.C.A. team of the granting of the decree of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The price of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The price of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The price of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The price of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The price of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The price of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The price of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The price of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The price of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The price of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The price of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The price of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The price of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The price of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The price of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The price of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The price of divorce to the puglist's first wife. The demic-George E. Casey, M.P., is one of the Many Who Knows of Its Goodness.

REID'S HARDWARE was at the present Epit. demic-George E. Casey, M.P. is one of the Many Who Knows of Its Goodness.

REID'S HARDWARE was at the present epidemic in the present epidemic is the question thousands are asking. Colds this season at the first was the occurrence of office of the many Who Knows of Its Goodness.

REID'S HARDWARE was at the first was the occurrence of the following the decree of the many Who Knows of Its Goodness.

REID'S HARDWARE

GREAT GRAIN FLEET

Nineteen Vessels Chartered to Go to Europe on One Day.

Philadelphia, March 19.-The Record says: "Nineteen steamers were chartered yesterday to load grain at Philadelphia, New York and Baltimore on European account, which is claimed to be the largest number ever chartered Hospital Trust Require That Sum for that purpose in a single day. It is estimated that these vessels will carry at least 3,000,000 bushels of grain to foreign markets, and it was reported that many orders from London were not filled because of the rush, as it was impossible to fix the tonnage, owing to the unexpected demand."

SAVE YOUR FEATHERS.

Diamond Dyes Will Make Your Faded Hat and Bonnet Feathers as Good as New.

It may be that some ladies are not aware of the fact that old hat and bonnet Feathers can be made to look cil intended to erect the hospital, and those universal home friends. Let us tell you how to do the work. "Use the Diamond Dyes prepared for nothing to do with the building-only from any dealer. Clean the feather by soaking it in strong soap-suds fifbeing represented on the hospital committee. "If the council is going to our hands, then we should not be responsible for it," said Mr. Purdom.

Benson...Back...Back...Rondot

Tambling...Back...Rondot

Benson...Back...Rondot

Benson...Back...Rondot

Benson...Back...Rondot

Tambling...Back...Rondot

Benson...Back...Rondot

Benson...Back...Rondot

Benson...Back...Rondot

Tambling...Back...Rondot

Benson...Back...Rondot

Benson...Back...Back...Rondot

Benson...Back...Back...Rondot

Benson...Back...Bac

Mr. Purdom said the trust had had charge of all additions and new buildings since its inception, and its right had never been questioned. The composition of the trust showed that it should have charge The mayor thought the council had successful dye for coloring feathers a

The mayor said he would consult a solicitor.

THE ESTIMATES.

The mayor said he would consult a son to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions, and convey the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medicine to take if troubled with indiges-

Good Cheap Wheels

Thousands are looking for cheap me chines. Are you one of such? If so Don't Waste Your Money by buying a poor machine. You cannot



Buy one of our Crawford Speed-Kings

AT \$40 CASH. They are fully guaranteed, and guaranteed to give good service and results.

E. C. HILL & CO., 101 Yonge Street, Toronto. AGENTS WANTED.

CRESCENT BICYCLES

Direct Tangent Spokes.....\$60 00 Square Fork Crown at...\$50 and \$40 00

CALVERT'S Carbolic Tooth Powder Carbolic Tooth Paste, 6d, 1s and 1s 6d Pots.

They have the largest sale of any dentifrices. Avoid imitations, which are numerous and F. C. CALVERT & CO., Manchester.

Neave's rood

INFANTS AND INVALIDS. "An excellent Food, admirably adapted to the wants of Infants and Young Persons, and being rich in Phosphates and Potash is of the greatest utility in supplying the bone-forming and other indispensable elements of food." SIR CHAS. A. CAMERON, M.D.



HON. DAVID MILLS, Q. C., Minister of Justice, President. Present Their--

FAMILY SAVINGS **POLICIES**

\$500, \$400, \$300, \$200 and \$100.

To meet the increasing demand for small Those who cannot afford to carry \$1,000 TAKE A FAMILY SAVINGS POLICY. Boys and girls from 10 years old and over, and young men and women who wish

SAVINGS ENDOWMENT. or Queens Constant Small Savings Will Insure You a Future Income.

to begin to save-TAKE A FAMILY

JOHN MILNE, Manager, Temple Building.

Ask for Eddy's

when you order matches. Then you will be sure of having the best.

LONDON'S RECOGNIZED CHEAPEST STORE.

In These Days of So Much Talk

Don't believe all you hear-but when you hear of WHISKARD'S selling fine Plaid Dress Goods at about half price you have got the right side of the story, which you can verify by coming to WHISKARD'S store. SEE OUR EAST WINDOW.

Dress Goods.

On the same principle that small men are quicker in their movements than large men, little prices are more active in merchandise moving than big prices-which will account for the unusual activity in our Dress Goods Department these days. We have just received a repeat order of our splendid line of heavy serges, in all colors, which we are selling at

25 CENTS A YARD. Some One Has Said

that human nature does not always tell the truth, but when we say that we have about 5,000 yards of embroidery that is worth from 8c to 10c yard that we are selling for 5c, you can prove this statement by coming to WHISKARD'S and buying some.

A stitch in time may save nine, but a purchase here saves

Just in-nearly 5,000 yards of SATIN BABY RIBBON, nearly half inch wide; we are selling it for ic a yard.

Plaid Baby Ribbons; 4c yard. One case of Oriental Laces, in white, cream and butter, nice

Ladies' Belts, Fancy and Plain, 10c, 15c. Ladies' Plaid Silk Belt Ribbon, worth 25c, for 19c yard.

A Large Shipment.

just received, of FLOOR OILCLOTHS, TABLE OILCLOTHS and STAIR OILCLOTHS-New patterns, one yard wide, 20c yard; stair oilcloth, 10c yard. See our east

Beauties Admiring

Beauty-and nowhere will you find that recognition of the beautiful more effectively depicted than in the NEW LINE OF LACE CURTAINS, which we have just received, and what's equally as noteworthy THE PRICE is of the catchy, snappy sort—a real purse-pleaser. See our line of Curtains, three yards, taped, at 50c pair.

Ladies' Kid Gloves-New Lines, New Colors.

Ladies' Kid'Gloves, fancy backs, in all the new shades, Green, Blue, Mauve, Cardinal, and the new shades in Tan, \$1 25 pair.





The Art Piano of

LETTER FROM

Katherine Bloodgood,

The Famous Soloist of the Plancon Concerts:

"I desire to express my appreciation of the brilliancy, purity and sympathetic quality of tone of your pianos, which I had the pleasure of testing during my stay in Toronto, and am glad to join in the praise that all other artists have bestowed upon them."

LONDON WAREROOMS. 236 Dundas Street.

DIVES LIKE A FISH.

Holland Submarine Boat Proves a

Complete Success. New York, March 19 .- The Holland submarine boat has proved herself a success. Yesterday afternoon she ran a quarter of a mile beneath the waters of Staten Island sound at a speed of ten knots an hour. Inventor Holland said the craft behaved splendidly. and had responded to every movement of her rudders. A government test of the boat will be made today, when her torpedo tubes and dynamite

guns will be tried.

THE BETTER WAY.

for Arbitration.

Britain and Venezuela Getting Ready

Washington, March 19 .- By arrangement between the parties, Sir Julian Pauncefote for Great Britain, and Senor Anddrade for Venezuela, the cases relative to the boundary arbitration prepared by counsel on either side have been exchanged. The docu-ments will be forwarded to their respective governments by the ambassa-dor and the minister to serve as the basis for the counter cases to be exchanged later on, and to prepare the way for the arbitration commission to

It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has done once it will do again.

Catarrh of the Head

Cured by Trask's Magnetic Ointment or your money back. 25 and 40 tensis; all druggists.

Man in Distress.

A whole family suffering. A dull aching of nerve or muscle, or the acuter pans of neuralgia, toothache, or lumbago makes life a misery. But Nervilline—nerve pain cure—will relieve all these. Nervilline is powerful, penetrating and effectual.

Stubborn cases in from one to three days.

"I suffered intensely from rheumatism and rhong Rong, Great or influence and power."

The Morning Post thinks it "time for England to present her list of requirements."

The Morning Post thinks it "time for England to present her list of requirements."

The Times shows that Russia's strength on the Manchurian frontier is considerably less than is generally supposed, and is certainly inadequate to meet a well-equipped adversary, and is certainly inadequate to meet a well-equipped adversary, and is certainly inadequate to meet a well-equipped adversary, and is certainly inadequate to meet a well-equipped adversary, and is certainly inadequate to meet a well-equipped adversary, and is certainly inadequate to meet a well-equipped adversary, and is certainly inadequate to meet a well-equipped adversary, and is certainly inadequate to meet a well-equipped adversary, and is certainly inadequate to meet a well-equipped adversary, and is certainly inadequate to meet a well-equipped adversary, and is certainly inadequate to meet a well-equipped adversary, and is certainly inadequate to meet a well-equipped adversary, and is certainly inadequate to meet a well-equipped adversary, and is certainly inadequate to meet a well-equipped adversary, and is certainly inadequate to meet a well-equipped adversary, and is certainly inadequate to meet a well-equipped adversary, and is certainly inadequate to meet a well-equipped adversary and is certainly inadequate to meet a well-equipped adversary and is certainly inadequate t

228, 230, 232 DUNDAS STREET. Dreadful Disasters!

Sixty Corpses Found and Many Miners Still Missing.

Eight Men Killed by a Dynamite

Explosion in Jamaica. Increasing Gravity of the Situ-

ation in China. Fighting Between Bulgarian Bands

and Turkish Troops. The War in Egypt-Dervish Leaders

Disagree-Mr. Gladstone's Con-

dition Causes Anxiety.

FRONTIER FIGHTS. Salonika, March 19 .- Rumors are in circulation here of encounters at various points on the frontier between the Bulgarian bands and the Ottoman

THE GREEK LOAN. London, March 19.-It is announced that a Greek loan of \$30,000,000 will be issued within a few days. The loan will be floated simultaneously in St. Petersburg, London and Paris.

MR. GLADSTONE NO BETTER. Bournemouth, March 19.-The following bulletin has been issued with respect to Mr. Gladstone: "In the absence of any improvement in Mr. Gladstone's condition, it has been settled in consultation that he should return to Hawarden next week." The bulletin is regarded as having only one meaning. It is understood that the grievous facial pains have returned, and will no longer yield to the usual remedies.

BLANCO'S BIG JOB. Madrid, March 19 .- It is asserted that the central and western provinces of Cuba being pacified, Gen. Blanco is about starting on extensive operations with 80 battalions and large volunteer forces to destroy the insurgent power in Eastern Cuba. Gen. Blanco will direct his efforts especially to demolish what is described as the more or less embryonic organization which has enabled the rebels to maintain the ap-

pearance of government. THE AWFUL PLAGUE IN BOMBAY. Bombay, March 19.-Two hundred and fifteen new cases and 216 deaths from the pleague were reported yesterday. Five Europeans have been attacked. The Mohammedans at Hubli, on the South Mahratta Railway, hearing of the riots in this city, have decided to resist the pleague precautions and operations over the line. The vol-unteers have been mobilized, and the infantry has been summoned, but as yet there has been no conflict.

THE NILE CAMPAIGN. Kenur Camp, Nubia, (twelve miles south of Berber), March 19.-Reports have reached here that Mahmoud Pasha and Osman Digna, the principal generals of the khalifa, who are known to be advancing northward, disagree as to the route to be taken, Mahmoud desiring to follow the Nile, and Osman Digna to cross the Atbara, and to march on Berber, the southern base of the Anglo-Egyption expedition, through the desert. It is supposed that

Osman Digna has prevailed. PEARY'S NEW STEAMER. Gravesend, England, March 18 .- The Arctic steamer Windward, which was presented to Lieut. Peary for his next northern expedition is here, on her way to the United States. Lieut. Peary's private cabin is beautifully fitted up, and has in it signed portraits of the Harmsworths, 'Dr. Nansen, and other explorers. All on board gave three cheers and expressed best wishes for the success of the explorer. The Windward safled from here at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

MAY SUPERSEDE TELEGRAPHS AND TELEPHONES.

London, March 19 .- The Vienna correspondent of the Daily News has had required. But the king was betrayan interview with Herr Szczepanik, the inventor of the fernseher, an apparatus which has already been described in cable dispatches. Herr Szczepanik said in the interview that it is possible not only to adapt the fenseher to the instantaneous reproduction of manuscripts, but to print them on photographic plates at any distance. For instance, a newspaper, as it leaves the press in Vienna, can be inserted in the apparatus and reproduced the next moment in New York. Herr Szczepanik predicts that telegraphs and telephones will thus be completely superseded.

CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE RESO-LUTIONS.

London, March 19.-The Associations of the Chambers of Commerce of the United Kingdom at its final meeting adopted the following resolution, introduced by the Chamber of Commerce of Leeds: "That in the opinion of the association the compulsory adoption, within some limited period, of the metric system of weights and measures, legalized by the act of last session, be advocated by every possible means, with the view of inducing her majesty's government to afford facilities for the amendment of the law in this respect, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the president of

SOUTH AMERICAN RHEUMATIC CURE

A UNIVERSAL LIBERATOR.

Relief in six hours! What a glad message to the pain-racked, bed-ridden, despairing sufferer from rheumatism's cruel grasp—and this is a fact, borne out by volumes of evidence, for this greatest of

Rheumatism is curable-South American Rheumatism Cure is an absolute specific, and radically cures the most

Scores of Men Killed by a the board of trade and to the first lord of the treasury." The meeting also adopted a resolution as follows: "That this association, believing the absence of an official parcel post between Great Britain and the United tween Great Britain and the United States of America to be detrimental to the commercial relations of the two countries, request the legislative council to memorialize her majesty's government, urging renewed exertions to-ward the early establishment of such

> BRITAIN AND HAWAII. London, March 19.—The government of Great Britain is surprised at the report of the senate committee on foreign relations, which, after presenting a joint resolution for the annexation of Hawaii, set forth that Great Britain was plotting for the absorption of Hawaii. A high official of the British foreign office said today: "It is unfortunate that the committee has such an erroneous impression. I cannot imagne upon what supposed facts they base their report. It seems improbable that the senators would issue official statements on no other basis than rumors and suspicions. As a matter of fact, nothing is further from Great Britain's intentions than to interfere in any way with the existing regime in Hawaii. No steps in that direction were ever contemplated. On the contrary, her Majesty's Government has recognized that the United States has the foremost interest in Hawaii, and that it is natural and inevitable that Hawaii should be under American influence."

CABLE NOTES. A dispatch to the St. Petersburg Novoe Vremya from Baku, Russian Transcaucasia, says the great Mantascheff petroleum business, valued at £3,500,000, has been purchased by an

Englishman. Lord Strathcona, Canadian high commissioner, has returned to London from his mission to Berlin. The Japanese election returns show a small majority for the government. All the bureaus of the Italian Chamber of Deputies have declared in favor of prosecuting Count Ferruccio Macola, a member of the chamber, who on March 6 killed Signor Felice Cavallotti in a duel growing out of a press polemic. They further decided that three of the four seconds, who, with Signor Cavallotti, were also members of the chamber, should be prosecuted. Dr. Patton, editor of the Dublin Daily Express, and Dublin correspondent of the London Times, is dead.

TWO TERRIBLE EXPLOSIONS.

Sixty-Eight Persons Known to Have Perished-Many Mangled or Missing.

Madrid, March 19 .- A terrible plosion took place yesterday in the Santa Isabel mine at Belmez, Pro-

ROW IN THE REICHSTAG.

Herr Babel, the Socialist Leader, Starts the Discussion

Berlin, March 19.-In the reichstag, during the debate on the bill providing for the reform of courts-martial, Herr Babel, the socialist leader, started a discussion on the subject of the 50th anniversary of the revolution. He referred to the privileges enjoyed by military officers, and reminded his hearers of "the revolution of March 18, 1848, when the people fought for their liberty and rights."

The minister for war, Gen. Von Gossler, and Herr Munckel, people's party, followed, while the president of the house, Baron Von Buol-Berenberg, in-tervened, and declared he did not wish to deny the significance of the day, but he could not allow it to become the chief point of discussion. Baron Von Stumm, Conservative, de-

clared the Prussian constitution was the free gift of the king. Herr Babel, amid an uproar, said the combatants of 1848 were described as "rabble." This, he asserted, was infamous. Herr Babel said that if the struggles of 1848 had attained their objects the events of 1870 would not have been necessary. Herr Babel then said: "If the promises made had been fulfilled, no Bismarck would have been

The president of the reichstag have called the speaker to order. Resuming, Herr Babel said: "The men of the old National Union are now silent. The King of Prussia, by the grace of God, made a clean sweep in 1869. The people will also have the right to make a clean sweep some day." Dr. Benningsen, leader of the Nacertainly suffered a severe reverse on March 18, 1848. But that day had little significance in the development of German affairs. He referred to the part then future Emperor

played, and to the fact that it was Junker Bismarck who helped to found Germany. There were a number of celebrations of the jubilee of the revolution, but

IMPOSSIBLE NATURE

there was no disaster.

China-The Matter Discussed by the British Cabinet.

London, March 19 .- At the cabinet council yesterday there was an anxious discussion of the new developments of French demands in China. The Duke of Devonshire, who presided, has decided to postpone his intended deparure for the Riviera. All the newspapers this morning

comment on the impossible nature of the French demands. The Times says: "China is inclined to yield through her fear of an occupation of Hainan. It may be necessary to make it very plain to the Chinese mind that worse things than the oc-cupation of Hainan will happen if China undertakes to settle by a mere ex-parte agreement with a third power questions which immediately affect the safety and prosperity of one of our most important possesssions in the east." The Daily Mail says: "What does it mean? A coaling station and a railway are all very well, but if it comes to

admitting a French title to the hinterland of Burmah and Hong Kong, Great

Tuesday, March 21

Our doors will be opened to the buying public of London.

The Spittal & Co. Bankrupt Stock of

High-Class Drygoods

We promise you that this will be the bargain sale of the season.

We have everything you want, and at prices that other merchants would be glad to buy at-but we won't sell to them; the bargains are for our customers, not for the

> SHOP EARLY IN THE DAY. DOORS OPEN AT 9 O'CLOCK.

Santa Isabel mine at Belmez, Province of Cordova. Sixty corpses have already recovered, and many men are as yet unaccounted for. Kingston, Jamaica (via Bermuda), March 19.—A dynamite explosion took place this morning in the government storehouse on Montego Bay. Eight storehouse on Montego Bay. Eight

says: "Japan evidently has taken measure of Russia's strength, and the result is seen in Russia's withdrawal from Corea. Japan has made no fuss, but she has acted. It forms an ad-

mirable object lesson for the British Government. The Berlin Politische correspondent says that Russia has informed Great Britain that she does not desire to obtain territory in Manchuria, but merely wishes to protect her trade interests created by the Siberian Railroad.

ONTARIO'S IMMICRATION LAWS.

Discussed in the British Parliament-

Dr. Tanner Ordered to Leave the House. London, March 19.-Replying to a question of Sir Charles Cameron, Bart., Liberal member for the Bridgeton

division of Glasgow, in the House of Commons, Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain said that the Ontario immigration law excluded from that province only those immigrants who were suffering from serious defects and habitual criminals Replying to a question, Mr. George N. Curzon said the British ambassador at Madrid would be instructed to in-

quire into the report that the Spanish minister at Washington had received instruction to discuss the preferential treatment of American products in the Spanish West Indies, as under the existing treaty British goods were extitled to the minimum colonial tariff. While the house was in committee tional Liberal party, said royalty had discussing the estimates, Dr. Tanner (Anti-Parnellite) was twice called to order for irrelevant and somewhat incoherent remarks about the unprotected condition of Hong Kong. As he kept on defying the rulings of the chairman of committee, he was finally ordered to leave the house. Dr. Tanner exclaimed: "With greater pleasure than I ever entered it." Then, sauntering slowly toward the door, and scornfully pointing to the chairman, he hissed out: "I hope the French will be at you, Cecil [Salisbury's nephew]. Do your dirty work as long as you like."

Of the French Demands Regarding | The Most Prominent Are Fashionable. Dyspepsia or Indigestion has become a fashionable disease. There are very few individuals who have not at various times experienced the miserable feeling caused by defective digestion. No pen can describe the keen suffering of the body, and the agony and anguish of mind endured by the Dyspeptic, Dr. La Londe, of 236 Pine avenue, Montreal, says: "When I ever run across chronic cases of Dyspepsia I always prescribe Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and my patients generally have quick relief."



ARCHER'S

A perfect flesh-dressing and tonic. ARCHER'S CREAM, for removing wrinkles, freckles, pimples, blackheads. sunburn. Sold by all druggists. Price, 500 each. Prepared by The Archer Toilet Specific Co., Limited

2 McCaul street, Toronto.



YOUNG WOMEN LOVE The D & A Corset, it fits so comfortably, supporting the figure, while yielding easily to every movement. It lasts well, and sells at popular prices. -- MORAL: YOUNG WOMEN WEAR

THE D & A CORSET.

Fresh Stock of Lazenby's Solidified Table Jellies Just received Complete assortment Of flavors.

Two packages-25c. 169 Dundas Street.

W+++++++++++++++++++++++

Clothes

W. SLATER, Opp. V Richmond St.

IF YOU BUY IT NOW.



London, Saturday, March 19, 1898

The result in Russell is a fair indication of how the bye-elections will go.

That majority of 1 which the Opposition press figured out for Mr. Whitney two weeks ago has been carried away by the spring freshets.

The Montreal Witness puts an archbishop's hat on the picture of Mr. Gallagher, M. P. P. for Frontenac, and labels it "St. Patrick." The Gallagher whiskers, it seems, correspond to those of the saint's to a "T."

Opposition journals who two weeks task of explaining. It is a hard one.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has promised the senate of Queen's University, Kingston, that he will attend this famous place of learning in April next to receive the degree of LL.D., conferred upon him. The Premier is sure of an enthusiastic welcome.

Whitney was whacked most certainly in Russell. He was served right, for he insisted on the constituency going to the expense of a contest when it was apparent that what the people desired was an election of a Government supporter by acclamation. . .

The Patrons have resolved to go out of business in Bruce county. They will henceforth be known as "Independents." In the recent elections, Bruce went solidly Liberal, recognizing that it was in the best interests of the country to support the Administration.

Though William J. Bryan, the Democratic-Silver candidate for the presidency, was defeated in 1896, he appears to be as lively as ever on the platform, and to be a great drawing card. Today he speaks at St. Louis in a tent which holds an audience of 10,000, and the promoters expect to have to provide for an overflow meeting.

Sir Charles Tupper, whose friends were wont, while in power, to keep seats vacant for months, last night professed surprise that a new election had not been decreed for West Prince, P. E. I. It is all in good time. The late member was only buried last week, and a successor will be chosen without indecent haste. The indications are that he will be a Liberal.

A dispatch to the London Times says that Col. Manning, her Majesty's acting commissioner and consul-general in the British Central Africa Protectorate, has telegraphed from Zomba that the recent campaign has been brought to a successful conclusion. The rebel chief Mpseni surrendered voluntarily to the Protectorate troops and the latter have returned to their usual quarters. Thus ends one of Britain's little wars before many people knew that it had been begun.

Even the London Free Press now concedes a clear majority for the Ontario Government. It figures out that the Administration has 48 seats out of 94, but in order to secure this result, it refuses to count Mr. Beatty, Parry Sound, as a supporter of the Government, and it leaves out Mr. McNish in West Elgin. By and bye, it will find that in all essential respects Mr. Beatty is a supporter of the Government. He was elected by Liberal votes, defeating the candidate of the Conservative convention, and he gave his pledge to support the Government. The Opposition may as well accept the situation. The Liberals, by the decree of the electorate, hold the fort.

Russell Is Heard From.

The election for the Ontario Legislature in Russell county, delayed because of the great storm on the reguplace of meeting, was held yesterday. The result was the return of Mr.

Julbord, the Liberal candidate, by a army of preventive officers on duty phenomenally large majority.

the general contest, the verdict in Russell gives a clear indication of how an aroused public opinion will decide any contests that may take place in the Province in the near future.

It was no snap verdict. The respective positions of the two parties were clearly placed before the electorate, and they have responded with a unanimity which is unmistakable.

Hon. George W. Ross, with his wonted energy, went into the constituency, and placed the situation calmly before the electorate. He was aided by Mr. Stratton, Mr. Evanturel, Mr. Conmee and other well-known M. P. P.a. The Conservative view was put at its best by Mr. Whitney and by ert Stein. Mr. Matheson. They even contended, wrongly as we have from time to time proved, that they had but to get the

ernment. Russell lies close to the Dominion capital, and M. P.s on both sides lent a hand. The Dominion Government's policy was stirred up to a limited extent, but no disposition has been exhibited hostile to either of the two Governments. Russell electors were satisfied with the situation as it now exists, and have so declared. Their decree adds another to the Liberal majority in the Legislature, which bids fair, before the next meeting of Many Rumors of Impending the Assembly in February, 1899, to be larger than it was after the elections of 1883 and 1894, and amply sufficient to insure honest and progressive administration of the affairs of this great Province for four years to come.

Smuggling.

We learn from an Ottawa dispatch that Hon. Wm. Paterson, Minister of the smuggling of drygoods from Detroit and other border cities of the United States. Mr. Paterson has given inego were misleading their readers by structions to the Customs Inspector for announcing that Russell electors would the Western district to have the efforts give the death-blow to the Ontario of the officials redoubled to prevent Government, will now enter on their smuggling. A female searcher is stationed at Windsor, and her services will probably be called into use more frequently than formerly. Secret service officers, too, are available, if needed, but Mr. Paterson says the situation is not such as to call for the extreme measures adopted last year to suppress the smuggling of liquor into Canada from St. Pierre and elsewhere by way of the Gulf, when the Government were authorized to spend money privately to secure information, the names of informers being held in confidence. The ordinary machinery of the service, it is hoped by the Minister, will prove sufficient to check the increase of smuggling on the Michigan frontier.

It is not a very easy thing to prevent smuggling by women. The ladies who see some article of clothing, jewel or nick-nack in a foreign country, and fancy it is newer in shape or shade, or cheaper than can be got at home, are apt to buy and to cheat Her Majesty's customs out of their decreed share of the value of the article. They hide all sorts of things under their skirts, and put on an air of innocence that is calculated to catch even an expert customs official off his guard. In probably three cases out of five the smuggled goods could be obtained from dealers in such wide-awake mercantile centers as London as cheap or cheaper than they can be bought in Buffalo or De- THE WEARING OF THE GREEN. troit. The writer at one time knew of a Hamilton preacher's wife who, every time her boots wore out, went to Buffalo to see friends and bought a new pair, like her sisters generally never regarding it as one bit wicked to dodge customs duty. Inquiry revealed the fact that she could have obtained just as good boots in Canada for the same money. But what did that avail? If the boots had been purchased here, the sensation of getting ahead of the taxation officers would have been absent.

A big blow will be given to the industry of smuggling goods from the United States when the Canadian preferential tariff goes fully into force in July next. Then British goods will be favored to the extent of 25 per cent over imports from the United States and other foreign countries. The Hamilton Times is under the impression that were the tariff on British imports cut still lower "the great bulk of the goods consumed in Canada would be so reduced in price that the current of smuggling would set in to and not from the United States. The Canadian Government would then get not only all the duty upon goods consumed in Canada, but the duty on goods purchased in Canada for consumption in the United States. That was the course of the trade in the sixties and the early seventies. With Dingleyism in force, trade would be turned in that direction again, and it would be far more profitable for Canada to have goods smuggled out

than to have them smuggled in." The Canadian Government has given the Motherland as great an advantage as the present condition of the Domin ion will stand. We are confident that under our preferential tariff, this country will receive from Great Britain many articles that she now obtains in the United States, and no doubt a very profitable line of smuggling will be built up from Canada to the United States for other staple lar nomination day, which prevented British goods, on which a prohibitive the returning officer from reaching the duty is imposed by our neighbors. When duties are made high, to resist popular demand, smuggling is always promoted, and only by putting an along the 4,000 miles of international Practically the first bye-election since | boundary can it be prevented.

The April Century is to contain a number of articles on Pennsylvania coal mining, one of them by Jay Hambidge, the artist, who contributes "An Artist's Impression of the Colliery Region." The illustrations include in Lattimer, where the recent strikes occurred, and Mr. Hambidge has made a great number of interesting sketches of the many types of people that he found in the collieries.

In the Arena for March, in addition to a number of articles on the money question, C. A. Robinson, president Farmers' Alliance, writes about "Pingree Potato Patch Culture and its Effects on Business," and "Trusts: Their Causes and the Remedy," is by Marion Butler, U. S. senator from North Caro-lina. The editor writes a most appreciative article on "The Ascendency of Kipling," and "Girls' Co-Operative Boarding Homes" is discussed by Rob-

INDEPENDENT TESTIMONY [The Critic, London, England.] Ontario is one of the best governed of price, 25c, 50c, or \$1.

Humphreys' Medicine Company, New York, support of Russell to destroy the Gov- bits of the empire.

The Talk of

Premier Salisbury's Health Is the Chief Topic.

Cabinet Changes.

Mr. George N. Curzon Likely to Enter the Cabinet.

Unusually Marked Celebration of St Patrick's Day.

John Redmond's Clever Tactics-Mis sion of the Methodist Bishop of Africa.

[Special Cable Letter to The Advertiser.] London, March 19.-The interest of the English political world now centers in the Marquis of Salisbury's health, and the air is full of rumors of impending changes in the cabinet. In addition to influenza the premier is suffering from depression and a form of "brain fag," as a friend puts it, which will render it impossible for him to continue his present heavy labors at the foreign office. It is believed he will remain premier, but the reconstruction of the cabinet is probable during the Easter recess. The temporary installment of Mr. A.

J. Balfour, the first lord of the treasury and government leader in the House of Commons, at the head of the foreign office exercises the minds of all parties. The Liberal-Unionists deny it has any significance likely to prejulice their political status, and insist it is merely A STOP-GAP ARRANGEMENT.

Mr. Balfour has no special training or liking for foreign affairs, but he is warmly in sympathy with his uncle's view in regard to the present troubling international relations, and the fact that he was chosen to direct the foreign office indicates that his policy, for the present at least, will be conducted upon the Marquis of Salisbury's lines MR. CURZON TO BE PROMOTED. It is regarded as certain that Mr. George N. Curzon, the parliamentary secretary for the foreign office, will be admitted to the cabinet at the first opportunity. He has made rapid advances in the estimati especially during the past few weeks. Even his political opponents and important weekly papers are sounding his praises for the skillful manner in which he has handled the ticklish questions in the House of Commons. St. Patrick's Day was more generally celebrated on Thursday last here than usual. The shamrock was to be seen on all sides, and at the Birmingham assizes, the lord chief justice, Baron Russell of Killowen, appeared on the bench with a sprig of shamrock

pinned to his robes. At Dublin the principal event of St. Patrick's Day was the trooping of the colors in the castle yard, Lord Roberts of Kandahar, the commander-in-chief of the forces in Ireland, commanding the troops, which went through the evolutions brilliantly before the lordlieutenant of Ireland, Earl Cadogan and a distinguished party including the Duchess of Manchester and the Marquis of Ormonde.

In London the day was observed at the guard mount at St. James' Palace, where the band played Irish airs and a brilliant crowd attended the Irish industries sale at Lansdowne House. The list of patronesses included almost all the 19yal family.

IN HONOR OF CHARLOTTE YONGE It is proposed to found a universities scholarship in honor of Charlotte Yonge. An appeal to the public says this will be done in recognition of her "great services as the pioneer of that religious and high-toned literature for young people which for the last fifty years has been the special glory of England and the admiration of America and other countries." those who are supporting the scheme are the Princess of Wales, the Archbishop of Canterbory, the Duchess of Sutherland and man bishops.

CLEVER JOHN REDMOND. Mr. John Redmond, the Parnellite eader, has adopted very clever tactics to force a hearing on the subject of Ireland's over-taxation from the House of Commons. He has put down his motion about the financial relations between Great Britain and Ireland, in which matter he is acting as spokes-man for all sections of the Irish members, for the evening of the budget. He obtained priority, and by his action the budget is blocked and the chancellor of the exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, will be unable to make his annual financial statement until the Irish debate has first taken place. It is generally believed that this action will

Grateful Patients. G. P.'s the doctors call them, are found in every city, town and hamlet loud in their praise of "77" for Grip and Colds.

I have been using "77" for Coughs, Colds and Grip with great success in my family; I find it works finely with both Scott, whereupon six of London's fore-Please send me Manual de-

scribed in your circular, that I may treat the ailments of my one by Henry Hamilton was substitutchildren .- Mrs. E. P. Rapelye, Franklyn Pl., Flushing, N.Y. This Medical Book, telling about all of Dr. Humphreys' Specifics, will be found at your

Old London. CHALLING COLUMN CO Clothing Manufacturers.

Only One More Week of Our Great Removal Sale.

... BIG BARGAINS IN ...

Men's, Youths' and Boys' Clothing.

We move into our large and handsome premises, No. 158 Dundas Street, nearly opposite our present store, in one week. Formerly occupied by Priddis Bros.

Grafton & Co.

J. B. MANSON, - - MANAGER.

ties for a discussion of the question, which up to the present the ministers have refused to do. IN LIBERIA'S BEHALF.

Bishop Hartzell, the Methodist Episcopal Bishop of Africa, who is now here, has a mission from the president of Liberia to Great Britain. He will endeavor to obtain a treaty guaranteeing the integrity of the little republic against Franco-German encroac He has been well received at the British foreign office, where every sympathy was shown toward his plan, but it was suggested that it would be better, considering the interests of the United States in Liberia, if the suggestion of a treaty came from the United States. Bishop Hartzell sails for New York on March 23, and will go immediately to Washington, where he hopes to meet

with a favorable reception. TROUBLE WITH THE TRANSVAAL Private advices from the Transvaal to people having large interests there, indicate that serious trouble with Great Britain is brewing. British troops are already being concentrated on the frontier. At Johannesburg great commercial distress prevails. Mr. Wolff Joel, the nephew, partner and trustee of the late Barney Barnato, who was recently shot and killed in his office by a former soldier named Veltheim, said to be an American, married Violet Desmond, of the Gaiety chorus, some years ago. The marriage was kept a secret, as his

mother objected to his marrying any one but a Jewess. NOTES The Earl of Rosslyn, the peer who has adopted the stage for a profession, is starting a new penny paper called Scottish Life. In an editorial announcement, he says: "My sister, the Duchess of Sutherland, offers you an interesting story, and amongst other writers are the Marquis of Lorne and Ladies Randolph Churchill and Warwick." The huge surplus of the present financial year, and the high price of consols, finds the government of Great Britain with more money on its hands than it needs, and it has been decided to spend £2,500,000 in buying sites and erecting buildings for the great public departments, including a new

The premier's brother, Lord Sackville Cecil, left £250,000, almost entirely his own earnings. Like his brother, he had an absorbing interest in electricity. He was once chairman of the Exchange Telegraph Company, and assisted in the development of the Eastern Telegraph Company.

The Daily Mail is publishing letters

from women, demanding ladies' smoking carriages on the railroads. The theatrical week centered in the orilliant benefit given Nellie Farren, on Thursday last, at the Drury Lane Theater. At one time a serious disarrangement of the plans was threaten-It was intended to present her with an address written by Clement actor-managers threatened to withdraw from the benefit if an address by the author of attacks on the stage was to be presented. Scott's address was thereupon withdrawn, and

Purest and Best for Table and Dairy Ro adulteration. Never sakes.

GREAT POPULAR OFFER! By virtue of the unprecedented purchase, in a single order, of one hundred thousand (100,000), copies of this acknowledged Thousands of persons, who heretofore have not felt able to purchase it, will eagerly well me this opportunity to secure at reduced price "The Greatest Achievement of Modern Times."

THE FUNK & WAGNALLS OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE,

It is incomparably the greatest, as it is positively the latest, most complete, and most authoritative, new dictionary in existence. It is everywhere the standard. ENTIRELY NEW .: .: It is not a reprint, rehash, or reFROM COVER TO COVER. the result of the steady labor for
authoritative scholars and specialists in the world. Nearly
100 of the leading universities, colleges, and scientific institutions
of the world were represented on the editorial staff; 20 United
States Government experts were also on the editorial staff.
Over \$960,000 were actually expended in its production before
a single complete copy was ready for the market. Never was any
dictionary welcomed with such great enthusiasm the world over.
As the St. James's Budget, London, declares: "It is the admiration of Literary England. ... It should be the pride of Literary
America." The highest praise has come from all the great American and British newspapers, reviews, universities, and colleges,
as well as all classes of intelligent men and women everywhere.
Standard Dictionary, Otto Caroat Office of the

The regular subscription price of the Standard Dictionary, bound in full leather, is \$18. We will now supply the complete work in one rich, massive volume, elegantly bound in The Complete Work \$12 full sheep, sent carriage prepaid to any address for the surprisingly low price of \$12. Patent Thumb Index, 75 cents extra. Order from your bookseller, or from WARD & GOW (LINCOLN BUILDING) NEW YORK.

ELECTION FIGURES. Result of the Recount in West Huror

Garrow. Beck. Goderich 421 Clinton 278 Blyth 103 Wingham Ashfield 446 Colborne 237 West Wawanosh 261 East Wawanosh 255 Goderich township 104 Hullett 134

Pile Terrors Swept Away. Dr. Agnew's Ointment stands at the head as a reliever, healer and sure cure for Piles in all forms. plication will give comfort in a few minutes, and three to six days' application according to directions will cure chronic cases. It relieves all itching and burning skin diseases in a day. 35 Sold by W. S. B. Barkwell and all

Majority for Beck, 2.

druggists. THE ROYAL TEMPLARS. Hamilton, March 19.-Not much business came before the Dominion Council of the Royal Templars yesterday. There was a long discussion about financial matters. The committee on total disability reported. It was decided to remodel the system, and to have assessments reduced, but they will be colmore frequently, and one-half of each assessment will go into the redecided not to be liable for members who go to the Klondike or to insure miners in British Columbia. In future four, instead of three, meetings of the bill passed. board will be held annually. The system of grading candidates was approv-

Declared

Perhaps Spain and the United States may never go to war about Cuba; but that we have declared war on all forms of dirt and the bacteria that cause skin disease, a glance at our east window will

Buttermilk Complexion Soap. Green Clive Cil Castile Soap. Lanolia Toilet Soap. Eucalyptus Medicated Castile Soap.

188 Dundas Street.

GRANTED A BILL OF DIVORCE. Ottawa, March 19.-The senate committee on divorce recommended the serve fund. The committee on laws granting of a bill of divorce to Robert Augustus Baldwin Hart, of Montreal, from his wife, Catharine Cacouna The report was adopted, and the

ed of. It was decided not to grant the memorials to have officers of councils throat Trask's Magnetic Ointment. 25 and 40 cents.

Many Claims For Injuries.

Most of Those Submitted Very Unsatisfactory.

Toronto and Montreal.

mates are considered.

were also laid over.

commissioner.

On motion of Ald. McCallum, the

The question of increasing the city

Mrs. McDaniel's petition for remis-sion of taxes was laid over.

John Orrange applied for a read-

him had greatly changed. This and T.

R. Bryan's application for remission of

taxes, was referred to the assessment

Charles Blythe protested against per-

sonal property tax. Referred to com-

Mrs. Jane Taylor's petition for re-

mission of \$5 40 taxes was considered.

sewer had never been of any use. The

The petition of John Mustill, re leav-

Treasurer Pope was instructed to

prepare a bylaw to borrow \$60,000 for

current expenses of 1898. Accounts am-

spector J. L. Hughes.

Society-Dickens' Educational

Work.

Under the auspices of the London

James L. Hughes, of Toronto, delivered

Dickens." The lower floor of the Audi-

torium was nearly filled, the educa-

of mimicry. He was introduced by

dergarten, but said there was some-

thing radically wrong with the present

Mr. Hughes directed attention to a

recognize and apply the principle

picture of Froebel which adorned the

that the truest type of man should be

ually, and that education should be

done more to open the heart of the

world to the beauty and the require-

educational idea. Although throughout

his life he was busy studying English

society in all its phases, he was the

first man to write an article about the

kindergartens, and there never had liv-

ed since Dickens' time a man who could

write more comprehensively on educa-

tion than Dickens. He was a positive,

constructive educator. He described

in all nineteen different schools. He

found the school system of England in a condition worse than anything else in

press purpose of reforming the school

system. He described fourteen distinct

types of coercive school masters. Mr.

Hughes instanced Squeers as the chief

of these, and read from the pages of

Dickens descriptive of the Yorkshire

prison-school, pointing out the morals

to be drawn from the tale of brutality

and tyranny. Dickens riddled the awful old training of fear and trembling.

Since then Christian spirit had come

and Froebel had helped it to come.

more fully into the world and Dickens

Yet 50 years from now men would look

back and marvel at the present dark

and brutal age. Solomon had recom-

mended the rod, but then Solomon had

700 wives, and by his example one had

as much right to marry 700 wives as to thrash his child. With all Solomon's

children, we had never heard of any of

them amounting to anything. The

child should be left free to develop its

own individuality, character and per-

sonality, and it could not if the parent

made it go his way. We were not

taught now that childhood was totally

depraved; we believed there was a

divine element in it that should be

drawn into the fullest correspondence

with the central power. Mr. Hughes

then glanced at Dr. Blimber's academy

as an illustration of the cramming sys-

tem, which he denounced in unmeas-

ured terms. The little ones should be

allowed to take in the powers of the

marvelous thought of great men, and

these should not be degraded into a

mere collection of words and grammar.

Mr. Hughes hoped the day had come

when they would not test the child by

examination. He deduced the lessons

to be drawn from Gradgrind-that the

child's imagination must be given play.

TWO TERRIBLE EXPLOSIONS.

Perished-Many Mangled or Missing.

men were killed and many injured.

FEW LEFT.

tendered a vote of thanks.

as yet unaccounted for.

At the conclusion Mr. Hughes was

the rates for the present year.

matter was laid over until the esti-

Opposition to the Establishment of a Bacteriological Laboratory.

The Usual Batch of Petitions for Remission of Taxes-Accounts and Other Matters Dealt With.

The finance committee of the city council met last night, when the principal discussion turned upon the claims for compensation by persons injured in the city hall accident on Jan. 3, and the establishment of a bacteriological laboratory.

Mr. H. Bartlett appeared before the committee and stated that many of the injured ones had placed claims in and the taxes charged against the his hands, and he wished to know property.

what action the committee intended Mrs. R. Beamish applied for remistaking. There were many, ne said, sion of taxes. Laid over. who were becoming anxious, and wished to know whether or not the council intended to take any action in the

Aid. O'Meara did not think the committee had sufficient information regarding the claims. It was a matter that would require a great deal or investigation, and it would take a great deal or time. Anything the city might do would only be done as an act of charity, as the council could not, in opinion, recognize any forced claim. He moved to lay the matter

ing the home in Strathroy, was filed. Ald. McCallum said the question might result in each party forcing his claim before it would be considered. ounting to \$4,066 45 were passed. Ald. Graham suggested that a special meeting be caned in the near future to consider the matter.

great many of the claims as submitted The Schoolmasters could not be considered, as they were very ambiguous. In some doctors' bins were presented, without any information as to who was attended, and many others claimed large amounts for "injuries, doctors' bins and nursing." A rew claims had been presented giving details and accounting for every collar asked for. The claims were not all in as yet, and it would be better to leave the matter Under the Auspices of the Freebel over until all the claims were pre-

Ald. O'Meara said it was his opinion that some who had presented claims had made them large, expecting the city to pay them. He pointed out that promiscuous claims should not be en- Froebel Society last night, Iinspector

Ald. McPhillips suggested that the matter rest until somebody issued a a lecture on "The Schoolmasters of writ forcing their claim Ald. McCallum thought many were hanging back to await the council's tional interests of the city being well action on the small claims already in,

with the expectation of getting larger represented by school trustees and Mr. Bartlett asked if the committee would be in a position to consider them the next meeting night. This the chairman said was something he could tell nothing about, as

the claims might not all be in. The Mayor Wilson, who extolled the kinmatter was laid over. 'A communication was received from Dr. English, secretary of the London system of education, which made men-Medical Association, with reference to tal dwarfs and physical giants. a grant of \$500 for the establishment of

a bacteriological department in connection with the health department of Ald. McPhillips moved to file it. Ald. O'Meara supported Ald. McPhillips. He did not believe in shipping bacteriological specimens around the country. He argued on the information gleaned from some of the doctors that if a laboratory were established it

institution which would only benefit some ments of childhood and to complete the four or five doctors who would run the Ald. Graham favored granting the amount, and thought the etsablishment of such a department in connection with the city hospital would tend to

would mean that the city pay for an

elevate the institution. Mayor Wilson explained that the lahoratory, if established, would be in connection with the board of health. and suggested that the medical health officer be asked to qualify himself for the position of bacteriologist. He had no doubt that Dr. Hutchinson could fill



DANGEROUS NEGLIGENCE.

Some people have as little regard for their health as the man who goes for their health as the man who had a into a powder magazine smoking a pipe has for his safety. If there is any difference in their reckless negative in favor of the latter. ligence it is in favor of the latter.

Health is the most precious gift of mature. The aim of all should be its preservation. It is easier to retain, than to regain once it is lost. Keep the blood pure and the system strong and healthful and you'll be able to

Abbey's Effervescent Salt

Effervescent Salt for you. A teaspoonful taken every morning, before breakfast, keeps you in a state of insusceptibility to disease. Here are some words of praise we have received from prominent persons in England. ment persons in England.

Mr. Sims Reeves says: "This preparation is ent boon, simple, refreshing, and efficacious."

Madame Marie Roze says: "I have used your Abbey's Effervescent salt with remarkable results. It is really wonderful."

Sir Henry Lynner and Marie Roze says: "I salt with remarkable results. It is really wonderful." nent persons in England.

Sir Henry Irving says : It has certainly not been over-rated."

Madame Christine Nilsson says:
"I have much pleasure in stating at that I find your Abbey's Effervescent Salt a very refreshing and agreeable

beverage."

Our booklet "An Invitation to Health" may interest you—it's free.
This great English Preparation can be had of all druggists.

Price 2/6 or 60 cts. a bottle.

instruments. The establishment of a laboratory would place the doctors the regular meeting this week. In the here on an equality with those of absence of the president, Vice-President Harris occupied the chair. After routine business a communication from Toronto Trades and Labor Council was The grants to charitable institutions read, in which attention was called to Mr. Bertram's advocacy of the right of trades unions to register and engineer's salary was laid on the table, trol the use of their respective labels; also to Mr. Maxwell's bill re poll tax to be taken up when the estimates are on Chinese, and Mr. Casey's regarding security of railroad employes by compelling the companies to equip their cars with safety appliances. The Tojustment of his tax rate, es times with ronto council also asked that Mr. Taylor's alien labor bill be opposed. The communication was referred to a special committee, consisting of Delegates Mc-Lean, Hunter and Garceau, to submit

a report on the various subjects at the next meeting. The corresponding secretary was in structed to write to Mr. Beattie, M.P., and ask him to supply the council with copies of all bills in the interests of labor brought before the house.

It was resolved that an open session of the council be held after 9 o'clock on the next night of meeting, at which The petition of Daniel O'Hearn for the Ontario Factories' Act would be remission of taxes on vacant premises was referred to the council for action. taken up, so that all who are not conversant with the various provisions J. McKinnon, Wellington street, askwould become better acquainted with ed for remission of sewer tax as the the measure. It was also decided to invite all trades unionists who wish to council will be recommended to remit attend to take part in the meeting. The question of the celebration of The application of P. B. Richards, Oxford street, to have \$27 30 taxes next Labor Day was brought up, and it was resolved to appoint a committee charged against the property, was laid to submit a report on the best method

of holding a demonstration. The following were appointed: Delegates Plant, McKenna, Burleigh, Marks, Bremner, Harris, Garceau, Lammerton and Hardy. The secretary was authorized to make application for the use of Queen's Park on Labor Day. Delegate Marks spoke of the social reform organization which had recently been started in Hamilton, under the auspices of the Trades and Labor Council, and read the platform as temporarily adopted, and also asked that a public meeting be held in the city for the same purpose. The matter was referred to the organization committee,

with instructions to call a meeting for Lecture at the Auditorium by Inthe night of March 25. The committee which had charge of the smoking concert reported that after all expenses had been paid there was a surplus of several dollars. The council adjourned for two weeks.

> GENERAL LABOR NOTES. The molders at the Wyandotte Mich., alkali works are on strike. The International Woodworkers' Union are making an effort to organize

the craft in the State of Ohio.

The ladies' tailor union of Chicago -numbering 150-are out on strike for shorter hours and more wages. The Chicago Federation of Labor has adopted strong resolutions in favo.

teachers. Among Mr. Hughes' chief municipal ownership of all street railqualifications as a lecturer are a fine After a suspension of four months the presence, a dramatic delivery, and a Delaware iron works at Newcastle. strong, rich voice, with excellent pow-Del., started this week, with a force of

> Ben Tillett writes the American Federationist that he will reach the Pacific coast from Australia some time in April and will make a brief tour of the United States, delivering lectures in the principal cities. A meeting of the Alabama miners

stage, and eulogized him as the first was held in Birmingham on March 15, for the purpose of completing the diperfect physically, mentally and spiritvision of the U. M. W. of A., from which organization they have been directed to that end. Dickens, with the separated five years. exception of Froebel, had more than P. J. McGuire, general secretary of any other man or woman since Christ, the Brotherhood of Carpenters and

Joiners, is expected in Detroit soon to try to effect a settlement of the trouble between the English and German sections of the trade. The operators of the Northern Colorado coal fields say it will be impossible for them to continue to operate Ottawa at the present session, providing

at the rate of wages made by the arbitration board for the miners. All the mines may be closed. Grand Master O'Connell, of the machinists, reports that there are 36 ma- a similar law was enacted, which reunder the eight-hour day. Six firms

the world, and he wrote with the exin that city have recently conceded the nine-hour day without any oppo-The Chicago Federation of Labor has unanimously adopted a resolution demanding that the school board place swimming tanks in the public schools. "so the health of the children may be

promoted and at the same time the children may learn a useful art." The English correspondent of the American Federationist says the loss of the engineer's strike will prove a blessing to trades unionism in Great Britain by bringing about a federation of all trades. "Before the great fight," he says, "federation was only the pious opinion of a comparative few; now it is ity since 1870, I feel that I am in a posi-

the expressed determination of the many.' The Detroit Free Press says of trade in that city: Carpenters are nearly all at work; cigarmakers, more than half idle; machinists have not an idle man; shoemakers report trade dull; painters fairly well employed; hand printers are in the United States, owing to the fact grumbling, but operators are all employed; molders complain of irregular employment; bricklayers expect a good

season, as do all the building trades. William Hudson, an inexperienced hand, was put to work by the Alton, Ill., Paving, Building and Fire Brick Company, the superintendent directing him to "do whatever the engineer told him." Hudson was set to work in a dangerous place, was permanently injured by falling clay, and brought suit for damages. The trial court gave him \$7,500, and this verdict has been sustained by the appellate court, the court holding that a foreman or boss is not a fellow-servant but a viceprincipal.

The Atlanta Constitution says: "Does machinery displace labor, or widen the scope of its employment? Ordinarily this question evokes the answer that machinery displaces labor, and that Sixty-Eight Persons Known to Have most of our present ills are due in some measure to the rapid increase of mechanical inventions, but a writer in Madrid, March 19.-A terrible ex- the current number of Donahoe's Magaplosion took place yesterday in the Santa Isabel mine at Belmez, Prozine undertakes to prove that such is not true. This writer first deals with of Cordova. Sixty corpses have the printing press. He states that when already recovered, and many men are the printing press was invented some 300 or 400 years ago, its immediate ef-Kingston, Jamaica (via Bermuda), fect was to displace some few copyists, March 19.-A dynamite explosion took but that its ultimate effect was to cheapen the labor of publication and place this morning in the government storehouse on Montego Bay. Eight to create demands for books, newspapers and magazines the world over, giving employment to millions of laengine, he contends that where it has there be freedom for all in the trade displaced one laborer it has given to conduct their business as is most Price 2 6 or 60 cts. a bottle.

THE AMEY EFFERVESCENT SALT CO., LIMITED, Workfreal, CANADA.

"We use 328,500,000 handkerchiefs a year in this country," asserted the steady employment to thousands. So with the telephone, the electric light, the electric light, the electric light, the electric motor, the linotype, the type-writer and other useful inventions, writer and other useful inventions, and as far as I can learn such a law does not exist in any civilizion to orders. Phone 423. Open night and day,

man could be secured to fill both positions for \$1,500—the same salary as Dr. Hutchinson was getting.

Ald, O'Meara said some of the city doctors considered that it was not necessary, and he asked as to the probable cost.

The mayor said that in this, as in many other matters, there were bound to be some men of small ideas. He did not know what the cost would be for instruments. The establishment of a laboratory would place the foctors tion of the nineteenth century.'

The co-operative bee is buzzing hard in the ears of window glass workers. A resolution will soon be sent out by the Window Glass Workers' Association favoring the establishment of a cooperative window glass plant. Officials maintain that the American Glass Company, by their combination and alleged high prices, has made is possible for manufacturers to make almost 100 per cent dividends on their investments. It is proposed to invest \$30,000 to build a tank equal to 36 pots. One hundred workmen can be secured to subscribe \$100 each, and \$5,000 can be secured as a bonus from some town in which to establish the plant, and the association will be urged to loan the co-operative factory \$15,000. These figures will be embodied in the resolu-

Mr. James Paddon Viciously Assaulted by a Fierce Assailant.

Kidney Disease Caused Him Much Suffering-But a Staunch Friend, Dodd's Kidney Pills, Went to His Assistance -Now He Is as Well as Ever He Was,

Mount Forest, March 18.-A most daring assault was made on one of our well-known citizens here recently. The victim is Mr. James Paddon, and the attack. was a very determined and vicious one. By the timely aid of a staunch and true friend, however, he managed to elude the clutches of his assailant, but not before he had sustained serious injuries, that caused him great suffering. Mr. Paddon's assailant was that bane of the age, Kidney Disease, and the friend that rendered such valuable help is Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Mr. Paddon suffered for a long time with severe backache and pain in his stomach and kidneys. There were other symptoms of Kidney Disease present, and, knowing what the end would be, unless the complaint were promptly checked, he began to use Dodd's Kidney Pills.

He used two boxes in all, and they cured him completely. He is now enjoying as good health as he ever did, thanks to Dodd's Kidney Pills alone. There are no "Dull Times" for disease and death. They are always busy. They never want for victims. But Providence has given a way of banishing the most deadly forms of disease-Kidney troubles—and of resisting the attacks of death successfully. Dodd's Kidney Pills positively cure all types of Kidney Dispositively cure all types of Kidney Disease. This has been proved thousands of times, and is now universally admitted. Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Dropsy, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Fenale Diseases, etc., speedily yield to

Dodd's Kidney Pills are sold by all druggists, at 50 cents a box, six boxes \$2 50, or will be sent, on receipt of price, by the Dodds Medicine Company, Lim-

Hide Inspection.

Should It Be Compulsory or Voluntary?

Interesting Letter from a Well-Known London Dealer

was at a later date amended, the com-

1. Because it is restrictive to legiti-

all the hides we handle find a market

of other grades more adapted to the

2. When the American buyers come

to this country to buy they will not

recognize any inspection save their

own, unless they can buy at lower

prices. They consider themselves quite capable of looking after their own in-

terests in any deal they make, and in-

selecting and assorting the goods to suit

themselves. And my experience has taught me that in order to obtain best

must be kept free from all unnecessary

3. Because we found compulsory in

spection to work unfairly in the mat-

ter of trimming. It exacts a certain

method, which reduces the weight of

the hides from 3 to 4 per cent below

that which can be sold to the American

buyer. He demands the system of

trimming adopted in his own market,

and also insists upon a certain stan-

dard of quality, condition and weight

whereas the official inspector's weights

the inspection is desired it is available.

the following grounds:

into Canada.

restrictions

treets. Phone 897. To the Editor of The Advertiser: As I am informed a bill, now ready, is to be presented to parliament at McDONALD-DENTISTfor the compulsory inspection of raw hides, I hope you will give me space in your valuable paper for a few re-Telephone 702. marks on this subject. Some years ago chine shops in Pittsburg now operating mained in force at certain points throughout the country for some time, but it was found to be so continually embarrassing and restrictive to the trade, and also so impracticable, that it

> pulsory clause being struck out, leaving the question of official inspecton optonal, as it is at present. Thus, if a tanner or other buyer of hides wishes to purchase subject to the law of inspection, he is at liberty to do so. On the other hand he is free to buy, and the seller is free to sell, without inspection. This system is equitable, just and fair to all parties, and it seems, Hotel Cards. from my point of view, that to return to the compulsory system would be to take a retrograde step. Having been in the hide and wool trade in this local-Wm. Collins, proprietor.

CITY HOTEL-LONDON-BEST \$1 A DAY house in Canada; good stables in connection. J. McMartin, proprietor. tion to speak on the subject from practical experience, and I am strongly opposed to compulsory inspection upon

THE ST. LAWRENCE HOTEL-MON-TREAL-Centrally located and first-class in every respect. H. Hogan, proprietor. mate business. About 90 per cent of all the hides we handle find a market in the United States, owing to the fact

THE RICHMOND"—CORNER OF KING and Richmond streets. James Fallahe, new proprietor. A call solicited.

prietor. GRIGG HOUSE—LONDON, ONT.—REFUR-NISHED and renovated throughout. Large and light sample rooms for commercial men. Rates, \$1 50 and \$2 per day. M. O'Meara, pro-Canadian manufactures are imported

Marriage Licenses.

sist on being their own inspectors and MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W H. Bartram, 99 Dundas street. MARRIAGE LICENSES AT WESTON'S grocery, 64 Stanley street. Take a belt prices the hides must be handled so as to attract customers, and to do this

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY J. G. Shuff, chemist, 540 Dundas street (corner William). Trolley cars pass the door. No witnesses required. MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED AT Johnston's shoe store, 198 Dundas street. No witnesses required. Residence, 394 Dundas. MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED AT Strong's Drug Store, 184 Dundas street. Residence, 289 Dufferin avenue.

and marks of quality are accepted by the Canadian buyers.

4. Because the law as at present covers the ground, and is fair to all, leaving the trade free and unfettered. If ing the trade free and unfettered. If

if not desired it is not compulsory. Let Livery Stables.

We Guarantee It. Try a half pound, and if it is not the best grocer and get your money. No charge will be made for what has been used. All grocers keep it in lead packets only-25c, 30c, 40c, 50c

ed country, certainly not in England or the United States.

In addition to the above many more reasons could be cited against this proposed law, but not wishing to trouble you with too long a letter, these will suffice for the present. Thanking you for the space, I am, etc., T. W. WRIGHTON,

London, March 17, 1898. Where Specialists Failed Dr. Chase

Cured Catarrh. James Spence, Clachan, Ont., writes: "I had been a sufferer from Catarrh for 15 years. It became chronic, and I had given up hopes of ever being cured when advised by a friend to try Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. I at once started, and am pleased to state three boxes effected a complete cure, and I heartily recommend it to anyone suffering from Catarrh."

Jeweiers.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO REPAIRING— J. T. Westland, Engraver and Manufacturing Jeweler, 340 Richmond street (up-stairs) London, Ont.

Architects.

A LFRED BODLEY-ARCHITECT-Hiscox Building, corner Richmond and King streets, London. MOORE & HENRY-ARCHITECTS AND M civil engineers. Members Ont. Ass'n Architects; members Ont. L. Surveyors' Ass'n members Am. Waterworks Ass'n. HERBERT MATTHEWS—ARCHITECT— (formerly with C. C. Haight, New York), Carling Block, Richmond street.

MCBRIDE & FARNCOMBE—ARCHI TECTS and surveyors, 213 Dundas street E. C. McBride. F. W. Farncombe, H.S., C.E.

Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORT-GAGES at 5 per cent; on second mort-gages and other security at low rates, at G. W. Francis' loan office, 90 Dundas street, London. SOME MONEY TO LOAN ON MIDDLESEA farm property at 5 and 5½ per cent, and on city property at 5½ and 6 per cent. T. W. Scandrett, solicitor, 98 Dundas street, London, property.

DR. MEEK—QUEEN'S AVENUE LONDON—Specialty, diseases of women-thours, 10 a.m. till 1:30 p.m.

\$100,000 TO LEND ON MORT-nent, McDonagh & Coleridge, barristers, so-licitors, notaries. 78 Dundas street, London. Branch offices, Glencoe, Bothwell and Alvin-ston.

Massage Treatment.

MISS SHUFF-GRADUATE OF DR. S. Weir Mitchell's Hospital for Nervous Diseases Philadelphia. Massage and Swedish movements. 497 King street. London. (**)

Dental Cards. DR. SILK-DENTIST-185½ DUNDAS street. Phone 1,248. Residence, 551 Tal-bot street. Phone 1,244. Night calls promptly J. ELLIOTT HOLMES, L.D.S-ROOM 3-Duffleld Block, Dundas and Clarence

DR. L. H. DAWSON-DENTIST-CORNER Dundas and Lyle streets, East London. DR. JEFFERY N. WOOD -- DENTIST -Over Runians & Butler, Dundas street.

Office, 18314 Dundas street, London.

DR. J. H. SWANN — DENTIST—OFFICE— 207½ Dundas street. Telephone 1,131. WOOLVERTON & BENTLEY-DENTISTS -216 Dundas street, next Edy Bros, over Cairneross & Lawrence, druggists. Telephone DR. G. H. KENNEDY-DENTIST - SUC CESSOR to the late Dr. Davis. Specialty

preservation of natural teeth. 170 Dund street. Phone 975. DR. W. S. WESTLAND-DENTIST-Honor graduate Toronto University, post-graduate in crown and bridge work, Chicago, Electric cataphoresis for painless filling. Edge Block, Richmond street. Phone 960.

O'NEIL HOUSE—CORNER TALBOT AND York streets; new and convenient; stables.

that they are better suited to, and can be used in, certain departments of leather manufacture to greater advantage there than here, while other hides

TECUMSEH HOUSE - LONDON, ONT. —

Largest and best hotel in Western Ontario. No charge for baggage or sample rooms. Rates, \$2 and \$2 50 per day. C. W. Davis, pro-

L ICENSES ISSUED BY THOS. GILLEAN— Jeweler, 402 Richmond street.

Pawnbrokers.

Musical Instruction. NEZ ETHELYN SMITH-SOPRANC A soloist, voice teacher. Visitors received Thursday afternoons. Studio, 443 Park avenue. MRS. AND MISS NOBLE TEACHERS OF piano, organ and harmony. Residence 526 King street.

MR. FREDERICK G. SIMPSON-ORGAN.
IST Askin Street Methodist Church-Instruction in piano and harmony. Accompanist. 199 Richmond street. zxt W H. HEWLETT-ORGANIST DUNDAR Center Church, teaches piano, organ and theory. 563 Dundas street. J. T. WOLCOTT-ORGANIST FIRST Methodist Church, teaches piano, organ and composition. 5 Prospect avenue.

Classes of ten for the study of elecution are now being formed. Greatly reduced rates.

Apply at Conservatory of Music, 374 Dundar street, for particulars. Phone 1101.

Medical Cards.

DR. ECCLES—QUEEN'S AVENUE—LONDON, Ont. Special attention to all discusses peculiar to women. Hours 10 to 2. Pulmonary affections, cancers, tumors, piles, diseases of women and children. R. OVENS, M.D.—205 QUEEN'S AVENUE— Eye, ear, nose and throat. DR.ENGLISH-OFFICE AND RESIDENCE -688 Dundas street. Telephone. PR. JOHN D. WILSON — OFFICE AND residence, 260 Queen's avenue. Special attention paid to diseases of women. DR. MACLAREN - OFFICE AND REST-DENCE, northeast corner of Park and Queen's avenues. Hours, II to 3 and 6 to 8, Careful attention paid to diseases of digestive system. Telephone 869. DR. WOODRUFF-EYE, EAR, NOSE AND throat. Hours, 12 to 4. No. 183 Queen's

PR. W. L. SMITH — OFFICE, 619 RICH-MOND street, London. Specialist in Piles. Ulcers, Tumors, Fissure, Fistula, Pruritis and all Rectal Diseases. DRS. MACARTHUR & THOMSON - 485

H. A. KINGSMILL, M.D. 443 Park avenue. Phone 210. DR. N. R. HENDERSON - CORNER Queen's and Park avenues. Eye, ear, throat and nose only DR. W. J. WEEKES, 405 DUNDAS STREET corner Colborne. Hours, 11 to 3 and after

DR. R. M. COOPER, L.R.C.P., AND S. ED. L.F.P. and S. Glarc.—Office and residence 587 Richmond street. Telephone, 1004. CL. T. CAMPBELL — M. D., M. C. P. S. —
Office and residence, 327 Queen's avenue
London. Office hours, 8 to 9:30 a.m., 1 to 2 p.m.
and 6 to 7:30 p.m. Skin diseases a specialty.

Viavi Treatment,

MRS. STEIN AT HOME SATURDAYS TO ladies of the country. 311 Hyman street,

Legal Cards.

GIBBONS, MULKERN & HARPER-BAR-RISTERS, etc., London. Office, corner Richmond and Carling streets. George C. Gib-bons, Q.C., P. Mulkern, Fred F. Harper. J. H. A. BEATTIE - BARRISTER, ETC. - 87½ Dundas street. Private funds to loan on real estate at 51/2 per cent.

T. W. SCANDRETT — BARRISTER — SO-LICITOR, etc., 98 Dundas street, London. PARKE, PURDOM & PURDOM-BARRIS-TERS, Masonic Temple. E. Jones Parke, Q.C., T. H. Purdom, Alexander Purdom. GREENLEES & BECHER-BARRISTERS, etc., Canadian Loan Company Building, Richmond street, London. Private funds to loan. A. Greenlees, B.A., H. C. Becher. McEVOY & POPE — BARRISTERS, SO-LICITORS, 402 Ridout street, opposite court house. Telephone 979. Money to Day J. M. McEvoy, LL.B., H. C. Pope, LL.B.

H. LUSCOMBE—BARRISTER, SOLICIT • OR., etc., 169 Dundas street, near Eich-ond. Money at lowest rates. W. B. LAIDLAW—BARRISTER—SO-LICITOR, etc., Bank of Commerce building. Money to loan at lowest rates. JARVIS & VINING—BARRISTERS, ET. on real estate TUART, STUART & ROSS-BARRISTERS

Strathroy and Glencoe. Alex. Stuart, Duncar Stuart, Duncar C. Ross, LLB. London office corner Dundas and Richmond; Glencoe, Main street. U.A. BUCHNER-BARRISTER, ETC.-8. Dundas street, London. Telephone 99. Money to loan at lowest rates. MAGEE, McKILLOP & MURPHY-BAR RISTERS, solicitors, notaries, etc. Offices corner Richmond and Dundas, London. James Magee, Q.C., James B. McKillop, Thomas J. Murphy, Philip E. Mackenzie, LL.B. L OVE & DIGNAN-BARRISTERS, ETC.—418 Talbot street, London. Francis Love, R. H. Dignan.

W. H. BARTRAM—BARRISTER—SO-LICITOR, etc. Office, 99 Dundas street. Veterinary Surgeons. J. H. TENNANT — VETERINARY SUR-GEON—Office, King street, opposite Mar-ket House. Residence, corner King and Wel-lington. Telephone.

Business Cards.

DoDD & CO.—PRACTICAL BUILDERS, carpenters and joiners. Jobbing and repairing promptly attended to. Shop, 154 Fullarton street. GEO. ROUGHLEY—FELT AND GRAVEL roofer; repairing a specialty; estimates of application. 290 South street, London. Telephone, 888. WANTED-GENTS' CLOTHING TO clean, dye and repair; also ostrich feather

to dye, clean and curl equal to new. Eyres Steam Dye Works, 221 Dundas street. JUBILEE HAND LAUNDRY HAS RE MOVED to more commodjous premises at 234 Dundas street (Spencer Block.)

insurance.

A. N. UDY - INSURANCE AGENT - Office over C. P. R. ticket office. Tele

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE Assets (Fire) \$58,000.000. Phœnix Insurance Co.; New York Life Insurance Co.; Canada Accident Assurance Co.; American Surety Co.; Employers' Liability

Insurance Funds. estate, apply to
EDWARD TOWE & CO. Over Bank of Commerce, 412 Richmond street, London. Phone off ce, 690 wty

From Gold Lands.

Strange Herders of the Govern- that a driver can lean back, but most ment Reindeer.

Finns and Lapps Are Most Numerous-American Wintry Days Make Them Perspire-Reindeer and Sleds-Unloading the Animals.

[New York Times.] The steamship Manitoban yesterday unloaded Dr. Sheldon Jackson's fragment of Lapland into Jersey City, and Jerseyites crowded to see their temporary acquisition. It was an exhibition that even New Yorkers were induced to travel over the ferries to see, for New York, with its unequaled opportunities for ethnological study, does not have colonies of Lapland reindeer drivers in their native costumes landing this was sweltering weather, and the every day. Then, too, there were the herders' wives, with faces like red apples, and then there were the funnylooking little children and the funnier- and looked as though they would prelooking babies done up like Indian pappooses. They made 113, all told, and they had with them 537 reindeer, 418

sieds, 511 sets of harness and 3,800 bags of Arctic moss for fodder for the deer. The Manitoban, which had arrived at Quarantine the preceding night, after e voyage of 24 days and 4,000 miles from Bosekop, Arctic Lapland, Norway, went up to the Central Stock Yards, foot of Sixth street, Jersey City, at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. The Laplanders were seen in groups about the decks as she warped in. They were looking in evident amazement at the tall buildings in New York. Most of them had never seen anything more pretentious than the log hotel at Bosekop, and were accustomed to the mud huts that serve for shelter in their nomadic life, following the herds.

Dr. Sheldon Jackson, United States general agent of education, who first introduced domestic reindeer into Alaska, had doffed his deerskin tunic, as had William A. Kjellmann, superintentendent of the government reindeer herd in Alaska, who collected the deer and their drivers for the government's Klondike relief service.

Lieut.-Col. Kimball, the quartermaster-general of this department of the army; Col. J. F. Wiston, of the subsistence department and manager of the transportation bureau of the army; Capt. J. W. Littell, of the quartermaster's department, and Lieut. D. B. Devore, disbursing officer of the expedition, were conveyed to the pier in the er's cargo to the special train that is to Balto is rather dark for his race, and pointed and directed to study convey it to Seattle. It is made up in two sections, each having fourteen specially prepared stock cars, five box ars, three baggage cars, a cooking car and two tourist cars. F. W. Barksdale, of the Pennsylvania Railroad, which has the contract for overland transportation, is in immediate charge of

the train arrangements, and, barring obstacles, the start toward Seattle will e made tonight. The first work yesterday was the debarkation of the deer from their pens on the steamer to the pens in the stock yards. They were quartered between decks and in built-up pens on shipboard, five deer to the pen. The deer are mostly white, though some are of brownish color and some grayish. All were dehorned before embarkation for mutual preservation. The butts of the antiers had also Leen shed, so that the reindeer were not as pic-turesque as the Dunder and Blitzen of

Santa Claus tales. Nor are reindeer comparable with our deer in beauty. They stand about three feet high and average in weight 200 pounds. When their antiers attain their full size some extend seven feet from tip to tip, each antler having about three prongs, though they vary in number. Another prong, shaped like a palm leaf and extending out from the center of the forehead, suggests a shovel. Though tame and trained, the deer in

this herd are not free from pranks, as evinced by striking out with their forelegs when they were prepared for leading off the ship. But the herders are dressed for just such experiences. The deer did not take kindly to the proceedings, and the herders went through rough-and-tumble experience before he task was completed. After the deer were taken off the moss was unloaded, and then the sleds

and harness. The harnesses are made of rope, leather or gut. A strap around the neck connects with a pair of hames, and a strap across each side of the front legs connects underneath with a girth, from which a single trace passes between the back legs to the sled. The sled is made of flat strips of the scrub pine that constitutes the only approach to forest in Lapland. There s a center keel of stouter timber four or five inches wide, that rounds up forward like the stem of a vessel, and the thinner strips are set side by side, like the staves of a barrel, held in place by pegs. The strips narrow from the rear (to a mere point forward, where they are gathered and held in place by a thong. The sled practically runs on its is seven feet; they are about two feet

The universal success of

patients. It

A Proof of the Merit

in any article is the amount of free advertising it receives.

Pabst Malt Extract

is largely due to the testimony of people who have used it. It

is sold in almost every city and hamlet in America. Its purity

and efficacy have given to it the immense popularity it has

attained. It is indorsed by thousands of physicians and

MAKES STRENGTH.

It has often given vigor and health when every avenue of hope

seemed to have been closed. Send for booklet, mailed free. All druggists sell it.

come from an east side sweat shop. The Laplanders are fond of bright colors, and in their rough skin costume they work in a surprising amount of brilliant ornamentation. The cap affords the best opportunity, principally in the large top, and red or scarlet pre-dominates. Tassels of red and yellow also adorn the vertical seam at the side of the band or cap proper, and in some cases scarfs are worn of fabric into which are introduced all the colors of the rainbow and their shades. They have a change of costume suitable for the warmest of weather, and a number of the women and a few of the men wore it yesterday, for to them perspiration stood out on their foreheads, while Jerseyites standing on the pier shivering were blue in the face fer the mosquito season.

The Finns and Lapps are, in the main, little folks, though a few men were as tall as 5 feet 8 inches or 5 feet 9 inches; 5 feet 5 inches and 5 feet 6 inches were more common, and the women are little over 4 feet. Some of the men have beards, but most of them have none, or at most straggly hair. One has sometimes to look twice to tell whether he is looking at a man or a woman. Some of the women are painfully homely. One woman sat on a hatch, looking as broad as she was long in her cumbersome furs. In her lap was a baby, fitted in a scooped-out wooden cradle like a narrow chopping dish. In this the babe was completely hidden from view, swaddled in clothes, and dish and all in turn bundled up. Even the breathing vent was not in evidence.

A young bride of 22 years, perhaps was the comeliest-looking. Her cheeks were plump and rosier than a rose. Her husband was a goodly-looking chap, with hair that fell over his ears to his shoulders.

The Finns and Lapps are an exceptionally peaceful people and a moral one, but they pay little or no attention to cleanliness. They are Lutherans, and in their wanderings they visit the villages in which the ministers are distributed in their territory, to attend church when they can on Sundays, and to have hymenial compacts effected. The most conspicuous of the Lapps and a fine looking and intelligent man, cannot speak English, but when requested, through his interpreter, he

and keep, which is three times what mer was \$14,000. The total cost of the expedition to date has been about \$40,-

Lieut. Devore and Mr. Kjellmann will accompany the expedition to Seattle. Mr. Rjellmann proceeding to Dyea, which has been settled upon as the point of landing in Alaska. There the relief stations.

The Determination of Sex.

Dr. Schenck's reported discoveries on this subject, regarding which he has not yet made any detailed statement, are thus treated by the Medical is any way of predicting the years of

"It is said that a Dr. Schenck, a university professor and president of the Embryological Society, has found out the secret of sex. He finds that this depends wholly upon the nature of the food consumed by the parents, whether one or both the report does not state, and he has proved his theory by a long series of experiments, beginning with oysters and ending with We may add that we are indebted for these startling details to the daily press, our correspondents in Mexico and Vienna having strangely failed to telegraph us an account of

the astounding discoveries." On the other hand, Prof. George MacCloskie, of Princeton, in discussing the subject speaks of the reported discovery as both probable and natural. He says, as reported in the Medical

"Sex selection has aiready been accomplished in the plant world and in some forms of animal life. It has been found that hemp, when grown in rich soil, produces the female plant, while ribs inside, which are held by wooden in scant soil it produces the male. Working bees will, when fed upon very rich food, become queens, and salamanders, when fed upon the fragments of their brothers and sisters, The average length of the sleds, | will produce almost twice the percentor toboggans, as we ought to call them, age of females as when they are fed wide and four inches deep. They can hold 250 pounds of goods. A few of them are fitted with back-boards, so of a large percentage of males. Modquired. I consider that the power of sex selection is a necessary one, and that it will certainly be made a practical thing sooner or later."

The Lakes Rising.

The Water Increasing After Nearly Ten Years of Subsidence.

Vessel Men No Longer Alarmed About the Effect of the Chicago Drainage Canal.

A Chicago correspondent writes: In 1895 the level of the great lakes, after ten years of steady recession, reached a lower mark than ever before since a settlement occupied their shores, except in 1818 and 1847. Vessel men took alarm, not because of any fear that there might not be water enough in the lakes themselves for navigation, but on account of the growing shallowness of the harbors. There are no good natural harbors on the entire chain of lakes except at the head of Lake Superior, where nature has formed a large bay. All the other commercial harbors have been dredged by the government out of the mouths of small rivers and creeks that are rivers only in name. The harbors of Chicago, Milwaukee, Cleveland and many minor ports were made in this way. Originally they were adapted in depth to the small vessels in which the commerce of the lakes was transported until recent years, but the constant tendency to-wards increasing the size and draught of lake craft has called for large expenditures in deepening them from year to year. Lower water in the lakes, of course, produces lower water in the harbors, and this is the serious

point involved. In 1895 the Vessel Owners' Association appealed to the government for a scientific investigation to determine the effect on the lake levels that would result from taking 300,000 cubic feet per second out of Lake Michigan and quartermaster's boat Gen. Meigs, to is Samuel Johannesen Balto, who, as through the great Chicago drainage arrange for the transfer of the steam- reported yesterday, was with Nansen. canal. A board of engineers was aption of a goatee. He blem and make a report, but the report, when it came, was inconclusive, the board saying, in substance, that it with evident pride exhibited the decorations conferred upon him by King Oscar II., for his services on the Arctic levels of the currents which the canal would carry. So the matter rested, The deer cost \$10 a head; harness, \$2 60 a set; sleds, \$3 50 each; the total cost being approximately \$8,000. The ing the year 1897, and it is not improved by the company were induced to come only ing the year 1897, and it is not improved by the company were induced to come only ing the year 1897, and it is not improved by the company were induced to come only ing the year 1897, and it is not improved by the company were induced to come only ing the year 1897. but fortunately, before the opening of the canal the lake levels are beginning probable that in a few years the old high-water mark will be restored, so they can make at hime. Lieut. Devore that there will be water enough and to said that the charter price of the stea- spare before Chicago taps the head of Lake Michigan with her big sewer. The rise is accounted for by the heavy snowfall of recent years, and the rainfall during 1897. The annual rainfall on the surface of the lakes averages from 40 to 50 inches, and the summer evaporation is about a foot and a half. The remainder of the gain a half. expedition will be distributed to various from precipitation and from inflowing streams goes off through the St. Lawrence to the ocean. There used to be a theory that there is a regular periodicity in the movement of the lake

levels-that the water rises for seven years and falls for seven years, but this has been exploded by observation, and it is not now claimed that there gain and loss. The rainfall is as capricious as the winds. There may be many successive years of drought or of unusual precipitation, or dry and wet years may alternate. Geologists all know that back in prehistoric times the level of the lakes was very much higher than at present. This is strikingly shown along the southern shore of Lake Erie, where three old beaches can be distinctly traced at intervals of a mile or two apart, paralleling the present shore line. The old beaches are locally called the north, south and middle ridges, and they now form excellent country roads. Much of the early settlement of Northern Ohio. in the first two decades of the century came by wagon along the middle ridge road from Western New York. Since observations of the stages of water have been kept up, however, no permanent subsidence of the lake level has been noted, and the fanciful predic-

tions of writers, who imagine that Lake Erie will soon become a vast meadow. with a river running through it, have no basis in fact. The drainage area of the great lakes is remarkably small. Rarely is the watershed found more than 50 miles back from the lake shore. In Ohio there is a court house in the town of Ravenna, 40 miles south of Cleveland, where the rainfall on the north side of the roof runs into Lake Erie, while the rainfall on the south side drains into the Ohio River. In New York, the sources of the Mohawk, which flows into the Hudson, are only a few miles from Lake Ontario. In Illinois the Illinois River heads close to Lake Michigan. The height of land north of Lake Superior is less than 100 miles north of that lake, and beyond the height the waters all flow to Hudson Bay. No large river flows into either of the

lakes. The course of the small streams that empty into the lakes is peculiar. Trace one of them on the map and you will find that only a few miles back from the lake it makes a sharp turn, and that its upper course is parallel to the lake. One of the largest of the lake affluents is the St. Louis River, which empties into the head of Lake Superior; but 60 or 70 miles from its mouth, is a flat, pine-covered country, are the lakes that form the sources of the Mississ-

By the time the drainage canal is opened next year, it is probable that here will be a high stage of water in Lake Michigan, and that the people of the cities along the lakes will have ceased to worry about the shallowness of their harbors. Ship-builders have reached the maximum size in the construction of the big propellers and barges that take wheat, corn, and iron ore down the lakes and bring back coal. The capacity of the locks in the coal. The capacity of the locks in the Sault Ste. Marie ship canal regulates the draught of all lake craft, and the new locks just finished will have to answer for a score of years to come. Eventually, the great lakes may dry up, just as many small lakes have done already, but that will be in such remote ages that the present generation need not worry about it. Perhaps human life will have disappeared from the globe before that time comes.

d Lands

ern biology has established the fact that there is no fundamental differences between the sexes. The easy of both exces will live even if usuappelling the state of both exces will live even if usuappelling the state of both exces will live even if usuappelling the state of both exces will live even if usuappelling the state of both exces will live even if usuappelling the state of both exces will live even if usuappelling the state of both exces will live even if usuappelling the state of both exces will live even if usuappelling the state of both exces will live even if usuappelling the state of both exces will live even if usuappelling the state of both exces will live even if usuappelling the state of both exces will live even if usuappelling the state of both exces will live even if usuappelling the state of the

Thousands Have Lost in Strength and Weight and Broken in Health.

COMPOUND, THE BEST OF ALL SPRING MEDICINES CELERY PURIFIES THE BLOOD, RESTORES NERVE FORCE AND LOST STRENGTH.

Amongst the first good results that | weakness, nervousness, despondency, are apparent from using Paine's Celery Compound in the early spring season is a perfect regularity of the bowels, good appetite, sound, healthy sleep and good digestion.

These benefits coming promptly with the use of Paine's Celery Compound naturally result in health-building and the establishment of a vigorous system that is capable of resisting sickness and contagious diseases. It should be remembered that spring civilized world.

languor and that "tired feeling," prove that the matter in the nerves and spinal only one that can meet the needs of all cord are not getting sufficient nourish-

of nutriment for every tissue of the for this purpose. Paine's Celery Compound is the only medicine in the world that has earned the complete confidence of medical men

who are weak and sick, and who have been confined in badly-ventilated apartments during the long winter months. It quickly expels every trace Paine's Celery Compound will quickly supply a fresh and abundant supply of poison and disease, and gives a flow of rich, pure blood that insures body; the great medicine is prepared | perfect and true health. If you value your life, beware of substitutes that are offered by some dealers. Paine's Celery Compound is what and the best people in every part of the you need to cure you; take nothing else; it is a guaranteed spring life-giver and

TIRED IN THE MORNING.

Sleep Does Not Seem to Refresh.

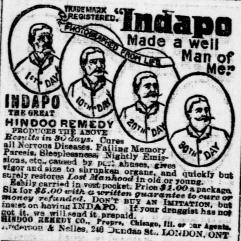
WEAK NERVES AND POOR BLOOD THE CAUSE.

Do you feel wretched, mean and miserable in the mornings-as tired as when you went to bed? It's a serious condition-too serious to neglect, and unless you have the nervous system strength-



ened and the blood enriched by Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, collapse is almost certain to ensue. Mr. Fred. H. Graham, a well-known young man of Barrie, Ont., says:—"I have had a great deal of trouble with my heart for four years. I was easily agitated and any excitement caused my heart to throb violently. I had dizziness and shortness of breath, and often arose in the mornings feeling as tired as when I went to bed. I was terribly nervous. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills have done wonders for me. They have restored my heart to regular healthy action, giving me back sound restful sleep, and making my nervous system strong and vigorous." Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills cure Palpitation, Faint Spells, Shortness of Breath, Dizziness, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Dyspepsia, Anaemia, Female Troubles, After Effects of Grippe, Debility, or any con-dition arising from Disordered Nerves, Weak Heart or Watery Blood. Price 50c. a box, or 3 for \$1.25, at ail druggists, or sent by mail. T. MILBURN & Co., Toronto, Ont.

Laxa-Liver Pills Banish Bad Breath.



VANCOUVER

BECAUSE ... VANCOUVER is the best outfitting point on the coast, goods being considerably cheaper than in the United States.
 VANCOUVER is the nearest port of departure to the Yukon district.
 VANCOUVER is the terminus of the C. P. reilway whose steamers will start from

railway, whose steamers will start from VANCOUVER this spring.

COUVER.

5. Direct steamers to Yukon ports have now commenced to run from VANCOUVER.

6. VANCOUVER is the only Canadian port where passengers transfer direct from train to steamer.

7. KŁONDIKE is in CANADA, OUTFIT IN VANCOUVER, AND SAVE 30 PER CENT CUSTOMS DUTY.

W. GODFREY, Presiednt Board of Trade, Vancouver, B. C.



HIGH-GRADE

With Boston Rims and Dunlop Tires, Price-

\$35 Cash BE SURE YOU GET DUNLOP TIRES.

\$60 Stormer Bicycles, with Dunlop Tires at-

\$45 Cash

London Hardware Company

Real Estate and Mining Stock Broker. Money to Loan. Notes Collected. JAS. MINE, 88 Dundas St. Brass and Iroh . . .

BEDSTEADS TILES, CRATES, HEARTHS

AND MANTELS.

RANGES, HEATERS, FIRES

LIMITED.

Cor. King and Victoria Sts., Toronto Navigation and Railways

DAILY. DAILY.
.11:15 a.m. 1st day.
.9:10 p.m. 1st day.
.2nd day.
.1:30 p.m. 3rd day. 3:10 a.m. 1st day. 2:00 p.m. 1st day. 2nd day. 1:30 p.m. 3rd day.

Free colonist sleeping cars will be run through to Winnipeg on these trains every Wednesday during March and April.

For information apply to G. T. R. agents, or writ; M. C. DICKSON, D. P. A., Toronto.

Royal Mail Steamships, Liverpool, Calling at Moville. CALIFORNIAN... March 26
LAURENTIAN... March 30
PARISIAN... April 9
CARTHAGINIAN... April 13

RATES OF PASSAGE.

First cabin, Derry and Liverpool, \$52 50 and upwards; return, \$105 and upwards. Second cabin, Liverpool, Derry, London, \$34. Steerage, Liverpool, Derry, Belfast, Glasgow, London, everything found, \$22 50 and \$23 50. Glasgow-New York service State of Ne-braska sails from New York, March 31; cabin, \$45 and upwards; return, \$85 and upwards; second cabin, \$35; return, \$64 15; steerage, \$23 50.

AGENTS—E De la Hooke, "Clock," corner Richmond and Dundas. Thomas R. Parker, southwest corner of Richmond and Dundas streets, and F. B. Clarke, \$18 Richmond street.

Navigation and Railways

This world-famous medicine is the

The direct Route between the West and all points on the Lower St. Law-rence and Bale des Chaleur, Province of Quebec; also for New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward and Cape Breton Islands, Newfoundland and St. Pierre.

Express trains leave Montreal and Halifax daily (Sunday excepted) and run through without change between these points.

The through express train cars of the Intercolonial Railway are brilliantly lighted by electricity, and heated by steam from the locomotive, thus greatly increasing the comfort and safety of travelers.

Comfortable and elegant buffet, sleeping and day cars are run on all through express trains. The popular summer sea bathing and fishing resorts of Canada are all along the Intercolonial, or are reached by that route.

Canadian-European Mail and Passenger Route.

Passengers for Great Britain and the Continent can leave Montreal Tuesday morning and join outward Mail Steamers at St. John on Wednesday, or they can leave Montreal on Wednesday morning and join outward Mail Steamers at Halifax on Thursday.

The attention of shippers is directed to the superior facilities offered by this route for the transport of flour and general merchandise intended for the Eastern Provinces, Newfoundland and the West Indies; also for shipments of grain and produce intended for the European markets, either by way of St. John or Halifax.

Tickets may be obtained and all information about the route, also freight and passenger rates, on application to

A. H. HARRIS,

General Traffic Manager,

General Traffic Manager, Board of Trade Building, Montreal. D. POTTINGER, General Manager. Railway Office, Moneton, N. B., May 21, 1897.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL SINGLE FARE EXCURSIONS

--FOR--EASTER HOLIDAYS to all local stations in Canada. Dates of sale April 7 to 11, limited to return not later than April 12.

To Teachers and Students, on presentation of certificates. signed by principal, will be issued tickets at rate of One and One-Third Fare for Round Trip. Dates of sale, March 19 to April 9, limited to return not later than April 19.

For tickets and further particulars apply at city ticket office, 395 Richmond street.

JOHN PAUL, City Agent O. W. RUGGLES, JOHN G. LAYEN, General Pass. Agent. Can. Pass. Agent

Have Reduced First-Class Passenger Rates To nearly all local points in Ontario and to Montreal, Que., from 50 to 80 per cent. PACIFIC COAST RATES.

From all Canadian Pacific Rallway stations in Ontario the following rates will apply via Smith's Falls, one way: TO 1st Class. Victoria, B.C. Seattle, Wash...) \$35 \$25

Portland, Ore. 840 830

EDWARD DE LA HOOKE SOLE AGENT FOR LONDON.

"Clock," corner Richmond and I

Full particulars from any Canadian Pacific Railway agent, or C. E. McPherso D. A.C.P.A., Toronto.
THOS. R. PARKER, City Passenger Agent,
161 Dundas street, corner of Richmond. Royal and United States Mail Steamers for Queenstown and Liverpool *MAJESTIC. GERMANIC *Superior second cabin accommodation on *Superior second cabin accommodation on these steamers.
From White Star dock, foot West Tenth street.
Saloon rates—On Teutonic and Majestic, \$:5 and upwards: second cabin rates, Majestic and Teutonic, \$45 and \$47.50; Adriatic, \$40 and upwards, according to location of berth. Round trips at reduced rates. Saloon rates on Germanic and Britannic, \$60 and upwards. Steerage at lowest rates. Company's office, No. 41.
For further information apply to

PURE, HIGH GRADE

on this Continent. No Chemicals are used a their manufactures. Their Breakfast Cocoa is absolutely pure, delicious, nutritious, and costs less than one cent a cup. Their Premium No. 1 Chocolate is the best plain chocolate in the market for family use. Their German Sweet Chocolate is good to eat and good to drink. It is palatable, nutritious and healthful; a great favorite with

children. Consumers should ask for and be sure that they get the genuine Walter Baker & Co.'s goods, made at Dorchester, Mass., U. S. A. CANADIAN HOUSE, 6 Hospital St., Montreal.

Was a Knowing Dog. Marmaduke is dead. He was only a weather, and the pony, dogs, cats, pigeons and babies furnish a fascinat-Blenheim spaniel, but he was wonderful in his ways, for he had a glass eye. He was bred by the Duchess of Marlborough, who takes a great interest in the famous kennel. As will occasionally happen to small dogs, he tried to show his superiority over the feline race; but on one occasion a pugnacious cat declined to take orders from Marmaduke, and enforced its refusal by giving Marmaduke "one in the eye

with its claws. The result was that Marmaduke's eye was destroyed. The duchess then sent the spaniel to a veterinary surgeon to be fitted with a glass eye, as she was especially fond of the little fellow, and the sight of the empty socket was repugnant. After he was sent back with his new eye, her grace was made nervous by seeing his staring artificial eye, it being just a little previous to the visit of the Earl of Blandford, and so a home was sought for the unfortunate little blue blood, which was found with Miss E. L. Moore, of Denmark Hill, near Woodstock. The glass eye is the right one, and is exactly matched to the other brown, animated one, Marmaduke never tried to scratch or rub out the eye, but seemed to understand why it

* * Mr. Kinkead's Remarkable Gander.

-London Sketch.

was there. He was run over by a van.

The Louisville Evening Post says: "One of the most remarkable birds in the state," said a gentleman from Elizabethtown, "is owned by Mr. Jas. his mate only a little over an hour, A. Kinkead, secretary of the Hardin which was considered strange, as he County Fair Association. It is a gan-was the faster bird. Mr. Johnson der, and everybody in the neighborhood is acquainted with it.

'The gander's name is 'Solid Silver,' and it answers to its name as quick as any hand on Mr. Kinkead's farm. The gander acts as a watch-dog would about the place, and no stranger dares enter the yard unattended by a member of the family, as those who have tried to and been forced to beat an ignominious retreat will attest. The gander has sense like a horse, and learns new tricks almost every day in the week. "This gander goes to the granary and shakes a plank, when the yellow corn will roll out for its daily food. It follows its owner to and from the field

When the bell is rung calling the hands to their meals, his gandership sets up a quacking and continues it until all have come in, when he himself goes to the granary, and, by shaking a loose plank with his bill shakes down corn for his dinner. "If, perchance, 'Solid Silver' is in the house and any member of the family leaves the door ajar, he does not rest until he has closed it. His owner will

have 'Solid Silver' on exhibition at the next Elizabethtown fair." N. N.

Pets of One Household. Billie Johnson is the only pony in the world who is a household pet. Billie is an imported Shetland pony which Henry D. Johnson, of South Bend, Ind., bought fifteen years ago for his son Harry, when the latter was a baby. Billie now boasts of 17 years, but he is as froliscome as a colt. He has all the privileges usually enjoyed by a favorite hound, except that he has never warmed himself at the fireside or slept on the spare bed. But Billie comes into the house, prancing gayly up seven stairs, the click of his small hoofs being like hail on a garret roof. Naturally he is the banner member

of the circus troupe which holds high carnival in the children's bedroom. It

nan who breaks in the wild, vicious bronchos on the westem plains must have superb physical en-

durance, nerves of steel, unconquerable vim, determination city or town bred man who has all his life humped his back over a desk, living an unhealthy, sedentary life and failed to take any care of his health, could not stay on the back of one of these vicious brutes for more than three jumps.

more than three jumps.

It takes a whole man to conquer a vicious animal. People may talk about intellectual superiority and refinement and good breeding, but every man takes off his hat to always a strength and endurance. While ing, but every man takes off his hat to physical strength and endurance. While the man who leads a sedentary life cannot hope, in this respect, to rival these sturdy men of the plains, they can be sound, vigorous, healthy men if they will. It is a matter of care of health while one has it, and the proper measures to restore it when matter of care of health while one has it, and the proper measures to restore it when it is lost. Most diseases begin with some trouble of the digestive organs or of the liver. Troubles of this nature starve the body, because they prevent it from receiving its proper supply of nourishment. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery gives a man an appetite like a cow-boy's and the digestion of an ostrich. Its great work is upon the stomach, large intestines and liver. These are the organs that nourish a man's body. This medicine makes them strong, wigorous and healthy. It fills the blood with the nourishment that builds new, solid and healthy flesh, muscle and nerves. "I am now enjoying magnificent health, after taving suffered for years with chronic catarrh." First Ramon Sauchez, Esc., of Peusson, Taos O. New Mexico. "By the use of your "Golden Medical Discourse."

is their chief recreation in stormy

ing programme.
As Billie is only 48 inches high, he easily stands or sits on an ordinary chair, with his front feet dangling against his breast like the hands of a lackadaisical lady. At the word of command he shakes them, kisses his master, and plays the corps to perfec-tion. When the babies are in the basket saddle he steps softly, evidently appreciating the helplessness of his precious load. But when the older boys get upon his back he jumps, kicks and frolics like a stiff-legged broncho, enjoying the fun as keenly as his riders. He readily becomes the foundation of an animal pyramid, lying flat on the ground, while Sir Eldrid, a splendid St. Bernard, lies atop of him. stones are Penny and Dot, two tiny blooded black and tans, weighing 25 ounces each. Billie and Sir Eldrid

sleep in the same stall, and when turned out in the pasture the two frolic together like playful pupples.

Mr. Johnson has a passion for pets, and raised the famous St. Bernard, Major McKinley, the largest dog ever known, which was owned by Gen. Jos. Torrence, of Chicago. He keeps a

large flock of homing pigeons, some of which have flown 500 miles. During Mr. Johnson's recent illness in Chicago hospital two of the pigeons were kept busy bringing messages from the invalid. They made the flight of 86 miles in an hour and fifteen minutes. When Mr. Johnson first took the pair to Chicago the male bird was five watched him the next time he was set | before the birth of Christ. The up and down as birds do when looking for something. Mr. Johnson then knew that he was waiting for his companion. Mr. Johnson loosened her, and she took a straight line for the chimney, and they flew joyously away

together, showing that the loyal fellow waited for her on the previous jour-Mr. Johnson's sons are away at school and have a cage of pigeons with them. It is a very sweet and senti-mental fashion of sending letters, and although Mr. Johnson's private mesengers distance Uncle Sam in speed they do not pose as competitors in the

United States mail service.-Indianapolis Journal. A Tame Crow Adds to Its Vocabu-

lary and Astounds a Farmer. A Bath, N. Y., letter says: If captured while yet a nestling and properly educated, a crow may be taught to imitate the sounds of the human voice so closely that it will articulate words as distinctly as a parrot, although the crow's vocabulary is not apt to be extensive. Such words as "Good morning," "How de do!" "Hallo!" and similar familiar expressions and the name of its master are learned easily, and the bird will repeat them so invariably at the right time and place, that the crow's vocal accomplishments will naturally seem uncanny to a person who observes them for the first time. All tame crows are surprisingly intelligent creatures, and now and then one will astonish even its friends by ejeculating a new word or an expression entirely unexpected and startingly apt. About two years ago Peter Downs, who then lived with his father on the Downs farm near Rose Lake, Pa., captured a newly fledged crow, and it proved to be a very apt scholar and became a great pet. It was the wonder of the neighborhood. Early in its carer it began calling the elder Downs "Pop," and regularly every morning it greeted him with "Good mornin, Pop." A year ago the son got married and went to live on a farm a mile and a half from the Downs homestead, taking Richard, the tame crow, with him. The crow re-turned to the old place regularly every day for a visit, and always announced ts coming by the familiar greeting to farmer Downs, "Good mornin', Pop." The bird usually busied itself about the place until towards noon, when it returned home. One day last week Richard appeared at the Downs farm much earlier in the morning than usual

and almost knocked Farmer Downs speechless by shouting: "Good mornin', gran'pop! The crow chuckled and croaked in a most ridiculous manner and repeated at short intervals, with an unction never before accompanying its utterance, "Good mornin', gran'pop! Gran'-pop! Gran'pop! causing the farmer much amusement after his first surprise and making him wonder "where in tarnation he picked that up." An hour or so after the bird came to the farm to air its enlarged vocabulary Peter Downs drove up looking pleased.
"Well, pop," he said, "there's three of us down there now. Nicest boy you

ever see, the third one is, and every-body doin' fine. "Mornin', gran'pop!" chuckled the Then it was all clear; but everyone about that neighborhood is wondering how in the world that crow got onto the new dignity the situation placed on Farmer Downs and then hurried to be

the first to tell him of it. 2 R Where Goldfish Grow.

The world's supply of goldfish is obtained chiefly from Shelby county, Indiana, where the largest goldfish farm British queen who fought so fearlessly it prolongs life, and makes

have high embaukments to protect the fish from wind and cold; no other protection from the elements is licessary, even during the winter.

It is a common, but mistaken, notion that the fish has the pretty markings on its scales as son as it is harkings. on its scales as soon as it is hatched; as a matter of fact, it is just like an ordinary fish; and only a thoroughly exparienced farmer can distinguish it. from the small fry that are to be found

in most ponds. At first they are of a silvery color; they they gradually become dark, sometimes almost black; in its next stage of development it turns red and, in rather less than a year, it assumes the beautiful hues with which we are

The goldfish are fed with toasted bread three times a day. At certain periods the fish in the ponds are sorted and classified according to size and quality, and from time to time specimens are sent to aquaria in different parts of the world. It is estimated that the larger of the two farms contains

more than 200,000 fish. The greatest difficulty in the way of goldfish raising is the danger of destruction from snakes, cats, frogs and various insects; the grower has to keep people continually on the watch at the seasons of the year when these animals and insects abound if he wishes to avoid disaster.

•••••••••••

Gossip From Every Land Sum-

marized for Busy Readers. THE Dumfries Burns Club have resolved to enter into negotiations with the directors of the Industrial School with a view to purchasing the house in which the poet died in order that it may be converted into a Burns mu-

AT THE Perth (Scotland) police court on the 15th ult., the magistrate said to a prisoner: "You are a foreigner, are you not?" The Prisoner—"I am." What country do you come from? was the next question. "Logicalmond," was the startling reply. Logicalmond is Ian Maclaren's "Drumtochty."

SCIENTIFIC investigations show that the green color for which Parmesan and other Italian cheeses are remarkable, is due to the fact the acid milk is allowed to stand in copper vessels, 25 samples of green Parmesan cheese showing for each two pounds of cheese from 0.8 to 3.3 grains of copper.

THE first bridges were of wood, and the earliest of which we have any account was built in Rome 55 years free, and saw him circle for about ten was set was erected by Julius Caesar for the free, and saw him circle for about ten minutes and then come back to a neighboring chimney and run his head up and down as birds do when look-

SIR ROBERT PEEL, BART., has not only been enjoined from selling his family portraits and other heirlooms by the Court of Chancery, but has been ordered to put back those that he had already disposed of. The Court, moreover, made the unusual order that he should pay the costs of the motion for an injunction against

ROSA BONHEUR, the famous French painter, who is at present seriously ill, has been a great admirer of the red man, some samples of whom she saw at a "wild west" show in Paris; She gave a breakfast to Rocky Bear and Red Shirt, and enthusiasti-

cally remarked: "These are real men, They are not the simpering, gossip-ing, bowing animals of today." PRINCIPAL FAIRBAIRN, of Mansfield College, Oxford, has accepted the invitation to deliver the Haskell lectures in India this year. The Has-kell lectureship has been founded by a Chicago woman for the purpose of making English-speaking Hindus acquainted with the leading features and doctrines of Christianity. The first series was delivered by Rev. J. H. Barrows, D.D.

A REMARKABLE incident is reported to have occurred at the Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church, in New Haven, Conn., last Sunday. The choir was rehearsing, and was singing, "Oh, That I Had the Wings of a Dove," when a carrier pigeon flew in at an open window. The bird, which was exhausted, was caught by the sexton, but, after being fed, appeared to be

in fair condition. THE statue of the late Judge Hughes which it was decided should be the form of the public memorial to the well-known author of "Tom Brown's School Days," will erected at Rugby until toward the end of the present year. The actual site has not yet been definitely settled, but most likely it will be in a public spot in the town. The cost of the statue has already been subscribed.

DIAMANDI, a native of Pylaros, one of the Greek islands, is a remarkable calculator. After a mere glance at a blackboard on which 30 groups of figures are written he can repeat them in any order, and deal with them by any arithmetical process. It is said that he never makes an error in calculation involving billions, and he can extract square or cube roots with marvelous rapidity and accuracy.

THE oddest divorce case ever heard of was recently in an American court between parties of 73 and 63 years respectively. Having a good property for their old age and a family of grownup children, they were thinking of their latter end, and began to look around for a cemetery lot. But the quest for a peaceful grave proved too much. They quarreled over its location, and con-

cluded to part before they got there. A POPULAR Glasgow divine, in a series of sermons on relative duties, strongly insisted on wifely obedience. The married ladies felt aggrieved, and one of them called upon him, demanding one of them called upon him, demanding to know why he was "so ill on the women." "Because," was the answer, "the woman was the first in transgression!" "Ay," was the quick reply, "a puir silly woman could deceive the man, but it took the deevil to deceive the woman!"

the woman!" THE city of London is to have bronze statue of Boadicea, the heroic diana, where the largest goldfish farm in the world is to be found. There are two farms in the county—one, measuring thirty acres, is in the southern portion; the other, about one-third that size, lies some miles to the north.

Each farm is divided into ponds, many of which are only fen feet square, all being connected by little channels. Those set spart for breeding the square in the marker about the only statues to women being one of Harriet Beechtown, another to Maria Mitchell, the astronomer; a scott a bowns, Chemists, Toresto.

third to a Sister of Charity in New | +@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@ Orleans, and a few busts in Albany.
Chicago and Washington, of Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Susan B. Anthony, Clara Barton and Frances E. Willard.

A WASHINGTON lady is said to have fifteen personal attendants. Queen Victoria has four-two East Indians and two women. The Queen has a list of "personal attendants" as long as your arm, but excepting the four mentioned they "attend" only in a court sense, as, for instance, Lady Randolph Churchill was a lady in wait-ing on the Queen part of the Jubilee

THAT love is blind never received so extraordinary confirmation as the other day in Lynn, Mass., where a man married the sweetheart who in a quarrel had thrown vitriol in his face, destroying both his eyes. The woman was brought into court for the offense, but the case was appealed to the court of Hymen. Cynical critics thought that Hymen. Cynical critics thought that the new Benedict reckoned on having a better chance to get even with his Delilah if he wedded her.

LES ISLES BONIN, near Formosa, have been visited by a group of Japanese engineers, and here has been discovered a stranger colony than any of which Homer sang or the missionaries have found—these Japanese pioneers a new civilization, a settlement of the declasses, the failures and the outlaws of decadent Europe. Here they live an independent race upon a fertile soil, under a bountiful heaven and without any taxes. Frenchmen were there, and Englishmen and Italians, besides the American, the Irish-American, Scandinavian and the Spaniard, but the majority are French. Many of the Boninites show distinguished manners and marks of the higher education.

These men are looked upon as chiefs by their companions. THE one man who gained most fame from the World's Fair, besides a considerable fortune, was Geo. W. Ferris, inventor of the monster wheel that bears his name. Throughout the country, at every popular summer resort, one of these revolving machines carries its loads of passengers around and up to a tremendous height and down More money is each summer amassed from these Ferris wheels than perhaps even the merry-go-round itself. Ferris, the inventor, ought have been worth at least \$1,000,000. He was considered very wealthy at one time, yet he died without a cent. His remains were cremated at Pittsburg. The latest, saddest story in connection with the man who gave pleasure to millions of people is that the Pittsburg undertaker who had charge of the cremation holds the ashes of Ferris until the funeral expenses have been

The Committee of Fifty.

[Harper's Weekly.] It is some time since anything has been heard of the Committee of Fifty which was formed under inspirations centering at Hartford, to discover and publish recondite truths about the proper way to run the universe. No doubt the ommittee is still in existence, and it is to be hoped that it is making progress. Meanwhile it has produced at least one valuable report which is of especial contemporaneous interest, to wit, "The Liquor Problem in its Legislative Aspects," by Frederick H. Wines and John Koren. This book is the record of investigations made by intelligent experts under direction of Charles W. Elliot, Seth Low and James C. Carter, a sub-committee of the Committee of Fifty to investigate the liquor traffic. Its authors investigated the results of "liquor legislation" in seven states, wherein special efforts had been made to regulate the liquor traffic. They re-ported that while some diminution of intemperance appeared, it did not seem to be proportionate to the thought and effort expended to induce it. found in Maine, for example, many evil effects from prohibitory laws which could not be enforced, and the evasion and nullification of which has accustomed a whole generation of citizens to law-breaking and mis-carriages of justice, and has tended to breed degeneration in public life and contempt for the public service. The influence which they found most potent to diminish drinking was not legislation, but public opinion. They found that only legislation which public opinion supported could be enforced, and that all legislation which could not be enforced was detrimental to the public good. They could not get any trustworthy data about the effect of restrictions upon the amount of drinking and the amount of crime resulting from drink. The restrictions which they found desirable, because public opinion indorsed them because public opinion indorsed them, were such as forbade liquor-selling to minors, intoxicated persons, or habitual drunkards; liquor-selling on Sundays and holidays; and liquor-selling in places of amusement, as billiard-rooms, theaters or concert halls. They found that saloons should be cleared of screens and partitions and open to inspection; that no sort of exhibition or game should be allowed in them; that there should be a limit to the hours of

selling, and the shorter the hours the The book which contains this report is not new, and has been quoted before in the Weekly. The unusual activity of some prohibitionists just now makes its conclusions especially interesting. What it says about public opinion being more efficacious than formal rules in restraining intemperance bears directly on the question of the expediency of trying to keep liquor out of the colleges. It is generally reported from the larger colleges that there is less drinking than there used to be, and that the improvement is due to the growth of a strong public sentiment against drunkenness.

After coughs and colds the germs of consumption often gain a foothold.

Scott's Emulsion of Codliver Oil with Hypophosphites will not cure every case; but, if taken in time, it will cure many.

Even when the disease is farther advanced, some remarkable cures are effected. In the most advanced stages

With the Poets

Within the Secret Chamber of

My Heart. Within the secret chamber of my heart A Searcher hides: He speaks; I speak to Him and say "Depart!"

Yet He abides. When the sun shines I deem it holiday, And think to sin; He waits for me and calls "This is the

Walk thou therein."

Thereafter, when my sky is black with And wild with fears, I think that I can surely see His form And feel His tears.

And when I question, weary unto death With the long strife, "Who art thou, Lord?" gently He answereth. "I am thy life!"

-Margaret Evans. 2 2

The Wind. Out from the caves I spring at morn, Freed from my thrall at last; With an angry roar and a cry of scorn, A challenge I blow on my brazen horn, With fierce and defiant blast.

The ships at sea are my easy prey, And I drive them before my breath Through the midnight gloom till the break of day,

Out from the hold of the shelt'ring bay, To whirl in a waltz with death. Like a reed I twirl and break, Then rush away with a thousand cheers,

Nor heed the cry that is wrought in For the havoc my legions make.

No human hand can compel to rest My steed untrammelled and wild, But a voice comes to me out of the West,

And I ruffle the down on the sparrow's And kiss the lips of a child! -Edward William Dutcher.

DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT

MR. THOS. DOLPHIN, TARA, ONT., says: "I had Itching Piles for about ten or twelve years, and tried everything I could hear or read of, and found that nothing did me any good. Mr. Hilburn, the druggist, gave me a sample box of Chase's Ointment, and from the first application I found relief, and was able to go to bed and sleep. I then purchased one box and that one cured me so that I have not been afflicted since, and that is over a year ago."

CURES PILES. 60 Cents a Box. By all dealers, or manson, Bates & Co., Toronto, Ont.

LONDON SHOW CASE WORKS

Who's

Just the Place to Buy Musical Instruments.

Bargains in Williams Pianos.

Bargains in Musical

Bargains in Musical Merchandise. Instruments. Bargains

in Sheet Music and Books.

Williams' Music House 171 DUNDAS STREET.



The Celebrated P. D. Corsets are absolutely without rivals and occupy the FIRST POSITION in the World's Corset trade.

P. D. Corsets are tailor cut and hand finished and only the very Best Materials are used in manufacturing these nonpareil goods. en awarded Ten Gold Medals and

received again the Highest Prizes in Brussels in 1897, which shows the merits of these corsets. To be obtained at all leading drygoods stores from \$1 to \$30 per pair. #@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@

How is it With

consumption in motion tracted cold upon cold of late, and does your cough ently? If so, you are in danger, especially if your health is not up to the normal standard. Soon you will begin to have flying pains in the chest, shoulders and back, and stom-ach trouble, and will tire easily. Then you will be in danger, for you will be in the

first stages of consumption. ption. Do wait until not wait until least, try — that grand old remedy, Shiloh's Cure. It has been in the States for nearly fifty years. Shich's Cure will heal the inflamed air passages and tone up the whole system. If, after you have faithfully tried two-thirds of a best in faithfully tried two-thirds of a bottle, you are not benefited, return it to your draggist and he will refund your money. Could any proposition be more fair?

S. C. Wells & Co., Le Roy, N. Y.; GENTLEMEN:—Have been confined to the house with a bad attack of La Grippe, which left a severe cough. Nothing did it as much good as 'sjaloh's

Chronic Diarrhea, Dysentery, Cholera Morbus and all diseases of the bowels cured, or refund the money.

This remedy is a mother's friend. Cures at once Colic, Cankered Mouth, Croup, Measels, Bronchitis, in babes and shildren. Address-

Ozone Specific Co.,

16 Avenue Place, . . . Toronto, Ont

jarfield Fig Syrup

Babies Like It. It Cures Them

It regulates the stomach—
It purifies the blood—
It QURES constipation—
It is pleasant to take.

15 cent bottles, 35 doses for Infants.
26 cent bottle, 35 doses for Adulta.

Your druggist sells it.

KEELEY INSTITUTE COMPANY OF ONTARIO (LTD.) 582 Sherbourne St.,

TORONTO The only place in the Province of Ontario authorized by Dr. Keeley to administer his remedies for Inebriety and Drug Addictions. Write for literature giving full particulars of treatment. Address

The Keeley Institute.

Your Butcher?

We would like to serve All our meat is first-class. Prompt de-livery to all parts of the city. S. Gillies & Son. A. HICKS, 298 Richmond St

Williams' Music House

said:

The Woman-

Who declars that she cannot even hem a pocket-handkerchief, never made up a bed in her life, and adds with a simper that she has "been in society ever since she was 15." Who would rather nurse a pug dog

Who thinks that men are angels and Who thinks that the nurse and the

cook can keep house.

Who expects a declaration of love three times a day. Who cares more for the style of her winter cloak than she cares for the

health and comfort of her children. Who stays at home only when she cannot find a place to visit. The Man.

Who thinks a woman's bonnet ought to cost about 5s.
Who thinks his wife exists for the comfort and convenience of his mother and sisters. Who provides himself with a family,

and trusts Providence to provide the family with a home and something to Who thinks that nobody but an angel is good enough to be his wife. Who thinks a woman ought to be her own milliner, dressmaker, seam-

stress, cook, housemaid and nurse. Who thinks a woman is "fixed for the season" if she has one new gown. Who forgets his manners as soon as he crosses his own threshold. Who thinks he can keep house bet-

ter than his wife can. Who thinks there is "no place like home" for grumbling and growling. Who quotes the Apostle Paul on the "Woman Question," and who firmly believes that the mantle of the apostle has fallen upon him.

Where There Are More Men

Than Women. Egypt is shown by the latest census to enjoy the singular pre-eminence of being the one country in the world, as known, where men are in a majority over women. The male sex in the dominions of the Khedive exceed the female by 160,000. It is a curious circumstance that this numerical predominance of the male is very evenly distributed over both Upper and Lower Egypt. It is only in the sparsely peooled and newly recovered province of Dongola that the women are more numerous than the men. Another interesting fact is that the proportion of Egyptian women knowing how to read London Morning Post

> X X Tyrant Fashion.

Of all domineering masters to whom women, as a class, bow in serviture, Fashion holds the upper hand, says a writer in Household Realms. All kind ting at the rear of the ball-room. This and gentle instincts which by birth-right belong to women are offered as a but time has obliterated it, and pos-Fashion decreed that women must wear bury spirit. English women are tak
"Yes," admitted her father, "you call it snow, and so do most people. but I an old complaint, and nothing can be done except to bury them." sacrifice on the altar of Fashion. If J the secrets of her soul embroidered in gilt letters on the front of her gown, I almost believe she would do it. When of a pre-Lenten "Tea" in London, and are call it cotton-wool rain. And in the cold snowy country it is often so dry and fluffy that you could play in it. Fashion says she must trail her gown were an apron of Brussels rose point, and roll about in it all the morning in the filth of the street, she forgets describing a floral scroll design with an that "cleanliness is next to godliness," and adopts the creed of the unclean. She may as well be "out of the world as out of fashion." When Father Fad are cheaper pretty aprons. It is not with confidence. Evidently her demake yourself as much like a wasp as possible, his word is law, and the agony begins. When the doors of her home must be widened to let my lady pass through without crushing her sleeves, the carpenter is forthwith summoned. Expense is nowhere when Fashion makes her round. When Fashion says hunt down the feathered tribe and exterminate the species, if need be, just so my word is obeyed, and your bonnets duly decorated, women forget that God notes the fall of the raven, and satin. By-the-way, the historical that a prayer for mercy, on Sunday morning, beneath the spread wings of a murdered songster, is not always ing for dressing little girls in aprons. deeds are weighed, not rhetorical sup-

When Fashion says "On this occasion every lady must appear in full dress," off come the winter woolens, ditto shoes and cashmere hose, while silk stockings and Cinderella slippers and when school session is over, it is protectors and long sleeves are left in ready for luncheon in a frock that is

People Who Should Not Marry. | my lady's boudoir, and laces and sheer muslins are accepted as substitutes, while the resignation with which my lady endures the shivers and positive agony of cold is worthy a better cause Sometimes the agony does not end with the evening, but endures until consumption runs its course, and the victim of fashion pays the price of one evening of folly. 'tis that Fashion is so closely

akin to Folly. . .

The New Hat. The new spring hats (says a New York correspondent) will certainly travel on their shape. The more punched and dented and turned up and down a hat is the more swagger it is accounted. The latest novelties in these wild, glad headpieces are made entirely of tulle, beautifully perishable things that would not stand a single dust storm.

In Buying Furniture, Taboo-

Shams. Soft woods. Fanciful shapes. Showy ornament. Tables without sturdy legs. Glittering brass bedsteads. Lamps that are not to be lighted. Sofas that are not low and broad. Pretentious low-priced sideboards. Heavy dining chairs without cast.

Screens that are not actually need-Over-stuffed furniture in small Easels if there is room to hang pic-

Aprons.

Apropos of aprons, not only are they noticeable in trimming effects, the first time, either. The apron has quite an interesting little history of its own. For several decades, in fact dur- down his paper and looking out of ing the first half of the eighteenth the window. century, women of fashion rarely went "And I can't go out to play," added to balls minus an apron. Of course, the Little Girl, in rather a sad tone of they were handsome, in keeping with voice. their rich gowns and jewels. But "No, the humble article of dress, which he declared was only fit to be worn by "Abigails," be it fashioned of muslin the Girl, reproachfully. "Who ever or lace. He forbade the wearing of heard of dry rains! aprons, save on appropriate occasions, and fashionable women, accustomed to obeying him, discarded their aprons The Duchess of Queensbury, however, had a will of her own, and strode up to her grace, snatched off the apron and threw it over to a from the sky in oft white flakes group of ladies' maids, who were sit- thatsibly the world holds more women exquisite rose border. But fortunateagain be associated with full dress; the age of extreme practicality; but the majority of men admire the do- of his big ones, she said: mestic air an apron imparts to a charming woman. Therefore it is safe to presume that the new tea apron will not sue long for recognition. A a true story that I heard the other very pretty model is made of batiste bordered with French valenciennes, fulled on to a heading of drawn work, Queensbury apron was valued at \$3,- on the mountain-side, thickly sur-000. There is a quaint fashion prevailheard at the seat of justice. There, One wee maid trots daily to the kindergarten, wearing beneath her snug coat a dainty apron of snowy nainsook. It is made low-necked and sleeveless, and is edged with fine Swiss embroidery. The careful mamma all this, for he had never seen the claims the apron is a real protection,

spotless. A fancy apron for pouring tea is made of harmonizing bands of colored satin ribbons, joined together with rows of torchon insertion and finished with a ruffle of corresponding lace.—[Table Talk.

Boys and Girls.

Good Advice to Boys.

You are learning a trade. That is a ed affair. When you go to learn a fellow! His clothes were all in rags trade, do so with determination to win, from climbing over branches and Make up your mind what you will be, it. Determine in your own mind to be a good workman. Have pluck and patience. Look out for the interests of your employerthus you will learn to look out for your

own. Do not wait to be told every-

thing. Remember. Act as though you wish to learn. If you have an errand to do, start off like a boy with some life. Look about you. See how the best workman in the shop does, and copy after him. Learn to do things Whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well. Never slight your work. Every job you do is a sign If you have done one in ten minutes, see if you cannot do the next in nine.
Too many boys spoil a lifetime by not having patience. They work at a trade until they see about one-half of its mysteries and then strike for higher wages. Acts as if your own interest and the interest of your employer were the same. Good mechanics are the props of society. They are those who stick to their trades until they learn them. People always speak well of a boy who minds his own business, who is willing to work, and who seems disposed to be somebody in time. Learn

Lost in the Woods.

the whole of your trade.

"Oh, papa," cried the Little Girl, running into the room where her but the actual aprons are worn and father was reading an important polion dressy occasions, and this not for tical article in the morning paper, "it's raining!"

"So it is," said her father, laying

"No, I suppose not," assented her Beau Nash, the renowned social auto-crat, took offense at the elevation of some dry rains." "Dry rains! Oh, papa, now you're making fun of me!" exclaimed the Lit-

"Why, I have," replied her father, with a smile. "Cotton-wool rain is

"Now, papa," cried the Little Girl, looking very severely at him, "you're she avowed this one evening by ap- getting worse and worse! Cotton-wool pearing at a state ball with her gor- rain! The idea! What do you mean?" geous costume, half obscured by an apron of priceless lace. Beau Nash explain, "in winter time in the snowy country the rain comes flickering down

> "Why, that's snow!" interrupted the Little Girl, climbing up into her father's lap and beginning to smile

without getting in the least wet." Then came a pause, during which it ly, as the fashion bids fair to assert seemed as if the Little Girl were trying itself on this side of the "pond," there expected, however, that the apron will with confidence. Evidently her decision was favorable, for, snuggling a t would seem that we had reached little closer into her father's arms and laying one of her little hands in one "Please tell me a svory, papa, about

that snowy country.' "Very well," said her father, "I will: day about a little boy who was lost in a forest in Canada. His name was Henry, and he had recently come from the great city of Quebec with his father and mother to live in a house rounded by woods. It was May, and the birds were beginning to sing and the squirrels to run about; the leaves were peeping out of the buds, where they had been sleeping all winter; and here and there wild flowers were to be found. Henry was delighted with woods before. One morning, when he must brave the January blast. Lung removed and the little student is two, he asked his father if he might not walk to a lake-Lake Ouastawan -which lay in the woods about a mile from the house. There was a good road to the lake, and his father said he might go. So off Henry started, whistling and happy, winding in and out among the big trees, and wondering if he should be lucky enough to any of the big trout which Pierre, South American Nervine is a powerful nerve builder in the lake. Now, although it was may, there were still great patches of snow here and there in the woods. The snowflakes, you know, don't like to leave the fields and woods in the spring; indeed, they wouldn't leave at

all if they weren't driven off by the sunbeams. The snowflakes and sunbeams are deadly enemies, and every spring they fight pitched battles. For ever and ever so many springs the sunbeams have been vicorious, and when they show themselves in sparkling and glowing array in April and May, the snowflakes fly away, frighted, as fast as they can. They hide themselve in the woods, huddling together under the thickest tree branches, behind fallen logs, and alongside of great boulders, where the sunbeams have much difficulty in finding them. This explains why you see snowbanks and snow patches in the woods long after the last snowflake has disappear-

ed from the fields and highways. "Now, as Henry walked down the wood-road towards the lake, he saw a patch of snow at a little distance in ong the trees. 'I'll just go in there,' said he to mself, and make a few snowballs to throw at a squirrel if I should see

When he had made an armful of

snowballs he started back to the road; form an operation. I tried South American Nervine. The first bottle but, unluckily, he started in the wrong direction; and the longer he walked the farther wrong he went; the more he hunted the more lost he became. When the clock struck the hour for dinner, and Henry hadn't come back, his mother grew very anxious, and his father and a neighbor started out to look for the little lost boy. They tramped through the snowy roads nearly ten miles, climbing over logs and scrambling through rough places. Now and then they saw Henry's footprints in the snow patches, but where the snow had melted the footprints disappeared. So, you see, they couldn't follow Henry's course very well. Care

search had to be given up for the night. What a night of sorrow and alarm was that for Henry's mother, with her boy out alone in the dark-ness and cold of the woods! The next morning at daylight, Henry's father, with fourteen men, started out to begin the search again. Some of the men looked in one direction and some in another, and after several hours' search one of the men heard a weak voice which he recognized as Henry's. Following the sound eagerly, he soon found Henry lying in the hollow of a tree beside a big rock; and then what rejoicing there was! When they found him, Henry was dazed and weak from fatigue and hunger, for he had wangood thing to have. It is better than dered six miles from home into the trackless forest, and had had nothing gold. Brings always a premium, the to eat for a day and a night. The men trade must be perfect-no silver-plat- carried him home quickly and ten-

> bruised. But he was brave about it, for when his mother asked what did during that dreadful night, he replied, that, after having said his prayers, he lay down in the hollow log where he was found, and slept soundly." When her father finished this story, the Little Girl drew a long sigh and

rocks, and his feet were swollen and

"Papa, I should like to see the snowy country, and the woods, and the squirrels; but when I go out to walk there, I'm going to take you with me and keep tight hold of your hand all the time.

"Good," said her father; "suppose we begin to practice a little now. So the Little Girl got down from her father's lap and took tight hold of his hand, and they walked outdoors together; for the rain had stopped, the sky was as bright as the Little Girl's eyes, and the sun was shining as if there had never been such a thing as a cloud in the world.

********************** A Smile: A Laugh.

"Johnson wants to borrow some money of me. Do you know anything about him?" "I know him as well as I do you.

wouldn't let him have a cent."

Professor-Margaret, please take the cat out of the room. I cannot have it making such a noise while I am at work. Where is it? Margaret-Why, sir, you are sitting

Visitor-You oughn't to keep the pig so near the house. Countryman-Who!? Visitor-It isn't healthy.

Countryman-That's wheer you're wrong; them pigs ain't never had a

"Good-tye, professor," said the sweet girl graduate. "I shall always remember you kindly, for to you I am indebted for all I know." "Say no more," replied the professor, "say no more. Such a trifle is not worthy of a thought, I assure you."

The country editor is a reliable encyclopaedia. A subscriber sent him this query recently: "What ails my hens? Every morning I find one or more of done except to bury them."

The difference between ancient and modern slang was amusingly illustrated at the Chautauqua assembly, when the teacher of English literature asked: What is the meaning of the Shakespeare phrase, 'Go to'?" and a member of the class replied, "Oh, that is only the sixteenth century way of saying 'Come off.' " * * * *

"I'll never forget the time I took my good old aunt from the country to see a Shakespearian revival at one of the theaters. "Did she like it?"

"Like it? I found out that she would never have gone at all but for the impression she had that 'revival' means comething religious.'

A visitor at a school during geogra-

phy lesson, asked a bright boy, "What is the axis of the earth?" "An imaginary line passing from one pole to the other, on which the earth revolves,' answered he, proudly. "Yes," said his examiner, well pleased, "and could you hang a bonnet on it?" "Yes, sir." Indeed! What sort of a bonnet?" "An imaginary bonnet, sir." . A. GAULD, 180 Dundas. Reading and writing are not really

a necessity of life, when there are other people who can read and write "Why," asked Mrs. Dooley of Bridget Flanagan, "do you go to that old Mrs. Smith to read your letthers from your swatcheart? Sure, you don't be knowin' her at all well.' "That I don't. But she do be deaf as a post!'

"An' what's the good o' that?" "The good of it? The good of it? Why, thin, not a wurrd of thim letthers do she hear!"

The colored people found it "hard times in Georgia" last December, during the smallpox scare. So we may infer, at all events, from a scrap of dialogue reported by the Atlanta Constitution. An old Georgia negro, with his arm in a sling, was talking to another on a west eno car. "Yes, suh," he said, with emphasis. "I gone up, now, fer sho'. You see dis arm in de sling, don't you?"

"Well, suh," the old man continued, way of explanation, "I'll be 80 years old next harvest. I done see lots er trouble in my day, but by de grace er God I miss de Kuklux, I miss de Vigilance Committee, I miss de Whitecaps, en I miss de Regulators, but now, in my old age, please God, de waxinators kotched en cut me."

Men and medicines are judged by what they do. The great cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla give it a good name everywhere.

A trade journal tells of a man whose suit was so loud that it disturbed the nap of his silk hat.

PORT MULGRAVE, June 5, 1897. C. C. RICHARDS & Co.

Dear Sirs,-MINARD'S LINI. ROBINSON, LITTLE & CO., 343 Rich. MENT is my remedy for colds, etc. they saw something that alarmed them very much—the tracks of an old bear and her cub, which had passed near the path that Henry had followed part the path that the path the path that the path that the path t

MRS. JOSIAH HART.



Clear as a crystal and delightful in its invigorating and aromatic odor is the coffee that comes to you in pound and twopound tin cans from the famous tea and coffee importers.

Chase & Sanborn

of Boston, its purity and its strength being guaranteed by their seal.

Its supreme merit has been proved and is acknowledged by thousands of the most fastidious coffee consumers through-

ble of producing one yard of cloth.

(ASSESSMENT SYSTEM).

A man who can foretell the day and hour of his death, and you name the only man who can safely delay insuring his life. The rest of us would better get ready NOW. I forgot to mention that it can't be done after you die.

THE

proper time is NOW, the proper place is HERE, the proper society is the Canadian Order of Foresters. Surrounded by thousands of brethren, backed up by an immense surplus, you will be safe and

when you join the Canadian Foresters and share in their privileges and prosperity. 5c. a day will insure you for \$2000. You can get less if you want to, but it's worth 5c. a day to you to know that your wife and children won't starve after you have been called hence. Write for particulars to-

coffee consumers throughout the land. Grocers everywhere sell it.

One pound of sheep's wool is capable of producing one yard of cloth.

THOS. WHITE, H. GUMMER, Guelph, Ont Or E. GARTUNG. Supt. Organization, Brantford, Ont.
In this city there are several courts of the order. Information in reference to any matter of local interest in connection with the order may be obtained from A. R. Galpin, D. D. H. C. R., 140 Simcoe street, London, and S. R. Taylor, D. D. H. C. R., 520 Ontario street, East London.



BEAUTIFUL HAIR

irrespective of age or length of time bald, if you will but send for our Free and Full Information how to grow hair upon a Bald Head, stop Falling Hair and remove Scalp Diseases Diseases.
This is indeed a most Desirable Offer when you consider the ease by which the wonderful charm of a Beautiful Head of Hair can be attained through simply reading the Free Information we send.

DANDRUFF, ECZEMA, TETTER AND FALLING HAIR LEAD TO BALDNESS.

No woman should suffer her scalp to remain in that condi-

weight in gold to any person afflicted with Baldness, Falling Hair or Scalp Liseases. WRITE AT ONCE AND WE WILL SEND IT TO YOU, PREPAID, FREE. THE ALTENIEM MEDICAL DISPENSARY, DEPT. A. 80, BOX 778,

USINESS DIRECTORY

Ready Reference Guide of London

Banks, Wholesale Dealers & Manufacturers

Accountant.

FRANCIS G. JEWELL, 388 Richmond Auction Mart, Storage and Moving. PORTER & CO., 'phone 1,162. MILLER'S ELECTRIC PARCEL EX-PRESS, 223 Dundas, 'phone 836.

Artists. J. P. HUNT, 344 Dundas street. Architects.

BANK OF TORONTO, 369 Richmond. MERCHANTS' BANK, opp. custom h. DOMINION SAVINGS AND INVEST-MENT SOCIETY CANADIAN SAVINGS AND LOAN.

Brass Founders and Finishers. IRWIN & GELDART, 'phone 1,347. Blank Book Manufacturers.

REID BROS. & CO., 391 Clarence. Brushes. THOMAS BRYAN, 61 Dundas street.

ilding and Loan Companies. RESECK LOAN CO., 169 Dundas. PEOPLE'S BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, Molsons Bank Bldg.

Bill Posters. BELTON & ROOTE, Opera House. Books and Stationery. JAS. I. ANDERSON & CO., 183 Dundas

Combination Organ. SCRIBNER ORGAN AND MFG. CO. Clothing.

BURNS & LEWIS, 337 Richmond. R. GREENE MFG. CO., 137 Carling. LONDON PANT AND OVERALL

Coal, Wood and Coke. HUNT BROS., 363 Richmond street. Cigar Manufacturers. KING BOLT CIGAR CO., 'phone 816.

Confectionery. JOHN FRIEND, 117 Dundas street. Dyers and Cleaners. STOCKWELL'S, 259 Dundas street.

Drygoods. R.C.STRUTHERS & CO., Rich & York Engines and Boilers.

Fancy Drygoods and Millinery. JOHN C. GREEN. & CO., 122 Ridout. Grocery Broker.

HAROLD LAMBE, J.S.McDougall, agt. Hats and Furs. FRASER, McMILLAN & CO., Rich St. FRIED, WRIGHT & CO., Richmond St.

Hardware. HOBBS HARDWARE CO., 339 Rich. JOHN BOWMAN HARDWARE COM-PANY, York street.

Hairdressers.

F. J. MILLER, 223 Dundas. Iron, Brass and Wire Works. DENNIS WIRE & IRON CO., King.

SUN LIFE ASS. CO., A. Macgregor, agt. NORTHERN LIFE, Masonic Temple.

Leather GEO. KERR, 353 Richmond street.

Lumber Boxes. LONDON BOX MFG. & LUMBER CO (Limited).

Monument Manufacturers. LETHBRIDGE BROS., Talbot & Carl. Old Books and Curiosities

JOHN CONNOR, 338 Richmond St. Paper Box Manufacturers. GEO. BAYLEY, 80 Dundas street.

REID BROS. & CO., 391 Clarence St. Physicians' Supplies. W. E. SAUNDERS & CO., 352 Clarence

Pork Packers. JOHN PARK, Market House. Plumbing Supplies.

W. H. HEARD & CO., 357 Richmond. Shoe Uppers. R. F. LACEY & CO., 398 Clarence St Sign Writers.

MORRISON & CURTIS, 255 Dundas. Tea Importers. MARSHALL BROS. & CO., 67 Dundas. Veterinary Surgeon and Horse Shoer

J. A. TANCOCK, 94 King street. Wholesale Druggists. JAS. A. KENNEDY & CO., 342 Rich.

Wholesale Jewelers. J. & J. A. STEVENSON, 115 Carling.

Wholesale Grocers. A. M. SMITH & CO., 176 York street. T. B. ESCOTT, 146 York street. E. LEONARD & SONS, York street, ELLIOTT, MARR & CO., 333 Rich. Woolens and Gents' Furnishings.

A. E. PAVEY & CO., 331 Richmond.

MUME

SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE-dissolves the solld matters which clog and pedo the natural and healthy working of the functions of the kidneys-Cures Diabetes, Bright's Disease, Inflammation of the Bladder, Gravel or Stone in the Bladder, and all disorders directly attributable to diseased kidneys-A never falling, quick relieving liquid specific, endorsed by best physicians everywhere SOUTH AMERICAN RHEUMATIC CURE-In chronic cases of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, bago and kindred ailments, where the suffering has been intense, relief has come after one dose, and many marvellous cures have been affected-A sentence from one "My joints were stiff and swollen and the pains were almost beyond bearing, but a few doses of South American Rheumatic Cure worked wonders."

not rest on account of nervousness; my body became wasted almost to

a skeleton. Doctors claimed it to be womb trouble, and desired to per-

gave me great relief. I took eight bottles and am cured completely."

Feed the Nerves!

and makes rich, red, healthy blood.

We live by nervous force, and if there is derangement at the seat of

good health, the whole physical organization suffers-two-thirds of all

ailments common to humanity can be traced

to sick nerves. Naturally the weakest part

is the one attacked, and in cases whose

number is legion the trouble begins in the

stomach-and ends too often in physical

and mental ruin-sluggish circulation,

impure blood, exhaustion, emaciation,

loss of appetite, insomnia, general de-

bility and wasting diseases-all for lack

of replenishing an overworked system.

South American Nervine is the greatest

of all nerve foods-purifies the blood,

clears the system of all impurities, tones

and strengthens the digestive organs-a

wonderful remedy in cases of female weakness

and functional derangements peculiar to her sex

Mrs. Geo. Schlee, of Berlin, Ont., says: "I

always felt weak and tired; at night I could

-truly a good health angel to womankind.

Sold by W. S. B. Barkwell and all Druggists.

OR. AGNEW'S OINTMENT-Cures blind,

months for renewing and healing in the

physical world. The months for new life, new energy, new blood in men and women.

The months when our need of help from medicine is greater than at any other time of year.

The months when Hood's Sarsaparilla will do us the most good because we are all now especially susceptible to benefit from this medicine.

The months when Hood's Sarsaparilla is taken by the millions because they have found that it is the medicine which does them good.

The months when you should take Hood's Sarsaparilla, because it will purify, vitalize and enrich your blood, and put you in good condition to resist the debilitating effects of changeable, warmer weather. Try it now.

food's

Sarsaparilla

Is sold by all druggists. Price \$1; six for \$5. Prepared only by

C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The Best Spring Medicine.

"I keep Hood's Sarsaparilla in the

steady; fresh 9½ c.

Receipts—Flour. 26,000 bbls; wheat, 77,000 bushels; corn, 26,000 bushels; oats. 273,000 bushels; rye. 10,000 bushels; barley, 47,000 bushels.

Shipments—Flour, 36,000 bbls.; wheat, 85,000 bushels, corn, 138,000 bushels, oats, 294,000 bushels; rye, 2,000 bushels, barley, 45,000

 July
 3
 3½
 3
 2½
 3
 2½
 3
 2½
 3
 2½
 3
 2½
 3
 3
 3½
 3
 3½
 3
 3½
 3
 3½
 3
 3½
 3
 3½
 3
 3½
 3
 3½
 3
 3½
 3
 3½
 3
 3½
 3
 3½
 3
 3½
 3
 3½
 3
 3½
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3
 3

Corn-Spot quiet; demand moderate; Ameri-

Lard-Prime western, 27s. Butter-Finest United States, 84s; good, 60s.

Cheese-American finest, white and

Tallow-Fine American, city, 20s 6d.

Mar. | Mar. | Mar. | Mar. | 15. | 16. | 17. | 18.

Satisfied with Hood's.

Builds Up the System. "For several years I have taken two or "I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for three bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla every weakness with which I was a sufferer in spring for eradicating the humors in the the spring, and I have found it the best blood and for building up the system medicine to create an appetite and build generally. My experience with Hood's up the strength that I have ever taken, Sarsaparilla has been very satisfactory." and I recommend it highly." J. F. GEO. FRANK, care of D. M. Ferry & Co., WARD, Labelle, Ohio. Keeps the Stomach In Order.

Creat Blood Purifier.

"Hood's Sarsaparilla is our family house all the time and regard it as the physician and I believe it needs no rec- best spring medicine I can find. It has ommendation. Wherever it has once been proved beneficial in keeping my stomach used there can be no substitute for it, as in order, and since I began taking it I a blood purifier." Miss C. A. Elliott, can eat anything I wish." H. STONE,

Commercial.

Local Market.

[Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.]

Wheat, white fall, per bu.....78c to 84c

Wheat, red fall, per bu......78c to 84c

Wheat, spring, per bu.......78c to 84c

Oats, per bu301/2c to 33c

Peas, per bu57c to 60c

Corn, per bu44c to 44c

Barley, per bu......331/2c to 331/2c

There was a good supply of all

kinds of grain and produce today.

wheat and oats formed the bulk of

receipts, and prices show little or no

change. Oats were probably a little

sold at 10c to 11c by the basket, and

Potatoes were steady and unchang-

Young pigs sold from \$3 50 to \$6 a

in the price of most things. The fol-

lowing list shows the usual figures

GRAIN.

Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs 1 30 Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs 1 30 Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs 1 30 Wheat, new 1 35 Oats, per 100 lbs 90

Rye, per 100 105.
Beans, per bu...
Beans, per 100 lbs.
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs.
PROVISIONS.

Eggs, single dozen.
Eggs, fresh, basket, dozen.
Eggs, per dozen. basket, pkd.
Eggs, fresh, store lots, doz.

Butter, per lb, retail.
Butter, pound rolls, baskets.
Butter, lb, large rolls or crocks

Butter, per lb, tubs or firkins.

Chickens, per pair. Ducks, per pair.

Geese, per 1b.

Honey, extracted Cheese, per 1b. wholesale.

Peas, per 100 lbs Corn, per 100 lbs Barley, per 100 lbs Rye, per 100 lbs

Very little change can be seen

Eggs and butter were easy; eggs

easier, 90c being the general price.

butter at 20c to 21c

London, Saturday, March 19.

latter kind; native lambs, choice to extra, \$5.70 to \$5.75; fair to good, \$5.50 to \$5.65; cuils to common, \$4.85 to \$5.40; yearlings, common to choice, \$4.75 to \$5; native sheep, choice to selected wethers, \$4.80 to \$4.95; good to choice mixed sheep, \$4.60 to \$4.80; common to fair, \$4.25 to \$4.50; cuils to common to fair, \$4 25 to \$4 50; culls to common sheep, \$3 25 to \$4 15.

TORONTO, March 18.—At the Toronto cattle market today receipts were 41 cars, including 130 sheep and lambs and 1,100 hogs. Export cattle were not offering freely in the country, owing to the fact that a number of American buyers are purchasing cattle from the farmers in Ontario at higher prices than Canadian shippers can profitably pay. Americans are buying them to ship with their own cattle in bond through the States. This demand is likely only to last for a cou-ple of weeks. Cables to dealers here quoted 51/2d. A letter from Toronto exporters now operating in Buenos Ayres states that 70,000 cattle and 25,000 sheep there are to be shipped to Britain during the next three months. These wil compete directly with shipments from Canada. Export cattle sold today at 4c to 41/2c, the latter for very choice aver aging 1,470 lbs. Butchers' cattle quiet and unchanged at 31/2c to 3%c for good to choice; a few fancy sold at 4c; common, 23/4c and medium 31/4c. Stockers and feeders-More Buffalo buyers in the market; light stockers, \$3 35 to \$3 50; feeders, 10c off; distillery men paying \$3 55 to \$3 65. Sheep and lambs—Butchers' and export ewes steady, at 63 20 to \$3 40 per cwt; lambs quiet at \$5 to \$5 40 per cwt; bucks, \$2 75 to \$3 per cwt. Calves—Choice sold readily, but common dull; range, \$2 to \$8 each. Milch cows and springers firm at \$25 to \$40 each. Hogs quiet and unchanged at \$4 90 for singers; light, \$4 621/2; thick, fat, \$4 50; sows, \$3 to \$3 25, and stags

NEW YORK, March 18.—Beeves-Receipts, 3,169 head; active and slightly firmer all around; native steers, \$4 to \$5 30 per cwt; stags and oxen, \$3 75 to \$4 50. Calves-Receipts, 156 head; 1,000 head on sale; active, at an advance of 4c per ib; veals sold at \$5 to \$8; city dressed veals firm at 8c to 11½c per lb. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,134 head; slow but steady; sheep, \$4 to \$5; lambs, \$5 50 to \$6 25. Hogs-Recelpts, 2,751; active and stronger at

CHICAGO, March 18.—Cattle—Bulk of the beef steers sold at 24 35 to \$5 10; commoner grades, \$3 90 to \$4 25; stockers and feeders, \$3 50 to \$4 75; calves, \$6 to \$6 50 for best grades. Hogs, \$3 70 to \$4 10 for inferior to choice, bulk of sales being at \$3 87½ to \$4; little pigs largely at \$3 15 to \$3 35, and heavier pigs, \$3 40 to \$3 85. Sheep, \$3 25 to \$4 75 for common to choice flocks; sales chiefly at \$4 25 to \$4 65; rams, \$3 25 to \$2 50; and inferior to choice ewes, \$3 50 to \$4 50; yearling sheep, \$4 50 to \$5, and lambs, \$4 40 to \$5 60, with sales chiefly at \$5 to \$5 50; shorn lambs, \$4 50 to \$5. Receipts, 3,000; hogs, 21,000; sheep, 7,000.

Dairy Markets. MONTREAL, March 18.-Cheese, 7c to 8c. Butter-Townships, 19c to 21c; western, 16c to 18c. NEW YORK, March 18.-Butter is

\$9 90; July, \$9 95. Lard—May, \$5 15; July, \$5 20. Short ribs—May, \$5 10; July, \$5 15. Cash quotations: Flour, dull. No. 3 spring wheat, \$3\%c to \$5\%c; No. 2 red, \$1 02 to \$1 03. No. 2 corn, 28\%c. No. 2 oats, 25\%c; No. 2 white, f. o. b., 29\%c to 30\%c; No. 3 white, f. o. b., 28\c to 29\c. No. 2 rye, 49\c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1 18. Prime timothy seed, \$2 80. Mess pork, \$9 90 to \$9 95. Lard, \$5 10 to \$5 12\%. Short rib sides, \$4 92\%c to \$5 17\%c. Dry salted shoullers, 4\%c to 5c. Short clear sides, \$5 25 to \$5 40. Eggs, steady; fresh, 9\%c. firm; western creamery, 15c to 19c; do, factory, 12c to 15c; Elgins, 19c; imitation creamery, 14c to 15c; Elgins, 19c; initation creamery, 14c to 15c; Elgins, 19c; fore the electors. Possibly a greater number of the electors. imitation creamery, 14c to 161/2c; state dairy, 14½c to 18c; do, creamery, 15c to 19c. Cheese quiet; large white Sept., sc; small do, 81/2c; large colored, Sept., Sc; small colored, Sept., 8½c; large Oct., 7½c to 7¾c; small Oct., 7¾c to e; light skims, 5%c to 64c; part kims, 4c to 6c; full skims, 2c to 3c. CHICAGO, March 18.—Butter—Marpart skims, ket steady; creameries, 13c to 18c; dairies, 10½c to 16c. Cheese quiet, at 8c to 81/4c.

English Markets. TELEGRAPHIC BREVETIES

The heaviest frost of the season has visited the southern part of California, and serious damage was sustained by the fruit industry. Justice Daly, in the New York Su preme Court, signed the decree granting the divorce asked for by Caroline Ravenhill Ratcliffe, from E. J. Ratcliffe, the actor.

 WHEAT—
 Jack. 15.
 Mar. 16.
 Mar. 17.
 Mar. 18.

 Red Winter.
 7 10
 8 0
 7 10
 7 9%

 No. 1 Cal
 7 11½
 7 11½
 7 11½
 7 11½
 7 11½
 7 11½
 7 11½
 7 11½
 7 11½
 7 11½
 7 11½
 7 11½
 7 11½
 7 11½
 7 11½
 7 11½
 7 1½
 7 9½
 7 8¾
 7 9½
 7 9½
 7 4½
 7 4½
 7 4½
 7 4½
 7 4½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0½
 7 0 E. R. Baker was killed and John Rice fatally injured at Chicago by a falling wall of the ruins of the coliseum, the big amusement building which burned to the ground some months ago. The inquiry for snowshoes and moccasins for the Klondike is so great that

it is almost impossible to supply the de-mand. The Lorette Indians, Montreal, are working night and day to endeavor to fill orders. A St. Paul's Bay, Que., dispatch says: Oneseim Gravel, farmer, aged 67 years, was found dead in the woods yester-

Liverpool, March 19, 12:30 p.m.
Wheat—Spot,dull: No. 1 Cal., 7s 9½d to 7s 10½d;
No. 2 red western winter, 7s 9½d; No. 1 red day, two miles from his house. coroner was called, but he did not think Corn—Spot quiet; demand moderate; American mixed, new, 3s 4½d; do, old, nominal; May, quiet, 3s 2½d; March, quiet, 3s 4½d.

Peas—Canadian, 5s 4d.

Becf—Extra India mess, 69 3d; prime mess, it necessary to hold an inquest. Joseph Passawa, of St. Anns, Man., an Indian, has been presented with the Royal Humane Society's medal for saving the lives of six children during a prairie fire. The children were penned up in a house, and had it not been for! the Indian's bravery all would have perished.

Pork—Prime mess, fine western, 51s 3d.
Pork—Prime mess, fine western, 51s 3d.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, firm, 30s; long clear heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, 28s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 18lbs, 29s; long clear light, 35 to 38 lbs, 29s; short ribs, firm, 29s; clear bellies teady, 32s 6d.
Hams—Steady; short cut, 32s 6d.
Lard—Prime western, 27s J. C. Dawes, formerly of Toronto, was arrested at Pilot Mound Thursday night by a special agent of the United States treasury department. It is alleged that Dawes was implicated in smuggling a large quantity of wheat into Minnesota from Manitoba at Pem-

Turpentine—Spirits, 25s 34. Rosin—Common, 4s 1½d. Retrolcum—Refined, 5½d. Linseed Oil—15s 6d. CHAS. ABBOTT Wholesale Produce and Commission Merchant. Finest oranges and lemons yet received. Call

and inspect, whether you buy or not. Consignments of butter, eggs, etc., solicited. 172 King Street, London. Oil Markets.

PETROLIA, March 19.—Oil opened and closed t \$1 40. PITTSBURG, Pa., March 19.—Oil opened at

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO, March 18.-Cattle Only a few odd butchers in all, not over two loads being on offer; the market outlook is considered about steady for good grades. Veals and calves-Receipts, 100 head; top grades sold at \$6 75 to \$7 up to \$7 25 for few fancy; light thin to fairly good, \$3 50 to \$6 50. Hogs-Receipts, 35 cars; fairly active demand for all grades, and prices were fairly steady to firm for Yorkers and mixed lots, but strong to a shade higher for heavy grades and a nickel higher for good pigs; good to choice Yorkers, \$4 15 to \$4 20; prime selected light Yorkers, \$4 15 to \$4 20; mixed packers' grades, \$4 17 to \$4 20; medlum weights, \$4 17 to \$4 20; heavy hogs, \$4 22 to \$4 25; roughs, \$3 60 to \$3 80; stags, \$2 90 to \$3 25; pigs, \$3 25 to \$4. Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 35 cars of fresh arrivals, and 12 loads of held-

Constipation

VERDICT FOR DODD'S. ars. Hooper Cured of Female Weak ness by Dodd's Kidney Pills. Norwich, March 14 .- The evidence of Norwich, in the case of Dodd's vs Disease, was as follows:

"My wife suffered for twelve years with Female weakness. The best doctors attended her. She used many remedies, but neither doctors nor remedies did her the least good. "Finally I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. One box worked wonders. Four boxes cured her. She is as well now as ever she was. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured

The judge charged in favor of Dodd's. Verdict was unanimous. "Dodd's Kidney Pills are the only known cure for This accords fully with popular feel-

CASTORIA. hat Hitcher Wrappet CASTORIA

Rousing Majority for Mr. Guibord in Russel.

The Liberals Throughout the Country in High Feather.

What Hon. George W. Ross Has to Say About It.

The Expectations of Sanguine Conser vatives Had Little Ground to Rest On

Ottawa, March 19.-The Liberals of Ottawa are in high feather over the splendid victory achieved in Russell. The campaign was managed from Ottawa by both parties, and the leaders, Hon. George W. Ross and Mr. Whitney, had their headquarters here. There was a large gathering in the rooms of the Liberal Club to hear the returns.

After it became apparent that Mr. Guibord was elected by a large majority, the audience demanded speeches from Mr. Ross, Mr. Stratton, M.P.P., Mr. James Conmee, M.P.P., Mr. Bowman, M.P.P., Mr. Stewart and other prominent workers. Mr. Ross, who was loudly cheered, expressed his thanks to the people of Russell for their warm support of the government, and to the members of the Dominion Parliament, who had given such effective assistance in the campaign.

The verdict in Russell was another evidence that the sentiment of the province was favorable to the government, and not, as had been asserted, to the opposition. Continuing, the minister of education, spoke of the ideals of Liberalism in the motherland, in the Dominion, and in Ontario. The government of the province was, he said, not perfect, and made no claim to perfection, but it sought to promote Liberal principles.

Brief addresses were also delivered by the others mentioned. Up at the House of Commons the Liberals were jubilant, and expressed the opinion that the verdict in Russell would be followed by similar decisions in any other counties opened through protests. MR. ROSS INTERVIEWED.

To a reporter of the Globe Mr. Ross said: "The result in Russell proves the value of organization and of a thornumber of the electors of Russell heard the issues discussed than of any other county in the province during the general election, and by speakers on both sides. We found that the French-Canadian electors are satisfied with the policy of the government in regard to education and its efforts to improve the The Bill to Improve Them Now eachers. Inasmuch also as there are n several of the townships Englishspeaking electors of different creeds, the lection also showed that the Protestant population of Russell, living in close proximity to their Catholic fellow-citizens, approve of the justice of

the treatment accorded to the Roman Catholic population during the last ten years. It is also gratifying to learn after traveling extensively and meeting electors from every municipality that not a single Liberal was disturbed in his allegiance to the party by the unfounded invective of the leader of the opposition or the silly chatter by Col. Matheren, about finances he did not under tand, and statements contained in the public accounts which he persisted in misrepresenting. It is quite evident that where constituencies are fully informed as to the policy and record of the Liberal party out candidates have nothing to fear.

BLASTED HOPES. Another prominent Liberal The Conservatives were in spirits up to Wednesday night, and from all sections of the province came reports that the opposition was relying upon some great coup. This was true to some extent, but they were relying upon the condition of the roads, for this condition seemed to be such that the returning officer could not have the deputy returning officers They had in some of the sworn. municipalities been sworn in, but in the strong Liberal sections the deputies had not been sworn. Up to noon on Thursday none of the deputies in Clarence township had been sworn, but by 5 o'clock on the morning of

polling day the last deputy was sworn and the legal process had been fulfilled. When once the opposition knew a straight contest was on, their vigor relaxed, and the tide flowed with a greater momentum toward the Liberals. The opposition fought with great desperation, for their press and speakers had led the rank and file to believe that the fate of the Conservative party for the next generation has been splendidly decided."

O. Guibord, Liberal, is elected over P. Marier, Conservative, by a majority Stanley Hooper, farmer, living near of 738. There are five outside polls to hear from, which will increase the ma-Jority to about 800.

LATER-814 MAJORITY. The latest returns from Russell county show that Guibord, Liberal, has 814 of a majority.

Piles! P iles! Itching Piles. Symptoms: Moisture, intense itch-

ing and stinging, mostly at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue, tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. Swayne's Ointment stops the itching as to amend the clause to allow comand bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. All druggists, or by mail, 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia. Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal, wholesale agents, Avoid substitutes.

The CRESCENT MINING AND MILLING COMPANY, owning mining claim No. 122P, 72 acres, within two miles of Rat Portage, adjoining the C. P. R., have only 10,000 promoters' shares left at 3 cents per share. For particulars inquire of Llewellyn A. Morrison, Esq., M. E., James Burns, Esq., Trustees, or John A. Moody,

Smelling salts are a prolific cause of deafness; all strong and pungent odors -particularly those which act on the secretory processes, should be avoided. Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria, etc

Croup Cured in a Minute With Ransom's Hive (Croup) Syrup and Tolu. Guaranteed; 25 cents; all tf

Try our 39c tea. India Tea Company, 436 Richmond street.



WEATHER PROBS: Cloudy and mild with rain. New

Real newness and style, comprising every novelty in Waists. We believe these are the most desirable Waists ever shown in London. Take a look at them for yourselves. On display between Mantle and White wear sections on second floor.

French Organdies, with linings to match. French Dimities, the daintiest patterns. Lappett Muslins, in beautiful plaids. Heavy Percales, in stripes and plaids. English Cambrics in great variety. Beautifa colorings are shown in these goods, such as Nasturtium, Turquoise, Cornflower Blue, Geranium Pink, Pearl Gray and Violet and Pansy

Jacket A sample lot of Jackets. All different styles, principally fawn and tan shades. Not our regular stock, but all superior value at

First Here Means Much This Time.

Complete Assortment Children's Reefers.

sailor collar, braid trimmed, fitted back, box front, cardinal, new blue, and green, sizes \$2 25 Empire Jacket, full skirt, trimmed braid, yoke and sleeves lined, 4 pearl buttons, cardinal, and new blue...... 1-500 yards Linen Toweling at 5c.

Linens

2-600 yards Pillow Cotton, from 42 to 46 inches wide, at 10c. 8-37 White Bed Spreads, full size, worth 90c, 4-Extra fine line Bath Mats, \$1 each. 5—Ten only English Bed Spreads, large size, special price, \$1 50 each.

Sure Specials

SMALLMAN & INGRAM,

149 and 151 Dundas Street,

Canada's Weights And Measures.

Before Parliament.

Governor General Sanctions the San Jose Scale Bill. Ottawa, March 19.—The question of

Mr. Bruneau's alleged resignation Sir Wilfrid Laurier asked that the motion be allowed to stand until Monday. The government had consulted the law officers of the crown, but had

not yet received their opinion. The matter was allowed to stand. The house then went into committee on the bill to amend the steamship inspection act.

Mr. Britton (Kingston) asked to have loating elevators exempted from the inspection of their engines and boilers. Sir Louis Davies refused to assent to this. He held that he would be unable to justify such an exemption to the working people of the country. Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper agreed with the minister of marine. The clause was passed and stood. Black Rod here arrived with a mes-

sage from his excellency, summoning the commons to the senate. Mr. Speaker and half a dozen members obeyed, and witnessed the royal assent given to the San Jose scale bill. They then returned to the house. Mr. Charlton read a telegram he had received from a nursery stock dealer in Campbellford, Ont., to the effect that having purchased a large consignment of fruit trees in Rochester, N. Y., he would be financially ruined by the The speaker said the matter could not be discussed then.

A clause in the steamboat inspection bill providing that an inspector could not be engaged in other business or hold any civil office, "without permission of the minister." was strongly opposed by the opposition.
Sir Louis Davies held that the permissive clause was necessary to en-able him to employ inspectors at small salaries in the Northwest and in the

Hon. Mr. Foster's motion to strike out the clause was lost.
On Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper's suggestion, the time for bringing in the bill was extended from Aug. 1 next to Jan. 1, 1899. An important change was made in

the form of a license to steamships, which entitles her to run between certain named points. Mr. Powell showed this would prevent Canadian steamships from engaging in ocean-going trade. He instanced a case in his own experience. He thought a certificate should be granted to a steamship, competent to go to any part of the world, as is done in England, where most of the tramp

Sir Louis Davies consented so far pentent steamers to go anywhere 'within the waters of Canada.' The bill as amended was reported. house went into committee on the weights and measures bill. Clause 2 states that the bushel of certain articles shall be determined by weight, unless a bushel by measure is specially agreed upon. The weight of the bushel of potatoes was fixed by the clause at

steamers are owned.

60 pounds. Mr. Monk moved to add to the clause that the standard bag of potatoes in the province of Quebec should be placed at one bushel and a sixth, or 70 pounds A general discussion on the standard

bag of potatoes was taken part in by Messrs. Costigan, McMullen, Haggart, McDougall, McNeill and Talbot. Sir Henry Joly explained that experiments recently made showed that a bushel of potatoes often weighed less than 60 pounds. He had seen varieties which did not exceed 56 pounds. He suggested that Mr. Fortin's bill be inserted as an amendment into the government measure, fixing the weight of a bushel of potatoes at 80 pounds. Further consideration of the clause was deferred. Mr. Wilson urged a reduction in the

weight of a bushel of onions. Mr. Henderson said he would move to fix the weight of a bushel of lime at Mr. McMillan also gave notice of amendment that the weight of a dozen eggs should be 11/2 pounds.

The committee reported progress. Bills to amend the gas inspection, petroleum inspection and inland revenue acts were passed. On motion to adjourn, Hon. Mr. Foster asked if the returning officer for West Prince had yet been appointed. Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied in the

negative. He would tell the honorable gentleman later. Sir Charles said the information was promised today. Sir Wilfrid-Or later. (Laughter.) At 10 p.m. the house adjourned.

THE RAILWAY WAR.

Efforts to End the Cut Rate-Arbi tration Favored.

New York, March 19.-At the meeting of the passenger and traffic agents of railroads to try to end the rate war between American and Canadian roads, the committee presented a resolution providing that an arbitrator be appointed on or before March 23, who shall decide upon the points in contention. All the roads agreed except the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific, whose agents will report to their superior officers.

The funeral of Major-General W. S. Rosecrans, at Los Angeles, Cal., was one of the most impressive and elaborate that city has ever witnessed. Thousands assembled to honor the dead warrior, Business was suspended during the ceremonies.

Scrofulous Sores and

Are hard to heal with ordinary remedies. Yet no one need despair of a cure no matter of how long standing or how large the sore or ulcer may be. Burdock Blood Bitters applied externally and taken internally according to directions will positively make a cure, and leave the skin as clear and smooth as a child's. Hundreds of people, after trying all sorts of remedies, have been cured by



Here's a remarkable case of Mr. Arthur Greenwood, of Randboro, Que., who writes as follows :-

"Having suffered from Scrofula on the face, and the many medicines I took not seeming to do me any good, I thought I would give up trying for a cure, but decided to try B.B.B. before doing so. I got one bottle and before it was finished my face was well. I could fill this paper with words of gratitude to Burdock Blood Bitters. Nothing in the world equals it."

LIVE STOCK. Cows, each... Beef, per lb. Chickens, per pair.... Hens, per pair.... Ducks, per pair
HAY AND SEEDS Apples, per bag Apples, per bbl Celery, per dozen bunches... impkins, per dozen..... Parsnips, bu MEAT, HIDES, ETC.

Beef, quarters, per lb. 4

Mutton, quarters, per lb. 6

Veal, quarters, per lb. 6

Lamb, quarter. 9

Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, light. 6 00

Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, heavy. 5 50

Hides, No. 1, per lb. 8

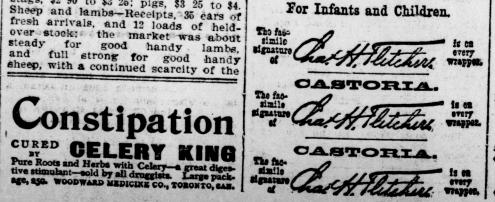
Hides, No. 2, per lb. 6

Hides, No. 3, per lb. 5½

Calfskins, green. 6

LITTLE GIANT SEEDERS (GEARED) The best seeder made. We sell right: call. We buy Red and Alsike Clover, Timothy Seed, ar 4 Seed Grain. Please correspond.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON, 287 Talbet St., Opp. Market, London. Phone 662. St. Thomas Market. St. Thomas, March 18.-Wheat, per bu, 87c to 88c; oats, per bu, 23c to 24c; peas, per bu, 45c to 50c; barley, per bu, 40c; corn, per bu, 38c to 40c. American Markets



.H. BUTLER,

STOCK BROKER. W.J. O'Dell & Cincinnati, O. correspondents Stocks, bonds, cotton, grain and provisions bought and sold for cash or margin. Send for market letter and vest pocket manual. distance telephone. Long distance telephone.

16 and 18 Masonic Temple, London.

Commerce and Finance.

New York Stocks. Reported by F. H. Butler, 16 and 16 Masoni

Temple, for The Adve	rtiser.			
Yesterday's				
Close.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Atcheson, 111/4				
Atcheson Pfd 251/	251/4	253/2	251/3	25%
C. B. & Q 9034	903/	911/4	901/2	91
C. B. & Q 9034 C. & N. W 118	11712	118	1171/2	
Bay State Gas 21/8	27/8	3	27/8	27/3
Chicago Gas 91	91	913%		911/4
N. Y. Gas 17914	1791/2	179%	1793/8	
Gen. Electric 3256	3214	33	321/4	325/8
L. &. N 4932	4914	493/4	491/	495/8
Man. 1011/	1003/	10134	1003/4	10114
Mo. P 25%	251/	253/4	251/4	251/4
Omaha. 76	col/	cor/	COLL	coi/
P. M. 941/	911/	941/	211/	941/
R. I 83¾	833/	841/4	833/4	84
Neading, 17	17	171/3	17	171/3
N. Y. Central 1091/	10934	1101/8		1101/8
St. Paul. 8914	891/4	893/4	891/8	
T. C. L. 19	19	193/3	10	
Wabash 1514	151/3	151/8	151/2	191/4
W. U. 853/	855/8		851/2	
Union Pac. Ptd 501%		511/4	505/8	
Union Pacific 1834	181/2	19		
Leather Trust 5714	57 1/8	57 1/8	1898	
Lead 291/4	01/8	01/8	57%	57 1/8
Sugar1195%	1181/2	1103/	1101/	110
Tobacco 96%	9614	119¾ 97	1181/2	119
Southern Ry. Pfd 25%	26		9614	96½
Jersey Central 021/	921/2	261/2	261/2	261/2
K. & T. Pfd 203/	321/2		923/4	921/2
N. P. Pid 61	61	321/2	421/4	321/4
	01	611/2	60%	611/2

COMMERCIAL

Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, March 19.-Wheat-Dull and easier at 84c for red winter west. Manitoba wheat easy at \$1 09½ to \$1 10 north for No. 1 hard, and \$1 06 Midland. Flour—Easier at \$3 90 to \$3 95 for cars of straight roller in barrels west. Corn-Steady at 301/2c for Canada yellow west, and 36c to 361/2c for American Toronto. Oats-Easier at happens, the Ontario Government re-29c for white west, exporters bidding 28c. Peas-Easier at 56c, exporters bid Eggs-1/2c lower, at 111/2c for new laid. Butter-Scarce and firm at 18c for large rolls, 22c for creamery prints and 20c for tubs.

Montreal Produce Market. MONTREAL, March 19.-Grain in white, 87c. Flour-Manitoba strong bakers'. \$4 80; spring patents, \$5 25; straight roller, \$4 25; winter patents, \$4 25. Feed — Ontario bran, \$13 75; shorts, \$15; Manitoba bran, \$14 50; shorts, \$16. Provisions: Cana-12c to 121/2c; bacon, 12c to 121/2c. Produce: Eggs brisk; new laid at 13c to 14c per dozen. Honey quiet; white clover, hand-picked. Potatoes, fair trade, 60c per bag, c. 1.; 70c, 1. c. i.

Geo. McBean & Co. Dealers in Farm, Milling and Dairy Products.

Consignments and correspondence solicited.

P. O. BOX 807 . . MONTREAL

American Markets. NEW YORK, March 19.-Flour-Receipts, 22,283 bbls; sales, 2,500 packages; 103,600 bu; sales, 1,430,000 bu; options very firm all the morning on covering by shorts, who were alarmed over the May, \$1 00% to \$1 01%: July, 88%c to pense!" 89 7-16c; Sept., 81%c to 82%c. Rye-Dull; state, No. 2 western, 581/2c, f. o. b. afloat at New York. Corn-Receipts,

44,850 bu; sales, 55,000 bu; options rather slow, but derived a firm undertone from wheat; May, 34c; July, 35 3-16c to 351/4c. Oats-Receipts, 60,000 bu; sales, 5,000 bu; options dull and about steady; May, 30c; on track, white state, 321/20 to 39c; on track, white western, 321/20 to 39c. Butter-Receipts, 5,259 packages; steady. Cheese-Receipts, 573 packages; quiet, small white, Sept. 81/4c to 81/2c; small colored, Sept., 81/4c to 81/2c. Eggs-Receipts, 7,699 packages; steady; state and Pennsylvania, 10% to 11e; southern, 101/2c to 103/4c. Sugar-Raw quiet. Hops steady. Lead-Dull; bullion price, \$3 50; exchange price, \$3 671/2

CHICAGO, March 19.—Opening.— Wheat, July, 86c; May., \$1 06; Dec., 79c; Sept., 78%c. Corn, May, 29%c; July, 30%c; Sept., 31%c. Oats, May, 25%c; July, 23%c. Lard, May, \$5 1c. July, \$5 17. Pork, July, \$9 87. Ribs, May, \$5 05; July, \$5 12%c. July, \$5 12½.

BUFFALO. N. Y., March 19.—Spring wheat,
No. 1 hard, \$1 08¾; No. 1 northern, \$1 07¾.
Winter wheat, No. 2 red, 99c; No. 1 white, 99c.
Corn, No. 2 yellow, 34c; No. 3 yellow, 33½c;
No. 2 corn, 33c; No. 3 corn, 32½c through billed.
Oats, No. 2 white, 31½c; No. 3 white, 30½c; No. 2 mixed, 28½c. 2 mixed, 28½c. DETROIT, March, 19.—Wheat, No. 1 white, cash, 95c; No. 2 red, cash, 97c; May, 97c; July, 83%c.
TOLEDO, March 19.—Wheat, cash and May,

93%c; July, 84c. Corn, cash, 30%c; May, 30%c.
July, 31%c. Oats, cash and May, 27c.
MILWAUKEE, March 19.—Wheat—Cash,
\$1; May, \$1 (2.) Chicago Exchange

CHICAGO, March 19. Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, broker, Masonic Temple. Phone 1.278. Wheat—May..1 06 1 07 1 63 1 03 Wheat—May 1 06
July... 86
Sept... 78¾
Corn—May 29¾
July... 30%
Dats—May 25¾
July... 23½
Pork—May 9 85
July... 9 87
Lard—May 5 10
July... 5 17
Ribs—May... 5 05
July... 5 12 Puts-82%. Calls-861/8.

Live Stock Market. CHICAGO, March 19.-Hogs-Estimated receipts today, 17,000; left over, 2,040; fairly active; light, \$3 75 to \$3 921/2; mixed, \$3 75 to \$3 971/2; heavy, \$3 75 to \$4 05; rough, \$3 75 to \$3 80. Cattle-Receipts, 2,000; unchanged. Sheep-Receipts, 2,000; steady.

NEW YORK, March 19.—Beeves-Receipts, 1,014; no sales; exports, 1,244 beeves and 4,143 qrs beef. Calves—Receipts, 77; active and firm; veals, \$5 to 88. Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 2,327; sheep more active and steady; lambs e. trifie weaker; lambs, \$5 65 to \$6 20; no sheep sold. Hogs—Receipts, 1,796; low and lower at \$4 15 to \$4 35.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure.

Two Hundred Dollars Reward. Is offered by Mr. F. H. Leigh, electrician and plumber, 505 Richmond street (opposite the R. C. Church), to any electrical expert who can overcome the system of burglar alarm which he is about to introduce for banks, jewelers, furriers, etc., in the city and sur-rounding country. He has had twelve —Mr. B. Hertel, wh

The Popular Drug Store, Strong's.

How the House Stands.

With the election in Russell yesterday, the Ontario Assembly is now complete. There are 94 members-elect. Premier Hardy has 50 followers, and Thursday night, for courtesies extended the standing of parties is as follows: Liberals 50

Conservatives 43 Patron 1

Appeals and close recounts are pending in West Elgin, West Huron and South Perth, and there may be an appeal in the Ottawa case. Very little change would affect the standing of parties in these constituencies. Of the four seats in which appeals are pending, only one, West Elgin, is held by a Liberal. No matter, therefore what mains in power, as the majority of the electors have decreed it shall remain.

Topics of Today.

The Yukon Railway Bill has reached store: Oats, 33c; peas, 63c; buckwheat, will find the Senators discussing it on the Dominion Senate, and next week its second reading.

The report of the Bureau of Mines and Mining for Ontario will be issued by Mr. Blue, the director, in a few days. This is a document that is dian pork, per barrel, \$16 50 to \$17; hams, looked for with more interest than ever this year.

The latest proposals from British comb, 121/2c; dark, do, 10c; dark, 7c to capitalists is to establish another line of steamships. This time the British trade center that wants our products is Manchester, to which there is now a ship canal.

Astonishing what an interest there was in the Russell Provincial election. The Advertiser was kept busy answering telephone messages as to the progress of the count-up till a late hour last night.

state and western quiet but firmly by Congress, will not pay all the war held. Rye flour dull. Wheat—Receipts, material being ordered by the United States. It comes high, but our neighbors are now nerved up to the fighting J. B. Hoover, Clinton; A. B. Telfer, point, and they say "hang the exlight offerings; March \$1 04\foath to \$1 05\foath; point, and they say "hang the ex-

LATEST WEATHER FORECAST Toronto, March 19-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours: Showery today: fair on Sunday.

Around the City

-Miss E. Redge, of this city, is visiting friends in Strathroy. -Mr. Manson Campbell, of Chatham, is in the city on business.

-Miss Dollie Kelly, of Chatham, is the guest of Mrs. I. P. Marlatt, 428 Rectory street. -Mr. Frank Fenech has received a dispatch announcing the serious illness of her mother at her home in Lipari, Italy.

-"The Man With the Iron Mask" drew a very poor house at the Grand last night. The show was a disappointment. -Mrs. W. B. Elliott and daughter

Beatrice, of this city, have returned after a pleasant visit to friends in Thamesville. -- Today's market was a fairly big one. A large quantity of maple syrup was offered, and met a ready sale at

\$1 per gallon. -Mr. P. J. Watt, Kent street, has lost three Plymouth Rock chickens, two cats and a mastiff dog by theft and poisoning this week.

Detective Nickle, for two weeks, returned home today. -Mr. Noble Cass, motorman, of the street railway company, was called away to Nissouri this morning, owing to the death of his sister.

-Rev. T. McClary, railway chaplain, of Minneapolis, will conduct a special service for railwaymen tomorrow evening at King Street Methodist Church. -The general stock of R. Weir, of Walkerville, was offered at auction yesterday afternoon by J. W. Jones, and withdrawn at 40 cents on the

-Mrs. John Marshall and her two daughters, Miss Alice and Miss Helen, leave for New York on Monday, sailing thence on Wednesday for England on the Germanic.

The horse drawing P. Ingwall's tary Bell, were present. Contracts were vital fluid may be entirely averted by milk wagon bolted opposite St. Peter's Cathedral today, but was captured at Sydenham street. About 15 quarts of milk were poured out.

-Last night some miscreant turned in an alarm from the fire alarm box at the corner of the Hamilton road and Rectory street, and the brigade were given a needless long run in the mud. -Owing to the delay in the arrival of Madame Ronner's pictures from Brus-sels, the Woman's Art Club exhibition ft., 28c; 9 ft., 29c; 10 ft., 30c; 12 ft., 32c; will have to be postponed for a few 14 ft., 34c. days. Due mention will be given in

rounding country. He has had twelve years' experience with the Edison Company and the Holmes Burglar Alarm Company, New York and Montreal. Electric bells, electric light and repairs in general electrical work repairs in genera -Mr. B. Hertel, who has been for 29c; 9 ft., 32c; 10 ft., 33c; 12 ft., 36c; 14

-At the London Vocal Society's concert next Tuesday evening, Mrs. Chas. E. Saunders, soprano, of Toronto, will sing the celebrated aria, "Senta's Song," from Wagner's "Flying Dutch-Plan now open at the Bell Piano warerooms. -Mr. John Morrison, of Thamesford,

while driving to market this morning, of Dundas and Lyle streets, and the rig was badly smashed. Fortunately, he and Mrs. Morrison, who was with nim, escaped uninjured.

-The many friends of Mr. John Break, the genial assistant superintendent of the London Street Railway, will be pleased to learn that he is able to be around again after suffering from a slight attack of congestion of the lungs for the past week. -Roy Wilkins, of Queen's avenue

east, 14 or 15 years old, an employe in the job printing department of The Advertiser, had his hand severely hurt this afternoon while working around one of the presses. Dr. McLaren attended the lad. No bones were broken. -Dr. Hobbs, supreme medical examiner, and Mr. E. D. Croden, secretary of the reception committee, were presented with addresses and beautiful bouquets by the Canadian Home Circle onvention at the closing session on to the lady delegates.

-Susan Clemence, a domestic in the household of Mr. Francis Whetter, London township, was arrested today by County Constable Spicknell, of Pottersburg. She is charged with stealing two valises, two rings and a quantity of money. She will be tried on Tuesday next by Squire J. B. Smyth.

The special services held in St.James' Church, South London, during the week, will be continued tomorrow, when Rev. Arthur Murphy will occupy the pulpit. The morning subject is "Carnal Christians," and the evening discourse will be on the topic, "Weighed, in the Balance." Buch interest has been manifested in the week-night services, which have been well attended. -The list of R. R. C. I. men who

will go to the Klondike has not yet been officially announced, but it is probable the contingent will comprise the following, in addition to names previously published in The Advertiser: Corp. Wm. Watson, Corp. Da-Corp. Bethune, Lance-Corp. vies. Smith, Ptes. Raynor, Strong, Mullins, Faryon, Edson, Freeland, Cooper, Clarkson, Scanlon, Naish, A. Smith, Teale and Johnston. The Balmoral Club visited the barracks last night and gave a farewell concert to the

-The concert to be given in the Dundas Center Methodist Church next Thursday evening will no doubt be largely attended. The choir of the largely attended. The choir of the he be persuaded by some outniter to church, under the direction of Mr. W. Hewlett, will be assisted by an expower, it will cost just as much to summoned immediately. On reaching and restlessness during sleep. Mother browners it and then when he opens it the fail he overwined the wound and sixther and effectual. If your drugcellent concert company, under the management of Mr. W. J. Birks, consisting of Master Freddie Ulley, the celebrated boy soprano of St. James' Church, Montreal; Mr. F. Henry Stevens, the eminent English organist, and Mr. J. Marshall Williams, the popular basso, late of the city. Tickets are now in the hands of the choir for sale. -The executive council of the Cana-

dian Order Woodmen of the World ing in the Duffield block. There were present: lessrs. C. C. Hodgins, Lu-Moses, public school incan: Cla -It is now said that \$50,000,000, voted by Congress, will not pay all the war material being ordered by the United material by the United mate spector, Caledonia; Dr. Harrison, To-E. Hill, St. Thomas; Jas. Ferguson, Strathroy; J. C. Hull, Niagara Falls; part of its value. business considered was the organza- who have gone through similar extion work for the year and the har- perience. Mr. McQuesten, who is callmonizing of the bylaws with the amendments as adopted by the head experience of years upon the trial, in camp in Toronto. A vigorous push will be made to extend the order this year. be made to extend the order this year. of supply says: "We find in Financially the society was never in Alaska that the importance of a proper a better condition—all claims paid in kind of baking powder cannot be overfull, no liabilities and a large balance. OFF TO KLONDIKE.

Mr. Charles Hartford, of 108 Briscoe street, South London, leaves on Tuesday next for Chicago, when he will stronger and carries further, but above start with a party of five for the Klon- all things, it is the only powder that dike. They have been engaged by the Humboldt-Alaska Mining Company of Chicago, and will commence operations at Cook Inlet, Alaska. Mr. Jas.

Adams formarly foreman of the Slater of the Adams, formerly foreman of the Slater expeditions, and Peary, the famous Malting Company, and now of Chi- arctic traveler, have carried the Royal cago, is secretary-treasurer of the min- Baking Powder exclusively. ing company. Mr. Hartford is an English coal miner, and used to the hard-ships of the occupation. He has been board ship or in damp comates, and is expects to be away five years. THE POLICE COURT.

George Hill, a young man living in the vicinity of Woodstock, was before Police Magistrate Parke this morning charged with stealing a valise from Meredith Gross, a tea traveler. The complainant said he had met Hill in Beachville, and the two went together to Ingersoll. Here the pair went out to see the town, and between 4 and 6 o'clock Hill slipped away with his valise. Hill conducted his own case, and pleaded drunkenness as an excuse. The Appeal on the Recount Heard at Sergt.-Major Adams deposed that when he saw the men the prisoner was drunk and the complainant had a pretty good "jag" on. The magistrate discharged the prisoner, as in his opinion the whole thing was a misunderstanding, the result of a spree. He cautioned Hill to -Miss Tena McLellan, of Grove's lowed him to go. The prisoner said, refrain from the festive bowl, and al-End, who has been visiting her cousin, pointing towards the cells: "Yes, I made a solemn resolution to that effect in that infamous place behind. I'll drink no more."

The Year's Supplies.

Contracts Let by the Board of reserved. Works.

of works was held yesterday afternoon ity of 739 in Russell provincial electo open tenders for the year's supplies and work. Ald. Douglass (chairman), Belton, Carrothers, Cooper, Greenlees, Which arise from impurities in the awarded for the laying of plank sidewalks, repair lumber, glazed pipe, cegone into, being left for the officers to and vigor. tabulate and submit statement. The result with the tenders dealt with was as follows:

Plank sidewalks: Wm. Howie, jun., 3 ft. walks, 8c; 4 W. D. Willis & Co., 3 ft., 9½c; 4 ft., 16¾c; 5 ft. 4 in., 23½c; 6 ft., 24c; 8 ft.,

York, where he has been for the last accepted, being the lowest.

The tender of Dyment, Baker & Co. was accepted for lumber for repairs being the lowest.

Glazed pipe-The tender of John Mann & Sons was accepted for pipe, junctions and elbows. The others tenders were A. D. Cameron & Son and Bowman & Co. The figures of the successful tenderers were, 4-inch, 5c; 6-inch, 7½c; 8-inch, 11½c; 10-inch, 16½c; 12-inch, 21½c; 15-inch, 31½c; 18-inch, 42½c. Single junctions each were respectively 23c, 34c, 50c, 75c, 95c, \$1 40 and \$1 95.

Cement-Two tenders were received for the supply of cement from John Mann & Sons and A. D. Cameron. The contract was given to A. D. Cameron at \$2 15 per barrel for Portland cement. Concrete pipe-

Two tenders were received from W J. Anthistle and E. North. The tender of W. J. Anthistle was accepted, being the lowest, but for sizes not quoted by Anthistle the contract was awarded to E. North.

Engine for crusher-Six tenders were received for the furnishing of an engine for the operation of the stone crusher. They were from George White & Sons, who tendered at \$925, \$550 and \$450; E. Leonard & Sons. \$323, \$600 and \$635; Advertiser, secondhand, \$200; W. Giddings, \$550; John Darville, \$525; James Burns, \$1,075. The engineer, chairman, and an expert, Mr. S. Keast, will examine the engines and report.

Thirteen tenders were received for the supply of gravel, and these were referred to the engineer and secretary to tabulate and report. Prior to the meeting the members spent a couple of hours in their capacity as members of the sewer committee, journeying over the route to be

taken by the trunk seeer west of Evergreen avenue. A vist to Mr. J. A. Thomas' property was also made, so that the aldermen had a busy after-

ARE YOU TO LIVE IN ALASKA?

Requirements That Will Be Found Indispensable.

The universal article of diet in that country, depended upon and indispensable, is bread or biscuit. And to make the bread and biscuit, 'either in the camp or upon the trail, yeast cannot be used—it must be baking powder; and the powder manufactured by the processes of the Royal Baking Powder Company, miners and prospectors have learned, is the only one which will stand in that peculiar climate of cold and dampness and raise the bread and biscuit satisfactorily. These facts are very important for

every one proposing to go to Alaska and of the skylight into the court house, the Yukon country to know, for should will find a solid caked mass or a lot of For use in such a climate, and under the trying and fatiguing conditions of held a special meeting on Friday morn- life and labor in that country, everything must be the best and most useful, and above all it is imperative that all food supplies shall have perfect required for use to have lost a great There is no better guide to follow in

these matters than the advice of those ed "the father of Alaska," after an the camp, and in the use of every kind estimated. A miner with a can of bad baking powder is almost helpless in Alaska. We have tried all sorts, and Bread Made have been obliged to settle down to use nothing but the Royal. It is

a citizen of London for 17 years, and the most highly concentrated and efficient of leavening agents. Hence it is word to be used, for no accurate idea indispensable to every Alaskan outfit. It can be had of any of the trading companies in Alaska, but should the miner procure his supplies before leav- area and in which every week from 51/2 ing, he should resist every attempt of the outfitter to palm off upon him any of the other brands of baking powder, for they will spoil and prove the cause

of great disappointment and trouble. WEST ELGIN

Osgoode Hall. [Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, March 19.-The argument in the West Elgin provincial election appeal commenced this morning before Justice McLennan at Osgoode Hall.Both candidates appeal from the decision of the county judge. There are in all 50 ballots in dispute. Of these 11 were are objected to by McDiarmid's coun-

LATEST FROM RUSSELL. A dispatch from Ottawa this (Saturday) afternoon says that revised re-The adjourned meeting of the board turns give Guibord (Liberal) a majortion.

Dreaney, Mayor Wilson and Secre- blood and a depleted condition of this Hood's Sarsaparilla. This great medicine cures all spring humors. ment, concrete pipe and a steam en- and vitalizing the blood, it overcomes gine. The gravel tenders were not that tired feeling and gives vitality

> HOOD'S PILLS cure nausea, sick headache, biliousness and all liver ills. Price 25 cents. When a woman starts out to reform

she always begins on some man. Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper. Tuesday, March 22, and following of the dough after being put in the

Surprise Meat Cutters, each

Royal Canadian

Standard

Tub Washing Machine, each

COWAN'S CASH HARDWARE Dundas St

Probable Tragedy in the London Jail Yard.

A Notorious Prisoner Makes Another Attempt to Escape.

Turnkey Stickles Calls on Him to Stop as He Climbed Up the

Water Pipe,

But He Disregarded the Summons and Received a Bullet in the Back -His Wound May Be Fatal. 'A sensational incident occurred at

the jail today. About ten minutes before 1 o'clock this afternoon, Turnkey Stickles took John Glassford, a prisoner, into the here, I found that, after I had given yard, for exercise.

They had been there only half an hour, when Stickles, happening to look around, at the river, Glassford took advantage of the momentary opportunity, and "shinned up" the waterpipe, with the agility of a cat. When Stickels again saw him, Glassford was at the top of the war. The turnkey shouted to him to stop, but he paid ne attention. Stickles then fired over his head, but still Glassford heeded him not.

Stickles then saw that extreme measures were needed, and shot him in the back, the ball entering the shoulder just below the shoulder-blade. The prisoner fell over on the roof as though dead, and was removed by way of the skylight into the count house

for use, after all his labor in packing was of opinion that the ball is lodged it over the long and difficult route, he in the left lung, as air was emerging spoiled powder, with no strength, and useless. Such a mistake might lead to back. The doctor said that at present he was unable to say anything the most serious results. Alaska is no about the consequences, but thought place in which to experiment in food, the prisoner had a chance for his life. Glassford is a desperate man, awaiting removal to the Kingston Penitentiary, to which place he was sen-tenced for seven years, at the last assizes, for criminal assault upon Maud Blaine, near Wardsville, on Oct. 4 last. Glassford, after his first arrest, while awaiting trial, escaped on Oct. 23, when he climbed up the same pipe as he did today and leaped from the walls.

He was at liberty for ten days, being rearrested in Chatham. Two grand juries in their present-ments have called attention to the position of the water pipes which form almost a ladder, yet no action has been taken by the county council to remedy the matter.
The bullet was of 38 short caliber, and the doctors are now at work prob-

ing for it.

By Machinery.

is Out of the Ordinary-The Enterprise of Ex-Ald. Parnell -His Immense Business.

A trip through an up-to-date bread

of an institution in which there are several departments covering a large to 7 tons of flour is manufactured into bread, by a mechanical plant, having steam as it motive power, can be conveyed by the ordinary term "bakery." An Advertiser reporter visited such an establishment on Bruce street, South London, yesterday afternoon. The proprietor, ex-Ald. Edward Parnell, jun., was found in a neat little office at the front of the building, and granted permission for a tour of the place to be made. The most striking feature is its thorough cleanliness. Every bit of woodwork from the floor to the ceiling is white and polished. Smoking is prohibited, and every precaution taken to have the bread perfectly clean. Nothing but bread is made in the establishment. There is a large store room at the rear of the bakery, with a capacity counted by the judge for McNish, and for storing in good shape 1,000 bags of flour. From it the flour is taken to the sel, and 17 were counted for McDiarmid mixing room, where it is put, with other and are objected to by McNish's coun- ingredients, into a large iron vat, which sel. In addition, 12 rejected by the judge is called a four-barrel mixer. In the are claimed by McDiarmid's counsel, vat is a heavy revolving paddle turned are claimed by McDiarmid's counsel, vat is a heavy revolving paddle turned and 10 rejected are claimed for Mc- by steam, and by it the dough is mixed. The argument will last most | When sufficiently mixed the vat is inof the afternoon, and judgment will be verted and the dough dumped into large troughs, where it is left to "rise." The great cleanliness of this process is at once evident. The dough is never handled until ready to be formed into loaves and scaled.

Another machine in the mixing room

is the dough breaker, which consists of a heavy roller, fed by a trough, and which is used to crush the dough for the finer breads.

Every night there are eleven kinds of dough, and these are put into twenty different shapes. The brands are well known, particularly the Eureka, the Home-Made, the Viennas and all the better classes of bread. Mr. Parnell eruptions and sores, and by enriching | makes a great specialty of the wholewheat, or hygienic, bread, which is meeting with great favor. In forming up the ordinary 2-pound

loaves, about 3 ounces are allowed for shrinkage, and on the 11/2-pound loaves an allowance of from 3 to 4 ounces is made. A different style of pan is used for each kind of bread, and each of the two ovens holds 300 loaves. Mr. Parnell has a quantity of labels now ready for use on the 11/2-pound loaves, and the writer saw some placed on some bread. Without being moistened at all,

When the bread is baked it is placed b | the same firm, has returned from New | The tender of Wm. Howie, jun., was | Minard's Liniment cures garget in cows | bread room, where there are abelyes

ranged about the walls, and on which 3,000 loaves can be placed.

The entire building is lighted by electricity and heated by steam. The machinery is run by a 6 horse-power steam engine, and it is throughout the most scientific and thoroughly clean plant possible. A staff of 9 men are employed the year round, and there are four rigs kept constantly on the road, and sometimes five are necessary to supply the trade in and out of the city. Mr. Parnell, during the past fourteen years which he has been in business, has spent a lot of money and labor in building up this trade, and he now very justly prides himself on having one of the best establishments of the kind in the province. It is complete in every department. Nothing but the purest flours are purchased and the best men employed.

TRUE MERIT APPRECIATED .-Brown's Bronchial Troches are worldrenowned as a simple vet effective remedy for Coughs and Throat Troubles. In a letter from Hon. Mrs. Pery, Castle Grey, Limerick, Ireland, they are thus referred to: "Having brought your Bronchial them away to those I considered re quired them, the poor people will walk for miles to get a few.

THE PREMIER BETTER. The health of the Marquis of Salisbury has much improved.

How to Cure All Skin Diseases. Simply apply Swayne's Ointment. No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, while and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are

possessed by no other remedy. ask Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc. gist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

Rheumatism Cured Quickly And surely with Trask's Magnetic Ointment, 25 and 40 cents; all drug-

Burglar Alarms Protect Banks, Jewelers, Fur-

gists.

riers, Private Residences, etc. F. H. Leigh, 505 Richmond street. Op. Roman Catholic Ch. All electric work guaranteed for five years.

MILLINERY OPENING

March 21 and Following Days. 2042 Dundas Street.

SPRING MILLINGRY OPENING 1898 MONDAY, MARCH 21, and following days. MRS. M'LEOD, 224 Dundas Street,

BARGAIN DAYS.

We don't advertise Bargain Days,

factory is interesting. "Factory" is the for you get a bargain any day you buy Koal or Wood

DALY.

tinue to buy from us. It will burn cleaner, make less ash, and hold fire longer,

CAMERON. Office-Hiscox Building. Yard-Burwell street, at G. T. R.

Cigar

0.20

Costs 5c - but . see the pleasure you have. Largest sale in the city. To be had from all dealers.

+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+@+

But Abby could go. No girl in her teens could have been in a greater flutter of delight and excitement. I retrimmed her old bonnet, and altered her mantle as nearly to the fashion as the material and my skill would per-I am sure she scarcely slept a minute the night before they were to

I watched them pass along Church-warden street as gay and happy as two children. David Palmer in his old-world politeness gave Abby his arm, and they walked slowly on together, talking earnestly. When they passed out of my sight, I turned back into the empty house to spend a solitary day.

Is it good to be alone I know on that day sad thoughts which had not troubled me before crowded in unbroken succession upon me; sorrowful memories harassed me, anxious forebodings beset me. I sat in the dark, sunless kitchen, awaiting the customers that never came, and recalling the sunny days of old, until my heart grew heavy. Was it possible that I was indeed the same girl, so joyous and free from care, went to the Academy only a year ago? I would not exchange this life for that; and yet I felt I had lost a sunshine of mirth and heedlessness which could never come to me again. I longed for a breath of that spring-time of

Very listlessly I climbed the stairs to David Palmer's printing-room in the attic. Here the sun was shining through the dormer window, and some darfodils on the window-sill were dancing in the breeze. I began to examine the hymns with which the walls and sloping ceiling were papered. Those which were his special favorites were printed in the boldest type, and they formed a touching and beautiful record of the emotions of a saintly soul. I passed from one to another, reading them with an ever-deepening sense of peace and encouragement. A divine breath, better than any that visits us in the spring-time of life, passed over my soul. At last I came to the hymn written by the monk Stephen in the fortress-like monastery, looking down the valley of Kedron. It was eleven hundred years old, but it spoke to me as if a voice from heaven uttered it straight to my heart.

"Art thou weary, art thou languid, Art thou sore distrest? 'Come to me,' saith One, 'and coming,

"Hath He marks to lead me to Him If He be my guide?
'In his feet and hands are woundprints, And his side.

"Is there diadem, as monarch, That His brow adorns? 'Yes, a crown in very surety, But of thorns. "If I find him, if I follow,

What His guerdon here? 'Many a sorrow, many a labor, Many a tear. "If I still hold closely to Him,

What hath He at last? Sorrow vanquished, labor ended, Jordan past!' "If I ask Him to receive me,

Will He say me nay?

Answer, Yes!""

'Not till earth, and not till heaven, Pass away! "Finding, following, keeping, struggling, Is He sure to bless?

I believe at that moment I made the Great Resolution.

'Angels, prophets, martyrs, virgins,

CHAPTER XIX.

An unutterable joy filled my soul, as much higher than the light-heartedness of a year ago as the neavens are higher than the earth. I had been purblind before; now sight had come to the inward eye.

But it was growing late in the afternoon. I heard the striking of a clock and the ringing of a school bell, just as I had heard them the day I had gone to the Royal Academy twelve months since. David Palmer and Abby would be returning soon, and I hastened down stairs to get tea ready for them. After that I watched for them to come round the corner of Churchwarden street.

They came at last; David Palmer, with his usual placid serenity, and Abby, with her shy happiness, depicted on their faces. They talked to me as if they had noticed and re- profundity of its secret. membered every painting on the walls. and every piece of statuary in the Sculpture Gallery. No one else who had been there that day could have

tion of Arthur Blandford?" "Only his brother," I answered, laughing. There was something comic, yet ironical, to my mind in this trivial

"And guess, Phebe!" she continued, "what do you think we saw in a picture-dealer's shop?" "Oh, I never can guess anything,"

'And I never can keep a secret," she said, nodding to David Palmer, as he shook his head at her. "No, I cannot, whatever Mr. Manning may say. My dear Phebe, as we came away from frame, and Mr. Manning, who was with us, went in and bought it very cheap, away with him, that will be as diffi-he said. The dealer said he was to cult as ever. They are now either in get any price he could for it, but that was after Mr. Manning paid the money. am delighted, for you are never likely to have your portrait in the Academy again; and I should not wonder if Mr. Manning gave it to you some day. It would be quite a natural

I laughed again. There was no sting in Abby's innocent gossip to me now. But I did not wish to have the portrait for my own. It was about six weeks later in the year, and midsummer, with its long light days, had come, when Mr. Tem-

pleton visited us again. He looked still more anxious and worried than "I have bad news, Phebe," he said.

"I have nothing but bad news now. Only this affects you, and I fear it will grieve you. Christopher Lincoln died of fever a few weeks ago." It came upon me with a great shock. I had never seen my step-father suffering in the slightest degree from illness. No one could associate the idea of death with a frame so strong and is abating. athletic, and a face so full of vigor The fall

athletic, and a face so full of vigor and life.

"Yes," said Mr. Templeton sorrow fully. "I can hardly believe it. To think of that busy brain, so full of resource, and that strong personality.

"Blowing is going vigorously on at the Avondale farm, Tilsonburg.

Duncan McRae, Springfield, was went out on the veranda in front of which cast a spell upon us all, gone as completely as if the man had been an idlot! I heard of his death two days ago, and I mourned for him as days ago, and I mourned for him and the dairy department of the dairy department of the dairy departmen and life.

"Yes," said Mr. Templeton sorrowfully. "I can hardly beleve it. To think of that busy brain, so full of resource, and that strong personality, which cast a spell upon us all, gone to Mrs. Bishop, of Port Burwell.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

THE GREATEST OF ALL SPRING MEDICI

Make New Blood and Strengthen the Nerves.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Cure Rheumatism, Sciatica, Locomotor Ataxia, Anaemia, Heart Troubles, Indigestion and Dyspepsia, St. Vitus' Dance, Paralysis, Incipient Consumption, All Female Weakness, Dizziness

and Headache, and all Troubles Arising from

Poor and Watery Blood. DOCTORED FOR TEN YEARS.

Mr. J. H. Burch, St. Ann's, Ont., says: "My occupation is farming, and my age is forty years. I have been under a doctor's care more or less for ten years, and I have spent in that time hundreds of dollars for medicines and doctor bills. I doubt whether any of the doctors whom I consulted thoroughly understood the nature of my trouble Some pronounced it bilious colic in a chronic and another



said the trouble was due to gall stones. and that only through an operation could I Jbtain a cure. This operation I declined to undergo. When the attacks came on they would take the form of a burning sensation in the stomach gradually shifting to the bowels and causing intense pain. These attacks would continue for continue for about twelve hours. but would leave me so weak that I would not

be able to do any work for two or three days after they passed away. These attacks came on at intervals of about two weeks, and the only relief I could get from the pain was through the use of morphine. At last finding that the doctor was doing me no good I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I used them for a couple of months, and when I discontinued their use I felt that I was cured, nor was I mistaken, for in more than a year that has elapsed since I took the last pill, I have not had a single attack. I now only regret that I did not begin the use of these Pills earlier, for not only would they have freed me from much pain, but I would have been richer in pocket as well. My advice to others ailing is to go for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills at once."

AFTER-EFFECTS OF LA GRIPPE.

Mr.Albert E. Wood, foreman of a carriage factory at Margate, P. E. I., says: "I was attacked with la grippe, which left me in a weak and emaciated condition. Many of my friends thought I was in consumption, and some of them predicted that I would not last long, but I am nere yet, and that in a hale and hearty condition.
Before beginning Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I had used two bottles of a compound that cost me a dollar a bottle, but from which I derived no benefit. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, however, did the work, and restored me to my former health and strength. I still use them occasionally for regulating my system, as I believe that an ounce of prevention is better than a pound of cure, and I believe there would be very little sickness if people would renew their vitality by the occasional use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

AN INVALID FOR YEARS.

Mrs. Davis, wife of Mr. Levi Davis, proprietor of the Central Hotel, Irish Creek, Ont., has been more or less an invalid for years, and is another of the vast number who owe renewed health to the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Mrs. Davis "About a year ago I had just partially recovered from a long siege of sickness, but felt that I should never regain my usual health and strength. I was weak, and could do little or no

"Run Down."

A clock that needs winding runs down because its motive energy is exhausted. Men and women who have been too busy--who have worked too hard, or have been worried too much, or who have neglected to care for their physical health, or who have been too much indoors during the winter months, --- "run down" also. They } need a Tonic.

Are you "run down" in health? If you are quickly tired, lack energy, feel weak in the back, always want something to lean upon, have a dull backache, if you digest badly and do not care for your food, it is a Tonic you need.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People

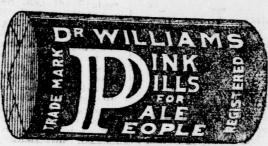
will supply just the energy you require When you feel as if rest and a soft sofa are the only deyou feel as if rest and a soft sofa are the only desirable things in the world; when you cannot be world; when you cannot be sirable things in the world; when you cannot be troubled even to hold up your head--then you } need Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to make you feel bright, active and full of energy. They are not a purgative medicine. They make people strong.

You must get the REAL Dr. Williams' Pink Pills or it is of no use.

Substitutes will do you no good and may do
you harm. The genuine
pills are always put up
in a package
just like this

DR WILLIAMS

ALE
EDPLE



The wrapper around each box is printed with Red Ink on white paper.

Sold by all dealers in medicine, or will be sent post paid at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2 50, by addressing the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

work. I see med to have no blood in my body, and felt much like giving up, when one day I read a testimonial of a lady whose case was similar to mine and who had been cured by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. This decided me to try them, and I was no less astonished than gratified at the benefit I soon derived from them. They literally made a new woman of me and I am now enjoying made a new woman of me, and I am now enjoying better health than I have done for years. I now value Dr. Williams' Pink Pills above all other medicines, and if feeling the least unwell at any time I at once resort to them, and always with the best results. I will be glad if my statement will help some other sufferer.

WEAKNESS AND DEBITITY

Mrs. J. A. Craig, Watson's Corners, Ont., writes: 'At the age of fifteen my daughter Teresa began to show symptoms of weakness and debility, which were all the more remarkable as before that time she had been unusually well and strong. We consuited a physician, who prescribed for her, and for a time she seemed to improve a little, then the improvement ceased, and she became worse and



grew so weak that the least exertion seemed to tire her out com-pletely and her heart would palpitate so violently that we feared she had heart disease. This state of affairs continued for two years, during which time she suffered a great deal, and at times we despaired of her getting better. Having read a great deal about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, we at last thought it might be worth while to give them a trial.

There was an improvement in her condition almost before the first box was completed, and after using seven boxes she

LONG-STANDING RHEUMATISM CURED.

Mr. Wm. Hopkins, Ninga, Man., says: "Twelve years I was almost constantly afflicted with rheumatism of the muscles, at times the pains being so solvers that I was make to work. I tried ing so severe that I was unable to work. I tried electric belts and numerous medicines, but got no relief. While in Boissevain during the winter of 1894, the druggist there advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, as he knew of a number of cases in which they had cured rheumatism. I got half a dozen boxes and took them back home with me and began their use. I was on the fourth box when I began to get relief, and I continued taking Pink Pills until I had used ten boxes, by which time no trace of the rheumatism remained, and I have not since suffered from rheumatic pains. I cheerfully recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for rheumatism, as I have proved they will cure it."

AN AFPEAL TO THE READER.

If you have used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and derived benefit from them, will you write us and let us know? If you have been disappointed, will you write us just the same? We cannot expect to cure every case. Anyone who pretends to do so is unworthy of confidence. We do business in good faith. If by experience we learn that some forms of disorders are not cured by our pills, we want to know it, so that we may refuse to sell pills for such cases. We never sell pills except when we think they will cure.

if he had been my dearest friend." has been purchased by Mr. Albert force of it knocked him down and stunspeak for a few minutes. I, too, was in tears. The great mystery of death Wm. Clark, M. C. R. operator, to Miss had never come so near me before. Sarah McClury, of Middle street, took since I was of an age to recognize the

"We expect now that we other directors will be prosecuted," he re-sumed. "The threat has been hanging over us for some months, and exemy duty to come here and give you my best counsel how I think you ought to act." "But what will happen if you are prosecuted?" I inquired.
"It will be imprisonment," he said. his face growing paler and more hag-

Felix about it, and see if he can give me any comfort. Would to God I had David's Christian philosophy!" "Felix says his sin has turned into a golden blessing for him," I ventured to suggest. "Ah, well, I will speak to him," re the Academy we saw your picture— sumed Mr. Templeton. "But now to The Soul of Honor," you know—exhibited for sale in a poor, shabby possession of any of the documents and deeds your step-father carried Mrs. Lincoln's custody, or Tom Lincoln's. It would be impossible to get Tom extradited for an offense commit-

ted eleven years ago. But I darsay either of them would give up the deeds for money." "You know I have none." I said. "Just so," he continued, "but I have seen your friend, Mr. Manning, and he is willing, nay, most anxious, to send an agent over to come to terms with the Lincolns. We could hardly do that without your consent. If they will not give up the information we need, it will be best to advertise in foreign papers for your trustees; but of course this would make your whole

(To be continued.)

**************** WESTERN ONTARIO

The flood along the Thames valley The fall wheat fields are looking in

The marriage at West Lorne of Mr. place Wednesday evening.

Mr. Ben. Switzer has sold his 80acre farm on con. 10, Goderich township, for \$4,600. Mr. Switzer intends removing to Clinton to reside. "And there was the portrait of Miss Grace Lambert," said Abby, "painted by George Blandford. Is he any relation of Arthur Blandford?"

"And there was the portrait of Miss getting Lincoln extradited. may be arrested any day, and I thought it my duty to come here and give your ceeded by Mr. Garrier will be sucteded by Mr. Garrier will be sucted as for some months, and execution was only delayed in the hope of getting Lincoln extradited. In may be a presented any day, and I thought it may be a presented any day, and I thought it may be a presented any day, and I thought it may be a presented any day, and I thought it may be a presented any day, and I thought it may be a presented any day, and I thought it may be a presented any day, and I thought it may be a presented any day, and I thought it may be a presented any day, and I thought it may be a presented any day, and I thought it may be a presented any day, and I thought it may be a presented any day, and I thought it may be a presented any day, and I thought it may be a presented any day, and I thought it may be a presented any day, and I thought it may be a presented any day, and I thought it may be a presented any day. Mr. Abraham Dearing, of Stephen, sold a hog in Exeter a few days ago, which was a bouncer. It was only ten months old and dressed 410 pounds. The owners of sugar bushes are re-

gard. "I cannot tell you what horror As there is no snow and the frost is I have of jail life. I must speak to all out of the ground, the sap has ceased to flow. A very pleasant time was spent at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Crawford, Tilbury, Monday night, it being the occasion of the tenth anniversary of their wedding.

Mr. Peter Case, of the London road near Rodgerville, recently sold three head of cattle to Wes. Snell, of Exeter, the weight of which was 4,000 pounds. The price paid was 41/2 cents per pound. Joseph Pearson died Thursday morning at the Elgin House of Industry, to which he was admitted Feb. 16 last. He was 80 years of age. The remains will be taken to Corinth for interment. The Orient Minstrels, of Simcoe, who went over to Otterville on Tuesday, had quite a smashup in the mud going home. On two conveyances belonging to A. Hiller about \$25 damage was

Mr. J. P. Stewart, of Toronto, son of Mrs. A. Stewart, of Blyth, has sold the old homestead farm in East Wawanosh, containing 200 acres, to Mr. James Ross and Mr. D. Stalker for

been arrested at Nashville, Tenn., on dered the foreman to keep the foundry a charge of obtaining \$50 by false pre- closed until further notice. tenses. The complainant, Clarence Mason, the Sadwich banker, is a distant relation of the prisoner.

little porkers. Only three out of the Eilber. number died in infancy.

Mrs. Edward Farley, a widowed woman, was found dead in her bed at Wingham Thursday morning. Mrs. Farley lived alone, and was the day before her death in apparently good

health. Mr. A. Abram, an employe of the car shops in London, is a brother of deceased. Miss Cora Moody, granddaughter of Mrs. James Porter, of Blyth, was awarded the grand gold medal at Lucknow recently in a recitation contest. There were six contestants, four young ladies from Teeswater and two from Lucknow. This is the first grand gold medal ever awarded in Canada. The exodus still continues from Mitchell. Three carloads of household furniture, stock and implements left for Manitoba and the Northwest Territories on Tuesday, consisting of the effects of Albert Moore and family;

a Mr. Shea and family, of Hibbert, and John Yeo also went, with a carload of The members of the Lucknow fire company tendered a farewell banquet on Thursday night at McDavitt & Heron's hotel, to Messrs. T. Collins, Herb Grundy, Fred Davison and W. J. Leadbitter, who left for British Columbia. There was a large crowd of citizens at the station to bid them good-

At Port Rowan on Friday morning the villagers were alarmed by the ringing of the fire bell. The barn of T. Stewart, butcher, was on fire. Three horses were got out safely, but the barn with other contents was destroyed. Loss \$500; insurance \$200. The fire is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary.

Mr. McGlocklen, of Cromarty, owner of the Mitchell foundry, was in town on Thursday. The foundry has been shut down owing to the water rising in the moulding room, and spoiling all of the molds. As it has not been pay-Frank M. Mason, of Chatham, has ing Mr. McGlocklen lately, he has or-

The Exeter Advocate says: The township of Stephen can boast of having had the lion's share of members Elijah Jacklin, con. 2, Grey, is the of parliament since confederation.

owner of a Yorkshire sow that has Since that time they have had no less made quite a record for herself, from than five, Messrs. Isaac Carling, Hon. the fact that in the last eleven months | Thomas Greenway (premier of Manishe has presented her owner with 26 toba), J. Coughlin, V. Ratz and H.

Bank has a claim for \$5,000. Wages to the amount of \$850 are unpaid, not including the manager's salary, which is in arrears \$478 30. Long Chapter

Of Casualties.

Dr. Jessop, Member-Elect for Lincoln, Seriously Injured.

A Woodstock Boy Accidentally Shot in the Eye.

Farmer Killed by a Train-Operator Loses His Life at Bannockburn,

St. Catharines, Ont., March 19.-Last night, as Dr. Jessop, the newly-elected M. L. A. for Lincoln, was driving rapidly along Welland avenue, having been attending to his professional duties, his horse became frightened at some children playing ball in the road, and he was thrown out of his rig, striking on his shoulder. He was picked up unconscious, and bleeding profusely. His collarbone was broken, and his back was badly injure. His head also has some bad cuts. The doctor has since regained consciousness, and pected to recover. is resting as easily as can be expected.

SHOT IN THE EYE. Woodstock, Ont., March 19.-About 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon a man named Jordan, an employe of Minkler's bicycle repair shop, was shooting at a target in the shop with a 22-caliber revolver, when the bullet rebounded and entered the right eye of Fred McKeehnie, the 12-year-old son of Prof. N. S. McKechnie, of the Woodstock college. The boy may recover, but the eye is ruined.

SWALLOWED POISON. Toronto Junction, March 19 .- James Nelson caused his own death by guiping down an enormous dose of carbolic

RILLED BY THE CARS.

Perth, Ont., March 19. — John F.

Chempson a well known for a real form of the adjoining counties of Roxburgh and Selkirk. He owns land in thirteen counties in all, and that is

farm is on the outskirts of the town, was killed instantly Thursday evening while on his way home from town. The Klondike express from Toronto, due here at 6:05, struck something on Wilson street crossing, and on coming to the station several bags of flour were found on the front of the engine. They backed down to the crossing, and Mr. Thompson's body was found, terribly mangled. The wagon was smashed to pieces, but the horses got off safely. Mr. Thompson was about 50 years old. and leaves a large family. OPERATOR KILLED AT BANNOCK-

Trenton, Ont., March 18.-A young man named Ernest S. Leslie, a telegraph operator at Bannockburn station, on the Central Ontario Railway, was fatally injured Wednesday evening in trying to board a train at Millbridge, four miles from Bannockburn. Leslie tried to jump a moving train in front of the last car, and missing his hold he fell beneath the train. He died a few hours after the accident. His family live in Thurlow township.

RUN DOWN BY A CYCLIST. Toronto, March 19 .- Luke Grey, 84 years old, was run down by a bicyclist on Yonge street. His hip was fractured, and he was terribly shaken up. His recovery is doubtful. HAND-CAR WRECKED.

Montreal, March 19 .- A serious accident occurred late Wednesday night on the Grand Trunk at St. Lambert Junetion. An engine ran into a hand-car, killing one man and seriously injuring four others. The wounded are not ex-

MORE BODIES FOUND. Chicago, March 19.-Two more bodies were found yesterday morning in the ruins of the Emerson building. By means of a key, one corpse was identified as that of W. J. Wilcox, of the W. A. Olmstead Company. This makes six bodies recovered.

HIS SAT PLIGHT. Grace-What, do mean to say that Charlie is earning . . . diving

May-So he does. Grace - Goodness, we must invite him to dinner at once—the poor boy

HIS BROAD ACRES The Duke of Buccleuch has just added an \$85,000 sporting estate to his land in Dumfriesshire, in which county he already owned 253,514 acres, and 165,000

** 3.

Bills of Exchange.

Are thoroughly explained in our business paper class. We use as our text the bill of exchange act. A knowlege of this important subject may save you many dollars. The Forest City Business and Shorthand Collage. London, Ont., would like to correspond with you if you are interested in a business education.

Mr. E. Routledge has been placed as bookkeeper with the Dyment-Baker Company, London. J. W. WESTERVELT, R.P.,

SCOTCH TWEED SUITS

\$17 and upwards.

0. Labelle, Merchant Taylor. ત્રામામામામામામામામા

******* The Season of WALL PAPER

is here. Had you thought of it? Have you thought of where you are going to get the paper for those rooms you decided during the winter to paper? Better settle that question by coming to us. We can show you papers at any price, and you will save money if you give us an order.

R. LEWIS, 434 Richmond Street. •

You Needn't Look____

all over town if

you want a clock. We have got a new stock, best assortment in the city. Prices are low, too.

H. Davis & Son, Jewelers. 170 Dundas Street.

******* J. CAMPBELL, DENTIST, 439 PARK AVENUE,

ONEY TO LOAN-\$100,000 At 5 per cent. James E. Kerrigan, Barrister. 442 Richmond Street. Telephone 1,263

\$100 REWARDI One hundred dollars will be cheerfully and promptly paid for any case of Drunkenness, the Liquor Habit, or Tobacco Habit that "Ryan's Alcoholic and Tobacco Cure" will not cure in Liquor Habit and Tobacco Habit at the same time. Send today; you either get cured or make \$100. Sent by mail; postage paid to any part of the world for One Dollar. Address all orders to R. EYAN, R. A. C., Gower Point, Ont.

Gower Point, Ont.

One hundred dollars will be cheerfully and promptly paid for any case of Drunkenness, the Cheeren Cheere

R. K. COWAN, BARRISTER, ETC.

County Buildings, Court House Square FINEST QUALITY Of Hard and Soft Coal at

A Sense of Superiority

in our laundry work makes shirt to your satisfaction better than any other place in the city.

TRY OUR WORK. PHONE 559. Parisian Steam Laundry.

AIRBAIR MERCHANT Opp. City Hall. Upstairs

THE PLUMBER YOU WANT.

ine plumbing, heating and repairing.
Seventeen years experience. Have 802 Dundas Street. Phone 1,254.

Don't Take Chances

When you buy a Pipe. You want one that will smoke free and keep sweet. See my stock. I can recommend anything I sell.

3. GOLDNER, 2061/2 Dundas St. TZGERALD and FITZGERALD, Barristers, 171 Dundas street,

Fitzgerald Block. "You have no idea how mean my husband is. Why, he will squabble bout a threepenny bit." "Well, what

If he does? The less one squabbles bout the better." FAGGED OUT.-None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency taken hold of the sufferers. They ceel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure — one of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will do wonders in restoring health

and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion are two of the articles entering the composition of Parmelee's Boy-Papa, where's Atoms? Papa-Athens, you meas, my child. Boy-No,

apa-Atoms-the place where people are blown to. (Answer postponed.) Cures Piles in One Week th Trask's Magnetic Ointme

Safe Investment

It will be for you to buy one of our

Dominion Bicycles at \$50 A strictly HIGH-GRADE Wheel, the guaranteed quality of which

makes it a bargain. Pleased to show

Wm. Gurd & Co.,

185 Dundas Street.

The Man Hardest to Suit.

Is the man worth suiting. We take pleasure in fitting the particular man. That's the chap we want—the one who sometimes finds fault, because no fault can be found with our goods. SOUTHCOTT'S, 361 Richmond St

CLOUDY AND MILD WITH RAIN

Toronto, March 18-11 p.m.-The low area mentioned yesterday as then over the Southwestern States has moved northward, and now covers Kansas and Iowa. The pressure is decreasing over the lake district, and is generally high throughout Eastern Canada and the Northwest. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Kamloops, 32-50; Calgary, 6-30; Qu'Appelle, 6-22; Winnipeg, zero-16; Port Arthur, 14-40; Parry Sound, 22-38; Toronto, 28-48; Ottawa, 30-46; Montreal, 30-40; Quebec, 24-38;

Halifax, 34-50. Probabilities: Toronto, March 19-1 a.m.—Lower lakes: Mostly cloudy and mild, with occasional rain. Local temperatures: The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer observatory yesterday were 50

Something Fresh

JOHNSTON BROS.' BREAD. No better made. Delivered in all parts

IT IS NOT ENOUGH

That the coal we sell shall hard coal that it is wholesome sometimes to ear a complaint. It keeps us up to the mark.

-Miss Merne Wilson, of Dundas, is visiting in this city. -Miss Edith Burkholder, Strathroy, has been visiting London friends. -Miss B. Blount has returned home, after a two weeks' visit to relatives in

-Mr. Franklin Mutch, of the east end, left for Montreal yesterday af--Miss Selina Fox left yesterday for Boston and Lowell, Mass., on a visit

-Mr. J. B. Smallman, of Smallman & Ingram, has returned from a purchasing tour in Britain. -Miss E. A. Harwood, 354 Dundas street, has returned home after a week's visit to New York. -Mr. George W. Yates, of the Toronto Globe, is in the city, removing his family to the Queen City. -Richard Truman, of Metcalfe, is at

the city hospital, where he underwent an operation on Tuesday. -Mr. William O'Dell, of this city, is in Mitchell, negotiating for the purchase of a Mitchell hardware stock. -Miss MacLeod, a member of the Victorian Order of Nurses, will speak out of members. on "District Nursing" in the Y.M.C.A. PATENT REPORTS. -Mr. J. H. Mott, of Parkhill, has

given up the butchering business there and intends to remove soon with his family to this city. -Mrs. Jesse Symonds, recently with Runians & Butler, has taken the management of Macaulay & Co.'s millinery department at Ingersoil.

-Mr. Wm. Long, wood polisher, recently with the Scribner Organ Company, has gone into business for himself at 2901/2 Dundas street. -Mr. Joseph W. Scandrett, grocer, has presented the firemen with a large collection of books and magazines, for which the men return thanks. -A petition was in circulation yester-

day for the watering of Queen's avenue, east of Adelaide street. It was signed by the majority of the ratepayers. -Stouffville Tribune: W. J. Stark has returned from visiting friends in Ubly, on May 16 next: Establishment of

-Mr. Thomas Kerr, of this city, will take charge as foreman of the con-struction of the electric street railway at St. Thomas, work upon which will commence at once. -Miss Georgie Burgess, of this city,

has been elected senior councilor of the Classical Association of Toronto Uni-versity, and also one of the two lady representatives on the business board of 'Varsity. -Irene, the bright little 9-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clucas, 146 Horton street, has been cut

off from her loving parents by death. The little one contracted diphtheria a few days ago. Mr. and Mrs. Clucas have the deepest sympathy. -Mr. Andrew McCandless, of Strathroy, is dead. He was 76 years of age, and leaves to mourn his loss, a wife, two daughters and three sons. The daughters are Mrs. J. Y. Smiley, of

of CUTICURA (ointment), the great skin cure. CUTICURA REMEDIES afford instant relief, and point to a speedy cure of torturing, dis-figuring, humiliating, itching, burning, bleed-St. Thomas, and one at home. The sons are, John, of this city, and the other two at Strathroy.

They're Here Now

> -All the latest spring styles in Hats for young men. We are sole agents

Carrington. Robinson. Marsden. Cook, Sons & Co.

Hatters. Successors to Milne, Spittal & Co.

programme of great works by Beethoven, Schumann, Chopin, Brahms, etc. It is needless to say that a rich musical treat is in store for all those who attend, for Mr. Martin's playing is of the highest degree of perfection. The plan of the hall opens on Monday at the Y. M. C. A. office. -Rev. A. G. Jansen, who lectures on behalf of the mission to lepers in St. Andrew's Church on Tuesday night is a native of the historic land of Holland, and is therefore well able to lecture feelingly on his fatherland. The lecture wherever delivered has been received enthusiastically. -A representative of the celebrated

Monsoon Tea Company, of Toronto, is in the city. While the sales of this well-known tea are exceedingly large in this city and surrounding country, the company are making efforts towards increasing the same by sampling the city. They are about the largest tea advertisers in Canada.

-Miss Katharine Oliver, who has gained an international reputation by her monologue recitals and interpretations of Scottish character, reciting before Maclaren, Barrie and Crockett, and receiving their unqualified praise and approval of her excellent portrayals of the characters in their books, will appear next Friday evening in the Auditorium. A rare artistic and literary please you at time of first purchase. It treat is in store for those who attend, must continue to please you always, else as Miss Oliver is unexcelled in her line.

—Mr. Fred J. Fewings, private secmany compliments on the merits of our retary to the general manager of the Duluth, Missab way, who, with his wife, has been and Morthern Railtives in this city, left this morning, via c. P. R., for his home in Duluth, Minn. will be attended by the deputy grand Fewings, who intends making Duluth her future home. A large number of friends assembled at the station to bid her farewell. Yesterday Miss Fewings was presented by the staff of the Bell Telephone Company with a beautiful and costly ring, set with an opal and two diamonds, and accompanied by

many expressions of affection and -The funeral of Vernon A., son of Mr. Edward Brearley, of London, took place on Tuesday from the residence of Mr. Isaac Watson here, his death, which occurred on Sunday, having been caused, at the age of 3 years and 6 visiting in this city.

—Miss Bella Anderson, of Ailsa Craig, is visiting in London.

Of Ailsa Craig, Statistical policy of London, a friend of the family, accompanied the parents on their mounts, by blood poisoning, caused by a gathering in the ear. Mr. Beardsall, the hour of arrival being 7:30 sharp. The vocalists and elocutionists secured for the musical portion of the musical portion companied the parents on their mourncompanied the parents on their mournful errand here, and a number of neighbors and friends attended the funeral, at which Rev. W. L. Newton officiated. Mr. Brearley, it will be remembered, was formerly a resident of Norwich, and married Miss Carrie Rood who lived for many years with the formal of the formal o

Mr. and Mrs. Watson. The parents have the sympathy of many here in their bereavement.—Norwich Gazette. -The regular meeting of South Londo Council, No. 397, Royal Templars of Temperance, was held in the A. O. F. Bros. Blackwell, Dambra, Paull, Hod-Hall, South London, on Thursday eve- gins, Morris and Grant. The W. M. ning, Bro. Littlejohn in the chair. The audit committee reported the books in officers initiated a candidate in a massess of the chair of the chair. good shape, with a balance of cash on hand. South London Council will hold ed by the D. D. G. M., as was also R. a silver medal contest at an early Wor. Bro. Simpson, who assisted. At date. One candidate was initiated in the close of the meeting Past Master the royal degree. There will be several Hobbs was presented with a beautiful more initiated at the next meeting. Ar- jewel as a token of the satisfaction of rangements for the delegates to at- the lodge with his efforts while in the tend the district council at Nilestown on March 29 were made. There is some the D. D. G. M. in an effective speech. talk of organizing a council in West London. A programme on progressive ed speeches were given by the brethren temperance work was given at the close named, the W. M., the S. W. (Bro. of the meeting. There was a large turn-

The following list of recently expired patents is furnished by Messrs. Marion & Marion, solicitors of Canadian and foreign patents, head office 185 St. James street, Montreal: 236,123, automatic billiard time register; 236,013, manufacture of bougies, stomach-pumps, and other surgical instruments from celluloid; 236,081, buckle; 236,072, construction of buildings; 235,857, combined water cooler and water holder; 235,918, button-hole cutting machine 235,879, sealing fruit cans; 235,919, automatic car brake; 235,848, stretcher for carpet cleaners; 235,960, apparatus for cooling, disinfecting, perfuming, etc. LOCAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN.

At the meeting of the Local Council of Women, to be held on Tuesday, March 22, in the "Y" rooms, the following topics are among those which will come up for discussion prepara-Mich., and London, Ont. He reports associated charities; relief of the poor cattle pasturing in the vicinity of and unemployed; colonization scheme;

with CUTICURA SOAP, and a single application

ing, crusted, scaly skin and scalp humors, with loss of hair, when all eise fails. rask's Magnetic Ointment.

-Mr. Thomas Martin will play at his piano recital in the Auditorium next Thursday evening a magnificent

Sold throughout the world. Potter Draw and Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

Bowto Cure Skin-Tortured Babies, free.

SKIN SCALP and Heir Beautified CUTTOUTE SOLE. Id. POTTER DRUG AND CHEM. SKIN SCALP and Hair Beautified by

COFFEE DRINKERS You Want Something Good. ********* We believe we can give you the best COFFEE in the city.

We buy the finest green beans.
We have them roasted every week.
We grind them every morning. Our price is the same as any ordinary COFFEE, 40c pound.

If you want a delicious cup of COFFEE you'll know where to get it.

Tryphosa Jelly. Malaga Grapes. ********** T. A. Rowat & Co., 234 Dundas Street.

women's exchanges; potato patch system; protection of birds and animals from destruction in the interests of fashion; publication of unnecessary, and necessary publication of, details of criminal cases; increase of crimes and necessity for moral instruction to children; buying of Chinese women as slaves in Victoria. There will be a number of London delegates who will attend the meeting at Ottawa. SUCCESSFUL CANADIAN INVEN-

The following list of patents recently granted to inventors residing in Canada is reported for The Advertiser by P. J. Edmunds, international patent solicitor, London: Canada patents—J. B. Gingrich, et al., Berlin, lawn sprinkler; Gillespie, Ansley & Dixon, Toronto, Klondike sleeping bag; H. Lee, Calgary, N. W. T., clothes-pin; Wm. A. Martel, jun., Montreal, artificial light for photography; J. J. Setter, Poplar Point, Man., noxious weed destroyer; Arago Easton, London, "Alonzo," a poem in three cantos (copyright); A. E. Cornell, Brantford, canned fish (trade mark). United States patents-Eva A. Park, London, self-adjusting combination bloomer and skirt, adapted for use either upon the street or the wheel; H. Reynolds, Sarnia, flower-pot cleaner; W. Harvey, Toronto, ice or snow locomotive; R. Hoffmeister, Vancouver, B. C., brake and foot-rest for bicycles; R Menzie, Toronto, apparatus for sizing cloth; J. Moses, Toronto, scoop; J. Fax, Toronto, game board (design patent).

Masonie.

The Coming Reception to the Grand Master in London.

Official Visit and Presentation in West London.

On Monday evening next the grand master (M. Wor. Bro. Wm. Gibson, spending a couple of weeks with rela- M.P.) will visit London and attend a will be attended by the deputy grand master, R. W. Bro. E. T. Malone; the grand secretary, R. W. Bro. J. J. Mason; the grand treasurer, M. W. Bro. Hugh Murray; the grand senior and junior wardens, R. W. Bros. S. F. Passmore and A. S. Ardagh, and the D. D. G. M., R. W. Bro. W. C. Harris. R. Wor. Bro. John Simpson is chairman of the general committee, which has prepared an address of welcome to the grand master, which has been beautifully engrossed by the secretary of the committee, Wor. Bro. W. H. Morgan. It is expected that 500 of the brethren, accompanied by their wives, daughters and sweethearts, will be in attendance. The brethren will appear in regalia, for the musical portion of the enter-tainment comprise Miss Inez Smith, Norwich, and married Miss Carrie Broad, who lived for many years with Mr. and Mrs. Watson. The parents Last night R. W. Bro. Harris, D. D. Last night R. W. Bro. Harris, D. D.

G. M. of the London district, paid an official visit to King Solomon's Lodge, At the social gathering which follow-Songs were rendered by the last-named and by Wor. Bro. Galpin and Bro. Coo, and a happy hour was spent.

Give Your Stomach a Chance to Do Its Duty.

Don't Drive It to Death-Take a Couple of Boxes of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets and You Needn't Worry-They'll Cure Any and All Stomach Diseases.

If all the doctors of all the countries in the world were to meet in consultation, and, after due deliberation, draft a prescription for the cure of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Biliousness, Heartburn, Sour Stomach, Waterbrash, Foul Breath, Catarrh of the Stomach, their experience could not produce a better remedy than Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are Nature's Medicine. They are what Nature uses to cure the diseases named. They never fail-they always cure. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets cure Stom-

ach Diseases by digesting the food in the stomach. Food must be digested. The stom-ach ought to digest it. But if the stomach can't do it-what happens? What does a sensible man do when he falls sick and can't do his own work? He gets another man to do it for him. Exactly. And that's what you do, if you are sensible, when your stomach gives out, and can't digest the food—get Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets to digest it. They'll do it—quickly, faithfully, naturally and effectually. There is only one way of curing Dyspepsia, Indigestion, etc. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets cure it in that way. Therefore, if you have Indigestion,

128 and 130 Dundas St. 130 and 132 Carling St.

THE RELIABLE STORE.

Neither Misrepresentation Nor Exaggeration at

KINGSWILLS

EX. SS. CAMBRIA:

We open today seventy-two (72) cases of new goods of the most desirable class, selected personally by Mr. Kingsmill while in Europe.

Dundas and Carling Streets.

**************** fect regulators of the bowels in existence. With Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets they cure any case of Stomach Disease. If you don't believe it-test them. They'll convince you by curing

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold by all druggists, at 50 cents a box, six boxes \$2 50, or will be sent, on receipt of price, by the Dodd's Medicine Company, Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Trails Leading to the Klondike Impassable-Many Persons Returning

Widows for the Klondike. Skaguay, March 8, via Vancouver, B. March 19.—Garfield, one of the United Stated customs convoys, just returned from the summit of the White Pass, reports the trail in a fearful condition. No progress is being made by anyone with outfits. It is safe to estimate, based on personal inspection and opinions of old and reliable packers, who have been here since August, 1897, that not over 25 per cent of those on the Chilkoot Pass or Dyea trails will reach the summit or the lakes. People are returning to Skaguay every day and going to Wrangel. A day or more mild weather and the trail will be heavy and impassable. No one should attempt it. A party, who has just returned from the summit, states that the trail between Skaguay and Porcupine Hill, about nine mile, is impassable, except by pack trains. A continuation of the present mild weather will completely destroy the White Pass and Chilkoot trails. San Francisco, March 19.—The little fishing schooner New England put into this port for a supply of coal and provisions sufficient to carry her to

Vancouver. Capt. Small says he passed the steamship City of Columbia. She had on board twenty New England widows and six male passengers. The widows are bound for Alaska, where it is their intention to open shops for the sale of groceries, drygoods and hardware. Sixty widows were to have sailed in the steamer, but all but twenty lost courage at the last moment.

Grand Free Exhibition.

That is certainly a grand free exhibition in the windows of J. Gammage & Sons, Dundas and Clarence. Never before were such magnificent narcissus, tulips, hyacinths, etc., on view in London. The demand for these favorite flowers is unprecedented, and though the quality is so exceptional, prices are extremely modest. Everybody can buy and enjoy their beauty and fragrance. Cut flowers, in roses, carnations, violets, etc., are also in abundant supply, and are always attractive. Gammage & Sons are just now putting on sale a stock of flower seeds in all the choicest varieties, and at "right" prices. Save yourself from disappointment, and buy your flower seeds, as well as your flowers and plants, from specialists. GAMMAGE & SONS, Dundas and Clarence streets,

Feather and down cusnions, 50 cents Therefore, if you have Indigestion, each. Large stock of goose feather Dyspepsia, etc., and want to be cured, pillows and mattresses. Fancy rock-Dyspepsia, etc., and want to be cured, you must use Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

The small, brown Tablets found in each box of Dodd's are the most personnel.

Pillows and mattresses. Fancy rockers, bedroom suites. Stoves bought and sold at the Feather Bed and Mattress Cleaning Factory. James F. Hunt & Sons, 593 Richmond street north. Telephone \$97. SPECIAL NOTICES.

The Wabash Railroad If you are contemplating a trip to the Klondike or any point in Alaska, please consider the merits of the great Wabash Railway. The short and true route via Detroit and Chicago, to all the gold fields of the far north. The Wa-bash with the superb and magnificent train service is now acknowledged to be the most perfect railway system in America. All trains run solid from Buffalo to Chicago, passing through St. Catharines, Hamilton, Woodstock, London and Chatham. Detailed infor-mation will be furnished by any rail-

road agent, or J. A. RICHARDSON, Canadian Passenger Agent. N.E. corner King & Yonge sts., Toronto.

A large assortment of Ladies' Nurse Rockers must be cleared out to make room for spring goods. Usual price, \$1 25 to \$1 50: now, \$5 cents. Come early. At TRAFFORD'S, 95 and 97 King

William Long, 2901/2 Dundas street. Furniture repaired and finished; cake picture frames made to order. Pianos repolished, etc. New work a specialty. Lost Umbrellas recovered. Call and see samples and price list. Best quality workmanship and finish. PERRY

DAVID, 569 Richmond street. Coal from the Virginia mines only \$4 80 a ton. The very best Scranton coal is handled by Bowman & Co., corner Bathurst and Clarence. If you are up town you can call at our city office, the Exchange, 416 Richmond street, next door to Advertiser, F. B. Clarke, who will dispatch orders by telephone, and they will be delivered promptly.

One of the stations of the railway which is to be built from the Red Sea to the top of Mount Sinai will be on the spot where it is supposed Moses stood when he received the two tables

of the law. THERE is not a more dangerous class of disorders than those which affect the breathing organs. Nullify this danger with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Ollege pulmonic of school leadered tric Oil-a pulmonic of acknowledged efficacy. It cures soreness and lameness when applied externally, as well as swelled neck and crick in the back, and, as an inward specific, possesses most aubstantial claim to public confidence.

Gen. Booth, of the Salvation Army, is at Winnipeg.



The Brownies have struck the attitude which indicates the quality and style of our WALL PAPERS are up and the prices down. Never goods at such low prices. Come and miss

190 DUNDAS STREET.