WHOLE NO. 10,753

Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN. PURDOM-On Feb. 9, the wife Purdom, of a son.

MARRIED. MEADE-M'LARTY-In Strathroy, on Feb. 2, 1898, at the residence of John Mills, 4th line, by Rev. Jasper Wilson, William Meade, of St. Marys, to Annie McLarty, of Strath-

JAMES-GLENN-On the 4th of February. at the residence of the bride's father, Fifth street, Petrolia, by the Rev. W. Smythe, Mr. Wilfred H. James, of Sarnia, to Miss Mary WONNACOTT-WEBB-In this city, on

Wednesday, Feb. 9, by Rev. J. H. Moor. street. house, Mr. E. H. Wonnacott, to Miss Mary Webb, both of this city. DIED.

MAYBANK-At his late residence. No. 12 Victor street. South London, on Thursday. Feb. 10, John Maybank, aged 50 years. Funeral at 2 o'clock, Saturday, Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

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TENDERS FOR THE PURCHASE OF THE THE CITY HALL will be received at this office up to 4 o'clocx on Friday, 18th February. This property has a frontage of 110 feet, more or less on Rich-Tenders must be marked "Tenders for City Hall." Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Ald. W. H. WINNET. A. O. GRAYDON, Ald. W. H. WINNET, A. U. Gity Engineer. Chairman No. 1 Committee. City Engineer.

WELLAND CANAL

Tenders for Supplies. the undersigned, will be received until the evening of Friday. 25th February, 1898, for the supply and delivery of various articles of timber, hardware, fuel, oil, etc., etc., etc., for use on the Welland Canal for the year 1898. Forms of tender and other information can be obtained at the Superintending Engineer's Office, St. Catharines, on and after Feb. 1, 1898. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

St. Catharines, Jan. 27, 1898.

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Catastrophe at a Funeral in Russia-Twenty Persons Killed.

British Trade Never Healthier Than It Is Now.

The Zola Trial Farce-Ravages of the Black Plague in China-End of the Philippine Rebellion. CATASTROPHE AT A FUNERAL.

Warsaw, Feb. 11.—During a funeral service in the synagogue at Idzienciel, in Grodno, the women's gallery col-lapsed. In the panic that ensued, 12 women, 5 men and 3 children ere said it was time the truth became crushed to death, and many others known. He then proceeded to relate BUYING UP THE COAL.

available here and at Chinese and Japanese ports for the British fleet. There is much excitement in the foreign community over the fact. A Malta, Island of Malta, dispatch says: The British battleship Victorious will start for China today, and the cruiser Gibraltar will follow. When

they arrive in China seas the British

squadron will be larger than ever before in those waters, even in times of EXIT DE LOME. Madrid, Feb. 11.—At a meeting of the Spanish cabinet, held yesterday under at the inexcusable action of Col. Picthe presidency of the queen regent, the minister for foreign affairs read a dispatch from Separ Durant de Lora the first in having Major Esterhazy's batch from Separ Durant de Lora the first in having Major Esterhazy's rooms burglarized with an ally of any, kind. "Col. Picquart admitted this" patch from Senor Dupuy de Lome, the Spanish minister at Washington, sayIng that the published latter to the witness continued "and with the witness continued" "and with the witness continued "and with the witness continued" "and with the witness continued "and with the witness continued" "and with the witness continued "and with the witness continued "and with the witness continued" "and with the witness continued "and witness continued "and with the witness continued "and witness continued that the published letter to Senor

Canalejas was written by him, and that his position, consequently, had become untenable, and he begged the government to accept his resignation. The cabinet decided to accept the resignation of Senor Dupuy de Lome, and to telegraph him to that effect. HEALTHY STATE OF BRITISH TRADE. London, Feb. 11.-In the House

Commons yesterday, the motion of Sir Michael Davitt, moved as an amendment to the address in reply to the speech from the throne at the reassembling of parliament, calling attention to the distress in Ireland, and the failure of the potato crop, was rejected by a vote of 235 to 153. Col. Howard Vincent, Conservative, member for the central division of Sheffield, moved an amendment praying the government to turn its attention to the stimulus given foreign "velled lady" story. M. Zola, he addcompetition with British trade by ed, had acted in good faith, for comtariffs and bounties, resulting in a plete light had not been thrown upon great increase of imports and a detail matter, and M. Zola's was not the crease of exports. He expressed the opinion that the only remedy was the imposition of countervailing duties.

Right Hon. Chas. T. Pitchie, president president of the president president of the president president of the president president of the president of Right Hon. Chas. T. Pitchie, president of the board of trade, replying, put to him concerning the Dreyfus engaged in endeavoring to convene a conference of the powers with a view of securing the abolition of sugar in order to draw up a formal applicabounties. He said the government was also making representations to Germany to secure more favorable rates for British trade over German railways. Mr. Ritchie declared his belief that British trade was never healthier than now, adding that foreign barriers were less dangerous than the barriers erected among themselves, as, for instance, the recent engineers' strike. He concluded by saying he was convinced that they could achieve nothing by abandoning Great Britain's free trade policy. The amend-

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division.

ment was then rejected without a

Alleged End of the Philippine Rebellion-The Black Plague's Ravages. Advices up to Jan. 25 are brought by the steamer Empress of China, which has just arrived at Vancouver, B. C., from Yokohama. Fire in the Gubari, Japan, coal mine, which has been burning for a fortnight, had not been put out when the mail left. There was a triple execution at Hong Kong of disbanded soldiers. They had killed a carpenter named Kung Fun. A collision of the German steamer Donan and the Japanese sailing vessel Kokichiman ocurred on Jan. 16. The Japanese ship was rammed and sent to the bottom with her cargo. The crew were saved. The Empress of China had on board

a Methodist missionary named Rev. G. Robinson, who comes from Sault Ste. Marie, and suffers from a delusion that his soul is eternally damned. A Mr. Cameron has voluntarily taken

Public Meetings, in the Interests of the Liberal Candidate,

DR. J. MeWILLIAM

Will Be Held at PUTNAM, Friday, Feb. 11. CRUMLIN, Saturday, Feb. 12. ILDERTON, Monday, Feb. 14.

BRYANSTON. Tuesday, Feb. 15. Dr. McKay, M.P.P., will deliver an address at Belmont and Putnam, and Mr. Geo. C. Gibbons at Ildertou. The candidate will address the electors at each of the above places. Meetings

friends in Toronto. The black plague has broken out in Eastern Yuinnan. At Chan Cheo 600 deaths occurred in two months. Coffins canot be supplied fast enough, and the people are throwing the dead bodies to the dogs.

The rebellion in the Philippines is at an end, and the chief leaders—Emile Aquinaldo, Mariana Lianiro and others -have been paid a large sum by the Spaniards to leave the islands. They arrived at Hong Kong shortly before the mail steamer left.

THE ZOLA TRIAL.

One-Sided Administration of French "Justice"-Clever Ruse of Defendant's Attorney. Paris, Feb. 11.-When Zola's trial

was resumed yesterday afternoon Gen. Pelliux, who was appointed to investigate the Dreyfus case, and upon whose report Major Count Esterhazy was court-martialed, was called to testify. Gen. Pelliux said he would tell the whole truth and not plead the story of the Esterhazy inquiry, and London, Feb. 11.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Singapore says: England has bought up all the Welsh coal Pelliux then indulged in an outburst against Col. Piquart, whom he acagainst cused of divulging an espionage affair to an outsider. Referring to the Bordereau, the general declared the alleged fac similes published were all fictitious. As to the compromising letter sent to Major Esterhazy which might raise suspicions that he had relations with a foreign government, Gen. Pelliux said: "It is inconceivable that anyone could be so naive as to employ this method of correspondence in a matter of such gravity." Gen. Pelliux developed further indignation court-martial acquitted Major Esterhazy I was not astonished. I was proud of having contributed to the acquittal of Major Esterhazy, which proves that in the French army nere is only one traitor, not two." was frantic applause as Gen. Pelliux

enunciated his concluding words. Gen. Pelliux was about to refer to the Dreyfus case, when the presiding judge gently interposed his usual veto, and the general did not insist. M. Dupuy, the former premier, was then called, and M. Laborie began to question him regarding the case of Dreyfus, which the presiding judge vetoed, whereupon M. Laborie announced that he would throw up the examination of M. Dupuy and other former ministers, as the ruling of the presiding judge made it fruitless. M. Thevenet, a former minister of justice, who was next examined, declared he could easily understand how

case, and heated discussion between the judge and M. Laborie ensued. The latter asked for a short adjournment tion that these questions be allowed. When the hearing was resumed, M. Laborie submitted the application referred to, M. Clemenceau, counsel for the Aurore, supporting him in a skill-ful maneuver. The latter asked that formal notice be taken of the fact that M. Salle, on the witness stand, "has not denied that he was aware through a member of the court-martial that a secret document was submitted to the court-martial." The court refused both applications; but M. Clemenceau, by this ingenious expedient of reading a question in the form of an application, practically obtained what he

TO ASSIST KLONDIKERS'

Canadian Officials to be Sent to Skaguay and Dyea-Rich Croppings Discovered.

Ottawa, Feb. 11.-The customs department has decided to send two officers to Skaguay and Dyea to furnish information to Canadians going through the Yukon by that route, and to assist in the carrying out of the customs regulations there. Montreal, Feb. 11.—The life insurance companies doing business here are accepting risks on Klondikers. Seattle, Wash., Feb. 11.—Early in December James T. O'Brien, who recently arrived here from Dawson City, discovered croppings of a quart lead while crossing the ridge between the head of Eldorado Creek and Quartz Creek, a branch of the Indian River. He brought out samples, and today received a letter which stated that the report of the assayers gave the value of the ore at \$5,800 in gold and 90 ounces in silver. The ledge from which this remarkably rich ore was taken is three feet wide, and gives every evidence of being a true lead.

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Just a grain of corn! The principle apon which Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor acts is entirely new. It removes the corn layer by layer, without any pain whatever. It never fails either. Try it. Irving Harrison, of Hackensack, N.

J., rode a bicycle 26,253 miles in one year, and claims the national roadriding record. The great lung healer is found and diminishes the sensibility of the membranes of the throat and air passages, and is a sovereign remedy for all coughs, colds, hoarseness, pain, or soreness of the chest, bronchitis, etc. It has cured many when supposed to

7:30 p.m.

Everybody welcome. The opposition candidate invited. W. B. LAIDLAW,

Steam Laundry, the Jubilee Hand Laundry and the Forest City Laundry will laundry these cuffs at the usual rate of 4 cents per pair.

With McKenzie & Mann until we had received the final answer from the Rothschilds' agent."

Mr. E. B. Osler (Toronto) also opposed the government policy.

Mr. Taylor, the Conservative whip,

173 Dundas St.

The Yukon Railway Rothschilds First Offered the

Work, but Refused It. Wild Statements Exposed by

Opposition Members Make Reckless Charges Without Reading the Agreemeut.

Sir Louis Davis.

Bill to Repeal the Dominion Franchise Act Brought In.

Ottawa, Feb. 11.-Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick, solicitor-general, introduced the government bill to repeal the existing Dominion franchise law, and substitute therefor the provincial lists in so far as the qualification of voters, polling subdivisions and preparations for the list are concerned.

Mr. Bennett (Simcoe) resumed the debate on the address. He repeated the charges that Mr. Tarte had denied many times, that he got \$3,000 from the C. P. R. and \$20,000 from the Drummond County Railway. Mr. Tarte sprang to his feet and said: "There is not one word of truth in what the honorable gentleman says; not one

Mr. Bennett paused a moment to col-lect himself, and then replied: "I regret that I have not under my hand the evidence in the Grenier case." "There is no evidence in that action of what my honorable friend says. There is not one word of truth in it, though he may say it again," answered Mr. Tarte.

"I read the evidence in that celebrated case. Surely the honorable gentleman will not deny that he got a loan of \$3,000 from Mr. Shaughnessy; does the honorable gentleman deny that?" "I do deny it, sir. The facts of the case are that years ago Mr. Shaughnessy came to me, when I had made great financial losses, and offered me a loan of money. I declined to take the loan from him, and then it was suggested that my sons, who were in the printing business, might get an advance which would be repaid i money has been repaid in printing from the very first to the very last dollar." (Ministerial applause.) Mr. Bennett denounced the government scheme to provide an all-Canadian route to the Yukon. Mr. Craig charged the government with not fulfilling their ante-election pledges in regard to the reduction of the tariff. If they had done so the prognostications of the Conservative

party would have been fulfilled, and then all they "promised" about disaster and financial panic would have been fulfilled. He denounced the taking off the duty on binder twine. He also criticised the Yukon railway bill, re-peating the error made by Mr. Bennett of saying that the company would have a right to charge whatever rates they chose. Then Sir Louis Davies corrected him, pointing out that the rates for the first four years were to be fixed by the governor-general in council, and after that to be reduced automatically. Mr. Craig confessed that he had not read the bill, and, with infinite mildness, was advised by his interupter to wait until he had read the contract, when he would approve it. Mr. Craig fell back to the second line of defense; the bill con-

stituted a monopoly, and therefore he condemned it. Dr. Sproule condemned the Yukon railway measure without stint. He almost talked the house empty. He proved by his criticisms that he had not even read the agreement. After racess, Dr. Sproule acknowledged his error. The monopoly only applies to a road from an ocean port; roads may be built from the interior, Ashcroft or Edmonton, for instance. Mr. Rufus Pope having indulged in some personal abuse of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Tarte, Mr. Rogers, the Patron member for Frontenac, deprecated so much personal abuse in the house as they had been compelled to listen to. He dissented from the view of Mr. Bertram, that tariff reduction should be stationary for a series of years. The farmers wanted relief, and no doubt the preferential tariff could bring it when next July it goes into full operation. Respecting the Yukon railway contract, he expected that after a full explanation had been given there would not be so much to be said against it. That tenders had not been asked for was a feature that was open to criticism, but the country would approve of an arrangement where no cash subsidy was given. The farmers of Canada would not tolerate a cash sub-

sidy, and the government were right on that point. Mr. Clarke (Toronto) opposed the Yukon bargain. He asked: honorable gentleman (Sir Louis Davies) say that no offer was ever made for the construction of the road into the Yukon teritory by way of the Chilkoot Pass?" "The government were determined," replied Sir Louis, "that the road should

be a Canadian road on Canadian soil, and we did not consider the construction of a road with one of its terminals on American soil." "It would have been in the interest of the country," went on Mr. Clarke, "if the government had placed before the contractors of Canada all the information and data they had at their disposal so that all might have tenderer on an equal footing." In response to this utterance Sir Louis Davies made this statement, which shows what the Rothschilds think of the bargain: "The gentlemen who then represented the Rothschilds in this country had the ocer made to him," he said. "After considering the whole question, after examining all the information that the government could

place before him, and after cabling to

his principals at home, he wrote to the government declining to touch it at It was not to make a speech but to that excellent medicine sold as Bickle's the member for East Elgin, arose. In response to his question, Sir Louis Davies made this further statement. "The letter received from the representative of the Rothschilds declined to have anything to do with the building of this road under condition that it should be built by next September. It be far advanced in consumption.

John R. Silcut begs to notify the purchasers of his shirts with the patent Reversible Cuff that the Dominion is finely answer from the stylish ... stylish ... stylish ... stylish ... our store is filled to overflowing with Foot was received the finely answer from the stylish ... stylish ... our store is filled to overflowing with Foot was received the finely answer from the stylish ... styl

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Pranch-Corner Richmond and Piccadilly repeated the insinuation that the deal had been hastily arranged with Messrs. McKenzie & Mann, in order to raise

money for the Ontario elections, and charged the Patrons with having "sold out" to the government. He announced that he would offer opposition to the Yukon bill on every occasion when it came before the house. Mr. Dupont, in French, opposed the bargain, and the house adjourned after Mr. McNeill (Bruce) had moved the adjournment of the debate.

Latest From Ottawa.

Real Debate on the All-Canadian Route Begins Next Week.

Measure Will Be Adopted by a Good Majority.

[Special from Our Own Correspondent.] Ottawa, Feb. 11.-The debate on the address in reply to the speech from the throne will concluded tonight. It has now been running a week. Nearly all the talking has been confined to the opposition side of the house. The burden of their remarks has been the Candian Yukon railway. The only government speeches outside the mover and seconder were made by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir Richard Cartwright. The real debate on the bill will commence on Tuesday,

when it will come up for the second Sir Richard Cartwright, Sir Louis Davies and Hon. Mr. Sifton are members of the sub-committee who arranged the contract, and will be the principal speakers on the Liberal side. Sir Charles Tupper and Messrs. Fos-ter and Montague will hold up the Conservative side in opposition to the contract. The debate on the bill will be continuous until it is put through.

The vote is likely to be a party one. TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

The new trial of William J. Hammond, the accused murderer of Katie Tough, will be held at the assizes which will open at Bracebride on May 30 before Chief Justice Meredith. Percy Thompson, an employe of the Karn-Warren pipe organ works, Woodstock, had the third finger of his left hand taken off by a buzz planer while at work in the factory on Thursday. The promoters of the St. Clair and Erie canal want the Canadian Government to guarantee 3 per cent on \$4,000,000 of bonds for 21 years. The canal is to be thirteen miles long and 21 feet deep. Charles Lutz, hailing from near Berlin, was arrested on Thursday morning in a room on Richmond street

room was also found a number of old doctored confederate bills and of Daminion \$1 bills raised to \$5 and \$10.

west, charged with stealing about a

score of bicycles last fall. In Lutz's

PITTSBURG'S CATASTROPHE Eleven Persons Dead, 26 Missing, 18 In-

jured and \$1,500,000 Loss. Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 11.-Eleven persons dead, 26 missing and 18 injured and a property loss of \$1,500,000, with about \$1,000,000 insurance, is the record of the big fire of last night. All day firemen, policemen and other city employes have been working at the risk of their lives, but up to nightfall little progress has been made in clearing

A NOTED HORSEMAN DEAD. Watkins, N. Y., Feb. 11.-Washing. ton Wilmot, the well-known horseman died suddenly at his home in this village today, aged 62 years.



This is wet weather. You need good foot

year. You need but little money to get it Men's Solid Working Shoes, laced .. Men's Medium Light, laced. solid, neat..... \$1 Misses' Pebble Buttoned, spring heel..... 750 Misses' Strong All-Leather Laced 50c

In Sporting Circles.

Canadians Won the Trophy at | lon thinks there is a lot of good work the Curling Bonspiel in Winnipeg.

National Assembly of the L.A.W.

Isaac B. Potter Elected President-Growth of the Association.

Wheeling, Baseball and Other Sporting Gossip.

CURLING. CANADIANS WIN THE TROPHY.

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 11.-The Canadians won the international trophy at the bonspiel by a score of 45 to 22. WHEEL

PROCEEDINGS OF THE L. A. W. St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 11.—The business session of the national assembly of the L. A. W. was called to order at 10:45 a.m. yesterday by President Potter, 307 delegates being present in person or represented by proxies. President Isaac B. Potter called attention to the fact that ten states have passed laws requiring bieycles to be carried as baggage without extra charge, and bills are pending in the legislatures of Kentucky, Virginia and Maryland for the same purpose. During the past year 54,793 new members have joined the league, and 48,017 of the old members have renewed. In closing, President Potter dwelt briefly on the dissatisfaction that was expressed in Southern California owing to the failure of the passage of an amendment at the last ssembly to sanction Sunday racing. He maintained that the deliberate judgment of the national assembly must at all times prevail. Providence, R. I., was selected as the place to hold the next annual meeting of the league. The following ticket was elected: President, Isaac B. Potter; first vice-president. Thomas Keenan, Pennsylvania; second vice-president, E. N. Hines, Michigan; treasurer, James C. Tatter-

sall, New Jersey. SPOKES. President Potter has completed arrangements for L. A. W. members to carry their wheels free into Italy. C. W. Miller, of Chicago, winner of the last six days' contest in Madison Square Garden, is eager to race Cor-"the Dutchman," in a 24-hour paced race. Cordang, it will be remembered, covered 616 miles in 24 hours on the Crystal Palace track, London,

England, last year, a feat that was without parallel. proposition to make the office of the chairman of the L. A. W. racing board a salaried position has suggested to some of the leading men in the league that the office should also be made an elective one. In view of the strong sentiment favoring an allowance of \$2,500 for the head of the racing board, it is expected that the national assembly will officially indorse the sal-

ary amendment. A prominent member of the L. A. W., writing to the Bicycle World, says: 'Having used refined vaseline exclusively as a lubricant for bicycle bearings in riding 16,000 miles during 1896 and 1897, I would use no other. Fill the bearings full of vaseline, and such packing will last 2,000 miles at least. For the head and pedal bearings vaseline is not suitable.

THE TURF. TIPS.

.'he scheme to issue bonds on the Fort Erie race track to pay outstanding indebtedness appears to be a failure, and the track will be sold at

The Port Huron driving club has claimed June 14-17 as the date for its regular spring meeting, and Aug. 16-19 for the summer meeting. Purses amounting to \$15,000 will be hung up.

BASEBALL. THE ST. THOMAS CLUB.

The directors of the St. Thomas Baseball Association met Thursday night and appointed T. Donly president, and Frank Leach to represent the association at the meeting of the International League in Port Huron on the evening of Feb. 16. The delegates were instructed to agree to St. Thomas going into the league only on its terms being agreed to, viz., that a 15-cent gate admission shall be allowed there. In the event of the association not putting a team in the international an effort will be made to form an all-Canadian league, to include St. Thomas, Galt, Guelph, Chatham, Petrolia, Brantford, Berling and Wood-

AFTER THE PITCHERS.

Baltimore, Feb. 11.-Manager Hanlon, of the Baltimore club, at the coming meeting of the National League, will make a vigorous fight for a change in the earned-run rule. The present rule, he declares, is an absurdity, and absolutely of no use in furnishing a basis by which to judge the relative work of the pitchers, which was its original purpose. "In fact," he says, "it is worse than useless, because I once knew a pitcher who used to give bases on balls purposely to some batters to prevent the runs against him being earned. I suppose some of the pitchers last season watched these things closely, and did the same thing. I shall try to get the league to pass a rule with some sense in it, and that will allow us to get a line on the work of the pitchers. Such a rule should make the pitchers responsible for bases on balls, patters' hits and wild pitches as much

Still another Frenchman has broken into baseball. The latest is Sam Vig-neux, the Canadian catcher, signed by Manager Hanlon announces that Captain Anson, late of Chicago, can sign a Baltimore contract as first base-man if he will consent to do so. Han-

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left in the grand old man, to say nothing of his value as a drawing card. Shrewd Hanion!

"Gene" De Montreville has signed his 1898 contract with Baltimore. He will receive several hundred dollars a year more from the Orioles than he re-ceived from the Senators.

Jack Rowe unhesitatingly asserts that the Eastern League is 100 per cent stronger than the Western, says it is "all rot" to talk about Buffalo going into the latter circuit. The league rules committee has under consideration the advisability of recommending that the catcher be compelled, to remain close up under the bat during the entire game, with a view to shortening games and avoid-ing tedious delays. Many of the best

players indorse the idea.

President Franklin, of Buffalo, is quoted as saying that the eastern circuit question is not yet definitely settled, and that it may yet be made a ten-club affair by the additions of Newark and Worcester. Another east-ern magnate, however, says that Newark will take Wilkesbarre's place at

If the Cincinnati club makes any money on its practice trip it will be divided among the players. Their chances may be surmised from the fact that last year's trip cost the Cincinnati club's management about \$2,-500, and the practice trips of the two previous seasons were not much less. Since 1890 Nichols, of Boston, has won 245 and lost 123 games. Young, of Cleveland, in the same time has a record of 216 won and 116 lost. There will probably be only two, and not over three, playing managers in the big league next season, which is a big drop from last season, when Joyce, Brown, Donovan, Clarke, Tebeau and Anson were players as well

as managers.
President Nick Young says the bunt hit will remain, and there will be no change in the pitching distance. The chairman of the rules committee, James A. Hart, is working hard making amendments to the playing rules. On account of the double umpire system next season, many changes will have to be made in regard to the rules about umpires.

And so Charley Ganzel, so long Boston's star catcher, must go to Omaha. Ganzel was, with the exception of Thompson, whose future with Philadelphia is somewhat uncertain, the last lingerer in league company of the champion Detroit team of 1887. As he drops out, his younger brother, graduated from Grand Rapids, is just entering the league, with bright pros-pects, as Pittsburg's first baseman. The Toronto club is reported as having signed a pitcher named John Suthoff, of last season's Nicholasville, Ky.,

The Pittsburg club expects its spring practice tour to cost at least \$2,000.

Pitcher Reisel, formerly of the Wheeling club, has been signed by

Ex-Manager Patsy Donovan has resigned with Pittsburg. He expresses himself as satisfied with the turn of events and the present situation. Michael Keefer, a prominent amaeur, who cut quite a dash at Smithpert, Pa., is mentioned as a probable addition to Arthur Irwin's Toronto club for the outfield.

There is now little doubt that the movement to transfer the spring meeting of the National League from St. Louis to New York will fail. Nick Young has received the final vote in the poll to determine the place for the spring schedule meeting of the National Baseball League. This last and deciding ballot favors St. Louis. Snyder is tenth in the batting list in the Eastern League, with a percentage of .340; fielding, .934.

Breitenstein has signed a Cincinnati contract for this season. The left-

handed twirler intends to make Cincinnati his home.

PUNCHING-BAG LECTURE. Detroit News: The learned professor Robert Fitzsimmons, champion of all champions, was a visitor at Michigan's seat of learning yesterday. He delivered a short lecture to a group of open-

mouthed students. In the main he "Exercise is a good thing for the girls. It is better than medicine and will make our race stronger." (Great applause.)
Then Fitz was dined by a law fra-

ternity, and inspecsted the new gym-nasium. He looked over all the apparatus and expressed his disgust at the punching bag.
"Hully gee!" he said. "That's no kind of a bag. What's youse fellows goin' to do with a t'ing like that?"

Fitz then presented the University of Michigan with a punching bag of his The bag will never be used, but will

be kept as a memento of the memorable visit of Robert Fitzsimmons.

WON WITH A SAND BAG. Here is a new story about James J. Corbett, told by Dr. George Archer, of Denver, Col.: "Just after Jim whipped Sullivan," he said, "he offered \$100 to all who would stand up before him four rounds. When the company reached Atchison, Kan., a giant negro blacksmith, weighing nearly 300 pounds appeared at the stage door and wanted to go on. He was so big that Jim was really afraid of it, and resorted to trickery to get rid of him. Jim explained he had already made an engagement for that night. The blacksmith came the next evening and was likewise turned down. The next night, the last of the series in that town, the

negro appeared again and was refused a third time. "Well, the blacksmith followed Corbett from Atchison to Topeka, and then to Wichita, trying in vain to get a

four-round go. Finally Jim consented to the fight to get rid of the persistent Smith, but he devised a scheme by which he was bound to win. "Honors were even in the first round.

ter's head passed the edge about five inches. Then the champion did some hurricane sparring and at a preconcerted signal a menial behind the scenes whacked the negro on the back of the head with a sand bag, while Jim simultaneously tapped him on the jaw. The horseshoer fell senseless. Corbett was cheered lustily." BLOWS

Peter Maher has covered Kid Mc-Coy's forfeit, and has offered to fight McCoy for from \$5,000 to \$10,000 a side for the championship of the world. The fight must take place within six weeks of signing articles. If McCoy does not accept, Maher will challenge any man in the world.

RATTLE OF THE RAIL

Canadian Railway War.

W. A. Becker, M. C. R. agent at West Lorne for the past six years, has been promoted to a dispatcher's position in St, Thomas.

Yukon.

Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 10.—A fabulous find on the Alaskan side of the Yukon is reported. Fritz Behnson, of Victoria, B. C., writes to his brother. The highest pay given German railway engineers is \$1 25 a day, while conductors receive only \$1. Many of them have to be on duty fifteen to

eighteen hours a day. The Grand Trunk confirms the restoration of the former rate to Mani-toba and Northwest points, which allows the C. P. R. a differential of \$750 on first-class and \$5 on second-class passengers.

The conference between Mr. Hays, general manager of the Grand Trunk railway, and Mr. Shaughnessy, vicepresident of the C. P. R., apparently did not settle the differences between

the two companies. The C. P. R. will soon lay a second cable between Vancouver and Victoria, B. C., on account of the demands of the business development of the Pacific coast. The cable is now being carried to Vancouver by the steamship Tartar. Thomas N. Jarvis, son of ex-Mayor P. P. Jarvis, of Stratford, has resigned his position as manager of the Traders' Dispatch Fast Freight Line, of Buffalo, N. Y., to assume the office of general eastern freight agent of the Lehigh

Valley railroad. A rumor has been in circulation that the Wabash would be asked to run their trains over the Air line. Grand Trunk were alleged to be dissatisfied because the Wabash was taking western business from them. Local G. T. R. officials discredit the rumor.

The conference between General Manager Hays, of the Grand Trunk, and Vice-President Shaughnessy, of the C. P. R., has ended in nothing, and at present there does not appear to be the silghtest hope of an amicable arrangement being reached between the roads in the immediate future.

The engine hauling the Lehigh train on the Grand Trunk had a singular acident on Thursday. When about four miles out from Sarnia the top of the whistle was blown off. With the steam rapidly escaping it was about all the engineer and fireman could do to bring ne train to the Sarnia station

Canadian Pacific, has sent to the ex-ecutive officers of the transcontinental Geo. Woolley, of Evelyn, has about roads a message on the same line as that sent by General Passenger Agent McNichol to the general passenger agents of the American roads. Shaughnessy declared that unless the American roads within three days withdrew all the cut rates, which, he declared, are in existence, the Canadian Pacific will proceed to protect its interests in the manner which seems to best. It is likely that a meeting of all the interested roads will be held within a few days to determine the future policy of the American roads, is it practically certain that an effort will be made to get all roads having relations with the Canadian Pacific to declare them suspended until such time as the Canadian Pacific is willing to confer with the other roads in the

HICKEY'S HARD LINES.

matter of Alaska rates.

Fought a Dozen Duels, Was 114 Times Before the Courts and Died

by Suicide. El Paso, Texas, Feb. 11.-Baron Harden Hickey, who committed suicide at the Pierson Hotel here yesterday, gained some notoriety in Paris in 1878, where he started a weekly paper called La Tribolet. From the time he started the publication of this journal he was almost constantly in trouble. It was devoted to the interests of the Royalists, and its editor, the baron, made 114 appearances in the police courts, paid fines to the amount of 300,000 francs, and fought no less than a dozen duels.

USEFUL CAREERS CLOSED

Wm. C. Catell.

New York, Feb. 11.—The death of the Rev. Wm. A. Hitchcock, one of the

best known divines of the Protestant Episcopal Church, occurred yesterday at the residence of his sister-in-law, Mrs. John Schoenberger. Two years ago, when pastor of the Church of the Assumption in Buffalo, Dr. Hitchcock was knocked down by a trolley car, and his death is indirectly due to this accident. Since it happened he has been subject to paralytic strokes, Twice, during his ministry of 40 years, did the doctor put aside tenders of elevation to the episcopate of the church. Nine years ago he was offered the bishopric of Western Pennsylvania, to succeed Bishop Kerfooth, and later refused to become the bishop of a western state. He said he believed he could do better work in the active ministry of the church. Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 11.-Rev. Wilter a long illness of a complication of diseases. He was 71 years old.

REMODELING THE URUGUAY GOVERNMENT.

Montevideo, Feb. 11.—Senor Juan L Cuestas, the president of Uruguay ad interim, has executed his threatened coup d'etat, and has issued a decree dissolving the assembly. A junta has been formed of 88 leading politicians. Senor Cuestas has been appointed provisional governor. A TILSONBURGER MADE HAPPY.

Tilsonburg, Feb. 11.-A pleasing ineident took place here on Wednesday, which shows that commercial honor is by no means dead. One of the local merchants, who for several years has had extensive business connections with firms in Scotland, received a draft for a large amount, by which he was as much surprised as delighted. It appears that five years ago he had large transactions with a Glasgow house, which became bankrupt, and left him in the lurch to the amount of several hundred dollars. One member of the firm assured him, however, that

For the Klondike.

Hamiltonians Leaving for the Land of Promise.

Story of the Fabulous Find on the Alaskan Side of the Yukon.

Hamilton, Feb. 11.-At 7:30 o'clock last evening Mr. Lewis Birely, Charles street, and Mr. James Castell left for the Klondike. A large boat, built by the former, was shipped to Edmonton in the morning. At Edmonton the two gold hunters will build two more boats, and about March 10 will be joined by Poor Pay of German Engineers-The Messrs. Colin Briggs, Harry Atwell and David Gardner, and the party will then resume their journey to the

> Victoria, B. C., writes to his brother: "We have struck it rich on an unknown creek across the border, never before seen by man. In the crevices of the rock in one day we piled up \$50,000 in coarse gold. Sell your business or give it away, and come quick with ten men." The Behnsons have large business interests here, and are thoroughly reliable. The news has spread like wildfire, and a large number are likely to go out.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 11.—The directors of the Klondike Trading and Prospecting Company, whose headquarters for Canada are in this city, declare that the statement of a Montreal paper connecting their company with the McKenzie & Mann contract is totally without foundation. It is quite true that the railway is to be constructed over the line which their company proposed to follow on their sledge route to Teslin Lake, but the plans of the corporation were determined upon long before McKenzie & Mann were in the field.

Christiana, Feb. 11.-From 300 to 400 reindeer above the requirements of the United States Government having been purchased, but unpaid for, by Lieut. D. B. Devore, U. S. A., military secretary of the secretary of war, to be used by the Yukon valley relief expedition, are detained here until the lieutenant furnishes security to the amount of 30,000 crowns.

MIDDLESEX.

A butterfly made its appearance last week in Mr. Edgar Weld's conservatory in Delaware. Ralph O'Neil, of Lucan, has disposed of his hotel business at Exeter to Chas. Wilson, of Listowel. Mr. Robert McClurg, who died in Komoka on Tuesday, aged 86 years, was father of Wm. McClurg, M. C. R.

conductor, St. Thomas.

The contract for building the Napier bridge has been awarded to Mr. Price \$1,075. Mr. Gough also received the contract for building finished his new blacksmith shop. Mr. Woolley is popular among the farmers, and his enterprise in building his new

shop will likely result in an increasing The tenth annual Sunday school convention of the township of Caradoc will be held in the Methodist Church, Melbourne, on Feb. 24. An excellent programme is being provided, and a general turnout is expected. The funeral of Daniel McNabb, son of the late Alex. McNabb, of Ekfrid, place Tuesday afternoon.

McNabb was telegraph operator for the G. T. R. at Stevensville, on the Air Line, and had been ill only a few days. He was in his 24th year and was highly esteemed. A pleasant surprise party took possession of Mr. Fred. Branton's house at Delaware on Tuesday evening to the number of about 40, headed by Mr. L. Vail and Mr. J. Cullen. The party were well supplied with good things to

replenish the inner man. A very pleasant time was spent in song and speeches, and the young housekeepers were loaded with congratulations and good wishes.

ODELLVILLE.

Odellville, Feb. 11.-Mr. Joe Lachorn, Mr. H. M. Odell and Mr. Boudenare have been very busy getting in ice from the well-known Griffiths and Walker's ponds. The ice is thirteen inches thick, but the soft weather has stopped them for a time. The Elliott sawmill cannot make sawdust fast enough to satisfy the de-A couple of sleigh loads of Odellites

started out to surprise Mr. Laidlaw, on the fourth concession of Westminster on Monday evening. When the place was reached, Mr. Laidlaw, upon seeing Death of Rev. W. A. Hitchcock and Rev. such a jolly crowd, invited all into the house, where a merry evening was The funeral of Wm. Beattie will take place tomorrow at 2 o'clock. The deceased is a brother of James Beattie,

of the sixth concession of Westmin-Everyone who had logs to take to mill has been hustling to get them there before sleighing goes. Mrs. Young, daughter of Robert Nixon, is recovering from a long ill-Walter Wilsie is preparing his hotbeds, and expects to have vegetables for the early market this year. LAMBETH.

Lambeth, Feb. 11.-Missionary serices will be held Sunday morning in Lambeth Methodist Church, and in the afternoon at Brick Street Church, by Rev. W. J. Ford, LL.B., of Centennial Church, London. The following evening liam C. Catell, formerly president of (Monday) Rev. Dr. Henderson will give Lafayette College, died this morning af- one of his splendid lectures. Rev. H



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D. Moyer is also expected to be present. Collections at each service in aid of missionary fund. Miss Sadler has returned from St. Thomas, where she attended a large

birthday party. Mr. Alex. Bannatyne, our village blacksmith-better known as the Jolly | Export Market." Scotchman-since he la his new business of making sleighs, Vice-President Shaughnessy, of the the little bridge over the Hardy drain, One of his lastest customers is Mr. Wm. Schram, who will sport a handsome new buggy when the roads get a little better. Sucess to you Sandy.

KOMOKA.

Komoka, Feb. 11.-A sleighload from this place spent a very enjoyable evening at Mr. C. Blinn's residence, Lambeth. Miss Mamie Sinclair is visiting her friends in Guelph. A number of the young people of this

place attended the mission band social, held at Mr. G. Dickie's, Hyde Park, on Monday evening. Mr. R. McClerg, who has been ailing for some time, died at his residence on Monday night. The funeral took place on Thursday morning to Komoka ceme-

The "old-time concert" held on Friday evening was a decided success. The building was crowded, and the receipts realized a handsome sum, which will be used in aid of the church. The many friends of Mr. E. Hord will be pleased to hear that he is improving and will soon be able to resume his

duties. Mr. J. Lince has been seriously ill.
The R. T. of T. literary contest, held
last Tuesday evening, proved a success. The captains were Miss Maggie
Stewart and Mr. E. Cook. The referees decided in favor of Miss Stewart's Mr. W. Heath spent Saturday and

Sunday with his many friends in this place. W. Stewart, jun., is improving in The Epworth Leagues of Melrose, Kilworth, Delaware and Komoka will meet in the Methodist Church here next Tuesday evening, Feb. 15. Sixteen members were initiated into membership with the Epworth League of Christian Endeavor.

DEBS AND BELLAMY

Propose to Launch a New Party With a Socialistic Platform. Denver, Col., Feb. 10.-Edward Bel-

amy, author of "Looking Backward," and Eugene V. Debs, late head of the American Railway Union and leader of the Social Democracy, have united to launch a new political party. The Social Democracy will be taken as the nucleus of the party. This was decided upon at a meeting held yesterday in Mr. Debs' room in the New Markham Hotel. Whether the new party would sup-

port Bryan in 1900 Debs is not as yet prepared to say. The organization proposes the amelioration of social ills on the lines laid down by Bellamy, George, and others. It advocates community of property interests-pure socialism in its broadest sense.

KILLED BY A HOG.

Terrible Fate of a Farm Laborer Near

Uxbridge.

[G. N. W. Special to The Advertiser.] Uxbridge, Ont., Feb. 11.-John Warner, a farm laborer about 35 years of age, met his death by being bitten by a hog yesterday. Warner, who was going to Manitoba, was staying with Walter Blanchard, in Scott township, a few miles from here. Blanchard went away from home, and cautioned Warner about the hog, as the animal was very vicious. Warner had occasion to enter the pen, and was attacked by the animal, which bit him severely in the leg, severing an artery. As there was no one around nothing could be done to stop the flow of blood, and when assistance finally arrived Warner was unconscious. He died last

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on "Feeding and Management of Dairy Stock." Discussions were carried on by many farmers present. Mr. Alf. Brown, of Picton, gave an address on "Lambs for Profit," which was well handled. Mr. Eiliot adressed the meeting on "Breeding and Feeding Hogs for

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The Artillery.

Annual Meeting of the Canadian Association. tion Last Night.

Lord Aberdeen and Minister Borden Among the Speakers-Interchange of Troops With the Mother Country.

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—The annual general meeting of the Dominion Artillery Association was held yesterday in the railway committee room of the House of Commons. The president, Lieut.-Col. Cole, occupied the chair, and the attendance was large. The association voted down a proposition to change its name. The report of council, which was adopted, contains the following: "The council earnestly recommends that in view of the increase of the establishments of field batteries and change in armament, the allowance for drill instruction and caretaking be revised and increased."

Lieut.-Col. Irwin announced that the programme for the competition between the British and Canadian artillery men was completed. The programme has already peen published. Lord Aberdeen spoke briefly in reply to a vote of thanks for his contribution to the association. He commended the association for the excellent work during the year.

Dr. Borden, minister of militia, spoke in reply to a vote of thanks. He said that besides an additional grant of \$2,-100 to the association, the government would defray the cost of the visiting British team. As to the weapon used by the artillery, none was too good. While in England recently he found the greatest interest taken in Canadian military affairs. This was partly due to the splendid shooting done by Canadians both at home and abroad. At the suggestion of Gen. Montgomery Moore it had been arranged that an interchange should be made between a company of Canadian corps and the Berkshire regiment at Halifax. The interchange would continue right along. Next spring a battery of Canadian artillery would interchange with one from the Royal Artillery. These changes would be of immense value in the future if Canadians would have to fight alongside British. Though there was no danger of war at the present time, the Canadian people would be wise to prepare for an emergency, and the government intended to take such steps that in the event of any disturbance, Canada, with the assistance of the imperial troops, might present a most formidable front to the

Gen. Gascoigne said that six batteries of six breech-loading 12-pounder field artillery guns had already been provided, and a requisition for arms for four additional batteries had been When the rearming of the field artillery is completed, Canada would have 60 artillery guns of the most approved pattern. The ammunition factory at Quebec was being fitted up with machinery to provide shells for the artillery. The whole artillery force would be supplied with the most modern equipment. The delay in delivering the big guns was at the suggestion of the imperial authorities, so that the best weapon might be had. The Quebec factory would be provided with machinery to turn out 12-pound shells. Lieut.-Col. Cole was re-elected president, and Major Donaldson, secretary, and at a meeting of the council, Lieut.-Col. Irwin was elected chairman.

NEARLY OVER THE FALLS

Terrible Experience of Two Brothers at Niagara.

Niagara Falls, Feb. 11.—Thomas Mc-Guigan and his brother James, who are frequent visitors to the duck fields, started out in separate boats for a days' sport. At the time the river was full of floating ice. The two hunters worked around among the islands the greater part of the morning. Their luck did not suit them, and they pulled out near the middle of the river. Here the ice interfered with the decoys, and it became so thick about James Mc-Guigan's boat that he got out on a mass of ice and tried to work the boat

While doing this, in some way the gun in the boat was discharged, the shot in both barrels passing through McGuigan's right hand. McGuigan jumped into the boat, and called to his brother, who was some distance away.

The boat began drifting with the ice Klondike or any point in Alaska, please do something to save himself, and consider the merits of the great Wa- with his left hand he pulled on one towards the falls. He saw that he must oar, checking in a measure the speed of the boat. Thomas McGuigan at the same time was working through the floating ice to his brother's assistance. After a hard battle he reached him. and then they had a desperate fight against the ice, as well as the strong current, before they reached the shore. It was a thrilling situation for a time.

James McGuigan was taken to the office of Dr. Hodge. After examining the wounded hand the physician said it would have to be amputated at once. The operation was performed at the

BOOTH AS CHAPLAIN.

Salvation Army Founder Appeared in

the U. S. Senate. Washington, Feb. 11.—General Wm. Booth, founder of the Salvation Army, officiated as chaplain at the opening of the senate's session yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Booth Tucker, the son-in-law and daughter of General Booth, were in the gallery. Previous to the meeting of the senate the entire party held a brief reception in the vice-president's

FARMER INSTANTLY KILLED. Belleville, Ont., Feb. 11.-John Kearney, a farmer, who lived in Tyendin-aga, was killed near Belleville yesterday morning while driving a load of day morning while driving a load of wood to the city. Kearney atempted to turn round to go back to the assistance of a load following him, which had upset. His team backed up too far, and he and the team went over the embankment to the river bed, a distance of 25 feet. Kearney fell under the load and death was instantaneous.

THE GALLIA'S PERILOUS VOYAGE Halifax, N. S., Feb. 11.—The steamer Gallia, which arrived here from Liverpool, via Moville, had a tempestuous voyage, and was three days late in reaching port. She encountered fierce gales throughout the trip, and sustainand Middle Egypt has more than doubled since 1833.

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Annual Meeting of the Associa-

Master-Election of Cffice-Ecarers.

It was reported that after paying all

Bro. C. A. Kingston seconded, a resorecord their high appreciation of the services rendered by the brethren named to this association, and extend to the bereaved families of our late co-laborers our heartfelt condolence in the great loss each has sustained.

This was carried unanimously. dissent, the secretary being instructed to notify the chairman of the general committee of this action. E. Weber, J. D. Balfour, M.D., John Paull and Chas. Buskard as new members, the association proceeded to the

Honorary President-V. W. Bro. J. D. Clarke. President-V. W. Bro. C. A. King-

Campbell, M.D. T. Essery. Secretary-Treas R. Parker. A. Currie.

Executive Committee-W. Bros. Alex. Findlay, No. 20; Wm. Hayman, 42; A. D. Hodgens, 64; Edwin Paull, 195; John Graham, 209a; H. C. Simpson, 330; W. J. Element, 378; Neil McNeil, 380. Bro. Paull was elected chairman. The newly-elected president, Bro. Kingston, then assumed the chair, and Bros. Parker and Simpson moved a cordial vote of thanks to R. W. Bros.

as the retiring honorary president. Carried unanimously.
R. W. Bros. Hungerford and Munson moved a hearty vote of thanks to V. W. Bro. Clarke, the retiring president, for the interest he had ever taken in the welfare and success of

wously.
V. W. Bro. Clarke and R. W. Bro.
J. S. Dewar moved the thanks of the association to W. Bro. T. R. Parker for his painstaking and valuable services as secretary-treasurer. Carried unanimously.

made suitable replies, thanking the brethren very kindly for the honor done them, and for the many expressions of confidence accorded them while holding offices of trust in the After the adjournment of the meeting, the executive met, and elected Wor. Bro. Edwin Paull chairman. A

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The Coming Reception to the Grand

There was a good attendance at the meeting of the London Pastmasters' Association at its annual meeting in the library of the Masonic Temple last night. It was a pleasant reunion. V. Wor. Bro. J. D. Clarke, president, was Wor. Bro. J. D. Clarke, president, was in the chair, and among others in attendance were R. W. Bros. Hungerford, Dewar and Munson; V. W. Bros. H. C. Simpson and C. A. Kingston; W. Bros. J. W. Metherall, J. G. McNee, Neil McNeil, W. J. Element, Alexander Currie, Henry Hayman, A. G. McWhinney, Ed. Paull, Wm. O'Brien, C. C. Reed, A. D. Hodgins, Wm. Hayman, John Graham, John Robertson, Thos. R. Parker and others.

It was reported that after paying all

expenses in connection with the banquet to the grand master last year, there was \$35 in the treasury. The president, in opening the new business, feelingly referred to the loss the association had sustained by the deaths of six valued members association, viz.: M. W. Bro. D. Spry; R. W. Bros. W. G. McMillen and Geo. C. Davis, and W. Bros. Dr. Gardiner, B. J. Nash and W. J. Clarke, the latter being the chairman of the executive committee

R. W. Bro. Dewar moved, and V. W. lution that the association place on

The report of the executive commitee, recommending that in view of the entertainment and reception to be endered the grand master by the lodges, no banquet be held this year, but that the association co-operate heartily with the lodges' committee in perfecting arrangements for the proposed reception was carried without After the election of W. Bros. Joseph election of officers for the year, with

the following result:

First Vice-President-W. Bro. Cl. T. Second Vice-President-W. Bro. E. Auditors-W. Bros. C. C. Reed and

J. S. Dewar, the honorary president. for his services in behalf of the association since its institution, and also

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spring gathering of the association will be convened to consider matters important to the craft.

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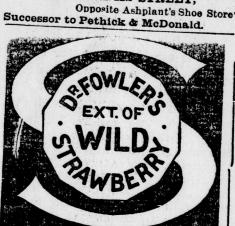
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Ontario Will Prove Self-

Opposition newspapers are publishing the following garbled extract from Both earned the money paid to them, the letter addressed by Sir Oliver though Mr. Hardy's remuneration, he Mowat to his constituents on the eve holding a minor position, was comof the Provincial general elections in paratively small.

"The occasion is one in which Conorder that there may be in Ontario a Government independent of the Government at Ottawa."

From this sentence in a well-reasoned address, the advocates of the cause of prietor, is a line of political discrimin-Messrs. Whitney and Tupper argue ation which we make free to believe that it logically follows that Sir Oliver | will find few indorsers even in the would always have maintained that Conservative ranks. It will not gain it was in the interests of the Province to place a government in power in Ontario antagonistic to the Administration of the Dominion.

Why are these opponents of the Ontario Government so unfair as to garble Sir Oliver's address, and not let his complete meaning be understood? Here is what the veteran statesman, who designated Hon. Mr. Hardy as a worthy successor to him, said in the letter from which the sentence above yet at hand.

s snatched by the Opposition press: "Now there are a variety of cases by which I may illustrate the manner in which the Dominion Government have dealt with the Province, and show the absolute necessity in the inerests of the Province that there should be an independent Government here, under no obligation to Sir John Macdonald, and who have a policy entirely provincial in regard to the territory and the provincial rights."

As the Guelph Mercury very pertinently points out, there was decidedly good reason for Sir Oliver's position at the time he so wrote, when the Dominion Government, abetted by the Ontario Opposition, was striving to deprive Ontario of her provincial rights, and when no protest was made by the Ontario Opposition against the declaration of the Dominion Conservative leader that not one acre of land, not one stick of timber, not one pound of minerals in the then disputed territory should ever become the possession of

No such reason for the action counseled in 1886 by Sir Oliver Mowat now exists. The Administration at Ottawa is doing justice by all sections of the community, and no right that Ontario has will ever be menaced.

The Conservatives went to Nova Scotia with the cry that the Provincial Government should be of a different political stripe from that at Ottawa. The electors of Nova Scotia, by returning 35 Liberals to 3 Conservatives, buried it so deeply that it will not be revived there for many a long day.

They tried it in Prince Edward Island, and the electors gave them to understand, by returning some 20 Liberals to 12 Conservatives, that they wanted none of it.

Quebec was the third Province to test this new Conservative doctrineoriginated June 24, 1896, the day after the Dominion elections. And the Quelots by some 50 to 20, and never again will that cry go up along the banks of the Lower St. Lawrence.

The malcontents have moved west, and now the cry resounds throughout Ontario Opposition circles that Pre- in its service. To say that a man who mier Hardy ought to be defeated that for any legitimate cause is no longer Opposition require is to get together the fortunes of Sir Charles Tupper at an occupant of the pulpit, is to be de- and discover where they are at. They Ottawa may be rejuvenated. But it barred from engaging in other forms are pulling at sixes and sevens. will not work. The people of Ontario of activity, to the extent of strength government at the bidding of the va- very hard on many hundreds of worcillating, policyless aggregation who thy men, once ministers, who are now now take their orders from the most employed in various other walks of life. life; let us all be thankful that life has

Mr. Shore, M. P. P., on the Pig- | a young man's arduous pastoral work, gery Issue.

Even Mr. Shore, the Conservative-Patron M. P. P., who was backed by the Opposition in the last election in East Middlesex, is moved to go on the platform, and, as a practical farmer, expose the utter hollowness of the piggery plank in the Opposition platform. At Belmont on Thursday night, Mr. Shore attended the Conservative meeting, and told "farmers" Macklin and H. B. Elliot, of London, that they were all wrong in their attack on the Government because of the manner in which it had met the outbreak of the hog cholera in the Humber piggery. Mr. Shore points out that he and his fellow-Patrons refused to oppose the Government on this score, because the evidence showed that the Administration had simply done its duty. If anyone was to blame, it was the Dominion inspector, who handled the outbreak, and oversaw the disposal of the animals in precisely the same manner as he had done in Essex and Elgin counties when outbreaks of cholera took place there. The inspector, Mr. Shore added, was one of the strongest Conservatives in the Dominion.

Every week some new discovery is utilized for the good of humanity. There never was a time when public sentiment was so benevolently inclined. The abolition of disease—yes, and of poverty itself-is a proposition seriously considered by philosophers to see that if this region turns out and scientists. There never was a as we hope the people of Canada will time, says the philosopher of the Port get their fair share of profit without Huron Times, when the portent of the future was so bright, so wonderful. In future was so bright, so wonderful. In this day of the world's history we are awaited for the long and tedious course glad we are alive.

They Hit Below the Belt.

Many years ago, the father of Premier Hardy was a respected employe in the London Asylum for the Insane. Some ten years ago, he died. But the London Free Press and Toronto World, with a fine sense of the proprieties, now brings the deceased up as a political issue, and endeavors to make capital against Premier Hardy by referring to his dead father as a pensioner of the Province. Was the deceased gentleman any more a pen- ple of Canada stand to make cent for sioner than Mr. Stephen Blackburn, cent, donar for donar, pour with the builders of this road." has served the Province as registrar of West Middlesex? Both men served

To sneer at a dead man as a "pensioner," because he was the father of servatives and Reformers should all the Liberal Premier of the Province, and to regard the living official as worthy of all esteem because he was a Conservative newspaper profor Opposition candidates the votes of men of independence and of a fine sense of fair play; but will help to add to the majorities that we are confident the Government supporters will gencally receive.

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vessels in course of construction. The day when swords shall be beaten into pruning hooks appears to be scarcely

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The London Free Press reports that the recent mass meeting of Col. Leys' committees was a "bunfeed." That is inaccurate. There was no bunfeed, but a feast of good speaking. Our conteinporary must have been thinking of the Conservative Club attic, with its hams, cheese, bread, and barrels of beer. The Liberal headquarters are not provided with an attic attach-

Worthy Dr. Dewait.

An endeavor is being made to excite feeling against Dr. Dewart, the Liberal candidate for North Toronto, on the ground that he is in receipt of a superannuation allowance from the Methodist Church, and that if he can undertake the exertion incident to political life he can just as well take a pulpit, etc. Dr. Dewart has been ably the Methodist Church for a quarter of eve of the great defeat of 1896. How a century. He has borne the heat and the Opposition leaders do love one burden of the day. It is true, he has another! retired from the work of the active ministry. It is true that from the funds into which he has been a direct contributor he now reselves the usual bec people fell upon it with their bal- modest superannuation allowance. But he does not receive one penny to which he is not justly entitled, and it is an for providing the farmers with so exhonor rather than a discredit to the Methodist body that it does not forget those who have worked long and hard be present good and ability, is a doctrine that strikes disgusted and desperate man that ever It does not follow that because Dr. its booby prizes, and let us wear our led an Opposition in the Dominion. Dewart might properly shrink from laurels of defeat isuntily.

he is not in an exceptionable position to render service to the cause of good government in the Ontario Legislature. A man of unusual intellectual power, of vast reading, of broad and tolerant views, at home in Toronto, and still nearly 20 years Mr. Gladstone's junior, we consider that North Toronto would be boin honored abroad and benefited at home by electing a man of culture and character like Dr. Dewart as its representative.

Mr. Whitney is hopelessly floundering through the campaign, and all the jabberwocks he can enlist in his service cannot secure him victors. The mass of the good sense of the Province is against any mere wobbling rolitician getting control of our great resources to be used as an aid to the resuscitation of Tupperism in Canada.

Why the Haste.

Sir Richard Cartwright, replying to Mr. Foster, explains why the Government acted so promptly in regard to the Yukon railway scheme. Said he: "No one who has paid the slightest attention to the condition of affairs in the Yukon but knows there is great need of speed in opening up that counannounced that will ultimately be large number go in as things are. try if we are to avert disaster, if a Every one will admit that those who are going to spend several millions of their own money on this enterprise are undergoing great risks. This matter is a huge gamble, and our duty required us not to risk the money of the peotaking the risk. It is idle to say we should have waited for the House to of events. Had we done so farewell to any hope of gaining access to the Yukon this year, farewell to the hope of averting disaster, and had we failed to do what was our duty who would have been so loud to denounce us as utterly incompetent and unfit to hold our places as the honorable gentleman who has just sat down. hear.) Suppose that after all is said and done there should be no such large amount of gold, and we had under-taken the construction of this railroad and spent millions of the people's to exploit this territory, how this hall would have rung with the denunciations of our folly and incapacity. Take the other alternative and suppose these should prove the richest gold fields in the world, then the peo-

> Mr. Henry Macklin is now parading East Middlerex, running down Sir W iliam Meredith, in the vain hope that he may thereby elevate Mr. Whitney in the estimation of the public. Mr. Mack-M: Meredith four years ago. But then Mr. Macklin will never be charged with consistency. Four years ago he was publicly preaching that this Province was hopelessly going to destruction, because the Liberal Government treated the Catholic community with greater consideration than he considered they deserved. Then Mr. Macklin and his associate Conservative orators were engaged in the public avowal of the P. P. A. doctrines. Now he keeps these arguments for use in the private canvass. The public, however, understand it all. Even the secret convention of Mr. Marter, Mr. Thomas Beattie, M.P., and Dr. Roome, the Conservative organizer, with the P. P. A. leaders of Western Ontario, has been revealed, and this utterly discredited movement against the Government of Ontario is well understood throughout the Prov-

says that what the Conservative party requires is new leaders. With them it is really time for a change, it seems. But not one that will bring governmental responsibility. New leaders have to be trained in Opposition.

But It Is Popular in Ontario.

"Ralph Loveland, of the Saginaw Valley."

attending to the journalistic work of Cabinet of Sir Charles Tupper on the

Mr. Monteith, the Conservative candidate in South Perth, says that the Ontario Government deserved credit cellent an institution as the Agricultural College. Down this way, Conservative orators are against the colservative orators are against the college and its management. What the Cor. King and Victoria Sts., Toronto

SELF-CONSOLED.

A BURST THEORY. [Toronto Globe.]

organized and unscrupulous opposition.

[London Telegraph.] Electricity and spiritualism do not make a good combination. An ingenious attempt to utilize them conjointly nearly gained for its contriver the honor of a coroner's inquest all to himself. A medium who made a specialty of luminous apparitions gave a seance the other night at the house of a scientific man, and successfully reproduced from his recess in a darkened room the luminous visions of While Shakespeare was in view the awe-stricken audience were surprised

enough to satisfy wonder-seekers, to choked by an incandescent light.

The Ottawa Journal (Conservative)

Premier Hardy's measure to compel all timber cut on Ontario limits to be manufactured in the Province is not giving satisfaction to the Michiganders, as the following telegram from

Lumber and Salt Company, does not take a hopeful view of the valley's lumbering prospects, unless the effect of the Canadian timber license regulation can be in a measure nullified by a reciprocity agreement. This he does not look for, owing to opposition at Washington. Nothing has been heard of the reported intention of the Dominion Government to knock out the timber law recently passed by the Ontario Government. Mr. Loveland thinks Canadians are in harmony on that measure, and it will stand. Its enforcement, he says, will seriously cripple the lumber business of the Saginaw

Conservative journals now charge Sir Adolphe Chapleau with cowardice because he refused to join the rump

Far Apart.

Sir Charles Tupper's theory that the Liberal party is falling to pieces, and that his own was never so strong, never so united, etc., as today, received a curious illustration in the proceedings at Ottawa last week. On Thursday five new members of parliament were intro-duced, all Liberals. On Friday the dissensions in the Conservative party broke out in an open quarrel on the

RECENT PROGRESS IN CANADA. In the course of his speech in the Dominion Parliament on Thursday night, Sir Richard Cartwright emphatically made the claim that the Government is entitled to the confidence of Parliament and the people, and he gave reasons, first, that the credit of Canada stands at a higher point than it has ever before reached, and, second, that the trade of the country has been expanding by leaps and bounds during the last eighteen months. During the first twelve months of this period the exports had exceeded the imports by \$17,000,000, and during the succeeding six months the exports had exceeded the imports by \$20,000,000. Sir Richard pointed to the roll of victories which have followed the advent of the Liberal party to power as additional proof of the fact that the party merits the confidence of the people. It was with no small degree of pride that the Min-ister mentioned the fact that while eighteen months ago the Government had a majority of 22, now it can count 47 good men and true. He stated with an air of candor that he was not desirous of seeing the Opposition any weaker, because an eminent authority had declared that the best guarantee for good government was an active, well-

STRANGLED BY ELECTRICITY.

various deceased persons. to hear a gasping, gurgling noise proceeding from his throat, while the head swayed to and fro as if in pain. A gentleman rushed forward just in time to save the great poet from suffocating by pulling out of his thorax a miniature electric lamp, connected by cent, dollar for dollar, pound for pound a slender wire to a small battery underneath his coat. On the principal of the schoolboy's salamander trick of illuminating the face by putting a lighted match in the mouth, the medium caused a faint spiritualistic glow, suffuse his countenance by inserting, before his hands were tied to insure confidence, the tiny electric lamp belin says that Mr. Meredith was not a case the article slipped too far down, hing his teeth. Unfortunately in this shrewd politician. That was not the and as the medium's bound hands view that Mr. Macklin expressed of prevented him pulling it up again the unfortunate man might have been

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Beans, per bu

There was a very light session today. Only one load of wheat came in, and the price paid was \$1 43. A few loads of oats sold at 88c. Four or five loads of hay and two loads of straw were about the only other receipts. The roads are reported very bad, and prospects for tomorrow Quotations:

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The Oil Market. PETROLIA, Feb. 11.-Oil opened and closed

English Markets.

RULING PRICES FOR THE PAST FOUR DAYS. The following table snows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest prices are given:

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Corn — Spot firm; demand moderate:
American mixed. new, 2s 4id; do old, 3s 42d;

feb., steady, 3s 3id; Murch, 2s 22d.

Poas—Canadian, 5s 1id.

Beef—Extra India mess. 6. s 6d; prime mess,

Pork -Prime mess, fine western, 50s. Bacon—Cumberland cut, firm. 30s; long clear heavy. 40 to 45 lbs. 29s 6d; shorr clear backs. 16 to 18 lbs. 28s 5d; long clear light. 36 to 25 lbs. 29s; short rlb, firm. 29s 6d; clear bellies, firm, 32s 6d, Hams—Steady, short cut, 35s. Lard-firm; Prime western, 26s 6d.

Butter-firest United States 84s; good 80s. Cheese - American finest white and colored.

Tallow-Fine. American, city, 19s. Turpentine—Spirits, 24s 6d.
Rosm. common—4s 14d.
Fetroleum—Refined, 54d.
Linsced oil—16s 3d.

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P. O. BOX 807 MONTREAL American Markets.

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—The leading futures losed as follows: Wheat—No. 2 Feb., 98c: Closed as follows: Wheat—No. 2 Feb., 98c; May. 96ic; July, 85ic to 85ic. Corn—No. 2 Feb., 98c; May. 29ic to 20ic; July, 30ic: No. 2 Feb., 98c; May. 29ic to 20ic; July, 30ic: No. 2 Feb., 98ic we corn, 28c to 28ic. Cails—No. 2 May. 25ic; July, 28ic to 28ic. Cails—No. 2 May. 20ic 62i; July, 28ic to 23ic. Mess pork—May, 210ic 62i; July, \$10 67i. Lard—May. \$5 fix; July, \$5 17i. Short: ribs—May, \$5 17i; July, \$5 22i. Cash quotations were as follow: Live Stock M arkets

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Beeves-Re-NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Beeves—Receipts, 580 head; no sales; dressed beef steady, at 7c to; 8½c per lb, for poor to prime native sides. Cattle—Receipts, 304 head; 354 head on sale; slow and ½c lower; veals, \$4 50 to \$5 25; city dressed veals lower at 10c to 11½c per lb. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3,546 head; 14 cars on sale; sheep slow and weak; lambs averaged about steady; sheep, \$3 50 to \$4 70; lambs at \$5 50 to \$6 15; dressed mutton, 7c to 8c per lb; dressdressed mutton, 7c to 8c per lb; dressed lambs, 7½c to 9c. Hogs—Receipts, 1,695 head; easier at \$4 10 to \$4 20. EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 10.-Cattle-Receipts, 3 carloads; market

steady and prices about even with those of the opening of the week; best veals are now only bringing \$6 75 to \$7, and it takes good ones to fetch \$6 25 to \$6 50; common to fair, \$4 to \$6. Hogs—Receipts, 20 to 22 cars; market Hogs—Receipts, 20 to 22 cars; market active and higher for all grades, except pigs; good to choice Yorkers, \$4 15 to \$4 17; mixed packers' grades, \$4 17 to \$4 26; medium weights, \$4 20 to \$4 25; heavy hogs, \$4 20 to \$4 25; roughs, \$3 50 to \$3 65; stags, \$2 75 to \$3 15; pigs, \$3 25 to \$3 85. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 16 cars; market slow and dull for lambs, and while values were not for lambs, and while values were not moderately changed, the general tone of the trade was lower; good handy sheep firm; native lambs, choice to extra, \$5 65 to \$5 75; fair to good, \$5 35 to \$5 60; culls to common, \$4 75 to \$5 25; yearlings, common to choice, \$4 75 to \$5 15; native sheep, choice to selected wethers, \$4 75 to \$4 90; good to choice mixed sheep, \$4 40 to \$4 70; common to fair, \$4 to \$4 35; culls to

common sheep, \$3 to \$3 90. MONTREAL, Feb. 10.—There were about 425 head of butchers' cattle, 50 calves and 120 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the east end abottoir today. The weather was charming, and the butchers turned out in full force, nad trade was good. The prices were slightly higher for all cattle, excepting the lean beasts, of which sort there were larger numbers than usual; Mr. Martel bought three choice steers at 1/4c per lb, and a very fine fat cow at 11/4c per lb; pretty good stock sold at from 34c to over 4c; common dry cows at from 24c to 34c, and thin old cows is doing some canvassing for the at from 2c to 21/4c per lb. The calves sold at from \$2 50 to \$6 each, but none of them were good veals. Sheep sold announces that Dr. Towle, of Kintore, is out as an independent candidate.

ed beef steers going for \$4 to \$4 25, and his support. Meetings through dipping grades were selling at \$5 35 to \$5 50; Texas cattle, \$3 25 to \$4 30 for heifers, cows, bulls, stags and oxen, and at \$3.80 to \$4.50 for steers. Hogs ranged at \$3 80 to \$4 50 for coarse heavy packers to prime heavy weights, the bulk of the hogs crossing the scales at \$3 921/2 to \$4; pigs largely \$3 60 to \$3 85, few going below \$3 45. Sheep, \$3 25 to \$4 65 for inferior to choice grades, ewes selling largely around \$420; fed western sheep, \$410 to \$450; yearling sheep, \$450 to \$510, and lambs at \$475 to \$575 for poor to prime lots, few going below \$525. Receipts—Cattle, 10,000; hogs, 25,000; sheep, 14,000.

Dairy Markets. NEW YORK, Feb.10.—Butter steady; western creamery, 141/2c to 20c; do, factory, 11e to 14e; Elgins, 20e; imitation creamery, 13c to 17c; state dairy, 16c to 18c; do, creamery, 14c to 19c. steadier; large white, Sept., 81/2c; small do, 9c to 91/4c; large colored, Sept., 81/2c; small do, 9c to 94c; large, Oct., 8c to 84c; small, 84c to 84c; light skims, 6c to 6½c; part skims, 4c to 5½c; full skims, 2c to 2c. CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Butter-Market

to 17c. Cheese quiet, at 8c to 8½c. The Hide Market. Toronto, Feb. 10.-Hides-The celpts are not large, but dealers here are not anxious to buy many, as they say prices are too high to admit of a fair profit. They are paying 91/2c for No. 1 green, and cured are offering at 9%c. Sheepskins—The receipts are fair, there is a good demand, and the market is steady at \$1 10 to \$1 30. Tallow— There is a demand for prime tallow, and local dealers are offering 31/2c for it, and asking 3%c.

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Championship. Dresden, Feb. 7.—The report of the wonderful case of J. M. McDonald, of Windsor, has reached Dresden and causes universal and interested com-

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day, thanks to Dodd's Kidney Pills. Solomon Jacobs, of Cleveland, who swindled Max Bernstein, of the same place, out of \$14,000 in New York last November through a "gold dust" trick, has been sentenced to eight years in Sing Sing. Jacobs obtained \$14,000 for brass which he represented to be gold. Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

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excellent wood-paved streets 300 years LIFE SAVED .- Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr.

Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a threat trouble. Pellow corn, 28c to 28ic. Units—No. 2 May, 25ic; July, 28ic to 18ic. Mess pork—May, 25ic; July, 28ic to 18ic. Lard—May, 25ic; July, 28ic to 28ic; No. 2 suring wheat, 9ic to 92c; No. 3 white, 8ic to 98c; No. 2 suring wheat, 9ic to 92c; No. 2 suring wheat, 9ic to 93ic; No. 2 suring wheat, 9ic to 93i

Bil: lard. \$5 52; short rib sides, of dry salted shoulders, 450 to 500; sides, \$5 30 to \$6 40; sugar, outgranulated, \$5 51; northwest 282; eggs, weak; fresh, 1240 to 180.

Review of the Outlook Up to Date.

Hon. George W. Ross at Chesley-The Situation in North Oxford.

THE OUTLOOK.

The forces are now arrayed from Essex to Glengarry, and the battle is progressing earnestly, quietly, and, from the Liberal standpoint, most satisfactorily. With one exception all the nominations are made that will be made, and each candidate knows just whom he has to fight. The exception referred to is East Toronto, and the Liberals of that riding, who meet tomerrow evening to nominate, have for some time been actively at work organizing in the interest of the candidate to be se-

From the different constituencies come most encouraging reports. There is a sustained confidence among the Liberals that has grown and grown until at the present time with the splendid set of candidates in the field it is felt that there can be but one result, and that victory will as surely await the appeal of the Hardy government as during the past quarter of a century it crowned the successive campaigns of the Mowat government.

HON. GEORGE W. ROSS AT CHES-

LEY. Chesley, Feb. 9.—There was a packed hall here last night in the interests of Mr. Malcolm, Liberal candidate for this riding. So great was the crush that A Meeting in Mr. Hodgens' Into push his way through the crowd and was compelled to enter the building through the window by means of a ladder. A number of enthusiastic Mr. Shore, M. P. P., Shows the Holledge. followed the example of the minister of education, and courageously mounted the ladder, and were thoroughly rewarded for their efforts by the applause of their friends.

NORTH OXFORD. Woodstock, Feb. 11.-The political situation in North Oxford is increasing in interest. Mr. Louis Kaufman, who has been chosen by a caucus of his friends to oppose Mr. Pattullo as an independent, appears to be in earnest in his decision to enter the field.

43 c to 5c per lb. Fat hogs are rather Dr. Towle is a nephew of Mr. Towle plentiful, nad sell at from 4% c to 5% c who contested the riding some years per lb.

CHI AGO, Feb. 10.—Cattle—Sales

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An Dattulle's viscosity of the right sold years ago, and has always been known as a strong Conservative. In the meantime largely at \$4 45 to \$5 10; common dress- Mr. Pattullo's friends are rallying to are arranged for next week, and nomination day the riding will thoroughly organized. Mr. Pattullo's chances for re-election are of the brightest character, the general impression being that opposition will be entirely futile.

PARRY SOUND NOMINATION. Parry Sound, Feb. 10.-The Liberal convention to select a candidate for the forthcoming election was held here today. Mr. R. Watson, of Burk's Falls, was unanimously nominated. The campaign opens now in earnest, and it promises to be a three-cornered contest, as a section of the Conservative party express their determination to bring out a straight party nominee. Mr. W. R. Beatty remains in the field as an independent.

SPECIMEN MISSTATEMENTS. As a maker of reckless statements and as a repudiator Mr. Whitney excells. His performances in the former capacity when on the stump, and as a repudiator when on the floor of the legislature, when taken to task about some of the statements he made during his fall campaign, are too fresh firm; creamery, 13c to 19c; dairy, 11c in the memory to need recalling. But there is one statement made in a Conservative paper published in his own constituency, which he has not yet denied or repudiated. The opposition leader is reported to have said that the commission appointed to inquire into the cost of the school books was a partisan one and comprised among its members a paper manufac-turer and a publisher. What are the facts? 1 e commission was composed of His Honor Judge Morgan, Mr. Bain, jun., of the Toronto Free Library, and Mr. C. Blackett Robinson, publisher of the Westminster. The first two are Conservatives, and neither of them is a paper manufacturer, and Mr. Robinson not a book publisher. Yet knowing the composition of the commission, Mr. Whitney had the temerity to make the statement that he did. Can such a repudiater and maker of reckless statements be trusted with the destinies of this great Province?-Stratford Bea-

con. "WHY?" THAT IS THE QUES-TION.

The Whitneyites profess to regard the sums voted to aid railways as constituting an enormous debt, variously stated according to the recklessnes of the organ, at 5,000,000 to 10,000,000. What are the fact ? The total aid voted, and to be splead over 40 years, is \$2,769,358. The reader may form his own opinion of the character of the men or newspape's which magnify this into a debt of \$5,000,000 or \$10,000,-000. The government has evolved and put into use a scheme of selling annuities realizing to the purchasers about 3 per cent. It gets 5 per cent on its investments. The purchase money of the annuities pays the railway subsidies as they fall due, and by time the accounts are squared the government's profit on the interest pays off the annuities and leaves the government's capital untouched. The Tory cry, "Why sell annuities if you have a surplus?" is in a very absurd one. Why should a man sell securities bringing him 5 per cent when he can get money at 3 per cent, thus making 2 per cent profit, a rate that is 40 years will amount to the original capital?-Hamilton Times.

A LIBERAL GAIN. Says the Toronto Star: Dr. McKay, M.P.P., was in the city yesterday. Dr. McKay's own riding in South Brant is so strongly Liberal that he has a good opportunity to stump for the Liberal interests. He has just returned from East Middlesex, where he went on behalf of Dr. McWilliam. He says that the Liberals are quite sure to redeem the riding, which is now held by a Patron."

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terests at Lambeth.

Lambeth, Feb. 11.-Last night a meeting in the interests of Mr. T. D. Hodgens, of London city, Conservative nominee for East Middlesex, was held here. There was not a large audience, but the weather was not pro-

Mr. Hodgens had a good hearing. He made an address on the lines of the speech given by him in West London. He considered that the government of Ontario were strongly fortified in power. There was not a cross-road where someone was not continually promoting the interests of the government. They were altogether too kind to their friends. In conclusion, Mr. Hodgens referred to his failure in business, but claimed that he was an honorable man. He referred to the Liberal speakers at West London as "city make some remarks that would not hold water."

by saying there was a pig at Toronto that cost \$1,200 to keep. If anyone present wished to speak on that subject or against Mr. Hodgens he could get half an hour now.

on the programme. Mr. Shore, member for the riding in last legislature, appeared and explained that he and his fellow-Patrons in the legislature had found the opposition to be wrong on the piggery issue, and they therefore had voted against Mr. St. John and his associates, who attacked the govern-ment. Mr. Shore explained that the Ontario government was in no sense to blame for the outbreak of hog cholera in the Humber piggery, nor for the methods pursued in stamping it out. If anyone was to blame it was the Dominion inspector, who was one of the strongest Conservatives in the Dominion. He had ordered the pigs to be killed, and had disposed of them in precisely the same manner as he had followed in the hog cholera outbreaks on farms in Essex and Southwold. He did not defend the government for establishing that piggery, because it would always cost more for a government to set up a piggery than for a farmer. As to his record as a Patron, he claimed that he and his associates had exercised their influence on the side of economy, and had aided in saving the province \$250,000 in four years. He had stood on the Patron platform. Mr. Henry Macklin, one of the P. P. A. leaders in London, made an attack on Hon. George W. Ross for his management of the schools, attacked Hon. Mr. Dryden for the management of the Agricultural College, said there was no surplus, and further said that Sir Wm. Meredith, whom he lauded to the skies in 1894, was not a shrewd politician. Mr. Whitney had refused to caught in the same way as Mr. Meredith was and the former leader had aided in improving the laws, but Mr. Whitney had refused to say how he would remedy wrongs—until he got into office!

with a denunciation of Mr. Shore for ever voting in support of the government, and he wound up with his accustomed statement that the government is tyrannical, and must be put

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been called for the purpose of discussing general business.

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have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure - one time most efficacious."

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Mr. H. B. Elliot, London, followed down in order that his friends may get

ter, Grace Ella, was cured of Eczema of several years' standing by four

boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment. ANDREW AITON, Hartland, N. B. W. E. THISTLE, druggist, witness. Brewers from all over Canada were in Toronto on Tuesday. The representatives refused to speak as to what was done. The only information that could be obtained was that the meeting had

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LEGAL DECISIONS

In Cases Affecting Huron, Essex and Lambton. The following cases came up at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, on Thursday: Re Beattie vs. Holmes—Judgment on

appeal by defendant from the order of Meredith, C. J., in chambers, dismissing a motion for prohibition to the third division court, in the county of Huron. The plaint in the division court was by the assignee for creditors of one Hanna to recover \$13 39 from the defendant, a creditor of Hanna, to whom it was paid by one Wilson, to whom Hanna had transferred a lot of butter for the benefit of defendant and others of his creditors. Wilson sold the butter and distributed the proceeds among the creditors. The butter was sold in September for \$1,800, and the proceeds distributed prior to the assignment to the plaintiff for the general benefit of creditors made under the assignments act, on Oct. 2. The transfer of the butter to Wilson was within 60 days of the assignment. Held, that the plaintiff, as assignee, had creditors elected to avoid the transfer as to each of the creditors who had received a part of the proceeds. The transfer was divisible into as many parts as there were creditors. There was no dealing with Wilson except as a conduit through whom the butter might be turned into money and paid over to the beneficiaries. Each creditor might have the means of defending the payment made to him by showing such a state of facts as would rebut the presumption of fraud or preference. There is no common ground of defense by which the transfer as a whole was to be supported, and, therefore, there was no inquiry before the division court as to any matter not within its competence, for the amount paid to each was within \$100. It was not necessary to consider what might be the re-

sult if the transfer as a whole had to be set aside. Appeal dismissed with costs. D. L. McCarthy for defendant; Aylesworth, Q.C., for plaintiff. Gignac vs. Iler-Judgment on appeal by plaintiff from judgment of Meredith, J., at the trial at Sandwich, dismissing the action, which was against the sheriff of the county of Essex and his bondsmen, for damages for wrongful seizure and conversion of a crop of corn and cornstalks alleged to be the property of plaintiff, but selzed and sold by the sheriff under an execution against one Antilla, who had conveyed to plaintiff the land on which the crop grew. The trial judge held that the crop was not the plaintiff's, because the conveyance to him was an unjust preference, and, therefore, void. Held, that, as there was evidence of a request on the part of plaintiff for the conveyance, to secure him against the liability he was under for Antilla, which amounted to pressure, and the first proceeding taken to impeach the transfer was the actual seizure by the sheriff more than 60 days afterwards, the transfer could not be impeached as a preference. But the transaction was void under the statute of Elizabeth. The statement of the consideration was untrue, because there was, confessedly, no exchange of properties. The onus was upon the plaintiff to prove beyond reasonable doubt that there was some other good consideration. The plaintiff contented himself with giving his own unsup-ported evidence of the existence of a consideration which contradicted the statement in the deed. Under these circumstances, the evidence of the existence of the consideration was insufficient, and the conveyance must be treated as voluntary. Appeal dismissed

Farquharson vs. Imperial Oil Com-Cuban insurgents have dynamited a the creek. The plaintiff put his case upon the ground that the defendants, although not riparian proprietors nor in any wise entitled property or interest in the creek apart to any right, from the other members of the public, wrongfully erected the dams. Held, that the defendants, having construct-Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. Al. ed their dams under the leave, license druggists refund the money if it fails to curel and authority of the owners of the land on each side of the creek, who were FAGGED OUT.—None but those who of the action failed. Held, also, that the words "and other obstruction." used in sec. 1 of R. S. O., 1887, chap. 120, comprehend only other obstructions of a like nature with felling of trees (see sec. 5 of the act, and the original sec. 5, of 12 Vic., chap. 87). Appeal dismiss-

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A Woman in That Business Knows How to Take Care of Herself in

Court. The woman was on the stand, and she was a very nice-mannered, respectable woman, who kept a cheap boarding-house, and it was the desire of one of her guests to be dishonest that had

hrought her to the court to make him pay his board. "How old did you say you were, madam?" inquired the lawyer, with no reason on earth, for an elderly landlady is no more anxious to lose a board bil' than a young one. "I did not say, sir," she responded, flushing to the roots of her hair.

"Will you be kind enough to say, madam? "It's none of your business." "Objection sustained," smiled the "Um," said the lawyer, rubbing his chin, "how much did you say was the amount defendant owed you?"

"Twenty-five dollars." "And for how long was that?" "Five weeks." "That's five dollars a week, isn't it," "Yes, sir." "Five weeks at five dollars a week is twenty-five dollars, I believe you said;

The witness was patient, but her temper was not improved under the "Isn't that an extravagant price to pay for board in that locality, madam?" inquired the attorney, severely. "He didn't pay it, sir," answered the worm, beginning to turn.

The lawyer gave a little start of surprise, then became indignant at the very thought of a witness talking like "Don't be facetious on the witness stand, madam," he said, assuming a tone of warning. "This is a serious matter, madam. I have asked if your prices were not exhorbitant, and you have seen fit to answer lightly, madam. Now, madam, I ask you in all earnestness if you mean to tell this court that your prices are moderate, and that if I should come to your house to board you would charge me \$5 a week? Answer directly, madam," and the attor-ney sat back in his chair and assumed

an imperial manner. The witness was not at all abashed. "No, sir," she said, simply. I would "I thought not, I thought not," interrupted the attorney, rubbing his hands. "No, sir," continued the witness, "I would not charge you at all. I would make you pay in advance.' Then the court forgot its dignity, and

everybody laughed except the attor-THE BURIED CITY-POMPEH. About half the town is at present uncovered, and they are still busily engaged in excavation. The superincumbent mass, consisting wholly of volcanic materials, is some twenty feet thick. It is said that the first shower of lava from Vesuvius covered the town to a depth of only about a yard, so that the majority of the inhabitants escaped; still ultimately many lives were lost—the number is estimated at about 2,000. Skeletons are not infrequently found in the volcanic dust, which has solidified so as to form an exact mould of the original figure. Of late the workers have succeeded in running plaster into these, and thus obtaining casts representing the body perfectly. Their accuracy is painful; death seldom seems to have been easy, treated as voluntary. Appeal dismissed with costs. F. D. Davis (Windsor) for and the fingers often partly clenched and the fingers often partly clenched and the fingers of the partly clenched and the p as in agony. A girl, probably about 17 years old, gracefully shaped, and evidently of no servile class, lies on her pany—Judgment on appeal by plaintiff face with her eyes pressed against her fore-arm, as if she had fallen down in despoin and tried to short our form was brought to recover damages for the obstruction of Bear Creek, in the town of Petrolia, by certain dams alleged to have been erected by defendants upon lent convulsions. After a sight of these and a walk through the streets of this dead town, one can realize Bulwer Lytton's description of

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COMMERCIAL

Toronto Produce Market, Toronto, Feb. 11 .- Wheat is in beter demand, and firmer at 86c, bid, for red winter west, and 1c more asked by most holders. Manitoba wheat is steady at \$1 06 for No. 1 hard, North Bay, and \$1 03, Midland. Flour is in rels, Toronto freights. Manitoba flour shorts and \$10 50 for bran west. Barley steady at 38c for No. 2, 33c to 34c for No. 3 extra and 30c for feed outside. Buckwheat-Market steady at 33c west. Rye firm at 47½c to 48c west. Corn steady at 29½c for Canada yellow west. Dats art firmer at 271/2c to 28c for mixed and 281/2c for white, north and west. Peas are in good demand and firmer at 54c to 55c west. Baled hay steady at 8 to \$8 50 for cars on the track here. Baled straw quiet at \$4 50 to \$5 for cars here. Eggs-The receipts of new laid are more liberal and the market is easier for all kinds at 17c for new laid, 13c to 141/2c for limed, and 14c to 15c for late gathered. Butter is steady at 13c to 15c for large rolls, according to

quality. Dairy tubs are scarce and arm at 16c for choice, and 11c to 13c for low grade and medium. American Markets.

New York, Feb. 11-Noon.-Flour-Receipts, 19,770 bbls; sales, 3,200 pkgs; state and western quiet but firmly held. Rye flour-Firm. Wheat-Receipts, 10,300 bu; sales, 1,400,000 bu; options opened strong on higher Liverpool cables and foreign buying, but eased off slightly under realizing; March, \$1 02 11-16; May, 98½c to 98½c; July, 90 7-16c to 90¾c. Rye—Steady; No. 2 western, 56c, f. o. b., afloat New York. Corn—Receipts, 88,725 bu; sales, 25,000 bu; options firmer on wet weather west and the rise in wheat; May, 34 11-16c to 34% c. Oats—Receipts, 183,-500 bu; options quiet but steady. Butter-Receipts, 3,315 pkgs; firm; un-changed. Cheese-Receipts, 1,534 pkgs; quiet and unchanged. Eggs-Receipts, 5,114 pkgs; easy; state and Pennsylvania, 15c; western, 14c. Sugar-Raw strong; refined, market firm; powdered, 51/2c. Hops-Quiet. Lead-Strong; bullion price, \$3 50; exchange price, \$3 70 to \$3 75.

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—Opening—Wheat, July, 16; May, 97;c: Dec., 78;c: Sept., 18;c. Corn, July, 31c: May, 29;c. Oats, May, 20;c; July, 18;c. Pork, May, \$10 62; Lard, May, \$5 10; July, \$5 17; Ribs, May, \$5 174; July, \$5 22; BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 11.—Spring wheat—
No. 1 hard, \$1 97; No. 1 northern, \$1 66.
Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 934c; No. 1 white,
183c. Corn, No. 2 yellow, 33c; No. 3 yellow,
124c; No. 2 corn, 324c; No. 3 corn, 324c

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194c; No. 2 mixed, 234c asked.

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TOLEDO, Feb. 11.-Wheat, cash, 954c; May, Gac: July. S5gc. Corn—Cash, 29gc: May, 30gc.
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English Markets

Liverpool, Feb. 10—Closing.
Wheat — Spot, firm: No. 2 red western
winter, 7 × 10 d; spot No. 1 red northern spring, strong, 8s 14d.
Corn—Spot quiet and unchanged; American
mixed, new. quiet, 3s 5d; do old, quiet, 3s 41d;
tutures eteady; Feb., 3s 4d; March, 3s 23d.
Flour, St. Louis lancy winter firm, 9s 9d. Beef - Firm, extra India mess, 663 3d; prime mess, firm. f68 6d.

Pork - Firm; Prime mess, fine western 178 6d; do. medium. western. 478 6d.

Rams-Short cut 14 to 16 lbs. steady, 258 6d.

Rams-Cumberland cut, firm, 25 to 30 lbs.

31s 6d; short ribs. 20 to 24 lbs. firm, 30s 6d; iong clear middles, light, 35 to 32 lbs. firm, 28s 6d; long clear middles, heavy 40 to 45 lbs. firm, 27s 6d; short clear middles, heavy, 45 to 60 lbs. no stocks: clear bellies, 12 to 14 lbs. firm, 33 6ds; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs., 27s, firm, 26s 6d.

Shoulders—Square 12 to 11 lbs, firm, 26s 6d.

Lard—Prime western. easy, 25s 9d.

Butter—Finest American, 22s; good, 60s.

Rosin—Common, steady, 4s 14d.

Cheese—American finest white, steady, 41s; colored, steady, 41s.
Tallow-Prime city, firm, 19s.

Live Stock Market. CHICAGO, Feb.11.-Hogs-Estimated receipts today, 26,000; official left over, 2.861; rather slow; barely steady; light, \$3 80 to \$3 97½; mixed, \$3 85 to \$4 02½; heavy, \$3 80 to \$4 05; rough, \$3 80 to \$3 85. Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; steady; beeves, \$3 90 to \$5 30; cows and heifers, \$2 10 to \$4 45; Texas steers, \$3 50 to \$4 40; stockers and feeders, \$3 50 to \$4 50. Sheep-Receipts, 6,000;



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Oddfellows

A Great Gathering of Western Ontario Brethren-Royally Entertained-Speeches by Grand Lodge Officers.

Ingersoll, Feb. 11.-The reception given here last evening by the officers and members of Samaritan Lodge, No. 35, I. O. O. F., to the grand master, erce. 20 at 138; Mont. Cotton, 25 at 151; guests were present, coming from Lon-Cobourg, Tilsonburg, Port Huron, Embro, Woodstock, Thamesford, Dorchester, and many other places in Western Ontario. In the town hall, where the banquet was held, the decorations of bunting, palms and flowers were gorgeous. Choice music was furnished throughout the evening by the I. O. O. F. brass band of this town, and an excellent repast was supplied by Caterer Charles Kennedy, proprietor of the Atlantic House. fair demand only and about steady at The early part of the evening was \$4 25 for cars of straight roller in bar- spent by the brethren in lodge work. Samaritan Lodge was opened at 7:30, is firmer. Millfeed is steady at \$12 for and the general business disposed of. Then the grand master and grand lodge visitors were received with grand hon-ors. A part of the programme, which excited the warmest admiration for the excellent work of Crampton Lodge followed. It was the exemplification of initiation- secret and dramatic workby Star Lodge, No. 304, Crampton. The work was surprisingly good. The conferring of the third degree was then exemplified by Samaritan Lodge in a most efficient manner. At 10 o'clock the lodge closed and the

assembly adjourned for supper. When justice was done to the excellent spread the toast list was introduced by the chairman of the banquet, Bro. Joseph Gibson.

After "The Queen," and "The Army and Navy" were duly honored, Dr. McKay, M.P.P., replied in a lively vein of humor to the toast to "The Dominion Parliament and Ontario Legislature." "The Grand 'Master" was very ably responded to by Bro. J. A. Young. "The Grand Lodge of Ontario and the Sovereign Grand Lodge" brought some witty and able speeches from J. King, Toronto, grand secretary; R. H. Parrie, of Fergus, grand conductor; don, grand lodge solicitor, whose address

was very important. Rev. Bro. E. R. Hutt, the vice-chair- largest majority he ever had. man, then took charge of the toast list, and made some pointed remarks. "Our PRAISE FOR THE HOSPITAL. Guests" elicited a speech brimfull of humor from D. W. Blackwell, P. D. D. G. M., and able speeches from Byron McCarthy, Thamesford; H. S. Shaw, of Dorchester, and others. "The Ladies" were gallantly championed by Mr. Cunningham, of Thamesford.

During the evening catchy songs were rendered by Messrs. Oliver and Kirkpatrick, of Ingersoll, and others.

SQUIRE LACEY'S REPLY.

His Retort to Mr. Edmund Meredith's London West Speech. To the Editor of The Advertiser:

In last evening's issue of The Advertiser I noticed a report of the Conservative meeting held in Collins' Hall DETROIT, Feb. 11.—Wheat. No. 1 white, sash, 95ic; No. 2 red, cash, 95ic; May, 95ic; May, 95ic; May, 95ic; Meredith is reported to have used the following: "The chair of the sast of the s the night before, wherein Mr. Edmund following: "The chairman last night wanted to know where his \$1 60 was, and asked Ward what the costs were.

The squire also said to Dr. McWilliam, 'I will fine you \$1 and costs.'" Now, Twill fine you \$1 and costs." Now, have been thoughtfully studied. On sir, the majority of the itinerant shows of the present day keep a clown to do the present day keep a clown to do continued his series of very interestsir, the majority of the itinerant shows the funny work so necessary to the success of the business. This clown, being painted and got up for the occasion, is introduced to the patrons of the show, before whom he does his best in the display of both physical and mental abilities. The average clown of the past has had the credit of truthfulness in his witticisms, but necessity knows no law. Something had to be done at that meeting, for the truths uttered from the Liberal platform the night before were calculated to sink their ship, and true to the instincts and tactics of the local brood, they at once had recourse to

Steamship Arrivals. At

Toronto. Feb. 11—10 a.m.—Probabiliunder the circumstances to sparkle, and ties for the lower lakes region for the next 24 hours: Generally unsettled and mild, with showers, more especially during the evening and night.

-Sheriff Cameron this morning received the blank ballots for use in the coming election. The names will be printed on the ballot papers after nomination day, Feb. 22.

-The first of a series of Viavi health talks by Mrs. Stein was held in Somerset Hall yesterday afternoon and was largely attended. Mrs. Stein handled the subject very intelligently, judging from the interest manifested.

-Mr. Robert Scott, freight agent in this city, cut his foot a few days ago, and was compelled to take to his bed yesterday, having shown symptoms of blood poisoning. Mr. A. D. Huff. traveling freight agent, is acting in his

-Mr. T. G. Whiskard entertained his employes at his handsome residence on Wellington street last evening. Supper was served at 6:15 p.m., and a very pleasant evening was spent. Mr. Whiskard was tendered a hearty vote of thanks by Messrs. John Grierson and A. E. Matheson.

-Mr. James F. Campbell, of Wyoming, who died suddenly the other day, is survived by a wife and four children -Mrs. S. Wilson, of London; Rev. Dr. Campbell, Lodi, Wisconsin; Mrs. Jas. Anderson, Forest, and J. R. Campbell, Chicago, all of whom, together with Mr. Henry Ross, of London, were pres-

ent at the funeral. -Mr. M. C. Dixon, district passenger agent of the G. T. R., was in the city this morning. He reports business exceptionally good over the system, and that all the ticket agencies are deluged with inquiries regarding the Klondike, to which the rush promises to be very heavy. Preparations are being made to meet the demand. Every possible comfort will be afforded the passen-

-A Buffalo telegram says: Mrs. Edward Sherman, of 253 Wellington ner of York and Clarence streets, street, London Ont., has written a where he secured a room yesterday. letter to Superintendent Bull, asking He went to bed about 11 o'clock last whom she has not seen in forty years. Her father's name was Douglass. After his death three children were placed in an orphan asylum. Mrs. Sherman was adopted when she was 3 years old, and was taken to Canada, where she has since lived.

-The following resolution explains itself: "Resolved, that the quarterly official beard of the Askin Street Methodist Church assembled do hereby unanimously place ourselves on record, in view of the stand taken our pastor, Rev. R. Hobbs, in all his work and labor of love among us, as being fully in accord with him, and pray that the blessing of God may follow his work in the future as in the past, and that a copy of the resolution be sent to each of our city pa-

pers.' -Many will regret to hear of the death of an estimable citizen, Mr. John Maybank, of 12 Victor street, South London. He had been fil for over three years, the cause being consumption. Mr. Maybank was once in the hack business, and later employed at Sterling Bros. He was a respected mem-ber of Dominion Lodge, No. 48, I.O.O.F., and Fidelity Lodge, A. O. U. W., He will be buried tomorrow afternoon under the auspices of the Oddfellows. Mr. Maybank was also a member of Knox Church. He is survived by a wife and

seven children. THE SUPPLEMENTARY SITTINGS. The supplementary sittings of the court of registrars for the provincial election are being held today. The sittings are for the benefit of those who are ill or were unable to register before. About 100 names were added before 1 p.m. In No. 3 and No. 6 ward both parties "sawed off" by allowing each other's applications to be granted without protest.

The supplementary sittings will be continued tomorrow morning and afternoon. LIBERAL RALLY IN WEST MID-DLESEX.

A Liberal rally was held last night A Liberal raily was held last night at Sutherland's school house. West Middlesex, in the interests of Hon. George W. Ross. The place was crowded with enthusiastic Liberals. Able addresses were given by Mr. E. R. Cameron, of London; Mr. Henry Hardy county counties and Mr. John George Geddes, of Tilsonburg, grand marshal, and R. K. Cowan, of Lon-Hardy, county councilor, and Mr. John Crozier, of Mount Brydges. Campaigners say that Mr. Ross will have the

> Mr. Joseph Carver, of Kincardine, in renewing his subscription for The Advertiser, speaks of the London general hospital, where he was a recent patient. He says: "I was six weeks in the Toronto general hospital ten years ago, and I might state I prefer the London hospital to it. The medical superintendent and the attending physicians are great doctors and fine gentlemen. And a perfect little lady is Miss Tye. I like your city very much. It is 20 years since I was in it before, and I can see great changes in it now. When your new hospital is completed you ought to capture the hospital patronage of Western Ontario." Mr. Carver says he likes The Advertiser well.

THE "Y.'S." The regular semi-monthly meeting of the "Y.'s" was held in their rooms on Thursday. The reports read showed that a good work was still being carried on. The total attendance at the rooms for the month was 1,498, of which number 507 were present at the lunch hour and 306 attended in the evening. The Bible class met as usual on Tuesday evenings, when the first six chapters of the Gospel of Matthew ing and instructive talks on the "Circulation of the Blood" and the "Di-gestive Organs." The monthly reception for members and friends was held. Miss Doty kindly furnished the programme, being ably assisted by her pupils. The association would cordialbeing ably assisted by her ly welcome any young women of the city as members with them, the small fee of \$1 a year admitting to all the privileges of the rooms

A POOR SHOW. "The Isle of Champagne" is booked for London next week. When last presented here by Seabrooke it was firstthe music contains scarcely any airs that might be called catchy. Miss Katherine Germaine was ill last evening and did not appear. This was a disappointment. Her absence weakened a cast not otherwise strong."

ADDITIONS TO PUBLIC LIBRARY THIS WEEK. J. Bryce, "Impressions of South Africa"; Twain, "Following the Equa-tor"; Chapman, "Bird Life" (colored plates); Elliott, "North American Shore Birds"; Mahan, "The Interest of America in Sea Power, Present and Future"; Hutchinson, "Marriage Customs in Many Lands"; Fleming, "The Laws of Business"; Clinton. "Celebrated of Business"; Clinton, "Celebrated Trials"; Means, "Industrial Freedom" Peters, "Nippur: Or Explorations and Adventures on the Euphrates," two volumes; Sichel, "The Household of the Lafayettes"; Pope's "Confederation Documents"; Peloubet, "Select Notes on the International Lessons, 1898;" Toronto City Directory, 1898; H. Drummond, "The Ideal Life"; Sir H. Roscoe, "John Dalton"; T. C. Bonney, "Charles Lyell"; Clerke, "The Herschels"; Glazebrook, "James Clerk Maxwell"; Shenstone, "Justus Von Liebig" Markham, "Major James Rennell"; Thorpe, "Humphay, Dayy"; Poulton "Charles (Charles) "Humphrey Davy"; Poulton, "Charles Darwin"; Marchmont, "By Right of Sword"; Montressor, "At the Cross-Roads"; Trask, "John Leighton"; Hunt, "Unkist, Unkind"; Wishaw, "A Tsar's Gratitude"; King, "The General's Double"; Wilkins, "Mary E. Jane Field"; Wilkins, "A Humble Ro-mance," etc.; Wilkins, "Madelon"; Wil-

field, "Tim and Mrs. Tim."

"The New England Nun"; Wil-

kins, "Jerome, a Poor Man"; Lance-

unanimously decided to do. Sudden Death of a Guest at the Dominion House.

Mr. J. W. Clyne, of Washingham Center, Retired in Good Health, But Died Before Morning.

Mr. J. A. Clyne, of Walsingham Center, was found dead in his bed this morning at the Dominion House, cornight, saying that he wished to catch a train this morning. As he did not get up in time one of the hotel employes went to his room and found him cold in death. Coroner Flock was summoned and investigated the affair. He found that the deceased had vomited a little during the night, but had gone to bed perfectly sober, and there death had resulted from natural

causes. Deceased was about 38 years of age and the proprietor of a saw mill at Walsingham Center. He paid frequent business trips to London, and had been here about two weeks ago, when he was apparently in the best of health. Prior to taking charge of the saw mill at Walsingham Center he ran mill at Clear Creek, also in Norfolk county. He leaves a widow and some children.

Mary and John.

Toronto Woman Tramp With a Police Record.

Stole an \$18 Overcoat and Pawned It for 75 Cents-The Pair Go Down-A Robe Thief Gets a Month.

Mary Myers, alias Mary McMullen and several other names, is 50 years, John Myers, travels from one place to a train as well as any tramp alive. Mary's name originally was McMullen, and for many years she sailed out of Toronto harbor as a cook on board different vessels. Yesterday Mary and Meyers called for drinks at the Grand Pacific Hotel, and then took a seat in the sitting-room. While the boarders were at dinner Mary picked up Mr Henry's overcoat, and, accompanied by John, proceeded to Fox's pawn shop, where they pawned the coat for 75 cents. The garment was valued at \$13. John put the whole responsibility on Mary's shoulders for disposing of the coat, but did not hesitate to take the 75 cents from Mr. Fox. Both Mr. and Mrs. Meyers were sent down for two months. Mary was here about one year ago with another husband, whose face was covered with whiskers of a golden hue and who called himself McCallum.

James Vrooman, a tin peddler, was charged by Thos. Mashinter with stealing a robe from his cutter on the market Saturday, Jan. 29, between 7 and 8 o'clock. Vrooman took the robe and drove to George Shoebottom's store in South London, where he sold it to Ray Robinson for \$2, saying that he bought the article from an Indian for two tin pails, a teapot and a dollar bill. Vrooman was found guilty and sentenced to one month in jail. Vrooman was arrested on Dec. 21 last, and on this occasion 50 cents in coppers was found in his pockets. down for two months as a drunk.

Thos. Murray, an old offender, went Mike Malone and Edward Wilson, charged with stealing hats, were remanded until Monday.

CITY HALL NOTES. }

is vile. It is a pity that when the day tempts one outside, but the sidewalk drives one in. It robs mild and pleasant weather in winter of all its charms. There is a good deal in what the city has admited it by ordering a new snowplow to be tried. If it succeeds in clearing the walks bare, other plows of the same kind should be purchased. their old and well-tried weapons of lies and abuse. When Mr. Edmund Meredith used the words reported he lied.

R. F. LACEY.

Sented nere by scale of company, however, is much inferior, according to today's Toronto Globe, which says: "A poor audience greeted The Isle of Chambard Cha evening, but the company that sang work. At present there is no induce-the opera is of an indifferent order, ment for a man to shovel off his walk Feb. 10. At From Gallia Liverpot Gallia Liverpot Gallia Liverpot Gallia Liverpot Gallia Liverpot Gallia London. New York Feb. 11. At From Gallia New York Feb. 11. At From Enthance New York Feb. 11. At From Enthance New York Feb. 11. At From Gallia New York Feb. 11. At From Gallia New York Feb. 11. At From Enthance New York Feb. 11. At From Enthance New York Feb. 12. At From Gallia New York Feb. 13. At From Gallia New York In the jyrics, no less than in the score. Unfortunately. The Isle of Champagne' in largely devoid of points or anything on everybody. The streets passable for early pedestrians. It is not reasonable to require householders to get up and shovel their walks before daylight; but during a thaw, like the present one, it would be no hardship for them to have when his neighbors do not. The present and the troupe were to some extent quits. What was needed, and its absence was at times painfully conspicuous, was some high-class they do good service after a heavy fall by making the streets passable for early pedestrians. It is not reasonable to require householders to get up and shovel their walks before daylight; but during a thaw, like the present one, it would be no hardship for them to have the form the follow of the preparations fall to do any good whatever. so that the house and the troupe were when his neighbors do not. The pre-

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to do it. The snow is loose and eas-

** ** ** Mrs. Boomer, Mrs. Tilley, and Mrs. Gahan waited upon the Children's Aid Society yesterday, and urged that the society affiliate with the National Council of Women. This the society

ily removed.

** ** ** Those who are objecting to a gum label being placed in city bread should remember that the label would not be the size of a porous plaster, but would be perhaps less than half an inch square. Neither would it be stuck on like a postage stamp, by licking it

with the tongue. ** ** ** The number of votes in the ensuing provincial election cannot be definitely ascertained yet, but will be nearly 10,-There were 10,384 voters on the last municipal list, but several hundred were ladies, and many were on the list two, three, four, and even five and six times, according to their property interests in the various wards.

** ** ** Ald. Taylor confirms the report that he will ride a wheel in the spring. Ald. Carrothers has yet to be heard from. ** ** **

All. Stevely, Ald. Graham, Ald. Belton, and Ald. McPhilips are the youngest quartet the council has had

Canada Prospers.

Big Increase in the Revenue of the Dominion,

And a Large Decrease in the Public Expenditures.

[Special from Our Own Correspondent.] SPAIN IN A HURRY FOR SHIPS. Ottawa, Feb. 11.—The statement of the revenue and expenditure of the Dominion, which will appear in tomorrow's official gazette, shows that morrow's official gazette, shows that push Spanish work. The company yes-for the seven months ending Jan. 31 terday, it is added, dispatched to Spain last the revenue was \$21,446,123, compared with \$20,499,210 for the seven months ending Jan. 31, 1897, an increase for the current year of \$946,913. The expenditure for the past seven months was \$19,694,648, as against \$20,-562,226 for 1897, a decrease of \$867,578, but might easily pass for a woman of showing a betterment in the finances 30. She is a sailor in the summer, but of the country of \$1,754,491 over the when the winter breezes blow, she, in same period in 1897. For the past company with her alleged husband, month there was an increase in revenue of \$465,787 and a decrease in exanother, and is said to be able to jump penditure of \$245,343, showing a betterment for the month of \$711,130.

Anarchy in Guatemala

Follows the Killing of President Barrios.

Another Leader Assassinated-Rival Factions Fighting.

San Francisco, Feb. 11.-A special

is dead, and his forces are seeking safety in flight. It was last night that Gen. Marroquin attempted to seize the reins of government in behalf of Morales. He made an attack in force on the palace barracks. The assault was vigorously resisted, and in fighting Gen. Marroquin and a few others were killed. Seeing that their efforts would not prove successful, the attacking force,

consisting of 2,000 men, headed by Gen.

Majerea and Col. Arrevalo, fled from the city. Today Gen. Toledo, who has been appointed minister of war by Manuel Cabrera, the president pro tem. of the The walking on the residential streets republic, ordered the artillery in pursuit of the fleeing revolutionists. populace and soldiers demand that is so charming overhead it is so wret- Gen. Mendizabel be proclaimed presiched under foot. The balmy spring air dent. The situation is becoming complicated, and the crisis is acute.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT

engineer says, and the board of works | To a South London Boy-His Leg May

Be Permanently Affected. Freddie Bates, Wharncliffe road, South London, met with a serious accident just after dinner today, resulting in the fracture of the thigh bone of the right leg. A section of a heavy picket fence, which he was trying to raise enforce the engineer's suggestion, and make the individual ratepayers do the from his grasp and fell across his less from his grasp and fell across his leg completely breaking it. It was treated and reduced under chloroform. The

******************* Welcome Rain in Thirsty India.

TRY OUR

But the Plague Is Spreading in

the Punjab. A German Prince Wounded in a Duel -Anarchists Dealt With at

the Old Bailey. A PRINCE IN A DUEL

London, Feb. 11.-A special dispatch from Berlin says that a duel has taken place between Prince Frederic Hehenlohe-Waldenburg and Lieut. Scheitz, both officers of the hussars. Both men were wounded

WELCOME RAIN IN INDIA. Calcutta, Feb. 11.—Excellent rains in northern and central India have insured successful spring crops.

The plague is spreading alarmingly in the Punjab.

DE LOME'S LETTER. Madrid, Feb. 11.-According to a dispatch received here from Havana, the letter of Senor de Lome to Senor Canalejas, was abstracted by the person charged to forward it to the latter, and, it is added, this person received \$1,000 for it. The queen regent is much concerned about the incident.

NOVELIST ZOLA'S TRIAL. Paris, Feb. 11.—There were the usual crowds about the assize court of the Seine today when the fifth day of the trial of MM. Zola and Perrieu commenced. M. Zola and Col. Jicquart were greeted with hostile cries on their arrival. The court was thronged. There as still 60 witnesses to be examined, and the case will continue most of next week.

London, Feb. 11.-A dispatch to the Standard from Glasgow says the Spanish government has requested the Clyde Bank Shipbuilding Company to a high-speed torpedo catcher, fully manned by Spaniards. In addition, two torpedo-boat destroyers are being completed for Spain, and the crews for them have arrived at Glasgow.

ANARCHIST AT THE OLD BAILEY. London, Feb. 11.-At the Old Bailey today the trial of Vladimir Bourtzeff. editor of the Noradnye Voletz (Will of the People), and Weirzhech, the printer of that paper, was commenced and ended. Bourtzeff was sentenced to eighteen months, and Weirzhech to two months' imprisonment. They were charged with issuing a publication inciting the assassination of the czar, and pleaded not guilty. The attorney-general, Sir Richard Webster, Q.C., who prosecuted, said that the prisoners had directly incited the murder of the czar by diabolical means, similar to Nihilist outrage at the Winter Palace

PUTNAM.

Putnam, Feb. 11.—A meeting of the patrons of the Burnside Cheese Company was held on Wednesday, Feb. 9, with Wm. Uglow in the chair. Samued Barr was appointed secretary pro tem. The following is the output of tem. The following is the output of the company: Total pounds of milk, 2,599,940; cheese, 238,603 pounds; receipts, \$20,003 66; paid patrons, \$17,-565 75; paid for manufacturing, \$1,-789 53; company dividend, \$596 60; increased \$22,60; increased \$17,65; cyclisurance, \$22 60; inspector, \$17 68; auditor, \$15; average price for season, 8.39 from San Jose de Guatemala says civil strife and bloodshed have followed the killing of Barrios. Before the body of the left of the body of the left o cents; average milk per pound of the late ruler had found sepulchre the factions were flying at each other's was appointed salesman. Messrs. He had been salesman advance of salary; John Adams was appointed salesman. Messrs. He had been salesman advance of salary; John Adams was appointed salesman. George, A. McNiven, Jos. Rath, Rich-As a result, Gen. Marroquin, the chief supporter of Prospero Morales, one of the aspirants to the presidency, is doed and him to be companied by the company met with the appropriation of company met with the approbation of the patrons seemingly. Wm. Court is the owner, and with the aid of James Boyce as an associate cheesemaker, a fruitful season is anticipated. Messrs. Robert Sutherland and John

Gilmour have purchased the farm of Wm. Uglow, consisting of 75 acres. FROZEN TO DEATH.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 11.-The Topeka has arrived from the north with Dawson advices up to Jan. 12. Five men are reported to have been frozen to death near Skaguay and three near Dyea. George Armbly, a Swede, who worked

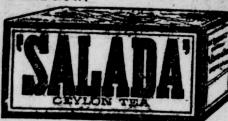
on the Petrolia waterworks system last spring, was run down by an M. C. R. train Thursday night between Oil City and Petrolia Junction and instantly killed. Rodiquez Lauzun, a Frenchman about 25 years of age, was found murdered in his room at Lansing, Mich., Thursday evening. The scene in the room

where the body was found was frightful. The walls were spattered, and the floor over which the murderer had dragged his victim was saturated with blood. Lauzun led a dissolute life, and followed circuses as a fakir. He was married about a year ago, but his wife had left him. Robbery is supposed to have been the motive for the murder. No clue to the murderer.

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hands, and I have received the summons, and so we'll go to business. And first about ma affairs. I wish ye to understand everything, that ye may be able to do your duty by ma widow." Egerton was conscious that Mrs. Arkwright straightened herself, and could feel the silence in the room, but the dying man was not one to appreci-

ate the atmosphere.

It may be that I was too owd for marrying, and ma ways too old-faslioned. Ma house has not been very bright for a young wife, and ma conloved ye, Laura, and have tried to do friends also.

You have been a faithful wife to

plan, "and have put up with my pe-culiarities—for I know you do not think tone changed. "I don't believe you, I said nowt, but I saw aal."

husband's, and it occurred to Egerton, are honest and brave and high-mindfrom a slight flush on his face, that she ed and loyal, and—"

go on to the end, and Egerton could ities. You forgot to add sweet-temperday in December, 3,769 boxes sold at not have left all to my wife without that."

These round of the end, and Egerton count not have lefted his eyes for a ransom—
ed, but perhaps you were coming to this latter figure.

June, 1894, was It is to you, Egerton, and I hope you'll am rather glad you mind you of me, and get you books." "It was very good of you, sir, and I

up the pillows hastily and went to a side table for a glass. Well, if you will not, then there's an end to it, but you will grant me another favor which may be harder,'

and for a minute Arkwright seemed to hesitate. "Ma wife will be left young and rich, and although I have never said it to you, ma lass, she is beautiful." "John, this is not seemly."

Her voice was vibrant with passion. "Blame me not for saying this once, and if another be present, he is our friend, and I am coming to my point. The brandy again, and I'll soon be

"You have no brother, and I have no person of my blood to guide you, ma lass; ye might be persecuted by men at would give you nowt but trouble and vexation of heart. You need an honest man to be your guardian and

give you advice. 'Ye may never want to marry again, for it may be ye have had little joy these years, or ye may-peace, lass, till I be done, I was ever rough and plain -and someone must see that your

husband be a right mon. "So I turned it over in ma mind, and I sought for a friend 'at was sound o' heart and faithful. This speaking is hard on me, but it will soon be done.' And as Mrs. Arkwright stooped to give him some brandy once more, Egerton saw that her cheeks were burning. An older mon might have been

better, but ye're old for your years, pastor, and have parted wi' the foolishness o' youth. You have some notions I don't hold with, for I'm the owd the object, the sum being \$233. sort-believe and be saved, believe not and be damned-but ye're no a mon to say yea, and do nay. Naa, naa, I have seen more than I have said, and though he have the true doctrine and does be completed in three months. some folk good, that chaap Tootle is shoddy stuff. George Egerton, as I have done good to you and not to these years, will ye count Laura Arkwright as your sister and do to her a brother's part, as ye will answer to God at bers.

the laast day?" The wind lifted the blind and rustled in the curtains, the dying man breathed heavily and waited. Egerton looked across the bed, but Mrs. Arkwright had withdrawn behind the curtain. Arkwright's eyes met the minister's with an earnest, searching glance. "I will be a brother to your wife

As he spoke, Arkwright grasped his

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when Egerton left the room Laura re-fused to touch his hand and her face was blazing with anger.

III. "You have been very generous to the chapel, and we thank you very much for keeping up all Mr. Arkwright's subscriptions those three years. The work of God would have been much crippled had it not been for your lib-

"Do you know, Mr. Egerton, that when you talk in that grave, approving fashion, as if I were one of your devout women like poor creature, although her husband os a sanctimonious idiot, I feel a perfect hypocrite?" "Why do you always depreciate

"Do not interrupt me, for I am determined to settle this matter once for all, and not walk about in a vain show, as if I were a saint. You think me good, and so do the chapel people, I suppose, because I give to foreign missions By Ian Maclaren.

"You've been very kind to me, and to the chapel, Mr. Arkwright, and I ster, "but I will hear your reason."

"Boarns Mr. Arkwright believed." and Bible women, and go to the

and raise you up again," and although in missions and evangelists, and he the words were formal, the accent was tender and moving in his I was wife to him, and because it would be dishonorable use his money for the objects he

"And the services? Is that the reason you are always present, and set such a good example?" And it was plain the minister did not take Mrs. Arkwright at the value of herself. "Oh, this is because—because—"
"Yes," and Mr. Egerton smiled as

one who is giving checkmate. "Because you were John's friend, and the only man he loved, and because, although we have quarreled science did not allow me liberty in very rude to you once or twice, worldly amusements. But according to still"—and a smile brought Mrs. Arkwright's face to perfection-"we are

"You married me a poor girl, and have been very angry with me," said Egerton, "when I could not understand the reason, but I never doubted your friendship. If I were in serious trouble I would me," he went on, as one fulfilling a plan, "and have put up with my read to you rather than to any

wi' me in things, and do not like some for you would go to some snuffy, of the men 'at came to the house. Oh, maundering old minister." Mrs. Arkwright laid her hand on her taking no notice of her petulance. "You

ad never done this before.

"Ma will has been made for a year"— had better add. How blind you are, "Pious, with a gift of prayer, you it was plain that Mr. Arkwright was to for all your knowledge and other qual-

"No, I would not say that, and I to re-books." the minister was very bold—"for you would not be yourself." am most grateful, but I really can't are not sure that I am ready for "You had your suspicions, then, and accept your kindness. It is not likely canonizing? Do you know I feel that I will ever marry, and I've got immensely relieved; suppose we celenough for myself."

As he spoke, Mrs. Arkwright shook

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you ring the bell, Mr. Egerton?" To be Continued.

******* WESTERN ONTARIO.

******* J. H. Scougall has been reappointed town clerk of Kincardine. Salary, \$150

The courts of registration of manhood suffrage voters at Stratford registered in the four days 665 names. Chatham has abolished the ward system, and will hereafter elect a mayor and ten aldermen by general

The Windsor Poultry and Pet Stock Association's show is to be held in Morton & Christie's old store on Feb. 22 and three following days. Mr. Geo. McEwen, the newly-elected warden of Huron county, was banqueted by his friends at the Commercial Hotel, Hensall, Tuesday night. The Ridgetown Liberal club rooms,

Livingstone block, will be open every night from now until election. Canvassers and workers will be present Mr. W. Winters and Mrs. Elizabeth Dizert, both of Langton, Norfolk county, were united in marriage at the Port Burwell Baptist parsonage by the Rev. P. R. Carey on Feb. 8.

The Fingal Presbyterian missionary meeting was a great success both from the addresses of the speakers and the amounts subscribed and collected for Knox Church, Stratford, is in a pros-

perous condition. The cost of the improvements decided on by the managers is estimated at \$6,500. They will The membership of the A. O. U. W., Highgate, has been considerably increased lately, owing to the earnest efforts of their grand organizer, Mr.

Bradley, assisted by the local mem-While felling trees in the woods, Jas. Yale, of Rodney, in running to escape a falling tree, caught his foot in a root and fell, the tree striking his leg, breaking the ankle and crushing his foot.

Willie, the 2-year-old son of Jason St. Louis, blacksmith, Windsor, fell into a pot of boiling water at the residence of William Langlois, and was so terribly scalded that his recov-

ery is doubtful. Mr. Wm. Turnbull, formerly of Paris, paymaster at the Brantford cotton mills, on severing his connection with that company, was made the recipient of a handsome gold watch and an address from the employes.

McPherson & Co., Fingal, are shipping their patterns and a large quantity of lumber via M. C. R. to Messrs.
White & Sons, London, whom they have sold out to. A large quantity of bolts are also being shipped from

Miss Nellie Gurling, of Peel township, was taken to the Guelph general hospital on Tuesday in a very critical condition. Her feet were badly frozen and it is feared that amputation will have to follow. The case is a very serious one.

Mrs. Catharine McHugh, widow of Patrick McHugh, and mother of Judge McHugh, died on Wednesday of old age at her home in Maidstone. She was born in Ireland 81 years ago. She came to Canada in 1840. Interment in Maidstone Cross cemetery.

The call of Rev. Geo. S. Smith, of Thamesford, in the London Presby-tery, to the pastorate of Taylor Church, Montreal, was discussed, and the necessary papers were ordered to be transmitted there as soon as possible, the salary being fixed at \$1,250 per

Mr. Kennedy, of Alvinston, is buy-Mr. Kennedy, of Alvinston, is buying up large quantities of elm and basswood timber, which is now being delivered in the G. T. R. yard at Giencoe. He expects to have over a million feet in stock in a short time and will then place a nortable sawmill in

grain. An address and a purse of \$250 was presented to Mr. Robson.

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the past six years. The total number is 227,450 boxes, or about 14,784,250 pounds, representing a value at the aggregate price of 81/2 cents per pound of \$1,256,661 25. Independent of these figures many hundred thousands of dollars have been paid for cheese sold by private sale. From this will be seen the great pecuniary benefits arising to the farming community of London, from only one branch of agriculture. Last season was the largest in the history of the association, nearly

8,000 boxes more than any year since organization. In 1892 the market opened at 91/4 to 93/8 cents, with cable quotations at 54s 6d. The cable rose to 55 shillings, and then declined more or less all season, and closed at 52 shillings. The cable had little effect on the price of cheese here, and the lowest price paid in 1892 was 8½ cents and the highest 10½ cents. Nearly 5,000 boxes sold at the latter figure on the last two days of the mar-

and declined continually until July, when 45s 6d was reached. It steadily between 8% and 10 cents for four months, and then jumped to 11 cents.

record, when u are not gentle"- average price of 8% cents. The market cable opened at 55 shillings, dropped to 45 shillings in June, and advanced to 51 shillings.

standpoint of prices. The cable opened at 47 shillings, and for the first two May 1,760 boxes were sold at 61/4 to 6% cents. Prices increased a little to 71-16 cents the following week and fluctu-ated greatly until the latter part of October when 91/8 cents was paid for 340 boxes. The highest price during the year was 9¼ cents, paid out for 360 boxes, and the market closed a few weeks later at 8% cents. The cable fluctuate 10 shillings and never rose

45 shillings. for the season, represented a distribution of \$263,956 87 among the farmers

> the earth; babies the son-the son-the smiles, the dimples and the dimph and the laughter of childhood and the world would become a barren wilderness habited on earth are comprised in the one word, "Mother-hood." Multitudes of women fail of this

Woman's ultimate

mission because of weakness and disease of the distinctly temporal of the distinctly temporal of the distinct of the d description unfit them for wifehood and that disorders of this motherhood, and as a consequence are careless and neglectful of their health in a womanly way. Others who realize the truth, shrink from the "examinations" and "local treatments" insisted upon by the average physician. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription does away with the necessity for these obnovious examinations and local for these obnoxious examinations and local treatments. It acts directly and only on the delicate and important organs that are the vestibule of human life and makes them strong, healthy, vigorous, virile and elastic. It fits for wifehood and motherelastic. It fits for wifehood and mother-hood. It banishes the annoyances of the uncomfortable period preceding maternity and makes baby's arrival in the world easy and nearly painless. All the dangers of maternity vanish under its beneficent influence. Its use during the period of anticipation is a guarantee of the little stranger's health and an ample supply of natural nourishment. Thousands of women have testified to its marvelous merits. All midicine stores sell it. Accept no substitute that may be represented as "just as go'd."

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hand and gave a sigh of content, but the yard and have the timber sawn when Egerton left the room Laura reinto bolts for shipment to the Eastern States.

A complimentary dinner was tendered Mr. M. Robson, grain buyer, of Ayr. Wednesday evening, by farmers and others, in recognition of the interest which that gentleman has taken in endeavoring to keep up the price of

The annual meeting of the Ingersoll Caledonian Society was held on Tuesday, a large number being present.
The following officers were elected: Thos. Dougan, chief; D. J. Gibson, chieftain; B. B. Baillie, secretary; R. Mrs. Tootle, who is really a good creature, although her husband os standard-bearer; J. McIntyre, Jas. Sin-

London Cheese Market

Compiled by the Secretary.

Secretary Nelles, of the London Cheese Association, has issued a statement showing the number of boxes of cheese sold on the local board during

The cable in 1893 opened at 54s 6d, rose, and closed at 55 shillings the third week in December. The first sales realized 93% to 95% cents, and fluctuated

June, 1894, was the biggest month on opened with prices at 10% to 101/2 cents, and dropped to 8½ cents, the lowest figure of the year, the third week in June. Prices steadily advanced, and 101/2 cents was reached in August, and remained about the same the balance of the season, closing at 101% cents. The

The year 1895 was a poor one from a weeks of May bids were so low that no sales resulted. The third Saturday in

above the opening quotation, closing at The make was much heavier in 1896, though prices were little better than the previous year. The English market was quoted at 41s to 45s 6d on May 9, the price on the local board 6% cents, 40 boxes selling at this figure. For Several weeks there was a sluggish feeling, and at the end of June 7 cents was realized. On Aug. 15, the price rose to 8 cents and fluctuated between 7 11-16 and 8% cents until Oct. 3, when the market bidding bounded up to 10 Oct. and 10 1-16 cents. From this until Dec. market was unsettled and fluctuated greatly, closing at 8½ to 9% cents with the cable at 51 shillings.

The year 1897 was a brilliant one and prices opened on May 8 at 9½ cents and cable quotations at 55 shillings. At no time during the year was the bidding less than 7% cents. The highest price realized was 9% cents. The only day upon which no cheese sold was Oct. 30. The 47,775 boxes represent in the approximately 3,105,375 pounds which at an average price of 81/2 cents

Flowers are the poetry of

Pitiable Plight of Cubans at Sagua L Meridian, Miss., Feb. 11.-Major Geo. . McDonald, jun., commander of First Regiment, Mississippi National Guard, has a letter from Walter Barker, consul at Sagua La Grande, Cuba, which savs: "I counted today three dead bodies on the streets; another was lying in the market. All died of starvation. mission, duty and joy The alcalde stated yesterday that 6,000 reconcentrados in this city were starying.'

> LAMBTON DOCTORS. Watford, Ont., Feb. 11.-The annual meeting of the Lambton Medical Society was held in the Foresters' Hall here Wednesday. Dr. James Newell, president, called the meeting to order. Among those present were: Drs. Harvey and Brodie, Wyoming; Brown, Camlachie; Bentey, and Wilkinson, Sarnia; Watson, Arkona; J. N. Brown, Toronto, and Gibson, Newell and Wichett. The following officers were elected: Dr. J. Dunfield, president, Petrolia; Dr. F. B. Wilkinson, vicepresident, Sarnia; Dr. P. Brown, secretary-treasurer, Camlachie; Drs. Wilkinson, Brodie and Gibson, a committee on ethics. Dr. Harvey read an interesting paper on "Diagnosis," which elicited an interesting discussion. At the close of the meeting the members were entertained to an excellent supper at the Hotel Victoria.

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in the immediate vicinity of this city. Following is the market record for the

Totals... 44,424 31,114 40,336 27 452 36,339

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A recapitulation of the market for

the years 1892-3-4-5-6 give the total

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47.775 The market will re-open on May 14

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C. E. MCPHERSON, Assistant General Pagengray agent of the Canadian Canadian Canadian Pacific Railway agent or write to the undersigned. C. E. McPHERSON, Assistant General Pasenger Agent, Toron THOS. R. PARKER, city passenger agent, 161 Dundes street, corner Richmond.

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two very fine solos, and responded graciously to the recalls which her brilliant playing elicited. The Lutteman Quintet, from Stocknolm, Sweden, proved to be a very strong attraction. The members—F.

Erikson, and C. Froholm, first tenors; C. Smith, second tenor; E. Schill, first bass, and G. Kurdlundh, second bassare each vocalists of rare talent. The selections given by them were varied, and included catchy melodies in German, Swedish and English, and comic songs. All were greatly appreciated. The attendance at the concert was the largest of the season at the Audi-

Richmond Fire Hall, Toronto, Feb. 26, 1897. Dear Sir,-Constipation for years has

been my chief ailment; it seems to come oftener in spite of all I could do. However, some time ago I was told to use Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, which I have done, with the result of what appears now to be a perfect cure. Yours truly, J. HARRIS.

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CLOUDY AND MILD, WITH SHOWERS.

Toronto, Feb. 10-11 p.m.-The high pressure which was in Manitoba has dispersed, and the weather there has become milder. A moderate low area now covers Iowa, and another is over Texas. The weather has been mild from the lakes to the Atlantic, with light showers in many places. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Kamloops, 30-42; Calgary, 12-28; Qu'-Appelle, 2-18; Winnipeg, 22 below-14; Port Arthur, 8-18; Parry Sound, 32-42; Toronto, 36-42; Ottawa, 28-40; Montreal, 26-40; Quebec, 26-38; Halifax,

Probabilities .- Toronto, Feb. 11-1 a. m.—Lower lakes: Partly cloudy or cloudy and mild, with some showers. Local Temperatures.-The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory here yesterday were 40 and 34 above.

Flowers that Bloom in the spring, tra-la, are all right in their place. But flowers that bloom these wintry days are more enjoyable just now. See the beauties at GAMMAGE'S, cor. Dundas and Clarence

London Advertiser.

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-Misses Nellie Wylie and Mina Kompass are visiting friends in Caledonia and Hamilton.

-Miss Ethel Boyce, of Waterford, is the guest of Mrs. Arthur D. Huff, South London. Cheese and Butter Makers will be held Boston for a year. For the past year

-Invitations are out for the ball, to be given by No. 1 Company, R. R. C. 1., at the barracks, on Feb. 21. -Miss Della McNaughton, of 650 King street, has returned home from an extended visit to Chicago and other

western cities. -Book and pamphlet printing of every description turned out in the best style and at lowest prices, at The Advertiser Job Printing Department. -At an official meeting of the Ham-ilton Road Methodist Church, Rev. J. G. Fallis received a unanimous invitation to return as pastor for the sec-

-Mr. H. C. Becher, of Greenless & Becher, of this city, yesterday sold parts of lots 11 and 12 in con. 5, Ral-

eigh, 130 acres, to Thomas McNeely, for \$6,500. -The law practice of the late Mr. W. J. Clarke is, by arrangement with the administratrix, being continued by

Jarvis & Vining, barristers, etc., at their office, No. 101 Dundas street. -The special meetings in the Ham-ilton Road Methodist Church are still going on. Many say they never saw, as powerful meetings in the church before. A large number have commenced a better life.

-Colonel Leys visited Wolseley Barracks yesterday and spent two or three hours among the men of No. 1 Company. He was given a rousing reception and made a speech in the men s liams. quarters, which elicited loud cheers. -Bert Stewart, who has been with Messrs. John H. Chapman & Co. for some years, has left, to take a position with Messrs. Clubb & Stewart, of Vancouver, B. C. His sister Annie, of Embro, accompanies him on his western

-The Atlanta (Ga.) Constitution, in its issue of Wednesday, thus refers to an incident in the council of that city: "Mr. Edwin N. Hunt, member of the aldermanic board of London, Canada, was present, and was invited to take

-At the meeting of the Montreal Presbytery on Tuesday, Rev. G. H. Smith, M.A., B.D., of Thamesford, was given a call to Taylor Church, Mon-treal. The stipend is \$1,200 a year and a month's holidays. Prof. Ross will prosecute the call before the London

Presbytery on March 8 -The presbytery of London will on Wednesday next, in the Presbyterian Church, Glencoe, celebrate the 50th anniversary of the ordination and induction of Rev. W. R. Sutherland. This will be the first event of its kind in the history of the presbytery of London. Rev. J. G. Stuart, of South London,

moderator, will preside. -Mr. David A. Dibb, of 427 Dufferin avenue, has quite a curiosity in the shape of a sparrow, minus its tail. Mr. and Mrs. Dibb were sitting before the hearth, a day or so ago, when the sparrow, having got down the chimney, continued its way down the stovepipes and flow out of the open fire-place. The little thing dropped on the floor, exhausted by its unique experience. It is now being kept in a cage. getting ready.

the St. George's Society last night two life and two annual members were elected. A committee was appointed to arrange for the annual banquet on St. George's Day. An interesting presentation was made to Bro. George Pritchard of a St. George's jewel to commemorate his twenty-first year as treasurer of the society, and in appreciation of his long and faithful services. Eulogistic addresses were made, and the recipient made a feeling re-

-The late Geo. M. Rose, of the firm of Hunter, Rose & Co., Toronto, was be long remembered by those who were once in business in this city. A present. biographer says after leaving Merrickville, where he published the Chronicle, Mr. Rose removed to London, where he assumed charge of Newcombe's printing office. In London, Mr. Hamilton Hunter induced him to join in the publication of the London Atlas. The Atlas suspended publication for some time, and Mr. Rose became city editor

ronto. -Mr. John A. Gurd, son of Mr. J. R. nutriment. They are just the medi-Gurd, of West London, has just passed his examination for admittance to the

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National School of Fine Arts at Paris, France, achieving the honorable distinction of second place among 400 candidates. This entitles him to a free course of tuition at this celebrated institution. Mr. Gurd was formerly a student in this city, and was for several years in lucrative employment in Chicago, where he gained the means of pursuing his studies. He since -The first convention of the Ontario attended the School of Technology at

> he has been traveling in Europe -About three o'clock yesterday afternoon, a load of wood became stuck on the rails of the G. T. R. crossing at Pottersburg. The driver, a man from the brickyards, did all in his power to remove the road, and applied the whip freely. An asylum teamster was about to hitch his team to the load, when a passenger train approached.

horses were immediately unhitched, and the load left on the rails. The engine approached at a rate of nine or ten miles an hour, and smashed the sleigh and scattered the wood all over the place. This morning men have been employed putting snow on all of the crossings to prevent a recurrence of this kind of accident.

-Mr. Isaac Jones, of Grand avenue. died at his home on Wednesday at the advanced age of 75 years. He was a native of Dublin, Ireland, and when a young man came to Canada, settling in the township of McGillivray, where he took up a farm and continued thereon until three years ago, when age and infirmity compeled him to seek an easier life. He moved to Grand avenue, where he remained until his death. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church. Mr. Jones was twice married. and his second wife survives him. A grown-up family is left to mourn his They are: Isaac, of London; David J. and Samuel, Minnesota; William, Robert and Elijah, Toledo, Ohio: Mrs. George West, Mrs. M. Cassidy,

Sarnia, and Mrs. Armstrong, East Wil--A large company gathered last night at the residence of Mr. John Walters, contractor, 208 Mount Pleasant street, to bid farewell to his son, Mr. Neil Walters, who is leaving for San Francisco. The company comprised the fellow-employes of Mr. Neil Walters at George White & Sons. Mr. Ed. Barnes was the chairman, and on behalf of his comrades read an address highly eulogistic of Mr. Walters. The latter was then presented with a wellfilled purse, and received many hearty wishes for his success in the west. The committee in charge of the presentation included Messrs. John Jones, H. Williams, Charles White, A. H. Wilson, Charles Noran, B. Mitchell, Sid Rice and Fred Rice. Mr. Walters, wife and family, depart on Monday for

their new home. They leave many warm friends in London. THE SECRET OF SUCCESS. "I have never forgotten," said Mr. Noggleby, "the wise remark that a young man once made to me, years ago. It was this: 'One thing leads to another.' This was apropos of a further advantage that I had brought into view by a step I had just taken. The moral of this is-it has been set forth often (I may have mentioned it myself) but it will bear endless repetition-that if we

PORT STANLEY. A crowd of 23 from St. Thomas drove down last evening to Capt. John Ellison's, to enjoy a dance. Robert Conley, of St. Thomas, who has the contract for driving a number of piles at the Zavitz bridge, is here

would succeed we must keep stirring."

-At the usual monthly meeting of held here by Rev. Mr. Going and Rev. Mr. Courtney, some 30 persons joined the Methodist Church last evening. The church was crowded. The ceremony Some of St. Thomas' well-known citizens took Mr. J. Cope, Scotch road. near the village, by surprise Wednesday night, but Mrs. Cope was equal to the emergency and entertained the guests right royally. Games, music and dancing were indulged in, and after an excellent repast the party left for home, giving three cheers for their hostess. The enjoyable time spent will

A DINNER PILL.-Many persons suffer excruciating agony after par-taking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healthy nutriment, it becomes a poison to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correcof the Prototype, owned by Marcus tives of such troubles. They acidity, open the secretions, and convey the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medi-

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the Streets.

Board of Works Will Try a New Snow Plow-Present System Unsatisfactory-Other Business.

At the regular meeting of the board of works last night, Ald. Cooper urged the necessity of improving the city's system of snow-plowing. At present it was no good. The plows merely skimmed over the snow, and then at the time of a thaw the streets were covered with slush. The city of Toronto had good plows, he said, and suggested that the engineer write for the loan of one of them, that it might be given a trial. This will be done. Mayor Wilson differed from Ald. Cooper. He thought the only system that would work properly was to compel citizens to clean the sidewalks in

front of their own property. Ald. Cooper thought there was as much reason for the city to clean the walks as there was to clean the streets. In obedience to the street commissioner's report, the stone crusher will be overhauled and repaired, at a cost

Mr. A. Keenleyside again pressed his petition for an improvement to the sidewalk in front of his property on Inkerman avenue. This walk, said Mr. Keenleyside, was dangerous, and should have feen fixed long ago. The whole trouble, he said, was with the city engineer. Mr. Keenleyside had another grievance, too. For two blocks his tenants had been obliged to walk through the deep snow all winter, and he blamed the engineer for the failure to have the snowplow run along the street there.

Mr. Graydon was not present to reply. Janitor Meritt asked for 400 chairs for the city hall. Tenders will be call-

Mr. C. Laing petitioned for permission to tap a drain on Thornton avenue free of charge. He thought he should not be made to pay, as another ratepayer had the same privilege free. The committee did not see it that way, and Mr. Laing will have to pay the usual rates. Adjourned.

The members present were: Ald. Douglass (chairman), Greenlees, Belton, Cooper, Dreaney and Carrothers, the mayor, Street Commissioner Iron side and Secretary Bell.

The Final Section.

Completion of the New Sewers Ordered at Once.

Engineer Chipman's Report-Mr. Pritchard's Lack of Faith.

The regular session of the city sewerage committee was held last night. after the board of works finished. A report of Consulting Engineer

Chipman upon the field work necessary to carry the sewer from section C (Evergreen avenue) to the cove, was read. He stated that soundings of the river should be taken immediately west of the west cove, in order to determine the best point at which to lay the proposed overflow outlet, and the three coves sounded to ascertain the character of the bottom of each.

Mr. Pritchard said that he had no vet learned that there was any intention of a sewage farm being started, and wanted to know where the sewage was to be emptied into the river. The chairman said the outlet at present was near the cove. Mr. Pritchard said that would be the outlet for all time then. He did not think there ever was any intention of having a sewage farm. He wanted to know what properties had been purchased for the purpose of a sewage farm, and by whose authority. He moved that the chairman report on these points at the next meet-

ing. Carried.

The reappointment of inspectors for the north section of the new sewers was laid over for a week. Commissioner Ironside reported that Engineer Graydon had notified Connorth end sewer.

tractor Brown to start at once on the Mr. Chipman has been in the employ of the city one year, and was reap pointed consulting engineer at \$780 year.

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Affecting Middlesex County and the Province at Large.

The county executive will meet in London on Feb. 17 in the Y. M. C. A. hall at 2:30 p.m., to make arrangements for the annual county convention, Blessed is he who speaks for tomorwhich is to take place at Strathroy in row.

lar meeting on the evening of Feb. 18. of bottles from Germany. Papers will be given on the subject of the aims, objects and outlook of the young people's movement. Lively discussions are anticipated upon the pa-

PROVINCIAL EDITOR'S SUM-

At Nashville, Tenn., every arrangement is being made for the great international convention, to be held July 6-11. Our Canadian manager has been appointed to look after the interests of all who purpose going hither. He is C. J. Atkinson, 4 Simpson avenue, Toronto. All who apply to him will have information given them of routes, cost of travel, entertainment, etc. If you think of going, do not wait to the last moment to make arrangements.

A LAUDABLE PROJECT. I have in my hands a letter from my dear friend, Dr. Abraham, of Burlington, Ont., and I want to lay what is in it before our Enleavorers, and ask their free and full opinion of the matter. "Could we not, as Christian Endeavorers, build a cottage in the Muskoka Home for Consumptives, to which members of the society in Ontario would have access?" Dr. Atkinson writes also for a cheap holiday of a Dr. Atkinson few weeks, or both might be adopted. promised to ask our Endeavorers what they thought of it. Will you, therefore, let me hear on a post card from all over Ontario, what you think? This would be a band to bind us in a common effort, which would do much good. Write as speedily as possible.

OUR ANNUAL REPORT. has been expected for some time, and is not out yet. We are sorry that it

interfered. The executive have been pushing on the printers as well as they could, and hope ere long to see

it out in fair and comely guise. OUR PRESS AND C. E. In every part of the province our budget is welcome, and some of our enterprising papers are marking out our editor's communications by a large C. E. This is highly commendable. The young men and young women in our ranks today are the persons in whose hands lie the destinies of the immediate future. They are going to control the affairs of our province in a very short time, and he who is wise will work with them and for them.

Strathroy local union holds its regu-, cline of 30 per cent in the importation The Dingiey tariff has caused a de-German locomotive engineers receive a gold medal and \$500 for every ten years of service without accident.



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